

LEFT GROUPS DISPLEASED WITH CHOICE

Will Not Support Franco-Marsal Government.

ADOPT MOTION

Are Strong Enough to Force Motion Through.

(Special cable to The Daily Mail by the British United Press.)

Paris, June 10—The Left groups of the Chamber adopted a motion today refusing to enter relations with a government not formed from within their ranks and refused to participate in further discussions until such a government had been formed. The motion signed by Edouard Herriot, M. Blum, M. Villetie, and M. Ranaudy will be presented to the Chamber for adoption.

The radicals claims to have three hundred votes, what with the Communist vote should be strong enough to carry the motion.

The text of motion adopted is as follows:—"The Chamber is resolved not to enter relations with a Ministry which by composition is not within its parliamentary rights. It also refuses to participate in the anti-constitutional debate."

MOTOR VESSEL WAS INSPECTED BY HUNDREDS

The D. J. Purdy Arrived Here on First Run Monday Evening—A Noisy Welcome Given Her.

The motor vessel D. J. Purdy arrived here at 5.40 Monday evening on her first run from St. John, also the first run of a motor-driven craft of so large tonnage on the St. John River. The arrival of the Purdy had been expected before but she was delayed on her run by rafts at Sand Point and also stopped at numerous places taking on a heavy freight. She is expected later to make faster runs.

As the vessel came through the draw of the railway bridge she was given a noisy salute all whistles along the water front of both Devon and Fredericton sounding for some time. The Purdy was not able to return the salute her whistle not working.

The Purdy carried heavy freight her superior deck-room being noticeable. She discharged at once and throngs of people at the wharf took the opportunity to go aboard and inspect the first motor-driven vessel to reach Fredericton.

As the vessel neared the wharf it was seen that her lines differed little from those of the steamers and her size was about the same. The absence of smoke from her funnel was commented upon all that appeared being small jets from her exhausts which are inside the funnel.

Her Dimensions.

The new Purdy is 152 feet 8 inches long, 25 feet in beam and thirteen inches in draft forward and five feet three inches aft. She has three decks. Nine staterooms for passengers, large saloon amidships on the second deck and large dining saloon forward on the same deck are features. She was built at Meteghan River, N. S., and finished at St. John. She is driven by two Diesel engines operating twin screws. The engines burning oil are capable of 240 to 300 revolutions per minute and the vessel is expected to show a speed of eighteen knots per hour.

Jarvis Purdy son of D. J. Purdy, ex-M. P., was aboard with Mrs. Purdy and guests. The officers of the vessel are as follows:—Capt. John Gilchrist, Mate Harris Reicker, Purser, Hedley Upton, Engineer, John McKenzie.

Hundreds of people inspected the vessel last evening. She returned to St. John this morning.

GERMAN CABINET TO MEET WED.

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

Berlin, June 10—The cabinet probably will meet tomorrow to consider drafts of the experts reparations plan which have been completed. The cabinet will also rush work to finish the drafts so that the complete report may be presented to the Reichstag June 24.

OLD AGE PENSION SCHEME IN CANADA IS COMING SOON

Committee Preparing it is About Ready to Report.

\$240 ANNUALLY

Monthly Payments of \$20 are to be Made.

Ottawa, June 10—The establishment of an old age pension scheme for Canada is expected to be recommended to the House of Commons by the special committee which has been investigating the subject. The report of the committee is not yet completed but it is understood that its general outlines have been drawn up.

The annual pension payable, according to the plans of the committee so far indicated, is to be \$240 payable in monthly instalments of \$20. The residence qualification is stated to be twenty years of continuous residence. The pension age is not finally settled, but will be either 65 or 70.

It is proposed that the province should be invited to provide half the cost.

SUNNY DAYS BRING FALLING OFF IN CRIME

London, June 10—The fact that the sun has been making quite a show in England is held as the true cause of the decrease in crime here lately. Since the opening of the last sessions at the Old Bailey there have been only twenty-five cases (they have been open three weeks), against more than a hundred in the same time at previous sessions.

A prominent London specialist is convinced that the lack of sunshine has a marked effect on certain phases of crime, and that sun-starved persons are more prone to morbidities than peoples of sunnier climates. Sun starvation, says this medical man, produces nerve starvation and lowers the national vitality. Suicides increase in certain months probably because dull, dreary days produce depression.

It may be possible, says this specialist, that a combination of good housing and sufficient sun will one day banish serious crime from the world. He does not, however, pretend to have any plan for the forcing of the sun to shine when it won't and it generally won't in England.

CHILEAN PAYS LARGE SUM FOR GAME OF POLO

London, June 10—Polo is admittedly an expensive pastime, but the expenditure of £4,000 on a single game probably constitutes a record. Baron Schroeder of Chile, nevertheless estimates his one contest in England has cost him this sum. Together with other distinguished Latin-American polo players he came to England this spring with a stud of ponies for the Roehampton-Ranelagh season, but on account of the unusually rainy weather he found it possible to participate in only one contest.

Inasmuch as he brought fourteen ponies over, he estimates the total cost of the one game he played at the sum mentioned. However, the baron still hopes for better weather to come and so has turned down the offer of Lord Wimborne to purchase Schroeder's mounts for the use of the English international team going to the United States this year.

Church Union Passes Assembly by Five to One Vote

Feeling For and Against is More Marked Than Ever.

DECISIVE VOTE

Surprise Follows Ballot on First Resolution of Committee.

Owen Sound, June 10—By a series of successive votes the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Canada dealt with the church union question here Monday afternoon. The first vote was taken on an amendment presented on behalf of those opposed to church union by the Rev. Dr. D. J. Fraser, of Montreal. This amendment expressed the appreciation of the assembly for the work done by the private bills committee at Ottawa and suggested that the final decision of the church union movement be left to the courts. It was rejected by the assembly by 92 to 444 on a standing vote.

A surprise was given to the assembly when the poll was taken on the first resolution of the union committee. It was expected that this would be carried by a very large majority and under normal conditions it would be carried without debate and without consideration. The opponents of union, however, stated that under the circumstances there were implications in it which could not be accepted and they voted against a resolution which apparently held nothing except that the church was spiritually self-determined and independent. The vote on this resolution was 428 to 94.

The vote in favor of union, about five to one, was the most decisive ever recorded. It is also stated by those who have been in closest touch with the present gathering that the vote truly represents the feeling in the assembly. The feeling both for and against Union is more marked than it ever was before, and the lines of demarcation are very straightly drawn. This is especially true on the union side, this element in the church having apparently decided that the present situation must be definitely ended.

On the second resolution, which was the crucial one, since it deprecated strongly the action of the private bills committee, the vote was 403 to 93. The falling off in the Union vote was described to the fact that a number of the Union men departed owing to the lateness of the hour.

LUNCHMAN REWARDED BY BELATED M. P.

London, June 10—Does it pay in these materialistic times to play the "Good Samaritan"? There is a London coffee house stall keeper who is of the opinion that it does. A few weeks ago, in the early hours of the morning, a well dressed man ordered a cup of coffee and a sandwich at his stall, only to find later that he had no money to pay the check.

The proprietor not only gave him a second cup of coffee on trust, but also advanced him sixpence for his fare home. The generous act was rewarded the following day by an invitation to dinner at the House of Commons. The "broke" stranger turned out to be J. Toole, M. P., for South Salford. He had been kept late in the House of Commons and chose this means of showing his gratitude to the man who had defriended him.

Resigns Post.

Sydney Record: Col. Eric W. MacDonald's appointment as commissioner of the provincial police has been revoked by the provincial government and his resignation has been accepted by the administrator in council. Notice of this is made in this week's issue of the Royal Gazette, of Halifax.

SUITCASE MURDER AROUSES POLICE IN PHILADELPHIA

Body of Flaxen Haired Child Found on Door Step Badly Bruised.

(United Press.)

Philadelphia, June 10—The police of Philadelphia were asked today to aid authorities here in solution of a "suit case murder" of a flaxen haired three year old, whose body was found crammed in a suitcase on a door step here yesterday. The child had apparently been dead about 12 hours, the police said. The jugular vein was cut and the body badly bruised. There was no clue to its identity.

The police believed the suitcase with the body was brought here from another town, and were working on a theory that the child was kidnapped and murdered when the plans of its abductors went awry.

MANY WON FORTUNES IN DERBY "SWEEPS"

London, June 10—Several large fortunes have been won by persons in various parts of the British Empire in sweepstakes on the results of the derby which was won by the Earl of Derby's Sansovino. The richest prize, the Calcutta Sweepstakes of £70,000 (\$322,000), was won by a man living in Nairobi, Kenya colony, East Africa.

Second prize in the Calcutta Sweepstakes, worth £38,000 (\$175,000), was won by Harcourt Johnstone, Member of Parliament, who had previously disposed of a half interest in the stakes for \$3,000. His mother was Antoinette Pinchot of New York.

Philip Millard, a London engineer, won the Stock Exchange Sweepstakes of £50,000 (\$230,000), but had also disposed of a half interest. Second prize of £30,000 (\$135,000) was shared by three London brothers, all members of the Stock Exchange.

Police interfered with the £50,000 sweepstakes of the Conservative Club of Otley, Yorkshire, arrested the promoters and seized the funds pending final disposition of the case.

COUNTRY DRYING FAST

Forest Fires in Maine and in Charlotte County—Windy Weather Dangerous.

The lookouts at Quisibis Mountain, Madawaska County, and at Plaster Rock, have reported forest fires to the Department of Lands and Mines, but on investigation these were found to be in Maine and not in New Brunswick. Charlotte County, however reported two woods fires last week. One at Clarence Ridge covered an area of one hundred acres of which ten acres was Crown Land.

The reports indicate that the country is drying rapidly in the west and south. The windy days which have been the rule for some time have aided greatly in drying out the moisture and a danger period from fire is at hand. The public should not put any great dependence in the light rains but should be on guard against fire.

SITUATION IN LONDON IS BETTER TODAY

(Special cable to The Daily Mail by the British United Press.)

London, June 10—London's strike of power house employees which tied up the city subways showed some slight abatement today, although forty-four stations were still closed. Thousands returning to work after the three day whitsundide holiday were obliged to walk.

ANGLO-FRENCH RAIL TUNNEL IS FAVORED

Premier Ramsay MacDonald to Study Project.

SEES TRADE GAINS Biggest Feat of Its Kind Ever Proposed.

London, June 10—The railroad tunnel under the English Channel, linking England with France, which will be the greatest engineering feat of its kind in the world, seems at last about to enter the sphere of practical politics. In view of the statement made by Premier Ramsay MacDonald in the House of Commons this week. The British governments of the two older parties have refused steadfastly for years to touch this project but the Premier's statement, while cautious, suggests the labor government will be able to claim credit for initiating this plan for the development of world communications which has been under discussion for at least half a century.

Premier MacDonald announced he had undertaken to receive a representative deputation on the subject next week. He is willing to do everything he can, the Premier added, but first must have authoritative reports on the matter.

New Survey Is Needed.

Asked whether the government pigeonholes are not filled with reports on the project, the Premier made the significant reply that "circumstances have changed completely and it is necessary to have a survey on this proposition in view of modern conditions."

If the government finally backs the channel tunnel scheme there will be no difficulty getting parliamentary sanction for it, as a recent canvass among all parties disclosed an overwhelming majority in favor of it. There were 400 members of the House supporting the project, as against eighty-four who had not yet decided on their attitude, and only seventy-three who definitely opposed it.

Of the three great projects which have been suggested within the last half century for improvement of the world's communications, the Suez Canal and the Panama Canal have been completed, but the English Channel tunnel still remains to be constructed. It is agreed that it would be more advantageous to this country than to any other to have the tunnel completed.

FOR TRIAL JULY 8.

Date Set For Trial of Harold Broad—Nicholas Aliotis Naturalized.

The York County Court met this morning His Honor Judge Slipp presiding. Application for the naturalization of Nicholas A. Aliotis of this city, a Greek subject, was made by J. B. McNair. The judge approved and the naturalization was made.

Harold Broad sent up by the Fredericton Police Court for breaking and entering into the grocery store of Joseph Wilby, Westmorland street, also appeared before the County Court. Young Broad having elected for trial by jury, July 8th was set as the date. G. T. Feeney appeared as counsel and made application for bail. Judge Slipp said he would grant the application.

GRAND LODGE P.A.P.B. MEETS HERE TODAY

Many Delegates Arrived Here This Afternoon.

ORDER INCREASES

Grand Master Anderson of St. John Delivers Address.

The fifty-fourth annual meeting of the Grand Lodge of the Protestant Association of Prentice Boys of America opened this morning in the Orange Hall, Queen street. Some fifty delegates were present but others arrived by motor and by C. P. R. from Ontario this afternoon. It is expected that the total number of delegates will be about one hundred when all are present. R. J. Anderson of St. John, Right Worshipful Grand Master presided. Beyond the delivery of his address to the Grand Lodge and the appointment of two committees little was done but routine.

To Be Entertained.

The session this afternoon proceeded to business and a night session also is intended. The Grand Lodge will be in session Wednesday, Wednesday evening the Grand Lodge will be entertained by the members of Victoria Lodge, No. 23 of Marysville and Gibson Lodge No. 37 of Devon two of the largest P. A. P. B. lodges in Canada. A banquet will be served in Marysville and there also will be a motor drive through the surrounding country. An opportunity also is to be given to inspect the Gibson Cotton Mill at Marysville operated by Canadian Cottons, Limited.

Committees Named.

The committees named this morning by the Grand Lodge were as follows:—

Credentials—L. E. Rolston, St. John; Lorne Dunbar, Devon; A. M. Williamson, Toronto.

To Strike Standing Committees:—C. Price, St. John; D. J. Brannon, Toronto; A. Moorehouse, Devon.

Address of Grand Master.

The address of Grand Master Anderson in part was as follows:—

Fredericton, June 10th.

To The Right Worshipful Grand Lodge of the Protestant Association of Prentice Boys of America.

Brethren:—To this the fifty-fourth annual meeting of the Right Worshipful Grand Lodge I welcome you and trust that our deliberations may be beneficial to our beloved association, and that when you are on your home ward way again that you may carry away with you pleasant memories of a most enjoyable visit.

Our last annual meeting was held in the city of Ottawa the capital of Canada and I now welcome you to Fredericton the capital of New Brunswick. We trust that many of the delegates especially those from western Canada will find time to visit St. John the ocean's winter gateway to the markets of the world, and see among the facilities for handling the great volume of traffic the world's largest Dry-Dock.

The reports which will be presented to you will show a very prosperous year for our association. New lodges organized, dormant lodges resuscitated and large increases in membership of primary lodges. They will show a gain of over six hundred, with the prospect for the coming year very bright.

I have visited during the year every lodge in New Brunswick and was accompanied on these visits by a large number of the brethren from St. John.

I wish to extend my sincere thanks to all of these, and to the membership in general for their hearty support and co-operation during my term of office.

Also to Grand Secretary C. O. Brickman, to whose efforts we are indebted for a strong new lodge in West Toronto.

There is a large amount of correspondence.

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