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NADIANS

International Brigade Had Been Prisoners Are Released By Franco

JAVRE, France, April 8 Thirty-two Canadians,

will be released under an the bereaved.

Training

Across Canada to be Assisted By Federal Grants

OUVER, April 8: (CP)-The hub of British Columbia will pecial pilots' training courses aboration with the Departof National Defence. The ment will grant the Club er each successful candidate. will be three twelve weeks' s each year. Arrangements! en made for similar courses gren aviation clubs at Eda Moose Jaw, Regina, Winnimoto, Montreal and Halifax.

any is Given Authority at Vica to Put in Plant in Interior Town

TORIA, April 8: (CP)-Auy has been granted by the scial government to the Cola-Vanderhoof Power Co. to put, electric light plant at Vanof to supply that town with and energy.

ibute Paid To

ouver Turns Out to Pay Final Respects to Leading Citizen

NCOUVER, April 8: (CP)ral, provincial and municipal esentatives joined with citizens, rally on Thursday in paying tribute at the funeral of the Ald. Fred Crone. The service place in Christ Church Caral with Rev. W. J. Minto Swan Very Rev. Dean Ramsay Armiofficiating. Burial was in the ric cemetery.

is Spring Is nusually Late

Much Snow on Skeena at This Time

orge Frizzell, in town this week Port Essington, reported two Conduct of Vancouver People to be of snow on the ground there On Monday night there was lew fall of at least seven inches since then there has been more. being all gone.

Thompson, owner and skipper of the halibut boat White Hope and one of Prince Rupert's best known fishing operators, passed away Thursday night at the Prince Rupert Gencritical condition for the past few

C.N.R.A. OFFICERS

The Canadian National Recreation Association, at its annual meeting Thursday night, elected officers as follows: President, W. H. Tobey; vice-president, J. A. Frew; treasurer, T. C. Wilding: secretary, S. Jurmain; executive -T. Boulter, Peter Lakie, Thomas Priest and R. E. James.

MONTREAL GETS GAMES

EDMONTON-John Leslie, secretary of the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada, announces that Montreal has been awarded the 1942 British Empire Games.

LINDBERGHS LEAVE FRANCE CHERBOURG- Col. and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh sailed today for New York on the liner Aquitania.

WRECK DOWN COAST

QUILLAYUTE - The British freighter Temple Bar was wrecked on rocks half a mile off-shore thirty miles south of Cape Flattery without loss of life or injury to the crew of thirty-six. The vessel was bound for Comox for bunkers before proceeding to Yokohama with scrap iron.

PLANE BURNS

EDMONTON-An airplane belonging to the Department of Transport burned at the airport here with a loss of \$10,000. Kenneth Saunders, inspector of civil aviation, who was in the machine, escaped without injury.

TAX RATE LOWER

EDMONTON - The Edmonton tax rate for the year is 52 mills, two mills lower than the last two years. The decrease is due to a twenty per cent increase by the governments in relief grants.

AUSTRALIA PREMIER DIES

SYDNEY-Joseph Aloysius Lyons, Prime Minister of Australia, died in hospital here Friday after an illness of two days. A chill was followed by a heart attack and he sank rapidly to death. Sir Earl Page, deputy Premier and leader of the Country Party, succeeds Mr. Lyons in the Premiership but it is expected his administration will be only temporary and that a general election will be called soon.

Much Snow on Street Regulations On Visit of King

Strictly Regulated

s is an unusually late spring. Vancouver citizens will be govern- have occurred in the westerly families passed through Winnipeg Cold Storage, 10.5c and 6c. Mr. Frizzell, who has seen ed by strict regulation along the portion. m all for forty years. Normally, royal route during the visit of King Prince Rupert and Queen Charground is clear of snow around George and Queen Marry to this lotte Islands — Fresh southeast Accompanying them were Jacob matter have of year but, city at the end of next month. The winds, part cloudy with occasional Prinz of Beverley, Alberta, who has latter how fast the snow dis- Royal Canadian Mounted Police will showers. ars now, it will be two or three direct the patrol. There will be west Coast of Vancouver Island nection with the organization of 6c. t being all there is any chance barriers of rope and timber to hold —Moderate to fresh south winds, Dutch immigration to the central Skeena M., 5,000, Cold Storage, back the crowds.

HOUSE NOW SPEEDS UP

liament After All-Legislation Put Through

eral Hospital. He had been in a King George during his visit next the Dominion government is takmonth appears to be now possible ing steps to rescind measures proof war in the Spanish war, weeks and the end was not unex- at the rate business is now being hibiting export of war materials to ved here, following their, pected. Capt. Thompson, who pushed through. Thursday there Spain and discouraging the enlistby the victorious national-! had been located at Prince Ru- was an extra spurt on the eve ment of Canadians for service in orities, and will sail for pert for some twenty years or of the Easter recess. Measures to Spain. Prime Minister William so, was a native of Denmark. He aid wheat farmers and the dairy Lyon Mackenzie King advised Parreported that 100,000 pris- is survived by a widow and a son industry were given second read- liament Thursday. been serving with and daughter. The sympathy of ings while the defence purchasing many friends will be extended to board measure was given its third Recruiting Drive reading and sent to the Senate Recruiting Drive Many members are leaving for

tion of Dole to Paupers

traditional ceremony of distribu- for the officer securing him. tion of a special dole to paupers. Eighty-eight persons-44 men and Woman Has Her years-received red and white purses which were distributed by Rt. Voice Restored Rev. F. W. Winnington-Ingram, the Bishop, of London. The men remen eighty-five shillings.

SPIES ARE

the past few weeks three alleged to talk again. German spies had been expelled from this country as part of the program to rid England of Nazi secret service men and propagand- BEAR CATS

Old Country Soccer

English League, First Division Brimingham 1, Arsenal 2. Bolton Wanderers 2, Sunderland

Charlton 1, Aston Villa 0. Chelsea 0, Everton 2. Leeds United 0, Grimsby Town Leicester City 3, Blackpool 4. Liverpool 2. Derby County 1.

Middlesborough 3, Brentford 1. hampton Wanderers 2. Stoke City 2, Huddersfield Town

Scottish League, First Division Arbroath 3, Ayr United 0. Clyde 0, Albion Rovers 0. Falkirk, 2, St. Mirren 1. Hibernian 1, Celtic 0. Kilmarnock 4, Hearts 1. Motherwell 3, St. Johnstone 1. Partick Thistle 4, Third Lanark 1. Queen's Park 1, Hamilton Aca- Allan Cup. demicals 2.

Queen of the South 1, Rangers 1. Dutch Families

Raith Rovers 3, Aberdeen 2. Dutch Families

high from Vancouver Island southward. The weather is mild through-

part cloudy and mild.

EMBARGO

Possible King May Prorogue Par- Measures To Be Rescinded Following Conclusion Of Spanish Civil War

OTTAWA, April 8: (CP)-Proro- OTTAWA, April 8: (CP)- Now gation of Canadian Parliament by that the Spanish civil war is over,

their homes for the Easter recess. Is On In England

Special Rewards for British Officers Who Enlist Suitable Men

LONDON, April 8: (CP)- Ten thousand British Army officers will Traditional Ceremony of Distribu- conduct a special recruiting campaign during the Easter holidays. For each recruit which is accepted. LONDON, April 8: (CP)-Maundy there will be a payment of four Thursday was observed with the shillings and three days' extra leave

ceived 95 shillings each and the wo- Mrs. Howard Pierce Can Speak Again As Result of Work Of Surgeons

KANSAS CITY, April 8: (CP)-Mrs. Howard Pierce has had her voice restored after having been peechless for five years. Shock, resulting from seeing a boy run over and killed by a truck, caused LONDON, April 8: CP) - Sir Mrs. Pierce's speech nerves to ba Samuel Hoare told the House of blocked. Treatment by specialists Commons yesterday that during with drugs has now enabled her

Defeated Kimberley Dynamiters by Score of 5 to 2 Thursday Night

SASKATOON, April 8: (CP)-Port Arthur Bear Cats defeated Kimberley Dynamiters by a score of 5 to 2 Thursday night to move into the Allan Cup final. It was the fourth of a best out of five ser- BOSTON IN ies, Kimberley having won one Manchester United 1, Portsmouth | game. The Dynamiters were at full strength but were handicapped through a trio of their stars being Preston North End 4, Wolver- still suffering from recent illness and injuries.

The Eastern Finals

this series will meet Port Arthur four out of seven games. Bear Cats, winners of the western championship, in the final for the

Weather Forecast At Winnipeg On General Synopsis— Pressure is Way To Smithers

VANCOUVER, April 8: (CP) out British Columbia and showers WINNIPEG, April 8 Seven Dutch | Toodie, 7,000, and Tugwell, 1,400. Thursday enroute to the Smithers Viking I, 10,000, Atlin, 10.5c and been active for some time in con- Zeballos, 7,000, Booth, 8c

Powers Appear Undisposed To Interfere With Mussolini In His Invasion Of Balkan Territory

AROUND EUROPE TODAY

trip to Morocco later.

Germany may start a new and theel. danelles would block up Russia soon restored order. and Roumania and would pre- The Italian troops occupied the other Balkan nations into the terday. anti-aggression pact.

MADRID - General Francisco Franco has lined Spain up with the anti-comintern alliance of Germany, Italy and France which also now includes Hungary and Manchouko. Franco blames Communism for "Having conquered Communism on the field of battle it is now danger." Franco announces that five more nations have joined in recognizing the new nationalist government Spain. They are Soviet Russia, Mexico, Cuba, Panama and

TORONTO, April 8: (CP)-Mont- Bruins took opening blood in the ona and other towns were bombardreal Royals took a two-game to one Stanley Cup finals here I ed from the sea and air and were BERLIN, April 8: (CP)- Nazi lead in the Eastern Canada senior by defeating Toronto Maple Leafs reported burning. amateur hockey final series Thurs- by a score of two to one. The sec- Later well-informed sources said Germany was ready to aid Italy day night by defeating Toronto and game will be played Sunday that peace negotiations were under with all her armed might should Goodyears 6 to 3. The winner of night. The series is to the best way by a delegation which had any effort be made to interfere

Halibut Sales

GOOD FRIDAY

Summary American-12,000, 11.8c and 7c. Canadian-18,400 pounds, 10.5c

American Pierce, 12,000, Atlin, 11.8c and Canadian

TODAY Canadian

Great Britain Expected to do no More Than Protest-France Says it is None of Her Concern—Germany Ready to Back Her Ally With Entire Might

TIRANA, Albania, April 8: (CP)—Crushing an early but comparatively feeble resistance by the tribesmen of Albania, Italian forces, highly mechanized for modern warfare and of superior numbers, were marching into this Albanian capital today after King Zog and his government had taken flight to Elbassani, a mountain stronghold twenty-five miles to the south PARIS- Owing to the interna- in the direction of Greece. Early tional situation, the Duke and today it was reported in Italian Duchess of Windsor have can- circles that a new provisional gov-

celled plans for an Easter trip | ernment would be formed for Alto French Morocco. They ar- bania "standing on principles of Italy has assured JugoSlavia, it is rived here vesterday from Mar- justice and rectitude" under Italian said, that activities in Albania are seilles and will leave for the auspices. Resistance to the Italian Riviera. They may make the invasion, although somewhat stubborn for a time, was not expected to be long-lived. Today it appear-LONDON-Some observers of the ed evident that Albania would soon theless, it is reported that the other European situation predict that be completely under the Fascist

early drive towards the Black The occupation today followed a Sea and Dardanelles before night of disorder in the city. There Great Britain has a chance to was shooting, rioting and looting complete lining up the "Halt before the arrival of the troops. A Hitler" bloc. German control small group of Italian military ofof the Black Sea and the Dar- ficers and Albanian gendarmes

vent them from receiving as- capital without hostile manifestasistance from Great Britain and tion after the rout of the proud-France in event of war. Mean- little Albanian army and the flight time Great Britain continues of King Zog to Greece, joining! efforts to bring Roumania and Queen Geraldine who had left yes- | some quarters here that the Ital-

Premier Benito Mussolini chose; • • • Good Friday to commence his arm- would protest the invasion as a ed invasion of this rugged minor European state of about 11,000 miles area and inhabited by about a million fierce and truculent people, two-thirds of whom are Moslem, and about one-third Christian. Twenty-five thousand troops were Spanish civil war and says: landed at four coastal cities, the air force and navy co-operating with infantry and artillery. Four hun-1 fitting to confirm our defen- dred war planes flew over the coun- | siding in the absence of Prime sive attitude to a potential' try dropping bombs and leaflets; while warships engaged in a bombardmint to cover the landing

sistance at first by the Albanians, ministers convenient to London who were reported to be personally; were summoned to today's cabinet led by their King Zog, held up the | meeting which may be followed Italians for a time and their pro- by an urgent reassembly of Pargress was somewhat slow but later liament. the defenders started to move back! and last night the invaders were PARIS, April 8: (CP)- France FIRST WIN reported only fifteen miles from is leaving the Albanian situation to have been repulsed at leaving to the two countries most concernto have been repulsed at least four ed-Great Britain and Jugo-Slavia. times yesterday before they were A government spokesman said last finally able to make an effective night that this country was not BOSTON, April 8: (CP)-Boston landing. Meantime, Durazzo, Val- directly concerned.

gone to Durazzo, King Zog having with the action of that country in agreed to full surrender with a Albania. truce based on temporary proposals for substantial concessions, he, WASHINGTON, D. C., April 8: however, retaining his sovereignty. (CP)-Senator Robert R. Reynolds

some aspects of a personal tragedy, that the Italian expedition to Ai-His young Queen, Geraldine, with bania is just a "political move" her three-day old child, was forced and will not mean war. He visited into flight to Florina, Greece, Albania last year and found the whence she was taken to Athens Italian influence there already from which city physicians had strong. rushed to attend her.

In their flight to Elbassani, Zog and his ministers crowded jewels and other valuables into their cars.

Answer to British Attempt

and the attempt of Great Britain to rape and will come up for trial at encircle Germany and Italy by or- the spring Assizes here in May. The ganization of nations of Central alleged offence occurred at Old Fort Europe. A warning to JugoSlavia Babine.

and other Balkan nations to keep out of the so-called anti-aggression pact directed against the Berlin-Rome axis is undoubtedly implied. purely of a provisional character. It is also stated in official quarters that there is no intention of changing the Albania status quo. Never-Balkan nations look on the move with anything but favor.

British Stand

LONDON, April 8: (CP) - On the basis of comment in official quarters, it is believed that Great Britain will make no military move in connection with the Italian invasion of Albania even should Premier Benito Mussolini take that country completely into the Roman Empire.

Although it was believed in ian move was only temporary, it was expected that Great Britain violation of the Anglo-Italian agreement. Last night one official said that there was not yet sufficient information to form a considered judgment.

The Albanian question was being discussed at a meeting of the British cabinet at No. 10 Downing Street this morning with Foreign Minister Lord Halifax pre-Minister Chamberlain who left Thursday for a fishing expedition to Scotland but who was ready to fly back to London at a mom-Bitter machine gun and rifle re- ent's notice. All British cabinet

France Stands Off

Germany Would Fight

spokesmen said last night that

An American View

For King Zog the invasion bore of North Carolina takes the view

TRIAL AT ASSIZES

Dan Etwell, Indian, also known as "Six Fingered Jack," has been com-ROME, April 8: (CP)-The Ital- mitted for trial by Stipendiary ian press today described the in- Magistrate H. B. Campbell at vasion of Albania as an answer to Smithers on a charge of attempted