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TAXI

DAY AND NIGHT SERVICE Bill and Ken Nesbitt

een Dead and 206 ape From Acre Jail

of Biggest Jail Breaks In Modern forv Engineered By Jewish Under-Ind Ladies Are Caught In Bath

WSALEM (CP) - British troops and police baby has been identified as der forthcoming old age penout over northern Palestine today in a great Lorraine Patricia Godwin, but sions legislation of for 206 Jewish and Arab prisoners still at mystery still shrouds the whereafter a mass delivery from Acre prison which old Mrs. Ronald Godwin. (CCF-Winnipeg) and threw new omeered by the Jewish underground. Sixteen The child was discovered late light on the measure which

At Vancouver halibut

into distress during a

er crew members lash-

elves to the mast and

rescued and taken to

n, where they recover-

oother crew members

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of the old prison north of Haifa China. participated in the dash for ht Bells, was reported freedom, but five Jews and four enk Sunday on Squad-Arabs were killed before they ohen's Island, when she could make good their escape. h water after settling Nineteen others, wounded, were e flat. The vessel fell captured within a few hours de when the tide went and more were being gradually Park region. illed with water as the picked up today.

Twenty - three others were ight Bells featured in two years ago when fire which accompanied the

ground raiders were captured

uninjured. The break had a humorous

side when some of the escapees fled through a steam bath in which 30 women were taking advantage of "ladies' day."

TODAY'S STOCKS

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Joliet Quebec

Little Long Lac

Madsen Red Lake

McKenzie Red Lake

MacLeod Cockshutt

45.00

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Lake Rowan

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sealen has dup and four highwal Canadian Air Force craft are concentrating ! Gulf Islands and the ast of Vancouver Island miled States Navy airrate over the San Juan

Vanada officials admitthat there was little of the fifteen missing being still alive. Belief Me big Lodestar crashed

Houston, president of branch, Canadian Le-W. H. Murray, are ruesday on the Coquitvancouver, where they the provincial conof the organization as from Prince Rupert.

Baby Deserted-BETTER AGE Mother Sought PENSIONS DUE

including eleven members of an under- saturday night by George A. raises pension rates from \$25 to ground band who blasted a Arom, who first noticed the \$30 per month. The eligibility two-yard hole in the wall of the abandoned buggy at 10:15 p.m. and scope of the present law ancient citadel, were killed in The mother is reported to will also be enlarged. the break, described as one of have been seen in Vancouver on the biggest in modern times. Sunday. Her husband is with A total of 251 of 555 prisoners the United States Navy in ROYALS LEAD

NORTH VANCOUVER, (P) - Health Paul Martin told the Police today sought the mother | House of Commons at the week of a four-month-old baby girl end that arrangements were befound on a desolate North Shore ing made to have the provinces road after being almost eighteen enter into agreements with Othours alone in a carriage. The tawa to fulfill requirements un-

Mr. Martin was replying

CUP SERIES

TORONTO (P)—Montreal Royals The train, due in Saturday took a stranglehold on the Allan night, arrived at 6:15 last even- Cup with a 4-3 victory over Cal- ARE OUSTED The delay was due to a gary Stampeders Saturday night. large slide in the Mount Robson | The Royals now lead three games

wounded in an exchange of gun ransport Snars Are At least nine of the under- Severe Drain on U. K.

At Sea, On Land, In Air, Britain Faces Serious Loss of Earnings In Needed Foreign Currency

(Britain, sapped by two wars and a great depression, is fighting for her national existence in an unprecedented economic crisis. This is one of a series of stories giving detailed picture of the crisis, its causes, effects and the battle beng fought to overcome it).

> By JOHN DAUPHINEE Cananian Press Staff Writer

LONDON (CP)—Things are more important struction; Ambrois Croizat, La- ON NEW STEAMER than people to the United Kingdom's over-worked, bor, and Geo. Marrane, health, run-down railways. Grimy coal trains take priority due to resign today. over crack passenger expresses. Cross-country and suburban passenger services have been cut by 10 per cent to facilitate movement of freight. And lower

speeds for all trains may soon complicate the problem because navy is only 14,000,000 tons comroadbeds cannot be repaired as pared with 17,500,000 in 1939quickly as they run down. This built "utility" vessels, neither as is the legacy of seven years' of economical nor as suitable as war and post-war "austerity" the specialist craft which made conditions, just as the shortage Britain the world's greatest sea of ships and commercial air-carrier. unfavorable trading accounts.

The February industrial shutdown was a transport crisis almost as much as a coal crisis. If every ton of coal could have higher level, we should be inbeen moved where it was needed curring heavy foreign exchange Changshi, Jehol and North mitous disruption.

ROADBED IS BIG PROBLEM

timber and steel for roadbed re- as an industry producing entirepairs. The first two shortages ly for export." are gradually being overcome. The target for 1947 has been The roadbed is the biggest long- set at 1,250,000 tons-one-quarter

term problem. used 4,300,000 wooden ties a year; ish yards and the gap is gradusince 1939 they have had only ally being closed. 3.000,000 annually. The backlog There is no lack of orders, now is nearly 10,000,000-and to either from home or foreign buywipe off the arrears even in five ers, although building costs are vears would require 6,000,000 ties about double pre-war. But the

in 12 months. "There is not the slightest lays in manufacturing componchance of carrying out a pro- ent parts from scarce materials gram of this magniture, or in threatens to put the 1947 target deed anything approaching it," out of reach. ministry.

strict railway speeds in 1947- aircraft because no suitable Brit- over \$92,000. a prospect which must cause ish planes are ready for service. concern, but safety must come | Concentration on war planes or 1951 before money-making

ish shipping were lost during the Allies left the United Kingdom | Meantime, government-owned war. This was partly offset by far behind in the post-war civil lines must use dollars for Amnew construction and purchase, aviation race. Supply ministry erican aircraft or fly unsuitable but today the deep-sea merchant spokesmen say it will be 1950 British planes at a loss.

and a big proportion is war-

craft can be blamed on the war. A fleet that used to be a sig-At sea and in the air, however, nicant earner of foreign exthere is another difficulty: a change now is earning only a and lipstick also being a matserious loss of earnings of for- small favorable balance, at a eign currency that would help time when the United Kingdom's the United Kingdom balance its own import program is reduced.

MUST BUILD NEW SHIPS

"If we were importing at a month's economic White Paper.

"Therefore we must build more; ships. The shipbuilding industry But the railways are short of is of just the same importance manpower, rolling stock, and as an earner of foreign exchange

more than last year. A ship a Before the war the railways day is being launched from Brit-

shortage of steel, timber and de-

Almost 12,000,000 tons of Brit- out transport aircraft for all the long-distance routes.

Stalin Is Not Wanting War

United States Politician Reports on Interview With Soviet Chief

WASHINGTON, (P) - Generalissimo Joseph Stalin told Harold E. Stassen that differing economic systems of Russia and the United States can exist in harmony together if there is the will to co-cperate.

Stalin added that Russia wants to "co-operate" and "does not propose to wage war against the United States."

Stassen recently returned from Mosecow where he had sixty-minute interview with the Russian leader.

Premier of France Trying To Get Along Without Largest Party in His Cabinet

PARIS (P)-Premier Paul Ramadier faced an uncertain future today as he embarked upon an experiment of government without the powerful Communist controlling party.

The Socialist premier dropped the five Communist members from the coalition cabinet last dent said that the train service night efter winning a 360 to 186 during the coming summer vote of confidence on wage free- would be the same as during zing policies with Communist the past year-trains out Monmembers dissenting.

Vice-Premier Maurice Thorez, day and Saturday nights with Communist Leader Francois Bil- no time changes. loux, minister of national defense; Charles Tillon, recon- MAKING PROGRESS

PUPILS SUSPENDED

HANEY - Principal F. W. Welland today suspended 150 High School students who had gone on strike because they had been refused permission to hold a victory basketall banquet, refusal to permit girls to wear slacks, kerchiefs ter of protest.

REDS DRIVE AHEAD SHANGHAI — Chinese Communists, who have scored heavy victories over nationalist government forces of late, are striking new blows from they will have a single front with Russia behind them.

GANDHI SEES WAR NEW DELHI - Mohandas Gandhi does not believe the United States can maintain lasting peace. The world is headed for another showdown.

MARTIN INSULL DEAD ORILLIA, Ont .- Martin Insull, once head of a utilities empire, who went bankrupt in 1932, died here at the age of

Jet Pilot Wins Kentucky Derby

LOUISVILLE, Kentucky (P) Husky Jet Pilot won the Kentucky Derby Saturday in a sizsays G. R. Strauss, parliamen- Civil aviation, another possible zling finish, edging out Phalanx tary secretary to the transport earner of foreign exchange, is and Faultless in a photo finish in worse position. British air- before over 115,000 fans. The "It may be necessary to re- lines have to fly United States win brought Jet Pilot's owner

while American factories turned British planes are available for

ROWBOAT BREAKS AWAY FROM CABLE: LADS SWEPT DOWN SWIRLING STREAM

Railway Preparing To Handle Deluge of Fresh Halibut Here

In order to be in readiness to handle a deluge of aged ten, and Arthur, fresh halibut which is expected to pass through eight, sons of Mr. and Prince Rupert during the next month or so following Mrs. H. S. Spence of Huthe opening of the season and an anticipated brief bert were drowned in the era of intensive fishing in the nearby Area No. 2, Bulkley River, one mile Canadian National Railways has ninety express re-

frigerator cars now standing by here, it was stated by Bernard 'PHONE STRIKE Allen, general superintendent for British Columbia who was in the ENDS "TONIGHT" city at the end of the week from NEW YORK () - Henry a cable. In crossing the river Vancouver on an official inspection tour. It is expected there will be an almost unprecedently heavy movement of fresh hali but east from here over the rail way during the next few weeks.

Mr. Allen reported that snow run-off conditions on the local mal this spring and the appearmal this spring and the appearbe no serious trouble. The snow NAAS RIVER ance now was that there would has been disappearing gradually and there has been a good land absorption.

The new general superintenday, Wednesday and Friday eve-Ousted from the cabinet are nings and in on Tuesday, Thurs-

struction of the new Canadian search. Dragging operations are search for the bodies. National coastal liner at Yar- being carried out and eight other rows, Victoria, Mr. Allen said gillnetters as well as cannery that frames were now up and workers are assisting in the hull plating practically completed. Launching is planned for this fall and the ship is to be in commission next summer

tion at the activity which had eral along the exposed sections been continuing at the local dry of the west coast this morning. least eight persons were killed dock, of which he was formerly Elsewhere clear weather was and sixty injured today when manager, in general ship work. general with a warm day ex- a special excursion train carry-

pleasure over the projected con- terior are expected to reach 70 the rails on a sharp curve fifteen struction by Celanese Corpora- to 80 in most regions today. A miles north of Brisbane. tion of America of the \$15,000,- storm centre 400 miles west of Police said that between 20 000 pulp mill at Port Edward. the Queen Charlottes is expected and 30 persons were trapped in "It should completely change to bring cloudy skies with some the wreckage and one published the situation at Prince Rupert rain to the north coast this report said that it was feared and bring it the prosperity it evening. This will spread to the the death toll might total fourhas awaited so long," he said. remainder of the coastal area teen. He further commented that, due Tuesday. when it was needed, industry costs for shipping as well as for Manchuria provinces in the to high cost of timber and other when it was needed, industry costs for shipping as well as for shipping as for shipping as well as for shipping as well as for shipping as well as for would be seeking opportunity to ern section. Low overcast, clear- OTTAWA, O- Fremier Hart manufacture pulp in Canada. ing by noon. Clear until evening, said Sunday that he had "a Prince George he also considered a likely place for the location Tuesday. Intermittent rain Tues- with federal officials during his of a pulp mill before long.

DELIVERED HERE

First halibut of the 1947 season arrived in Prince Rupert sold privately to Bacon Fisheries. The vessel arrived at 10 o'clock this morning carrying 2,500 pounds of fish.

Capt. Morrison's Alice May also was the first boat to land halibut here last year.

First of the bigger halibut boats are expected to arrive tonight or Tuesday morning with fish for sale on the exchange which has not operated competatively since early in the war.

A quantity of halibut originally delivered to fish camps was landed at Clausen's fish shed here this morning.

Federation of Telephone Workers (Independent) said today that there might be a settlement of the nation-wide telephone strike "by nightfall."

Two-Year-Old Son of Victor McKay Believed to Have Fallen Overboard From Fish

George McKay, two-year and Kay, Naas River native fisher- in charge of the children. net boat which was tied up at at that point. which has dispatched the police the river on both sides with Reporting on progress of con- boat P.M.L. 15 to conduct a boats and search parties in search for the remains which has been so far without result. TRAIN WRECK

THE WEATHER

Synopsis

Mr. Allen expressed gratifica- Low clouds and fog were genpected. Temperatures that fell ing 450 employees of the govern-Mr. Allen also expressed to freezing overnight in the in- ment excise department jumped

Forecast

becoming overcast overnight and number of things" to discuss day. Winds light. Little change 10-day visit in the capital. Mr. in temperature. Port Hardy- Hart arrived Saturday, and said Low tonight 39; High Tuesday that he planned to confer with 55. Northern section-Clear to- the Prime Minister on Dominday. Cloudy this evening, be- ion-Provincial relations, parcoming overcast, overnight and ticularly social security matters Tuesday morning. Cloudy by and to suggest calling a confernoon Tuesday. Intermittent rain ence on these matters. The matovernight. Winds light, becom- ter of Pacific Great Eastern exthis morning aboard the boat ing southerly (15 m.p.h.) over- tension will also be taken up at Alice May, Capt. John Morri- night and northwest (15) by Ottawa and Montreal. son of Port Simpson, and was noon Tuesday. Little change in temperature. Lows Tonight- Marital Nagging Massett 35, Prince Rupert 40. Said Inevitable Highs Tuesday - Massett 54, Prince Rupert 55.

Local Tides

		Tuesday,	May 6,	1947	
	High		1:45		feet
			14:31	19.2	feet
)-	Low		8:15	2.2	feet
1			20:15	6.4	feet
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Findlay for Massett.

Were Being Taken to School By Older Sister -Police Making Widespread Search

SMITHERS - Gerald, east of Hubert at 8:30 this morning. A sister, June, nineteen, together with Michael, four, were taking the boys to school in a rowboat attached to Mayer, counsel for some of the cable broke and a tie, comthe unions of the National ing down the river, smashed into the boat, capsizing it. June grabbed Michael and swam to shore with him in her arms but the other boys went down the river. One lad was seen hanging onto the tie for some distance but finally lost his grip

The accident was witnessed by a railway section crew passing on a speeder but they were unable to do anything at that point and rushed to the bridge hoping to get there in time to pick the boys up there but did not see them. The parents left recently ten-month-old son of Victor Mc- on vacation and June was left

man, has been missing since The scene of the tragedy was April 30 when he supposedly fell seven miles up river from Telkoverboard from his father's gill- wa. The current is very strong

Mill Bay, according to word re- Provincial police, led by Sgt. ceived here by Provincial police Henry of Smithers, are patrolling

Excursion Train Jumps Track On Curve Near Brisbane With Disastrous Result

SYDNEY, Australia (P) - At

LONDON, (P) - Ninety men out of 100 have "troublesome" wives, said 77-year-old Magistrate P. Bond. "But 99 out of 100 wives have troublesome husbands." Declining to define "troublesome," he said: "Troublescme is part and parcel of the marriage state. It is inevitable and unavoidable. Poets, J. A. Findlay, who has been film artists and persons idealize appointed acting Indian Agent marriage out of all proportion. at Massett, arrived in the city I am a realist, and I try to look this morning on the Cassiar at things objectively. A nagging from Queen Charlotte City, and wife is a bad investment, and a will leave tonight with Mrs. | nagging husband is the abomination to the Lord."