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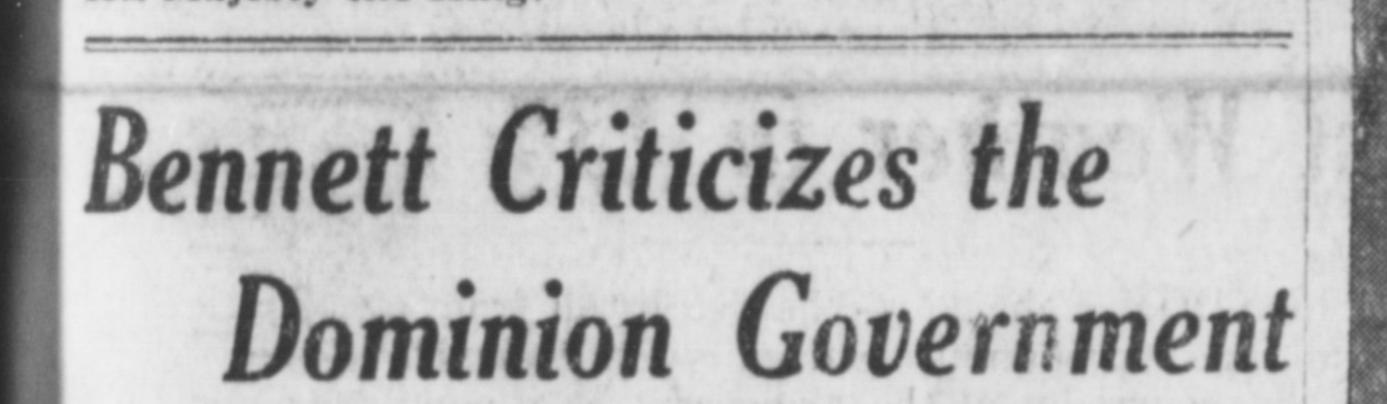
# BENNETT SPEAKS IN THE DEBATE

# Minister of Fisheries will be Appointed Soon Quite Seperate from the Present Marine Dept.

OTTAWA, Feb. 12. — Premier Mackenzie King informed the house of commons last night that the government proposed to create a separate portfolio of fisheries with a minister in charge of the department entirely separated from that of marine. This has been done in response to numerous requests from fishery interests on the Pacific and Atlantic coasts. In answering the leader of the opposition, he expressed the hope that Mr. Bennett would allow the administration to choose its own time for taking such action.

Mr. Mackenzie King also disposed of election talk by saying that there would be no election before next year. He was satisfied that the government held the confidence of the country and unless the session produced some reason for a change of mind there would be no election this year.

The premier, like Mr. Bennett, favored the participation of Canada in a day of rejoicing at the recovery of His Majesty the King.



Objects To Appointments to Railway Board and Interference With Industry Through Legislation

OTTAWA, Feb. 12.-The Hon. R. B. Bennett, speaking to the address in reply to the speech from the throne, described the speech from the throne as a "document of glittering generalities." In the commons yesterday he said he did not propose on this occasion to "beat the air" by discussing abstract questions. The Conservative party Right Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King 12:—Passengers on the night exwould not move an amendment to the speech. The Con- Premier of Canada announces press from London to Glasgow \* than it was last. Small \* the frozen soil crust. Twenty-two degrees below zero in servatives would deal with government legislation when Minister of Fisheries to be ap- had a narrow escape at 6:35 o'- \* quantities for the local trade \*

OTTAWA, Feb. 12:-Two bills along the lines of the Grand perience to fill the positions. Trunk pension scheme were given ent fund act.

## MANAGER OF ASHCROFT BANK IS COMING HERE

A. H. Carson Will Take Charge of Bank of Montreal Succeeding D. C. Paterson

A. H. Carson, manager of the branch at Ashcroft, will succeed will be in the near future.

| deal with. Mr. Bennett said the prosperity of Canada was largely due to the richness of the resources of the EXPLOSION AT doing nothing to assist or make permanent that prosperity.

In speaking of the railway commision, Mr. Bennett said that apdesigned to establish a general pointments were being made to scheme of pension for the Canad- that body of men whom he thought ian National Railway employees were not capable by ability or ex-

not really grappled with the im- killed and Frank Norman, a Fin- VANCOUVER, Feb. a first reading in Commons yes- migration question. Mr. Bennett lander, probably fatally injured Wheat reached the highest price terday. One effects the former asked the government to point to by the explosion presumably of for many months when No. employees of the Canadian Nor- a single instance in which when a "missed hole" in a drift of the northern sold on the exchange tothern and the Grand Trunk Pac- it had interferred by legislation Big Missouri Mine. The accid- day for \$1.30 1-2 spot cash. against. The second amends the industry had not decreased. He coming off the shift at 5 p.m. CANADIAN FLAG ific at present discriminated the prosperity of that particular ent happened as the men were Island Railway employees provid- Canada, which was now importing large quantities of butter, whereas before the interference of the Dominion it had been a large exporter of butter.

# OILS FEATURE

VANCOUVER, Feb. 12:-Oils D. C. Paterson, who is transfer- were a feature of the market yesred to Trail, as manager of the terday following the coming into local branch of the Bank of Mon- production of a number one well. treal. Mr. Carson is a married on the Home Oil in Turney Valman. There is no definite word ley. Home operated at \$6 against yet when these transfers will be- Saturday's close of \$3.50 but come effective excpt that they closed at \$5.24. Mine issues also showed strength.



from that of Marine.

# BIG MISSOURI:

He said the government had Stolbert a native of Sweden was

BRITISH MEMBER DIES

LONDON, Feb. 12:-Another vacancy was created in the House of Commons today by the death Conservative member for Bath.

\* NORTHCOTT MUST HANG FOR CRIME

RIVERSIDE, Cal. Feb. 12: -Gordon Stewart Northcott + yesterday was sentenced to \* Freeman in the Superior

## JAP STEAMER IS AGROUND

SOS Message Sent Out From Meiyo Maru at Aleutian

steamer. Meive Maru is aground at Ugamak Island in the Aleutian Mange. A wireless was intercepted by the Bremerton naval station this merning. "Save our lives," a partially deciphered message read. Most of the communication was in Japanese and unintelligible to radio men. The steamer Nanko Maru is reported proceeding to their assistance, but it is 250 miles distant. The location is indicated in the vicinity of where the Mentauk is towing the Alloway. Other messages indicated that the engive room of the Meiyo Maru was flooded .. The vessel sailed from Vancouver on Feb. 2.

### FAMOUS ACTRESS DIES IN EUROPE

MONTE CARLO, Feb. 12. +-Lilly Langtry, Lady de Bathe, famous actress of long ago, known as the Jersey Lilly, died here to- ++ day from an attack of bronchitis, aged 77.

# THE REPORT FROM BUILDING

\*there was something concrete to pointed with portfolio seperate clock this morning when the \* may be expected from now \* train crashed into a freight on. near Chesterfield. Locomotive and baggage coaches were derailed. No passengers were injured but the express messenger and LIKE CRAZY lieved to be under the derailed locomotive.

## ON EXCHANGE TODAY

OTTAWA, Feb 12:-The adof Captain C. Talbot Foxcroft, option of a Canadian flag will come before parliament during the present session through resolution placed on the order paper by C. R. McIntosh, Liberal member for North Battleford The resolution of Mr. McIntosh

### BRITISH FLEET RE-ASSEMBLING



General view in Portland harbor at sunset where the Atlantic fleet re-assembled prior to leaving on its Mediterrane n spring cruise.

# Intense Cold in Europe Causes Suffering and Many Casualties Severest Weather in 130 Years

+ FIRST SPRING SALMON OF SEASON IN TODAY 4

brought into a local butcher \* + shop today the first salmon \* of the season. It was a lim-\* ited quantity and was rapidly \* snatched up by local con and cargo off Dover. noisseurs in spite of the fact & that the retail price was 4 rather high at 40c per pound. ALFRETON, Derbyshire, Feb. \* The first fresh salmon is a

Denis W. Barclay Formally Charged With Murder of Woman in Vancouver

VANCOUVER Feb. 12:-A remand of one week was ordered when Denis W. Barclay appeared in the police court today and was formally charged with the murder of Pearl Baglole, art teacher on Monday morning.

## Scottish Humor

SOMETHING RELIGIOUS

An Aberdonian who had the a calls for the appointment of a misfortune to be shipwrecked Robert Gardiner, U. F. A. special committee "for the pur- managed to get away with three leader. pose of considering the advisab- other survivors in one of the ility of adopting a Canadian flag ship's boats. A storm arose and representing Canada as a whole, the Aberdonian was asked to ofhang on April 15 by Judge h which shall form part of the fer up a prayer for deliverance. British flag as the symbol of the "I'm sorry," he replied, "I canna PARIS, Feb. 12.-Marshal Foch Dominion as an equality partner pray, but we'll have to day some- passed a poor night and it was This afternoon's train, due in the commonwealth of British thing reeligious. I'll tak up a known this morning that his doc- from the east at 3:30, was reporcollection."

LONDON, Feb. 12.—The death toll from the Arctic conditions throughout Europe were mounting today. \* Deaths occurred in all the larger centres of population and \* Port Simpson natives \* rural casualties apparently will run to high figures.

> A capsized lifeboat at Antwerp cost five lives. Fortyeight passengers were saved in lifeboats caked with ice when the channel steamer City of Liege sank with mail

> Germany was one of the worst sufferers from the weather conditions. Three children were frozen to death at Breslau, while two men died of cold in Berlin. Grave Berlin is the coldest they have had in 130 years and it has been much colder in other places.

> In England the weather has changed from moderately cold to intense frigidity.

The Balkans were hard hit.
In Greece four women were buried in the snow in

In Jugo-Slavia airplanes took food and blankets to destitute people in the villages.

Wolves decimated the flocks and herds in Albania.

OTTAWA, Feb. 12 .- Without division and after one of the The court attendants were for- shortest debates in many years, ced to carry Barclay from his cell the house of commons last night IS AGAIN URGED to the court room and a detective adopted a motion for an address supported him while he was in in reply to the speech from the the box. Barclay continues to thone. Somewhat over five hours Body of Man Found Half Eaten babble incoherently in his cell. was required by the members in disposing of a number of subjects on the program which often takes

three weeks.

Eight speakers in all, including move: and seconder, conspeke yesterday, including the prime minister, R. B. Bennett and

### ANXIETY FOR FOCH

Constantinople Suffers Badly From Cold and Snow of Recent Weeks

CONDITION OF PANIC

by Wolves on Shore of the Golden Horn

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 12: -Phenomenal cold and eleven tributed to the debates. Six days of heavy snowfall have reduced Constantinople to a condition bordering on panic. Six persons have been frozen to death on the streets. Wolves which been terrorizing the suburbs have entered the city and one man was found half eaten on the shores of the Golden Horn.

tors felt some anxiety for him. 'ted this morning to be on time.