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Papers Not Complimentary To British Diplomacy

London Morning Dailies Take the View That Disarmament Has Been Retarded by the Anglo-French Agreement — French Press Thinks France and England Have Been Vindicated in the Face of U. S. Criticism.

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

LONDON, Oct. 23—Morning newspapers almost were unanimous today in deploring the working of British diplomacy as revealed by the official white paper published yesterday and explaining the attitude of the French and British governments on the Anglo-French naval accord. The accord was rejected by the United States. A majority of the newspapers agreed that disarmament had been retarded by the incident.

Views of French Press

Paris, Oct. 23—The French press today generally adopted the attitude that publication of the whole paper yesterday vindicated France and England in the face of an American criticism of the Anglo-French naval compromise.

The white paper, published by the government after the rejection of the accord by the United States, revealed that London and Paris agreed to favor limitation of first line battleships, larger cruisers, aircraft carriers and submarines.

CLERGYMAN INJURED IN AUTO CRASH

Maine Car Responsible For the Accident But Did Not Stop to Render Assistance.

Sussex, Oct. 22—Rev. Joseph Ward, of Lakeville, was the victim of a serious accident this morning between Penobscus and Anagance as he was proceeding on his way to Saint John about 10 o'clock. His car was overtaken by a State of Maine car at a very fast rate of speed, which ripped off the left rear wheel and turned the car completely over, pinning Father Ward in a position in which his life might have been crushed out had assistance not been available.

The driver accompanying Father Ward was thrown clear, all but his left leg, which he could not release. The car which did the damage stopped for a moment and Mr. Connors, the driver, beckoned for them to come back. They did until within a few yards of the overturned car when they apparently saw the seriousness of the accident and made away.

Fortunately a gentleman whom the United States car passed at a fast rate of speed, came up shortly afterward and at once released the driver. Between them they released Father Ward from his precarious position and he was rushed to the Frances Sproul Hospital in Sussex, where Dr. McAlister pronounced him badly injured on the right side of the chest, right shoulder and in the lumbar region. Father Ward's friends wished to remove him to Saint John this evening but the physician in attendance did not deem it advisable to move him from the hospital as it might aggravate the serious condition in the chest and possibly bring on pneumonia. Dr. McAlister said that after the shock is over he hopes the other injuries will be amenable to treatment.

Now the Yankees can settle back and begin predicting a pennant for next year.

FINE PROGRAM TO BE ON THE AIR THIS EVENING

Famous Hartt House String Quartette to be Heard From Stations CNRA and CFNB.

(Special to the Daily Mail)

Moncton, Oct. 23—An outstanding programme is to be broadcasted this evening from radio station CNRA, Moncton, owned and operated by the Canadian National Railways, through station CFNB.

In addition to regular features there will be heard the Hartt House Quartette, of Hart House, University of Toronto, a musical organization that has earned for itself many laurels in the larger musical centres of Europe and America. They have been acclaimed, wherever they have appeared and a good programme of instrumental music may be looked for. Another special feature will be the CNRM male quartette who will be heard in quartette, solo, duet, trio, and comedy numbers. This quartette has won favorable repute in their concert work. They are just embarking on an extended tour of Canada and Newfoundland and expect to go abroad later.

WHEAT POOL ACCUSED OF HOLDING WHEAT

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

London, Oct. 23—Accusations are being circulated here that the Canadian wheat pool is holding up shipments of wheat destined for the Old Country in order to force up prices with the result that bread and other similar commodities have become dearer.

This alleged action on the part of the pool for the benefit of the Canadian farmer is being severely criticized on the ground that it has resulted in an increase in the cost of living.

IS POSITIVE HE CAN SOLVE THE SMALL MYSTERY

Austrian Criminologist Now in Toronto Believes He Can Find Out What Became of Theatre Magnate.

Toronto, Oct. 22—Despite the veil of secrecy that revolves about the person of Dr. Maximilian Langsner, Viennese criminologist, who is in Toronto in an effort to solve the Ambrose Small mystery, Hon. W. H. Price, Attorney-General for Ontario stated today that Dr. Langsner had been in touch with him in connection with the death of the late theatrical magnate and that the doctor had been requested by him to place any data before the government that would assist in clearing up the mystery. Ambrose Small disappeared on December 2, 1919.

Dr. Langsner has been instructed to confer with Deputy Attorney-General Bayley and Acting, Commissioner of Police Alfred Cuddy, who in turn, have been requested to give him every assistance in making his investigations.

Admitting that he had been approached by the doctor, Col. Price stated that as Attorney-General is was not his duty to "pooh pooh" things but to make sure that the public got the benefit of every assistance.

"Dr. Langsner got in touch with province in travelling the Small case," stated the Attorney-General. "I said that if he had any new information that would lead to the solution of the Ambrose Small mystery that the government would be glad to have it."

Deputy Attorney-General Bayley stated that Dr. Langsner has yet to have an interview with him.

Cramped In Work

A reporter from a local paper today secured an interview with a man who stated he was Mr. Larette, but whom the paper presumes was Dr. Langsner. The reporter was received in a darkened room by a man wearing a mask, who stated that he was positive he would be able to solve the Small mystery.

Asked why he shrouded himself in mystery, the man replied that all criminologists were mysterious. It would hurt his work if too much publicity were given to it, he said.

The criminologist could not understand why the Toronto police declined to work with him in view of the reception he had received from authorities in Alberta and British Columbia.

"My work here is being cramped," he continued, "because there is no one backing me up. It is more difficult to carry on than would be the case if I were given police co-operation." He said his investigations had cost him a considerable amount of money.

"Mr. Larette" declared he had come to Toronto because he had been challenged. The Mayor was reported to have said that he would not pay to bring him here. "I am not asking the city or any one else for anything," he declared.

Board Meeting

A meeting of the New Brunswick Liquor Control Board is being held here this afternoon to deal with the tenders for heating the new warehouse now in course of construction here. Excellent progress is being made with the new building and it will be ready for occupancy in the course of a few weeks.

BARLEY CORN SEEMS TO HAVE SCORED A POINT

Impossible to Stop Smuggling to U.S. by Exchange of News

DAILY REPORTS SUSPENDED

Prohibition Commissioner Doran Says They are Not Needed.

(Special to THE DAILY MAIL by the British United Press.)
Washington, D. C., Oct. 23—Efforts to end liquor smuggling from Canada by interchange of customs information between the two governments has failed, Prohibition Commissioner Doran said today.

He has notified the Canadian authorities that daily reports on liquor clearances for the United States will not be needed by the treasury hereafter. He asked the Canadian government to make weekly reports, however for his statistical bureau.

GENERAL HOLM HAS NOVEL PLAN TO END WARS

Would Draft the Kings, Presidents and Politicians Who Were Responsible for Trouble.

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

Geneva, Oct. 23—Every king, president and member of Parliament responsible for future wars would be drafted and compelled to serve with shock troops or submarine crews by the terms of the newest plan submitted to the League of Nations for abolition of warfare. The author of the plan is General Fritz Holm, member of the Royal Yacht Club of Copenhagen. General Holm in submitting his project, named Colonel E. M. House, American statesman, an its first sponsor. He said he had received a note from Col. House to the effect that the world wide adoption of the Holm plan would put a definite end to all war.

ARCHBISHOP CASEY CALLS ON FORMER TEACHER

St. John, Oct. 23—Not the least happy reunion in connection with the visit of Archbishop Casey, of Vancouver, to Saint John, was when the Archbishop called on his former teacher Dr. H. S. Bridges, superintendent emeritus of the city schools, at his home in Duke street. Dr. Bridges was the Archbishop's teacher in St. Stephen and in Saint John and had the eminent divine under his tuition for three or four years.

Dr. Bridges said yesterday that the Archbishop had been his pupil in the second year that he was in St. Stephen, where he (Dr. Bridges) organized the public schools. The following year Dr. Bridges went to Oxford, England, for special studies and on his return became headmaster of the Old Grammar school in Saint John. He remembered the brilliant scholar in St. Stephen and induced young Casey to come to Saint John to take the Grammar school course. In Saint John the interest of Bishop Sweeney was aroused in the clever young grammar school pupil and he persuaded the young man to go to St. Joseph's College where he continued a brilliant course, and afterwards, entering the church, was advanced to Bishop of Saint John and then Archbishop.

The Archbishop found his former teacher enjoying fairly good health and delighted to see him, especially as Dr. Bridges is not able to get about as much as formerly.

The Famous Galleys Of Emperor Caligula May be Resurrected

Have Been Lying at the Bottom of Lake Nemi Since the Beginning of the Christian Era — Were the Scenes of Spectacular Feasts and Orgies in the Days of Pagan Rome.

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

ROME, Oct. 23—Italian scholars and students of antiquity are watching with greatest interest the efforts to raise the famous "Gala" galleys of the Emperor Caligula from the bottom of Lake Nemi, where they have lain since the beginning of the Christian era.

The galleys, on which were reputed to have been held spectacular feasts and orgies long have been sought as one of the greatest archaeological treasures of modern times.

Attempts to recover them have been made periodically since the middle of the 15th century.

Through an elaborate modern engineering scheme, however, the project now appears destined to succeed. The engineers began pumping out Lake Nemi Saturday after ceremonies attended by Premier Mussolini and other dignitaries and the work is expected to end in about four months.

DEFIES DEATH IN EFFORT TO SAVE HIS CHILD

North Bay, Ont., Oct. 22—Knowing that the flames which were destroying his home were also devouring the body of one of his five children, a boy of five years, John Smith, Kenabeek farmer, defied death early Sunday morning when he groped his way into the midst of the veritable inferno in a fruitless effort to save his children.

Hair singed, clothing ablaze and suffering severe burns, Smith, baffled by the intense heat and stifling smoke, staggered from the ruins a few minutes later, gasping for air.

Meagre details of the tragedy were contained in a despatch to the North Bay Nugget tonight from Uno Park, where the first intimation of the tragedy was received by telephone. The fire originated from sparks from an old box stove that had been lighted for the first time this fall. The fire had made considerable headway before the family was awakened by it and it was with the utmost difficulty that Mr. and Mrs. Smith and their five children made their way from the house.

Apparently panic stricken, the five-year-old boy dashed back into the building and in the distressing confusion immediately following the hasty exit, his absence was evidently not noticed for a few seconds. On realizing that one of his little brood was missing, Smith plunged into the building, calling frantically to the boy as he made his way through the house. The charred remains of the child were found amidst the ruins, after the fire had subsided. The grief-stricken family is practically destitute and it was when telephone requests for food and clothing were made to Uno Park residents, that first news of the tragedy was broadcast.

Basking in Sunlight

The capital city is basking in some glorious warm autumn weather. Unlike the unsettled weather of the month of September, the present month is outdoing itself in its supply of warm weather. The past few days especially have been more like early summer than late fall. The evenings have been pleasant and the early mornings have been real balmy and springlike.

MRS. J. J. COLTER PASSES AWAY IN BOSTON

The Deceased Was for a Number of Years a Resident of This City and Was Very Highly Esteemed.

News has been received here of the death in Boston, where she had been visiting friends of Mrs. Hattie E. Colter, widow of Rev. J. J. Colter of this city. Soon after her arrival in Boston about two weeks ago, Mrs. Colter had a slight stroke, from which she never rallied. She was the only daughter of the late James and Sarah Berry, of St. Martins. Her father was of United Empire Loyalist descent and her mother was Miss Sarah Fuller, of Windsor, N. S., and had been a noted teacher. Mrs. Colter's early girlhood was spent at St. Martins. She was well and favorably known throughout the Maritime Provinces, having taken an active part in church work in all of the communities where her husband had held pastorates on the different Methodist circuits.

Owing to her husband's ill-health they went for a time to New Westminster, B. C., where Dr. Colter was professor in the Columbian Methodist College. On their return to the east they engaged in evangelistic work in the Maritime Provinces and finally settled in Fredericton, where Dr. Colter was for a time the chief inspector for the Scott Act and Mrs. Colter engaged in W. C. T. U. work. Mrs. Colter was a very talented woman and attended Mount Allison University in 1864, being the first woman student to read an essay from the Mount Allison platform. She was the author of several publications, some of which are still in circulation in public libraries.

Mrs. Colter's nearest surviving relatives are cousins and among those residing in Saint John are David McIntyre, Miss Carolyn McIntyre, Mrs. J. F. Brown, Miss Margaret Brown, Clinton Brown, Miss Bessie Thompson and Mrs. F. A. Blizzard.

Mr. J. R. Harcock, superintendent of the Canadian Express Company of St. John is in the city today.