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## Sino-Jap Conflict Renewed With Vigor

### POPULATION OF CANADA OVER TEN MILLIONS

Quebec Made Largest Absolute Gain In the Past Ten Years — B. C. Largest P. C. Gain of All Provinces.

OTTAWA, Ont., Nov. 27.—(By the Canadian Press)—The total population of Canada will be around 10,360,000, it was announced by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics tonight, based on the 1931 census returns. Figures for all the provinces have been announced with the exception of British Columbia, which will be made public Monday. Quebec made the largest absolute gain in the past ten years and British Columbia the largest percentage gain of all the provinces. A redistribution of the representation in the House of Commons will be made as a result of the census. The Commons will still have 245 members after the redistribution, the same as at present. Nova Scotia will lose two members and New Brunswick one. On the other hand Alberta will gain one and British Columbia two. The representation of the other provinces

### Six Of Crew And Captain Picked Up

(Canadian Press)  
BOSTON, Mass., Nov. 27.—The United Fruit Company announced receipt of a radio report today that the Captain and crew of six of the schooner Ria had been picked up at sea by the steamship Astor of the Company's European fleet and taken to Tela, Honduras. The report said the men were residents of Grand Bank, Newfoundland. It contained no details of what had happened to the schooner. The men will be placed on the steamship Sun Bruno of the Company's line Sunday and will arrive in Boston, Dec. 6.

### Ottawa Mayor Returned For Second Term

(Canadian Press)  
OTTAWA, Ont., Nov. 27.—Mayor J. J. Allen will continue as Chief Magistrate of Ottawa for another year. He was returned for a second term by acclamation today when Michael A. Mahoney, prominent Capital businessman, withdrew his nomination.

### Thanksgiving Day Accidents

(Special to the Guardian)  
CHICAGO, Nov. 27.—Thanksgiving day accidents took upwards of 100 lives, a survey indicated today. Motoring accidents led the list with more than half the fatalities. Hunting mishaps and home fires caused a considerable number of the deaths. Preparations for Thanksgiving dinners took several lives through stove explosions and burns. At Hudson, Mass., August, Domingos 56 choked to death while eating.

### Will Inspect New Port Facilities

(Canadian Press)  
OTTAWA, Ont., Nov. 27.—Hon. Alfred Durand, Minister of Marine, will leave Sunday for Saint John, N.B., where he will inspect the new port facilities which were recently completed to replace those destroyed in a fire early this year. The Minister will attend the official opening of the port on Tuesday, Dec. 1st, when the ceremonies will be held on board the steamer Montclare, which will open the winter shipping season.

### Suggests That Public Pay Campaign Funds

TORONTO, Ont., Nov. 27. (By the Canadian Press)—Suggestion that \$1,000,000 be voted annually from the public funds to carry on political campaigns of both the old parties was made today by Col. A. E. Kirkpatrick of Toronto, addressing the Toronto Women's Liberal Association today. He pleaded for elimination of large contributions to party funds. Col. Kirkpatrick also suggested all campaign advertising be made illegal, and said a book might be prepared at Ottawa before a general election campaign, in which both parties stated their views. This book, he said, should be sent to every voter in Canada and it should be paid for by the people of the country.

### GIRL KILLER SENTENCED TO 14 YEARS

Eighteen Year Old Ontario Girl Who Murdered Mother Shocked At Sentence.

(Canadian Press)  
L'ORIGNAL, Ont., Nov. 27.—Dazed and trembling, with head bowed, 18-year-old Lucia Goulet, of Rockland, Ont., today stood in the dock of the century-old court room here, heard a jury convict her of manslaughter and a Justice of the Supreme Court of Ontario pronounce a 14-year-sentence of imprisonment.

For three years the young girl had faced a murder charge, the killing of her mother, Josephine, slain in the family home at Rockland on May 1. "GUILTY of manslaughter" was the verdict of the jury, and immediately sentence was pronounced by Mr. Justice N. Jeffrey, she collapsed and had to be assisted from the court room. Later, there was a pathetic scene in the cell of the convicted girl. Her sisters and her brothers and her grief-stricken father clasped her in their arms and tried to console her. A quarrel between mother and daughter had led to the killing, Mr. Justice Jeffrey believed. The mother had tried to take the girl away from evil companions. The crime, he said, was cunning and brutal. The mother was stabbed to death, forty-one wounds being found on her body.

### FIRST COINS WILL BE STRUCK OFF TUESDAY

(Special to the Guardian)  
OTTAWA, Nov. 27.—The first coins to be struck in the Royal Mint as a purely Canadian institution, will be made in a brief ceremony next Tuesday. One of each Canadian coin in circulation will be struck. Mrs. E. N. Rhodes, wife of the acting Minister of Finance officiating at the stamping machines.

### Report Expected First Of Year

(Canadian Press)  
OTTAWA, Nov. 27.—The report of Sir Alexander Gibb, British port authority who made a study of Canadian harbors at the request of the Dominion Government, is not expected to be complete until the first of the year, it was learned today. Hugh Beaver, who assisted Sir Alexander in his investigations and remained in Canada after the head of the commission had returned home, sailed today from Montreal for England with much additional information. The final report will not be made until Sir Alexander has studied the additional matter that Mr. Beaver will lay before him. Mr. Beaver supervised the construction of the new port facilities at Saint John, N.B.

PARIS, Nov. 27.—Capt Bert Hinkler, noted British aviator, was safe tonight in French West Africa after completing the first eastward flight across the South Atlantic. He dropped down at Bathurst on the African coast, from Natal, Brazil, yesterday to complete a flight of more than 1,500 miles in about 22 hours, said a message to the Aeropostale Company.

### Four Days To Subscribe A Hundred Million Dollars

Central Management Committee Of Service Loan Report That The Issue Is Well On Its Way To Completion

MONTREAL, Que., Nov. 27. (By the Canadian Press)—Announcement by E. W. Beatty, K. C., chairman and President, Canadian Pacific Railway, that the company would subscribe \$5,000,000 to the National Service Loan of the Dominion of Canada climaxed a day in which several large subscriptions to the loan were received. It took the people of Canada just four days to subscribe \$100,000,000 to the loan. The general management committee today announced that returns of subscriptions up to Thursday night showed a total of \$101,000,000 or more than two-thirds of the \$150,000,000 five per cent bond issue which was offered to the public on Monday morning. A further list of large subscriptions, not included in the total of 101 millions, was issued. Among these were T. Eaton and Company, \$1,000,000; Imperial Tobacco Company, \$200,000; Eastern Trust Company, Halifax, \$100,000; Dominion Life, \$200,000; Canadian International Paper Company, \$100,000; Trusts and Guarantee Company, \$50,000; Mutual Relief Life Insurance, \$25,000. In an appeal tonight to all Canadians to take a share in the loan Mr. Beatty said that as evidence of the willingness of all Canadians to "consider the national interest as paramount in this emergency, may I point out that although part of the loan is earmarked to meet necessities of the Canadian National Railways, the subscription of the Canadian Pacific to the loan will be \$5,000,000."

The loan, Mr. Beatty said, was "philanthropy plus five and one-eighth per cent—the kind of philanthropy in which the canniest Aberdeen man may participate with a good conscience." "One worth while result which we can expect from the expenditure of the \$150,000,000 raised by the loan will be a new impetus to the revival in business which the country as a whole is hoping for." "It will put into circulation a large amount of dormant capital and will undoubtedly benefit in this way both the Canadian manufacturer and the Canadian merchant. "No sacrifice is involved in subscriptions to the loan. As has been well said by the leading financial experts and economists in Canada—this is the best investment on the best security that Canada can offer, that any country in the world can offer. Your money will serve to help the country to meet pressing national emergencies and will be returned to you in five or ten years, as you choose, with good annual interest; and, as the bonds will have such a ready market on the stock exchange, they can quickly be sold by the investor if necessary," Mr. Beatty said.

"The Canadian banks are making it easy for those who wish to subscribe, but who have not the immediate cash available, by offering to finance the first six months on easy terms. "I sincerely trust, indeed, I feel assured, that this issue of national service bonds will meet with a generous response from all good citizens of Canada, whatever their racial origin, and that it will be largely oversubscribed—Canada never fails," he said. The central management committee of the loan reported that in addition to the large subscriptions, a heavy demand by private investors was being reported in all provinces and the committee hoped that when final figures for the week, including today and Saturday, were available, it would be shown that the subscription was well on its way to completion.

### EFFECTS OF NEW STATUTE ARE SUMMED UP

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(By George Hambleton, Canadian Press Staff Writer, who continues a series of cable reviews of the European financial situation).  
LONDON, Nov. 28.—The British Commonwealth of Nations opens in the coming week, a new chapter in its stirring history. Its parliamentary course complete, the Statute of Westminster becomes operative Dec. 1 and with it, the last remaining anomalies in the way of equal status between Great Britain and the Dominions will be swept aside. Any changes in the succession to the throne in the future will require the assent of the parliaments of all the dominions as well as the Parliament of Great Britain. No Act passed by the British House in the future will apply to the dominions except by their request and consent. The Statute of Westminster seeks to give legislative effect to the Balfour declaration of equality of status, adopted by the 1926 Imperial Conference. In the opinion of many eminent authorities, the Balfour declaration merely expressed a constitutional position already in existence and the Statute of Westminster merely wipes out anomalies which already have ceased to have practical effect. Yet supporters of the statute—which secured an overwhelming majority in the British Commons—never tire of asserting that it marks the first milestone along a new highway of commonwealth relations. They say the old idea of a dominant Great Britain now is finally buried and that a community of nations, based on equal partnership, legally has taken its place. The first positive reaction to the Statute is expected from the Irish Free State. Reports from Dublin predict the Free State Government will introduce unilateral legislation in the Dail, repealing in that Dominion's constitution, the right of appeal to the Privy Council. Following the provision to establish a Supreme Court in the Free State, the constitution reads: "Nothing in this constitution shall impair the right of any person to petition His Majesty in council, or the right of His Majesty to grant such leave." The right to appeal from the Irish Free State, as a matter of fact, has been practically inoperative for some time. But one criticism urged against the Westminster Statute was that it will give the power to do legally what could be done only illegally.

### LOCAL MEN RETURN FROM WINTER FAIR

Minister of Agriculture Reviews Features of Special Local Interest At Big Exhibition.

Among the visitors from this Province to the Toronto Winter Fair, who returned last evening were Hon. G. Shelton Sharp, Minister of Agriculture; Mr. J. W. Boulter, Secretary of the Potato Growers' Association, and Mr. Walter Shaw, of the Department of Agriculture. Hon. Mr. Sharp reports the Fair a very successful one, especially in the number and quality of live stock exhibits. Mr. J. Walter Jones, of Burnaby, this Province, was one of the most successful exhibitors in Canada, carrying off a large number of first and second prizes. He also made a fine sale of one of his choice bulls to the T. Eaton Co. Ltd. Mr. Jones intends taking his herd on to the Central Canada Fair at Ottawa. The new horse barn, built since the last Fair adds greatly to the accommodation for horses, being up-to-

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### A CANADIAN INSTITUTE OF AGRICULTURE

Organization Formed For Compilation and Dissemination of Agricultural Information.

(Canadian Press)  
TORONTO, Ont., Nov. 27.—Decision was reached early tonight that a Canadian Institute of Agriculture be formed for the compilation of information on Agricultural problems and markets, and dissemination of this information to farmers of Canada. The decision followed a complete day of discussion by leading agriculturists, leaders of their associations, bankers, business leaders and representatives of provincial and Federal Governments at a round table conference. Definite decision was not reached as to what form the Association would take other than that its personnel would be almost exclusively composed of farmers or leaders of their associations. To this end a committee of agriculturists was selected to prepare a charter of such an organization and lay tentative plans for its first efforts. The step marked a definite advance in the conference of industrial, banking, commercial and transportation leaders invited to meet under the auspices of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce today and

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### Canada Well Fitted For Conference

LONDON, Nov. 27.—Canada is particularly fitted to be the scene of the next Imperial Economic Conference, the House of Lords was told by Viscount Ellbank. Its size, world importance and strategic position within the Empire are factors that give Canada a commanding role to play as host to the conference. The Conservative peer introduced a motion, congratulating the National Government on its acceptance of the Canadian

### LIEUT. GOVERNOR TO VISIT BOSTON

CHIEF JUSTICE MATHIESON WILL ACT AS ADMINISTRATOR DURING HIS HONOUR'S LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

A Dominion Order-in-Council of yesterday grants leave of absence to the Lieutenant Governor of Prince Edward Island for one month, from November 28th instant, and appoints the Hon. J. A. Mathieson, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, administrator of the Government of the Province during such absence. His Honour Lieutenant Governor Dalton is planning to leave today on a visit to Boston.

### SURVIVORS SAY NO HOPE FOR MISSING MEN

YARMOUTH, N. S., Nov. 27. (By the Canadian Press)—Homeward in borrowed boots and the clothes in which they were taken from the water on Wednesday night, six survivors of the Gloucester schooner Edith and Elinor sailed from Boston tonight on the steamer Yarmouth. An equal number of the vessels crew, who left their homes on Tuesday for the La Have fishing banks, had gone to swell the North Atlantic's long roster of the dead. They did not live to share the Thanksgiving turkey that was to make the day a bright spot in rigorous weeks on the banks. They did not even live to shout a good-bye to their fellows. When the steamer Gypsum Prince loomed out of the fog off Bacaro light to crash into the Edith and Elinor the smaller vessel went down in less than three minutes. "There's no hope of their being alive," Captain Simon Theriault said when he came ashore from the damaged Gypsum Prince at Digby this morning. "The weather was fairly warm when the thing happened, but it has turned cold since. The men for whom search proved unavailing were, Ernest Gillen, of Centreville, Digby County, Bradford Whynacht, of Gloucester, Joseph Rose, and Gus Foley, of Gloucester, James Brothers, and Youlic Lavance of Boston. Money Goodick, the engineer, a Digby county man, Alex Stack, Paul Pitts and Jim Powers, of Newfoundland, and Oscar Tidwell, were saved. They, with Captain Theriault, owed their lives to wreckage torn loose by the very violence of the impact. Government's invitation to hold the conference in Ottawa, but expressed the opinion "stress of economic conditions throughout the Empire demands the Conference meet at the earliest possible date."

### Record & Forecast of the Weather

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Toronto, Ont., Nov. 27.

MINIMUM AND MAXIMUM TEMPERATURES	
Dawson	4 30
Yancouver	28 42
Edmonton	6 30
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Regina	6 19
Winnipeg	23 16
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Ottawa	18 30
Montreal	22 28
Quebec	16 28
Saint John	22 34
Halifax	20 32
Charlottetown	24 30

FORECASTS  
Ottawa and Upper St. Lawrence Valleys—Moderate southwest winds; mostly fair and rather cold; possibly scattered snow-furries.  
Lower St. Lawrence Valley—Moderate to fresh southwest winds; partly cloudy and rather cold.  
Gulf and North Shore—Moderate to fresh west and southwest winds; partly cloudy and rather cold.  
Maritime Provinces—Moderate westerly winds; partly cloudy and rather cold.  
High tide this afternoon at 12.42 and tonight at 12.  
Sun sets this afternoon at 4.26 and rises tomorrow morning at 7.10.  
Last quarter moon Wednesday, Dec. 12.51 p.m.  
Summer tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

### FIGHTING AGAIN BREAKS OUT

Japanese Dispatches Report Heavy Fighting Going On Near Tientsin.

MUKDEN, Manchuria, Nov. 27. (A.P.)—Japanese dispatches from Tientsin said heavy fighting was going on there, the Chinese strengthened by reinforcements, using trench mortars, machine guns and infantry rifles in a heavy fire on the Japanese concession. MUKDEN, Manchuria, Nov. 27. (A.P.)—A Japanese expedition, embracing all arms and heavily munitioned, moved southwest from Mukden toward Chinchow today with the avowed purpose it is stated of expunging the last traces of the Chinese regime from the map of Manchuria. (Copyright, 1931, by the Associated Press)

### CHINCHOW, Manchuria, Nov. 27.

(A.P.)—China will defend its last military hold on southern Manchuria to the last but will not take the offensive against the Japanese, General Yang Chen told the Associated Press in an interview today. "Marshal Chang's orders are to resist any Japanese offensive against Chinchow," said the commander of all the Chinese troops outside the great wall, "but he will make no offensive movement in the direction of Mukden. "We merely hope to hold this corner of Manchuria until a turn of events—possibly through the influence of the League of Nations—enables the rightful rulers of Manchuria to return to Mukden." General Yang received the Associated Press correspondent in his military headquarters hidden in a maze of narrow, dirty streets. It is tucked away in the heart of the city and is not distinguishable from the air. It is surrounded only by a chicken wire fence and is housed in a dingy, one-story brick building with dirt floors and walls papered with California newspapers dated in 1929. The General spoke Chinese with animation and his words were interpreted by Herbert W. T. Wu Pui, a former student at United States universities. There were only 20,000 to 30,000 Chinese soldiers outside the great wall, according to General Yang, and no reinforcements had been sent since the conflict began. The only Foreign flags visible in Chinchow were six tri-colors over the French catholic mission. It is normally a city of 80,000 inhabitants who declined to a few thousands following the Japanese air raid on October 8.

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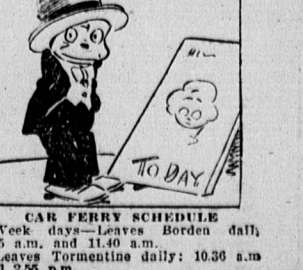
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