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Fines For

Non-Payment

Of Premiums

VANCOUVER (CP) - Health

Minister Eric Martin announced

Thursday the end to prosecu-

tions for non-payment of hos-

to replace prosecutions with

Credit government "is not

He said the government plans

Mr. Martin said the Social

The Hospital Insurance Serv-

ice, established by the coalition

The Social Credit government

plans to make it a voluntary

scheme, but removal of compul-

with the assent of the Legisla-

Mr. Martin explained the gov-

ernment aims to make hospital

services so acceptable to the

Last Rites

Take Place

At Villages

Saturday.

of Canyon City.

young Moore.

More than 20 fishing vessels

yesterday set out to return to

Greenville on the Naas River to

accompany the body of Peter

McKay, 33-year-old son of Mr.

and Mrs. Fred McKay, who

drowned in the Skeena River

Other victim in the same ac-

Peter McKay is survived by

Memorial services were held

here for both. Service for Mc-

Kay were conducted in St. An-

Mr. McKay was one of Green-

sistant manager of the Arran-

Reports Hint

New Move By

the Egyptian garrison at Gaza,

Canal may be moved there.

Egypt's Army

arrangements.

his wife, who is a sister of

cident was Stephen Moore, 19,

pital insurance premiums.

people join the scheme.

ed on a compulsory basis.

salesmanship.

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Rains Come—Halt Forest Fires

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OUD, MISTER-During a rehearsal of the RCAF Band in Toronto, little Mike McVeigh his services as a bass drummer but abandoned the idea in favor of his ear drums found the volume of the recorder bass horn, played by Flight Sergeant W. Boyce, of Hill. Ont., too much for his musician's temperament. The only one of its kind in e recorder bass horn is capable of great volume as can be seen by its effect on the ner. (Fathers, please note). The RCAF Band, comprising 75 musicians selected from ng Command and Tactical Air Group Bands, has been engaged as the feature concert his year's Canadian National Exhibition and will give a series of 28 concerts, comngust 22nd and marking the first time a Canadian band has held the CNE spotlight

ort in Rupert Would Give City ern Service; Now Best Possible

ane base large and forests." Mr. King said:

cumstances.

suring Premier W.

that the associa-

work in harmony

inment and is of-

Credit members of

for north central

m, Lou L. King,

mineca and Cyril

sible assistance.

er, of Vancouver, gram, es and advertising "New industry can't be ex- about four times that much. Pacific Air Lines, pected to move into our part of Mr. Vincent said that the CNR service. He was also a highly

Company of Canada, spoke the railroad." hoped also that briefly on progress being made The convention endorsed sev- dale cannery on the Nass, is

would get a land on the giant Alcan project and eral resolutions calling for road leader of the Greenville band. on so that the com- said that while there has been work throughout north central erate its large and some misconception about the B.C. and one resolution from the Kay, was in charge of funeral s into that city. amount of land to be flooded in Smithers Board of Trade deert at the present the Tweedsmuir Park only about manded that paving work be is getting the best two percent of the 5,400 square done before winter set in, in seclce we can give miles actually will go under tions of the highway between If a dozen resolu-

ndorsed including Mr. Shelford who lives in the prepared for such work. by the resolutions

-If Prince Rupert should get more out of their area, Mr. Vincent said his com- drew's Cathedral, while Moore's pany had no official figure on services were held at Grenville the amount of merchantable Funeral Chapel. The Greenville "There is no doubt this part timber in the area to be flooded. and Aiyansh bands were in atseaplane base it is of the province has been neglec- Mr. Shelford said a figure of tendance. est service possible. ted in the government road pro- 28,000,000 feet mentioned in the press at various times should be ville's most popular citizens,

elegates here that antee adequate modes of trans- be completed by September, band and of the church choir, 1954, and "I expect construction and one of the area's best ath- British Union Convair planes in George Vincent, public rela- of the road fror Terrace to Kiti- letes. ince George before tions officer for the Aluminum mat will follow the building of His father, Fred McKay, as-

Prince Rupert and Prince George In answer to a question from that are considered properly

BUT WON'T OUTLAW LPP

TLC Continues to Fight Against Reds in Unions

ort George, criticentral B.C. and biggest union body, the Trades ternal policy on Reds, but drew touring every unit of the Egyp- nounced today in statements reuld take up the and Labor Congress of Canada, a line between that and gov- tian army. re new minister of will go on battling 'Reds in ernment action against the Launion ranks but balks at call-bor-Progressive party, the leg-native base for British troops Montreal-born scholar, has been ink we have been munist party in this country.

hir share of road The 502,000-member TLC, at country. also am of the its annual convention yesterday,

ne people of B.C. tramped on an attempt to have stand that asking the federal British Comment on this. nist parties—or other subversive Princess 22, threaten the freedom of expres-

> gough, 68-year-old machinist, Thursday was elected by acclamation to his 11th term as president of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada.

elected included:

Birthday

Other national officers re- day quietly with her family.

celebrations were planned. in British newspapers.



RECORDING CLAIMS-Prospectors staking claims in Saskatchewan's uranium staking rush must register the location and details at the provincial government's temporary mining recorder's office in Uranium City. A group mill about the tent entrance.

Property Boom Hits Skagway

Multi - Million Dollar Alcoa Project Rumored

By The Canadian Press

ANCHORAGE, Alaska. - A boom in property values in the southeastern Alaska town of Skagway on Aug. 28 and Hamilton on reserve. reported Thursday is coincident with rumors that Prairie and Winnipeg in a twohighly esteemed for his public developments are expected soon on the long discussed day Manitoba visit on his way Second Baby Boards of Trade | the province until we can guar- line into Kitimat is expected to rated musician of the Greenville | multi-million-dollar aluminum plant project there.

Employers Meet

LONDON (CP) - Union repre- purchasing or optioning almost sentatives of 2,000,000 engineer- anything in town." ing workers today held a secret, The Times said one Seattle Deceased's uncle, Harry Mcsecond-stage meeting with a man purchased \$30,000 in Skagcouncil of employers to decide way property and that a Sitka if workers will strike to back man bought \$20,000 worth. their demands for wage in- The Aluminum Company of creases of \$2 a week. America, which has held water-

The claim already has been front rights and other property rejected by the employers, but at Skagway since 1948, declined the unions, many of them en- to confirm or deny reports that gaged in rearmament work, de- an announcement on the procided last week to put the case ject was imminent. again before taking alternative At Pittsburgh, President I. W. CAIRO (CP)—Gen. Mohammed action. Naguib paid a flying visit to

southern Palestine, amid un- New Diplomat some Britsh troops at the Suez For Austria

OTTAWA (CP) - Exchange Since seizing control of Egypt diplomatic missions between regarding their purpose there WINNIPEG (CP) - Canada's it ease up on its own tough in- last month, Naguib has been Canada and Austria were anleased simultaneously at Ottawa

may be established as an alternative base for British troops Montre land Vienna.

Dr. Victor Dore, 72-year-old Crew islative arm of the Reds in this in the Suez area to meet Egypt's appointed Canadian minister to wishes. The anti-Red TLC took the There has been no official there with his present duties as minister to Switzerland.

THE WEATHER

situation over B.C. during the English channel yesterday as past 24 hours. Cool, moist Pa- their freighter broke in two and cific air is displacing the more sank after being rammed by dry air which has covered the Norwegian tanker. province for an extended period. | Capt. Gunnar Utvik of Galcess Margaret was 22 yesterday In this new air mass scattered veston, Tex., and the rest of his and like many another British showers will occur over most of crew-several of them battered little sister, she spent her birth- the province today.

Forecast A small family birthday party | Cloudy with scattered showers | Sands, known as the "graveyard Prairie Vice-President Carl was held last night in draughty today. Cloudy tonight and to- of the channel." Balmoral Castle but no official morrow. Little change in tem- They were landed safely at perature. Winds southerly 20 this old south England port and Royal birthdays are regarded today, light tomorrow. Low to- nearby Ramsgate.

Burns Lake Blaze Under Control

As much as two inches of rain falling last night on certain sections of the 40,000-acre Burns Lake fire has brought B.C.'s largest woods blaze in 10 years "almost completely" under control.

Prime Minister Leaves Thursday For West Coast

OTTAWA () - Invigorated by a long holiday, Prime Minister St Laurent goes back to work next 1949 general elections.

The 70-year-old prime minister is due to head west Thursday, Aug. 28. on a trip designed pri- had just been settled when formarily as an extensive visit to estry officials drew the curtain British Columbia but with var- on logging activities due to long ious stops in Ontario and Mani- continued spell of hot weather

He will be gone 16 days.

He is due here Monday from This summer home at St. Patrick. huge Burns Lake blaze have

Between then and Thursday lands. originally planned.

tendance at the annual conven- burned to death. tion of the Canadian Bar Association of which Mr. St. Laurent is a past president and honorary life president. He will be in Charge Laid Vancouver Sept. 4 and 5 to attend that meeting and to take part in ceremonies at the University of British Columbia which In Stabbing will bestow on him another honorary degree.

In B.C. he will visit Cranbrook, Kimberley, Trail, Pentic ton, Kelowna, Vernon and var-Island, Powell River, Prince Ru- affray at Vanderhoof Sunday. pert, Smithers and Prince

on his way and coming back-Orillia, Midland and Penetang bers of the Stoney Creek Indian Sept. 12. He speaks in Portage la

-TIDES-

Saturday, August 23, 1952 (Pacific Standard Time)

High	 2:37	19.7	feet
	15:00	19.9	feet
Low	 8:49	3.8	feet
	21:08	5.0	feet

Forestry officials said today that "quite a little" rain fell in almost every fire area over-

night bringing relief to many

weary forest fighters. In most sections it was the first real rainfall in 29 days. "It helped a lot," said forestry men. "If heavy rain continues for another day we may be able

to lift the closure order." The main forest district of the week and heads into his biggest | province—the Vancouver area meet-the-people tour since the has been closed down for more than two months with a few days exception.

The woodsmen's 45-day strike and consequent fire hazard.

For the last two weeks, as many as 150 fires including the Que., where he has spent his been burning at once with as longest vacation in the four years | many as 2,000 men fighting the since he became prime minister. devastating raze of B.C. wood-

he is expected to meet with the Two firefighters are known to cabinet, catch up with work in have lost their lives, one at his office and prepare for a Beaton, B.C., and another in the journey which is considerably Burns Lake area. A third man, more elaborate than when it was who disappeared in the Burns Lake tragedy, is still being The original motive was at- sought but is also feared to have

PRINCE GEORGE (CP)_PCMP said last night that 24-year-old Stephen George Joseph will be charged with attempted murder ious other spots on Vancouver in connection with a stabbing Joseph is lodged in Prince George jail.

Twenty-year-old Sam Wil-He will visit Ontario centres liams was seriously wounded in the brawl. Both men are mem-

Quint Dies

SAO PAULO, Brazil (CP)-Second of Mrs. Maria Albano's girl quintuplets died at Sao Paulo Maternity last night.

Five babies were born to Mrs. Albano, 38, on Tuesday night t and placed in incubators. One t died yesterday.

BULLETINS

Jet Crash Lands, Pilot Safe

CARLETON PLACE, Ont .-- PO R. J. Childerhose, St. Boniface, ran out of fuel today and crashlanded his F-86 Sabre jet with an 800-yard long skid in a farmer's field. He walked away from the wreckage with only a cut over one eye. The 21year-old pilot said he ran out of fuel at 20,000

National Health Scheme Demanded

WINNIPEG — A national health insurance scheme, a contributory plan subsidized by government, was demanded today by the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada in convention here. It would cover medical, surgical, optical, dental and psychopathic treatment.

There has been a marked erty ship Western Farmer were 400.000 Miners May Strike

WASHINGTON (CP) — Government officials said today John L. Lewis has given formal notice his contracts with the coal industry will expire at the end of September. This sets up the possibility of a country-wide strike of 400,000 miners.

lifeboats just off the Goodwin UN Planes Smash Communists

SEOUL (CP)—United Nations fighter-bombers today smashed Communist targets all across the Korean peninsula. United States Sabre-jets damaged two Russian-built MIG-15 jets. Allied planes bombed warehouses and Communist supply areas.

Department Sends Aid 10-Stricken Kimberly

VER ()—Health department experts were flown Kimberley to help fight a polio outbreak which the lives of seven children.

ce flew a doctor and three nurses to the mountain in southeastern B.C. at the request of the provinthe plane was Dr. A. J. Nelson of Victoria, epide-

ho will advise Kimberley authorities on measures aberley outbreak is the worst in the province. There cases in the district, seven have died, five have me and 20 are in hospital. Four of those in hospital

government to outlaw Commusuppressions which could sion in Canada.

WINNIPEG (P)-Percy Ben-

Berg of Edmonton; British Columbia Vice-President Birt Showler of Vancouver, and

BALMORAL, Scotland -Prin-

Synopsis

The Anchorage Times said

Skagway property prices have

risen sharply in the last 30 days

"after mysterious buyers ap-

peared and were interested in

Wilson of Alcoa said the com-

pany "has nothing to say about

the report or any details one

Wilson acknowledged that

Alcoa representatives are in Al-

aska, but said "any statement

must come from them."

way or another."

DOVER ()-Thirty-seven crew members of the American Libchange in the general weather rescued from the gale-lashed

and bruised-were picked up by

Secretary - Treasurer Gordon as strictly private affairs and night and high tomorrow, Port The tanker Bjorgholm, out of Cushing of Calgary and Ot- little fuss is made about them remaining cloudy through Sat- Oslo, escaped without serious