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# alestine Jews Proclaim "State of Israel" Strikers Kidnan

# 100 Farmlands Menaced Overflowing of River

ICOUVER (CP)-Floodwaters of the Bonaiver Thursday inundated thousands of acres plands in the Cariboo district. The Cache rea, 10 miles from Ashcroft, was hardest hit. ners were forced to seek higher ground yesmoving household furniture and livestock as

the swollen river swept over its ce Deny

Thousands of acres of crop and pasture land were reported to be under 10 and 12 inches of highest level in history.

At Ashcroft, the water and elancouver ectric power plant is menaced. six mishaps in other parts of UVER ( The report- of the company's dam, and work erican air force plane in the on of a large-scale crews are laboring to replace Near East. ve ring in Vancouver rock cribbing.

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### 8,400,000 POUNDS HALIBUT LANDED

ate Thursday and Pacific Coast halibut landings with contributing to for the first 12 days of the 1948 ALAJIAN delinquency. Sergeant season were 8,400,000 pounds, DDACDAL said that warrants 2,000,000 pounds greater than for FKUUKAV issued for the arrest the same period last year, the hers on similar charges. International Fisheries Commis-it was reported that sion office announced here to-" involved at least 10 day.

girls ranging in age This is seen to bear out pre- terior Secretary William E. to 16 years, with nine vious indications that this year's Warne today outlined a ninewn as operators. The Area Two season will be even point program for Alaska's desaid to be operated in shorter than that of 1947, the velopment. He said tha tthe feding houses in the east shortest to date.

# girls were reported to FLOODS COVER

, but were given cheap WINNIPEG, (P)-Flood conditions grew worse today along a panded.' 20-mile stretch in the middle section of Manitoba, east Portage La Prairie, with three big breaks reported in a dam States. holding back the swollen Assiniboine River.

The flooding, described as the worst in the area this year, kept military, and other personnel busy attempting to stem the Provincial Police vestigated a series of thousands of acres of farm land the Val Morin district. ming fires at Val Morin and are threatening to inundate David, about 60 miles thousands more. Montreal, that destroy-

MACHINE AGE

REDDITCH, Eng. (1) - With estimated at \$175,000. tes. Firemen who fought staff, a needle manufacturing nd cottages were soaked from 9,000,000 a week in 1938 to planned to set more fires. He Trade movement in British Col-The firefighters be- 30,000,000 a week. Ninety perearmarked for export.

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# SIX PLANE SCORES OF LIVES

LONDON, —Six plane crashes in the last 24 hours have taken the lives of at least 20 people, and perhaps 55.

Lady Harrington is probably the best known among the dead. She is the daughter of Joseph P. Kennedy, former American Ambassador to London.

She died near Privas in the south of France with three others, including Lord Fitzwilwater with the river at its liam, eighth earl of his line. Two others were crew members.

Only one person survived the The flood has sliced away part the world, one of them an Am-

An airliner which was reportd Thursday night by In the rich Fraser Valley, ed missing yesterday with 25 Sergeant David Mac- flood guards are maintain- passengers and six crew memthe police morality ing posts as the Fraser River bers on a flight from Leopoldsgained nearly a foot in 24 hours. ville, Belgian Congo, to Brussels, was found wrecked today in the African colony. There has been no report on casualties.

SEATTLE, (P) - Assistant Ineral inter-agency committee is considering the possibility of opening the door to hand-picked European war refugees.

Secretary Warne alsa stated must be improved and ex-

He urged that federal agencies should study the desirability of a railroad link with the United

### QUEBEC FIREBUG 'HATED JEWS'

QUEBEC, -Fire-bug D'Assise Menard confessed today to set-

Police Captain J. A. Quenhe did not like Jews and "they citizens. are all Communists.".

arson charge.

was carrying 675 matches at the umbia.

WHITE PINE, Tenn.-Mrs. 2 Clara Reynolds, after having been asleep for twelve years has finally come to her senses, looking a great deal younger, and feeling well—though amazed.

She never heard of the New Deal, the Second Great War, the in 1936, most of this was still in the future. Her age is 52.

She lapsed into sleeping sickness, and given regular nourishment and attention, she lived on and on, through the years, slumbering all the time.

She was able to walk about, she likes to be out-of-doors. through the twelve years.

EXHAUSTED VISITOR ed here.



BROUGHT FOOD TO HULGRY JERUSALEM JEWS-Jubilan Haganah guards who escorted the convoy from the coast to Jerusalem, cheer and wave their weapons in the air on reaching the Jewish quarter of Jerusalem with the biggest food convoy to reach the city. One thousand tons of food was brought to the quarter in 240 trucks over the highway until recently was dominated by the Arabs. Reports said the Arabs were evacuating Jerusalem, fearing a Haganah coup like that at Haifa last week, when the Jewish forces captured the great port city.

## that the "entire transportation system, by water, land and air, City Industries to Hold Open House' Next Week

Citizens to Be Welcomed to Inspect Plants Under Chamber of Commerce Sponsorship

How much do you know about your hometown industries?

Who makes what, where and how is it done? Answers to these questions will be made available mation of four. They peeled off LUUL dam breaks which have flooded ting fire to 18 Jewish homes in to everyone in Prince Rupert next week when city from the formation to make

> neville quoted Menard as saying the edification of their fellow For next week, May 16 to 22

Menard will appear in court is British Columbia Industries' s broke out within a new machinery invented by its at St. Jerome Monday on an Open House Week, sponsored by the Prince Rapert Chamber of the people of Prince Rupert and has been general over southern He also confessed that he Commerce and the Board

> What is it, and why is it done? Well, the idea is to inform the people of this city and province about their industries, and the can be informed.

witness" industry at work.

In Prince Rupert, the idea has met with an enthusiastic response from more than a score of industrial operators who will POWER SHUTOFF welcome visitors graciously next

atomic bomb or Adolf Hitler. how gladly these men welcome the idea of letting visitors into KOREA PLANTS their plants," said A. Don Ritchie, chairman of the Chamber of Commerce "Open House" because now is their busiest dispute that was intensified by day after a long illness. time of year, it is the best time the American-sponsored victory for people to get an understand- in the south Korean independing of their work and produc- ent elections.

plexion is that of a pretty girl, Gerrard, manager of the Cana- installations and industries. Reynolds says she could not re- and A. P. Crawley, Junior came to the aid of auxiliary Sweden. member much of anything, Chamber of Commerce presi- army units in providing needed

point of production. The Board of Trade movement, which sponsors the week, is confident that after it is over, other cties will have a better and central B.C. for the last 36 factories and how industry and ing. Clearing skies are expected

public is being invited to in- the committee emphasized that same pattern as it did yesterday. spect workshops and plants be- they are eager to have visitors | Prince Rupert, Queen Charcause that is the best way they enter their plants during the lottes and North Coast-Over- wark against undemocratic forweek and that they will be cast with widely scattered show- eign ideologies. It is an opportunity to "eye- shown around instructively and ers today and tonight. Cloudy courteously, Mr. Ritchie said.

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# week. "It really is gratifying to see HITS SOUTHERN

her step in springy and alert and Working on the committee ready, however and wheels Iron Works in Linz, Austria, has when she awoke. Her com- with Mr. Ritchie are Neville turned as usual in occupation been purchased by Sweden for Doctors are stumped. Mrs. dian Fish and Cold Storage Co. Two former navy power barges be shipped to Lulea, northern

electricity.

Keen-minded business men A continued shutdown of powwho know that "Open House er from the north, which fur- port the prison commissioners new device to warn motorists of GRAVESEND, Eng. (P-A bit- Week" will give British Colum- nishes more than half the sup- of the United Kingdom stated closing gates at railway crosstern, a bird rarely seen in Eng- bia Industries a chance to dis- ply of power in south Korea, that the morale of women pris- ings has been invented here An land but a frequenter of Euro- play their manufactures and would force rationing upon Kor- oners improved since they were electric breaker in the signal pean moors, was found exhaust- their working processes to their ean factories and residences, allowed to wear lipstick and cos- house flashes a stop signal when consuming friends right at the United States officials warned.

United Nations Vote to Send Mediator to Holy Land As Major Violence Threatens

TEL AVIV (CP)-A solemn assembly of the their way into the Cudahy and Jewish National Council proclaimed the birth of the Company packing plant at mid-Jewish State of Israel today.

The proclamation was broadcast over the newly- terior, set free several thousand opened station "Voice of Israel" eight hours before ried away 30 plant workers as the mandate was officially terminated because Sat- hostages. urday is the Jewish Sabbath.

Pacific Daylight Time.

paper of 1939 which limited

Jewish immigration into Pales-

DAMASCUS, Syria (1)-The

tariat proclaimed last night

Parliament was scheduled to

was sponsored by the United

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The Governor - General re-

KEEPING IN PRACTICE

CERES, Cape Province, South

self when a pigion alighted be-

kicked the hawk and killed it.

Baseball Scores

Western International

Pacific Coast League

San Francisco 5, Hollywood 4.

Sacramento - Seattle, post-

Yakima 7, Victoria 5.

Others postponed, rain.

San Diego 3, Portland 0.

Los Angeles 6, Oakland 5.

States and France.

Arab League's general

### JEWS URGED TO PREPARE FOR INVASION

TEL AVIV. (P)-The Haganah high command today broadcast an appeal to the Jewish population to be ready for the possibility of invasion and air raids against the newly proclaimed Jewish state.

The appeal called for a partial blackout of Jewish cities and for trenches to be dug in David Ben Gorian. rural settlements.

# FIGHIER PLANES CRASH, PILOTS

ANCHORAGE, (P)-Two fighter that a state of war exists beplanes, diving from four miles tween the Arab countries and up, exploded over Anchorage Palestine Jewry. Thursday as residents watched, and then fell in a shower of declared today to be in a state wreckage into the waters of of emergency. Knik Arm.

The planes exploded again in meet this afternoon, informants the water and sent up plumes of said, to impose martial law and black smoke. The second explo- appoint Premier Jamil Mardam sions were heard through this Bey military governor. city of 20,000.

One body, floating in an oil slick, was recovered by a can-tical committee of the special Up committee chairman and he nery tender. The other pilot's body was not found.

Forrest Wood, a local pilot, said that the planes exploded at about 5,000 feet. He said it was difficult to tell whether they collided or ran into trouble in their dive.

The ships were part of a forbusiness and industrial people hold "open house" for what Wood described as a "rout-

## THE WEATHER

Synopsis

The dull showery weather that about the versatility of their signs of improvement this mornits employees serve the public along the coast this evening and tomorrow while the weather in Business people contacted by the interior will follow much the

> Saturday. Winds southerly 15 m. ceived an honorary degree of p.h. today and light Saturday. Doctor of Laws from Chancellor the Assiniboine River continued Little change in temperatures. E. B. Hamber. Low tonight and high Saturday: Port Hardy 43 and 56, Victoria 42 and 55, Prince Rupert 43 and

### FORMER LABOR MINISTER DIES

SEOUL, Korea, (P)— Russian- Heenan, 73, Irish-born locomo- pigion when van der Merwe farmlands. The area is food occupied north Korea cut off tive engi neer who rose to beelectrical power to the United come federal Minister of Labor, committee. "They all feel that States zone in the south in a died at his home here Wednes-

> FATSO'S FURNACE SOLD STOCKHOLM (P)-A blast fur-American authorities were nace from the Hermann Goering an estimated \$2,250,000. It will

BEAUTY AIDS AND MORALE WARN MOTORISTS OF TRAINS LONDON (P)—In a recent re- MELBOURNE, Australia (P)—A the gateman lowers the gates.

# Workers

ST. PAUL, (P)—The Minnesota National Guard was called out today for duty at the strikebound packing plants at Newport and South St. Paul, scene of strike violence.

NEWPORT, Minnesota (P) - A mob estimated at 200 men forced night, heavily damaged the indollars worth of hogs and car-

Early today, all but 11 or 12 The mandate ended at 3 p.m. of the missing men are accounted for.

The proclamation added "as A number of men in the plant from the termination of the were hurt and several have been mandate at midnight tonight, treated for cuts and bruises.

and until the setting up of duly The raiders worked systemelected bodies in accordance with atically and it is believed that the constitution to be drawn up the raid was planned carefully by the Constituent Assembly not in advance. Some were Cudahy later than October 1, 1948, the workers on strike.

### present National Council shall act as the provisional govern-ment of the State of Israel. PUBLICITY GAG The newly named Premier is David Ben Gorian. One of the first steps of the TO EMPHASIZE newly constituted government CLEAN-UP WEEK was to revoke the British white

A small, but well-proportioned building will be transported through downtown streets Saturday afternoon by an ardent band of Junior Chamber of Commerce members who will transform the shabby structure into a splendid thing with a garment of fresh paint.

Loaded on a truck, the minor Syria, in line with this, was civic institution will undergo a public painting job to remind Prince Rupert citizens that the week of May 17 to 22 is "Clean-Up-Paint-Up week in the city.

> A loudspeaker will also din into Prince Rupert's collective

The publicity idea is the brain LAKE SUCCESS (P)-The poli- child of Carson Wallace, Clean-Palestine Assembly voted today has rounded up a group of other to send a United Nations medi- Jaycees who will don coverall ator to the Holy Land. The pro- and wield paint brushes pub-

posal for a peace commissioner licly. But that is not all.

The committee also has received the official blessing for Clean-Up-Paint-Up and the city council has agreed to employ the garbage truck at a specified date next week to enable householders to clear away excess rubbish from about their homes.

"We know that people are working hard to beautify their VANCOUVER (P)—Canada's homes, but there are still a lot of Governor-General, Viscount Al- places that a little effort could exander, delivering a convoca- transform into something attion address at the University of tractive," Mr. Wallace said. "We British Colunibia Thursday, said are inclined to get used to un-"my days of active soldiering are tidyness if we look at it long behind me-forever, I hope, but enough. We should try and look we are going through difficult at our city through a tourist's times. My sword is now in my eyes."

# He told University men and PRAIRIE FLOODS women that education is a bul-

WINNIPEG (P)-Peak waters of today to threaten thousands of acres in the heart of southern Manitoba, with floods battering a mile-long dyke on the south Africa (P)—Jannie van der Merwe, side of the river, six miles east a footballer, was sunning him- of Portage la Prairie.

If the struggle to hold back side him. A hawk plummetted the water fails, the river will down and was about to seize the roll southeast toward Oakville with danger of further flooding sixty-five miles west of Winni-

## Fish Sales

Canadian Olympia, 13,000, 15.50, 14 and 9, Storage.

Reward, 12,000, Co-op. Stream, 7,000, Co-op. Borgund, 14,000, Co-o. Connie Jean, 19,000, Co-op. Capella, 22,000, Co-op. Goni, 23,000, Co-op.

### LOCAL TIDES

Saturday,	May 15,	1948
High	5:44	18.2 feet
	19:17	17.2 feet
Low	12:38	4.8 feet