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Constructing Big Plane For Transatlantic Service

Super Airplane Capable of Carrying 100 Passengers is on Way Being Built at Friedrichshaven, Germany—Will be Given Test Flight Next Year—Flying Circles Stirred by Reports.

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

NEW YORK, July 27—A super-airplane which will carry one hundred passengers is under construction at the Dornier works at Friedrichshaven, Germany, and will be given test flights during the next year preparatory to establishing a trans-Atlantic service.

Fred Verville, American representative of the concern, which built the Dornier Wal flying boat in which Captain Frank T. Courtney plans a non-stop Trans-Atlantic flight, confirmed the building of the planes Tuesday.

Rumors of its construction have stirred European flying circles for some time. It is described in European reports as a flying boat similar except for its immense size to Courtney's Dornier Wal, which will be driven by 12 Gnome air-cooled motors developing a combined horse power of 6,000 and 7,000.

MEALS IN U. S. ARMY NOW COST 17 CENTS

Washington, July 27—The War Department announces that on July 1 ration allowance for enlisted men of the army was raised to 50 cents per ration. "Per ration" in this case means "per day," and not "per meal."

While this may sound like a small amount to those on the outside, the boys in the army must consider a 17-cent meal a regular banquet, for previous to July 1 their daily ration cost the taxpayers 31.5 cents a day, or 10.5 cents a meal, which, as everybody knows, is not much of a meal for the poor doughboy who has had a few hours of snappy pick and shovel drill.

Sailors are really the aristocrats of Uncle Sam's fighting forces. They sail the seven seas on up-to-date battle-ships, enjoy the salt breeze and eat their fill three times a day, or as full as they can get on the 52.3 cents a day allowed for their rations. Their brother-in-arms, the marines, can eat all they want, provided their wants do not exceed 49.7 cents a day.

STRAWBERRY CARNATION GIVEN NAME

London, July 27—The Prince of Wales is the name given a new carnation of a dull crushed strawberry color. It is on exhibit in the Royal Horticultural Hall.

"It was such a very fine bloom," explained the flower-raiser, "that we thought it deserved something out of the ordinary in the way of names, so we packed a number of blooms in a box and sent them to the Prince, asking permission to name them after him. He was delighted with them and gave his consent."

We now have a carnation named after the Prince of Wales and another—a large pink bloom—named after his grandmother, the Princess of Wales, which was christened before she became Queen Alexandra.

To Rebuild Bridge.

In the Royal Gazette today notice appears that the Provincial Department of Public Works are preparing to rebuild the Booth Bridge over the Shediac River on the Menager Road, Parish of Shediac, Westmorland County. The call for tenders appeared in the Royal Gazette today. Tenders are to close on Wednesday, August 3rd.

MYSTERY PLANE TO RACE FOR THE KING'S CUP

London, July 27—Twenty-seven planes, including two of the fastest machines in England and one entirely new type, will participate in the race for the King's Cup at the Hucknall aerodrome, Nottinghamshire, next Saturday. Almost every famous British pilot will take part.

This is this country's most important air event. Two single-seaters are capable of more than 150 miles per hour, while a new monoplane known as the "Tiger Moth" has been built in closest secrecy and as yet little is known about it, although it is reported to have completed tests. The Sphanell has a radically different type of engine, it is asserted.

MOTHER OF 24 HAS NEIGHBOR WITH FLOCK

London, July 27—Donald Clark, who was one of the town councilors of Tonbridge, Kent, seven years ago, suggested that a bounty be offered mothers to induce them to rear healthy children. Although his proposal failed of adoption, many mothers have qualified. Until this week the honors of having the largest family were divided between Mrs. H. R. Goldsmith and Mrs. Emily Jane Lucas, both working-men's wives with twenty-three children each, but today Mrs. Lucas gave birth to a daughter—her twenty-fourth child.

The family all live in a six-room cottage and the mother makes ends meet with \$7 weekly.

M. P.'S WEAR BOUQUETS IN BUTTONHOLE

tion of Parliament after the Whitsuntide recess, a new fashion of wearing buttonhole bouquets suggestive of their political views appeared among the members of Parliament. The conservative M. P.'s affect white boutonnières, while the Socialists show a leaning toward red carnations of the deepest dye. Sir William Joynson Hicks, Home Secretary, is one of the leaders in the new fashion, and Jack Hayes, Labor member, is never without a defiant red flower.

THE MARITIMES A CHARMING VACATION LAND

Pictou Lodge, Owned by the C.N.R. is Adding to Its Popularity This Season.

Pictou, N. S., July 27—The Maritime Provinces, one of the best vacation lands Canada has to offer, are now at their best for the summer vacationists. Bright sunny days and cool sea breezes are proving an irresistible lure to the dweller in the larger centres. Pictou Lodge, the high class bungalow camp resort overlooking the waters of Northumberland Strait at Bayview, near Pictou, Nova Scotia, owned and operated by the Canadian National Railways, is again proving its popularity this season with summer visitors from far and near. A glance at the guest list shows guests from San Francisco, Cincinnati, Chicago, Philadelphia and other places in Pennsylvania, New York, Massachusetts, New Hampshire and other New England points, Edmonton, Alta., Regina, Winnipeg, Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal, London, Eng., and Paris, France. The weather is ideal and guests are enjoying the cool sea breezes coming off the waters of the bay which are tinged with the scent of the pine trees surrounding the Lodge.

REACHES HIGH MARK WEALTH OF SHANGHAI

Shanghai, July 27—Shanghai today possesses far more wealth than ever before in its history. This is chiefly due to the silver stream that has poured into the city in the past few months from all over the country, and to the influx of wealthy Chinese. Shanghai and Dalren are considered as two cities reasonably safe during the latest warfare.

The preliminary negotiations that were supposed to lead up to the revision of the status of the Tientsin British Concessions, brought about an execution of Chinese wealth to Dalren that was nothing short of phenomenal.

The threat of Chinese control over any community now under foreign jurisdiction is sufficient to drive Chinese capital out of it and into centers where control is not so likely to be abandoned.

HILL SIXTY TO BE A GIFT TO THE NATION

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

London, July 27—Historical "Hill 60" of the Ypres Salient, known to all Canadians, who fought in the War, has been purchased by John J. Calder, prominent brewer, who will present it to the Nation. The plot was recently announced for sale.

Visiting Motorists.

Among the many people who arrived in the city yesterday by automobile are: A. D. Cameron, Toronto; Mrs. A. M. Cady, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Yorton, Syracuse, N. Y.; Mrs. Dorothy Jameson Nom's River, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Hay, Smith's Falls, Ont.; F. S. Reid, Toronto; F. S. Ross, Montreal; Rev. and Mrs. Cleveland, Fall River, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bowers, New York; Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Fennessy, Boston, Mass.; H. F. McLellan, Ottawa; Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Smith, St. Thomas; M. B. Marsh, Lawrence, Mass.; Jas. J. Haynes, Montreal.

WILL OPPOSE REVISED BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER

Members of the British House Will Line Up Against It.

BIG MEN LEAD MOVEMENT

Organized Opposition to be Presented in the House.

By HERBERT BAILEY
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

London, July 27—Seventy-five members of the House of Commons have decided to oppose the revised book of Common Prayer when it comes up for discussion before the House, and they will present organized opposition to it.

Ronald McNeill, financial Secretary of the Treasury, Lord Winterton, and Sir Thomas Inskip are the leaders, while Sir William Joynson-Hicks the Home Secretary, has also identified himself with the group.

NEWARK HAS GUN FIGHT IN OPEN STREET

Newark, N. J., July 27—A gun fight between the occupants of two automobiles on Washington street, Newark, early today was attributed by police to a feud of gangsters or bootleggers.

A dozen shots were fired as the cars stopped in front of a restaurant at 228 Washington street. Police found three revolvers in the street after the cars sped away, and later found one of the cars abandoned. The machine, which was identified by the number on the plates, was rented from a Williams street garage by a man who gave the name of Abe Rutkin, 45 Osborne Terrace.

SUSPECTS ARE HELD AT VAN BUREN, MAINE

Montreal, July 26—Two police officers, assigned to the investigation of the murder of Adelard Bouchard, Lachine taxi-cab driver, who was found shot to death on the highway near Huntingdon, Que., on July 18, left here tonight for Van Buren, Me., where a man and a woman are being held by United States Immigration officials pending their arrival.

The couple were arrested in the railway station at Van Buren, early today, while the man was buying a ticket to New York. Under questioning the couple admitted they had been in Montreal. The claimed United States citizenship.

Previous to their appearance in Van Buren, the couple had been in Edmundston, N. B., according to word received here today from Chief of Police Savage, of Edmundston. They had arrived on Sunday and on Monday afternoon they were last seen as they walked across the International bridge at this point.

PROF. ROGERS WILL ASSIST THE PREMIER

Ottawa, July 26—Norman H. Rogers recently professor in political economics at Acadia University Nova Scotia will, it is stated remain in Ottawa as one of the permanent secretaries to Premier W. L. Mackenzie King. Professor Rogers joined the prime minister's staff about two months ago and at that time the arrangement was that he would be in Ottawa for the summer months only returning to Acadia University in the fall.

It was truly a hard winter in which to believe the prophets who said it was going to be one.

Julia Mathis Made Sudden and Dramatic Exit from the World

Had Thrilled Millions by Her Screen Scenarios — Was Stricken With Heart Trouble in New York Theatre Last Night—Died Before Medical Aid Arrived—Audience Was Panicky.

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

NEW YORK, July 27—June Mathis, who has thrilled millions by the drama and tragedy of her screen scenarios, made a sudden and dramatic exit from life while hundreds of spectators at a play looked on.

Seated with her mother in the 48th Street theatre last night, watching a performance of the highly emotional play "The Squall", Miss Mathis suddenly screamed, "Mother, Mother, I'm dying!" The theatre was in a commotion, men and women pushed forward, actors faltered in their lines and Miss Mathis was carried out. They laid her in an alley alongside the theatre and when a doctor examined her she was dead.

No explanation of the cause of death has been made today, pending a thorough examination, but it was believed to have been heart disease.

The audience panicky at Miss Mathis' cry, tried to push forward but ushers held them in check.

SAYS WHISKEY DOES NOT CURE A SNAKE BITE

Chicago, July 27—Science again disputes an old remedy—the one that whiskey is a snake bite antidote. This time it is Karl P. Schmidt, assistant curator of reptiles at the Field Museum of Natural History here, who puts the "K. O." on a "home" treatment. He says whiskey, if administered to a person bitten by a venomous snake, would prove injurious. He dismisses the contention that there have been instances of whiskey saving the lives of snake-bitten persons by saying the snakes were not deadly. Mr. Schmidt advises vacationists to obtain recognized serums and not take their snake bite medicine from a bootlegger.

MAY ESTABLISH A SMALL ZOO IN THIS CITY

The proposal has been made to the city of Fredericton that a small zoological park be established in Wilnot Park, wild animals of New Brunswick being used to stock it. Mayor Clark has been approached in the matter by Chief Game Warden H. H. Ritchie, who desires co-operation in the matter between the Department of Lands and Mines and the city authorities.

The proposal is made because of the fact that applications frequently are received from zoological parks outside the province for animals representative of the fauna of New Brunswick. If there was a place in which they were accustomed to captivity and domestication, it would be easier to ship such animals, it is said.

Recent Application.

The most recent application received by the chief game warden was from Franklin Park, Boston, which desires a mate for the cow moose which was sent there from New Brunswick as an exhibit at the Sportsmen's Show last winter.

A calf moose five or six weeks old is in the keeping of James W. Robertson, of Tabusintac, who has reported the matter to the department. The calf's mother evidently was killed and it followed the cattle home. At present it is very tame and playful. Another calf turned up under similar circumstances at Belleville, Carleton county, but died shortly afterward. Norman Hanson, of Durham, York county, has a two-year-old cow moose at his home which came there recently. The department has given permission to keep her.

Diving from Bridge.

Some adventurous boys were jumping and diving from the top rail of the passenger bridge yesterday. They attracted quite a crowd of nervous spectators for the current runs very swift under the bridge and there are shallow and rocky places making such antics dangerous.

BOTH MARKETS WELL STOCKED THIS MORNING

Today the Court House market was big and busy. If the market place is a good place to buy and sell it is also a good place to meet ones old friends from all over the countryside and gossip. Fresh bright-colored vegetables are in abundance now, and strawberries are making their final showing while the other berries are coming in. Prices were listed:

Green peas, per quart, 40 cents.
String beans, per peck, 60 cents.
Beets, 3 bunches for 25 cents.
Carrots, 3 bunches for 25 cents.
Cabbage, 10 cents per head.
Cauliflower, 15 cents per head.
Lettuce, per head, 5 cents.
New potatoes, per bushel, \$1.25.
Strawberries, per box 16 cents, by the crate, 15 cents per box.
Raspberries, per box, 20 cents.
Blueberries, per box, 25 cents, per quart, 30 cents.
Gooseberries, per box, 15 cents.
Butter, per lb., 30 to 35 cents.
Eggs, per dozen, 33 and 40 cents.
Veal, front, 7 and 8 cents, hind, 14 cents.
Lamb, per lb 25 and 30 cents.
City Hall Market.

The Phoenix Square market, as usual, was not as large as the Court House. String beans are plentiful in the market for the first time this year. New potatoes have taken a drop since last market day from \$2 to \$1.50 and \$1.25 per bushel.

Prices were listed:
Beets, per bunch, 10 cents.
Celery, per bunch, 10 cents.
Carrots, per bunch, 10 cents.
Cabbage, per head, 10 cents, per dozen, 75 cents to \$1.
Cauliflower, per head, 10 cents.
Green peas, per quart, 40 cents.
String beans, per peck, 50 cents.
New potatoes per peck, 50 cents, per bushel \$1.50.
Raspberries, per box, (small) 15 cents, (large), 25 cents.
Butter, per lb., 35 cents.
Eggs, per dozen, 35 and 40 cents.
Lamb, per lb., 25 and 30 cents.

BRIDGEMAN OFF FOR NAVAL CONFERENCE

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

London, July 27—W. C. Bridgeman, First Lord of the Admiralty and Lord Cecil, Chief of the British delegation to President Coolidge, naval limitations conference, left for Geneva today. Cecil and Bridgeman came here a week ago to consult the Cabinet regarding the Stalemate which has developed with respect to cruisers.

Carrie Chapman Catt says skirts are bound to disappear. No wonder such hectic efforts are being made to prolong life.