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Fall Linelight

Vancouver Has Bad Train Wreck Situation In Orient

Canadian National and Great Northern Collision; One Man Killed, Others Badly Injured

Continental Limited and Seattle Train Meet Head-On Not Far Out of City-Two Locomotives Overturn-Track Torn Up For Yards

VANCOUVER, July 24: (CP)—One man was killed, one is missing and nine others are in hospital, three in a Charls J. Burchell, Canadian Comcritical condition, following the head-on collision of the Canadian National Railway's westbound flier "Continental Limited and an outbound Great Northern passenger train for Seattle between here and New Westminster to-

torn up for yards.

shock, bruises and cuts from flying

Royal Air Force in Raids on

Germany and France

LONDON, July 24: (CP)-Unpre-

Since dawn today relays of Bri-

tish bombers and fighters have

been shuttling across the Channel

in attacks following night raids on

Frankfurt, Mannheim and other,

Fifteen British planes failed to

return from yesterday's raids while

Halibut Sales

American

Havana, 40,000, Royal, 12.3c and

Rainier, 36,000, Booth, 12.4c and

Canadian

Melville, 25,000, Storage, 12.1c

Moresby III., 21,000, Pacific, 12.1c

Fredelia III., 14,500, Booth, 12.4c

Blue Boy, 12,000, Atlin, 12c and

SHORT RESPITE

LONDON, July 24: (CP)-Women

Mrs. A. R. Nichols and daughter,

and girls who work in factory here

are to spend at least a week at an

day. The collision occurred a few ATTACK ON miles east of here on Great Northern tracks used by the Canadian National. RUSSIA IS Both locomotives overturned and WEAKENING adian National engine was splinter-ed to matchwood. The track was adian National engine was splinter-

Has Slowed Down if Not Entirely trains remained on the tracks and injuries suffered by passengers are Halted-Raid on Moscow Not believed to have been confined to Very Effective

LONDON, July 24: (CP) -- The glass. German attack on Russia is slowing down if it has not entirely halting down if it has not entirely halted, authoritative quarters said today. They declared there has been no regrouping of German armies for a third assault on the Russian

No change in the fighting front is indicated by a Russian communique Hundreds of Messerchmidts Meeting reporting stubborn engagements continuing.

German bombers, attacking in relays for five and a half hours, subsive night bombardment but today cedented opposition from increasjected Moscow to its third succesthe Russians branded the raid like ing hundreds of Messerschmidts in the Royal Air Force's incessant its predecessors—a failure.

as conclusive evidence that the BONUS TO substantial air forces from the Rus-BE GIVEN sian frontier. Since dawn to

Allowance to be Made to Canadian National Workers in View of Living Cost Increase

MONTREAL, July 24: (CP)-The question of a wartime cost of living ten enemy planes are claimed to bonus for employees of the Canad- have been destroyd. ian National Railways "will be settled very soon to the satisfaction of all concerned," R. C. Vaughan, newly appointed president, said today.

AXIS SHIPS SENT DOWN Tacoma, 30,000, Storage, 12.9c and 10.7c.

Royal Air Force Stages Successful 11c. Attack on Convoy

CAIRO, July 24: (CP)-The Royal and 11c. Air Force announced today that its bombers had sunk at least three and 10.8c. ships from an Axis convoy off the Italian island of Pantellaaria in and 10.7c. the channel between Sicily and Tunisia on Tuesday. One Italian 10.8c. destroyer was also hit.

IRELAND by day and live in a shelter by night

American-sponsored rest home in Unidentified Plane Drops Missiles Kent. on Dundalk in Eire

DUBLIN, July 24: (CP)—An uni- Patricia, returned home on Tuesday dentified plane dropped bombs on night's train from a visit to Lake Dundalk Harbor during the night. Kathlyn.

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missioner to Australia, Transferred to Newfoundland

the baggage car behind the Can- Lyon Mackenzie King. This is a communities large and small. He and colonies of the Empire. All passenger coaches of both

Bulletins

OAKALLA ESCAPE VANCAUVER - An eighteenyear-old prisoner escaped from Oakalla Prison yesterday and was still at large last night.

BRITAIN BOMBED LONDON-The east and northvisits from German bombers. A few persons were killed and injured. Small damage was done.

ECUADOR vs. PERU sweeps over Northern France was cited by informed quarters today Nazis had been forced to withdraw, 2 a.m. today.

MEMORABLE TRIP EAST

Jack McRae Interesting Speaker at Gyro Glub Luncheon Luncheon Yesterday

Lieut. Jack McRae R.C.N.V.R. who was Canada's naval representa- training plants under by air across the Dominion, was the speaker before the Prince Rupert Gyro Club at its regular weekly luncheon yesterday and he related many interesting evperiences and impressions of that memorable trip. OTTAWA, July 24: (CP)-The ap- Incidents which occurred at varpointment of Charles J. Burchell, jous points between the Pacific and at present Canadian High Com- Atlantic coasts and home again missioner to Australia, to be Can- were described very ably by the adian High Commissioner to New- young local officer who is home on foundland, was announced last leave. He told of the great recepnight by Prime Minister William tions which had been accorded by new post and completes Canadian had been impressed particularly by representation in all Dominion the enthusiastic patriotism to Caniada of the people of French-Conada. The whole trip had been a

great revelation to Lieut. McRae, particularly so since it had been by air. He also referred to the great co-operation of the press, the power of which had been amply demonstrated, even if at times to the discomfiture of those concerned. of the city engineer yesterday for

over the luncheon, guests at which, ing on Third Avenue next to the A. M. Prothero of Seattle; Robert There will be a restaurant on the jocularly remarked.

new power cruiser. A complaint was authorities.

Kent To Pay Canada Visit

OTTAWA, July 24: (CP)--- + 4 The Duke of Kent, it is an-* nounced by the Prime Minis- * + ter's office, will come to Can + will travel by aircraft except + between Calgary, Banff and + 4 Jasper. He will go to the Pa- 4 * cific Coast and visit Vancouver + ALL OUT * air training centre.

John Currie & Son to Put Up \$19,-500 Structure on Third Avenue For George James

Permit was issued at the office President W. F. Stone presided the construction of a \$19,500 build

fighting all along Ecuador's a club picnic during the latter part ing past the playgrounds, this to be Boeing bomber. They made the trip southern frontier with Peru since of August in Dr. R. G. Large's fine taken up with the civic and police from Skagway to Dawson in three Mr. Hanson did not think Can-

Continues Critical; Japanese Moving

* Nipponese Invasion of Indo-China is Certainty-United States and Great Britain Ready

SAIGON, French Indo-China, July 24: (CP)— Well informed quarters reported today that Japanese warships air + had appeared off Cap St. Jacques and Camranh Bay following French acceptance of Japanese demands for militive during the recent carrying of & Commonwealth Air Training tary facilities in southern Indo-China. The same sources CREATED the Victory Loan Torch of Victory of Plan. The Duke will spend said that twelve Japanese transports were enroute to saigon from Hainan, Chinese is-Saigon from Hainan, Chinese is-

Conservative Leader—

the Japanese have been using as a FOR AIR Indo-China. It was announced today that negotiations have now

R. B. Hanson Fit and Good-Humored-Comments Breezily on Variety of Things

Hon. R. B. Hanson, leader of the States quarters in London indicat-Opposition in Canadian Parliament, ed mounting concern. The London had never flown in an airplane be- Daily Express wrote that, "if Japan fore the trip to the Yukon follow- moves south to the Dutch East Ining which he was in Prince Rupert dies, she will meet warships of the yesterday afternoon aboard the United States and Great Britain." steamer Princess Alice returning to At Washington United States and Vancouver. Now he is enthusiastic- Great Britain were reported poised ally air-minded. "I am going to fly today for counter-action against besides Lieut. McRae, included his present Boston Cafe premises. The every time I get a chance," he said. impending Japanese occupation of father, D. C. McRae; Col. Thomas building is to be erected by John Maybe I will fly across the Atlantic strategic bases in southern Indo-J. Weed of Washington D.C., Col. J. Currie & Son, contractors, for Ocean to England with Mackenzie China. H. Melloun of San Francisco; Lieut. George James of the Boston Cafe. King in one of those bombers" he -

GUAYAQUIL, Ecuador—Semi- play of playground accomplish- lighted the trip north. The party tive in saying. official sources say there has been | ments. It was also planned to have | conveyed to the club of cars speed- | travelled in a big twin-motored ! thours, had lunch there, visited the ada was in danger of invasion from mining fields in the afternoon, en-'Japan. In fact, he was still doubtjoyed a cocktail party at Dawson ful that Japan would be in the war afterwards and Mr. Hanson spent at all. the night as the guest of Hon. | "R.B." indulged in good-natured George Black, former Speaker of banter with "Olof" Hanson, asking the House of Commons. Next day the latter when he was going to get they flew back to Whitehorse, leav- into the Senate. The Conservative ing the plane there and continuing leader consoled C. H. Orme, the undown to Skagway in a railmobile successful Conservative candidate

> Horse Gulch. kon, Mrs. Hanson said the only time you go to the Senate." he had been in the air was a balloon Scanning headlines in the afterascent in Florida. He is now intent noon's edition of the Daily News, Territories.

tish Columbia annexing the Yu- tional Railways. He paid tribute to kon?" Mr. Hanson was asked.

replied the leader. "I did find, how-I going had often been tough. The ever, that ninety-five per cent of Conservative leader expressed satthe people in the Yukon are op-lisfaction with the appointment of posed to it." Nevertheless he ad-R. C. Vaughan as the new railway mitted that Premier T. D. Pattullo president. "The right man," he took a long view when he envision- said of Mr. Vaghan expressing hope ed annexing to British Columbia that the politicians would leave him a great northland in which there alone." was enough mineral wealth to pay "The end of another chapter" was the national debt.

subject was broached by Olof Han- nett to the Senate. asked "R.B." of "Olof" who thought that won't bother me." that, if the United States was will- If not voluntarily, the people of ing to pay the entire cost of the Canada will have to get down to road, it should be permitted to do gas conservation by compulsion," so. The Conservative leader would asserted Mr. Hanson after asking mitment on the feasibility or ad- how the public had taken to the not be drawn into making any com-

nice thing to have but he did not east coast of England received L. Porter of Seattle; Capt. W. P. ground floor while the second storey, The Conservative leader was in believe it was a military necessity— Armour and Robert Cruickshank. | will contain office accommodation high good humor and looking very certainly not as far as Canada was The club was advised that it was and living quarters. It will be of fit with a fine coat of sun tan as he concerned. "When the country is being expected to sponsor one permanent concrete construction. described the thrills of the flight spending millions of dollars a day night's program at the forthcoming Work on the building will commence over rugged Yukon territory from for war, we simply can't afford the civic centre carnival with a dis- at once. Skagway to Dawson which high- Alaska road," Mr. Hanson was posi-

lland off the Indo-China coast which

Vichy and Japan have agreed in

principle, a dispatch from Vichy

says, on a basis for Japanese aid in

"protection" of French interests in

been shifted from Vichy to Hanoi

where details for the Japanese mili-

While some British sources in

London held out today that pros-

pective Japanese occupation of

French Indo-China offered no mili-

tary threat to Singapore, United

tary bases are being worked out.

concentration base for months.

No Fear of Japs

through the rugged White Pass. Mr. in a former election, with the com-Hanson was impressed with the ment that Olof might be unbeatscenery including famous old Dead able but he would have to quit some time. "And remember," he said Before this flight into the Yu- turning to Olof, "you're dead when

on a flying trip into the Northwest Mr. Hanson expressed interest in the retirement of S. J. Hungerford "What do you think about Bri- as president of the Canadian Na-Mr. Hungerford and said he had "I haven't thought of it much," been doing a fine job although the

Mr. Hanson's observation on noting Mr. Hanson reiterated his dis-the formalities of the elevation of favor for the Alaska Highway which Former Prime Minister R. B. Ben-

son, M.P. for Skeena, who was "You'll have to get along withamong those on hand to meet him. out your bacon for breakfast now" "And how does that fit in with observed the Conservative leader to your leader's ideas of sovereignty?" another member of the party. "But

visability of the project. He was appeal of the government for cutready to concede that it might be a ing down gas consumption.

QUEEN VISITS TRENCH HELD BY HER REGIMENT



Queen Elizabeth, who is honorary colonel of the London Scottish Regiment, is shown in a trench during her recent visit to that part of the defence lines held by the regiment. Part of the camouflage net that hides the trench from the air may be seen at top of the picture.