

Prairie Provinces to Meet Grain Advances If Banks Shut Down

Governments Agree To Take Steps to Assure Stability if **Big Marketing Organization Should Become Embarassed**

WINNIPEG, Feb. 5.-To assure stability in general business circles and to protect the interests of the producers and public, Manitoba, in agreement with Saskatchewan and Alberta, yesterday took action guaranteeing financial support, if necessary, to the Wheat Pools of Western Canada. Premier John Bracken announced in the legislature that the government of this province was prepared to guarantee Manitoba's share of the advances to the Wheat Pool to the extent of fifteen ...

per cent security over and above the advances made by lending banks and declared that Saskatchewan * FAIR TO OPEN SEPT. and Alberta were in complete ac- + cord and were acting similarly. The lending banks, which handle Pool financing, recently notified Pool officers that they were ap-

WITH WALTER VANCE MANAGING-SECRETARY +

At its meeting last night the * + Fair Board decided to hold the + + annual fair this year on Sep- +





Inhabitants are here seen build no sandbag levee along Terre Haute road to keep back flood waters of Wabash river from inundating Vincennes, Indiana.

Stanley Baldwin Has Broad Vision of Great Developments

Two Thousand Dollars Set Aside For Native Bands at Annual Fall Fair This Year, Board Decides

The next Prince Rupert fair will probably be featured by the largest invasion of native bands that has so far taken place in the city. If this does not happen, it will not be the faux of the Fair Board. At its meeting last night, it was decided, on the joint recommendation of the finance and sports and attractions committee, to set aside \$2000 for the purpose of financing the scheme.

Of this sum of \$2000, there will be \$500 given in prizes, of which \$250 will be for the best overture and \$250 for the best march, the number of en--

tries to be limited to six.

In order to help interest the na- TO AMEND tives in the event, the sum of \$200 will be given each band attending. if living within 50 miles of Prince Rupert, and if further away than that each will get \$250. If a band is good enough it may not only re- Proposed Changes Announced To ceive the \$250, but win the two prizes, thus securing \$750 for itself. Each band must have 20 or more players and a native conductor, and it will be expected to play at intervals throughout the week of the fair. Vehicle Act, Hon. R. H. Pooley, at-Entries will close June 1.

This is the greatest inducement it was planned to wipe out the forthe Indians have ever received to mer practice of earmarking motor take part in a fair at Prince Rupert. receipts for highway funds and It means that the city will be ex- placing them in consolidated revconsiderably in order to make up that he would have much to say for the expenditure.



Legislature by Attorney-General

VICTORIA, Feb. 5.-In proposing new amendments to the Motortorney-general, said yesterday that

proaching the fifteen per cent margin which the banks required on all advances to the Pool, Premier Bracken said.

Stewart Asking Better Service From Post Office :

+ tember 2, 3, 4, and 5. This is + * subject to approval of the de- + + partment at Victoria. It means + + that the fair will commence + + the day after Labor Day. Walter Vance was appointed + + managing-secretary with the + + understanding that Mrs. Vance * * will also devote considerable * + time to the work, as was done + last year.

The town of Stewart is asking for CHINA TAKES PART mprovements in their mail facilities and the Prince Rupert Board of Trade have been asked to back GENEVA, Feb. 5.-China took a them up in their request to the department. The matter has already prominent part in the deliberations been referred to a committee and of the League of Nations here yesterday in regard to the traffic in pium and other dangerous drugs. PIONEER OF will come before the board at its terday in regard to the traffic in meeting Friday night.

Condition of Slavery Will Not Be Allowed In Fishing Industry of British Columbia

VANCOUVER, Feb. 5.—Declaring that the new policy of Hon. S. L. Howe, provincial commissioner of fisheries, will mean the elimination of the independent fisherman He was 65 years of age and is sur- Canada, Yorkshire, Australia or and his replacement by traps with the eventual disappear- vived by a widow and several chil-South Africa. ance of the salmon from the coast, the British Columbia dren. A daughter at one time at-

in Realm of Empire Industry attractions may have to be pruned placing them in contactions the limit and other of t

Empire Trade but Not Empire Free Trade Nailed To Masthead of British Conservative Party by Former Premier Today

LONDON, Feb. 5.-Rt. Hon. Stanley Baldwin, leader of the Conservative party, today nailed the flag of Empire trade but not Empire free trade to the Conservative masthead. Addressing a Conservative meeting at the LEAGUE OF NATIONS Coliseum, he declared that he stood for a free hand in safeguarding duties on British imports and for an extension of Imperial preferences. But he added: "I am not proposing to tax food."

> . Chief among the planks in Mr Baldwin's platform is the proposal of arrangements between British industries and corresponding one in the Dominions. These ar-NORTHDEAD one in the Domini rangements, he emphasized should be made between the industries themselves and not by

J. Frank Callbreath, old-time politicians.

prospector of the Cassiar district ' The Conservative leader forsew since the days of '98 and known to the day when there would be such all travellers and big game hunters industrial unity within the Emin the north as an outfitter and pire as to make it possible for guide, died last night at Telegraph industries to move to whatever Creek, according to word received point in the Empire that was best here by the Government Telegraphs. adapted to them whether it be in

Members of the Fair Board present at the meeting last night were report petty accidents in which President W. H. Sherman Jr., Frank damage does not exceed \$25 will Dibb, D. Jabour, George Casey, C. also disappear. G. Minns. Ald. J. H. Pillsbury, Ald. P. H. Linzey, Ald. H. F. Pullen and ate joy riding by youngsters as Walter Vance.



T. D. Pattullo, Liberal leader, said about this in committee.

The responsibility of motorists to

Another amendment will eliminlicences issued to minors on parents' request are issued for definite cars, thus making it impossible for young boys to drive around in hired

Regulations Proposed by Pooley Are Quite Drastic; Would Make Individuals Responsible

LEGISLATION

VICTORIA, Feb. 5.-Limiation of tock exchange memberships to in- ' J. M. Campbell, employment ofto prevent brokers from shielding men registered as out of employizations in the event of fraud, was, there are more than that number on Tuesday afternoon, in moving to take a number of them soon and the second reading of the bill to the mill reopening soon will take control brokerage operations.

"It is the individual we are after laid off there. and I do not think joint stock companies should be allowed to carry on in this city at present. as members of stock exchanges,"

FOR BROKERS Over 100 Are Registered as Out of Work

tividuals and partnerships, in order ficer, states that he has over 100 themselves behind company organ- ment, and he is of opinion that proposed by Hon. R. H. Pooley, at- out of work in the city. However, corney-general, in the legislature he expects the Power Corporation back those who were temporarily

There is no room for outside men



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General Manager, Bank of Mont real



Wheat May Never Be Shipped

