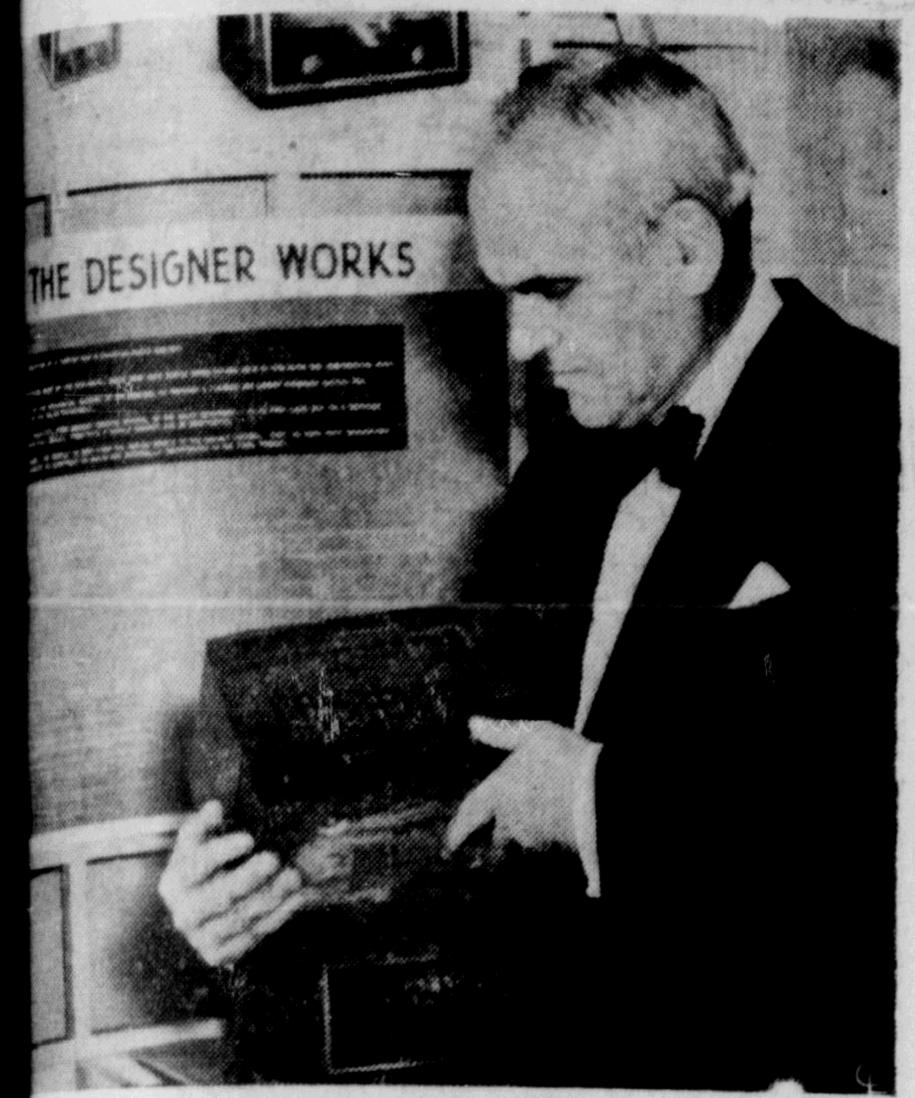
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CANADIAN DESIGNS - The National of Canada at Ottawa has established the Industrial Deformation Services to promote a wider use of Canadian in the design of manufactured goods for everyday needs. Hon. C. D. Howe examines a Canadian-designed mantel hat is being produced in Montreal. When opening the Exdevoted to new Canadian industrial designs, the minisrade and commerce said in support of the new profession, xhibition squarely poses the question of the place of the r in Canadian industry."

. Prince Kupert Halibut ts Clear For Grounds Today

nguard of more than 70 Prince Rupert halibut cleared Customs this morning for their initial s of the 1948 season in Area Two where they e with fleets from Seattle, Vancouver and Alports during what is expected to be the shortson on record.

lof the brief season and es, the west coast fleets departed from the cusividing into two sections nitial trip, a custom that gered halibut landings enabled short handling to cope with the flood

s from Seattle and Vancleared for the north this week, timing their es so that they will arhe grounds on the open--May 1.

rince Rupert fleet, closer Area Two grounds than ther ports, is among to leave. Customs clearthe grounds were made this morning at the istoms office and some vessels began leaving is afternoon.

of the vessels will call herring pound at Hunt's load live herring bait. de of the fishermen to be summed up in the t of one skipper as he at his clearance papers. t know whether I'll get short trips or one long said. "It looks like a

fishermen and fishing lies alike the season prospect of uncertainstimates of the total f of boats which may f halibut run as high Minueo or Page Six)

Cannot be Strong if minated Against

INGTON-At the Sennmittee meeting here, he chief subject under on was amendement of les Act, Senator Hugh R-Nebraska), who introhe bill, declared the law discriminates! Alaska. Amendment! permit American shiproute goods for Alaska of a Canadian port and dian vesels.

27 years of operation the Jones Act of 1920," nator Butler, "the carave failed to establish tory Alaskan service. If to encourage American to go to Alaska, and this do if we are to make strategically strong, we ave adequate shipping which will permit econ-

TODAY'S STOCKS

Courtesy S. D Johnston Co. T.t.

Vancouver	
Bralorne	8.00
B. R. Con	.03
B. R. X	.06
Cariboo Quartz	1.60
Dentonia	.02
Grull Wihksne	.04
Hedley Mascot	.58
Minto	.01
Pend Oreille · ·	4.60
Pioneer	2.75
Premier Border	.04
Privateer	.19
Reeves McDonald	2.10
Reno	.08
Salmon Gold	.17
Sheep Creek	1.05
Taylor Bridge	.42
Taku River	.48
Vananda	.16
Congress	.03
Hedley Amalg	.02
Spud Valley	.12
Central Zeballos	.00
Silbak Premier	.32
Oils-	
A. P. Con	.20
Calmont	.52
C. & E	6.00
Foothills	3.00
, Home	7.85
Toronte	
Athona	.07
Aumaque	.16
Beattie	.63
Bevcourt	.37
Bobjo	.13
Buffalo Canadian	.07

	Aumaque	.10
	Beattie	.63
	Bevcourt	.37
	Bobjo	.13
	Buffalo Canadian	.07
	Conwest	1.14
	Consol. Smelters 1	08.00
	Donalda	.83
	Eldona	1.07
	Elder	.50
	Giant Yellowknife	4.05
	God's Lake	.77
	Hardrock	$.16\frac{1}{2}$
	Harricana	.06
	Heva	.10
	Hosco	.31
	Jacknife	.04
	Joliet Quebec	.40
	Lake Rowan	.10
	Lapaska	.05
	Little Long Lac	1.02
	Lynx	.08
	Madsen Red Lake	2.65
	McKenzie Red Lake	.51
	McLeod Cockshutt	1.09
	Moneta	.28
	Negus	2.17
	Noranda	50.00
	Louvicourt	.65
	Pickle Crow	2.00
	Regcourt	.04
	San Antonio	3.95
	Senator Rouyn	.44
	Sherrit Gordon	2.75
	Steep Rock	2.03
W.	Sturgeon River	.16
		20

Silver Miller

ar Guns Blazing In Palestine ACTION BY U.N.

LAKE SUCCESS, (P) - The by the United Nations to halt countries. The Agency also said that Jews themselves are "makslaught with our own forces."

By a 38 to 7 vote the Security ing the trusteeship idea.

Government

Weathers C.C.F. Want of Confidence Motion On Freight Rates

OTTAWA-The C.C.F. want of confidence vote in the government was turned back by a division of 110 to 78 yesterday. The issue was on the freight rates increase. The C.C.F. held that the 21 percent freight rates increase was against the best interests of the country and should at least have been delayed until the cases of opposing provinces had been heard.

All Liberal members, including George Cruickshank, Fraser Valley, who had voted against on the Progressive-Conservative VANDERBURG'S amendment last week. C. W. amendment last week. C. W. Hodgson, Progressive-Conserva-tive, Victoria, Ontario, desterted his party to vote with the gov-

THREATS BY COMMUNISTS

Would Inflict Reprisal on Relatives in Subjugated Countries if Gifts Not Made Here

OTTAWA, (P)-The House of country.

that Communists have threat- States." ened these Canadians, some of will be harmed if they do not Ilsley, minister of justice, amend the Criminal Code to give the police authority against such intimidation.

The discussion arose on sec-

Police Act. No action was taken.

MANY VESSELS AT MONTREAL

MONTREAL - Twenty-six ocean freighters and cargo liners, flying the flags of seven cently.

WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS SOUGHT

Metal and Smelter Workers' appointed and the executive was ed how a nomination as leader today. Two more senators spoke Union, whose deportation was enlarged. counsel.

Final Efforts Being Made STRIKE VOTE IS COMING UP Jewish Agency demanded Tues-day that firm action be taken by the United Nations to half. To Head off United States the "scheduled" invasion of Palestine by regular armies of Railway Strike Call May 11 TransJordan and other Arab

WASHINGTON, D.C. (CP)—The National Mediaing every possible preparation to tion Board decided today to make a new attempt to meet the next phase of on- head off the threatening railway strike on May 11 and is scheduled to meet in Chicago Thursday morn- railway employees in British Council yesterday voted to hold ing with railroads and the disputing union in an ef- columbia. a detailed debate on the United fort to mediate the wage controversy. The chairman

States proposal for a trusteeship of the board, Frank Douglas, in Palestine. Russia, holding out told a news conference that all seconds and a news conference that all for partition, protested vigorous- other procedures under the rail- Finland Approves hausted. "This is the last thing Russian Treaty we can do as a board," Douglas

at Cleveland for a nationwide railroad strike. The date for the start of the walk-out was made public while union spokesmen were preparing for a formal announcement date in Chicago. The strike was to start at 6 a.m. May 11. Cleveland sources said. Locomotive engineers, firemen and enginemen and switchmen would then be pulled off their jobs. Shortly before midnight the unions had; broken off wage talks with representatives of the carriers. fact-finding board's recommendation for a 151/2c per hour pay boost was rejected. Such a strike would paralyze the whole United States railway system.

U.S. May Join Alliance Against Russian-Warns of Suicidal Foolishness

chairman of the foreign affairs ture. Lows tonight and highs committee, has tossed out a fresh tomorrow: Port Hardy 35 and 50, hint to Russia that United Massett 35 and 50, Prince Ru-States may join western Europe pert 32 and 50. in a military alliance against communist aggression.

The Michigan senator, who is Montreal Bans Commons has been told that chief Republican exponent of May Day Parades Communists are using threats United States bi-partizan foreign

HELSINKI - Finland's Parliament, by a vote of 157 to 11, today ratified the recently negotiated mutual assistance and friendship treaty with Russia. Only opposition was from a small group of Liberals who held out against collaboration of any kind with the Soviet. The now approved treaty was signed by Russo-Finnish delegates in Moscow April 6.

THE WEATHER

Synopsis

The development of an area low barometric pressures along the Pacific Coast is leading to unsettled weather in all the prairies with the count sections of the province. Rain which is now falling in Washington, Oregon and the southern interior of British Columbia will spread to the lower mainland and southern Vancouver Island this afternoon. Other areas are cloudy with showers Unsettled weather conditions will persist tomorrow.

Prince Rupert, Queen Char- garded as "over the hump." lottes and North Coast-Cloudy with showers today and Thursday. Light northerly winds, oc- inces. Eight deaths were claim- the train crew-were badly scald- (on Palestine)." WASHINGTON, D.C., O - casionally reaching 15 miles per ed for Alberta and three in ed. The accident was attributed It was announced today that Vandenburg, hour. Little change in tempera- Manitoba.

of reprisal to force foreign-born policy, at the same time told MONTREAL-The chief of po-Canadians to donate money to Americans: "We are suicidal lice yesterday banned the use further Red doctrine in this fools if we do not root out and of city streets and public parks destroy any treason at home for May Day parades or demon-Progressive - Conserva- which may dream of bringing a strations. Any such demonstrative members told of reports world revolution to the United tions, it was felt, would be of Commounist tendency.

them newly-arrived displaced SKEENA LIBERALS TO NOMINATE persons that relatives abroad SKEENA LIBERALS TO NOMINATE contribute to Communist funds. FEDERAL CANDIDATE ON MAY 19

Liberals of Skeena riding have called a convention for May 19 to nominate a candidate for the next federal general election. At the same convention ond reading of a bill amending delegates will be named for the national convention the Royal Canadian Mounted to be held in Ottawa August 5, 6 and 7 to consider party, platform and leadership in view of the retirement of Prime Minister Macken-

> zie King as leader of the party. Prime Minister of the British The defeated Liberal candidate Commonwealth. in the last federal election was Another resolution calls upon E. T. Applewhaite who is still active in party affairs.

Prince Rupert Liberal Association heard the convention call nations, were in Montreal last at a meeting last night when night. It was a record number J. D. McRae, the president, exof ships for any April day in pressed the opinion that a genthe port. Navigation up the St. eral election would be held next Lawrence River opened just re- year if not sooner. Another meeting of the Association will be held before the nominating convention to appoint delegates on the provincial convention at and consider resolutions. Meanwhile the Association which Johnson was chosen as leader

MARGARINE while, the Association, which Johnson was chosen as leader adopted a new constitution last of the party to succeed Premier TORONTO - Writ of habeas night, resolved upon a program John Hart. The local delegates on a bill to remove the ban on corpus has been applied for on of activity between now and el- were H. F. Glassey, Robert Mcbehalf of Reid Robertson, vice- ection time. With this end in Kay, G. C. Mitchell and J. D. president of the United Mine, view a panel of committees was McRae. President McRae recall- garine is expected to take place

ordered last week. The immigra- The meeting passed a resolu- Kenney, minister of lands, who of the ban and one opposed. The tion board, which ordered his tion of congratulation and ap- had declined although express- bill in the Commons of James deportation, had insufficient preciation to be conveyed to ing his appreciation. Mr. Mc- Sinclair, Liberal, North Van- High evidence that he was a com- Prime Minister Mackenzie King Rae paid tribute to Mr. Kenney couver, to remove the ban was contends Robertson's in view of his recently estab- who had been of great assist- talked out last week and is Low lished record as longest sitting

the federal department of public works to provide a breakwater for recently completed new fishermen's floats on the Prince Rupert waterfront at Westview Bay. Without the protection of such a breakwater, the new floats, it was held, could not be used to the fullest advantage.

The meeting heard a report TO VOTE ON had been tendered to Hon. E. T. yesterday, two favoring removal

(Continued on Page Six)

Board's Wage Increase Offer To Railwaymen Held "Unsatisfactory" and "Inadequate"

VANCOUVER (P)-Hugh A. Allison, general representative of the Canadian Brotherhood of Railway Employees (Canadian Congress of Labor), yesterday predicted a strike vote by 1500

Allison termed wage recommendations made at Ottawa Monday by a national board as "unsatisfactory" and "inadequate." The board's majority recommendation was to increase wages 7c per hour for about 28,000 employees of Canadian Pacific, Canadian National and Ontario railways.

Allison said the report was "absolutely unacceptable." The employees had asked for an increase of 35c an hour.

OVER HUMP

Damage on Prairies as Result of High Water Runs Into Millions

WINNIPEG, @-Flood damage ran into millions today across bound to increase greatly before conditions return to normal Here and there flood waters BRAKEMAN OF ebbed or their rise came at BRAKEMAN OF slower pace. Manitoba's position is still the

most perilous of the prairies even though there has been some abatement. By contrast, Saskatchewan and Alberta are re-

to floods.

third.

NEW C.N. POLICE CHIEF-

George Keep, well known here,

named new head of railway

investigation department in

British Columbia.

B.C. APPEALS OTTAWA-The British Columbia government today filed application with the Board of Transport Commissioners for removal of the "mountain differential" rate on freight hauls over the Rockies. The railways are given twenty days

to answer. BROADCASTER DIES HOLLYWOOD-Tom Breneman, 47, producer of the radio program "Breakfast in Hollywood," died suddenly today at his home in Encino as he was rising to prepare for his daily broadcast.

STASSEN WINS PHILADELPHIA - Harold E

Stassen of Minnesota was leading by 10,000 votes today with three-quarters of the vote counted from the Republican preferential primary. Governor Thomas E. Dewey of New York was second and Governor Ed. Martin a poor third.

MY BABU WINS NEWMARKET, Eng. - The Maharajah of Baroda's favored My Babu won today's running of the Two Thousand

OTTAWA-Vote in the Senate manufacture and sale of martemporarily, at least, shelved.

Bulletins Guineas, one mile classic for three-year-olds and the richest horse race of the British turf. The Cobbler, another favorite in betting, was second. Pride of India finished

> LABORITE EXPELLED LONDON-The Labor Party tonight expelled John Platts-Mills, Left Wing member of the House of Commons, who is alleged to have been one of the instigators of a good wishes telegram of the Italian Socialists supporting communists in the Italian election.

INCREASE IN FEES FOR UNIVERSITY

VANCOUVER-An increase in University of British Columbia fees, owing to rising costs of education, was announced yesterday by President Norman A. Labor Congress of Canada yes-M. MacKenzie. The fees for first term is up \$10 and for subsequent terms, \$15.

LEGISLATURE TO PROROGUE TODAY not entirely satisfied.

VICTORIA—The Legislature is expected to prorogue today after the longest session since 1930.

Deadline For Income Tax Filing Extended

OTTAWA—Deadline for the filing of individual income tax returns has been extended from April 30 to May 31, i was announced today.

LOCAL TIDES

iursday,	April 2	9, 1940
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Stop Jew Jaffa Attack Arab Scout Troops Occupy Jericho-

Bevin Under Fire In British House

JERUSALEM (CP)-Guns of war blazed in Palestine today with the Jews claiming capture of the entire Manshein quarter of the all-Arab port of Jaffa. It adjoins the southern part of Jewish Tel Aviv. The battle for Jaffa flared to a climax as Jewish attacks continued on four key suburbs of the Arab city. The

Jews claimed they had captured many prisoners since the attack on the city opened three days

British troops today went into action against two thousand Irgun terrorists after the Jews ignored a British warning to halt their assault on Jaffa. A Palestine government spokesman said British Royal Air Force planes struck today at Jewish positions in the Bath Yam resort section adjoining Jaffa on the south.

King Abdullah of TransJordan said today that scout troops of his Arab Legion had occupied Jericho, less than twenty miles northeast of Jerusalem today. Arab gunners also shelled a Jewish settlement near Naharaim on the TransJordan frontier. Ten Jews were killed.

In London Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin refused to tell the House of Commons today whether Britain will continue to finance, arm and officer the Trans-Jordan Arab Legion after surrendering the Palestine mandate on May 15.

Under a barrage of questions from the House dealing primarily with King Abdullah's Trans-WILKIE, Sask.-W. D. Todd Jordan fighting force. Bevin a raliway brakeman, was drown- said: "I am not going to be ed when the engine of a Cana- drawn into promises and comdian Pacific work train toppled mitments about the TransJor-Death toll from the floods into a creek near Rockham yes- dan force until I know the final stands at 13 for the three prov- terday. Two other members of decision of the United Nations

the Arabs had rejected a plea by the United Nations truce committee in Jerusalem to discuss peace in Palestine.

ROME, (P)-Amid rising tension after an Italian soldier and a YugoSlav officer were killed in a border patrol fight near Trieste, British and American authorities are tightening precautions against any communist infiltration of their free zone territory for the purpose of May Day demonstrations.

The Italian Defence Ministry said that the latest clash occurred in a narrow strip of territory which Yugo-Slav forces had seized "in one of their many sallies" out of their lines.

terday approved the federal government's new labor code as 'going far towards peace and stability of labor relations" in Canada. The Canadian Congress of Labor, on t he other hand, is

Reuther Shooting Suspect Released DETROIT-A factory worker

and minor official of the United Automobile Workers of America, who had been held for investigation in connection with the shooting last week of Walter P. Reuther, Union prseident, was released late last night after it had been verified, as he claimed, that he had been working when the shooting took place. The worker came under suspicion as a result of having said that he feet would like to "take a shot" at feet Reuther against whom he had 10.8 feet a grievance.