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## FOURTEEN R. C. M. P. RUSHED TO WEST

### Strikers And Communists Are Trying To Rule Canada

#### Outbreaks at Saskatche- wan, Manitoba and Ont- ario—New Brunswick Mounted Police Quietly Rushed To Western Canada.

A squad of fourteen Mounted Police from different sections of New Brunswick have been rushed to Western Canada in connection with strikers riots breaking out at different points from Ontario westward. Trouble is either now brewing or has broken out in Valcartier, in Ontario, Winnipeg, Regina and farther west.

Ottawa has taken the matter up and spent yesterday all day discussing the situation.

Premier Bennett rightly said that the Government will never yield to subversive attempts by the Communists to overthrow constituted authority in Canada.

These troubles should be nipped in the bud even if it becomes necessary to call out armed troops at once.

The condition is getting serious. Dispatches coming over the wire from various points give the news:—

#### OTTAWA SAYS

OTTAWA, July 3—Strike troubles seem to be spreading to different provinces throughout. Word comes from Regina that the Saskatchewan government late last night provided an estimated 1500 relief camp strikers with their first meal in 24 hours and kept pressing arrangements to send the first of the strikers on their way home some time today.

Broken glass and damaged store fronts still bore evidence of the violent rioting that cost the life of Detective Charles Millar, injury to about 100 others, property damage estimated up to \$25,000 and placed approximately 100 men in custody of police on various charges.

Although the city generally was quiet, Royal Canadian Mounted Police with rifles patrolled the exhibition grounds where the strikers were quartered. No one was permitted to pass the police lines and as far as could be learned few of the strikers were permitted to leave.

Premier J. G. Gardiner of Saskatchewan provided strikers with their first meal since Monday afternoon after conferring with a delegation of strikers and police officials. The strikers, it was stated, were willing to be dispersed by the Saskatchewan government, but they did not want to go to the Lumsden camp.

It was not expected the men would insist on going to their homes with their organization intact although the point had not been definitely settled.

Established as a clearing house when the on-to-Ottawa trek of the relief camp strikers was halted here, Lumsden camp was subject to extensive negotiations. The strikers, while ready to go to their homes in British Columbia, Alberta and Saskat-

chewan wanted to be demobilized from Regina.

In a telegram to Prime Minister R. B. Bennett at Ottawa, Premier Gardiner said the Saskatchewan government was ready to take charge of demobilization of the men. Prime Minister Bennett asked for more details of the Saskatchewan government's plan and negotiations between the two governments was still incomplete last night.

#### Wants Single Control

Hon. T. C. Davis, Saskatchewan attorney-general, sent a telegram to Hon. Hugh Guthrie minister of justice. (Continued on Page Four)

### U. N. B. Text Books

A correspondent who has a daughter attending U. N. B., and another one going to college in the fall, asks how it is that the text books are changed each year. This prevents the older student from passing the books along to the younger ones. It also prevents students who are working their way through college from selling their text books when passing into the higher classes. The present system may be a profitable one for the publishers and for others. It is not, however in the public interest. If a text book is good one year it should in most cases be good for the following year. Nowadays when there is so much of a public demand for free school books there should also be a demand for a continuation of the same text books at the University from year to year—unless it is in exceptional cases.

Any professor at a college should be familiar enough with his work to select suitable text books and to follow them without changing. If he requires personal reference books on the subject which he teaches he should buy them at his own expense. Or see that they are placed in the University library. They would then be available for the faculty and students alike.

There has been considerable adverse criticism of the present system of changing text books at the University of New Brunswick. In fact, the writer knows of more than one student lost to U. N. B. for this reason.

There may be an excuse at times for certain changes in English literature and kindred subjects. As regards physics, mathematics and chemistry, if there is any reasonable excuse for making the student purchase expensive volumes in these subjects from year to year no one has yet heard what this reason is. The only reason given out is that some professor or other would like to try the book. This seems to be hardly a strong enough reason for putting the people who have boys and girls to educate, to all this extra expense. College professors are a good class of citizens and we have several very fine men on our University faculty. They are men of whom any college might well be proud. But they will admit that oftentimes college professors are far from practical so far as business affairs are concerned. The correspondent referred to above suggests that "someone is getting a rake-off on this annual changing of college text books." No one will for a moment accuse the professors at U. N. B. of taking any "rake-off" in regard to the purchase of new text books from publishers or from others. It would be well, however, for the president or the senate of U. N. B. to take some interest in this subject, which has been a live one amongst many parents during recent years. Perhaps an advisory text and purchasing committee might be appointed by the president or the senate to take this matter up before the new term opens.

IT IS MORE IMPORTANT TO THE PUBLIC IN THESE TIMES OF STRESS THAN SEEMS ON THE FACE OF IT. COLLEGE STUDENTS AND PARENTS ARE GETTING FED UP ON IT.

We have covered the ground taken by the lady who writes without perhaps being as bitter as she in some of our remarks. She is "red hot" about it.

### J. A. THOMPSON NAMED NEW POOR COMMISSIONER

The city council last night chose J. Arthur Thompson as poor commissioner for the city of Fredericton, to succeed the late T. A. Niles, who died recently. The motion favoring Mr. Thompson over several other applicants was made by Ald. David McCaughey and seconded by Ald. F. S. Mundle. There were several applicants for the position but it was felt that Mr. Thompson because of his previous service on the aldermanic board, should be given first consideration.

When the matter of the selection of a successor to the late Mr. Niles was brought up, several aldermen and His Worship Mayor Clark pointed out that it was expedient to do something right away about the matter as the office had been empty for several months. The salary attaching to the position is \$300 per year, or \$25 per month. A question arose as to whether Mr. Thompson could fill the role of poor commissioner and also that of assistant assessor, which latter post he already held but the council decided that there would be no interference of his duties in either position.

### IS OPPOSED TO THE DAIRY BONUSING PLAN

Liberal Member Says Canadians Taxed to aid Englishmen To Eat Cheese.

OTTAWA, Ont., July 3—Protests against the \$1,000,000 bonusing fund for the Canadian dairy industry to be used to equalize prices were made in the House of Commons by Wm. Fraser (Liberal, Northumberland). He said the net result would be that Canadians would be taxed to assist Englishmen to eat cheese from this country while the dairy industry would be gaining nothing in return.

Minister of Agriculture Robert Weir defended the vote which did not pass through the House today. He said butter prices in Canada have been held above the world market with the result more and more farmers diverted milk from cheese factories to creameries. It was feared so many farmers would switch production that butter prices would tumble to the world level.

The fund, the minister said, would be used to equalize dairy prices, to assist Canadian farmers to continue cheese production and not switch to butter.

The fund would create an impossible situation, Mr. Weir said. It would be only a beginning of a system where everyone in Canada would be taxed to bonus cheese producers and assist foreign buyers.

### PREMIER TILLEY ENJOYS LEISURE

MONTREAL, P. Q., July 3—"We did the best we could. We could do no more than that for New Brunswick", stated Hon. L. P. D. Tilley, defeated premier of New Brunswick, here yesterday when questioned regarding the Conservative party's defeat in the provincial elections there last week.

"Nothing that we could have prevented", Mr. Tilley said. "I have no apologies to make—I have no regrets for our course of action."

"It's all over now and I feel that I can breathe freely once more", the Conservative premier continued. "At this time on a week day morning I'd have 25 men waiting to see me in my office. I'd take them, one by one, and more would be coming all the time. Right now I don't have to see anyone. I'm having my first holiday in years."

Mr. Tilley left Saint John, N. B., several days ago "to get away from the aftermath of the election". Smiling he said, "and I'm still enjoying my new leisure. I don't envy the members of the new government just now". He returned to Saint John last night.

#### RELIEF TO CONTINUE

The city council last night decided to continue direct relief for July in this city, motion being made by Ald. Forbes, chairman of the Municipal Home committee and seconded by Ald. Warren Maxwell. Ald. Forbes reported on relief for June which showed total cost to the city to be \$788.12, while in the corresponding month last year the cost was \$653.87.

A grand picnic is scheduled for the St. Anthony's church grounds in North Devon on Thursday afternoon and evening. There will be band music, fireworks, games and amusements. Loisele's Merry-go-Round, in fact everything that goes to make a great picnic and a great time. Supper will be served from five to eight o'clock. Free admission to the grounds. Everybody welcome.—ad.

### Senators And Judges Discussed By Ottawa Writer

#### ALBERTA ELECTION DATE IS UNDECIDED

Will Not Be Held, However, Before August 6, Is Indication

EDMONTON, Alberta, July 3—Indications there will be no Alberta election before August 6 was given as the caucus of United Farmers of Alberta members of the Legislature here ended yesterday.

Premier R. G. Reid declined to give any information and beyond saying that announcement as to voting date probably would not be made before the end of this week. Thirty days' notice of an election are required.

#### TOO EFFICIENT

While reading the auditor's report for the month of June at last night's city council meeting, His Worship Mayor Clark took occasion to remark: "I do not remember reading the auditors' report by daylight before." He attributed this to the Daylight Saving Time. Semblances of daylight had not yet faded from the council chamber. One of the aldermen suggested that the month's business might be completed before dark, and thus set up something of a record. The aldermen hustled into the remainder of their business with this end in view. But whatever chance there was of establishing a record was shattered when one of the clerks mistook the aldermen's words, and snapped on the lights. The aldermen continued their work in the half gloom and said nothing.

#### WISH ARC LAMPS

A petition for two arc lamps for the Albert street, Beaverbrook street and vicinity, was presented to the city council last night for consideration. Complaint has been made that that section of the city is not adequately lighted at the present time. On motion by Ald. Forberg the matter was left to the Light committee with power to act.

Governor Carleton Chapter of the I. O. O. F. will hold a garden party from 4 to 6.30 p.m. on Friday afternoon on Miss Gerow's lawn, corner Westmorland and Saunders streets. Should the weather prove unfavorable the party will take place Saturday afternoon instead. Admission only 25 cents.—ad.

### "PLATFORM IS FREE BEER," SAYS HE "NICKEL CIGARS AT TWO FOR, SEE!"

REGINA, Sask., July 3—Charles Pearce, a man who advocates free beer for everybody and nickel cigars at two for a nickel contemplates being an independent candidate in Regina in the federal election.

Pearce, the self-styled "king of the hoboes" was in Winnipeg, when he told reporters he was going to Regina to look the political ground over.

He said he would run in Regina, but if Alberta gets \$25 a month he would rather be there.

He can't spell his own name but

(Special to The Daily Mail)

OTTAWA, Ont., July 3—Hon. L. P. D. Tilley, premier of New Brunswick, who went down to defeat last week with the provincial Conservative government, was here on Monday and returned to New Brunswick on Tuesday.

Premier Tilley seems perfectly contented to be relieved of the strain and is glad to have the rest from political affairs.

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Several rumors have followed Premier Tilley's visit to Ottawa. One is to the effect that Mr. Tilley is likely to get a senatorship and another says that he will receive an appointment to the New Brunswick Supreme Court Bench. None of these rumors can be confirmed at official sources. The Cabinet will meet here on Saturday next when there may be some appointments made to the Senate in which there are sixteen vacant seats at the present time. The names of T. M. Bell, present Saint John representative in the Commons, has been mentioned for a Senatorship in N. B. Another name mentioned is Hon. G. B. Jones of Royal, (Kings County, N.B.). Another is Myles E. Agar, of St. John former member of the Legislature and now a member of the Liquor Control Commission in New Brunswick. Hon. A. J. Leger, provincial secretary-treasurer in the former Tilley Government is mentioned either as a candidate for the Senate or for the N.B. Supreme Court bench. In this regard New Brunswick members say that there is already four Senators in Westmorland County, N. B., and one each in the adjoining counties of Kent and Gloucester. Why another should be given to this section of the province in order to make a place for Mr. Leger is not clear. This also applies to appointing Hon. Mr. Jones in the adjoining county of Kings and another Senator, Mr. Bell or some one else in Saint John. If the Senator- (Continued on Page Four)

### FELLOWSHIP OF \$1,250 WON BY NOVA SCOTIAN

HALIFAX, N. S., July 3—Harold A. Weir, native of Truro and member of the teaching staff of Halifax Academy, has been awarded a fellowship of \$1,250 at the University of London Institute of Education, it was announced recently in Halifax.

The fellowships are the first of a series placed at the disposal of the Institute for students from the British dominions by the Carnegie Corporation of New York, two to be awarded each year to Canada, Australia, New

Zealand and South Africa. The other Canadian chosen is A. D. Lockhart, Sarnia, Ont.

The selection is made from candidates who are university graduates with experience in teaching or educational administration and the selection committee for Canada consists of Dr. Henry F. Munro, superintendent of education for Nova Scotia; Dr. W. H. Fyfe, principal of Queen's University; and Dr. R. C. Wallace, president of the University of Alberta.