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DAY and NIGHT SERVICE Bill and Ken Nesbitt

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August 25, 1946

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"WIN THE PEACE" RALLY

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# y's Peace Jerms Are Now

### ELDERLY TWO-TIMER, CARRYING ON WITH BLONDE, BURNS WIFE, ACCORDING TO POLICE CHARGE

NASHVILLE. Tennessee (P)-Dwight Owen Carman, 62year-old grandfather, was jailed yesterday on a charge of murder, accusing him of fatally burning his wife, aged 61, so that he could run away with a sixteen-year-old blonde with whom he had been carrying on a tourist cottage tryst. The wife was cremated when fire destroyed the home on Thurs-

### HOUSE TALKS ALASKA ROAD

Tourist, Commercial and Military Aspects Discussed

OTTAWA ()-That development of the Alaska Hillghway as a tourist and commercial venture might pay off under government the rejoinder that thrown upon any plans the government might be preparing for an all-embracing northwest highway system.



IN CANADA - Field Marshal Viscount Bernard Montgomery who landed at Halifax today and was honored by Dalhousie University. He wore the traditional black beret and battledress on landing.

had commanded in Sicily, Italy morning. Canada."

soldiers and airmen and women Queen. too. The air training plan had | Promptly at 8 o'clock the played a big part in the war. Queen and her procession enter-Canada had been turned into a ed. Leading were young Ronald

great arsenal and had sent Brit- Brydges and Robert Armstrong. Nehru HeadS ain the means to carry on the acting as crown and sceptre war as well as financial aid bearers respectively. Following

### Robert McMordie Passes In South

Robert A. McMordie, who engaged in contracting work in Prince Rupert in the early days with his brother, the late Lieut. Col. S. P. McMordie, passed away in Vancouver this week at the 19.5 feet age of seventy-one. He had lived

> Montador, president of the Prince Rupert Kinsmen Club, which sponsored her in the Carnival Queen competition.

nifred Dibb and Alix Esselmont, who carried the long, ermine-

# Victoria Hopeful

Is Keeping Its Fingers Cressed About Getting "Unemployment" Ship Job

VICTORIA @-It is reported that the contract for construcany future martial stress was Ition of a 350-foot modern pasurged yesterday in the House | senger vessel for the Canadian of Commons by Opposition | National Railways is to be placed members and drew from the within a few days. Victoria shipyard workers and managements it was "under study." No pene- are hopefully awaiting word of trating light was, however, the award. Yarrows and Victoria Machinery Depot submitted bids and it is expected that the new ship will replace the Prince

> (This is the ship which Transport Minister Chevrier recently announced in Ottawa would not be built at Prince Rupert because it was feared it would cause a sequel of unemployment here.)

UNION HEADS JAILED

MONTREAL-Two leaders of the Textile Workers' Union have been jailed without bail on charges ranging from sedition to obstructing the police in connection with the strike in the Dominion Textile plant at Valleyfield.

# Bulletins

YUGOSLAVIA COMPLIES

WASHINGTON - A United states spekesman said today that YugoSlavia had complied with the terms of the Department of State's ultimatum and that full satisfaction had been received. American airmen, forced down in the first plane in YugoSlavia, have arrived in Paris following release. Bodies of five who lost their lives in the second incident are being exhumed and taken to Belgrade.

STRIKE VOTE OFF WINNIPEG - Organizer for \* the United Packing House Workers said today that arrangements had been cancelamong 2500 employees of ASKS AID Burns and Canada Packers in the Winnipeg area following advice that the companies were offering a 5c increase to production workers. Vancouver and New Westminster have voted for strike action.

POLIO IN VANCOUVER

VANCOUVER - City health authorities announce Vancouver's first poliomylitis case. Victim is a 28-year-old Fraser Valley woman who recently returned from the prairies where the first symtoms appeared. Dr. Kitching, assistant medical health officer, says the case is not a severe

Agreement Between Union

And Two Major Shipping

Companies Makes Shipping

Interim Administration Is

Domination of Congress

LONDON ( Jawaharlal Neh-

Congress party, was named to-

government for India to take of-

The proposed constitution

must be written by the Assembly

League which has said it would

Going Ahead Under

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Look Better

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### Majorie Wilson Crowned Port Queen With Colorful Pageantry being complied with immediate-

With colorful pageantry, Miss Marjorie Wilson cation as to how many provinwas crowned Queen of the 1946 Civic Centre audi-cial police would be sent. torium at 8 o'clock last night. More than 2,000 of her "subjects" witnessed the coronation ceremony on the royal dais as Mayor H. M. Daggett placed the crown on the Metlakatla girl's head and the sceptre of authority in her hands.

Sequel to the ceremony was the Coronation Ball, which was begun in the auditorium at midat the convocation, great deal of time in the war begun in the auditorium at midthe Archbishop of that he was qualified to say that Marjorie. The ball continued soldiers of this country whom he until the early hours of the

and from Normandy to Berlin | With the Civic Centre packed were very fine soldiers. "Mind with visitors well before the you." he added amid laughter. coronation hour, the pageant ac-I am not saying they were the tually began with the royal party finest but there were none finer entered the Civic Centre after than the fighting men from driving, with band in the lead, old Great Lakes shipping strike from Wallaces' Store, where final moved in the direction of a solu-He and every British soldier, costume fittings were completed. tion following agreement yester-

said the famous general, thank- The royal cortege was pre- day between the union and ed Canada from the bottom of ceded to the Civic Centre by the Standard Oil Co. of Indiana and their hearts and the people of Greenville Concert Band which the Bethlehem Transportation Britain would never forget the then laid its instruments aside Co. The Union accepted an agreemighty war effort of Canada and entered the auditorium to ment calling for a work week This Dominion had sent sailors, act as Guard of Honor to the of 48 hours at sea and 44 hours

Canada was indeed a great help them and also walking abreast, to Britain in her time of dire were two flower, girls, Margo Armstrong and Adrienne Esselmont. Carrying nosegays of mixed summer flowers they wore rose colored jumper dresses of spun rayon.

Then came Queen Marjorie, ru, president of the All-India who before she ascended to the throne, knelt at the top step of the dais to be crowned by Mayor Daggett. Queen Marjorie looked striking in a long gown with full white net skirt and white lace bodice with a net yoke inset and long sleeves. She carried a large bouquet of gladioli.

The Queen's escort was Robert

Trainbearers were little Win-ATHLETE'S CROWN Crowns and coronets originally trimmed robe of royal purple had no regal significance. They which hung from Queen Mar- were made of leaves or flowers real, Ottawa and Toronto, the family. jorie's shoulders. Both train- and conferred on the winners of

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SMITHERS HOTEL SOLD SMITHERS—The well known Eulkley Valley Hotel here has been sold by Herb Leach to A. J. Tait and G. E. Butchart of Vancouver.

PRIORITY ON NAILS VANCOUVER-Nails in British Columbia are now being sold only on priority. First come nails needed for food PARIS IS NOT containers and then for veterans' housing. Limit is one pound to a customer. The only pail factory in British Columbia has been forced to close because of the steel strike.

HAMILTON 9-The Hamilton board of police commissioners has decided to appear to the many international and domespany of Canada plant. The move | necessary. is expected to bring members of the Ontario provincial police

to the aid of the Hamilton force The police board voted twopolice had stated that his small department was no longer able to cope with the "turbulent situation." Mayor Lawrence voted against calling in the provincial police.

At Toronto Provincial Secretary Roland Michener said that the request by the Hamilton police commission for assistance is ly. However, there was no indi-

### Fish Sales

American Sunset, 43,000, 26.90 and 23

Liberty, 53,000, 26.90 and 23

Eclipse, 58,000, 26 and 23, Cold Storage.

Canadian Unimak, 40,000, Storage. Miss Jean, 50,000, Co-op.

### BYRNES AND BEVIN MEET DETROIT ()- The nine-day

But No Announcement Made Of Nature of Discussions-British Minister Flies Home

than an hour today with British Pelesh dropped two anchors, ized by the Trades and Labor tive upon the approval of the Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin Unfortunately, the anchors Council into the Victoria Ship- National War Labor Board. beadquarters but spokesmen de- mediately above an off-shore Culhane said that the C.C.L. clined to make public any de- reef, which gouged a hole in its comprised 85 per cent of the tails of the meeting. It was the bottom as it rode the heavy workers in the shipyard indussecond meeting between the two seas. ministers since Bevin arrived in Then, in order to save him- per cent of all the shipyard RELEASED to confer with Prime Minister Clement Attlee and attend what was said to be an important cabinet meeting. He does not expect to return to Paris until the

# day to head the new interim

middle of next week.

HALIFAX, N.S. - The Archwithout help of the Moslem bishop of Canterbury, the Most Reverend and Right Honorable Geoffrey Francis Fisher, who camp manager Ed. Lattery. arrived this morning on the Whether the princely states will join in support of the in- Mauretania, will leave here Sunterim government is also in day evening to visit Canadian England in Canada.

The Archbishop's itinerary induration of his stay in the Dominion being thirteen days.

# Czecho Slovakia Is Not Satisfied Full Blame Attached To Neighbor

PARIS (CP)—CzechoSlovakia told the peace conference today that the draft treaty for Hungary did not go far enough in stating Hungary's complicity in the war. The Czech delegate told the Hungarian political and territorial committee that it was absolutely essential that the treaty state Hungary was

\* the first of the satellies to voluntarily join the Axis.

An American delegate sughad not formally proposed an Railwaymen on with its work.

The Czechs agreed to withdraw an amendment when the Pay Boost Mackenzie King sald today that his decision to leave the YugoSlav delegate said he was peace conference and return convinced that "there are really home to Canada was prompted democratic elements in presentby the feeling that matters here day Hungary which should be encouraged." are not pressing at present and

The Roumanian committee because he is eager to take up struck a snag when delegates conducted by the Canadian Naprotested they had not received tional Railways and subsidiaries attorney general of Ontario for tic questions with the cabinet copies of a minor Australian and the Ontario Northland Railaid in maintaining law and or- before the ministers leave Ot- amendment and an equally way with the representatives of der in the tense situation which tawa with the end of the par- minor Roumanian suggestion all labor organizations engaged has arisen from the picket lines liamentary session. He said he for changing the date at which in railway work, an agreement at the strikebound Steel Com- would return to Paris later if Roumania was considered to has been reached whereby all have joined the Allies.

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try on the Pacific coast and 95

in the Italian draft treaty.

to Halifax."

"There has not been a single

# to-one to ask the attorney gen-eral for aid after the chief of SHIVERING HOURS ON ROCKY ISLAND

The story of how a Prince Rupert fisherman, his ees, who previously had received wife and three-year-old daughter spent more than 12 and will now receive an increase shivering hours on barren Zayas Island after their of another eight cents an hour. 28-foot trolling boat, Irish Belle, had broken up on and the Brotherhood of Railroad the off-shore rocks at midnight Wednesday was proximately 7 percent of the brought to Prince Rupert Friday afternoon when employees of the company and

the police launch P.M.L. 15\* landed troller Harry Pelesh, his afternoon until 9 a.m. Friday, operations in yards and as wife and daughter after their when they were taken aboard brakesmen in road service. Ne-

PRESSING NOW

PARIS (1)-Prime Minister

The family, minus their boat, Prince Rupert. Mr. and Mrs. ization are continuing. personal effects, and even cloth- Pelesh live at 533 Eighth Aving, were taken from a floating enue West. The Irish Belle, B.C. Packers' camp on the east 28-foot troller built at Vancouside of Zayas Island by the po- ver in 1915, was not insured. lice boat Friday morning. They

camp at 1 p.m. Thursday after Mr. Pelesh had walked four Union War hours around the island seeking rescue.

The family was taken in by camp manager Ed Lattery, who later sent the boat Arranmore around the island to pick up war was made here last night I am sure that I speak for the Mrs. Pelesh and the small child by Gary Culhane, secretary of Ontario Northland Railway, as who had huddled on the beach the Shipyard General Workers' well as for the Canadian Nafrom the time the Irish Belle Federation (CCL), in comment- tional, in expressing to the rehad broken up.

just as they finished the night's made up of former members of factory by all parties concerned." trolling. To save the vessel the federation. PARIS (1) Secretary of State from being cast ashore on the The report that said 650 C.C.L. upwards of 100,000 employees of James Byrnes conferred for more southwest and of the island, Mr. union members had been organ- the two railways becomes effec-United States delegation stopped the drifting boat im- yard Workers' Federal Union.

Paris last week. After today's self and his family from drown- workers across Canada. meeting, Bevin flew to London ing, Mr. Pelesh cut the anchor ropes and allowed the Irish case throughout the war of our says, and it has been officially Belle to drift to the beach. As using our position to raid Am- announced by the council of the boat rolled broadside along- erican Federation of Labor ter- ministers, that Maxim Litvinoff, shore, he let down one of the ritory," he said. "However, this former Soviet foreign commissar trolling poles, and with its aid, move will upset the situation and and one-time Russian ambassahe assisted his wife and baby precipitate jurisdictional war dor to the United States, a diploashore. There they huddled which will be felt clear through mat who is known to have had until daylight.

At daylight, Mr. Pelesh started off alone to circle the unin- ITALY UNABLE habited island, seeking help. TO PAY BILL Four hours later, he saw the B.C. Packers' fishing camp scow moored at the east side of the lisland. He was taken aboard by

Later, Mr. Pelesh and a crew cities as far west as Winnipeg trudged across the island carrywhere he is to attend the gen- ing food to Mrs. Pelesh and the eral synod of the Church of baby. Then the other fishermen went back to the camp. and the Arranmore was sent cludes stops at Quebec, Mont- around the island to rescue the

They remained on the camp scow from 1 o'clock Thursday

## AIR CRASH AT VERNON

Well-Known Vancouver Pilot And Local Man Who Went To Investigate Are Dead

VERNON (P)-Robert Filtness. well-known Vancouver pilot and veteran of the Royal Air Force ferry command, was burned to death last night when his Fleet Finch plane landed short of the runway at the Vernon airport and crashed in flames.

A Mr. Lloyd of Vernon died from shock when he went to investigate the crash.

Ten Cents Per Hour Agreed Upon-100,000 C.N.R. Employees Benefit

MONTREAL Following several weeks of negotiations jointly but two of these organizations will receive an increase in wages of ten cents per hour effective

The two exceptions to the agreement are the Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employ-Trainmen, who represent apwho are engaged in switching the P.M.L. 15 and brought to gotiations with the latter organ-

Commenting upon the amicable settlement of this difficult labor problem R. C. Vaughan, C.M.G. chairman and president of the Canadian National Railways said, "Although the negotiations were prolonged, they were conducted in that harmonious fashion which is characteristic of relations between this company and its employees. Throughout the discusisons there VANCOUVER ( -Warning of had to be a large measure of a possible union jurisdictional give-and-take by both sides and ing on a Victoria report that the presentatives of the railway labor The Irish Belle came to grief American Federation of Labor organizations appreciation of at midnight Wednesday when Trades and Labor Council had their attitude our belief that the the engine clutch broke down chartered a new shipyard union results will be accepted as satis-

The agreement which affects

LONDON (P) - Moscow radio friendly leaning towards United States and Great Britain, has been "released from his duties" as deputy minister of foreign affairs, the office to be shared PARIS ()-Premier de Gasperi henceforth by two successors, told a press conference that Italy Fyodor Gusev, Soviet ambassawas unable to pay \$100,000 re- dor to Britain, and Yakov Alexparations Russia was demanding androvich Malik. No other details are given.

CIVIC CENTRE CARNIVAL

7:00-STAGE SHOW. 11:55—GRAND DRAWING by Queen Marjorie Wilson and her attendants, Princess Chrissie Montgomery and Dorothy Peachy, of fifty \$25.00 war bonds,