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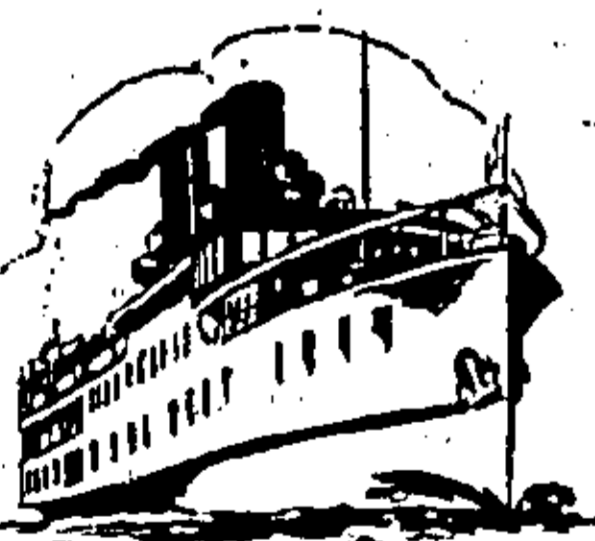
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Hector: Cat About Town Notorious Gossip

Hello, old top! New car? "No; new top, old car?"

There is an academy in Hollywood; I read, where actresses are taught to cry whenever they want to.

"Did you notice that girl who just passed?" "The one with the bright blue sweater, silk stockings with roses about three inches apart, sport shoes, bobbed hair and—"

"After long deliberation, the blushing young man had decided which ring he wanted. 'I want you to engrave on it From Arthur to Molly,' he said."

It was right after the armistice. An inspection was in progress. "Look at your feet, Private Jones!" stormed the young officer.

SHOOTING IN COURT

Spectator Attacks Witness

While the trial of 17 Communists accused of plotting high treason was proceeding in the county court here on Monday a man sitting among the spectators suddenly rose and made his way towards the witness just giving evidence.

YESTERDAY'S QUOTATIONS T.T. ON LONDON:—1/3 ld. (nom). T.T. ON NEW YORK:—32 5/6

DISORDERS IN SYRIA Banishment Sequel

Disorders in Syria which have been caused by the banishment of the Syrian Nationalist leader Sakry Barudy, continued unabated over the week-end according to reports from Damascus which state that martial law had been proclaimed in Damascus, Aleppo and Beirut and that the summary courts are working day and night in order to try the hundreds of arrested rioters, sentences varying between 2 to 18 months imprisonment were passed.

'BE FRUITFUL AND MULTIPLY'

The Reich finance minister Von Schwerin-Krosigk one of the six Reich ministers who are members of "the Reich Association of Parents with large families" announces that a baby daughter has been born to him and Countess Schwerin-Krosigk.

Garrison Sergeants v. Dockyard P.C.s; Prison Officers v. Chief and Petty Officers; Naval Dockyard Police v. Fusiliers; Civil Service v. St. Patrick's.

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 29 Anniversaries and Holidays.—St. Francis of Sales, Bp. and D. Cinemas King's:—"Charlie Chan's Secret."

Sports

Badminton.—Men's Doubles, Talkoo R.C. v. Eliot Hall "A" v. St. John's v. St. Andrew's "B"; Eliot Hall "B" v. Kowloon Tong; Fire Brigade v. Chinese R.C.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 30

Anniversaries and Holidays.—St. Martina, V.M. Auctions.—Household Furniture and Carols, at 12 Trengunter Mansions, 10 a.m.

King's:—"Charlie Chan's Secret." Queens:—"Travelling Saleslady." Oriental:—"Bonnie Scotland." World:—"Chinese Picture."

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MACARONI IN H.M. SUPREME COURT

British Factory Sued For Damages

Shanghai Jan. 28. Macaroni and its close relatives, spaghetti and vermicelli, occupied the attention of H. M. Supreme Court the whole of yesterday, when Mr. A. V. Veltnerman brought a claim for \$7,767.48 damages against Captain O. Basham, proprietor of the Ideal Macaroni Factory, for an alleged breach of contract. ... On August 1, the defendant look over the factory, and agreed to accept all responsibilities, etc. Later, however, he commenced selling macaroni direct to Veltnerman's own customers at a much lower price, and this, it was alleged, formed a direct breach of the contract.

ROYAL NAVY

Vice-Admiral Austin

London, Jan. 4. Vice-Admiral Francis M. Austin, C.B., who retires on his promotion to that rank, completed 40 years in the Navy in July last, and in 1935 was Rear-Admiral in Charge and Admiral Superintendent at Gibraltar. Vice-Admiral Austin specialized in gunnery as a lieutenant, and was promoted to commander in 1913. He was executive officer of the battleship Emperor of India, Grand Fleet, until February, 1915 when appointed to command the Queen Victoria, cross-Channel steamer taken up for duty as net-layer. In August, 1916, he joined the cruiser Leviathan, flagship of the North Atlantic, and after she ceased to be a flagship he commanded her as acting captain. After the War he was in charge of junior naval officers studying at Cambridge, and also commanded the cruiser Danae and the battle ship Benbow. He was Captain-in-Charge at Harwich in 1929-31 and was awarded the C.B. in 1933.

PRIZE AWARDS

The Jackson-Everett Prize for 1935, for the officer passing the best examination when qualifying in signal duties, has been awarded to Lieutenant R. T. Paul, R.N., of H.M.S. Nelson. This officer entered Dartmouth as a cadet from Kelly College, Tavistock, in January, 1924, and passed out second of his term in July, 1927. Paymaster Sub-Lieutenant B. K. Freedman, R.N., of H.M.S. Diomedee, New Zealand Division, has been awarded the Gedde Memorial Medal and Prize for 1935. This is awarded annually to the paymaster sub-lieutenant passing for that rank at the first attempt with the highest percentage of marks. Mr. Freedman joined H.M.S. Erebus as a cadet in January, 1932.

COMMANDER FOR AUSTRALIA

Commander H. D. Owen, who is being lent to the Royal Australian Navy from to-day, will succeed Commander G. D. Moore in command of the Dept. at Sydney and for command of reserve ships. Commander Owen last served in command of the sloop Rochester on the Africa Station from June, 1933, to June last. He entered Osborne in May, 1907, and served during the War as midshipman and sub-lieutenant in the battleship Collingwood, and sub-lieutenant and lieutenant in the destroyers Mooroon and Orford and the battle-cruiser Australia. He commanded the gunboat Aphis in China in 1928-30, and since his promotion in the last named year has commanded the destroyer Thruster at Portland.

BADGES FOR SIGNALERS

Royal Marine signallers are to receive to wear badges indicative of their non-substantive rating. Signallers, 1st class, will wear crossed flags, with star above; signallers, 2nd class, crossed flags only. An issue of the new badges will be made when stocks are available.

ADMIRALTY CIVIL STAFF

Mr. P. N. N. Synnott and Mr. J. H. James, hitherto Assistant Principals, have been promoted to Principals in the Secretary's Department, Admiralty, to date January 1. Mr. J. D. Morris, Assistant Principal, is promoted to be Principal from March 30, 1936.

PAYMASTER REAR-ADMIRAL LEWIS

The retirement has been announced of Paymaster Captain C. B. N. Lewis, with the rank of paymaster rear-admiral. For seven years Paymaster Rear-Admiral Lewis has been serving at Portsmouth as accountant officer of the Torpedo and Gunnery Schools and the R.N. Barracks. He was formerly Fleet Accountant Officer in China. Entering as an assistant clerk in January, 1898, he served during the War as paymaster of the cruiser Donegal until July, 1918, when he became Victualling Officer at Dover. In 1923-24 he was squadron accountant officer in H.M.S. "Delhi" during the world cruise of the Special Service Squadron.

MOVEMENTS OF SHIPS

Furious and Noontide arrived Portsmouth (Jan. 2). Gurdy arrived Sandown Bay (Jan. 1). York left Bermuda for Balboa (Jan. 1).

Developed later that the consignee had written on October 1 stating that they would return the ship "as soon as possible," but that the macaroni had not yet arrived in Shanghai. The case was adjourned sine die. —R.C.D.N.

DESIGNED 550 NAVAL BADGES

Retirement Of Mr. Charles Ffoulkes

London, Jan. 9. A man who has produced more than 550 designs and mottoes for the Royal Navy has retired from his position as adviser to the Admiralty on the design of ships' badges. He is Mr. Charles Ffoulkes, who has occupied the position for 17 years.

After producing a large number of unofficial badges for his Majesty's ships, Mr. Ffoulkes, who is curator of the Tower armouries was invited in 1919 to serve on a committee as adviser to the Admiralty to assist in organizing the design of official badges. Previously these designs were made by, or for, the commanding officer when he commissioned his ship. Many a time a new captain disagreed with his predecessor of the appropriateness of the design, and often a ship carried two or three emblems.

Some of these were humorous, as in the picture of a barnard pulling beer pumps which typified H.M.S. Eebe, and the portrait of a famous Prime Minister which represented the Vivacious. The same badge was sometimes carried by more than one ship.

In 1918 the Admiralty decided to issue and produce designs officially. The committee to which Mr. Ffoulkes was adviser was appointed, with Sir Rudolph Bentinck, as chairman, and Mr. Carr Laughton, then temporary librarian to the Admiralty, as secretary.

"MANNEQUIN BOAT" TESTS

This committee, using a police launch near Westminster Bridge as a "mannequin boat," made tests and discovered that the badge shapes most easily recognisable on a ship's boat were the circle, the pentagon, the shield and the square set diamond-wise. These were allotted respectively to capital ships, cruisers, destroyers and auxiliaries and other craft.

Now, after a design has been produced and passed, a carving is made and sent to Chatham Dockyard, where it is cast in brass and coloured. Each ship is given a large badge, surmounted by the Naval crown, for the quarter deck and small badges for the boats.

Study in the Natural History Museum, Kew Gardens, the Zoo and books of emblems has been necessary for the design of these badges.

Now that Mr. Ffoulkes has retired his work will be carried on by the College of Heralds, who are responsible for the colours and badges of the Army.

EGYPTIAN CABINET

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright)) Berlin, Jan. 27. It is officially announced here on Monday that representatives of the Air Ministry as well as of the German Luftflotte will proceed to Washington at the beginning of February in order to initiate negotiations with the United States authorities concerning the organization of a regular commercial air traffic across the North Atlantic.—Transoceanic Kuo Min.

REICH MARRIAGES

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright)) Berlin, Jan. 27. The Reich bureau which was created some time ago by the Reich Ministry of Interior for the purpose of issuing marriage permits under the provisions of the marriage health law enacted last October, will henceforth be known as the Reich office for the protection of German blood" according to a semi-official announcement here on Monday.—Transoceanic Kuo Min.

RED CROSS GIFT

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright)) Warsaw, Jan. 27. The donation of 5,000 calico bandages and 10 kilograms of iodine and other medicaments to the total value of 10,000 Zlotz was made by Polish Red Cross to the Abyssinian Red Cross. The consignment has already left Gdovnia for Jibuti.—Transoceanic Kuo Min.

PROF. JEZE'S LECTURE

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright)) Paris, Jan. 27. The resumption of lectures in the Faculty of Law University here on Monday passed off without any untoward incident occurring. Some apprehension however, was felt as to whether this will be the case on Thursday when the lecture will be given by Professor Jeze, at whom the recent demonstrations were aimed.—Transoceanic Kuo Min.

MISS MACDONALD AS LANDLORD

Busv First Week-End At Her Inn

London, Jan. 6. Miss Isabel MacDonal found herself in the thick of the weekend demand for tea and luncheon when she became licensee of the Old Flow Inn here yesterday. The small car-park was packed to-day and yesterday, and cars stretched for many yards along the steep little lane beside the inn.

The small china-curtained rooms, with their log fires and angle-nooks, were crowded at mid-day and again, at tea-time. Miss MacDonal has done a roaring trade during her first two days as an innkeeper. In the kitchen the cook who prepared Mr. MacDonal's meals when he was Prime Minister was busy roasting joints and baking cakes, while Miss MacDonal, in a serviceable cardigan suit, helped to serve the customers.

Jock, Miss MacDonal's faithful Aberdeen terrier, welcomes every guest at the gate, and follows them with wagging tail to the doorway of the inn. He has made himself at home more quickly than anyone, and struts about as if he owns the place. Among to-day's visitors were the American Ambassador, Mr. R. G. Bingham, and his wife.

"ONE ON THE HOUSE"

Last night Miss MacDonal made her first appearance in the tap-room. A serious game of darts was in progress, but she interrupted a critical "leg" to invite everyone to have "one on the house."

After Mr. Child, the retiring landlord, had introduced her to all the people in the room, she brought in the tankards herself and stood beside the settle while the men rose and wished her happiness and prosperity. "Everything will be all right if you come," she said simply.

The first evening had its unusual moments, particularly when old countrymen, who have patronised the inn for years, demanded "the usual" and had to be asked to explain what that was. "At present the cook is the only servant from Downing-street who is working in the Old Flow, but later the house-keeper will arrive. A licensee in the district who was at one time associated with the Old Flow told me that the inn was sold to Miss MacDonal for £3,500.

COMMERCIAL AIR PROJECT

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GERMANY'S SYMPATHY

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright)) London, Jan. 27. The German Foreign Minister, Baron von Neurath, accompanied by the German Ambassador in London, paid an official visit of condolence to the foreign secretary, Mr. Anthony Eden, on Monday. In the afternoon the German deputations as well as several members of the European Royalty filed past the catafalque at Westminster Hall where King George's body is lying in state.—Transoceanic Kuo Min.

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PULLERS APPEAR AS PLAINTIFFS
Case Against Aid Association Officials Dismissed
Shanghai, Jan. 23. After a brief hearing in the First Special District Court yesterday afternoon, the private criminal prosecution against Mr. Chang Teng-ying, General Secretary of the Pullers Mutual Aid Association, and Mr. Chen Chun-pao, Assistant Secretary, on charges of having instigated assault causing injuries to rickshaw pullers, was dismissed.

SCOTTISH GAMES REVIEWED
Hearts Out Of The Running

London, Jan. 6. Frost covered grounds made playing conditions difficult in Scotland, but in the results of the games form was borne out generally. None of the leading four clubs on the League table was beaten, and Ayr United were the only winners among eight clubs counting from the bottom.

THE large company observed 30 seconds silence in memory of comrades of the War, and then Colonel G. R. Crossfield proposed a toast to the German delegation. He spoke of the courage and energy of the Germans in the War, qualities which the British and French were compelled to admire.

It was a bad day for the Lanarkshire clubs, as Hamilton Academicals lost (4-0) to Thurl Lamark at Cathkin Park, so that Motherwell were the only county winners. Queen of the South, after three consecutive and valuable victories, were beaten (2-1) at Firhill by Partick Thistle, whom they meet a fortnight hence at Dumfries in the Scottish Cup competition.

Shanghai, Jan. 23. The Shanghai Municipal Council has gone on record with the First Special District Court as being opposed to the application of the new National anti-poison regulations governing narcotic cases, pending a decision on the legality of these regulations, which are promulgated by the Inspector-General of Opium Suppression.

Shanghai, Jan. 23. Charged with malfeasance in office and offering bribery to a public official, John Harry Anderson, an unrecognized Swede, a Customs examiner, was convicted, on the first charge and sentenced to five months' imprisonment and a fine of \$1,000 by the First Special District Court yesterday.

German Ex-Soldiers' Visit
WITH FRENCH DELEGATION IN WALES

London, Jan. 5. German and French ex-service men visited Swansea during the week-end to fraternize with Welsh ex-service men. The visit was arranged by the Swansea branch of the British Legion. The German delegation consisted of Major-General H. von Muller, Captain von Bonin and Privates Gunther, Busch, and Shadonovski, and the French delegation of MM. Morel and Kutenach. Last evening the delegations were escorted from the station to their hotel by the British Legion band, and at the dinner which followed messages were sent to the King and the Prince of Wales.

The King's private secretary replied from Buckingham Palace: "The King sincerely thanks the members of the Swansea branch of the British Legion for the loyal terms of their message. His Majesty is interested to hear that they are assembling this evening to welcome delegations from the ex-service men of Germany and France, and hopes that they all will spend a happy evening together."

This morning the delegations visited the Swansea War Memorial, upon which wreaths were laid bearing amicable inscriptions in German and French. In the afternoon the delegations travelled to Neath, where a wreath was placed upon the grave of a German soldier who died in that town during the War. To-morrow the delegations will be entertained at a civic luncheon at Swansea and they will also pay a visit to Fenice Castle in the Gower Peninsula as the guests of Lady Blythwood.

London, Jan. 8. The most likely successor to Lord Reading as Lord Willingdon, whose term of office as Viceroy expires this spring. For 22 years, ever since 1913, when he became Governor of Bombay, he has continuously held high administrative office.

London, Jan. 8. The accused was arrested by the authorities at the receipt of a complaint to the effect that he had demanded and accepted from one Sun Un-tang a bribe of \$5,000 at No. 2, Lane 149, Bakal Road, on January 9 in respect to an official act. While being detained in the Ward Road Gaol, he was alleged to have offered a bribe of \$1,000 to a warder as an inducement to deliver a verbal message to some person outside the gaol.

PERRYS PLAN A HONEYMOON
Film Star Wife Meets Fred At Dover

London, Jan. 6. "We are going to make plans for our honeymoon right now," said Fred Perry to his film star wife, Miss Helen Vinson, when they made a surprise broadcast together in the "In Town Tonight." Bo.h remarked that it had been a "long time" since they parted in September, and Mr. Perry said that they had not yet had their honeymoon. Mrs. Perry met her husband at Dover on his return from Australia. Mr. Perry told a reporter that he was little more than an invalid, and intended to lead a very quiet life in this country for the next few months. He received an injury while playing in the American Championship at Forest Hills.

New Regulations About Narcotics
LEGALITY OF MEASURES IN DOUBT

Shanghai, Jan. 23. The Shanghai Municipal Council has gone on record with the First Special District Court as being opposed to the application of the new National anti-poison regulations governing narcotic cases, pending a decision on the legality of these regulations, which are promulgated by the Inspector-General of Opium Suppression.

Negotiations looking towards a settlement of the differences involved are now in progress between the S.M.C. and the Chinese authorities.—"N.C.D.N."

CUSTOMS EXAMINER SENTENCED
Unrecognized Swede To Serve Gaol Term

OFFICE FOR LORD WILLINGDON

Shanghai, Jan. 23. The right title and interest of Vera Carlotta Bellios (otherwise Bellairs), Edward Elvy Robb, Trustees of the General Trust created by the Will of Emanuel Raphael Bellios deceased, and Lionel Emanuel Raphael Bellios (otherwise Bellairs) and Nigel Edward Richard David Bellios (otherwise Bellairs) beneficiaries of the said General Trust, of and in the under-mentioned premises:—

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INCREASED CRIME IN SHANGHAI

Police Commissioner's Report

Shanghai, Jan. 24. There were 1,571 cases of crime reported to the Shanghai Municipal Police in December, this total being 86 more than in November.

There were 59 housebreakings, and 41 cases of shoplifting, in connection with the latter 49 arrests were made.

NARCOTIC RAIDS The Headquarters Narcotic Section carried out 13 raids and arrested 61 persons.

Court proceedings were instituted in 1,096 (157 foreigners and 939 Chinese) of 1,719 reports of traffic offences received against owners and/or drivers of vehicles.

PROSECUTIONS FOR COMMUNISM Of nine Chinese prosecuted for offences under the heading of Communism three were each sentenced to 2 1/2 years imprisonment.

At present there are 80 persons for trial or sentence at the January session of the Central Criminal Court, which opens tomorrow.

OLD BAILEY SESSIONS

Case Against Lord De Clifford

London, Jan. 5. At present there are 80 persons for trial or sentence at the January session of the Central Criminal Court, which opens tomorrow.

There are two murder charges, Julia Murray-Wood, 32, housewife, is committed from Westminster Police Court charged with the murder of John Stanley George Murray-Wood.

There is a charge against Dr. Hermann Gortz, 44, a German lawyer and novelist, committed from Margate, of "making a sketch, plan, or note of manston Royal Air Force Station, calculated to be, or might be or intent to be, directly or indirectly useful to an enemy, and conspiring with another person to commit offences against the Official Secrets Acts, 1911 and 1920."

The cases in the High Court Judge's list will come before Mr Justice Charles.

various theatres in the Settlement and French Concession. Of these, 40 were feature productions and 138 were short introductory films and newsreels.

No fewer than 1,118 public rickshaw pullers were charged in the Central and Louisa Districts for various breaches of the Traffic Regulations, while seven private rickshaw pullers licences were withdrawn following the conviction of the pullers for touting for public hire.

The total number of accidents involving injury to person and/or damage to property was 785, classified as follows: 1. Damage to property and injury to person (including four fatal) 72

"CHARLIE CHAN'S SECRET"

At The King's

Followers of "Charlie Chan's" mysteries will be glad to know that he is once again with us in "Charlie Chan's Secret" the latest Fox Mystery Thriller now showing at the King's Theatre.

It is as in other Chan's thrillers the master Chinese detective goes about in solving the weirdest mystery in his own and unassuming way. You will tremble as you laugh when you see him in this picture, cleverly making his deductions and thwarting the criminals in their nefarious plans.

"LES MISERABLES" Fredric March and Charles Laughton play fugitive and pursuer in the most celebrated of all fictional man-hunts in Darryl Zanuck's 26th Century production of Victor Hugo's "Les Miserables," which begins on Friday at the King's Theatre.

March is seen as Hugo's ill-starred young hero, Jean Valjean, who spends five bitter years on a French prison ship for stealing a loaf of bread and then becomes a fugitive from justice by violating his parole.

SCOTISH PEER'S LEGACY London, Jan. 4. The inventory of the estate of the late Lord Dalziel of Kirkcaldy, which has been lodged in the Sheriff Court of the Stewartry of Kirkcaldy, shows that the net estate on which duty has been paid amounts to £497,888, and that the duty paid is £129,504.

MP. FOR 29 YEARS It was started by the anonymous gift of £500,000 to the nation, and at the end of March last the total was £762,864.

Lord Dalziel, who died on July 15, 1935, was for many years a prominent figure in the political and newspaper worlds. He represented Kirkcaldy Burghs for 29 years, and he retired from active political life in 1921 on account of failing health.

S. E. Levy & Co. 7, 106 HOUS STREET. COMMERCIAL BANKERS & BROKERS. MEMBERS: NEW YORK COTTON EXCHANGE, COMMODITY EXCHANGE, INC. N.Y., CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE, CANADIAN COMMODITY EXCHANGE, INC.

LAST JOURNEY

London, Jan. 27. To-morrow the coffin of the late King will be removed from the Catafalque in Westminster Abbey, where it has received the homage of hundreds of thousands of his subjects in the last four days, and borne in procession along four miles of London streets.

11,000 MEN MARCH The gun carriage will be preceded by a military and naval procession a mile long. Troops in the procession will be dismounted and will march in slow time with arms reserved, eleven thousand men in all.

ETHIOPIAN REPORT (Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).) Addis Ababa, Jan. 27. Fighting between Ras Desta's troops and General Graziani's army has now almost completely come to a standstill.

SIKH CONDOLENCE Lahore, Jan. 27. The Sikh community here has decided to suspend activities to-morrow, the day of the funeral of King George.

AUSTRALIAN MEMORIAL Melbourne, Jan. 27. A special memorial service was held in the Cricket Ground yesterday at which thousands attended.

AUSTRALIANS IN SOUTH AFRICA Johannesburg, Jan. 27. The Australian Test cricket team continued their triumphant tour here to-day with another smashing victory. They beat Transvaal by an innings and 29 runs.

STUDENTS WOUNDED Cairo, Jan. 27. Five students were wounded when the police fired on demonstrators at Dammanhour, while twelve students and fifteen police were injured at Mansura.

R.A.F. TO PARTICIPATE

London, Jan. 27. King Edward returned to London to-day after a quiet week-end at his private residence, Fort Belvedere, Sunningdale. He was met by a deputation from the House of Commons composed of all parties of politics and received their confirmation of loyalty.

KING RECEIVES DEPUTATION London, Jan. 27. The King received at Buckingham Palace to-day a deputation from the House of Commons which presented the address passed by the Commons last Thursday.

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SILVER COINS IN ITALY Rome, Jan. 27. The withdrawal from circulation of all silver coins was announced this evening.

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1935's BEST FILM

"The Informer" Acclaimed by U.S. National Board. "The Informer," a Hollywood film, starring the British players, Victor McLaglen and Margot Grahame, has been acclaimed in New York by the National Board of Review of Motion Pictures as the best motion picture made during 1935.

CALLED TO COLOURS

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).) Rome, Jan. 27. All men in the year 1915 class who on recruitment were assigned to tank, motor transport and motor cycle divisions have been called up to the colours for February 1, which is two months before the day due for active service.

LOYD TRIESTINO

EXPRESS PASSENGER SERVICE "FAR EAST-INDIA-ITALY" Special Two Months' Round Trip Tickets At Reduced Rates.

Table with 3 columns: Destination (Bombay, Colombo, Singapore, Shanghai) and Fare details.

Next sailing northwards: M.S. "CONTE VERDE" 13th February; Next sailing southwards: M.S. "CONTE VERDE" 23rd February.

ROUND THE WORLD tickets issued at Special Reduced Rates in connection with all the Trans-Pacific & Trans-Atlantic Conference Lines.

ITALIA & COSULICH LINES Agents for the sale of through and independence tickets to North, Central and South American ports via Italy.

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THE MILWAUKEE ROAD

GLASGOW MAN'S DEATH IN SOUTH AFRICA. M.P. For 19 Years. The death has occurred at Durban, South Africa, of Mr. James Henderson, M.P. for the Berea Division of Durban.

THE FINDING OF THE LUSITANIA. Captain's Estimate Of Place Confirmed. Interesting facts regarding the finding of the Lusitania were recounted yesterday at the weekly meeting of Glasgow City Business Club by Mr. Henry E. Russell, master of the Orphir, the salvage vessel which located the hull after three months' search in the Atlantic off the South-West Coast of Ireland.

THE EXCHANGE MARKET

MESSRS. ROZA BROS

Spot Silver rose 1/4 yesterday to 20. There was no London quotation. Silver advices reported India as having bought. Speculators sold. The market was quiet but steady.

The London/New York cross-rate was slightly lower at 500 1/2. New York/London dropped 3/8 to 500 1/2.

MARKET: Steady but dull. STEELING: A small business was arranged at 1/3 1/2 for February and 1/3 1/2 for March.

SHANGHAI DOLLARS: Sellers were quoted at 109 1/2 for spot.

STERLING: In Sterling a small business was done at 1/3 1/2 for cash and 1/3 1/2 for 11/16 for first half of February.

U.S. DOLLARS: Business was done at 32 1/2 for March. The market closed with sellers at 33 for January.

GERMAN-SPANISH TRADE

[Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).] Berlin, Jan. 27. The German-Spanish trade agreement of December 21, 1934 which was due to expire on December 21, 1935 and which has already been prolonged to January 31 this year has now been further extended for a further month to February 29.

BERLIN SHARE MARKET

The buoyant turn taken by the sharemarket on Saturday was maintained on Monday when the new recomputations of securities resulted in prices rising practically all round.

REICHSMARK QUOTATIONS

Table with 3 columns: Location (New York, Amsterdam, London, Paris, etc.) and Reichsmark rates.

25,298,404 PROFITS OF WOOLWORTH

The profits of F. W. Woolworth and Company, chain store proprietors, for the year ended December 31 amounting to \$25,298,404, against \$24,379,350 for the previous year.

LONDON EXCHANGE RATES

(British Wireless Services)

Table with 3 columns: Location (Paris, Geneva, Berlin, Athens, etc.), January 22, and January 27 rates.

Closing Quotations

Table with 3 columns: Location (London, New York, Paris, etc.) and closing rates for various commodities.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

(Through Dealer's Agency)

QUOTATIONS

Table with 5 columns: Item, High, Low, Close, Today's Change.

Table with 5 columns: Item, High-1934/35, Low-1934/35, Jan. 27, Change.

Large table with 5 columns: Stock & Div, Jan. 25, Jan. 27, Last Sale, Change.

N. D. L.



FAR EAST EXPRESS

SAILINGS TO EUROPE: S.S. NEOKAR... S.S. GNEISENAU... M.S. TRAVE...

ARRIVALS FROM EUROPE: S.S. GNEISENAU... M.S. TRAVE...

HONGKONG/SOUTH SEA ISLANDS SERVICE: S.S. FRIDERUN... S.S. BREMERHAVEN...

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S.S. "BENVORLICH"

Sailing for LONDON, ROTTERDAM, ANTWERP, HAMBURG, HULL and LEITH (direct) on or about the 9th February.

Cargo will also be accepted on through Bill of Lading to the usual transshipment ports.

For Freight and Passage apply to: W. R. LOXLEY & CO., (CHINA) LTD., York Building. Tel. 22833. Agents: THE BEN LINE STEAMERS LTD., Homeward Service.

£100,000 LAND FOR NEW NAVAL BASE

London, Jan. 7. Important naval developments in the Milford Haven district of Pembrokeshire are foreshadowed by the decision of the Admiralty to spend £100,000 on the purchase of land there.

AIRMAN SWIMS 3 RIVERS

An Indian airman swam three swollen rivers to deliver mails when his plane was forced down in a storm.

INCREASED AIR TRAFFIC

100,000 Passengers On The Royal Dutch Lines. During last year, the Royal Dutch Air Lines carried on all services 100,000 passengers. This was over 14,000 more than the total in 1934.

CONSIGNEE NOTICES

SERVISES CONTRACTUELS DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. CONSIGNEE NOTICE: S.S. "S.P.H.I.N.X" Voyage 57/76. BRINGING CARGO FROM MARSEILLE, etc.

CONSIGNED ARE HEREBY INFORMED that their goods with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables are being loaded and stored in the Godowns of Hong Kong, Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co., Ltd., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Undaunted, the pilot, with the help of some villagers, got all the bags across, and the mails arrived at their destination only 12 hours late.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED

Table listing shipping routes and schedules for the China Navigation Company, including destinations like Swatow, Amoy, and various ports in China.

ADVERTISED SAILING FROM HONG KONG

Table listing advertised sailing schedules from Hong Kong to various destinations, categorized by Northward and Southward routes.

EASTWARD FROM HONG KONG TO NORTH AND SOUTH AMERICA

Table listing sailing schedules from Hong Kong to North and South America, including routes to the West Indies and Central America.

WESTWARD FROM HONG KONG TO EUROPE, AFRICA, ETC.

Table listing sailing schedules from Hong Kong to Europe, Africa, and other regions, including routes to the Mediterranean and the Atlantic.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED

Table listing sailing schedules for the Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, covering routes to various ports in Southeast Asia and China.

TRAVEL A.O. LINE advertisement featuring British Steamers, fastest and most up-to-date services, and contact information for Butterfield & Swire.

THE CHINA-SIAM LINE advertisement listing regular weekly services between Hong Kong, Bangkok, and Swatow, with ship names and schedules.

PRINCE LINE - SILVER LINE advertisement for regular sailings to Halifax, Boston, and New York, with ship names and contact details.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP CO., LTD. advertisement for Swatow-Hongkong service, including ship names, schedules, and contact information.

JAPAN (Direct) advertisement listing shipping schedules to various Japanese ports, including Osaka, Kobe, and Yokohama.

Shanghai and Japan advertisement listing shipping routes and schedules between Hong Kong, Shanghai, and Japan.

Swatow advertisement listing shipping schedules and services to the Swatow region.

Tientsin advertisement listing shipping schedules and services to the Tientsin region.

Portland and Puget Sound advertisement listing shipping routes and schedules to the Pacific Northwest.

San Francisco advertisement listing shipping routes and schedules to San Francisco.

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AIR SERVICES IN CHINA: A further service has been opened by C.N.A.C. from Shanghai to Chengtu via Nanking, Kiating, Hankow, Ichang, and Chungking...

SHIPPING MOVEMENT: The E. & A. steam ship 'Nellora' left Mofei for this port on the 26th inst. at 10 a.m. and is due here tomorrow morning.

CANADIAN PACIFIC ANNOUNCES World's Greatest Travel System Sailings for 1936

Table with columns: Destination (E/Asia, E/Canada, etc.), Ship Name, Departure Date, Arrival Date.

TO MANILA EMPRESS OF RUSSIA 6 P.M. Feb. 2nd. EMPRESS OF JAPAN Feb. 28th.

EMPRESS OF CANADA SAILS FOR VANCOUVER VIA SHANGHAI, JAPAN & HONOLULU AT NOON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11th.

Full information from your own Agent or CANADIAN PACIFIC Telephone: Passenger 20752. Freight 20042.



GENERAL PASSENGER AGENTS IN THE ORIENT FOR CUNARD WHITE STAR LINE.

SAN FRANCISCO via Shanghai, Japan Ports and Honolulu. CHICHIU MARU ... Wednesday, 6th Feb., at 10 a.m.

Shipping News

Daily Statement. Clearances. Ships in Harbour, etc.

DUTCH SHIPPING NEWS FROM THE WATERFRONT

Two New Vessels For African Service?

The Royal Netherlands Steamship Co., Amsterdam, which, some time ago, had from 10 to 12 large and medium-sized cargo ships laid up...

On the other hand, one of the company's ships, the Boskoop, has just left Amsterdam for Chile with a cargo of 4,000 tons...

The Royal Packet Navigation Co. has for some years maintained regular services between Manila, Bangkok, Batavia, etc., and South and East African ports.

Freight And Asiatic Passengers Returns

(BY LONGSHOREMAN). During the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday, the freight returns received from the Harbour Office show a fairly high tonnage movement...

Through cargo for ports beyond the Colony amounted to 18,742 tons, of which 9,862 tons were carried by British steamers.

Table with columns: Nationality, Ships, Tonnage. British 8, 18,709; American 1, 1; Dutch 1, 2,172; Norwegian 1, 900; Japanese 4, 12,534.

BY AIR TO CHINA

New Route To Operate

The Chinese Ministry of Communications has signed an agreement with the French Air Ministry providing for a connexion between the existing routes of China National Aviation Corporation and Air France.

ARRIVALS

28TH JANUARY, 1936.

Szechuen, British steamer, 1,594 tons, Captain W. T. Paul, from Canton, buoy No. B1-B & S.

SHIPS IN HARBOUR

WHARVES.

Kowloon: - Victoria, Priderun, Empress of Asia and Yuen Sang. Douglas Lapralc: - Hal Yang.

DOCKS.

Kowloon: - Longshan, Silver Sandal and Argus. Taihook: - H.M.S. Phoenix, Chichibu Maru, Storviken, Hong Hsiang, Lyeemoon, Szechuen, Chung King, Hua Shan, Hotchow and Empress of Canada.

BUOYS.

No. A1 - Lycadon. No. A3 - Gertrude Maersk. No. A4 - Tjisalak. No. A12 - Kohwa Maru.

27TH JANUARY, 1936.

Shuri Chih, British steamer, 1,173 tons, Captain A. Hall, from Saigon, buoy No. B12-W.

CLEARANCES

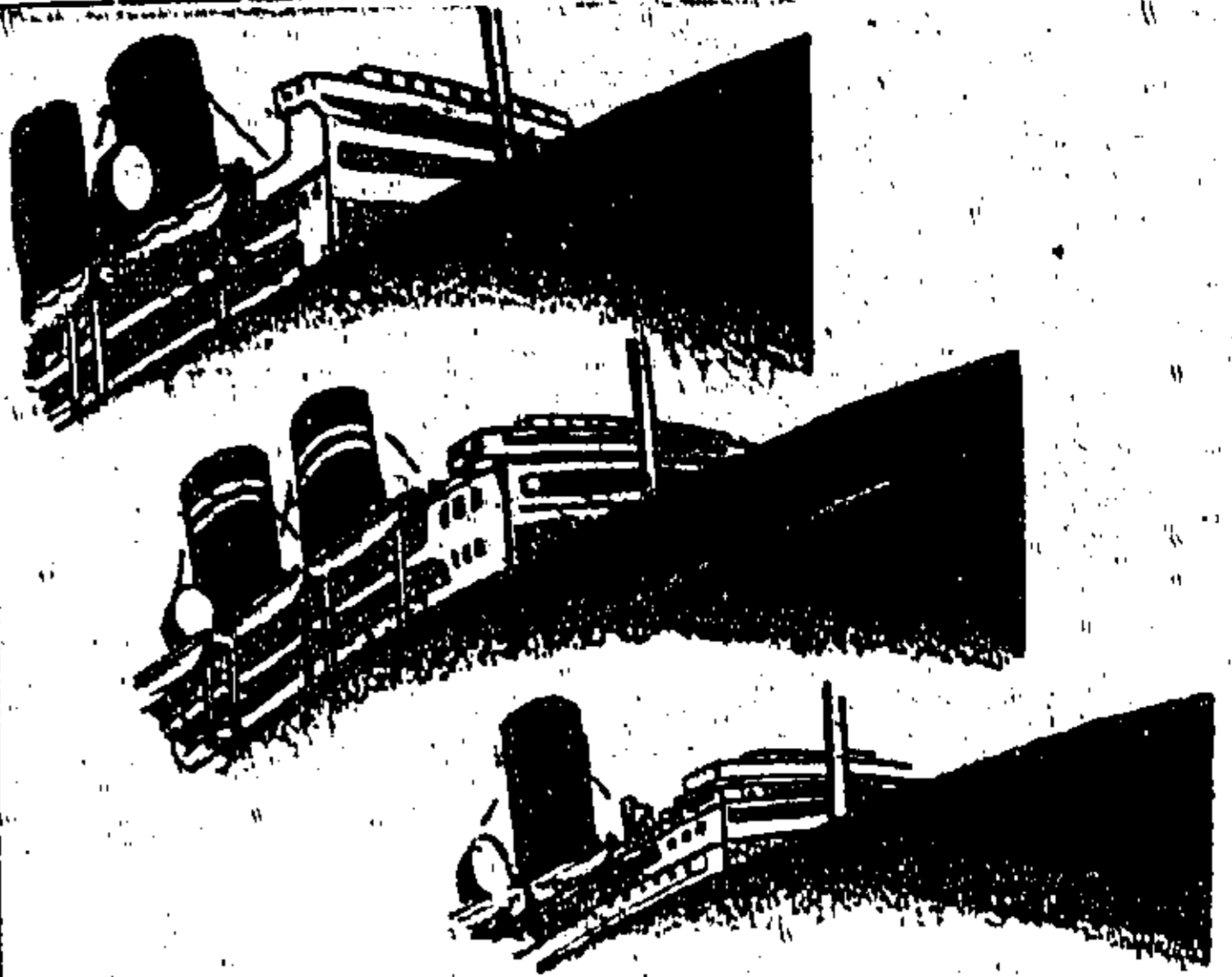
28TH JANUARY, 1936.

Kaltuna, for Port Campha Yochow, for Canton. Lyeoh, for Manila. Yuen Sang, for Kobe.

SHIPS IN WIRELESS COMMUNICATION

The following list of ships are expected to be in wireless communication with Hong Kong Radio yesterday:

Hong Kheng, Cheong On Tablan, Harberton, Terestas, Anyo Maru, Tsaman, Viceroy of India, President Van Buren, Tatsuta, Maru, Empress of Japan, Yacht Athene, m/v. Tai Ping and Rawalpindi.



P&O-BRITISH INDIA-APCAR AND EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN LINES

Table with columns: Steamship, Tons, From Hongkong (About), Destination. Includes ships like SOUDAN, CHITRAL, JAYPORE, etc.

BRITISH INDIA-APCAR SAILINGS

Table with columns: Ship Name, Tons, Date, Destination. Includes SHIRDHANA, SHIRALA, TILAWA, SANTHELA, TALMA.

Now is the time to visit Australia & New Zealand

lands of Sunshine and Romance. "Down Under" you will feel a new being and even if you are not inclined towards Surfing, Fishing, Shooting or Mountaineering...

EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN SAILINGS

Table with columns: Ship Name, Tons, Date, Destination. Includes NELLORE, TANDA, NANKIN.

SAILINGS TO SHANGHAI & JAPAN

Table with columns: Ship Name, Tons, Date, Destination. Includes BURDWAN, TANDA, TILAWA, RAWALPINDI, SOMALI, SANTHELA.



FRENCH MAIL STEAMERS

Table with columns: Destination (to SHANGHAI, to MARSEILLE), Ship Name, Departure Date.

We can issue Through Tickets to Egypt, SYRIAN PORTS, East Africa, MADAGASCAR by Transhipment on our Mail Steamers...

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