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WEATHER TODAY:
FAIR AND WARM

BRITISH GOVERNMENT IS AGAIN SUSTAINED ON POLICY IN IRELAND

Won Virtual Vote of Confidence on Hostile "Die-Hard" Motion.

NOT TO COUNTENANCE COERCION OF ULSTER

Ignoring of Treaty by Irish Will Call Forth British Action.

(Canadian Press)
London, June 26—After a debate, which was not so heated or acrimonious as had been expected, the Government tonight won a virtual vote of confidence on its Irish policy, when a "die-hard" motion, proposed by Sir Frederick Danby, Unionist, for a reduction of the Chief Secretary for Ireland's salary as an expression of disapproval of the Government's policy and failure to afford police protection for Field Marshal Wilson, was defeated. The vote was 342 to 75.

Winston Spencer Churchill, Secretary for the Colonies, in his statement on Irish affairs, made it clear that the Imperial Government would expect the Provisional Government, now that it had secured the people's mandate, to take the necessary steps to assert its complete authority, and with equal frankness emphasized that the British Government would not allow the coercion of Ulster by the South—in fact that failure to observe the treaty would mean the British Government resuming complete freedom of action.

Lloyd George's Speech.
Premier Lloyd George, in a brief speech, winding up the debate, repeated the familiar arguments in support of the Government policy, and contended that the Irish Provisional Government now had the people of Ireland behind it, and what it did or failed to do would be the real test of whether it was fit to govern.

The question of Field Marshal Wilson's murder did not figure in the debate as largely as might have been anticipated. Home Secretary Shortt was able to show that the Ministers and others from whom police protection had been withdrawn had acquiesced in the withdrawal.

Loud cheers greeted the announced result of the vote, giving a substantial majority for the Government.

EDMUNDSTON PLANS DAY OF CELEBRATION

On Occasion of Opening International Bridge Between That Town and Madawaska, Me.

Special to The Journal.
Edmundston, N. B., June 26.—The executive committee of the Town Council and Board of Trade, at a meeting held this evening, decided to have the opening of the new International Bridge, costing \$500,000, between Edmundston and Madawaska, Me., occur on September 4.

The Governor of Maine and his staff, the Lieutenant-Governor of New Brunswick and his staff, and officials of pressed their intention to be present at the function.

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ULSTERITES IN HOUR OF SORROW

Pay Tribute of Respect to Memory of Late Field Marshal Wilson.

(Canadian Press)
Belfast, June 26—Sir James Craig, Ulster premier, and the Ulster members of the London and Belfast Parliaments, attended a memorial service for the late Field Marshal Wilson in Belfast Cathedral today. Bishop Grieron officiated. The police took elaborate precautions in connection with the ceremony.

A vast crowd gathered in the vicinity of the Cathedral, its numbers swollen by workers from the shipyards, which closed down for the day as a token to the late Field Marshal.

HELD FOR MURDER, BECOMES INSANE

(Canadian Press)
Brantford, Ont., June 26—Mrs. M. Kent, held with her husband on a charge of murder of Peter Aegelin, one of whose out-pieces remains wound in a suit case carried by the band on April 23, last, has lost her mind, and declared by doctors to be insane. She will be removed to an asylum.

LOYD GEORGE SENDS MESSAGE OF SORROW TO GERMAN CHANCELLOR

Expresses Sincere Regret Over Abominable Outrage Which Deprived Germany of One of Its Most Distinguished Representatives.

(Canadian Press)
London, June 26—Prime Minister Lloyd George's message to Chancellor Wirth, in connection with the assassination of Dr. Walter Rathenau, the German Foreign Minister, was made public this morning. It follows: "I have learned with deep regret of Dr. Rathenau's death. I wish to express my sorrow for the abominable crime which has deprived the German people of one of its most distinguished representatives. The whole world must honor those who take risks of public hate, as he did, from devotion to his country's good."

TO REORGANIZE ONT. LAND AND TIMBER DEPT.

Riddell - Latchford Timber Commission Report Cites Glaring Irregularities in Department's Conduct.

(Canadian Press)
Toronto, June 26—Reorganization of the Ontario Department of Lands and Forests, and a number of changes in the departmental methods of securing and stocking up the returns which are the basis of the payment of dues to the Province and in dealing generally with the timber resources of Ontario, are outstanding among the recommendations of the Riddell-Latchford Timber Commission report as presented to the Government late today.

The report goes exhaustively into the methods employed by the Department controlling the timber resources of the Province, and the operations of the various companies which have secured timber limits. The report quotes former Deputy Minister Orger as stating that the "system of book-keeping in the Department would be a disgrace to a country store."

The report continues: "A very objectionable, as well as illegal practice, has been followed of granting permits in large areas without competition and to any kind of person. The Crown Timber Act gives power to the Minister to grant licenses to cut timber 'subject to such conditions, regulations and restrictions as may, from time to time, be prescribed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council.' March 7, 1914, the Lieutenant-Governor in Council prescribed regulations, one of which requires that the limits shall be offered for sale by public competition, at an upset price after public notice, and that they shall be awarded to the highest bidder."

This regulation was not respected by the Minister, who acted regardless of that regulation. This course has in the Shevlin-Clarke case been judicially declared to be unauthorized and illegal.

Continuing the report cites thirteen limits disposed of in this way in the last months of 1919, totalling about 926 square miles, while three similar cases earlier in the same year involved 103 square miles.

SYDNEY ROUNDS UP SPEED MANIACS

Officials Spring a Surprise and Put Special Officer on Job.

(Canadian Press)
Sydney, N. S., June 26—One hundred and forty-five out of the two hundred and fifty motorists who passed a bad curve on the Sydney-Reserve highway during a period of three hours on Sunday will have to appear in court for alleged breaches of the Motor Vehicle Act, it has been announced.

The charges vary from speeding down the road to speeding down the road to the placing of a constable on the road on Sunday. He reported that about fifty offenders escaped, because he could not get their numbers in the rush of cars. Local motorists are in a state of nervous waiting, following the unexpected vigilance on the road, as no announcement has been made yet of the numbers taken.

WATERS SUBSIDING IN ST. JOHN RIVER

Steamer D. J. Purdy Able to Make Trip to Fredericton Yesterday.

(Canadian Press)
Fredericton, June 26—The freshet in the St. John River continues to subside, having dropped more than a foot since morning.

The steamer D. J. Purdy, which was taken off the route for a few days because of overflowed wharf here and on account of the heavy run of logs, arrived from St. John tonight.

IRREGULARS SEIZE DUBLIN GARAGE

(Canadian Press)
Dublin, June 26—Irish Republican army irregulars from the four courts today seized a garage in Dublin. They made off with a large number of cars when Free State troops delivered an ultimatum to evacuate the garage.

INCENDIARY FIRES AGAIN BREAK OUT

(Canadian Press)
Belfast, June 26—Mrs. Isabel McKewen, who was wounded during the fighting in Belfast, June 1, died in a hospital yesterday. Several incendiary fires broke out yesterday afternoon and bombs were used in the destruction of a pawn shop.

FIFTEEN OF THE CONSTABULARY WERE KILLED

Pointed Questions Regarding Gov't's Irish Policy Flung at Churchill.

NEW GOV'T MUST PRESERVE ORDER

British to Insist That Steps Be Taken to Punish Guilty Persons.

(Canadian Press)
London, June 26—Pointed questions regarding the Government's Irish policy were flung at Winston Churchill, Secretary for the Colonies, by several Unionist members in the House of Commons this afternoon.

Viscount Curzon, Coalition Unionist for the south division of Battersea, asked what the number was of British subjects in Southern Ireland who had been murdered, or died of wounds since the Anglo-Irish Treaty was signed, whether the Government's policy was to relinquish no effort to secure the punishment of the guilty persons, and whether Mr. Churchill intended to make representations to this effect to the Provisional Government.

Mr. Churchill replied that those killed were 15 serving members of the Royal Irish Constabulary, eight former members and seven soldiers, not including three officers, and two private soldiers whose lives no further hope was entertained.

Regarding the last part of the question, Mr. Churchill said it was for the Provisional Government, so long as it was responsible for the maintenance of law and order, to take such steps as were possible to arrest and punish the guilty persons.

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EXPERT EVIDENCE IN DELORME CASE

Alienist Definitely Declares Ex-Priest Is Not Fit to Undergo Trial.

(Canadian Press)
Montreal, June 26.—A day of expert evidence was all that was offered in the Court of King's Bench today in the case in which a jury is to determine whether or not Adelard Delorme is in a fit mental condition to stand trial on the charge of having murdered his half-brother Raoul Delorme.

Dr. Gaston de Bellefeuille, Assistant Medical Director of St. Jean de Dieu Lunatic Asylum, and Assistant Professor of the chair of Mental Diseases at the University of Montreal, was the sole witness, and his cross-examination had not been completed by Crown Prosecutor Walsh when the court adjourned until tomorrow.

After much technical evidence as to the mental status of close relatives of the accused, Dr. de Bellefeuille made the definite statement that the prisoner is not in a fit state to undergo trial, that he does not understand the gravity of the case, and that he cannot act properly in his own defense.

HANNA SPEAKS IN OPTIMISTIC TONE

Crop Outlook in West Encouraging and Should Increase Freight Business.

(Canadian Press)
Toronto, June 26.—D. B. Hanna, President of the Canadian National Railways, was cautious today in his comment on the action of the Commons committee in recommending the restoration of the Crow's Nest Pass agreement rates on grain and grain products. "The railway companies know what effect the reduction on grain and grain products will have on their revenue, but what effect further reductions on other freight would have is problematical," he said.

"However, I am optimistic. The crop outlook in the West is all that could be desired," he continued, "if it materializes, as it now appears, there will, of course, be a great increase in the purchasing power of the Western people. That should have a stimulating effect on business and should increase the volume of freight flowing westward. It should mean more lumber going to the West and an increase also in the carriage of miscellaneous freight."

RUSSIANS READY FOR CONFERENCE

The Hague, June 26.—The Russian delegation to the conference on Russian affairs at The Hague arrived here early this afternoon. The delegation, which was headed by Maxim Litvinoff, proceeded on the same train to Scheveningen, where its headquarters will be. Crowds of the curious watched the Russians' movements in great interest.

50,000 STANDS OF ARMS IN BELFAST

(Canadian Press)
Belfast, June 26—Delivery of the 50,000 stands of arms mentioned by Colonial Secretary Churchill in Parliament in London today, was finished last week. The arms have been stored and are being protected in such a manner that nothing short of artillery fire could reach and injure them today.

REJUVENATED BY SURGERY



Harold F. McCormick, multi-millionaire executive committee head of the International Harvester Company, who, aged 50, is said to have undergone an operation to renew his youth, through transplantation in his own body of the glands of a man many years his junior, is shown above, in the upper picture at the right.

The picture at the left is of Dr. Victor D. Lespinasse, who is credited with the operation on the harvester king.

Below, at the left, is McCormick's daughter, Mathilde, leaving the hospital where her father submitted to the surgeon's knife, in company with a friend of the family.

HON. P. C. LARKIN TO RESIGN POST OF HIGH COMMISSIONER

Is Not Enamored of London Life and He Feels Scope of His Office Is Too Restricted, and Other Conditions Make the Position Unsatisfactory.

Special to The Journal.
Ottawa, June 26.—It is stated here tonight on what appears to be excellent authority that P. C. Larkin will shortly relinquish his duties as Canadian High Commissioner in London and return to his business in Canada. The reasons for his decision to return, it is said, are that he is not enamored of London life, that he feels the scope of his office is too restricted; that immigration from the British Isles can be better promoted by improved immigration regulations than by any work which the High Commissioner's office can perform under existing regulations, and that, finally, the substitution of New York for London as a Canadian borrowing centre makes the maintenance of an important office in London less necessary than in the past.

No direct statement confirmatory of the report could be secured tonight, but the source of its origin gave it considerable credence.

Mr. Larkin was appointed High Commissioner in succession to Sir George Perley in January. His appointment was received with considerable favor by all sections of opinion, and so far as is known his services have been considered of a highly useful character.

DIVIDEND BY THE B. E. S. CORPORATION

First Preferred and Second Preferred Quarterly Returns Declared to Record of August.

(Canadian Press)
Montreal, June 26.—The meeting of the directors of the British Empire Steel Corporation held here today, decided number four of 1% on the seven per cent first preferred "B" stock was declared payable August first to stock of record July 15.

In addition to the British Empire Steel second preferred quarterly dividend, the following were also declared at the meeting of directors: Dominion Steel Corporation, preferred 1% per cent, payable August first to record July 15.

Dominion Coal Company preferred 1% per cent, payable August first to record July 12.

CHILD BLOWN FROM ARMS OF MOTHER

Further Harrowing Details of Storm's Havoc in Manitoba.

(Canadian Press)
Winnipeg, Man., June 26.—The report just received of the death in Friday's storm of the 18 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Coates, of Stonewall, Man., raises to five the list of fatalities.

The tremendous wind crumpled up the Coates residence and Mr. Coates and his nephew were pinned beneath the ruins. Mrs. Coates, in the midst of the terrific storm, had to set out for help, carrying the child, battling against the driving hail and rain and the tremendous wind which eventually tore the child from her arms. She sought in vain for the child and when neighbors found them the little girl was dead from exposure. The men, in the meantime, had been released from the ruined house and taken to the hospital, and Mrs. Coates came to relatives in Winnipeg.

The loss through destruction of three elevators and mills in Portage La Prairie by fire during the storm is placed at \$400,000 it is announced today.

CALDWELL AND DR. BAXTER ARE NEAR TO BLOWS

Lively Scenes in Commons When Former Accused Latter of Falsehood.

ST. JOHN MEMBER RESENTS INSULT

Both Go To Lobbies Where Affairs Were Exciting for a Time.

(Canadian Press)
Ottawa, June 27—Two members from New Brunswick, Hon. J. B. M. Baxter, and T. W. Caldwell, almost came to blows shortly after midnight. The quarrel arose over statements made previously in the House by both members in regard to the creation of new polls in Mr. Caldwell's riding.

Mr. Caldwell brought up the matter on the orders of the day, and Mr. Baxter, replying angrily, resented that Mr. Caldwell had charged him with having made a false statement. Mr. Caldwell, he added, had neither sufficient respect for the amenities of public life, nor the dignity of Parliament to withdraw. Mr. Caldwell denied that he had charged Mr. Baxter with making a false statement. Mr. Baxter held to his words and sharply added: "His statement would have been resented in a much more violent manner by myself if it had been made outside the walls of this chamber."

Move to Lobby.

Mr. Baxter immediately rose from his seat and made for the Opposition lobby. After a moment or two, Mr. Caldwell also rose and, amid considerable excitement, followed Mr. Baxter. There was a rush of members into the lobby where the two men could be heard in a sharp altercation. Then the Speaker took a hand in the quarrel. "I would ask the sergeant-at-arms," he said, "to see that no disorder takes place in the lobbies."

Colonel Bowie, sergeant-at-arms, left the chamber and also went into the lobby.

Members Intervened.

A moment or so and the House was almost empty. Members hurried into the lobby after the sergeant-at-arms. From the entrance—the lobbies are strictly reserved to members—Mr. Caldwell could be heard declaring again that he had not accused Mr. Baxter of making a false statement, that what he had said was that a document read by Mr. Caldwell contained a false statement. "I won't take any apology from you," shouted Mr. Baxter as Mr. Caldwell was insisting on his point. If you want to make an apology, make it in the House of Commons. The quarrel was rapidly approaching a violent stage when members intervened.

The two men were eventually persuaded to leave the corridor and return to the House.

FREDERICTON HIGH GRADUATES 38

The Class Is Larger Than the Average But Has Been Exceeded in Recent Years.

Special to The Journal.
Fredericton, June 26—Fredericton High School graduated a class of thirty-eight, fourteen boys and twenty-four girls, tonight. The exercises took place in the assembly hall of the High School, York street.

The class is larger than the average, but has been exceeded in recent years. Seven taking the full course are in the first division, seventeen in the second division. Of the students taking the English course, with Latin or French, four are in the second division and two in the third division.

Seven students taking the English course are in the third division and one is graduated as a special student. The address to the graduating class was delivered by Dr. W. C. Kierstead, of the University of New Brunswick faculty.

MAN, CHEERFUL OVER CROP PROSPECTS

Torrential Rains, Following Cyclone, Have Materially Enhanced Crop Outlook.

(Canadian Press)
Winnipeg, June 26—Crop prospects throughout Manitoba, far from being reduced, have been materially enhanced by the torrential rains which accompanied and followed the cyclonic storm of last Friday morning, according to reports published in the Winnipeg Tribune this afternoon, based on reports received from staff correspondents.

Taken as a whole for every acre of standing crop destroyed, hundreds of acres have been benefited and some, indeed, actually saved from the burning up which threatened for days before the downpour, the newspaper says.