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## PRINCE RUPERT THOUGHT IDEAL LOCATION FOR SMELTER

## Mining Men of Interior Think Consolidated Will Build Their New Smelter Near Prince Rupert

terest themselves in the railway

located at the mouth of the

(Continued on page two.)

They Point To Large Number of Properties in Which Big OLOF HANSON Company Is Interested and Economy of Mouth of Skeena Site

That the neighborhood of Prince Rupert is likely to be he location for the coast smelter to be built by the Conolidated Mining & Smelting Company is the opinion of number of interior mining men who arrived in Prince Rupert yesterday and proceeded this morning south to ancouver. It is stated by them that everything points this part of the coast as a location. They say that the consolidated is already interested in a great many mines

in the interior as well as on Portland Canal and this is the logical LABOR GAINS point where rail and water meet and it would be accessible to all at the least possible cost. They TEN SEATS IN say it would have to be at some point on navigable water and on the C.N.R. main line. This be-BRITISH HOUSE ing a C.P.R. controlled company, it would fit in well with the suggested move of the C.P.R. to in-

running into Prince Rupert. The LONDON, Feb. 8 .- By-elecons since the 1924 election in probability is that it would be reat Britain total 56. The govrnment won 29, Labor 19 and Skeena River.

its and Liberals one, making ding by Consolidated of the D. W. e present house standing: Conrvatives 408, Labor 160, and berals 41.

ant through deaths today of Col. also four copper-silver properties ir Alex Sport of North Lanark which they have been developing and Arthur Dean Holland of Lincolnshire.

Has Interviewed Ministers and Reports Favorable Prospects

OTTAWA, Feb. 8.-Olof Hanson, Liceral candidate for Skeena at the next election, has been here for several days and has already interviewed a number of the members of the cabinet, for the purpose of trying to induce the government to build floats for the fishermen at this port. He has been pressing them very hard and has to see them again before a final decision can be arrived at.

Mr. Hanson reports the outlook very favorable and is planning to stay on the job until he gets a definite an-

The Labor party has gained 10 ding by Convolide to the recent bon-Mines Ltd. operating the Seven Sisters group out of Cedarvale. This is kown to have the makings

of a big mine and is likely to be Two Conservative seats are va- operated in a big way. There are Mrs. J. A. Meeker Succumbed Early This Morning After Many Months of Suffering

After a lengthy illness which was nearing rocks. gradually became worse until recently no hope for recovery could be entertained, Mrs. Nellie E. Meeker, wife of John A. Meeker, well known pioneer woman of this city, passed away at 1:20 this morning at her residence in the Meeker Block, Third Aveue. Born at Pike's Peak, Colcrada in 1860, the late Mrs. Meeker had lived continuously reader for some time. She also belonged to the Royal Neighstates, is 100 per cent Western bors Society, an auxiliary to the Modern Woodsmen of the World. Canadian. It has for its officers,

Besides the widower, to whom she had been married for forty-President-W. J. Blake Wilson. nine years, the late Mrs. Meeker Vice-president-Major Austin is survived by four sons: Glen Meeker, Chicago; Alfred Meeker, General Manager-H. G. Fow-Seattle; Vernon Meeker, Sioux City, Iowa, and Gilbert Meeker of this city. The son from Seattle Directors-George Harrison, will arrive in the city from the south aboard the steamer Princess Royal this afternoon. To the mourning family will be extenwarehouse 80 by 30 feet, a pumded the general sympathy of

built. The business will com- the community. DIED IN ENGLAND

600 barrels. Everything, even Ai Perkins of the Caledonia the truck, is to be bought in Hotel, Port Essington, today received the sad news of the death

DENBY DIES

from a heart attack.



Sir Douglas and Lady Hazen of Saint John, N.B., are here seen on board the Duchess of Athell at New York a few minutes before the vessel sailed on a cruise to South America, Africa, and the Mediterranean Sea.

### Freighter Alloway in Distress Taken in Tow When Near Rocks off he Coast of Alaska Today ies, in which the Power Corpor- radiograph taken this morning

SEATTLE, Feb. 8.—The freighter Alloway with a terested in, or controlled, had a now normal." OF CITY PASSES crew of 42 was drifting helplessly with disabled engines development program on hand of in a heavy southeast gale 300 miles southwest of Dutch more than 250 consequents. Harbor, Alaska, today, radio messages reported.

The freighter Montauk reported that the Japanese Power Corporation's new hydro steamer Yogen Maru was standing by. The Montauk re- development at Bridge River, ported the Alloway out of fresh water and the food low. Later messages picked up at Bremerton said that the Alloway had asked the Kobe Maru for towage, saying that she

The Alloway was en route from Seattle to Japan to be North Western Power Company, scrapped.

## WILLOUGHBY TORYLEADER CAN. SENATE

OTTAWA, Feb. 8:-Senator W. B. Willoughby of Moose Jaw was elected Conservative leader in the Senate it was announced this afternoon at the conclusion of a lengthy caucus of Conservative Senators.

Four names were placed in nomination, J. A. Calder of Regina, G. D. Robertson of Ottawa and Senator McMeans of Winnipeg being the others. On the first and second ballots the last two were eliminated leaving Willoughby and Calder. The majority for the winner was not dis-

Senator Willoughby was formerly Conservative leader in Saskatchewan Legislature. He was born in 1859 at Charlestown, Ont.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY

day at Terrace of R. R. Hender- officiating. DETROIT, Feb. 8:-Edwin son of Usk who died suddenly Remains will be shipped at 11 leral arrangements.

\* EAMON DE VALERA GETS ONE MONTH

ron de Valera was sentenced ranother unit. was really trying to flout inces.

were killed in a fresh outbreak of at Rouyn, Quebec, and Kirkland, lion. Mrs. Dalton is the wife of the Pathan-Hindu rioting this Ontario. morning. This is the sixth suc- "This is also the case in Mani- Packham, London. to 47 dead and 345 wounded, of the development of minerals and whom many may die.

FUNERAL NOTICE

Funeral service for the late Mrs. J. A. Meeker will take Nesbitt, "that there are greater place at 2:30 on Sunday after- possibilities in Canada today for noon in the Hayner Bros. Chapel, young men who will work, and The funeral took place yester- Rev. A. Wilson, United Church,

place.

## To Spend Million and Half Between Prince Rupert and Stewart

A. J. Nesbitt, President of Power Corporation of Canada, Tells People of Montreal of Plans for Development

MONTREAL, Feb. 8. — There is a development program of \$1,500,000 on hand for the development of hydroelectric at Prince Rupert and Stewart, according to an incerview given here to the Montreal Standard by A. J. Nesbitt, head of the firm of Nesbitt, Thompson & Company of this city and president of Power Corporation of Canada. This is part of a huge program of development for the one company amounting to \$50,000,000. The interview in the Standard follows:

"Canada, from coast to coast, is in a period of industrial development and expansion.

which will far exceed anything in the past," declared A. J. Nes-bitt, of Nesbitt, Thomson & Company, Montreal, to a representative of The Standard, on his return to the city from a trip to the West, and the Maritime Prov-

This big total includes the \$15,000,000, and at Lower Stave REORGANZING River at Ruskin, \$8,000,000; at REORGANZING Prince Rupert and Stewart, B.C. which the Power Corporation recently purchased, \$1,500,000; the Seven Sisters Falls, a subsidary of the Winnipeg Electric Company, \$13,000,000; the Montreal Island development, at Back River, Montreal, \$10,000,000; East Kootenay Power, \$1,000,000, and IN NORTH IRELAND & several others, including the \* Bathurst Power & Paper Com-BELFAST, Feb. 8:-Ea- pany, which is shortly to instal

to one months' imprisonment \* In the industrial field, M1. stock total only \$50,000,000. + today for attempting to enter + Nesbitt mentioned the McCollnorthern Ireland in contra- Frontenac Oil company, which \* vention of an order of seven \* will spend from \$3,000,000 to \$5,- LABOR LADY \* years standing. The magis- \* 000,000, of which \$1,000,000 is to \* trate said that de Valera \* be spent in the Maritime prov-

the law of Ulster. The company has already purchased four sites in St. John,

ved by the Canada Northern | ive and Liberal opponents. Power Company, great develop- The death of B. E. Spoor, Labor BOMBAY, Feb. 8 .- Six Hindus ment is taking place, particularly candidate, occasioned the elec-

cessive day of disturbances. To- toba and British Columbia," says day's dead brought the casualties Mr. Nesbitt, "and we believe precious metals in Canada is only in its infancy and will no doubt, surprise even the people directly.

connected with the industry. "We believe," concluded Mr. are not afraid of work, than any country of the world."

February 14, in United Church. fountain pen.

# SOUTH ENGLAND

LONDON, Feb. 8 .- If the As an example of this develop- weather is favorable, the King will ment, both industrially and in be taken to Craigwell House, near the hyrdo-electric field, Mr. Nes- Bognor, tomorrow morning. The bitt declared the power compan- bulletin this morning said: "A ation of Canada-of which com- confirms the clinical evidence pany he is the president-was in- that the condition of the lungs is

The trip of less than 70 miles is expected to take three hours in an easy-going ambulance with every provision against jolting.

## BRITISH FIRM

LONDON, Feb. 8.—Proposals for financial reorganization of the Armstrong Whitworth's great armament building firm are as drastic as any that have been made in Britain's heavy industries. No less than \$70,000,000 in capital and other losses will be written off the books, although the issued preferred and common

N.B., for a bulk station and ser- BISHOP AUCKLAND, Engvice stations and will build land, Feb. 8. - Labor won its others in other cities and towns third by-election when Mrs. of the Maritimes. Elora Hugh Dalton was elected IN RIOTING In Northern Quebec and On- yesterday in the by-election of tario, where the mines are ser- Bishop Auckland over Conserva-

Hugh Dalton, Labor member for

### Scottish Humor

Imported direct from the Aberdeen Joke Factory

LOOKED LIKE INK

An Aberdonian on a visit to the East, accidently fell into the Black Sea and was drowned. At the inquest it was discovered y 11,213 and the Liberal, S. V. ning to Mitchell & Currie for the Navy, died this morning aged 62 takers were in charge of the fun- gess N.D. where burial will take Peck vs. Peck—divorce trial, that he had been trying to fill his

## Work to Commence at Once on Dock for Home Oil Distributors Sum of \$25,000 to be Spent

The contracts have been let to the Drydock for two in Prince Rupert since she came anks and work on the building is commencing at once here in April, 1910. She was a or the Home Oil Distributors, the sum of \$25,000 to be woman of genial and kindly dispent, and everything so far as possible to be purchased in ted by many friends. She was rince Rupert, is the announcement made by Leslie J. active in the local Christian lartin, marine, sales and engineering manager for the Science Society in which she was lome Oil Company of Vancouver. The company which is coming here, Mr. Martin

the following:

HANGED FOR MURDER AT MONTREAL TODAY

MONTREAL, Feb. 8.-Joseph habot, who was convicted for the nurder of Josephine La Ferriere, vas hanged at Bordeaux jail here his morning. Chabot was found George Kidd, Victor Spencer, C. fuilty of kiling the woman, with V. Cummings. hom he lived, by hitting her over he head with a bottle.

# LABOR WINS

battersea by-election. Bennett ginning of the season. lbuto, 853.

ping shed and garage is to be mence with two tanks, one 2,500 barrels capacity and the other

Prince Rupert. LONDON, Feb. 8.-Labor The work here is being rushed of his mother, aged 83, a residained another seat in the house so that the new company may be ent of Essex, England. commons yesterday when W. able to cater to the fishing and sennett was elected in the South other boats right from the be-

eceived 11,787 votes and S. See- The contract was let this mor- Denby, former secretary of the there recently. The B. C. Under- o'clock Monday morning to Sturwharf and buildings.

Secretary-W. W. Boultbee.

A dock 300 feet long with a