

NO WORD OF DIRIGIBLE NORGE

SWALLOWING GOLD FISH A NEW SPORT

Was Indulged in at Fashionable Hollywood Party.

FIGURES IN DIVORCE SUIT

Highly Intoxicated Guest Put Away Dozen of Them.

(Special to the Daily Mail by British United Press)

Hollywood, Cal., May 14—Gold fish swallowing is the latest sport at fashionable Hollywood drinking parties, according to a divorce suit on file here today by Mrs. Ruth Newton against her millionaire husband, John Newton.

In her suit, Mrs. Newton told of a party at her home last November while she was away. One of the guests it was alleged, swallowed four of her pet gold fish.

Later, according to the suit, a dozen more gold fish were sent for and swallowed by another "highly intoxicated" guest. A physician, with a stomach pump had to be summoned, Mrs. Newton said.

ODDFELLOWS' HOME WILL BE MADE LARGER

Halifax, May 14—The firm of Newton & Condon, of Kentville, who have been awarded the contract for erection of the I. O. O. F. Home building extension at Pictou are about ready to start building operations. The amount of the contract is \$30,996, and covers a completed building, the heating portion of the work not being in the original specification. Press advices here gave the figure of the McDonald Construction Co. tender as \$59,700, but this was incorrect, the amount of the Halifax firm's tender being \$39,700. The extension expected to be completed and ready for occupancy not later than the last of September, will give accommodation for about twenty-five more than are now housed in the original building. It is expected to be able to give each unmarried male at the home an individual room, each married couple to have their own room also.

JUGGLING IN UNEMPLOYMENT IN ENGLAND

London, May 14—Unemployment is still England's sorest spot, although official figures indicate that the number of unemployed has decreased. In October, 1925, the government ordered an intensive clearing of the unemployment registers. The names of many unemployed were taken off the registers, and the figures to the end of 1925 went down from 1,297,000 to 1,102,000. At the same time the poor-law relief figures went up from 1,224,000 to 1,324,000. The total figures show that while in 1924 there were 1,071,000 persons receiving poor-law relief, 300,000 more received this support in 1925. And as an illustration to prove that most of these people are unemployed, the Greenwich parish council, in a report published in the newspapers, states that since the beginning of 1926 they have been relieving 1,694 able-bodied persons, of whom 1,071 have recently been turned off unemployment registers.

DOGS HAVE THE RIGHT TO BARK OCCASIONALLY

At Least a Washington Judge is of That Opinion.

HAS A CASE BEFORE HIM

Suggested That Noisy Airedale be Locked in Cellar.

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

Washington, D. C., May 14—Dogs have certain barking rights, Judge McMasen declared in police court when a neighborhood row over a noisy airedale was brought to him.

"Unquestionably a dog has certain rights and may be allowed to bark sometime," the Judge said. He suggested that the owner lock the dog in the cellar in the evening when his barking was most offensive to the neighbors.

HON. DR. BAXTER SPOKE BRIEFLY AT ENCAENIA

Counselled the Graduating Class to Remain in the Province and Aid in Development.

Hon. J. B. M. Baxter, K. C., LL. D., Premier of New Brunswick, spoke briefly Thursday afternoon during the encaenia exercises of the University of New Brunswick at which he had conferred upon him the Degree of Doctor of Laws, Honoris Causa. The Premier spoke immediately after the conferring of the Honorary Degrees upon A. O. Dawson of Montreal, W. J. S. Myles of Saint John and E. E. Brydone Jack of Victoria B. C., Dr. C. C. Jones, the Chancellor requesting an address.

Premier's Remarks.

Hon. Dr. Baxter said that he felt that the honorary degree of doctor was often unearned when compared with the work done by real students to obtain their degree. There was upon the platform one who had today been honored with a doctor's degree, one who had earned it with years of endeavor. However, he himself felt deeply the honor and was rejoiced and honored to be able to count himself in the number of those great scholars who had gone before, though he felt it was not earned as a real student. Dr. Baxter advised the graduating class to do something worth while in life and to "do it now." He thanked the senate and faculty for the honor that had been conferred upon him.

Stay in Province.

Speaking particularly with regard to conditions in New Brunswick the Premier counselled the graduates of '26 to remain in their own province and aid in its development. He expressed the belief that New Brunswick was about to enter an era of development and expansion and he urged all to do the utmost toward bringing it about.

POLICE WERE TURNED BACK

(Special to the Daily Mail by British United Press)

Cracow, Poland, May 14—Local police seeking to reach Warsaw to assist Marshal Pilsudski in controlling the city were turned back today by Sikorski troops.

Pilsudski had ordered 400 armed Cracow policemen to report in Warsaw.

North Pole Flyers Thought to Have Run Into Bad Weather

North Pacific Naval Organization on the Watch All Night But Heard No Sign of the Dirigible—Is Now Overdue at Nome, Alaska—Was Reported Early Yesterday by Alaska Wireless Stations.

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

BREMERTON, Was., May 14—The entire United States navy organization on the North Pacific coast waited and listened all night, but not a sound was heard from the Amundsen-Ellsworth-Nobile expedition overdue at Nome, according to reports relayed to the 13th district headquarters here.

Unfavourable weather condition in the region over which the Norge was supposed to be passing were reported. About forty hours have passed since naval wireless stations in Alaska last reported hearing the Norge.

Delayed by Storm

Nome, Alaska, May 13—All indication here tonight pointed to a storm in this territory where the Amundsen-Ellsworth trans-Polar dirigible Norge was proceeding from Spitzbergen via Point Barrow, Alaska. The barometer dropped .52 of an inch in the last 24 hours and continued to fall today. No communication had been made between Nome and the Norge up to 10 o'clock this morning.

No Word Received

New York, May 13—Despite static-garbled radio messages believed to have been sent by the Norge, no authentic word had been received up to midnight by the New York Times and the St. Louis Globe Democrat from the Amundsen-Ellsworth-Nobile polar expedition since shortly after it sailed over the Pole.

BONNYCASTLE DALE IS NOW IN THIS PROVINCE

(Shelburne Gazette.)

Many of our readers will regret the departure from the county of Mr. Bonnycastle Dale who has been residing in the county for several years. Mr. Dale is a student of bird life and during his sojourn here has written many valuable articles for newspapers and magazines, not only re birds and their habits but in regard to the attractions this county offers to tourists. Mr. Dale is a gentleman of the first water and it is not surprising that his departure is regretted. The good people of Clyde River, where he has resided of late, loaded him down with good things before he took his departure. Mr. Dale goes to Moncton, N. B. (Mr. Dale's articles in Rod and Gun the chief sporting magazine of the Dominion, are always read with great interest by every true lover of Hunting and Fishing.)

TEA AND TARTS TO BE SERVED ON AIRPLANE

Atlanta, Ga., May 14—Twenty guests will be entertained at Atlanta's first "aerial tea" several thousand feet above the city tomorrow when Mrs. Roscoe Turner wife of Capt. Roscoe Turner noted air pilot will be host in a gigantic Sikorski airplane, piloted by her husband, it was announced today.

Tea and tarts will be principal items on the menu and they will be served by a waiter from the Biltmore Hotel.

WAS MEMBER OF THE UNION GOVERNMENT

Halifax, N. S., May 13—Word reached here this morning reporting the death in Boston of Hon. E. K. Spinney, aged 75, of Yarmouth, N. S., a former member without portfolio of the Union government.

Hon. Mr. Spinney, a Liberal in politics, was elected to the House of Commons in 1917 for Yarmouth-Claire as a Unionist and in 1920 became a member of the Meighen administration as Minister without portfolio. He was defeated in the elections of 1921 by Paul L. Hatfield, Liberal.

A merchant of the town of Yarmouth, Mr. Spinney had in addition wide interests in the business world.

JAPANESE SAVE CASH TO BUY GOLD TEETH

Kobe, May 14—Whenever a Japanese gets any money ahead he buys himself a gold tooth and cultivates a perpetual smile.

This illuminating and fascinating fashion is looked upon somewhat askance by the Kobe Chronicle, which declares that a prefectural investigation revealed that local dentists last year had used gold valued at 221,226 yen for decorating the teeth of customers.

A movement is under way to start a fashion in plain white teeth.

WHITE ELEPHANT TO MAKE A VISIT TO AMERICA

London, May 14—America is to see a real white elephant. The sacred white elephant from Burma which made its premier at the London Zoo May 1, will remain here for four months and then go on to the United States.

This elephant is a pinkish white all over and is regarded as a sacred beast in Burma.

GIVEN A NAME.

London, May 13—The daughter born to the Duke and Duchess of York on April 21 will be named Elizabeth Alexandra Mary, it was said today.

HARD WORK IS FORD'S KEY TO HAPPINESS

Tells How a Man May Improve His Condition.

WORLD RUN BY MEDIOCRE MEN

Says the British Strike Was Put Over on Labor.

Sudbury, Mass., May 24—"The surest way for a man to improve his condition," Henry Ford said here yesterday, "is for him to do a day's work."

"Hard work never killed anybody," he added. "A man should like his work and should work as few hours as possible. That gives him a chance to go out and spend the money he earns and contributes to prosperity. Short hours and decent pay make for prosperity."

Mr. Ford said the world "always has been, is and always will be run by mediocre men." He said he never worried about anything, and had never had a doctor in his life. He gave some of his rules of health.

"I don't believe in drinking milk for anybody past 8 years of age," he said. "I don't believe in quitting work—that's bad. Happiness is on the road, not in reaching the peak. I am on the road and I am happy."

Mr. Ford said crime is due to idleness and that alcohol will be the next motor fuel.

The people of the United States are too intelligent to become involved in a general strike such as that now tying up industry in Great Britain, he said.

He said the British general strike has been "put over" on British labor.

"British labor does not know it, but it was," Mr. Ford said. "It was put over by the people who always are putting things over, the same people who put over wars."

Mr. Ford refused to go into further particulars.

"You wouldn't print it if I told you," he said. "Let's talk on something else."

SILVER QUEEN DOES LIKE TO TRAVEL

Honolulu, May 14—Fifty thousand miles yearly for a quarter century has been the average travel record of Mrs. Suzanne Emery-Holmes the "Silver Queen" of Utah she declared claiming to have traveled about 1,250,000 miles since 1920.

"But that's not far," she said. "That's only twice around the world every 12 months. Sometimes I dash over to Europe several times a year—or I may go to Egypt, or South Africa—or anywhere fancy calls."

"In recent years, though my hobby has been my home in Pasadena. I am trying to make it different and I am accomplishing this from the ideas I have gained while going over the world."

Mrs. Emery-Holmes, owner of the Holmes silver mines in Utah is reputed one of the wealthiest women of the world.

EX LORD MAYOR AS TRAFFIC COP

(Special to the Daily Mail by British United Press)

London, May 14—One of Dick Whittington's successors in the Lord Mayors of London is a traffic cop today. He is Sir Alfred Bower, former Lord Mayor. Sir Alfred stands in Fleet street wearing a bowler hat and a raincoat, directing traffic in the role of special policeman.

M. R. Morris of Moncton is in the city today.

AGREEMENT TO BE SIGNED BY BALDWIN

Will Send 450,000 Railway Men Back to Work.

A STATEMENT MADE IN HOUSE

Mr. Thomas Expects the Agreement to be Satisfactory.

Special cable to the Daily Mail by the British United Press

London, May 14—Under signature of a re-employment agreement which would send 450,000 striking railway men back to their jobs is expected this afternoon, Premier Baldwin announced in the House of Commons.

Baldwin said J. H. Thomas, of the National Union of Railwaymen had told him that the proposed agreement was expected to be satisfactory to everybody.

ARBOR DAY OBSERVED IN THE SCHOOLS TODAY

Model School Pupils Held Interesting Entertainment for Normal School This Morning.

The observation of Arbor Day in the schools of this inspectorial district, M. G. Fox inspector, took place today, the 14th inst. In all schools there were lessons on the value of trees and vegetable life. Some of the departments had more or less elaborate exercises. Tree-planting was carried on where possible and where it was not done, plants were set out or seeds planted out-of-doors or in window boxes.

At the Normal School an excellent program was followed by the pupils of the four departments of the Model School, W. M. Burns principal. The exercises were instructional to the Normal students as showing the possibilities in a large school. The Model pupils acquitted themselves well. Costumes representative of flowers, trees, birds and so on, were used. Miss Morgan rendered great aid in the preparation of the costumes.

The program was as follows:

1. Chorus, School, O Canada.
2. Part I, The Flowers' Arbor Day Ball, Grades I, II, III, IV.
3. Part II, Chorus, Grades V and VII "The Village Blacksmith."
4. Chorus, Grades V and VII, "The Shepherd Maiden."
5. The Voices of the Trees' Grade VII and VIII. Song and Recitation with chorus.
6. The Arbor Day Fantasy, Grades V and VI.
7. God Save the King.

GEISLER IS UNABLE TO FORM CABINET

Special cable to the Daily Mail by the British United Press

Berlin, May 14—Defence Minister Gessler today informed president Von Hindenburg that he could not form a cabinet on the basis of the Reichstag's coalition from which the defeated Luther Cabinet was constructed. Gessler said, however, he would retain his commission and do his utmost to find some other foundation for a cabinet.