day? If not, now is the time.

Of Special Interest

# FAREWELL MESSAGE OF WILLINGDON

# AFFAIRS YUKON MINING COMPANY TO BE INVESTIGATED

Retiring Governor-General is Grateful to Canada; Predicts a Great Future For This Country

for "the constant kindness, courtesy

and friendship which has always

been shown us by all with whom we

have been privileged to come in

contact from the highest to the

lowest in the land."

is absolutely sound."

aged 71.

ssues Direct and Simple Expression of Gratitude On Behalf of Himself and Viscountess-Basic Conditions Absolutely Sound, He Says

OTTAWA, Jan. 14:-Last night on the eve of his deparure from the Dominion capital for Halifax whence he will mbark for England en route to India to assume the Viceoyship there, His Excellency, the Governor General, rave out a farewell message to the people of Canada. It vas a simple direct expression of gratitude on behalf of ■Viscountess Willingdon and himself

## CAME DOWN NEARLAND

Hart and W. S. MacLaren Believed to Have Nearly Reached Azores

HORTA, Azores, Jan. 14:-It is be- the present depressed conditions, Act. cean in the monoplane Trade overcome and that the Dominion of that firm. ind, met their fate very close to will move forward to still greater

From one of the islands of the nese islands. roup came word yesterday that shermen had seen an object, very Adam Shortt ossibly a plane, descend onto the cean a few miles from shore. The ea was, however, very rough and plane would have no chance to e out the waves.

Mrs. Hart, a widow and licensed Shortt, well known economist and lave not been reported since leaving vice commission, died here today, Bermuda last Saturday.

Store Entering

#### FRAUD ACT IS UPHELD

Measure Passed at Last Session of Legislature is Valid, Mr. Justice W. A. Macdonald Finds

VANCOUVER, Jan. 14-Validity of the Security Frauds Prevention Act passed by the British Columbia legislature at its last session was upheld by Mr. Justice W. A. Macdonald yesterday in dismissing an action by Solloway, Mills firms for an injunction to restrain the attor-His Excellency declared: "I leave ney-general of the the province you with the profound conviction and his representative, Mark that the basic condition of Canada Cosgrove, Vancouver barrister from examining the books and After making brief reference to witnesses under provisions of the

leved that Mrs. Beryl Hart and Wil- Viscount Willingdon expressed cer- The proposed examination afam S. MacLaren, attempting a tainty that difficulties confronting fects the books of Solloway. ay-load flight across the Atlantic the Canadian people will soon be Mills & Co. Ltd. and employees

#### SEARCH IS HAMPERED Died Today

Pilot Anscel Eckmann Held Up For Two Days By Storm-OTTAWA, Jan. 14:-Dr. Adam

After having not been heard from lot, and MacLaren, her co-pilot, former chairman of the civic ser- for two days, Pilot Anscel Eckmann, searching for further wreckage of Good Progress Being Made With Highway Construction; Work Is Well Advanced Beyond Crossing Cygan. He was unable to do any previous year follow: further searching during the two days and there are no new developments to report today in the quest.

Excellent progress continues to be made by the provin- A seattle radio station this morncial department of public works on Skeena River highway ing broadcast a scare story about construction beyond Galloway Rapids. Three miles of Eckmann being missing. Some alroadway beyond the rapids has now been graded, clearing arm was felt which, happily, was

has been completed to a point one mile ahead of that and Mrs. Robin Renahan, wife of the one mile of surfacing has been finished. Clearing is now in missing aviator, all hope for whose oprogress beyond Cloyah Bay. When safety is now given up, is still here the Galloway Rapids bridge is com- awaiting transportation to Ketchipleted in spring, there will be a kan so she may be closer to the fine new drive available for motorscene of search operations.

Although the morning was not Fifty relief workers are kept very propitious, it was hoped that Eckmann would be able to resume SEATTLE, Jan. 14:-J. C. Penny steadily on the road construction, his search today. He arrived here at Co., one of the largest chain store each group being given periods of 11:40 this morning from Ketchikan organizations in the United States, two weeks' work at a time. The to confer with Mrs. Renahan in reis coming into Seattle, it was angroup of fifty that is now on will go gard to the continuation of the
nounced last night. The company has secured a long time lease on the off on Friday of this week to be re- search. She returned north with

> PRICE OF WHEAT VANCOUVER, Jan. 14:- The price wheat on the local exchange today was quoted at 55c.

4 FERGUSON TO

+ today.

#### Farewell Message



Viscount Willingdon sees bright fature for Canada on eve of his departure for India.

#### Splendid Record of City Public Works During Past Year Is Shown In Report of the City Engineer

That the public works department of the city made a Pilot Robin Renahan's missing splendid record last year is made clear from the report of plane, reported from Ketchikan to the city engineer to the city council. The cost of maintenthe provincial police here last night ance of streets was cut down by approximately \$17,800 that he had been stormbound since from the 1929 figures and was \$6,000 less than the sum ap-Annette Island between the provin- propriated. Also it is mentioned that the sum of \$10,000 cial police cruiser P. M. L. 8 and the was expended out of general revenue during the year for permanent im-United States coastguard cutter provements. The details of the report showing comparisons with the

Public Health	16,387.32	11,750.00	11,700.00
Public Work & Sewers	35,045.47	31,100.00	28,000.00
Water	10,700.25	11,700.00	9,800.00
Fire Mains	800.00	6,000.00	5,400.00
	\$67,851.19	\$65,350.00	\$59,500.00
The following works were comp	pleted out of 19	30 expendi	tures in ad
dition to maintenance:			
Permanent Fire Mains, Second	Ave and Bacon	St	\$ 5,400.00
Reconstruction of Cow Bay Sew	er		1,000.00
Reconstruction Eleventh Ave. E	. from Frederic	k St	1,000.00
Hay's Creek Clearing			

### DRAMATIC COMMENCES

Search Instituted In Stikine River District For Al Farrow and L. C. Davis

Engineering Administration

Cinder Sidewalks

Extra Park Clearing

New Garbage Truck now valued at .

+ + + + + their destination.

tic statement to the authorities here the vessel had been beached in mud Great Eastern Railway in this proyesterday, the lawyer for Van and silt in protected waters, \_\_\_\_\_\_ vince. Little had been heard about PETERSBURG, Alaska, Jan. 14:- of Alfred J. Lingle, Chicago Tribune be more comfortable on the ship light was thrown on the matter PRIVY COUNCIL 4 A boat and party of four persons reporter, last June, declared that he than ashore," Mr. Semar said. "We when Premier S. F. Tolmie, addresleft here yesterday for the Stikine had been an eye-witness when Lin- are sending gasboats for them and sing a meeting in Vancouver re-OTTAWA, Jan. 14:-Hon. G. & River district to search for Al Far- | gle had been shot but that it was they will be taken to a hotel at |cently, stated that groups in London 4 Howard Ferguson, Canadian 4 row and L. C. Davis last November not his client who did the news- Campbell River until their trans- and New York were bidding for the

Expended Estimate Expended

\$ 4,800.00 \$ 4,600.00

Total ....\$10,300.00

4 the Canadian Privy Council 4 Trappers found their loose boat know nor had ever heard of Lingle King will tow the vessel to Seattle go to work if the government's concontaining clothing and some pro- before. He unequivocally denied for repairs." visions. The men failed to arrive at having had anything to do with the killing.

## Secretary of State Exercises Power to Have Probe Started

Over-Issuance of Stock and Mismanagement Alleged Against Consolidated Gold Corporation By Shareholders In Old Country

OTTAWA, Jan. 14:-Hon. C. H. Cahan, Secretary of State, yesterday appointed G. T. Clarkson of Toronto to investigate the affairs of the Yukon Consolidated Gold Corporation Ltd., a \$6,000,000 company with vast mining interests in the Klondyke. Upon application of a large group of English shareholders, the Secretary of State in-

GOVERNOR

SAYSADIEU

Their Excellencies Wave Good-

bye to Friends In Ottawa

As Train Pulls Out

OTTAWA, Dec. 14:-From the

rear platform of their special

train while the notes of the Na-

tional Anthem played by the

band of the Governor Gen-

eral's Footguards crashed out

in the frosty air, their Excellen-

cies Viscount and Viscountess

Willingdon waved farewell to

the people of Ottawa at noon

His Excellency stood with hat

off, an erect, white haired fi-

gure with a kindly smile on his

face. By his side Viscountess

violets, smiled and waved to

the crowd. Their Excellencies

will sail from St. John, N.B., on

Willingdon, her hands full

-Hvoked for the first time the power given him by statute passed in 1922 and appointed the investigator.

Application to the minister for an investigation claimed that too much stock had been issued and that a state of general mismanagement existed. The application named A. N. C. Treadgold, president of the company since 1925, in this connec-

It is understood that, after the report of the investigator has been received, it will be a matter for the courts to straighten out the company's affairs. The Secretary of State possesses no further power than to order a probe.

#### Infant Died

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Ross S. Ingram, 240 Eighth Avenue West, died yesterday afternoon. Funeral will take place from Hayner Bros. Chapel tomorrow afternoon, Rev. A. Wilson officiating. Interment will be made at Fairview Ce-

# In Johnstone Straits After Going On Reef Last Evening

VICTORIA, Jan. 14:-With a hole n her starboard bow as a result of crashing on a reef off Helmcken Island in Johnstone Straits, the Northland Navigation Co.'s motorship liner Northland, bound from Seattle to Ketchikan and other Alaska points with thirty-one passengers and a crew of thirty, was beached off Salmon River near Sayward late last night. The Pacific\*

Salvage Co.'s steamer Salvage King known in Prince Rupert where she left here at midnight and was due makes regular calls to discharge alongside at noon today.

The Northland left Seattle Monday night. As soon as the vessel was National Railways. shaken clear of the reef, Capt. Leonard Williams turned the ship and raced for a sloping beach off the mouth of the Salmon River, two miles distant, and drove her on the

SEATTLE, Jan. 14:-Thirty-one passengers aboard the metorship Premier Tolmie Throws Light In Northland ashore near Salmon River Flats on the east side of Van-STATEMENT couver Island with a hole in her starboard bow, are in no danger, starboard bow, are in no danger, A few days ago radio advices from William Semar, manager of the New York said that American inter-Northland Transportation Com- ests had turned down a proposition CHICAGO, Jan. 14:-In a drama- pany, said today. He explained that for the taking over of the Pacific

Brothers, charged with the murder "We decided the passengers would negotiations to this effect but some # High Commissioner to London, # to prepare for the trapping season paperman to death. portation to Alaska or back to Se- privilege of building the line into was sworn in as a member of and have not been heard of since. Brothers stated that he did not attle can be arranged. The Salvage the Peace River and were ready to

fish from Ketchikan for transshipment east over the Canadian

# DEALINGS

Vancouver on Pacific Great Eastern Negotiations

ditions were right. Evidently, the negotiations, as far as New York at The motorship Northland is well least was concerned, broke down.

#### building on Second Avenue which was formerly occupied by the Bon Marche and will establish here the largest of the 1500 stems and will establish here the largest of its 1500 stores which are which has been established at Cloyah Bay. scattered all over the country.

PUBLIC MEETING Moose Hall, Wednesday, January 14

Seattle City ists on the mainland.

At 8 P.M.

To discuss municipal affairs. All candidates invited to attend and speak.

C. H. ORME, Chairman.