

British Submarine was Sunk Off the Welsh Coast

The H-47 Was in Collision With the L-12 in St. George's Channel, According to an Admiralty Announcement — Only Two Members of the Crew of the H-47 Have Been Rescued.

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

LONDON, July 9—The British submarine H-47 was sunk in collision with the submarine L-12 in St. George's Channel off St. David's Head, the Admiralty announced today. Two members of the H-47 crew were rescued the Admiralty's announcement said, while one man was missing from the L-12.

The commanding officer of the H-47, Lieut. R. J. Gardner, and Radio Telegrapher Sydney Cleburne were the two saved from the sunken submarine. Chief Signalman Charles Bull is missing from the L-12 and Able Seaman Arthur Sampson of the L-12 is in a critical condition from injuries suffereed as a result of the collision.

It is recalled that the R-47 collided with the H-32 on December 7, 1926 during manoeuvres off Portland but both returned safely to the harbor.

Naval Tugs to the Rescue.

Portsmouth, Eng., July 9—The British naval tugs, the Grapher and the Resolve heavily coaled, took on provisions and rushed with salvage gear to the scene of the H-47 submarine disaster off Pembroke Coast, Wales today, upon receipt of news at the dockyard here. It is stated that the L-12 which was not sunk carries approximately 30 officers and men.

REPLY OF THE FREE STATE IS NON-COMMITTAL

Australia Agreeable to Restoration of Trade Relations With Russia.

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London, July 9—British United Press learns that Australia and the Irish Free State have replied to Britain's request for observations on resumption of relations with the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics. Australia is agreeable, subject to certain reservations, but the Free State reply is non committal. The British Government is still awaiting replies from Canada, South Africa and New Zealand.

Is Improving

The many friends of Miss Dorothy Niles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Niles, Devon, who received injuries to her legs several nights ago, when she was struck by an auto on the Fredericton-Devon highway bridge, will be pleased to learn that the young lady is somewhat improved today. It was feared at first that her injuries were more serious but of late her condition is much improved and it is expected the young lady will be able to be around in a short time.

An Ex-Governor Here

Hon. Edwin P. Morrow, ex-governor of Kentucky whose return from a fishing trip to the Miramichi was noted in yesterday's Mail, left this morning for Palfrey Lake, where he will be the guest of Mr. T. V. Monahan at his camp there. While in the city yesterday the ex-Governor paid a visit to the Hartt's Island salmon pool in company with guide Raymond Currie of this city. He was greatly pleased with the place and intimated that he would return later in the season and try for a salmon.

EXCELLENT WEATHER FOR THE FLIERS

The French Meteorological Service Sends Out a Favorable Report.

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

Paris, July 9—Advises from the French Meteorological Service stated today that excellent weather conditions prevailed in the Zone through which the American fliers, en route from Old Orchard, Maine, to Rome were expected to pass this afternoon. There was bad weather reported north of the line which the fliers planned for their flight, but the zone south of the fortieth parallel, between the Azores Islands and the coast of Spain was reported to be clear and bright.

No Forest Fires

The heavy rainfall of Sunday and again last night was an effective stopper to any forest fires which may have threatened lately. The forest fire officials are now of the opinion that the situation is beyond danger and that the greed growth now will discourage any more outbreaks of a serious nature. The present summer has been one of the best in years, and the minimum of fires has caused much satisfaction on the part of the officials.

Summering Over North

Newcastle Leader: Mrs. Harvey Ramsay, and children of Fredericton arrived Wednesday to spend the summer at Bay du Vin, where they have rented a cottage. Mr. Ramsay will come later to spend his vacation. Mrs. Harold H. Ritchie and family of Fredericton have taken up their residence in Burnt Church for the summer months.

Miss Helen Hudson and her sister Mrs. Mitchell of New York are visitors to the city.

REVENUE FROM MOTOR VEHICLES HAS INCREASED

The Estimate Will be Reached Despite 15 Per Cent Cut—Big Increase in Gasoline Tax Receipts.

Motor Vehicle license receipts at the New Brunswick Department of Public Works for the first eight months of the fiscal year up to the end of June 1929 are in excess of receipts for the same period last year, despite the reduction of 15 per cent in the rates which was made this year, according to announcements made today by Hon. D. A. Stewart, Minister of Public Works.

Receipts for the first eight months of the present fiscal year from Motor Vehicle licenses amounted to \$633,186.07, as compared with \$623,960.92 for the same period last year. With the reduction of 15 per cent in rates the only causes ascribed for the increase are the increased number of automobiles owned in the Province and the indication of a more general use of cars all the year, causing licenses to be taken out earlier in the season, as indicated by receipts in the first three months of the present calendar year.

Will Exceed Estimate

The estimate for motor vehicle license receipts for 1929 was \$700,000 and the indications are that that figure will be reached and that returns from gasoline tax, estimated at \$400,000 will also be exceeded, thus maintaining a revenue for the Motor Vehicle Branch of the New Brunswick Public Works Department equal to that of 1928 and justifying the new allocation of the burden resultant from a reduction in license fees and an increase in the gasoline tax so that those who use the roads shall pay in proportion to their use.

Gas Tax Receipts

The increased use of motor vehicles in New Brunswick is indicated by the revenue for gasoline tax receipts which are in larger proportion than the increase in the rate of the tax from 3 to 5 cents per gallon which went into effect this year in this province. Complete returns for the first eight months of this and the last fiscal years in gasoline tax receipts follows:—

	1927-28	1928-29
November	\$12,055.21	\$ 41,499.25
December	15,997.77	24,449.84
January	9,969.17	15,402.12
February	5,998.24	9,091.39
March	8,860.26	24,846.17
April	8,185.90	10,022.29
May	7,467.02	13,793.49
June	27,727.55	45,197.42

\$96,261.12 \$184,301.97

DEVON COUNCIL MET

Regular Meeting of Devon Town Council Last Evening—Business Mostly of Routine Character—Tax Discount Period Ends 17th of August—Ald. Henry Re-Appointed to School Trustees.

The regular monthly meeting of the Devon Town Council was held last evening with Mayor Dayton in the chair and the following alderman present: Henry, Coombes, Young, Pickard and Jaffrey. The early part of the meeting was taken up with passing of accounts and other routine business, such as committee reports, etc. It was brought out that the Marysville road is being scraped and put in good condition. This discount period for payment of taxes ends on August 17th. Alderman Gilbert Henry was re-appointed to the School Trustees for another term.

APPREHENSION FELT OVER THE KING'S HEALTH

People Skeptical Despite Statements by Medical Experts.

SINUS HAS NOT PROGRESSED

His Majesty Was Cheered as a Well Man on Sunday.

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

London, July 9—Despite reassurances from King George's physicians and medical experts of the nation that the state of his health gave no cause for alarm, the British people remained somewhat apprehensive today for his welfare.

News that the condition of the sinus in the King's right chest had not progressed satisfactorily and would be X-Rayed was disconcerting to the British people, who had cheered him as a well man at Sunday's thanksgiving services.

TRUCKLOAD OF COAL FOR MARCHIONESS

Lynn, Mass., July 8—The Marchioness Townshend, Mayor of King's Lynn, England, who came here with her son to take part in the Lynn tercentenary celebration, jokingly remarked that she had been showered with almost every conceivable souvenir except a ton of coal. Hastening to fill this commission a coal dealer today sent her note only a ton but a whole truckload. The marchioness expressed her thanks and gave it to a Lynn charitable organization.

WIRE-HAIRED DOGS STILL FAVORITES

London, July 8—The fad, for small and freak dogs is not eating into the popularity of the wire-haired terrier which is still the most popular dog in England. Registration figures of the Kennel Club show that in April wire-haired terriers led his nearest competitor, the cocker spaniel, by nearly 300. Alistians rank third in number of registrations.

SUMMER SESSION OPENED

University of New Brunswick Summer School Opened Here This Morning—Dr. C. C. Jones Reports 30 Taking Course With More to Follow—Prof. Henderson Here.

The summer school of the University of New Brunswick opened this morning with about 30 students enrolled for the summer instruction. The number of students taking the course last year the year, the course was instituted, was 15 only half the number this year. It is presumed that there will be more students enrolled before the end of the week and the probability is that the full roll will be nearer 35 or 40. Prof. Hermon C. Henderson of the faculty of State Normal School in Wisconsin arrived this week to take up his duties as new instructor. He will be a special lecturer in Education and Philosophy. The rest of the staff will be composed of the regular faculty of the University with the exception of Lloyd Grass, B. A., who will teach Classics and Miss Mildred O'Brien who will instruct in French.

Or, again, the boss's daughter might refuse to marry and then the snob would have to keep on working.

Central Europe is Stirred by Story of Vast Political Plot

Conspiracy on Foot to Overthrow the Roumanian Regime and Establish a Military Dictatorship — Would Restore Prince Carol to the Throne — Many Arrests Have Been Made.

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

BERLIN, July 9—Central Europe and the Balkan States were stirred today by startling disclosures of a vast political conspiracy to overthrow the present Roumanian regime and to establish a military dictatorship, aiming to install former Crown Prince Carol to the throne now occupied by his young son, Michael.

In spite of official denials of a widespread plot, it was known that more than 250 arrests have been made including many persons high in Roumanian official and military affairs, and that extraordinary precautions have been taken by the Roumanian government to forestall the carrying out of a coup d'etat.

RECREATION LEAGUE OF C. N. R. AT MONCTON

Moncton, July 9—The third general meeting of system recreational council of Canadian National Recreation League opened here yesterday afternoon with representatives from as far west as Edmonton, Alta. W. V. Appleton, General Manager, Atlantic Region, in addressing the meeting spoke of the place recreation has in modern business and stated that the older he grew the more he realized the value of recreation and athletics in business. A healthy body is a vital importance in the industrial sphere. Clear minds and healthy bodies are demanded in business today and anything that will develop this is worthy of support. M. F. Tompkins, traffic manager, spoke of the value of the recreation league to the railway from a traffic standpoint and assured the representatives of his support in their deliberations.

Scout Camp

Camp activity is in full swing to day at Crock's Point, where sixty-five scouts from Fredericton, together with a large number from Sackville and several from Woodstock will live existing in the sparkling coolness of the water and the exhilarating freshness of the air for the next fourteen days. An added impetus has been given to the bathing parade by the tragic drowning of their brother scout Norman Lyons, which resulted from an inability to swim.

Was a Visitor

Miss Kathleen Gilmore, of Stanley, N. B., was a visitor to the city yesterday. Miss Gilmore is a graduate of the Provincial Normal School, having received her license two years ago. The young lady is well known here and is warmly welcomed on her return to the scene of her studies yesterday.

Motorcycle Vacation

Mr. Herbert ("Pat") Gunter, valedictorian of the Fredericton High School class of '29, and outstanding in all branches of sport has left by motorcycle for Painsborough, Nova Scotia, where he will spend his holidays. He will enter Acadia University in the Fall.

Egotism is the thing that helps people keep on speaking terms with themselves.

"Married on wager" strikes us as one way of compounding a lottery.

PROHIBITION CALLED A FORM OF TYRANNY

Retiring President of U. S. Medical Association Speaks His Mind Plainly.

Portland, Ore., July 8—American people in time of peace insist on local and individual liberties. Dr. Williams Phayer, retiring president of the American Medical Association, declared attacking prohibition and "intolerance" in general, in his farewell address to the association yesterday.

"In the long run," he said, "we English-speaking people will not endure tyranny. In time of peace we insist on local and individual liberties which we regard as rights."

Laws restricting eating, drinking, dress and religion, he said, cannot be enforced, but only defeat their own ends.

"When in a country like ours," he continued, "the national government attempts to legislate for the whole country as to what we may or may not eat or drink, as to how we may dress, as to our religious beliefs or as to what we may or may not read, it is interfering with those rights sacred to every English-speaking person. There is no longer a republican form of government. It is tyranny."

"As a nation we have of recent years set a rather sorry example in the matter of inconsiderate ill-considered and intolerant persecutions and prohibitions that may be met properly in certain localities where they represent the desire of the majority but which when applied to the country at large interfere with the personal liberties of the people. Such laws cannot be enforced but only defeat their own ends."

Dr. Thayer's address made before several thousand physicians and surgeons from the United States and foreign countries was met with enthusiastic applause and the paper was referred to the committee on resolutions.

On Trip To Nova Scotia

Jack Griffith, Karl Griffith, Lewis Tibert, Fred Crawford, and Kenneth Ashton, five local young people left yesterday afternoon by automobile on a trip through Nova Scotia. The party plan on visiting a number of cities enroute and will stay at Halifax for a day. They will return to their homes here the latter part of the week or the first of next.