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## Synod Opened by Gaelic Service

For First Time in Its History—Much Business Transacted Yesterday—Budget Allocation for Synod is Adopted.

The opening service at yesterday morning's sederunt of the Maritime Synod of the Presbyterian Church of Canada was conducted in Gaelic, this constituting an innovation. The service was deeply impressive, very beautiful and highly devotional. It was taken part in by Rev. A. D. MacKinnon of Why-Whymouth, C. B., Rev. D. A. Macdonald, Boulardier, ministers; by Mr. Donald MacDairmid, Boulardier and Murdoch H. MacKenzie, Bradalbane, Elders and by Angus MacIvor, Precentor, assisted by J. Graham.

### MORNING SEDERUNT

On the Synod being duly constituted the minutes of two previous sederunts were read. The first item on the order of the day was the report of the Synod's committee to look into the question of the Pictou Academy boys' residence.

The Moderator gave a graceful tribute of praise to their constant fidelity to the faith of their fathers. Mr. MacKenzie, in particular, had witnessed the erection of four successive church buildings in Bradalbane. Mr. MacIvor expressed the hope that they would still have many years of devoted service before them.

A great deal of business was transacted during the day, of which the following is a summary:

The Synod by resolution decided not to assume responsibility for the maintenance of the boys residence, Pictou Academy. However, it appointed a committee to take up the question with the board having control of its administration.

The Budget was presented, the allocation for the Synod being \$55,000.

It was decided to hold the next meeting of the Synod at Stellarton.

The question of the representation on the board of management of the Maritime Home for Girls was discussed, and a law and legislative committee was appointed to safeguard the interests of the Presbyterian Church.

Announcements, Coming Events, Meetings, Etc.

Robbin Hood Flour now procurable in Gingham or Cotton bags. All grocers. 7-14-28

Reserve November 28 for the Montague Presbyterian Church supper and bazaar. 8216-10-5-21

Dr. Clark, M. D.—Start now home prevention cure. Purdy Station Westchester Co., N. Y., U. S. A. 9-7-5moe

I will buy goose Friday October 5th, at Hunter River, up to 1 p. m. Price \$1.75 each. C. D. Morrison. 8150-10-3-31

Buying hogs, sheep and lambs at Emerald Tuesday forenoon Oct. 9. Everett Haslam. 8185-10-5-31

Loading hogs at Montague and Cardigan, Wednesday forenoon Oct. 10th, Lambs on October 17th. Mont Anear. 8217-10-5-31

Buying hogs, sheep, and lambs at Kensington Tuesday forenoon of each week. Alden Mease. 7937-9-5ftm

## Level Crossings Eliminated

(Special to the Guardian)  
TORONTO, Oct. 4.—Thirty one level crossings in Ontario have been eliminated through the department of highways' practice of erecting roads where possible in the interests of public safety. Departmental engineers have found that many roads, because of their winding course, often cross the same railway line twice within a comparatively short distance, and they have taken steps to eliminate one crossing at least, by diverting the roads.

The 31 crossings referred to are cases of this kind. While these diversions have been carried out at the expense of the province, the department, in future, expects, it is said, to secure some assistance, through the Dominion railway board from the railways involved and the Dominion government.

## THE EMPIRE DELEGATES AT SYDNEY

Viscount Peel, in Farewell Speech, Expresses His Thanks to the Canadian People For the Splendid Reception Tendered the Members of the Association.

(Canadian Press)  
SYDNEY, N. S., Oct. 4.—Delegates of the Empire Parliamentary Association tonight bade their farewells to Canada. "We have been treated like old friends," exclaimed Viscount Peel, chairman of the delegations, addressing a final dinner given by the Canadian Club and City of Sydney. And in his words of farewell and gratitude were added those of representatives from every parliament in the Empire.

In their journeyings through Canada, Lord Peel felt members of the British delegation had been able to remove some misconceptions it had been thought in some quarters apparently that the empire marketing board was an instrument for pushing British goods in empire markets. In reality, it was designed to push empire goods in the British market and the cost fell on the British taxpayer.

It had been thought, in some quarters, that the unemployment in the Empire was a serious problem.

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## PRINCE SPEAKS NATIVE TONGUE

(Special to the Guardian)  
NAIROBI, Oct. 4.—The Prince of Wales has added one more accomplishment—that of being able to speak Kiswahili, a native African tongue. He was presented with pictures of himself and of several leading East Africans and thanked the donors in Kiswahili. It was revealed he had studied the language while en route to Africa. The British royal heir has prepared to start Friday on his big game hunt in the interior and the first camp will be 15 miles from Nairobi.

Yesterday the Prince was startled for a moment when 100 natives, in war costume and brandishing shields and spears, advanced on his motor car as he visited a native camp near Nairobi. It was found that the gesture was one of friendship, however, and the natives were expressing their gratitude at his royal highness' visit. They accompanied his motor car for a considerable distance, dancing along the side and chanting weird tunes. There was no alcoholic odor in the

## WILL PAY OFF BONDS IN FULL

Dominion Will Retire \$53,000,000 Issue on October 15, is Statement.

OTTAWA, Oct. 4.—The following statement was issued today by the Finance Department: "On October 15, \$53,000,000 of Dominion of Canada five per cent bonds fall due. As announced some time ago by Hon. J. A. Robb, the Department of Finance has in hand in the form of surplus revenue, sufficient to pay off these bonds in full. There will, therefore, be no new securities issued in their place."

"The maturing bonds were issued in 1923 in connection with refunding operations of one of the Victory loans. The saving in interest to the Dominion Treasury and the retirement of these bonds will be \$2,650,000 annually.

"Principal of the bonds is payable, on surrender, at the Department of Finance, Ottawa, or at the Assistant Receiver General at Charlottetown, Halifax, Saint John, Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Regina, Calgary and Victoria. Holders are requested to arrange for presentation of their bonds on or before October 15 at any of the above named offices. It will facilitate prompt payment in bonds are surrendered in advance of the maturity date.

"The Department of Finance directs attention to the fact that with respect to registered as well as bearer bonds, payment of the principal is made only on surrender of the bonds themselves; also that interest ceases on the maturity date, and if bonds are held thereafter claims for further interest cannot be entertained."

## Inquest Into The Death of John Bowden

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## FRESHMAN



He's got to take his "bumps" like the rest. R. D. Falconer, son of Sir Robert Falconer, president of the University of Toronto, registered as a freshman when the college halls were re-opened this week for the season.

## IRISH CASTLE BURNED

Visit of Viscount Lascelles and His Wife to Portumna May be Postponed on Account of Blaze.

(Special to the Guardian)

PORTUMNA CO., Galway, Ireland, Oct. 4.—Fortumna Castle, where elaborate arrangements were being made for the approaching visit of the owner, Viscount Lascelles, and his wife, Princess Mary, was burned to the ground last night. Civic guards and soldiers made a futile effort to bring the blaze under control.

The main portions of Portumna Castle were burned in 1921, and last night's fire attacked the remaining part of the castle and the outbuildings. During the night 25 tons of hay on another Irish estate where Viscount Lascelles had planned to visit, also was burned. It is stated the visit of the couple to Portumna may be postponed.

## German Airship to Fly Atlantic

(Canadian Press)  
BERLIN, Oct. 4.—The new German dirigible Graf Zeppelin, having come through her final test flight flawlessly, is ready to leave for the United States on Sunday. It was announced that only unfavorable weather would delay the airship's departure.

## Closing Meeting of the W.M.S.

Mrs. L. A. Moore, Halifax, Elected President for Ensuing Year. Foreign and Home Mission Reports Received and Discussed.

The closing sessions of the 52nd annual meeting, Women's Missionary Society, Eastern Division of the Presbyterian Church, were held in Zion Church yesterday, when a number of interesting and inspiring reports dealing with home and foreign missions and the activities of the younger peoples' organization were heard and discussed.

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## MANY INJURED IN TRAIN CRASH

(Special to the Guardian)  
HAMILTON, Oct. 4.—Two are feared dying, three others are more or less seriously injured, eight suffered minor hurts while scores were shaken and bruised when a C.E.R. freight car jumped the track, one mile west of Aldershot shortly before eight o'clock this morning, and side-swiped the International Limited, crack C. N. R. flier, bound for Toronto.

The freight was westbound into Hamilton, and just as it was passing the Limited, which was in charge of Conductor Hunt, one of the freight cars jumped the track and crashed into the middle car of the passenger train. The side of the car was ripped off and the passengers thrown to all parts of the coach.

It was only the speed of the Limited that prevented a more serious accident, for following the first crash, the freight car was thrown almost over on its side, and did not right itself until the last coach, the observation car, was passed, and the impact was so heavy that the freight car was torn from its couplings, and tumbled into a field on the side of the track.

A crew was dispatched to Burlington and calls sent out for medical help. Dr. Peart of Burlington and Drs. R. J. Perkins and W. C. Conell of Hamilton rushed to the scene.

The Hamilton doctors on arrival there learned the injured had been rushed to Burlington. Both lost little time in rushing along, and the railway and arrived in time to render aid to the injured who refused to leave the train. The more seriously injured were placed on a special train and rushed to the station here where ambulances awaited and the injured taken to St. Joseph's Hospital.

## OPTIMISM IN THE WEST

Wonderful Wheat Crop Having a Beneficial Effect on the Spirits of the People.

(Special to The Guardian)  
MONCTON, N. B., Oct. 4.—The west is jubilant over the wonderful wheat crop they have this year and everywhere throughout the west. This feeling is having its beneficial reaction upon the people, declared Mr. Walter U. Appleton, General Manager of the Atlantic Region of the Canadian National Railways, who with Mr. M. F. Tompkins Regional Traffic Manager, returned to Moncton today from their trip to the western provinces. Both railways, Mr. Appleton stated, are working to one hundred per cent capacity and at Port Arthur at one time 1250 cars of wheat arrived over Canadian National lines within a period of twenty-four hours.

The greatest thing that impressed me, said Mr. Tompkins, was the optimistic spirit of the people. Every where I went from the smallest municipal centre to the larger cities the people were boosters. Owing to a large wheat crop this year business conditions in the West are better than they have been for some time past. New industries are going up every where, particularly those connected with forest products such as lumber and paper mills and the people are even capitalizing their scenery. No opportunity is lost to make anything that can earn money do so.

Mr. Tompkins found the western tourist trade is increasing every year. Both Mr. Appleton and Mr. Tompkins were greatly impressed with Jasper Park Lodge, the famous mountain resort of the Canadian National Railways, situated in the heart of Jasper National Park in the Canadian Rockies. The scenery, Mr. Tompkins stated, was magnificent while the golf course is something that must be played upon to really appreciate its wonderful setting and ideal playing conditions.

Mr. Tompkins noticed many Maritime Province products on sale in the West and found that the results accruing from the policy of the Railway in bringing its officials and ticket sellers from the West to the Maritime Provinces on educational trips are proving of great value in many ways. He learned that they are being called upon repeatedly for information with regard to the Ma-

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## CHAMBERLAIN TO VISIT CANADA

(Special to the Guardian)  
OTTAWA, Oct. 4.—On his way home to England, Rt. Hon. Austen Chamberlain, now in California, will be in Toronto on November 2nd and 3rd, making a side trip to Niagara Falls and Ottawa on the 4th and 5th and Montreal on the 6th. Before leaving home he asked that no public functions should attend his visit.

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