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Capitol

Russia And United States Are Being Courted With Proposal To Head Off Hitler's March

reports that that country is to-

day even on a more extensive war

basis than in September. More

and more troops are being called

From Kaunas Lithuanian offi-

is to be a secret Parliamentary

The United States legation at

conference today.

ference of Nations Proposed By Soviet - Prague, Where Nazis Are Now Mopping Up, Occupies Centre of Stage-France Ready for War

HUNGARIANS MOBILIZING

BUDAPEST, March 21: (CP)—Hungary moved re troops to the eastern border opposite Roumantoday and thousands of families moved out. Officials said that the measures were purely precautionary and no military movement toward Roumania was ntemplated. Some Hungarians said that any posle territorial gains for Hungary might be lost if German march eastward continued.

LONDON, March 21.—Great Britain and France are continuing their efforts to line up a balance of power in _ the attempt to stave off by economic means, if possible, the TWO YEAR march of Chancellor Adolf Hitler and Nazi Germany in central Europe. Powerful forces are being made to interest various nations actively in the move. They would possibly be backed by the United

Act giving President Roosevelt greater powers.

Britain has asked Russia, there was a long cue of waiting and Poland to sign a "Halt customers on the street outside. declaration binding them ansion attempts. A draft declaration is also being n the capitals of south-Europe in an effort to rally

joint measures with able to collect. at certain conditions she onference of the interested possibly in Roumania.

while an announcement by to the colors in readiness for any et that Great Britain terms | emergency that may arise. us proposal for a six power conlerence premature is interpreted cials were reported reliably to be in some diplomatic quarters as moving families out of Memel, g that Russia might count-Isupporting widespread belief that er with refusal to join in the non-reincorporation of Memel into the German Reich is imminent. There

Russia Uncertain

sion declaration.

ident Albert Lebrun of nce arrived in London for a Prague, which has been ordered e-day visit as Soviet Russia's closed, was to have been taken ort for a strong halt to the charge of shortly by Irving N. Linmove became highly un- nell, an early resident of Prince Rupert and son-in-law of Mr. and

amal condemnation of the Ur- Mrs. W. S. Fisher, formerly of this ed States of the grab of Czecho- city. Indeed, Mr. Linnell was alakia was conveyed yesterday ready on his way to the Czechoslo-Germany and its contents, un- vak capital when Hitler seized erstood to declare that the legality control. absorption cannot be recog-is expected to be made public S. Africa Labor The legation at Prague has en ordered home. May Fight Nazis

ne course of a speech in the of Lords yesterday, Lord JOHANNESBURG, March 21: (C Secretary of State for P-Reuters)-Resolutions urging Affairs, remarked that, in fight against Naziism in South Afst, many efforts had been rica have been set out in the preto dominate Europe but all liminary agenda for the Trades and et with disaster. He prophe- Labor Council's national executive hat Germany would probably committee conference, to be held at her seizure of Czechoslovak- Kimberley, April 10 to 14. at Britain desired was friend- The Native Trade Assistants' Un-

but the action of the German ion wants the incoming national ment made friendship im- executive council to take steps to alter by propaganda the mentality rague Nazi secret police are of Fascism prevailing among cer-

ling to "mop up" on all tain sections of workers in the who are known to have in ranks of affiliated bodies. vay opposed the new regime. It also wants the council to "reeen thousand persons are al- sist in every possible manner the reported to have been ar- attempt of Germany to obtain the some on very meagre pre- return of her former colonies in Ninety per cent of the Czech Africa." The Tailoring Workers' Intion is estimated to be hos- dustrial Union will move a similar the German rule and, in the resolution.

of war, much internal sabo- A strongly-worded resolution will could be expected there. be moved by the Garment Workers' ntly from fear that all the Union delegates protesting against nd clothing would be seized any attempt to return or cede any fermans and sent out of the territory on the African continent the people of Prague yes- to Germany.

* Italians Are

4 Italian government has called 4 Canadian census. 4 January.

food and clothing. So great was slaughter Charge in Slaying of has dropped, it stated: the crush at many of the shops that Former Prince Rupert Fisherman

When the Czech National Bank as to action they at Prague was formally taken over Victor Beynon of Egmont pleaded to take into account the fact Janot anything like as large as was slaughter in connection with the do not have to report to Canadian expected. Most of the bank re- death December 18 last of Kenneth officials. serve had been kept for safety in Brown, former Prince Rupert fish- A considerable number of Japanposed to Germany's new London and, as the British govern- erman, and was sentenced to two- ese returned to Japan during the ment has refused to recognize the and-a-half years' imprisonment. depression, largely offsetting the

had been reduced at the request of ada, the survey claimed. Meantime from France come crown counsel.

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

Vancouver

Big Missouri, .20. Bralorne, 10.60. Cariboo Quartz, 2.20. Dentonia, .03. Fairview, .04. Gold Belt, .53. Hedley Mascot, 1.26. Minto, .021/2. Noble Five, .021/4. Pend Oreille, 1.55. Pioneer, 2.60 ask ... Premier, 2.02. Privateer, 1.09. Reeves McDonald, .24. Reno, .221/2. Relief Arlington, .10. Reward, .031/2. Salmon Gold, .11. Sheep Creek, 1.05. Cariboo Hudson, .30. Hedley Amal., .04.

A. P. Con., .18. Calmont, .37. C. & E., 2.15. Freehold, .03%. Home, 2.36. Pacalta, .08. Roylal Canadian, .17.

Toronto

Aldermac, .38. Beattie, 1.23. Central Pat., 2.42. Con. Smelters, 54.00. East Malartic, 2.40. Fernland, .08. Françoeur, .19. Gods Lake, .22. Hard Rock, 1.30. Int. Nickel, 50.00. Kerr Addison, 1.77. Little Long Lac, 3.00. McLeod Cockshutt, 2.25. Madsen Red Lake, .38. McKenzie Red Lake, 1.13. Moneta, 1.13. Noranda, 77.00. Pickle Crow, 5.00. Preston E. Dome, 1.38. San Antonio, 1.50. Sherritt Gordon, 1.10. Stadacona, .61. Uchi Gold, 1.25. Bouscadillac, .06.

LESS JAPS IN CANADA

Census Shows 22,840 Now in Dominion, 502 Fewer Than Seven Years Ago

VANCOUVER, March 21: (CP)-Spokesmen for the Canadian Japanese Association said today a · a Dominion-wide census conducted + by that organization showed 22,-. 840 Japanese, or 6,494 families, were living in Canada during the sum-Being Called # mer of 1938. The survey figure is a drop of 502 persons from the 23,-* a drop of 502 persons from the 23,-+ 342 persons of Japanese origin ROME, March 21: (CP)-The + shown living in Canada in the 1931

+ to the colors further reservists + Japanese population of British 4 of the 1901 army class of whom 4 Columbia, according to the C.J.A. ◆ sixty thousand were called in ◆ survey, was 22.075 last summer, a + drop of 130 from the 1931 Canad- GARNER IS + + + + + + + + province. Despite this reduction, however, the number of Nisei (Japanese born in Canada to parents who came here from Japan) increased from 11.081 in the 1931 census to 13.143 in the C.H.A. count.

The survey said some estimates ation in 1940. which placed the number of Canadian Jananese as high as 25,000 VANCOUVER, March 21: (CP) were incorrect because they failed Canada's Royal Guests-

new rulers, the Germans are un- A murder charge against Beynon number of Japanese births in Can-

The C.J.A. census, spokesmen fully employed last summer. One of the largest groups, 1,804, was employed in the lumbering business.

RICH TOMB

Found In Sarcophagus Of Solid Gold

CAIRO, March 21: (CP)- King Farouk has rushed Egyptian guards to the scene of the unearthing of another rich Pharoah's tomb. The remains are reported to have been encased in a sarcophagus of solid gold. The tomb also contains jewels of fabulous value. The treasure rivals that found in the tomb of King Tuthankamen.

+ up for ten days between each + Admiral and Captain. + the decision of Prince Rupert + or two years. 4 and Alaska fleets in flavor of 4 retaining last year's plan.

Mosher, .17. Oklend, .12. Smelters Gold, .0112. Dominion Bridge, 30.25.

German Citizen Shot By Jew--Will This Be Hitler's Excuse For Taking Roumania Next?

BUCHAREST, March 21: (CP)—The shooting of a German citizen by a Jew at Brasov has caused concern in this Roumanian capital where King Carol has been taking the lead in the Balkan struggle to escape complete German political and economic domination. Some sources believe that Germany may view the shooting as an international incident in which event Chancellor Adolf Hitler might take the excuse for aggression against Roumania in continuation of his eastward march.

DALLAS, Texas, March 21: (CP)

Canadians Win FAVORITE More Prizes In

But Nisei births are dimishing -Speaking here yesterday, Elliott DUBLIN, March 21: (CP)-Four the case. SENTENCE But Nisel births are dimishing —Speaking here yesterday, Elliott DUBLIN, March 21: (CP)—Four to the Survey said. Since 1929 neak year pressed the opinion, that Vice- 6842 each in the Irish Hospitals Vicesurvey said. Since 1929, peak year pressed the opinion that Vice- £842 each in the Irish Hospitals was born in Eastern Canada. He for second generation births, the President John Nance Garner was Sweepstake on the forthcoming had been in British Columbia since arough revision of the Neu-terday made a rush to purchase Victor Beynon Pleads to Man-birth rate of Japanese in Canada well in the lead in sentiment for Grand National Steeplechase. The the Democratic presidential nomin- nom-de-plumes were Two Hobos, far as can be learned, there are Polly Wolly, Try Again and Manna, no relatives in this part of the

by Germany it was found that the guilty yesterday at the Supreme panese returning to the old land to amount of securities available was Court Assizes to a charge of man- take up permanent residence there ADMIRAL GUARDS ROYAL TOURISTS MINUS FLAG-

said, showed 7,601 Japanese gain- King's Naval A.D.C. Responsible for Safety at Sea Usu- light swell. ally Commands Royal Yacht Now Refitting

By EDWIN S. JOHNSON

Canadian Press Staff Writer

IS DUG UP North, commander of his Majesty's yachts, who will ac- Estevan — Raining, southeast company the King and Queen on their tour to Canada wind, 14 miles per hour; baronext May, finds himself without a place to fly his flag. As victoria- clear, calm; baro-Remains of Another Pharoah Are Vice-Admiral commanding the Royal yacht, "Victoria meter, 30.24. and Albert," his official residence is generally aboard that Victoria - Clear, calm; barohistoric craft. His flag was lower. ed when the yacht recently went household linen, crockery and plate Vancouver - Clear, southeast into drydock at Portsmouth, near were moved from the Royal yacht. wind, six miles per hour; barothe spot where the royal tour ship, Most of the stewards, cooks and or- meter, 30.26.

going an extensive overhauling, yacht's complement of 363.

When Sir Dudley leaves for Can- cal use.

◆ (CP)—The practice of laying ◆ which he combines the functions of his gallant companions.

Fittings for Repulse

+ + + + + + + + + + present Royal yacht is affectionate- Queen Victoria was crowned.

ly known in court circles, is under- She was broken up after 24 years going her refit, some of her fittings of service, and played an important have been removed and used to part in introducing the Queen and furnish the royal suite on H.M.S. her Consort to her subjects on what Repulse. In addition to furnishings, hangings and carpets, all the

The Admiral's home. Warmlington - The royal apartments are furn- rometer, 24.78. Castle, is at Havant, near Ports- ished simply but tastefully. The Terrace-Heavy wet snow, calm; mouth, but, as this is a private King's private room is typical of temperature, 32. house, he does not fly his flag the average officer's quarters with- Aiyansh-Cloudy, calm, 35. out anything which has no practi-

ada with Their Majesties he will One of the most treasured posagain be an Admiral without a sessions aboard the yacht is a stain-+ + + + + flag. He goes in the capacity of ed and tattered white ensign, not . one of the King's A.D.C.'s but in his much larger than a pocket hand-+ special office will be responsible kerchief. It hangs in a plain black calm, 40. for the sovereign's safety while at frame in the teak-panelled recep-Plan Rejected + sea.

Although his command is desig- King George V by the Antarctic Cocaine Traffic nated in the plural, Sir Dudley's search party who found it still VANCOUVER, March 21: + ship, the "Victoria and Albert," in British explorer, Capt. Scott and By Queer Routes

Decision to build a new Royal + trip to the halibut grounds + It was recently announced by the yacht came as no surprise to those India Provides Cutter to Make + under the voluntary curtail- + Admiralty that the 40-year-old in court circles. Although still • ment plan will be continued • Royal yacht would be scrapped and serviceable after 40 years, the pres-* this year by Vancouver fisher- * replaced by the latest type, oil- ent ship has not come up to modern • men, it was decided at a meet- • burning craft of approximately the standards of comfort. With her + ing here. A proposal from Se- + same displacement as the old ship, coal-burning engines and boilers of Reuters)—To fight the menace of * attle for a longer lay-up period * 4.700 tons. The new yacht, how- antiquated design, she has required • between trips was voted down, • ever, is not expected to be ready a large crew with inadequate quar-+ the Vancouver men staying by + for service for another 18 months ters, and cost of maintenance mounting annually.

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IDENTIFY REMAINS

Body Is Definitely Found To Be That of John Martin Jackson

The remains of a man which were brought to the city at the end of last week by provincial police from Hudson Bay Passage, Dundas Island, where they had evictintly lain for some time, have been positively identified as being those of John Martin Jackson, Victory Cove crab fisherman, who has been missing since October 1937. Identification was made by two old friends of deceased. Ole Hamre and Charles Soini, on viewing the meagre remains and the clothing which contained them.

The opinion of the authorities is that deceased came to his death from exposure rather than from starvation. There were no traces of anything in the way of foul play. Coroner Norman A. Watt has been conducting an inquiry into

Jackson was 68 years of age and 1927. He was a widower and, as country.

TODAY'S WEATHER

Prince Rupert-Showery, southeast wind, two miles per hour; barometer, 30.02; temperature, 37; light swell.

Triple Island-Overcast, northwest wind, three miles per hour;

Langara Island-Overcast, westerly wind, two miles per hour; barometer, 29.94; temperature, 37;

Dead Tree Point-Light rain,

calm; barometer, 29.99; temperature. 38; sea smooth. Bull Harbor - Broken clouds.

southeast wind, ten miles per hour; barometer, 30.08; tempera-

H. M. S. Repulse, has been under- derlies will be chosen from the Prince George-Cloudy, southerly wind, 18 miles per hour; ba-

Alice Arm-Light rain, calm, 36. Anyox-Cloudy, calm, 33. Stewart-Cloudy, south wind, 35. Hazelton-Cloudy, calm, 35. Smithers-Wet snow, calm, 34. Burns Lake- Raining heavy,

Drive on Illegal Sales

CALCUTTA, March 21: (CPcocaine smugglers, the Calcutta customs have placed an order for a new and powerful cutter which The first yacht to bear the name will operate on the Hooghly River. "Victoria and Albert" was launched Cocaine used to be brought into While the "V. and A.," as the in April, 1843, about six years after Calcutta cleverly concealed in boxes with false bottoms, inside the soles of shoes and in other ingenious ways. Smugglers are now using containers which are dropped in the river at prearranged spots and later recovered.