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SIR GEO. E. FOSTER SPEAKS OUT

TO PROTECT THE BRITISH POSSESSIONS

Two Warships Steaming Up the Yangtze to Hankow.

SAILORS WERE RESCUED

British Naval Forces Made a Dramatic Rescue.

(Special cable to The Daily Mail by the British United Press)

London, Sept. 9.—S. M. S. Hawkins, flagship of the British Asiatic fleet, and the cruiser Vindictive, were officially reported steaming up the Yangtze Kiang to Hankow, where three British officers and four men were killed in an engagement with Chinese. Two officers and fourteen men were wounded. However, by sending the two British warships to Hankow to protect British interests, the foreign office planned no further action after the dramatic rescue of six British merchant sailors by British naval forces yesterday.

THE GERMAN DELEGATION OFF FOR GENEVA

Berlin, Sept. 8.—The news that Germany is at last a member of the League of Nations failed to awaken much enthusiasm in the newspapers here.

Only the Nationalist organs commend the step. Most all are apparently skeptical that Germany's position has in any way been greatly improved.

The Boersen Zeitung, for example remarks it must not be forgotten "we join this circle as an infamous partner who still has a policeman stationed in his house and who is branded with the living stigma of a morally inferior war culprit. Peaceful collaboration with the other nations of Europe despite the League of Nations will never be possible so long as the humiliations imposed on our people by the Versailles Treaty are not removed."

The Deutsche Allgemeine in its report from Geneva emphasized the demand must now be made that the troops of occupation and military missions leave the country as they are instruments of a policy of violence for which there is no longer any reason.

The Deutsche Zeitung contents itself with the headline "Comedy at Geneva."

The German delegation appointed to represent Germany at the further sessions of the league assembly left for Geneva tonight.

MAINE ANGLER IS DELIGHTED

Standish, Maine, Sept. 7, 1926.
Editor, of The Daily Mail,
Fredericton, N. B.

Dear Sir,—When one takes a trip into a strange land and meets with a universal welcome I think they should take some method to express their appreciation in some public manner.

Four of us have just returned from a few days trip in New Brunswick where we enjoyed fishing on the main Southwest Branch of the Miramichi as well as the visits made to several of your larger cities. In all my travels I have never experienced such cooperation in finding out about places to hunt and fish as in Fredericton last week.

Needless to say we are already planning to visit New Brunswick again.
Yours very truly,
H. N. HANOLD.

WOMAN GOES TO REFORMATORY FOR BIGAMY

Deserted by Her First Husband She Married Again.

PLEADED GUILTY TO THE CHARGE

Her Request to Keep Children in Jail Was Denied.

(Special to the Daily Mail by the British United Press)

New York, N. Y., Sept. 9.—Although she had borne two children and had been deserted at the age of sixteen by her first husband Mrs. Anna Rooco Stevens must pay the penalty for providing the children with a new father, by serving a term at the Bedford reformatory for women.

Mrs. Stevens, who is twenty, pleaded guilty to a charge of bigamy lodged against her because she had married Chester Stevens, a contractor without divorcing Rooco.

Stevens testified against her declaring he had known nothing of the former marriage.

His wife's request that she be allowed to keep her children in jail while awaiting sentence was denied.

WILL CONTINUE NON POLITICAL MANAGEMENT

Mount Forest, Ont., Sept. 8.—"We will preserve the non-political management of the system as created by ourselves," Premier Meighen stated in an address delivered at Mount Forest today in regard to the Canadian National. "We will help to make it a success." He pressed the need for protection in tariff policy, not high protection but consistent definite protection applied to all products. "We have been spending money on education for the benefit of the United States," Mr. Meighen added.

LARGE SUM REALIZED ON JUNK SALE

Washington, Sept. 9.—The Army sold enough rags, old rubber, tin cans, bottles and other hitherto "waste" materials during the fiscal year 1926 to turn into the Treasury exactly \$1,054,410.13.

Some mathematically inclined officers has figured out that this salvage for 2,812 horses and mules, for all the revenue would pay, among other things, for 2,812 horses and mules, for all the hats and shoes worn by the Army in a year, and the combined salaries of the Commander-in-Chief, the Secretary of War, and all the generals and colonels for a year.

JEWISH NEW YEAR

Holidays to Observe the Year 5687—Business Suspended by Jewish Residents.

The Jewish residents of Fredericton in common with those of their faith all over the world are observing the Jewish New Year. Business is suspended from sunset Wednesday until sunset Friday and the Jewish residents of the city may be observed about the streets. Jewish children attending the public schools are having a few extra days holidays and are objects of envy on the part of children not of their faith. The ceremonial of observation of the New Year is the same as that followed always.

Millions of Americans Sympathize with the Work of the League

Sir George Foster Speaks to the Delegates of Forty-eight Nations—Deplores the Failure of the United States to Join the League, But Points Out That Success Has Been Achieved—Canada an Important Part of the North American Continent.

(Special to the Daily Mail by the British United Press)

GENEVA, Sept. 9.—Canada's representative at the League of Nations assembly meeting today told the delegates of the forty-eight nations represented that the United States was with us through the sympathetic attitude of millions and millions of her individual citizens. Sir George Foster, the Canadian speaker, said the first and greatest dissolution in the life of the League, and one which convinced everyone that the League would collapse, was the failure of the United States to join, but step by step, he said, the League had succeeded.

"It is more important that a voice be heard here from a not unimportant part of the North American continent," Sir George said.

"There was a time in the past when the attention of all the world on behalf of that continent was appropriated by the United States, but that situation has changed. I purpose to say something on behalf of ourselves, but without presuming to speak in behalf of the entire continent."

League Idealism.

"Various hopes have failed, such as the project for mutual assistance and the protocol for arbitration, security and disarmament. But these were the high water marks of League idealism. Locarno has brought this idealism back to a practical basis with the result that the League is now appreciated by the entire world. The Hague court and especially is one of the greatest instruments in the League for the organization and maintenance of peace, whilst reconstructed Austria and Hungary add fresh laurels to the League's crown.

"In seven years" Sir George continued, "the League has become the most valuable institution in international life. Naturally the League's first and greatest dissolution was the failure of the United States to join. Everyone then was convinced that the League would fail but step by step we have succeeded, and if the United States is not with us officially, she is with us through the sympathetic attitude of millions and millions of her individual citizens, and finally we have before us the project for United States adhesion to the Hague court."

BIRDS AND ANIMALS WERE CREMATED

New York, Sept. 8.—One man was burned to death, another seriously injured, and two hundred valuable performing dogs, monkeys, roosters and other birds and animals, destroyed when fire gutted the top floor of a four-story brick garage at 609-611 West 46th street.

All of the burned birds and animals were the property of vaudeville performers. Tom Collins, animal trainer, and proprietor of two "boxing kangaroos" on the Keith circuit, lost his life.

MUSSOLINI TO TRY AND HOLD SPAIN IN LEAGUE

Urges Italian Ambassador at Madrid to Take Action.

SHOULD HOLD COUNCIL SEAT

Spain Has Intimated Her Intention to Drop Out.

(Special cable to The Daily Mail by the British United Press)

Rome, Sept. 9.—Premier Mussolini today moved to prevent Spain from withdrawing from the League of Nations.

The Premier instructed the Italian ambassador in Madrid to urge Spain to remain within the League and to retain her temporary council seat at Geneva. It has already been intimated that Spain intends to drop out of the League.

HON. MR. BAXTER CAMPAIGNING IN CHARLOTTE

St. George, Sept. 8.—A public meeting in the interests of the Conservative candidate in Charlotte County, R. Watson Grimmer, was held in the Opera House here tonight. M. E. Baldwin presided and the St. George Band rendered a program of music. The candidate spoke first and was followed by Premier Baxter.

Mr. Grimmer touched on the issues in general, criticizing the Liberals for their efforts to make the constitutional question an issue. He also dwelt on the customs probe, which he claimed exposed a rotten state in the Liberal ranks of officials.

Premier Baxter defined Maritime rights from the Conservative standpoint and dwelt on the policy of adjustments as laid down by Premier Meighen.

Meetings are being held nightly throughout the constituency by the Conservative candidate and his lieutenants.

MRS. W. W. LODGE PASSES AWAY AT MONCTON

(Moncton Transcript.)

The death of Mrs. Wilson W. Lodge which took place at her home, 65 Wesley street, at five o'clock yesterday afternoon, has cast a shadow over the entire community. She had been ill a long time and the end had been expected daily. It came nevertheless as a great shock to all who knew her and esteemed her for her many fine qualities. She was formerly Miss Ethel Hawke, whose father, the late John T. Hawke, proprietor and editor of The Moncton Transcript for so many years, occupied a prominent position in this part of the country. She leaves besides her husband, who is a nephew of Mathew Lodge, director of the Canadian National Railways, two children, John T. H. Lodge and Wilson W. Lodge; her mother, Mrs. John T. Hawke, and two sisters, Mrs. J. E. Barry of Boncton, and Mrs. M. J. Howey of Cereal, Alberta.

Exhibition of Pictures

The motion pictures which were taken during the hunting tour of Dr. J. W. Inches and his friends through Central Africa, were shown last night at a "stag" party in the Fredericton Business College premises. Dr. Inches gave a most interesting talk while the pictures were being shown describing the country and the people and incidents which were filmed.

THE CHINESE LOSSES WERE VERY HEAVY

Wireless Report Says Casualties were Twenty Thousand.

WU FEI-FU HAS RETREATED

Is Now North of City With Ten Thousand Men.

(Special cable to The Daily Mail by the British United Press)

Berlin, Sept. 9.—The German government wireless today broadcast a report that the Cantonese army lost twenty thousand men in taking Hankow. The broadcast quoted newspaper dispatches.

Marshall Wu Fei-Fu who retired from Hankow after the Cantonese attack, has retreated about fifty miles north of the city, according to the broadcast, with an army of about ten thousand.

SIR H. THORNTON HONORED BY C.N.R. OFFICIALS

Montreal, Que., Sept. 8.—Sir Henry Thornton, chairman and president of the Canadian National Railways was yesterday presented with a silver punch bowl by the officers of the system on the occasion of his approaching marriage. Sir Henry also received a silver salver from the employees of the railway the latter gift being given through the League of Canadian National Recreation Clubs. The presentations were made in the board room at C. N. R. headquarters and all the departments of the railways were represented. Vice-president W. D. Robb the dean of the Canadian National officers, in presenting the punch bowl alluded to the affectionate regard in which the head of the system was held by all ranks in the service and W. H. Kilby, speaking on behalf of the Canadian National Recreation Clubs, emphasized the confidence of the 90,000 employees of the system in their chief and their appreciation of his leadership.

NORWAY KING'S POWERS ARE RESTRICTED

(Special cable to The Daily Mail by the British United Press)

Oslo, Sept. 9.—King Haakon, of Norway, at a public reception here dropped his handkerchief which was promptly picked up and handed him by an American visitor standing nearby.

"Thank you," said the King, and then recognizing the nationality of the visitor, he added, "this is the only thing the King of Norway is allowed to poke his nose into."

LONDONERS PLAY GOOD SAMARITAN

London, Sept. 8.—Mysterious "Good Samaritans" this week made a second flying visit to the Thames Embankment where the jobless congregate and played host to the available derelicts at a nearby coffee house. The unknown benefactors drove up in motor cars at 3 o'clock in the morning, rounded up everyone in sight and instructed them to order "All you can eat" in the restaurant, and then paid the bill, refusing to give their names. After the meal each guest was given a package of cigarettes.