

S. J. HUNGERFORD LIKELY NEW C. N. R. HEAD

TITULAR PRES. OF RAILWAY PRESENT TIME

"New Order of Things" Talked About—Shakeup in Radio Commission.

OTTAWA, June 30—Without any announcement being made about it yet, it is pretty well understood that the experienced railwayman who will head of the Canadian National under the new order of things will be S. J. Hungerford, at present titular president of the system.

The operating head may be on the board of directors or apart from that body—the act makes that optional.

It indicated today that the seven directors will be selected during the month of July and with no particular regard to regional considerations. There will likely be a representative from the West and also one from the lower provinces but, mainly, they will be those ready of access for the frequent meetings of the board which are proposed. There is no dearth of recommendations and it is believed that the contributions would considerations will have little if any prominence.

More time will be taken in the transformation at the Radio Commission. That, it is intimated, will not be effective till the first of September. Before then, however, nine honorary directors or governors, a general manager and an assistant will be selected.

The management will be the big job. While two names—Messrs. Murray and Brophy—have long figured in the speculation, there has been no approach whatever to consideration of a choice. The act will not come into force until proclaimed by Order-in-Council.

ROOSEVELT ON N. B. HOLIDAY TO DECIDE RE QUODDY

NEW YORK, June 30—A New York Times despatch from Washington today states that, according to an authoritative source, President Roosevelt plans to make a final decision as to whether the much debated Passamaquoddy tidal power project shall be continued or permanently shelved when he makes his scheduled mid-July visit to his summer home on Campobello Island, N. B.

Congress not only has refused, the despatch continues, to honor the president's request for another \$9,000,000 to carry on the project but has stipulated that no money shall be used from the \$1,425,000,000 work-relief appropriation that could not be completed with the sum allocated. This automatically barred funds for Quoddy.

WASHINGTON, June 29—Rep. Marion A. Zioncheck today boldly returned to his office at the Capitol after vaulting to freedom over a seven-foot fence around a private Maryland sanitarium.

A warrant charging assault was revived against the Democratic Congressman from Washington. He is wanted by Maryland authorities as a fugitive from the sanitarium, and a lunacy hearing may be ordered here.

PNEUMONIA PATIENT CARRIED TO SAFETY IN FIRE AT ZEALAND

ZEALAND, June 30—A two-storey dwelling house owned by Cecil Albright was totally destroyed by fire here. The fire originated from a chimney fire, which caught on the house roof, the building was a large one and was burned to the ground in less than an hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Hanson and family were also living with Mr. Albright. Mrs. Hanson who has been confined to her bed with pneumonia was carried to the nearest house.

The house was situated about one-half mile from the main highway and from the nearest neighbours. A high wind was raging, coupled with no telephone connection. Mr. Al-

A Canadian Invocation

Sons of sires who fought for glory
'Neath the Fleur de Lis of France;
Sires to whom the God of Battles
Gave at last the lesser chance:

Sons of sires who fought for freedom,
Fought for conquest, too, at times,
'Neath the flag that's ever flying
On the breeze, in many climes:

Sons of sires whom revolution
Vainly tempted, sorely tried;
Choosing bravely life in exile,
British born, they British died:

Sons of sires who fought at Queenston;
Fought and won that bloody fray;
Hear re-echo through the forest,
Bugle blasts of Chateauguy!

Sons of sires who felled the forests,
Felled the forest, tilled the field;
Sires who wrought, and wrought unceasing,
That their soil should harvest yield:

Sons of sires who garnered harvests
From the depths, beneath wild waves;
Sires who seldom garnered harvests
With the aid of human slaves:

Sons of sires whose ships, seaworthy,
Flung their bunting to the breeze;
Wooden ships that carried cargoes
To the shores of seven seas:

Sons of sires who laid foundations
Of a mighty nation, we;
Elder, Younger, New, Canadians,
Worthy of our sires must be.

Written is our name 'Canadian',
Written red on fields of fame;
Ours the pride that those who wrote it
Wrote it red in Freedom's name.

But remembering those who wrote it,
Fraught with madness is our pride;
War, forsooth is man's worst madness—
Man for whom a Saviour died.

Ours to make our name 'Canadian'
Spell 'Content' from sea to sea;
Ours to make our name 'Canadian'

Synonym for Liberty,
Time and peace are much contracted,
Facts to which we can't be blind;
Ours to make Canadian vision
All-inclusive of mankind.

Ours to build on broad foundations,
In the spirit of our sires;
Build and build on firm foundations,
Until Time itself expires.

"O Canada! mon pays; mes amours!"

T. A. PATRICK,
Yorkton, Sask.

Midget Showgirl Fractures Skull

CLEVELAND, June 30—Miss Inez Del Rio, 17, who is 21 inches tall and billed as the "smallest girl in the world," suffered a possible fractured skull in a fall of four feet from the stage of the midget theatre of the Great Lakes Exposition white dancing with her brother, 19 inches tall. At Charity Hospital today her condition was described as "fair."

World's Signature 137, Say Scientists

LONDON, June 30—To explain the mysterious world number 137 that all scientists believe in but no one understands was called the chief problem of present-day science by Prof. Max Born, world-famous physicist of the University of Gottingen, in Germany, in a recent address to the South Indian Science Association at Bangalore, India.

Sir Arthur Eddington, Dr. Arnold Sommerfeld and other physicists already have pointed out the curious fact that this exact 137 keeps turning up all the time in modern calculations about atoms. Three of the most fundamental constants of modern physics are the speed of light, the so-called Planck's constant of quantum theory and the electric charge of an electron.

Put together in a certain way with the mathematical figure pi representing the ratio of a circle's circumference to its diameter, these three fundamental constants yield 137.

IS IMPROVING: Friends will be glad to learn that Miss Letitia B. Roberts, of this city, is progressing favorably after a serious illness of several weeks.

SHANGHAI, June 30—The Chinese Olympic delegation, comprising 140 athletes, officials and trainers, departed today for Berlin, scene of the world sports carnival in August. The group represents the largest China ever has entered in the competition.

LARGE FAMILY GATHERING AT ORDINATION

Mrs. J. L. Neville Presented Address at Three Rivers—Thirty Relatives Gather to Attend Young Man's Ordination.

An imposing ceremony took place at the Grand Seminary at Three Rivers, Quebec, on Monday morning, when five young men were ordained to the priesthood by Rt. Rev. Msgr. A. A. Comtois, D.D., Bishop of the diocese.

Amongst those ordained were Rev. Frederick R. Bourque, son of F. P. Bourque, of Lynn, Mass., formerly of Moncton, a young man who, with his people has friends and relatives in this city. Mrs. J. L. Neville is an aunt of the young priest.

The ordination services which took place in the handsome chapel of the convent and was attended by the immediate relatives of the young priests. These occupied seats in the front of the church.

The Bourque family also made the gathering at Three Rivers the occasion of a family reunion, about thirty relatives being present from Boston, Fredericton, Bathurst, Winnipeg and other points. A dinner was served to the Bourque family in the beautiful dining room of the College. At this dinner Rev. Father Bourque was presented with an address and a purse of gold. The address was read by Mrs. J. L. Neville of this city. The newly ordained priest made a suitable reply. The immediate family consisting of father, brothers and sisters presented him with a handsome and costly gold chalice, studded with jewels. This was presented in memory of his mother and of his sister Miss Ida Bourque, who died a couple of years ago.

At the conclusion of the banquet the family gathered at the front of the Seminary, where a family group, including the thirty persons from the four points of the compass, was taken. Those in the group included Rev. Frederick Bourque, F. P. Bourque, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bourque, Mr. and Mrs. Armand Bourque, Leo Bourque, William Bourque, Misses Eva and Rosie Bourque, Miss Thelma Guest, Arthur Bourque Jr., Lucille Bourque, Alfred and Armand Bourque, Jr., Lynn, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Neville, Mark Neville, Miss Mary Neville, Fredericton; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Primrose, Joseph Primrose, O. M. Primrose, Miss Frances Flynn, Lynn; Mrs. Harry A. Melanson, Bathurst; Mrs. D. J. Leger and Miss Lucille Leger, Winnipeg, Man.; Joseph Cormier, of Lynn, formerly of Buctouche, and president of the Acadia Society of America was present as a representative of that society.

At the banquet several priests and students of the Seminary served the guests. The tables and dining rooms were nicely decorated and small Union Jacks blended with the college colors on the outside of the building.

At the conclusion of the banquet five Massachusetts cars formed in line and the entire party with the exception of Mr. Neville and Miss Mary Neville drove by automobile to Boston. During the present week a reception will be held by the congregation to which the young priest belonged at Boston. The visitors will also be present at the first Solemn High Mass to be sung by Rev. Father Bourque.

Hotel Men Meet Here

N. B. Hotel Association Hold Meeting Here Today—H. J. Lyons, is President—60 Delegates Are Expected.

The annual meeting of the New Brunswick Hotel Association took place this afternoon at the Queen hotel with a large number of hotel representatives from various parts of the province present. H. J. Lyons, of the Royal Hotel at Saint John, presided at the meeting. E. B. Sweeney, manager of the Admiral Beatty Hotel in Saint John, secretary of the Association is also here today. The agenda calls for consideration of a number of matters of business as well as election of officers.

Greek Jurist Has World Peace Plan

Britain to Retain Destroyer Tonnage

LONDON, June 30—Usually well-informed sources say there was no doubt that Great Britain in due course of time would invoke the escalator clause of the London naval treaty of 1930.

This step, it was explained, would be taken to enable Britain to retain 40,000 tons in excess destroyer tonnage which otherwise would have to be scrapped at the end of this year.

The 1930 treaty expires at the end of this year, while the Washington naval limitation of 1923 will be terminated automatically at the same time. It has been denounced by Japan.

BANNISTER CASE TO JURY ON FRIDAY IS HOPED

DORCHESTER, N. B., June 29—The second trial of Daniel Bannister, charged with the murder of Philip Lake in the latter's tiny isolated cabin at Pacific Junction on the night of January 5 last, continued in the Westmorland circuit court here today. Eight witnesses continued the chain of evidence which the Crown has gathered in their attempt to prove the accused guilty.

More progress was made today than at any day's session of the second trial and more witnesses than the two previous days' sittings gave testimony today. It is not anticipated, however, that the case will go to the jury before Friday afternoon. It is not likely a verdict will be reached until Saturday.

This morning Mrs. Omar Lutes of Pacific Junction, Carl Horsman of Fredericton, R.C.M.P. Constable R. J. Kent and C.N.R. Officer F. A. Randall were witnesses. This afternoon Officer Randall completed his evidence and was followed by Hartley Steeves of Berry Mills, R.C.M.P. Sergeant B. G. Peters, Leonard Carroll and Guy Jones of Berry Mills. The trial will continue tomorrow, commencing at 10 a.m. Due to the fact that Wednesday is a public holiday it is unlikely a session will be held, in which event the sitting will be adjourned tomorrow evening until Thursday morning.

Evidence given by the witnesses today has been previously told, some of the testimony being related for the sixth time since the commencement of the various cases against three members of the Bannister family which commenced early in January.

The last witness this afternoon was Guy Jones, also of Berry Mills, who told of seeing the footprints of two or three persons along the railway tracks leading from Pacific Junction to Berry Mills and also on the old right of way road. The tracks led towards Moncton and were seen in the early morning of Jan. 6 by Jones.

RUMOR FORD LIGHT AUTO

TORONTO, June 30—That Ford may enter the 1937 market with a new small full-sized car selling in Canada between the \$500 and \$600 mark looms as the most important single possibility in the automotive world at the present time.

When questioned this week by The Financial Post, Wallace R. Campbell, president and treasurer of the Ford Motor Co. of Canada, declined to comment.

Although full-sized, the new car, it is said, will be 400 pounds lighter than the present V-8. Consequently it would be cheaper to operate in addition to a lower initial cost.

Whether it would replace the present V-8 or simply supplement and round out the company's line by providing a product to tap a new market of small car buyers remains to be seen. The latter possibility seems more likely since with the addition of such a car the company would be able to tap four distinct groups of buyers when production of Lincoln and Lincoln Zephyr is included.

"International College of Elder Statesmen" As Aid to League of Nations Suggested

GENEVA, June 30—Creation of an "international college of elder statesmen" to help the League keep world peace was suggested tonight by the Greek jurist, Nicholas Politis.

Behind Politis' proposal was the idea the United States, Germany, Japan and others outside the League might join it if the members were freed of general sanctions responsibility.

Italy promised the League of Nations tonight she would not create a huge Ethiopian native army. Great Britain and France were understood to have sought information on this point from Italy.

This pledge was contained in a note delivered on the eve of a session of the League Assembly before which Emperor Haile Selassie will make a personal plea for "justice."

The Italian note blamed Ethiopians for the war and sketched plans for the development of the country, promising to keep the League in touch. It announced Italy's intention to "collaborate in every way" with the League.

The Negus wrote officials: "It is

our intention personally to take part in one or several meetings of the Assembly at the head of the Ethiopian delegation."

Politis proposed to limit the participation of nations in economic and financial sanctions to those directly interested in any conflict and to restrict military sanctions to a regional group of states of which the victim of aggression would be a member.

He also proposed a new interpretation of Article 10 whereby nations would respect, but not undertake to guarantee, the territorial independence of other nations.

Delegates were agreed the Assembly would lift sanctions from Italy but a question still to be settled was that of recognition of the territory acquired by force.

It was believed some action at least implying disapproval of Italy's action was discussed by the Argentine, French and British representatives.

Action on the Locarno problem caused by Reichsfuehrer Hitler's denunciations of that treaty will be delayed until Hitler answers a British questionnaire on his foreign policy.

TRIBUTE AT RETIREMENT OF C. P. R. OFFICIAL

Harry J. Waters on the Saint John-Ft. Run For Many Years—Saw Many Changes.

SAINT JOHN, June 30—Co-incidental with the celebration of the 50th anniversary of the inauguration of the C. P. R.'s coast-to-coast Canadian service comes the retirement of locomotive engineer Harry J. Waters, 42 Manawagonish Road, after devoting more than half a century of his life to the company.

The first train made its initial run from Montreal just 50 years ago Sunday as a small 14-year-old boy, Harry Waters, was commencing to lay the groundwork for a railroad career in New Brunswick. Today, just 50 years and nine months after he was employed as an office boy and switchman at Fredericton Junction, he will complete his last "run" from the capital. He has been on that particular run, operating trains 105 and 106 for 15 years. For 37 years he has done service at the throttle of a locomotive.

The personnel on the Fredericton branch train at that time included William Hagerman, conductor; James Patterson, baggageman; Robert McMillan, brakeman; Robert Donaldson, engineer, and Bert Yerxa, fireman. The agent at Fredericton Junction was James Buchanan.

Promotion came fast to the boy, who was found to be dependable and ambitious, and he was made a locomotive fireman in 1888 and then an engineer in 1897. His ability to handle a locomotive was soon recognized and he was taken from the yards at McAdam and put on the branch line between Fredericton and Fredericton Junction. Fifteen years ago he commenced his services on the run from Saint John to Freder-

DUFF COOPER'S IRRESPONSIBLE SPEECH CHIDED

Recent Speeches by Cabinet Ministers Are Assailed by Opposition—Baldwin Criticised.

LONDON, June 29—For the second time within a week House of Commons tonight voted confidence in the government after opposition speakers had criticized bitterly recent utterances of Cabinet Ministers outside the House.

Prime Minister Baldwin was absent when Clement Attlee, the Labor leader, launched the debate, centering his attack on the speech in Paris last week of Alfred Duff Cooper, secretary for war. At the conclusion of debate a Labor motion to adjourn was rejected 284 to 136, which in effect was a vote of confidence in the government.

"This is not a time, Attlee declared, 'when you can have ministers running around the country delivering themselves in different policies in this irresponsible way. The spectacle which is present is of a cabinet in dissolution, the prime Minister as a Little Boy Blue, away in Chequer fast asleep, with sheep and hounds all over the place.'

"It is time the prime minister came to this House and told us plain what the government's policy is. Thereafter, members of the government should control their tongues."

Friends will be glad to learn that Fred H. Phillips is recovering rapidly from his recent operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Waters are receiving the congratulations and good wishes of their many friends, including C.P. R. officials who have expressed their appreciation of Mr. Waters' splendid service and record many times.

GOVERNMENT CONTRIBUTION TO DIRECT RELIEF ENDS TODAY

Contributions from the provincial treasury towards the administration of direct relief in the various municipalities of New Brunswick are scheduled to end at midnight tonight. Premier Dysart did not comment on the possibilities of a second extension of time in government assistance.

Municipal officials first learned May 5 of the provincial government's plan to stop its assistance in the administration of direct relief when a notice from A. W. Barbour, deputy minister of public works, revealed that such assistance would not continue after midnight on May 31. Representations were made to the

government subsequently and announcement was made early on the morning of May 30 by the premier that the contributions would continue for another month. That month ends tonight.

LATE (B. ADELBERT GRANT) The funeral of B. Adelbert Grant took place this afternoon with service at the home at 1 o'clock conducted by Rev. Mr. Young. Interment was made at Keswick. The mourners were: Mrs. B. Adelbert Grant, Frank Grant, Anna Grant, Pamela Grant, Mrs. Arthur Brown, Mrs. Frank Clark.