

**BELIEVED TO BE** 

Montreal Detectives are

Now Combing the City

in Quest of Miss Fran-

ces St. John Smith.

(Special to the Daily Mail by the (United Press Staff Correspondent.)

Detective Bureau received a tele-

ANOTHER FALL

Melton Ma, wbray, Eng., March 11

-The Prince of Wales had a fall

trail within a few days.

sleuths.

**IN MONTREAL** 

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# Women Voters will be in A Majority in Old Country

Her Commander Believes That a Faulty Compass MISSING GIRL Was the Cause of the Disaster-Plunged on the Rocks During A Blinding Snowstorm on Friday Last.

## (Special to the Daily Mail by the British United Press)

Manomet Point, Mass., March 12-The coastwise liner Robert E. Lee lay upon the rocks of May Ann Ledge today almost an irretrivable loss because of what its commander believes was a faulty compass.

The vessel plunged onto the rocks in a blinding snowstorm on Friday as it cruised towards tectives called in to the continent- wind up tomorrom night to the relief New York with 150 passengers and 113 members of the crew aboard.

The crew and passengers were removed safe- in Montreal, either staying with keeping within 40 minutes-the time ly although three members of the coastguard were friends or harbored in a convent. The specified for one speech. drowned when a surf boat in use for the transfer of passengers overturned.

Was a Splendid Ship.

The Robert E. Lee is one of the fin-The Robert E. Lee is one of the fin-est and best-equipped of the Eastern ROCK SLIDE AT Steamship Company's fleet. She is of steel construction and was built at Newport News, Va., in 1925.

She is an oil burner with a single propellor driven by single reduction turbines, and her normal speed is 16 knots. She is 377.5 feet in length and Thousands of Tons of 54.2 feet beams and has a gross tonnage of 5184 tons.

The ship has three decks and 124 staterooms to accommodate about 300 passengers. She was fitted with lounge rooms, a dining saloon, dance hall, Special cable \*2 the Daily Mail by the British United Press) writing rooms, music rooms, smoking rooms, sun parlor, tea room and barber shop. She and her sister ship the George Washington were run from threatened fresh damage to Santos, New York to Norfolk, Va., to Miami, Fla., and Havana until last fall when they replaced the steamer Boston and victims of Saturday's landslide. New York in the Boston-New York service through the Cape Cod 'Can'al. The Robert E. Lee was equipped with several large side posts to facilitate the handling of fast freight, especially automobiles. Her commander is Capt. Harland W. Robinson of Melrose.

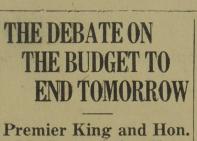
# SANTOS, BRAZIL **TOOK BIG TOLL**

**Rock and Earth Flat**tened Homes Causing **PRINCE GETS** 

Santos Maries, March 12-Loosen ed boulders of Montzerrat today while more than a thousand workmen were attempting to recover bodies of One part of the hill was said to be loosening and threatened the side, Should this occur the disaster would jured. be even greater than the Saturday oc

## Heavy Death Toll

ands of tons of earth and rock crash- and brought down the wing of the bia will carry a seaplane in which on him. rat upon a section of this city yester. horse to fall. day, taking a heavy toll of life and



Mr. Bennett Are Yet to Speak.

**MAJORITY MAY BE THIRTY** 

Hon. J. H. King May Be the First Minister to Japan.

(Special to The Daily Mail.) Ottawa. March 12-Tennyson's fa mous brook has little on the budget debate which has been running for Montreal, March 12-Montreal de the last sixteen days and which will wide search for Frances St. John of Parliament. One hundred and missing New England College girl is their percorations - practically all

city is being systematically raked by It is expected the budget will carry Sergeant Detective Hugh McCoy, of by thirty, after which the House will the missing persons' squad and other turns its interests to the tariff items Premier King and Hon. R. B. Bennett On Friday Capt. O'Donnell of the will speak tomorrow night

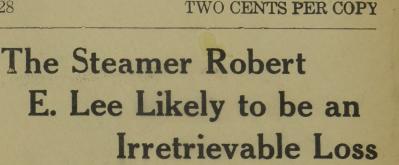
The Opposition will wage war on that Montreal be searched, as he be- mor has it that Hon. J. H. King, Miulieved his daughter was somewhere ister of Health will be Canada's firm in the city. Sergeant Detective Mc- Minister to Japan.

Coy was immediately assigned to the case. It is understood that indefinite Georges Bouchard, Liberal Member the Tascheraeu government as Minister of Agricuture-



Philadelphia, March 12-Miss Milwhen exercising his horses at Crox- dred Johnson of Manoa, Pa., "Apostle ton Park, yesterday but was not in- of the Air Mail," was here today en route to New York, whence she sails The Prince and Major Kavanagh tomorrow on the S. S. Columbia for Nobles, Sonoma county farmer, watch-

were taking some jumps on the Bremen.



THE WEATHER

Bill Giving the Right to Vote to Those Twenty-One Years of Age in Parliament Today is the Culmination of a Bitter Fight With the Rothermere Press-Germany Negotiating For Airplane Concessions With Irish Free State.

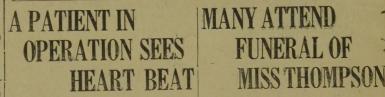
### (By Herbert Bailey, British United Press Staff Correspondent)

London, March 12—The bill introduced in Parliament today extending the right to vote to 5,125,000 women at the age of twenty-one marks the culmination of a bitter newspaper fight in Britain wherein the Rothermere press was defeatsmith last Friday, believe that the ninetteen members have contributed ed by Premier Baldwin's persistence.

At the next election the British electorate will number 12,125,000 men and 14,500,000 women, thus ensuring a perpetual femine majority in the British Isles.

# **Germany After Concessions.**

A report that Germany is negotiating aerogram from Miss Simt's father asking the votes for the Tokyo legation. Ru plane concessions from the Irish Free State has alarmed British Air League officials. In this connection it is believed the Germans intend to estab-It is also definitely understood lish mail services to take mails from incoming trans-Atlantic liners off the coast in order to save the detectives hope to pick up a hot at the close of the session to enter time on delivery and also to establish an aeroplane service between Ireland and England. The Germans have already ousted British air services from Persia where the Russians also are active aerially.



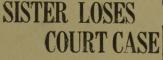
Santa Rosa, Calif, March 12-L. H.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Sarah ed, in a mirror, the reflection of his Louise Thompson, a well known steeplechase training ground when She expects to beat the ship to the own heart beats, while physicians school teacher, who died in the hosthe Major's horse refused a jump German port, however, for the Colum- were performing a delicate operation pital at Halifax on Thursday of last week, took place yesterday afternoon

ed down from the sides of Mount Ser- fence which caused the Prince's Miss Johnson will take off in when The operation was for removal of at 3:30 from the late home of the dethe vessel is several hundred miles pus sacs formed near the heart after ceased on Charlotte street, and was Major Kavanagh's leg was cut in from shore. Accompanying her will a severe attack of influenza. Surgeons very largely attended. The students the mix-up, but the Prince was un- be Mrs. Esther Warner, Portland, Ore., removed a section of three ribs, using of the high school, of which the dea local anesthetic, and opened the ceased has been a valuable member of

a Heavy Loss of Life.

Santos, Brazil, March 11-Thouscreating panic among the people.



EX KAISER'S

Princess Victoria of Schaumberg-Lip- dead as high as 200. pe, sister of the former Kaiser, for While rescue work was proceeding court.

toria's request that her portrait be re- which took a toll of 22 known dead during January and February were moved from the book. The refusal with many others missing, the police was based on the ground that she was ordered all persons from houses near those for the corresponding period of her projected marriage to Prince Al-ed on three sides. To this precaution imports declined by 8,197,643 pounds. Aroostook rotatoes as reports from the Communist worker's party as can-lide mountain which the city surround-imports declined by 8,197,643 pounds. Aroostook rotatoes as reports from lide for the Desidence today. Miller, M. H. Brewer, K. C. Bishop, C. B. Burden and S. E. McDermiad. exander of Bulgaria in 1884, which was attributed the escape of all when Prince Bismarck and Emperor Wil- the rushing mass of earth and rocks liam I, prevented because Alexander today crushed nine houses. was not a member of a reigning house.

The court, however, granted Subkoff's application for removal of his morning it blotted out completely picture.

# **BIG PROFITS** WAS MADE ON **CHEWING GUM**

(Special to the Daily Mail by the British United Press)

Chicago, Ill, Mar. 12-Chewing gum netted the William Wright Junior modern Diogenes would have ended the Fifth avenue structure to make his removal to the hospital. Friends Holmes took as the subject of his pulpit and chancel rail as a memorial Company, \$9,767,347.09 alst year, the his quest here today. B. D. Duncan 1927 balance sheet also made public manager of a local hotel received 5 ing. Negotiations are under way to today revealed. Net profit after the cents by mail in payment for a bar sell the mantels and ornate gothic mayment of dividends was \$3,,494,390.- of soap a guest took away from the stone trimmings to motion picture 84., in 1927 the report said.

Today rescue workers toiled un- scratched and later in the day huntceasingly, undovering the ruins of ed with Prince Henry with the aviator, who will act as pilot. homes crushed flat by the slide and Cottesmore hounds.

**BRITAIN SHOW** 

worth 8,000,619 pounds more than

HOME GOING INTO

movies.

concerns.

bringing to light the bodies of the victims. Twenty-two bodie's had been Berlin, March 12-The application recovered late today and estimates EXPORTS FROM of Alexander Subkoff and his wife, placed the probable number of the

an injunction against the author and the nerves of the terrified populace publisher of a book dealing with their was further shaken by a second slide romance has been refused by a Berlin that, however, did not cause loss of (Special cable to The Daily Mail by the British United Press) London, March 12—British experts

The court also refused Princess Vic- Following the disaster of yesterday Today's avalanche was not as severe as that which took the city by of 4,990,961 pounds.

surprise yesterday when in the early many houses in which whole families VANDERBLI were sleeping.

# HONEST MAN FOUND: PAID FOR **HOTEL SOAP**

Birmingham, Ala., March 12-A hotel five years ago.

"We will take off about 600 miles

fuel at Amsterdam, we will take off ordered to hold mirrors so he could the Rural Cemetery. about 1200 miles out.'

BIG INCREASE SPUDS WORTH \$4.25 A BARREL **IN AROOSTOOK** 

Presque Isle, Me., March 11-The ponds, an increase of 4,298,748 pounds that buyers on Saturday went over were not arge. The demand is roported only moderate but shipments appear to be increasing about 180 carloads being forwarded Saturda -

### Successful Operation

THE MOVIES operator, who was operated upon at terday and a large number of perthe Victoria Public Hospital on Sat- sons unable to get out to the ser- St. Andrew's congregation will oc-New York, March 12-Pieces of the former home of Mrs. Wililam K. Vanderbilt 2d, are going into the Wreckers have begun demolishing way for a six story commercial build and relatives in this city will be glad address "Love Trails of the Long to her parents the late Mr. and Mrs. to learn of his progress.

paying time

pus sacs.

Nobles talked with the doctors dur- years, attended the service in a body. from Bremen," Miss Johnson said, "or ing the operation and when he asked A large number of mourners followed if arrangements can be made for re- to see his heart beats, the nurse wasthe hearse is it wended it's way to

> see into his own chest. Hospital authorities expect him to recover.

# WOMAN NAMED AS CANDIDATE FOR PRESIDENCY

February exports totalled 57,236,148 various points in the county show didate for the Presidency today. It was the first time a woman had little political significance.

### Services Broadcast.

Neill's and Sons, both morning and the Rural Cemetery.

evening services of the Wilmot Stewart McDougall,, a C. P. R. press United church were broadcasted yes-

Ago" the theme of the story being

tended.

the teaching staff for the past few

Rev. George Telford conducted the funeral service, which was very impressive and at the conclusion, several favorite hymns of the deceased were sung by a group of selected voices. A beautiful sole, "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere," was rendered by Mrs. W. A. McLellan. Floral tributes

were very numerous. The pall bearers were made up of six members of Buenos Aires, March 12-Senorita the High School teaching staff and a "historical personage" because of the mountain which the city surround-her projected marriage to Prince Al ed on three sides To the

> Following were the cnief mourncompared with February 1927, imports the \$4 mark to \$4.10, \$4.15 and been so honored in Argentina. While ers; Rev. A. Sterling Thompson, Wilwere 98,848,374 representing decrease some as high as \$4.25 a barrel, the candidacy was considered a gal- lard Thompson, George Thompson, all mostly for warehouse lots as haulings lant gesture, if was believed to have brothers of the deceased; A. Sterling Vay, Frank Rowe, Robert Stephenson, Wesley Tait, James Hughes, and Through the courtesy of Jas. S. K. Nevers. Internment was made at

> > St. Andrew's Church.

urday morning for an attack of ap-vices had the opportunity of hearing cupy their new church on Sunday pedicitis, is resting quite comfort- Rev. F. H. Holmes' sermons via next the 18th. Some very valuable ably this morning after a successful the ether. In the morning service presents have been received by the operation. Mr. McDougall was taken the subject was "The Ministry of church from members and adherents. ill quite suddenly, which necessitated Children" and in the evening Mr. Mrs. William Walker presented the J. D. MacKay and a reading desk woven about the bible character was presented by Countess Ashburn-Dogs are loved most between tax- Luke. The services were well at ham. The new church will be dedicated in June next.