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BANK COMMERCE VANCOUVER ROBBED

FINAL RECORD OF DEBATE AT OTTAWA BEFORE PASSING ELEVATOR VOTE

Bandits Hold up Busy Branch of Canadian Bank of Commerce in Vancouver and Get \$19,000

threatened with death and struck

which was standing with the en-

gine running, and sped away on

Mr. Bonnalie has been its man-

FISH ARRIVALS

For Much of Catch This

Morning

ager for many years.

Arrivals were:

Cold Storage Co.

American

Canadian

Management & services - many construction or construction

DENFENSIVE ALLIANCE.

the traffic.

with the gun muzzle by one of ++++++++++++++

VANCOUVER, July 24.—Three bandits held up the staff of the branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce at the corner of Granville and Robson Streets at 9.30 this morning and forced * SIR HENRY COMING Manager J. A. Bonnallie to open the inner compartment of the steel vault, and escaped with \$19,000. Bonnallie attempted to turn and grapple with one of the desperadoes and was struck . over the head with the butt of a revolver which cut his scalp of the Canadian National open. Bleeding and dazed he was compelled to open the vault. * Railways, received a tele-The bandit then scooped several bundles of bills from the cash + gram from Sir Henry

COL. MARITZ

Convicted of High Treason For Rebellion in 1914; Col. Maritz Released by New South African Govt.

CAPETOWN, S.A., July 24. -A he release by the Hertzog govrnment of G. Manie Maritz, jumped into an automobile, ormer Boer general, who was onvicted of high treason for aking part in the rebellion of 914 and sentenced to three years imprisonment. Maritz had served only twelve weeks of his term. It is expected that the matter will be threshed out at the meeting of the new partliament oday.

FRENCHMEN'S RECORD FLIGHT

Air Thirty-Eight Hours; Beating Previous Record.

CHARTRES, France, July 24 .- Of this total the Americans land-French aviators Coipet and ed 71,000 pounds and the Cana-Droupin, broke the world's record dians 17,000 pounds. In addition ALLIED CONFERENCE for a duration flight by remain-the trawler Carruthers brought ng in the air for 38 hours. The in 70,000 pounds yesterday afrevious record was 37 hours ternoon for the Canadian Fish & can and Canadian fares. . Richter.

CANUCK SOCCER TEAM BEAT AUSSIES AGAIN

South Maitland was defeated by and 7c, to the Royal Fish Co. the Canadian all-star soccerites by one goal to nil. The game was fast and exciting. The Can- 9.1c, to the Atlin Fisheries. adians have now won eleven

SMOKESTACK FELL FOUR WERE KILLED Storage Co.

DETROIT, Mich., July 24. - EXPECT FISHERMEN Four people were killed and three seriously injured when the smokestack fell into the street from an eleven storey building crushing the occupants of an automobile.

LEAGUE BASEBALL

American

Detroit, 3; New York, 4. Cleveland, 12; Boston, 16. St. Louis, 7; Philadelphia, 0. Chicago, 2; Washington, 4. National.

New York, 2; Cincinnati, 1. Brooklyn, 4; Pittsburg, 3. Boston, 2; Chicago, 5. Philadelphia, 8; St. Louis, 5. [alliance.

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 6.

F. G. Dawson, director drawer. The other robbers kept. Thorton, this morning. the remaining members of the * stating that he expected * staff covered with revolvers and to arrive here on the compelled them to lie prostrate . steamer, Wednesday, Aug. . IS RELEASED on the floor. H. Buss, ledger + 6, and will leave for the + keeper, attempted to scrutinize + East on the following + the faces of the men, but was morning,

the thugs. The leader of the gang directed the others in a AMATEUR RADIO MAN cool, deliberate manner. A teller AMATEUR RADIO MAN TALKS WITH MACMILLAN states he will recognize one of the robbers as a man who had

ning from the bank, the bandits Silence Communication With Artio Explorer Again

Commences.

Granville Street, being lost in WESTFIELD, Mass., July 24 .-Percy Noble, of this city, early This branch, known as the Saturday, got in touch with the Robson district branch, is one Donald MacMillan Artic expediof the busiest in Vancouver and tion by wireless telegraph from his station which was in actual two way transmission with Operator Mix of the expedition, who said that all aboard the Bowdoin were well. Noble said that the Bowdoin's transmission came in Thirteen and Half Cents Paid strong. For several months now Three American and three ing transmission and reception. Canadian boats marketed a total Last year, Jack Barnsley, of of 88,000 pounds of halibut on the Fish Exchange this morning. erator to communicate.

nd 15 minutes, made by Lieut. Cold Storage Co. Prices on first LONDON, July 24.—Efforts to the vicinity of Prince Rupert. | is claimed an old-time | sion government it was necessary Lowell H. Smith, commander of class fish dropped several points surmount the impasse in the inhe American globe flyers, and J. over yesterday for both Ameri- ter-allied conference regarding the way Sir Henry Thornton from the discovery. antees to satisfy investors in far-sighted men in Canada.

COMING TO COAST MORE EVIDENCE IN

VICTORIA, July 24.—Hon, T. D. Pattullo is making arrange- CHICAGO, July 24.—In con- Prince George and has travelled MEXICAN REBELS GET ments for a number of fishermen tinning the piling up of evidence through that country will realto come to British Columbia designed to send Nathan Leopold ize that there is a very large from the Hebrides. Negotiations and Richard Loeb to the gallows area there which is suitable for are well under way and probably for kidnapping and murdering of mixed farming and which will will be completed in the near fu- Robert Franks, State Attorney grow good wheat. They will also Armed Mexican rebel bands cap- Dealing with the plan of com-Robert Crowe today produced in realize that there has been chain of evidence for formal taking place in that section. been opened in Paris with a view typewriter, on which the letter pose, if it served that country vices. to a Franco-Jugoslav defensive asking for ransom is alleged to alone. I know whereof I speak lhave been written.



Above is a photograph of Generalissimo Balbo, leader of the Fascist Militia, who is reported to have led several thousand of his troops into Rome.

hrough South Africa because of transacted some business with the bank several days ago. Run- After Two Months Enforced Elevator Discussion Brings Out Interesting Points in Regard to Views of Members

Among the interesting things said in the discussion on in either place, however. He il-Prince Rupert's grain elevator before the passing of the vote was lustrated the ignorance displayed [A] that the moment the elevator was built the Peace River people by councilmen by interesting; would want an outlet here in order ship grain through this port, anecdotes. Hon. Dr. Tolmie of Victoria was among the supporters of In this country the people elect the vote. Premier King strongly urged it and said country back the mayor and council whereas

of it would be served by it. The handicap of grain shipments through Vancouver was only and the council elect the Twenty Children Killed in Mexi-

Mr. Beaubien: I am informed no amateurs have been able to that Sir Henry Thornton recomhear the ship in the far north mended the building of an eledue to the condition's surround- vator at Prince Rupert. Am I + IRIDIUM IS FOUND

Mr. Graham: I think that is Prince Rupert, was the only op- correct. Prince Rupert is Canadian National territory, a Canadian National investment, a Firidium, one of the most Fager. Under the board of control galleries filled with little child-Canadian National city, and it is . valuable minerals in the . two councillors could be appoint- ren. natural that the Canadian Na- world has been discovered ed under the Act and that really DEADLOCKED AGAIN tional would like to see devel- in the upper waters of the was equivalent to three mayors EIGHT FOOT VEIN Peace River by the Canyon whereas one was quite sufficient. a large amount of property in Gold Mining Company. It In order to establish a commis-

the sufficiency of guarantees for handled the estimates of the loan to Germany today occupies fore the special committee, I do Omaney, 55,000 lbs., at 13.5c the attention of the delegates and 6.5c to the Canadian Fish & with the belief uppermost that a litate one minute to build an elesolution will be found before vator at Prince Rupert if he is Harding, 8,000 lbs., at 14.6c and many hours. While the French in favour of it. My hon. friend NEWCASTLE, N.S.W., July 24. 7c; Norma, 8,000 lbs., at 14.6c are maintaining the sanctity of (Sir Henry Drayton) may not the Versailles treaty, internation-lagree with everything I say in al bankers are equally firm in this respect, but I think Sir Pair of Jacks, 7,000 lbs., at the United States and elsewhere, have been informed by the hon. games, lost six and drawn seven. 13.6c and 9c, to the Royal Fish who may be asked to support the member for Skeena (Mr. Stork) German loan necessary to the that Sir Henry Thornton is in W. & F., 3,000 lbs., at 13.5c and launching of the Dawes' plan. It favour of the building of this telli, who plans a polar trip next councils had charge of the spend- grade from wall to wall. am in favour of it.

Premier Speaks.

Mr. King (Kootenay): KIDNAPPING CASE Henry Thornton has spent some land as preparation for his own councils generally. Also he em- of the vein. phasized that any changes he The length Any one who is familiar with

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PEACE RIVER AND

ation For Arctic Trip Next Year

CASH AT RAIL DEPOT quired to carry on as long as they AUTO SMASHED AT

WASHINGTON, July 24. -

Subscribe for the Daily News.

Advantages of City Manager Plan of Civic Government set forth by George Rorie at Gyro Club Dinner

That the present system of civic government is not satisfactory either in Canada or the Old Country was the opinion expressed by George Rorie at the Gyro Club dinner last night in the St. Regis Cafe when he was the chief speaker of the evening with President Milton Gonzales in the chair and a large attendance of members and guests. The speaker drew attention to the weaknesses of the present system and advocated in its place a system under which the executive should be a manager with full powers subject to a small unpaid council, whose duties should be only legislative.

Mr. Rorie explained that he MACLAREN AT was not discussing a subject of MACLAREN AT which he had no knowledge. Both in the Old Country and here he had had experience. Comparing the Old Country system, with this he thought the Old Country rather the more incompetent. About the Reaches year 1887 he had come in contact with the local government! accounts of the Edinburgh parochial board and since that had been in constant touch with the Laren, British round the world work of borough and town audits aviator, with his fellow flying until coming to Canada. In this men who left Uruppu Island yescountry he had had experience at terday morning, resuming his South Vancouver, North Vancou- flight after having to drop during ver, Point Grey and Prince Ru- a dense fog and, after being de-

Lack Initiative

were made up of older men who evening. lacked initiative. Here the young Paramashiru is one of the men had plenty of initiative. Civic Kuriles. government was not satisfactory

in Scotland they elect the council also mentioned by a member. Following is part of the discussion: mayor. He liked the Scottish system in that respect. Also on • year term which makes for con-• better than the one here.

STAMPEDE LIKELY + In order to better the system, • there were two alternatives — a

Lack of Central Control

The chief drawbacks to the Bear River Ore of Spectacular central control. Wrong persons were elected to office and there

phasized that any changes he The length of this ore shoot is staff as they would still be re-

change was simply one of method. Business Enterprise

a tured the railway station at mission government under which court several exhibits in the very considerable settlemenet Jalapa today and carried off a a city manager was the execu- OAK HARBOR, Ohio, July 24.—

Paramashiru Island From Uruppu Island Last Evening

MURAKAMI BAY

TOKIO, July 24.—Stuart Maclayed by the illness of one of the flyers, arrived at Murakami Bay, In the Old Country the councils Paramashiru Island at 7.30 last

can Movie Theatre When Film Caught Fire

VERA CRUZ, Mexico, July 24 .-tinuity. That system, he liked Twenty children were trampled to death and seventeen persons were injured in a picture theatre when the film, caught fire. A EDMONTON, July 24.- board of control or a city man- mad rush was made from the

RICH ORE FOUND IN DUNWELL AT STEWART

and Sulphides

was a lack of continuity. While Some of the most spectacular there was a central control by high-grade ore yet developed in GO WITH YANKS the mayor this control could be the Dunwell mine, was brought upset by the council as they all to town yesterday, consisting of knew here. A position on the city several hundred pounds of ore council was often looked upon as showing native silver and silver D.S.T., 7,000 lbs., at 13.6c and their demands for definite guar- Henry Thornton is one of the Will Fly to Greenland as Prepar- a job for the jobless. He asked sulphides, says the Portland how many of the ordinary coun- Canal News. This ore was from a cilmen they would choose to place crosscut in the face of the north in charge of their own private drift. The vein is eight feet in ROME, July 24. - Lieut. Laco- business, and yet in the cities the width and is practically high-

9c, to the Canadian Fish & Cold is the general opinion that a way elevator, and if Sir Henry Thorn-year, starts today on a flight to ing of millions of dollars. In As this drift has been driven out of the entanglement will be ton is in favour of it, then I paris and London to join the this and in anything he said he northward additional depth on the American aviators. The Italian wanted it quite understood that vein has been gained, and the will accompany the American he was not speaking of the local face of the drift has now reached Sir flyers when they start for Green-conditions but of mayors and a depth of 700 feet on the dip

suggested would make very little now 48 feet with high-grade ore difference to the local permanent throughout the entire distance.

TEN ARE KILLED

large sum of money and mer-tive, Mr. Rorie said the business Ten people were killed and ten identification, including a taper- As far as the elevator at chandise. The bandits were of the city was run as a great injured, some seriously, when BELGRADE, July 24.—It is re- ed cold chisel used in beating the Prince Rupert is concerned it pursued to the mountains by business enterprise. The people the New York Central passenger ported that negotiations have boy to death, and a portable would serve a very useful pur- Federal troops, according to ad- were the stockholders. In order train crashed into an automobile to get it, a charter was necessary, truck at a grade crossing last and to obtain this they had to night. The auto was carrying (continued on page two) home an outing party.