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Appeal of Clift Ford Against Judgment of Supreme Court Loses

Owner of Old Westholme Theatre Loses Second Round In Legal Battle Over Fire Escape Repairs

VANCOUVER, March 5.—The British Columbia Court of Appeals yesterday dismissed an appeal of Clift Ford of London, England, from a Supreme Court decision of Mr. Justice Fisher who gave judgment in favor of Stewart P. McMordie in the sum of \$1736 in an action surrounding the Westholme Theatre at Prince Rupert. The plaintiff's claim was based on expenditures made on the theatre pursuant to an order of the provincial fire marshal. The judgment was varied slightly. If the parties cannot agree upon the cost of certain minor changes in the theatre, the matter will be referred to the registrar.

The appeal of Mr. Ford was argued at Victoria early in January when Milton Gonzales appeared for the appelant and J. W. deB. Farris K.C. of Vancouver, on behalf of Col.

McMordie.

NORAHON

C.P.R. Coastal Liner Sustained Serious Damage On Her Last Trip North In Striking Rock

C.P.R. steamer Princess Norah, which struck Cold Island in Alaska waters on her last voyage north and was seriously damaged, is now on the dry dock at Esquimalt where NEDDEN IN it is expected it will take about four weeks to repair her. Several large holes were torn in her port side and she is otherwise damaged.

The Princess Mary will come north in place of the Princess En Route to England Where He Norah on the Skagway run on Saturday of this week and the Princess Royal will take over the local run of the Princess Mary between here and Vancouver via Ocean Falls.

DRUGGISTS

Court of Appeals Finds They Come Under Minimum Wage Act

VANCOUVER, March 5:- The British Columbia Court of Appeals decided yesterday that the Male Minimum Wage Board must fix a minimum wage for druggists. The appeal of certain "licentiates of pharmacy" employed as druggists was allowed. They appealed from a Supreme Court judgment refusing their application for mandamus to compel the wage board to hear their case.

Coast League Victoria nil; Seattle 2.

National League Ottawa 6; Montreal 2.

New York Rangers 2; Chicago 2. Canadiens 2; Boston 5. New York Americans 1; Toronto

WHEAT DOWN FURTHER

VANCOUVER, March 5 - The price of wheat sank to \$1.071/2 on the local Exchange today.

Thursday, March 6, 1930. High Low

+ WOULD PROHIBIT LIQUOR EXPORT

OTTAWA, March 5:-Pre-+ mier King yesterday introduc- + + ed into the House of Commons + * a bill to amend the Export Act * + in order to make it possible to * + refuse clearances to liquor -& destined for the United States.

Will Take Charge of C.N.R. Steamer Prince David

WINNIPEG, March 5:- Capt. H. E. Nedden, veteran master of the Canadian National Steamships on the Pacific Coast. and Mrs. Nedden, passed through Winnipeg yesterday en route to Birkenhead. England, where Capt. Nedden will remain until the completion of two of the hree new steamships now in the course of construction for the Pacific Coast service of the company.

Upon the completion of the Prince David, he will take charge of the palatial new liner and sail it to Vancouver, via the Panama Canal, early in June (where it will rather of Local inaugurate the new tri-city service between Vancouver, Victoria and Seattle on July 28 out of Vancou-

This is the first time in 20 years Mrs. H. L. Shadwell Daughter of that Capt. Nedden has visited the British Isles, having sailed the ss. Vancouver and Prince Rupert, ilton Kitson, father of Mrs. H. L. Delegate Gibson. from Glasgow, Scotland to Vancou- Shadwell of this city. Deceased was S ver in 1910 via the Straits of Ma- 65 years of age and is survived by gellan. Mrs. Nedden came to Van- two other daughters besides Mrs. couver a year later on the comple- Shadwell.

tiotn of the Panama Canal. Capt. and Mrs. Nedden will sail from Halifax on March 10, aboard the White Star liner Doric.

New Halibut Boat In With Catch At End Maiden Trip

Seal Cove, arrived in port today and Chris Cane. with a catch of 7,000 pounds. She 4.51 a.m. 19.9 ft. morrow. Capt. Magnus Hveding, Rupert Fisheries Experimental Sta- PORTLAND, 'Ore., March 5:— phen Rath, aged 11, was drowned president W. H. Taft, who has been derstanding that could have aris-17.46 p.m. 16.1 ft. the owner and skipper, reports that tion, returned to the city on the The people of Portland it is an- when he fell from a raft into nine seriously ill and not expected to en. The fact is no other solution is .11.36 a.m. 5.9 ft. the vessel behaved splendidly on Prince George today from a brief nounced will have to pay a ten-cent feet of water in a ditch in Burn-live, made a noticeable rally yes-possible." 23.29 p.m. 8.3 ft. her first trip.

SEES BRIGHT PICTURE OF THIS DOMINION

Remains of Caligula's Galley Recovered When Lake Drained Canada in Fifty Years



Remains of pleasure galley of Caligula mad emperor, high and ary after Lake Nemi, Italy, was drained in order to recover the historic barge which was sunk with all guests.

MATTEROF NEW HOTEL

Local Project Not Being Overlooked By Railway Company

White no information of an official nature is available locally, there is reason to believe that the Canadian National Railways are not overlooking the idea of establishing a new tourist hotel here. Representatives of the company have, it is understood, been looking over sites recently. A good harbor view, it is reported, is particularly desired as well as a central location.

More may be heard shortly of this matter which Sir Henry Thornton, president of the railway, has given assurance will receive attention. It was the suggestion of the railway head on one occasion that the hotel might be built here when the new coast steamers were placed in operation. That will be this summer.

Late George Hamilton Kitson

AIRPLANES SUPERIOR

VANCOUVER, March 5:-Airplanes have demonstrated their Dr. Burt Faber, Also German Authsuperiority over all other means of transportation in carrying mail, A. D. Cruickshank, manager of the Western Canada Airways Ltd., declared in addressing the Lions Club

MESS OFFICERS

ANYOX, March 5:- The Pioneer but boat Gulvik, built during the the executive being D. M. Cinclair,

is holding over for sale until to- D. B. Finn, director of the Prince trip to Vancouver.

+ PARTS OF FRANCE FLOOD RAVAGED *

PARIS, March 5-Property + + damage in the neighborhood 1 of a million francs and loss + of life estimated at as high + * as one hundred persons con- * * stitute the toll so far of sud- * & den floods that for three days & + days have ravaged central + + and southern France.

HOPEFUL OF

France In More Conciliatory Mood and Reported Disagreement Is Denied

LONDON, March 5:-At the London disarmament conference France is in a much more conciliatory mood over the Mediterranbeen appointed and it is said they will take the stand that France requires submarines for purposes of defense.

The United States will not recede from the policy of non-interference with other countries.

The rumor of a disagreement between Japanese and U.S. delegates was positively denied. Delegate Prince George, which has, during The death occurred in New West Stimson of the United States is ill recent years been plying between minster last week of George Ham- and his place is being taken by

or, Loses His Life In Wilds Of North

EDMONTON, March 5:-Torn remnants of the body of Dr. Burt Faber, German writer and scien- ing are the nominees for five seats and planning to resume his hunt- developing country of ten million tist, have been found by a Royal on the executive of the Anyox ing trip within the next few days. Inhabitants having a frontier of Canadian Mounted Police patrol Community League: F. Dresser, R. party 15 miles above Lower May J. Manning, H. A. Gourlay, C. A. F. After its maiden voyage to the Mess here has elected A. H. Stew- River Post in the Northwest Terri- Clark, D. MacDougall, R. N. Youngs, TAFT SHOWING halibut banks, the new local hali- art as president, other members of tories. There are no details as to J. Shields, F. F. Brown, W. J. Barhow he met death but it is believed clay and J. A. D. Stewart. past winter in McLean's yard at Ed. Kitchen, R. F. Hill, Ivor Bassett he may have perished in a storm and his body torn up by wolves.

TEN CENT FARE

fare on their street cars. aby.

SENSATION IS CAUSED

By Pronouncement Yesterday of Former Premier Baldwin Regarding Food Taxes

endum on food taxes caused a sensation among the ranks of the United Empire party.

outline."

ean question. Two delegates have J. J. Fuhr Was On Way to Peace River On Settlement Work When Overtaken By Death

> Word has reached the city of the death in Winnipeg of J. J. Fuhr, A widow and family survive.

ANYOX LEAGUE

N CENT FARE VANCOUVER, March 5. - Ste- WASHINGTON, March 5:-Ex- and one chances of serious misun-

To Be One of World's Great Powers--Howard

Retiring British Ambassador to United States Gives Glowing Address to Pilgrim's Club in London

LONDON, March 5:- (Canadian Press Cable)-"Canada in the next fifty years will be financially and economically one of the great powers of the world," declared Sir Esme Howard, retiring British Ambassador to the United States in his address before the Pilgrims of London last night. He pictured in glowing words the future of Canada. "Her potential wealth in water-power, minerals and agricultural resources is beyond the dreams of avarice. Her people are strong, reliable, energetic and capable. Nothing

Oso far as I can see threatens her from without or within. She is destined unquestionably to take the + highest place among the nations

FINANCES GOOD + and will be worthy of it." Speaking of the establishment of TORONTO, March 5:-A + separate diplomatic missions in * statement on the affairs of the * Washington by the Irish Free * defunct brokerage concern of * State, Canada and South Africa, he * Stobie, Forlong to represen- * said: "I know there were plenty of + tatives of the creditors yester- + croakers who believed that this meant the disruption of the Empire * sets over liabilities of \$2,052.- * and even after the resolution of + 000. This assures on the sur- the Imperial conference of 1926 establishing complete independence in home and external affairs of various self-governing members of the Empire, there were persons who would have liked to put spokes. in the wheel. There are those in this country who have not realized that George V is on the throne and not George III. To me, frankly, the establishment of this community ALL BEATEN of free states legations seemed but the logical evolution of the most marvellous political organization

the world has ever seen built not

on centralized force but on decen-

tralized good will and mutual un-

derstanding. "Never from the arrival of the The month of February was the first Dominion minister, to my departure was there a shadow of library ever had. During the 20 days misunderstanding between the the library was open to the public Irish Legation, the Canadian Legathere were 5.112 books taken out or tion, the South Africa Legation and the British Embassy. We have all During the same time 75 new scrupulously respected each other's borrowers were registered and 31 independence, we all co-operated in cancelled, making a net gain to the the common interest wherever that number of borrowers of 44, bring- was neded. If we differed it was aling the total borrowers up to 2955. ways a friendly difference of op-The month's borrowings included inion. To my Dominion colleagues, 3071 volumes of fiction, 600 non-one and all, therefore, I owe the fiction, 1256 juvenile and 185 in the most hearty thanks. But because there were so many more common Books were received during the interests with the Canadian Legaeditor of "Dominion Skandinav" month, three by gift and 70 by pur- tion, we at the Embassy were in the and publisher of several Scandina-| chase but to offset this 42 had to be most constant and closest touch vian periodicals in the United removed from the shelves as no with the Canadian Minister and States. Mr. Fuhr, who had been just longer fit for circulation. The total his staff. Mr. Vincent Massey and on a trip to Minenapolic to organ- number of books now in the library I became almost brothers and the last house I slept in in Washington was the Canadian Legation. Mr. and Mrs. Massey being always the kindest and most thoughtful hosts asked us to be their guests during the last few days of our stay while

"At the last indeed I wondered His Hunting Trip how we could ever have carried on as long as we did in Washington before a Canadian Legation was NAIROBI, Kenya Colony, Africa, et up to look after Canadian af-March 5:- The Prince of Wales has lairs. You can easily imagine what made a splendid recovery from an a position it was. To be supposed to ANYOX. March 5:- The follow- attack of malaria and is now up look after the affairs of a rapidly 3.000 miles in length conterminous with the one to which I was accredited, and yet without any direct permanent link with that country. When I look back on the situation now, it makes my hair stand on end at the responsibility of the position and the thousand

the Embassy was being dismantled.

terday and rested well last night. (Continued on page five.)

+ day showed a surplus of as- + * face at least the payment in * full of all creditors' claims.

4 STOBIE-FORLONG

RECORDS AT

LIBRARY ARE

Total Volumes Taken Out In Twen-

ty Days Was 5,112 During

February

busiest the Prince Rupert public

an average per day of 255.6.

duplicate pay department.

LONDON, March 5: A speech yesterday by Rt. Hon. Stanley Baldwin, former Prime Minister, advocating a refer-

The Evening News said: "Mr. Baldwin adopts the United Empire party's policy in its main

Lord Beaverbrook said: "This momentous pronouncement alters almost to a point of transformation the political out-

Norwegian Editor Dies In Winnipeg

ize a company to take over and is 7,131. settle a million acres of land in the British Columbia section of the Peace River, succumbed to heart Prince Is Better failure while on his way to the Peace district to look over the land. The late Mr. Fuhr made his home in Duluth. He was 52 years of age and was born in Tromso, Norway.

DROWNED IN DITCH

IMPROVEMENT

and Plans Resume