
NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS
In order to ensure changes,
copy must reach this office
not later than 9 a. m. on the
day of publication.

The Daily Mail

THE WEATHER

Moderate to fresh westerly
winds fair to-night and Friday.

VOL. XXXVI., NO. 212

FREDERICTON, N. B. THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1930.

TWO CENTS PER COPY

Lord Beaverbrook Is Expected to Make A Quick Recovery

Is Now Confined to His London Home by an Attack of Paratyphoid—His Friends Disturbed Over Unfounded Rumors Regarding His Health Prevalent in Canada.

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

LONDON, Sept. 18—Lord Beaverbrook is confined at Stornoway House, his London residence, suffering from paratyphoid, the British United Press learns. His friends are very disturbed at the unfounded rumors regarding his health, which are prevalent in Canada. He is expected to make a quick recovery.

Important Data Coming

Stockholm, Sweden, Sept. 18—Important data on the Andree Expedition, obtained from White Island expedition will be communicated to the press as soon as possible, the government announced today.

SEVEN LIVES LOST IN MINE AT RIVER HEBERT

Seven Coal Miners Perish When a Gas Pocket Explodes in a New Seam.

River Hebert, N. S., Sept. 17—Men and women of this little Cumberland county town clustered tonight near the pit-head of the "Old Victoria" mine while Draeger crews labored 1,200 feet beneath the surface to bring out the bodies of seven men who died when a gas pocket exploded in a new seam.

Of 17 men working in the mine when the explosion occurred at 7 o'clock tonight, 10 escaped, several more or less seriously burned or suffering from the effects of gas. It was the first mine explosion of major proportions in the history of the town.

The head: Philip Brine, married and the father of two children; William Burke, married nine children; William White, married, two children; Wilfred White, widower, three children; (the Whites were not brothers); Clarence McGrath, single; Amele Krawlick, single; Simon Fowler.

Only two bodies, those of Krawlick and Fowler, had been recovered late tonight.

The men in the mine at the time of the explosion were on the 3 to 10 o'clock shift. Had the accident happened a few hours earlier, a much larger number would have been affected.

Immediately the alarm was given, Charles Kent, manager, Oswald Fife, Robert Belman and Charles Gates went down in a rescue attempt but were themselves overcome and dragged out unconscious. The Draeger crew was rushed the 18 miles from Springhill.

H. B. McCulloch and James Cunningham, of New Glasgow, proprietors of the Victoria Coal Company, which operates the mine, left tonight for River Hebert.

Midway Attractions

The attractions on the midway at the Fredericton Exhibition being staged by Ben Williams, the veteran showman are better than ever this year. Mr. Williams has been coming to Fredericton for many years and knows exactly what is needed here in the amusement line. This year he has almost an entirely new entourage and his shows are coming in for a liberal patronage.

FAIR AT PEAK AND ATTENDANCE IS INCREASING

The 1930 edition of the Fredericton Exhibition, more than half completed, gives promises of being the equal of any yet staged, if not the best yet.

Officials are very optimistic over the daily attendance, which increases with each day of the fair, and of the patronage given to everything on the grounds. Despite protestations of unemployment and hard times, spending doesn't seem to have abated in the least.

The judging this year, has advanced more rapidly than heretofore, and the quality and quantity of exhibits are better than ever. The directors of the Fredericton fair, have secured the greatest combination of talent on record for its outdoor attractions this year, and the patrons have shown their appreciation by the steady mounting attendance at these open air shows.

The races have been satisfactory, and today promises one of the best racing cards, seen in the Maritime racing circuits this summer.

There will be no racing program on Friday, but Saturday will prove one of the best days of the fair. It will be observed again as Children's day and also Farmer's Day. Children, who did not utilize their free tickets on Monday, will be able to use their tickets on Saturday.

The entire livestock exhibits, of farmers all over the province, will be paraded before the grandstand on Saturday afternoon. The stock, with its gorgeous array of ribbon winners, will be an inspiring spectacle, and yearly throngs attend this event. It is one of the big things for the farmers.

AN ELECTION IS REPORTED FROM BOMBAY

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

Bombay, Sept. 18—A charge by Police using laths on male pickets attempting to prevent voters in the Bombay council elections from entering the voting booths resulted in numerous injuries today. Approximately 120 arrests of men and women picketers were made. Five hundred women picketed the booths and numerous groups formed cordons around roadways.

QUEBEC MAN HEADS GOOD ROADS ASSN.

Hon. D. A. Stewart Stresses the Need of Uniformity in Highway Construction in Canada.

Quebec, Sept. 17—Hon. D. A. Stewart, Minister of Public Works for New Brunswick, in his presidential address at today's meeting of the Canadian Good Roads' Association, expressed the association's thanks to the Lieutenant Governor of Quebec, Premier Taschereau, Hon. J. E. Perrault, Mayor Lavigne and the citizens of Quebec for the hospitality extended by the province and the Ancient Capital.

The association's finances, as set forth in the Treasurer's report, were in a satisfactory condition, and the President believed that its affairs had been well and economically administered.

Hon. Mr. Stewart stressed the need way signs, roadway and bridge widths, curves and grades, and traffic regulation. Much had been accomplished in this district, but much more should be done in order that all the provinces should have uniform practices, which would make for both economy and safety on the highways.

The President suggested that the resolution advocating federal aid for highway construction, hitherto an annual feature of the Association's conventions, might be unnecessary this year, in view of the fact that the new administration at Ottawa had already signified its favorable view of expenditures designed to link up the interprovincial highway connections, while also relieving unemployment.

A Recommendation

To the incoming board the President recommended the consideration of means to provide a closer working arrangement within the association between provincial departments and their personnel on the one hand, and county and municipal officials on the other.

In concluding, Hon. Mr. Stewart paid a warm tribute to George A. McNamee, the secretary-treasurer, for his prompt and efficient performance of his duties and his unremitting efforts throughout the year to advance the association's interests.

New Officers

Hon. J. E. Perrault, Minister of Highways and Mines of the Province of Quebec, was unanimously chosen as the next president of the association. Hon. N. S. Longhead, Minister of Public Works, of British Columbia, is first vice-president; Hon. A. C. Stewart, Minister of Highways, of Saskatchewan, second vice-president, and Hon. W. R. Hibbs, Minister of Public Works, of Newfoundland, third vice-president.

George McNamee, of Montreal, was re-elected secretary-treasurer, while 19 directors from all sections of Canada were also chosen.

Hon. D. A. Stewart, retiring president, becomes honorary president of the association.

River Today

Heavy rains brought the St. John up 3 inches last night to 11 inches above the summer level.

SHAMROCK V. TO MAKE FINAL EFFORT TODAY

The Fourth Race of Series Taking Place This Afternoon.

ENTERPRISE HAS WON THREE
Sir Thomas Has Slim Chance of Lifting the Old Mug.

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

Newport, R. I. Sept. 18—Shamrock V. British challenger for the America's Cup, supreme trophy of yacht racing, will make what is regarded as its final effort today. If it fails to shove its green nose across the finish line this afternoon ahead of Harold Vanderbilt's Enterprise the old mug which Sir Thomas Lipton calls the cup, will remain in the United States at least until some other foreign yachtsman is willing to spend a million dollars in an effort to win it.

The Race Starts

Aboard U.S.S. Kane, by Radio, Sept. 18—Shamrock V. and Enterprise crossed the starting line at 10.40 today in the fourth race of what appeared to be Sir Thomas Lipton's forelorn hope of taking back to England the America's cup.

WILL CROSS CONTINENT HANDCUFFED

If Fredericton motorists should meet two young men handcuffed together walking rapidly, furtively as though pursued, do not stop them. They are not the LeBlancs, father and son, taking another stroll out of the local police station. They are not under the shadow of the law at all despite the steel bracelets. Indeed they have a letter of recommendation from none other than the Mayor of St. John soliciting courtesy to them from all civic officials from coast to coast. Laurie Wolf and Walter Scott of St. John, are the handcuffed vagabonds in question, and arrived here this morning after a 14 hour jaunt. They will make the entire trip on Hartt Shoes.

The young men will accept no lifts until reaching Winnipeg and plan to take a maximum of five drives from there on to Vancouver. They expect to cross Canada in six weeks.

The sale of souvenir post cards is their only means of finance except for a paid correspondent to the Montreal Star for the entire trip.

Young Scott is a former Fredericton boy and a grandson of Emery Scott of this city.

AUSTRALIA SEEKS NATIVE FOR GOVERNOR

Canberra, Australia, Sept. 18—The movement to have an Australian appointed as Governor General of the Dominion when the term of Lord Stonehaven, titled Englishman, expires is gaining strength as the Commonwealth struggles to meet his bills.

Faced by a big treasury deficit, complicated with business depression, the expenses of Lord Stonehaven have been a source of worry to the Labor Party Government.

A government official has figured that in less than five years the present representative of the British crown has cost Australia \$725,000. His salary is \$1,000 a week, and one of his bills was \$5,000 for gardening.

Miss Susan Waycott of Toronto, who has been spending the summer in this city, returned home last evening.

Japan Likely to Soon Ratify the London Treaty

Decision of a Special Committee of the Privy Council Made Known Officially Yesterday—Has Been the Centre of a Controversy in Government and Military Circles.

(By HERBERT BAILEY, British United Press Staff Correspondent.)

TOKIO, Sept. 18—The decision of a special committee of the Privy Council to ratify the London Naval treaty was made known officially yesterday and the council is expected to act soon on the pact. The general belief expressed in reliable sources was that the Privy Council would accept the naval treaty which has been the center of a prolonged controversy in high government and military circles. The treaty has been ratified by Great Britain and the United States, the only other countries subscribing to the full terms of the pact.

NATIONAL RACE GETS CLOSER AND CLOSER

New York, Sept. 18—Led by Hack Wilson's two tremendous clouts, which brought his season's home-run total up to 52, and by Pat Malone's fine pitching, the Chicago Cubs evened their series with the Giants today by winning the second game 5 to 2. The defeat put the Giants almost hopelessly out of the pennant race, leaving them five and one half games behind the league leading Cardinals with only nine to play, while the Cubs are only a half game behind the second-place Brooklyn Robins.

Two big innings, the seventh and eighth, in which they scored all their runs, featured the Pittsburgh Pirates' 12 to 5 victory at Philadelphia.

Four Phillies, hurlers were routed by the Pirates, while Erwin Brame limited the Phils to twelve scattered hits.

The Saint Louis Cardinals increased their lead to a full game over the Robins by winning the second game of the crucial Brooklyn series, 5 to 3. Andy High's double in the ninth inning with two on base drove in the winning runs.

The game was another close duel with Adolpho Luque going the route for Brooklyn and Sylvester Johnson pitching most of the game for the Cards. Brooklyn made seven hits and St. Louis eight.

Completed Today

The conference of the New Brunswick Forest Service of Inspectors and Rangers, which began yesterday morning in the Parliament buildings was completed this morning, with considerable business transacted. Col. H. H. Ritchie, Chief Game Warden, opened this morning with a discussion on "Game Protection" and outlined improved methods of protection, reports of violations, jack-lighting, laying information, tourists and game laws, non-resident and resident hunters, game wardens' districts, inspection of licenses, gun permits, damage to crops, etc. Hon. C. D. Richards, Minister of Lands and Mines, spoke in closing. The entire delegates adjourned at one o'clock and this afternoon attended the Fredericton Exhibition races.

Baltimore, Sept. 18—Forty reindeer are on the way to port and Santa Claus is to use none of them. W. M. Barker of Duluth is importing them from Finland to start a source of supply for zoos.

DUTY ON N. Z. BUTTER IS PROHIBITIVE

Ottawa, Sept. 17—An eight per cent per pound on New Zealand butter would be "prohibitive" as far as exportation of that commodity to Canada was concerned, declared the Rt. Hon. G. W. Forbes, Prime Minister of the Dominion, in an interview here today.

He hoped that an arrangement might be made whereby some adjustment might be achieved, but "considering that the duty was put on just as we arrived in Ottawa, the situation, said Premier Forbes, "doesn't look too hopeful."

New Zealand, however, stood prepared to discuss things. The policy of that country was to encourage trade with those nations that traded with New Zealand. If such nations said they did not value New Zealand's business, then the dominion would have to look elsewhere, notably to the United Kingdom. If prohibitive duties were imposed on imports from New Zealand, continued Mr. Forbes, obviously such one sided trade could not go on. New Zealand had to export her produce in order to pay her imports. Twenty per cent of the dominion's butter exports were sold to Canada.

BIG PARADE AT BOSTON ON WEDNESDAY

Boston, Mass., Sept. 17—Included in the court of honor in the Boston Day parade of the Tercentenary program today were: Honorable Hugh H. McLean, K.C., V.D., Lieut-Governor of New Brunswick; W. G. Clark, Mayor of Fredericton; Louis A. Gastonguay, Mayor of Halifax, and T. W. L. Prowse, Mayor of Charlottetown, P. E. I.

The parade was the biggest ever held in New England. There were approximately 50,000 marchers and 285 bands in line, and the procession required seven hours to pass a given point.

This evening Lieutenant-Governor McLean spoke for the Maritime Provinces at the reception given to Mayor Reuben Salter, of Boston, England, in the Boston Garden.

Mrs. Wesley Vanwart, a former resident, who has been spending the summer in New Brunswick, returned to her home in Toronto yesterday.