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The Giant Dirigible Was Safely Moored At St. Hubert Airport

Trans-Atlantic Journey Was Safely Ended at 5.36 O'Clock This Morning—Cruised Around the Field Part of the Night Awaiting For Day-light.

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

ST. HUBERT AIRDROME Que., Aug. 1—Tied securely by her nose to the great 200 foot high mooring mast especially erected by the British Government for her reception, His Majesty's dirigible R-100 ended her trans-Atlantic journey at 5.36 a. m. Eastern Daylight Time today when mooring of the giant airship was completed. During the long night through to the chilly dawn the ship had cruised around the field awaiting sufficient light to go through the delicate mooring operations. Shortly after 5 a. m. the ship approached the mast and dropped slender cables to the ground. As the engines were slowed down water ballast was dumped from the forepart of the ship and a small ground crew of soldiers spliced the ships cables to one dangling from the steel mooring arm, extending from the top of the mast. Powerful motors at the base of the mast pulled in the cable and drew the ship, its motors idling, down closer to the mast, connecting with a universal joint at the tip of the mast with the mooring connection projecting from the nose of the ship.

LOST UNIQUE ELECTION BET AT JASPER PARK

(Special To The Daily Mail)

Jasper Park, Alta., August 1—Because he lost his bet on the Dominion elections, Frank Conway, of Toronto, expects to spend the rest of his holidays at Jasper Park Lodge, looking for a chipmunk weary of its home life. Mr. Conway, the day before the elections took place, promised to catch a chipmunk and carry it to the timber line on whistler's Mountain if the Conservatives were returned. They got in with a large majority. There are many chipmunks around the grounds at Jasper Park Lodge and so far all of them have been more nimble than Mr. Conway. "The thing I can do," protested Mr. Conway, "is to wait till I find a chipmunk that has domestic problems and wants to go somewhere. If I do catch one I still have the park superintendent's office to contend with, because Jasper is a game preserve as far as I know there are no specific expectations to the regulations on chipmunks." Mr. Conway, who said that his interest in elections, at the best of times is mild, still has two weeks of his holiday left before he starts east for Toronto.

IF THERE WAS A FIRE THEY COULD NOT FIND IT

St. Paul, Minn., August 1—"More amusement than damage," was reported after firemen had rushed back and forth through a smoke filled house for more than a half an hour searching for a blaze they could not find. After tearing out bricks and plaster, they finally decided that it was in an incinerator and that the smoke had crept up between the kitchen walls.

PRINCE PLEASED WITH BIG C. N. R. LOCOMOTIVE

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

Antwerp, August 1—"They do make wonderful models these days," said H. R. H. The Prince of Wales as he examined the working model of locomotive "6100" at the Canadian National Railways display in the Canadian Pavilion of the Antwerp Exhibition. The Prince was keenly interested in the operation of the miniature of the giant locomotive as he inspected the moving diorama of the Dominion in the Railway exhibit. Commissioner Turcotte pointed out the approximate location of His Royal Highness E. P. Ranch in Alberta.

LARGE AMOUNT PAID OUT HERE IN INSURANCE

The Sum of \$172,000 Distributed by the Various Life Companies in Fredericton During the Year 1929.

From reports which appear in a late number of the life insurance edition of the National Underwriter, a Chicago publication, there is probably more life insurance carried in Fredericton than in any other city of its size in Canada if not on the Continent. Distributions made by the various life insurance companies in the United States and Canada in this city during the year 1929 totalled the large sum of \$172,000. The only New Brunswick city to surpass Fredericton was Saint John, where the sum of \$175,000 was distributed. Moncton was third with \$105,000, Chatham had \$45,000, Campbellton \$25,000, Hampton had \$30,000, Hillboro \$29,000, St. George \$27,000 and St. Andrews \$31,000.

While details regarding the distribution in Fredericton are somewhat meagre it is stated that from \$3000 to \$5000 was paid to the estate of F. H. Richards. There were other claims paid of \$13,000, \$12,000, \$4,000, \$3000 and \$1000.

This city maintains a large staff of life insurance agents and it is quite evident that most of them transact considerable business.

WILL FLY ATLANTIC IN BLIMP

Augsburg, Germany, August 1—A baby blimp is being built here with which Otto Brinkmann, of New York plans to attempt a westward flight of the Atlantic. The ship is 200 feet long and has a gas capacity of 5,000 cubic meters, it is driven two 120-horsepower motors.

One of the most merciful provisions of human nature is that worry drives worry.

CHANGSHA CITY RECAPTURED FROM BANDITS

A Report Sent in by the Kuomin News Agency

MANY PEOPLE WERE KILLED Government Buildings Razed and Large Stores Burned

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

Shanghai, Aug. 1—The Kuomin News Agency's correspondent at Yochow reported today that provincial forces had recaptured the city of Changsha from bandit forces.

The Agency said all government buildings at Changsha, capital of Hunan Province had been razed, virtually all large business houses were burned and many were slain.

Foreigners Moving Out

Hankow, Aug. 1—All foreigners in Kuling, a summer resort near here, were being evacuated today with the receipt of reports that Chinese communists and bandits were resuming their northward march toward Hankow.

Stringent martial law was declared here.

MISS BENNETT WAS PLEASED WITH RESULT

Ottawa, July 31—"I thought that triumphal trip we had in Quebec would bear some fruit," said Miss Mildred Bennett tonight, sitting here in the suite in the Chateau Laurier in which she and her brother, Hon. R. B. Bennett, heard the elections returns.

Miss Bennett was at the height of enthusiasm as the returns, showing a Conservative victory all over the country, came in through the big loud-speaker in the room.

"It was the best seven weeks of my life," she exclaimed, referring to the campaign. "I'll never forget how kind the people all over Canada were to my brother and me during the campaign."

Pictou, N. S., July 31—Lady Gordon wife of Sir Charles Gordon, President of the Bank of Montreal, Master James Gordon and Miss Cicely Eve, are guests at Pictou Lodge, the Canadian National Railways log bungalow seaside summer resort on the Straits of Northumberland, near Pictou, N. S.

U. S. Tourists in China have Asked For Protection

Protest Filed With the Government at Nanking Against the Activities of Communists—An American Gunboat Attacked—City of Changsa Being Evacuated.

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

NANKING, China, Aug. 1—The continued activity of Chinese communists in South Central China, that resulted in the sacking of Changsai and an attack upon the United States gunboat Palos led members of the United States foreign office to file a protest with the government here today.

The protest pointed out the danger that American tourists were in and asked whether Nanking could guarantee protection to foreigners in the Wuhan Province.

Evacuating the City

Peiping, Aug. 1—Communists who seized Changsa capital of the Hunan Province Wednesday, are now evacuating that city and are believed advancing toward Hankow in the Hupeh Province, it was reported today.

Meanwhile it was learned that William Lingle, American citizen who had been held for ransom by the communists, had escaped. His companion, Allen Cameron also held, was missing.

NAVAL TREATY IS SIGNED BY HIS MAJESTY

London, August 1—His Majesty has signed the instrument of ratification of the London Naval Treaty, which already has been ratified and signed in the United States.

Announcement of the King's signature was made rather unexpectedly by Phillip Snowden, Chancellor of the Exchequer, in the House of Commons, this afternoon.

Mr. Snowden at the same time added that the instrument would be deposited simultaneously with His Majesty's ratifications in respect of the Dominions and India, and the ratifications of the United States and Japan, when all three signatures to part 3 of the treaty are in position to bring the treaty into force.

Part 3 concerns the agreements reached by the delegates of the United States, Great Britain and Japan with respect to their relative naval armaments.

N. Y. BUILDING SETS RECORD FOR HEIGHT

New York, Aug. 1—Rivalry among skyscraper builders, each striving to push toward the clouds the tallest building in the world, advanced another step today.

Plans were altered so that the Zeppelin mooring mast atop the new office building on the site of the Waldorf Astoria, will be 1,243 feet above street level—the equivalent of 102 stories, and only 72 feet less than a quarter of a mile.

There will be an observation gallery at the eighty-sixth, 1,043 feet high, sheathed in nickel, steel and glass. Above that will rise an observation tower and mooring mast.

The bon mot about there being many a slip 'twixt the cup and the Lipson has been re-lacquered and is back in currency.

CUSTOMS REPORT SHOWS DECREASE IN PERIOD

The revenue returns report of Fredericton was handed out this morning by L. C. Macnutt, Collector of National Revenue. The total for July, 1929 was \$85,311.42, a decrease of \$12,710 for the past month as compared with the corresponding month last year.

The total revenue for the first four months of the present fiscal year—April 1st. to July 31st.—amounted to \$309,561.96, as compared with the collection for the corresponding period last year of \$329,688.48, a decrease for the present year of \$20,126.52. This reduction is largely accounted for by the reduction of the sales tax from two to one percent.

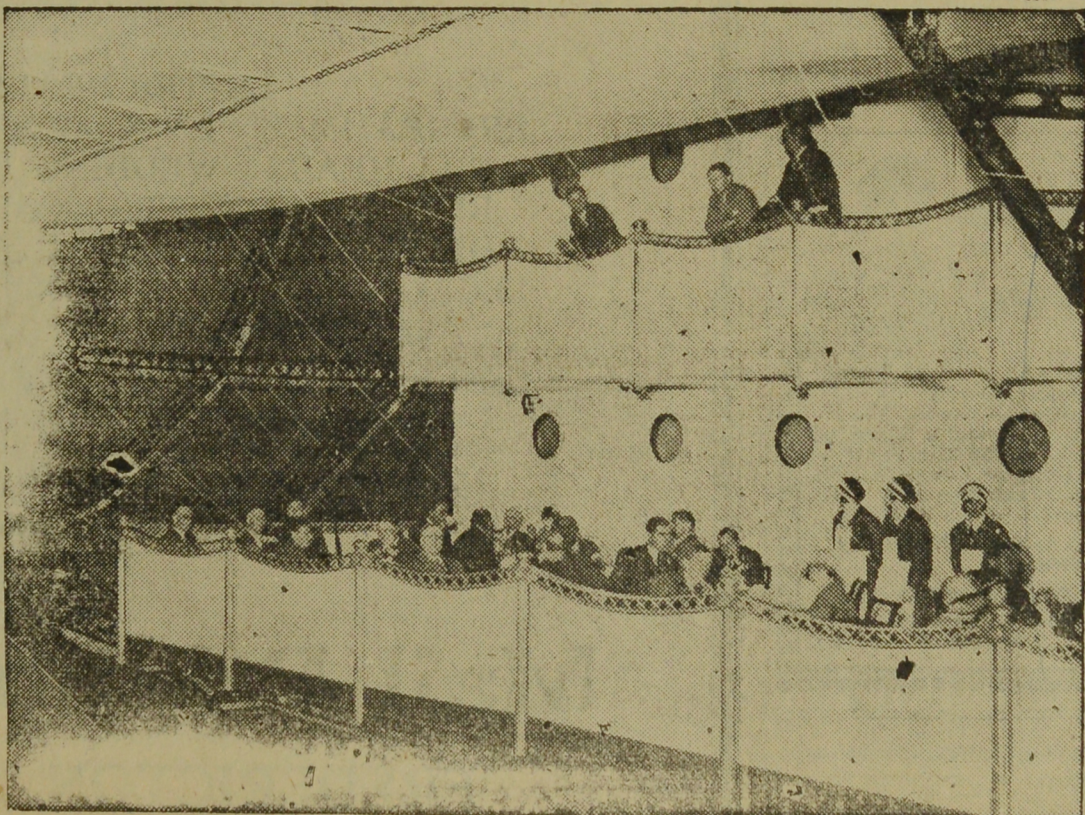
Customs import duty;	\$59,281.63
Customs sales tax;	1,489.96
Customs excise	149.94
Excise tax (domestic)	1,670.37
Excise duty	9,888.14
Sundry collections	120.72

Total revenue for July, 1930 \$72,600.76

PEASANTS AND REDS IN CLASH

Riga, Latvia, August 1—Serious clashes have occurred between the peasantry and red troops in the Amur and Vladivostok districts of Siberia, according to authoritative dispatches received here today. Political enemies to Dictator Stalin who were exiled to Siberia are emerging as leaders of the peasant uprisings. This movement climaxes the flight of thousands of Koreans from Siberia into Manchuria, as a result of the Soviet farm collectivization campaign. Moscow regards the situation as most serious.

There are no detours on the road to happiness but there are many by-paths that lure some people who think they are travelling a shorter route.



TRAVEL DE LUXE VIA THE R-100

The above engraving shows the main deck of the big dirigible R-100 which tied up at St. Hubert's airport, Montreal this morning, after a flight across the Atlantic.