

RUMAN ASKS HEMISPHERE DEFENCE

of Gizeh Temple Have Two grable Days in Mecca of Ruper.

orful with flying flags and the bright uniforms over two hundred Shriners and their wives, omers Princess Norah and Chilcotin pulled the Canadian National Dock at 2:15 Friday on commencing a memorable two-day pilwisit to Prince Rupert which kept the city

and initiates from Alal which was heralded handsome pin. 's most successful yet e completely propitious

by blue skies and the visiting delegation Cadet band and the

and gas-pipe he lugged The city police, apparlaware of the Shriners' n for heck-raising, took the Mayor in

before they returned the Moose Temple were used. the freedom of the city

the Illustricus Potentate joyable diversion. ed his pleasure at being ce Rupert and said the irchives of Gizeh Temple. this was like a great Princese Norah. oming for he had been ted with this city and

anks of

Prince Rupert Shrine desires to express its sincere appreciation to cople of Prince Rupert the whole-hearted and ous manner in which co - operated with the in connection with Gizeh le's spring ceremonial. welcome and hospitalextended here received usiastic acknowledgement the Illustrious Potenthe Divan and nobility neral. They went away the most friendly and nunity and its people. e Prince Rupert Shrine appreciation for the codion of the mayor and authorities, the Kinss Club, the Moose Lodge, incial and city police, he various ways by which degree. assisted in connection the welcome and hos-

alty to the visitors. A. R. NELSON, President. Prince Rupert Shrine Club.

until midnight Satur- district for many years. Mayor were also visiting Arnold was presented as a memento of the occasion with a

In the parade from the dock through the decorated city, the Sea Cadets Pipe Band led. followed by the Gizeh Patrol, Shriners' Band, the Chanters, candidates in their strange Arab members of the local costumes and uniformed Shrin-

ers. During the week-end cele-Mott of New Westmin- bration proceedings band and scarcely set foot on the patrol entered heartily into the FRANCE IS en there was a mighty spirit of local life and were seen from the combination and heard in various parades RESTLESS and gas-pipe he lugged and open air recitais and drills. and open air recitais and drills.

CIVIC CENTRE IS ADMIRABLE MECCA

The Civic Centre building be-Of course, the incident longed to the Shrine for the two strations by crowds at Lyon who of the full and an im- days and, as the Mecca of the court was held later Ancient and Arabic Order, lent ief Magistrate Arnold itself admirably to the require- ling all bread coupons for May. rating on standard time agreed officers of the Temple. small traders against what they te reception committee's The large auditorium and gym- termed "red tape," official bit out of gear but they nasium, separate but alongside, "snooping" and high taxation. allowed two distinct phases of decming the Illustriate the rites of initiation to be cone. Richard Nelson, and ducted without a hitch between ages. hriners, Mayor Arnold and the conveniences and apdelegation rad probably pointments of the building were with some strange ideas | pre-eminently fitted to the needs face Rupert and she in- of the big show. For incidental hat these ideas be events the Masonic Temple and

The weather, said the The ceremonial ball, social had been especially ar- highlight of the whole proceed- Munroe, 30,000, 17.7c and 14.5c, funeral of Bobby Houston took for the benefit of the ings, drew a crowd of upwards of Royal. In presenting the gold- 500 persons to the auditorium. It of the city to the Illus- was preceded by a reception at Whiz. etentate, the Mayor said the Old Landmark to all nobles, a pleasure to give the candidates and ladies.

ded that all she asked Mrs. C. H. Hankinson on the spa- 17,000, Narvik, 19,000, Embla 20,- Einer Magnussen, 36, both ankles ecelebrations ended was cious grounds of their beautiful 000, P. Doreen 31,000, Northfore- fractured and shock; and David Borden Street home on Satur- land 7,500, Gony 17,000, Five Houston, 26, brother of one of ting the key from the day afternoon was a most en- Cape Spear 21,000, Domino II the dead men, burns and shock.

was held at the Masonic Temple 10,000, Co-op. ald find a treasured place while the ladies were being entertained aboard the steamer age

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Local Tides

	Tuesday,	May 27,	1947	
	High	6:51	17.5	fee
		20:09	17.9	fee
1	Low	0:55	9.0	fee
		13:30	5.0	fee

HAREWOOD DIES

LEEDS, Eng. - The Earl of Harewood, 64-year-old brotherin-law of King George, died Saturday at Harewood House, of cardios complications and



CANADA PLAYS HOST TO I.A.C.O. GENERAL ASSEMBLY-Garrison Norton, chairman of the United States delegation, is shown as he addressed the first general assembly of the International Civil Aviation organization in Montreal. Three hundred delegates from 42 countries assembled for the meeting. Also shown are: Dr. Edward Warner, president of P.I.C.A.O. interim council (centre) and Dr. Albert Roper, secretary-general.

PARIS ()—Twin currents of unrest swept through France yesterday in the wake of demonforced a government official to countermand an order cancel-

Many other incidents were reported arising from food short-

HALIBUT SALES

American

Middleton, 25,000, 17.8c and 14c, Pacific.

Pierce, 19,000, 17.8c and 14c, tary honors.

Canadian

Princes 18,000, Dovre B. 47,000, Later the ceremonial dinner 16,000, Clipper II 26,000, Jetson

Finella 23,500, 16.8c and 13c,

Seiner II, 16.8c, and 13c, Atlin.

Silver Horde 15,000, 16.8c and

13c. Booth. Sharon M 14,000, 16.8c and 13c,

LABOR GETS IN LINE

MARGATE, Kent-The Labor Party voted 2,332 to 571 today in favor of peace time conscription to back up Britain's foreign policy.

YUGO SLAVIA IS HELD TO BLAME FOR INCITING OF Would express particuAppreciation for the coAtion of the for the co-

GENEVA (CP)-Russian and United States sources said the United Nations Balkan investigating commission approved by an 8 to 2 vote today the conclusion that YugoSlavia was primarily to see was "a sheet of flame." He water and pumped them out. the conclusion that rugoslavia warfare in Greece, immediately rushed down to the blame for the support of guerilla warfare in Greece, float below and started to rescue And the business people Albania and Bulgaria were blameworthy to a lesser Bobby Houston who had been The Law II

I the Balkan frontiers, and con- ported it.

The conclusion stated that stituted a threat to peace. blown onto the float. Bobby to return to the halibut grounds water. conditions in Greece were a Russia and Poland voted Houston was taken to hospital after coming in Wednesday The city fire department was touched residents and visitors with its band patrol, and novices. the conclusion that such support China, Belgium, Australia, Col- died in the car. of armed bands were violating ombia, Brazil and Syria sup- Neil Stromdal, who was on the Captain Knutson said that he high into the sky.

Four Men Recovering Following Tragic Waterfront Fire-Blast.

Details of Waterfront Tragedy Which Marred Holiday Week-end-Inquest Started

Four men are still in hospital today recovering to visit her office at 5 building in the whole province spearheaded by the working panions, demolished the halibut boat Lorna H. and

> popular 28-year-old army vet- TO BE MISFIRING eran, best sportsman in the basketball leagues and brother-in- of misfiring. There was an ex-48-year-old cook, whose body was the office." vessel two hours after it disinegrated in a flash of flame. The place this afternoon with mili-

In hospital are John D. Wick, 20, suffering fractured legs and Good Hope, 20,000. North Cape | shock; Warner Berg, 30, of White The garden party by Dr .and 14,000, All Star 10,500, Mae West Rock, a fractured leg and shock;

> Atli 20,000, 16.8c and 13c, Stor- Luckiest man of the group of to get to safety." seven who were aboard the vessel Victorac 12,000, 16.9c and 13c when it exploded was Capt. Wick had been blown onto the Hans Knutson, who was blown boat Overtime which was moor-Keno II, 14,000, 16.9c and 13c, clear and received only minor ed beside the Lorna H. injuries. He was in the pilot house starting the engine when the boat exploded.

Three hours after the explo-Invercan I, 9,000, 16.9c and 13c, sion he was resting at home, badly shaken man.

city had set itself in a gala mood son trying to start the engine.

for the week-end celebrations. Killed were Robert Houston,

law of Hans Knutson, owner of the Lorna H., and Stan Orvik, taken from the wreckage of the

LUCKIEST OF MEN ABOARD

"I was the only one in the wheel house. The others were all on the after deck. When I started the engine, the wheel house fell apart around me. I was blown onto the forward deck. The next thing I remember was that I was on a boat. I don't know how got there."

Walter Berg, a visitor on the boat, was at first believed to have been Sig Grunfur, a former crew member, who had left the boat a short time before. Grunfur was ashore when the blast occurred.

Eyewitnesses to the explosion said that there was a tremendous sheet of flame that went high in the air igniting the oil wharf immediately.

dock, said he heard Hans Knut intended to take Warner Berg

ENGINE SEEMED "It wasn't starting right, sort plosion. A sheet of flame came right up over the dock toward

building near the end of the to the city. wharf, to telephone the fire department.

"I tried to get central," he said, "but there was so much noise merce, attended by 50 members regional scale and for continuity that I don't know whether I got of the senior and junior cham- of effort for the achievement of through or not. I yelled 'send a fire truck to the Home Oil Dock' into the phone a couple Trade and Associated Boards of local conception. It is the duty of times, then ran for it.

"I was only there a few seconds after the blast, but I had to run through a wall of flames

Neil Stromdal said that John

H. had exploded.

White carried an axe and cut loose four boats which were in realized that a community candanger. Among them was Stan not live unto itself, that you Bjornson's Salal and Alf Jers- must have unity in the distad's Hast. Flames licked above trict. For that reason, you have him as he cut the boats loose, created an Associated Boards of

don't know what really happen- ship. ed. I started the engine, then it stopped. I started it again Columbia, while still in its inand the whole pilot house split fancy, has a tremendous appeal. wide open and I landed on the You represent the youth of this large and small, had circuited fore deck."

WAS CHECKED FOR LEAKAGE

Prior to the explosion he said, he had checked the boat for attendant, who was standing on on gas a short time before but

"I couldn't smell any gas, so

Bobby Houston who had been The Lorna H. was preparing

Significant Message Sent Io Congress by Chief Executive

MOLDY WINS

TORONTO-The three-yearcld colt, Moldy, owned by Colonel R. E. McLaughlin of Oshawa was the surprise winner of the 88th King's Plate hace before a crowd of 40,000 in Toronto, on Saturday, May 24th.

CASEY VINK, JR., SHOT VANCOUVER -- Casey Vink, aged 12, was fatally shot by a transfer of United States mili- armaments." bullet from a rifle with which his brother, William Vink, 10, was playing. The family for-

merly lived at Prince Rupert. FATAL FIST FIGHT

VANCOUVER-A 17-year-old youth, tentatively identified as David Sherlock is lead, and another youth is held in a juvenile detention home following a fatal fist fight in a park last night.

WASHINGTON, D.C. (CP)—President Truman today asked Congress to approve a broad program of military co-operation with all western hemisphere countries including the arming, training and organization of armed forces of Latin America and Canada.

> give "still greater importance" to close hemisphere collabora- tary and naval equipment to tion than a year ago, when simi- sister governments by "sale of lar legislation was proposed, Mr. other methods."

> gressional action. is standardization of armaments participate in the indiscriminate throughout the hemisphere and or unrestricted distribution of

Declaring that world developments in the last year

Truman asked for prompt con- Mr. Truman said: "This government will not, I am sure, in Key segment of the program any way approve or nor will it

COAL STRIKE OFF

GLACE BAY, N.S. - The United Mine Workers (C.C.L.) District 26, on Sunday, called off the 99 days maritime coal strike and ordered 13,000 members to return to the pits as soon as the mines reopened at the plant of the Dominion Steel and Coal Corporation.

QUEEN MOTHER HONORED

LONDON-The Royal Family honored Queen Mary on her eightieth birthday anniversary today with a Buckingham Palace luncheon. The Duke and Duchess of Windsor were not there but Lieut. Phillip Mountbatten, often mentioned as the future husband of Princess Elizabeth, was present.

court was held later and Arabic Order, lent itself admirably to the require- ling all bread coupons for May. She sentenced the s more naturally suited for the handling of such a ceremony," bread and meats, the other by Home Oil Co. wharf at 1:45 p.m. Friday just as the

National President Heard By Local Board-Prince Rupert Should Play Greater Part

An appeal to the business men of Prince Rupert to use the machinery of the Canadian Chamber of since 40 per cent of the people Commerce of Canada for the betterment of the com-Wharf Attendant John Findlay munity was made here Friday evening by C. Gordon GREAT CLOUD saw the flames and ran to the Cockshutt of Brantford, Ontario, president of the OVER WORLD wharf office, a corrugated iron national Chamber of Commerce during a flying visit "A great cloud overhangs the

Mr. Cockshutt was guest of of a provincial Chamber of Comhonor at a dinner given by the merce so that community inter-Prince Rupert Chamber of Com- ests could be consolidated on a bers, and representatives of the local desires. Terrace and District Board of "Local desires are based on

Trade of Central B.C. Fellow guests of honor were direction to the provincial D. M. Morrell, of Montreal, sec. Boards of Trade, who in turn inretary of the Chamber of Com- fluence the national body." merce of Canada, and W. J. Borrie, immediate past president of

the Vancouver Board of Trade. "No community that is progressive can afford to ignore the not do this if we are not seized machinery that has been set up with the belief that the pri-Stromdal, Finlay and Slatta for their use on a national scale paid tribute to Swindt White, | -the Chamber of Commerce of oil company accountant, who Canada," Mr. Cockshutt declar- self when the world is over- of reptiles. ran from the oil dock to the ed. "The Chamber of Commerce wharf from where the Lorna | Montreal in deciding policy on

the national level. Capt. Knutson said later "I Trade to give district leader-

"I think that Central British fine country, you represent the youth in the building up of Canada."

gasoline leakage. One tank had to the fishermen's floats east of dais between an honor guard of Ole Slatta, 21-year-old wharf overflowed when the boat took the dry dock, then go to the sailors from U.S.S. John Canadian Fish and Cold Storage Thomason which previously had the dock said that all he could he had flushed the bilges with Co. to take on ice, then leave led off the parade. for the grounds.

> the Lorna H. exploded, it was Shriners of Gizeh Temple and hurled almost 10 feet out of the U.S.S. John W. Thomason to pro-

contributing factor. By a vote against this conclusion, the in- by Johnny Comadina in R. E. morning due to the loss of her on the scene of the blaze within of all ages. Perfect weather who broke off at Fulton Street of 9 to 2, the informants said formation said while the United Moore's car within a matter of minutes, turning crowned the success of the day. and Fifth Avenue to attend a the commission also approved States, United Kingdom, France, minutes after the explosion. He left on the grounds when she hose lines on the fire which The events at Roosevelt Park, reception at the home of Dr. made her emergency run to port. sent up billows of black smoke supervised by hard-working and Mrs. C. H. Hankinson.

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migrants into Canada and use our own country someone else will do it for us. We must also give thought to our foreign trade, of Canada depend on foreign trade for their living.

world today. With Russia and the United States facing each other, the world is divided into two camps. We as Canadians, must be prepared to defend our North American way of life. To do this, we must not only combat communism and socialism but inspire the people to realize of local Boards of Trade to give that we have the greatest way

crowded. If we do not bring im-

of life yet developed. "Canadians cannot be content merely to lend money. We must also be willing to provide services for those who cannot produce. The North American way depression or not. Yet we canof life is a good thing, and when

(Continued on Page 5) Some scientists believe the torvate enterprise system is sound. "Canada cannot live unto it- toise to be the most intelligent

Edmunds and Walker plant of B.C. Packers, got a small boat, geared to operate on the local Children, Adults, Visitors, Enjoy "I can't see how I escaped and the opposite side of the level and, Prince Rupert has as the others didn't," he repeated. On the opposite side of the much weight as Vancouver or Liveliest Victoria Day in Years

Prince Rupert donned its gala mood and garments "In Prince Rupert, you have Saturday to enjoy what probably was the liveliest Victoria Day celebration in its history and the Kinsmen Club, sponsor of the events, was rewarded with \$2,200 toward its boys' summer camp fund in a day that saw thousands turn out in flawless weather.

> the coronation of Queen Alice Nickerson at Roosevelt Park at 2 p.m. after a parade which contained scores of colorful entries, downtown streets packed with citizens in 77 degrees of heat. Miss Nickeson, Gyro Club

Climax of the celebration was

"We must make up our minds

that the private enterprise sys-

tem must be maintained, come

He appealed for the creation candidate, was crowned by 1946 May Queen Sonja Sorenson after she had mounted the coronation

The Kinsmen celebration Neil Stromdal said that when blended with the visits of the vide a gala atmosphere that visiting contingent of Shriners,

Kinsmen and volunteer helpers, were primarily for the children

and met with unqualified approval of the city's youth. Athletic events included youngsters

from every city school. On the Royal platform, Queen Alice, of Borden Street School, surrounded by her maids of honor, surveyed her domain for almost an hour after the coronation, then enjoyed the festival herself. With her on the platform was Alderman Clifford G. Ham, representing Mayor Nora Arnold, who was absent

from the city during the day. Lending color and music to the parade as it headed for Roosevelt Park after circulating the downtown streets was the

The detachment from U.S.S.

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