

SUBSCRIPTION RATES:

British Railway Strike . . .

The new labor government of Britain runs into the threat of a general strike of railway workers as one of its first purely domestic problems. A crisis arising from such a strike might have some complications, particularly in view of the fact that nationalization of the railways is one of the major pledged plans of the new government. The appeal of the president of the National Union of Railwaymen to "play the game" and stay on the job during negotiations with the companies would indicate that a strike at this time would be neither unanimous or authorized.

Possibly the workers who staged the walk-out at the week-end were overly impatient. With Union heads urging the railway workers to con-

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trol themselves and the labor government having at least some say and influence in connection with the negotiations either directly or indirectly, there should be little danger of a general strike being precipitated and a partial or abortive strike would not help the cause of the workers as their union president suggests.

British Columbia Strikes . .

Meantime, British Columbia appears to be having its strike troubles. Meat packers at Vancouver have gone out in sympathy with those of the Canada Packers in Toronto, whose strike has also been joined by the company's workers at Peterborough, Winnipeg and Edmonton.

A meat packers' strike might easily paralyze the distribution of meat in short order.

Serious also at this particular time when vegetables, fruit, fish, etc., are in season would be a tie-up of canning plants which might be an early sequel to the strike of American Can Co. employees. Certainly, the strike would have no sympathy with the public which often neither knows nor cares much about the actual matters in dispute.

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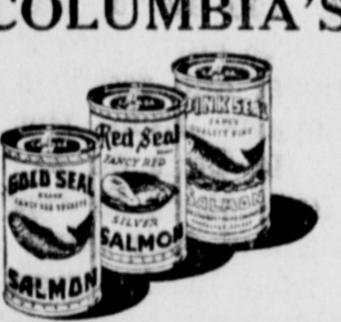
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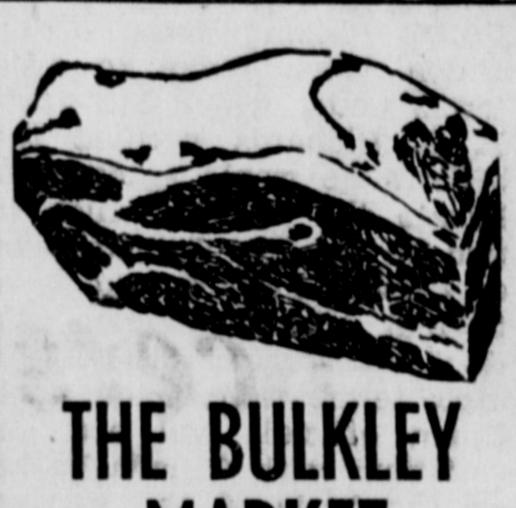
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Elfert, President of the Wo- dock agencies. men's Navy League; and Colon- Born in Ireland, Mr. Tutte

dian Navy League will act as southwest Pacific. official hostesses. The program will open with "The Star Span- INTERCHANGE OF TEACHERS gled Banner" and close with a special salute to Canada.

snack at the canteen, played a industry.

the comforts of the main lounge have represented all provinces Great Britain, Russia, China,

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el J. H. Mellom, commanding came to Canada more than officer of the Prince Rupert thirty years ago. He served for Sub-Port of Embarkation. Rep- a period of four-and-one-half resentatives of the Canadian years with the Fort Garry Horse Army, Canadian Navy, Royal Regiment during World War I. schemes, some rather ambitious Canadian Air Force, various ser- In 1937, he entered the auxiliary ones being already planned. The vice organizations and civic of service of the Royal Canadian ficials are also expected to be Air Force. Following his discharge from the Air Force in within the unit itself enables Included in the program ar- 1941, he entered auxiliary work such schemes being carried out. ranged by A. E. Tutte will be with the Salvation Army and volcal solos by Mrs. F. Pilgrim, has been with the Seamen's Club From Overseas and Bob Herrick, program dir- in Prince Rupert since its inector of USO. Mrs. Pilgrim will ception. He has two sons servsing, "House of Hospitality" and ing with the R.C.A.F., one in another number of her own sel- the Tank Corps and a son-inection. The women of the Cana- law in the U.S. Navy in the

LONDON, (P) - The London, Midland and Scottish Ranway Almost 18,000 seamen have has announced a plan whereby passed through the portals of its research staff would interthe spacious club since its open- change with university teachers to the householder because it ing just a year ago. The men who would have an opportunity will be unnecessary to buy meat who have stopped for a light to see the day-to-day working of

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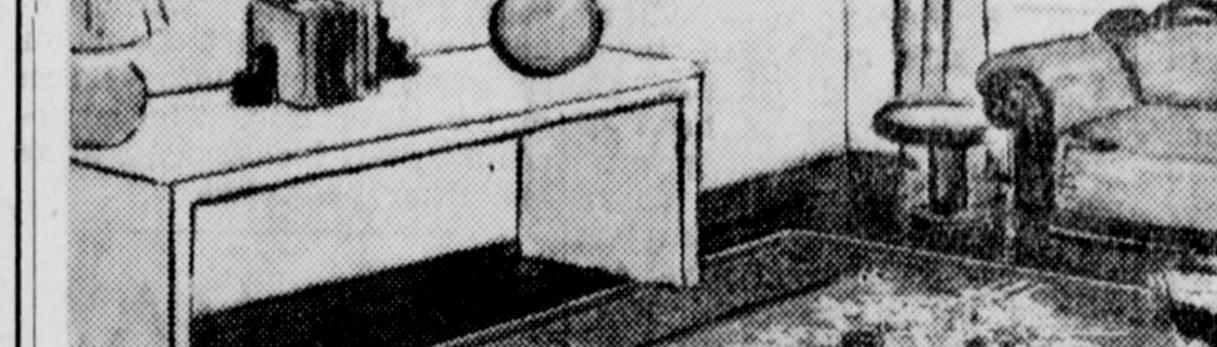
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