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Will not Increase The Obligations of Canada to League

Would Render Financial Aid to Any Member of
The League of Nations Who Becomes a Vic-
tim of Aggression on the Part of Another
State—Attacks on Britain's Policy Are Re-
sented in London.

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

LONDON, September 11—If Canada follows Great Britain and supports the scheme for rendering financial assistance to any member of the League of Nations who becomes the victim of aggression on the part of another state, this will not increase Canada's obligations to the League any more than it will increase Britain's.

This is the opinion held by the British Government in London and by its representatives at Geneva who resent attacks on Britain's policy. These attacks, however, have come from Labor members here and also from The Daily Express, who fear that Britain will find herself confined to finance foreign wars.

GAVE DINNER IN HONOR OF VICE ADMIRAL

Lieut. Gov. McLean the
Host at an Enjoyable
Function at The Grove
Rothsay.

St. John, Sept. 11—Major-General the Hon. Hugh H. McLean, K. C., V. D., Lieutenant-Governor of New Brunswick, gave a largely attended and very brilliant dinner and reception at "The Grove", Rothsay, last evening in honor of Vice-Admiral Sir Cyril T. H. Fuller, K. C. B., C. M. G., D. S. O., commander-in-chief of the American and West Indies station, and officers of his flagship, H. M. S. Despatch. Unfortunately the Despatch had to anchor in the harbor because of adverse weather conditions and only three of her officers were present.

The many guests were received by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, who was attended by his two aides, Lieut.-Col. R. J. Brook and Major Lounsbury, of Fredericton; the vice-admiral, Sir Cyril Fuller, and Mrs. Hugh H. McLean, Jr., who was wearing a stylish gown of Lucerne blue crepe cut low in the back and gracefully draped to reach to her slipper heels at the left side. She wore silver slippers.

The beautiful old residence presented a colorful scene with exquisite garden flowers and roses everywhere in artistic arrangement and as the throngs of guests moved about the stately drawing rooms and halls the vivid and pastel shades of the ladies' gowns formed a striking contrast to the blue and gold of the navy and the sombre black of the men's conventional evening dress.

Supper was served from the dining-room, where a profusion of sweet peas and other lovely flowers were also used for decoration. During the evening an orchestra provided music for dancing.

This morning's market was of average size with green stuff, though on the whole, still evident. Eggs and butter still demanded 40c, chicken, 40c lb lamb per lb., 20 to 30c, pork 16 to 20 cents, apples per barrel \$1.75, ripe tomatoes per basket, 50 cents, potatoes 30 cents per pk., bunched vegetables 10 cents.

OFFICIALS OF EXHIBITION MET LAST EVENING

Full Board of Directors
at Special Meeting —
Secretary Sypher and
Staff Move to Grounds
Tomorrow.

With entries flooding in at a rate that is keeping the special staff of executives at their wits' end and the prospects of bumper show already assured, Secretary C. L. Sypher and his staff move their headquarters tomorrow from Phoenix Square to the Exhibition grounds prior to the official opening Saturday night. At a meeting of the committee last night the acceptances of the Lieut. Governor of New Brunswick, Hon. Lewis B. Smith, Minister of Agriculture and His Worship, Mayor Clark, to be present at the initial ceremonies were read. A musical programme has been arranged by the Amusement Committee for Saturday night and seating capacity is being prepared in the Amusement Hall for the usual large crowd.

Among the entries tumbling into the Secretary's office was an entry blank dated 1915 from a Nova Scotia concern. Catalogues had evidently been put on file and used layer by layer until the 1915 one was reached. The blank was a trifle faded, dating as it does to the second year of the Great War, and representing a time when interest in the exhibition was largely superseded by the war-fever. Indeed following the 1915 fair the buildings were occupied by successive expeditionary battalions, and the exhibition was not resumed till after the armistice. The entry blank in question crops up again in a time when war-fever is far from interfering with pleasure as it must have done in those anxious days of '15.

Called Here

Company Sergeant-Major Charles Shaw of the R. C. R. stationed at St. John and detailed to the Small Arms School at Ottawa for a summer course is in the city today called by the serious illness of his mother, Mrs. Welton, who has been taken to Victoria Hospital. Sergeant-Major Shaw is well known here through his connection with local units at Camp Sussex.

A PROVINCIAL MUSEUM SITE IS PURCHASED

Lot of Land Adjoining
Riverside Park, Saint
John, Secured at a
Cost of \$23,000.

St. John, Sept. 11—The new Provincial Museum of New Brunswick is to be erected in Douglas Avenue on property secured there on the northeastern side of the Riverview Park. At a meeting of the Common Council on Tuesday afternoon the Council voted to deed to the Museum authorities a strip of the Park facing on the south-westerly side of their property with a frontage of 10 feet on Douglas Avenue. The dividing line will run at right angles to Douglas Avenue, the strip thus widening out as it approaches the river. The committee already has secured the Hilyard and Murdoch properties next to the Park, having a frontage of 190 feet on Douglas Avenue and running back to the river. It was said that this property was purchased for about \$23,000. Legislation empowering the city to deed the strip of land will be sought at the next session of the Legislature.

The Provincial Museum it is intended shall serve the province as a whole, preserving materials which specially concerns New Brunswick and supplying information in the scientific and historical fields towards its establishment the provincial government has voted \$150,000 and the city of Saint John has voted \$100,000. An additional amount of \$25,000 has been received as a gift from Colonel Murray MacLaren, C.M.G., M.P., and various other sums have been contributed during the last few years while the project has been under consideration. The Museum will be supported partly by the province and partly by the city, the additional amount being obtained through membership fees and contributions.

The type of building to be erected is now to be decided and for some time a committee has been at work gleaning information that will be helpful in deciding upon the plans for the proposed structure. Types of buildings used in other centres will be studied and the benefit of the experience of museum authorities elsewhere will be obtained.

DESERT TWO ISLES WHEN ALL FARMS FAIL

Dublin, Sept. 11—The transplanting of sixty-nine farmer families from two islands of Inniskea off North Mayo to the mainland, where they will be provided with fertile farm lots is to be undertaken by the Free State in its fight to alleviate poverty among Irish farmers.

Each Islander will receive a small holding at a neconomic rent and the Land Commission will build a house at a cost of \$750 for each family.

When the change is made the islands will be completely evacuated, for it has been proved that even the most industrious families cannot wrest a living from the meager lands there.

A thing we have wondered about constantly since the inaugural of the Air Age, is as follows: What is the total number of Azores and which is the head Azore?

TO IMPERSONATE LADY GODIVA IN A CARNIVAL

Town of Dudley, Eng-
land, Takes Lead in
Dress Reform.

STAGING A
PAGEANT

Girl Who Resided in
Canada to Take a
Prominent Part.

(Special to the Daily Mail)

London, Sept. 11—To Canada's cheerful unconventionality in dress reform is attributed the nerve of a young English woman, Miss Lucille Smith, of Dudley, formerly of Canada, who will impersonate Lady Godiva in a carnival to be held shortly in her native town.

Lucille will ride through the streets on horseback clothed only in tights and her long hair. There were no tights in the days when the original Lady Godiva rode abroad in order to relieve the city of Coventry of oppressive taxes, but times have changed.

Dudley is now disputing Coventry's claim to a monopoly of the Lady Godiva pageant and is staging one of her own, because she asserts the courageous lady belonged to Dudley, although her beauty parade was staged in another.

Miss Smith only returned to England in July after living in Canada for several years and she attributes her audacity to the broad mindedness of the Dominion.

PLEASED OVER ACTION TAKEN IN SHEARER CASE

Had Much to Do With
Failure of the Naval
Conference in 1927.

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

London, Sept. 11—The Daily Mail printed a dispatch from its Geneva correspondent today stating that League of Nations officials were highly gratified by the action taken to disclose the operations of William B. Shearer as anti-naval disarmament propagandist.

Officials were convinced that Shearer had much to do with the failure of the three power naval conference in 1927, the correspondent said.

PRELIMINARY HEARING SET FOR THURSDAY

Campbellton, Sept. 10—Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock is the date and time set for the preliminary hearing of the charge of murder against Mrs. Mary Ann Daige, of Mann's Siding, who was arrested at her home Sunday afternoon at her home in connection with the shooting and killing there of Francois Willett, a boarder, the previous night. The accused heard the information read in the Campbellton Police Court yesterday afternoon, following which she was remanded and last night conveyed to the county jail at Dalhousie. J. T. Hebert, of this town, has been retained as counsel for the defense, while the Crown prosecution will be in charge of J. Allan LeBlanc, of Campbellton, clerk of the peace for Restigouche county.

The provincial police were busy today serving a summons to several people at Mann's Siding, Kedgwick and St. Quentin, who will appear to testify before Magistrate Kell on Thursday.

May not Import Tea from Bonded Stocks in Britain

A New Situation Has Arisen in Connection With
a Popular Article of Necessity—Canadians to
Pay Double Duty—Hon. P. C. Larkin, Tea
Magnate, Says Statue Must be Altered.

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

LONDON, September 11—The news that Canadian merchants may not import tea from bonded stocks in Britain but must pay the Canadian tariff, which is double that paid formerly, has caused much discussion here.

Ridgeways, a firm largely interested in the export of packet teas to Canada, have appealed to Hon. Mr. Larkin, the Canadian High Commissioner office here, and it is stated that the only remedy is an order in council or a new act by the Dominion Government altering the working of the existing statute.

MR. RICHARDS TO DECIDE FATE OF M'CONNELL

New York's "primitive man", Burt W. McConnell may yet attain his desire of entering the New Brunswick forests, for a three months' sojourn a la Adam for purposes of experiment. McConnell, was in conversation with Hon. C. D. Richards, Minister of Lands and Mines, yesterday afternoon in this city, with respect to securing a permit to enter the provincial forests on his odd errand. The intrepid New Yorker, who requested the province some time ago for a permit and who was refused, was nothing daunted and arrived here yesterday at noon to make another plea for a permit.

More Clothes?

On account of modifications, which McConnell, who is a prominent figure on the editorial staff of a New York magazine, has agreed to, the province may reconsider its refusal, and grant the modern Neanderthal man, his desired right to roam at large in N. B. forests. The modifications are in the nature of dress, and will probably call for more conventional garb for forest travel.

The original plan of McConnell was to enter the woods, in a practically nude state, save for a self made spear and a pair of horn rimmed spectacles, which he is never without. However, this plan would have to be changed, it is intimated if McConnell would carry out his project; and the government would require more suitable dress for such an undertaking.

It is expected that the final word will be given out on Friday by the Minister of Lands and Mines whether or not permit will be granted. McConnell. In the meantime, the "primitive man" with his wife, and Mr. and Mrs. Chester R. Hope, the latter two, eminent press representatives from New York, will visit Saint John, Moncton and other places, while awaiting the decision of the authorities. The party left this morning for Saint John.

Hon. Mr. Richards when asked this morning regarding his conference with McConnell declined to make a statement. Those close to the Minister however, say that he will not consent to McConnell entering the woods in a nude condition.

"A man never fully appreciates the power of a woman's eloquence," says the Chicago News, "until he gets married."

And then his perspective is too close to appreciate it.

GYROS TO PUT UP AT THE PICTOU LODGE

Representatives of the
Maritime Clubs Gath-
ered For Convention
Ahe Pleasantly Locat-
ed.

(Special to the Daily Mail)

New Glasgow, N. S., Sept. 11—One hundred and thirty Gyros and Gyrettes representing the Gyro clubs of the Maritime Provinces, have registered at Pictou Lodge, the Canadian National Summer Hotel, near here, for the 1929 Convention of district six Gyro international. Local Gyros led by Dr. V. H. T. Parker, president of the Gyro club of New Glasgow, greeted the visitors. Soon after arrival the delegates were allotted to the various bungalows, connected with Pictou Lodge, where they are to be accommodated during the convention. Then they roamed about the grounds admiring the beautiful surroundings of the lodge. The lodge they say, is admirably suited for a convention of this kind and visiting Gyros declared today that no more suitable place could have been chosen for the convention. This afternoon the visitors engaged in sports of various sorts, following which afternoon tea was served on the grounds near the lodge. This evening after dinner, the Gyros and Gyrettes staged a "stunt" programme in the large assembly hall of the lodge, following which there was a dance. The final of the days programme was held on the beach near the lodge, where the visitors boiled corn off a huge bonfire and sang songs until a late hour. The convention will continue today and Thursday.

CREW DROWNED IN COLLISION 13 MEMBERS OF

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

Flushing the Netherlands, Sept. 11—The pilot and thirteen members of the crew of the Belgian steamer, Esetella were drowned in the Scheldt today when the vessel sank after a collision with a German steamer. Two members of the crew were rescued. The Estella was enroute to Antwerp and London. The disaster occurred near Walsoorden.

If you must rise early, make certain you are a bird and not a worm.