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Doukhobor Women Protest Imprisonment Of Veregin

These women members of the Southern B.C. Doukhobor settlements are pictured attired in the

costume they wear in their farm homes as they gathered outside the courthouse at Nelson to

protest arrest and conviction of their leader, Peter Veregin, the younger, on a highway charge.

Veregin was sentenced to a three-month jail term and groups of the peasant women, still loyal

to him as their spiritual leader, demanded that the police either release him or place them in

jail also. They were eventually persuaded to disperse. Founded in Russia over 200 years ago,

about 20,000 Doukhobors settled in Canada some years ago under the leadership of Peter Veregin

the elder. He was killed in a train explosion, his son, the present Doukhobor chief succeeding to

the leadership. The women are shown during their verbal demonstration.

Tomorrow's Tides

3:30 a.m. 16.7 ft. High 18:04 p.m. 18.5 ft. .11:36 a.m. 6.2 ft.

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Ansient Chinese Capital Bombed

GREAT BRITAIN STRIVING TO KEEP NEUTRALITY PACT

LONDON, July 13: (Canadian Press)-Great Britain is formulating a temporary plan with a view to mending the non-intervention neutrality pact in the Spanish civil war, it is said here yesterday. Two thousand Arab volunteers were reported last night to have been landed at Algeciras on their way to join General Francisco Franco's rebel forces near Madrid. Both Loyalists and Insurgents claimed victories in yesterday's civil war fighting.

SEARCHIS SWITCHED Two Strikers

Group of Islands Explored in Hunt For Amelia Earhart

orin G. Murfin, commandant of + wounds and twelve were in-+ he 14th Naval District, stated + jured in a clash between police + vesterday that the navy will switch & and strikers near steel works search to another group of + ers' organizing committee + slands for Amelia Earhart and + headquarters here, bringing to + pavigator Fred Noonan lost in their + fifteen the toll of the seven + plane in the south seas for eleven | + weeks' old steel strike. It was +

his group of islands and they offer Prepublic Steel Co.'s mill here + possibility which cannot be over- is tied up by strike. ooked," Admiral Murfin said, emphasizing that the navy would push | * * * * * * * * * * * * he hunt to the utmost, regardless of opinions, beliefs and the fact BURNED IN that nothing has been heard defintely from the pair since they failed make Howland Island July 2 on hop from Lao. New Guinea, en-

route around the world. searching scout planes down on the broad decks of the aircraft carrier Lexington. Squalls and low clouds prevented the carring on of the sysematic search during the day.

terred to by Admiral Murfin.

SENTENCED

Latest Russians to go to firing

MOSCOW, July 13: (Canadian) -A. B. Mdivani, former So-Commercial attache at Paris, d seven others have been senaced to death for treason, terand conspiracy in Tiflie and orgia, July 9, said a communique eaching Moscow today.

Leads Fight

senator Pat McCarran Ignores Doctor's Order to Crusade for Democracy

Democratic Senator Pat McCarran, some years ago. eads a crusade against enactment! the Odmenistrations Judiciary eorganization Bill. Defying the orders of his doctor the silver! haired westener in a two hour speech challenged the Democratic leadership to drive him from the 60. party because he refused to "go Stewart-Part cloudy, calm, along" and cried out to the Senate | 55. that "the fight has just begun" to | Hazelton-Cloudy, calm, 60. hold democracy safe for America ad the world."

Die In Clash ‡

MASSILON, Ohio, July 13: + + (Canadian Press)—Two men + Honolulu, July 13:-Rear Admiral + died yesterday of bullet + + stated last night that 148 steel + "Miss Earhart's course crossed + workers were under arrest. The +

Poor visibility yesterday held the Axel Enocksen Loses Boat And Has Narrow Escape—Doing Well in Hospital

Meantime, the battleship Color- known trolling fisherman, who do has left Howland Island on her had a narrow escape on Sunday return to Hawaii while the destroy- when an explosion occurred on er Swan and the coastguard cutter board his boat Ruth at Boat Hartasca have been dispatched to bor, Dundas Island, is reported search among the other islands re- to be doing favorably at the

Prince Rupert General Hospital edge after the explosion. It was a 30 foot gas engine equipped ves-

Enocksen was brought here by

ormer Embassy Official Is Among Air Force Plane Here From South

Squadron Leader A. L. Cuffe And Earl L. McLeod Here This Morning from South

officer of Jericho Beach station and Squadron Leader E. L. Mc-No. 2 at Victoria, a Jericho Beach there in connection with local

Today's Weather

Terrace-Cloudy, calm, 62. Alice Arm-Part cloudy, calm,

EXPLOSION

Suffering from burns on face and arms, Axel Enocksen, well

The boat burned to the water's now required.

TODEATH Capt. Johnny Clausen on his

Having aboard Squadron Leader A. A. L. Cuffe, commanding of the Royal Canadian Air Force, Leod, staff officer of the Royal Canadian Air Force attached to headquarters of Military district Against Bill seaplane arrived here this morning and, after a brief stay, proceeded to Queen Charlotte Islands. The ship and officers are coast defence plans. Squadron Leader McLeod is well known in Prince Rupert, having been iden-WASHINGTON, D. C., July 11:- tified with fisheries patrol work fighting Irishman from Nevada, out of here for several seasons

Burns Lake-Rain, calm, 52.

Buckley Valley Is Preparing To Harvest Finest Hay Crop In Years; Farms Doing Well

Haying has started in the Bulkley Valley and the crop promises to be a third larger than last year and one of the best harvestd for a long time. Warm dry weather is

Notwithstanding the lateness of the spring and the dope trafficking, testified in his very slow start which the hay and grains had, the growth own defence that he participated

LOCAL GYRO CLUB WINS field crops have made rapid thirteen counts of conspiracy to growth until the harvest is two violate the Harrison Narcotic Law.

veeks earlier than usual.

for the farmers of the district.

Owing to the hot dry weather

With a stretch of fine warm

weather for harvesting of the hay

early before the rains started they

Awarded Second Place Honors In going into action this year and International Bulletin Contest Against Largest Cities Of Continent

timothy which would have been The Prince Rupert Gyro Club out for seed in some places will has won the distinction of hav- not produce the quantity which ing its bulletin awarded second might otherwise have been explace in the international bulletin pected but, in some parts of the contest in competition with some district, it will be a bumper crop eighty-five other clubs in Can- and it is hoped that the price ada and the United States, tak-|will be such as to put many doling in all the large cities of the lars into the pockets of those ago. country. Members of the club who go in for this crop. are naturally gratified at the honor and have been congratula- The stock throughout the disting Frank Dibb and George trict are rolling in fat and are Rorie, the members responsible in excellent condition. for the bulletin this year, the former as producer and the lat-

ter as editor. First prize in the international bullentin contest went to San Saskatchewan who have been suf- agan and Kootenays. Francisco Club which gets out a fering from excessive and pro- Prince Rupert District and Queen rather elaborate booklet each tracted heat until their crops Charlotte Islands-Moderate shiftmonth.

Canadian

today.

Dovre B., 15,000, Cold Storage, and grain crops which might now

8.8c and 6c. be reasonably expected, the barns' farm. and 6c.

EXPOSING DOPE RING

Chris Hanson Admits Selling in Nevada to Get Evidence

CARSON CITY, Nevada, July 13: -Chris Hanson, former narcotics agent for Nevada, Los Angeles and Sacramento, convicted yesterday of uring the past three weeks has in sale of dope to Miss Joyce Mcbeen abnormal owing to the great allister in a plan to "expose the amount of rain interspersed with whole dope traffic situation in bright warm sunshine and all the Reno." Hansen was on trial on

Much new farm machinery is Overseas Wheat looks like a very prosperous year

Considerably Less Sent From Canada This Year Than Last

Ottawa, July 13:-Overseas export clearances of wheat for the week ended July 2 totalled 2,537,-712 bushels compared with 1,763,-732 the previous week and 3,384,-952 the corresponding week a year

Weather Forecast

General Synopsis

Pressure remains comparatively The farmers of the district can sympathize with their more un- high off Vancouver Island and showers have occurred on the fortunate brothers in Alberta and northern coast, also in the Okan-

have been burnt up. There have ing winds, cloudy, cool with showbeen no pests of any kind in the ers.

north west winds.

Vancouver Wheat

the Vancouver market yesterday, children.

Fierce Fighting In North China War Is Widespread

Conflict Intense Around Peiping-Hankow Railroad— Great Britain Would Consult With United States

PEIPING, July 13: (Canadian Press)—Thirteen hundred Japanese troops from East Hopei and Fengtai railway junction garrisons began today a concerted and direct attack on Peiping. Five Japanese bombers, Chinese sources reported, had bombed Nanyuan barracks and airdrome eight miles south of Peiping.

GOOD TIME ONFLIGHT

Russians Conquer Perilious Polar Regions and May Be at Oakland by Dawn

FAIRFBANKS, Alaska, July 13: (Canadian Press) - Mikhail Gromoff, Soviet long distance flier and his two companions, essaying a flight from Moscow to San Francisco via the North Pole, had conquered the most baffling part of theifr perilous trip in the polar region last night and at 10:20 p.m. were reported 630 miles south of the North Pole and three hundred miles off Prince Patrick Island in Canada's Far North. They were running two hours ahead of the time made by Pilot Valeri Chalov and his companions less than three weeks ago in flying from Moscow to Vancouver, Washington.

Despite stormy skies, cyclonic winds and fogs in the polar regions, Gromoff reported everything going well as he got in touch with the United States

Signal Corps radio station here. If the present rate of progress is maintained, the Rusian airmen should reach Oakland airport by dawn tomorrow less than sixty hours from Moscow and may go on to Los Angeles. This would shatter all previous long distance records by a wide margin. Gromoff is reported to be heading ultimately for Chicago.

Passes Usk?

An airplane believed to be the Rusian Moscow to California machine was reported this mornat 11 o'clock this morning.

the Moscow flyers stated they being made for an emergency were then 150 miles south of Fort St. John and east of the Rocky Mountains and that everything was going well.

Body of Terrace Man is Found In Slough of Skeena

Days Ago; He Was a War Veteran Who Fought Overseas

Bulkley Valley and the district | West Coast of Vancouver Island | been missing for the past nine from the company service on never looked better than it does Mostly fair and cool, moderate teen days, was found in Braun's superannuation and will, it is ex-Island slough. He was a veteran pected, move south to take up reswho fought overseas with the idence. Stanley P. Jones, assistant 48th Battalion, C.E.F. Third Pio-locomotive foreman at Prince neers and was a disability pen- George will be his successor. VANCOUVER, July 13: (CP) - sioner. He was 47 years of age A farewell banquet for Mr. Dar-Smithers-Cloudy, calm, warm. P. Dorreen, 14,000, Booth, 8.9c will be filled to capacity on every Wheat was trading at \$1.37 on and leaves a widow and five ling is being held at Smithers to-

The roar of cannon and the rattle of machine guns tells Pieping that fierce fighting between Chinese and Japanese troops along the Yungting River is continuing.

Both Chinese and Japanese refugees are fleeing in large numbers. from the Pieping area towards Tientsin as the North China war spreads rapidly.

Large scale manoeuvres are believed immediately ahead. Chinese quarters here had previously said that a local armistice had halted fighting along the Yungtin River, Japanese troops being said to have withdrawn from the river to a base at Fengtai. The truce appears to

have been short-lived. The sound of the guns in the fighting area, ten miles west of Peiping is distinctly audible there. Both Chinese and Japanese admitted fighting had been resumed after negotiations had broken down. Peiping itself is in the grip of a rigid martial law.

China is moving to meet the threat of large scale Japanese military operations in North China. A government spokesman said that Generalissimo Chiang Kia-Shek was moving fifty thousand troops northward to Peiping on the Peiping Hankow Railway.

Tokyo Watchful

TOKYO, July 13: (Canadian Press)—The Japanese War Office announced yesterday that the vanguard of the Chinese Army, advancing from the south, opened fire on Japanese positions west of Peiping Sunday night. The communique declared that the Chinese attack had brought a critical situation in Sino-Japanese relations to a breaking point.

Japanese reinforcements are being rushed to the Peiping-Hankow railway zone.

The Japanese cabinet was re-

ing to have passed over Usk, ported to have decided on definite about 110 miles east of here on imilitary measures to solve the the Canadian National Railways, North China crisis unless the Chinjese government accept all Japan's SEATTLE, July 13:-A message | terms. One member of the cabinet received here this afternoon from 'said that fullest preparations were Eden's Proposal

day that the British government was considering going into consultation with the United States on the situation in the Far East.

LNDON, July 13:-Foreign Sec-

retary Anthony Eden said yester-

E. T. Cole Disappeared Nineteen Harry Darling, Locomotive Foreman at Smithers, Superannuated

Railway Post

Retires From

Harry Darling, locomotive foreman for the Canadian National The body of E.T. Cole, who had Railways at Smithers, is retiring