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President of Free State May Ask for Dissolution

Rumored That He Will Take This Course Should His Government Be Defeated in the Dail—If a Recent Canadian Precedent is Followed the Governor General Will Scarcely Dare Refuse a Dissolution.

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

London, Aug. 12—The possibility of Timothy Healy, as Governor General of the Irish Free State being forced to refuse a new election to President Cosgrave was being considered here today.

Naturally he has the right to do so, but after Lord Byng's experience in Canada it is wondered if Healy will dare to refuse Cosgrave should the latter make the demand.

It seems to be the general impression today that if the Republican members, who have decided to take their seats, succeed in defeating the government, that President Cosgrave will apply for a dissolution of the House. A Coalition of Republicans and Labor is not looked upon with favor in some quarters.

SAINT JOHN MAN HEAD OF GRAND LODGE

Business of the Session Finished at St. Stephen Yesterday—Will Meet in Lunenburg Next Year.

St. Stephen, Aug. 11—The annual convention of the I. O. O. F. of the Maritime Provinces and Newfoundland, which has been under way here during the week with about 500 delegates in attendance, including the Rebekahs, came to an end tonight with a grand ball in the local hall. At this morning's session of the Grand Lodge, Joseph A. Murdoch of Saint John was elected Grand Master. Decision was made to hold the next annual session of the Grand Lodge at Lunenburg, Nova Scotia.

Installation of Grand Lodge officers was conducted with the usual formalities and expressions of thanks were made by each of the elected and appointed officials. It is noteworthy that in the election of Grand Warden this is the first year in Grand Lodge history that this official has been elected on first ballot.

Morning Session.

Election of officers was the first business taken up after reading of minutes of this morning's session of Grand Lodge. The work extended over a period of two hours because of the nomination of a plurality of candidates for the offices of grand warden, grand representative and member of the home trustees. Final reports at noon give the following:

Grand Master, Joseph A. Murdoch, Saint John; Deputy Grand Master, J. A. McNair, Charlottetown; Grand Warden, John D. McDonald, Pictou, N. S.; Grand Secretary, J. J. McKinnon, Charlottetown; Grand Treasurer, J. M. Donovan, Halifax; Grand Representative, Ira L. Goode, Pictou, N. S.; member home trustees, J. M. McGowan, Moncton; Grand Marshal, Clarence E. Wry, Moncton; Grand Conductor, S. L. Peters, Bridgetown, N. S.; Grand Herald, Lorenzo Moore, Exploits, Nfld.; Grand Inside Sentinel, R. L. Eaton, Kentville; Grand Chaplain, Rev. R. L. Roach, Canso, N. S.

At intervals during balloting reports of various committees were read and adopted. A resolution to cut out all entertainment at sessions of grand lodge until after the close was given an almost unanimous six months hoist.

The 25th anniversary of institution of Rebekah Assembly was a very pleasing item in the program for last night. There were addresses by prominent members of all branches of the order, and several vocal and instrumental musical numbers. At the grand

THREE BRIDGE CONTRACTS HAVE BEEN AWARDED

Contracts for three new provincial highway bridges were awarded yesterday by Hon. D. A. Stewart, Minister of Public Works.

The contract for the reconstruction of the Gardner Creek Bridge in the Parish of Simonds, St. John Co. has been awarded to Messrs. Luther B. Smith & B. H. Williamson of West St. John; contract price in the vicinity of \$14,000; there were seven tenders for the work.

Contract for the reconstruction of the Booth Bridge in the Parish of Shediac, West Co., has been awarded to Denis LeBlanc of Legereville Kent Co., price in the vicinity of \$7500., there were five tenders for the work.

Contract for the reconstruction of the Red Bridge, in the Parish of Wakefield, Car. Co., has been awarded to Messrs. Whitman Brewer & Alfred Williams of Devon; contract price in the vicinity of \$4,000; there were five tenders for the work.

BILL SHARON NOW OWNED BY DR. M'ALLISTER

Sussex, Aug. 11—Dr. D. H. McAllister has not by any means lost his love for a fast horse. In addition to Red Line 2.09 1/4 which the doctor recently purchased from James Gallagher, Woodstock, he has also acquired the famous Bill Sharon. This horse was sold five years ago by Murchie and Alcorn for the large sum of \$25,000. He was campaigned on the Grand Circuit and obtained a mark of 2.04 1/4. Bangor 2.14 1/4 is another horse which the genial doctor has added to his string. Red Line and Bill Sharon will be campaigned during the balance of the racing season. Bangor will be used entirely for purposes of breeding.

A Real Show.

The following under the caption of "Notice" appears in a Truro, N. S. paper: Mr. Cutten's blueberry field at Lower Truro will be open to the public from this date. Admission 25 cents each.

masters' dinner also there were solos and quartette renderings. In these Mrs. Castorino figured charmingly. The quartette comprised Arnold Clarke, A. P. Dewar, Cecil Nesbit and Harold Bancroft. The Casey orchestra played the instrumental list.

FISHING PARTY HAD THRILLS ON MIRAMICHI

Lieut. W.L. Heiberg and Seymour Ballard Back From Week's Trip — Good Sport and Some Exciting Episodes.

When a man who has served many years on an American man-of-war ship describes a canoeing trip on the South-west Miramichi as exciting and thrilling and says he found the water very rough it is safe to assume that he is not speaking in terms of exaggeration. These were some of the words used by Lieut. W. L. Heiberg a retired officer of the U. S. navy, who returned yesterday in company with his friend, Mr. Seymour Ballard of Geneva, Illinois, from a week's canoeing and fishing trip.

A Real Thrill.

Lieut. Heiberg says that the biggest thrill that came his way was when he hooked a ten pound salmon on a four and a half ounce rod, to which was attached a very light leader and the smallest dry fly obtainable, a No. 14. He got more thrills as the fish fought for its liberty, by making repeated rushes and leaping from the water. It was Mr. Heiberg's first salmon and light as his tackle was he fought it almost to a finish, but the hook slipped from its mouth just as the guide was about to gaff it and it floated off down river apparently lifeless.

An Exciting Episode.

What was perhaps the most exciting incident of the trip occurred when Mr. Heiberg was running the rapids with Steeve Donnelly of Maple Grove steering the canoe. He was seated in the bow and feeling the craft take a lurch he glanced around and was astonished to find himself alone, Steeve having taken a nose dive into the surging waters and was nowhere to be seen. Snubbing the craft as quickly as he could he scanned the water breathlessly for some sign of his companion and finally saw his head and shoulders appear out of the depths of the pool. Being unable to swim things looked serious for the veteran Steeve, and had he been alone it might have gone hard with him. Acting with commendable quickness Mr. Heiberg shoved the end of a pole towards the struggling man and grasping it firmly Steeve soon regained his feet and was pulled to the shore. Apart from a good ducking and a bad scare he was none the worse for his experience. He afterwards explained that his pole had caught and jillpoked him and he went overboard gracefully so as to not upset the canoe. Unfortunately the movie camera was not functioning when Steeve took the header.

Took Moving Pictures.

A two and one half foot rise of water on Monday of this week, following a big rainstorm, spoiled the fishing but added to the excitement of the voyagers. They had a movie camera along and used up more than one thousand feet of film, securing some excellent pictures of fishing scenes and of the canoes running through the rapids. Although the largest fish got away they landed several grise and a number of nice trout. Herman Campbell and Stephen Donnelly were the guides for the party.

Lieut. Heiberg and Mr. Ballard left by last evening's train for Woodstock, Vermont, where their families are summering. They were well pleased with their sojourn in New Brunswick and plan to return next season.

TO START FOR N. Y. SATURDAY

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

Berlin, Aug. 12—Otto Koennecke definitely informed Luffhansa officials last night that weather permitting he would start from Cologne Saturday on his flight to New York.

SAYS PARENTS ARE NOT DOING THEIR DUTY

Shirking Responsibility in the Raising of Children.

A VETERAN'S OPINION

Mothers Who Drink and Smoke are Sharply Criticized.

(Special to the DAILY MAIL by the British United Press)

Chicago, Aug. 12—Parents are side-tracking their responsibilities in raising children and as a consequence the modern youth is on the down grade in the belief of A. A. Stagg, veteran director of athletics at the University of Chicago.

In an address of "How to Make Men" he said that mothers who drink and smoke are largely to blame for the current decline in the morals of youth.

FIRST TEETOTAL PLEDGE BEARS DATE OF 1832

London, Aug. 12—Nearly 100 years old what is said to be the first teetotal pledge has been displayed by the executors of the estate of Thomas Cook. The piece of paper was dated Sept. 14, 1832 and bears the names of seven advocates of total abstinence from intoxicating liquors who signed under the following words:

"We agree to abstain from all liquors of intoxicating quality, whether ale, porter, wine or ardent spirits, except as medicine."

The document was willed to the late Sir George Williams founder of the Y. M. C. A.

TUNNEY STARTS TRAINING GRIND FOR CHICAGO BOUT

Speculator, N. Y., Aug. 12—Gene Tunney world's champion heavy-weight has started intensive training or his scheduled ten round match to be held at Soldier field, Chicago in September.

The ex-marine covered four miles in his road work and then had a short session with the bag yesterday. The remainder of the day was spent in golfing and fishing.

A COMMUNIST ORGAN MAKES NOVEL CHARGE

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

Moscow, Aug. 12—Charges that American secret police were placing bombs in the United States so that sympathizers of Nicola Sacco and Bartholomeo Vanzetti might receive the blame for them appeared today in Bravda, official organ of the Communist party.

THE HOPP OFF WAS AGAIN POSTPONED

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

Paris, Aug. 12—Unfavorable weather caused postponement of the Stuart of the Trans-Atlantic air race which had been set tentatively for today.

Charles A. Levine, owner of the Columbia, changed his mind several times last night and early today, but finally announced that he would not start.

The Closing Chapter In the Charing Cross Trunk Murder Case

John Robinson Expiated His Crime at Pentonville Prison Today—Was Convicted of the Murder of Minnie Bonati—Body of Victim was Found in a Trunk.

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

London, Aug. 12—A story of mean incidents and a women of many lovers ended today on the gallows of Pentonville Prison. John Robinson was hanged for the murder of Minnie Bonati, whose body was found dismembered and packed in a trunk.

With Robinson's death, English justice had exacted the penalty for the Charing Cross trunk murder, which provided a Sherlock Holmes problem for Scotland Yard but which was solved without the assistance of amateur sleuths.

Portugese Cabinet Quits

Madrid, Aug. 12—The Portugese cabinet resigned today, authentic advices from Lisbon said.

THINKS NEW LIQUOR LAW WILL WORK WELL

Montreal, Aug. 10—Ernest Salt, commissioner of provincial police, New Brunswick, who is in Montreal on personal business, was warm in his praise of the new administration of the liquor question in the Maritime Province. "No pains have been spared" he said "to have everything organized. Those responsible have profited by the experience of other provinces and it is generally felt the new law will slip quietly into force in a few weeks time with hardly any public attention to its arrival in the realm of things as they are." Mr. Salt was formerly a staff sergeant of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police stationed at Montreal. He expressed himself as well satisfied with his new post.

THE BIGGEST SEARCHLIGHT WILL BE USED

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

New York, Aug. 12—Five times more powerful than any used before the world's greatest searchlight will be flashed on at Charlottesville, Va., next Tuesday night, according to an announcement from the General Engineering Management Corporation. The beams has the strength of an 385,000,000 candle power and is said to be visible 200 miles away.

THE AGITATION WILL CONTINUE

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

New York, N. Y., Aug. 12—Agitation here for the freedom of Nicola Sacco and Bartolomeo Vanzetti will continue throughout the twelve days respite, the Sacco-Vanzetti committee announced today.

TOLD QUEEN TO GET A MOVE ON

Oslo, Norway, Aug. 12—Queen Wilhelmina of Holland experienced here the hot flush of embarrassment that follows a policeman's uncompromising order to "move on." Arriving incognito, she became mixed in a crowd and because of her inexperience in such situations she narrowly escaped injury. Her effort to pause and regain equilibrium and regal poise met with a harassed policeman's injunction to get started.

FREDERICTON PEOPLE LIVING IN CALIFORNIA

Reference to Fredericton people in California was made in an article by Richard Delaney which appeared in a recent issue of The Maple Leaf, a magazine devoted to Canadians and published in Oakland, as follows:

"I met some interesting people from Fredericton, New Brunswick. They are Mr. and Mrs. John Bradley, who own a splendid vineyard at Caruthers, which is some 16 miles from Fresno. They have been in Calif. 22 years. Mrs. Bradley's maiden name was Etta MacDonald, whose ancestors came from the Highlands of Scotland. She is a native of Nashwaak, N. B. Among her various accomplishments is the fact she is a great homemaker. They have one daughter, Arthur Bradley, the youngest brother of John Bradley, was four years and a half on the firing line in France, and came out alive. He is now married and lives at Marysville, N. B.

"The dean of the Episcopal Cathedral of Fresno, California, is a native of Fredericton, N. B. He is Very Rev. George R. E. McDonald, a preacher of high standing in the college there. They have one son in New Brunswick and one son in college here. The maiden name of Mrs. McDonald was Miss Lilla Tabor, also a native of Fredericton. They have been 21 years in California."

WANT BETTER FOOD FOR JAIL PRISONERS

The Finance Committee of the York County Council will meet at 2.30 o'clock tomorrow at the request of Dr. Melvin, Chief Medical Health Officer for the Province, and Dr. Morehouse, District Medical Health Officer to consider the better feeding of prisoners in the County Jail. The prisoners have been having three meals a week day of bread, molasses and water with a treat on Sunday and the medical officers consider that, from a health standpoint, the prisoners should be given a mid-day meal of more varied diet every day. It is feared that if this comes to pass during the hard winter months, many petty crimes will be committed for the sake of a roof over the head and a good dinner.

Golf Tea

The golf club tea was held yesterday on the clubhouse veranda, by Mrs. Alex. Thompson, Mrs. Patrick Holden. The tea was largely attended.