PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., MONDAY, JANUARY 27, 1947

TAXI

DAY AND NIGHT SERVICE Bill and Ken Nesbitt

Abduct Administrator Justice in Daring Coup

of the British

member of Irgun Zvai Palestine Bank.

day forced their way into Leumi, the Jewish underground Aviv district court and association. Groner was to be ed Judge Ralph Wind executed tomorrow for particithe point of their guns, patien in an attack on a Palestine police station.

Britia: authorities believe toev heir marked the sec- day's kidnapping was inspired dnapping of a Briton here by the same motive that prompt- the Anglo-Egyptian treaty of ed the kidnapping of H. A. I. Col- 1936. e said that Windham was lins, former British major, and as a hostage for Dov director of the Jewish-owned

BIG MERGER

ilding and Engineering ons Combine to Form of 2,900,000

K. Eng. ()-The Confedof Shipbuilding and Enng Trades Unions has acnto membership the Amated Engineering Union ng its strength to nearly 00 workers

nfederation but the overat record. The decisio nity of all engineering ding, ship repairing and ne unions are involved are abut 1.600,000 enworkers, 200,000 in the and 110,000 in rails. The Confederation in be their sole voice ng in respect of pay, dustry Jan. 6.

GIRL HELD UP NCOUVER - Miss Lena of Canadian Window ries on West Broadway held up and robbed of which she was taking the bakery to the bank

deposit Saturday.

\$50 PENSIONS AT SIXTY-FIVE

OTTAWA P-The C.C.F. coming session. There would | Middle East." be freedom from the means test and free medical, dental and hospital services for pen-

SHOWING SOME IMPROVEMENT

Signs Indicate That William Hanson, With Severe Skull Fracture, Regaining Consciousness

Following treatment by specialworking conditions. ists flown north from Vancou- erts, a 63-foot fish packer, is a descent on behalf ver and a second operation to total loss after having been engineering group coun- relieve pressure on the brain, driven on the rocks near Port five-day improvement was reported over Renfrew in a raging gale which had become the week-end from Smithers in swept the Pacific Northwest two the condition of William Hannights ago. All members of the through the engineer- the condition of William Han- nights ago. All members of the son who had been unconscious crew escaped uninjured. since sustaining a severe skull The tug Island Warrior was fracture in a fall on the ice dispatched to the aid of the while curling a week ago yes- packer but was unable to reach terday morning. There were in- the vessel. dications at the week-end that consciousness was being regain- and went to pieces. ed as an attempt at speech was

Prince Rupert's Case For Air Services; Survey in Support

made.

Recently, in an effort to establish the public convenience necessity of establishing a scheduled air service between ouver and Prince Rupert, the Canadian Pacific Airlines an exhaustive survey of the business, resources and serof this area. Since then Canadian Pacific Airlines has de formal application for permission to operate such a ser-The information thus obtained and presented to the Transport Board is considered of sufficient interest to pub-

TOURIST INDUSTRY

mists on their way to Alaska are allowed from | Capone's widow, Mae, collapsgenerally a day may be permitted them in port. ed upon his death and is reported to be in serious condi-Practical tourist purposes, with limited time Capone, a gangster who "took Tokyo The newspaper to be overloaded. The Dakota, southeastern Saskatchewan to- which staged a menacing raid able, the Queen Charlottes are inaccessible.

da, and the rainfall, al- beach.

om the city. Queen Charlotte Islands holiday.

ea has no attractions to are even more fortunately lo-But this is in direct con- cated and endowed. Upon the in Alcatraz and other federal costs and "demobilized soldiers on to the facts. To the Islands is a multitude of practhe area offers a con- tically every sort of game exof attractions which cept of carnivorous nature; im- apoplexy last Tuesday. be equalled in most of mediately adjacent are perhaps In Los Angeles, California, Ca- The newspaper said the Japnainder of the continent. the best fishing grounds in the pone's attorney, Abraham Tei- anese fear to go home from their Prince Rupert area pos- world, and at Tlell, the site for telbaum, said that Capone had work after dark. Pickpockets he most equable climate a summer resort upon a splendid died "broke" and that his Flor- alone have stolen 60,000,000 yen

heavy, is concentrated | Capital is available locally for the hilt." He said that as far trains and streets. in the winter, or non- the development of requisite as he knew "Al left no money." months. The scenic set- housing and servicing of very "Al still owed the government Prince Rupert is un- considerable tourist travel, but money when he died. If he had and just 26 miles from any action in this regard has any money the government on the new highway, been, and will continue to be would have found it," Teitelsprings exists which is deferred, until suitable trans- baum said. phurous in content, and portation means for those tour- Federal officials once estimatfor establishment as a lists becomes available. The road ed Capone's wealth at \$20,000,mecca. Attractions for will furnish a minor proportion 000. charter trips by boat of this travel, but for outright the surrounding coast full expansion, only a daily air- An adjournment until Wednes- ed to the city Sunday evening and within easy reach on line service to the south will day was granted by Magistrate on the Coquitlam from Vancouboat trips are industries bring the area within twentycannot be seen elsewhere four hours of any point in the Saturday afternoon in the case weeks as escort of 11-year-old his continent. For the more western United States, and will of F. Lowe, charged with vagtourist, activities are pos- ensure the accessibility of the rancy. Lowe was picked up by tim of creeping paralysis. Leon-

EGYPT BREAKS WITH BRITAIN

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Negotiations for Revision Of 1936 Treaty Have Been Discontinued

LONDON ()-Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin told the House of Commons today that the Egyptian government had informed him it has broken off negotiations for a revision of

PARTITION IS OPPOSED

LONDON (P) - Dr. Jamal Effendi Husseini, vice-chairman party last night announced a | of the Palestine high executive, Dominion-wide campaign for today rejected partition as a soold age pensions of \$50 at the lution of the Palestine problem age of 65 and resolved to carry | and warned that creation of a the matter to the floor of the Jewish state would cause "per-House of Commons in the manent source of trouble in the

In an address to 22 Arab and three British delegates, he declared that all Arabs would resist partition and demanded that the British government fulfil former cabinet pledges to Palestine which guaranteed selfdetermination.

FISH PACKER TOTAL LOSS

Roy Roberts Breaks Up In Storm Off Port Renfrew

VICTORIA (P)-The Roy Rob-

The packer was broken in two There may be some salvage.

"SCARFACE AL"

Once Worth \$20,000,000, Is Believed to Have Died Broke

MIAMI BEACH, Florida ()-"Scarface" Al Capone, 48, gangland leader who feared a mcbster's death, died in bed Saturday night amid the luxury of his private villa with his family around him.

"I don't want to die shot on the street," he had once said. His body lay in a funeral home here Sunday. Funeral services will be held in Miami Beach but no date has yet been set.

without number, centre- area to the millions who have police Friday night in a lane at and has been taken into a prionly two weeks for an annual the rear of the Leeds Apartment vate home at Duncan, Vancouver near First Street.



GENERAL DOUGLAS MacARTHUR-He celebrated his sixtyseventh birthday at Tokyo yesterday. He is looking forward to the time when his public-service will be over. It is twelve years since he had a birthday at home.

Mackenzie King announced to- one person caused considerable day that the government intends to repeal the Chinese immigration act which has limited Buildings were damaged and Chinese entry to Canada.

The effect of the repeal would be to remove "all discrimination against Chinese on account of race."

Repeal of the act would allow wives and unmarried children living in China to come to day for the first time since 1828.

Steel Production Hits New Peak

CHICAGO (- Steel production has increased to the highest level attained since the end of the war and is headed toward new postwar peaks, the magazine "Steel" said Sunday.

served seven and a half years "terrible" increases in living pounds. prisons on income tax evasion who have come home with the charges. He was stricken with barbaric mental state of the battlefield."

ida home was "mortgaged to (\$4,000,000) in the last year on

Local Tides

LU	CERE A LL		
Tuesday	, January	28, 1947	
High	E.10	19.3 feet	
A CONTRACTOR	17:24	17.7 feet	
Low	11:31	7.4 feet	
	23:31	6.4 feet	

Mrs. Ross Richardson return-Island.

SAN SALVADOR, El Salvador (P)—Earthquakes which killed damage to eastern El Salvador on Friday resumed on Sunday. utilities interrupted in tremors reported at Puerto La Union. The tremors were widespread but no damage was reported throughout the country. The volcano Conchagua, near the Gulf of Fonesca, erupted Sun-

OVERLOADING OF DAKOTAS

There is Persistence in Doing This

LONDON-A British aviation Croydon and Copenhagen dura weak individual since he ing Japan. The paper blamed has been loaded with 28,000 down communication lines

Will be Further Disasters if

expert, writing in a newspaper, predicts that there will be further aircraft disasters if Dakotas, such as those which figured in the fatal crashes at

TAX" SURPRISE" OTTAWA—Finance Minister Abbott said today that any announcement he had to make in the way of tax reductions would come in the way of a "surprise" and he hoped a "pleasant" one.

Another Blizzard Hits Saskatchewan

ing the past week-end, continue borne on a 50-mile gale, beset six Chinese Communist divisions over" Chicago and built an em- Nainichi complained today that he said, should not carry more day, blocking highways, halting in government-held Centrai rom this symmary, it might be concluded that pire of lawlessness, had become murders and thefts are sweep- than 25,000 pounds whereas it transportation and blowing many districts.



VICTIM OF PLANE CRASH-Grace Moore, 45 year-old operatic soprano. Born in Tennessee, she started her singing career in a church choir and went into musical comedy, later opera. She had sung before a large audience in Copenhagen Saturday night and was killed when a Dutch plane crashed while taking off yesterday for Stockholm, her next engagement.

Bulletins

NO V-BOMB TESTS

OTTAWA-Defence Minister

Claxton said today that there

was "no truth in a statement

that Americans are testing

V-bombs on Canadian soil."

The statement was issued af-

ter a Moscow broadcast which

said that jet-propelled bombs

were being tested in the vicin-

ity of Churchill, Manitoba, and

that the Hudson's Bay port

had been "transformed into a

base for the American Navy

PERSISTENT FIRE-BUG

VANCOUVER-The home of

J. W. McDonald, East Eleventh

Avenue, has again been the

object of a fire-bug's attempt.

During the week-end attempt

was made to start a fire un-

der a verandah. Similar at-

tempts had been made three

weeks ago and last October.

Last summer the garage was

destroyed. McDonald is a crip-

ple and his wife cannot under-

stand it as she says they have

"GERRY" AT DESK

McGeer, after hospitalization,

was back at his desk today

with continuation of the po-

lice reorganization as a major

item for attention. He is also

calling a meeting of the ath-

letic commission in view of

VANCOUVER-Mayor G. G.

no enemies.

to operate in the Atlantic."

TRAGIC AIR DISASTER COPENHAGEN - Grace Moore, celebrated operatic star, and Prince Gustaf Adolf of Sweden, were among the victims of the crash of a Royal Air Lines Dakota Dutch passenger plane at the Copenhagen airport Sunday. Twenty-two persons were killed. It was the eighth air disaster in various parts of the world during a 48-hour period. (It is because of the death of the Swedish Royal Prince that the Swedish flag over the vice-consulate in Prince Rupert is at half mast today).

PRICE FIVE CENTS

BRITON KIDNAPPED

JERUSALEM - A former British Army major, H. I. Collins, was kidnapped near a cemetery in the middle of Jerusalem. There is a widespread search.

NAZIS REBUILDING LONDON-Denazification of

Germany is a farce and the Nazis are already preparing for a return to power says the report of an international commission which has been investigating the state of internal conditions in Germany.

C.C.F. NOT UNITING OTTAWA-Talk of the C.C.F. uniting with or co-operating

politically with any other party is "utter nonesense," asserts M. J. Coldwell, the national C.C.F. leader. He predicted that a great deal of Dr. Harris in the Liberal party when Prime Minster Mackenzie King Sentenced retires from the leadership.

AL CAPONE DIES MIAMI-Al Capone, former notorious Chicago gang leader, died at his estate at Palm Island near here Saturday night at the age of 48. Since 1939 he had awaited death due to the inroads of disease. Pneumonia, heart ailment and

apoplexy hastened the end. CORRESPONDENTS HELD WARSAW - Correspondents of Time and Life magazines of the United States have been taken into custody for taking pictures of hungry children in Warsaw.

BABE RUTH IMPROVES NEW YORK - Babe Ruth was reported today to be improving after a slight relapse during the week-end.

Kidnapped In Palestine In Air on Increase Tragedy at Copenhagen, To That at Croydon LONDON (P)—Third of a Jar

Taking Lives of Opera Star And Swedish Prince, Similar

ary series of week-end air d asters on world air routes to a known toll of 57 lives incli ing the American opera sing Grace Moore, and Prince Gus Adolf, second in line to throne of Sweden, and left known the fate of 17 to 21 of persons reported missing abd a Chinese civilian plane.

The week-end's worst ae disaster occurred when a Re Dutch Airlines plane cras and burst into flames Sun a few minutes after taking from Copenhagen for Ste holm. Sixteen passengers killed, including Miss Moore Prince Adolf, and six of members of the crew were ed. The plane faltered at an titude of 150 feet and plus to earth, crashing in flat, The bodies were burned beyd recognition. Miss Moore was pi ceeding from Copenhagen to Stockholm on a European concert tour. Prince Adolf was on his return home after a hunting trip to Holland with Prince Bernhard.

On Saturday a plane carrying settlers and nuns as missionaries to East Africa crashed and burned in a mist-shrouded takeoff at Croydon airport near London, killing 12 of the 23 occupants. The dead included an entire family of four and three

the boxing situation.

Five Years In Penitentiary For Toronto Optometrist On False Passport Charge

OTTAWA (P)-Dr. Henry Hartoday convicted on two conspiracy charges arising from an attempt by Russian agents to obtain a false Canadian passport and was sentenced to five years in penitentiary.

Harris was the sixteenth person to take trial as a result of In Using Schools the Canadian espionage probe and the ninth to be sentenced to prison. Six others were acquitted and one fined.

Judge A. G. McDougall said that ample evidence showed he had undertaken to get a false passport which was a matter of "extreme danger to the country." The judge further said: "Your secret meetings (with Sam Carr) showed you knew what you were doing."

COMMUNIST RAID IS FOILED

(NANKING (P)-A pro-govern-REGINA (P)-Enother blizzard, ernment dispatch said Saturday 000.

The dispatch admitted that 5,000 Communist cavalry had cut the Hankow-Peiping railway line January 21 by seizing Wangtu, 105 miles southwest of Peiping. Another Communist force captured Luyi, 230 miles northwest of Nanking.

CHINESE PLANE CRASH-19 DEAD

Veteran American Flier Was

Blackmore, a veteran American the coast from the west. pilot on these runs, crashed in the mountains near here and is believed to have carried all 19 lottes and North Coast-Mainpersons on board to their deaths. ly clear today and Tuesday with Blackmore's home was in Los widely scattered snow flurries

day on the Coquitlam to return mums tonight: Port Hardy 28, to Vancouver after spending a Massett 22, Prince Rupert 20. week on business at the Prince Maximums Tuesday: Port Hardy Rupert Hotel.

MOSCOW REPORT DENIED BY HOWE

United States Not Testing Rocket Bombs in Canada

OTTAWA—"Quite untrue" was the comment last night of Rt. ris, 54, Toronto optometrist, was Hon. C. D. Howe, minister of reconstruction, on a Moscow radio statement that the United States was testing V2 rocket bombs on Canadian soil.

Must Sing "King"

TORONTO— Religious bodies will not be permitted to use the schools of Toronto for their meetings unless they close with the singing of "God Save the King." The decision was made in connection with consideration of an application from Jehovah's Witnesses to have a convention

Argentina Seizes Nazi-Backed Firms

BUENOS AIRES-The government of Argentina has seized the assets of several firms said to be backed by former German Nazi funds. The assets of the firms are estimated at \$60,000,-

THE WEATHER

Synopsis

Snow flurries occasionally mixed with rain were falling over southern Vancouver Island and the Lower Mainland this morning. The northern coast is mostly clear with odd snow flurries along the mountains. Extremely cold air is lying over the Yukon and northern British Columbia with reports of 72 below zero at Snag in the Yukon and 15 below at Telegraph Creek in northern B.C. No change in Pilot of Transport in Disaster weather is expected over the CHUNGKING-A twin-engine southern half of the province transport plane from Canton to today and tomorrow as cool, Chungking, piloted by Jack moist air continues to flow over

Forecast

Prince Rupert, Queen Charalong the mountains. Light winds. Little change in tem-Mrs. A. Rochester sails Tues- perature. Frost tonight. Mini-36, Massett 34, Prince Rupert 34.