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In Engine Work

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January 17 Set For Date First of

Vessels Will Take the Water

At Birkenhead

by the same firm that built the

British Columbia telephone equip-

LONDON, Dec. 11.—Construction work in Great Britain amounting to more than \$100,000,000 has been approved by the Government in connection with its plans to alleviate unemployment. The work involves the municipalities, railway companies and gas and water supply companies.

If the supplies for these works cannot be purchased in the United Kingdom they will be secured from overseas parts of the Empire.

The Government further approved road schemes costing another \$45,000,000 as an additional part of their

In all their plans for relief the Government is supported by the Liberal party, the policy being carried out by Labor being in large part similar to that outlined before the election by Lloyd George.

CRERAR IN TO LAUNCH LIMELIGHT NEW SHIPS

His Appointment as Minister of Engineers From Vancouver Have Railways All but Officially Announced

MONTREAL, Dec. 11.-The Gazette today in a despatch from Ottawa says that it is practically certain that Hon. T. A. Crerar of Winnipeg will join the Dominion cabinet as minister of railways some time before parliament meets. The despatch further states that the portfolio has been offered to him and that he has accepted. "He wil shortly tender his resignation head of the United Grain Grower and seek a seat in parliament. The constituency of Brandon is likely to be opened by the resignation of Hon Robert Forke, minister of immigration, who will be summoned to the senate."

King declined today to confirm or deny the report that Hon. T. A. Crerar had been offered the post of minister of railways. That an offer respect, and one of their unique has been made to Mr. Crerar is features will be the automatic teltaken for granted but no official ephone equipment. The complete announcement is available.

Robbery From

ing a satchel. He walked through a wireless telephone connection en- eleven months of 1928. the lobby and disappeared com- abling business or personal conver- The count of poles and railway pletely although the place was sations with shore stations by phone immediately surrounded by a coras well as by wireless.

"A little later when additional lead over last year at the end of the later when additional lead over last year at the end of lead over last year at the le don of police.

British Supreme Communications

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The screws. fact of British supremacy over lines sure Yarro communication was drawn to the superheat attention of Congress yesterday as ard of 350 a result of a report warning United these, then States of the present radio situa- rine boile

Princess Mary

appoint a colonel-in-chief of the million feet of Douglas fir was Sixteenth Canadian Scottish Regi- shipped from British Columbia to ment at an early date was given the old country to be used in these here today by Colonel Cyrus W. boats for Pacific coast service.

Japanese Arrive At Victoria On

Members of B. C. Government Meet Delegation and Wish Them

VICTORIA, Dec. 11.—Headed by ormer Premier Wakatuski of Japan and Admiral Count Hyo Takarabe, the Japanese delegates to the wished them success at London.

OLIVER TO BE TRIED BY A JURY

Tar and Feather Case Will Probably Go To Assizes In May

PENTICTON, Dec. 11-Charles Oliver, who is "forcible seizure" in connection with the tar and feathering of Dr. V. E. Latimer, recently elected for jury trial, which will probably be held at the spring assizes in May. He appeared before Judge Brown of the County Court yesterday when he was given the opportunity to take speedy trial if he wished.

WEATHER STILL CLEAR AND COLD

Clear and cold weather conditions VANCOUVER, Dec. 11.—The still prevail here today. Last night Prince Henry, one of the three new the lowest thermometer reading was steamships to be placed in service 13 above zero. A chilly northeast by the Canadian National Railways wind, which made conditions rather on the Pacific coast early next sum- uncomfortable at the first of the on the Pacific coast early next sum- uncomfortable at the first of the mer, will be launched at Birkenhead week, has pretty well died down now. annary 1 next. declared B. C. The wind was still in the northeast Keeley, Pacific coast manager of this morning and the barometer the Canadian National Steamships was steady at 29.78. indicating Service, today. Work on the Prince continuation of the first cold snap Robert and the Prince David is pro- of the present winter.

ceding rapidly and these two will shortly follow their sister ships to transportation circles on the Pa-These new steamships will be modern and up-to-date in every

system was specially constructed Present Year Continues to Show Substantial Increase Over Last

ment and, as a matter of fact, it was Timber scaling in Prince Rupert all built and will be installed according to specifications suggested forestry district for the month of the Oriental was eliminated from Seattle Bank cording to specifications suggested November this year amounted to the Oriental was eliminated from by the British Columbia Telephone in 11.870,129 board feet as compared the land, the Oriental question Co.. There will be a telephone in 11.870,129 board feet as compared would be near solution, for the every room and the system arranged with 11,196,957 board feet in the Oriental storekeeper would be de-SEATTLE, Dec. 11.—A robbery when the ships are in port their same month last year. Total scal- prived of getting supplies from took place at the Continental Sav- telephone lines will be connected ing in the district for the present what it was claimed was an unfair ings Bank here yesterday. A bandit with the shore line. In addition to year up to November 30 stood at type of labor on the land and would got away with \$1000 and was seen this, the latest Marconi wireless set 102,278.714 board feet as against have to buy in the same markets as entering the Franklin Hotel carry- will be installed on each ship with 36,942,566 board feet in the first the white dealers.

Six Will Be Ballotted Upon For

Presidency of Local

Nominations were made as fol-

lows at the Gyro Club luncheon

McLachlan. M. H. Blott and Ald

For directors—James Farquhar,

Service Club

today for 1930 officers:

Smith and G. A. Hunter.

Frank Dibb.

Charles E. Starr.

	of the district for the month
those ashore," said Mr. he new boats will have a 22½ knots. The engines le reduction, three-stage Each will have twin There are six high presow water tube boilers with ters and a pressure stand-to pounds. In addition to be will be two Scotch marks with 222 pounds pressure with 222 pounds pressure stand-tre will be two Scotch marks with the standard pressure standa	Red Cedar 3 395 30 Spruce, coast 3 588.44 Spruce, int. 122.86 Hemlock 2.803.67 Balsam 1,304.16 Jack pine 8.06 Cottonwood 89.66
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will look after the ships' lighting Cordwood, cords equipment and, all told, there will Shingle Bolts, cords be 74 motors on each ship. May Be Colonel The last word in refrigerating plants will be electrically driven. The last word in refrigerating plants will be electrically driven. The last word in refrigerating plants will be electrically driven. The last word in refrigerating plants will be electrically driven. The last word in refrigerating plants will be electrically driven. The last word in refrigerating plants will be electrically driven. The steel used in the ships was fab-VIICTORIA, Dec. 11.—Intimation ricated in the old country, but it is NOMINATION OF GYRO OFFICERS

liary which will be electrically Piles, Hemlock. lin. ft.

driven. Two large generating sets Piles, Cedar, lin. ft.

Eleven Canadian National Steamships engineers from Vancouver sailed on the White Star liner Cedric from Halifax on Monday to be present at the launching and assist in the completion of the boats. They are M. Ballantyne, P. Turner C. Inchliffe, D. McFarlane, A. Barnison, C. Gordon, P. Haliday, W. Way To London Barnison, C. Gordon, P. Handay, W.

Four Women Were Among Victims

been taken from the debris.

ORIENTALS

Colonel Lindbergh, the "ambas sador without

Harry F. Guggenheim, U.S. Ambas ador to Cuba, who has the dis-

tinction of being the first "Flying Diplomat" as he made all his am-

bassadorial calls by airplane after he arrived in Havana recently.

Provincial Government Asked To Take Action to Prevent Sale or Lease

VICTORIA, Dec. 11.—A delegation representing White Canada League waited on the government yesterday, requesting action to prevent the selling or leasing of land to Orientals. They contended that if

res THREATENED

LONDON, Dec. 11 .- Flood waters 29 were mounting in England today as fresh gales swept across the British Isles, adding to the possibility .286,990 of further havor by the terrific 9.943 storm which already has taken 184 11,859 lives along the British and contin-69 ental coasts.

7 There were heavy floods in Por-19,736 tugal, swollen rivers in France and near London were threatened to-

> carefully guarded. The Thames rose four inches higher at Windsor last night and part of the royal castle grounds were under water.

Power Situation On Puget Sound For president—Joseph Greer, C. Kirkendall, E. J. Smith, M. M. Been Relieved

relieved here and at Tacoma as a ago there were 14 deaths and 1240 For treasurer—W. M. Watts, result of the rain and snow of the cases. And ten years ago the deaths best advantage under forest. Smith, past two days. The precipitation were in the hundreds and the cases James Farquhar and Ald. Frank has been heavy and the snow is in the tens of thousands. Some melting rapidly.

spot cash.

Number of Men Escape; Take Hostages but Being-Retaken

AUBURN, N.Y., Dec. 11. Armed with guns smuggled into prison from outside the walls, some twenty of more than fifteen hundred convicts in Auburn state prison shot down the principal keeper, George A. Durnford, and seized Warden Edgar Jennings and several other keepers as hostages to-

After being held under threat of death unless the prisoners were allowed to leave the prison in safety, Warden Jennings and seven guards were snatched from the mutineers' hands by a picked squad of state troopers early this afternoon.

Convicts were believed to be preparing to make a last desperate stand in the main hall, while troopers and national guardsmen armed with tear gas and machine guns are prepared to rush the barricades. In the few hours remaining before darkness three convicts were killed in the troopers' attack.

BY FLOODS Drove a Truck

SEATTLE, Dec. 11.-Two men drove a truck over an embankment near here, falling on to the tide flats, a distance of 30 feet. They were H. M. Van Horne and D. M. Disdale. Both were taken to the hospital, where it was discovered that the latter had his leg broken.

ROME, Dec. 11-Rome's enemy for centuries, which wasted armies, reduced cities and decimated the population time and again—deadly, 24 below. dreaded malaria-is fast being reduced to a mere shadow of its former force. Figures just issued by the governor's health office show how complete has been the victory of the sanitary forces. From time immemorial millions of mosquitos rose from swamp lands around Rome and piled up the malaria death list among the inhabitants.

For secretary—George C. Ar- SEATTLE, Dec. 11.—The power But there were only nine deaths years ago all the dangerous swamps and ponds around Rome were

cheon today.

Much Lumber Goes To Australia As Result of Subsidized Service Recently Initiated From Vancouver

OTTAWA, Dec. 11-Whereas in 1928 the average shipment of lumber to Australia per month was 2,400,000 feet, during the four months the subsidized steamship service from British Columbia to Australia has been in existence Canada's shipments have increased to 6,000,000 feet per month, Hon. James Malcolm said today, in announcing that tenders had been called for services from Eastern Canada points to India, Cevlon and East Africa.

"If the present rate of shipment-continues, it is expected our business with Australia will reach 70,-Committal of John 000,000 feet in the twelve months," Committal of John September and October exports of all commodities to Australia amounted to more than half a million dollars over the corresponding period of last year.

PROTEST AT

protest has been made here at the zales, defence counsel, requested effort of the local labor party to that committal be deferred until tosecure control of the city affairs morrow so that bail might be arat the civic election. The Edmon- ranged. E. F. Jones prosecuted in ton Bulletin just prior to the elec- the police court hearing. tion said in part:

"The civic campaign in Edmon- Christmas Mail drive by the Canadian Labor party to secure control of the city council and the public school board. That cannot be denied. On the contrary, it has been quite openly advertised as the party ob-

"Organized labor has been well represented in both council and and two Labor members of the expire for another year.

Labor union or to the Canadian Labor party. But there are several very substantial reasons why neither the Canadian Labor party nor any other political party should be allowed to attain a position of dominance in the city

council or school board. "The Canadian Labor party is not a municipal organization. It GRANDE PRAIRIE, Dec. 11.-W. move to the drive it has made to position of the Wheat Pool. secure control of civic affairs in Mr. McIvor pointed out, said Mr. Winnipeg and other western Grafton, that the Canadian Selling

Zero Weather In The Interior Is

port today indicates that zero weather conditions obtain in Central Selling Agency in regard to tral B.C. Places reporting varying their selling policy. Portugal and France Both Suffer Over Embankment degrees below zero are Atlin, White Horse, Carmacks, Dawson, Smithers, Burns Lake and Vanderhoof. Manitoba Man The report follows:

Prince Rupert - Clear, light northeast wind; temperature, 16. Haysport—Clear, strong wind. 14. Port Simpson-Clear, northerly

Atlin-Part cloudy, 8 below. Whitehorse-Foggy, light north wind, 2 below.

Dawson-Cloudy, calm, 20 below. Hazelton-Clear, slight wind, 2. Smithers - Part cloudy, north

Burns Lake-Clear, calm, cold.

Quesnel-Cloudy, windy, cold. Eighth Cabin-Clear, cold.

CANADA'S FOREST AREAS

including the 82,260 square miles vacation over Christmas and New of forest on agricultural land, is Year The reopening will be on estimated to be 1,154,454 square Monday, January 6. miles, and of this about 1,100,000 seneau, James Farquhar, E. J. situation is in a fairway to being in 1928 and 1057 cases. Two years square miles is essentially forest land which can be utilized to the

DIED AT VANCOUVER

/ ish was destroyed by fire Monday. Canada was 64,121.

Prowling Deferred

John Mjones, who was arrested at the rear of Gratton's store on Second Avenue last Friday night, took his preliminary trial before Magistrate McClymont in city police court this morning on a charge of at-LABOR GROUP tempting to break and enter and was remanded until tomorrow morning for committal. Several police officers gave testimony, at the EDMONTON, Dec. 11:-A strong conclusion of which Milton Gon-

From Europe

MONTREAL, Dec. 11.-The first school board during the past year, shipment of Christmas mails from and in former years. There are overseas arrived by Canadian Nathree continuing Labor aldermen tional Railways yesterday from the who will sit in next year's council, Atlantic seaboard. Attached to a steamship special, there are five school board whose terms do not cars carrying tons of letters and parcels, chiefly parcels. One car is, consigned to Montreal, one to Towhy a candidate for either of ronto, one to Winnipeg. one to Vanthese bodies should be rejected couver and one to Calgary. This ados simply because he belongs to a consignment crossed the Atlantic nois on the Athenia and the Ausonia.. Disnes

is a political party, with ambitions F. Grafton, field service man for in the provincial and federal the Wheat Pool, says on his return fields. The drive that it is making from the Pool convention that after to secure the control of civic af- hearing George McIvor, the delefairs in Edmonton is a parallel gates were satisfied of the secure

Agency was holding back Pool wheat on account of Argentine dumping large quantities of their best grade wheat on the British market for as much as twenty-seven cents less than Canadian No. 3 northern wheat. The greater part of the Argentine's 1929 crop has been marketed, and for this reason European buyers from now on will have to turn to Canada and the United States for their supply.

Mr. Grafton further stated that The Government Telegraphs re- the board of delegates unanimously

Died Victoria

VICTORIA, Dec. 11.-Frank Howard Schofield, for 40 years identified with educational work in Manitoba, died at his home here last night. He came here to reside in 1924.

Carmacks—Foggy, calm, 20 be-ow. Stewart River—Cloudy, calm, 16 Women Witnessed Pirate Attack

George Campbell and her two Vanderhoof-Part cloudy, calm, daugthers, Americans, were on a vessel which was attacked by pirates in which twelve men were killed. The women were uninjured.

SCHOOLS CLOSE SOON

City schools will close on Friday The total forest area of Canada, of next week for the two weeks'

CANADA'S HIGHWAYS

The highways in Canada are becoming increasingly important year by year in the economic VANCOUVER, Dec. 11: - Mrs. them is carried a very heavy trafhaval disarmament parley in London, arrived here last night en route to Washington. They were greeted by four B. C. cabinet ministers, who were a specially between the large cities and freight, by four B. C. cabinet ministers, who were a specially between the large cities and freight, by four B. C. cabinet ministers, who were specially between the large cities and freight, by four B. C. cabinet ministers, who were greeted of the fire at the Manhattan Studios Hunter, Charles Balagno, Ald. Price of wheat in Vancouver today by four B. C. cabinet ministers, who westerday. The charles B. C. cabinet ministers, who were greeted of the fire at the lun-fered when her home at Squam-total mileage of surfaced roads in the charles are constant.