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President Roosevelt's Billion Dolla Program Expected to be Approved by Congress

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 6: President Franklin D. Roosevelt's billion dollar defense program, the greatest in peace-time history of the United States, is expected to meet with no serious opposition in Congress as the general opinion of the members is that preparedness for war is essential.

There was denial in official quarters yesterday of reports published, in Canada that American strategists and politicians considered Canada's undefended coasts a menace to the security of the United

NEWSPRINT AFFECTED

Governments of Ontario and Quebec Are Moving to Control Production

TORONTO, Jan. 6:-It is revealed here that plans are being made for the governments of Ontario and Quebec to co-operate with newsprint interests to control newsprint production in the two! provinces.

Pulp representatives point out that business recessions in the United States are having a bad eifect on the newsprint industry.

To Appear In County Court

Young Port Simpson Indian To Elect Before Judge Fisher On Charge of Theft From Dwelling

terday afternoon aboard the prov-difficult to determine. incial police boat P. M. L. 8, Freddie Tait, 22 year old Port Simp son Indian, will appear before Japan Forced Judge W. E. Fisher in County theft from a dwelling. Tait was Into Shanghai committed for trial at Port Simpson by Indian Agent W. E. Colli- Former Shanghai Policeman Inson. He is alleged to have entered the United Church parsonage and stolen some \$60 in cash.

Assignment Of Mining Company

\$174,884.63

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Weather Forecast

the Dominion Meteorological Bureau at pulled in deeper and deeper. Victoria and Prince Rupert. This forecast is compiled from obversations taken at 5 a.m. today and covers the 36
hour period ending 5 p.m. tomorrow).

BOOSTING

General Synopsis—Pressure continues high over British Columbia and showers have occurred on the moderate temperature, continues in all other parts of British Columbia.

Prince Rupert and Queen Charlotte Islands—Fresh southeast wind, mostly fair and mild with showers. Forty-two United States patrol West Coast of Vancouver Island— and bombing planes will fly to rains at night

SEATTLE TIED UP ing diverted to other ports since the operators claimed that the cargo should be transferred by

AIR ROUTE FOR YUKON of a weekly Vancouver-Yukon air service was announced at the city council meeting here today. The service will be operated by Northern Airways Limited of Carcross, Yukon Territory, and will be inaugurated out of here on Saturday. The route will be by way of Williams Lake, Prince

UNABLE TO

|Roosevelt Admits Failure to Cope With Recession-New York Governor Makes Appeal

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 6'-President Franklin D. Roosevelt reported today that he had clamp- | Manslaughter ed the brakes on spending in an federal budget which had been Charge Dropped dislocated by business recession.

Governor's Appeal ALBANY, New York, Jan. 6:-Governor Lehman appealed to the New York Legislature today to strive to promote greater co-operation between business and con-Having been prought here yes recession the extent of which is

clined to Blame Chiang Kai

WINNIPEG, Jan. 6: (CP) - A. Sanson, for more than 10 years Contracts Let by Canadian Pacific members of the Shanghai International Settlement police force, declared on a visit here that Japan operations into Shanghai.

Mines Ltd has made an author- perhaps desired war to enter ter- freight carriers. ized assignment for the benefit of ritory where it might cause interits creditors whose claims amount vention by European powers. It might, however, have been around Poured Gas On

> Sansom said he believed Japan Boy And Lit It would like to abandon the war in central China but she was being!

north coast. Fine weather, with Forty-two Planes Leaving San match. The ten year old boy's Diego Will Make Honolulu

> SAN DIEGO, Jan. 6: (CP) -strongest in history.

BULLETINS

SEATTLE—The port of Seattle was closed again today with employers and longshoremen deadlocked and waterborne traffic benoon yesterday. The dispute, which halted the port's activity, started over the unloading of cargo from the Canadian steamer Border Prince. Longshoremen contended that the cargo should be unloaded to the wharf and reloaded to another vessel while slings direct from one ship to an-

VANCOUVER - Establishment George and Atlin to Whitehorse.

Strength Largest in History

Fresh east to southeast winds, Hawaii starting January 19 to VANCOUVER, Jan. 6: (CP) cloudy and mild with mist or light make the air force there the Wheat was trading at \$1.4834 on barometer, 30.15; temperature, 30; than 100 times while delivering let- ing and he fell to the floor of the fine ounce on the New York meta-

£2,000,000 LOSS AS CHINESE BLOW UP TSINGTAO



Fourteen explosions, believed set by Chinese Communists in reprisal for Japanese military successes, wrecked the busy industrial city of Tsingtao, in North China, blowing the Japanese-owned textile factories up and setting huge conflagrations burning among the wrecked buildings. Losses in the almost complete annihiliation of the business section part of the port were estimated to reach £2,000,000. This is a view of the harbor and city of Tsingtao.

DEFENSES:

United States Tightening Up On Regulations Regarding Photography and Mapping

United States authorities are tightening up on the regulations in regard to photographing and mapping of United States defences not only in this country itself but in Panama, Hawaii and other Am erican possessions. Penalties run up to one year's imprisonment and fine of \$1000 for persons violating the ban.

Prosecution Against Smithers Man Following Hunting Accident Withdrawn

provincial police here have been sumer to overcome the business advised that a charge of manslaughter against William Duff Pilot Officer H. G. Clitheroe, Born ported, he may stop off at Paris arising out of the fatal shooting of Fred Cook in a hunting accident near Smithers last fall has been withdrawn on authority of the attorney general.

Railway for New Freight Carriers

never wanted to extend its military MONTREAL, Jan. 6: (CP)-As; Triple Island-Cloudy, southeast part of a \$10,000,000 equipment wind, fourteen miles per hour; Argosy Gold Takes Action to Satis- He expressed the belief Japanese program covering freight cars an moderate chop. fy Claims of Creditors Totalling | would have been content to remain nounced by the Canadian Pacific | Langara Island - Cloudy, southin the north of China and consoli- Railway yesterday, tenders are east wind, four miles per hour; bardate positions there but Chiang Kai called for two thousand steel box ometer, 30.16; temperature, 41; light TORONTO, Jan. 6:-Argosy Gold Shek, Chinese government head, cars and seven hundred other swell.

Police of Halifax are Investigating Alleged Act of Wanton Cruelty

HALIFAX, Nova Scotia, Jan. 6: and then set fire to it with a ture, 30. hand and wrist were blistered bad-

Vancouter Wheat

the Vancouver market today.

Federal Block Work To Start End Of Month

* February. John G. Bennett, * will have reached \$296.36. + head of the Vancouver con-+ * tracting firm of Bennett & * King Carol To * ed the contract, is due in the * Visit England + month.

Toronto Flier Is Divisional headquarters of the Killed In England

In Moose Jaw, Loses Life In Crash

STOKE - ON-TRENT, Stafford- MANY ARE shire, Eng., Jan. 6:—Acting Pilot MANY ARE Officer H. G. Clitheroe, only son of Fred Clitheroe, court reporter of Toronto, Ontario, and a native of Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan, was killed when his plane crashed into Total of Unemployed in United

Today's Weather (Government "elegraphe"

Bull 'Harbor-Overcast, showery, Still Missing southwest wind, seven miles per Still Missing hour; barometer, 30.22; temperature, 43; light swell.

four miles per hour; barometer,

Victoria-Cloudy, northerly wind, Two local girls, Bernice White meter, 30.42.

Aiyansh-Raining, calm, 32. Alice Arm—Raining, calm, 33. Anyox-Cloudy, calm, 30. Stewart-Cloudy, calm. 31. Hazelton-Cloudy, calm, 21

light swell.

Public Obligations of Uncle Sam Now Placed at \$296.36 Per Capita

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 6:- * With the contract expected * WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 6:-+ to be signed at Ottawa about + Taking into account the increase * January 20, work of construc- * in the public debt for the next * tion of the new federal build- * two years as anticipated by Presi-+ ing in Prince Rupert will, it is + 'ent Franklin D. Roosevelt in his + expected, be under way around + budget yesterday, the per capita * the end of January or early in + debt of the United States by 1939

Roumanian Monarch to be Guest Of King George and Queen Elizabeth

BUCHAREST, Roumania, Jan. 6: -King Carol of Roumania is on his way from Bucharest to London where he will pay a visit as the guest of King George and Queen Elizabeth. On the way, it is refor a rendezvous with Madame

WORKLESS

MANY CARS killed when his plane crashed into Total of Unemployed in Clinical at tree on the Maer Hill estate near States Now Placed at Eleven Million

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 6 -As many as eleven million people were estimated yesterday to be unemployed in the United Staes and, due to the business re cession, this figure may be ever greater during the coming winter

Bernice White and Hazel Hevener Estevan-Raining, easterly wind, Believed in Town-Not Aboard Grain Ship

six miles per hour; barometer, 30.42. and Hazel Hevenor, missing from Vancouver - Foggy, calm; baro- their homes since Monday, are still unreported although it is be-Prince George-Cloudy, northwest lieved they are in or around the Police here are searching for a wind, four miles per hour; barome- city. The grain ship Olaf Bergh AIR FORCE youth alleged to have poured gaso- ter, 30.40.

has been checked up on by wireline on Johnny Griffiths' left hand. Terrace—Foggy, calm, tempera- less and the captain reports that a search has been made and they are not on board there.

DOGS VS. POSTIE

Tom Hill, 65-year-old mail carrier sustained in an accident while en-Smithers-Part cloudy, calm, 20. today sought to organize the Post- gaged in shingling the C.N.R. wharf

Japanese Planes Bomb Hankow-Wuchang On Yangste River

Strafing Today Believed To Be In Reprisal For Foray Of Chinese Bombers On Wuhu Yesterday—Penetration Of Shantung Province Continues

HANKOW, Jan. 6: (CP)-Fifty Chinese non-combatants were killed or wounded today when thirty Japanese bombing planes dropped projectiles on the air fields at Hankow and Wuchang across the Yangste River. The Chinese suggested that the raid was in reprisal for yesterday's foray by Chinese bombing planes on the Japanese

TODAY'S STOCKS (Courtesy S. D. Johnston Co.)

Vancouver B. C. Nickel, .091/2. Big Missouri, .41. Bralorne, 8.85. Aztec, .07. Cariboo Quartz, 1.70.

Dentonia, .101/2. Golconda, .05. Minto, .031/4. Fairview, .05. Noble Five, .03. Pend Oreille, 2.15. Pioneer, 3.05. Premier, 2.02. Reeves McDonald, .37. Reno, .57. Relief Arlington, .161/2. Salmon Gold, .06. Taylor Bridge, .04. Hedley Amalgamated, .041/2. Premier Border, .011/2. Silbak Premier, 2.10. Congress, .021/2.

Grandview, .081/2. Indian, .02. Quatsina Copper, .03.

Home Gold, .011/8.

A. P. Con., .35. Calmont, .58. C. & E., 2.92. Freehold, .077/8. McDougall Segur, .27. Mercury, .171/2. Okalta, 2.11. Pacalta, .12. Home Oil, 1.35.

Beattie, 1.37.

Toronto

Central Patricia, 2.40.

Gods Lake, .55. Little Long Lac. 5.40. McKenzie Red Lake, 1.03. Pickle Crow, 5.05. Red Lake Gold Shore, .21. San Antonio, 1.37. Sherritt Gordon, 1.41. Smelters Gold. .011/2. McLeod Cockshutt, 1.46. Oklend. .14. Mosher, .14. Madsen Red Lake, .33. Stadacona. 35. Frontier Red Lake, .051/2. Francoeur. .50. Moneta, 2.30. Thompson Cadillac, .33. Bankfield. .70. Preston East Dome. 1.12. East Malartic. 1.21. Hutchison. .081/2. Dawson White. .03 (ask). Aldermac. .53. Kerr Addison, 1.92. Uchi Gold. .96. Martin Bird. 48. International Nickel, .475/8.

ional Railways B. and B. depart- posts were scaled during the month ment was taken to the Prince Ru- just ended whereas there were pert General Hospital yesterday af- 247 cords in December 1936. SYDNEY, N.S.W., Jan. 6: (CP) - ternoon suffering from injuries

Noranda, .55.

Con. M. & S. Co., .59.

To the north the Japanese are continuing their penetration into Shantung Province beyond Tsing-

Plotting In Russia Very Widespread :

LONDON, Jan. 6: (CP) - + + The Daily Mail today printed + + a dispatch from Riga saying + + that large numbers of Soviet + + officers have been arrested for + + plots to kill Dictator Joseph + + Stalin and his chief assistant. + * Nicolai Yezhoff, head of the * + political police.

LOG SCALE IS HIGHER

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Substantial Gain in 1937 is Recorded, According to Compilation of Official Figures

Saw log production in Prince Rupert forestry district for the year 1937 totalled 163,414,266 board feet as compared with 145,503,810 board feet in 1936, according to a compilation of Forest Branch monthly figures. The scale for this December was 14,337,154 board feet as against 9,982,658 board feet in December 1936.

The scale for December this year per species, figures for December 1936 also being shown for com-

parison, was as follows: Dec. 1937 Dec. 1936 Board ft. Board ft. 190,620 204,490 Douglas Fir 1.844,084 Cedar 7,458,109 7.884,756 Spruce 21,980 133,609 Jackpine 1,577,019 4,538,245 Hemlock 272,246 Balsam Miscellaneous .14,377,154 9,981,658

Forest Products

The scale of forest products in the interior for December 1937 was 144.944 lineal feet-144,304 lineal feet of which was cedar and the balance hemlock—as compared with 308,154 lineal feet in the same month of the year previous The tie count this December was 31,111 pieces as against 30,-

826 pieces in December 1936. Vic Lewis of the Canadian Na- cords as against 322. No fence

BAR SILVER

Burns Lake-Bright, calm, 22. | man's Protection Service. Hill said shed. A car, in backing up, struck | NEW YORK: (CP) -Rar sil-Dead Tree Point - Clear, calm; he had been bitten by dogs more a ladder on which Lewis was stand- ver was unchanged at 44% c per ial market today.