

Tribesmen Rescue British Girls From The Sahara Desert

Two Narrowly Escape Stampede of Six Hundred Wild Elephants.

Bulawayo, Rhodesia.—Two English girls—one of them a typist—who set out from London seven months ago on a 13,000-mile trip by motorcycle to Cape Town are now on the last lap of their remarkable adventure. They are Miss M. C. Blenkiron, a typist, who won the Brooklands Gold Star all-comers' race at 102 m.p.h., and Miss T. E. Wallach, her mechanic.

Travelling by a new route across the Sahara, they dared the hazards of that sandy wilderness for three months. Loose sand was their problem. On one occasion they pushed the motorcycle and heavily laden sidecar for 30 hours, with only one hour for sleep.

In this manner they had covered only 20 miles when they were rescued by a cavalcade of Tuareg horsemen. In French Equatorial Africa their front wheel gave way and they were stranded for five days, camping out in the road, before a lorry came along.

"We slept out in the open the first night," they said. "There was a big river near by. All night we heard the splash of crocodiles, the snorting of hippos and the roaring of lions that came to drink."

Passing through the Belgian Congo, they escape a stampede of 600 wild elephants which had escaped from a farm. But their most remarkable experience was near Arusha (Tanganyika). There they had a collision with a car, "which knocked everything cock-eyed" in their outfit.

When the girls reach Cape Town they intend to cycle back to England, making a total distance of about 27,000 miles for the round trip.

FIREMEN'S MASCOT DIES

Enfield, Eng.—Jock, dog mascot of the local fire brigade for 14 years, died on duty at the fire station. He missed only two fires in 12 years. His duty was to keep the crowds back.

\$100,000,000 BABY MAKES BOW



The heir to a \$100,000,000 fortune, three-weeks-old WILLIAM ASTOR gets his first look at the outside world as his mother, MRS. JOHN JACOB ASTOR, 3rd, carries him from the New York hospital in which he was born.

Canada's New Deal Plans Are Being Put In Operation

Twelve Measures Passed By Bennett Government Are to Be Effective Immediately, Ottawa Says.

Ottawa.—The new deal legislation of 1935 is rapidly being unlimbered. While some of the statutes will not become effective until 1936, the bulk of them will be in operation within six weeks. Great interest is being manifest among business men as to how some of these statutes—notably the Criminal Code—are to be enforced.

There were a round dozen new deal acts. Here is the roster with an explanation of each piece of legislation.

Marketing Act Amendments—These provide more severe penalties for failure to obey orders issued by local boards. There have not yet been prosecutions under the new law.

Eight-Hour Day Law—to come into effect three months after receiving royal assent. The bill was assented to July 5 and will come into effect October 5.

Weekly Day of Rest Bill—Already in operation. It, too, was to become effective three months after receiving assent. This was given April 4.

Economic Council of Canada—This act is now in effect but under its terms the Government must pass an order-in-council containing the regulations under which the council will function. This order has not been passed and so, while in force, the act has not yet become operative.

Minimum Wage Act—Now in force with the exception of section 4 which is the all important section in the statute. This section will not be effective until proclaimed and no proclamation has yet been issued.

Wages and Labor—The statute providing for fair wages and hours of labor in public works and contracts will not become effective until May 1, 1936.

Combines Act—The new Combines Act goes into effect on October 1, 1935.

Weights and Measures—Amendments to the Weights and Measures Act, making the penalties more severe and providing for a staff of inspectors, is now in force but to date there has been little change from the old order of enforcement. The Government is moving toward the creation of a suitable staff and gradually the administration will be tightened up.

Trade and Industry Commission—This Act become effective October 1, 1935.

Criminal Code—There are three sections of importance in the amendments to the Criminal Code. The section dealing with false advertising does not go into operation until January 1, 1936. The other two sections—section 6 dealing with wages and employment and section 8 dealing with

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