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Commons voted 106 to 20 last

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James Sinclair, Liberal member

for Vancouver North, argued

that a more efficient job could

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NORTH ONTARIO

TIMMINS, () One of the most

spectacular fires in the history

of this northern gold belt cen-

tre destroyed the George Taylor

Hardware Company's warehouse

today. Damage was estimated at

\$250,000. At the peak of the

blaze, 100-gallon oil drums ex-

ploded and paint cans popped

like giant fire crackers.

LIBERAL WINS BY-ELECTION

OTTAWA (CP) - Liberal members of the House of Commons today saw the result of the Montreal-Cartier by-election as a "serious setback for Communism in Canada" and the breaking of a "possible Communist stronghold in Montreal."

Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King termed it a "very significant victory."

The election of Maurice Hartt, Liberal candidate in the by-election was conceded early last night. Final night returns for 147 of 152 polls gave the following result:

Maurice Hartt, Liberal, 9,-

Paul Masse, anti-Communist and autonomist, 6,739.

Michael Buhay, Labor-Progressive, 6,419.

Three Independents - David

Ronchon, O. L. Gingras and Louis Valiquette - lost their \$200 deposits.

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CONSTRUCTION DURING MARCH TOTAL \$16,000

Increase in the value of building permits issued during March presaged a trend toward greater construction activity in the city although the total for the first three months this year is still considerably less than for the similar period of 1946.

Permits issued last month totalled \$16.807 which showed a considerable rise over the two earlier months of 1947 and brought the quarterly total to \$32,832. During March. 1946, building permit values were \$16. 025, while the total for the first three months was \$42,267.

Largest item on the list of 26 permits issued last month were a \$4.700 permit for alterations to the Capitol Theatre: \$3.500 to V. Bagshaw for construction of a residence: \$1.500 to Mark Hill for alterations to the Terminal Lunch, and three permits for \$1,000 for repairs and alter-

I ast month's list: John Gurvich, \$200. Fraser Street, repairs.

H. A. Spofford, \$100, Fifth Avenue West, repairs. John Johson, \$200, Atlin Avenue, construction.

Mrs. C. B. Currie, \$200, Mc-Bride Street, garage. J. L. Parent, \$250, Cow Bay, addition.

T. Elliott, \$200, Sixth Avenue; East, repairs.

Mitchell and Currie, \$75. Seventh Avenue East, repairs. W. A. Thom, \$1,000, First Av-

enue, reconversion. W. O. Knight, \$1,000, Eighth Avenue West, reconversion. Bea's News Stand, \$32. Mc-

Bride Street, repairs. J. Addison, \$25, Hays Cove Avenue, repairs.

enue West, repairs. P. R. Roofing Co., \$200, Fourth

Street, alterations. Mrs. A. Ritchie. \$200, Seventh expected debate during which

Avenue East, repairs. Louis Rossi, \$200, Third Avenue, extension.

Mrs. C. B. Currie, \$250. Mc-Bride Street, construction. Mitchell and Currie, \$100, Third Avenue, construction. J. L. Johnson, \$50, Beach Place.

construction. Famous Players Ltd., \$4,700, Third Avenue, alterations. G. T. Hibbard, \$125, Eleventh

Street, repairs. Mark Hill, \$1,500, Second Avenue, addition.

William Thain, \$150. Ninth Avenue West, garage. Kaien Industries, \$1,000, Cow Bay, reassemble building.

V. Bagshaw, \$3,500, Ninth Avenue West, construction. P. Pierce, \$250, Fifth Avenue West, garage.

T. Bjornson, \$500, Eighth Avenue East, addition.

Trying to Pacify Disturbed

Sections of India-Moslems

NEW DELHI (P)-Mahatma

Hindus had killed Moslems.

HOUSE FLAMES

EIGHT DIE IN

Assail His Efforts

OUTIOFFICE General Marshall to Insist GANDHI IN On Nonpromise On Soviet Reparations Claim

MOSCOW (P) — Secretary of LIMELIGHT State George C. Marshall was LIMELIGHT

reported determined to tell Foreign Commissar Molotov of Russia that, unless the Soviet Union is willing to compromise in its reparation demands for \$10,000,-000 over a twenty-year period, Gandhi returned to the centre there would be stalemate on of the political arena in India German unification as an "ecor today following weary attempts nomic poorhouse." to pacify disturbed sections in Bihar and Bengal provinces.

MINISTER COMING WEST OTTAWA-Hon. Brook Claxton is leaving for Vancouver on a twelve-day western tour which will include visits to Vancouver, Victoria, Edmonton, Winnipeg and other cen-

APRIL FOOL PANIC EINDOVEN, Holland - This son were burned to death Sun-Dutch city was thrown into day in a fire that swept their near panic today when a news- home here. Six other members paper said that it was to be of the family of Andrew Johnsprayed with atomic mist. son escaped. Three other chil-Frantic efforts were made by dren were away from home at radio to squelch the report. the time.

Mt. Hekla Is Erupting

Icelandic Crater In Action For First Time In 45 Years

REYKJAVIK. ICELAND(CP) -Sightseers flocked to look at blazing Mount Hekla today while geologists set up stations near the 4,764-foot volcano in expectation that the eruption that began Saturday night will continue for several months.

The flaming peak, in eruption for the first time since 1845, continued to toss thousands of tens of lava rocks area to the south and polluting drinking water len the

Principal damage was done to grazing lands which were covered with increasing layers of volcanic ash.

SAWLOG SCALE UP IN MARCH

Production to Far This Year Double of Last

Sawlog scale for the Prince and equipment. Rupert Forestry district in March totalled 14,588,768 board feet, according to the monthly bulletin of District Forester E. Mathieson. This brings sawlog production for the first three months of 1947 to 43,771.851 board feet, more than twice that produced during the same period last year.

Pole and piling production, last month, was 772,951 lineal feet, as compared with 180,530 for March, 1946. However, pro-M. Homberg, \$500, Eighth Av- duction for the three-month Spain is still a monarchy and suddenly to heart ailment. period this year is 968.051 feet, to outline procedure for selectas compared with 1,241,894 last ing the country's next ruler, a Greece should not change the

> Tie production in March was neglible, and there were 334 for sixteen years. cords of cordwood cut in the district. The sawlog scale was made up of the following vari-

Fir, 396,103 Cedar, 2,361.352 Spruce, 6,751,467 Hemlock, 3,872,490 Balsam, 345,613 Jackpine, 846,457 Miscellaneous, 5,286

Local Tides

Wednesday	, April	2, 1947	
High	11:10	19.7	feet
	23:58	19.7	feet
Low	5:09	7.4	feet
	17:36	* 3.4	feet
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CANADA'S NEW SWEETHEART-World's skating champion Barbara Ann Scott sees the original of the Lou E. Marsh Memorial trophy during her visit to Toronto. A replica of the Marsh trophy was presented to her as the outstanding Canadian athlete of 1945. Thousands lined the streets to greet Barbara Ann during her visit in the city.

WOOD WORKERS ARE DEMANDING NEW CONTRACTS

PRICE FIVE CENTS

VANCOUVER ()-New demands for a 20-cent an hour general wage increase, a 40-hour week and union shop conditions will be placed before provincial lumber operators this summer by the International Wccdworkers of America, delegates to the wages and contracts conference of the union decided here at the week-end.

A special \$100,000 strike fund for the use if a "strike becomes necessary" will be raised by volnecessary" will be raised by vol-untary donation of a day's pay and ashes high in the air, by members of the union in spreading a pell over a wide addition to the regular strike

Government to Buy Irucks and Buses

VICTORIA (P) - Premier John Hart announced yesterday that the government will provide \$200,000 for the purchase buses and trucks by the Pacific den death of King George II of Great Eastern Railway to operate a passenger and freight service over the Hart Highway into the Peace River district. It will be in addition to \$663,000 already provided this year for the purchase of railway rolling stock

FRANCO BILL

Succession Measures Expected to Go Through Spanish Parliament Easily

MADRID (P)—Overwhelming Parliamentary approval is forecast today for Generalissimo Franco's proposal to declare that

King or regent. The throne has been vacant of aid to that country.

Franco said that the world had pectedly today in Athens of finally joined him in hating and heart ailment and his 45-yearfearing communism.

old brother Prince Paul, called The measure, labelled "Bill of to the Throne, was proclaimed Succession to the Chief of State," the new King during the afterwas Franco's first public admis- noon. sion that his regime was only temporary.

Coal Miners Quit Work to Protest

ESSEN (- Coal miners left their jobs in Hamburg and Duisburg today and marched through He had first taken over the from the northwest. Snow was the streets protesting food Throne in 1922. shortages. It is estimated that 8,000 miners participated but later returned to work.

Check Being Forwarded; Work Program To Proceed

Long Campaign Culminates In Gratifying News Relayed By Provincial Minister of Municipal Affairs

The federal government is forwarding to the city of Prince Rupert a check for \$143,841 in settlement in full of the city's claim for damage done to streets and utilities of Prince Rupert during the war when the city was an armed fortress in the Battle of the Pacific. The city's war damage had been assessed at

Balkan Monarch Succumbs

Suddenly-Paul Is Successor

-May Effect U.S. Relations

tor Walter George, member of

the Senate foreign affairs com-

mittee, said today that the sud-

KING OF GREECE DIES

proposed United States program

The Greek King died unex-

The 56-year-old King, who was

unmarried, had been complain-

ing recently of pain from angina

pectoris, an ailment arising from

disease of the coronary arteries.

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LEWIS CALLS

6-DAY STRIKE

FOR THIS WEEK

WASHINGTON, (CP)-A six-

day work stoppage in the Uni-

ted States soft coal mines

from coast to coast in mourn-

ing for the 1111 |Centralia, Illi

menced today, the date Lewis

had set for a strike until the

Supreme Court stopped him.

MARSHAL TITO

MAKES CHARGES

Says Greece Is Being Made

Base For Imperialistic Plans

ment yesterday that, as a result

of American intervention, Greece

had "become a base for im-

perialistic plans" which might

threaten world peace. He said

Belgrade had circulated "lies

nois, disaster victims, com-

who succumbed

WASHINGTON, D.C. (P-Sena-

total of some \$351,292 and tentative agreement had been reached to accept about half of this amount in settlement of

The city obtained the co-operation of Hon. R. C. MacDonald, provincial minister of municipal affairs, in dealing with the federal government and it was from him that the word came that the remittance was now forthcoming. The city put on a renewed effort this year to have the federal government pay up and S. E. Parker, in Ottawa recently for a Liberal convention,

pressed the matter. Mayor Nora Arnold expressed extreme gratification over the prospect of the city being at last in a financial position to proceed with much-needed rehabilitation which will be concentrated first upon the streets. "We will be able to go ahead in earnest now," said Mrs. Ar-

The city is already planning to float a loan of \$150,000 to further augment the rehabilitation fund.

HORROR RULE ON FORMOSANS

Chinese Are Tried By Writer In Magazine

SHANGHAI 1-John W. Powell declared in an article in his magazine China Weekly Review on Sunday that Chinese troops sent to Formosa to quell riots which sarted there February 28 had perpetrated some of the "most unimaginable atrocities." He said that a conservative estimate placed the number of Formosans killed at 5,000, with

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thousands more imprisoned.

Death came to the King six Colder weather will be genmonths after his return to his eral throughout British Columthrone from London following a bia today and tomorrow as a replebiscite favoring the monarchy, sult of an outbreak of cold air falling on many places in cen-Death of the King brought a tral and northern B. C. this new angle into the question of morning and scattered rain American aid to Greece, now showers were occuring elsebeing debated in Washington. where. Skies are expected to re-The new King Paul is the main mostly overcast today with third son of the late King Con- some clearing tonight and Wednesday.

Forecast

Prince Rupert, North Coast and Queen Charlottes-Southern section overcast with rain showers today. Wednesday-Cloudy with widely scattered rain showers, clearing in evening. Northern section-Cloudy with widely scattered rain showers or snow flurries today, clearing this evening. Wednesday-Cloudy, winds light, little change in temperature. Lows tonight: Port Hardy 33, Massett 30, Prince Rupert 30. Highs Wednesday: Port Hardy 45, Massett 43, Prince Rupert 43.

NEW TRIAL FOR BOYER

MONTREAL, (P-A new trial for wealthy Dr. Raymond Boyer was made necessary when the jury failed Monday to agree on a verdict in his trial. The Montreal scientist is charged with BELGRADE ()-Marshal Tito, conspiracy to communicate in-YugoSlav Premier, told Parlia- formation unlawfully to Russia.

TONIGHT - CIVIC CENTRE the United States embassy at 4 Games-6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30 9:30-High School vs. Savoy and slanders" about YugoSlavia. Admission 25c Students 15c