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STEVENS RESIGNS FEDERAL CABINET

SEVERAL HALIBUT VESSELS SEIZED FOR ILLEGAL FISHING

Ouarrel Over Famous Pamphlet Results In Shake-Up at Ottawa

British Columbia Member Retires From Administration As Well as From Chairmanship of Price Spreads Committee—Is Critical of Premier Bennett

OTTAWA, Oct. 27: (CP)-The action of Hon. H. H. Stevens, minister of trade and commerce, in issuing recently his celebrated pamphlet in connection with the proceedings of the mass buying and price spreads committee having aroused strong differences of opinion and protest from colleagues in the federal cabinet, Mr. Stevens yester-

resigned from the cabinet. placing his resignation in the hands of Premier Bennett.

Resigns Premier R. B. Bennett said that he was not in a position yet to make any statement on the matter but he promised one following meetings of the cabinet this morning and afternoon. Following the first cabinet meeting today, Premier Bennett went to see the Governor General CUTTING OF cellency, said he had nothing to say immediately. Later, following the second cabinet meeting, it was definitely announced from the that no statement would be issued Meantime, the political atmo-

Hon. H. H. Stevens, minister of

trade and commerce.

Today's Stocks

Vancouver

Bayview, .011/2.

Bradian, 1.68.

Bralorne, 11.60.

B. R. Cons. .07.

Dentonia, .41.

Dunwell, .15.

Golconda, .28.

Indian, .01.

Minto, .15.

Hercules, .021/2.

Meridian, .111/2.

Morning Star, .13.

Noble Five, .071/4.

Pend Oreille, .46.

Porter Idaho, .08.

Silver Crest, .0178.

Salmon Gold, .111/2.

Taylor Bridge, .25.

Whitewater, .043/4.

Waverly Tangier, .01.

United Empire, .15.

Wayside, .08.

Premier, 1.29.

Reward, .04.

Reno. .96.

National Silver, .04.

B. R. X. Gold, .21.

Butte I. X. L., 05 (ask).

Cariboo Quartz, 1.05.

Georgia River, .01.

B. C. Nickel, .62.

Big Missouri, .31.

sphere is seething and all sorts of rumors are to be heard.

individual firms.

tenay, is was announced this after- for consideration and report.

today. Mr. Stevens handed in his donald held similar views and ex- Logger's Death resignation last January but it was pressed the opinion that it was not Logger's Death an objection from R. Y. Eaton. financial policy of the hospital. There were also objections to the Frank Dibb felt that the whole Stevens' speech being made before matter of the training school policy the Shoe Association without con- might well be gone into. those of domestic character.

minister of trade and commerce but ion and offer recommendations. | came immediately unconscious, exthe names of Grote Stirling, M.P. | Miss Randal's communication to piring within half an hour. The for Yale, and Hon. Dr. R. J. Manion, the board also referred to the suc- inquest was conducted by Coroner minister of railways, are mentioned cessful efforts which were being A. L. Mallory of Port Clements. as possibilities to take over the made to keep an old hospital build- The funeral took place this after-

POUND IN MONTREAL

MONTREAL, Oct. 27: (CP)-The \$4.861/2 on the local exchange market yesterday.

and Capitol Theatre will collabor- exceedingly fortunate in having a Harvey of receiving relief by false Anyox-Raining, calm, 38. ate on Thursday afternoon next in lady superintendent of Miss Har- pretences. Witnesses for the crown showing several reels of moving rison's capabilities. Walter Howarth returned to the picture films depicting scenes in city on the Princess Adelaide Friday Scotland and England for the bene- Tonight's train, due from the east citor E. F. Jones prosecuted while the city public schools.

Reducing Cost of Production



A 20-horse combine operating in the wheat fields near Walla Walla, Wash., where a larger crop than usual was produced. The manne cuts, threshes and sacks the wheat in a single operation

PORT DARWIN, Oct. 27: +

+ (CP)-Not satisfied with hav- +

+ ing finished fourth in the Eng- +

He Expired Half an Hour

Later

were D. J. Matheson, city treasurer.

fence.

4 JONES AND WALLER

ALLOWANCES

Premier's office late this afternoon Recommendation Made to Local Hospital by Registrar of Graduate Nurses

+ land to Melbourne air race this + A recommendation from Miss + week, Cathcart Jones and Ken + Helen Randal R.N., registrar of the + Waller, in their de Haviland + The committee was to resume its Graduate Nurses' Association of + Comet monoplane, hopped off + sessions on Tuesday of next week. British Columbia, that a reduction + yesterday from Melbourne on + In a statement today, Mr. Stevens be made in the monthly allowance + their return to England, en- + said that the pamphlet issued early for students in the local training + deavoring to lower on the + in August by him had been made school, bringing them more in line + homeward flight the record of + he centre of innuendoes against with other hospitals in the province, + seventy-one hours and thir- + him. The inquiry of which he was and the saving thus effected be used + teen minutes set by C. W. A. + chairman was into the system of in the purchase of additional equip- + Scott and Campbell Black in + economics and methods of mer- ment for the training school met + the England to Melbourne + chandising and not an inquiry into with a mixed reception last night at | derby. After averaging 205 + the regular monthly meeting of the + miles per hour on the flight + Mr. Stevens will continue to sit as board of directors of the Prince Ru- + from Melbourne, they arrived + Conservative member of the pert General Hospital, being finally + here early today but were held + House of Commons for East Koo- referred to the executive committee + up by unfavorable weather in + + leaving on continuation of the +

noon, the resignation affecting only | W. M. Brown stated that he was | flight. his cabinet position and the chair- not in favor of cutting salaries almanship of the price spreads com- though admitting that it might be + + + + desirable to have more equipment According to the Ottawa Citizen for the training school. S. D. Macsubsequently withdrawn. On that in the province of Miss Randal to occasion. Premier Bennett had had make suggestions in regard to the

sulting the cabinet. Mr. Stevens de- Dr. W. T. Kergin referred to the fended his position at some length, fact that the tendency was to get the Citizen stated, and expressed away from paying of allowances at A verdict of accidental death was fear that Premier Bennett had be- all to students in hospital training returned by a coroner's jury at come so obsessed with international schools. In Vancouver and Toronto Cumshewa at the inquest into the affairs as to not give proper regard General Hospitals there were no al- death of Toumas Sepalla, Fininsh lowances. He felt that this was a logger, who was killed while work-Nothing official is yet known as matter on which Miss Randal was ing there on Tuesday of this week. to who will succeed Mr. Stevens as quite entitled to express her opin- A log rolled on deceased and he be-

ing in such good shape as was this noon from the chapel of the B. C. one. She also paid tribute to the Undertakers to Fairview Cemetery work of Miss Jean Harrison R.N., with Rev. W. D. Grant Hollingworth, light swell. lady superintendent, pointing out pastor of First Presbyterian Church British pound sterling closed at that she was really carrying out the officiating. dual functions of lady superintendent and instructress, duties which In city police court Thursday af- calm; sea choppy. would ordinarily require the ser- ternoon Magistrate McClymont dis- Terrace-Clear, calm, 36. The Canadian National Railways vice of two persons. The board was missed a charge against Thomas Aiyansh-Raining, calm, 36.

afternoon from a week's trip to fit of pupils of the upper grades in at 10:15, was reported this morning L. W. Patmore conducted the deto be on time.

BRITISHER TRYING FOR LOWER + RECORD ON FLIGHT +

Secretary of Bank of England Is Named Deputy Governor of Bank of Canada

ance, yesterday announced the appointment of J. A. C. Osborne, secretary of the Bank of England, as deputy governor of the new Central Bank of Canada with a five-year contract.

A French Canadian will be named as assistant deputy governor, Mr. Rhodes announced.

The first meeting of shareholders of the Central Bank of Canada will be held on January 23 when seven directors will be

Newfoundland Aids Fishermen

Sixty-Two Schooners to be Built By Government and Sold on Easy Payments

Log Rolled on Toumas Sepalla and Newfoundland has decided to aid Stewart in this district. the fishing industry of the colony by building sixty-two new schooners which will eventually become take steps to prevent price cutting the property of fishermen on long- by certain hospitals in the matter Thirty Thousand Dollars Ransom term payments.

boats now under construction will Department of Indian Affairs. This also be paid by the government, it it was suggested, might be done by is announced.

Today's Weather

Dead Tree Point-Cloudy, calm;

Triple Island-Raining, strong superintendent, during his absence. northerly wind; big chop. Langara Island-Part cloudy,

and Miss Eileen Osborne. City Soli- snow, 32.

inches new snow, 30.

Boats Are Alleged to Have Been Operating In Prohibited Areas

International Fisheries Commission Asking For Augmented Patrol Service Following Closing Down Of Season Today

SEWARD, Alaska, Oct. 27: (CP)-For violating the orders of the International Fisheries Commission by fishing in areas which had been closed to halibut fishing, a number of halibutters have been apprehended by the coastguard cutter Morris in the past ten days. The Commission has asked the aid of two more cutters to patrol the areas following the closing down of all fishing this weekand. The Morris is leaving for Seattle.

REPORTS ON CONVENTION

Various Matters of Importance Are Taken Up at Recent Hospital Gathering in Victoria

dvised last night by H. W. Birch, will have general sympathy. pital to the convention. A commit- cestershire, England, served with Ar. Birch advised the board in his never had a leave. Following the

Workmen's Compensation, a hardy had been located ever since. He is the convention which decided to daughter, residing in Vancouver, the Workmen's Compensation tomorrow evening from the south Board paid full, equitable rates for enroute to Smithers to attend the all services.

per diem grant by municipalities Smithers on Tuesday under Canawhich are bearing no cost in the dian Legion auspices. The local operation of hospitals themselves brother will leave on Monday evefor their patients being treated in ning's train to attend the funeral. hospitals of other municipalities be ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Oct. 27: (CP) increased from the present 70c to S1.25 per day. This would affect TEACHER IS such municipalities as Terrace and

The convention also decided to of handling government depart-Bounties on sixty-seven new mental patients such as those of the tered into.

ledged the effective manner in lice so far have found no trace of which the hospital office work had the supposed abductors. barometer, 30.08; temperature, 47; been carried on under the direction of Miss Jean Harrison R.N., lady

> Provincial Constable C. G. Sharpe! of Queen Charlotte City, who arthe Islands.

Thomas Preece Of Smithers Passes Away

Thomas Preece: well known rancher and tiemaker of Glentanna in State health insurance was the the Smithers district and brother najor topic of discussion at the re- of Jack Preece, local merchant, cent annual convention of the Bri- passed away on Wednesday night in tish Columbia Hospitals Association the Smithers Hospital after having in Victoria and the desirability of suffered for years from the effects OTTAWA, Oct. 27: (CP)-Hon. | early legislation on the matter be- of gas inhalation while on service in E. N. Rhodes, minister of fin- ing effected was generally express- the Great War. His passing will be d, the board of directors of the greatly regretted by many friends Prince Rupert General Hospital was in the interior and the brother here

anaging secretary, who was the The late Mr. Preece, who was 55 fficial delegate of the local hos- | years of age and a native of Woree of the association was appointed the Imperial forces throughout the proceed further with the matter, duration of the Great War and war, he came to Canada and settled Relations of hospitals and the in the Smithers district where he perennial, were again discussed at survived by a widow and married request the government to see that who is expected here on the Catala funeral. There are also two bro-The provincial government will thers and three sisters in England.

also be asked to provide that the The funeral will take place at

KIDNAPPED-

Demanded of Louisianian For Daughter's Return

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 27:--Virsuch cases being handled through ginia Switzer, young district school the association which would see teacher, disappeared Thursday and that equitable contracts were en- later demand was made of her wealthy father for payment of \$30,-Mr. Birch, in his report, acknow- 000 ransom for her safe return. Po-

NO HALIBUT SALE

No boats being in with catches, there was no sale of halibut on the local fish exchange this morning.

During the month of September rived in the city from the Islands there was a total of 1672 hospital Thursday, accompanying the re- days at the Prince Rupert General Stewart-Cloudy, south wind, 38. mains of Thomas Sapella, who was Hospital, it was reported to the hos-Hazelton-Cloudy, calm, new killed in a logging accident in A. P. pital board at its regular monthly Allison Logging Co.'s camp at meeting last night by the finance Smithers-Snowing, calm, mild. Cumshewa Inlet, sailed last night committee. The cost per hospital Burns Lake-Snowing, calm, six by the Prince John on his return to day was \$2.38. Expenditures for the month totalled \$3979.17.

A. P. Con., .081/2. Amalgamated, .0634. C. & E., .60. Freehold, .061/4. Home Oil, .70. Merland, .20. Mar Jon, .091/4. United Oil, .031/2.

Vancouver.