

Bizarre Haircuts On British Docks

SOUTHAMPTON, England (CP)—If British males want up-to-date North American haircuts, the place to get them is Southampton docks.

Robert Massey, owner of a barber shop inside No. 2 dock gates, knows most of them. Every day style-conscious sailors in drape suits, velvet jackets and jazzy ties stroll ashore and demand such cuts as the "Rhumb-

ba-Ba, the "Curly Top," or a Canadian number, "Silver Dollar."

"They're that particular you'd be amazed," says 39-year-old Massey, who clutched his first pair of clippers at 14 when the most complicated cut was "short back and sides."

Today Robert can name 50 different styles. Among the first post-war crazes was the "Boston"—extremely thick with shaved line straight across the nape of the neck. That was started by sailors on convoy duty who didn't want their hair spoilt by an amateur.

Latest number is "The Nhit." The object seems to be to leave the hair looking as if it needed cutting.

Massey laments the fact that most British men are conservative about haircuts. It takes about a year for new styles to be accepted in most towns. For instance, British men are just getting used to the "Dema"—hair wrapped around at back like a duck's tail.

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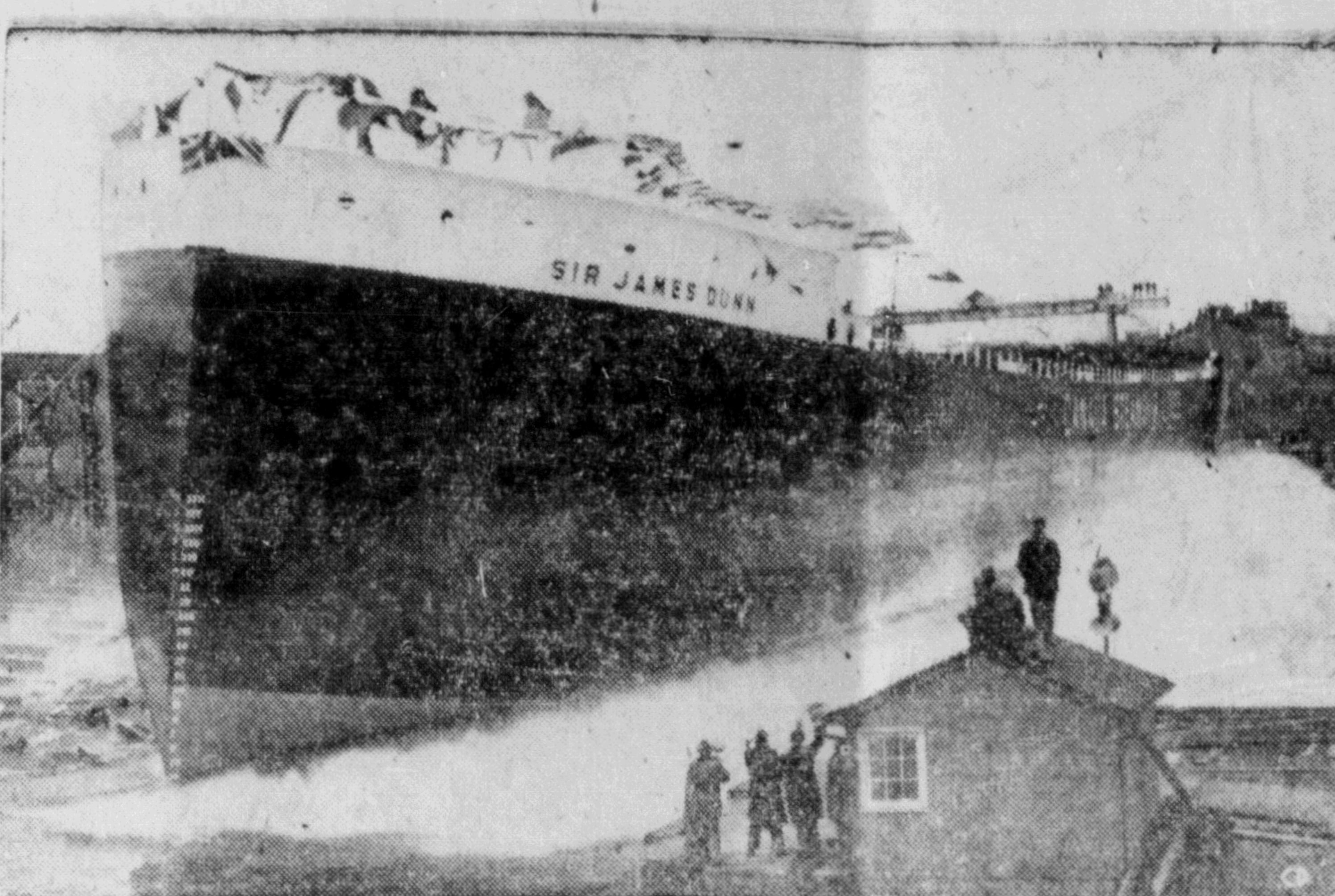
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SHIPS AND WATERFRONT

Motor vessel Nitinat, Capt. John Vosper, making her second trip on the new run of Morrison-Knudsen, contractors, between Kemano, Kitimat and Prince Rupert which provides for a weekly service, arrived in port at 5 o'clock Wednesday evening and sailed at noon yesterday for the Alcan area. While here this trip Capt. Vosper found three former shipmates who served with him during the war with the old sailing ship City of Alberni which was finally delivered to Valparaiso, Chile. They were Art Williamson, who was wireless operator on the City of Alberni and who now lives in Prince Rupert; John Trail, now mate of the oil tanker Standard Service, and G. Culbard, another member of the Standard Service's crew.



LARGEST FREIGHTER—The Sir James Dunn, largest Canadian-built freighter, slipped into the ice-clogged Lake Superior waters Wednesday at Port Arthur, Ont. From the yard of Port Arthur Shipbuilding Company and built for Canada Steamships Lines, the ship was named for Sir James Dunn, president of Algoma Steel Company and a director of the CSL. The ship is 664 feet long and when fully completed in spring will carry almost 65,000 bushels of wheat or 21,000 tons of ore. The ship was officially christened by Lady Dunn, wife of Sir James.

(CP PHOTO)

HOUSEKEEPING

GIVE A PARTY THAT GIVES ITSELF

Let your party plan itself. Drop that smile. We're not fooling. Christmas parties can plan themselves if you go about it the right way and advice from home economists is that you serve simple refreshments, ones that are easy and quick to prepare ahead of time so that on the party day you may be the gracious hostess.

Home economists suggest that party spreads be the feature of festive entertaining this year. These spreads can be made up well ahead of time and in quantities large enough to last for not one but several parties. Be they afternoon or evening, spreads are welcome at them all. So often, at Christmas, a hostess serves fancy sandwiches or cakes but, during this season people eat such a variety of fancy foods that something simple is a most welcome change. The important thing to remember about these spreads is that they must be colorful to be attractive. Don't hesitate to add a little parsley, diced celery or diced green pepper or even a dab of catsup to the top of the mixture and remember too that they must be easy to spread.

These spreads are usually made by combining various types of cheese, meat, fish or poultry with pickles, olives and spices. As a matter of fact, they may be made

of almost anything. At parties these tasty fillers are placed in bowls and everyone serves themselves. The wonderful informality that spreads bring to a party never fails to insure that it will be a success. Bowls are not absolutely necessary for serving them. A grapefruit or orange shell makes an ideal container. A green pepper case is excellent too. A novel way to serve spreads suggested by the home economists of the Consumer Section, Canada Department of Agriculture, is to take a small cabbage, hollow out the centre and use the cavity to hold the filling. The outer leaves may be slightly pulled out and toothpicks holding pickles and olives attached to the leaves. Some of the spreads they suggest are:

1. Cream cheese, finely minced garlic, salt and pepper and Worcestershire sauce.
2. Cream cheese, mayonnaise and chipped dry beef.
3. Cream cheese, ground, scamed prunes, figs or apricot and chopped nuts.
4. Cottage cheese, chili sauce, Worcestershire sauce, salt and pepper.
5. Finely sliced ham or chicken, chopped olives or gherkins and nuts.
6. Liverwurst, chopped pickles and mayonnaise.
7. Fried bacon, chopped mushrooms, catsup and a dab of Tabasco.

A variety of plain breads cut into dainty shapes toasted or untoasted are ideal to use with party spreads. Crackers, tiny baking powder biscuits or small muffins are good too. Melba toast may be made from left over bread and used with the spreads. Plain or puffed pastry rolled very thin, cut in a variety of shapes and sprinkled with a little cheese or celery seed before baking is another ideal accompaniment. There are a host of other things that are excellent with party spreads, such as potato chips or bouchees. The important thing to remember is not to serve sweet crackers unless a sweet spread is being served with them. From all these suggestions, any hostess should be able to arrange a most attractive tray of party spreads with toast, bread shapes, tiny crackers or perhaps small muffins and some crunchy relishes to boot.

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Canadian News For Overseas

OTTAWA—A thousand words daily, compiled by the Canadian Press in Toronto, is being sent overseas to the Canadian Infantry Brigade in Germany and Canadian airmen in the United Kingdom.

Francois Lake

The mild weather has been welcome but not the rain like Sunday night which made the snow quite soft.

A model "A" pick-up turned completely over when it skidded over the bank at the Landing on Monday morning, stopping not far from the lake. There were three passengers but all crept out and nobody was hurt.

The dance put on by the Farmers' Institute on Friday night in the hall was well attended and all had a good time. There are several cases of scarlet fever and measles. Most cases are amongst the children.

Torbrat Miners Back to Work

ALICE ARM—With the signing of an agreement which gives the Torbrat miners a 27 cents per hour increase, the six weeks' strike concluded Wednesday, according to a Union announcement. A number of other features in the line of annual holidays, satutory holidays and an increase in shift differentials are also embodied in the agreement which also provides retroactive pay which dates back to May 17. For economic reasons a number of men were obliged to leave the strike area. These men have been given thirty days in which to return to the operation to retain their full seniority rights if this is complied with.

GREAT LIBRARY
The library of the Shakespeare Memorial at Stratford-on-Avon, England, contains about 10,000 volumes of Shakespeare editions and literature.

Export Deal With Indies

OTTAWA—Minister of Trade C. D. Howe announced in the House of Commons Thursday night that negotiations have been completed to expand exports to the British West Indies starting January 1 next.

The new trade expansion scheme has been the subject of months of negotiations. It has been approved by the United Kingdom.

Under it Canada will be able to:

1. Broaden categories of goods which exporters have been able to ship under fifty percent quota granted by British West Indies on basis of 1946-48 average imports. The list now will include additional food products, leather, metals, electrical and textile manufactures.
2. Allow Canadian exporters to obtain open licence—that is, without quota restrictions—on some strategic metals, newsprint, steel, some vegetables, fish and animal feed as well as jute goods, kraft papers and other goods.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

The travelling public is hereby advised that, due to the recent storms, the highway to Terrace is in very bad condition. While every effort is and will be made to restore it to serviceable condition, unnecessary travelling is strongly advised against.

**FOR THE TIME BEING THE ROAD IS
CLOSED TO ALL TRAFFIC HAVING A GROSS
LOAD IN EXCESS OF 4,000 POUNDS** and is liable at any time to be closed again to all traffic.

Just as soon as normal conditions have been restored these restrictions will be lifted.

It would be wise for all travellers to contact the local Public Works Offices at either Terrace or Prince Rupert for up-to-date information before travelling.

L. E. SMITH,
Divisional Engineer.

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