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SERIOUS RIOTING AT B.C. COAL TOWN

PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., THURSDAY, APRIL 18, 1935

RELIEF WORKS PROGRAM IS TIED UP UNTIL AFTER RECESS

Sixteen Police Officers, Six Colliery Workers and Score Of Strikers Hurt At Corbin

Today's Stocks

Vancouver

Big Missouri, .44.

B. C. Nickel, .42.

Bradian, 1.65.

Bralorne, 7.75.

Dentonia, .63.

Dunwell, .10.

B. R. Cons., .06.

Cariboo Quartz, .63.

Georgia River, .001/2.

Morning Star, .0734.

Noble Five, .1134.

Pend Oreille, .65.

Premier, 1.64.

Reward, .031/2.

Wayside, .15.

Whitewater, .10.

Reno, 1.40.

Porter Idaho, .101/2.

Quesnel Quartz, .15.

Silver Crest, .011/2.

Salmon Gold. .131/2.

Taylor Bridge, .211/2.

Waverly Tangier, 0114.

Toronto

United Empire, .031/2.

Central Patricia, 147.

Chibougamau, .20.

Inter. Nickel, 26.15.

Sherritt Gordon, 58.

Lake Maron, .061/4.

Teck Hughes, 4.20.

Columario, .11.

Sudbury Basin, 1.30.

Smelter Gold, .091/2.

Little Long Lac, 5 55.

Astoria Rouyn, .04.

Maple Leaf, .081/2.

Pickle Crow, 2.70.

God's Lake, 1.46.

to 865 sc today.

McKenzie Red Lake, 1.19.

Sturgeon River Gold, .90.

Vancouver Wheat

local exchange yesterday, dropping

Man. & Eastern, .051/4.

Stadacona, .22.

Can. Malartic, .63.

Lee Gold; .0634.

Granada, .30.

Macassa, 2.20.

Siscoe, 3.00.

Ventures, .89.

Noranda, 38.15.

National Silver, .0434.

Glacier Creek, .061/2 (ask).

Golconda, 261/2.

Grange, .091/2.

Indian, .011/2.

Meridian, .09.

Minto, .17.

APPEALS FOR MORE RADIO

Better Service From Commission Is Demanded by Olof Hanson

Many Complaints

Fees Not Sufficient to Permit Building of Stations, Says Minister

OTTAWA, April 18:-A strong plea for improvement in the radio service in British Columbia was made in the House of Commons by Olof Hanson, M. P. for Skeena, who said the people of his province were objecting strongly to paying a licence fee when they were unable to get programs of the Canadian Radio Commission. He said: "This last year when I first approached the minister to get some information tegarding the radio commission I was ruled out of order. Then I tried to get some information as to the expenditure of the commission and ils workings but was informed that It was not responsible to any minister or anybody and the information could not be had. Then the leader of the opposition consulted with the Prime Minister and I got some figures as to the expenses of the commission but these figures I am not able to understand. I have also consulted several authorities and these are of the same opinion. So the Honorable Member who asked for a statement as to the expenditure of the commission certainly has my hearty support.

"As far as British Columbia is concerned, as I was trying last year to explain to the committee, we are Continued on Page 2

CATHEDRAL

Good Friday

April 19, 1935, 8:15 p.m.

PROGRAM

Part 1 Watchman, What of the Night?" (Sargeant), soloists, H. Lincoln and G. L Cripps.

(b) "Jesus, Do Roses Grow So Red?" (W. R. Voris). 2. Solo, Mrs. A. J. Webber. s. "Hear My Prayer" (Mendels-

sohn), soloist, Mrs. F. W. Allen. 4. (a) "Into the Woods My Master"

Went" (Nevin). (b) "Comes, at Times, a Stillness" (Woodward).

Part 2 CRUCIFIXION" (Stainer) Mr J. E. Davey, Mr. G. L. Wheat was quoted at 86% on the + pic Games.

Trouble Started When Company Endeavored to Re-open Mines Yesterday Following Strike Which Had Been in Progress For Three Months

CORBIN, April 18: (CP)—In one of the worst riots in years, sixteen provincial police officers, six colliery workers and a score or more strikers were injured here yesterday when striking coal miners endeavored to stop work at the mines of the Corbin Coal Co. Sixty officers broke up a charge of 250 strikers who were aided by a number of

> omen and armed with clubs, hammers and stones. The police, although armed, resorted to the use of batons only.

Constable T. Aikman of Vancouver was the most seriously injured, suffering critical head wounds. Constable R. S. Beck of Nelson

suffered head wounds and broken ribs while Constable H. Cartmel Vancouver had left ribs broken. Several other officers went to hospital with serious cuts and

A Calgary truck driver was also seriously injured.

Twenty more police officers were enroute from Vancouver to aid in maintaining order but the situation was quiet during the night and this morning.

The strike has been in progress for three months and the riot started when the company endeavored to re-open the mines. Two officials of the Mine Work-

ers' Union have been arrested.

Constable Aikman, seriously injured at Corbin, was in Prince Rupert during the disorders with Anyox strikers two years ago.

PARLIAMENT IS ADJOURNED

House Rises Until May 20 and Members Are Now Hurrying Homewards For Recess

OTTAWA, April 18: (CP)-Parliament adjourned at 6:10 last evening until May 20 and practically all the private members are now on their way to their homes in various parts of the country to institute | Remains of Seven Miners, Killed in preparations for the federal election campaign.

BAR SILVER

vancing to 675% today.

+ HALIFAX WOLVERINES HAVE WON ALLAN CUP 4

+ HALIFAX, April 18: (CP) - + + dian amateur hockey cham- + co-operatively with them. + pionship and the right to re- +

Seeking Peace Formula in Moscow



Capt. Anthony Eden scratches his head at question that came up in discussion of German threat to peace of Europe in conversations in Moscow with Joseph Stalin (Centre), Soviet dictator, and V. M. Molotov, commissar for the Russian war department. Illness prevented Eden from communicating personally results of his swing around Europe to statesmen at the recent Stresa conference.

ORDERED

Vancouver Concern Inquires Into Possibility of Taking Cargo Here Next Month

The Coast Mills Export Co. of Vancouver, which has taken a couple of cargoes of aspen logs from here during the past year for delivery to China, has wired to G. W. Nickerson inquiring into possibility of getting 300,000 to 400,000 feet brereton measure of hemlock logs for export in May. Inquiry is also made as to the

Provided the logs are available. a vessel of the Ocean Shipping Co. would come here to load them for the Orient.

W. P. Armour, who recently opened a logging camp at Shaw atlans Lake, is working on th possibility of filling the order. He has been falling timber for the past few weeks but has no logs in the water as yet.

TAKEN OUT

Stellarton Blast, Have Been Recovered

STELLARTON, N.S., April 18 NEW YORK, April 18: (CP)-Bar (CP)-The bodies of seven coal Cafe yesterday. silver closed at 67c per ounce on the miners were taken from the Allan local metal market yesterday, ad-Lolliery shaft last night more than thirty-six hours after they had been trapped by an explosion,

Public Works To Be Taken Up With Provinces Shortly

+ Halifax Wolverines last night + OTTAWA, April 18: (CP)-Public dance of members. Guests were Mr. + defeated Port Arthur Bear + works bills considered yesterday Marr, J. C. Hunt of Burns Lake and + Cats 4 to 3 in the second + contained a \$1,000,000 appropria- George Dibb of Prince Rupert. + straight game to win the Al- + tion for work. Provinces are to be + lan Cup emblematic of Cana- + consulted and the work conducted

+ arrived in the city on Tuesday from Daily News. The next regular edi- wickets will be closed all day. The Storage. Anyox, left on last evening's train tion will appear Saturday after- public lobby will be open from 8 North Foreland, 5,000, 6.1c and 5c. • • • • • • • • • • for a trip to Winnipeg.

INXIOUS TO VISIT RUPERT

)cean Falls Sportsmen Would Like To Show Their Prowess In This City

Ocean Falls sportsmen are an-Rupert for a bout against local men or, if this is not possible, a Bend Highway. couple of good mat artists would bition bout in this city. They want | Easter Tea And to come and all they need is a little encouragement.

Then there is a softball club that has some good players and they are Goodly Turn-Out at Affair Yesteranxious to pit themselves against an outside organization. In almost every line of sport they are looking 'o Prince Rupert as possible com-

Business Session

Vancouver Man Entertains Gyros With Vocal Solos

Further details of club objective for the year and business in con- Mrs. C. G. Ham, president of the with forty each. nection with the forthcoming hoe- Ladies' Aid, and Mrs. D. McLeod. down dance on May 17 were among pert Gyro Club in the Commodore

Frank Dibb was appointed to represent the club at a meeting of Mrs. J. A. Teng were in charge of Blue Ribbons Take Second Straight tion committee tonight.

The club was entertained with acceptable vocal solos by Baden L. Lee had charge of the sale of Marr of Vancouve: accompanied plain sewing and fancy work; Mrs. by C. P. Balagno.

President S. J. Jabour was in the chair and there was a good atten- J. M. Walker, the randy.

NO PAPER FRIDAY

Good Friday, being a public holi-VANCOUVER, April 18: (CP) - resent Canada at the Olym- Mr. and Mrs. F. Whitehouse, who day, there will be no issue of the On Good Friday the post office Normen, 12,000, 6.6c and 5c, Cold

Unemployed Must Wait While Premier Bennett Takes Jaunt to London

Mackenzie King and Other Liberals Insist Upon Being Given More Information and Object At \$1,000,000 For Toronto Tunnel; Victoria Still Hopeful

OTTAWA, April 18: (CP)-With Parliament adjourned, the \$33,000,000 which the federal government proposes to spend on unemployment relief works remains tied up in the federal treasury, this including the \$1,000,000 it is proposed to spend for gold exploration throughout the Dominion. Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, Leader of the Opposition, and other Liberals weren

insistent that the House was entitled to more particulars as to TO DRIVE balked particularly at an expenditure of \$1,000,000 to build a tunnel at Toronto.

Premier R. B. Bennett attended meeting of the cabinet today, later leaving for New York enroute to London to attend the celebration of the Silver Jubilee of the King's

B. C. Hopes For Help VICTORIA, April 18:-The Bri-

tish Columbia government is hoping to secure \$7,000,000 from the embark upon its work and wages program.

Considerable disappointment is expressed, however, over an anxious for closer association with the nouncement that the federal gov-Prince Rupert sportsmen. They ernment's proposed public works have some good boxers and wrest- program includes only \$200,000 for lers and would like to visit Prince British Columbia, this to be expended on the east end of the Big

day Afternoon Under Auspices Of Presbyterian Ladies' Aid

of home cooking yesterday after- Confederation. noon of the Ladies' Aid of First Presbyterian Church was a very successful affair. Despite weather Of Service Club goodly number of ladies turned out parties would scour British Columto patronize the function and the results were quite satisfactory.

> The church parlors were attractively decorated for the occasion with daffodils and spring foliage and the guests were received by

down dance on May 17 were among The tea room was in charge of WCTORIA matters discussed at the regular Mrs. D. C. McRae and Mrs. J. A. WCTORIA weekly luncheon of the Prince Ru- Fraser and Mrs. J. D Fraser poured. Serviteurs were Mrs B. R. Rice, Mrs. Jack Garrett and Miss Netta McLeod and Mrs. Simonsen and the kitchen. Mrs. Samuel Massey was cashier.

Mrs. W. L. Sandison and Mrs. J. M. McRobbie and Mrs. Bert Cameron, the home cooking, and Mrs

The afternoon's musical program, arranged by Mrs. J. G. Steen, included vocal solos by Mrs. William Millar and Mrs. A. J. Webber with Mrs. C. E. Cullin and Mrs. E. J. Smith as piano accompanists.

a.m. to 6 p.m.

FOR GOLD

Prospecting Parties to Explore Every Corner of Canada This Summer Under Government Auspices

Many Groups

federal government with which to North Holds Economic Salvation of Country, Minister Believes-Pay For Mistakes

> OTTAWA, April 18: (CP)-A national drive for gold with prospecting parties exploring every corner of the country from Atlantic to Pacific was announced in the House of Commons yesterday by Hon. Wesley A. Gordon, minister of

> Nine hundred men divided into 180 parties led by qualified geologists will take the field this summer searching in areas where favorable rock formations exist.

Northern Canada, the minister said, held the economic salvation of the country and he believed it would produce enough gold to pay The annual Easter tea and sale for all the mistakes made since

In British Columbia

Under the new exploration plan. Mr. Gordon announced that twenty bia and five the Yukon in quest for new gold areas.

Ten parties would be placed in the Northwest Territories while Saskatchewan and Ontario would have the greatest number of parties

Game From Winnipeg to Win Western Hoop Title

VICTORIA. April 18: (CP)-Victoria Blue Ribbons won the Western Canada basketball championhip last night by defeating Winnipeg Toilers 61 to 33 in the second straight game.

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