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## PAYS TRIBUTE TO THE LATE DR. MACMECHAN

Sir Andrew Macphail  
Expresses Appreciation  
of Deceased  
Friend and Colleague.

Sir Andrew Macphail, when informed by the Guardian of the sudden death of Archibald MacMechan, was greatly distressed; for Dr. MacMechan was, he said, one of his oldest, most intimate and valued friends.

"He was an important figure in the academic and literary life of Canada, and had gained a sure place in the mind and affection of ten generations of students. His various talents received ample recognition; he was awarded the Royal Society's gold medal for his writings, a distinction given to only five other Canadians.

"When he retired from his professor's chair, McGill University proposed to confer upon him an honorary degree, but was anticipated by Dalhousie which he had served so well for more than forty years.

"To his friends he seemed to be in the prime of life; his strength, enthusiasm and gaiety were unflagging to the end. As was said of another prophet: he will be missed in his place."

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## Rail Men Ask Return To Basic Rates

(Canadian Press)  
MONTREAL, Aug. 8.—Not only do the shop trades division of railroad labor protest the second 10 per cent wage reduction imposed by both the Canadian Pacific and Canadian National Railroads "but they also demand the return to the basic rates," said Robert Tallon, President of the shop trades division No. 4 of the American Federation of Labor today, in announcing conciliation meetings with railroad representatives had concluded.

The shop trades and the roads arrived at the conclusion they were unable to compose their differences following two days conference and representatives of the men began to return home. The next move was considered up to the railroads and it was believed a Board of Conciliation would be requested.

## PENNSYLVANIA MINERS RETURN TO WORK

UNIONTOWN, Pa., Aug. 8.—(A.P.)—An appeal from President Roosevelt, carried to the turbulent strike area, today swung western Pennsylvania's soft coal workers in to the back to the mines movement. Stirred to enthusiasm as Edward F. McGrady, labor division of the NRA, delivered Mr. Roosevelt's message, more than 100 leaders of Union locals decided by a unanimous vote to return to work.

Facing these recalcitrant local leaders, McGrady, who had flown to Uniontown from Washington, said: "I am here, acting for the President of the United States and asking you to go back to work."

Prolonged cheers greeted the President's name—cheers that grew in volume as McGrady asserted: "We propose to see that the agreement which was entered into between your organization, the operators and the President is carried out."

"I pledge you that any grievances that may arise will be handled promptly and that we will appoint a committee to rectify any wrongs."

## Dairymen Fight Against Strikers

(Associated Press)  
ALBANY, N. Y., Aug. 8.—Non-striking New York dairymen fought back today against the strikers and alleged terrorists who have succeeded in closing or virtually closing many upstate milk plants and causing a milk shortage in two cities.

Meanwhile Governor Lehman summoned Major General William Haskell, commander of the National Guard, to inform him what forces would be available if it became necessary to send the National Guard into action.

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## MACHADO TO CONTINUE IN OFFICE

Cuban President Announces He Will Continue As Head of Republic.

HAVANA, Aug. 8.—(A.P.)—In the face of widespread demand for his resignation and following a bloody disturbance here yesterday when 21 persons were slain, President Machado announced this afternoon that he was continuing as President of the Republic.

The President's statement followed shortly an interview which he held with Sumner Welles, United States Ambassador, who declared as he left the Presidential palace that "mediation is not ended."

Yesterday's tragic disturbances were produced after circulation of a report that Machado was on the verge of leaving office and after Ambassador Welles had submitted a formula for settlement which had been agreed upon by most of the Opposition and Government party leaders.

The strikes of transport and other workers, which have spread rapidly in Havana and in other parts of the Island during the past week, may be broken tomorrow, the President asserted.

The President declared he was disposed to reach an agreement with his political adversaries and even today he had sent to Congress a recommendation for immediate approval of the electoral reforms advised by Professor Howard Lee McBain of Columbia University.

The latest count of the results of yesterday's street firing, made by visits to the morgue and hospitals, showed 21 dead and 146 wounded. This did not include persons treated in their homes.

## Automobile Trade Making Rapid Comeback

(Associated Press)  
NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—Wall Street has been cheered by reports of the rapid comeback being made by the automobile trade. The motor car business has exceeded expectations of analysts in the celebrity with which it has regained ground lost as the result of tight purses and jobless motorists.

Whereas three months ago statisticians were predicting that the industry's business might fail to equal the volume in 1932 and red ink would mark the ledgers of most companies, improvement has been so marked that indications point to profits of most of the major concerns in the third quarter of 1933 attaining the best level since the comparable period of 1929. The year 1929 was a fairly good year for the automobile industry, although not equalling 1928 when the motor car industry enjoyed the greatest prosperity in its history.

## Strewl Charged With Kidnapping

(Associated Press)  
ALBANY, N. Y., Aug. 8.—District Attorney John T. Delaney announced today a warrant had been issued for the arrest of Manney Strewl charging him with the kidnapping of Lieutenant John J. O'Connell, Jr. Strewl acted as go-between in delivering the \$40,000 ransom money and arranging for young O'Connell's release.

## Lindberg Again On Move

ANGMAGSALIK, East Greenland, Aug. 8.—(A.P.)—Col. Charles A. Lindberg hopped off from here this afternoon for Julianehab on the southern coast of Greenland. If ice conditions are bad at Julianehab he planned to proceed to Godhaag on the west coast.

## Commission On Banking Holds Opening Session

First Formal Meetings Held With Canada's Leading Financial Experts — Plan Exhaustive Survey Of Problems.

OTTAWA, Aug. 8.—(C.P.)—Enlightened by facts and opinions presented by some of Canada's leading financial executives, the Royal Commission on Banking and Currency, under the chairmanship of Lord MacMillan, completed the first formal meetings today. Convened by the Canadian Government to make an exhaustive survey into all phases of the Dominion's banking, currency and credit problems, the Commission will spend the next six weeks gathering data at larger centres from coast to coast. Upon the Commission's report will be based the sixth decennial revision of the Canada Bank Act.

Lord MacMillan, in a prepared statement, made it evident from the start that the Commission would take advantage of the board terms of reference, and give the Dominion's financial system a complete over-hauling. But he also emphasized his belief that Canada had something to be very proud of in the record of her banks, and that appointment of the present Commission was no reflection upon them.

The Commission was launched with the blessings of Hon. E. N. Rhodes, Minister of Finance, who announced the intention of appointing such a Commission when he made his budget speech last March. The Minister particularly thanked Lord MacMillan and Sir Charles Addis, the London members of the Commission who came to

Other bridges on which rapid progress has been made are those at Flat River, Bellevue, Suffolk, Lot 2, St. Louis Station Lot 2, O'Leary, Lot 8, two at Hamilton Lot 18, and Sherbrook.

## Falls From Scow Is Drowned

CHATHAM, N. B., Aug. 8.—(C.P.)—Falling from a scow from which lumber was being loaded onto the steamer Brae, anchored in mid-stream off the Canada dock here, Celestine Druet, 16 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Druet, Chatham, was drowned this morning. His body had not been recovered up to a late hour tonight.

## Plans Of Polish Fliers Uncertain

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—(A.P.)—The Polish-American flyers who cracked up at Harbor Grace, Nfld., after a test flight from Floyd Bennett field planned a trans-Atlantic voyage on Sept. 3. But associates here were uncertain tonight whether the trip would be carried out.

Mechanics at Floyd Bennett field were ready to go to the aid of the brothers if they should request assistance in repairing their monoplane.

If their flight to Poland is undertaken, friends said, the airmen will stop at Harbor Grace and refuel before making the long trip across the North Atlantic.

## Residence Burned At Enmore River

(Special to The Guardian)  
SUMMERSIDE, Aug. 8.—The handsome residence of Mr. Wallace Noye of Enmore River was burned to the ground between 12 noon and 1 o'clock p. m. yesterday, also 60 cords of wood and outbuildings.

Mr. Noye was in Summerside when he received a telephone message that his place was on fire. When he returned the place was in ruins.

Mr. Noye is a prominent fish exporter. His property loss is estimated at between \$6,000 and \$7,000, partly covered by insurance. The heavy gale blowing at the time made it impossible to save anything.

## BRITISH GOV. SATISFIED WITH GERMAN ACTION

Every Effort Will Be Made to Curb Attacks on Austrian Government.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—(A.P.)—The British Government is satisfied for the present with German assurances against further unfriendly actions toward Austria, the Austrian Charge D'Affaires was told at the Foreign Office this afternoon when he held a conference with officials there.

The Italian Government has informed Great Britain of German assurances that every effort will be made to put a stop to incidents such as dropping propaganda leaflets over Austria and broadcasting of attacks on the Austrian Government.

Herr Von Wimmer, the Austrian charge, was informed that under the circumstances the immediate object desired by the British Government had been attained. The British Charge D'Affaires at Berlin so informed the German Government yesterday, at the same time outlining representations which otherwise he would make.

Herr Von Wimmer was told in Downing Street that in view of assurances given by the German Government Great Britain hopes that there will be no repetition of the incidents in question.

## One Drowned Six Missing

(Associated Press)  
NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—At least one child was drowned and six were missing today after a big wave swept a large group of children off of a sandbar at Rockaway Beach, Queens.

The children caught by the wave and carried to the sea by its undertow were part of a picnic party of 100 from the Pride of Judea Orphans Home in Brooklyn.

## Search For Missing Boat

(Canadian Press)  
GLACE BAY, N. S., Aug. 8.—At a late hour tonight R. C. M. P. patrol boats scouring Cabot Strait had failed to locate the swordfishing motorboat Angus L., missing from her dock at Lingan since 11 o'clock last night. R. C. A. F. planes will join the search tomorrow if the craft, owned at Port Hood, is not found before dawn.

Captain Duncan MacDonald was ashore at Lingan when his engineer, Simon Walsh, put to sea alone. A heavy gale arose soon afterward.

## Mrs. M.K. Gandhi Gets Six Months

AHMEDABAD, India, Aug. 8.—(A.P.)—The wife of M. K. Gandhi was sentenced today to six months' simple imprisonment for her activities in connection with her husband's renewed civil disobedience movement.

Mrs. Gandhi was released from prison yesterday and was immediately re-arrested. She had been taken in custody after the arrest of her husband Aug. 1 when the new movement was launched.

## 400 Delegates For Convention

MONCTON, N. B., Aug. 8.—Incoming Canadian National trains continue to bring delegates to the annual convention of the Independent Order of Oddfellows for the Maritime Provinces and Newfoundland which opened in Moncton today.

Over four hundred delegates have already arrived. The convention will continue over Wednesday and Thursday.

## Polish Aviators Crash Landing At Harbor Grace

Plane Overruns Landing Field In Newfoundland After A Flight From Brooklyn New York—May Cancel Trans Atlantic Hop.

(Canadian Press)  
HARBOR GRACE, Nfld., Aug. 8.—It's left wing broken, the White Eagle lay crumpled at the Harbor Grace airport tonight. Extensive repairs will be necessary before the big monoplane can take the air again. The damage included a smashed undercarriage and bent propeller when the plane overran the landing field and crashed with three airmen after a flight from Brooklyn, N. Y.

As all the necessary repairs cannot be made here, it appeared that the plans of Joseph and Benjamin Adamowicz to reach their native Poland via a trans-Atlantic hop must either await a long postponement or be cancelled. The brothers were uncommunicative tonight regarding their immediate intentions.

Emil Birgen, an extra pilot, was with the Polish-Americans, but it was unknown if the plans had included his accompanying them on the ocean flight. Benjamin was slightly hurt an elbow requiring a few stitches and the others escaped injury.

Birgen was at the controls as the White Eagle approached Harbor Grace this afternoon after a flight of less than eight hours from Brooklyn. He failed to see the wind come, and, understanding that the only way to land was from the westward, came down in the wrong direction. The plane ran 200 yards, swerving off the field into rough land. Eight feet of the left wing buckled and broke, in addition to the undercarriage and propeller damage.

Before taking off this morning the brothers said their hop to Harbor Grace would be a test flight preliminary to the ocean jump. When known as the Liberty two years ago, the same monoplane carried Otto Hillis and Holger Holtrils across the Atlantic to Denmark.

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The activities heretofore carried out by the Empire Board will be taken over by other divisions of the Committee on Economic Co-operation and Consultation, and under a system by which the expenses will be shared by all the Dominions, instead of by the United Kingdom alone as was the case with the board.

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## War Veteran Disappears From Lodging

Anxiety is felt for Charles L. Meurant, believed to be formerly of Souris, who disappeared from the city on Monday leaving in the room of his lodging house at Mrs. Birch's, 137 Kent Street, a letter with instructions to his landlady.

The letter read as follows: "Kindly save my clothes and things to give to my father and mother, and tell them when you see them to take care of the same, and insurance papers are in the box. I thank you for all your kindness to me."

CHARLES L. MEURANT  
Mr. Meurant is described as being of dark complexion, about 36 years of age, an overseas man who received a pension, and had one artificial leg from the knee down. He was last seen between 7 and 8 o'clock Monday evening.

## Police Rout Nude Bathers

(Canadian Press)  
STONEY CREEK, Ont., Aug. 8.—Mixed nude bathers enjoyed a moonlight plunge at the community beach here were routed by police officers over the week-end. Acting on the complaints of indignant residents near the beach police forced the disrobed bathers to clamber from the water and take to flight in their automobiles.

There were four carloads of the nudists. As soon as the police appeared they made for their vehicles, gathering up most of their clothes.

## MARKETING BOARD TO BE DISSOLVED

Activities of Board Will Be Handled By Other Divisions.

(Canadian Press)  
OTTAWA, Aug. 8.—The Empire Marketing Board in its present form will disappear after Sept. 30 next, by virtue of the acceptance by Empire countries of the recommendations of the Imperial Committee on Economic Consultation and Co-operation, 1933. Announcement of this action was made public simultaneously today in the capitals of the Empire members.

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## The Weather, Etc

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FORECAST  
Maritime Provinces—Strong southwest shifting to northwest winds; cloudy and cool with showers. High tide this morning at 1.06 and tomorrow afternoon at 1.45. Sun sets this evening at 7.16 and rises tomorrow morning at 4.55. Summerside—The eighteen minutes tour bus Charlottetown. Week days—Leaving Boston 0.15 a. m.; 1 p. m. (Extra); 5.15 p. m. Week days—Leaving Cape Tormentine 10.30 a. m. (Extra); 2.55 p. m.; 7 p. m.