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10th Convention M. R. E. Council

Formal Welcome Extended To Vis- iting Delegates At Trinity Church. Inspir- ing Opening Ad- dress Delivered

The first session of the tenth annual convention of the Maritime Religious Education Council was held last evening in Trinity United Church, with a very large number of delegates and local people in attendance. Mr. A. M. Gregg, St. John, president of the convention, opened with an inspiring service of worship. His Worship Mayor Yeo extended a formal welcome to the delegates on behalf of the city. Rev. M. Scott Fulton, pastor of Zion Presbyterian Church, also welcomed the visitors on behalf of the local churches. To these addresses Mr. Charles R. Wasson, Saint John, N. B., fittingly replied.

The president appointed as the nominating committee Messrs J. A. Clark, Paul Kingston, C. R. Wasson, Rev. F. M. Milligan and Rev. W. S. Godfrey; and as a committee on Resolutions Rev. P. R. Hayden, Rev. W. E. Aitken, Mr. G. F. Hutcheon, Miss Bertha Robertson, Rev. H. T. Tompkinson.

President Gregg in the course of his presidential address said that changing conditions of today made necessary the adaptation of new methods in the presentation of truth while preserving the values of the past. Leaders of today must share life with youth and help youth work out its own problems. The start must be made with personalities, he insisted. Teaching should be related closely to every-day experience. Every boy and girl is a pioneer in life. They need guidance. As one boy said: "If the men of our town will show us the kind of men we ought to be, we will do our best to be that kind of men."

Today young people are doing more thinking about life than ever before. We must believe and trust in our younger generation—they are deserving of that belief and trust. A more definite plan of training the young workers must be provided for. We must not depend on good intentions but must become skilled students of personality. Our success depends on what we put into our work from day to day; upon busy men and women who do their work as leaders because they think it worth

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ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC.

- **Cardigan Monday. Show and Dance. Orchestra. 9:00-10-9-31.
- **Reserve Monday, November 11th Thanksgiving Supper Victoria Hall. Victoria United Church. 9:17-10-10-11.
- **Saturday, Oct. 26, Pantry Sale, Ladies of the Christian Church. 9:13-11.
- **Dr. Cliff, M. D.—Start now home prevention cure, now at 171 Queen St., Charlottetown.
- **Reserve November 26 for Presbyterian Annual Church Supper and Bazaar. 9:12-10-10-11.
- **Regular meeting Ladies' Auxiliary Protestant Orphanage in Oundall Home, Friday at 8:30. Important business. 9:11-10-10-11.
- **Reserve October 15th for Chicken Supper and Bazaar in Morrell Hall. Proceeds in aid of Marie Oundall Church. 9:07-10-9-31.
- **Reserve October 24th, King's Daughters' Concert, Hearle Memorial Hall. 9:10-10-21.
- **The Belfast Club will be loading hogs, fat sheep and lambs at Todha station, on Tuesday, Oct. 15. J. R. McWilliam, Secretary. 9:12-10-10-21.

Visiting New York



Desmond Fitzgerald, minister for defence of Irish Free State, who has arrived in New York upon a visit to the U. S. A.

KING WINTER HALTS SEARCH FOR FLIERS

For Full Week All But One of Northland Fliers Have Been Snowbound — Dur- ing Past Seven Days Only "Punch" Dick- ens Has Continued Search, So Far Fruit- less.

WINNIPEG, Man., Oct. 9.—Blustering King Winter tonight began to throw open the portals of his northern kingdom, where eight lost explorers have been imprisoned for a month. Chill breezes and falling snow—throughout one waiting week the enemies of search fliers—promised now to hurry the time when ski-equipped aeroplanes may invade the far-flung hinterland.

A dozen planes, allied in a search-pose for a systematic hunt over the barrens, were ready tonight to converge on the broad area where Colonel C. D. H. McAlpine and seven mates are believed to be marooned with their two gas-bereft flying machines. Only a 50 mile stretch of their intended route had not been scanned by searchers, but it was possible that the missing men had flown far off their course.

All But One of Northland Hunt Fliers Stormbound

For a full week, all but one of the northland hunt fliers have been stormbound. Either they have been unable to use pontooned machines because of the imminent threat of ice on the open water stretches; or they have been prevented from hopping off in ski-equipped craft because of the fact that in many cases the ice on the rivers and lakes has not been strong enough to support a landing plane.

During the past seven days, when the dread "in-between" season has been holding sway, only the super-fokker of "Punch" Dickens, 30 year old Edmonton daredevil, has proceeded in the search. With mechanic W. F. Fall, of Vancouver, Dickens coursed over a treacherous 1,000-mile route through the barrens in quest of the McAlpine men—and in vain. The Edmonton pilot has covered approximately 4,800 miles, dashing twice to Canada's Arctic coast in hunting for lost fliers.

STRIKE LIFTED

(Special to the Guardian)
NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—The railroad embargo on fresh fruits and vegetables consigned to New York was lifted today as the strike of 2,400 Union Market truck drivers was brought to an amicable end. It was estimated the strike had cost shippers and merchants several hundred thousand dollars. A compromise was reached between all four factions involved.

SEPTEMBER FISHERIES STATISTICS

Lobster Catch For Sept. Valued At \$76,374, Oyster Catch At \$12- 811, According To Inspector's Report.

Lobster and oyster fishing throughout September have been good according to the monthly report of Fisheries Inspector S. T. Gallant submitted to the Department of Marine and Fisheries. Codfishing returns have been fair, with mackerel scarce. The following statistics covering September will be of interest:
Cod: 1,176, 700 lbs; value \$17,017.
Haddock: 35, 300 lbs; value \$427.
Hake and cusk, 928,100 lbs; value \$5,156.
Herring: 199,600 lbs; value \$2,760.
Mackerel: 34,088 lbs; value \$11,594.
Clams and quahaugs: 1,088 bbls; value \$1,263.
Lobsters: 651,000 lbs; value \$76,374.
Oysters: 1,988 bbls; value \$12,811.

Cannot Shed Any Light On Congestion

(Special to the Guardian)
TORONTO, Oct. 9.—"I cannot shed any light at all on the grain congestion situation," said Sir Henry Thornton to the Telegram this morning. "I know that it will cause a very substantial reduction in our net earnings, and that is upsetting, after our starting off the financial year with such bright hopes of a banner year."

"There must be a compromise of some kind soon," he added. "One side is bound to crack." Asked if he held the view that the banks were behind the wheat pool he said, "I wouldn't say that, although I suppose a good deal of the mortgage companies' money is behind them. What if the banks call their loans to the farmers?" Sir Henry was asked, "I don't think they would. It would be a very drastic step to take and I think it is unlikely," he said. "I hope the farmers get plenty for their wheat," he said, "but I hope that something happens soon to relieve this situation."

BIG EXPENSE ENTAILED IN RE-BUILDING

Equipment and Recon- struction of Prince Edward For "Talk- ies" Would Cost About \$25,000 States Mr. F. G. Spencer.

F. G. Spencer was in Charlottetown Wednesday on business in connection with the possibility of making a permanent talking and singing picture installation. Mr. Spencer informed The Guardian that he was not in a position to make any definite announcement, as there were many details to be studied before deciding that conditions justified the very great expense involved.

Mr. Spencer has, we believe, always endeavoured to keep Charlottetown patrons satisfied that he was serving their interests in the best possible manner, and keeping from them nothing that could be seen elsewhere in confirmation of this policy, he is anxious to introduce the "talkies" but to correct the Andians. But the expense of presenting this latest and most popular form of entertainment Mr. Spencer explained, represents enormous cost, if the objective is to se-

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WILL NOT PURCHASE THE WELSH COAL

May Be Best In The World, But We Must Not Do Anything De- trimental To Canad- ian Coal Industry, Says Sir Henry.

(Canadian Press)
TORONTO, Ont., Oct. 9.—"We have not given any order for any of that coal. It is the best steam coal in the world and we would like to buy it, but we must not do anything detrimental to the Canadian coal industry," declared Sir Henry Thornton, President and Chairman of the C. N. R., when asked during an interview here today if the C. N. R. would purchase Welsh coal, as recently suggested by Right Hon. J. H. Thomas, Lord Privy Seal and Minister of Employment, in the British government during his Canadian trip. "If Mr. Thomas can do anything within the four corners of that statement, good luck to him," added Sir Henry.

No immediate solution was seen of the present grain congestion situation by Sir Henry.

LIVELY PLAY DRAWS LARGE ATTENDANCE

Mae Edwards Plays Score Another Suc- cess in "Stepping Mammás" Last Night.

The Mae Edwards Players are continuing to draw excellent houses at the Prince Edward Theatre. Last night, the third of their engagement, they presented to a large house the new production, "Stepping Mammás." This play is a story of an average family, father, mother two daughters and a son and its charm lies in the absolute fidelity to which average family life is portrayed. Each character is a counterpart of people whom we know in real life, and the working out of a plot which also has its parallel in either our own life, or the life of someone we know, makes for very enjoyable entertainment.

Miss Peggy Downes gave what was perhaps, her best performance so far seen, in the rather difficult role of the mother, whose lofty ambitions for her daughter's marriage, causes all the trouble, while Jack Werner Corbin was a convincing, and very familiar type of father. The entire play was a comedy, with Charlie Downes, as usual carrying the brunt of that element, and the remainder of the cast having roles that they carried very acceptably. "Stepping Mammás" will be repeated at tomorrow's matinee performance, and is well worth seeing. Tonight the company are to offer "The Trial of Billy Wells" which is announced as a distinct novelty in play construction.

The Mae Edwards Orchestra continues in top form, and Mr. Bemis announces that he has some excellent programmes, and entertaining novelties in store for patrons, between now and Saturday night.

Last Minute News Flashes

TORONTO, Ont., Oct. 9.—Sixty-eight yard employees of the Canadian Pacific Railway have been laid off from the local and suburban yards because of the non-movement of grain. It was announced by officials today.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 9.—Secretary Stimson today said the conversations with Right Hon. Ramsay MacDonald, Premier of Great Britain "have been most successful and have lived up to all our expectations."

FREDERICTON, Oct. 9.—A steel tower 110 feet in height with a glass enclosed cabin at top is to be erected near Deak-town where it will be used by the forest protection service of the Department of Lands and Mines to overlook vast timber areas of the Southwest Miramichi river district.

Social Function In Washington Brilliant Affair

In Honor of Great Brit- ain's Prime Minister And Daughter Ishbel —Exceeded Any Dip- lomatic Function Given In Years.

(Special to the Guardian)
WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—Great Britain's Prime Minister, J. Ramsay MacDonald and his daughter Ishbel, were honored guests last night at their last important social function in Washington, a brilliant dinner and reception at the historic British Embassy. The pomp, ceremony and importance of the occasion probably exceeded any diplomatic function given here in years. Almost 600 guests, most of them publicly prominent, were entertained by the British Ambassador, Sir Esme Howard and Lady Isabella Howard at the reception and had the opportunity of meeting Britain's Prime Minister. The reception brought together, Mrs. Dolly Curtis Gann and Mrs. Alice Roosevelt Longworth at the same social function for the first time since the two women became leaders of opposing factions in the capital's social war last spring.

At 8 o'clock thirty-seven stately guests entered the Embassy dining room where the mahogany table was laid with the solid silver service used for official functions. Under Secretary of State Cotton took Miss MacDonald to dinner. Ambassador Howard escorted Mrs. Stimson, while Lady Howard entered the banquet hall on the arm of Secretary Stimson. Mrs. Charles Francis Adams, wife of the Secretary of the Navy sat on the Ambassador's left. The Prime Minister sat on the left of Lady Howard. Secretary of the Treasury Mellon accompanied Mrs. Adams. Other guests included: Secty of Labor Davis; Lord Arnold; Sir Robert Vansittart; R. E. Craigie and Thomas Nones of the Prime Minister's official party.

Heroic Act Nets Him Vast Fortune

PORTLAND, Me., Oct. 9.—Long promised recognition of his heroic act, 45 years ago, when he plunged into the icy waters of Casco Bay and rescued George H. Rice, of New York, from certain death, has been given Herbert L. Pye, Portland ash-collector, in the form of Rice's entire estate of \$1,500,000.

The construction of huge elevators in Great Britain to handle Canadian wheat is another topic on which Mr. MacDonald was questioned in New York, and on which he may pass an opinion in one of his Canadian addresses.

Urges Air Mail Winter Service

Former Island Couple Celebrate Sixtieth Anniv.

MONTREAL, Oct. 9.—Rev. Dr. J. A. Gordon, pastor of the First Baptist Church here from 1899 until his retirement in 1913, and Mrs. Gordon today celebrated the 60th anniversary of their marriage which took place in Prince Edward Island. Dr. Gordon, now 83 years old, was born in Scotland, but came to Canada at an early age and settled in Prince Edward Island where he met and married Mrs. Gordon at West River.

WILL DELIVER FOUR SPEECHES CANADIAN TOUR

Ramsay MacDonald Will Speak In Toron- to, Ottawa, Montreal and Quebec — Will Sail For England From Quebec, Octob- er 25.

(Special to the Guardian)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 9.—Premier Ramsay MacDonald will deliver four speeches during his Canadian trip in the cities of Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal and Quebec. He sails for England from Quebec on October 25. It is expected that the most important pronouncement will be made by the Premier at the government dinner in Ottawa, where he may discuss certain matters touched on by Hon. J. H. Thomas, Lord Privy Seal, who a short time ago visited this country. Mr. Thomas expressed himself as favoring an economic conference in Canada; and Mr. MacDonald may refer to the success of Mr. Thomas' visit in this regard. It is suggested that the British Premier may shed further light on the negotiations with President Hoover, on the subject of the five power disarmament conference, which have been in progress here.

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LIFE MAY- BE A COMEDY BUT IT SHOULD BE WELL ACTED

Moderate west and north west winds, fair and cool.
Toronto, fair 48-58
Montreal, clear 40-50
Quebec, fair 42-52
Charlottetown, fair 46-56
Halifax, clear 58-64
High tide this afternoon at 4:18 and tomorrow morning at 2:51.
Sun sets this afternoon at 5:23 and rises tomorrow morning at 6:10.
First quarter moon, Thursday, Oct. 10th, 1:41 p. m.

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Board Of Trade Supports Estab- lishment Of Fly- ing Field For Ch'Town. Mr. R. L. Cotton Ap- pointed Delegate To Maritime Board Meeting

At the quarterly meeting of the Charlottetown Board of Trade which took place last night in the Board of Trade Rooms, with the president H. F. McPhee in the chair, Mr. Robert Cotton was appointed voting delegate to the Maritime Board of Trade meeting which takes place in Moncton, Oct. 16 and 17. Resolutions were adopted urging the continuance of winter mail service and the establishment of a flying field and airport. After the reading of several communications Mr. Paton reported in regard to the coming fox show that a fine cup was purchased as a trophy for the show. After some discussion as to the restrictions to be placed on the cup, it was moved and seconded that the officers of the fox association be given charge of the cup to present it as they see fit.

In the event of Mr. Cotton being unable to attend the Maritime Board of Trade meeting, the appointment of an alternative delegate was left in the hands of the president.

President McPhee stated that it would be necessary to appoint discussion leaders to go to the meeting of the Maritime senators and business men, which is to take place shortly. Such subjects as transportation, fisheries, the land question and Maritime rights will be brought up at this meeting and it will be necessary to present the viewpoint of this province. The matter of the appointment of representatives from the Charlottetown Board was left in the hands of the council. Mr. Higgins moved that a committee be appointed to interview the city council with regard to the renovation and improvement of the hallways leading to the Board rooms. Messrs. H. F. McPhee, W. Higgins, McLeod, were appointed to act in this capacity.

Considerable discussion took place as to the advisability of bringing a resolution to the Maritime meeting with regard to the early completion of the new car ferry. It was moved by Mr. R. E. Mutch and seconded by Mr. McLeod that Mr. Cotton prepare a resolution on this matter and present it to the council for approval. The following resolutions were adopted unanimously:

Urge Need of Flying Club

Moved by Mr. Geo. Tweedy.
Seconded by Mr. J. A. Clark.
Whereas: Aviation is without doubt coming into more general use, and is destined to play an increasing important part in our development, and
Whereas: Prince Edward Island on account of its geographical position will be benefited to perhaps a greater extent than Mainland points by such service, and
Whereas: In order that we may take advantage of, and prepare ourselves for such progressive development, it is imperative that suitable landing grounds be provided, and

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