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SEAPLANE FRICAN ON THE LAST LEG OF TRANS-ATLANTIC FLIGHT

The N. C. 4 Left Ponta Delgada This Morning for Portuguese Capital-Reports Received at Washington Show Her to be Making Good **Progress**—Weather Conditions are Favorable -Will Fly to Plymouth Next.

Popta Delgada, May 27 .- With Commander A. C. Read confident that he would reach the coast of Portugal before dark tonight, the seaplane N.C. 4 started for Lisbon at 10.18 o'clock this morning. The crew of the seaplane was the same as that which made the flight from Newfoundland to the Azores. They boarded the plane an hour before sunrise, but it was not until several hours later that the giant machine taxied outside the Ereakwater, headed to windward and rose gracefully into the air. She circled the harbor and headed for her destination mid cheers from sailors and soldiers who lined the decks of ships and the crowds o nthe piers, together wit hthe shrieks of whistles from all the steam craft in sight.

FEW CLOUDS IN SKY AND LIGHT BREEZE WAS

BLOWING WHEN SEAPLANE MADE HER START

The weather was almost perfect this morning, with the warm spring sun shining brightly on the waters of the bay. There were few clouds in the sky and only a slight northwest wind was blowing. Weather experts predicted that the plane might encounter cloudy weather and possibly occasional rain sent the following message to Harry G. Hawker and Lieut. Commander squalls at the end of the course, but this was not expected to Grieve interfere with her progress.

·Lieut. Commander Read intends to remain in Lisbon over night and start for Plymouth, England, tomorrow morning, if weather permits. The course between here and Portugal is ates. This spirit of high adventure. born of resolve to open all elements marked by fourteen destroyers stretched out along the route to to the Dominion of man, ennobles our guide the flyers and if necessary give them assistance.

MMESSAGE RECEIVED AT WASHINGTON TELLS OF

SUCCESSFUL STARTING OF THE LONG FLIGHT

Washington, May 27 .- Official advices that the N. C. 4 had left Ponta Delgada for Lisbon at 40.40 were received by the Navy Department from Admiral Jackson at 8.40 Washington time. The message simply reported the successful starting of the flight. The N. C. 4 passed station ship No. 1, the destroyer Thompson, between 6 0and 70 miles east of Ponta Delgada at 41.13 Greenwich time, Admiral Jackson reported. The N. C. 4 has passed station No. 4, approximately 200 miles out of Ponta Delgada, at 11.54. The report from station ship No. 4 showed that the big seaplane over the first quarter of the trip to Lisbon was making more than 70 knots an hour.

THE ALL NEW Strike in Western Canada Chairman E. A. Schofield and Sec

tary C. A. Allen of the new organi-tion of New Brunswickers inauguring the big publicity campaign to launched at a convention in St. John June 3rd and 4th, are assured of the success of the movement, which has been taken up with vigor by St. John, Fredericton, Moncton and other cen-Names of delegates are being sent in to Secretary Allen from vari-ous points and it looks as if the ac-commodations for the banquet session nd other limited functions will be taxto the capacity.

The convention headquarters will be in the Board of Trade Rooms, on Prince William Street, but the meet-ings are to take place in the big Im-perial Theatre, King Square, on the send, government leader, put the Sen-ate into committee on the government measure providing \$350,000,000 for de-mobilization and other purposes. Senator Turiff said that while de-

a haven of peace and the standard limit of their enthusiasm. Special fares on all railroads on the standard certificate plan will be a special in-ducement to many public spirited citi-zens to come to St. John for June 3rd and 4th to take part in the big pro-gram. Seator Turiff ventured the opinion that unless a halt were called the country would be landed, in repudia-tion of debt or bankruptcy. The war was over and the government should be curtailing and economizing.

SAYS GOVT. SHOULD BEGIN **TO ECONOMIZE**

Ottawa, May 27.—Criticism of pub-lic expenditure was made by Senator Turiff yesterday when Sir Jas. Lough-

morning and afternoon of June 3rd. The auto trips and other outdoor af-fairs will be held the following day. tairs will be held the following day. The banquet in the Union Club is slat-bed for Tuesday evening, the 3rd. After such a long spell of war activi-ties, the business men of the province are glad of the change and are taking country was inadequate to provide for a haven of peace and happiness to the limit of their enthusiasm. Special Carvell, as saying that undue demands

Fifteen Hundred Workmen Answer the Strike Call in Calgary—Street Railwaymen, Postal **Employes, Civic Officials and Barbers Remain** at Their Posts - Federated Trades Have Not Made Known Their Decision—Strike Expected to Sweep Into British Columbia.

Appears to Be Spreading

TWO CENTS PER COP

Calgary, May 27-Only fifteen hundred workers were said to have answered the general strike call here yesterday, the men representing the Postal Workers, Dominion Express Employees, Flour and Cereal Employees and the Canadian Pacific Railway Employees at the Ogden shops and roundhouse. By a vote of 119 to 48, the street railway men refused to quit work other unions which have signified their intention of remaining at work are the railway clerks, bakers, city hall employees, teamsters, outside civil employees and barbers.

As Calgary is the distributing centre for the whole of the province in the matter of remittances for relatives of soldiers it is said that thousands of checks would be held up by strikers of the postal employees. Eight thousand miners in district number 13 went out on strike on Saturday afternoon. city's mine at Lethbridge was reported to be still operating, returned soldiers there refusing to strike.

BUSINESS MEN ARE TAKING STEPS FOR THE

ORGANIZATION OF A CITIZENS' COMMITTEE

Washington, May 27.—On behalf of the United States naval air service, Secretary of the Navy Daniels has

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"The American aviators, co-pioneers in the conquest of the air, send greetings and warm commendations of the pluck and endurance of their associ-ates. This spirit of high adventure, born of resolve to open all elements

Major A. D. Carter Killed Official word has been received from Ottawa that Major Albert D. (Nick) Carter, D.S.O. and Bar, Croix de Guer re, was killed in an aeroplane accident on May 22 at Shoreham, when his mahine collapsed in the air. His next o kin is Mrs. Ettie Carter, Pointe De Bute, Westmoreland county. The deeased was a student at the Provincia Normal School some years ago. On the organiatzion of the 26th New

Brunswick Battalion late in 1914 he

GRIEVE AT EDINBURGH Edinburg, Scotland, May 27 .- Harry

HAWKER AND

C. Hawker and Lieut. Commander Mackenzie Grieve, who were rescued by the Danish ship Mary, after the airplane in which they were attempting to cross the Atlantic had alighted in mid-oiean, arrived here this morning on their way to ondon from Thuiso, where they were landed by a British

They were seized as they left the train and lifted to the shoulders of a crowd which bore them to a hotel, where they had breakfast. They were heartily cheered when their train left



Montreal. May 27 .- The coroner' jury yesterday returned a verdict of

Federated trades which have not made known their decision in regard to the strike call include printers, printing pressmen, stereotypers, telegraph operators, bricklayers and mason, sheet-metal workers, commercial telegraphers, Broker house workers, freight handlers, moving pictures operators, plumbers and steam fitters.

Business and professional men and also workers in various trades propose to the general strike took preliminary steps last night for the organization of a citizen's committee similar to; the Winnipeg Citizens' Committee. The Committee plans to guard against any possible violence and to support Municipal, provincial and federal authorities.

Acting Post-Master Corley has issued a call for volunteer postal workers.

TRADES COUNCIL IN BRITISH COLUMBIA

HAS DECIDED TO CALL FOR A STRIKE VOTE

Vancouver, May 27-The general strike in progress more than a week in Winnipeg, spreading during the last 24 hours to: Calgary, Edmonton, Regina and Saskatoon and several small districts, seemed today about to sweep into British Columbia. Last night it was announced from Victoria that the Trades



AUSTRALIANS REJOICE OVER THE **RESCUE OF HAWKER AND GRIEVE**

Paris, May 27 .- The joy of the Australian delegation at the Peace Conference over the news of the rescue of Harry G. Hawker was expressed in a statement issud by it last night. "The world will not forget his plucky attempt," the statement "All Australia is proud of Harry Hawker and the Aussaid. tralian delegation hails him as a worthy son of the great land which gave him birth. The flight was for the purpose of testing the ability of an airplane to cross a great space in a new with the observance of Empire Day, which was also the cen- immediately, and commencing on Thursday, to have vacancies way. Hawker's attempt has more than proved the ability of the men in Westminster Abbey for the officers and men of the Overseas tic strikers. who operate these machines. It is a great thing to know we can still produce brave men. It is perhaps greater to note that the whole world, after five years of war, still admires bravery.

WILLARD IS HE ESCAPED FROM HOSPITAL IN NO HURRY

Toledo, Ohio, May 27-Failing to recruit any official word from Jess Wilsey here July 30 today telegraphed the that I , was left unguarded. champion requesting him to start for Toledo immediately. Rickard asked Willard to abandon a proposed stop for a day at his home in Lawrence, Kansas

"Willard agreed to be here six weeks 'in advance" Rickard said "And that time is past. He asked for a few days in which to attend to personal affairs on the coast and I consented, but I think he has delayed his departure day.

New York, May 27 .- Capt. Fritz Dufusne, African explorer and world trav eller, who was held watting extradi iard concerning his departure from tion to England on a charge of mur Los Amgelos, Tex Rickard, promoter of the heavyweight championship bat-ward of Bellevue hospital by sawing tle between Hilliard and Jack Demp- his way through the window bars. He

> THE CEDRIC AT HALIFAX

Halifax, May 27 .- The Cedric, with returning Canadian soldires, docked at 9.30 o'clock this morning. The military district No. 6 party will disem tary district 100 o party and district 100 o p movement of last week.

it for some time and returned to Moranger, 23 years of age, who was In it for some time and returned to Moranger, 23 years of age, who was Canada to become Major in the 140th killed last Friday night after being Battalion. On that unit being drafted struck by an automobile driven by E. In England he joined the Royal Air Howard Smith, junior, on the Cote-St. Force and had a distinguished flying Laurent road. The jury freed Smith from all blame for the accident.

IMPRESSIVE MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR OVERSEAS HEROES OF WAR

His Majesty the King and Other Members of the Royal Family Attended Service in Westminster Abbey --- Heroic Dead Honored-Great Meeting in Hyde Park.

Technically, the airplane has yet to be proved, but tenary of Queen Victoria's birth, was the memorial service held filled by men who will not desert their posts during sympathe-Naval and Military forces who fell in the war, and of thanksgiving for its victorious conclusion.

His Majesty in the Uniform of a Field Marshal, Queen Mary, Queen Alexander, Prince of Wales, The Duke of Connaught and other royalties were in the crowded congregation, which also included the first Lord of the Admiralty, the Secretary for War, Admiral Weymss, Generals Currie, Birdwood, Byng and other distinguished naval and military officers; Premier Massey, of New Zealand, and Sir George Perley, High Commission-

er for Canada, and other overseas representatives.

CONCERT IN HYDE PARK.

Their Majesties subsequently attended a concert in Hyde Park, given by the Imperial Choir of Ten thousand voices and the massed guards bands. There was a thanksgiving service in the evening at St. Paul's to which the boys brigades, girls scouts and guards marched past the Duchess of Argyle who was supported by leading overseas Generals at the saluting base outside the Cathedral where sixty-four flags of the Empire were grouped.

The great moment of the Empire Day celebration was when he crowd of a quarter of a million in Hyde Park sang God Save

The King. There was subsequently a wonderful spontaneous manifestation of loyalty. When the choir concluded the program of Hymns and national songs of Scotland, Ireland and Wales, an insistant demand for the King arouse from the crowd and when His Majesty mounted to the conductor stand and acknowledged their greetings, the multitude sang For He's A Jolly Good Fellow.

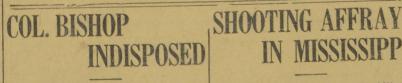
Council had decided to call for a strike vote in sympathy with

ion what might occur should the government find it necessary to call upon the Militia to enforce its demands in the strike affected areas.

In Edmonton the general strike was but partially effective Monday. Sixteen votes favored the strike, leaders announced, and 1500 opposed.

HOT TIME AT COUNCIL MEETING

Winnipeg, May 27-Extreme bitterness marked the City Council meeting last night. The word "Rebel" was said twice. Besides voting to re-organize the fire department along lines that will forbid firemen joining other union forces in a sympathic strike, by a nine to five vote the council also adopted a London, May 27.-The principal ceremony in connection resolution to provide lists of city employees on strike prepared



Toronto, May 27 .- Lieut. Col. W. A Bishop, the famous ace, who had ar-ranged to give a lecture tomorrow night at Massey Hall here, is seriously ndisposed and had to cancel the lecture. He was operated on about a month ago for appendicitis and beause of a relapse he has been ordered by his doctors to take a period of abso ut erest.



Hazelhurst, Miss., May 27.-Allison Hazelhurst, Miss., May 27.—Allison Robertson, owner of a plantation near-here, yesterday shot and killed Jas. Boutwell, and the latter's two sons, tenants on his place. He srrrendered to the arthorities, claiming the shoot-ing, in which only three revolver shots were fixed, we done in solidations.

Reports received here said the trouble Reports received here said the trouble started in a fight between Mrs. Robertson and Mrs. Boutwell, and Mrs.

Robertson and Mrs. Boutwell, and Advert Boutwell's daughter. Robertson bases his self-defence ou the ground that members of the Bout-well family were armed with a knife and a hatchet.

Montreal, May 27.— Following the finding of the dead body of a woman in a house at 44 Maitre street last night, the detectives held six persons as witnesses. The body was found on the floor of a bedroom '/ the house after the polloe had been notified by a man who entered the house, sus-pecting something was wrong. Indge J. H. Gilmour of Oromocto is Judge J. H. Gilmour of Oromocto is visitor over turned about and ambied off into the woods.