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Weather: Partly cloudy. A little warmer Sunday.

BILBAO REPORTED TO HAVE FALLEN TO INSURGENTS AT 4 P. M. TODAY

Hon. F.W. Pirie and Party Not Lost In Northern N. B.

Were Obligated to Remain at Trousers Lake Owing to Cloudy Weather

Returned to Grand Falls Today

Party From Ottawa Here Inspecting National Park Sites in Province

Considerable anxiety was manifest last evening in regard to the disappearance of Hon. F. W. Pirie, Minister of Lands and Mines, and a party including Captain James Smart of Ottawa Comptroller and Inspector of National Parks, Dr. Rose chief of the Geological Survey party in the Nepisiguit water shed and J. C. Folkins Mr. Pirie's pilot. The party turned up safe and sound this morning at Grand Falls.

The party left here on Thursday afternoon for Nepisiguit Lake near the Restigouche County boundary of

telephone and other communication.

When the Pirie party had not returned yesterday and no word had been received from them the department officials and other friends here became anxious. As a precautionary move two parties were sent in yesterday from Serpentine and Carter Lakes to look for the missing aeroplane, and a seaplane was sent out from Saint John to make a quicker survey of the district.

Capt. Smart came to New Brunswick this week, and, with Hon. Mr. Pirie, flew over several districts in the province on a survey of possible national park sites. Pilot J. C. Folkins was at the controls. They picked Dr. Rose up at Nepisiguit Lake on Thursday, on their return to Fredericton where they refueled and left again for Nepisiguit Lake, where they were obliged to land.

The word got to Ottawa and during last night the department with which Capt. Smart is connected sent several anxious telephone calls to this city. Hon. Mr. Pirie's many friends will be pleased to learn that he did not have a forced landing and that he and his party are back safe and sound.

Thursday afternoon Hon. F. W. Pirie, Minister of Lands and Mines, came to Fredericton in his cabin aeroplane and with Captain Smart flew over various sections of the province inspecting proposed sites for the national park with the governmental officials. Sites in Charlotte and Albert counties were looked over from the air as well as Mount Champlain site in Kings and Queens counties. Mount Carleton site in the northern districts of the province was also inspected.

Captain Smart will visit Nova Scotia after he leaves New Brunswick to look over the national park site there on Cape Breton Island.

The Pirie aeroplane arrived here this morning from Grand Falls, bringing Captain Smart with J. C. Folkins at the controls. Capt. Smart will remain over Sunday before proceeding to Nova Scotia.



HON. F. W. PIRIE, M.L.A., Minister of Lands and Mines, who caused his friends some worry but who turned up all right

Northumberland county and in the vicinity of Mount Carleton one of the sites mentioned in connection with the National Park project.

A thunder storm came up late on Thursday afternoon and the party decided that it would be advisable to land which they did in the vicinity of Trousers Lake. Poor flying weather continued up there yesterday and the party were obliged to remain at Trousers Lake, which is remote from

MORE CANADIANS STAY AT HOME FIGURES SHOW

Movements of Population Between Here and the United States Are Traced by Statistician

KINGSTON, June 19—Every sixth Canadian-born person lives in the United States. Of people of Canadian stock every third person lives in the United States. Every 300th person of those born in the United States lives in Canada and every 10th person of United States stock lives in Canada. Of Canada's population of 10,370,000 in 1931, 345,000 came from the United States and this made up 31 per cent. of all Canadian residents who were born outside the British Empire.

Canadian born in the United States in 1850 numbered 148,000 and today, 1,280,000, just three and a half times the number of Americans born in Canada.

In further elaboration of these figures, R. H. Coats, Dominion Statistician, at the conference on Canadian-American affairs now being held

at Queen's University, told his distinguished Canadian and American audiences today that the American immigrants had spread evenly throughout the Dominion. Not one of the 223 Canadian Counties was without its American born and nowhere were the Americans in the majority, but it did not matter as they had proved the most easily adaptable to conditions of Canadian life of any immigrants coming from outside the British Empire.

Tracing back the United States born to their original stock in Europe, it was found that when they came to Canada they were following the course taken by others of the same stock.

In many cases they were children of former Canadians repatriating themselves. In the Province of Quebec (Continued on Page Four)

Operating Sunday Trucks

In the Province of Quebec they are shutting down on the running of trucks on the roads on Sunday. This is as it should be and it would be a good idea for New Brunswick to follow the lead of Quebec in this matter.

There is no law in this province against trucks running on the road on Sunday, provided that they are not used for business purposes. In the latter case it is probable that the Lord's Day Act should provide the legal machinery. In this connection one meets on the road almost every Sunday trucks containing hides and meat, and in some cases trucks containing coal. It is said that there are people who make a practice of going through the country on Sunday buying hides and cattle. If this is so the law should sit down good and hard on these Sunday violators. It would be well for the R.C.M.P., which is doing good work in the rural districts, to make a check-up on these Sunday buyers and sellers, and on other Lord's Day Act violators as well.

Another angle to the trucks being on the road on Sunday is that many of the drivers seem to be road hogs, and have a tendency to take up the whole road. They may only want half the road, but they want their half in the middle and crowd the ordinary car-driver into the gutter. More than one bad accident has happened in recent years by trucks crowding cars off the road.

The example set by Quebec in regard to keeping trucks off the road on Sunday when traffic is more or less congested and in preventing people from using them for commercial purposes is one that might very well be considered by our Provincial authorities.

ACCIDENTAL DEATH FIRST MACADAM BOY ORDAINED TO THE PRIESTHOOD

Investigation Reveals Indian Met Death By Drowning

At the coroner's inquest, held last evening at Gagetown, into the death of Peter Sabatis, whose body was recovered from the waters of the Saint John river last Thursday, the jury brought in the verdict that death resulted from accidental drowning. Dispelling any rumors that there had been foul play, six witnesses testified that no markings or wounds were apparent on the body when found, nor were there other evidences of injury before the drowning.

Mike Sabatis testified that he and the deceased had been together on the evening of the tragedy, but that his brother had left his camp at around 1.30 and had departed for his own camp by canoe. He said that they had not been drinking, and the other witnesses said that Peter, the drowned man, had not been a drinking man. Furthermore it was found that Peter had no amount of money, because the Saturday of the accident had not been a pay day.

Other witnesses told of the hawser stretched above the surface of the water from the wharf to the wood-scow, and from this evidence it is apparent that the accident was due to the Indian striking this cable and being thrown out of the boat.

Corporal L. P. Ryder of the R.C.M.P., who was called to the scene when the body was found, testified that he had had much experience in investigating drownings, and from the posture of the body in the water, he would say that no other agent was responsible for the death than drowning. He said that the body was thoroughly examined before the jury, and no marks of injury were found.

R. Lee MacCutcheon, Indian agent for this district, and the first to advance the 'hawser theory' is satisfied that the happening was purely accidental.

Arthur McF. Limerick conducted the investigation for the crown, and Edgar Palmer, coroner of the district presided.

MOSCOW, June 19—The Soviet fliers who are out on a non-stop flight from Moscow to San Francisco were reported to have flown over the North Pole this morning. The report said the fliers were flying low over the Pole.

HALIFAX, June 19—On the twenty-seventh of June Gordon Kennedy of McAdam, N. B., theological student at Holy Heart Seminary will receive Deaconship. The ceremony will take place at St. Mary's Cathedral.

On the twenty-ninth of June in the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Saint John Mr. Kennedy will be ordained to the Holy Priesthood by His Excellency Bishop Bray. The newly ordained priest will say his first Solemn High Mass at McAdam on July 4th. It is of interest to the people of McAdam to note that the young levite will be the first McAdam boy to be ordained to the Priesthood. He is a member of the Parish of Very Rev. Dean McLaughlin.

NEVER HEARD OF DIONNE QUINTS, CHAS. LINDBERGH

CHICAGO, June 19 — Dr. Robert Redfield, Dean of the Social Sciences Division, University of Chicago reported today he had found a town in an isolated section of Guatemala where the inhabitants had never heard of:

The Dionne quintuplets. Col. Charles Lindbergh's transatlantic flight. The Duke of Windsor-Wallis Warfield romance.

GERMAN WARSHIP AGAIN TORPEDOED

(Special to The Daily Mail)

BERLIN, June 19 — Official announcement has been made that a German warship has been torpedoed off the Algerian coast. This was the second attempt which has been made on the ship. On Tuesday last three torpedoes shot at it but the effort was not effective.

It is claimed that the attacking ship was a Spanish Government submarine. When Hitler heard the news of the second torpedoing of the ship late last night he flew immediately to Berlin.

BILBAO FELL THIS AFTERNOON AT FOUR O'CLOCK

(Special to The Daily Mail) SPAIN, June 19—Bilbao has fallen according to reports at four p. m. this afternoon. No word has been received from the Government but the Insurgent broadcast corroborated the report.

The Insurgent troops in the border towns of the Basque Capital are celebrating the fall of Bilbao but no definite news in regard to the surrender of the city has been obtained.

NAVY STICKING TO OIL AS FUEL

Policy Stands, Lords Are Told Despite Criticism of Peril in War

LONDON, June 19 — The Government indicated today in the House of Lords that it would not change its policy of using oil exclusively as fuel for its warships after critics said Great Britain would be in grave danger in case of war because it has no domestic oil supply.

Earl Stanhope, President of the Board of Education, speaking for the Government, declared the Admiralty and the Government were agreed "it is essential to maintain oil, and not go back to coal, or even to dual-firing, in the ships of His Majesty's fleet." He said reserves of oil were being steadily accumulated.

The Admiralty found, Lord Stanhope said, "that if a 10,000-ton cruiser were converted from oil to coal it would lose three and a half knots in speed. Technical arguments were so strong in favor of oil," he added, "that they outweigh the disadvantage of having to buy fuel from foreign sources."

Amelia Earhart Now at Rangoon

(Special to The Daily Mail) INDIA, June 19—Amelia Earhart has now reached Rangoon, India. The noted woman flier had to make three attempts to fly from Burma to India, having been held up on account of bad weather.

Nascope Arctic Patrol Boat Will Look After Canadian Interests In Arctic

THREE CANADIANS OF PROMINENCE DIED TODAY

(Special to The Daily Mail) HALIFAX, June 19—Three prominent Canadians are dead today. W. W. Butler, President of the Canada Car and Foundry Company; Hector McGinnis of Halifax, Chairman of the Board of Directors of Dalhousie University; and Justice Humphrey Marsh also of Halifax formerly a member Supreme Court of Nova Scotia.

Martial Law is Declared

(Special to The Daily Mail) JOHNSTOWN, June 19—Martial law has been declared in Johnstown. The Governor of Pennsylvania stated today that forty thousand miners had joined the strikers which necessitated the calling in of martial law.

RETURNS TO CITY

Rev. Dr. George E. Ross, minister of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church returned to the city this morning from Upper Canada. He was in attendance at a meeting of the Synod of the Church.

Air Defense For Canada Planned For Near Future

National Defense Department to Train Hundreds of New Pilots For Service

Will Purchase 100 Aeroplanes

Young Men Will Be Given Chance Taking Short Course

OTTAWA, June 19—The view that air forces offer the cheapest and most effective defense of Canada has gained considerable ground among the expert recently, and there is every indication that this phase of Canadian defense will be stressed more in the early future.

The National Defense department has embarked upon a program of training which will utilize all available officers of the R. C. A. F. in training new pilots for the Canadian defense services.

To assist in this work, the department is withdrawing gradually from all subsidiary work, such as forestry aid, fire prevention, topographical survey and other non-defense measures.

Departments of government which in the past have called upon the R. C. A. F. will have to engage commercial craft in future for such services, it is said. The sums voted at the last session of parliament provide for the purchase of about 100 modern aeroplanes, and the increase of several hundred officers and men to the R. C. A. F.

To what extent 100 modern aeroplanes could safeguard a vast country like Canada from attack by a first-rate power is of course the subject of considerable discussion. The Minister of National Defense stated that the idea was to provide two or three units of mobile machines which could protect some of the vital trade arteries of Canada against attack, and would be able to look after isolated raiders such as the "Emden" of the last war.

Military experts contend, of course, that if Canada proposes to protect

herself against possible invasion, she needs a much larger air force than is contemplated in the current votes, and it is quite likely that at the next session the air defense vote will again be stepped up materially.

In addition to the permanent forces, it is hoped to build up a valuable reserve corp of fliers by the encouragement of a sort of "militia of the air," under which young men desirous of taking a short course and qualifying to fly in the event of conflict might be provided with training machines, instructors and other facilities.

Attending Meeting In Moncton Today

Hon. J. B. McNair, E. Allison McKay, secretary treasurer of the N. B. Barristers Society, P. J. Hughes, K.C., Charles E. Barry, J. J. F. Winslow, and other local barristers are in Moncton attending the annual meeting of the society.

C. F. Inches, K.C., Saint John, president of the society, is presiding at the meeting. Approximately 100 barristers are attending, and an appropriate social program is outlined for this evening. The delegates will be guests of the Moncton Branch of the Society at a dinner at Shediac Inn. This will be followed by a dance at the Shediac Bay Yacht Club house.

LORD MAYOR SPEAKS IN PARIS

(Special to The Daily Mail) PARIS, June 19 — Lord Mayor of London wished the Paris Exposition continued success in a speech delivered yesterday at the famous exhibi-

Scientific Investigations and Other Activities Are Planned by Arctic Patrol.

OTTAWA, June 19 — To conduct scientific investigations and look after Canadian interests in the north, the annual Eastern Arctic Patrol will leave Montreal July 10 on the steamship Nascope for the East Arctic. Dominion government activity in the Arctic will be greater this year due to increased public demand for information about the north, particularly with development of flying. A smaller boat will be used to make geodetic surveys on the entire south shore of Baffin Island. Another minor expedition is contemplated.

Three Principal Objects

The patrol has three principal objects, one of which is to maintain Canadian sovereignty of Baffin, Ellesmere, Devon and all other islands of this mighty archipelago by establishing services on them, and to conduct scientific investigations into topography, geology, meteorology and ice conditions of the islands as well as plant and animal life.

Bringing of fresh supplies and relief to members of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police who maintain law and order, and care of Eskimos living on the islands is another object of the patrol.

CORONATION GROVE PLANTED WINDSOR CASTLE

(Special to The Daily Mail) LONDON, June 19—The King and Queen left Windsor Castle today where they have been staying during the carrying on of the races. A Coronation grove of English oaks has been planted at Windsor Castle in memory of the crowning of King George VI and Queen Elizabeth.

BASQUES ARE NOW DEFENDING CITY IN VAIN

(Special to The Daily Mail)

SPAIN, June 19—Terrific street fighting is taking place in Bilbao today. The Basque defenders are holding out stubbornly shooting from house tops, from behind corners, in vain however for the city is invaded by armies in several directions, aided by insurgent airplanes which are wrecking the streets.