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GREATEST SIDEWAY-LAUNCHING IN HOLLAND.

Lengths 32 metres

Also in the Northern provinces of Holland shipbuilding is increasing.

The biggest ship ever launched sideways (the 2350 ton "Balticberg") was completed one of these days. For miles around people have gathered to watch the launching; for a sideways-launching always is a really spectacular event. There goes the champagne! There goes the ship! Holland is the only country in the world where ships are often launched sideways.

But never it has been a big ship like the "Balticberg", who will be mainly used for wood transportation from the Scandinavian countries.
