

FREDERICTON WELCOMES LORD BYNG

Parliament Prorogued On Saturday

MUCH USEFUL LEGISLATION

Liberals and Progressives Bitterly Resent Action of the Senate.

Ottawa, July 2—After five months, marked by more useful legislation than debate the second session of Canada's fourteenth Parliament came to an end Saturday afternoon with the customary prorogation ceremonies conducted by the Governor-General in person. To make closing possible before the Dominion Day week end holiday and before His Excellency left Saturday for a tour of the Maritime Provinces the House of Commons had to sit all Friday night adjourning at 8 o'clock Saturday morning and the Senate had to sit yesterday morning to complete work.

In its review of the session's legislation the speech from the throne referred to completion of Canada's part in the trade treaties with France and Italy and expressed the confidence that those two nations would soon make possible the exchange of ratifications of the convention. Decennial revision of the Bank Act; simplification and strengthening of the customs and excise laws; legislation to control grain freight rates on the Great Lakes and rivers, the appointment of a commission (now sitting in western Canada) to probe conditions of the grain trade generally; the anti-combines measure legislation for improving the position of the returned soldiers and their dependents steps to increase the flow of immigrants to Canada; improvement in the position of the Government Railways enterprise; measures for the promotion of the various phases of the agricultural industry and Half-breed Treaty between Canada and the United States were also pointed to with gratification.

"The many evidences of a returning prosperity, which with the passing of the months have become increasingly apparent are now supplemented by the promise of a bountiful harvest the message concludes. "For these and other blessings I join with you in humble thanksgiving to Divine Providence."

Senate Kills Railway Bill.

The Senate by its action Friday night in preventing the Canadian National Railways from proceeding with a programme of urgently needed lines this year, has come in for bitter criticism on the part of Liberals and Progressives who, in addition to censuring the Upper House for placing big obstacles in the way of the success of a public railway enterprise in which all the people are share holders point out that it was exceedingly bad politics for the reactionaries in the Senate to place themselves in the position of seeking to check an enterprise behind which is the large majority of public opinion.

The Vice Regal Party Arrived at Noon and Were Warmly Greeted

The Senate Bowled Out Railway Bill

No Extension of Valley Railway to the Border This Year.

Ottawa, June 30—The action of the Senate in giving the six months' hold to the Canadian National Railways twenty-nine million dollar programme of railway construction, after the same had passed through the Commons and its necessity been repeatedly emphasized, has created some consternation in Parliamentary circles, particularly among Western members who have been very insistent with regard to the necessity not only of the extension embraced in the Bill, but of a much greater programme of construction.

The action of the Senate means that all construction must now halt for another year at least, and this is certain to prove very embarrassing not only to the railway management, but to those remote portions of the country whose hopes have been buoyed up in the expectation that construction would begin immediately, as the Railway management and the Government planned.

Will Come Again

The attitude of the Government will be to let the people understand that the entire responsibility for this action must rest upon those Senators who opposed the Bill. The legislation will be reintroduced again next year though whether in its present form or not has not been determined. So far as the political benefits to the Government are concerned, and this is a matter which has been referred to during the discussion, there is no doubt that they will be much greater next year, when the country will presumably be on the eve of an election, than they would be at the present time; and in this some of the Government supporters are finding comfort for the action of the Senate.

It is well understood here that the action of the Leader of the Senate, who led the attack on the Bill, was taken in concert with the Conservative Party. Consequently if railway extension is now held up in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, the Conservatives must accept full responsibility.

tion in Canada and of dealing a blow to a policy to which the preceding Conservative Government committed itself and the country.

Addresses from the Provincial Government, the City Council and Great War Veterans Presented at the Opera House---Civic Luncheon at the Queen Hotel---Corner Stone of U. N. B. Memorial Laid this Afternoon.

Fredericton gave to Lord Byng of Vimy a hearty welcome today and also to Lady Byng. The special train bearing the Vice-regal party arrived at noon at the C. N. R. station having entered the province at Edmundston on Dominion Day. At the station His Excellency the Governor General, Lady Byng and His Excellency's staff were received by His Honor the Lieut. Governor and Premier Veniot on behalf of the Province and by His Worship Mayor Reid on behalf of the city. The members of the Provincial Government, the staff of His Honor the Lieutenant Governor and the members of the City Council were in attendance. A hearty cheer greeted Lord Byng as he appeared from the train before the large gathering of people.

PROCESSION OF MOTORS

A procession of ten motors was formed as soon as the formal greetings had been completed. The City Council occupied the first three, Col. Houlston, D. S. O., and staff occupied the fourth. Premier Veniot and members of the Provincial Government occupied the fifth and sixth. The staff of His Honor the Lieut. Governor occupied the seventh car. The eighth was occupied by Her Excellency Lady Byng of Vimy, Mrs. W. F. Todd wife of the Lieut. Governor and Madame Veniot, wife of Premier Veniot.

The ninth car was occupied by the staff of His Excellency and the tenth by His Excellency the Governor General, Lord Byng of Vimy, G.C.B., G.C.M.G., M.V.C. and His Honor the Lieut. Governor.

ADDRESSES PRESENTED

The cars proceeded at once to the City Hall where in the City Opera House before as many people as could get in the building addresses were presented. The stage had been decorated with flowers and plants and the national flags and colors were used extensively. The exterior of the building bore special decorations as the addresses were from Province as well as the city and also from the Provincial Command G. W. V. A. Premier Veniot presented the address on behalf of the Province, Mayor Reid that on behalf of the City of Fredericton and Vice-President C. R. Hawkins that on behalf of the veterans. All addresses were handsomely engrossed.

A pleasing feature was the presentation of a bouquet to Lady Byng by little Miss Elizabeth Clark, daughter of Ald. and Mrs. G. H. Clark made immediately after His Excellency replied to the addresses.

ADDRESS IN REPLY

His Excellency Replied to All Three Addresses in Brief But Appropriate Address.

The address made in reply to the three which had been presented to him was as follows:

Your Honour, The Premier, Mr. Mayor, and Ladies and Gentlemen:—

As representative of His Majesty The King it will give me great pleasure to forward to him your messages of loyalty and devotion. In an Empire as extensive and diversified as our own, where our interests are so varied that we have only one common cause—a love of freedom and free institutions—it is indeed fortunate that we have in His Majesty a personality that is an example to us all of devoted service to his country and fellowmen.

Every since I arrived in Canada, I have looked forward to visiting New Brunswick, not only on account of the charm of its scenery, but because I am anxious to meet the descendants of those Loyalists whose trials and sacrifices form one of the finest pages in the history of the Dominion.

Last year I visited the West, so that I might try to learn and understand some of their problems and difficulties. And, this summer I have turned to the East, where I hope to do the same. Because I am convinced that the East is as necessary to the West, as the West is to the East. They are

just as interdependent as city and country, as manufacturer and agriculture. And if they do not need each other in this way, it is essential that they should know each other, and so set themselves, with mutual understanding and sympathy, to solve some of the difficult problems which confront the world today.

Your Province is singularly fortunate in the gifts she has received from nature. But perhaps the feature which most impresses the stranger when he arrives is the fact that it is a "land of homes", and all that that word stands for. Although your people may differ in race and creed, you have that atmosphere of home and family life, which engenders those qualities of faith and character so essential in the life of any nation if it is to become and remain really great.

You have been good enough to refer to the part I played in the war. It was my privilege then to command on the battlefields of Europe the Canadian Corps, that magnificent body, of which your men formed an important part. No words of mine can express the loyalty and courage of that force, which united in spirit proved itself capable of heroic tenacity of defence, and achievement in attack. One of the chief pleasures during my tour this summer will be to see again some of those men and renew friendships begun in France and Flanders. And I also look forward to meeting their

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Kearns Will Take a Stud Game Chance

The Big Fight Will Be Pulled Off Tomorrow As Scheduled.

(Special to the Daily Mail)
Great Falls, Mont. July 3—Taking a gamblers and a sportsman's chance Jack Kearns in the "wee hours" of this morning agreed to send Jack Dempsey into the ring against Tommy Gibbons in Shelby on July 4. Kearns is taking a "stud game" chance that he will be able to abandon the remainder of the \$300,000 purse guaranteed him in his contract. After a whole night spent in conferences, during which Kearns made overtures to the promoters out of their difficulties, it was agreed that Kearns should accept the \$200,000 that already has been paid him on behalf of the champion and gamble on the gate receipts to make the additional \$100,000.

On The Eve of Battle.

Shelby, Mont., June 3—Financiers fight promoters and scribes made early exodus from this city today. With all the aluring emotions of the wayfarer bound for Elysium they are going to Great Falls which has become the nerve center of everything pertaining to the Dempsey-Gibbons battle excepting of course the fight. In Great Falls are all the comforts and luxuries of modern life. Here are the good old days of song and story with up-to-the-minute excrescences in which only the throw back finds himself at home and at peace. With no all guys to prey on the grafters of various sorts who came here are trying to do one another and the comedy is rare. The game of "dog eat dog" never had a more concrete expression. And think of trying to stick up a fighter's manager! That's what happened to Eddie Kane, Gibbons' manager last night. The happy coincidence of a gang of Calgary cowboys sauntering down the upper reaches of Maine street saved Eddie's roll and his wife's jewelry.

Newspaper Changes.

The St. John Globe announced Saturday that St. John's two morning papers, the Telegraph and Journal had been amalgamated and that the Journal has ceased publication and that the Telegraph's name in future be known as the Telegraph-Journal. Although the story was founded on fact it is evident that the announcement as both papers appeared this morning as usual. It is known however that a charter has been issued to the New Brunswick Publishing Company Limited, with an authorized capital of \$600,000. A Fredericton Kings Counsel is the chief incorporator and St. John will be the head office. No official announcement has yet been made as to when the change will become effective.

The Vatican Incident May Be Closed

CONFERENCE HELD ON SUNDAY

An Official Note Fully Explains Attitude Taken By His Holiness.

(Special Cable to the Mail)

Rome, July 3—Following Sunday's conferences between French Ambassador Jonnar and both Pope Pius and Cardinal Gasparri, the Vatican state that Chancery Mondays issued the following: Official note—"The Pope is profoundly grieved by many acts of sabotage by the Germans in territories occupied by France. His sorrow is all the more strong because these acts of sabotage are contrary to these principles of justice and charity which the Pope has steadily preached and which inspired his letter to Cardinal Gasparri.

Vatican circles consider the Franco-Vatican incident closed in the long conversation between the Pope and M. Jonnar, the latter amply illustrated the spirit of his letter, fully confirming what he had written. The Pope is chiefly preoccupied by the fact that the sufferings of the German People may facilitate the penetration of Bolshevism, the terrible consequences of which may be easily imagined.

Reception And Ball for Lord Byng

At the reception and ball to take place in the Parliament Building tonight there will be a dance program of fourteen numbers with extras. Refreshments will be served from the Engrossing Clerk's office and the Supreme Court Chamber will be used as a ladies' robing room.

The dance program has at its first number a grand march which will be led by His Excellency and partner.

The Reception

The reception will take place in the Assembly Chamber. The throne will be banked with flowers and His Excellency and Lady Byng who will receive with Premier and Madame Veniot and His Honor the Lieut. Governor and Mrs. Todd, will take their stand to the right.

The reception will begin at 9.15 and will be formal.

Dinner by Province

The Dinner tendered by the Province will take place at the Queen Hotel beginning at 7.15. Forty-nine acceptances have been received.

JOHN D. JR., IS NOT FINDING PARIS A HAVEN OF REST

(Special Cable to the Mail)

Paris, July 3—The fame of the Rockefellers as benefactors having spread throughout Europe until everyone here believes their bounty is to be had in unlimited quantities for the asking, John D. Rockefeller, Junior, is having a hard time getting the rest for which he came to Paris. Arriving last night Rockefeller was forced to slip away from the station incognito and go to a small hotel to avoid the throngs bent on appealing to his generosity. "I came for a rest but I am having a hard time getting it," John D., Junior said.

SCIENTIST SAYS HUMAN GLANDS CAN NOW BE TRANSPLANTED

(Special Cable to the Mail)

Vienna, July 3—Human glands have been successfully transplanted from one person to another without injury to the man from whom the glands were taken and with permanent rejuvenation of the receiver. This is the claim of Dr. Robert Lichtenstern, pioneer in the gland transference, made in an interview with the United Press. Twenty-eight cases of human gland transplantation have been followed up by the scientist, the patients were of all ages and in every case the operation was successful. Loss of glands mean nothing to the man from whom they were taken but gave normal life to men to whom they were given", said Dr. Lichtenstern.