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Tomorrow's Tides

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CHAUTEMPS WALKS OUT IN FRANCE

Support By Socialists For mergency Powers, He Resigns Without Awaiting Non-Confidence Vote

lum Forming New Coalition

For First Time In May Be Admitted To Paris Administration

March 10: (CP)-Aner French government fell to Following the vote of French cialists yesterday not to support granting of extraordinary emency financial powers to the autemps government as at pres constituted, the Premier and cabinet resigned. Former Presit Leon Blum, Socialist leader led upon to form a government reed to accept the invitation. will form a coalition govern ent, it is expected, containing mmunists for the first time in ench history. This would be in with views expressed by his

he resignation of the Chaunps government followed as passioned speech by the Premier the Chamber of Deputies. The ergency financial powers which been sought were necessary finance the French rearma nt program, he declared. With waiting for the taking of of confidence vote, the Preimmediately after his speech the Chamber and presented resignation to President A!

Market Reaction EW YORK, March 10: (CP)ock and financial markets of the orld reacted sharply today to the est fiscal crisis in France which as resulted in the resignation of Chautemps government. The ac dropped fifteen points in is. The New York stock market

SOUT OF PLAY-OFFS

ie Conacher Declines To Say Whether He Plans to Make Comeback

ONTO, March 10: (CP) opes of Charlie Conacher playing or Toronto Maple Leafs in the Mational Hockey League play-offs s spring faded last night on the teturn of Conacher from a trip outh. He said he would probably ever play again unless he could each the old form which hac dade him an outstanding player. refused to say whether he had by intention of essaying a comeck next season.

egotiations o Far Futile

NEW ROCHELLE, N. Y., March -All clues and negotiations to date in the kidnapping two weeks go of twelve-year old Peter Leve have proven futile, it was anounced today. The father, Mur-

BULLETINS

Maria Derman

KILLED IN OKANAGAN VERNON- Harry Burchell of Vancouver was killed and Ross McKinnon of Vancouver was injured when their car careened from the Kelowna Highway and plunged two hundred feet down an embankment.

SCHACHT RE-APPOINTED BERLIN-Chancellor Adolf Hit-Reichsbank.

caped from Stony Mountain vote. Penitentiary by scaling the prishave taken up the hunt.

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

B. C. Nickel, .14.

Vancouver

Big Missouri, .42. Bralorne, 9.10. Aztec, .09. Cariboo Quartz, 2.10. Dentonia, .10. Golconda, .043/4. Minto, .031/4. Fairview, .041/2. Noble Five, .03. Premier, 3.15. Porter Idaho, .03. Premier, 2.15. Reno, .52. Relief Arlington, .19. Reward, .041/2. Salmon Gold, .07. Taylor Bridge, .05. Hedley Amalgamated, .05. Premier Border, .011/4. Silbak Premier, 2.00. Congress, .01. Home Gold, .013/8. Grandview, .071/4. Indian, .021/2. Quatsino Copper, .04. Haida Gold, .08.

A. P. Con., .23. Calmont, .42. C. & E., 2.65. Freehold, 051/4. McDougall Segur, .211/2. Mercury, .15. Okalta, 1.80. Pacalta, .111/2. Home Oil, 1.22.

Toronto

Beattie, 1.35. Central Patricia, 2.94. Gods Lake, .50. Little Long Lac, 4.95. McKenzie Red Lake, .95. Pickle Crow, 4.75. Red Lake Gold Shore, .281/4. San Antonio. 1.40. Sherritt Gordon, 1.37. Smelters Gold. .02. McLeod Cockshutt, 3.50. Oklend, .27. Mosher, .25. Madsen Red Lake, .40. Stadacona. .28. Frontier Red Lake, .05. Francoeur, 41. Moneta Porcupine, 2.25. Bouscadillac, .12. Thompson Cadillac, .26. Bankfield, .96. East Malartic, 1.54. Preston East Dome, 1.10. Hutchison Lake, .071/2. Dawson White, .021/2. Aldermac, .55. Kerr Addison, 2.10. Uchi Gold, 1.69. Martin Bird, .50. Athona, 12. Hardrock, 2.15. Inter'l Nickel. 49.75.

Noranda, 61.50. ransom money of \$30,000 had Francois Lake, arrived in the city ball club, who died earlier in the with rain. paid over. The authorities on the Prince Rupert yesterday fol- week. There were final rites of the West Coast of Vancouver Island to stay out of the case lowing a trip to Vancouver and pro- Roman Catholic Church and lead- - Mostly fair today with fresh to family requests their par- ceeded to the interior by the even- ers in the sporting world were strong southerly winds tonight

ing train.

NAZIS ARE INFLAMED;

Surprise move of Schuschnigg in Calling Plebiscite Aroused Opponents

raged at the surprise move of Chancellor Kurt von Schuschnigg ler today re-appointed Dr. Hjal- in calling a plebiscite for next Sunmer Schacht for a further four- day on the question of: "Are You In year term as president of the Favor of an Independent Austria? Nazis staged demonstrations yesterday in Vienna and other cities. thur Wurch, 34; Frank Shura, mative. All Austrians over the age heard again. The demonstration 26, and Jack Hilderman, 34-Es- of twenty-four will be entitled to of shouting was evidently by pre- turb the Rome-Berlin axis.

> twenty-three arrested or detained lo-German agreement: as Nazis as the Fatherland Front campaigned for Chancellor Schu- ment unfavorable to Germany. icy has been called out on an emergency basis and main army garrisons are being held here in readiness for any emergency.

The issue is whether the influence of Schuschnigg or Hitler shall predominate in Austria.

IS HEARD BY HOUSE

Unprecedented Procedure in Tom Mooney's Latest Appeal for Freedom

SACRAMENTO, California, March 10. — Tom Mooney is here today from San Quentin Penitentiary in connection with another appeal for his release from a sentence of life imprisonment for his participation n the fatal Preparedness Day parade on Market Street in San Francisco in 1916. An unprecedented proceeding, the State Assembly is to hear Mooney's appeal after which a vote will be taken on a resolution which would call upon Governor Merriam to give the famous convict a full pardon.

ADMITS HE DID WRONG Civil Aviation

Richard Whitney, Former President of New York Stock Ex- ... change, Prepared to Face Consequences

dent of the New York Stock Excivil aviation. change, whose company has failed In a statement made through his counsel, Whitney said he was prepared to face the consequences.

Aged Baseball Prexie Buried

Among Mourners Today For Stephen McKeever

BROOKLYN, March 10-The fun- province: Levine, denied reports that Hunter Corner of Southbank, the Brooklyn National League base- southwest wind, somewhat cool

"Ribbentrop Get Out" FLOODING Cry Of Greeting Chinese Continue Their Policy of German Minister

VIENNA, March 10: (CP)— En- Hitler Makes Five Contentious Proposals as Basis for Agreement Between Two Nations

LONDON, March 10: (CP) - Anglo-German talks hoped by flood to check the Japanbegan here today to the accompaniment of the shout "Rib-lese army drive into vast fertile bentrop Get Out." As the German foreign minister area of South China's Yellow River. stepped from a car at the Foreign Office to confer with The Chinese said that many Jap-STONEY MOUNTAIN, Man. - arranged the referendum that the British cabinet he raised his hat and smiled. The as-lanese had been drowned and tanks Three long term prisoners-Ar- answer is bound to be in the affir- sembled crowd shouted. When he left, the shouts were flooded.

> arranged signal. Mounting tension resulted in Von Ribbontrop is reported to to colonies.

Cessation of British press comschnigg's plebiscite. The entire pol- British undertaking not to dis- vism.

on walls under cover of fog. further street fighting today in have brought with him the follow- British to view sympathetically Bloodhounds and police dogs which eleven were injured and ing proposals as a basis for an Ang- rights of Germans living outside Germany.

to protect herself against Bolshe- dows in the home of Miss Bessie

Today's News Abroad

Premier Chamberlain denies British interference in Soviet internal affairs.

Austrian air tense with Nazis aroused over Schuschnigg's call for Independence plebiscite. Chautemps resigns as Premier of France with Blum

forming new Socialist coalition with Communists.

Spanish insurgents driving loyalists back rapidly in offensive with Mediterranean as objective.

Japanese cross Yellow River and finally reach strategic Lunghai Railway line.

Ribbentrop arrives in London with Hitler's "friendship" demands. Is greeted with hostile demonstration.

TO DECIDE Reorganizing Of

Changes to be Made in Britain-Sir National Conference of League of Donald Banks New Under Secretary

NEW YORK, March 10: CP) - LONDON, March 10: (CP)-Re- League of Nations Society of Can- light swell. Frank admission of wrong-doing organization of British civil avia- ada will hold a national conference Alert Bay-Broken clouds, modin connection with the handling tion has started. Sir Donald Banks, on May 22 to decide whether it erate northeast wind; barometer of customers' securities entrusted permanent secretary to the air should follow the policy of Prime 30.05: temperature. 36: light swell to his company in connection with ministry, will, it is understood, be Minister Neville Chamberlain or of Estevan-Cloudy, southeast wind stock transactions was made by appointed to a new post of under former Foreign Secretary Anthony twelve miles per hour; barometer Richard P. Whitney, prominent in secretary for air. Sir Francis Shel- Eden. vestment broker and former presi- merdine continues as director of

Weather Forecast

east is compiled from obversations ta ken at 5 a.m. today and covers the 36 hour period ending 5 p.m. tomorrow)

General Synopsis - Pressure is Sporting Fraternity Prominent high over Southern British Col OTTAWA, March 10: (CP)-The umbia but is falling on the north eminent Toronto-born drama edicoast causing rain there. The tor and critic, Barrett H. Clark of weather is fair in other parts of this New York, will act as adjudicator

eral took place today of Stephen Prince Rupert and Queen Char- Winnipeg May 16 to 21. McKeever, 85-year-old president of lotte Islands - Strong south to

Nations Society Called for May 22

Barrett Clark

Famous Toronto Born Drama Editor And Critic to be Judge of Dominion Festival

of the Dominion Drama Festival in

English League, First Division Brantford 1, Chelsea 1.

Japanese Finally Reach Objective of Lunghai Railway

SHANGHAI, March 10: (CP) Chinese yesterday blasted dikes and

A Japanese spearhead force that fought its way across the Yellow Recognition of Germany's right River at Szechui, twenty-five miles west of Changchow, succeeded today in interrupting transportation of the Lunghai Railway.

At Hankow it was reported that Recognition of Germany's right Japanese bombs had shattered win-Reid, formerly of Kingston, Ontario, a raid on Chengchow. Two bombs fell but fifteen feet from the Canadian woman's home in a Free Methodist Mission compound. No one was hurt.

Chamberlain Denies Meddling by Great Britain in Affairs of Russia

LONDON, March 10: (CP)-The House of Commons cheered yesterday when Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain denied allegations of British espionage made in the Soviet blood purge trial.

"The British government has not been guilty of any breach of agreement with the Soviet government not to meddle in each other's internal affairs." Premier Chamber-

lain said in reply to questions. The Prime Minister declared that testimony naming British subjects was totally untrue.

Today's Weather

west wind. 24 miles per hour; sea moderately rough.

ON POLICY Langara Island - Scattered clouds, southwest wind, 18 miles per hour; barometer, 29.69; temsea moderately perature,

Bull Harbor - Overcast, southwest wind, five miles per hour; OTTAWA, March 16: (CP)-The barometer, 30.02; temperature, 44;

Victoria-Clear, calm; barometer

east wind 12 miles per hour; ba Terrace - Raining, southeast Puck Play-Offs romotor 29.94.

Aivansh-Raining, colm. 35. Alice Arm-Wet snow caim, 33 Anyov-Snowing, calm. 30. Stewart-Light snow, calm. 32. Hazelton-Cloudy, calm. 37.

wind, temperature, 34.

Smithers-Cloudy, calm. 41. Burns Lake-Clear, calm, 30,

Vancouter Wheat

John Manson will sail by the Vancouver.

MEIGHEN RAILWAY

Claims Canadian National Subservient to Liberals-Thorton's "Orgy and Debauch"

OTTAWA, March 10: (CP) -The Senate yesterday received notice of motion of the appointment of a special committee to investigate the Canadian railway problem after hearing Senator Arthur Meighen, Conservative Opposition leader in the Red Chamber, charge that he knew "who made the whole railway service virtually an appendage of the Liberal party.

Sir Henry Thornton's regime with the Canadian National Railways Senator Meighen described as "nine years of railway orgy,

railway debauch." Senator Meighen spoke after Senator Raoul Dandurand, government leader, had said that all rail commissions had rejected unification of the two lines as tending toward the creation of a monopoly prejudicial to the people's interests. "We have never had conditions under which the Canadian Pacific Railway would agree to unified management," Senator Dadurand said.

Opposes Services Earlier in the day Senator

Meighen criticized the government bill enabling Canada to take part with the United Kingdom and Ireland in a transAtlantic air service.

Senator Meighen clashed with Senator Raoul Dandurand, Government leader, on the second reading of the bill permitting Canadian participation. He said that he did not see the wisdom of entering an international air race, "especially at the expense of our railways."

Senator Dandurand said the government's course was fully justified.

INSURGENTS FORGING ON

Triple Island - Raining, south- Claim to Have Driven Loyalists Back Eleven Miles in Four and a Half Hours

> DARACA, Eastern Spain, March 10: (CP)-Four and a half hours after the commencement yesterday of General Franco's "final offensive" on the Aragon front with its objective as the Mediterranean coast, the insurgent forces claimed that they had driven the loyalists back eleven miles. The rebels continued to drive steadily on today and cut the vital Belchite. Vivel del Rio road, also piercing the government lines at three other points.

Prince George— Cloudy, south Pacific Coast

Portland and Vancouver to Meet Next Week to Decide Right To Enter Finals Against Seattle

VANCOUVER. March 10: (CP) -Portland Buckaroos and Vancouver Lions will meet next week in the play-offs of the Pacific Coast Hockey League to determine which VANCOUVER, March 10: (CP)- shall play Seattle Sea Hawks in Wheat dropped to \$1.30 on the Van- the finals for the league chamcouver market yesterday and to pionship. Spokane Clippers, finishing in last place in the regular

schedule, are now out. In a wild scoring game at Seattle Prince Rupert tonight on a trip to last night, the Sea Hawks defeated Spokane 12 to 5.