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490 CHURCHES NOW AGAINST UNION

Vote Now 94,100
Against, 89,928 For,
Majority Against
5,173

(Special to The Guardian)
MONTREAL, Feb. 27.—The Presbyterian Association reports that 490 congregations have now voted against union. The vote stands as follows:
For Union 89,927, against Union, 94,100, majority against Union, 5,173. In Ontario the vote stands:—
For Union, 57,140, against Union, 70,060, in Quebec the vote stands: For Union, 6,687, against Union, 7,321.

\$275,000 For St. Lawrence Water- way Engineering Company

(Special to The Guardian)
WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—The House in passing the general deficiency appropriations bill put in a provision for \$275,000 for the Lawrence Waterway Engineering Company. Because of this the Senate today dropped the item from the Rivers and Harbors Bill and will provide for it in the deficiency bill as the House had done.

N. S. Highways To Close For Motor Traffic, Mar. 1st

(Canadian Press)
HALIFAX, Feb. 27.—Owing to the exceptionally early breaking up of winter the Provincial Highway Board has issued notices advising the public that the highways of the province are closed to motor vehicle traffic from March 1st.

Condensed Specials

- RATE—4c per word, net each insertion in this column.
- CHOICE HERRING FOR SALE.—W. J. Brawders. 681-2-2711.
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ICE CREAM PRES.



MORDEN NEILSON
Of Toronto, who was elected president of the Canadian Association of Ice Cream Manufacturers at their annual meeting in Toronto. It is understood that a national advertising campaign will be undertaken shortly.

C. P. Liner Mont- Laurier Has Been Refloated

(Canadian Press)
LONDON, Feb. 27.—A despatch to Lloyds from Queenstown this afternoon stated that the Canadian Pacific liner Montlaurier which went aground near Roche Point this morning has been refloated and is now being towed to Queenstown.

Report of Allenby's Resignation Is Unfounded

(Associated Press)
CAIRO, Feb. 27.—The report published in London to the effect that Viscount Allenby had resigned as British High Commissioner for Egypt is declared to be unfounded.

Frozen Milk is De- livered On Strings In Alaska

NOME, Feb. 27.—The milkman here doesn't worry about spilling his milk. He calls from house to house and delivers a block of frozen reindeer milk or cream equal to a pint or a quart. A white cord frozen into the block of milk serves as a handle to facilitate delivering.
The blocks of milk and cream are tastily wrapped in oiled paper looking for all the world like ice cream. One feature about the milk business here is that so long as it remains frozen there is no deterioration in the quantity or quality.

Price of Eggs Drops 25 Cents

MONTREAL, Feb. 27.—Reduction of 25 cents per dozen in the price of strictly fresh eggs was made here today at Bonsecours market, the price dropping from 75 and 70 to 50 and 45 cents.

Household Science Closing Yesterday

The closing yesterday of the second short course in Household Science was a very enjoyable function. Qu to a number of visitors were present and were greatly interested in the exhibits of the various crafts taught during the term. These exhibits included millinery, dressmaking, cooking, and table service, the latter in the form of dainty and substantial refreshments, all the work of the students, and served by them. The millinery exhibits were especially admired and very complimentary remarks were heard on every side.

The class consisted of sixteen young ladies all from the country districts. A larger number had been booked for this course but owing to the recent closing of the college many of them deferred their coming to a later date. The students showed great interest in their work and were evidently well pleased with the experience they had gained during their three weeks training. The supervisor, Miss Matheson and her assistant, Miss Winslow were highly complimented by the visitors on the quality of the work done and the excellent arrangement under which it was carried out.
The next term opens on March 8th and preparations are being made for a much larger class.

LABORITES MIX PROPAGANDA AND DRAMA

LONDON, Feb. 27.—The Labor Party has gone in for dramatics. The Strand Theatre has been taken over for use on Sunday nights for purposes of recreation and propaganda by the Independent Labor Party and plays written by the party members are being presented from time to time.
The first to be given is a one-act play, "The Tomb," with a Tutankhamen setting, written by J. H. Clynes, son of J. B. Clynes, Labor's floor leader in the House of Commons. The Parliamentary Labor Club Dramatic Group has been formed, of which the young Mr. Clynes and his wife are members, and the first performance of "The Tomb" will be on March 1st.
Paris of "The Tomb" and also an opera upon which Mr. Clynes is working, were done at No. 11 Downing Street during the regime of the Ramsay MacDonald government when Mr. Clynes, senior, as Lord Privy Seal, and family were living there.

English Women To Give 10,000 Tea Parties to Aid Hospital

LONDON, Feb. 27.—Ten thousand tea parties are to be given in London in celebration of the thirty-fifth birthday of the Elizabeth Garrett Anderson Hospital, which is raising a fund of \$375,000 for improvements. The institution was founded by a woman for women and is run by women.
The parties are to be held during March, April and May and many well-known hostesses have promised to entertain at their homes to aid in collecting any amount from a farthing to as many pounds sterling as their guests care to give.

Too Many Die Before Time Says Health Bulletin

TORONTO, Feb. 27.—While the death rate in Toronto has steadily decreased since 1909, the death rate of people of more than 40 years of age is on the increase, says the monthly health bulletin issued by the Health Department.
The Medical Health Officer states that chronic heart disease, chronic Bright's disease and premature hardening of the arteries are mainly responsible for the mortality of the middle-aged. Such troubles as rheumatism, chieira, bronchitis, pyorrhea and suppurating gums have a direct effect upon the heart in later years, some of the toxic poisoning being left after the diseases have apparently disappeared.
Diet, exercise, and unwillingness to worry are other features contributing to a person's health in middle life, the bulletin states.

Another Cargo To Russia

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—Among the clearances of flour from New York on Wednesday was another cargo of flour to Russia on the steamer Wynban, destined for Novorossiysk, with 85,259 sacks. The total clearances were 98,403 sacks, the remainder going to the United Kingdom, Italy, South America and the West Indies. It is also understood that the Soviet Government is in the market for additional supplies of flour, following purchase last week of 1,350,000 barrels from Norway and Finland.
The mills are unable to make firm prices for any length of time owing to the rapid fluctuations of the wheat market, and their representatives here are encountering considerable re-sale flour below mill quotations.

BIZERTE, Tunis, Feb. 27.—The warships of the Wrangel movement, interned here since the collapse of the operations of the Russian leader against the Bolsheviks, are in a bad way.
Russian refugees have been living on board the ships for three years, and their sides are covered with clustering bunches of mussels. Neglect has wrought havoc with the engines, and competent experts doubt if the vessels ever will put to sea again.

Maritime Delegation Did Not Threat To Secede

(Canadian Press)
MONTREAL, Feb. 27.—Despite reports to the contrary there was no threat of secession made by the delegates from the Maritime Provinces when they laid their case before the Government at Ottawa yesterday, said G. Lafoley, Vice-President of the Montreal Board of Trade who accompanied the delegation to Ottawa. He said the report should never have gone out.

President Ebert's Condition More Hopeful

(Canadian Press)
BERLIN, Feb. 27.—President Ebert's physicians expressed the opinion this afternoon that he had successfully passed the crisis of his illness.

British Army Raises Bars Against Un- fit Recruits

LONDON, Feb. 27.—Of every 100 young men who applied to join the British army during 1924, about \$2 were rejected as physically unfit, it was announced recently by recruiting officers. This compares with 35 percent in 1912 and 58 percent in 1923.
Authorities disagree as to the cause, some contending the increase in the proportion of rejections was due to a raising of the standard when men come up for examination.

THINK POTATN EMBARGO IS ABOVE BOARD

Canadians in Eng. See No Attempt to Fav- or Britishers

LONDON, Feb. 27.—There is not the slightest support in any responsible Canadian quarters here for the suggestion that the embargo on the importation of Canadian potatoes is a disguised method of giving protection to the British growers.
Those Canadians in London to whose efforts credit is due for the increased importation of Canadian potatoes are the first to admit that the British minister of agriculture has acted in good faith. It prohibited the importation of United States potatoes last December because there was danger of the introduction into this country of the Colorado beetle. It is to guard against the same danger that the embargo has been extended to the Canadian potatoes.
Canadian representatives in London who take the view that the ministry's action is unnecessarily drastic and who are endeavoring to secure a relaxation do not dispute that the ministry is acting straight forwardly.
The ministry officials told The Star that there is no potato pest in England so destructive as the Colorado beetle and that Canadian growers are justified in preventing its getting established here.
Continental and Irish potatoes are free from the Colorado beetle.
It is true that there are other pests which at different times and places cause more or less trouble. But every precaution is taken to prevent diseased potatoes coming from the continent and an embargo would be placed on continental supplies whenever it was necessary.
If the embargo was intended as a disguised tariff protection to the British growers, it would be more effective against continental supplies which are large, than against Canadian importations, which are

Interesting Fig- ures On The Price Of Bread

LONDON, Feb. 27.—Some interesting figures dealing with the rise to eleven pence of the four pound loaf in England were given at the annual meeting of the chamber of shipping of the United Kingdom by John Denholm, its newly elected president, today.
Denholm is a prominent shipowner and engaged in the West Indies sugar trade.
The new president said that the total cost of carriage of Canadian wheat from Calgary to London amounted to seventy-two shillings a unit, of which fifty-eight went to the railways and fourteen to the liner. In other words the transport cost represented one and a half pence on a four pound loaf, of which the liner got a farthing and the railways a penny and a farthing.
Referring to Canadian criticism in connection with ocean cattle rates Denholm said that Canada must realize she could not exclude British goods and obtain the same favorable freight rates from Canada. Before the war as much as 50 per cent of the steamer space on the voyage to Canada was unoccupied. Now it ran into seventy-five or even ninety per cent, he pointed out.

Town Topics

Tid-bits on the tip of Everybody's Tongue

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Ribbons Or Chocolates?

First business man: "Where do you buy your typewriter ribbons?" Second business man (absentmindedly): "I don't—I buy her chocolates instead."
—Moires have what is considered the finest box making plant in Canada, manufacturing boxes and shocks not only for themselves, but a dozen other important firms. Still, considering the quality of Chocolates, there may be a little exaggeration in what one manufacturer said: "I hear you have a very fine box plant and that you manufacture shocks as good as your Chocolates."

Alien Land Law Be- fore Japanese Diet

(Canadian Press)
LONDON, Feb. 27.—The Japanese government has again submitted to the Diet the Alien Land Law of 1910 which has never been promulgated says a despatch to Reuters from Tokio.
The present bill the message states amends the law to permit the right of land ownership to any resident alien except people of those countries now granting similar rights to Japanese.

Wind Razes Wall, 7 Killed 15 Injured

(Canadian Press)
SARREBOURG, France, Feb. 27.—Seven persons were killed and fifteen injured yesterday when the workshop in which they were employed was crushed by a wall blown over by the wind. It is feared there were other victims.

Four Killed in Train Crash

(Canadian Press)
GARDNER, Me., Feb. 27.—Four men were killed today when a westbound freight on the Maine Central Railroad crashed into an Amosook potato train standing on the siding at Farmington, one mile east of this city. The bodies of two men and feet of two others were visible in the wreckage but it was impossible to extricate any of the bodies or to identify them until the arrival of the wrecking crane.
The dead men were caretakers of the shipment of potatoes.

Fire Takes Heavy Toll in Saint Paul's, Minn.

(Canadian Press)
ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 27.—More than \$250,000 loss was suffered today when fire gutted the Henricks building in the business district here. Two persons are still unaccounted for.

Three Men Killed In Collision

(Canadian Press)
MONTREAL, Feb. 27.—Three men are dead from injuries received this morning when the C. P. R. local from Calumet ran into a snowplow near La Chute station, Quebec. All were members of the snow plow crew.

500,000 Bushels Potatoes Barred

(Canadian Press)
OTTAWA, Feb. 27.—Half million bushels of potatoes are now in New Brunswick and are barred from Gt. Britain by the embargo because of the presence of the Colorado beetle. New Brunswick shippers are seeking a western market.

Fire Destroys Canadian Cutter

HALIFAX, Feb. 27.—The Canadian government revenue cutter Sagamore, wooden, 351 tons, was totally destroyed by a fire of unknown origin which broke out in the after hold at 3 a. m.
The crew of fifteen had narrow escapes.

GYPSY KING BANS FORTUNE TELLING

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—King Frank, newly-crowned monarch of the gypsies in the U. S., has announced as the keynote of his policy the decree that his subjects must stop fortune telling. He also advocates that his people settle, vote and send their children to school.
Thus the king, whose title and jurisdiction are based on customs and laws extending back to the Middle Ages, advocates the abolishment of customs that the gypsies have followed for centuries. The king himself is quite a modern person who wears long trousers and no crown, and is known in private life as Frank Mitchell. His symbols of sovereignty are a ball and sceptre and a gold-plated round hat. He lives in a teeming Manhattan street.

Measure Against Race Betting Handbook

(Special to The Guardian)
OTTAWA, Feb. 27.—Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Minister of Justice, announced in the House that a government anti-handbook measure, similar to that introduced two years ago would be brought down this session.
It is understood that the proposed legislation would make it illegal for anyone to publish racing tips, odds, and other information used by the gambling fraternity in placing bets. Such a measure is at most certain to be adopted by the Commons and go forward to the Senate.

More Trial Ship- ments Of Coal Will Be Sent

EDMONTON, Alta., Feb. 27.—The provincial government is considering making further trial shipments of Alberta coal to the Ontario markets during the present year, according to an announcement made by Premier Herbert Greenfield, following a conference with the Hon. Chas. Stewart, minister of the interior.
"Tentative plans have been completed, but, of course, there are several matters still to be gone into before definite steps are taken," the premier stated.

Report of Invasion Lacks Confirmation

(Canadian Press)
LONDON, Feb. 27.—The reported invasion of Transjordan by ten thousand Wahabi tribesmen lacks confirmation and thus far there has been a tendency to regard it at least as exaggerated.

Bold Bandits Prosper

SOFIA, Bulgaria, Feb. 27.—Outwitting an armed guard of more than 200 men, five masked robbers the other evening walked into the station hours before the main railway station and made off with the entire day's receipts, estimated at 2,000,000 leva.
The ease with which the robbery was accomplished has caused newspaper comment concerning the facility with which the government could be overthrown by bold adventurers.

The Weather, Etc.

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**The Store of Wright Bros. Victoria, will be closed for one week for stock taking, beginning Monday, March 2nd, next, signed E. H. Wright. 672-2-28-11.

MAY VISIT US



GYPSY SMITH
The world famous evangelist, who has been preaching to thousands in the notorious East End of London, England, may soon be seen and heard again in Canada. He has received numerous invitations to come to Canada and says, "If they can wait until I've fulfilled a promise to go to Australia and New Zealand, I'll come over to Canada."

NOVA SCOTIA GOV'T. SCORED IN HOUSE

(Canadian Press)
HALIFAX, Feb. 27.—The first clash between the Government and Opposition in the local House of Assembly which opened yesterday, occurred this afternoon when Premier Armstrong and D. G. MacKenzie, leader of the opposition spoke on the address in reply to the Speech from the Throne. Mr. MacKenzie scored the Government for the unsettled state of industry and production and the Premier accused the Opposition of belittling the Government's accomplishments while enlarging upon the country's disadvantages. He prophesied a complete vindication of the Government when it goes to the people.

DOINGS IN THE DOMINION HOUSE

Freight Rate Discriminations to be Removed by Legislation.
(Canadian Press)
OTTAWA, Feb. 27.—The rate discriminations which are perpetrated by the judicial decision of the Supreme Court in its judgment yesterday in the Crow's Nest rate case will be removed by legislation to be introduced shortly.
As things now stand in the light of the judgment, the Crow's Nest schedule of rates is re-established, but limited to lines of the Canadian Pacific as they existed in 1897 when the agreement was made. At that time the Canadian Pacific mileage affected was 7,300 today it is over fourteen thousand. With the low rates thus restricted to certain points, in the application of discriminations become rampant and they apply to the West as well as to the East. One place is denied what another, a hundred miles or less away, is conceded. Instances of this are multiplied to an amazing degree. Remedial legislation is conceded to be necessary. It is not yet decided whether the bill will be put through the House as an ordinary government measure or referred to a special committee but the former course is probable.

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