

POLITICAL ORGANIZATION HAD FLOAT IN THE RECENT CORONATION CELEBRATION

Judges Are Incensed at Having Their Legs Pulled
-- Is There a Communist and Atheistic Group
in This City?

(Note: The Daily Mail while interested in "Observer's" articles, does not necessarily agree with what that writer publishes. Sometimes the views expressed are entirely at variance with our own opinions.)

The whole town is laughing about the trick played upon the judges of the coronation parade.

It seems that at the last moment a request came in to the managing committee for permission to put in a float from an organization calling themselves the C.C.F. At least that is what the committee thought it was. It was in reality the C.C.F., but for some strange reason no one seemed to know this. So the float was entered and the judges gave it a prize, all the time wondering who this organization could be. As soon as they found out they were highly incensed, and began to talk of doing all sorts of things.

Now this matter, while it has its humorous side, has also a very serious one. The C.C.F., rightly or wrongly, is associated in most people's minds with communism. And even if the party denies any connection with communism, they are nevertheless a political organization, and a float from any political organization was decidedly out of place in a coronation parade. Hence the chagrin of the judges.

There is, it is alleged, a local headquarters for this organization, and rumors are rife as to the identity of the persons who sponsored the float. It has been claimed that there has been for quite some time a group of people in this city who have expressed themselves as both communists and atheists, and the two terms seem to generally go together. There have also been reports, of quite a persistent nature, as to the prevalence of communist teachings in certain Canadian institutions, although to date no attempt has been made to locate any of these institutions. The incident under discussion has tended to bring matters to a head somewhat as far as local conditions go. This article is not attempting to

prove any actual connection between the C.C.F. and communism, although such an impression exists. The alleged facts are that there is a C.C.F. group here, and that there is a group of communistic sympathisers with atheistic ideas, and that some of the same people are included in both groups. What this all adds up to my readers can settle for themselves.

A very serious charge is that many who belong to the communistic and atheistic group are persons in such responsible positions as to be able to be able to do infinite harm by the propagation of these doctrines, which the majority of our people can only regard as highly pernicious. God knows, I don't think the present economic system is perfect, but neither I nor many other right-thinking people are ready to have communism and atheism bruited abroad as the solution to our troubles. However, this is not the place to enter into any argument about the rights or wrongs of the question. I am simply stating what is being freely said on all sides at the present time. Does it call for any investigation?

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SPRING FEVER

I'll say
This is the kind o' day
For a feller in my position
He might wishin'
He might idle away,
A-fishin' . . .

Maybe I'll try it, too,
For it happens I've nothing to do.

If I only knew
Where I put that rod an' line
An' those rubber boots of mine . . .

An' yet,
I hate to fret an' sweat;
An' maybe I might get wet . . .
An' like as not
The sun'll be too darn hot,
An' I won't find a shady spot;
An' maybe my luck'll be bum . . .
Ho-hum!

Well, anyway,
I'll say
This is the kind o' day
For a feller in my position
Just to idle away,
A-wishin' . . .

Nurses Attend

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spiration. She became one of the brightest stars of the illustrious Victorian age. Through her heroic work in the Crimean war and the incessant labours of her subsequent life she raised the status of the nursing sisterhood from a position of peculiar disrepute to the high place of noble service which it holds today. She has become almost a legendary figure in popular fancy.

The theme of Mr. Telford's address was "Meeting Life's Emergencies." With copious illustrations from the life and work of Florence Nightingale he showed that life was made up of a succession of emergencies, some great, very many small, and that true wisdom consisted in preparing for life's emergencies before they arose. When opportunities present themselves, when grave decisions have to be made, when the crisis of temptation is upon us, our success in managing these various emergencies will depend on what we are and what we have made ourselves during the calm and uneventful periods. Every emergency is a test and judge of our inner character. It is therefore of the very first importance to choose well our spiritual company. The nurse, whose business it is to meet and overcome many an emergency of human life, needs the inner fortification of Christian character.

SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

Wedding Early in June

Miss Mildred McDonald whose engagement to William W. McLellan has recently been announced is resigning her position on the staff of the Old Age Pension Board in the near future and will leave for her home in Shediac the latter part of the month. The wedding will take place early in June. Miss McDonald is the daughter of E. R. McDonald, K.C., M.L.A. for Westmorland and Mrs. McDonald.

The engagement is announced of Verna Gwendolyn, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Blakeman, of Toronto, to Mr. Albert Charles La Billois, son of the late Hon. C. H. La Billois, of Dalhousie, N. B., and Mrs. La Billois now residing in Montreal; the wedding to take place on June 19 in Calgary, Alberta. After a honeymoon at Banff and Lake Louise, the couple will take up residence at the York Hotel, Calgary.

B. M. Hill, M.P., Visits Province
Burton M. Hill, M.P. for Charlotte, left Thursday afternoon for his home in Montreal following a short visit to his constituency.

Tag Day Successful

The Tag Day conducted by the Red Cross under the leadership of Mrs. D. J. Shea was very successful, over \$50 being realized. The children of the graded schools were tagging. Those in charge of the children were Mrs. D. J. Shea, Mrs. Vernon Rogers and Miss Nellie Winters.

Service at Jail
Yesterday afternoon a service was held at the York County jail sponsored by the W.C.T.U. The service was led by Lie. Norman Trafton assisted by his father, Rev. P. J. Trafton. Special music was rendered, with a solo by Mrs. C. E. McLean.

Rev. W. J. Bate and Mrs. Bate are the guests of the Misses MacFarlane in Saint John. Mr. Bate is taking the place of Rev. Edmund Hailstone as Rector of Christ Church during the latter's absence in England.

Guests of Mrs. Gunter
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Mersereau of Perth were week-end guests of Mrs. H. H. Gunter. They expect to reopen their cottage at Westfield in the near future.

FREDERICTON TOOK SEVERAL HONORS IN NEW BRUNSWICK'S FIRST MUSIC FESTIVAL

Cecilian Choir and Fredericton High School
Choruses Score Highest

Festival Unqualified Success

Soloists Also Are Ranked Among the Highest
Marked

The music festival which took place in Saint John over the weekend has been pronounced an unqualified success. This festival which has taken place in other parts of Canada for the past 30 years was arranged to take place in New Brunswick this year for the first time. It is of special interest to Frederictonians to know that the two Fredericton High School choruses under the direction of Professor F. W. Harrison took honors and led the province. The Cecilian singers directed by R. C. Bayley also took the palm in honors for clubs. The fact the Cecilian Singers made the highest mark of any choir in the province.

Mrs. Chas. Fleet, Mrs. Cedric Cooper and Miss Sypher took first class marks in the ladies' trio.

Miss Anne Sypher won first standing in mezzo soprano while Robert Vandine won the baritone contest and Stewart Belmonte stood highest in the trumpet solo class. Miss Dorothy Thomas, Miss Jeanne Nevers and Miss Hazel Dow stood well in the soprano class although they were competing against entrants who had been in previous festivals. Summing it all, Fredericton may be proud of the results of the showing made by the entrants in New Brunswick's first music competitive festival.

ALBANIA REVOLT ORIGIN SAID TO BE COMMUNISTIC

(Special to The Daily Mail)
SOUTHERN ALBANIA, May 17—The revolt was repressed by the government and documents found in the possession of the rebels proved that the revolt was of communistic origin.

Pulpwood Boom Breaks At Mouth of Nackawick

A broken log boom at the mouth of the Nackawick River, 40 miles up the river, resulted in nearly 1,000 cords of pulpwood drifting down river to this point. The floating pieces are being held at the boom at Lincoln. It is understood that A. Pinder is the owner of the pulpwood.

The "break" in the boom occurred late Friday night and before it could be repaired a considerable quantity of wood "broke away." The greater portion of the pulpwood which came down river was caught in the Lincoln boom. It is believed that less than 100 cords passed beyond that point.

VAGRANTS IN COURT
Two young men and a girl were arraigned before Magistrate Limerick in police court this morning, charged with vagrancy and begging. One of the trio was severely reprimanded by the magistrate and was allowed his freedom. He was given a specified time to make his departure from the city. The girl and her second companion were remanded until later in the week.

(Special to The Daily Mail)
DURHAM, May 17—The Durham miners have accepted a new wage agreement and this will be given to them on condition that they do not participate in the general strike which is to begin on May 27.

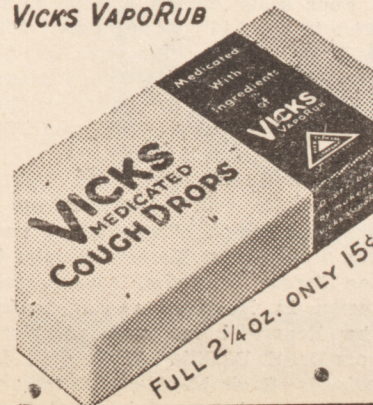
33 PEOPLE ARE KILLED IN BOAT EXPLOSION

(Special to The Daily Mail)
HONG KONG, May 17—Thirty-three people were killed, ten are missing and eight seriously injured when a launch exploded in the harbor. The explosion was so terrific that the launch was blown to smithereens and some of the bodies were hurled as far as one hundred yards and they landed on the tops of the houses.

Westminster Abbey Now Open to Visitors

(Special to The Daily Mail)
LONDON, May 17—Westminster Abbey is now open to the public and on Saturday four thousand people paid ten shillings for the privilege of viewing the Coronation decorations. Today over six thousand paid one shilling. The money is to be used in the same manner as the collections for services which would have been held.

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—Katharine Bellinger.

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SUNDAY SERVICES

Christchurch Cathedral
Regular Sunday worship was observed in Christchurch Cathedral yesterday morning and evening. Large congregations were present and listened with interest to the inspiring messages delivered by the rector, Very Rev. Dean W. H. Moorhead.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church
Large congregations were present at both services in St. Andrew's Presbyterian church yesterday. The pastor, Rev. Dr. George E. Ross delivered the sermons. Sunday school and bible classes in the afternoon were largely attended.

Gibson Memorial United Church
Services in the Devon circuit of United churches were conducted yesterday by Rev. W. A. Burge. In the morning worship was held at Nashwaakiss, while in the afternoon the service was conducted in the church at Kingsley. Evening worship was held at South Devon. "The Kingdom of Truth" was the theme of the three worship periods conducted by the minister, Rev. W. A. Burge.

Brunswick Street Baptist
A sermon dealing with "The Early Church," one of a series on the subject, was delivered by Rev. Gerald W. Gouli, pastor of Brunswick St. Baptist church, at the regular worship held yesterday morning. The pastor also addressed the Brotherhood in the afternoon. "Coronation Corollaries" was the subject of discourse given at evening worship. Large congregations were present at all services.

Wilmot United Church
"The King's Daughter" the subject of an inspiring talk given by Rev. J. W. Bartlett, D.D., was the highlight of the Sunday school anniversary service held in Wilmot United church yesterday morning. During the worship, Miss Mildred Connerty gave a reading for the children from "Nellie McClung." In the afternoon regular Sunday school classes were held. Instead of a sermon at the evening service, Miss Connerty narrated Henry Van Dyke's immortal story, "The Lost Word." Large congregations were present at all services.

George Street Baptist Church
Rev. J. A. Linton, pastor of George Street Baptist church gave inspiring messages to the large congregations present at both morning and evening worship in hat church yesterday. Special music was sung by the choir.

St. Dunstan's Church
Both masses at St. Dunstan's church yesterday morning were attended by large congregations. At the first mass at which Rev. Dr. J. H. Milligan delivered a sermon appropriate to Pentecost, a large number received Holy Communion. Rev. Father Albert McDonald officiated at the second mass at 10.30 o'clock.



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Advent Christian Church
Regular services were carried out
in the Advent Christian church in
North Devon yesterday. The pastor,
Rev. Milton C. Burt, officiated.

Reformed Baptist Church
Rev. P. J. Trafton was the speaker
at the morning service in Reformed
Baptist church yesterday morning. In
the evening the congregation was addressed by Lie. Norman E. Trafton. Large congregations were present at both services.

CANADIANS AND THEIR INDUSTRIES...AND THEIR BANK



THE FOREST INDUSTRIES

The forest area of Canada on which there is timber of merchantable size is larger than the total area of France and Germany combined, the standing timber on this is estimated at 274 billion cubic feet. An area of even greater extent is covered with young growth.

This vast reservoir of wood is the source from which Canada drew wealth in excess of \$110,000,000 in 1934 (the latest figures available) in the form of primary products such as:

- raw material for saw-mills, pulp mills, wood distillation, charcoal plants;
- logs, pulpwood, bolts, etc., for export;
- firewood, railroad ties, posts, poles, fence rails, riving timbers;
- maple sugar, balsam gum, resin, cascaro, tanbark, moss, etc.

The total value of manufactured products made principally from raw materials of forest origin was \$404,435,948. Forest products in 1936 afforded an excess of exports over imports—\$158,560,000—very important to Canada's international trade.

The Bank of Montreal has co-operated with every activity of the forest industries—assisting in every phase of production and marketing. The Bank has had the privilege of financing a large share of the export business of these industries. Thousands of workers are depositors, sharing in the safety and facilities of the Bank with their employing companies.

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