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Mystery Surrounds Death of East London Chinese Youth

WIDER MARKETS ESSENTIAL IF CANADA IS TO CONTINUE ON ROAD TO PROSPERITY

King Government Seeks Lower Living Costs by Increasing Production.

CUT FREIGHT RATES

Will Attack Atlantic Freight Combine and Develop All Canadian Ports.

MORE IMMIGRANTS

Will Also Introduce Legislation For Senate Reform-No Tariff Changes.

Canadian Press Despatch Ottawa, Feb. 5 .- Reduction of the of the government in this session e parliament. This was indicated i the speech from the throne delivered

at the opening of parliament today. There was no reference to any tariff changes. Wider markets, lower freight rates, control of shipping, bet ter immigration and continued econ omy are the means by which the government will seek to accomplis

Speech From Throne.

Lord Byng, in delivering the speed from the throne, spoke as follows: "Honorable Members of the Senate: Members of the House of Com-

"I have pleasure in welcoming you to the fourth session of the fourteenth parliament

"Since prorogation, the economic situation throughout the world has notably improved. For Canada, the year 1924 was a period of substantial progress. In trade alone, the excess value of exports over imports was more than \$260,000,000. The present year opens with prospects of sound and steady development. The financial and trade situation justifier expectation of an early return to the gold basis.

The problem of the cost of living is the most important that my ministers have in mind at the present time, and eevry effort is being made to improve conditions with respect thereto. It is apparent that even the most rigid economy in public expend- freight rates will, in some measure, itures will not suffice to solve this necessarily depend upon the decision pressing problem, and the problem of axation incidental therefore. Their agreement. With regard to ocean Iltimate solution lies largely in increased production and the develop- trade due to the exactions of the ment of new and wider markets. It is to be borne continually in mind as the North Atlantic Steamship Conference. Your approval will be that the existing burden of taxation asked of a measure aimed at affordpenditure in the nature of payments and obligations arising out of the our important ports on the St. Lawwar, and to the encumbered position of the national railways.

"To aid in an increase of produc- navigation tion through the development of our past natural resources, every effort is being made to attract the right class of immigrants to Canada and the prosecution and extradition of laws of two countries respecting smuggling and the prosecution and extradition of the honorable the senate." And there is the honorable the senate." to secure their settlement in the undeveloped areas served by our great transportation systems. In due great transportation systems. In due great transportation systems. In due the United States have been negocourse steps will be taken to further colonization and settlement in other mitted for your approval prior to their read the speech from the throne. fertile regions such as those of the

Equalize Freight Rates.

The cost of production of raw materials and the necessaries of life has been lessened by the reductions in the tariff and the sales tax effected at the last session. It is becoming increasingly evident, however, that quite as important a factor as the customs tariff in their effect upon the customs tariff in their effect upon and living costs are certain trade agreements, to legislate the return of new memoers. These, to respect the formally introduced, and Premier King rose to other important matters.

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**Tophore of the Hous transportation costs and rates, Men by land and sea. It is the opinion of my advisers that the at- fiscal year and the estimates for the tention of parliament at the present coming year will be promptly subsession should be directed more particularly to the desirability of effectticularly to the desirability of effecting a freer movement of commodities respect to the public services and through an equalization of railway public works. freight rates between provinces and localities, and through a lowering of carrying charges upon shipments by water of the products of the farm, the mine, the forest, the fisheries end of our manufacturing industries

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Point Heralds Another

ALL IN GOOD HUMOR

Ottawa, Feb. 5.—His excellency the

political uncertainties. Will the ses-

sion be a bitter battleground pre-

months and the life of the present

parliament end next year, having run its constitutional course? As mem-bers gathered today, there was much

discussion of days in prospect, much

gossip of events to come.

It was a brilliant scene as his ex

cellency the governor-general ros in the senate chamber to read th

in the senate chamber to read the speech from the throne and thus out-

line the government's proposed legis

lative program for the session. Military uniforms, the red and ermine o

supreme court judges, the display of

dresses in the crowded galleries-once again they lent their touch o color to an already colorful ceremony

Booming of Guns.

liament buildings, the customar booming of guns from Nepean Poin

lency, members of the house gather

Prior to the arrival of his excel

Lemieux Announces Vacancies.

mistakes"-so runs the old formula-

with due solemnity session after ses-

take up business of the crown in con-

The speaker presented reports from the chief electoral officer and

the joint report of the librarians of parliament. Then Premier King moved that the speech from the throne be considered on Monday. Ap-

pointment followed of a striking

sidering the speech from the throne

commons to conduc

sion but never getting further

Canadian Press Despatch

LEADING FIGURES AT OPENI NG OF PARLIAMENT TODAY.

sessional program was outlined in the speech from the throne today, and Baron Byng (right) of Vimy, governor-general of Canada, who officially opened the fourth session of Canada's fourteenth parliament at 1:26 c'elock these grounds will describe the fourth session of Canada's fourteenth parliament at 1:26 c'elock these grounds will describe the fourth session of Canada's fourteenth parliament at 1:26 c'elock these grounds will describe the fourth session of Canada's fourteenth parliament at 1:26 c'elock these grounds will describe the fourth session of Canada's fourteenth parliament at 1:26 c'elock the fourth session of Canada's fourteenth parliament at 1:26 c'elock these grounds will describe the fourth session of Canada's fourteenth parliament at 1:26 c'elock these grounds will describe the fourth session of Canada's fourteenth parliament at 1:26 c'elock these grounds will describe the fourth session of Canada's fourteenth parliament at 1:26 c'elock these grounds will describe the fourth session of Canada's fourteenth parliament at 1:26 c'elock these grounds with the fares for the fourth session of Canada's fourteenth parliament at 1:26 c'elock these grounds with the fares for the far Baron Byng (right) of Vimy, governor-general of Canada, who officially

BRILLIANT SCENE MARKS OPENING OF PARLIAMENT

Lawyer Receives K.K.K. Warning

Associated Press Despatch. Fredericton, N.B., Feb. 5.—Fred H. Peters, who was appointed by the court as defence counsel for Harry D. Williams, condemned to hang on April 23 for the murder of Cynthia and Necia Foster at Fosterville last November, has received what purports to note was postmarked St. Stephen oundary, and read as follows: "Stop now. You are trying t defeat justice and encourag sanity and if you succeed you will have to answer for Williams crime. This is your warning Be

of the supreme court in the appeal respecting the Crow's Nest Pass freight rates, action is being taken to overcome the restraints on export ing the government of Canada a control of ocean rates. It is the intention of the government so to equip of honor lined up in front of the par and Pacific coasts, as to enable them to meet all requirements of modern

Greater Co-Operation.

ratification

Then, as the speech concluded, they returned to their own chamber, still preceded by their speaker. federal and provincial governments to consider the advisability of amending the British North America act with respect to the constitution and powers of the senate and in other imers of the senate and in other important particulars.

Your attention will also be invited, portant particulars.

isla-and the return of new members. These

The public accounts for the last

Honorable members of the Senate: Members of the House of Com-

May Divine Providence guide and

bless your deliberations.'

WATSON TO APPEAR.

Jas. Watson, arrested by city police several weeks ago, will appear in county police court tomorrow after.

MATSON TO APPEAR.

John Morrisey. member for Northumberland, and C. A. Gauvreat member for Torrise and C. A. Gauvreat members an several weeks ago, will appear in county police court tomorrow afterment of Canadian trade via Canadian ports.

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FARE CUT **APPEARS** CERTAIN

Sir Adam Beck Sees No Possibility of Any Other Action by Council.

McKAY IN FAVOR

Believes Question Should Go To People at Next Election in City.

Londoners will be riding on stree ailway cars at lower fares next British ambassador to France, acting on the request of Premier Baldwin the legislature are sustained in ouncil circles during the next few veeks. Regardless of the fact that o dividend for 1924 has been deared by the company, aldermen will ek to insist on the return of the ld fares at seven and nine tickets

According to Ald. Frank McKay, hairman of No. 1 committee, rep-esentations will be made to have the old agreement enforced, at least unti-a vote of the people can be secured on the renewal of the five-cent-fare opened the fourth session of Canada's fourteenth parliament at 1:30 o'clock these grounds will demand that the Statements by Sir Adam Beck

Financial Statement

Booming of Guns From Nepean given at the shareholders' annual ing, approving and concurrin in the meeting yesterday, showed net income of sag, 900, declared to be insufficient to provide a dividend. Whether or not this condition will have any effect on the city council when it comes to deciding on the matter of an extension of the five-cent fares cannot be ascertained. Some of the newer addermen are inclined to look upon the street railway's agreement in a statement of the bank for department of the university of Kentucky, who arrived yesterday. After tucky, who arrived yesterday. After a conference it was agreed that the was a conference it was agreed that the cave for a conference it was agreed that the will are tucky. The Marquis of Crewe, British ambassador, returning second observation with a view of determining whether the movement of determining whether the movement of the university of Kentucky. Who arrived yesterday. After a conference it was agreed that the was consumed in miss should re-enter the cave for a second observation with a view of determining whether the movement of determining whether the movement of the university of Kentucky, who arrived yesterday. After a conference it was agreed that the was consumed in miss should re-enter the cave for a conference it was agreed that the was consumed in miss should re-enter the cave for a conference it was agreed that the was distingted. The miners should re-enter the cave for a conference it was agreed that the was possible that the was consumed in miss should re-enter the cave for a conference it was agreed that the was possible that the was possible that the was distingted. The miners should re-enter the cave for a conference it was agreed that the was distingted. The market of the university of Kentucky, who arrived yesterday. After a conference it was agreed that the was distingted a conference it was agreed that the was distingted. The miners should re-enter the cave for a conference it was agreed that the was distingted. The miners should re-enter the cave for a conference it was agreed that the cave for a conference it was agreed that the the street railway's agreement in a F. M. Stewart, another director. fourth session of Canada's fourteenth old fares in operation.

"If the orders of the legislature are to March & there will be governor-general today opened the sympathetic vein, under

marked by all the historic old cere- carried out on March 8, there will be this afternoon, speaking by long distance telephone from Toronto.

vas asked.

Sailless Vessel To Begin Initial Voyage Tomorrow

Upper Burma Hit By Ruby Fever

Associated Press Despatch. Rangoon, Burma, Feb. 5 .- "Ruby evre" has struck upper Burman in the Mogok district, where a new ruby mine yielding wonder-ful stones of pigeon blood hue is reported to have been opened. A sort of Klondike rush involv-

QUEBEC FARMERS ASK HIGH PRODUCE TARIFF

Also Favor An Embargo On Export of All Raw the vacancies which had occurred Materials.

Canadian Press Despatch

Montreal, Feb. 5 .- High tariff dues that will prevent American garden The crew of the 600-ton converted of the dominion sailing vessel is limited to 13, includmarkets, to the detriment of local ing the personal representative of growers, and an embargo on the exsort of all raw materials, such as sulpwood, nickel, asbestos and to-acco, to force the expansion of accounting in the damping room wind-driven record which it is a sulpwood wind which it is a sulpwood with the sulpwood wind which it is a sulpwood with the sulpwood wind which it is a sulpwood with the sulpwood wind which it is a sulpwood with the is merely presented to assert the bacco.

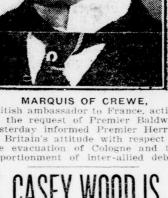
> Considerable opposition to the reso Considerable opposition to the resolution was manifested in some quar-lets but the pro-tariff section forced signed to save power in the propulters, but the pro-tariff section forced the motions and carried the day.

WEIGHT OF SNOW CAUSES SKATING RINK ROOF TO FALL

Canadian Press Despatch.

Welland, Feb. 5.—Weight of snow caused about half of the Welland skating rink to cave in yesterday afternoon. Fortunately no person was on the ice at the time, and no person was injured.

The queer stacks, nine feet in diameter and 60 feet high, are revolved by small Diesel motors. The circular motion of the hollow tubes, according to the inventor, creates forces which, combined with the acplication of the circular motion of the hollow tubes, according to the inventor, creates forces which, combined with the acplication.



Britain's attitude with respect to passage have been abandoned.

on Tuesday Next.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto, Feb. 5.—S. Casey Wood, parently had swelled from below at the innermost "squeeze" only a few M.L.A., Mayor G. A. Wenige, Ald. Mc-Kay, and others, would indicate that the council has little option but to the damands of the legisla.

Toronto, Feb. 5.—S. Casey Wood, K.C., director of the Home Bank of the council has little option but to Canada, whose trial on charges

Cave Fig. The annual financial statement of the London Street Railway Company, son Coatsworth of negligently signmonthly statement of the bank for

SIT AT TORONTO.

rate of fares," stated Sir Adam Beck this afternoon, speaking by long distance telephone from Toronto.

liminary to dissolution and a general election, or will it drag through five months and the life of the present was asked.

"Is there not a possibility of the five-cent fares being renewed?" he five-cent fares being renewed?" he derstood, but in Toronto. The date of the inquiry could not

"The company would have to go Please See Page 3, Column 3." The date of the inquiry could not be learned, but it is believed imminent if not today.

Inasmuch as a considerable portion

By JAMES B. WHARTON. Special Correspondent of The Advertiser and the North American News-paper Alliance.

Danzig, Feb. 4.-With favorable downward from the entrance. weather the Rotorship Buckau, the most original ship in the world, will 'rotor" out of this harbor tomorrow

The rotorship will pass along the which was near

Revolved By Motors.

Fletiner outfitted an old sailing ressel last fall by stripping it of all driving force of natural air currents.

Rotorship Buckau May Revolutionize Water Transportation Throughout World.

CARRIES SMALL CREW

evening on what may prove to be an epochal voyage. The strange vessel. with her two great rotors towering fair with station above the decks, will carry a consignment of planed wood for Leith, higher tempera-Scotland. It will be her first actual

Scotland. It will be her first and mild.

The disturbance near

northern coast of Germany to Keil. Bermuda yester-After the installation of wireless at day is moving out Kiel it will pass through the Kiel to the Atlantic canal and from Cuxhaven, which stands at the eastern entrance, will head directly across the North Sea towards Firth of Forth and Leith.

The comparatively mild in nearly all parts in factories

The 2,000-ton Buckau, a sailless Winniper manufacturing in the dominion, were favored by resolutions adopted yesavored by resolutions adopted yes gation of sailing craft, is the invention of the United Farmers of Quebec teld here.

Considerable opposition to the resosion of m

rigging and masts and erecting two previous giant cylinders to concentrate the lights.

Entombed As Rising Floor Of Pit Cuts Off Escape Floyd Collins Believed To Have Perished, But Res-

Youthful Cave Explorer

cuers Renew Efforts.

MAY TRY TUNNEL

Geologists Make Perilous Journeys in Hope of Saving Young Man's Life.

Associated Press Despatch. Cave City, Ky., Feb. 5 .- Floyd Co. lins is still alive but he has been permanently entombed in his sand cave prison, 125 feet underground, by a rise in the floor of the cave, and all Herriot hopes of escape through any natural Four trips into the cave have co

vinced a geologist, coai miners a military authorities in charge of t probably will be fatal to Collins was agreed, but the plan was adopt as a last resort, and Major W. machinery wherever any can be for The slow rising of the floor the cavern began shortly after night, a rescue crew which ente at 1 a.m. finding that the floor

Cave Floor Rises. Returning to the surface, the ers who composed the detail made their report to Brig.-General H. H. Marquis of Crewe Heralds Denhardt, in charge of the work, and Denhardt immediately summoned W. D. Funkhouser, head of the geologi

miners emerged after their fourth underground visit they told Genera Denhardt that the passageway had been completely sealed. There had been no more rock falls or cave-ins. it was stated. The swelling apparclosed the passageway for an

Watchers Greatly Alarmed.

the cave leading from the entrance oward the prisoner still remains u listurbed, belief was expressed th Collins is still alive, although there is a possibility that the closing of the passageway may have crushed

The movement took place just be and that part of the cavern which had been timbered by rescuers. The first three explorations by the mir required about an hour each. C siderably more time elapsed during the fourth visit, however, and alarm of those on the surface creased each minute until the

The Weather

HARMER HO

The highest and lowest temperature

Anton Flettner, discoverer of the previous to 8 a.m. today were ship's means of locomotion, and your Stations. High Low

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. previous to 8 o'clock last night were The official temperatures for the 12

hours previous to 8 a.m. today were Highest, 28; lowest, 18. Barometric Readings. Wednesday-8 p.m., 29.36 Today-8 a.m., 29.11 Sun rises at 7:31 a.m. and sets

SENATOR O. TURGEON, head of the royal commission investigating the handling of Canada's wheat crops, whose recommendations will be considered as a basis for a new grain act. The exhaustive re-

HERRIOT IS TOLD

Debt Answer at Request of Baldwin Govt.

knowledge of what had occurred.

An hour later, the miners reappeared at the surface and hurried to General Denhardt and his conferers the ambassador, acting on the reconstruction of Promise Raldwin acquainted.

English, but soon after tuition in the Chesley avenue school he revealed himself as an apt and clever purple the ambassador, acting on the reconstruction. in one of the tents near the entrance. quest of Premier Baldwin, acquainted The floor had continued to rise dur- M. Herriot with the main lines of the and in the A third trip revealed that the slow British treasury's reply to Finance rising had continued and when the Minister Clementel's suggestions on the subject of the inter-allied debts Lee had become very popular wit

> the course of a few days. Marquis Crewe also discussed, it was the first Chinese boy to receiv is understood, the question of the his education here which is closely bound with the problem of France's security-a question which will shortly again be raised by the delivery of the final report of regarding its observations in Ger

1,000 QUEEN CITY **WORKERS STRIKE**

Cloak Makers' Union Follows Lead of Montreal-Parley

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, Feb. 5.—Falling in line with their fellow-workers in Mont real, approximately 1,000 members of the cloak makers' union went or strike today following a decision reached last night. Included in the strike call were cloak makers, cut ters, operators, sample makers, tail ors, finishers and button sewers.

Sol Polakoss, international organ izer of the international ladies' gar ment workers' union, estimated that 1.200 persons had left their jobs this morning, while about 300 or 400 renained at work. A number of the striking workers, he said, were non

Employers found conditions vary enorting that all their workers were ployees participated in the walkout Representatives of the union and when both sides are hoping an agree nt will be reached and the strike

NORWAY SUFFERS MANY EARTHQUAKE SHOCKS

Associated Press Despatch.
Vashington, Feb. 5.—An investigaion of the wheat, flour and bread industries was asked in a resolution introduced in the United States senate yesterday by Senator Cam-eron, Republican, Arizona.

The inquiry would be conducted b the federal trade commission and would be designed to develop whether there has been "corporate violations of the anti-trust laws" in connection with operations in wheat, flour and bread, and the relations of any such violations to prices.

CHINESE BOY FOUND DEAD

Bottle of Carbolic Acid Found by Body of Lee Jin Ng.

BELIEVED SUICIDE

Popular Student Had Made Great Progress Since Coming to Canada.

Lee Jin Ng, 14-year-old Chinese oy, a pupil of the Chesley avenue public school, was found in his bed this morning, dead, with a bottle of carbolic acid by his side. The boy's father, Lee Pip, a laundryman at 450 Hamilton road, made the discovery shortly after 7 o'clock, when he at tempted to awake the boy in time

News of young Lee's death and the manner in which it was brought about, suicide, came as a shock to his fellow school pupils, among whom he was artered. he was extremely popular. His teacher, too, could give no explanation for young Lee taking his own life. He was a promising and well-liked student, they said.

Coroner Dr. Robert Ferguson was

called soon after the boy's body was called soon after the boy's body was discovered. Lee Jin had committed suicide, the doctor announced, after making an investigation. The boy had been dead for some hours. The body was rigid when found this morning.

Fond of Medicine.

According to the father, the carbolic acid had been present in house for some time. It was uby him as an antiseptic, he told a coroner, but he could give no reastor his son's act in drinking it. he said, and it was possible that the carbolic acid was consumed in mis-

Lee Jin Ng came to Canada two years he advanced rapidly in sc in that time was pror second to sixth grade.

The principal at Chesley avenus school, E. E. Gibbs, said today the which is to be delivered to Paris in other students of the school

Good Student.

Mr. Gibbs said: "Naturally he was novelty, and he may have bee eased a bit at first. Later, howeve and I am quite positive his surround ings at the school could in no way prompt him to take his life. He was a very good student, and made remarkable progress during his two years attendance here. He advanced rapidly and it reserved. rapidly, and it wasn't a case of put-ting him on, he grasped the work. He took part in all the sports with ap-parent enthusiasm. He was a most

coroner Dr. Robert Ferguson after investigating the case decided that an inquest would be unnecessary.

He has two brothers and a sister living in this country. His mother lives in China.

Car Seats

Street car seats were made for vomen. Any woman will verify

nours of the day. But they mustn't overdo it. Such actions reed habit When a woman is hurrying nome after a hard afternoon at

squat in one during the quieter

the movies she wants service and omfort Some chaps are silly enough,

on rising, to remark, "Take my seat." Of course she will. N oud speaker needed. If the seat didn't belong to her

she might thank him. But the seat is hers and she doesn't. Some chap, defying all, may cling to his seat. He gazes out

the windows, reads, or closes his eyes in serious soliloquy. Soon he begins to fidget, his eyes roam in despair. He stands

"Take my seat," he remarks to the woman who has been resting her handbag on his knee. She surveys him with a look of astonishment and pity, and informs him that she is getting out at the next corner. The whole car titters. The man takes up walking for

his health.—A. W. J. B.