



## AUTO RAILER IN RECORD TRIP HAS PROVEN SUCCESS

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SAINT JOHN, Aug. 30—Within two weeks of the eighty fourth anniversary of the turning of the first sod for the European and North American railway the Provinces first railway the city of Saint John today witnessed another event in the transportation history of the province when the latest innovation in land transport, the auto railer made its first appearance in regular service over the Canadian National between Saint John and Moncton with its arrival in the city this morning from the hub city. The auto railer travelled over the same roadbed as that of the original European and North American railway from Moncton to Saint John and on the way much the same interest was shown by groups of people along the route and at the various stations in this new arrival in the transportation world as was probably shown when the first train passed over the rails. The auto railer left Moncton this morning at seven o'clock standard time, with passengers and railway officials a distance of approximately 90 miles and arrived in Saint John at 9.35 a.m., her scheduled arriving time. On arrival in the city it was greeted by His Worship Mayor D. L. MacLaren, John B. Sayer, vice-president, Fred Barbour, member of the transportation committee, and F. MacLure Sclanders, F. R. G. S., Secretary of the Board of Trade, Hazen K. McLean, Supt. New Brunswick Power Company, J. M. Thompson, Terminal Supt. Canadian National Railways, following the inspection of the auto

## CHINESE GOVT. ASKED TO MAKE REPRISALS

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SHANGHAI, Aug. 31—Shanghai has asked the Chinese Government to make reprisals. A large number of refugees were wounded and killed at Woosung while a party of two hundred refugees were awaiting transportation at a bus station. Shanghai has asked the central Chinese Government to make reprisals in regard to the bombing of wounded soldiers and refugees.

railer by His Worship the Mayor, and others of the official welcoming party it left the rails and proceeded with the Mayor and members of the party along Mill Street, to King along Charlotte to Duke thence down Duke to Prince William to the City Hall. Considerable interest was displayed in this latest innovation in railway transportation and upon its arrival at the City Hall railway officials signed the distinguished visitors register as a record of the event. The auto railer is designed to operate on both rails and highways. When operated over the rails a pair of flanged wheels is let down in front of the regulation rubber tired automobile wheels at the front end. At the rear are two pairs of rubber tired wheels and between them is a pair of flanged wheels which is also let down on to the rails when operating the machine along the railway. When thus operating the steering mechanism is locked in position. For highway operation the flanged wheels are raised from the rails and the auto railer travels along the high way similar to the regulation bus the driver making use of the steering mechanism. The auto railer is powered by a six cylinder gasoline engine and has capacity for twenty-three passengers. In addition to the regulation automobile horn a bell is added to the signaling facilities to comply with regulations of the Board of Railway Commissioners for railway operation. The running time between Saint John and Moncton is two hours and thirty-five minutes under the present schedule. The schedule calls for arrival in Saint John 9.35 a. m. Standard Time, leaving Moncton at 7.00 a.m. Departure time from Saint John is 8 p. m., Standard Time, with arrival in Moncton at 10.35 p. m. This service is operated daily, except Sunday. Passengers on this first trip from Moncton to Saint John commented upon the easy riding qualities of the auto railer and the comfort experienced throughout the trip.



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## CHINESE GOVT. MAY SEIZE THE INTER'L SETT.

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NANKING, Aug. 31—There is a report that the Chinese government is considering the seizing of the international settlement. The Chinese claim that her military operations are all of them for no other object than self-defence against the Japanese invasion.

## Short Wave System Between England and Ireland

LONDON, Aug. 31—Between England and northern Ireland there are nine direct telephone lines where private conversations can be carried on. A new short wave system has recently been introduced between the two countries the only one in the world today.

## MISS CHISHOLM PROSECUTOR IN MASS. SHOOTING

WALTHAM, Aug. 31—Miss Jeannette C. Chisholm is the prosecuting lawyer in the alleged murder case against Edward P. Simpson on trial for the murder of a Newton, Mass. police officer.

Coming to Boston from Antigonish, N. S., as a young girl—she was the second youngest daughter in a family of eight—Miss Chisholm worked in a five-and-ten cent store for a while. Later she got a job as a restaurant cashier and went to law school nights. When she was appointed by District Attorney Bishop in December, 1936, as his assistant, it was believed she would prosecute only cases in which women or children were involved. Yet, the cases in which she has prosecuted men far outnumber those in which women were defendants. She has appeared as prosecutor in several cases in which the charge was assault with a dangerous weapon with intent to kill.

Saturday, however, was the first time she had appeared in a murder case and for that matter the first time in Massachusetts that a woman appeared as prosecutor in such an important criminal case.

Her ambition is to be a judge.

## GOOD CROPS IN MANITOBA

160,000,000 Bushels Is Estimated Wheat Yield Of the Three Prairie Provinces.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 31—Western Canada's harvesting is 33 per cent completed, with wheat production for the three prairie provinces placed at 160,000,000 bushels, according to the Sanford Evans statistical report today.

Preliminary estimate for Manitoba wheat production was set at 52,250,000 bushels, more than 17,500,000 bushels above the last 10-year average for the Province. Estimates for Saskatchewan and Alberta were 40,250,000 and 76,500,000 bushels respectively.

Wheat cutting in the three Provinces was reported 75 per cent completed. More than 75 per cent of the eventual production is expected to grade No. 3 Northern or better, the report stated.

The crop, however, will be approximately 47 per cent. of the 10-year average wheat production in Western Canada, which is 340,515,000 bushels.

## Bank Debits To Individual Accounts In July

Cheques cashed by branch banks during the first seven months of the present year recorded a gain of nearly 4 p.c. over the same period of 1936. The Prairie Provinces alone of the five economic areas failed to record a gain. The greatest percentage gain was shown in the Maritime provinces where marked increases were recorded. The gain in Montreal was nearly 11 p.c. and larger percentage increases were reported in Quebec and Sherbrooke, the net result for the province being an advance of 12 p.c. over the first seven months of 1936. Twelve of the thirteen centres in Ontario recorded gains. The increase in Toronto was 11.4 p.c., the total having been \$7,542,000,000. The total for Ontario rose 9½ p.c.

Owing mainly to the decline in Winnipeg, the cumulative total for the Prairie Provinces was below that of last year. The gains in Moose Jaw, Calgary and Saskatoon were 15.3 p.c., 10.5 p.c., and 10.3 p.c. respectively, but the decline in Winnipeg and two other cities had a greater influence upon the result for the three provinces. The gain in British Columbia was 4.4 p.c., gains being shown in each of the three clearing centres. The Dominion total in the first seven months of 1937 was \$20,907 million, a gain of 766 million dollars.

Bank debits after seasonal adjustment were practically maintained in July from the level of the preceding month, the total having been \$2,721,000,000. According to seasonal tendencies determined by examination of statistics over a period of ten years, bank debits in July are normal at a considerably lower level than in June.

There was a decline of 6 p.c. from the same month of last year. Gains were recorded in the Maritime provinces and Quebec, while the other economic areas showed declines.

## SOVIETS SHOOT PAIR FOR TELLING GHOST STORIES

MOSCOW, Aug. 30—A school teacher and a Mohammedan Mullah today were reported shot in Darzhansky Kirghizia after a court convicted them of frightening children with tales of demons. The newspaper Soviet Kirghizia asserted the teacher, with the complicity of the Mullah, invited children to her home, where she terrified them with stories of devils and ghosts.

## Digging Foundations, Workmen Strike Coal Seam

PICTOU, N. S., Aug. 30—Workmen on Pictou's new community Hotel, Braeside, struck a seam of coal as they excavated for the foundation of the building here today.

Size of the seam and the quantity of coal it contained were not immediately determined.

## VISITORS FROM MANY COUNTRIES AT GOLF TOURNEY

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BANFF, Alta., Aug. 30—A round of parties throughout the past week known Dominion-wide as Banff's Annual Golf Week, stepped social life in this Rockies resort to a new high. The tourney held from Aug. 23 to 28 saw visitors from the United States, Australia, England and Canada, battling for the coveted Edward, Prince of Wales Trophy and the huge Wingham Cup.

## REPORT TWO BRIT. MERCHANT SHIPS HELD UP IN EAST

(Special to The Daily Mail)

SHANGHAI, Aug. 30—Two British merchant ships were reported to have been stopped and searched by boarding parties of Japanese sailors. The ships were allowed to proceed after examination. The Japanese now claim to have established an effective blockade along an 800 mile section of the Chinese Coast.

## THATCHER WHEAT DEFIES DROUGHT AS WELL AS RUST

REGINA, Sask., Aug. 30—Thatcher wheat, a rust-resistant variety, is also drought resistant according to H. H. Wilson, of Indian Head, who harvested 8,000 bushels of that type of wheat this year. Although farmers around him had slim crops, Mr. Wilson got nineteen bushels an acre. His Thatcher wheat averaged 64 lbs. to the bushel, No. 1 grade.

## British Bishop Thinks New Divorce Laws An Improvement

HALIFAX, Aug. 30—From a secular point of view, England's new divorce laws were "undoubtedly an improvement," said Right Rev. A. W. F. Blunt, Bishop of Bradford, as he arrived here tonight to attend the Fourteenth General Synod of the Church of England in Canada.

Drawing a distinction between the secular and the religious point of view, Dr. Blunt said that, from the former standpoint, the old divorce laws were "ridiculous and scandalous, encouraging every vice. The new laws, to some extent improve the situation from the secular mind." England recently passed legislation liberalizing the laws of the country which previously permitted divorce only on the ground of adultery.

## AMERICAN GYPPED WHEN KING MISSING

TORONTO, Aug. 30—The eyebrows of the girl at the information desk at Casa Loma arched in surprise yesterday when one of the thousands of visitors, without batting an eyelash, asked: "Is this where the King of England lives?"

The information clerk answered: "Well, no, madam, the King lives in England, in Buckingham Palace."

The visitor insisted she had read in American newspapers that the King of England lives at Casa Loma.

"Maybe you are thinking of the Duke of Windsor, madam," the clerk suggested. "And he didn't live here, he was just a guest of Sir Henry Pellatt."

The tourist stalked out. She said she had been "gyped." Here she'd been going around telling everybody she was going to visit the King of England at Casa Loma and there wasn't a King in the castle at all.

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