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WEATHER
Northeasterly winds, mostly cloudy and cool, Sunday, unsettled with occasional rain.

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GOVERNOR GENERAL TO ARRIVE OCT. 24

Ottawa Planning Ceremony Arrival Lord Tweedsmuir

New Governor-General Will Receive Royal Welcome in Quebec — Rideau Hall Undergoing House-Cleaning for Next Master.

OTTAWA, Sept. 28—The formalities of the departure of Lord and Lady Bessborough from the capital being concluded with colorful ceremony and a send-off memorable for its warmth, the State Department, charged with such responsibilities, turned yesterday to arrangements for the coming and installation of Lord Tweedsmuir on October 24. This ceremony always takes place immediately after His Excellency sets foot ashore at the port of arrival. This one will be at Quebec, though, an occasion, it has taken place at Halifax. That is where Lord and Lady Bessborough landed in 1931.

Royal Salute
There will be considerable ceremony—a guard of honor, an escort, a royal salute and the swearing in process. The oath will be administered by the Chief Justice, Sir Lyman Duff, who on Monday, will become Administrator of the Government in the interval.

After this, the new Governor-General will issue his "proclamation" declaring that he has assumed his duties and continuing the functions of state and generally setting everybody at ease. This will be followed by addresses of welcome from the Federal Government and the Government of Quebec and His Excellency's reply. It has yet to be decided whether Lord Tweedsmuir will arrive in Ottawa on the 24th or the 25th of October.

The elections then will be over. If they shall have resulted in the return of the present Government things will quickly resume the wonted routine. If they should bring about a change, then the new Governor-General would receive the resignation of the Ministry and, immediately after, preside over the swearing in of the new one. There is never any lapse here. The King's Government must go on. The Crown must always have its advisers. The going of one synchronizes with the coming in of another. It is arranged that the delay is only a matter of minutes.

MR. SAGE TO SPEAK

Mr. Sage, that shrewd observer who understands so well the true issues of the present political campaign, will be heard again tonight over a nationwide broadcast. He will be heard through stations CFNB, CHNS, CJCB, CFCY, and CHSJ at 10:15 P. M., A. S. T.

REMANDED

Arthur Chewart, St. John, was remanded by Police Magistrate Walter Limerick until October 14th for stealing a bicycle from the Fredericton High School. The bicycle was the property of Harry Harrison, city.

MAYOR OF MONCTON REFUSES TO PUT MOTION; LEAVES MEETING

MONCTON, Sept. 28—At a special meeting of the city council called by Alderman W. E. Marks, chairman of the board of works, to consider the paving of Lewis and Cameron streets, Mayor T. H. King refused to put a motion moved by Alderman Brown and seconded by Alderman Marks that the two streets be paved, and left the meeting.

Following Mayor King's retirement, Deputy Mayor Tremblay was called upon to take the chair, but no definite action was taken on the paving matter which for some time has been a serious bone of contention here.

Following the discussion, Mayor King stated that he had listened to the acting city engineer and in view of his opinion he would not place the motion as moved by Alderman Brown before the meeting. Several aldermen took objection to the mayor's attitude

MONTREAL BIDS BESSBOROUGHS FAREWELL

Sailed From Quebec Today Bound For England

MONTREAL, Sept. 28—In the Hall of Honor in the City Hall where he welcomed them in 1931 on their first visit here, Mayor Houde today bade an official farewell to Their Excellencies the Governor-General and the Countess of Bessborough on behalf of Montreal.

Their names already inscribed in the Golden Book in which the signatures of other distinguished personages are affixed, Their Excellencies signed again, this time a page specially reserved and marked "Farewell."

Before the address of Mayor Houde and the reply of the Governor-General Mrs. Houde presented Her Excellency with a bouquet of orchids and Miss Claire Houde gave an armful of roses to Lady Moyra Ponsonby.

Present at the ceremony were ranking dignitaries of church, university representatives, officers of the military district and others prominent in Montreal life.

Their Excellencies left the City Hall to attend a series of private and semi-private functions. They left last night for Quebec from where they sail today for England.

HURRICANE HITS JAMAICA AND HITS AT CUBA

HAVANA, Cuba, Sept. 28—A violent hurricane, ever-increasing in intensity and breadth, swept northward through the Caribbean Sea last night with Cuba, especially the central and eastern portions of the island, in its path.

Fearing destructive winds and high seas, the island was alarmed from Pinar del Rio in the west to Oriente Province in the east.

CAMAGUEY, Cuba, Sept. 28—A train was ordered dispatched immediately to Santa Cruz Del Sur with orders to the train crew to lend every help possible to get residents to safer ground. Thousands died there in 1932 through failure to obey warnings and get out.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Sept. 28—A tropical hurricane ripped across Jamaica yesterday destroying 2,000,000 banana trees, bearing ripening crops and driving the Norwegian steamship Ciss aground in the swollen Salt River.

and Alderman J. McN. Speer said, "If you do not accept Alderman Brown's motion why did you call the meeting?" He added, "Whether or not you put this motion before the meeting we still have authority and can do something regarding the matter of paving." Mayor King contended that Alderman Speer was violating his oath of office if he participated in such a move as was suggested by his remarks, and retired from the meeting.

Previous to the last council meeting the members of the aldermanic board had passed a resolution to pave Lewis Street from Main to St. George. Last evening Acting City Engineer E. B. Martin told the council, on request, that certain preparatory work would have to be carried on if paving was to be done this year, and in answer to a question stated that, "It would be advisable to wait as long as possible before any paving was carried out."

Cars and Clothing Sales

Last year Canada's bill for automobiles alone was \$347,000,000, or \$17,000,000 more than the bill for wearing apparel. This was for automobiles themselves — not their operating costs. No man operates a car very long before he learns that the car costs in operating more than he pays for the price of clothes. In the light of these figures it is no wonder that men in the clothing business are stating that business is not what is used to be.

There is a curious difference in the practice of buying by men and women. The woman gets twice as much of her raiment from the department stores as she does from the women's ready-to-wear stores, but the men patronize the men's clothing and furnishing stores far more than they do the departmental stores.

This special phase of the clothing buying question would seem to still further brand woman as the bargain seeker of the human species.

Gone are the days when men and women bought high priced hand-tailored suits and women bought fifteen dollar hats and thought there was nothing else to do. We all remember the number of merchants, tailors, dressmakers and milliners who made a good living, and more, right on Queen Street in this city.

Men are more loyal to the Home Owned Stores. They see the value of keeping their money in their own city rather than sending it away to foreigners from whom it never comes back. We have several good men's stores in this city and we have men's tailors handling good stuff. Why not patronize them? Why not be loyal to our home boys who are trying to help the town go. People who are fly-by-nights and who have no interest in our city are not entitled to our support.

While women think that they get bargains running into departmental stores and in chasing after mail order houses the dear creatures spend much more money for clothing than do men. Some interesting sidelights on buying state that it takes \$50,000,000 more to keep feminine Canada dressed up than it does the men folk of the Dominion. The latest figuring shows that retail sales of women's apparel and children's wear in a year were \$197,000,000, whereas the clothing of men and boys cost only \$143,000,000.

Women's and girls' footwear cost \$36,000,000 and men's and boys' \$26,000,000 so that the ladies spend 38 per cent more on their dainty shoes than men do on their less artistic clappers.

With all this both men and women spend less in clothing than formerly, and the money goes into the cars. Just look at the cars stretched along Queen Street tonight, especially from York down to Regent Streets, and figure, if you can, the amount of money tied up in the purchase and operation of these vehicles. Is it any wonder that the clothing business is not what it used to be.

LIBERALS MEET AT FREDERICTON JUNCTION

"Liberal Party Conceived in Reform," Says Dr. W. P. Broderick

(Special to The Daily Mail)
FREDERICTON JUNCTION, Sept. 28—"The Liberal party was conceived in reform," said Dr. W. P. Broderick of Saint John speaking last night before an enthusiastic meeting held here in the interest of the Liberal party. Other speakers were J. M. Woodman, of Saint John, former District Superintendent of the Canadian Pacific Railway; W. C. Lawson, M.P.P., Minto, and Bert Sutherland, Fredericton. Dave Mersereau, former provincial Minister of Agriculture and now vice-president of the New Brunswick Electric Power Commission, acted as chairman.

Dr. Broderick said that the Liberal party was nurtured in Reform. The Liberal party has always had reform on their banner. The best periods in the history of this country were under Laurier and King administrations. Now we have Stevens and Bennett coming forth with all sorts of panaceas today. We have heard a lot lately about reform from a certain man, a man who has got a lot of advertising, a man who is a good press-agent, and that man is Mr. Stevens.

Dr. Broderick said that we know what the trouble is today. We have not any money. We have to restore earning power and buying power. Mr. King is going to establish an unemployment commission. But that is not the end. We have to get trade back where it belongs. Mr. Bennett is trying to negotiate a reciprocity treaty with the United States to save the defeat that is staring him in the face.

Mr. J. M. Woodman, former district superintendent of the C.P.R., said that under the Liberal administration the railroads did the best that they ever

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TEN MARITIMERS PLEAD GUILTY TO RUM CHARGES

Ten of Eleven Charged With Conspiracy to Be Sentenced

HALIFAX, Sept. 28—Ten of the 11 Maritimers charged with conspiracy to defraud the government in an alleged \$5,000,000 liquor ring pleaded guilty yesterday before Magistrate J. L. Barnhill.

Genos Sanford of Clementsvalle, N. S., was the only one missing when the group of Nova Scotians and Prince Edward Islanders appeared before the magistrate after their request to be tried in lower court had been granted in supreme court.

Committed for supreme court trial by Magistrate N. D. Murray last month, their counsel served notice on Mr. Justice R. H. Graham of the Nova Scotia Supreme Court this morning that their application to appear again before a magistrate would be made.

Those who pleaded guilty were Colin Chisholm, Jack Tanner, B. O. Johnson and Thomas Rossiter, all of Halifax; Milton Gerhardt and Lawrence Ritecy, Riverport, N.S.; Willoughby Ritecy, Lower Lehave, N. S.; Sylvester Dunphy, North Sydney, N. S.; Clovis Perry, Summerside, P.E.I., and Roy Clarke, Union Road, P.E.I.

To Be Sentenced Today
They will be sentenced today at noon. Sanford will be tried at the October session of supreme court opening here Tuesday.

VOCATIONAL CLASSES TO OPEN
The evening vocational classes in the Fredericton High School will open on Thursday night next. The usual courses will be taught. Registrations will commence on Tuesday night and continue on Wednesday night when prospective students will register at the secretary's office in the High School between 7:30 to 9:30 P. M.

Nations Might Say 'No' And Stop The Movement of Troops

GREAT BRITAIN PLANS LARGE NAVY PROGRAM

G. B. Cannot Fulfill Imperial Responsibilities Without Navy

LONDON, Sept. 28—The British Admiralty neither confirmed nor denied press reports early today that Great Britain intends to send a note of signatories to the Washington Naval Treaty during the week-end announcing that Britain intends to expand her navy.

Great Britain, the Daily Mail stated, could not properly fulfill her large Imperial responsibilities unless the Navy was brought up to date without delay.

The newspaper said the naval program had been under consideration of Admiralty experts for some months, but that the final decision by the Cabinet had been delayed in the hope that arrangements might have been made for a conference this autumn between world powers to discuss limitation of naval armaments.

CHIMNEY FIRES

The firemen were called yesterday afternoon to the home of Rev. Archdeacon A. F. Bate, on Westmorland street where they extinguished a small chimney fire. Another chimney fire was extinguished by the firemen at the home of Mr. Cole, York street, early last evening. No damage was done at either fire.

ONTARIO PREMIER SPEAKS IN OPERA HOUSE TODAY

Hon. Mitchell F. Hepburn, premier of Ontario, arrived here at 12:00 noon from St. John to speak at the Liberal meeting in the Opera House this afternoon. He was met at the Queen Hotel by Hon. J. B. McNair, K.C., attorney general, and His Worship Mayor W. G. Clark, Liberal candidate for York-Sunbury in the coming Federal election. At 1:00 p.m., Mr. Clark entertained the Ontario premier at luncheon at his home on Waterloo Row where covers were laid for twelve. Following the meeting in the Opera House where he and Mr. Clark will be the chief speakers and where the attorney general will act as chairman, Hon. Mr. Hepburn will be entertained at tea at the home of Mr. McNair. Following the tea the guest of honor will be met by Burton Hill, Liberal candidate for Charlotte county and the two will motor to St. Stephen where Hon. Mr. Hepburn will speak tonight.

AUSTRALIA ADMITS CANADIAN GOODS FREE OF DUTY

Ottawa, Sept. 28—Important reductions have been made in Australian primage duties against Canadian products, according to advices received here today by the department of trade and commerce from its representative at Melbourne.

The primage duties are wiped out altogether on the following Canadian products: Crude asbestos which was five per cent; bronze powders 10 per cent; drugs and chemicals 5 to 10 per cent; printing paper, including newsprint, four per cent.

Primage duties, employed extensively in the Australian tariff, correspond to excise duties Canada levies of three percent on all goods imported from foreign countries. Primage duties, however, vary for different commodities. They are levied first and the regular duties of the schedule afterwards. They are duties solely for revenue purposes.

Powers Marking Time—Italy Offers Ten Days Truce Manouvers for Peace.

GENEVA, Sept. 28—"If half a hundred nations, members of the League, stood there and declared 'No' to further troop movements," said the League today, "an invitation to accept a peaceful settlement might be difficult for Italy to resist."

ROME, Sept. 28—An Italian Government spokesman said yesterday that Italy was willing to observe a two weeks' "unofficial truce" with Ethiopia, "unless something happens."

The spokesman observed that in Ethiopia the ground would soon be dry enough for troop movements.

He said that "unless something happens," Italy will wait for the League of Nations' Council to bring in its report ten days or two weeks hence, adding: "But our patience cannot last forever."

Italy to Collaborate to Very Limit
The Italian Government assured the world that Italy would continue to collaborate with the League of Nations until every reasonable effort for adjustment of the Italo-Ethiopian problem was exhausted.

Informed sources explained quickly, however that this statement in no sense presupposed a willingness by Premier Mussolini to enter into a truce with Emperor Selassie of Ethiopia.

"We have considered ourselves victims of aggression and menace from Ethiopia for some time," the spokesman asserted.

Therefore, he explained, Italy could not be bound by any temporary measure such as a truce engineered by the League of Nations.

The Italian Government view was represented by him as meaning that such an arrangement could only be binding between Italy and Ethiopia if arranged between Mussolini and Selassie themselves.

Equally clear-cut was the feeling in sources close to the Government that the League Council embarked on a fruitless excursion into treacherous juridical waters with its invocation of Article XV to bring out a report on the Italo-Ethiopian crisis.

Trying to End Threat of War
GENEVA, Sept. 28—League of Nations Council members, turning to their new role as a committee to draft recommendations for liquidation of the Italo-Ethiopian crisis, considered the possibility of ending even the "threat of war."

British delegates said that even more important than the Council's decision yesterday to proceed under Article XV of the League Covenant—leading to sanctions if Italy rejected the recommendations and launched an African war—was Anthony Eden's hint that the "threat of war" also could be throttled by sanctions.

Persons close to the British Ministry (Continued on Page Four)

With the primage duty removed, newsprint, crude asbestos and bronze powders from Canada will enter Australia entirely free as the regular tariff schedule does not impose any tax against these Canadian commodities. The general tariff on newsprint from foreign countries entering Australia is £4 (Australian currency) a ton.

The cable to the department estimated the loss of revenue in Australia due to the reduction of the tariff of £45,000. The budget speech was delivered on September 23, but the tariff schedules were released yesterday.

A further advantage to Canada in the Australian move was seen by officials here in the fact there was no indication the commonwealth would take similar action to goods of any countries outside the British Empire, thus giving Empire countries additional preference in its market.