MAXIMS OF A MERCHANT

Now this good old world does need men who will not enter the wild race for gold; who will not debauch the sweep of a mighty brain; whose influence is not on the block to be sold to the highest bidder; God give us sun-crowned men like that!

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The mother hungering for the love of her baby a month old bends over it with a smile; she has laid a telegraphic cable form this continent of humanity to the little island—and the very first message flashed under that sea is one of love.

GERMANS FAIL IN ATTEMPT TO FLY ACROSS ATLANTIC

After A Twenty-Two Hour Battle With Storm And Fog The Monoplane Bremen Gave Up The Attempt And Returned To Dessau.

DESSAU, Germany, Aug. 16.—Beaten but still grimly determined to conquer the Atlantic, the four sturdy German airmen who hopped off from Dessau late yesterday afternoon in an attempt to achieve first honors for a westward air passage tonight were back at their starting point after defying storm and lightning in an heroic effort to reach their goal. The pilots Herman Koehle and Friederich Loose, after a nerve-wracking 22 hour battle with the storm and fog which carried them beyond the west coast of Ireland dropped in on Dessau in their monoplane Bremen almost unobserved at a time when hope was still high that they were speeding across the Atlantic to the North American coast.

At almost the same hour their flying comrades, Cornelius Edseard and Johann Risticz of the monoplane Europa which only recently shattered the endurance flight record, arrived at Dessau from Bremen where they had been forced to land last night after a losing duel of nearly five hours with North Sea storms and fogs.

JUDGMENT FILED YESTERDAY BY CHIEF JUSTICE MATHIESON

In Regard To The "Nellie J. Banks" Case. Writ Of Replevin Set Aside.

Canada, Province of
Prince Edward Island

In the Supreme Court
In Chambers

Edward J. Dicks ——— Plaintiff
-and-
George H. Barbour —— Defendant

16 August,
A. D., 1927.

This is an application by the defendant to set aside the Writ of Replevin issued in this cause.

The facts are to be gathered from the affidavits submitted by the respective parties. From those presented on behalf of the defendant on his application herein it appears that defendant is the District Chief Customs-Excise Preventative Service of the Department of Customs and Inland Revenue of Canada at Charlottetown in said Island and that he held that office and was acting in that capacity throughout all his acts and proceedings in relation to this matter. The defendant deposes that on the 23rd day of July, A. D., 1927, the Dominion Revenue Cruiser Bayfield arrived in the port of Charlottetown aforesaid having in tow the schooner Nellie J. Banks, which schooner the captain of the Cruiser "Bayfield" handed over to the deponent in the port of Charlottetown as one that he had captured for violation of the Customs laws

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NO-CONFIDENCE VOTE MOVED BY LABOR LEADER

The motion Was Seconded by Another Member of the Labor Party—President Cosgrave Declares He Will Support any Coalition Govt. for the Good of the Country.

(Special to the Guardian)

DUBLIN, Ireland, Aug. 16.—Tom Johnson, leader of the Labor Party in the Dail, today moved a vote of non-confidence in the government of William T. Cosgrave. The motion was seconded by another member of the Labor party.

President Cosgrave immediately obtained the floor and in a speech said he was ready to support any coalition government for the good of the country.

The text of Johnson's motion was: "That the executive council has ceased to retain the support of a majority of the Dail." He explained that the motion was designed to test the views of the Dail regarding the government's continuing in office. The laborite alleged that Cosgrave had failed in his social and industrial programme and that whatever public confidence he retained had been lessened by the recent passage of the public safety act and the electoral amendment act.

"We are going to give the treaty and the constitution our full support and maintenance," said Johnson, referring to the creation of the Irish Free State. The public gallery cheered.

LATER

DUBLIN, Aug. 16. — The laborite non-confidence motion, directed against President Cosgrave's Free State Government, was defeated in the Dail today by the closest of margins. The division was a tie with 70 on each side when the speaker of the Dail cast the deciding vote.

CHARLOTTETOWN TURNS OUT "EN MASSE" TO WELCOME THE PRIME MINISTER OF GREAT BRITAIN AND PARTY

Crowds Congregated At The Railway Station And Provincial Building Long Before The Party Arrived. Addresses Of Welcome Presented By Acting Premier George Inman And Mayor Miller. Premier Baldwin Replies In A Glowing Tribute To The Island. Party Will Leave This Morning At Nine O'clock By H. M. S. Capetown.

Never before, perhaps, have the people of Charlottetown turned out in such multitudes to welcome in so demonstrative a manner as they welcomed Premier and Mrs. Baldwin, any distinguished visitor to the Province. Long before the time scheduled for the arrival of the party, large crowds had congregated before the Provincial Building and about the Railway Station in order to obtain a position of advantage when the Prime Minister of Great Britain and his party should arrive.

At 8.45 a burst of cheering announced the arrival at the station of the special which conveyed the party from Borden to Charlottetown. Here they were met by His Honour Lieutenant Governor Heartz and Mrs. Heartz, Honourable G. S. Inman, K. C., Acting Premier, Honourable W. M. Lea, Provincial Treasurer and Minister of Agriculture, Hon. J. P. MacIntyre, Minister of Public Works, and His Worship Mayor Miller. After greetings had been exchanged the party were conveyed by auto through the streets lined with onlookers to the Provincial Building. On arriving here the party including a large number of newspapermen who accompanied the Prime Minister, assembled in the Confederation Chamber. It was originally planned to have the addresses of welcome read to the Prime Minister in this Chamber but Premier Baldwin expressed the wish of having all addresses and replies thereto presented on the balcony before the people. Consequently the party repaired to the balcony where, amid loud cheering, Premier Baldwin was introduced to the people by Lieut.-Governor Heartz as "perhaps the most important man who has ever visited us."

The first address of welcome was that from the Government and presented by Acting Premier George Inman, which read as follows:

To
The Right Honourable
Stanley Baldwin, P. C., D. C. L., L. L. D., Prime Minister of Great Britain

Right Honourable Sir:

On behalf of the Government and people of Prince Edward Island we extend to you a most hearty welcome.

As Prime Minister in the "Mother of Parliaments" you will be interested to know that in Charlottetown and in this Chamber, as recorded upon the Mural Bronze on yonder wall, delegates from the Provinces of Canada assembled on September 1st, 1864, and inaugurated the initial steps leading to the formation of the Empire's first Dominion.

We observe with interest that you are the first Prime Minister of the Homeland to have visited Canada, and it is indeed a pleasing coincidence that since your arrival you celebrated, on August 3rd, the Diamond Jubilee of your birth which so nearly coincides with the birthday of a united Canada.

All parts of the Empire have a unity of interest in the public measures and public men of the Motherland. The marked courage and wisdom shown by you under most trying circumstances have won for you the admiration of all British subjects, and we are confident that the judgment of history will place you high in the list of those illustrious statesmen who have served their country well.

To Mrs. Baldwin we express the hope that this visit, though all too brief, has been to her as it has been to us a source of much pleasure, and we trust that in less strenuous days you may both come back again.

Following this His Worship Mayor Miller on behalf of the people of Charlottetown presented the following address:

The Right Honourable Stanley Baldwin, Prime Minister of Great Britain, etc.

Right Honourable Sir:

It is a matter of unusual pleasure to the Mayor and Corporation of the City of Charlottetown, to extend to you the greetings of our fellow citizens, and to bid you a most cordial welcome.

We would be unworthy indeed of the trust reposed in us did we not assure you of our great appreciation of the opportunity which you have given us of greeting a British Prime Minister for the first time in the "Daughter's House."

While we cannot hope to dazzle you with external splendour in our reception, yet, we feel we can give you evidence of that which will appeal to you in a wider sense, our genuine hospitality, our deep-rooted attachment to His Gracious Majesty, King George, and our admiration of the Prime Minister and British Institutions.

But recently we had the honour of a visit from His Excellency our Governor-General and his wife, Viscountess Willingdon, and had also the pleasure and privilege of entertaining Their Excellencies sufficiently long to form the opinion that, while Canada has been most fortunate in her Governor-Generals in the past, yet, in our present Chief Representative of the Crown, we have even a greater than has been, while Her Excellency is simply charming. We express ourselves thus frankly to you, Right Honourable Sir, to assure you of our appreciation of a selection in which you had an advisory interest.

You come to us, Sir, not as a stranger, but as a "Brother of the Realm", and as such we greet you with delight. We know of your great endeavour in early life to bring about a more friendly feeling between Capital and Labour, your unselfish devotion to the Crown of your private means and great ability during the late war, and, as Prime Minister, of your Diplomacy in bringing about the Locarno Treaties and the settlement of the great strike in such a happy manner. With such a splendid record to date may we not believe that, when future historians write of Britain's Prime Ministers, the name appearing foremost in the galaxy of great and noble men, will be that of Stanley Baldwin.

To your estimable wife, we also extend our most respectful greetings and sincerely trust that even the limited time with us may create a desire to return for a more extended visit.

With every assurance of our devotion to His Gracious Majesty, our great appreciation of your visit and prayer for your safe return, we subscribe for ourselves and citizens.

Respectfully and obediently,
L. B. Miller, Mayor.
G. P. Nicholson, City Clerk.
K. J. Martin, City Recorder.
City Councillors
T. W. L. Prowse
I. J. Yeo, M. D. C. M.
F. C. Dougan, D. M. D.
Wm. Moran,
E. A. Foster,
A. A. Hennessey,
Jas. E. Blanchard, D. D. S.
Samuel Kennedy.

Premier Baldwin then turned toward the people to reply to the welcome, and after a long pause due to the prolonged applause which greeted his action, he in part, said: "Your Honour, Mr. Premier, Your Worship: You have conferred a great honour upon me this evening in the addresses presented from your government and the city. I think they were far too generous in their wording, but I accept and welcome that spirit of brotherhood in the address, that recognizes that all are brothers in this Empire who are doing their duty as far as they are able.

I had two or three good reasons to see Prince Edward Island. Firstly, I have learned to love the Island from the stories of Miss Montgomery. I wanted to see Green Gables and to meet Anne. Again this is a province famed for its happiness and prosperity. You have here rec soil—my home soil which grows the best crops and finest fruits in the world and I hope you are doing the

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THE RT. HON. STANLEY BALDWIN
Prime Minister of Great Britain

Princes Entertained At Hunt Club Ball

(Special to the Guardian)

CALGARY, Aug. 16.—In a beautifully decorated ballroom, peopled with many prominent personages of Calgary and members of the younger social set the Prince of Wales and Prince George his brother last night were entertained by the officers of the Calgary Drag Hunt Club. A serial event of the season, the ball wound up a day of activity for the Royal brothers who after dancing into the early morning hours left early this morning for Banff en route to the Pacific Coast.

On Last Lap Of Canadian Tour

(Special to the Guardian)

OTTAWA, Ont., Aug. 16.—Premier and Mrs. Baldwin left Ottawa this afternoon for the Maritime Provinces on the last lap of their Canadian tour. Both the British Prime Minister and his gracious wife looked the picture of health after their trip through Ontario and the Canadian west. They were in a happy frame of mind and joked with Viscount and Lady Willingdon and members of the Dominion cabinet who were at the station to bid them "bon voyage."

The last thing Premier Baldwin did in Ottawa was to go up street and buy a tin of his favorite tobacco. He came back arm-in-arm with Lord Willingdon. "You didn't forget your tobacco, dear," Mrs. Baldwin reminded. "No I have it here," replied the Prime Minister, displaying his parcel. The Baldwins shook hands with the Willingdons and the Cabinet ministers and climbed aboard their special car. While the train waited for the semophore they stood on the observation platform laughing and joking.

"I wonder what is keeping us," said the Premier to the Governor-General. "Give us a push," laughingly suggested Mrs. Baldwin to Lady Willingdon. The Baldwins talked of the wonderful time they had had on their tour and of their desire to come again. Everybody was in the happiest mood but at the same time very sorry to see the departure of the British Premier and his wife who have done much in the short space of two weeks to increase the admiration of Canadians for the people of the Motherland.

Only Three Planes Left In Air

(Canadian Press)

BULLETIN, MUNICIPAL AIRPORT, Cal., Aug. 16.—Less than an hour after the take-off today in the $35,000 Dole air derby only three of the eight planes officially entered were left in the air. The three were the Golden Eagle piloted by Jack Frost, New York, the Alha, by Bartin Jensen, Honolulu, and the Woolarac by Arthur C. Goebel, Hollywood.

Three returned after the take-off because of plane trouble, one smashed on the run way and one failed to get off the ground in two attempts. Ninth entry was disqualified just before the start.

Maritime southwest winds, fair and warm.

Maximum and minimum temperatures:

Toronto, clear,	70—52
Montreal, cloudy	64—54
Quebec, cloudy	66—50
Charlottetown, fair	68—56
Halifax, cloudy	64—54
Saint John, clear	62—52
Boston, clear	78—56
New York, cloudy	72—56

High tide tonight at 1.47 and tomorrow afternoon at 2.21.

Sun sets this evening at 7.08, and rises tomorrow morning at 5.02.

Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

TAKING THE OATH WITH RESERVATIONS

Lord Birkenhead, Secretary of State for India, Comments on Action of De Valera and Followers.

LONDON, Aug. 16. —Lord Birkenhead, secretary for India, is the first member of the British cabinet to comment on the action of Eamonn de Valera and his followers in the Fianna Fail Republican party in taking oath of allegiance with reservations, as they announced it and taking their places in the Dail Eireann.

In a statement to the Daily Mail, Lord Birkenhead who was responsible for the drafting of the oath of allegiance embodied in the Anglo-Irish treaty creating the Irish Free State, said:

"No modification of the substance of the Irish Free State oath to the British Empire could be assented to by Great Britain without fundamental disloyalty to the whole Imperial conception while further disloyalties hardly less grave would be involved."

Lord Birkenhead's statement admittedly was made in his own behalf, without consulting his colleague and he added that as far as he himself was concerned nothing in the world would induce him to whittle down the oath or allow its substance to be impaired.

The present political crisis in Ireland, he said, was primarily one for solution by the Free State leaders themselves. He thought it all to the good that the de Valerites had taken their places in the Dail and he did not doubt some explanation would eventually be forthcoming as to the ethical process of reasoning which enabled men of professed piety to take an oath in the name of God which they said they did not intend to keep.

Incidentally he paid tribute heartily to the loyalty of President Cosgrave of the Free State cabinet and his colleagues toward the treaty, adding:

"Greater loyalty there could not be."

Was One Of Country's Richest Men

(Special to the Guardian)

NEW YORK, Aug. 16. —Just what Judge Gary's fortune might be no one today could say. In 1915 it was estimated at $50,000,000, but in ten years following it doubled, trebled, or even went beyond that a financier said today. Many persons ranked him among the upper ten of the country's richest men.

Announcements, Coming Events, Meetings Etc

**Georgetown Horse Races Wednesday, August 31st. Bigger and better than ever. 8546-8-16-3i

**Come to festival at Ebenezer School, Wednesday evening, August 17th. 8554-8-16-2.

**Reserve Wednesday, August 25th for a good time in Elliott Hall. 8581

**Crapaud Anglican Tea Party next Saturday 20th inst. Brass band in attendance. See posters for particulars. 8547-8-16-3i

**Coming! Stupendous show, Tumbleweeds—Bill Hart. Souris, Thursday; Montague, Saturday 8569-8-17-2i

**St. Peter's Tea Wednesday, Aug. 17th. Everybody welcome. If the 17th not fine, come the next day. 8283 8 4 12i

**Come to Ice Cream Social Cavendish, Thursday, August 18th. Grounds opposite United Church. 8524-8-15-3i

**Women's Institute of Bay Fortune will hold an ice-cream festival on Thursday, Aug. 18th. in Ried Underhay's Field. 8526-8-15-4i.

**St. Catherines Lawn Party Friday night, August 19th. A great time expected. Bonfires, tug of war, dancing and other amusements. Hurrah! Let's go! 8562

**Come to the Ice Cream Festival at Cornwall Rink Thursday, August 18th. Please note change of date. Proceeds for Mission Band. 8410-8-13-4i.

**Notice, all interested in the Rural Telephone line at Kingston please be on hand Saturday, 20th, inst to start work on the extensions starting at Fred Beer mill. 8573

**Notice—The Women's Missionary Society of the United Church Murray River are giving a Sacred Concert on Sunday, Aug. 21st at 7.30 p. m. A silver collection will be taken for missions. A welcome to all.

Uncertainty Results From General's Resignation

(Special to the Guardian)

SHANGHAI, Aug. 16. —General Chaing Kai Shek's resignation as commander-in-chief of the Nanking National forces has resulted in the utmost uncertainty for future developments in the Yangtse valley. Quo Tai Chi, vice minister for foreign affairs of the Nanking government and the only official available, said that the action undoubtedly would bring union of the Nanking and Hankow governments, permitting renewal of the military campaign in the north.

Important Nanking civilian officials could not be seen. Quo Tai Chi declared that the military leaders were more firmly in control than ever, with civilians doing their bidding. Foreigners in Shanghai received Chiang Kai-Shek's resignation as an indication of unquestionable weakness of the Nationalist cause, believing Nanking and Shanghai doomed to pass into the hands of the northerners. It was anticipated that the Nationalist programme of increased taxes would fail to materialize.

Will Sail For Canada Aug. 26

(Special to the Guardian)

OTTAWA, Ont., Aug. 16.—Hon. J. A. Robb, Finance Minister, will sail on August 26th for Canada after a six weeks trip in Great Britain and France. He is expected to be back in his office in Ottawa on September 6th.

**Inquire Re Chronic Diseases 112 Prince Street, Dr. Clift. Don't delay, recovery in next three months. 6063-tl Sept 3.

**Baptist Missionary Meeting.—There will be a meeting of the Baptist Women's Missionary Aid Society at the Manse, North River, on Thursday afternoon, August 18. 8563

**Cranberries and Blueberries. A public lecture and discussion will be held by the Horticulturist Department of Agriculture at West St. Peters School Monday, Aug. 15th, St. Peters Harbour School, Wednesday, Aug. 17th, Goose River School, Thursday, Aug. 18th. 8404-8-13-4i

J. Ogden Armour Dead

(Canadian Press)

LONDON, Aug. 16. — J. Ogden Armour, Chicago packer and Capitalist died here of heart failure this afternoon.

Grain Exported Through U. S. Ports

(Canadian Press)

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16. — Canadian grain exported last week through the United States ports amounted to 1,476,000 bushels against 715,000 for the week before.

Mob Attempt To Storm Jail

(Canadian Press)

PANAMA, Aug. 16. — Eight persons are reported to be dead and many injured as a consequence of an attempt to storm the jail at Buenaventure yesterday. The despatches say the mob wanted to get hold of and lynch a policeman described as responsible for the shooting to death of a prominent citizen.

Unable to obtain arms, the crowd used rocks and sticks freely as the police and a handful of soldiers tried to force them back. Reinforcements had to be required from the nearby town of Cali.

Cotton Produced Cheaply In India

(Canadian Press)

WILLIAMSTOWN, Mass., Aug. 16. — Unreliability of the United States cotton supply and the increase of United States spinning has induced Great Britain to stimulate cotton production within the Empire, Professor John A. Todd, of the London Cotton Exchange told the Institute of Politics today.

India and South Africa he said, can now produce cotton more cheaply than the United States. He said that India can raise cotton at a lower cost than any country in the world today, it being only a question of time until competing with the United States.

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