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WORLD'S WATER RECORD

STANLEY BALDWIN VINDICATED IN BRITISH BY-ELECTION

Gar Wood Sets Mark of 101.154 Miles Per Hour With His Miss America

Previous Top Speed For Marine Craft Was Held By Late Sir Henry Segrave—Broken Twice Today

MIAMI BEACH, Fla., March 20:-Gar Wood, United States speedboat driver, set a new world's record of 101.154 miles per hour for water craft speed today. Earlier in the day he broke the then existing record of the late Sir Henry Segrave by driving his Miss America IX at 100.6 miles per hour. Wood has tried for many years and with many boats to establish a new record.

Fertility of Peace River

FORT ST. JOHN, March 19:-A report which has just been sent to the Department of Agriculture at shows that on 11 acres Mr. Abbott eration.

second prize at the World's Fair at Sing's field, six miles north of Chicago. He will exhibit alfalfa and here one day last week. other seeds at the World's Seed Ex- They left Vancouver at 10.15 a.m. hibition at Regina.

Pend Oreille

Well Known Mine Receives Large Order For Lead-Zinc Concentrate

Recent resumption of milling operations at Pend Oreille and the announcement that the company has closed a contract with the Am- Carried By Far More Passengers erican Zinc & Lead Co. of St. Louis to supply 30,000 tons of lead-zinc concentrate on the basis of 200 tons that company's activity.

TWO HALIBUT BOATS

6,000 pounds respectively. Both line or group of lines. catches were disposed of to the United Pacific Fisheries on the WOMAN IS

BOXING TONIGHT

EMPRESS SOCIAL CLUB ARENA

Cor. 2nd Av. & 6th St. (upstairs) MAIN EVENT - 10 ROUNDS

Nina Gurvich Benny Wendle

Semi-Final - 5 Rounds DAN BAGON vs. BABE DUTTON GOOD PRELIMINARIES

All seats reserved. Admission including tax \$1.65. Phone 592 for reservations up to 6 p.m. Ladies

Prince George Plane Is Down

Lands Shown Pilot Tom Corless Forced to Land His Ship on Field Near Quesnel

QUESNEL, March 17- Forced Ottawa by J. W. Abbott of Baldonell down by a blinding snowstorm Demonstration Farm near here which struck them shortly after passing over Quesnel, Pilot Tom grew 1222 ounces of alfalfa seed. It Corless and Engineer W. Jaquos rated 91% fertile in a test for gen- en route from Vancouver to Prince George in a Stinson-Detroiter ca-Mr. Abbott grew peas which won bin monoplane, landed on Nam

and a half-hour before being forced down they had landed at Alexandria to refuel from tanks carried on the plane.

The plane is owned by Dick Corless, of Prince George, and will be operated for private use, chiefly for prospecting purposes.

Cunard Leads On Atlantic

Than Any Other Line in 1930

NEW YORK, March 19:-Excludaily has again drawn attention to sive of cruises and the Havana service, the Cunard Line carried 231,-716 passengers in its trans-Atlantic service during 1930, or a total of 65,322 more than its nearest compe-Two halibut boats were in this titor, it is announced. It is the morning with catches-these be- eighth consecutive year in which ing the local vessels Toodie and Cunard has carried more passengers Viking with catches of 3,000 and across the Atlantic than any other

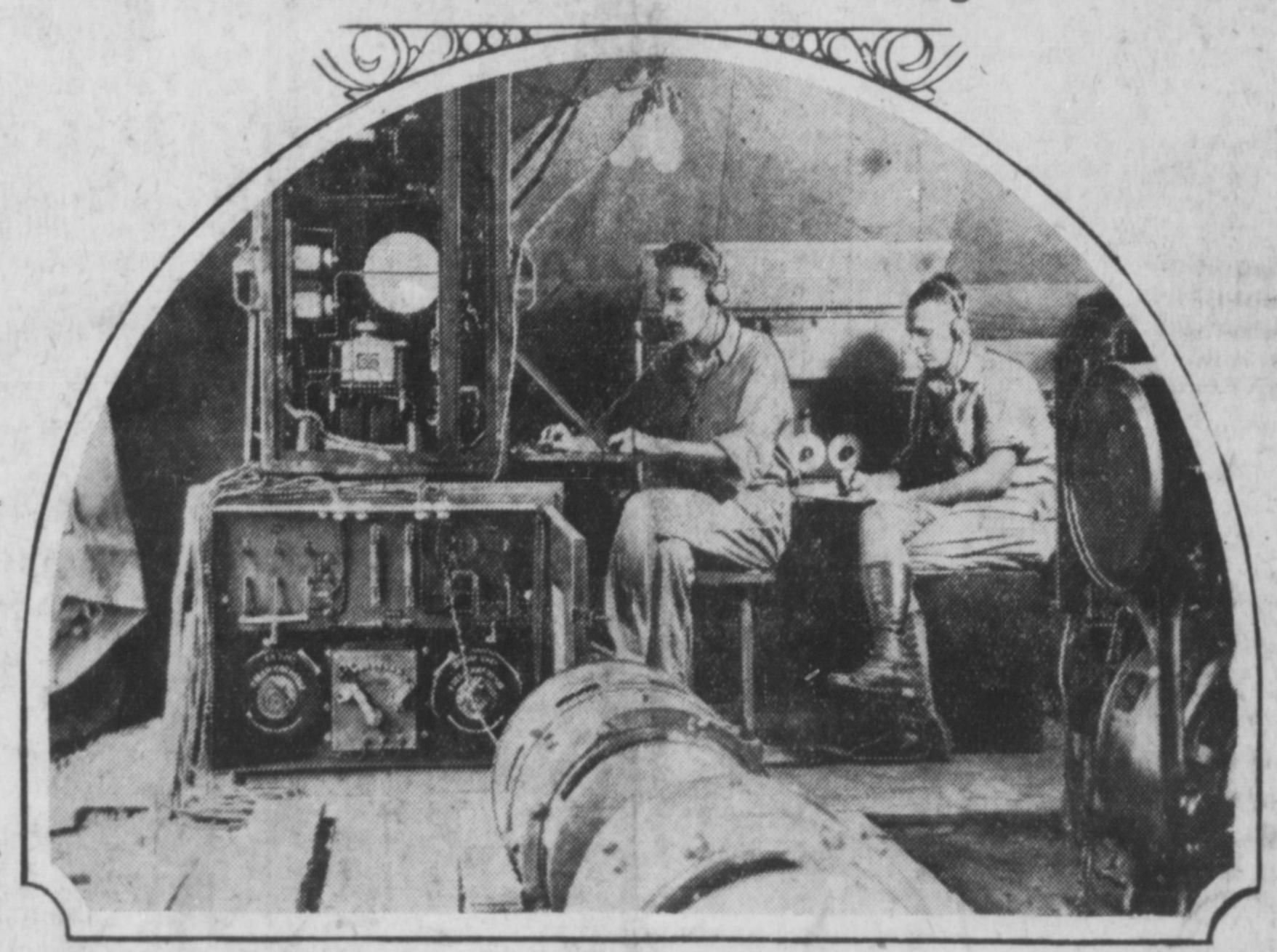
Performed Illegal Operation, It Is Proven

VANCOUVER, March 20- Mrs. girl. She was remanded for sen-

Nechako Bridge

VICTORIA, March 20:-Tenders for construction of a high bridge George are being invited by the shipped from Pouce Coupe to the a last sixty days and will cost provincial department of public Pacific Coast arrived at Vancouver + more than \$100,000. works. Bids are returnable up to recently. Samples of the wheat were

Wireless Installation Used For Nicaraguan Work



Central wireless installation set used to maintain communication between headquarters and field forces on journeys by ca noe or oxcart in Nicaraguan jungle on new American canal construction here

BALDWIN

Straight Conservative Party Is Endorsed in St. George's By-Election

LONDON. March 20: - Rt. Hon. Stanley Baldwin and the straight Conservative party scored a great victory over the Beaverbrook-Rothermere Empire Free Trade party and press in St. George's by-election yesterday when Capt. A. Duff Cooper was elected over Sir Ernest Petter by a vote of 17,242 to

Leadership of the British Conservative party was virtually involved in the by-election, Beaverbrook and Rothermere having challenged the policy and record of Baldwin. It was a straight fight between the official and unofficial Conservative candidates with the former staging a fine victory to vindicate his chief. There were neither Labor nor Liberal candidates.

CRITICAL

Mary Farrell of Reveistoke Condemns Government's Administration of University Endowment Lands

VICTORIA, March 20:-Stating Mary Farrell was found guilty of that a contract with unreasonable manslaughter yesterday in con- terms had been given the London nection with the death, through and Western Trusts Ltd. for the sale an illegal operation, of Joy Ink- of property in the University enster, sixteen-year old Revelstoke downent lands, A. M. Manson K.C., Liberal, Omineca, attacked the + + + + whole policy of the government in the administration of the area in + YARROWS GETS PRINCE the Legislature yesterday.

Hon. Nelson S. Lougheed, minister of lands, defended the government's policy in the area.

POUCE COUPE SHIPS FIRST WHEAT SOUTH

over the Nechako River at Prince The first carload of wheat to be today. The work is expected to 4

Vindicated



Rt. Hon. Stanley Baldwin, endored at St. George's by-election in England yesterday

Father of Prince George Lady Dies

William J. Andrews, father of Mrs. L. T. Kenny, of Prince George formerly of Terrace, died in Seat tle a few days ago. Besides the daughter in the north, deceased is survived by his widow, two Roberts. daughters and two brothers. The funeral took place in Vancouver.

RUPERT REPAIR JOB

VANCOUVER, March 20:- + 4 The steamer Prince Rupert, 4 • which sank at Yarrows ship- • ♣ yard two weeks ago, will be re- ♣ + paired at the Yarrows plant in + + Esquimalt, it was announced

IS ACTING

C. W. Tourtellotte Is Named Temporary Successor to B, C. Keeley

MANAGER

VANCOUVER, March 20:-C. W. Tourtellotte has been appointed acting Pacific Coast manager for Canadian National Steamships. succeeding B. C. Keeley, resigned whose assistant he has been for 11

HOSPITAL MEETING

Institution at Queen Charlotte City Reports Surplus During Past Year

QUEEN CHARLOTTE, March 20 -At the annual meeting of the Skidegate Inlet Hospital Society held recently the medical superintendent, Dr. George A. C. Roberts, submitted comprehensive report of the work accomplished during the year. He reported the addition of new beds, an x-ray machine, a new lighting plant, and the completion of a dam at the water supply, with new connecting main.

A large number of patients had been treated during the year and the staff had been kept busy. The financial report showed \$4000 spent in operation and a credit balance at the close of the year of \$200. The temperature, 42; sea choppy. directors declared that the success of the hospital had been due to the untiring efforts of Dr. and Mrs.

W. H. Fairbairn was re-elected perature, 42; sea rough. chairman; G. A. C. Roberts, secretary treasurer; H. R. Beaven, Geo. erly wind; sea moderate. D. Beattie, R. G. McKenzie, George McRae, George Neubeur, A. J. Gordon, Rev. S. V. H. Redman, E. S. Richardson, Capt. G. A. Gillatt, D. E. Maxwell.

FINED \$100

Dido Gurvich was fined \$100. with \$5 costs, by Magistrate Mc-Clymont in city police court this morning on a charge of supplying 4 liquor to Indians, E. F. Jones, city solicitor, prosecuted the case while W. O. Fulton acted as de-

BIG LOAD OF FISH

Sitka Here With 100,000 Pounds of Halibut But It May Go to Seattle

Bringing 100,000 pounds of fish gathered up from various American halibut boats operating on the banks, the schooner Sitka, Capt. William Doucett, arrived in port from the north this morning. Up to 2 o'clock this afternoon, it had not been decided whether the fish would be unloaded here for the United Pacific Fisheries or taken on to Seattle for the same concern. Telegraphic advices were being awaited before making a decision.

The Sitka is packing halibut for the United Pacific Fisheries.

Vancouver Stocks

(Conriesy S. D. Johnston Co) Bayview, nil, 1. Big Missouri, 44, 45. Cork Province, 1, nil. Duthie, 6, 10. George Copper, nil, 80. Georgia River, 3, 31/2. Golconda, nil, 43. Grandview, 614, 634. Independence, nil. 11/4. Indian Mines, 1, 11/2. Kootenay Florence, 2, nil. L. & L., nil, 1. Lucky Jim, 2, 3. Morton Woolsey, 3, 31/4. Marmot Metals, nil, 1. National Silver, 234, 31/2. Noble Five, 71/2. 8. Oregon Copper, 7, 8. Pend Oreille, 1.58, 1.60. Premier, 70, 73. Porter-Idaho, 8, 9. Reeves Macdonald, 49, 50. Rufus-Argenta, 21/2, 3. Ruth-Hope, 5, nil. Snowflake, 3, 4. Sunloch, 30, 50-Topley Richfield, 134, nil. Whitewater, 4, nil. Woodbine, 11/4, 11/2. Bluebird, 2, 21/2.

OILS Hargal, 8, 10. Freehold, 534, 6. A. P. Con., 181/2, 20. Calmont, 12, 131/2. Dalhousie, 32, 35. Devenish, 5, 7. Fabyan Pete, 3, 35/8. Home, 1.07, 1.09. Royalite, 11.00, 11.20. Merland, 131/2, nil. Mercury, 16, 161/2. United, 18, 19.

Eastern Stocks Sherritt-Gordon, nil, 1.15. Noranda, 27.10, nil. C. P. R., 42.00, nil.

The Weather

Prince Rupert-Raining, fresh + southeast wind; barometer, 29.40; Triple Island-Overcast, strong outh wind; sea moderate. Dead Tree Point-Raining, south- + miles north of Horse Island to- +

cast gale; barometer. 29.38; Langara Island-Overcast, east-

MINISTER PRESIDENT

Rev. S. V. H. Redman Named to Head Queen Charlotte Board of Trade for Another Year

QUEEN CHARLOTTE, March 19 The annual meeting of the Queen Charlotte City Board of Trade was held last week with a large attendance. The election for officers resulted as follows: President-Rev. S. H. V. Red-

Vice-President-Chas. Valley. Secretary-John P. Dover.

The president gave a brief resume of the Board's activities durng the past year which included a request for a better boat service for the Islands; buoys and ights for Hecate Straits; the Peace River outlet for Prince Rupert; alterations of plans for the Queen Charlotte wharf: the fishermen's requi ments; improvements to cemetery; and many other requests.

As a whole it was a most successful year for the Board.

Mr. Ironside, principal of the Superior School, who has retired as secretary was given a very hearty vote of thanks for his past services.

MILL IS NOT REOPENING

Rumors With Regard to Giscome Sawmill Are Set at Rest

PRINCE GEORGE, March 20:-D. Rosenberry of The Pas, who is in charge of the plant, has set at rest rumors that the sawmill at Giscome is to resume operations soon. He stated that it had been decided not to reopen the mill in view of the state of the lumber market. The planer will continue in operation but there is no prospect, for the present at least, of the mill reopen-

Solloway-Mills Are Committed

TORONTO, March 20-Issac W. C. Solloway and Harvey Mills were committed for trial here yesteron two charges of theft.

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER, March 20:-Wheat was quoted at 57% on the local exchange today.

4 ANOTHER SEALING VESSEL SINKS

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., March 20: 4 + The auxiliary sealing + + schooner Sir William sank 15 + tem- + day. Her crew of 28 reached the + + steamer Eagle safely.

Annual Liberal Meeting

Annual meeting Prince Rupert Liberal Association will be held in the Metropole Hall,

Tonight, March 20, at 8 p.m.

Business: Election of officers. Ladies especially invited to attend.