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Frantic Efforts To Whitewash Government's Financial Record By Public Accounts Committee

YOUNG BRITISH SCIENTIST IS SAFE AND WELL

Was Believed To Have Been Lost On Greenland Ice-cap — Was Found On His Way Back To Base Camp.

(Canadian Press)
COPENHAGEN, Denmark, May 7.—Augustine Courtauld, young British scientist who was believed to have been lost on the Greenland ice-cap, was found today and is on his way back to the base camp near the Greenland border. The news that the scientist, for whom several parties had been searching for over two weeks had been found was contained in a wireless message received here from Angmagssalik, Greenland, by the Danish Ministry of Marine. The message said that Courtauld was returning to the base of the British Arctic expedition, of which he was a member, with H. G. Watkins, leader of the expedition. This fact led to the assumption here that Courtauld had been found by the dog team rescue party, which set out under Watkins' leadership three weeks ago to look for him. Lately, some fears had been entertained that the Watkins rescue expedition itself might have been lost. No further details of the rescue were available late tonight. It was not known whether the Swedish flyer, Captain Albin Ahrenberg, captain Ahrenberg had reached Angmagssalik by air to join the search.

ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS ETC.

- *Come to the big dance in Emyr's School May 8th. 4431-5-7-21
- *Robert Weeks will play at dance after show at Georgetown Tuesday. 4446-5-8-11
- *The W.C.T.U. will hold a cake sale on Saturday, May 30th at Holm's. 4558
- *Yes! Theatre Sours Saturday, the Withe Rose Track Story, Monday. 4446-5-8-11
- *Pantry Sale at Moore & McLeod's Saturday afternoon, Catholic Women's League. 4452-5-8-21
- *Movies at Crapaud Hall Wednesday, Rose Track Story. 4416-5-8-11
- *Buying Hogs at Emerald Tuesday forenoon, May 12th. Everitt's. 4436-5-8-31
- *New Amman Speedway, G. Blomdin Thomas, trainer of race horses. Public stable opens May 8th. 4427-5-8-31
- *Pantry, Cake, Homemade bread at Pantry Sale, S. A. MacDonald's Store, Saturday, May 9th, Willing Street of Kings Daughters. Trinity United Church. 4454-5-8-21
- *Buying live Hogs Tuesday forenoon, May 12th, Hunter River. Everitt's Haslam, Emerald, Aldon Moase, Kensington, buying same date. 4436-5-8-31
- *A meeting of the Liberal Conservative Party will be held at Bon-Raw Hall, this Friday evening at 8 o'clock for important business. By order of committee. 4433-5-8-11
- *Regular monthly meeting Charlottetown Ladies' Auxiliary Protestant Orphanage, Canadian Legion Building, Grafton Street, Friday afternoon, May 8th, 3.30 P. M. 4418-5-7-21
- *See the play entitled "The Spinster's Convention" in Mt. Stewart Hall, Thursday evening, May 7th, under the auspices of the "Cable Head" Dramatic Club. If not free, first five night following. Dance show. 4418-5-8-31

Unprecedented Efforts Made To Mislead Public By Camouflaging The Enormously Increased Debt Of The Province Under Liberal Misrule. Premier Lea Admits Ferries Were Improperly Included By Committee Among "Assets", But Supports Motion To Adopt Report.

Following is the report of the Liberal members of the Public Accounts Committee and of the discussion which ensued upon the unprecedented manner in which the report had been prepared.

The report, moved in the Legislature yesterday morning by the Hon. D. W. LePage was adopted against the protest of the Opposition. To the Honorable the Speaker, and

Members of the Legislative Assembly:
Your committee appointed to enquire into the Public Accounts after careful consideration respectfully submit the following report.

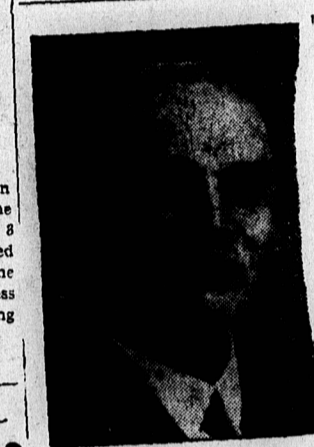
The total Ordinary Revenue for the year amounted to \$1,148,748.84, while the Ordinary Expenditure was \$1,133,866.14. Making a surplus for the year of \$14,882.70.

The liabilities of the Province on December 31st, 1930, as shown by the Provincial Auditor's report, page 8 was \$2,793,321.29, plus the accrued and unpaid amounts, bringing the total liabilities up to \$2,919,279.76 less the assets as shown by the following statement:

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Prorogation Of House Yesterday

Fourth Session Of 41st. General Assembly Formally Prorogued By His Honour Lieutenant Governor Dalton.



LIEUT. GOV. DALTON

The fourth session of the 41st General Assembly of Prince Edward Island, was prorogued at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon by His Honour Lieutenant Governor Dalton. The historic and impressive ceremonial usual to such occasions was again in evidence.

His Honour Lieutenant Governor Dalton and aides were preceded to the House by a guard of honor from the Prince Edward Island Highlanders in command of Major W. J. McDonald with Lieutenants C. J. Campbell and W. W. Reid, with 100 men of other ranks.

The salute was fired from the Park roadway by a detachment from No. 2 Battery, under the command of Capt. Geo. Craig with Lieut. J. A. Fullerton.

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Great Convention In Fourth Prince

Messrs. Hugh Morrison And Heath Strong Nominated At One Of Most Enthusiastic Conservative Conventions Held In The District.

SUMMERSIDE, May 7.—The Liberal-Conservative convention of the fourth district of Prince County was a rousing one with every poll represented. The meeting was held in Centreville Hall, Summerside, this afternoon and was in the opinion of those present one of the most enthusiastic meetings the Conservative party has witnessed for some time.

Two of the most popular men of Prince County were nominated to represent the district in the forthcoming election. Mr. Hugh Morrison, of Kensington, was nominated for Councillor and Mr. Heath Strong, K. C., of Summerside, for Assemblyman.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman, Dr. W. P. McBride, of Kensington, and Col. Uric Dawson was appointed secretary of the meeting.

Attending the convention were Hon. J. D. Stewart, Conservative leader, Mr. J. F. Arnett, Mr. D. B. MacDonald, president of east Prince Liberal-Conservative Association, and Mr. G. Shelton Sharp, M. L. A.

Fifteen polls were represented with five delegates from each poll.

Dr. McBride in his opening remarks expressed his pleasure at seeing so large a representation from the different polls and said that he hoped to see as successful a majority at the coming election as was the case eight years ago.

Three candidates were nominated for councillor, Mr. Hugh Morrison, Kensington; Mr. Jas. Pendergast, Kensington; and Mr. Louis Howatt, Tryon. Mr. Pendergast asked leave to withdraw. Mr. Hugh Morrison nominated by Mr. Hugh Duffy of Kinkora, and seconded by Mr. Morrison.

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FRENCH MIN. IS CRITICIZED IN CHAMBER

Aristide Briand Fighting For His Political Life — Foreign Minister's Policies Come Under Hammer.

(British United Press)
PARIS, May 7.—Aristide Briand, Foreign Minister, fighting for his political life in the Chamber of Deputies, today declared that Great Britain and Italy stood solidly with France in opposition to the proposed Austro-German customs accord.

Briand was criticized sharply during interpellations for his foreign policies. The deputies fired broadsides after broadsides of verbal attack against the peace policies of the Foreign Minister. Briand, for the most part, sat silently, listening bitterly to the tirades against him. The deputies sought to overthrow the Ministry headed by Premier Pierre Laval during the debate on foreign policies—a debate of major significance to Briand's long political career.

Defeat in the vote of confidence to the Government expected tomorrow night, would, it was conceded, mean the end of Briand's Presidential possibilities. He is considered a candidate in the election to be held later this month, but should the Laval Ministry fall on his foreign policies, he would be eliminated. Furthermore, it was agreed that a vote of misconfidence on Briand's foreign policies would mean his eclipse as Foreign Minister. It would be most improbable that he could be included in a new Government in his present capacity.

Only once did Briand arise during the debate today to defend himself. He interrupted to deny that France had lost its Allies through his foreign policies. He insisted that England and Italy were opposed to the projected Austro-German economic "Anschluss" as firmly as was France, and that they stood together on this subject.

Radical Socialist deputies violently criticized Austria for going into the accord with Germany, declaring the Austrian Government disregarded its signed agreements in negotiating a customs union with Germany. The interpellations are to continue tomorrow.

CONSECRATION OF BISHOP OF CH'TOWN

Most Rev. Andrew Casullo, Archbishop of Leontopolis Officiated At Impressive Ceremony Held In St. Mary's Pro-Cathedral, Hamilton.

(Special to The Guardian)
HAMILTON, May 7.—Publicly manifesting their esteem for Right Rev. J. A. O'Sullivan, former parishioner and later Rector of St. Mary's Roman Catholic pro-cathedral, thousands of citizens of every creed were present today at his consecration as Bishop of Charlottetown. Dignitaries of Church and State, clergymen and school-lady, former parishioners and school-mates, knelt together for the blessing of the new Bishop. It was a memorable occasion for St. Mary's Parish.

His Excellency, Most Rev. Andrew Casullo, titular Archbishop of Leontopolis, and Apostolic Delegate to Canada and Newfoundland, officiated at the consecration, assisted by Most Rev. Nell McNeil, Archbishop of Toronto, and Rt. Rev. John T. McNally, assistant at the Pontifical Throne, and Bishop of Hamilton. Rt. Rev. James Morrison of Antigonish delivered the sermon.

Priests attendant at the ceremony were: Assistant Priest, Very Rev. Dean Cassidy, Deacons of Honor, Very Rev. A. L. Zinger, Rev. P. J. Maloney, Deacon of Mass, Rev. J. F. Hinchey, Sub Deacon of Mass, Rev. J. J. Flaherty; Chaplains to Archbishop McNeil, Rev. J. McCowell and Rev. M. Johnson; Chaplains to Bishop McNally, Rev. J. J. Traynor and Rev. Nell Sullivan; Chaplains to Bishop Elect, Rev. F. Carroll and Rev. G. Cabana; Masters of Ceremonies, Rev. P. L. O'Brien and Rev. Arthur O'Brien.

Bishop O'Sullivan, who for six years was President of St. Augustine's Seminary at Toronto, was born and reared in the Parish of St. Mary's, baptized, received his first communion, was confirmed and ordained priest in the parish church by the late Bishop Dowling. For fifteen years he served as assistant and then as Rector. Today, his consecration as Bishop was celebrated in the same church.

The consecration of Bishop O'Sullivan begins a busy program for members of the diocese. Sunday, May 10, Bishop O'Sullivan will sing Pontifical Mass at the pro-cathedral. Monday evening he will be the guest of the Catholic men of the city at a public banquet. Tuesday at St. Jerome's

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Are Still In Very Serious Condition

(Special to The Guardian)
SUMMERSIDE, May 7.—The latest report from the Prince County Hospital as to the condition of Mrs. Harris Boulter and Miss Annie Cameron is that they are still in a very serious condition. This morning following the accident at Albany crossing, x-rays were taken of their injuries and Mrs. Boulter was found to be badly hurt internally with several fractures and is in a very serious condition. Miss Cameron is not quite so badly hurt, but her condition is serious.—S.

MEIGHEN IS EULOGIZED IN THE HOUSE

Return of Former Prime Minister To House of Commons Would Be Doubly Welcomed.

(Canadian Press)
OTTAWA, Ont., May 7.—The return of Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen to the House of Commons would be welcomed by E. J. Garland, U. F. A. member for Bow River. In the course of his speech in the Commons on the motion calling for the establishment of a national council of social and economic research, Mr. Garland expressed the wish that Mr. Meighen would some day return to the House.

"I hope so," interjected Armand Lavergne, Deputy Speaker and member for Montmagny. "I do too," proceeded Mr. Garland. "He (Mr. Meighen) was one of the finest debaters that ever stood in this House, and a man whose broadening views became apparent in utterances of the type to which I have just referred. Mr. Garland had been commending certain extracts from the speech made by Mr. Meighen before the Canadian Daily Newspaper Publishers in Toronto. On that occasion, said Mr. Garland, "he pointed out very eloquently and clearly to the press men and to the whole country, that the wealth of a thousand million people has been cut in two by a deliberate cold-blooded callous banking policy on the part of the British authorities in their endeavor to forge India into a gold basis. In the course of the same speech, added Mr. Garland, Mr. Meighen had expressed the opinion that thrift intensify the situation "would merely intensify the consumption of commodities." "I submit that to the leader of the Government, who is an authority on thrift, for everybody else," remarked Mr. Garland. Mr. Meighen had asked how a condition of super-abundance could be cured by refusing to absorb that abundance. The difficulty seemed to be to make available the surpluses of the world's goods which were met at every turn.

"I congratulate Mr. Meighen on his utterance, and I submit that the Minister of Trade and Commerce might continue to follow in the footsteps of one whom he admired so intensely and so justly at one time," concluded Mr. Garland. "I entirely concur in those views," replied Hon. E. H. Stevens, Minister of Trade and Commerce.

Large Convention At 4th Queens

Messrs. McMillan And McLean Enthusiastically Nominated as The Conservative Standard Bearers.

At an enthusiastic convention of Liberal-Conservative electors of the Fourth District of Queens held at Eldon Hall yesterday Messrs. Shaw, McMillan and George A. McLean were nominated to contest that district at the coming provincial election.

Mr. J. S. Martin acted as chairman and Mr. J. R. McWilliams as secretary.

It was moved by Dr. Collins, and seconded by Mr. Allan Fraser that Mr. Shaw McMillan be nominated for councillor. On motion of Charles McDonald, seconded by Dr. Collins the nomination of Mr. McMillan was declared unanimous.

It was moved by Mr. J. J. McDonald and seconded by Mr. Murdoch McPhee that Mr. D. J. Riley be nominated for assemblyman. A similar motion was made by Mr. Donald McRae, seconded by Mr. Lewis Morrow that Mr. Charles McDonald be nominated, and by Mr. D. L. Walker Ross, seconded by Mr. D. L. McPherson that Mr. George A. McLean be nominated.

In balloting 48 votes were cast for Mr. McLean, 29 for Mr. Riley, and 5 for Mr. McDonald.

Speeches were made by the nominated candidates, and by Dr. W. J. P. McMillan who reviewed the events of the past session of the Legislature. The speakers were loudly applauded during the course of their remarks.

Saskatchewan Farmers Pay Wages In Wheat

(Special to The Guardian)
REGINA, Sask., May 7.—Saskatchewan farmers short of cash are paying their hired men in wheat. Regina Aldermen investigated the farm employment situation and found farmers in need of men and ready to pay wages in wheat. Some offers of board and thirty bushels of wheat a month have been snapped up.

Seven Million Dollar Fire

(Canadian Press)
BUFFALO, N. Y., May 7.—Fire which raged through the 106th field artillery armory here and caused damage estimated by Captain William Predel regimental supply officer of the 106th artillery, at more than \$7,000,000, was completely under control early today.

Liquor Raider Gets 4 Years

(Canadian Press)
BOSTON, Mass., May 7.—Oliver B. Garrett, ex-police liquor raider, today pleaded guilty to two indictments as his third trial opened for conspiracy to extort. He was sentenced to two years in the House of Correction on each indictment, sentences to run concurrently and fined \$200.

Herridge Is Congratulated By The King

(Special to The Guardian)
LONDON, May 7.—Major W. D. Herridge, recently appointed Canadian Minister to Washington had an audience with His Majesty the King today. The King congratulated Major Herridge upon his appointment.

Mrs. Herridge, formerly Miss Mildred Bennett, sister of the Canadian Prime Minister, was received by the Queen. 8.45 a. m.

The Weather, Etc.



THE FOLKS WHO MAKE LIGHT OF THINGS NEVER SET THE WORLD ON FIRE!

TORONTO, May 8.—Moderate winds, not much change in temperature.

High tide this afternoon at 2 and tomorrow morning at 4.35.

Sun sets this evening at 7.10 and rises tomorrow morning at 4.43.

Last quarter moon Sunday, May 8. 8.45 a. m.

MILLION MEN MAY STRIKE

(Canadian Press)
LONDON, May 7.—Labor disputes in the building trades may result in a strike of 1,000,000 men unless an agreement is reached tomorrow concerning expansion of the working week from 47 to 48 hours and a reduction in the pay scale for piece work and overtime. Representatives of forty unions involved have agreed to modification of the piece work reduction, but they are holding out for an additional hours work a week.