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TRANSATLANTIC FLIERS STILL IN NEWFOUNDLAND

Fokker Plane Friendship Made Several Attempts to Take Off at Trepassy, While the Monoplane Columbia is at Harbor Grace Awaiting Favorable Weather Reports.

(Canadian Press) ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., June 13.—The two trans-Atlantic flight parties which are making Newfoundland the starting place for efforts which if successful will see the first time in history that a woman has flown the Atlantic from America to Europe were earthbound tonight, one from choice and the other from necessity.

The Ballena monoplane Columbia, a veteran of the ocean flying game, was posed on the runway at Harbor Grace, waiting for the moment Captain Oliver Leboutillier and Arthur A. Argles decide to take off with their fair passenger Miss Mabel Bull, New York girl internationally known as "The Queen of Diamonds" because of her large collection of precious gems. They hope to land Miss Bull at some point in Europe before any other woman has carried the right to go down to fame as the woman to fly the Atlantic, but they are taking no chances on weather or mechanical defects destroying their plans.

Today the Columbia remained lashed to the ground while Andrew Surini, special mechanic who flew with the party from New York, worked diligently over the motor. All the gas was taken from the tanks and refilled as an added precaution.

Capt. Leboutillier said tonight the under conditions weren't suitable for a start tomorrow but that he would await later reports before deciding against making a start in the morning.

Miss Bull was in excellent spirits and imparted to her on her way but quite content to leave such matters to her pilots.

It was a different story at Trepassy Bay, some eighty miles to the South, where the tri-motored Fokker monoplane Friendship has been for eight days waiting for the proper combination of circumstances that would permit a start on a non-stop flight to Europe.

Miss Amelia Earhart, young Boston social service worker and amateur aviator who, ten days ago,

Wall Street Market Collapsed Yesterday

(Special to the Guardian) NEW YORK, June 13.—Wall Street's hand made bull market collapsed today with a tone which was heard around the world. In the biggest day's trading in the history of the Stock Exchange, prices melted away with astonishing rapidity as speculators, big and little, dumped their holdings into the buying and selling, for what they could bring. Losses ranged from mere fractions in inactive stocks to as much as 23 1/2 points in Stock Exchange issues and to as much as 150 points in stocks dealt in over the counter.

It was a day of tumultuous, excited market happenings, characterized by an evident effort on the part of the general public to get out of stocks at any price. Individual losses were staggering. Hundreds of small traders were completely wiped out. It was one of the most hectic days the financial district has ever experienced.

Four factors were uppermost in bringing about what might be termed a financial debacle. They may be enumerated as follows: disappointment in the financial district at the turn politics have taken in Kansas City, with the evident elimination of President Coolidge and the substitution of Herbert Hoover as a candidate, determination of the federal reserve and banking authorities to liquidate brokers loans, and continued tightness of money for speculative purposes, as evidenced by the withdrawal by banks of \$15,000,000 additional from the call money market. The inability of the thousands of small traders to answer sales for additional margins, which necessitated the sale of their stock at whatever price it would bring. A secondary collapse in the Bank of Italy of 37 points, and with weakness in the shares of all banking institution securities.

The open market values shared from leading stocks was tremendous, the total running into the millions of dollars as speculators scrambled to get out of a tight situation which has brought profits and in many cases created heavy losses to market operators. Exceeded the 5,000,000 share mark for the first time in the history of the institution, and it was not until 4:51 o'clock that the final quotations were tapped out on the tickers of an extraordinary market that had closed at 3 o'clock. The lateness of the ticker, too, established a new record.

Captain Courtney On Trans-Atlantic Flight

LISBON, Portugal, June 13.—Captain Frank T. Courtney, British aviator, arrived in Lisbon at 5:10 p. m., on the first leg of a transatlantic flight to the United States.

when the Friendship stole away from Boston at daylight, seemed to have such an excellent chance of beating out all other attempts of flying the Atlantic, was "keeping a stiff upper lip" in the face of her many disappointments on every occasion her pilot, Wilmer Stultz has tried to get the heavier monoplane on its way. Five attempts yesterday and almost as many today were without avail. The "Friendship" refused to rise from the water.

Mechanic Logan today dismantled the starboard motor and after a thorough overhauling to correct a condition caused by salt water splashing over the machine in yesterday's unsuccessful attempts, and after throwing overboard 120 gallons of gasoline, attempts were made from all angles but the pontoons remained as though glued to the surface of the Bay.

Finally late this afternoon, Stultz beached the plane on a meadow on the northwest side of the Bay, preparatory to giving the motors a complete overhauling. The machine will remain there until the next tide rises high enough to float her off. By that time Stultz hopes to have worked out a scheme to overcome the handicap which has prevented the hop-off.

Reserve Thursday, June 21st, for concert in Masonic Hall, Stanley Bridge by Trinity Church Choir of Charlottetown. 5089

Reserve Friday, 15th, for ice-cream festival at Elliott Hall under auspices of Ringwood Women's Institute. If not fine first fine night. 4828-6-13-21

Reserve Wednesday evening, June 27th, for festival at Central Royalty. 5081-6-14-21

Recital program of piano and vocal music by pupils of Miss Lillian McKenzie, Mus. Bac. Heart Memorial Hall tonight at 7.30. Silver collection. 5072

Come to the Ice Cream Social at Pleasant Valley School on Friday evening, June 15th. If not fine Saturday. Proceeds in aid of Women's Institute. 5052-6-13-21

SIR ARTHUR CURRIE ELECTED PRESIDENT

Of the Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League—Other Officers Elected at Second Annual Convention.

(Canadian Press) ST. JOHN'S, N. B., June 13.—General Sir Arthur Currie was elected president of the Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League at the Tuesday afternoon session of the second annual Dominion Convention in progress here.

Following the announcement of his unanimous choice, a telegram of congratulation was despatched to the former leader of the Canadian troops in France coupled with the wish for a speedy recovery to health. The complete personnel of the executive for the coming year is as follows: President, Sir Arthur Currie; First vice-Pres., Col. L. R. Lafleche, Ottawa; second vice-Pres., Major L. S. Roper, Halifax; A. E. E. W. Cornell; Honorary Treasurer, J. A. MacIsaac.

The honorary officials were named as follows: H. R. H. the Prince of Wales, Patron; His Excellency Viscount Willingdon, Governor General of Canada, Grand Patron; Right Hon. Sir William Mulock, K. C., M. G. Patron; Sir Richard Turner, Honorary National President; Colonel the Canon H. J. Cody, D. J. D.L.D., of Toronto, and Sgt. Major "Jimmie" Robinson of Vancouver, Honorary Vice Pres., and Lieut. Col. the Archdeacon Scott, C. M. G.; and Capt. the Rev. Paul Costello, Honorary Chaplains of the Protestant and Catholic religions, respectively.

The ways and means committee submitted a number of resolutions, which after discussion by the delegates were each unanimously passed. The committee in their estimate of expenditures for the coming year, recommended \$25,900 for salaries, which was to include the salary of a permanent secretary. The total expenditure estimated was \$43,000 and the total estimated revenue \$46,000 including \$4,000 from the campaign.

NOT RECEIVING THE PREFERENCES OVER CIVILIANS

SAINT JOHN'S, N. B., June 13.—Promise of co-operation and support of the Federal government in the claims of the ex-service men were made by Hon. J. H. King, Minister of Pensions and National Health, and Hon. P. J. Veniot, Postmaster General, who were special speakers at a banquet tendered the delegates attending the annual Dominion convention of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., here tonight by the New Brunswick command. More than 300 were in attendance at the function.

Other speakers included Sir Percy Lake, Dominion President of the Legion, Lieutenant Colonel L. R. Lafleche, D.S.O., Ottawa; Lieut. General Sir Richard Turner, V.C., Quebec City; Rev. Father F. M. Lockary, M.C.; Lieut. Col. W. H. Harrison and Hon. L. P. D. Tilley, K.C., M.L.A., of Saint John.

Dissatisfaction with the manner in which the Civil Service Commission of Canada was filling vacancies in the Dominion was voiced at the business session of the legion in the afternoon. Many delegates took the stand that ex-service men were not receiving preference over civilians and asked that some remedy should be brought about.

Charles H. Bland, Assistant Secretary and Chief Examiner of the civil service commission, of Ottawa, came to the defence of the commission. He said the commission was enforcing the laws pertaining to the filling of vacancies, but added there were loopholes in the law which needed to be remedied, so that government departments could not override the decisions of the commission.

Nationalist Troops Capture Tientsin

(Special to the Guardian) TIENSIN, China, June 13.—Meeting but little resistance Shansi troops have taken Tientsin and today the public buildings were flying the Nationalist flag in place of the Republican Standard. On the whole the Nationalist entry occurred without any serious incident. A limited number of northern troops were left in Tientsin to maintain order after Chu Yu-Pu and Chang Tsung-Chang, their commanders fled. They are to be incorporated into the Shanghai forces.

SUPREME COURT AT SUMMERSIDE

Sensational Evidence Heard in the Case of the King vs. Frank Mallett, an Indictment for Receiving Stolen Goods

A sensation was caused in the Supreme Court of Summerside yesterday afternoon when Stanford Biggar, police officer of Charlottetown, and Louis Binns gave evidence in the case of the King versus Frank Mallett, an indictment for receiving stolen goods, knowing them to be stolen, namely six live fox pups valued at \$200.00 or more, stolen from the ranch of James Simms, French River.

From the evidence given it was shown that Biggar was not a constable of Prince County, had arrested Binns and Mallett in Prince County without a warrant and took them to a Queens County jail. There according to his own admission, he promised freedom to Mallett if he would go with him and help to reclaim the stolen foxes. The case came up before Magistrate Shaw in Charlottetown and was adjourned for a week, J. J. Johnston acting for Binns and Mallett.

On last Sunday according to evidence, Biggar went to the Queens County jail and interviewed Binns, telling him that J. J. Johnston was plotting with John Lea to frame him for the robbery but told Binns not to have anything further to say to this officer.

From the evidence it was adjudged that late that same night or rather at 1 o'clock Monday morning, Biggar took Binns from the jail and drove by motor with him to Travers Rest, searching for a man named John Mallett against whom a charge had been laid, implicating him in the theft of the foxes. According to the testimony yesterday, Biggar and Binns visited the Mallett home, where Binns in the presence of Biggar, said that he had broken jail and was trying to escape, at the same time enquiring where John Mallett was. Afterwards Biggar and Binns motored to Bordentown in search of Mallett and later Binns was returned to the Queens County jail by Biggar.

Biggar stated that in each instance in regard to this case he was acting under instructions from the Acting Attorney General. An order was issued by Judge Hazard for the transferral of Binns from the Queens County jail to the Prince County jail in order for the prisoner to give evidence for the Crown in the case against Frank Mallett. Binns was accordingly taken to the Prince County jail and lodged there again taken out by Officer Biggar without a Supreme Court order or authority and taken to the Queen Hotel in Summerside where he dined and met the Acting Attorney General who then had him as his guest in a motor drive around the city. When Mr. Johnston learned what had been done he refused to act as counsel for Binns any longer.

The Supreme Court of Summerside yesterday was occupied all day with the case of the King versus Frank Mallett on an indictment for receiving stolen goods, knowing them to be stolen. Evidence was given by Mr. James Simms, French River, in whose fox ranch the alleged robbery was made, Officer Stanford Biggar, Charlottetown who made the arrests and Lewis Binns, Charlottetown implicated in the robbery. The case is continued today.

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ASSEMBLY DISCUSSES GOVERNMENT

Radical Changes in Church Govt. Proposed by the Special Committee on Reorganization.

REGINA, Sask., June 13.—Divergent views were evidenced when the subject of church government, was debated today in the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church of Canada.

Rev. Dr. R. R. Drummond, of Hamilton, convenor of a special committee yesterday submitted the draft form of proposed reorganization.

When the subject was closed yesterday, Dr. Drummond laid before the assembly the full burden of the committee's recommendations involving reconstitution of the present board of administration giving ministers representation on the central executive for the first time since 1925. Other radical changes in church government also were proposed.

Following Dr. Drummond's presentation the assembly decreed that it would hear the counter proposals of the present board of administration, before taking final action on the matter. This order was carried out today with Hon. George P. Smith, of Dundas, Ontario, J. G. Pelton, Westmount, Que., and James Rodger, also of Westmount, reviewing the work of the board of administration and outlining its recommendations on future policy.

All expressed emphatic opposition to the suggested reorganization as contained in the report of the special committee, although they sound a note of compromise and co-operation which they maintained should form the basis of the church's deliberations in every field of effort.

The speakers stressed the desire of the present board of administration to remove any misunderstanding respecting its authority and responsibilities.

"We are not adopting an autocratic stand nor do we seek to obstruct or interfere in any manner with the orderly conduct of duties of others in boards of the church," Mr. Smith averred. "We have one supreme desire and that is to cooperate and serve in the best interest the church we all love."

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Protest From Samoan Natives

(Special to the Guardian) GENEVA, June 13.—A protest from natives of Samoa against the administration of New Zealand, which has a mandate over the Islands, was the subject before the commission of the League of Nations meeting today in semi-annual session.

The mandate commission will also examine the report for 1927 presented by Great Britain as the mandatory power for Palestine. Petitions from natives have also been received from Palestine, Syria, Lebanon and Tanganyika, all of which territories are under mandate.

ICE-BREAKERS WILL BE BUILT IN CANADA

OTTAWA, June 13.—The two ice-breakers which are to be built for the Dominion Government will be constructed in Canada, it was declared by officials of the Department of Marine and Fisheries here today. Estimates for these vessels, one of which will cost \$1,000,000 and the other \$500,000 were passed at the parliamentary session just closed. Tenders will be called for the end of the present month. The larger of the two will operate in Hudson Straits and the St. Lawrence, alternating between the two areas; the second will operate only in the St. Lawrence.

The summer's activities in Hudson Straits will begin this week when the steamer Montclair leaves with a party to conduct survey work there. A biologist from the Fisheries Department will accompany the group for the purpose of conducting investigations into the fishing prospects of Hudson Straits and Eastern Bay. The party will also include a number of surveyors who are proceeding to the north with a view of selecting areas for the establishment of wireless stations. Directional wireless posts are projected for three places, two in Hudson Straits—at Resolution Island, and Cape Hope's Advance—and the third at Fort Churchill.

When the location has been chosen a steamer will leave around the middle of July with workmen, equipment and machinery. Reports today from Hudson Straits indicate that the ice is rapidly disappearing from that body of water.

Nurses' Graduation At Falconwood

Three young ladies received their graduation diplomas at Falconwood Hospital last evening on the occasion of the annual closing exercises. The hall was tastefully decorated in colors suitable to the occasion. There was a large number present with Doctor Macintosh presiding. The address to the graduates was delivered by Hon. Dr. J. F. McNeill of Summerside and Hon. J. P. McIntyre presented diplomas to the graduates, Misses Agnes MacDonald, Anny Jones and Agnes Riley. Addresses were also delivered by Hon. W. M. Lea and Mr. George E. Hughes. Glass pins were presented to the graduates by the matron, Mrs. Houston and little Miss Margaret Houston presented them with beautiful bouquets of flowers.

An excellent musical programme which consisted of the following was delivered under the direction of Mrs. K. S. Rogers: Vocal Solo—Miss Nan Shaw. Vocal Solo—Miss Jacqueline MacDonald. Violin Solo—Miss Theima Teed. Vocal Solo—Mrs. Lawson. Duet—Miss MacDonald and Mrs. Lawson.

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Three Danish Aviators Killed

(Canadian Press) COPENHAGEN, June 13.—Three Danish aviators were killed today after leaping from a naval seaplane which exploded while they were flying over Copenhagen. The aviators, a pilot and two cadets, leaped from the plane but their parachutes failed to unfold and they fell on the roofs of houses, being killed outright. Their machine crashed in a densely populated area and injured a boy.

Addition To Pictou Lodge

MONCTON, N. B., June 13.—Two ten room log cabins with a possible accommodation of between twenty and forty guests are to be added to Pictou Lodge, the log cabin resort of the Canadian National Railways on the shores of Pictou harbor. Tenders for the construction of these cabins together with a third large cabin for the manager and staff are now being called for by the Atlantic Region headquarters at Moncton.

Each of these is to have hot and cold running water and two bathroom. There will be a large sitting room in each cabin, both of which will have a large stone fireplace. They will be of rustic construction throughout consistent in every respect with that type of architecture that has made Pictou Lodge so very attractive.

There will be alterations to the main cabin in the way of construction of an entirely new entrance. Tenders are being advertised for in various Nova Scotia and N. B. papers beginning tomorrow.

Prince Of Wales Unveils Welsh War Memorial

LONDON, June 13.—Fifty thousand persons gathered at Cathays Park, Cardiff, today, to see the Prince of Wales unveil the Welsh National War Memorial in honor of 35,000 Welshmen who as the inscription on the monument said, "in the tumult of war by sea and land and in the air, for us and victory endured unto death."

David Lloyd George gave the Prince a lesson in the Welsh tongue on the train from London and the Prince made his speech at the unveiling in Welsh.

"They shall not be forgotten as long as the breeze blows over these shores," the Prince said. He signed an album containing the names of the fallen.

SOME PEOPLE BLOW BUBBLES WHILE OTHERS JUST BLOW

(Special to the Guardian) KINGS BAY, June 13.—The body of the Spitbergen radio operator who perished in a snow storm on April 15 was found today under the snow on an ice pack near the shore. He had been caught in a sudden storm while along the shore and had since been missing.

HOOVER LOOMS AS REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE

Secretary of Commerce Now Seems Assured of Party Nomination.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 13.—Herbert Hoover's fast moving cohorts stamped the Republican national convention even before its opening session began today, and made of it virtually a gathering to ratify his nomination for President of the United States.

Unless there is a political earthquake which no seer will predict, the Secretary of Commerce will be declared the choice of his party Thursday on the first ballot. Then a Vice-Presidential selection will be made, and the big show will be over.

The Hoover hordes marched on Convention Hall exuberant with confidence, and even as many of them were seating themselves in the flag-bedecked auditorium the news was flashed among them that Mellon had led 78 Pennsylvanians into their camp; that the Idaho delegation of eleven, headed by Borah, had capitulated; that William Butler and his Bay Sisters were ready to give up any hope that Coolidge would run, and that New Jersey had definitely placed her fortunes with the leader.

These votes were more than enough to give Hoover a majority. Even Jim Watson gave up the ghost and urged his allies to organize for a vote of protest.

There was the usual music, the Star Spangled Banner, sung by Mrs. Schumann-Heink; the flaring of countless flashlight photographs, the loving messengers, the hand-shaking, the back slapping, the laughter, and everything that should be expected of a crowd of 15,000 persons at a national political convention.

But the dominating note of it all was dignity and restraint. It took only two firm rays of the gavel by Senator Simeon D. Fess, of Ohio, the kettor, to silence a respectful demonstration of about fifteen seconds' duration for President Coolidge, who a minute before had been described by Fess as the "greatest personal and political force in the world today."

The Ohio Senator, a close personal friend of Mr. Coolidge, added that the President's friends believed his decision not to run for re-nomination was final, something the delegates themselves had realized before the convention opened.

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Dr. Cliff, M. D.—Start now home prevention cure. Purdy Station, Westchester Co., N. Y., U. S. 6-13-3mos.

Tickets for "Smiling Thru" at the following stores—Hughes Drug Co., Reddin Bros., Two Maes, Victor Coyle. 4970-6-9-81.

The Annual Meeting of the Cavendish Rural Telephone Co. will be held in the Hall at Cavendish, on Tuesday, June 19th, at 8 p.m. J. H. Simpson, Secretary. 4990-6-11-41

Come to Hunter River Hall Thursday, June 14th, to see play, "No Trespassing," comedy in three acts by Victoria Young People. 5024-6-12-31.

The Stanley Bridge Dramatic Club will present their 3 act comedy drama "Cyp The Heiress" in the Strand Hall, Kensington, on Thursday evening, June 14th. If stormy, Monday. Specialties between acts. 5027-6-12-31.

Come to Freetown Hall (Birch Grove), Friday, June 15th, at 8.30 p.m. Three-act Comedy "The Deacons Honeycomb," presented by Springfield Players. Specialties between acts. If stormy, Saturday. 5038-6-13-21

Notice. My mill will be open for grinding on Tuesdays and Fridays only of each week until new grain begins. Geo. S. Leard, Peakes Station. 5051-6-13-31

Come see "A Man from Denmark" at Consolidated School, Mt. Herbert Thursday, June 14th. Admission 25 & 35c. 5052-6-13-21