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RUN STARTS

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me Minister St. Laurent Admits Feeling for General Election DUNIAIN FREIGHT DIFFERENTIAL TO END

ests Dissolution of ament at Once

EAU, Ontario (CP)-Prime, Minister St., bteween Montreal and the West when asked about rumors abroad dhere today that his tour of the west ind- Indies with the sailing at noon that Russia was trying for a rem that "the people feel there should be an of the 7500-ton "Canadian Con- sumption of four-power talks m." He told a press conference aboard his of Capt. D. C. Wallace D.S.C., te to Ottawa that it would be possible to R.D., O.B.E. The vessel is bound rliament almost at once and carry on fin-

ritories.

influenza.

ical supplies.

EDMONTON (P)-A Royal Can-

by defeating a fighting Clyde

Dundee 4, Partick Thistle 2

East Fife 5, Albion Rovers 1

Hibernian 2, Falkirk 0 (Sched-

Motherwell 1, Morton 0 (sched-

Only recognition of ancient

custom was when the three other

Henry Brown and Henry Watts

-acknowledged their new Chief's

sovereignty by placing their

The new Chief's position as

leader of the band is unique in a

manner similar to that of his

father. The late Chief Edward

Gamble was a Bella Bella man

who was invited to the position

of paramount chief at Kitkatla

many years ago when the other

chiefs of the village found them-

selves unable to agree on tribal

The new chief was elected by

his fellow villagers earlier this

their choice was submitted to the

hands upon his head.

(Scheduled Oct. 30)

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4 (seeduled March 5).

SON OF EDWARD GAMBLE

ATLA—The mantle of authority of para-

ef of this Porcher Island native band was

nesday to Russell Howard Gamble, 25-year

the late Chief Edward H. Gamble, O.B.E., at

y in St. Peter's Church attended by visitors

people ,20 0of them Kitkatla Chiefs-Matthew Hill,

y native village from Bella Coola north.

ead of supply voted MERCY FLIGHT

FOR ESKIMOS adian Air Force Dakota plane, 6,000 miles of carrying medical aid to an epiincluded twenty demic-ridden Eskimo settlement gerous private con- at Cambridge Bay, 200 miles in-

iberals

of One is Worth d That of Another

HN, N.B., (P)-Con_ ritime tour here last sive - Conservative GLASGOW WINS charging another GLASGOW (Glasgow Ranacies and misrepre- gers today won the Scottish Cup

said that Mr. Clax- squad 4-1. The Rangers copped first denied that the Scottish Association's anplanes were in stor- nual classic before more than newspape pictures 120,000 fans. es that planes were were:

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egan at 5 p.m. in St.

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- Prince Rupert

HAMPIONSHIP

TONIGHT

tional Steamships yesterday be- ers from Russia has come his structor," under the command on the German occupation. Nassau, Bahamas, and - Kingston, Jamaica, with a heavy cargo of flour, medical supplies, BRITAIN TO paper products and other Can-BUY WHEAT adian goods.

The Canadian Constructor. which arrived here on April 13, party workers and side the Arctic Circle, took off West Indies fleet.

yesterday from Fort Nelson, B.C. for Sawmill Bay, Northwest Ter-Air Force officials here said

hat, after refuelling there, the COAL INDUSTRY plane was scheduled to continue to Cambridge Bay where fifteen OUTLOOK GOOD

Eskimos are reported dead of OTTAWA ()-Federal authorities say the outlook is good for The plane is carrying a doctor, Canada's coal industry. Despite the 25,000-men industry.

NO RUSSIAN PEACE FEELERS

MONTREAL Canadian Na- Truman said that no peace feelgan its 1949 schedule of service way. He made the statement

was the first of the company's trade officers term as "splenvsesels to return here this year. did" a British proposal to con-Other C.N.S. ships now in port tinue buying Canadian wheat are the Constructor's sister ship through the United Kingdom's Canadian Cruiser, and the pas- own supply of American dollars. senger vessel Lady Nelson, flag- The proposal was outlined by a ship of the Canadian National's British source in Washington.

Officials, who have not heard (Capt. Wallace was at Prince of the proposal officially said Rupert for a time during the the institution of the proposal war as naval officer in charger. would give Canada "further confidence" that the wheat contract was to be fulfilled.

HAP DAY RE-SIGNED

TORONTO-Clarence (Happy) Day today signed a 1949-50 contwo nurses, a dispenser and med- some regional predictions that tract as coach of the Toronto hard times are ahead-notably Maple Leafs hockey club; it was from Alberta-officials say they announced. He has already can see no cause for gloom in coached the club to five Stanley!



THEIR ROYAL HIGHNESSES the Princess Elizabeth and Duke of Edinburgh are pictured during a visit to Man-

George Hills left today by air on a trip to Vancouver.

BEGAN WAR Germany invaded Poland on September 1, 1939.

Nanking Falls to Red

had confirmed Scottish Division A results Fast Time sthat planes were were:

ways, Steamships Continue on Standard

Daylight Saving in British Columbia will become effective at midnight tonight. Judging from the comment one hears on the streets, the change cannot be described as popular, particularly on account of the confusion it

However, like it or not, the clocks go forward as from midnight tonight and means an hour's less sleep for everyone including those who

get up to go to church. The fast time continues untill September 25.

fining their runs to British Columbia ports go on daylight time. Those which go to Alaska stay on Standard time.

TODAY'S BASEBALL

Boston 11, New York 8 (New York's first defeat) Washington 1, Philadelphia 14

National League Cincinnati 4, Pittsburgh 5. Boston 6, New York 6 (called end ninth, rain).

St. Louis 2, Chicago 5. New York 5, Boston 3. Detroit 3, Cleveland 4 (10 in-

Philadelphia 2, Washington 2. Pacific Coast League Los Angeles 1, Oakland 0. Sacramento 7, San Diego 2. San Francisco 7, Hollywood 5. Portland at Seattle postpon-

Called to the ceremony by the Western International League Wenatchee 20, Bremerton 10 Salem at Tacoma, Yakıma at Victoria, Spokane at Vancouver, 11 postponed, rain.

NATIONALIST DEFENCE CRUMBLING -SHANGHAI NEXT ON LIST

Is Going On abandoned Nanking today and departing Nationalist troops blew up the big railway station just outside the Local Clocks Change-Rail- undefended walls of the capital. All along the Yangtse River, demoralized government troops gave way before a Red assault that breached the great river

enraged stone-throwing crowd could still make a stand was besieged Britain's top Commun- question. Demoralization has ist Harry Pollitt in a building set in among many units. Many; for hours here early today. He have quit fighting to sit down; finally escaped unharmed.

The incident followed the Fremier Ho Ying_Chin has break-up of a political meeting taken over the defence ministry where Pollitt had discussed the and presumably flew to the unshelling of four British ships certain haven of Shanghai which by Chinese Communists.

REGINA (Three persons were shot to death and another was found alive with throat cut in a farm home forty miles southeast of Prince Albert, the Royal Canadian Mounted Police report. The dead are: Mrs. Katherina Balatsky, aged 29; her son, Bohda, 6, and A. D. Theodore Adamovic, aged 48.

The husband of the dead woman is given an even chance of recovering from his throa wound.

Police say that Balatsky under guard in Wakaw Hospital No charges have been laid.

The police say that a rifle, axe and knife are believed to have been used in the slayings.

CIVIC CENTRE

APRIL 27 - 30

barrier. Four Nationalist armies, totalling probably 100,000 men, have retreated southward. They left Nanking's waterfront in flames and the city unprotected from the fury of looting mobs. DARTMOUTH, Eng., (P) An Whether government troops and await their conquerors.

> may be the next objective of the Communists. Canton seems likely to become the refugee capital.

In London a British Foreign Office spokesman said today that Chinese Nationalist guns, as well as Communist artillery, had fired on a British ship in the Yangtse River. The spokesman indignantly denied a charge that British ships on the river had joined Nationalists in an attack against Communist positions on the north bank.

Officials are still waiting for news of the outcome of two attempts to secure a Communist cease-fire to aid the battered British frigate Amethyst. CRESCENT IS

STANDING BY

Naval headquarters in Ottawa last night said the Canadian destroyer Crescent was standing by at Hong Kong to evacuate Canadian citizens if necessary. It is not engaged in action on the who came north from Victoria Society, has written to the King war-engulfed Yangtse River.

should this prove necessary."

R.C.A.F. PLANE LOST IN EAST

took to the air yesterday a missing Royal Canadian Air Force aircraft with seven men aboard. The plane was report- be removed by July 1. ed overdue on a flight from Ottawa's Rockcliffe airport Chatham, New Brunswick.

The medium-sized plane, Beechcraft Expediter, carried six airmen and a Royal Canad-

TODAVIO STOCKS

TODAY'S STOCKS (Courtesy S. D. Johnston Co. Ltd.)	
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Vancouver	
Bayonne	.061/2
Bralorne	9.25
B. R. Con.	.031/4
B. R. X.	10
Cariboo Quartz	1.30
Congress	
Hedley Mascot	
Pend Oreille	4.10
Pioneer	3.50
Premier Border	.023
Privateer	
Reeves McDonald	
Sheep Creek	
Silbak Premier	
Taku River (ask)	30
Vananda	.25
Salmon Gold	.13
Spud Valley	.07
Oils	
Anglo Canadian	3.75
A. P. Con,	.23
Atlantic	.65
Calmont	.40
C. & E.	4.75
Central Leduc	.90
Home Oil	10.35
Mercury	.11
Okalta	2.35
Pacific Pete	2.41
Princess	.26
Royal Canadian	.081/2
South Brazeau	.16
Toronto	
Athono	141/

Aumaque Beattie Bevcourt Bobjo Buffalo Canadian Consol. Smelters Conwest Donalda Eldona East Sullivan Giant Yellowknife God's Lake SECRETARY OF Hardrock Harricana Hosco Jacknife Joliet Quebec Lake Rowan Lapaska Little Long Lac Madsen Red Lake McKenzie Red Lake McLeod Cockshutt Moneta Negus Noranda Louvicourt Pickle Crow Regcourt 4.15 San Antonio Senator Rouyn 1.93 Sherrit Gordon Steep Rock

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McEwen, leader of the Protestant Truth for the wedding this week of asking him not to give per-The statement said the Cres- their daughter, Donna, to Thom- mission for Princess Margaret cent was "primarily" at the dis- as George, are leaving on Mon- to visit Pope Pius during her posal of Canadian ambassador day's train for Smithers to spend forthcoming tour of Italy. to China, T. C. Davis, "particu- a few days visiting after which "While an official visit might larly to render assistance in they will come back here for justify one's course of action, a evacuating Canadian citizens another week before proceeding private visit is in a different to Victoria.

Sturgeon River

Silver Miller

TO BE EFFECTIVE JULY 1-SUCCESS-FUL CULMINATION OF B.C.'S LONG FIGHT

OTTAWA, (CP)-Removal of the historic mountain differential freight rate and above normal char-HALIFAX ()_ seven planes ges on some hauls over the Rockies was ordered today to by the Board of Transport Commissioners. In a judgstart a dawn-to-dusk search for ment climaxing a long battle over the contentious rates, the Board told the railways that the rate must

> The Mountain differential rate to which is 11/4 times the prairie scale is estimated to cost freight

ian Air Force civilian employee. application to the Board for re- territory in British Columbia. moval of the rate in the sum- This was estimated at more than mer of 1948, claiming it to be \$9,000 a year. Elimination of "unjustly discriminatory" against this special revenue, the Canad. the province. However, other ian Pacific Railway claimed. western provinces took varying would create a need that could positions on the issue.

ing last fall in the west and con- that, if the board took off the cluding here in February, Bri- | differential ,it immediately their unit costs were higher in cation for a twenty percent prairies.

The railways contended that the \$3,500,000 which they get annually from the differential rate amounted to only a fraction of shippers about \$4,500,000 a year. the actual increased operating The B. C. government made costs caused by the mountain be filled only by imposition of a general two percent increase In a series of hearings open- across the country. It asked tish Columbia submitted that grant such a general rate inthe railways had not proven crease—in addition to its appli-British Columbia than on the hoist already before the Commissioners.

MONTREAL (P)_ Albert San-

eral prosecutor, told Judge T.

It is believed the fines con-

The Royal Canadian Mounted

Police, searching for stolen

bonds, accidentally stumbled

THE WEATHER

Synopsis An active storm which gave FOR EVASION over a half an inch of rain at FOR EVASION several points as it moved over the south coast early this morning is now pushing into the in- soucy, wealthy textile merchant terior. Rain which is falling in was yesterday sentenced to the central interior will move \$100,000 in fines or 21/2 years into the northern interior early imprisonment on five charges this morning. Showers are ex- involving \$1,000,000 in tax evaspected in the southern in- ion by himself and his company. terior region. Clearing will take | Claude Prevost, special fedplace overnight in most sections but more cloud and rain A. Fontaine in criminal court is forecast for the coast tomor- yesterday that Sansoucy has row as another disturbance ap- paid back or is repaying the proaches British Columbia from government the amount due in the west.

Forecast

stitute a record in Canada for Queen Charlottes and North tax evasion. Coast-Clear, northern section, and overcast with rain southern section, becoming overcast with intermittent rain all sections this afternoon, Overcast upon a safety deposit box cache with showers this evening and of more than \$1,000 in Canadian cloudy Sunday morning with af- and United States security and ternoon winds southeasterly (15 currency. m.p.h.) tomorrow morning, increasing to southeasterly (25) WOULD SCUTTLE in afternoon. Little change in WOULD SCUTTLE temperature. Lows tonight and Rupert 38 and 48,

ARMY RESIGNS

ident Truman has accepted the

return to private life. In a let_

ter he said: "My recent per-

sonal inspection in overseas

theatres has shown the Army

everywhere to be in excellent

belief that war is not inevitable.'

highs tomorrow: Port Hardy 38 HART FORMULA and 54, Massett 36 and 50, Prince HART FORMULA Vancouver (P-The Vancou-

tax arrears.

ver News-Herald says that Esquimalt Progressive-Conservatives are prepared to scuttle the Hart formula in nominating their own candidate in the rid-

Commander Charles T. Beard. resignation of Secretary of the Liberal, was elected in 1945 but Army Kenneth Royall who wrote | the seat is traditionally Conserthe President that he wants to vative, the paper claims.

Under the formula, the nomination of a candidate to oppose the C.C.F. must be a Liberal but the story says that the Conservatives will "cold shoulder" the Liberals to avenge "something condition and has confirmed the wrong with the convention in

Leader of British Protestant Body Objects to Visit

LONDON (P) J. A. Kensit,

relationship," Kensit wrote.

LOCAL TIDES (Standard Time) Sunday, April 24, 1949

17.5 feet 18.9 feet 7.3 feet 6.3 feet

A SPECIAL MEETING

will be held

MONDAY, APRIL 25 8 P.M. - CIVIC CENTRE All members please attend

E OF MEETING general meeting of re Association mem. be held Tuesday, a at 7:30 p.m. The will consider a recomto construct a new fley wing.

8:30 p.m. AT CIVIC CENTRE

year by unanimous vote and Indian department for approval. The approval was forthcoming

and preparations begun for the inaugural. great bell of St. Peter's Church, which was a gift from the people G. HAM, Secretary.

of Prince Rupert, the procession proceeded to the church. (Continued on Page 6)

Railways and telegraph offices continue to operate on standard time. Steamers con-

American 6

Chicago 2, St. Louis 9. American League

Exhibits accepted Tuesday, April 26, 2-5 p.m. — 7-9 p.m.