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DAY and NIGHT SERVICE Bill and Ken Nesbitt

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INEMPLOYED VET FIGURES REACH ALL-TIME RECORD

oplicated as for training and of-work benefits have risen n all-time high in B.C., De-Veterans' Affairs ials observed this week as grappled with the probof speeding up their service terans seeking re-establisht grants.

spite the reduced number discharges from all three ces throughout the provlast month, a record numof 12,813 veterans passed ugh the Vancouver rehabilin centre alone. Figures for first half of January point n even greater volume this th-which, it is believed, mark the peak.

total of 4.081 veterans are living educational and vocational training grants in B.C. number applying for vocatraining is far exceeding expectations, and over 600 exservicemen and women whose applications have been approved are awaiting accommodation in CVT schools.

eantime, veterans are applyfor out-of-work benefits to ide them over, rather than use all their war service gratuities. There are nearly 900 vetas drawing this grant throughout the province. In addition, 300 veterans are receiving awaiting returns benefits while buiding up their own businesses to a profitable basis. to January 1, 1946, \$287,115 paid out in re-establishment its to 1198 veterans in B.C. ging the total value to date 1.529.918. Home owning and iture buying are the most ular uses for the credit.

New Tax Forms Being Prepared

OTTAWA - Distribution is to start throughout Canada of six to seven million T1 cial income tax forms for 1.8 to 1.9 million persons earn-\$3000 or under. The forms differ only in very minor resfrom those of a year ago. w T1 general forms will be by 300,000 to 350,000 taxers earning more than \$3000. se are the forms where new simplified tax calculation s are promised.

apparently final decision e forms has not been ed. It will be several weeks e these forms are ready for

IRD TIME-DW WINNER

nadian Soldier Fought in wo Losing Wars Before ecoming Victor

RANTFORD, Ont. (P-From itford comes word of a Cansoldier who fought in wars before he found hima member of a victorious John Lephonen fought in against Franco's troops lost. Then he went to Finand fought with the Finns ist the Russians and lost. onen managed to reach in by way of Norway and d the British Imperial Army ime to be driven out of kerque by the Germans. He wounded at Dunkerque and e lying in a British hospital studying the war news, he ized that he finally was with inning army.

Temperature

Veather Forecast

early Sunday morning.

Bulletins

TO REPORT ON UNO LONDON-Secretary of State Paul Martin of Canada, one of the Dominion's delegates to the United Nations Organization assembly, will report to the people of Canada tomorrow evening (5:45 p.m.) on the progress of the United Nations Organization sessions.

MANDATE FOR STRIKE WINNIPEG- Mandate from Winnipeg Packing House workers was today in the hands of the national executive of the United Packing House Workers of America (C.I.O.), empowering them to call a nation-wide strike vote if they saw fit. Employees of Burns & Co. voted 405 to (last night to reject company proposals. Canada Packers and Swift-Canadian workers made similar decisions earlier in the week.

HANGMAN RETTRES LONDON - Charles Pierrepoint, official hangman, who officiated at the execution of Josef Kramer, the "Beast of Belsen," as well as those of William Joyce and John Amery, has retired.

RUTHENIA CHARGED VATICAN CITY--In an encyclical today, Pope Pius charged Soviet - dominated Ruthenia with persecution of Roman Catholics.

WAR CRIMES TRIBUNAL TOKYO-General MacArthur has issued an order establishing an international military tribunal for the Far East to try top war crime suspects. The tribunal will sit in Tokyo, and at least five but not more than nine countries will sit on it. Canada may be one of the countries.

MORGAN STAYING ON LONDON - The United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration has halted the removal of Lieutenant-General Sir Frederick Morgan as chief of UNRRA operations in Germany. The move was made to permit Morgan to make an appeal to Director General Herbert Lehman. Recent statements from General Morgan about Jewish refugees drew criticism in Europe and the North American Contin-

BOSTON MAYOR CONVICTED BOSTON — Representative James Curley, who is also the mayor of Boston, has been convicted of using the mails for fraudulent purposes in connection with stock sales promotions. He could be sentenced to 47 years imprison-

SEVENTEEN DIE IN CRASH CHESHIRE, Mass.-Fourteen passengers and three crew members were killed when an Eastern Air Lines passenger plane crashed near here yes-

TO REPAY SAVINGS OTTAWA-The federal government will start repaying compulsory savings in March 1948 when the savings of 1942 will be remitted.

NEW WINNIPEG DAILY WINNIPEG- Discharged printers from the Winnipeg Free Press and Tribune plan to start a third Winnipeg newspaper. Capital will be \$500,000 with shares of \$10

Island Art Show Held At Victoria

SKIDEGATE - Paintings of being remolded." Queen Charlotte Island totem poles and scenery are subject matter for an art show being held at Victoria by A. M. D. Fairce Rupert- Cloudy with bairn, A.W.S., who spent last afternoon becoming over- ands painting. Held in David officials of the Canadian Fish- vice. He indicated that, as far Mr. Allen was asked. the evening, reaching gale C. Woodward, wife of the Lieut. They are staying at the Haidi work here. Governor.

housands Already Off Jobs-Some Quit And Others Fired

rejection by the United States

Steel Corporation of President

Truman's compromise plan

which the unions had accepted.

jected President Truman's pro

posed compromise in the steel

wage dispute except Henry J.

Kaiser, west coast steel operator

dential plan and announced that

a contract had been signed giv-

The major strike will throw

ule-midnight on Sunday.

All the companies have re-

Henry Kaiser Accepts Presidents's Compromise and Signs Up - No Sign of Any Other Settlements

WASHINGTON, D.C. (CP) - Although the big strike of Congress on Industrial Organization steelworkers against the United States steel mills is not scheduled to start until Sunday midnight, steel workers began walking out in advance today and the companies themselves started laying men off. The strike *is to go into effect following the

CHRIS VOKES RESPONSIBLE

For Commutation of Death Penalty on Kurt Meyer to Life Imprisonment

LONDON (- Major-General who today accepted the presi-Chris Vokes, as confirming authority in the trial of Major. General Kurt Meyer, had full re- ing the 3,000 employees at his sponsibility for commuting the Fontana, California, plant an SS divisional commander's sen- 181/2c hourly increase. tence from death to life imprisonment, it was learned Fri- between 700,000 and 800,000 men day, but the Canadian com- out of work. mander sought best legal advice before doing so.

PRISON LIFE

Speaking to a social gathering and sympathizers at a social had found, while a prisoner of for hamburgers. war in Germany last year, that even towards Allied prisoners the Nazis carried on the same policies on which they had built their regime.

"Those policies," he declared, were based heavily on dividing and playing off different

was kept, all the different nationalities such as Englishspeaking, French, and Russian were segregated in different compounds and the Germans tried to stir up one group against the other by offering varying concessions from week to week.

"As regards race hatred, they conducted systematic interrogations of prisoners which were little more than propaganda sessions in which they assiduously tried to cultivate such ideas as that international Jewry was to blame for the war.

"Consequently, it is all the more shocking to me to see people in Canada who try to carry on the same policies."

In answer to a direct question on the future of Germany after Allied occupation, Rush stated he was convinced Germany book Chief would never again threaten the peace of the world. "Provided, of course, that we understand that the key to the question is that the key to the question is continued unity among the occupying powers for the complete carrying out of the terms of the Potsdam declaration.

"The great estates of the Junker overlords in East Prussia dian National about it," was the Low Countries, an assistant Dmitri Manuilsky, chief Ukrainare being turned over to the reply given this morning by French prosecutor said at the ian delegate. A meeting of the landless peasantry, destroying Bernard Allen, manager of the the economic base of the Prus- Prince Rupert dry dock, sian caste which was the spear- when questioned following yes- said that Fritz Sauckel, boss of

Are Visiting Queen Charlottes

EXPLODED MINE DAMAGES HOME MILES AWAY

SKIDEGATE (Special to the Daily News) - The horrors of war were felt by residents of this Island community long after the war had ended. The explosion seven miles away of a drifting mine jolted the residents severely, and damaged the farm home of George Husband.

The mine, which was found floating off Dead Tree Point, was reported to the navy which sent a disposal crew to take care of it. Standing off at considerable distance. mine was exploded by rifle

Explosion of the mine stratled many people but no one was injured. Greatest damage was done to Mr. Husband's house.

The government plans to put a voluntary rationing of steel supplies into effect. Leading automobile manufacturers have declined to speculate how long OLD HOTEL they could operate if the steel

walkout is carried out on sched-With the steel strike com- rom Ottawa, said the federal sign, both in drawing room, mencing, there is no sign of a government had not offered to compartment and bedroom type of Labor-Progressive members settlement of the electrical assume the \$60,000 a year tax of cars, as well as some particuworkers and meat packers' strike. burden on the old Hotel Van- larly smart day travel equipgathering held in his honor last In Brooklyn veal is selling at couver as previously reported. ment. night, Maurice Rush, visiting \$1.40 per pound and in the He said that Hon. J. L. Ilsley, provincial organizer, stated he Bronx \$1 per pound is being paid minister of finance, did offer a operation of the building as a license for her soldier son's dog LONDON (P-No flags are to hostel and two grants up to was given 7c. 6d. by a magisdrape coffins of dead German \$10,00 maximum to any operat- trate here recently to get one. heard on "Canadian Cavalprisoners of war, according to ing agency to put the building "Keep the dog." he said, "but cade" over the CEC Transthe War Office. The swastika is into shape for accommodation don't tell your friends, as I am | Canada network Monday evebarred, so Germany has no flag. of veterans.

RUSSIAN SUICIDES

Traitors Take Their Own Lives Rather Than Return to Homeland

FRANKFURT, Germany, (P-Ten Russians committed suicide and 21 others injured themselves at Dachau today in protests against attempts to repatriate them to Russia, United States headquarters announced Headquarters said that "some at least" of 271 Russian nationals being repatriated from Dachau had served in German armed forces as volunteer con-

SERVICE TRAFFIC FALLING OFF NOW

VANCOUVER-Osborne Scott, passenger traffic manager. Canadian National Railways. Winnipeg, visiting here, indicated that the peak had been passed by the railways in getting service personnel back to their

"The military, naval and Air Force traffic which grew so quickly as the war developed and ended," said Mr. Scott, "is dropping off just as quickly and I think that public demand for travel can now be taken care of ed. He landed at Tokyo with very adequately."

Plans, he added, were being developed and, in some cases, VANCOUVER. () - Ald. H. L. orders have been placed for new Corey, on his return yesterday equipment of the very latest de-

LONDON (P-A woman who subsidy of \$5000 per month for was summoned for not having a a poor man."

Iran's Charge Against Russia Is

Also to Be Heard At Same Time

war disrupted Nazi plans to draft should be kept to the Assembly.

The security commission

the conference is headed by

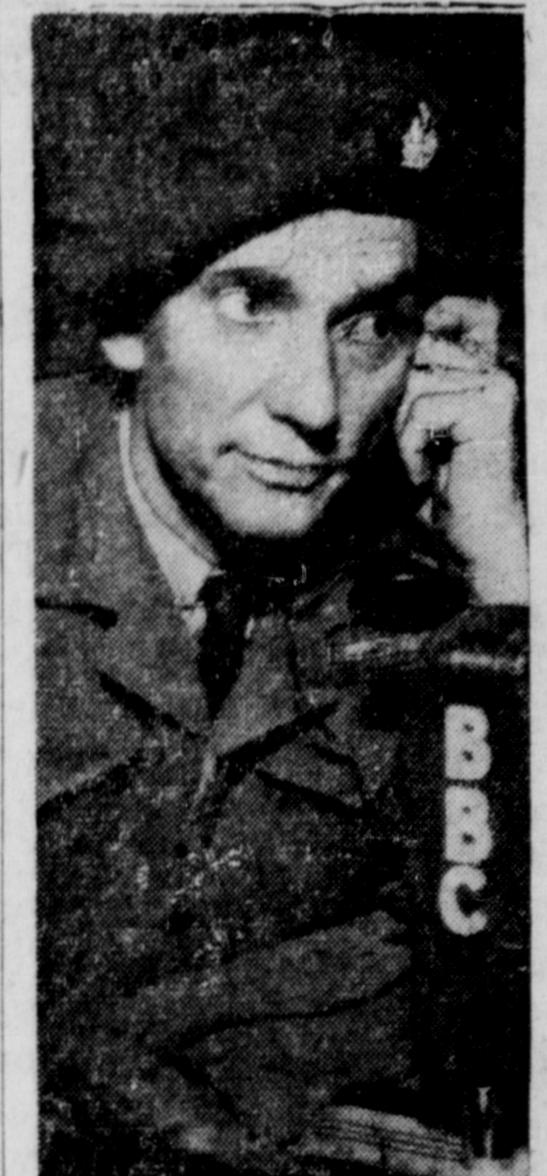
committee is to be held Mon-

Another issue to go before the

the Iranian government

R.C.A.F. DAKOTA

LONDON (CP)—A big power plan to place the



STANLEY MAXTED-A war correspondent of the BBC. who is now back in his native Canada, jumped with the illfated British paratroopers at Arnhem and was cut off with them until their remnants slipped back through German lines. He was in the Pacific when the war in Europe endthe first Americans ashore and accompanied British and Canadian naval units to Hong Kong. He was aboard the U.S. battleship Missouri when the Japs signed surrender. A fellow correspondent who entered Berlin found in Gestape headquarters a card bearing the name "Stanley Maxied" and listing some of his BBC broadcasts which Himmler particularly had not liked. The card is now at BBC headquarters, London. Maxted will be ning, January 21.

KOREA HAVING BLOODY RIOTS

Demonstrations Against Allied Trusteeship Are Being nenewed

SEOUL, Korea-Bloody rioting flared in Seoul today as right wing Koreans renewed demonstrations against Allied trusteeship for their country. Two Koreans were killed and many were injured in armed battle between civil police and more than 200 persons said to be members of the Korean Students' League which started the demonstrations. Korean police, handling their first big job without assistance, arrested 119 Koreans.

Decapitated In Hanging

"Unfortunate" Incident When Peace River Killer Executed at Okalla Last Month

VICTORIA. (P - Attorney General R. L. Maitland, in a statement Friday night, said there was no object in holding a public inquiry into the decapitation of Byron Bruce Potter who was hanged at Okalla January 10 for the murder last summer of Mrs. Edna Ina Rogers at Dawson Creek. In a statment Mr. Maitland said that "the usual practice was followed but, unfortunately, instead of the fall breaking the man's neck in the ordinary manner, it decapitated him. The occurrence in the opinion of the warden was the result of an error in judgment on the part of the executioner."

Thomas J. Hurley, counsel for Potter, asked for an investigation into the decapitation. He was not available for comment Friday night.

It is said that the hangman had been nervous.

nationalities and on stirring up race hatred. "For example, in the great camp of 20,000 men where I Atomic Energy Before United Nations

Gale Forecast Here, Hurricane Farther South

Gale warning on the north coast, with hurricane warning farther south were forecast for tonight and Sunday. In the Prince Rupert area strong southeasterly winds which are expected to begin tonight are forecast to increase to gale force early Sunday morning. Today's forecast is for cloudy with rain and moderate winds.

Winds of hurricane force, exceeding 75 miles an hour, are forecast for Queen Charlotte Sound tonight.

Refuses to Commit Himself as to Going After Work on New Union Steamers

"You'd better ask the Cana- slave laborers from France and head of German Imperialism. | terday's announcement in the the forced labor program, plan- security committee will be that "This, coupled with the re- press that the Union Steamship ned to bring in one million ad- of moval of German heavy indus- Co. had purchased three Castle ditional men and women from charge that Russia has been intry to such countries as Poland, class corvettes and that tenders France and the Low Countries terferring in Iranian affairs. and a number of other factors, would be called from British to work in industries of the indicate that the economic life Columbia shipyards for their Reich. of Germany and all Europe is conversion into coastal passenger liners.

Mr. Allen refused to commit ment," said Mr. Allen, "as to himself whatever and indicated what we might do if such a re-Mr. Allen refused to commit | ment," said Mr. Allen, "as to all he knew about it was what quest were made." "I cannot make any state- hand.

he had heard and read that the | "And if you were not re-

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NUERNBERG (P) - Lightning-

like Allied advances during the

an additional million and a half

war crimes trial here today. He day.

SLAVE LABOR

BOTTLED UP

Union company was obtaining quested, what would happen? plane of the Royal Canadian more family and that he had The British Columbia Police Fresh to strong winds in spring and summer on the Isl- Lloyd Monk and Henry Helin, the corvettes for coastwise ser- Would you go after the work?" Air Force is missing since morn- received several letters in the formed a guard of honor and with moderate rain and Spencer's art gallery, the show ing Co., are visiting Queen Char- as he knew, no request had yet In reply, Mr. Allen made it to Winnipeg. It was last report- made a point of stating that he represented by Sergeant C. C.

ag southeasterly winds dur- was officially opened by Mrs. W. lotte City on official business. been received to carry out such clear that he was not going to ed over Cranbrook at midnight was a Jew. He said he was born Jacklin, former city chief at answer questions like that off- and was due at Winnipeg at 7 in Leicester, England of English Prince Rupert, and o'clock this morning.

Vital Subject Coming FORTUNE IS At Monday Session ONLY HOAX

Death of Kamloops Man Clears Up "Ranji MacWalker" As Plot to Embarrass Supposed Jewish Family

KAMLOOPS (P) - The "Ranji MacWalker" fortune proved proposed atomic energy commission directly under hoax Friday with the release of the United Nations security council passed its first a package of letters which linktest without opposition today. The test came when ed R. W. Noble, who died here Paul Henri Spaak, president of the general assembly, Thursday, with stories that \$2,called up the committee report providing that the 500,000 had been left by "Macatomic control proposal should Walker" to a number of former go to the Assembly's security railway employees. George E. committee without discussion MacPherson, Kamloops underon the floor. Spaak asked if taker, released the letters with anyone wanted to say anything permission of Noble's widow. but not a word was spoken and The letters, received by Mache promptly declared the re- Pherson over the last three port accepted. Previously small- years, had ostensibly been writer nations had held the idea ten by Noble. closing stages of the European that atomic energy control

In Lethbridge, Alberta, on January 10, J. F. Thomson of Medicine Hat announced he had been advertising for beneficiaries of the estate of a man known as Ranji MacWalker who had left \$2,500,000 to men who worked on the Canadian Pacific Railway on the Calgary-Laggan division many years ago. Mr. Thomson said that all heirs except three Whitmore brothers. supposed to be Jews, had been found. The advertisements said the Whitmores had to admit they were Jews.

more of Kamloops said the le- | the Department of Public Works gacy was merely a scheme cal- and C. E. Hopper, superintend-WINNIPEG. (P) - A Dakota culated to embarrass the Whit- ent of lands. parents.

Fish Scarce At Skidegate Inlet

SKIDEGATE - First of the Erince Rupert beam trawlers this season, Capt. Ole Skog's Thelma S. and Capt. Dave Ritchie's Finella, began operations in Skacegate Inlet last week and reported that they found the flatfish very scarce. Indications point to a poor fishing year in the inlet.

NORMAN WATT'S FUNERAL HELD

Final Rites at Victoria Yesterday for Prince Rupert's Government Agent

VICTORIA, @-Funeral of the late Norman A. Watt. government agent at Prince Rupert until his death on January 9. took place here on Friday with officials of the civil service and provincial police taking a prominent part in the proceedings.

Honorary pallbearers included Former Premier T. D. Pattullo and Hon. E. T. Kenney, minister of lands, both of whom were for many years close personal friends of Mr. Watt.

Active pallbearers were T. W. S. Parsons, commissioner of provincial police; John Shirass. assistant commissioner; William Turnbull, chairman of the Land Settlement Board: C. B. Peterson, chairman of the purchasing On January 14 Edward Whit- commission; F. Ross Oatman of

ing on a flight from Vancouver last two years, each of which the Prince Rupert Division was Constable Norman Finder.

SEPTEMBER STATES

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