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AVIATOR WILL TRY TO BREAK THREE RECORDS

Lloyd Bertaud Will Try For Non-Stop Flight From New York to Rome—Will Return by Air.

(Canadian Press) NEW YORK, July 14.—When Lloyd W. Bertaud, mail pilot, points the nose of the giant Jupiter, motorized Fokker monoplane Old Glory toward Rome on his proposed non-stop flight to the Italian capital, he will seek to establish three new records for aviation.

The longest non-stop hop, the longest flight over water, and a return trip from Europe will add new annals to the history of flying if Bertaud carries through his plans.

The route which has been chosen will carry the plane about 4,500 miles, exceeding the distances of Commander Byrd and Colonel Lindbergh by more than 200 miles. The water distance is approximately 3,095 miles, or 695 miles farther than the Matland-Hergenberger hop over the Pacific from California to Hawaii.

Thousands of letters have been received by officials representing William Randolph Hearst, who is backing the flight from persons in all sections of the country, asking that they be allowed to accompany Bertaud.

It has been decided, however, that Bertaud's companion will be a fellow member of the air mail service, and will be selected by Bertaud and Hearst representatives tomorrow.

Bertaud spent today at the Fokker hangar at Hasbrouck Heights, N. J., personally superintending the installation of instruments on the plane. It is expected that the first test flight will be made about July 25.



Prof. W. W. Goforth of McGill University, who is one of the Canadian representatives attending the international conference of the Institute of Pacific Relations at Honolulu this month.

Conference Dissolves With Best of Feeling

(Canadian Press) GENEVA, July 14.—The plenary session of the tripartite Naval Conference adjourned late this afternoon with the understanding that there will be another session at a time to be fixed by the secretary of the Conference. GENEVA, Switzerland, July 14. Right Hon. W. C. Bridge-

TABULATION OF STRIKE VOTE DELAYED

MONTREAL, July 14.—Tabulation of the strike vote of Canadian handymen and checkers, expected to National Railway clerks, freight have been completed during the present week, was postponed for the time being in order to allow the committee in charge of the counting to attend sittings of the Donovan Board of Conciliation, hearing the case of dining, parlor and sleeping car employees of the same railway. The last named workers are members of the brotherhood of railway employees as are the clerks, freight handlers, etc., but are classified in different branches although represented in the present wage and working conditions dispute by the same officials of the union.

The wage dispute between the Canadian National and its clerks, freight handlers, etc., has been one of long standing. A Board of Conciliation following investigation into the matter recommended that the men involved be granted a four per cent an hour increase in pay. This was accepted by the workers, but the railway refused to comply with the award. There followed negotiations between the two sides, but the railway was adamant. A deadlock ensued. Strike ballots were issued. How the men voted will not be known until the Donovan sittings are finished.

Postmasters Will be Protected Under Reduced Rates

(Special to the Guardian) OTTAWA, July 14.—Rural Postmasters throughout Canada will not suffer because of the decrease in postage rates. Most of the postmasters are paid on a percentage basis and they receive a percentage of the total revenue of their office. When the letter rate was cut down from three to two cents it meant a considerable difference in revenue and therefore, in income. The Post Office Department, however, announced that the postmasters would not be allowed to suffer for the fiscal year 1927-28, which terminates next March 31. The Department will take the earnings of all rural postmasters in the year preceding the reduction in rates as a minimum, if their income is less under the lower rates than the Department will make up the difference. If more, the postmasters will get the benefit. P. T. Conigan, Superintendent of the Department stated that so far, it is impossible to say if the postal revenues will be greater. While the rates had been reduced, there had been an increase in business which had compensated, if the year showed a reduction, he said, then the Department would evolve a new scale of percentages in order to protect Rural postmasters.

Hon. Edmund Bristol Passes Away

TORONTO, Ont., July 14.—Hon. Edmund Bristol, K. C., member of parliament for east centre Toronto died today after a lengthy illness. He represented the constituency as a Conservative member in the Dominion Parliament from the time of the bye-election in 1905 until 1926. He was not a candidate in the last general election. Mr. Bristol was 66 years of age and born at Napanee, P. E. I., in 1860. He was minister without portfolio in the Cabinet led by the Right Hon. Arthur Meighen.

Mammoth Tea Party at St. Peter's, Wednesday, August 17th.

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Japan Anxious for Agreement

(Canadian Press) TOKIO, July 14.—Premier Tanaka conferring with United States ambassador MacVeigh today declared emphatically that Japan intends to fight to the last ditch for a successful termination of the tripartite Naval Conference at Geneva. The Premier requested that the United States Government be informed of Japan's most intense desire for an equitable agreement and expressed the hope that the United States delegation would do everything possible to such an end.

FRENCH GOVERNMENT SAFE TILL AUTUMN (Special to the Guardian) PARIS, July 14.—The Government won a victory in the Chamber of Deputies today which ensures that the Poincaré Cabinet will survive until its Autumn session.

WRECKAGE OF WHITE BIRD FOUND IN NEWFOUNDLAND

Report says that wreckage of plane of missing French aviators, Nungesser and Coli, found in interior of Newfoundland, forty miles from West Coast.

(Canadian Press) ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., July 14.—Wreckage believed to be that of the Whitebird, flown by Nungesser and Coli, from France in an attempt to reach New York has been found in the interior. Two hunters reported today. The two hunters who live in Flat Bay, on the west coast brought out the report that about 40 miles inland in the wilderness they had sighted what looked like a large white boat. Railway officials at Saint George's to whom they reported their find, believing this might be the fuselage of the trans-

CONVENTION OF P. E. ISLAND WOMEN'S INSTITUTES OPENED

Yesterday in the Prince of Wales College Hall with a very large attendance. Encouraging and satisfactory reports submitted. Excellent addresses given.

The Fourteenth Annual Convention of the Prince Edward Island Women's Institutes opened yesterday morning in the Prince of Wales College with a very large attendance. Mrs. Lester Brehaut, Provincial President, occupied the chair. After the opening chorus "O Canada" and the recital of the Creed, followed by the Welcome by Mr. W. J. Boulter, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, was delivered, which was replied to by Mrs. Walter Shaw. The President having delivered her address, the following report of the year's work was read by Miss Helen McKenna, Supervisor of the P. E. I. Women's Institutes:

It is my pleasant duty to present to you the Fourteenth Annual Report of the Women's Institutes of Prince Edward Island. "Service is the keynote of the Women's Institute Endeavor." The Women's Institutes of this province are putting forth every effort to make the Island a better place in which to live and the community a more wholesome and beautiful environment.

On June 12th, 1926, I received the appointment of Supervisor of the Women's Institutes. Since taking over this work I have endeavored to maintain the high standard of efficiency set and maintained by the former supervisors of the Women's Institutes of this province.

Miss Evelyn Windsor resigned her position as Assistant Supervisor on July 26th, 1926. Much regret was expressed for the loss of one whose work was ever faithful. Miss Jane MacKenzie was appointed Assistant Supervisor on September 5th, 1926. Miss MacKenzie has been untiring in her efforts in this work for "Home and Country."

Since the Annual Convention of a year ago thirty new Clubs were organized which brings the number of active Institutes up to 146. These new organizations have already accomplished splendid work. Two Institutes were disorganized during the year, but one of these has already been re-organized.

The approximate membership of our Clubs is 2700. 2700 women of Prince Edward Island are giving the best that is in them for the betterment of their homes, their schools, and their community.

During the year \$90,297 was raised by the members of the Women's Institutes by means of concerts, socials, plays, bazaars, fees and collections taken up at the meetings. Of this amount \$6,887.33 was expended on the school, \$12,217.00 was spent on bettering conditions in the Community, for Patriotic purposes, for Hospitals, Orphanages, and miscellaneous expenses.

Twelve women are acting as School Trustees while 55% of our Institute members attend the Annual School meeting. Every School District which boasts of a Women's Institute is characterized by marked improvement in the school environment.

Numerous Libraries have been established in the different Institutes. Donations of clothing, knitting, foods and other needs were made to the Orphanages, the Hospitals and the Dispensary.

It is a pleasure to report the keen interest taken by the members in the phases of work which befallen

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Canadian Wins Times Trophy

(Canadian Press) BISLEY CAMP, July 14.—Company Sergeant Major W. A. Hawkins of Toronto won the Prince of Wales prize today in competition with hundreds of marksmen from all over the Empire. His score of 99 out of a possible 100 was the highest recorded in the shoot, which was with service rifles at 300 and 600 yards. He wins the prize of \$500 and the National Rifle Association's Gold Badge. Hawkins won the King's prize in 1913.

(Canadian Press) BISLEY CAMP, July 14.—Canada won the MacKinnon Challenge Cup today by nine-ty-nine points over England, Wales and other parts of the Empire. Canada thus regained the trophy which she lost to Scotland last year by 14 points.

CANADIAN TEAM WINS ANOTHER BIG VICTORY

(Canadian Press) BISLEY CAMP, July 14.—To the famous Kolapore Cup the Canadians added the MacKinnon Challenge Cup. The MacKinnon is second only to the Kolapore Cup in importance as a team shoot at the National Rifle Association's meeting, and the Canadians today won it by 19 points over England, "Who Rams" were Scotland, Ireland, India, Guernsey and Wales in that order. The aggregate Canadian team score was 1,105 out of a possible 1,200. The cup was shot for by teams of 12 in two distances, 900 and 1,000 yards, service rifles, and the only uncertain thing about it, so far as the Canadians were concerned, was the margin of victory. This satisfactorily eclipsed Scotland's lead of 14 points when they won it from the Canadians last year. Lieutenant J. E. Foreman of Hamilton, with 98 out of a possible 100 was top Canadian scorer. The details of the MacKinnon Cup victory follows, by teams. (Possible at each distance 600.)

Table with 3 columns: Country, Score, Total. Rows include Canada, England, Scotland, Ireland, India, Guernsey, Wales.

Premier Has No Statement to Make

(Canadian Press) VICTORIA, B. C., July 14.—Premier Oliver sent word to newspapermen that he had no statement to make regarding his rumored forthcoming retirement or any other developments at the conclusion of a two-hour meeting of the provincial cabinet today. The meeting adjourned to meet a full gathering of Liberal members of the legislature next Monday morning.

MINISTER RETURNS TO OTTAWA

OTTAWA, July 14.—Hon. James Macdonald, Minister of Trade and Commerce, returned here today after an extensive tour of the British Isles during which he conferred with the Empire marketing board and visited Canadian trade commissioners. He predicted a great increase in Canadian trade if proper packing and an assured supply of the products desired were maintained. He stated that Sir William Crawford, head of the publicity section of the marketing board, would proposed co-operative plan to accommodate the Dominion to discuss a vertising.

Margaret Struck Sunken Rock

OTTAWA, July 14.—The Dominion Government steamer Margaret, disabled yesterday and towed to Amherst, Magdalen Islands, will be able to proceed under her own steam after temporary repairs have been made, a message to the Customer's Preventive Service stated. According to information in official circles here the Margaret struck a sunken rock and her stokehold was flooded. No information was available as to where the vessel will be placed in drydock.

SMITH WELL ON WAY

(Canadian Press) SAN FRANCISCO, July 14.—The Federal Telegraph Company received at noon a radio report from Ernest Smith, giving the position of his aeroplane which left the Oakland municipal airport at 10:40 o'clock as 100 miles south southwest of San Francisco.



Malcolm MacDonald, son of former Premier Ramsay MacDonald, who is one of the British Representatives attending the international conference of the Institute of Relations at Honolulu this month.

TOTAL LOSS TEN MILLION DOLLARS

WINNIPEG, Man., July 13.—Hall and storms generally, which have embraced practically the entire grain growing areas of Western Canada this summer have already caused an estimated damage of \$10,000,000 to the 1927 grain crop, according to the latest unofficial field surveys. The figure is based on reports of newspaper correspondents in the affected areas and crop experts on private inspection tours. The brunt of the loss is borne by Saskatchewan farmers who are faced with a loss ranging between \$5,000,000 and \$6,000,000 with the heaviest damage in districts swept by storms of tornado proportions during the past week. More than 2,000,000 acres of grain are reported to have been destroyed within the recent hail zone. Only about one in every four of the farmers whose crops were affected by the storms carried insurance, some of the districts never having experienced hail before.

Military Funeral Given Aviators

(Canadian Press) WINNIPEG, July 14.—A funeral with full military honors was yesterday accorded J. T. Eardley, of Loche, Man., one of the three victims of the aeroplane disaster near Hildre, Man., on Monday last. The funeral was held at the home of F. J. Wrong and William Weaver has been forwarded respectively to Ottawa and Melford for burial. The aviators who were engaged on a Federal topographic survey were hurled to their doom while plane travelling at an altitude of 3,000 feet. A bolt of lightning is believed to have been the cause.



Maritime moderate fresh winds, mostly cloudy and moderately warm with some fog. Probably light scattered showers. Toronto rain 90-64 Montreal fair 82-70 Quebec cloudy 78-66 Charlottetown rain 82-64 Halifax cloudy 70-54 St. John rain 96-72 Boston fair 96-72 New York clear 92-74 High tide this morning at 10:30 and tonight at 12. Sun sets this evening at 7:48, and rises tomorrow morning at 4:34. Last quarter moon Thursday, July 21st, 10:19 a. m. Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

EVIDENCE CONCLUDES YESTERDAY

In Vogue Case—Chief Justice Mathieson Will Charge the Jury This Morning.

The evidence in the Vogue case came to a conclusion yesterday afternoon. Previous to adjournment the crown prosecutor, Attorney General Stewart and the Counsel for the defence, Mr. J. Johnston, K. C., addressed the jury. As it was after five o'clock when the addresses ended Chief Justice Mathieson informed the Court that he would defer his charge to the jury until this morning at 10:30 o'clock. Mr. J. Johnston, K. C., in the course of his address to the jury, commented on the fact of the length of the case as compared to the others. It is my duty to sum up the evidence in behalf of the two young men in the box. I stated to you that our defense is a simple one. I stated that the only evidence is that of the McCloskeys and I said I would establish the fact that she is not a credible witness. This is a case in which I am justified in saying that the star witness of the Crown is not only a common paid informer but also a perjurer. I would caution you against any prejudice which may have entered your minds by reason of the fact that those young boys have been at other times before the Court. Why is the Crown obliged to go into the details of the history of the boys? Was it done to prejudice your minds? Therefore I plead with you not to let these things interfere with you. The witnesses of the prosecution are undeserving of credit. The only evidence against Gormley and Byers, is that of Bessie McCloskey supported by her husband. The only evidence against Byers is that he came to McCloskey's and told Bessie McCloskey that he had some nice dresses. If he was seen in the vicinity of the Vogue at the time of the break, there might be something there. Suppose it was proved up to the hilt that Byers was in that house at 11 o'clock and said he had some nice dresses, would you convict on that? The same thing applies to Gormley. She says she was there and said to her, 'I have some stuff, will you take care of it.' Mr. McCloskey is not the boss of the house. He doesn't count in this matter at all. It is Mrs. McCloskey. She is contradicted in this case by 14 witnesses and independent witnesses too. Why wasn't Byers and Gormley put on the same level as the McCloskeys? Why is it at this Court she is Im-mune? Why that discrimination? She comes into this Court a paid informer. She delivered the goods for the fifty dollars—and got the fifty dollars and immunity from persecution at this Court. That is the situation which confronts us. Savidant a reliable witness says he saw a man with the goods coming out of the Vogue at 4:25. Bessie McCloskey says that Gormley was down to her place with the goods two hours before that. Why go to her place unless she was a fence for stolen goods. Am I justified in saying she is a paid common informer. We are still left in the dark as to where the fifty dollars came from. Peter Bradley says he got it from the Stipendiary Magistrate. Where did the Stipendiary Magistrate get it? She says she was offered \$100 to give away the names of those who did it. Where did the names of the two boys come from. Bradley says I never offered her \$100. I asked him when she made the statement, is she telling the truth, and he said 'No.' I am going to put the ques-

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Fort Augustus Tea Party Wednesday, July 20th. 7279-6-23-161
Canoe Cove Hall, Monday July 18th. Y. M. C. A. boys camp concert. 7853-7-15-31
Reserve Saturday, July 16th. for Marie Horse Races, matinee. 7789-7-13-31
Windsor South United Church Festival Wednesday evening July 20, if not fine, Thursday. 7793-7-13-31
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Come to the ice cream social at South Granville school on Friday, July 15. If not fine it will be held Saturday night. 7834
See Young Adams Company new plays and new orchestra at Sours Friday and Saturday, July 15th and 16th. 7722-7-11-mwf
Warning! don't forget stupendous show "Shipwrecked", Ye-o's Theatre, Sours Thursday, Matinee Saturday. 7778-7-13-31
Come to the Lawn Party at St. Catharines, near West River Bridge, Wednesday, July 20th. Always a good time. 7846
The Mission Band will hold an ice-cream social at Pleasant Valley School on Monday evening, July 18th. If not fine, Tuesday. 7844-7-15-21
The Alexandria Baptist church will hold an Ice Cream Festival at James Woods Hazelbrook, on Monday evening, July 18th. If rainy, Wednesday evening. 7833-7-18-21
The Bashful Mr. Bobbs," a three-act comedy-drama will be presented by Charlottetown talent in Morell Hall on Friday, July 15th at 8:30. Orchestra and specialties. 7799-7-13-31
Come to the Tea and Festival at Stanhope Lane on Wednesday afternoon, July 27th. Proceeds in aid of St. Eugene's Church, Covehead. Special attractions will be provided. If not fine the following fine day. By order of committee. 7816-7-14-31