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Weather: Partly cloudy with possible scattered showers

WOULD BE GOOD THING FOR EUROPE IF THE SAME FRIENDLY FEELING EXISTED

—Rex Beach

Rome Has Spoken Last Word On Naval Equality

Conference Today May Give Italy Chance to Submit Constructive Suggestions

BRITAIN AND FRANCE WITHDRAW SHIPS

Premier Mussolini May Openly Send an Army to Spanish Territory

(Special to The Daily Mail)

LONDON, Sept. 17—Britain and France today withdrew their warships from the Mediterranean Sea. It is undecided yet what Mussolini will do. In the light of recent developments in connection with the Anti-Piracy Plan which was sponsored by Britain and France and entered into by nine European powers. It is rumored today that Mussolini may send an army into Spain in a last effort to crush the remaining strength of the Government forces. If he does this France it is said will open her borders between France and Spain for the export of munitions.

HONDAL—Government forces are today dynamiting in this area in an effort to check the incoming forces of the insurgents.

Great Britain and France have decided to discontinue their part in the non intervention patrol pact. They have withdrawn their ships from this part of the patrol and have diverted their use to the better purpose it is claimed of the anti-piracy submarine patrol plan.

ROME, Sept. 17—There is still hope among the members of the nine power conference that Italy may still be given a chance to join the anti-pirate patrol plan.

Diplomats see one possible way out of the impasse. A conference of the Nyon powers today to consider aircraft co-operation with the naval patrol may give Italy a chance to submit "constructive suggestions" for joining the anti-pirate fleet.

Italy stood firm on her refusal to join the Mediterranean "anti-piracy" patrol on any basis but full equality with Great Britain and France. Her spokesman in Rome said any further move to bring her into the nine-power Nyon accord to sweep submarine "piracy" from the Mediterranean, must come from London or Paris.

Meanwhile Britain and France pushed their naval concentrations to protect merchant shipping in the

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RAILWAYS READY FOR THANKSGIVING HEAVY TRAFFIC

(Special to The Daily Mail)

MONTREAL, Sept. 17—Thanksgiving day falling this year on Monday, October 11, gives the travelling public the opportunity for a long weekend in what should still be good outdoor weather and the railways of Canada are preparing in view of the reduced fares offered to meet heavy traffic movements all over the Dominion according to announcement by C. P. Riddell, chairman Canadian Passenger Association here today.

These fares will apply between all stations in Canada on the basis of single fare and one quarter for the round trip in coaches or on the same basis for first class fare to those occupying sleeping cars or parlor cars on payment of regular charge for such accommodation.

Railway tickets will be good going from noon Friday, October 8 (except where no train service is operated on Friday after 12 noon when tickets may be sold on Friday prior to 12 noon) up to 2 p. m., Monday, October 11, with return movement good to leave destination no later than midnight of Tuesday.

B. C. CHINESE SEND 1,000 DOLLARS FOR WAR FUND

(Special to The Daily Mail)

VERMIE, B. C., Sept. 17—A small Chinese colony living here has contributed one thousand dollars to the Sino-Japanese war fund. The colony is planning to send more later.

B. C. EXPORTS AFFECTED BY JAPANESE BLOCKADE

Coast Finds Far East Fight Has Vital Meaning When Trade Slowed Up — Feels Empire Gives Security

Vancouver, Sept. 17—Nowhere in Canada does the Sino-Japanese conflict flare so brightly as for the people of British Columbia. Everywhere the delegates to the Canadian Chamber of Commerce go, people start to speak of the fortunes of war in the Shanghai and other areas. It is a matter of interest in Eastern Canada, but here it is an affair that affects daily bread and butter, and it colors all thinking of what the future of Canada may be in the event of a world conflict again being unleashed.

When H. R. MacMillan, President of the H. R. MacMillan Export Company and of British Columbia Packers, pointed out that Canada outside British Columbia is a small market for the province, that foreign markets take 70 per cent of lumber and logs, 100 per cent of base metals, 76 per cent of fish products, 96 per cent

of pulp and paper, 77 per cent of shingles, 97 per cent of doors and 50 per cent of all products made, he was also giving the economic background which brings war in the Orient so close to residents in this Province.

Affected by Blockade

It is a magnificent export business that is being done and already it is being affected materially by the blockade placed on shipments to China by the Japanese, and by the fact that Japanese coastal vessels are being withdrawn from the trade because they have a great deal to do in supplying their warlike effort in China.

Those who are shipping pulpwood and pulp to Japan are not affected, but those who were making newsprint for China are for the moment

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Advice to Young Men

A COUNTRY that is worth living in is worth helping to govern well, and youths growing into manhood at the present time should practice public speaking and should also make a study of governmental affairs. In England certain young men make a study of political affairs and take qualifying courses in statesmanship, so that when they grow up they are able to take their places in their country's service. We seem to lack such training to a large extent in our schools and to a certain extent in our colleges. The writer knows of several leading debaters and public speakers in this province, who years ago got their start from a little debating society conducted over several winter months in this city. Years ago Sir Leonard Tilley and Sir George Foster made their first speeches at country temperance meetings. Sir George was recognized as Canada's leading platform speaker and Sir Leonard Tilley was amongst the leaders.

At Vernon, B. C. yesterday, Sir Edward Beatty exhorted the new generation now growing up in this country to go into political life and help to maintain not only Canada's present high standard of citizenship but also the elevation and enlargement of the ideals now pursued.

That often maligned individual the "politician" found a champion in Sir Edward. The word that means "one versed in public affairs" had come too often into disrepute used sometimes even as a term of opprobrium. The standard of public service in this country had been extraordinarily high Sir Edward thought, and too little credit had been given in the past to countless leaders with unselfish aims. But, warned the speaker, your leaders are what you make them and the leadership they present is no better and no worse than the standard of citizenship which produces them.

Put more young men into public life. Train them to face our problems wisely, courageously and patriotically and there is no problem that cannot be solved.

DUKE OF WINDSOR WANTED TO GO TO THE FRONT LINE

(Special to The Daily Mail)

MONTREAL, Sept. 17—At Windsor Station before boarding the Empress of Australia boat train, bound for England was Rev. William Patrick McCormick, D.S.O. Vicar of St. Martin, in-the-Fields Parish in London. Rev. Mr. McCormick told reporters of his close connection with the Duke of Windsor in war days, the then Prince of Wales having served in the same corps as the clergyman.

The Prince seemed as if he was always having a row with one of the commanding officers over the matter of going up to the front line. On one occasion the help to the throne complainingly remarked that there were lots of brothers to take his place should he be killed to which the officer is said to have replied:

"We don't mind your being killed, but we certainly don't want you taken prisoner."

St. Martin's Vicar made this his first trip to Canada for his health. He was suffering, he said, from a "tired heart" and as a consequence had done little travelling here. Most of his visit had been spent in Toronto with Rev. J. Frank, Rector of Holy Trinity Church, son-in-law of the London clergyman and former curate of St. Martin's.



SIR HUGHE KNATCHBULL-HUGESSEN, British Ambassador to China, expected to be out in a week



HON. N. W. ROWELL, K.C. Head of Royal Commission which will probably visit Fredericton in the near future

JUSTICE TURGEON IS BACK FROM EUROPEAN PROBE

Further Grain Sittings To Be Held Here

QUEBEC, Sept. 16—(C. P.)—Mr. Justice W. F. A. Turgeon of Regina, Canada's royal commissioner inquiring into the grain trade, arrived here today aboard the liner Empress of Australia from Europe.

The commissioner said that his duties abroad had taken him to England, Scotland, Holland and France, but refused to make any comment on his inquiries.

Mr. Justice Turgeon said that the results of his European studies "will be in my report", but before any report there will be further commission sittings at Winnipeg and Montreal.

Before returning to Western Canada, where he conducted the initial sessions of the grain investigation, the commissioner will call at Ottawa.

Eighteen Hundred Infantile Paralysis Cases Since June

Sixty-Eight Children Have Died in Canada So Far This Year Records Show

NEW CASES IN MANITOBA

Parents Are Urged To Keep Their Children Away From Crowds

(Special to The Daily Mail)

REX BEACH LAUDS FRIENDLY FEELING CANADA AND U.S.

(Special to The Daily Mail)

MONTREAL, Que., Sept. 17—"We're not so far sighted in the United States we'd do well to pattern our conservation laws on yours" Rex Beach, noted novelist and sportsman said as he discussed Canadian fish and game laws in an interview just before setting off on a week's fishing in the Jacques Cartier River area on the borders of Laurentines Park.

Taking time off from his new Alaska story which contains characters and descendants of characters that appeared in his first great success, "The Spoilers", Mr. Beach will pursue one of his favorite sports, in a country new to him. He is being introduced to it by Ernest G. Poole, tourist representative of the Canadian National railways, who has accompanied him on several of his Canadian trips. "One of the finest things about you Canadians, from the standpoint of the visitor, is that you have a real sense of the tremendous value of your amusement industry," he said. It's an honest-to-God industry and you're developing it wisely, not only conserving and improving what you have and advertising it, but opening up new areas. You did a great thing, for instance, when you stocked Maligne and Amethyst Lakes in Jasper National Park. I know because I've been there and enjoyed splendid sport."

Mr. Beach, who has himself been coming back to Canada to fish every year for 20 years, says this coming back is a habit with United States sportsmen who know Canada. "Apart from the sport itself" he said, "we like Canada. We are attracted by the extremely friendly spirit of the Canadian people. The close bond between your people and ours restores your faith in human nature. It would be a good thing for Europe if some of that feeling could be applied over there."

Making his trip a little later in the season than usual, Mr. Beach, is taking advantage of the movement of the trout to the spawning beds and expects to get some big ones.



SIR EDWARD BEATTY Who advises young men to enter public life and to help his country

TORONTO, Sept. 17—The Health Department today in a communication to parents from the Province of Ontario that the end of the infantile paralysis epidemic is not yet in sight. Since June 1800 cases have been diagnosed in Canada and of these 1610 have been in Ontario. Sixty-eight have died but no deaths have occurred since the week-end.

Health authorities fear that parents are slackening in their watchfulness over the movements of their children and are allowing them to move too freely in crowds. Ontario health officials today still faced a stern fight against infantile paralysis which continued to tax the efforts of hospital staffs throughout the province. Although it was hoped that colder weather would check the advance of the disease, new cases appeared in a number of districts.

The province's case list recorded 1,591 patients since early June and yesterday the disease appeared in areas heretofore immune. School fairs were cancelled and the opening of schools postponed. Four persons suffering from the disease entered Hamilton General Hospital and 12 new patients were treated in Toronto, where the total cases reached 512 since June 10.

An "iron lung" was rushed from Toronto to Hamilton for a girl victim who was in a critical condition. The Hamilton hospital also reported that a Milton woman, placed in an iron lung two weeks ago, was still in a serious condition.

The Board of Health decided today on a fourth postponement of Toronto school reopenings, this time to September 27, because of the prevailing infantile paralysis epidemic. Schools originally were scheduled to open on September 1.

Seven in Manitoba Seven new cases of infantile paralysis were reported to provincial health authorities here today. They increased the number of Manitoba cases to 157. No deaths were recorded in the last 24 hours.

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Returns to East



E. F. L. Sturges, general passenger agent, Canadian Pacific Railway, Vancouver, will be promoted to Montreal, headquarters of the Company on October 1 as assistant passenger traffic manager, according to announcement by R. G. McNeillie, passenger traffic manager. Since joining the Canadian Pacific at Saint John, N.B., in 1933, he has served the Company at Toronto, Montreal, Boston, Seattle, Wash., Hong Kong, and Vancouver.

SIR LOUIS GREIG WOULD NOT LIVE IN HOLLYWOOD

(Special to The Daily Mail)

MONTREAL, Sept. 16—Hollywood may be a thrilling place to visit, but it is certainly no place to live. That was the belief voiced by wing commander Sir Louis Greig, K.B.E., for gentleman usher to the King, when interviewed at Windsor station this morning before leaving for Quebec. He sails today on the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Australia.

Sir Louis, who with Lady Greig and his three children was completing a summer tour of Canada and the United States was commenting on his stay with Johnny "Tarzan" Weismuller and his wife, Lupe Velez on the Pacific coast.

"We had a wonderful time at Hollywood, looking over the movie colony and meeting a great many of the film celebrities. It's a wonderful place but every one seems to be in such an awful rush. Wouldn't live there for anything in the world. It's not a place where you could settle down and say 'My, but I'm happy!'"

Other impressive places on the itinerary had been the Grand Canyon, in Colorado, and Vancouver the wing commander declared. He expressed delight at the cordial reception he had received from everyone in both Canada and the United States.

FOOTBALL TEAM ALL OFFER BLOOD COLLEAGUE'S SON

(Special to The Daily Mail)

OTTAWA, Sept. 17—The Ottawa Rough Riders Football team turned out a 100 per cent loyal to one of their colleagues when his little boy was obliged to have a blood transfusion. All turned up and offered of their blood in an effort to save the life of the boy.

MACLACHAN STATES BANKS MUST SUBMIT CONFORM TO WILL OF PEOPLE

Social Credit Chairman Declares Alberta Will Take Necessary Steps

Edmonton, Sept. 17—The Alberta Government does not want to drive banks out of the Province, but is determined institutions creating and controlling credit will serve the people, said G. L. MacLachlan, Chairman of the Alberta Social Credit Board, in a statement issued here today.

Mr. MacLachlan issued the statement explaining remarks he made at a meeting at Lavo, Alta.

Mr. MacLachlan at Lavo was quoted as declaring: "During the next session we are going to make it miserable for the banks, so miserable that it will be hard for them to operate in this Province."

Mr. MacLachlan in his statement said the quotation was taken out of its context "and the impression con-

veyed is that we are trying to put the banks out of business."

"The Government does not want to drive the banking institutions out of the Province, nor does it want to interfere in their methods of doing business", said Mr. MacLachlan. "But the Government of the Province of Alberta, having received a clear-cut mandate from the people of the Province to see that they are provided with increased purchasing power to the extent of \$25 a month and a lower cost to live, is determined that the institutions controlling credit in this Province, its creation and distribution shall serve the people of the Province and that their policy shall be changed and controlled to conform with the will of the people and their expressed demands."