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than life itself—so think the un-
instructed.

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FAMED U. S. FLYER CRASH VICTIM

FRANK HAWKS AND COMPANION FATALLY HURT

Plane Crashes In Flames After Striking High Tension Wire.

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EAST AURORA, N. Y., Aug. 23.—(AP)—Commander Frank Hawks, internationally known flyer, was killed tonight in a flaming plane crash less than a year after he gave up the speed flying which made him famous for "safety and comfort."

His companion, J. Hazard Campbell, East Aurora socialist, was critically injured when the tiny Gwinn aircraft they were flying smashed into a high tension wire and fell to the earth in flames.

SUCCUMBS IN HOSPITAL

Horrified farmers in the area pulled the two men from their burning craft but Hawks died a few hours later in a Buffalo hospital. The aircraft burned to a mass of wreckage.

A fire extinguisher in the plane exploded adding to the danger to those seeking to aid the two men. "Hawks and his companion were taken off from the polo field on the E. H. Rogers estate," J. M. Gwinn, president of the Gwinn Aircraft Corporation, said.

"Hawks was demonstrating the craft to Campbell. Wind conditions were against them. They had to take off the long way of the field and apparently they were up in the air before they saw the wires and it was too late to avoid them."

The stubby biplane with its three landing wheels and similarity to an automobile in operation was designed for safety and simplicity in operation. Hawks was a vice-president in the aircraft company. M. R. Carlin, a transport pilot who flew up from New York with Hawks yesterday, said Hawks had given up all speed flying about a year ago and had been concentrating on "safety and comfort" flying.

Canadians Losing In Confidence, Claim

NEW GLASGOW, N. S., Aug. 23.—(CP)—Canadians were weakening in their former blind conviction in the future, Robert MacGregor Dawson of the University of Toronto told the 33rd annual convention of the Nova Scotia Union of Municipalities today.

Peace and stability in the world had almost disappeared, he said, and confusion was marked in the political field.

The years since the Great War had seen revolutionary changes with dictatorships, Communist and Fascist, supplanting democracy.

Never before has Quebec been so isolated from the rest of Canada as in the last 12 months—a result of the legislation and outlook of the radical law which is strangling the spirit of democracy," Prof. Dawson said.

COMING EVENT

- Wednesday is Dance Night at the Highlands. L-1257-9-11-t.
- Talkies—Kensington tonight. L-596-8-23-2t.
- Talkies—Borden Wednesday. L-596-8-23-2t.
- Talkies—Souris Monday. See Robert Taylor. L-642-8-24-3t.
- Talkies—Crappaud Thursday. L-641-8-24-2t.
- Talkies—Canoe Cove Friday. L-641-8-24-2t.
- Dance at Victoria Rink every Wednesday night. L-1071-6-7-8-Tues-Wed. t.
- Come to Festival and Dance, North Wiltshire tonight. L-579-8-24-1t.
- Ice Cream and Dance in Iona Hall, Wednesday, August 24th. L-603-8-23-2t.
- Come to Ice Cream Social at Mt. Herbert Hall, Wednesday, August 24th, Mt. Herbert Ladies' Aid. LY-549-8-22-2t.
- Talkies—Montague Saturday. Robert Taylor and Barbara Stauwyk in "This Is My Affair." L-642-8-24-3t.
- Don't forget to attend Ice Cream, Dance, Clermont Wednesday evening, August 24th in aid of Hockey Club. L-638-8-24-1t.

Holiday Is Cut Short



Illness and the troubled international situation have interrupted the much-needed holiday of Premier Neville Chamberlain. A persistent attack of nasal catarrh made it necessary for him to return from Scotland, where he was vacationing, and the cares of office have kept him at No. 10 Downing Street. The photo shows him arriving at his official residence after his rush trip home.

Japanese Transfer Several Hundred Military Base From Shanghai To Nanking

SHANGHAI, Aug. 24.—(Wednesday)—(AP)—Japanese sources disclosed today that the Japanese Army headquarters was being transferred from Shanghai to Nanking, 175 miles up the Yangtze River.

It was expected the transfer would stimulate the lagging campaign toward Hankow and strengthen the Japanese-dominated Government in the former Chinese capital. Nanking was captured last Dec. 13.

About one Japanese division was reported remaining in the Shanghai area and it was said that a naval force soon would take over the military administration of this district.

Besides providing the "Reformed Government of China" at Nanking—staffed by Chinese under Japanese control—with armed authority to carry out its decrees the transfer was seen as opening the way for restoration of Japanese-occupied areas of the Shanghai International Settlement to international control.

Trout Fishermen Discover Skeleton

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Aug. 23.—(CP Cable)—A skeleton believed to be that of Charles Lurdigran, 19, who left his home last Dec. 11 to attend rabbit snares, was found today near Big Country Pond, Wiltshire Bay, by two trout fishermen.

Police and boy scouts searched the Wiltshire Bay district, 20 miles southwest of St. John's, for a week after Lurdigran's disappearance was reported.

Arabs Are Reported Forming Hidden "Independent Nation"

JERUSALEM, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Tales of the birth of an "independent Arab nation" run by chieftains fighting for the "freedom of our race" are filtering down from the Holy Land hills.

These tales are increasing even as Palestine talks of the possibility of a peace pact to end the 28 months of guerrilla fighting between Arabs and Jews who claim this British mandated land as their home.

Reports here and in Cairo say Egypt's Moslem Premier, Mohamed Mahmoud, has urged that the former Mufti of Palestine, Haj Amin Effendi Al Hussein, meet with Dr. Chaim Weizmann, world Zionist leader, in some neutral city where a peace agreement might be drafted.

HINES BRIBED TO PROTECT RACKET, CLAIM

Tammany Leader Gave Protection To Racketeers, States Witness.

BY JOHN FERRIS
Associated Press Staff Writer
NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—(AP)—George Weinberg, a soft-spoken former convict of 37 who quit a dubious career of petty gambling to share the riches offered by Dutch Schultz, today accused James J. Hines, veteran Tammany district leader of New York City, of accepting \$500 a week or more to protect the slain gangster's \$20,000,000 Harlem policy racket.

Imperturbably, Weinberg said he personally paid Hines the money, sometimes at Hines' own home, sometimes on the sidewalk outside, and in return saw Hines keep a promise that police rackets would drop off and that the few racket cases which reached court would be "taken care of."

The Tammany District Leader, charged with conspiracy and contriving a lottery, even managed to "break" six police officers who persisted in raiding the policy combinations "banks" and "drop stations," Weinberg testified.

Cites Case

In May of June, 1933, Weinberg said, he told Hines that if members of Chief Inspector John O'Brien's squad continued to arrest the mob's henchmen, "they are going to hurt me real bad." Hines recently had cost him \$100,000, Weinberg said.

Well, witness quoted Hines as replying, "you have had your headache for a long time. I will get rid of them in time. I will get rid of the whole squad."

James S. Bolan had been appointed Police commissioner in April and, Weinberg testified, Schultz remarked one day, "Being that there is a new commissioner in there he (Hines) should be able to get rid of some of them there for you."

Finally, in October, Weinberg testified, five men—Sergeant Gray and Detectives Canavan, Jones, McCarthy and Gorman—were removed from the Chief Inspector's force.

Earlier, in October or November, 1932, Weinberg said, he complained to Hines about a lone raider, plainclothes policeman Joseph Terminelli of the Borough office, was searching policy stores.

"Hines," said Weinberg, "he asked me for his name and what squad he was in. I gave him that, and he said he would take care of that right away."

Forty-eight hours later, Weinberg said, Terminelli was dropped back in uniform.

Hines is on trial for conspiracy and contriving a lottery.

Names Magistrates

Weinberg, under the gentle prodding of District Attorney Thomas E. Dewey, named magistrate Hulon Capshaw and the late Magistrate Francis Erwin as two of the judges Hines called on to dismiss policy arrests.

Two Seriously Hurt In Head-on-crash

TRURO, N. S., Aug. 23.—(CP)—A head-on collision of two cars at Lunenburg, 14 miles north here, sent two residents of Little Judique Ponds, Inverness County, to hospital tonight.

Donald Beaton and Don Roy MacDonald, both of Little Judique Ponds, were rendered unconscious and rushed to hospital, when the car in which they were occupants collided with another driven by Gordon "Doggie" Kuhn, former Maritime hockey star. Beaton and MacDonald were given a "fair chance of recovering."

Angus and Roy, 29-year-old women, were charged with driving the car driven by Don Roy MacDonald, were slightly injured. Driving in the Kuhn car, Mrs. Kuhn, her daughter, Marie, and Mrs. Lloyd McLaughlin, all of Truro, were slightly injured. Kuhn suffered a knee cut and facial abrasions.

Gives Statement On "Death Bed"

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Mrs. Karl Krueger rallied today from critical bullet wounds inflicted by her maid's jealous husband. Last night, her voice diminished by pain, Mrs. Krueger gave police a "deathbed" statement, as Charles McDonald, the 29-year-old unemployed electrician, was charged with assault with intent to murder her. He is held under \$50,000 bond.

Has New Dream



MAJOR R. H. MAYO
The designer of the Mercury now talks of a composite land plane, speeds of 300 m. p. h. and overnight Atlantic crossings.

Oil Discovery At Inverness Investigated

INVERNESS, N. S., Aug. 23.—(CP)—Wild rumors gave way to speculative waiting here tonight following a report oil had been discovered Saturday by a diamond drill crew operating in number 9 colliery in search for a submarine coal seam. The oil was estimated to have come from a position about 2,200 feet below sea level and two miles from the shoreline.

Accidental discovery of the oil, which ran out through the drill-hole in "drifts" raised a flurry of excitement here but today the hole was still plugged as it was left by the drillers after samples of the fluid were taken for analysis.

Residents, mindful of Minister Dwyer's caution against too much optimism, were awaiting reports on the mineral's commercial possibilities.

The first sample of flowing oil encountered in Nova Scotia. The test quantity was sent to Halifax for analysis.

\$30,000,000 In Pensions Paid War Veterans

OTTAWA, Aug. 23.—(CP)—At the end of July 80,051 Canadian War Veterans were receiving pensions, the annual value of which is \$30,147,488.

Forty-eight dependents were being paid today. In addition to these 17,974 dependents were being paid Great War pensions. The total of these was \$10,324,890 or a total of \$40,472,378.

On top of this pensions bill was the \$4,754,719 paid out annually to 14,589 Canadian ex-service men, under the War Veterans Allowance Act.

This brought the grand total of monies distributed annually to veterans and their dependents up to \$45,227,097.

The annual pensions bill showed a decrease from July 31 last year, of \$112,074; but the payments made under the War Veterans Allowance Act registered a marked increase. This was due to the amendments to the legislation at the last session of Parliament.

Payments in the Maritimes are distributed as follows: with the number of pensioners in brackets: Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island, \$2,448,231 (5,784); New Brunswick, \$1,216,072 (2,851).

Speaker Of N. S. House Dies

YARMOUTH, N. S., Aug. 23.—(CP)—Hon. Lindsay Cann Gardner, Speaker of the Nova Scotia Legislature, died at his summer home near here today. He had been ill several months.

He ran his first election in 1925 as a Liberal candidate for Yarmouth County but was defeated. His first victory in that riding came during the general provincial election of 1928. In the general elections of 1932 and 1938 he was re-elected. He was first chosen Speaker in 1934 and this year was again appointed to preside over the legislature.

At the time of his death he was president and managing director of Miramids Liniment Company Limited.

SHOW LITTLE ENTHUSIASM

BERLIN, Aug. 23.—(CP Hava)—Reserve forces participating in Germany's Army Games show little enthusiasm for the manoeuvres.

The authoritative Nazi newspaper, Frankfurter Zeitung, said today, "The frank account caused surprise among foreign observers."

Granted Military Equality By Little Entente Nations As Nazis Fete Regent

Military Clauses Of Trianon Pact Swept Away
SEEK ALLIANCE
Little Entente Seeks Friendship Pacts With Hungary

BUDAPEST, Aug. 23.—(AP)—A German diplomat who refused to be quoted declared tonight that "Hungary will have decided soon between Bled and Berlin."

This referred to efforts of the Little Entente—Czechoslovakia, Rumania and Yugoslavia—to align Hungary on their side while Germany was attempting to bring the nation under her sphere of influence.

In closing session of a conference at Bled, Yugoslavia, the Little Entente nations today:

Granted Hungary military equality, thus sweeping away military clauses of the Great War Trianon Treaty by abrogating its arms restrictions;

Announced that six agreements—non-aggression pacts and minority agreements between Hungary and the Little Entente nations separately—would be concluded in the near future.

Feted By Berlin

The action came as Admiral Nicholas Horthy, Hungarian Regent, was being feted by Chancellor Hitler during a state visit to Germany.

Italian observers said the Little Entente's decision was "in line with Italian policy." Representatives of the Little Entente nations hailed results of the conference as "enormous progress towards peace and security in central Europe."

Hungarian diplomats, overjoyed that Hungary was being wooed simultaneously by Germany and the Entente, expressed satisfaction that they had received "something for nothing."

Germany, Budapest observers said, would play an important part when the proposed Hungarian-Czechoslovak pact on minorities is drawn up. It was believed Germany meant to dictate the text of this agreement—on rights of the 700,000 Hungarians in Czechoslovakia to Hungary.

Germany's interest would be in obtaining the best possible treatment for Czechoslovakia's Hungarian minority to bolster her demands for autonomy for the 8,500,000 Sudeten Germans living in Czechoslovakia.

Port Darwin To Be Made Defense Base

MELBOURNE, Australia, Aug. 23.—(CP Reuters)—Port Darwin, aerial gateway to Australia, is to be developed as a defence base. V. C. Thorby, Commonwealth Defence Minister, announced here.

One air force squadron will be established there shortly and a second one later, with a total staff of 43 officers and 293 men. A naval defence depot and a wireless telegraph station will be set up. A permanent unit of mobile troops also will be stationed at Darwin.

(By C. YATES MCDANIEL, Associated Press Foreign Staff)
HANKOW, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Discord behind the front of China's united resistance was brought into the open today by an order of General Chiang Kai-Shek's chief of staff dissolving proletarian organization inspired or sponsored by Chinese Communists.

General Chen Cheng, as political and military commander of the Wuhan metropolitan area—Wuchang, Hankow and Yangyang—ordered dissolution of the National Salvation Corps, National Emancipation Vanguard and other student and worker organizations regarded as under Communist sway.

The order explained that General Chen considered it imperative all political and patriotic organizations be co-ordinated under

Great War Treaties Now Void

(By The Associated Press)

Clause by clause, Great War treaties have been subject to nullification or non-enforcement almost from the time the ink of signatures was dry. The Axis never completely enforced them.

Today the Little Entente of Rumania, Yugoslavia and Czechoslovakia cancelled the military clauses of the Treaty of Trianon, restoring to Hungary the right to rearm "in the interest of peace."

Technically the other signatories were bound to agree.

The Treaty of Trianon, signed June 4, 1920, caused military, naval and aerial disarmament in Hungary, stripped her of territory and 3,000,000 population and, like the other Great War treaties, provided for reparations and punishment that were never exacted.

But what has become of the others?

VERSAILLES, signed June 28, 1919, by the Allied powers and Germany; Adolf Hitler has declared it dead. In 1933 he quadrupled the German Army. He has demanded the return of colonies stripped from Germany at Versailles. Save for the annexation of Austria, Hitler's greatest stroke of repudiation was the March 7, 1936, remilitarization of the Rhineland.

ST. GERMAIN, signed Sept. 10, 1919, by the Allies and Austria. Besides punitive, disarmament and territorial clauses, the treaty forbade Austria to abandon her independence without consent of the League of Nations Council. There was a similar provision in the Versailles Pact. Germany annexed Austria without bloodshed on March 13, 1938.

NEUILLY, signed by Bulgaria and the Allies on Nov. 27, 1919; it provided for disarmament, indemnity and territorial revision much like the pattern of the others. On July 30, 1938, the Balkan Entente—Turkey, Greece, Yugoslavia and Rumania—agreed to cancellation of military, maritime and air clauses of the Neuilly Treaty.

LAUSANNE, in the conference of Lausanne, ending July 24, 1923, 17 diplomatic instruments were signed, including one forbidding Turkey to rearm the Dardanelles. Permission to rearm the Dardanelles was granted by the Montreux Conference, June 22-July 20, 1936.

May Lose Wheat Preference In U.K.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 23.—(CP)—Grain men greeted with mixed feelings today continued reports that preference granted Canadian wheat in the United Kingdom market might be lost under the proposed Anglo-American Trade Pact.

Paul Bredt, president of the Manitoba Pool Elevators Ltd., in commenting on a Manchester, England, dispatch carrying the report, immediately defended the preference. He referred to resolutions passed at the meeting of pool representatives from the Prairie provinces in Calgary July 22-23 when the government was urged to do its utmost to maintain the preference.

J. H. Weston, president of the Saskatchewan Wheat pool, did not appear greatly concerned. It was his contention that when Canada obtained a preference in the British market under the 1922 trade agreement, it meant any more money for the Canadian producer.

It simply meant producers of Argentina and the United States received less for their wheat shipped to Great Britain. Canadian producers, he contended, never received any more than the world price anyway.

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Hungarian Ruler Inspects Island Naval Base

PROBLEMS AIRE

Hitler And Horthy In Agreement On Czech Problem, Report

(By Louis P. Lochner, Associated Press Foreign Staff)

HELIGOLAND, Germany, Aug. 23.—Hungary's ruler saw Germany's Gibraltar today in a state visit marked by official silence on political discussions between German and Hungarian chiefs of state.

When he inspected the fortifications of this island stronghold with Chancellor Hitler this afternoon, Admiral Nicholas Horthy, the Hungarian Regent, saw what even Premier Mussolini wasn't shown on his state visit to Germany last Sept. 25-30.

Hungarian and German officials did not disclose whether the program, crowded with military display gave Horthy and Hitler a chance to resume political conversations. Fate of Czechoslovakia, however, had been listed as one of the chief topics to be discussed.

Reich Understanding?
The two statesmen were reported by Nazi circles as in accord on the Czechoslovak problem, whose "satisfactory" solution might enable Hitler to grant Hitler and Mussolini their wish for Hungarian-Yugoslav reconciliation.

Just as Hitler wants autonomy or return to Germany of Czechoslovakia's 3,500,000 Sudeten Germans, Hungary was pictured as in favor of the autonomy of Hungarians in Czechoslovakia, if not their return.

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