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BOX FACTORY MACHINERY ON WAY HERE

POLITICAL UNREST AMONG BLACKS OF SOUTH AFRICA ENDS IN A RIOT

Order of Two Million Feet Airplane Spruce for Vickers of London

Local Mill Commences Making Deliveries to Ocean Dock for Re-shipment by Water Route

BOX FACTORY RUNNING SOON

Shipping of lumber from the recently opened Prince Rupert Spruce Mill at Seal Cove has commenced, announced J. A. Smith of Vancouver, president of the concern, this morning. Up to two million feet of airplane spruce is to be delivered immediately to Vickers in London, England, and the first two carloads has just been sent from the mill to the lumber dock. It will be held there until the full two million feet is on hand and a freighter will be brought here to load it or it may be shipped in parcels to Vancouver on coasting boats.

The rest of the high grade lumber is to be shipped by rail to the United States and other markets and the low grade will be manufactured into boxes. Mr. Smith stated that machinery for the box factory is already on its way here and it is expected to have this part of the plant in operation within three or four weeks.

The mill is cutting about 75,000 feet per day at this time and is gradually working up by steps to its full capacity of 125,000 feet. About ninety men are now employed. Further deliveries are being arranged for. The tug Cape Scott is now on her way from Alice Arm with a boom. Some logs will be obtained from the Pacific Mills at Ocean Falls and the Massett Timber Co. at Buckley Bay. There will be further deliveries from the Kelly camps on Moresby Island in June.

B.C. MAN WILL GO TO WEMBLEY

One of Canadian Representatives Last Year Had Never Heard of Portland Canal

VANCOUVER, April 21.—A. G. Langley, provincial government engineer, now in London, will be instructed to represent British Columbia mines at Wembley exhibition, it is understood.

GRAND FORKS DOUKHOBORS

Manifesto to Two Premiers Asks for an Investigations of Troubles

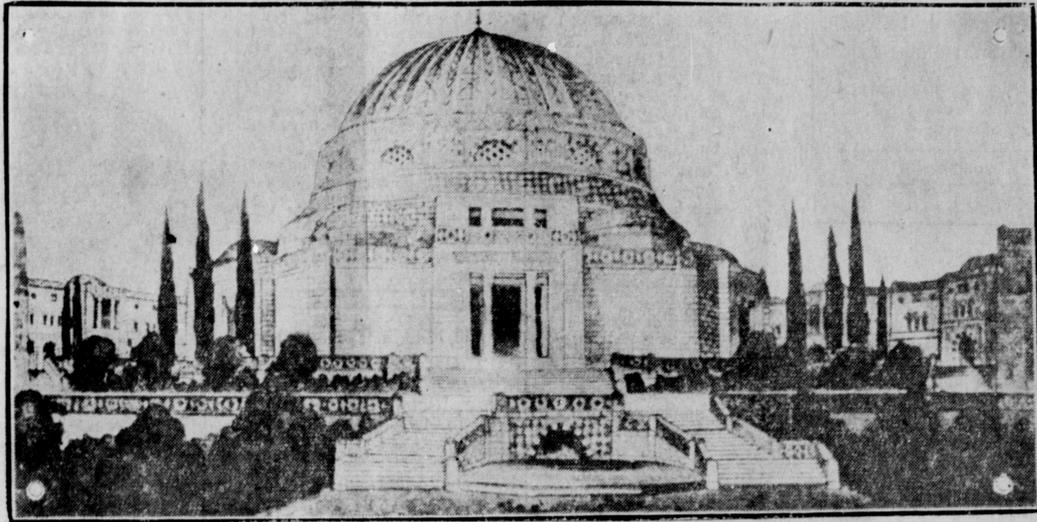
VICTORIA, April 21.—Douk-hobors have issued a statement addressed to Premier Oliver and Premier Mackenzie King asking that the appointment of a commission to investigate the Douk-hobor trouble at Grand Forks. They claim the provincial police headed a "mob" of 150 men who raided the warehouses, alleging that \$20,000 worth of goods were seized to satisfy the claim for \$1,000 imposed on them in fines.

FORMER CROWN PRINCE GERMANY EXONERATED

Absolved of Responsibility for Burning and Plundering Towns and for Executions

LEIPZIG, April 21.—Former Crown Prince Wilhelm has been exonerated for crimes alleged to have been committed by him during the war. Proceedings had been taken against him following charges that he was responsible for the burning and plundering of towns.

The former Prince was also absolved of responsibility for the executions ordered by his staff.



A design of the library of the new Hebrew University in Palestine, is shown, which was opened recently by Earl Balfour. It is situated on Mount Scopus, overlooking Jerusalem. From the site can be seen the spot where the Children of Israel first entered the Promised Land.

PROVINCIAL POLICE WILL HAVE CHARGE OF CITY OF DUNCAN

VICTORIA, April 20.—Duncan city is doing away with its police force and after the end of June will be noticed by the provincial force. This was decided upon at a meeting of the Duncan city council at which Colonel McMillin and Inspector Parsons were present.

EIGHT MILLION DOLLARS GONE

Pupils of Schools Told of Loss to Community from Forest Fires

In connection with the "Save the Forest" campaign which is in progress this week, lectures are being given in the public schools by officials of the Forest Branch. This morning P. S. Bonney, district forester, addressed the pupils of King Edward High School on the protection of the forests from fire and yesterday he addressed the pupils of Seal Cove school.

This afternoon and Thursday morning T. A. Clarke, assistant district forester, will address the pupils of Borden Street school and, during the latter part of the week, Mr. Bonney will speak at Booth Memorial and Annunciation schools.

It is the intention of the department to personally address all the 70 schools in this district which are attended by some 2500 pupils.

One of the interesting statements made in the course of the addresses is to the effect that during the past ten years there have been 13,800 forest fires in the province which have burned over 1,000,000 acres of land and destroyed \$8,000,000 worth of forests. The land involved, it is pointed out, would equal a tract in length from here to Vancouver and from 12 to 14 miles wide.

Passengers booked to sail on the Cardena this afternoon for Vancouver include James Spiers, H. Champetoria, J. L. McIntosh and Bishop De Pencier.

Riots Among Natives of South Africa Result of Activities of Bolshevik Communist Agitators

BLOEMFONTEIN, South Africa, April 21.—Four natives were killed and a number wounded when the police fired into 4,000 rioters here. The trouble originated in an attempt of a European constable and a native policeman to seize a quantity of Kaffir beer. Quiet was restored after 50 of the ringleaders had been arrested.

LONDON, April 21.—A special Capetown despatch reports the Bloemfontein despatch as symptomatic of "alarming and increasing restlessness among the South African natives inflamed by Kaffir agitators and bolshevik and communist influences."

One feature of the present unrest is said to be a movement to boycott the Prince of Wales on his arrival, thousands of handbills having been distributed among the natives urging them to boycott the Prince "as the natives of India did."

BOAT SINKS CREW DROWN

Atlantic Disaster in Sinking of Jap Steamer Raifuku Maru

NEW YORK, April 21.—The White Star Line reported at noon today that the steamship Homeric had wirelessed that the Japanese steamer Raifuku Maru had gone down 110 miles southwest of Sable Island and that the Homeric was standing by taking members of the crew off life boats. The wireless stated that 48 of the crew of sixty had lost their lives. The Raifuku Maru loaded wheat at Philadelphia.

ACTIVE STOCKS

Quotations from Vancouver Stock Exchange Given Day by Day

	Bid.	Asked.
Hazleton Gold Co.	.00 1/2	.01
Surf Inlet	.07	.07 1/2
Terrifus	.25	.35
L. & L. Glacier	.20	.24
Premier	2.35	2.55
Dunwell	4.30	4.65

FISH PRICES ABOUT SAME

Very Little Change From Yesterday With Average Nearly Ten Cents

Halibut sales at the Fish Exchange this morning totalled 168,000 pounds, 100,000 pounds being from American vessels and 68,000 pounds from Canadians. Prices were about the same as yesterday.

Arrivals and sales were as follows:

American	Canadian
Sitka, 50,000 lbs., at 9.7c and 4c, to the Canadian Fish & Gold Storage Co.	Prosperity A., 28,000 lbs., at 8.1c and 3c, to the Booth Fisheries Canadian Co.
Mariner, 22,000 lbs., at 11c and 4c, to the Allin Fisheries.	Pair of Jacks, 13,000 lbs., at 9.6c and 3c; Nuba, 5,500 lbs., at 9.6c and 3c; and Marguerite, 7,200 lbs., at 9.7c and 3c, to the Canadian Fish & Gold Storage Co.
Leviathan, 28,000 lbs., at 10c and 4c, to the Pacific Fisheries.	Margaltee, 7,200 lbs., at 9.5c and 3c, and Minnie, 7,600 lbs., at 9.6c and 3c, to the Royal Fish Co.

GREAT METROPOLITAN

LONDON, April 21.—J. G. Baird's Bristol won the Great Metropolitan stakes handicap over a 2 1/2 mile course at Epsom today. Crewe came second with Buddha and Imprudence a dead heat for third.

Bishop A. U. De Pencier will sail by the Cardena this afternoon on his return to Vancouver.

ELEVATOR WORK TO BE RUSHED

According to word received here a determined effort is to be made by the Department of Trade and Commerce to have the terminal grain elevator here completed in time to handle this fall's movement of grain. There will be a clause in the superstructure contract, which is to be let next month, providing for a daily penalty of \$300 if the job is not completed by a certain date in the fall. The date is said to be November 1.

JASPER PARK COSTS MORE THAN MILLION

Canada's National Parks Were Subject of Questions in House of Commons

OTTAWA, April 21.—Canada's national parks in the west were the subject of some questions in the House last week. It was stated that the Jasper Park cost to construct \$1,237,058 and administration to December 31, 1924, cost \$356,983. A revenue of \$80,497 had been derived from the park in the same period.

FIFTEEN INNINGS IN BASEBALL MATCH

Cold Weather Prevents Several of Yesterday's Games Being Played

The baseball game yesterday between Cleveland went fifteen innings before Cleveland won, the score being 5 to 4 at the close. Some of the games in the circuit were postponed yesterday owing to the cold weather. Scores were:

American	National
Cleveland 5, Detroit 4.	St. Louis 2, Chicago 1.
Chicago 11, St. Louis 10.	Pittsburg 5, Cincinnati 2.

NANTON UNCHANGED

TORONTO, April 21.—The condition of Sir Augustus Nanton, who is ill here, is unchanged.

WAR CHEAPENS VALUE OF LIFE

Ottawa Judge Expresses Novel Theory in Sentencing Youths to Jail

OTTAWA, April 21.—"The war cheapened human life. If there was any way of establishing a comparison, I would say that human life today is not regarded as being 25 per cent as valuable as it was before. Consequently when the value of human life decreases, property cheapens. People are bound to get pleasure and, if they cannot get it by lawful means, they will get it unlawfully."

Thus declared Judge Constantineau in the County Court yesterday afternoon in sentencing two youths to imprisonment of a year on charges of assault and robbery.

OLD IDEAS IN THIS PROVINCE

Dr. Putman of the Education Commission Tells About Visit to B.C.

OTTAWA, April 21.—After travelling 9,500 miles in British Columbia, visiting 250 schools and spending ten days with the normal school and holding 215 conferences with various organizations, Dr. J. H. Putman, senior inspector of schools at Ottawa, has returned. He has been conducting surveys in British Columbia with Dr. Weir of the faculty of the University of British Columbia. The report is to be presented to the Government of British Columbia.

In discussing the investigations he has been making, Dr. Putman said there are still a number of people in British Columbia who retain the old idea that individual parents should pay for the teaching of their own children. He said the whole system of education in B.C. was complicated by the varying methods of taxation in municipalities.

RIFLE VOLLEY KILLED BULGAR

Man Said to be Head of Conspiracy for Bombing Cathedral is Shot

SOFIA, April 21.—Captain Yankoff, alleged to have been head of the conspiracy for the bombing of the Cathedral here Thursday, was killed by the police this morning. When cornered by officers and called upon to surrender he replied by opening fire and throwing bombs. He was felled by a return volley.

FOUR YEAR SENTENCE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

Port Essington Native Boy Pleads Guilty Before Judge Young on Theft Charge

Alex. Danes, 14-year old Port Essington native, pleaded guilty before Judge Young yesterday afternoon to a charge of stealing a \$50 bill from a Japanese. He was sentenced to four years in industrial school.