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DAM BREAKS IN OKANAGAN FRIDAY

HALTING ON TO OTTAWA TREK JUSTIFIED Six Foot Water Wall

Commission Presents Its Report in Regard To Last Year's March

Royal Canadian Mounted Police Cleared—Acted on Instructions From Ottawa—Charges Of Brutality Found to be False

REGINA, May 16: (CP)—Action of the federal government in halting the "On to Ottawa" trek of striking relief camp workers was justified because it menaced "peace, order and good government," it is stated in a report of the Saskatchewan commission investigating the trek and riots here on Dominion Day of last year. De-

claring that the relief camp workers' union and the trek were fostered by communism, the commistion emphasized that a riot far ELECTION worse than the one in which one police officer was killed and injury . was caused to almost one hundred persons in Regina would have occurred had the trekkers reached Franklin D. Roosevelt Sure of Being

Dealing with the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, the report found hat they carried out instructions federal government. Attorney General Cummings, There was "absolutely no justifica- speaking before a Democratic for charges of brutality gathering here yesterday, declared that, to all intents and purposes, against the police. the re-election of President Frank-

British Aviatrix Hailed Following Epochal Flight to Capetown And Back

LONDON, May 16:- The feat of Mrs. Amy Johnson Mollison in lowering three records on her ound trip flight from England to Capetown, which she completed yesterday and landing here from Vienna, is hailed as the greatest aerial accomplishment so far this year by any man or woman.

Matanuska Valley

overnor Troy Present to Help Them Mark First Anniversary Of Arrival

PALMER, Alaska, May 16:-The olonists of the Matanuska Valley are taking today off to celebrate he first anniversary of their arrival with a county fair, the program including horse racing and various other other forms of carnial entertainment. Governor John Troy is among the dignitories

Smithers Rector New Rural Dean

Rev. L. J. Hales Appointed to Succeed Late William Sweetnam

Rev. Leonard J. Hales of Smihers has been appointed to succeed the late Rev. William Sweetof Endako as rural dean of the Hazelton deanery of the Anglican Diocese of Caledonia. He takes charge of the mission field which had been looked after by the late Mr. Sweetnam. His assistant for the summer at Endako will be Jack Vance, theological student, who arrived in the interior last week.

DEAFNESS FORCING PREMIER BALDWIN OUT IS RUMOR



Though British parliamentary circles remain unconvinced, rumors persist that Prime Minister Stanley Baldwin will shortly resign. It is stated that the premier's deafness is seriously hampering his work. Parliamentary circles declare he will remain at the helm until after the coronation of King Edward in May, 1937. Should he resign soon, however, observers believe there will be a general cabinet shuffle with Neville Chamberlain, now chancellor of the exchequer, becoming prime minister; Baldwin would become lord president of the council; Anthony Eden. foreign secretary, would take the post of secretary for India, with Sir Robert Horne or Lord Halifax becoming foreign minister. No mention is made of who would be chancellor of the exchequer. The above layout shows top, Neville Chamberlain (left) and Stanley Baldwin. Below (left to right) Lord Halifax, Anthony Eden and Sir Robert Horne.

would receive from the common people at the polls this fall. TODAY'S STOCKS

ASSURED

Returned as President, Declares

Attorney General

NEW HAVEN, Conn., May 16:-

lin D. Roosevelt was all but an ac-

The opposition of the interests

more firmly cementing his

to Roosevelt, said Cummings, was

popularity and the support h

complished fact.

Vancouver B.C. Nickel, 29. Big Missouri, .64. Bralorne, 7.25. B.R. Cons, .05. B.R.X., .15. Cariboo Quartz, 1.40. Dentonia, .18. Dunwell, .041/4. Golconda, .13. Minto, .65. Meridian, 08. Morning Star, .021/4. National Silver, .03. Noble Five, .023/4. Pend Oreille, .82. Porter Idaho, .041/2. Premier, 2.42. Reeves McDonald, .05. Reno, 122. Relief Arlington, .30. Salmon Gold, .091/4. Taylor Bridge, .101/2. Wayside, .13.

Toronto

Beattie, 1.35. Central Patricia, 3.35. Chibougamau, 1.30. Gods Lake, .90. Int. Nickel, 46.85. Lake Maron, .061/4. Lee Gold, .041/2. Little Long Lac, 6.75. Macassa, 3.90. McKenzie Red Lake, 1.55. Noranda, 54.75. Perron, 1.50. Pickle Crow, 6.20. Red Lake Gold Shore, 1.20. San Antonio, 2.35. Sherritt Gordon, 1,17. Siscoe, 3.45. Stadacona, .35. Sturgeon River, .50. Sudbury Basin, 3.75. Teck Hughes, 4.75. Ventures, 1.92.

Granada, .20.

McLeod Cockshutt, 4.95.

NAVY RACE:

Intends to Have Strength Adequate To Contend With Japan In Pacific Ocean

LONDON, May 16:- The Soviet government of Russia, while indicating that it is prepared to open negotiations with Great Britain next week for a naval treaty, announced its intention yesterday of building a navy of strength adequate to contend with the Japanese fleet on the Pacific. The Soviet gave notice that it could not enter rowings and permit provinces the boy was rushed to hospital into a naval treaty which would * to hypothecate their federal * where an examination revealed a Russia without limiting subsidies as securities. Japan.

The British government notified France and Italy today that it intends to increase tonnage in de- Gambling Resort stroyers as allotted Great Britain under the 1930 London naval treaty.

Bartholomew Suit Comes up Tuesday

Action Regarding Custody Of Boy Actor Fail

LOS ANGELES, May 16:- Negotiations for a settlement of the suit between Mrs. Llewellyn Bartholomew, mother of Freddie Bartholomew, the sensational boy screen

+ AMENDMENTS TO B. N. A. ACT BEING STARTED +

+ Over protests of opposition + Fraser + parties, the House of Com- + + mons last night passed a re- + + solution as a first step to + * wards amending the British * * North America Act. One * + permitting them to impose a + * actions with the exception of * lay, dying today. + liquors and tobaccos. Another + Believed to be suffering from a Fishermen Had

At Reno Burned

Destruction of Country Club Yesterday

Negotiations For Settlement Of day. The loss is estimated at \$200,- in the week were recaptured yes- earlier in the day of her husband.

Halibut Arrivals

Canadian

Alken, 11,000, 6.7c and 5c, Pacific. Bayview, 6,500, 6.8c and 5c, Cold

---actor, and Miss Millicent Bartho- Mrs. James H. Thompson return- ficial in making their getaway. lomew, his aunt, for custody of the ed to the city on the Princess Adesity of British Columbia.

Valley Police Investigating Slaying of Langley Prairie School Boy

boy, who was shot in the back and bonds, up .07. + sales tax on all retail trans- + while on his way to school yester-

+ would empower the Dominion + stomach ailment when he collapsed + to guarantee provincial bor- + before reaching the school house, bullet hole in his back.

The police believe the boy may + + + + + + + + have been hit by a stray bullet.

Convicts Are

Oklahoma Penttentiary-Guards Are Returned

Club, luxurious gambling casino Two more convicts who escaped Mrs. Rust, at the time, was taking Department of National Revenue here, was destroyed by fire yester- from the penitentiary here earlier a short cruise following the funeral terday, leaving six still at large. Two guards who were taken as hostages by the escaping convicts have also been returned after being rehas a bullet wound in the neck.

visit for the summer.

Sweeps Down on Town; Residents Not Hurt Two Houses in Okanagan Falls Demolished And One Almost Swept Into Lake—People

Fled to Higher Ground

OKANAGAN FALLS, May 16: (CP)-This Southern British Columbia farming community surveys debris and silt-covered roads today after an irrigation dam above the community gave way and sent a six-foot wall of water cascading down on two hundred unsuspecting residents. None were injured but three families narrowly escaped when the sudden wave flattened + + + + + + + + + out two houses and swept another

to within a few yards of the lake. + BUDDHIST TEMPLE HERE IS PLANNED + seven miles above the town, broke yesterday and the water road

VANCOUVER, May 16:- 4 down the narrow creek bed to • Miss Eleanor Lenox, Anglican • spread over low-lying farm lands missionary at work at Port + where the stream empties into the + Essington and Prince Rupert, + lake. Residences of W. A. Hamilton recently stated that "the + and P. A. Mallory were demolished + Buddhist situation shows a + and the home of Ed. Walker was • new development" Rev. W. H. • carried several hundred yards be-+ Gale, Anglican Japanese mis- + fore the wave subsided. + sionary superintendent, told + + the annual Synod of the Dio- + the swollen creek, dashed to higher + cese of Westminster here. + ground. * "They are preparing to build * * a temple," Miss Lenox had * amount to only a few thousand * said. "When the Japanese con- * dollars. + sul visited that area in Octo- + + ber, he spoke in disapproval of + IS STRUCK + such propaganda among the + IS + young people and advised + + them that they should adapt +! + themselves to the condition in +

+ this country. But this seems to +

The dam on Shuttleworth Creek.

Residents, warned by the roar of

The damage is believed to

+ S. Campbell, Haysport Fisherman, Suffered Broken Leg. Cut Face and Shock

S. Campbell, fisherman, is in the Prince Rupert General Hospital suffering from a broken left leg. face lacerations and knocked out Little Changed teeth as well as shock as a result of having been struck by the eastbound passenger train about 8:30 last night a short distance west of a blind curve, Campbell appearing train in time. Campbell was knocked off the track and was immediately picked up and taken to Haysport. Stewart Donaldson brought him on here aboard the gasboat Two Rivers, reaching the city shortly after midnight. Campbell regained consciousness about the time he arrived in town and was reported this morning to be doing as well as could be expected.

TACOMA, May 16:—Two fisher-men had a narrow escape from EXPORTS

For Month of April Is Announced

announced yesterday that Canada's exports for April showed an increase of more than ten million dollars over the same month last year. Canadian exports for April LONDON, May 16: (CP)—When were valued at more than \$57,000,-

WOMAN "BEYOND HOPE"

caused the death of a prison of- "Hastings" namesakes in America. LONDON, May 16: (CP)-Because she had arrived at "such a Mrs. M. C. Sutton of Juneau, af-state of efficiency in perpetration live years' "preventive detention."

And Stock Prices NEW YORK, May 16:-Trading

have been disregarded."

Trading is Light

was light at a total of 990,000 on the New York Stock Exchange Haysport. The accident occurred on NEW WESTMINSTER, May 16: | yesterday and fluctuations upwards | (CP)-Police today are investigat- and downwards were not extensive. + change would widen the taxa- + ing the shooting of Jack Pepard, The industrial average closed up the engineer no chance to stop the + tion field of the provinces by + 15-year old Langley Prairie school 10; rails, up .22; utilities, up .02,

Narrow Escape

Changed Seats in Skiff Near Tacoma-Rescued By Widow's

drowning off Point Defiance yes-Recaptured terday when they were dumped into Puget Sound when their skiff Loss is Estimated at \$200,000 In Six Fugitives Still at Large From overturned as they were changing Big Increase in Canada's Trade 'seats. After clinging to the overturned craft for some time, they were spotted by Mrs. Arthur Rust's RENO, May 16:-The Country McALESTER, Okla., May 16:- yacht Electra and taken aboard.

DOVERS GALORE

leased on a farm near Athens. One the Queen Mary makes her maiden 000. voyage to New York she will carry Public feeling is said to be run-illuminated addresses from the ning high against the convicts who Cinque Ports to 36 "Dovers" and

child, have collapsed. The case will laide last night from Vancouver Mrs. Howard Steen and Mrs. C. ter spending a couple of days here of fraud that she was "beyond proceed next Tuesday, it was an where she attended the graduation W. Abbott left on last evening's as the guest of Mrs. W. L. Coates, hope," Lily Chamberlain, 50, nounced yesterday. The aunt at of her son, Archie Thompson, as a train for Montreal where they will continued last night on the Prin- charged with theft, was sentenced present has legal custody of the Bachelor of Arts from the Univer- embark for Glasgow, Scotland, to cess Adelaide for a holiday trip to to three years' penal servitude and Seattle.