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INVESTIGATION OF ASSOCIATION ASKED FOR

Resolutions Criticising Management of Potato Growers Association Passed at Souris Meeting.

Resolutions urging a Government investigation into the business of the Potato Growers Association and the calling of a public meeting by the Minister of Agriculture to discuss the Association's affairs "on a date in June or early in July" were passed at a public meeting in Patrick's Hall, Souris, on Saturday night. The resolutions, which had been prepared in advance, were passed and adopted unanimously following criticism of the Association's management by Mr. Thomas Kiekham, a director, and Mr. J. J. Hughes.

The meeting, which was largely attended, had been called by Mr. Kiekham and the following members of the Association: John McDonald, Joseph E. Deagle, John McAndrew, Andrew Peters, George Mulvey, Alphonse McDonald. On motion of Senator Hughes, Mr. Frank Kelly was appointed chairman and Mr. V. A. MacDonald secretary.

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Prayers For Success Of The Conference

(Canadian Press)
OTTAWA, June 19.—Prayers for the success of the Imperial Economic Conference will be offered at every mass in the archdiocese of Ottawa starting July 1. Archbishop J. G. Forbes announced today.

Fishermen Tell Graphic Story Of Their Rescue

(Canadian Press)
BOSTON, June 19.—Eight fishermen, the rescued crew of the Boston dragger John Mantia which sank 85 miles southeast of Highland light late Thursday walked off the coastguard cutter Mojave yesterday with a graphic story of their escape from the vessel a scant 10 minutes before it sank.

Capt. John Linehan and his crew of seven men put out from the Boston fish pier last Saturday for the south channel fishing grounds and were heading homeward with a 20,000 pound catch when it was discovered, early Thursday morning, that the vessel was leaking at the stern.

All hands turned to the pumps and had toiled for six hours without avail when the Boston steam trawler Exeter responded to the Mantia's distress signals. The Exeter put six men aboard to aid at the pumps but it soon was evident the ship could not be saved.

In a raging electrical storm the crew stayed aboard until the deck was awash, then left in dories for the Exeter which was hove to nearby. Ten minutes later the Mantia sank, stern first. Radio made useless by static from storm, the Exeter was unable to report the Mantia's sinking until Friday. Yesterday the Mantia crew, which included Capt. Linehan's father, brother and cousin, was taken off by the Mojave and brought here.

Bankers In Car Accident

SYDNEY, N. S., June 19.—(By the Canadian Press)—Three bankers were in hospital tonight as a result of an accident yesterday when blowouts occurred simultaneously in a front and a rear tire and sent their car rolling along the north east Margaree highway.

They are: Percy T. Chapman, Manager of the Whitney Pier branch of the Royal Bank of Canada; Cecil Lloyd, assistant manager of the Sydney branch of the same bank; and Walter J. Bagley, of the district office staff of the Royal at Halifax.

Lloyd was the most seriously injured, receiving cuts about the scalp, legs and left hand, all of which required stitches. All are expected to recover.

Chapman recently recovered from a broken arm, sustained while cranking his car at Amherst.

Sad Tragedy

(Canadian Press)
SAINT JOHN, June 19.—Burned in her home last evening while poking a kitchen fire "to keep daddy's supper warm," Annie Ritchie, aged six, died in hospital today. When the child's clothing caught fire her mother and sister made frantic efforts to beat out the flames in time to avoid serious injury.

Commander Ordered Home

PORTLAND, Me., June 19.—The British light cruiser Danae left here today for Montreal without her commander, Captain A. L. Saint George Lyster. He was ordered home to England after X-rays, taken yesterday, disclosed he was suffering from an internal disorder. The ship left in command of the executive officer, Commander L. Tudway, Captain Lyster left for New York where he will board a liner for home. The Danae was here in connection with the Yankee divisions convention.

EUROPE'S BIG FOUR MEETS TODAY

Nations Representatives Hope To Permanently Settle War Debts And Reparations.

(By Melvin K. Whiteleather, Associated Press Staff Correspondent)
LAUSANNE, Switzerland, June 19.—The big four of Europe—Great Britain, France, Italy and Germany—will meet here tomorrow for a private and intensive effort to chart a definite channel for permanent settlement of war debts and reparations. Their meeting will come on the eve of plenary debate, which was dropped Friday after the nations represented here had agreed to forego an estimated \$48,000,000 in war payments for the duration of the conference. Aside from this decision, no authoritative evidence has turned up to indicate the course of the proceedings, and it indicated the fundamental differences between the various groups will have to be approached gradually. Because of this, the end of this week

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EXPLOSION DEATH LIST REACHES 24

(Canadian Press)
MONTREAL, June 19.—The death list following Friday's tragic explosion tonight stood at 24 of whom three were unidentified, three others were missing and presumed dead. Thirty-five men were still receiving hospital treatment. Fire Chief Raoul Gauthier was still missing. It was expected his body would be recovered tomorrow.

Once again the morgue was crowded with heart-broken relatives of the dead. Since Friday these people had suffered the anguish of uncertainty. Today they picked out their loved ones by such marks of identity as rings, teeth fillings, pairs of clothing, length of fingerprints—for in most cases the characteristics of facial appearance and hair had been destroyed by fire. Despite utmost efforts of morgue authorities two men remained unclaimed.

A little further uptown endless streams of people filed quietly and reverently past three coffins. The bodies of firemen Napoleon Henrihon, Louis De Brienne and Lucien F. Hamelin lay in state in the departmental headquarters. Each of the firemen, who died with their chief during the second explosion, was dressed in the uniform he honored. Upon each casket is the name of its occupant and his helmet, covered with red and white flowers. Dark velvet curtains excluded the harsh light of day while shaded lights in tall sconces dimly illuminated the scene, glistening on the white-draped brass crucifixes and reflected in the pale mass of flowers banked high about the walls.

A blank space in the centre of the room was eloquent. It told that Chief Gauthier was still missing. The funeral for the firemen now lying in state, and for Chief Gauthier should be held tomorrow, is set for 10 a.m. Wednesday at

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Truck Overtakes, One Girl Dies

(Canadian Press)
PERTH, N. B., June 19.—Death came to Violette Wright, 19, when a truck in which she was riding went out of control and overturned several times near here last night.

Harold Lockhart, the driver, and his wife were severely cut. They were rescued from beneath the truck by three men, whose arrival probably averted a triple tragedy.

Unprecedented Demand For Canadian Apples

(Canadian Press)
MONTREAL, June 19.—"The new British tariff has created an unprecedented demand for Canadian apples," was the statement made on his arrival here yesterday on the Canadian Pacific Liner, Duchess of Richmond by J. Forsyth Smith, Canadian Government fruit commissioner to Great Britain.

"This demand is not only for the boxed British Columbia apples but for barrelled apples from all parts of Canada," he said. "Last year's buy within the Empire campaign of the British marketing board started an appreciable demand for the Dominion's products and the new tariff provisions have accentuated this to a remarkable degree."

Mr. Forsyth Smith pointed out that the apple trade to Great Britain includes quite a large number of shipments on consignment so that the news of the growing popularity of Canadian fruit spells good news to many Canadian farmers.

(Canadian Press)
TORONTO, June 19.—Failure to agree with his lawyer, John C. McBeth, led Douglas Gunn, 43, to jump on McBeth's leg and fracture it, police say. Now Gunn is under arrest with aggravated assault. The barrister was the complainant.

"Hello Folks, Pleased To Meetcha"



BABY HERRIDGE MAKES PUBLIC BOW

Here is the son and heir of the Hon. W. D. Herridge, Canadian minister at Washington, and Mrs. Herridge, sister of Premier Bennett. This is Baby Herridge's first big bow to his fans. He was born in Ottawa, April 28. Announcement was made some time ago his godfather would be the governor-general, the Earl of Bessborough, and that it was understood his name would be "Richard Bennett Herridge," which gives his uncle a break.

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"The people of the three Prairie Provinces are optimistic that there will be excellent crops this year," the Minister stated. "The crops everywhere I went looked wonderful and even with the low prices the people in all three provinces are looking forward with confidence. Unless something unexpected happens they look for one of the best crops in years."

Cardinal Given Royal Welcome

LONDON, June 19.—(A.P.)—Great crowds impelled by religious fervor, created tumultuous scenes when Cardinal Lorenzo Lauri, Papal Legate, en route to the Dublin Congress, passed through London today.

At the little used Addison Road station where the engine on the Cardinal's train was changed, the Papal representative was received by Church and railway officials.

As the reception committee escorted the Cardinal along the platform, turmoil gripped the throng which gathered to see him. Men and women struggled to kiss the Legate's ring, and others knelt to kiss his robes. Girls and women cried, men shouted, and the police formed a cordon to save the Legate from the crush of humanity. Later from the car window he blessed the sacred emblems thrust at him by the hundreds.

Left A Fortune

LONDON, June 19.—(Canadian Press Cable)—Viscount Perceval, heir to the estate of the eighth Earl of Egmont, one-time Priddis, Alta., rancher, is richer by more than \$300,000 under the will of the Dowager Countess Lucy, widow of the seventh Earl.

Sources close to Viscount Perceval said they thought it unlikely his new inheritance would influence his decision to sell Avon Castle, the family seat for generations in Hampshire.

The Dowager Countess Lucy will bequeath to Viscount Perceval £60,000 set aside to provide her an annual income of £2,000 on the death of the seventh Earl in 1897. In addition she left her property.

(Canadian Press)
KENTVILLE, N. S., June 19.—(By the Canadian Press)—Frank Kimball, 17, was held by Royal Canadian Mounted Police tonight in connection with the shooting of James Schofield, 14-year old Hillarion boy, who was wounded yesterday at Jawbone Corner, about four miles from Kentville.

Dr. F. F. Chute of Canning, who extracted the bullet from Schofield's head, said he had a good chance for recovery.

DEMOCRATS PREPARING FOR CONVENTION

(By Ken Clark Canadian Press Staff Writer)
CHICAGO, Ill., June 19.—Democrats are arriving here to quarrel about who shall be their nominee for President and what stand the party will take on prohibition. The national convention does not open until June 27, but already the advance guards of the Franklin D. Roosevelt and Alfred E. Smith factions are encamped in hotels along the Lake Michigan front.

The past week has seen the general situation clarified by the Republican formality of endorsing President Herbert Hoover and all his policies past and future. The Democrats are confronted by a solid if dispirited phalanx headed up in Hooverism pure and simple. Because of the obvious long-step gloom the Republican convention observers are convinced the Democratic party has not had such a chance of seizing control since the days of Wilson. They also suspect it will murf the opportunity.

Governor Roosevelt of New York, the Liberal candidate for the Democratic nomination, had about 600 sure votes on the first ballot, about 150 short of the necessary two-thirds. The remainder are divided among half a dozen candidates.

The Democrats will fight among themselves. They will fight as to their nominee. Former Governor Alfred E. Smith, representing now the ultra-wet, Conservative wing, has already by inference characterized Roosevelt as a demagogue. His proposition that war debts should be reduced and eliminated on the basis of trade dickers has met with a good deal of qualified approval throughout the country. Incidentally the Republicans said nothing at all about war debts and the inference is that if President Hoover were re-elected he would be in a position to do something about them.

Father Makes Heroic Effort To Save Baby

BADDECK, N. S., June 19.—(By the Canadian Press)—Sheriff Lauchlin McDonald of Victoria county was severely burned on Saturday as he strove heroically to save the life of his two-year old daughter, who perished when fire destroyed his large residence. The sheriff was a hospital patient today but his injuries were not considered serious. Other members of the family escaped in their night clothes as flames enveloped the building.

The fire broke out early in the morning and crackling timbers aroused the family from sleep. Seeing two children run out of the house, the sheriff thought all were safe and followed them through the smoke. He was horrified on arriving outside to learn that his infant daughter, Lillian, was missing.

Returning to the building, he endeavored to ascend the stairs to the room where she had slept, but the flames seared his arms and face and drove him back to the yard.

The house was razed within an hour.

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HALF MILLION NOTORIOUS PILGRIMS WILL BE PRESENT

Gigantic Preparations Being Made In Dublin For 31st Eucharistic Congress.

(By Thomas T. Champlin, Canadian Press Writer)
DUBLIN, June 19.—(Canadian Press Cable)—When the last liner has anchored in Dublin Bay and the last steam packet has discharged its passengers from across the Channel nearly 500,000 pilgrims from all parts of the world will have arrived here for the 31st Eucharistic Congress. Add to these hundreds of thousands from the cities and towns and obscure hamlets of Ireland and you get a picture of the size of the company Dublin is welcoming. And Dublin has striven mightily to furnish becoming hospitality to the Catholic hosts—to Cardinal Lauri, the papal Legate, to other members of the Sacred College, to Bishops and Priests and to the humblest member of the faithful who would share the solemn ceremonies of the next seven days.

His Eminence the Papal Legate, who will reach Kingstown Monday

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Boy Drowns

(Canadian Press)
SAINT JOHN, June 19.—Gilbert Vincent, 13, failed in an attempt to reach shore yesterday when a flimsy raft broke under him and two young companions. He drowned in the Saint John River near Carter's Point. The three boys were attending a Sunday School picnic. One swam safely to land and another was taken from the water exhausted. Gilbert's body was recovered.

Latest Standing Man. Elections

(Canadian Press)
WINNIPEG, June 19.—With returns complete for the 10-member Winnipeg constituency and all but four rural contests decided, standing of parties tonight following last Thursday's general election is:

Government	35
Conservative	8
Labor	5
Independent	1
Doubtful	4
Deferred election	2
Total	55

(Associated Press)
HAGEN, Germany, June 19.—Grete Heublen bettered the listed world's record for the women's discus throw today with a toss of 40.84 metres (135 feet 11 29-32 inches).

The Royal By-Election

SUSSEX, N. B., June 19.—(By the Canadian Press)—The political pot in the constituency of Royal is boiling in anticipation of the Dominion by-election there on June 27. Tomorrow will be nomination day and party organization work is proceeding rapidly, although apparently much more economically than usual.

Candidates in the field are Hon. George B. Jones, of Apohaqui, Conservative, and Donald V. White, of Sussex, Liberal. No third nomination is expected. Hon. Mr. Jones resigned the seat for Royal this spring, when he said he had unknowingly violated a technicality in the Independence of Parliament Act.

Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, leader of the opposition, will deliver an address here next Thursday. Unconfirmed reports named Senator Arthur Meighen, Hon. W. Gordon, Minister of Immigration and Colonization; Hon. E. N. Rhodes, Minister of Finance, and Hon. H. Stevens, Minister of Trade and Commerce, as possible speakers before polling day.

Record & Forecast of the Weather

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Toronto, June 19.—Minimum and maximum temperatures:

Toronto	42-61
Vancouver	52-74
Calgary	42-70
Regina	46-73
Winnipeg	60-89
Ottawa	66-77
Montreal	62-82
Quebec	64-82
Saint John	60-82
Halifax	42-54
Charlottetown	52-78

FORECASTS

Lower St. Lawrence Valleys: Light to moderate variable winds; fair and moderately warm.

Gulf: Moderate westerly winds; fair and moderately warm.

North Shore: Moderate southerly to westerly winds; partly cloudy; probably showers over east portion; not much change in temperature.

Maritime East: Moderate southwest winds; fair and somewhat warmer.

High tide this afternoon at 12:00 and tomorrow morning at 1:02.

Sun sets this evening at 7:50 and rises tomorrow morning at 4:13.

Last quarter moon Sunday, June 25, 4:36 p. m.

Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

"Vannie" Higgins Mowed Down By Gangster Bullets While Walking Toward His Automobile

NEW YORK, June 13.—A storm of bullets overtook Charles ("Vannie") Higgins, notorious Brooklyn racketeer, when he forsook his bodyguard and ventured out in the role of a family man early today. Higgins was wounded fatally and his seven year old daughter, Jean, whose request had led him to drop his customary vigilance for an evening, was grazed by a bullet.

Eight gunmen in two automobiles blasted away at him as he emerged from the Knights of Columbus clubhouse in Brooklyn, where he had watched his daughter take part in a school entertainment. Higgins' wife and mother-in-law also were with him but they were untouched by the spray of bullets. "The rats," said Higgins on a hospital cot. "They tried to wipe out my whole family."

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(Canadian Press)
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CAR FERRY SCHEDULE
Week days—Leaves Borden 6:15 a. m. and 11:40 a. m. and 5:30 p. m.