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Weather: Fair and cool.

ITALY CONCURS WITH JAPANESE IN DISAPPROVAL FAR EAST INTERFERENCE

Plans, Members Of Rowell Commission Are Announced

Aims To Hand In Report On Dominion-Provincial Relations By End Of 1938

FUNCTION PURELY ADVISORY

May Result Change Taxation Powers and British North America Act

OTTAWA, Nov. 3—The staff of the Rowell Commission was announced today. It is headed by Dr. W. A. Mackintosh, of Queen's University as director of Research. Associates include Professor D. C. MacGregor of the University of Toronto; Professor Henry Laureys of L'Ecole des Hautes Etudes Commerciales of Montreal; Professor Frank A. Knox, of Queen's; Professor Paul Label, L'Ecole Supérieure du Commerce, Quebec City, and Dr. S. A. Saunders of Halifax.

Others in taxation and financial and social service groups are Dr. W. H. Wynne, Prof. F. Vezina of the University of Montreal; Carl Goldenburg, former Provincial Auditor of Alberta; Stewart Bates, of Nova Scotia; Dr. A. E. Grauer of Toronto; Professor E. Minville of Montreal, and Professor A. Corry of Saskatchewan.

Leon Vincent Gouin, K.C., Montreal, and Vincent MacDonald, K.C., of Halifax, will undertake constitutional studies.

Working plans for the Royal Commission study of Dominion-provincial relations, which will centre on distribution of responsibilities and taxing powers between the Dominion and the provinces, were announced yesterday.

The chairman released the schedule of public hearings planned in the nine provincial capitals and Ottawa and the personnel of the group of economists retained to advise the commission.

Hon. Mr. Rowell said the commission expected to conclude its hearings by next July 1, if given the co-operation promised. Hearings start in Winnipeg, Nov. 29. The commission aims on having its report in the hands of the government by the end of 1938.

The chairman emphasized the commission's function is purely advisory. What further steps were taken after its report was submitted were government responsibilities.

Its prime purpose was to make an economic and financial study which

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FALSE EDUCATION STANDARDS ARE BLAMED FOR INSECURITY

Need for Creation of Social Consciousness Stressed by Drummond Wren; Study Groups Urged

TORONTO, Nov. 4—Too much teaching of the philosophy of 'Every man for himself,' and not enough of the ideals of social consciousness and social responsibility is the cause of much of our insecurity," Drummond Wren of the Extension Department, University of Toronto, and Secretary of the Canadian Workers' Educational Association told the Women's Section, League of Nations Society, meeting yesterday at the Y.W.C.A.

As ideas are created, conditions arise out of their teaching, affirmed the speaker, pointing out that these ideas are most often those of groups seeking their own interests, and not those of the community. As an illustration he recalled the opposition of the landowners in England, no further back than Samuel Johnson's time, to the teaching of arithmetic to the masses, since it would enable

C. N. R. OFFICIAL IN CHINA, SAW NOTHING OF WAR

MONTREAL, Que., Nov. 4—Except that it is full of refugees, mostly British women and children from Shanghai, there is no evidence of the Sino-Japanese conflict in Hongkong according to Claude I. Barr, general agent for the Canadian National railways in that city, who is home on furlough. Mr. Barr was in Montreal yesterday on his way to New York after which he will go to Chicago and the Pacific coast. He is due to return to his post at the end of January. "We don't expect any trouble there," he said, pointing out that Hongkong is a British colony. "I haven't seen any of the war." He sailed September 20 on the President Coolidge for San Francisco by way of Koda and Yokohama.

Speaking of the affairs of the railway system in the Orient, Mr. Barr said that freight and passenger movements had held up very well. A recent visit to the Philippines had shown him a country booming because of gold production. A great deal of hemp coco oil was shipped from these islands to Canada, he stated. Mr. Barr had been in Hongkong for 11 years.

Rats Cost the United States \$126,000,000 Every Year

MEMPHIS, Nov. 1—Rats were charged today with doing \$126,000,000 damage in the United States yearly by G. C. Oederkirk of the United States Biological Service.

"The cat," he added, "is not a very satisfactory control to the rat situation. He is too well fed to be a good rat exterminator."

Letters From Two Girls

THE DAILY MAIL has within the last week received two communications from girls. Although we are not in the habit of writing to girls we are always glad to have them write to us especially if they have anything of a public nature that they want aired. Some girls write us funny letters, and some girls write us "sassy" letters, and some write us serious letters. The funny letters and the sassy letters often contain some valuable suggestions.

A dear little girl from Devon wrote us a sassy letter the other day. She told us we were fresh and to go and chase ourselves. But what she says about our untidy Campbell Street waterfront between Saint John and Westmosland Streets is certainly all right. It is a receptacle for ashes, tin cans and other debris. So that we cannot say very much about the waterfront of Devon, whilst we have our river-bank in the shape in which it is today. It will be even worse in the vicinity of the highway bridge as soon as the dust and snow from the Arctic Rink are shovelled out into Campbell Street as it has been done in past years. By the way the whole of Campbell Street from Westmorland Street to Regent Street is a mess and is not creditable to the Capital City of the province. The Roads and Streets Committee of the City Council should make an effort to clean this up. This street could be kept clean and in respectable shape without much cost to the city. It is not fair to the property owners of Campbell Street to have that street in the condition of which it exists today.

We have a letter from another little girl who tells us about the girls at the Inside Inn. We do not know where the Inside Inn is and if we advertised it, it might induce some young men to bring their things from the outside inside and put up at the Inside Inn. If they did this they would be near the girls from the Inside Inn and would not have to go from the outside inside, or come from the inside outside to see the girls. The girl from the Inside Inn gave us some hot information regarding the outside and the inside of the Inside Inn, but we feel that this is inside information and is not intended to go outside so we're keeping it inside. On one occasion we took an ocean trip and were unable to keep our insides in but this was inside information and was not intended to get out. So that we will have to refrain from publishing the inside information contained in the letter from the girl from the Inside Inn.

PEACE ACTION WEEK STARTS NEXT MONDAY THROUGHOUT DOMINION

Movement Sponsored By League of Nations Society in the Dominion

REMEMBRANCE DAY WILL FIGURE

Will Demonstrate Canada's Will For Effective Action

OTTAWA, Nov. 4—Twenty-three philanthropic and service organizations in the Dominion will join in staging "Peace Action Week" starting next Monday. This movement is sponsored by the League of Nations Society in Canada.

Part of the week's program will be the Canadian Legion Remembrance Day Ceremony on Parliament Hill in Ottawa on Thursday, November 11. This will be broadcast in the morning over the CBC. In the evening, starting at 10 o'clock, the Canadian Legion Remembrance Day broadcast will be put on the air.

Opening the week's ceremonies will be Viscount Cecil of Chelwood, who will speak on "The Way to Peace" before a mass meeting in Massey

Hall, Toronto, on Monday night. This meeting will be broadcast on a national-wide hook-up.

Prime Minister Mackenzie King will speak on the evening broadcast on Remembrance Day. The week will close with a "Canadian Constitution Broadcast" from coast to coast at 10 o'clock on Sunday, November 14.

"Demonstrate Canada's Will for Effective Action on Behalf of World Law and Justice" is the motto adopted by the group in charge for the week. Those participating are asked, while remembering the Great War dead, to rededicate themselves to the building of world community organization as the only way to peace. "Help to apply now the principles of law and justice to the current situation of international anarchy—Canada can make a contribution; see that she does it," is one plea.

Churches, schools, theatres and others are invited to co-operate in making the week-long program a success.

Can. Issue Oversubscribed In Short Time

OTTAWA, Nov. 4—Finance department and Bank of Canada officials were busy last night analysing and classifying the flood of subscriptions to the new \$100,000,000 government bond issue which was heavily oversubscribed two hours after the books opened.



N. W. ROWELL Head of Dominion Provincial Relations Commission announces staff.

80 More Killed By Insurgent Raids In Yesterday's Shelling

Raid of Terrific Intensity on Government Defense Zaragoza

LOYALISTS WIN WAY BACK

Expected Many More Casualties Will Be Reported

BRIT. ANNOUNCES CO-OPERATION WITH INSURGENTS

(Special to The Daily Mail)

LONDON, Nov. 4—The Prime Minister of Great Britain announced today in the House of Commons that the Government will appoint agents to co-operate with the Spanish Insurgents, insofar as British interests and British properties are concerned. The places which are of particular interest to Great Britain are the North, West and Southern portions of Spain as well as Spanish Morocco. These agents are not to have diplomatic privileges.

Three Men Beheaded For Treason

(Special to The Daily Mail)

BERLIN, Nov. 4—An official statement in the Berlin records states that today three men were beheaded for high treason. One of the men beheaded was supposed to have been in the French Secret Service.

MADRID, Nov. 4—Despatches from Barastro last night reported an estimated 80 persons were killed and an undetermined number injured in an insurgent air raid on the city 100 miles west of Barcelona.

Twelve tri-motored bombers, suddenly attacked Barastro, only 30 miles from Lerida, where 155 were killed in a similar raid yesterday, releasing a complete cargo of bombs. Reports from the city said the raid lasted only a few minutes, but was of terrific intensity.

In the Lerida raid, 50 school children were among the victims. Both Lerida and Barastro are among the northeast Spanish cities included in the government's defence operations along the wide Zaragoza front.

A government communique reported the recapture of positions near Fuentes de Elbro, on Aragon front of northeastern Spain, which had been lost recently because of floods. The communique said only desultory fighting occurred on the various fronts today.

The arrival of a group of Asturian troops on the central front was reported semi-officially. They were said to have accomplished the seemingly impossible feat of penetrating insurgent lines 400 miles in a fortnight to win their way back to government lines after the fall of Gijon (Continued on Page Four)

Italian Delegate is Opposed to Intolerance in Far East Situation

Says Only Mission of Conference is to Establish Direct Contract Between China and Japan

BRUSSELS, Nov. 4—At last evening's meeting of the Nine-Power conference Count Luigi Aldrovandi-Marescotti, the Italian delegate, started the conference by declaring that "the only useful thing we can contemplate is to invite the two parties to establish direct contact between themselves."

"After that we have nothing to do," he told the conference. The proceedings could end only in platitudinous resolutions.

Mr. Eden countered the Italian's pessimistic statement with a declaration that "if we are afraid to face possible failure we should certainly not be deservng of success."

"This assurance I can give to the conference at the first session," the foreign secretary added. "The British government are prepared to offer the fullest collaboration to promote the success of the work of the conference. For our part, we believe the very difficulty of our enterprise should stimulate our energies. We hope that with the least possible delay the conference will resolve itself into a working committee and so get to grips with its task."

SNOOTY SHOE SALESMAN ANNOYS LADY SHOPPERS

Doing Survey For National Shoe Retailers, Customer Is High-Hatted in Toronto Establishment



S. J. HUNGERFORD General Manager of the C.N.R. who with his daughter is arriving today from a trip abroad

TORONTO, Nov. 4—Shoe retailers took it on the chin and even applauded the address of Mrs. Lorna Cotton Thomas, who told them that their Royal York Hotel convention yesterday that she had entered shoe stores throughout Ontario as an 'unknown customer' and had clerks in a high-class establishment 'high hat' her because her tweeds weren't pressed or because she purchased only a tin of shoe polish.

Mrs. Thomas had made her survey for the National Shoe Retailers. Some of the stores she visited and reported on were not owned by members of the association.

She was pleased to find, she said, that in every store except one visited, she had been fitted with the same size shoe. She had not told her size, and had been measured.

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Japanese Envoys To Italy and Germany

(Special to The Daily Mail) TOKYO, Nov. 4—The Japanese government has sent special envoys to Germany and Italy. The purpose given of these appointments is that Japanese military successes in China should not be followed by diplomatic failures.



MISS AGNES MacPHAIL, M.P. who recently left on an extended trip to Texas

HARRY C. FRASER DIED SUDDENLY AT VICTORIA, B. C.

Former Prince William Man Was a Noted Educationalist

Old friends in this city as well as in Prince William and other parts of York County will regret to learn of the sudden death at Victoria, B. C. late Tuesday afternoon of Harry C. Fraser, a noted educationalist and a former Presbyterian Minister who some years ago was pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Prince William.

Mr. Fraser for several years has been Inspector of Schools at Victoria. He was born at Prince William in 1878 and was graduated from the Normal School here in 1896. Ten years later he graduated from Dalhousie University at Halifax and in 1905 he received his M. A. degree from the same institution. The same year he was ordained to the Ministry and after serving time at Grand Falls left in 1911 for British Columbia where he taught school and also engaged in Ministerial work. In 1917 he returned to this province and for two years was pastor of Knox Church at Saint John. Since 1919 he has continued to reside in British Columbia. Mr. Fraser during his Normal School days made many friends in this city where his brother now resides. His death will be learned with sincere regret.

Mr. Fraser was twice married, his first wife being Miss Louise Ross, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ross, Prince William, York County, who died in 1910, a year after her marriage. In 1917, Mr. Fraser married Miss Kathleen Henderson, Chilliwack, B. C., by which marriage there are two children, Dorothy, 19, and John, 14. Besides O. J. Fraser, of the N. B. Telephone Company, Saint John, there are another surviving brother, Ernest E. Fraser, of this city, and a sister, Mrs. A. C. McNally, Queensbury.