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Weather: Partly cloudy and cool; fair tomorrow

FLAGS AT HALF MAST ON BRITISH SHIPS FOR GERMAN SAILORS

Toronto Objects To Clock Chimes And Late Parties

Squawks and Howls Shatter Peace, So Health Board Plans Action

Woman Alderman Heads Indignation Rally

Police Patrol to Be Demanded at Forthcoming Conference With Commissioners

TORONTO, June 11 — The local Board of Health, meeting under the chairmanship of Alderman Adelaide Plumptre, took steps yesterday to put an end to all unnecessary night noises in Toronto.

It was agreed that an immediate conference should be held with the Board of Police Commissioners, next week if possible, in order to draw up a joint programme of control that would enable Toronto citizens to enjoy their nightly sleep undisturbed by unnecessary nocturnal sounds.

Taxpayers from all over the city have already forwarded numerous complaints to the Board of Health about present unsatisfactory conditions. The chief noises which now disturb their slumbers, they claim, include the barking of dogs, yowling of cats, crowing of roosters, airplanes flying lower than 2,000 feet, street cars running at full speed, night delivery of milk, factory whistles, radios in apartments, clanging of clock chimes, bellowing of newsboys, roller skating on streets, and parties held late at night.

POLICE CALLED TO BREAK UP STRIKE RING

(Special to The Daily Mail) WASHINGTON, June 11—Two hundred policemen were called out yesterday to break up a ring which had been formed around a steel factory. The police had to use tear gas bombs and several were injured before the ring could be broken up.

EXPERTS ESTIMATE SPRING WHEAT CROP 15 P.C. BELOW THE AVERAGE

Wind Damage Central Alberta, Southern Saskatchewan

OTTAWA, June 11—The condition of the spring wheat crop for all Canada was placed by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics today in its crop report at 85 per cent. of the long-time average yield. This was based on observations made on May 31 and was ten points below the estimated conditions a year ago.

The situation in southwestern Alberta continues favorable, and in Northern and Northeastern Saskatchewan crops are holding up well, although rain would be "most welcome", the report proceeded.

Rain Badly Needed Serious and widespread wind damage has occurred in Central Alberta and throughout much of the southern half of Saskatchewan. "Further deterioration of crops can only be averted by the timely arrival of effective rains over the majority of the two Western Provinces," was the comment.

BRITAIN FEARS RIFT IN CHURCH

Stirred by Bishop's Demand for Reform in Divorce Laws

BIRMINGHAM, Eng., June 11—A rift in the Church of England was seen today in the demand by the outspoken bishop of Birmingham for a reform of the divorce laws which caused the church's opposition to the marriage of Edward and Windsor and twice-married Wallis Warfield.

Dr. Ernest William Barnes, bishop of the industrial diocese since 1924, compiled his support of reform in the nation's divorce laws with a suggestion that communion be given by the church to divorced persons.

The bishop's address to the diocesan conference of which he is president brought into the open again the issue which led the Anglican church to refuse to bless the marriage, June 3, of abdicated Edward VIII and the woman for whom he gave up his throne.

The church authorities have not recognized the religious ceremony performed by the Rev. R. Anderson Jardine, "poor man's parson" from Darlington, as conferring its sanction on the union of Edward and his duchess, now on their honeymoon in Austria.

Dr. Barnes has created stir in church circles before by championing such causes as birth control and mercy killings for incurably diseased persons who are living in pain.

Conditions in June "In the interpretation of the condition report," the report explained, "it is important to bear in mind that the figures are based on the returns of correspondents filed at the end of May. Weather conditions since June 1 have affected the crop prospects which were evident at the end of the month. Further showers have fallen in the Maritimes and Eastern Canada but in general field work has advanced rapidly and growth has been ample. "In the Prairie Provinces, Manitoba received an abnormally heavy rainfall over the week-end accompanied by (Continued on Page Four)

Wins British Women's Golf Championship

(Special to The Daily Mail) LONDON, June 11—All Scotland is proud of Miss Jessie Anderson, who today won the British Women's Golf championship. Miss Anderson defeated Miss Doris Parke.

Police Protection

AT the York County Court yesterday His Honor Judge Slipp took the same line that has been taken at different times recently by The Daily Mail in regard to police protection and lack of arrests and prosecution for the numerous violations of the criminal code which have taken place in recent months.

The Judge remarked on the fact that there have been too many crimes of breaking and entering. His Honor referred particularly to three burglaries accompanied by breaking and entering which have occurred on one night recently. His Honor thought that the press had not taken a very strong stand in regard to the matter. As a matter of fact The Daily Mail has on more than one occasion recently taken a stronger stand than even His Honor the learned Judge did yesterday. Everyone will agree with His Honor that it is time that some action should be taken to stop a repetition of these numerous cases of breaking and entering which have taken place in this city in recent months. Judge Slipp pointed out—as this paper has previously pointed out more than once,—that the City of Fredericton needs a larger police force. We will go farther and say, as was pointed out by a well known city clergyman not long ago—that we also need someone, either at the head of the police force or otherwise connected with it who has a training in handling such violations of the criminal code. Men who have had no such training cannot be expected to make a success of this work, any more than a man who does not know his business can succeed in any other line. Our police force may know their business but they do not seem to produce results.

Judge Slipp said: "There has been too much going on here contrary to the criminal code. Too few prosecutions have followed these violations."

"It certainly is a fact that there have been too many crimes of breaking and entering."

The press has not taken a very strong stand in the matter, he said. If the city needs a larger police force it is the duty of the citizens of Fredericton to support it," said the court. His Honor referred particularly to three burglaries accompanied by breaking and entering which occurred in one night a few weeks ago.

KING HOLDS HIS SECOND INVESTITURE

(Special to The Daily Mail) LONDON, June 11—King held a second investiture at Buckingham Palace today. This was not as large as the first investiture of a few weeks ago.

SECRET TREASON TRIALS FOR EIGHT RUSSIANS

(Special to The Daily Mail) SOVIET, June 11—Eight men who were once leaders of the Soviet Russian army are now on trial for their lives, accused of high treason. These men are being tried at secret trials and the court is a secret court. If the death sentence is imposed it will be carried out within 24 hours.

CHEAP RATES ON C. N. R. FOR FIRST OF JULY

MONTREAL, June 11—With the advent of Canada's midsummer public holiday, Dominion Day, which this year will be observed on Thursday, July 1, the railways of Canada will place in effect reduced fares, providing an opportunity for economical travel to the many summer resorts for which Canada is noted or for visiting and sightseeing at points of particular interest, according to C. P. Riddell, chairman, Canadian Passenger Association. These fares will consist of single fare and one quarter for the round trip, good going Wednesday, June 30, and up to 2 p. m. on Thursday, July 1, with return movement good to leave destination up to midnight on Friday, July 2.

N. B. BEE-KEEPERS ASSOCIATION IN ANNUAL SESSION

Delegates Hear Talks On Various Phases of Bee Industry

Delegates from all sections of New Brunswick were in attendance at the annual meeting of the New Brunswick Bee-keepers' Association which opened at the Dominion Experimental Station here this morning. The programme took the form of a field day and was featured by several enlightening discourses on the various phases of the bee industry.

C. F. Bailey, superintendent of the station, extended a hearty welcome, to the delegates when the meeting opened at 10 o'clock this morning. This was followed by a tour of inspection of the poultry, livestock, field crops and pasturage of the farm. M. L. Dumphy, apiarist for the provincial department of agriculture, outlined the assistance which the department will give the bee-keepers during the coming year.

This afternoon J. W. Ricketson, secretary-treasurer and apiarist at the farm, led an inspection of the apiary at the experimental station. This was followed by an address by H. G. Payne, Truro, N. S., provincial apiarist of Nova Scotia, on "Management of Commercial Apiaries." E. E. Burden, this city, led the discussion which followed the talk by Mr. Payne.

Later in the afternoon, the delegates heard an address given by C. B. Godderham, Ottawa, Dominion apiarist. His subject was "Package Bees for Establishing Apiaries and Making Increases." Judge A. R. Slipp led the discussion.

VANCOUVER, June 10—Gordon S. Wismer, K.C., elected in the June 1 elections as member of the British Columbia Legislature for Vancouver Centre, has accepted the portfolio of Attorney General. Premier T. D. Pattullo announced today.

PARLEY BACKS STATUS OF THE LEAGUE

Move to Emaculate the Geneva Covenant Dropped

LONDON, June 11—The Imperial Conference's decision on the League of Nations has been taken. Geneva has escaped this conference under suspended sentence. When the issue was faced it developed, unexpectedly for many of the delegates, that the British Government doesn't desire to strike a deathblow, and it was decided on Britain's initiative to leave the League precisely as it is. There may be informal exchanges between British Government and other League members, however, in which it will be pointed out that the British Empire's opinion is such that it will be deemed better if emphasis is in future placed on conciliation and mediation, rather than coercive sanctions.

While the reasons for the decision by the British Government are not plain, it is pointed out for one thing that textual changes in the Covenant are only possible by unanimous consent of all League members, and such consent is obviously impossible. Still more important is the effect on world opinion of any open attempt on the part of the British government to emasculate the League. It is believed that it would be disastrous to British prestige.

The League's future has undoubtedly been one of the most controversial issues before the Conference. Canada's position in opposition to a sanctionist league was aggressively maintained by Mr. King, and there has been no deviation from his Geneva speech of last September. The Australian championship of League, which was freely heralded at the beginning of the Conference by the Australians themselves, has proved short-lived. They quickly fell in line with the British point of view. New Zealand and South Africa have remained constant to the Covenant, but they won no converts and their advocacy of a sanctionist league has caused keen controversy.

But the League isn't the only body which has caused trouble at the Conference. It is obvious that none of the Dominions are enamoured of the Non-Intervention Committee, regarded as a possible means of dragging the United Kingdom into a European whirlpool.

As between such a committee and the League the Dominions greatly prefer to have Britain acting through the latter, of which they are members, rather than the former in whose activities they play no part. As a generalization it would be true to say (Continued on Page Four)

Ontario Voters Likely Called on In Near Future

Ottawa Observers Thus Interpret Hepburn Party Defection and Coming Changes

Coalition Plan Ready

Present Leader Report in Process of Changing Politics

LADY TWEEDSMUIR APPRECIATIVE OF WELCOME GIVEN

Sends Letter to the District Indian Agent

Her Excellency, The Lady Tweedsmuir, was deeply appreciative of the reception accorded her by the Indians at Kingsclear reserve. The following letter was received by R. Lee MacCutcheon, district Indian agent, from Mrs. Joan Pape, lady-in-waiting:

"The Governor General's Train Fredericton, N. B. June 10, 1937

"Dear Mr. MacCutcheon, I am desired by Her Excellency to ask you to convey to the members of the Malicet Tribe, her great appreciation of the reception they gave her, also the beautiful flowers.

Her Excellency will cherish the gifts they presented to her when she leaves Canada, as a remembrance, while I am pleased to notify Anna Polchies that she very much likes the small basket made by her.

Her Excellency asks me to send to you the enclosed five dollars, and she would be glad if you would buy some sweets, to be given to the children from her. Yours sincerely, (Signed) JOAN PAPE, Lady-in-waiting."

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., June 10—Sale of Newfoundland Coronation stamps has totalled \$325,000 so far, the Post Office Department of the Newfoundland Commission Government announced today. It was expected \$500,000 would be realized before the issue is withdrawn at the end of the year.

OTTAWA, June 11—Federal speculation on the significance of Hon. Mitchell F. Hepburn's deliberate break with Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King covers a wide range. From the belief that the move presages a provincial general election before another six weeks is over, conjecture jumps to the rather bizarre suggestion that the Ontario Premier is in process of changing his politics, and is destined to take his place before long as a power in the Conservative Party.

The first opinion has the wider circle of adherents. That Mr. Hepburn had a definite motive for speaking as he did, when he declared himself "no longer a Mackenzie King Liberal," is inferred from the deliberate circumstances under which he launched the statement. Parliament Hill does not believe however, that Mr. King or the situation between Mr. King and Mr. Hepburn could have been the motive.

For the Federal Prime Minister is in England, engrossed in the major issues of an Imperial Conference, and altogether unlikely to give any attention to the incident.

Political Union Motive? On this account, Federal Liberal circles are satisfied that Mr. Hepburn's motive was a general election which he purposes calling at an early date. They claim to have de- (Continued on Page Four)

THUNDERSTORM CAUSES DAMAGE IN ENGLAND

LONDON, June 11—A terrific thunderstorm in several parts of England last evening caused much damage. Lights failed, trees blown down, and communication was shut off for some time. The weather is much improved today.

BARRING OF SACRAMENT TO SINGLED OUT DIVORCEE IS ASSAILED

BRITISH SHIPS WITH FLAGS HALF MAST

(Special to The Daily Mail)

GIBRALTAR, June 11—A German battleship entered the Port of Gibraltar and picked up the bodies of the German sailors which had recently been killed in the bombing by Government planes. When the battleship entered the harbor all the British battleships stood by in respect to the memory of the dead sailors and with flags half mast.

DROWNS AT CHICOUTIMI

CHICOUTIMI, Que., June 10—Delphis Bergeron, 23, was drowned in the Mers River when he fell from a ferry while crossing. His body was recovered later.

Speaker in Lower House of Canterbury Declares Exclusion is Unfair and Discriminatory.

LONDON, June 11—A remarried divorced person was "singled out" for exclusion from Holy Communion while snobs, scandalmongers and profiteers were allowed to partake, Archbishop P. Hartell told the Lower House of Convocation of Canterbury.

He was supporting a resolution of the Bishop of Barking, Dr. J. T. Inskip, that divorced persons, subject to the discretion of the Bishop and other conditions, should not be repelled from the Sacraments on account of the marriage thus contracted.

"The habitual scandalmonger, the snob who despises his fellowmen and the profiteer may come to Holy Communion, but the person who, in complete sincerity—though I think utterly mistakenly—has done what he believes to be in accordance with the law of Christ, is the one person to be (Continued on Page Four)

JUDGES IN ENGLAND RETIRE FROM BENCH

LONDON, June 10 — Mr. Justice Talbot, 75, who sentenced Rouse to death in the "blazing car" murder trial here in 1931, has retired. His resignation came five days after that of his colleague, Mr. Justice Horridge, 79. They were Britain's two oldest judges.

INSURGENTS START ANOTHER BIG DRIVE TODAY

PARIS, June 11—Insurgent general headquarters on the Basque front have completed plans for a general offensive tomorrow morning if the weather clears, the Argentine observers reported by telephone tonight from St. Jean de Luz, on the border. In the offensive, the observer said, 150 planes and 50,000 troops will be hurled against the Basques.