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THE ANGLICAN SYNOD OF N. S. AND P. E. ISLAND

Forty - ninth Annual Session Held in Halifax Last Week.

The forty-ninth annual session of this Diocesan Synod, held in Halifax last week was notable for the large amount of business transacted in three days, and the good spirit shown in the discussion of the various topics interesting to the Church. With the appointment of the Rev. A. H. Moore to be President of King's College and the election of the Right Rev. John HacKenley to be Coadjutor Bishop of Nova Scotia there has evidently come an increase of confidence and a strengthening of the bonds of friendship between members who hold somewhat divergent views of the Truth embodied in the Church. Both these new leaders in the work of the Church have set their faces against divisions. "All one body we" is their watch-word. While there must necessarily be differences of opinion and variety of operation wherever there are intelligence and freedom there may be agreement to differ upon minor points of doctrine and practice, and all may stand together and work together for the spread of the Faith once for all delivered to the saints.

This truth was voiced by Archbishop Worrell in his charge, "Let me," he said, "appeal to the members of the Church in this Diocese to stand together for the great work before us - - - If we are to be a nation we must sink sectionalism and provincialism and realize the duty and privilege and obligation and responsibility of membership in this glorious British Dominon of North America. And if we are to be the power as a Church we were intended to be we must sink parochialism and diocesanism in the larger grasp of a great United Church, ministering to the multitudes that some day will dwell in the vast and magnificent land which stretches from the Atlantic to the Pacific. Let us put aside small issues and narrow aims, and with one heart and one voice join in making the Church in Nova Scotia (and P. E. Island) what she can be with the united action of all her people."

This was the keynote to the business of the synod. Some necessary changes were made in the canons on account of the additional Bishop of the Diocese, and other canons of secondary importance. It was arranged that there should be for clergymen coming into and leaving the Diocese "a reciprocity of beneficiary funds" and it bwas decided that Bishop HacKenley should be known as the Coadjutor Bishop of Nova Scotia. Education was a subject of discussion. The need of religious instruction in the public schools was insisted upon. The Archbishop declared that the alarming number of instances of crime among boys and young men is sufficient ground for saying that there must be some defect in the training of young people. In a few generations, he said,—unless a change comes—"The world will be divided between pagans or agnostics and those who demand as a civil right that their children shall be trained in the faith of Jesus Christ." Meantime action was taken in respect to religious education under the direction of the Church. In the Report of the Board of Religious Education expression was given to the hope that every parish in the Diocese will have representatives for each of its activities including Sunday Schools, Social Service and missionary service, at the summer school to be conducted this year in Halifax by President Moore. Special efforts were authorized to be made on behalf of the King's College School and King's College.

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ONE HUNDRED YEARS YOUNG

LORD HALDANE'S MOTHER

Mary E. Haldane, who celebrated her one hundredth birthday recently at Clone, Auchterardcr, Perthshire, Scotland.

Tornado Takes Toll of Life

(Canadian Press)

KYLE, Texas, April 29—Two dead, one probably fatally injured and more than a score hurt was the known toll of a tornado that swept the outskirts of this little town last night. The dead are Mexican farm tenants. Rumors that a number were dead at Uhland, a nearby village could not be confirmed.

Bulgaria Unable To Get Volunteers

(Canadian Press)

SOFIA, April 29—The Bulgarian Government is considering calling one of the army classes to the colors, as it has been unable to get ten thousand additional volunteers recently authorized by the Council of Ambassadors at Paris to pacify the country.

Manna Won Big Stake at Newmarket

(Canadian Press)

NEWMARKET, April 29—Manna won the two thousand guineas stake run here today, Sir G. Bulbugh's St. Becan was second and Sir E. Hulton's Oojah was third. Thirteen ran. King George and Princess Mary were in attendance Manna was a comparative outsider.

Warlike Preparations Bring Demand For Preparedness

OTTAWA, April 29.—Speaking on the budget in the House of Commons yesterday, Hon. S. F. Tolmie, Conservative, Victoria, referred to warlike preparations which were being made by Japan and the United States on the Pacific. Japan, with the third largest navy in the world, was established naval stations at various points. The United States was also establishing posts on the Pacific, and it was quite apparent that she was 'not prepared to be lulled to sleep by any peace conference."

WAR NOT YET ENDED

Apparently the great powers were far from satisfied that war was over. Canada stood to lose a great deal if war developed on the Pacific. An attack on this country might result in destruction of our Pacific ports and commerce, valuable coal mines on Vancouver Island, extensive timber resources, and other assets of the country.

On the Pacific coast, the only means of defence were two destroyers and four trawlers. On the east coast, the naval equipment was about the same. The personal of the Canadian navy was first class in every respect, Dr. Tolmie said, but it was not much encouraged by the quite inadequate equipment which it was given. The officers and men were simply carrying on in the hope that some day a navy would be established. He mentioned that these men did not get separation allowance or pension, and he thought this should be remedied.

CANADA'S POSITION

If the United States and Japan ever went to war, Canada must be in a position to maintain her neutrality. If one of these powers established a submarine base, for instance, on the British Columbia coast, Canada would be in the position of a combatant. He advocated leaving plans for the defense of this country in the hands of experts. It was not necessary to do anything very extensive at once, but little by little, and year by year, this country should be prepared.

Westerner Wants Federal Tax on The Bachelors

OTTAWA, April 29—A. J. Lewis, Progressive, of Swift Current, broke some new ground in suggested taxation today. Mr. Lewis advocated a tax on bachelors—the Prime Minister, he thought, was setting a bad example. He wanted a tax on hockey tickets, increase in the duty on cigars, luxury tax, a radio equipment tax, and thought there were too many government motor cars. Mr. Lewis spoke in continued debate on the budget.

ENGLAND'S POLICY WLIL BE "WAIT AND SEE"

(Canadian Press)

LONDON, April 29.— With Field Marshal Von Hindenburg at the head of the German state and a new government in power in France the British have fallen back on the policy of "wait and see", so far as the European security situation is concerned. British officials presume nominally she will stand by her security proposals, which on this side of the Channel at any rate were adopted as a basis of negotiations for building of a permanent peace in Europe. They further presume that Hindenburg upon assuming office will confirm and continue the present German Cabinet, which is the Government that made recent proposals accepted by Foreign Secretary Chamberlain as honest and sincere.

Foch On The Versailles Treaty

(Canadian Press)

PARIS, April 29—The Allied Council of Ambassadors today referred to the various governments represented in the council supplementary report of Marshal Foch on Germany's violations of the Treaty of Versailles. Action on the document thus is postponed until members of the Council receive instructions from their Chancelleries.

Ocean Rates

(Special to Guardian)

OTTAWA, April 29.—Testifying before the Ocean Rates Committee yesterday W. F. Marlow, manager of ocean freights of the C. P. R. told H. J. Symington, K. C. Counsel for the Committee that he could not say that shipping companies objected to competition by an outside conference, but they would naturally be anxious about it. "Would such competition be in the nature of a control of rates" asked Mr. Symington? "Yes, but it would go on only for a short time." The steamships would withdraw, he said as soon as the rates became unprofitable.

Denies Statement

(Canadian Press)

SOFIA, April 29—The United States Minister to Bulgaria, Chas. S. Wilson categorically denies the statement attributed to British Laborite parliamentarians visiting Bulgaria, that he either officially or unofficially represented the Bulgarian government the necessity for moderation towards those arrested after the bombing of Sveti Kral cathedral.

Welsh Miners Hard Hit By Taxes And Competition

(Associated Press)

MERTHYR, Wales, April 29. — The coal mining industry in this locality is in a very serious plight owing, it is asserted, to high taxation, German competition, and the national wages agreement which the mine-owners declare has forced up the cost of production.

Of the 80,000 inhabitants of the district, not more than 20,000 are male wage-earners, and nearly half of their number are on the dole.

Exceptionally high cost of production ,it is said, caused five pits at Dowlais, within the Merthyr administration boundary, to be abandoned, put 6,000 men out of work, lost $100,000 a week in wages to the district and reduced the country's output of coal by about 15,000 tons a week.

During the last eight months the output of coal has fallen by 5,000,000 tons, according to Finlay Gibson, secretary of the Monmouthshire an South Wales Coal Owners's Association. He said that the present slump in South Wales was worse than ever before.

RIGHTS OF NOVA SCOTIA SUBJECT OF RESOLUTION

Moved By Premier Armstrong In Legislative Assembly Yesterday With Reference to Present Coal Strike and Promises Made by "Fathers of Confederation."

(Canadian Press)

HALIFAX, April 29.—That the time has come when Nova Scotia should make a determined stand before the Dominion Government in the demand for all benefits and considerations due the province ethically and technically under the pact of Confederation, and that the provincial house brook no further delay in the fulfillment of all the promises made in this connection by the "Fathers of Confederation," was the substance of a resolution moved in the Nova Scotia Legislative Assembly by Hon. E. H. Armstrong, Premier of the Province, at this afternoon's stssion and seconded by Hon. W. J. O'Hearn, Attorney General at the night session. The resolution was adopted late tonight after Dr. B .A. LeBlanc, Conservative, Richmond, had moved an amendment striking out the whole of a document beginning at the first "whereas" and substituting a lengthy preamble beginning "local government for inaction desiring it as being without a mandate or endorsation of the people and resolving that writs be issued at once for a general election so that the new Government might be appointed by the people to grapple with the problem of Nova Scotia handicaps.

"The amendment was defeated by a vote of 18 to 11. There was no hint of secession in the resolution ,but simply a demand that peculiar requirements of Maritime Provinces and Nova Scotia in particular be taken into serious consideration in the formation of the Dominion's fiscal policy, or that province be allowed to work out its own salvation in the matter of taxes, control of trade and fisheries.

ALLEGED PLOT AGAINST AUSTEN CHAMBERLAIN'S LIFE

Additional Guards Have Been Assigned To Protect The Foreign Secretary

(Canadian Press)

LONDON, April 29 —Additional guards have been assigned to protect Foreign Secretray Austen Chamberlain. It is reported that a plot against his life has been discovered and the assignment of extra guards is presumably in connection with the alleged plot. News of the additional police protection for the British Foreign Secretary came from official quarters, but there was much reticence in discussing the nature of the supposed plot. It was intimated some of the details were discovered outside of London

Generous Treatment Is Acknowledged By Scottish Settlers

Mr. C. M. Williams, of the Soldiers' Settlement Board informed a Guardian reporter yesterday that the Scottish settlers at Canavoy, Mr and Mrs Ira Johnson and family, have, though somewhat inconvenienced by sickness, already made good progress in their new farming venture. Much of their good fortune in this respect says a letter to Mr. Williams from them, is due to the consideration and kindness of their neighbors. These, after giving them a most hearty welcome in a tangible form, also contributed a house warming on the evening of April 23rd, when more than thirty neighbors visited them, bringing poultry and other useful articles. For these good acts the Johnson's wished to express their thanks through the Press.

Another act they wished to acknowledge was a letter of welcome from the Guardian newspaper, along with a complimentary subscription from that periodical, all of which they highly appreciated.

They also wrote that the Johnson homestead was recently visited by Mrs J. Muldrew, director of the Home Branch of the Department.

Needless to say, Mr and Mrs Johnson are somewhat struck with some of the practices here and Mrs Johnson was quite delighted to find that, instead of a built in grate, she had a large kitchen range on which she could keep three or four pots all well heated at the one time.

To have new settlers located so generously shows the appreciation the residents of this Province have for worthy immigrants. Seven other families will in all probability arrive on the Island from the Old Country this year, and it is already decided that two of these will settle near Kensington and Lower Montague respectively.

New Zealand Prem. Is Seriously Ill

(Special to Guardian)

LONDON, April 29.—The condition of Premier O. F. Massey, of New Zealand, who recently underwent an operation at Wellington is causing serious anxiety says a cable message received by the High Commissioner here from the acting Premier, Sir Francis Bell. "Although no official bulletin has been issued for some days," the message reads "I regret to report that the Premier Massey's condition is becoming weaker and gives cause for serious anxiety."

Is Established Man Originated From The Apes

SIMLA, India, April 28.—It has been definitely established that man originated from apes, according to the opinion expressed here today by Dr. Ales Hrdlicka, of Washington, D.C., who has headed expeditions of the United States National Museum of Anthropology to many parts of the world. He is here to examine the discovery recently made of five different species of fossils of anthropoid apes in the Shivalik hills.

Addressing a representative gathering at the residence of Sir Frederick Whyte, president of the Legislative Assembly of India, Dr. Hrdlicka urged India to undertake seriously researches in the Shivalik hills, which he said might contain important evidence concerning the origin of the human race.

He expressed the belief that previous researches have already shown definitely that all human races, including African negroes and whites had the same origin from anthropoid apes but that differences in subsequent intellectual development had caused the later racial differences. He said that if the people of India develop at great strides intellectually they can catch up with the white races.

Sentenced To Die In Electric Chair

NEW YORK, April 29.—Another J. Pantano, convicted of murder in connection with the slaying of two West End bank messengers during a robbery in 1923, yesterday was sentenced to be electrocuted during the week of June 8.

Pantano was convicted last week for the second time as the result of a third trial. After his first conviction, he spent several months in the death house at Sing Sing. The jury at a second trial disagreed on a verdict.

Morris and Joseph Diamond and John Farina, all of Brooklyn, are to be executed on Thursday night for the same crime unless they are granted reprieves.

Supreme Court Justice Lewis imposed the death sntence against Pantano today. The convicted man will be held in Raymond street jail, at the request of counsel for a week before being taken to the dath house at Sing Sing, to enable defense attorneys to confer with the prisoner regarding legal moves to save him.

It was chargd that Pantano, a former clerk in the bank, had given the Diamonds and Farina information as to the movements of the bank messengers which made the robbery possible.

Moncton Will Send Team Here For Old Home Week

MONCTON, April 29.—At a meeting of the Moncton Firemen held last evening it was decided to send a team to Charlottetown to take part in the Firemen's Tournament to be staged there in July during P. E. I. Old Home Week.

A committee was appointed to get together and name a team to take part. It was also decided, if finances permit, to send a band over with the team That this part of the program will materialise is to be hoped for, as it will give Moncton a good measure of advertising and with the fine record the City Firemen have established for themselves in making a success of any proposition they have undertaken, it is to be hoped their efforts on this occasion will be equally successful.

Hated To Think Of What Might Have Taken Place

(Canadian Press)

OTTAWA, April 29.—"This particular crisis is the apex we have reached as result of conditions which have existed for three and half years," stated Rev. Dr. F. McaVity, superintendent of General Relief at Glace Bay, in addressing members of the House of Commons today on the situation among the striking miners and their families in the Cape Breton coal area. "There are 4,500 returned men in Glace Bay" he said "to whom a boyonet is only a toy." If relief had not been given, he would hate to think of what might have taken place. These men he contended naturally expected assistance in their crisis.

Churchill's Budget Speech Praised

(Canadian Press)

LONDON, April 29—There is a suggestion of approval for Chancellor of Exchequer Churchill's first budget in editorials of London morning newspapers of all political bearings, the Government being commended chiefly for the return to the gold standard and the reduction in the Income Tax. Warm praise from Mr. Churchill's own party is expressed by the Daily Telegraph, which says the Budget assured stability of the pound sterling and paves the way for increased trade and commerce activity in Great Britain.

Prince Eitel Now a Farmer

(Assobiated Press)

POTSDAM, April 29.— Eitel Friedrich, second son of ex-Emperor William II, calls himself farmer in the new city directory of Potsdam. He omits the long list of military and hereditary titles which the Hohenzollerns have thus far added to their names in the city and telephone directories. The designation of prince is part of his name under post-revolutionary German law and not a title.

Geers Memorial Features Toledo Grand Circuit Card

(Associated Press)

TOLEDO, Ohio, April 29.—Headed by America's richest trotting event, the $25,000 Geers Memorial Sweepstakes for 2:08 trotters, the July Grand Circuit meeting here will include seven rich stake races. There will be a total purse distribution of $46,000 for early closing events in the five days of racing, July 13-18.

The other six races are the Matron Stake, three-year-olds, $7,500; Maumee Stake for 2:03 trotters, $3,000; Fort Miami Stake for 2.11 trotters, $3,000; the Fort Meigs Stake for 2:05 pacers, $3,000; the Tecumseh for 2:11 pacers, $3,000 and the Mooney for three-year-old pacers, value $1,500.

With an entry list of 24 nominations, the Geers Memorial promises to be one of the greatest horse races of the year. The entries include Walter R. Cox's Thompson Dillon; W. T. Chandler's, the Great Lullwater; W. R. Neill's, Great Bells, and Dr. Strongworthy and Gertrude F. of the Murphy stables.

The Maumee will be one of the hardest fought races of the meeting, with twelve entries, including Etta Druin and Pearl Benboe of the Murphy stables; Cupid's Albingen,, Ethelinda and the Great Volo of the Cox stables.

The Matron Stake (closed), carries a list of 37 nominations; the Fort Miami has 26 entries; the Tecumseh, 25; the Fort Meigs, 18, and the Mooney, 15.

KAISER IS IN GREAT SPIRITS THESE DAYS

(Canadian Press)

DOORN, Holland, April 29—It has been learned that the former Kaiser at his Chateau here last night expounded the significance and importance of Hindenburg's election as related to the restoration of the Monarchy and the Honzolleron Dynasty. Wilhelm who seemed in excellent spirits spoke for about ninety minutes. Despite this celebration it is said by well informed persons that Hindenburg's victory is less likely to affect the ex-Kaiser personally, than it is the former Crown Prince whose activities and influence in military quarters have been increasing.

Evacuation Must Be Speedily Settled Says Hans Luther

(Canadian Press)

BERLIN, April 29—In order to bring about stable European conditions the qeustion of the evacuation of the Cologne area by the Allies must be speedily settled, Dr Hans Luther, German Chancellor declared in a statement today. For more than three months he says "we have waited in vain for reasons held to justify non evacuation."

Malden Has $75,000 Fire

(Canadian Press)

MALDEN, Mass., April 29. — The bodies of two men were found by firemen today in the ruins of the building of the Boston Rubber Company's plant here, which was wrecked by an explosion this morning. The third victim of the explosion was believed to be lying in hospital. The damage is estimated at $75,000.

May Follow Britain Re Gold Standard

(Canadian Press)

PARIS, April 29—The establishment of the gold standard by Great Britain will necessitate France taking the same step in the opinion of the best French financial authorities. Minister of Finance Caillaux already is studying the quetion and has intmiated it is necessary for the French people to make sacrifices to accomplish the return to gold standard.

German Worship Of Militarism

TOKIO, April 29.—The election of Field Marshal Von Hindenburg as President of Germany is likely to produce a serious effect on the susceptible European political situation in the opinion of various vernacular newspapers.

The Jipi Shimpo says, "the election bears eloquent witness that the worship of militarism still holds a firm grip on the German nations, adding it is afraid that the election detracts greatly from the world's confidence in the German policy of peace.

TORONTO, April 30 —Maritime strong north east winds cloudy and cool, probably a few scattered showers.

High tide this afternoon at 2.36 and tomorrow morning at 4.46.

Sun sets this evening at 7.07 and rises tomorrow morning at 4.46.

First quarter moon Thursday, April 30, 10.56 p.m.

Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

BOUGHT ALL THE RAILS USED IN CANADA

Last Year the Canadian National Took 45,000 Tons From Besco and 30,000 From Algoma.

OTTAWA, April 28.—It is unwise for railways to go into outside business wherever it can be avoided, according to R. C. Vaughan, Vice-President of th eCanadian National Railways in charge of stores and purchasing, when questioned before the committee on National Railways and shipping this morning by C. W. Stewart, (Humboldt), regarding the supply of ties. Mr. Stewart, quoting a communication from some individual in the West, asked Mr. Vaughan if it would not be more profitable for the Canadian National to go into the business of getting and supplying its own ties, and if 60 per cent, of the cost of ties could not be thereby saved.

"It would be unprofitable for the Railway to go into that business on its own account," replied Mr. Vaughan. "If you carried that argument to its logical conclusion the Railway should take over the business of supplying all its materials. It would be impossible for the Canadian National to produce the supplies it requires as efficiently and as cheaply as private concerns can do it for us."

Answering questions by Sir Henry Drayton Mr. Vaughan stated that all the rails used by the Canadian National in Canada were bought from the Brit. Emp. Steel Corporation and the Algoma Steel Com. Last year 45,000 tons were purchased from the former and 30,000 tons from the later. Also, he stated, following an intimation by Sir Henry Drayton that the British Empire concern re-let rail contracts to the Algoma Steel, that the Canadian National has never bought rails from the Algoma Sttel Company on British Empire Steel Corporation contracts.

Sir Henry, referring to the statement of buying all the supplies that could be obtained in Canada, said he had paid 45 cents for figs in a Canadian National dining car that were produced in the United States and that this practice should stop, to which Hon. George P. Graham, Minister of Railways and Canals, retorted, "You should not yield to temptation."

There is little prospect of any electrification of the main line of the Canadian National Railways for some time, according to statements made by officials of that road in answer to questions by Sir Henry Drayton and Joseph H. Harris (East York).

"Our investigations have been continued to some considerable extent," said R. A. C. Henry, one of the Canadian National officials, "but generally speaking, it may be safe to say that with the exception of very few segments of the line, the traffic is not sufficiently dense at the present time to justify electrification, as based upon the present cost of power." Later he stated that about the only line whose traffic had sufficient density was that between Toronto and Hamilton.

Hindenburg Wants World Wide Peace

(Special to Guardian)

BERLIN, April 29.— President Elect Hindenburg favors a safety pact among European nations, continued fulfillment of the Dawes Plan and world wide peace. His views were made known today by Chancellor Luther, with whom the Field Marshall conferred.

Announcements, Coming Events, Meetings, Etc.

**Reserve Tuesday, May 5th for concert at Wheatley River Hall. 739-30-2i

**Emerald Dramatic Club will present a play "King of the Phillipines" at Hunter River, April 30. 707-429-2i

**Rustico Friday, May 1st. Play Oak Farm by Hope River talent. Interesting specialties. Admission 20 and 35 cents. 695-4-28tutf3i.

**Wanted—Everyone to see extra special show, "Girl in His Room" with Alice Calhoun, Montague Friday. Georgetown Saturday. 732.

**The farmers of the Cornwall school district are urged to meet at the school on Monday evening, May 4th at 7.30 p. m. to consider the Restricted Area Plan for the eradication of Bovine Tuberculosis. 724 4 30 2i