MATT VIDECK, Prop.

SEVEN LIVES LOST WHEN ROYAL ALEXANDRA GUTTED

Number of Victims in Vancouver Fire When Apartment is Gutted

ROYAL ALEXANDRA IN WEST END BURNS AND FINANCIAL LOSS AMOUNTS TO ABOUT \$300,000

VANCOUVER, July 9 .- Fire gutted the Royal Alexandra Apartments in the west end here yesterday afternoon and seven are dead as a result. The blaze was a spectacular one and immense crowds gathered to watch the firemen at their work as they strove to quell the flames and save those ensconced within. The financial to keep their lead in the National loss is estimated at \$300,000.

David Henderson, a painter, working on the fourth floor where yesterday. Charlie Root, ace of the Cub the blaze originated, is charged with manslaughter.

Winnipeg.

Mrs. Henry Griffin.

Henry Griffin, 40 years of age,

Edward Fitzgerald, 9, of Edmonton.

An unidentified child believed to be

An unidentified woman, believed to be

Mrs. John Barber, believed to be from

Coroner's jury was empanelled for an

inquest on the fire victims this after-

Appearing on a charge of man-

against Henderson was adjourned on

week until after an official investigation

of the cause of the outbreak has been

came here recently from Toronto, lost

her young son and daughter. One body

is so badly burned that positive identi-

It is anticipated that drastic changes

PEKING, July 9. - General +

+ Chang Tsung Chiang, civil gov- +

ernor of Shangtung province.

4 has wired Chang Tso Lin, dicta- 4

A Hanchang on the Tientsin-Pu-

+ kow Railway in Shantung and +

4 also quelled an insurrection at 4

snow last winter killed a great propor

the acreage under berries this year

There are only a few crates comin

WAS IN COLLISION

DOGS KILLED COW

one of the dogs.

NO LIVES WERE LOST

eric from New York was reported in of law and questions of fact.

STRAWBERRIES FEW

Tsingtao, again controlling the

TERRACE THIS YEAR

tor of North China that the

UNDER DICTATOR 4

in the building regulations will result

fication has not been made yet.

from the disaster.

NORTH CHINA IS

AGAIN WINNING

Mrs. Emily Rickaby, 43, Vancouver.

Grant Luckhart, 10, Vancouver.

Jean Luckhart, 12, of Vancouver.

MANSON SPEAKS cigarette into some papers which accused spread of an inflammable compound he AT HAZELTON

Shows Lantern Slides Illustrating Progress Made in Past Ten Years

A. M. Manson, member for Omineca, gave a lantern talk here Wednesday night at a gathering called under the auspices of the Farmers' Institute. The attorney general showed a number of lantern slides illustrating the history of that part of the country and indicating the progress that had been made during the past ten years under the administration of the Liberal government.

Dr. H. C. Wrinch, member for Skeena dealt with the legislative work of last session from the point of view of the

Mr. Munro, of Victoria, a soil expert the farmers against going too strong on timothy seed production but suggested the growing of pea seed in-He advocated the proper rotaof crops and a system of mixed farming under which the best possible results could be obtained.

STARVED SELF FOR 55 DAYS

oung Toronto Woman Died After long Fast in Effort to Effect Cure

ORONTO, Juyl 9 .- Mrs. Hope Leongh, a young woman of this city, died ay after 55 days of fasting in an fort to cure indigestion. For two ys physicians had given her glucose njected into her veins in a losing at- ++++++++++++++++ tempt to save her life.

Fifty-Five Persons Known to be est on record. Frost coming before the Dead as Result of Floods in Saxony

very low, DRESDEN, Saxony, July 9.-Fifty-five ersons are known to have been drownin torrential floods on the Muoglitz will be very limited. nd Gottleba Rivers following a series of oudbursts. Communication is broken the STEAMER HOMERIC nd it is impossible to ascertain number of missing.

NEW ZEALAND

All-Star Football Team Meets Defeat in Third Test Match at Wellington

WELLINGTON, New Zealand, July 9 .he Canadian All-star football team invaded the farm yard of Tom Preece went down to defeat here today in the near Smithers and by their combined epresentative eleven, the score being best cows on the farm. one goal to nothing in favor of the is- the commotion Tom was anders.

CUBS CONTINUE THEIR WINNING

Pitching of Charlie Root Keeps Them Their Lead in National League

RUTH HITS A HOMER

Veteran Slugger is now one Homer Behind Lou Gehrig, His Team Mate

NEW YORK, July 9 .- A pitching battle reminiscent of baseball's early days League race against the Pittsburg Pirates staff, held the Pirates to one hit and * The police believe the fire started best them by a score of one run to nofrom some person dropping a match or thing. This was the ninth straight victory for Chicago and Root's fifteenth

placed in the doorway to prevent the victory of the season. The Yankees opened their Western invasion by breaking even in a double header at Detroit. Ruth hit his 27th homer of the season with two men on bases. The veteran slugger is now one homer behind his team mate.

> Yesterday's scores: NATIONAL LEAGUE Chicago 1, Pittsburg 0. St. Louis 2, Boston 3. Cincinnati 8. Philadelphia 5. Brooklyn 2, New York 6.

New York 8, Detroit 11, Washington 7-4, Cleveland 4-3. Boston 11, Chicago 5. Philadelphia 7, St. Louis 5.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

slaughter the hearing of the charge BRITAIN WON Of the ten injured two are in a critical state. Mrs. Grace Luchart, who

Oxford and Cambridge Defeated Harvard and Yale in Field Sports

STAMFORD BRIDGE, July 9-The British college and field track stars from Oxford and Cambridge defeated the visiting Yale and Harvard athletes, winning seven out of twelve of the events.

The result of the meet came as a distinct surprise to the American team which on this side were the two to one favorites of the day in the betting.

northerners have recaptured + EVIDENCE NOW

Commission Foregoing Holidays a and Will Decide Whether B.C. Gets Change

According to word brought to town by Terrace residents, the strawberry crop Columbia is to get any further advanthis season is going to be one of light tage in freight rates will be decided by own constituency of Omineca. Dr. Bam- Bishop of Durham. Dr. Hensley Hen- ford from District C. and Mr. Munro, son, who points out that the recent MACMILLAN PARTY tion of the plants, with the result that The claim of B.C. for equality with other parts of Canada is only a part of the general question. The eastern maritimes are also making demands which are causn on each day's train and supplies ing a great deal of worry to the commissioners and there are numerous other

questions of lesser importance to be dealt with. The railway commission is foregoing the customary holiday season in order study the record of evidence in the general question of freight rates equaliever heard by the commission but it has CHERBOURG, July 9.— Steamer Ho- been divided up as between questions

SMITHERS, July 9.—Recently dogs SEATTLE, July 9.—Chief Modeste of * Telephone Department, City * hird test match against a New Zealand attack succeeded in killing one of the Quamichan Indians from Vancouver + Hall, not later than July 18. Attracted by Island was found dead at his door here. able to shoot According to the coroner, death was + caused by the use of bad liquor.



MISS NORA E. GILLETTE, blind dictaphone operator, who has been working for the New York state information bureau. She is a speedy and accurate typist and illustrates the ability and usefulness of the blind, comparing favorably with their fellowworkers who possess sight.

Schooner Malahat Reaches Port in Ballast After Landing Her Liquor Cargo Somewhere:

VANCOUVER, July 9 .- Schooner Malahat, which cleared from MARINE ENGINEER Tahiti in April with a cargo of 20,000 cases of liquor, about half of which was seized several weeks ago off the coast of California, arrived here in ballast and is going into drydock for repairs.

R. A. McLachlan, superintendent of customs examiners of Vancouver, commenting on the fact that the disposal of the 10,000 cases of liquor was unaccounted for, said the vessel was "entitled to discharge cargo wherever she wants."

A San Francisco despatch said that following seizures in American waters the Malaht "manoeuvred days and nights to elude the cutters and land her cargo."

FARMERS' INSTITUTE ELECTS ITS OFFICERS

W. Turner of Smithers is President for Coming Term and J. G. Donaldson, Secretary

The annual meeting of the Farmers' Institutes of District B. was held in Telkwa on Wednesday afternoon when delegates were present from all institutes in the section says the Ominect Herald. It was one of the most representative meetings ever held by the district. The officers elected for the

ensuing year were as follows:-President-J. W. Turner, Smithers. Vice-pres.-A. McKay, Woodcock. Secretary-J. G. Donaldson, Telkwa. Committee-The Secretaries of all in-

stitutes in district B. Delegate to the Agricultural Advisory pard-J. W. Turner with J. G. Donaldson as alternate.

Resolutions were passed dealing with number of matters of interest to the members, the chief one being in regard

to coyotes. After the business was completed a OTTAWA, July 9. -Whether British number of speeches were given by Dr. H. C. Wrinch, the local M.L.A., Hon. soil expert from Victoria,

ELEVEN NEGROES ARE DROWNED IN MISSISSIPP

NEW ORLEANS, July 9 .- After surviving the great flood, eleven Negroes were drowned while being returned to their homes at Woodside and Melville when a flat boat in which they wer

NEW TELEPHONE DIRECTORY

A new Telephone Directory * * is about to be issued. Appli-+ cation for Moves, Changes or + New Listings for this issue + must be made in writing to +

Prince Rupert Gets Goodly Sum as Her Share in Distribution

VICTORIA, July 9. - Prince Rupert will get \$7,260 in the Government distribution of the proceeds of the motor licenses which are being returned to the municipalities on the basis of \$1.13 for every person as shown in the last Dominion census.

BISHOP OF DURHAM ON NATIONAL CHURCH

Sees Possible Disruption Ahead for Anglicans of Old Country

charge that the Church of England is their case will come up in the fall. ceasing to be a national church and W. E. Fisher appeared for the plainestablished as such, is contained in an dant company. tage in freight rates will be decided by A. M. Manson, who was visiting in his article published over the name of the legislation affecting both the English and Scottish churches renounced on the state's behalf all ecclesiastical res-

> danger of total disintegration and disruption," writes his lordship. "National ing. The object of the trip is to sechurches have already shrivelled into cure scientific information. denominations in other nations." Dr. Henson goes on to say that the class war preached by the extreme Socialists and that the state which grows from it must be an anti-Chris

tian state. The state has now become completely democratized and citizenship completely

WEATHER REPORT

Terrace.-Cloudy, calm, temp. 56. Rosswood.-Clcudy, calm, temp. 55. Aiyansh.-Cloudy, calm, temp. 55. Alice Arm.-Rain, calm, temp. 54. Anyox.-Rain, calm. temp. 55. Stewart.-Rain, calm, temp. 54. Hazelton.-Cloudy, calm, temp. 60.

Burns Lake.-Cloudy, calm, temp. 40. Mary Carter), a daughter.

Cyclonic Storm Swept Two Alberta Towns; Blew Down Buildings

VULCAN, Alta., July 9.-The town was swept by a tornado last night, the buildings knocked helter skelter, the curling rink demolished, the garage blown down, automobiles upset in the streets, telephone and electric light poles laid flat but no one injured.

A big crowd had gathered in town for a delayed confederation jubilee celebration.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN HOUSE, Alta., July 9.—Buildings were torn from their foundations and unroofed, trees, fences and sidewalks were torn up and almost every building in town had its windows broken as a result of a storm of cyclonic proportions which cut a swath through the centre of the town and did great damage.

4 OPIUM SEIZURE AT SEATTLE IS VALUED AT OVER \$100,000

SEATTLE, July 9. - Opium valued at more than \$100,000 \$ + was seized aboard the trans-Pacific liner Talthybius, the largest seizure of its kind made & here in eleven years, according to customs officers.

DIES AT HOSPITAL

Leaving the Prince Charles was Dumbarton Man

The death occurred at the hospital this morning of John Stewart, a marine ngineer of Dumbarton, Scotland, who was injured last January when coming Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co. been in the hospital since. Paralysis Booth Fisheries.

Mr. Stewart, who was a member of Fish Co. sister, Mrs. William Macdonald of Burnbank Cottage, Dumbarton.

The funeral takes place tomorrow from the B.C. Undertaking Parlors, Rev. Frizzell officiating.

WAGES CASE GOES AGAINST EMPLOYEES

Decision in the suit of H. W. Gallant et al vs. the Pendleton Gold Mining Co. Ltd., in which the plaintiffs sued for wages, was given in favor of the defendants. The defence argued that under months, R.W. Tansil, big game hunter the Alien Labor Act of Canada and the and leader of the Alexander Revell Masters and Servants Act of B.C. any Field Museum expedition of Chicago, contract that called for foreign labor arrived here on the motorship Ethel. was null and void. Judge Young in the The party has collected many speci-County Court upheld them on this point mens of brown bears, and filmed 8,000 and gave judgment accordingly. In the feet of wild game life . case of two of the plantiffs, Cameron Tansil was attacked by a brown bear - A sensational and Jones, the point did not apply and with cubs but succeeded in killing it.

SAILED NORTH TODAY

SYDNEY, July 9.—Commander Donald "The Church of England is in grave Macmillan's subarctic expedition sailed for Battle Harbor, Labrador, this morn-

VANCOUVER EXCHANGE

h		Bld.	Asked
ş	B.C. Silver	1.68	1.75
	Coast Copper	14.75	15.25
y	Dunwell	1.38	1.41
y	Gladstone		.21
	Independence		.081/2
\sim	Indian		
	L. and L	.08 %	.081/2
	Premier	2.10	2.12
	Lucky Jim	181/4	.19
	Porter Idaho	.171/2	.19
	Silvercrest		.071/4
	Sunloch		.70
	PIPTH		

BIRTH.

FISH PRICES SLIGHTLY UP

4 Total Sold Today at Exchange Was 113,000 Pounds of Which 39,500 Canadian

There was a slight improvement in halibut prices at the exchange this morning, the best sale being that of the American boat Sentinel which parted with 26,000 pounds to the Atlin Fisheries at 13.20 for best quality and 6 cents for seconds. Sales were:

AMERICAN Marmot, 48,000 lbs., 12.10 and 6c., Stewart Who Was Hurt When Canadian Fish and Cold Storage. Sentinel, 26,000 lbs., 13.20 and 6c, Atlin Fisheries.

CANADIAN

Edward Lipsett, 8,000 lbs., 11.30 and 6c. Atlin Fisheries. Gibson, 15,000 lbs., 11.50 and 6c., ff the steamer Prince Charles and has White Lily, 3,000 lbs., 11.50 and 6c.,

> Iris, 2,00 lbs., 11..40 and 6c., Rayol Scrub, 11,000 lbs., 11.50 and 6c., Booth

HUNTING TRIP IS SUCCESSFUL

Representative of Field Museum Attacked by Brown Bear but Killed it

JUNEAU, July 8 .- Returning from a successful hunting trip to the westward in Alaska, which took nearly two

BISLEY MEET

Shooting Difficult at Ranges and Canadian Marksmen Find Light Bad

BISLEY, July 9 .- Today, the first of really intensive range work at the National Rifle Association's historic empire shooting meet, was marked with rain . The light was murky, making shooting difficult for the Canadian marksmen and their opponents from all over the Empire who are in competition for the great newspaper trophies and stock exchange and Wimbledon

FAMOUS MOVIE ACTOR DIES

SAN FRANCISCO, July 9-John Drew, the noted actor, died today as the result 159. + Telegraph Creek.—Cloudy, calm, temp. At Qualicum Beach, B.C., on July 4, of an illness from which he has sufto Mr. and Mrs. John Burgess (nee fered for over a month. He was 73 years of age.