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Weather: Mostly fair and warm.

ARMY WORM IS SPREADING THROUGH- OUT PROVINCE ENTERING HOMES

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Should Address Themselves to Gov't United Kingdom

Ex-Imperial Men Told by Pensions Minister of Canada's Position In Regard to Ex-Service Men

UP TO BRITISH PENSIONS

Agitators Up To 1924 Were Resident of Great Britain

As a result of the ruling of Hon. C. G. Power, minister of the pensions, who has decided against including a certain category of British Imperialist soldiers in the list of pensioners under the Canadian government pension scheme.

DEMAND FOR BACON GREATER THAN THE SUPPLY IN ENGLAND

LONDON, Aug. 5.—The demand for bacon has been greater than the supply and is causing serious discussion in England.

"It is understood the government will show additional quantities to be brought in almost at once, but these quantities may be adjusted in the next quota period which begins Aug. 28. In effect this means that the additional supplies will be deducted from the later quotas should there be any easing of the situation."

Last year he had made personal representations to the British pensions minister, Mr. Power said. So far, however, Imperial authorities had not seen fit to give effect to them.

"In connection with the meeting of a new ex-Imperial soldiers organization held at Brantford," Mr. Power's statement said, "and with a certain resolution passed at this gathering calling for a boycott of the minister of pensions because the minister during a debate in the House of Commons on April 7 spoke as follows:

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U. S. GIRL PICKED AS 'IDEAL SECRETARY' ONCE TAUGHT SCHOOL IN SASKATCHEW'N

Former School Teacher Of Western Canada Says She Expects To Marry Some Day But Will Not Give Up Job.

DETROIT, August 5.—Nora Goldthorpe, thirtyish brunette from Spokane, Wash., became the personification of the American business woman last night, when she was named as the ideal secretary at a convention of Alpha Iota, National Business Girls' Sorority.

Attributes of the Ideal Secretary: 1. "I am crazy about my work." 2. She taught school for six years in Saskatchewan before getting a job as secretary for the Adams Leather Company of Spokane. Business is easier than school teaching, she said, "at least on the nerves."

4. She knits and sews occasionally, is a good cook, takes her exercise playing badminton or riding horseback. 5. She seldom smokes because she does not like cigarettes and drinks cocktails only moderately. 6. She is skittish about her age. 7. She expects to marry "sometime" and will quit her job when she does.

RUSSIA REFUSES BELLIGERENT RIGHTS TO REBELS

LONDON, Aug. 5.—The meeting of the Non-Intervention Committee set for Friday, has been indefinitely postponed due to Russia's refusal to consider granting belligerent rights to the Spanish Rebels before the evacuation of all volunteers from Spain.

Our City Council

CITIZENS of Fredericton should appreciate the splendid work that the Finance Committee of the City Council have been doing during the past year. As Mayor Kitchen stated at the City Hall on Tuesday night the Chairman of the Finance Committee Alderman Forbes and other members of the committee have gone about their work in a straightforward manly way and have performed their duties in an efficient and gentlemanly manner.

It is doubtful whether the city has ever had a more efficient council than the gentlemen who sit around the present council board. They have had several important problems to deal with during the last year and they have handled these problems in a manner which has reflected credit upon themselves and which has been of advantage to the citizens. Almost the entire council is composed of bright business men who are making a success of their own business and who have the interests of the city at heart one hundred per cent.

It is a healthy sign when busy citizens in different walks of life are willing to give of their time to further the interests of the city and to do this without any remuneration whatever. Many times citizens are prone to criticize unduly the actions of the members of the city council and to condemn them for something which they have failed to do. But these same citizens hesitate to step forward and do anything themselves for the benefit of the community. The work of the Aldermen does not consist only of attending the monthly council meetings but it consists also of attending many important meetings of the different council committees during the year. Sometimes there are several of these committee meetings in a week. In addition to that there are a hundred and one things which the Aldermen have to bother about. They are at the beck and call of citizens in connection with matters about which they should many times not be bothered.

Fredericton has always been fortunate in the men who in one walk of life and another have given of their time freely and without reward at the Council board. It is safe to repeat that taken as a whole we have never had a better or more efficient city council than we have at the present time.

SO MUCH SUCCESS WILD DUCK BROOD EMBARRASSING OPPORTUNITY TO VISIT TORONTO EXHIBITION

MOUNDSVILLE, W. Va., Aug. 5.—Duck experts puzzled today over ways and means of breaking up a family of 2,200 mallard ducks without violating the law. They praised Warden McClintic of the State Penitentiary for his success as a breeder of the wild ducks on the prison farm. But the Warden asked them not for praise, but how to get rid of the ducks, that have increased in three years from eight little grey eggs.

"Soon there won't be room for anything but ducks," said McClintic.

(Special to The Daily Mail) MONCTON, N. B., Aug. 4.—An excellent opportunity to visit Toronto and at the same time see the Toronto Exhibition, the world's largest annual exposition is being afforded by the 12-day excursion to be operated by the Canadian National Railways from stations in the Maritime Provinces, going Tuesday, August 24 and returning any time up to midnight Sunday, September 5, according to R. J. S. Weatherston, general freight and passenger agent of the Canadian National Railways here.

Two classes of fares are in effect for this excursion, one good in coach only and the other a standard class fare which carries with it sleeping and parlor car privileges, berth and parlor car accommodation extra. This excursion has been operated each season for the past few years and is growing in popularity with summer vacationists. Mr. Weatherston said optional return routing via Ottawa and other routings are available and intending excursionists are already making sleeper car reservations. It is recommended that these reservations be obtained early. Full information in connection with the excursion can be had from any agent of the railway.

(Special to The Daily Mail) EDMONTON, Aug. 5.—Politicians, bankers and lawyers are in conference today over the bill which was brought about yesterday by the Aberhart government. The bill provides for government control of banks. This constitutes the first step towards the establishment of social credit system in Alberta. By the British North America Act, every province in Canada has control of banks but no Canadian province has ever done so. Another bill brought out by Aberhart provides that law courts in Alberta will not be opened to any banker who does not agree to the bill.

NO ANNOUNCEMENT RE APPOINTMENT FAIR WAGE BOARD

Expect Word Within a Few Days—Cabinet Session Over

No announcement regarding the proposed Fair Wage Board for the province was made at the conclusion of the meeting of the provincial cabinet early last evening. It was expected that the personnel of the board would be made known this week, but Premier A. A. Dyrasart stated last evening that such an announcement will not be made for a few days.

Reliably informed sources mentioned the names of two prominent labor leaders in Moncton and Saint John as likely appointees. However, this report could neither be confirmed nor denied. John McKinnon, Saint John, was one of the names mentioned in connection with the proposed appointments.

The formation of a Fair Wage Board has been the subject of much conjecture for the past few months. It is understood that the two major labor groups in the province—the National Labor Council, and the New Brunswick Federation of Labor—have been pressing for representation on the Board. Although no official information has been learned, it is generally believed that each group will be represented.

The adjournment of the cabinet meeting last evening marked the conclusion of a two-day sitting. Hon. A. C. Taylor, minister of agriculture, who is making a tour of the farming areas in the province was absent from the meeting. Other members of the cabinet were present. The government will not likely meet again until August 23. Several members of the cabinet will be absent from the province at that time attending the annual meeting of the Canadian Bar Association at Toronto.

SOVIETS SAY WORLD DRIFTING TO GREAT WAR

MOSCOW, Aug. 5.—Soviet editorial writers agreed yesterday the prospect of a new world war looms more ominously than at any time since the last one. In the Soviet Union it was 'Anti-War Day,' anniversary of the outbreak of war between Russia and Germany in 1914, and the Government-controlled writers almost unanimously turned to the Spanish and Far Eastern conflicts for evidence that a new holocaust is in the making.

Rusiagornish Woman Passes In Hospital

The death occurred at an early hour this morning in the Victoria Public Hospital, of Mildred Louise Noble wife of John G. Noble of Rusagonis. The deceased had resided in Rusagonis for 23 years, and was well known and highly respected member of the community. She possessed a vast circle of friends, by whom she will be sadly missed. Born in Somerville, Mass., 47 years ago, she had been in good health until a short time ago, and her passing came very unexpectedly. She is survived by her husband, three daughters, Marion, Edna and Phyllis, and one son, Gilmore, all of whom reside at home. Also surviving are three brothers, Frank and Alphonse Taylor of Somerville, Mass., and Albion of Marshall, and one sister, Mrs. Josephine Shapleigh of Waterbury, Conn. The funeral will take place Saturday afternoon, with service at the Rusagonis Baptist church, following prayers at the home at 2.00. Rev. Mr. Rieker will conduct the service. Interment will be made at the Rusagonis Baptist cemetery.

Vatican Support To Franco Ends Dip. Confusion

Holy See To Omit Loyalist Envoy's Name From the List

SUBJECT CAUSE OF MUCH COMMENT

Quietly Severs Relations With the Madrid Government

EXTORTION PLOT ON HUSBAND OF AVIATRIX

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5.—J. Edgar Hoover disclosed today United States federal bureau of investigation agents had arrested Wilbur Rothar of New York in connection with an attempt to extort \$2,000 from George Palmer Putnam for the safe return of his missing aviatrix wife, Amelia Earhart, lost in the Pacific Ocean. Hoover, director of the bureau, said Putnam received a letter last Sunday advising him his wife was on a ship and the writer would make contact with him the following day.

The man who subsequently talked with Putnam said he was a seaman on a ship out of New Guinea engaged in smuggling narcotics. While at sea, the man told Putnam the ship sighted a wrecked plane and took off an injured woman who members of the crew later identified as Miss Earhart. The man demanded \$2,000 for her safe return. Hoover said Rothar admitted the story was false.

Mike Jacobs Wins Long Bout With N.Y. Gardens

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—Madison Sq. Gardens, the management of which under the control of Tex Rickard in the days of million dollar gates spoke with the power of a czar, has fallen on evil days. Mike Jacobs has won his long bout. The Gardens are now under his control until 1939. So are Louis, Farr, Barney Ross and many other less famous fighters. So are the Polo Grounds and pretty nearly everything in the fight game except a certain Herr Schmeling, whom Jacobs has sworn to exile to the Black Forest and the wastelands of pegged marks.

FUR EXPECTED TO FLY IN ALBERTA POLITICS

Province Looks Forward To Interesting Developments As Legislature's Third Session This Year Opens.

EDMONTON, Aug. 5.—Alberta looks forward to two interesting political developments—at least two—in the immediate future. One is the session which opened this week, the third this year. The Social Credit Board, headed by sincere Glen L. MacLachlan, former insurgent who is openly accused of 'selling his political soul for an eight dollar per day job,' advertised last week for a first-class press agent. Premier Aberhart was heard to remark in Calgary on Monday last week, when cornered on recent developments here, "Well, the insurgents asked for it; they've got it." ('It' apparently meaning giving Douglas a chance to prove he wasn't bluffing).

VATICAN CITY, Aug. 5.—The Roman Catholic Church is reported to be giving full support and influence to Generalissimo Francisco Franco and his Spanish insurgents, definitely ended a year of diplomatic confusion and equivocation today by quietly severing its relations with Madrid and publicly recognizing the Nationalist Government of Spain.

The Vatican action was not unexpected, because for many months the Church has maintained only nominal formal relations with the Madrid Government and has privately supported the nationalist cause. Until next week, the Vatican did not officially recognize Franco's diplomatic representative, Pablo Churruga, with whom, however, it maintained a close and cordial, if unofficial relationship.

Embassy Bars Envoy The Vatican officially recognized Luis de Zulueta as being Ambassador from Madrid, but as his Nationalist subordinates have barred him even from entering the embassy, he has been carried in the Vatican's diplomatic list as "an absent ambassador." The new list, to be issued shortly will omit Zulueta's name and carry Churruga as official charge d'affaires. The semi-official Vatican City news agency conducted by Msgr. Enrico Pucel refrained conspicuously from exaggerating the change in relations with the Nationalists.

"Regarding the news from Salamanca concerning diplomatic relations between the Holy See and the Franco Government," the agency said, "the Vatican has no official communication to make about official recognition of the charge d'affaires of the Spanish Nationalist Government."

"It is affirmed that nothing has changed regarding the Cardinal-Archbishop of Toledo, who for some time has been entrusted with maintaining relations between the Holy See and General Franco."

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KOREAN TYPHOON KILLS 130 AND 18 WERE INJURED

(Special to The Daily Mail) KOREA, Aug. 5.—One hundred and thirty persons were killed and 18 others injured in a typhoon of great violence which swept the Korean coasts and the China Seas. It is feared that a further check-up will add to the toll of dead, injured and missing.