

Bicycles Supreme In Holland

MONTREAL, Que., Nov. 7 — In Holland, apart from natural deterrents, motor buses are not permitted to compete freely with the railways which are state-owned.

The standard of living and purchasing power in Holland are above the European average and there is a growing use of private automobiles, however, notwithstanding the disadvantages before mentioned.

Sir Arthur Currie Ill

(Canadian Press) MONTREAL, Nov. 7.—Sir Arthur Currie is seriously ill in the Royal Victoria Hospital here.

The principal of McGill University and Commander-in-Chief of the Canadian Corps in France, was admitted to hospital today.

BIRTHS

SINCLAIR—At the Mansie, Valleyfield on November 5th, to Rev. D. M. and Mrs. Sinclair, a son, John Campbell.

PHILLIPS—At the P. E. Island Hospital, Nov. 4, 1935, to Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Phillips, City, a daughter, Anita Ellen.

DAVIDSON—At the P. E. Island Hospital on Nov. 7, 1935, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Davidson, City, a son.

DEATHS

SMITH—At Appin Road, Nov. 7, 1935, Mrs. James Smith, aged 70 years. Funeral Thursday, service starting at 2 o'clock.

ENMAN—At his home Vernon, Nov. 7, 1935, William D. Enman, age 78 years. Funeral Thursday 9th, at 2 o'clock. Interment at Vernon River Cemetery.

MACLEOD—Died at Vernon River Nov. 7, 1935, Malcolm MacLeod, aged 78 years. Funeral Thursday at 1.30 to Orwell Head Cemetery.

MACKEY—Died at French River, Daniel Mackay, November 7th, aged 84 years. Funeral Thursday, Nov. 9th at 2 p. m. from home of deceased. Interment Geddie Memorial Cemetery, New London.

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SIMON OPENS DEBATE ON DISARMAMENT

(By George Hambleton, Canadian Press Staff Writer) LONDON, Nov. 7.—(Canadian Press Cable)—The British Government struck out with equal force today at those who would have Britain disarm regardless of other nations and those who would abandon international efforts towards peace and disarmament.

Sir John Simon, Foreign Secretary, delivered the eagerly-awaited statement of British policy in the present disarmament stalemate to a packed House of Commons, assembled after the summer recess, in opening general debate on disarmament.

To Sir Stafford Cripps, Labor spokesman, Sir John remarked sarcastically that the former's statement Britain had done nothing for disarmament is a classic example of the morbid delight some Englishmen take in face of the plainest facts in fouling their own nest.

"When an appeal is made for fair play for Germany, are we not entitled to demand fair play for Britain too?"

Thunderously Cheered A thunder of cheers from the government benches interrupted him.

On the other hand, the Foreign Secretary declared with emphasis, "at a time like this, when the international system set up since the war is in jeopardy, we have declared ourselves without any qualification believers in and upholders of the League of Nations as the best possible instrument for international peace."

"We shall not get out of our difficulties by trying for isolation when the conditions for isolation have disappeared. We have an immense moral authority to assert and we shall use it by making no special or secret alliance with or against any country, but work for friendship and peace between all."

Heads Labor Keynote of the Labor challenge was set by George Lansbury, the veteran Laborite who is now leading the party, when he set forth a Labor policy demanding as the ultimate aim total disarmament of all nations. He would substitute an international police force.

Jammed to the doors as the members flocked back for the important session, the House had previously heard Neville Chamberlain announce a token payment to the United States on the December war debt instalment, and Walter Runciman's announcement Britain would withdraw from the World Tariff Truce, both of which evoked cheers.

Opening the disarmament debate Sir John said he frankly recognized the gravity of the present situation; nevertheless "deplorably exaggerated statements" had been made concerning it.

He gave facts and figures to show exactly how substantially Great Britain had reduced her forces. He called it an outrage for anyone to seek to exploit British sentiment by pretending there was any difference between the government and the opposition in the desire for peace.

He declared Great Britain "is using and will continue to use every effort to promote international conciliation and disarmament. Her main policy must be to reconcile the French and German cases."

Will Continue Efforts But whether Germany remained in or out, the British would continue their efforts towards agreement on a disarmament convention, he emphasized.

Defence Council Sums Up Case In Coal Probe

(Canadian Press) QUEBEC, Nov. 7.—Proof of the existence of a combine—as charged against six coal companies now before the Court of King's Bench—must be established by the Crown before letters and documents relating to activities of the accused companies may be introduced as evidence, said Lucien Cannon, K. C., defence counsel, in his summing up of the case for the defence today.

"The Crown has not placed before the Court proof of the existence of a combine, the only evidence being adduced in the form of correspondence between the accused companies," said Mr. Cannon. "The proper procedure would have been to establish the existence of this combine, independently of any correspondence. I wish to make very clear that letters and messages, to be taken as proof must result from the combine mentioned in the indictment."

Mr. Cannon had not finished his summing up when Court adjourned until tomorrow. He is expected to conclude tomorrow—about three weeks after the beginning of the trial. Preliminary moves against five other coal companies under a similar charge are then scheduled to come before the court.

Hay Crop In England And Wales

The progress of events has continued to indicate the probability of a shortage of high-quality hay in England and Wales before next year's harvest is available, writes Mr. Harrison Watson, Canadian Trade Commissioner in London, in the forthcoming issue of the Commercial Intelligence Journal.

Einstein May Not Teach At Princeton

PRINCETON, N. J., Nov. 7.—After two weeks spent largely in seclusion, it became evident today that Professor Albert Einstein will not teach in the first term of the new institute of advanced study at Princeton University.

In fact to nineteen mathematicians from the faculties of American and European universities who have come here in high hopes of sitting at the feet of the master, whether he will get around to teaching at all during the six months of his stay here is entirely speculative.

But they do not feel critical of the great savant because of that. They think he is formulating a new theorem and it is their hope that he will announce it while they are here.

Announcements of Einstein theories are important. His first announcement made when he was a very young man scrapped all previous concepts of time and space. Years later he announced a theory that replaced Newton's law concerning the law of gravitation—both milestones in the history of scientific thought.

While he has been on the Princeton campus, Einstein has spent practically all his time in his room in the little white clapboard Peacock Inn, even having all his meals served there. His first meeting with a group of the faculty was last night, when he and Mrs. Einstein attended a dinner in his honor.

COCOANUTS The island of Jamaica in the British West Indies exported 27,499,779 coconuts for the period of January 1st to September 30th, 1935, an increase of 699,822 over the same period last year states the Canadian National Steamship Co. Scarcely a voyage of ships of this line to Canada is made but what coconuts form a part of the cargo.

J. D. JENKINS. made it clear Britain would stand by her signature. It was a purely defensive pact, he said, and was a contribution to stabilizing forces in Europe which had not exhausted its beneficial influence.

Britain To Retire From Tariff Truce

Notifies Powers That She Will No Longer Be Under Agreement After Dec.

(C.P. Cable)—LONDON, Nov. 7.—In view of the defections from the World Tariff Truce negotiated in London last June the British Government considers the pact is no longer of any practical value, and consequently the United Kingdom will withdraw from it on Dec. 7.

Free State, Sweden and Switzerland have given notices of withdrawal while France and Denmark have made substantial reservations. Anglo-Soviet trade negotiations figured prominently in the question period and Mr. Runciman stated the negotiations were continuing but it was not possible at this juncture to make any detailed statement.

When members pointed to the extreme adverse balance of trade with Russia last August, and to the long-standing claims of British Nationals for reparations arising from the Communist revolution, Mr. Runciman merely replied all the various facts would be considered in the course of the negotiations.

RUSSIAN ENVOY ARRIVES IN WASHINGTON

(By Sam Bledsoe, Associated Press Staff Writer) WASHINGTON, Nov. 7.—Extended hand of Secretary of State Cordell Hull as smiling Maxim Litvinoff left his special train at the Union Station today, symbolizing the approaching conferences which may mean speedy recognition by the United States of Soviet Russia.

The stocky Soviet Commissar of Foreign Affairs greeted the Secretary of State warmly. Then, beaming and chuckling, he turned to meet other waiting representatives of the American Government.

Known for his habit of going quickly to the point, Litvinoff in a statement to newspapermen in New York left no doubt that he hoped for recognition quickly.

The schedule arranged for him pointed to a speedy decision. He called on President Roosevelt late this afternoon and the foundation for an understanding might have been laid there, although the visit was scheduled as a formality.

Tomorrow, however, Secretary Hull and the Soviet representative will get down to business, preliminary to meetings between President Roosevelt and Litvinoff later tomorrow and Thursday.

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(Continued from Page 1) time by reason of the unsettled economic and financial situation, and they have accordingly informed the United States Government they are prepared to make on Dec. 15 next a further payment of \$7,500,000 in American currency in acknowledgment of the debt pending a final settlement.

"His Majesty's Government have stated they are ready to resume negotiations on the general question whenever after consultation with the President it may appear that this can usefully be done."

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7.—(A.P.)—An end to international debt negotiations until the world monetary situation has clarified was signalled today at the conclusion of the discussions between Great Britain and the United States.

The announcement of the completion of the British talks was

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An Exhibition

Of paintings by Mabel McCulloch (Mrs. D. M. Gass) at her studio, 107 Queen St., Nov. 10th and 11th, 10-12 and 2-4.

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lottetown. In September the number of patrols was forty, the mileage covered being 1,900 miles.

Since the first of the year eleven cars and three motor boats have been seized in the enforcement of the liquor laws.

Among the larger seizures made by the officers since last March might be mentioned the following:

St. Peter's District: 96 gallons of alcohol, 18 1/2 gallons of whiskey; 3 gallons gin; 5 gallons rum, 5 kegs rum.

Grand Tracadie: Two seizures, one of 10 gallons, another 45 gallons of rum.

Summerside: 230 bottles of whiskey.

North Rustico: 15 gallons alcohol. It is also interesting to note that in ninety-nine cases out of a hundred, prosecutions are obtained on information secured by the police officers themselves. Many anonymous communications are received, purporting to give names of witnesses but when taken into court these cases usually result in dismissal due to unreliable or inadequate evidence.

Questioned on this point by a Guardian representative, Inspector Judd stated the difficulty of obtaining convictions was enhanced by the unwillingness of many citizens to give specific information, who nevertheless claimed to be in a position to do so. He asked the reporter to emphasize the fact that in all cases communications are treated as strictly confidential, and are thoroughly investigated.

No political interference of any kind has been offered in the enforcement of the law. "Whenever we have laid an information," declared Inspector Fripps on this point, "the case has always gone before the courts and been disposed of."

Another factor in effective enforcement has been the active co-operation of the Board of Prohibition Commissioners. Irregularity in the issuing of prescriptions, which has always been a problem under the Prohibition law, is being dealt with vigorously. The attention of every doctor in the Province has been called by the Commission to the need of strict compliance with the law. Two letters and an excerpt from the Act dealing with this subject, have been sent to every doctor, appealing for their fullest co-operation. Each of the sixty-five doctors in the Province has been notified that lists and addresses of residents of suspected premises have been prepared both for Charlottetown and Summerside, and that copies of these lists have been placed in the hands of every vendor, with instructions not to fill certificates bearing the names of such persons.

Five cases of irregularity in issuing certificates have come to the notice of the Commission, and have been strictly dealt with. In two cases the privilege of issuing certificates has been cancelled, in the other cases the number supplied to these doctors had been reduced by half.

In the dispensing of liquor under doctor's prescription no change in the legal quantity allowable has been made since the Prohibition Act came into effect. Under the first Stewart Government the number of certificates issuable per month was reduced by fifty per cent. This is the number still allowable by law. In supervising the manner in which the certificates are issued, however, the Commission, as already noted, has had occasion to reduce this number in some cases, and even to cancel the privilege where it was deemed necessary.

The foregoing information furnishes convincing evidence of the success of the authorities in improving the machinery of prohibition enforcement in Prince Edward Island. The contrast which these facts provide with conditions existing a few years ago need scarcely be emphasized. As Inspector Fripps states, however, the support and co-operation of citizens generally will do much to assist in still further improvement.

Variations in watch ticks can be counted and checked by an electrical blinker now.

been kept in the Perce, Que., jail since being taken into custody.

Confesses Phillips' confession, obtained today by detectives who had previously, they stated, accumulated circumstantial evidence, was obtained both orally and in writing, detectives Art. E. Gauthier and G. Aubin, assigned to the case by Chief Rosario Lemire, testified.

The written confession was read to the jury and later Detective Gauthier repeated the oral confession. Phillips was then held by the jury criminally responsible for Maud Asch's death. Another young man, detained with Phillips, was exonerated by the jury and immediately released.

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today drafted and adopted the following resolutions: "In view of the fact that subsidies recommended for the three Maritime Provinces in the report of the Duncan Commission were only interim payments to be continued until the Dominion Government should have time to readjust said grants, the Conference of Premiers of the three Maritime Provinces, respectfully urge upon the Dominion Government at this time, that the recommendations of the Duncan Commission report be dealt with at an early date and that regard be had specifically to the provision of proper financial grants to these provinces, for:

"A—Cost and expense of the machinery of Government. "B—In respect to debt allowance to equalize the amounts credited to Western Provinces. "C—As compensation to the Maritime Provinces in lieu of Federal lands transferred to other Provinces of Canada subsequent to Confederation.

"It was definitely agreed upon that such concerted action in the matter of Maritime claims would have to await until results of special investigations in the three provinces, into various phases of this subject had been completed. In brief, the presentation of the Maritime claims would not be made until such time as all the facts are properly assembled and reviewed and the case made complete in every detail.

Co-operative Action "Benefits that might be derived from concerted action by the Governments of the three Provinces, in the matter of lumber export in the future, also were reviewed and the prevailing opinion was there should be in this matter co-operative action.

"Another subject discussed dealt with the proposed amalgamation of the Egg and Poultry Association for the Maritime Provinces. The Premiers decided this subject should be further considered by their respective governments and representatives of the various egg and poultry associations in the three provinces will be consulted and the advisability of centralization of this work discussed.

"The Conference considered a proposal that promotion and development of the tourist industry should be carried on under consideration. It was pointed out that a central organization could be established in the Maritimes with subsequent saving to the treasuries of all three Provinces and a more efficient advertising programme carried out to attract tourists to the Maritimes.

SPECIAL

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ladies assisting in Legion poppy campaign please meet at Legion Home 7 p.m. Wednesday, 2528

SUNDAY SERVICES—Preaching service at Iris Sunday, Nov. 10th at 7 p. m. Special singing—Louis Harris.

JUST ARRIVED—Horse blankets, the best value we have ever had. See them before buying elsewhere. S. L. Hardy & Co., wholesale and retail. 2527

LAI'D TO REST—The funeral service for the late Mrs. Louis Rupprecht was held yesterday afternoon at the residence of her brother Mr. C. H. B. Longworth, Rev. H. D. Raymond and Rev. Canon Malone officiating. Burial was private.

REMINDER OF WINTER—The fall of snow yesterday in Charlottetown and vicinity following the unseasonably cold weather of the last few days serves as a reminder that winter is rapidly approaching. Light snow fell for several hours yesterday afternoon. During the evening showers of rain melted most of the snow, and left the streets in a very slushy condition.

WEDNESDAY EVENING LECTURE—The mid-week service this evening in St. James Kirk Hall will be under the auspices of the Women's Missionary Society. The Rev. Dr. Moorhead Leggett will continue his series of lectures on "Heroes of Christian Biography," speaking tonight on the subject "David Livingstone and Darkest Africa." The meeting begins at a quarter to eight, and all are welcome who care to come.

PERSONALS Mr. Frank D. McEwen of Summerside was in the city yesterday.

Mr. Thomas Henderson, and Master Lorne McPhail, Long Creek were among the visitors to the city attending the Fox Show.

Mr. H. W. Binney of Annapolis, N. S., formerly Manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia in this city, was among those present at the funeral service of Mrs. Rupprecht.

Miss Marion MacDonald, R.N., of New York City, left on Saturday morning to resume her duties, having spent a vacation at the home of her father, Mr. D. M. MacDonald, Hunter River. She was accompanied as far as Somerville by her two nieces, Misses Evelyn and Roberta MacDonald.

LAGUARDIA (Continued from Page 1)

Aldermen and W. Arthur Cunningham, Comptroller, Tammany held control of Manhattan, re-electing Samuel Levy Borough President, and placing William C. Dodge in the district attorney's office.

FEROCIA THIRD Ferdinand Peora, who has been in charge of the United States Senate banking committee's investigations into J. P. Morgan & Co., and other financial institutions, ran third in the district attorney's race.

Henry Hesterberg, Brooklyn Borough President and Lieutenant of Tammany John H. McCooey, was defeated for re-election by Raymond W. Singersoll, Fusion nominee. George U. Harvey, Fusion incumbent, easily won the borough presidency of Queens.

In the Bronx, J. J. Lyons, Democratic nominee endorsed by the McKee party, was elected borough president, while in Richmond (Staten Island) Joseph A. Palma, Fusion choice, was ahead in a close race.

SUMMERSIDE and Prince County

This column is reserved for news of local interest but advertising of a newsy nature may be inserted at 2 cents a word strictly payable in advance.

THE FLORA TOOMBS Mission Circle will hold a supper today at 5 o'clock in Wilmot Valley Hall. The Summerside Male Quartette will sing old favourites. Supper 25 cents. 2529

WEEKLY WHIST—The regular weekly whist of the Summerside Branch of the C. M. B. A. was held on Monday evening with fourteen tables in play. Ladies prizes were won by Mrs. Fred Bickquiere, Miss Gertrude McNeill; gentlemen, Wilfred Doucette and Herman Durant.—6.

JAPANESE DONATES \$8,526,000 TO POOR TOKIO, Nov. 7.—The multi-millionaire house of Mitsu, Japanese banking family, today announced the establishment of the 30,000,000 million yen Mitsu Foundation to relieve peasant distress. (At current exchange rates 30,000,000 yen is about \$8,526,000 in Canadian funds.)

Believed to be the largest private benefaction in the history of Japan funds will be allotted to organizations working to ameliorate the poverty of farmers and fishermen and to scientific and industrial research groups for the same purposes.