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ANNING ELECTION

Conservative Party Says Vill Be Most Vital Contest

ON. Marca 24: (CP)-Pres are still seen for an early election in Great Britain. peal for funds yesterday, Conservative Party rould be "the most vital elin the history of the party."

HAS SLAIN FOUR MEN

ate Wyoming Ranch Hand Posse Slip-Eats Raw Meat and is Deadly Shot

Wyoming, March 24: (CP) grand, "cave man killer" ts raw meat, late yesterday, slip to a posse of one hunen who sought to blast him -out in a canyon near here. A week ago made his getaway from all where he had been imtwo officers at Powell attempted to re-arrest Wednesday he killed two farmers of a posse who e was trapped in a cant was found that he had getaway, evidently by the walls of the canyon. a ranch hand, is a deadly He left a message indicating

ive, facetiously sugesting that he mail be re-directed to the aders of the posse is Garlow, a grandson of the

Buffalo Bill" Cody.

no intention of being

Winnipeg Million Dollar Deficit Is Headache To Gov't

llar deficit of the City of rd report on the subject en filed in the Legislature.

rtality Rate Of Salmon High

Haturity, Says Scientist

out a mortality rate-Dr. R. . ster, member of the Inter-Pacific Sockeye Salmon s commission, told a Vanservice club that of 4.000 ound, only two reach matur-

he rate is elastic, he said. If rtality rate is heavy one seamuch higher percentage of ature in the next year.

Vancouver Stock Exchange Better

Showed Recovery Yesterday ollowing Recession on Wednesday

"More Or Less" At Liberty



KURT VON SCHUSCHNIGG

VIENNA, March 24: (CP)-Kurt von Schuschnigg, former Chancellor of Austria prior to the absorption by Germany a year ago, is still in "protective custody" although it is now reported that he has been allowed to leave the hotel in Vienna where he had been held and is now living more or less at liberty in a village near Vienna where he has been joined by his wife.

BRITISH DEFENCE PROGRAM LONDON-Today in Parliament the government bill realing with civilian defence was published. It provides for an expenditure of £25,000,000 and authorizes purchase of land for air raid shelters. entering of private property for defence purposes, making it oblishelters for workers and the imposing of structural precautions in new buildings.

CORRESPONDENTS EXPELLED PRAGUE-All news correspondents, except German and Italian, have been ordered to leave Pra-

LEBRUN LEAVES

LONDON- Amid bright sunshine, President and Madame Lebrun left today on their return to France. The King and Queen as well as Princess Elizabeth and Margaret drove with them to Victoria Station where Premier Chamberlain and Foreign Secretary Lord Halifax and other dignitories were on hand to see them off. Soon after departure warm messages of friendship were exchanged between President Lebrun and the King.

Halibut Set

SEATTLE, March 24: (CP)- 4 eggs hatched at the open- + Regulations governing the + 1939 halibut fishing season, • which opens on April 1, were • + issued yesterday by the In-+ + ternational Fisheries Commis- + sion. Catch quotas are 22,700,-◆ 000 pounds for Area No. 2 and ◆ ◆ 25,300,000 pounds for Area No. ◆ 4 3. When these quotas are 4 Jaw six to nothing. + reached, the seasons will end. +1 + The quotas are similar to + T. + those of last year.

Arthur Wickson arrived in the Engineer Also Critically Injured city on last night's train after a, trip to Montreal to join Mrs. Wick-OUVER, March 24: (CP) son who has been visiting here Wednesday's recession, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. -A fireman was killed and an en- A resolution passed by the Alberta lues moved generally up- T. Cross. They will be leaving gineer critically injured when a Legislature yesterday calls for an the Vancouver market yes- shortly for their home in Van- Soo Line train was wrecked on investigation into prices of farm

Bulletins | Final Arrangements For Seaplane Base

gatory for employers to provide Fern Passage, Including Seal Cove and Morse Basin, Are Set Aside for Local Defence Project

> OTTAWA, March 24: (By Thomas Wayling)-The Royal Canadian Air Force will establish a seaplane base at Fern Passage, including Seal Cove, in Prince Rupert Harbor. An Order-in-Council has been passed adding a new section to British Columbia Harbor regulations as follows:

> Prince Rupert—The portion of Prince Rupert Harbor known as Fern Passage, from Pethich Point and Ritchie Point southward to Butze Point including Seal Cove, is set apart for the exclusive use of the Department of National Defence for use as a seaplane

> Commercial or private activity in Morse Basin, southerly from Fern Passage, in the harbor of Prince Rupert, is also to be restricted in so far as it is found necessary to prevent interference with aircraft using Fern Passage.

E. J. Lemaire, clerk of the Privy Council.

wo Out of 4000 Eggs Reach + + + + + + + + + Vernon Beats Fort William

Edmonton Wins Over Moose Jaw in Churches, Schools and Picture Western Canada Hockey Semi-

non defeated Fort William by a March 24: (CP)-Churches, schools score of 8 to 2 last night in the op- and moving picture shows have all SURRENDER Canada hockey semi-finals. In an- general epidemic of influenza. other semi-final opener on the prairies, Edmonton defeated Moose

Finals

Fireman Killed + + + + + + + + + In Train Wreck

When Soo Line Train Hits Slide

OSCEOLA, Wisconsin, March 24. striking a rockslide.

Flu Epidemic In Maritimes

Shows are Closed at New Glasgow

VERNON, March 24: (CP)-Ver- NEW GLASGOW, Nova Scotia,

Investigation Of Implement Prices

Is Called for in Resolution Passed in Alberta Legislature

implements and repair parts.

TO RE-OPEN CAMPS SOON

Department of Mines Will Resume Training Young Men in Prospecting

VICTORIA, March 24: (CP)-The provincial Department of Mines on May 1 will re-open its camps to and mining. One hundred and fifty young men will be taken on at Emory Creek near Hope. On June 1 fifty young men, who had nreliminary training last year, will be started out on Vancouver Island in practical prospecting.

AID FOR FARMERS

New Grain Marketing Legislation About to be Presented to Parliament

liament today or at the first of the week. There will be bills in the names of Hon. J. G. Gardiner, minister of agriculture, and Hon. W. D. Euler, minister of trade and commerce.

To replace the fixed price of 80c per bushel plan, it is indicated that a reduction from all grain marketed over a certain price to establish an Co-operative assistance fund. marketing will also be encouraged with a guaranteed price of 60c.

International Army Parade In Seattle Shortly

VICTORIA, March 24: (CP)-Representatives of military and naval units from British Columbia will go to Seattle April 15 to participate in the first international army parade from Memel today. to be held since the Great War. The a new armory in Seattle.

Says New Deal Utter Failure

Chairman of Republican National Committee Points Out it has Had Six Year Trial

that President Franklin D. Roose- bargain with Roumania. velt's New Deal, after six years of Speaking in the strongest terms trial, had utterly failed to remedy yet. Prime Minister Neville Chamthe economic ills of the nation.

Nationalist Troops of General Fran-Co Are Scheduled to March in Tomorrow

the nationalists.

Nationalist troops are scheduled to march into Madrid and take over tomorrow.

Ambiguous Statement In Regard To Reich Is Made By Der Feuhrer

train young men in prospecting Anti-Nazi Organization Proceeds With Russia Definitely in and Poland Still Uncertain-France and Italy Talk Friendship

ONTARIO ADVISES OTTAWA

TORONTO, March 24: (CP)—Party lines were submerged as Premier Mitchell Hepburn and Leader of the Opposition George A. Drew united yesterday to urge the federal government to take a firm stand on international policy and make an open pledge of unqualified support of Great Britain in any eventuality. The Ontario Legislature also expressed itself in favor of immediate conscription of wealth and man power in the event of war.

LONDON, March 24: (CP)-"We have arrived at the end of this unique process of reparations" were the words OTTAWA, March 24: (CP)-The of Chancellor Adolf Hitler yesterday in addressing the much anticipated new legislation to people of Memel in the course of a two-hour visit to the assist the Canadian grain growing former Lithuanian port which has now been taken back industry and to regulate trading is into the Reich. An official interpretation of the statement given out later in Berlin tended to obscure the meaning of the utterance and there was some mys- More Arrests In

tery as to its real intent. Hitler reof peace and had no intention of Kidnapping Case doing harm to the rest of the world. All that it had sought was redress the new legislation will provide for from the harm that had been done Statement of Dying Gambler in Germany as a result of the Great War. It is recalled in international political quarters here that after the Australian and Czechoslovakian annexations. Hitler made somewhat similar statements that Germany had no further expansionary intentions.

Memel was officially incorporated into the Reich today as a part of East Prussia. It comes completely under German laws. Restrictions upon Jews, similar Streams In Dry posed. They are disbarred from practice as doctors and lawyers and are subject to heavy property imposts.

Herr Hitler returned to Berlin

Today the Warsaw Express Poroccasion will be the celebration of anny, considered the mouthpiece the Diamond Jubilee of the State of the Foreign Office, said that of Washington and the opening of Poland would not join any international bloc. Political circles Poland considered this as tantamount to rejection of the "Stop Hitler" plan.

However, British and French ef forts to rally anti-aggressor nations to the plan still centre on This occupation quite evidently is winning Polish support despite the with Hitler's approval as his fact that official Poland has so troops, which are in the country, far been deaf to the British en- made no move to prevent it. treaties without flat military com- Russia has now agreed to join mitments to assure her own defence. Poland's neighbor on three NEW YORK, March 24 .- John sides is Germany which has now national smashed Czechoslovakia, gaine chairman, speaking here, declared Memel and struck a broad trade

berlain declared last night that the British government was determined by all means in its power to stop Hitler's march in Europe. He added, however, that Great Italy are reported to be taking Britain had no desire to stop Ger- definite shape. At Paris it was many's legitimate trade nor to in- stated that France insisted on only terfere in the internal affairs of two conditions before opening any nation.

Roumania Subjugated

earlier reports notwithstanding, drawal of Italian troops from the ROME, March 24: (CP)- The and Roumania had given sweeping tion by Italian newspapers of their Italian press said today that an concessions to Germany and anti-French campaign. agreement had been reached be- amounted to virtual subjugation of Newspapers in Rome suggested tween General Francisco Franco Roumania to the Reich politically, yesterday that a military alliance and the Madrid defence council economically and industrially. To might develop out of the antifor the surrender of Madrid and all intents and purposes Roumania comintern pact between Germany. the rest of republican Spain to will now be little more than a Italy and Japan. No statement in branch of the Reich.

were further clashes yesterday, threat.

Seattle Leads to Taking of Two

SEATTLE, March 24.—The stategambler, has led to two arrests having been made in connection with the ten-year-old Charles Mattson kidnapping case of some years ago. Police refuse to disclose details.

Area On Rampage

Drought Region of Southern Saskatchewan is Now Scene of Floods

REGINA, March 24: (CP) -Streams in spring flood are on the rampage in former drought areas of Southern Saskatchewan. One Assiniboine River irrigation dam has been broken.

actively with Great Britain and France in the "Stop Hitler" movement. The position of Poland is still in doubt. She was believed to be only awaiting definite military commitments for her defence by the other nations of the anti-Nazi bloc.

France and Italy

Meantime both in Paris and Rome preparations for "friendship conversations" between France and conversations for a settlement of differences between the two coun-Meantime it became evident that, tries-first, the complete withthe new treaty between Germany Spanish civil war and the cessa-

regard to this was obtainable in In connection with the occupa- official German quarters and the tion of Slovakia by Hungary, there feeling was that it was only a