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MANILA, President Man-

Vice-President Alcido Marino

Against New Freight Rates

OTTAWA, (P)-The Board of

Transport Commissioners, as a

first step in the general freight

rates inquiry, today called for

briefs from provincial govern-

ments and other parties claim-

ing unfair treatment under the

are to be in by May 25 and will

THE WEATHER

remain mild throughout Bri-

tish Columbia today and Fri-

The weather is expected to

The briefs of the provinces

present rate structure.

Invited by Transport

succeeds Roxas.

BRIEFS OF

PROVINCES

Commissioners

N. B. WALTON

Brotherhood of Mainof Way Employees, alton commended the e for the fine service. during recent difficult Mr. Walton, now C.N.R.

IOR OF WAR ISES PANIC

ENHAGEN, O- Rumors ar had broken out bethe United States and caused a near panic to-Jutland. Newspaper telelines were jammed. Ori-

ocut the retail sales tax hree to two per cent was fown on a show of hands Legislature last night. Coalitionists — James of Alberni; Mrs. Tilly Point-Grey, and W. A. mett, South Okanagan-

ted the Opposition. ed without opposition.

w \$8,500 Swimming Pool est Project of Gyro Club Service Organization Pledges Existing

regions.

Resources and Mortgages Future Efforts

pert 32 and 50.

taking existing resources and mortgaging maxi- the bloody uprising which the with scowloads of lumber. Shipmoney-raising efforts, the Prince Rupert Gyro Colombian government and ment will arrive at 10-day inlast night, in a special business session, decided State Secretary George Marshall tervals. stal a new concrete swimming pool in McCly- of the United States attributed For years, Juneau Spruce Cor-Park at an estimated initial cost of \$8,500. The belegates voted unanimously lumber by steamship and ocean will be in addition to the existing children's to resume the conference sest tow to Tacoma and Seattle, but

ning instruction work. Pro-1 size is 30 by 75 feet. slope on the southeast of Hays Creek. A comtaking to date in the Gyro slong record of playground opment, may be commencmost immediately.

ambitious proposal was red before the general club ership by W. M. Watts, man of the playground littee, and was the prinsubject of discussion at meeting. The special fincommittee was named in persons of Dr. R. G. Large, Mills and A. M. Hurst.

asked to investigate the poslies of swimming pool defear of the Civic Centre. ich other club business was by Dr. R. G. Large. or consideration including Guests were Alf Olsen of Banff munist activities. in the Prince Rupert Gen- ver. Hospital which Dr. R. G. Night on May 7, which is artments.

Direction in the United States. now sprouting luxuriant beards. against communism in the west-Induced by the dictates of ern hemisphere. proposed site is on the fashion and substantial prizes which are to be presented, many other men about town are fond- LABOR ACT financial arrangements so the project inthe the project, largest single to neat Van Dykes. Meantime, clean-shaven Gyros are under constant pressure.

night's meeting included: June 5—Tag Day. October 16—Apple Day.

Ocotber 29—Hallowe'en Hoe-On May 15 a dancing party

e playground committee was affair being Dr. Jens Munthe and Allan Sheardown.

ment on First Avenue to club—A. M. Hurst and Norman strikers is dropped. Baker-were installed last night

refurnishing of the Gyro and Orville Moscrip of Vancou-

e reported well under way. in the chair. Prior to the dinfor the total under way. In the chair. The members High for the forthcoming Klon- at his suite in the Waldron Ap-

Russian Planes Violate Alaska Skies President of Ketchikan Lumber May Follow OUTLAW BILL If Juneau Shipments Feasible NOT POPULAR

Test Shipment of 635,000 Feet of Lumber Arrives Here From Alaska Capital—Destined For East and Mid-west

at Ketchikan.

States."

The cargo is destined for pur-

chasers in the east and middle-

west. Some of it is still unsold

A number of local Canadian

and will be marketed enroute.

National Railways officials were

on hand to witness the arrival

SHANNON AIRPORT, (P) -

at Shannon airport. Nineteen of

WALLACE'S PROMISES

WASHINGTON-Henry Wal-

lace, presidential aspirant, to-

day promised repeal of the

Taft-Hartley Law, \$100 per

month old age pension, \$1 an

hour minimum wage, control

against Wall Street and

friendship with Russia.

of the shipment.

If shipment of lumber from Juneau to the United ing in the first period set aside Palace announced early today. States, via Prince Rupert proves feasible, Ketchikan during this session for the dis-He was stricken Thursday and Spruce Mills may route American shipments the same cussion of public bills introhis illness was at first diag- way, Edward Ellis of Seattle, assistant district man- duced by private members. It a brain hemorrhage was given ager of States Steamships said here Wdenesday given for such legislation and afternoon.

death. He had suffered from a heart ailment for a number of Roxas collapsed while addressing American troops at an Stanley Cup

> DETROIT (Scoring three goals in each of the first two periods, Toronto Maple Leafs Wednesday night defeated Detroit Red Wings by a score to 2, capturing the Stanley Cup in four straight victories in a.m. Sunday making an un- Monday. the best of five final for the troubled passage over the 340 H. Graham Morison, assistant

By plastering Detroit in the four games after whipping Boston in five of the opening playoff round, the Leafs swept to their second straight cup triumph and their fourth in eigh years under Coach Clarence (Happy) Day. Altogether it is the sixth time the battered old trophy has reposed in Toronto.

be turned over to the railways which will be given until June IS HELD UP

Widow of Slain Colombian Leader Obdurate-Conference Resumes

day. Skies will be cloudy in most Prince Rupert, Queen Charlottes and North Coast-Clear riot-wracked Colombia today. He Steamship Co., ownership of the the House adjourned today. Cloudy Friday. Wind was Jorge Eliecer Gaitan, assas- two firms is largely in the same dnight, a clause dealing light. Little change in tempera- sinated leader of the Liberal op- hands, therefore he was sent to ood for human consump- ture. Lows tonight and highs position to Conservative Presi- supervise the shipment, Mr ad been adopted and the Friday: Port Hardy 40 and 58, dent Mariano Ospina Perez. His Ellis, said. The Santrina exemption clause was Massett 35 and 48, Prince Ru- widow said yesterday—the day owned by the mill.

rebellion that ravaged this capi- cars. A dry dock locomotive fines were for contempt. Later Primate of the Church of Eng-

The Pan-American conference | When the project gets under resumed work yesterday in the way, the Santrina will be kept revolt-battered city after having continuously busy shuttling bebeen broken up five days ago by tween Prince Rupert and Juneau

sions here. One of the first this is the company's first bid Specially for actual swim- already attracting much advance items on the conference agenda to market common grades in

VICTORIA, (P - Amendments onstant pressure.

A number of other activities the Legislature late last night CRASH TAKES for the year, most of them in the renewed effort for the swim- ter of labor, give most of the THRTY LIVES ing pool, were set down at last powers of the minister to the newly-appointed Labor Rela-Thirty persons were reported tions Board.

The Board will make all deci- killed today in the wreck of a sions on conciliation and arbi- Pan-American World Airways tration and will supervise strike Constellation, "Empire of the Skies." The plane, bound from votes and prosecutions.

The minister will administer London to New York, crashed the Act and deal with appoint- and burned while trying to land

The industrial commission's those killed were Americans. No Latest new members of the clause to penalize individual Canadians were aboard. A Cali-

fornia man is the sole survivor. There is nothing in the bill to set up restrictions on com-

LOCAL TIDES

Friday, April 16, 1948 18.4 feet

OTTAWA - (P)-A bill to outlaw the Communist party in Canada last night ran into heavy opposition in the House of Commons Sponsored by Wilfrid Lacroix, Independent, Quebec, Montmornow goes to the bottom of the Mr. Ellis accompanied a test list of public bills. shipment of spruce lumber

which arrived here at 5 p.m. Wednesday from Juneau and is now being transferred to rail LEWIS DECISION The scow carried 635,000 board ON MONDAY NEXT

feet of common grade spruce WASHINGTON, D.C., (P) In tow of the 95-foot diesel Judge T. Alan Goldsborough totug Santrina, Capt. Louis Bag- day heard arguments of John gen, the steel scow left Juneau L. Lewis in the contempt trial Spruce Corporation wharf at 8 and put off any decision until

world's professional hockey miles of water. Mr. Ellis left attorney general, argued for the Juneau by air, joining the tug government that Lewis and the United Mine Workers were clearlearn whether or not handling Prince Rupert," he said. "If it

Lawyers for Lewis made only proves to be, we will continue one sentence of argument: "The shipping throughout the summer and, we hope, through the government has failed to prove

Yesterday Lewis and the U. "I learned at Ketchikan," he M.W.A. made their formal plea declared, "that, if this proves of "not guilty" after Judge practicable for the Juneau Goldsborough had overruled a Spruce Corporation, the Ketmotion to dismiss the contempt chikan Spruce Mills may also citation. Immediately after Lewuse this route for shipping is entered his plea, government lumber to the States. We want lawyers began presenting evito know whether or not we dence to show the seriousness can compete with mills in the of the strike.

On Monday Lewis issued While there is no corporate BOGOTA (P)-A dead man connection between Juneau 000 soft coal miners following threatened the political peace of Spruce Corporation and States agreement of employers to grant pensions of \$100 per month to workers over the age of 62.

Meantime about half the miners had gone back to work 18 but many were waiting to see how Lewis comes out in this sec- Church of England in Canada set for his state funeral—that Shortly after the shipment ar- ond encounter with Golds- and the United Church of Canshe would not let him be buried rived, longshoremen of Pacific borough. It was Goldsborough ada on Tuesday were urged to until the President had resigned. Stevedoring Co. began unload- who fined Lewis \$10,000 person- intensify their study of diffiing the scow and placing the ally and the union \$3,500,000 in culties which stand in the way Gaitan's fatal shooting last lumber in box cars. The lum. 1946 because they ignored a of union of the churches. Friday touched off a Colombian ber is expected to fill about 25 court order to end a strike. The

Basebail Scores

Pacific Coast

Portland 5, Hollywood 4. San Francisco 7, San Diego 3. Los Angeles 6, Sacramento 5. Oakland 5, Seattle 0.

Vancouver

Bralorne

B.R. Con.

Dentonia

Cariboo Quartz

Grull Wihksne

Hedley Mascot

Premier Border

Reeves McDonald

Pend Oreille

Salmon Gold

Sheep Creek

Taylor Bridge

Taku River ...

Pacific Eastern

Central Zeballos

Silbak Premier

Spud Valley

A.P. Con.

Calmont

C. & E.

Athona

Beattie

Aumaque

Home

Hedley Amalgamated

Toronto

Vananda

Congress

B.R.X.

Minto .

Pioneer

Privateer



EGYPT'S KING DISTRIBUTES LAND PLOTS-King Farouk of Egypt turns the handle of a lottery drum at Kafr Saad, in the Kharbia province of Egypt, as members of his cabinet look on. By lottery means, the king distributed plots of land, about five acres each, to 600 poor families and graduates of agricultural schools. New dwellings for these destitute farmers will be built on their land under government auspices.

"This is a test shipment to ly in contempt of court for con- SEATTLE SHIPPING OFFICIALS tinuing the coal mine work and shipping costs will make it stoppage for a week after the feasible to ship lumber through court order had been issued for AFRAID OF CANADIAN VESSELS

Could Drive American Ships From Alaska crashed north of Nome two days Trade, Company Executives Admit

WASHINGTON, D.C. (CP)—Seattle officials of was made from Air Force headsteamship lines serving Alaska testified before a quarters as to the Ketchikan Senate sub-committee today that proposals to per- report). mit Canadian vessels to serve Alaska ports would drive United States vessels from the trade.

"As wages and other costs on Canadian vessels *are substantially lower than WIN IN WAR

Co., said.

Anglican-United Fusion Advocated By Two Heads

TORONTO (P)—Members of the

tal and left three hundred per-crane is being used to unload the Union's fine was cut to land in Canada, and Rt. Rev. T. W. Jones, moderator of the United Church, issued a joint letter with a view of stimulating consideration of suggestions for a mutually acceptable ministry which were presented in 1946 to the Anglican General Synod and the United Church General Council.

:: TODAY'S STOCKS ::

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Bevcourt

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Giant Yellowknife

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Hardrock

Harricana

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Bobjo

Conwest

Donalda

Eldona

Elder

Heva

Hosco

Jacknife

Lapaska

Moneta

Noranda

Regcourt

Louvicourt

Pickle Crow

San Antonio

Steep Rock

Silver Miller

Senator Rouyn

Sherrit Gordon

Sturgeon River

Negus .

Lynx

Joliet Quebec

Little Long Lac

Madsen Red Lake

McLeod Cockshutt

McKenzie Red Lake

Lake Rowan

STRIKE NEAR END

This is now prohibited.

VANCOUVER - Immediate settlement of the 45-day-old strike of West Coast deepsea ships' officers is anticipated

today following announcement by ship-owners that no penalties will be imposed. CANUCKS BEAT HAWKS

VANCOUVER - Vancouver Canucks eked out a 7 to 6 win over San Diego Sky Hawks here last night. Canucks now

HANGING SUSPENDED

LONDON - In an historic seven - hour debate on the sanctity of human life which brought scenes of tumult to Commons, Parliament decided last night to dispense with the hangman's noose for an experimental period of five years. The vote was 245 to 22. House of Lords has yet to confirm the measure.

AMERICANS BLOCKED VIENNA — Russian troops today set up a road block which isolates the American air base at Tulin. It is not known yet what action the Americans will take.

KETCHIKAN "STREAK" KETCHIKAN — A mysterious bright orange streak was seen in the sky near Ketchikan last night. It was believed to be about 800 feet above the sea. It might have been an airplane or it might have been a flare.

Mysterious Lingering

Statements Made By Publisher Bill Baker of Ketchikan

KETCHIKAN (CP) -Publisher William L. Baker, writing for the Ketchikan Chronicle after a three weeks' tour of Alaska, said today that reports of Russian planes having violated the Alaskan skies are correct. The article added, however, that both American and Russian planes crossed the border into each other's territory over a period of sveral months.

He also said that a "mysterious submarine" had lingered in Aleutian Island waters for about ten days. The Navy had a fix on the submarine by radar and had awaited word from Washington as to what action to take. Several thousand personnel at Aleutian bases had been put on

the alert and leaves cancelled. The Chronicle also said that it had reports that a B-29 which after Christmas "had a Soviet shell in her belly."

seems obvious to me that this JERUSALEM, bill would result in Canadian sources said today that 2,000 vessels driving American pas-, Jewish fighters had scored a senger vessels from the trade." "decisive victory" over an Arab S. A. Zeusler, assistant presivolunteer army led by Fawzi dent of the Alaska Steamship Bey Al Kaukji in northern Palestine. Information said that Zeusler referred to the proposed amendment to maritime there had been 200 Arab casualties and that the Jews had caplaws which would permit Canatured seven field guns.

dian vessels to carry passengers Yesterday an explosion rocked between Alaska ports. Another the Jewish Yemen Moshe quarwould permit Canadian vessels ter of Jerusalem and the crackle to carry merchandise originatof small arms fire followed. ing in the United States from Arab sources said that Arabs Canadian ports to Alaskan ports. drove up in a captured Haga armored car and placed a box of The hearing continues today explosives in a house at the edge of the quarter. Members of Hagana, Jewish militia, opened fire after the blast but the raiders escaped to the Arab-controlled Jaffa Gate, the informants

Federal Government Sees "Communistic Propaganda"

OTTAWA, (P) Charging that an anti-price rise delegation, meeting in the capital this week, was "being used for communislead the best of seven series tic propaganda," the governfor the Pacific Coast Hockey ment refused to see five hund-League title three games to red men and women assembled

from across Canada. Mrs. Rae Luckock of Toronto, president of the 11-year old Toronto Housewives' Consumers' Association, said she "very much resented" the charges. She described the group as "definitely

non-political." The delegation had brought with it a petition, urging return to price control and subsidies which it wished to present to government heads. The petition

had been signed by one million persons throughout the country, Mrs. Luckock said. LABOR AMENDMENTS

VICTORIA - New amendments to the Labor Act offered by Minister of Labor Wismer call for supervised poll of workers on "reasonable" company offers, appointment by Canadian companies of bargaining representatives within the province and the cancellation of union agreements on violation of arbitration regulations.