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# SPECIAL POWERS ACT IS APPROVED

## GOLDEN MILLER, FAVORITE HORSE, WINS GRAND NATIONAL

## Legislature Votes 31 To 12 For Important Measure On Economics

ht Will Continue in Committee Where Amendments of Opposition Will be Considered-Pattullo Appeals For Support of Press

VICTORIA, March 23: (CP)-The British Columbia Legislature yesterday gave second reading by a vote of 31 to 12 to the Special Powers Act which would confer upon the government control for a year of all matters pertaining to the province's economic probems and the measure now goes to committee where the fight will continue on amendments filed by the Opposi-

### B. C.'s Champion



G. G. McGeer K.C. who will fight or publicly-owned Central Bank.

All B.C. Parties For Publicy-

Owned Central Bank

been summoned to appear as a

owned central bank.

Senate Abolition

anti-Blueshirt bill.

Bill Gets First

operate with the government in its war against depression and not stir up strife," Premier Pattullo stated in the debate yesterday in dealing with newspaper treatment of the Act. "The press should know that the strongest possible communistic propaganda is being circulated deliberately designed to tie up industry."

"The press would do well to co-

+ REMONETIZE SILVER OR + HAVE WAR, SAYS WHEELER +

CHICAGO, March 23:--Un- + + United States, it will be neces- + + sary to declare an embargo on + + the metal against Oriental + + countries which action would + + inevitably mean war, it was + + declared by Senator Burton + + Wheeler, proponent of silver + + Congress, in an address here. +

## Member of House

McGeer to Fight With Backing of Against Liberal Legislator in Ontario

pold Macaulay, minister of high- Taylor of New Westminster charged VICTORIA, March 23: (CP)ways, yesterday caused a warrant that, owing to the action of some British Columbia views on the formation of a central bank in to be issued for the arrest of Henry Canada with provision for use of M. Walker when he refused to re- eries, the British fur industry had national credit for government spond to a summons to appear as a financing will be placed before witness against Paul Munro, Libthe banking committee of the eral member for South Wellington. House of Commons at Ottawa by whom he had charged with payroll G. G. McGeer K.C., Liberal member for Vancouver-Burrard and

#### well known student and authority on economic matters, who has witness by R. B. Hanson M.P., chairman of the banking com-

adopted a resolution on banking Haven of Safety Yet Despite submitted by Mr. McGeer who will Efforts of His Attorneys

thus go to Ottawa to fight, with the backing of all parties in Bri-ATHENS, March 22:- Samuel In- treaty. tish Columbia, for a publiclysull. American fguitive from justice An amendment to the motion and former Chicago utilities mag- sponsored by Senator McRae callnate, was assumed to be still cruis- ing for an inquiry by the committer ing in the eastern Mediterranean into all phases of fishing and seal Sea yesterday aboard his chartered ing industries was withdrawn. Reading in Dail steamship Maiotis while his attorneys were in consultation seeking DUBLIN, March 23:—The Dail to find a refuge for him, the prob- Shanghai Woman Gives Eireann yesterday gave first read- lem being quite a difficult one. ing to a bill which proposes to abol- There has been no wireless comish the Senate. The bill was intro- munication from the ship since SHANGHAI, March 23:—Within & called for the second week in & duced by President Eamonn de Va- Wednesday as far as is known. Up the last year a Chinese woman here lera because the Senate blocked his to last night, the vessel had not has given birth to two sets of tripreached Port Said.

## Balbo Takes Up African Post



General Balbo, famous Italian flier who led the mass formation flight from Italy to Chicago, as he arrived in Tripos. The general is on his way to Italian province of Libya, where he will be governor. Tis whispered that Balbo was shifted to Africa because he was getting too popular in Italy.

## IS WANTED

+ less silver is remonetized by the + Senator McRae Suggests Canada Abrogate Seal Treaty Unless U. S. Signs Salmon Pact

## Business Lost

+ remonetization legislation in + Charge Made By Senator J. D Taylor to be Investigated

OTTAWA, March 23: (CP)-Claiming that Canada was co-operating with the United States to protect seals in the Pacific Ocean while United States refused to help In East Charged to protect sockeye salmon of the Fraser River, Senator A D. McRae of Vancouver suggested that the Allegation of Payroll Padding Made sealing treaty be abrogated unless, Washington ratifies the salmon

During the discussion of the seal-TORONTO, March 23:-Hon, Leo- ing treaty yesterday, Senator J. D. official in the Department of Fishlost business amounting to \$750,000 a year. This official had decided to have nothing to do with sealskins in their clean state and left calculation of Canada's share of the catch to parties in the United

States instead of in Great Britain. lor's charge a committee of the nadian dollar was at \$1 even. Senate will be appointed to study the operation of the pelagic sealing | + + + + + + + + + + +

lets. All were boys and all died. It + + + + + + + on the local metal market today. now unemployed.

## EXCHANGE OF NOTES

Expressions of Peace and Goodwill Exchanged Between U. S. and Japan

WASHINGTON, D.C., March 23 -Expressions of cordial international relationship and gestures of peace passed between Japan and United States in an exchange of notes between the Japanese and United States state departments. To observers of interna tional affairs, the notes were of much interest to which consider-

able significance is attached. The Japanese note declared that the Flowery Kingdom had no intention or desire of embarking upon a campaign of territorial aggression or of engaging in a clash of arms. The tone of the missive indicated that Japan was discarding the militaristic attitude which has been so much in evidence of late.

Secretary of State Cordell Hull, in responding, expressed gratification at the attitude of Japan.

#### Pound Sterling and Canadian Dollar on New York Exchange

MONTREAL, March 23:-The States. As a result, skins were 3 ritish pound sterling was quoted shipped to St Louis and sold at a 1 t \$5.1138 here yesterday and the price far below what the United United States dollar at \$100 1-32. States received for its share. The NEW YORK, March 23:-The skins were processed in United British pound sterling was trading at \$5.1114 on the local foreign ex-The Legislature unanimously Fugitive Utilities Magnate Has No In consequence of Senator Tay- change market yesterday. The Ca-

#### \* ONTARIO GENERAL ELECTION LOOKED FOR IN EARLY JUNE 4

TORONTO March 23:-It is + + reported that the Henry gov- + + ernment intends to have the + + Legislature prorogued on + Birth to Triplets Twice + Thursday of next week and + + that a general election will be +

### MARKET IS ADVANCING

Revival Towards Close of Trading In New York Yesterday After Slow Beginning

Exchange staged a revival towards the close yesterday with gains of fractions of a point to more than four points, mining issues, rails and steel leading in the advance. Closing averages were: industrials, :00.64, up 1.21; rails, 47.79, up .75; and utilities, 26.26, up .65.

## Today's Stocks

Vancouver Alexandria, .061/2. Bayview, .02. B. C. Nickel, .64. Big Misouri, 38. Bralorne, 12.50.

Bridge River Con.. .37. B. R. X., .74. Butte I. X L., .27, Cariboo Gold, 2.33. Dunwell, 30. Dentonia. .98. Georgia River, 0334. Golconda, .45. Hercules, .05. Indian, .021/2. Minto. .34. Meridian. .18. Morning Star, 421/2. Native Son, .061/4. National Silver, .0434. Noble Five, .1334. Pend Oreille, 1.10. Porter Idaho, .121/2. Premier, 1.57. Reeves McDonald, .17. Reward, .091/2. Reno, 1.08. Silver Crest, .021/2. Salmon Gold, .27.

United Empire, .21.

Toronto

Taylor Bridge, .751/2.

Waverly Tangier, .0214.

Whitewater, .071/4.

Wayside, .38.

Central Patricia, .70. Chibougamau, .101/2. Lee Gold, .201/2. Granada, .78. Macassa, 2.36. Noranda, 38.60. Sherritt Gordon, 1.12. Sisco. 2.05. Thompson Cadillac, .52. Ventures, .98. Lake Maron, .14. Teck Hughes, 6.80. Sudbury Basin, 1.65. Columario, .88. Smelters Gold, .35. Canadian Malartic, .56. Little Long Lac, 3.20. Hollinger, 16.30. Inter. Nickel, 27.00. Dome, 39.00. Teck Hughes, 6.80. McIntyre, 46.00. Eldorado, 3.80. Wright Hargreaves, 9.25. C. P. R., 171/2. Canadian Cement, 81/8. Ford A. 2234. Walkers, 4638.

#### New York

U. S. Steel, 5118. General Motors, 3714. American Can. 9718. Allied Chemicals, 1491/2. American Telephone, 11838. U. S. Smelters, 11934.

#### BAR SILVER

## New Course Record Is Set At Aintree Race; American Runners-Up

early slowness, the New York Stock Delaneige Second and Thomond Third in Steeplechase Today-Was Thrilling Race With Gregalach Leading at Halfway

> AINTREE, March 23: (CP)-Running a beautiful race throughout, Dorothy Paget's Golden Miller, 8 to 1 favorite, established a new course record to win the Grand National Steeplechase this afternoon before a crowd estimated at close to a million persons. Two American horses, Delaneige and Thomond II, finished second and third re-

> > Thirty horses started and eleven

down in front.

consolation prizes.

### To Head New Bank



HON. E. N. RHODES

OTTAWA, March 23:- It is believed that Hon. Edgar Nelson Rhodes, minister of finance, will be offered the position of first governor of the new Bank of Canada, the Dominion's first central banking institution.

#### + PRINCE RUPERT GETS \$11,000 FOR PUBLIC WORKS MAINTENANCE .

. . . . . . . . . .

+ includes \$15,000 for Atlin con- + voted down.

## TEN YEAR CHARTERS

finished. Gregalach, 1929 winner,

finished seventh although leading

at the half-way mark. Delaneige led

Golden Miller at the last fence but

the favorite then opened up to get

No Canadians held Irish Hospitals

Sweepstake tickets on the first

three horses but about \$137,000 goes

to the Dominion through holders of

tickets on horses and drawers of

Winners of First Prizes

land took twelve of eighteen first

prizes in the Irish Hospitals Sweep-

stake on the Grand National

Steeplechase today. Ireland and

Scotland each got two first prizes

while one went to New York and

the other to the Transvaal.

DUBLIN, March 23: (CP)-Eng-

Important Decision Made by Commons Committee Over Objection Of Liberal Members

OTTAWA, March 23:-The banking and currency committee of the House of Commons yesterday passed Section Five of the Bank Act providing for bank charters of ten years' duration to July 1, 1944.

Hon. Ian Mackenzie, Liberal VICTORIA, March 23: (CP) + member for Vancouver Centre, sup-◆ —A vote for maintenance of ◆ ported by Major C. G. Power, Lib-+ roads, bridges, ferries, wharves, + eral member for Quebec South, + snow removal, etc. amounting + moved an amendment which would + to \$1.415.000 was brought down + have limited the new charter to + is the Legislature yesterday by + five years, declaring revision in 1929 + Hon. F. M. MacPherson, min- + would have disclosed the specula-+ ister of public works. The vote + tive orgy but the amendment was

+ stituency. \$11,000 for Prince + Henry Spence, United Farmer of + Rupert and \$21,000 for Skeena. + Alberta member for Battle River wanter to limit the ownership of • • • • • • • shares in Canadian banks to Canadians but Hon. E. N. Rhodes, minister of finance, protested on the ground that this would interfere with outside capital coming into

Germany's Bachelor Chancellor Has Plan to Reduce Unemployment

BERLIN, March 23:-Adolph Hitler. Germany's bachelor chancellor, announces that the government is making \$60,000,000 available for matrimonial bonus fund for newlywed couples. It is expected that the setting up of the fund may result + Cairnie confessed over the + directly in 300,000 marriages dur- + telephone to the police that he + ing the coming year. The unem- + had shot Westbrook, who was a + ployment situation would be re- + section foreman on the Paci- + lieved as it is required that girls. \* fic Great Eastern Railway, af- \* to benefit from the fund, would + ter he (Cairnie) had been dis- + NEW YORK, March 23: (CP)- have to give up their jobs which + charged from his job on the ◆ Bar silver closed at 45% c per ounce would be made available for men ◆ section.

#### + CAIRNIE CHARGED WITH SLAYING SECTION BOSS

CLINTON, B.C., March 23: + (CP)—A coroner's jury last • + night charged William Cairnie + \* with the slaying of Sidney Al- \* + bert Westbrook at 59-Mile + + House on Wednesday night. +