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Does Not Affect Any Debt Settlement by Britian With U. S.

Premier Herriott of France Says False Interpretation of His Remarks Has Caused a Misunderstanding—President Hoover Says the United States Will Not Be Pressed Into Action on War Debts.

PARIS, July 15—Premier Edouard Herriott, clarifying his Wednesday remarks before the Foreign Affairs Commission, told the United Press today that the Franco-British accord does not affect any British debt settlement with the United States.

A false interpretation of my remarks has caused a misunderstanding, he said. The impression became current that I was referring to the Franco-British accord when I actually meant the gentleman's agreement at Lausanne.

President Hoover's View

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 15—President Hoover's assurance that the American people will not be pressed into any line of action on war debts brought forward the view here that the Lausanne gentleman's agreement in reality was a British promise not to combine with Germany to tear up the Versailles Treaty.

Mr. Hoover's statement was prompted by Chairman Borah of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee as a result of the forces aroused by the Anglo-French agreement incident to the Lausanne treaty.

MARYSVILLE SERVICE TO BE CANCELLED

(Special to the Daily Mail)
Moncton, N. B., July 15—Announcement is made from regional headquarters, Canadian National Railways, here, that effective Monday, July 25, suburban service between Fredericton and Marysville Trains Numbers 231, 234 and 235 will be cancelled.

(A despatch from Moncton earlier in the week stated that the service would be tri-weekly instead of weekly).

Military Ball

The annual ball of the York Regiment was held last evening in the Old Government House, with about 200 in attendance. The ball is given annually in connection with the camp, by the commanding officer and officers of the York Regiment. Those in charge of arrangements were Lieut. Col. G. S. Ryder, V.D., Maj. C. A. Williams and Maj. P. E. McLaughlin. The affair was as usual, colorful and successful. Camp will be broken on Sunday, after a week of training and militia program. Sunday morning the original colors of the York Militia will be "laid up" in the Christchurch Cathedral, with special ceremonies attendant.

Estate Was Probated

The estate of Robt. J. MacKay, of the Parish of St. Mary's was probated before W. J. West, judge of probate for York, here this week. Letters of administration were granted to Mabel A. MacKay, widow. The estate was valued at \$8,725, of which \$7,500 was personal, and the balance real estate. Deceased left a widow and eleven children, seven of whom are under twenty years of age. The property was left to the immediate heirs.

EXCISE TAX IS IMPOSED ON LUMBER

Ottawa, July 13—Lumber imports from the United States have become subject to a special three per cent. excise tax, according to a circular issued by the Department of National Revenue to all custom collectors.

The circular points out that under the new section 88 of the special war revenues act, effective April 7, 1932, a three per cent excise tax was imposed on duty value of goods imported, but this tax did not apply to certain articles, including lumber, when imported from a country which admitted free of duty, similar lumber imported from Canada.

"As the United States," the circular continues, "effective June 21, has imposed duties, or so-called excise tax, in effect a duty, on all lumber imported from Canada, all lumber imported from the United States the date became subject to the said special excise tax of three per cent."

Not Hurt Badly

Cyril, "Si" Abbott, member of the Saint John Shamrock ball club, which played here yesterday, suffered a crack over the temple in the afternoon game, from a pitched ball from Eddie Dinsmore, Fredericton pitcher. He was temporarily knocked out and was attended by Dr. Charles MacKay, who was a spectator at the game. Later in the game when he recovered, Abbott continued to play and was given an ovation by the crowd for his grit. He played left field in the evening game too. Abbott is from New Portland Maine, and is considered a fine pro pitcher. At one time he was given a tryout by the New York Giants.

DENMARK TO PROTEST TO THE WORLD COURT

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

Copenhagen, July 15—Denmark considers the Norwegian occupation of a strip of southeastern Greenland illegal, Premier Theodore Stauning notified the Norwegian minister today. He said Denmark will protest to the world court at The Hague, which already is considering a dispute between the two countries over sovereignty of Greenland.

Mr. Harry Arthurs of Hamilton was visiting friends in the city today.

SMALLER NUMBER ENTRANTS INTO HIGH SCHOOL THIS YEAR THAN LAST—TOTAL 180

Fifty-five Less Pupils Eligible to Enter Fredericton High This Fall—Only 17 in First Division; Difference Mainly in Two Higher Divisions.

Despite the acknowledgement of little difference in the marking standards this year, there was a falling off of 55 in total of successful entrants to the Fredericton High School this year. In 1931 the total was 235. This year those successful in writing the papers totalled only 180.

In making known the results this morning, the School Board office indicated little change in standards of marking papers, though it is generally considered that, due to conditions, the marking has been stricter than in other years.

Altogether 215 wrote the papers from here this year, thirty five failing. In 1931, twenty failures occurred out of 257 writing. In 1931, thirty three passed in first division, this year seventeen passed. A total of 172 passed in second division last year, while this year the total was 94. 75 passed in third division last year, and this year that total was a few smaller, the number being 69.

John L. Coombes, son of Leonard G. Coombes city accumulated the highest aggregate of marks with 699, and was followed by Miss Evelyn Perley, daughter of Morris P. Perley, of South Devon, who had 641 marks. James O. McElman was third with 532 marks.

The medal winners from each county in the province will be determined at a meeting of the Board of Education but announcement of the winners will not be made until later in the summer. It was ascertained from that office this morning. It is understood that total point winners may not necessarily be most eligible for there may be discrepancies in marking.

Following is the list of pupils who successfully passed examinations and are eligible for high school in the fall:—

Division I—

Bell, Gerald E., 532.
Burgess, Richard R., 610.
Burse, Fern L., 597.
Chessie Elleen G., 578.
Coombes, John L., 699.
Donahue, Richard F., 589.
Flewelling, Fred J., 622.
Hay, Alden, 578.
Law, Margaret C., 574.
McElman, James O., 632.
MacLean, Helen D., 628.
Meehan, Jennie, 590.
Murray, Hester M., 620.
Perley, Evelyn, 641.

SAYS MONKEYS ARE IMMUNE FROM CANCER

Dr. Serge Varonoff Has Made Some Important Experiments

MAY APPLY TO HUMANS

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

London, July 15—Dr. Serge Varonoff, well known for his experiments in rejuvenation, has made monkeys immune to cancer through a process of resorption, he told the United Press today.

Dr. Varonoff experimented for four years on the process of grafting human cancers on monkeys. Within another two years he hoped to be able to determine whether the process would be applicable to humans. The experiments opened an entirely new line of research, Dr. Varonoff said. Of seventy-two monkeys on which cancers were grafted 22 became absolutely immune.

Brother of Smith Reynolds Wants Complete Probe

Received News of the Death of the Heir to Tobacco Millions While Cruising in His Yacht Near the Azores—Is Now on His Way Home.

WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., July 15—Smith Reynolds' older brother, Richard J. Jr., may demand and finance a full investigation of the death of the young heir to the tobacco millions when he arrives here next week.

A cablegram from Reynolds was received here yesterday saying that he could not possibly reach Winston-Salem for at least a week. He was aboard his freighter-yacht in the Azores when he received word his brother was dead. He is now on the way home. The coroner's jury which investigated the death of Smith Reynolds returned an open verdict.

THEATRICAL PRODUCER ON THE SICK LIST

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

Hollywood, Calif., July 15—Florenz Ziegfeld, New York theatrical producer seriously ill in a New Mexico sanatorium, his wife, Billie Burke, stage and screen actress, revealed today.

A BIG SLASH FOR EMPLOYEES OF THE SCREEN

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

New York, July 15—Stars, directors and other employees of the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer and Loew motion picture interests earning \$1,500 or more a week will have their pay checks cut by 35 per cent, under a general salary reduction order effective on Monday.

Water Sports

The annual regatta held by the A & B Club promises to be one of the best ever held. Large crowds are expected to attend on the 26th of this month which is a half holiday. Yachts from the Saint John Power Boat Club and the Royal Kenabacasis Yacht Club are expected to attend the regatta. Mr. W. E. Vaughan is in charge of the boat racing. The feature of the meet will be the race between the "Spitfire," owned by Tommy Chapman, which won the race at the Toronto Exhibition last year, and which will compete with boats from Maine and Saint John. Commodore Archie Sterling has been active in laying out courses for the visiting boats, and F. B. Osborne of the management committee is looking after the swimming. A large contingent of aquatic stars from Saint John are expected to be here to compete with the locals.

St. Swithin's Threatens

The gods of St. Swithin's are in angry turmoil today, with the venerable saint trying to put his curse of forty days' rain on the country. Tradition has it that if it rains on St. Swithin's Day, it will rain for forty days thereafter. Clouds billowed blackly and it looked as though rain would fall before the day was over.

MOTHER COUNTRY RETAINS THE MOTHER CUP

Canada and Scotland Tie For Second Place With 1,090 Points.

Bisley Camp, England, July 14—Canada lost the great team shoot for the MacKinnon Cup this afternoon as a team of twelve English marksmen gallantly defended the historic trophy. England totalled 1,097 points in the long-distance match, seven points more than recorded by Canada and Scotland, with Ireland, India and Wales finishing further down.

But thanks to Sergt. F. V. Shepherd, of Ottawa, the Canadians annexed one of the most coveted individual awards, the Northland Prize, and only a technicality prevented Shepherd from possibly capturing the Prince of Wales Prize, which ranks second to the King's Prize itself.

Shepherd, along with the entire Canadian Bisley team, fired in the combined Prince of Wales and Northland match. The Prince of Wales prize list was open only to holders of the National Rifle Association's badges, and Shepherd—until after today's match—was not one of these.

With a fine total of 69 out of 70, Shepherd won the Northland section of the shoot, a prize worth \$100, while with the identical score, Sergt. T. W. Henderson of the Scottish Borderers, annexed the Prince of Wales Prize, worth \$500.

Dominion Satisfied

The Canadians were well satisfied with their performances as the great Empire rifle shooting meeting approached its climax. With the conclusion of the big tie shoot-off from the first stage of the King's Prize, altogether 16 Canadians found themselves qualified to enter tomorrow's second stage of the Empire's service rifle classic.

CAN SPANK PUPIL

Riom, France, July 13—The Riom court has rendered a verdict that a school teacher has the right to spank an unruly pupil. The case arose from the death of a pupil following corporal punishment.

Yacht's Here

The power boat Jackerine, member of the Saint John Power Boat Club, is anchored off the A & B Club in the river. Members of the party are J. F. Armstrong, Cecil McKell and Clive Armstrong. The yacht, Nomad, of the Saint John Power Boat Club is also visiting here.