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EADY TO WITHDRAY

Will Leave Spain if Britain ecognies Ethiopian Sovereignty, It Is Said

LONDON, March 23: (CP)-The v Mail said yesterday that me had indicated that it was lling to withdraw Italian forces om the Spanish civil war in rern for British recognition of the alian conquest and sovereignty of

ROUND UP NOBILITY

even Those In High Places Run Foul of Nazis in Austria-Windsor Plea Rejected

VIENNA, March 23: (CP)-Chancellor Adolf Hitler has politely refused a plea by the Duke of Windor, formerly King Edward VIII of ingland, on behalf of Baron Louis! on Rothschild who has been imrisoned along with other members : the Austrian aristrocracy, includg two of the Maximilians, followg the German annexation of Aus-

Former Chancellor Kurt von chuschnigg, who had been at first eld in his palace, has now been emoved to a small house on the ept under strict guard. There eems to be considerable uncert. einty as to his future disposition.

REJECTED : ment.

Advance

BURGOS, Spain, March 23.—General Francisco Franco said last night that he was not interested n negotiating a peace treaty with the Spanish loyalists. It had been reported that five government dele-

Yesterday the insurgent drive toward the Mediterranean coast was which has followed street demonresumed with sudden fierceness, strations against the government three more key towns being cap- for its action in submitting to the tured. The rebels expect to be at Polish ultimatum last week. There the coast within a very short time has been much rioting and disornow. There have been two thous- |der. and government casualties in hand to hand fighting, the insurgents

Today insurgent guns thundered east and northwest of Huesca as General Franco shifted his drive! northward to liberate Huesca in Victoria and Prince Rupert. This foreeastern Spain from a government "pocket."

Smallpox On

One Sailor Dead and Two Others Suffering From Malady

HALIFAX, March 23.—An East cloudy and mild with rain. Indian sailor off a visiting ship orderlies who had been attending NAZIS GAIN him are also down with the malady. four thousand persons have been vaccinated against smallpox, serum having been rushed here by air-

BAR SILVER

I market today.

BULLETINS

FORMER PREMIER DIES GUELPH, Ont .- Hon. Walter Scott, Liberal Premier of Saskatchewan from 1905 to 1916. died in hospital here of a heart condition. He was seventy years of age and had been in failing health for some years.

APPEAL DISMISSED VANCOUVER-Charles H. Cahan's appeal from a conviction for robbery with violence was dismissed by the British Columbia Court of Appeal today.

POLICE SEARCHING VANCOUVER-British Columbia police started search today for Wesley and Gordon Gibbons of Nanaimo who have been missing since last Thursday when they left Vancouver for Nanaimo on a thirty foot boat. Strong winds had been blowing on the Gulf since and it is believed the men may have taken shelter near one of the Gulf Islands.

Gas Not To Be Used For War

+ 23: (CP)-An agreement has + October, 1937.

Peace With Loyalists—Rebels LITHUANIA

Authorities Take Action to Check Disorders in Protest at Surrender to Poland

KOVNO (, Lithuania, arch 23: gates were coming here to sue for Strict curfew regulations were put into effect last night in this capital city owing to a tense situation!

Furnished through the courtesy of the Dominion Meteorological Bureau at hour period ending 5 p.m. tomorrow)

is abnormally low off the coast and unsettled showery weather prevails on Vancouver Island and

over the interior. Prince Rupert and Queen Charlotte Islands - Fresh to strong northeast winds, cloudy and mild. Not much change in temperature

with showers. West Coast of Vancouver Island

STRENGTH IN

PRAHA, March 23.—A new lineup of parties in the Czecho-Slovak-NEW YORK: (CP) -Bar sil- ian Chamber of Deputies is believed ver was unchanged at 44% per to have given further strength to fine ounce on the New York met- the Nazi but control by them is, as 'yet at least, very problematical.

WRECKAGE OF PLANE IS FOUND

LEGICICIEI

British Air Ministry Unable to Determine Why Bomber Was Off Norway Coast

LONDON, March 23: (CP)-The British Air Ministry announced last night that the mystery of the disappearance of a crack bomber last month had been partially solved with the discovery of wreckage off Karmo Island on the Norway coast. There was no indication as to why the plane should have been so far away from England.

CANADA UP

February Better in Toronto List-Values Highest Since October

Despite the shorter month, Feb ruary trading on the Toronto Stock Exchange amounted to 20 -791,800 shares, an increase of 1,-1185,397 over January and highest since last April. Values of shares traded at \$37,876,297 were \$422,-WASHINGTON, D.C., March + 790 higher than January, best since

+ been reached, it was reported + Gold shares contributed most of alace grounds where he is being 4 last night, whereby Germany 4 the increase in activity, particul-+ undertakes not to use gas sup- + arly large volume being recorded + plied by United States for mili- + in a number of prospects and * tary purposes in dirigibles. Ex- * near producing issues. Substantial + port of gas to Germany had + gains were recorded by a number + been held up by the United + of these secondaries but the golds DLLD * States pending such an agree- * as a whole finished the month at: slightly lower levels. Considerable · irregularity was shown in price movements in individual sessions and the Exchange's index of 20 representative issues consequently held within a range of less than four points. Opening at its high for the period of 125.08 the index ruary 10 and closed the month at 122.17, down 2.91.

Compromise On

Terms Reached Between Supporters and Opponents of Contentious Measure

WASHINGTON, D.C., March 23 .-A compromise has been reached in regard to the anti-lynching bill which has been one of the most contentious measures before Conlengthy fillibuster.

General Synopsis—The pressure At Los Angeles

Direct Negotiations Between Shipowners and Longshoremen are Unsuccessful

LOS ANGELES, March 23: (CP)-Following failure of final direct negotiations between shipowners and longshoremen to end the shipping Strong south to southwest winds, tie-up at this port, federal arbitrators opened sessions here to-

Old Country Soccer

Scottish Cup Fourth Round Replays Ayr United 0, Kilmarnock 5. Raith Rovers 2, East Fife 3. Division One Rangers 3, Arbroath 1.

Falkirk 0, St. Mirren 2. Motherwell 3, St. Johnstone 1. English—Division One Wolverhampton Wanderers Middlesbrough 1.

GREETING GANDHI



Mohandas K. Gandhi, 68year-old Indian Nationalist leader, is shown on his arrivel in Calcutta recently, while en route to Barackpore for a conference with Sir John Anderson, governor of Bengal, regarding the release of political

Present Turmoil is But Prelude To General Conflict, Declares Trotsky

MEXICO CITY, March 23: (CP) LOGGER -Leon Trotsky, exiled former Russian Bolshevik leader, told newspapermen yesterday that world war was inevitable. The present turmoil in Europe, Trotsky declared, was merely a prelude to such a

HEAR FROM

Memorandum Urging Selective British Immigration Presented To Commission

VICTORIA, March 23: (CP)-A memorandum from the Prince Bills Approved gress and which recently caused a memorandum from the Prince selective immigration from the United Kingdom of people who would take up land under government auspices was presented to the Rowell royal commission at its sitting here yesterday.

* Pope Appeals To Insurgent

+ (CP)—Pope Pius has made two + * air bombing of civilian popula- *

+ last week.

PROVINCE

Four Lucky Tickets on Horses In Irish Held in Vancouver-Residual Prize for Peace River

VANCOUVER, March 23: (CP) -Four winning Irish Hospital Sweepstake tickets on the Grand National Steeplechase are held in Vancouver district.

John Slater, school teacher holds a ticket on Lazy Boots and stands an outside chance to win \$150,000 in the event of the horse winning.

An unamed Vancouver bookie holds a ticket on another starter, reports said. Benjamin Clark, department

store employee, has a non-starter ticket valued at \$2300. Miss L. H. Watson and A. J

Jack are joint holders of another non-starter. A syndicate of twenty-five store clerks and farmers at Daw-

son Creek in Peace River Block

will split a \$1150 residual prize.

Sailings To Alaska Cut

SEATTLE, March 23: (CP)-+ The Alaska Steamship Co. last + + night cancelled six sailings ow- + + ing to the dispute of the Am- + * erican Federation of Labor-af-# filiated machinists and salmon # + packers with the Alaska sal- + + mon canners. The men have + IN EUROPE * tions which the companies * claim are necessary. refused to take wage reduc-

Provincial Police Officers Leave for Kitimaat to Investigate Fatality

The provincial police boat P.M.L.; 8 left this morning for Kitimaat following receipt of advice that the body of Frederick Grant, a logger was there following a fatal accident at Bishop's Bay in that district. There are no details of the fatality.

French Fiscal

Important Measures For Blum Government in France Passed by Chamber of Deputies

PARIS, March 23: (CP)- The Chamber of Deputies last night approved two important fiscal measures for Premier Blum's government-that providing \$238,000,000 for increased armaments and the · other covering current estimates. The bills are now before the Senate.

Army Chief Former President VATICAN CITY, March 23: + Hoover Sees King, * appeals to General Francisco * Also Chamberlain * Franco to use moderation in * Also Chamberlain

+ tions in the Spanish civil war, + LONDON, March 23: (CP)-For-+ Observatore Romano, the Va- + mer President Herbert Hoover of + tican newspaper, discloses. + the United States had a half hour & Great Britain and France & visit yesterday with King George. + had asked the Pope to join in + He also called on Premier Neville thank their many friends for their Another decree orders the turn-+ appeals to General Franco af- + Chamberlain at his office in Par- kind sympathy and beautiful floral ing in of all firearms and ammu-+ ter the bombings of Barcelona + liament. Mr. Hoover sailed today offerings. Many thanks to the Port nition held by private citizens prior fon his return to New York following Edward boys and especially Mr. M. to Friday after which severe penhis visit to Europe and the British McLean for his kindness in our sad alties will be imposed on those

Cabinet Gathering To Put Finishing Touch To Policy Statement

TRUCIES ES

Broad Lines of Anticipated Stand Indicate Little Change -Russian Proposal for Conference Considered Inopportune

LONDON, March 23: (CP)- The British cabinet again gathered today to put finishing touches to the foreign policy declaration which Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain will make in the House of Commons tomorrow. Mr. Chamberlain is expected to tell the cabinet tonight that the new quickening of rearmament must parallel Britain's course of action in TODAY'S STOCKS

(Courtesy S. D. Johnston Co.)

Vancouver

B. C. Nickel, .20.

Big Missouri, .40.

Cariboo Quartz, 1.95.

Fairview Amal., .031/4.

Bralorne, 8.40.

Dentonia, .09.

Golconda, .05.

Minto, .025/8.

Noble Five, .03.

Pioneer, 2.90.

Premier, 1.95.

Reno. .50 ..

Reward, .04.

Pend Oreille, 1.50.

Porter Idaho, .02.

Reeves McDonald, .031/2.

Relief Arlington, .17.

Premier, Border, .011/4.

Salmon Gold, .06.

Taylor Bridge, .04.

Silbak Premier, 1.70.

Congress, .007/8.

Grandview, .07.

Indian, .021/4.

Haida, .071/2.

A. P. Con., .19.

Calmont, .35.

C. & E., 2.05.

Freehold, .05.

Mercury, .15.

Okalta, 1.36.

Pacalta, .09.

Home Oil, .95.

Beattie, 1.21.

Gods Lake, .41.

Central Patricia, 2.46.

Little Long Lac, 4.30.

Pickle Crow, 4.15.

San Antonio, 1.30.

Smelters Gold, .02.

Stadacona, .221/2.

Bouscadillac, .081/2.

East Malartic, 1.25.

Dawson White, .03.

Kerr Addison, 1.55.

Francoeur, 35.

Bankfield, .69.

Aldermac, .43.

Uchi Gold, 1.37.

Martin Bird, .33.

Int. Nickel, 46.75.

Con. Smelters, 51.50.

Noranda, 53.75.

Hardrock, 1.65.

Moneta, 1.85.

Oklend, .19.

Mosher, .18.

Sherrit Gordon, 1.15.

McLeod Cockshutt, 3.00.

Madsen Red Lake, .32.

Frontier Red Lake, .05.

Thompson Cadillac, .20.

Preston East Dome, .85.

Hutchison Lake, .071/2.

McKenzie Red Lake, .80.

Red Lake Gold Shore, .211/2.

Toronto

Home Gold, .011/4.

Aztec, .09.

the troubled international situa-

The broad lines of the declaration are understood to be:

Great Britain cannot disassociate herself from events in Central Europe but there can be no pledge of military support for Czecho-Slo-

Reaffirmation of the British pledge to assist France or Belgium if either are attacked.

No Spanish intervention. Close collaboration with the French government to continue. The Russian proposal for a conference is considered inopportune.

IMDEMNIFY OPERATORS

Mexican Workers' Confederation Would Compensate Oil People For Expropriation

MEXICO CITY, March 23: (CP)-The Confederation of Mexican workers has suggested a special series of taxes to pay foreign oil operators for loss of their \$400,000,000 industry expropriated by the government. The Confederation suggests that

taxes be placed on real estate, industry, securities and wages above one hundred pesos (\$28) per month.

U.S. CLAIM ON PANAY

Indemnity of \$2,214,000 Sought in Sinking of Yangste River Gunboat

WASHINGTON, D.C., March 23 .-The United States government has sent a claim to Japan amounting to \$2,214,007 arising out of the bombing of the United States gunboat Panay in the Yangste River. The figure inclures \$1,945,000 the actual value placed on the ship and three vessels she was conveying as well as compensation for three deaths and forty injuries arising out of the incident.

German History And Geography

Curricula in Schools of Austria Changed-No Firearms Allowed

VIENNA, March 23.— The new Nazi authority has ordered the study of German history and geography, instead of Austrian, in schools of Austria. Nazi philosophy is also to be studied including the

found in possession of them.

Card of Thanks

Mr. and Mrs. T. Johnson wish to history of the movement. bereavement.