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## BELLEVAN OF LIEUTING

### COMMISSION CONCLUDES ITS OPENING SESSION

#### Pattullo Replies on Taxation Issue; Number of Subjects Discussed

Legislature Hears of Licensing Motor Vehicles; Horse Racing; and Sale of P.G.E. Railway

VICTORIA, Nov. 20-Hou. T. D. Pattullo, minister of lands, in resuming the budget debate yesterday criticized the remarks of J. W. Jones, member for South Okanagan, in asking for a reduction of taxes. He declared that the opposition had a fertile field to cultivate when he told the taxpayers they were carrying too heavy a burden, as nobody likes to pay taxes. Mr. Pattullo asserted that the present high tax rate was the result of the aleination of the natural resources of the province during the McBride regime. Settlement was established in all corners of the province thus causing the machinery of government to be PROTECT WHITE

Orientals and Whites in

Same Home

be Called by President Cool-

idge of United States

The state of the s

others in that city.

very costly. P.G.E. Sale

R. H. Pooley, member for Esquimalt and leader of the opposition, presented the opposition amendment to the Pacific Great Fastern Bill. This amendment called for the almost complete; redrafting of the original resolution, the principal object of which was the curtailing of the powers of the government in connection with any proposed sale of the railway in favor of a decision on the sale by the Legislature.

Horse Racing

T. G. Coventry declared the designed to prevent the employsix ment of Orientals and white girls! measure limiting racing to days each season on each track together as domestic servants in would be downright prohibition the same home. and would result in not one! track being operated next year, if a sequel to the Janet Smith case; enacted. He hoped a reasonable and following vigorous agitation

compromise would be reached. Motor Vehicles Act

A further change in the Motor Vehicles Act was forecasted by the Attorney General to provide for the issue of white licenses. On the first conviction of the driver his white tag would be withdrawn and a blue one issued. If there were no conviction for six months the driver could apply for a new white tag but if convicted within the six months he would get a red tag and a third conviction within six months would cause the suspension or cancellation of his license altogether.

#### GRAY RETURNED

Q.C.I. Freighting Back to Owners

The whaler Gray, which has ject. been used this summer by the Canadian Government Merchant Marine in the Queen Charlotte Island freight service, was refurned to her owners, the Consolidated Whaling Co., last week

### GOVERNMENT IS

Egypt as Result of Stack Episode Yesterday

ment in representations to the hibited. grave.

#### TILLAMOOK ARMS PARLEY

Vessel is Changed to Canadian kegistry and Will be Operated Here

The motorship Tillamook is to be changed to Canadian ragistry and will be operated out of this port to Skeena, Naas River and other points, according to W. E. Warren, general manager of the Canadian National Railway, who arrived here yesterday and left this forenoon for the interior. The Tillamook will be brought

here and overhauled at the dry

dock prior to being put into

the service.

### WILL DEBATE

Takes Part in Big Event at Edmonton Tomorrow Against Three Canadians

EDMONTON, Nov. 20 .- Mal-Bill to be Introduced to Prevent olm Macdonald, son of the former labor Premier of Great Britain, J. D. Woodruff, ex-president of the Oxford University Liberal Club and M. C. Hollis, a young · VICTORIA, Nov. 20. - Notice writer, all three past presidents was given in the Legislature by of the Oxford University debating Mary Ellen Smith, member for Union, are to engage in a debate Vancouver, of her intention at an here tomorrow night with three early date to introduce a bill Alberta University men, George The bill is being introduced as: ada should be conducted by His! Imperial Majesty upon the advice; of the Scottish societies and of his Canadian Ministers and having been unavoidably late. that the obligations so incurred; should be binding on and en-

forced by Canada alone."

#### ARMS PARLEY STARVING MAN IS BROUGHT TO CITY Geneva Has it That Meeting Will

William Webb, an Englishman. aged 48, was brought in by the provincial police last night from GENEVA, Nov. 20 .- The latest North Pacific cannery suffering rumor circulating here on the from starvation. Dr. H. E. Tre- George H. Munro was chosen disarmament question is that mayne also made the trip with foreman. President Coolidge of the United the police. Webb was found in States will convene a new arm's one of the cannery shacks in an indictment against Jack Macconference to meet in Europe emaciated condition and, on ar-donald in connection with the perhaps at The Hague. Those rival here, was admitted to the alleged assault of Provincial Vessel Used by C.G.M.M. for eirculating the rumor insist hospital. He is said to have be- Constable Arthur Collins at that the Washington government come exhausted and crawled into Ocean Falls some months ago. has already sounded the new the shack where he was found by British government on the sub- the cannery watchman after he had had nothing to eat for 4 days.

### Halibut Commission Hold fully assaulting a peace officer CALLED TO TIME Opening Session at Seattle

SEATTLE, Nov. 20.—The international joint ommission bodily harm in an attempt to the Wembley exposition next year the Prince Rupert yesterday af-Britain Will Make Demand of representing Canada and United States yesterday heard persons prevent arrest, unlawfully in- is under consideration. It is un- ternoon in the course of a tour . here who were interested in the halibut fisheries of the North flicting grevious bodily harm of derstood officials are favorable of inspection on the Pacific + Pacific. The commission was told that the closed season from Constable Collins, and unlawfully but no definite decision in regard Coast and continued East this November 15 to February 15 was likely to prove beneficial.

Some of the fishermen who appeared before the commis- execution of his duties. and immediate action will be de- sion told of the use of small hooks which take the fish before; manded by the British govern- they are fully grown and suggested that this ought to be pro- prosecutor and MacDonald is de- jority of the dominions and col- Warren's official party included + tion will be held in the

Egyptian government as a result! The hearing here was comof the attempt on the life of Sir pleted but the commissioners will T. H. Johnson, manager of the Lee Stack in Cairo yesterday, remain on Puget Sound for the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Everybody please support the hibition next year. It is expected Vancouver and F. Simpson, priolpresented Canada.

a business trip to the East.

SPIRIT OF PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT BUDGET

John Oliver is already preparing to cut down expenses as forecasted by Finance Minister McLean in recent speech.

#### Assizes Opened Yesterday When Mr. Justice Gregory Complimented City on Lightness of the Dacket

In addressing the Grand Jury at the opening of the fall session of the Supreme Court assizes yesterday afternoon, Mr. ciation at some length last night the road to democracy in indus-Bryan, Joe O'Brien and Jim Ma- Justice Gregory congratulated the city on the lightness of the and enthused the large gathering try is not a road that labor can haffy. The resolution is be de- docket coming before the court. Humorously he stated that he with the need of better home ravel alone. Democracy in inbated in which the Canadians did not know if this was due to the two new church buildings he training, more co-operation be-dustry implies and involves the take the affirmative is: "Resolved had noticed in course of erection. Seriously, he said that it was tween parents and teachers and participation of every useful elethat the external affairs of Can- a good thing to keep the chuches in a state of preservation. It improved moral and physical sur- ment in industry. While there indicated good feeling in a community that was trying to do the roundings. He urged the value of are large groups of employers right thing. He mentioned the fine weather and apologized for education in the training of the bat still holds the despotic at-

After pointing out that the object of the law was more to furnish a deterrent egect to crime The event takes place at Con- rather than to punish criminals, vocation Hall at the University. Mr. Justice Murphy went into the duties of the Grand Jury and charged it in the two criminal cases on hand in which it must bring in true bills or no bills.

The Grand Jury left the court room at 4.30 on the adjournment of court and was repuested by His Lordship to return with its decisions at 10:30 this morning.

There were four counts in the They were: first, unlawfully and with intent to resist lawful apprehension, attempting to discharge a loaded revolver; second, plawfully and with intent to resist apprehension causing grevious bodily harm; third, unlawduty; fourth, unlawfully assaulting with intent to prevent lawful apprehension.

George Hall and Fred Bremer, donald, were jointly charged with OTTAWA, Nov. 20 .- The mat- of Canadian National western gine. unlawfully causing grevious ter of Canada's participation in lines, arrived from Vancouver on assaulting the constable in the to it has been made.

fended by H. Castillou, of Van-onies have advised the manage- J. R. Camero i, assistant general .

Advice from Cairo this morning remainder of the week. W. A. Co., returned on the Prince Ru- Elks' Christmas Cheer Candle that a decision in regard to the vate secretary. states that the condition of Stack Found and John P. Babcock re- pert yesterday afternoon after Guessing contest. A worthy re-opening will be announced on Mr. Warren was anxious to see cause. Ask any Brother Bill.

### FLYERS LOST

Left Nanaimo Yesterday For Anacortes But Not Heard of Since

NANAIMO, Nov. 20. - Two Seattle aviators, David and Edward Mooney, left here late yesterday afternoon presumably for Anacortes. No report was received of them since they left this place. There was a strong gale with rain over the gulf last evening and it is forced to take shelter in the lee of some island. They arrived here yesterday morning.

#### WEMBLEY EXHIBITION REOPENING DISCUSSED

Announcement is Expected to be Made Monday Next Says London Despatch

E. F. Jones is acting as crown derstood that a considerable ma- Warren accompanied him. Mr ment that they are willing to manager, Vancouver; S. Morrison . participate in the Wembley ex- of the engineering department. Monday.

### Labor and Industry is Discussed in Report of

Pronouncement by Samuel Gompers and committee to Annual Convention Yesterday

EL PASO, Texas, Nov. 20.—Industry must solve its own problems or face the alternative of state intrusion, the American Federation of Labor's Executive Council reported today to the organization's annual convention here. State intrusion, it added, "must inevitably lead to bureaucracy and breakdown,"

"Industry must find its own way through the difficulties with which it is beset," said the report. "There is no outside agency, governmental or otherwise, which may be called in as physician to cut away the entanglements. Decomcracy cannot

### URGES VALUE

J. C. Brady Makes Plea to Parent-Teachers For Increased Interest

Making a plea for better environment for the children of the time of school dismissal and he dinner hour, and for Saturdays. The boys and girls of towere of more value to the city TROLLING BOAT than elevators.

Mrs. Arnott presided and music was provided by the members of the First Northern B.C. Regiment band of nine pieces led by W. N. Hoss. Miss Annie Dalby sang accompanied by Mrs. C. H. El-

Among the business of the evening was a discussion on proposal to affiliate with the was wrecked on Tuesday at Mofbelieved that the men were provincial Parent-Teachers' As- fat Island off Dundas Island. The sociation, and this it w: 3 decided captain and his mate being

#### MR. WARREN PAYS

C.N.R. General Manager Spent Brief Time Here Yesterday Between Boat and Train

morning by train enroute to his & LONDON, Nov. 20.—It is un- headquarters in Winnipeg. Mrs. .

this end of the line by daylight.

# Federation at El Paso

is Notable Document

come to industry through the Samuel Gompers, President of the Federation, and ten other

members of the committee signed he report, which dealt with acivities spreading over the geographical field of the continent, including Mexico, Canada and the Panama Canal zone, as well as the United States, and with objectixes in political and social spheres as well as in industry.

#### Co-operation Necessary

Prince Rupert, J. C. Brady, prin- "We must point out," it concipal of the High School, addres- tinued-"and we wish to emphased the Parent-Teachers' Asso- size the point beyond mistakechild but also gave equal stress itude which denies to labor even to the value of careful home ts most elemental and fundatraining and a re-establishment mental rights, progress toward of home life, Added to this should | temocracy is being made. While be the best possible environment. here are groups of employers especially for the period between hat still refuse to recognize the (continued on page two)

### WAS WRECKED

Wadu Driven on Rocks Near Dundas Island But Crew Safe

The trolling boat Nadu, owned and skippered by Capt. Ivarson, brought into port yesterday afternoon on the Cape Spear by Capt. Isaac Lear. The Nadu was out getting clams and was anchored alongside the Cape Spear during a north-easterly gale. The wind veered round to the southeast with the result that the anchor was torn from the boat which was driven on to the rocks. The Cape Spear returned to the scene of the wreck this morning A. E. Warren, general manager in the hope of salvaging the en-

#### NOTICE

A meeting of the Can-Halibut Fishing + City Hall tonight at 8 .

All members please attend. .