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### Long Service



**RETIRE FROM OFFICE**  
Lt.-Col. Lulie Des Brisay, native of Charlottetown, secretary of the women's social work of the Salvation Army in Canada and Newfoundland, retired Dec. 31, after 44 years distinguished service.

### DIVISION WAS ON ECONOMY PROGRAMME

Considerable Dropping Off On Railway Business. More Than Million Bushels Of Potatoes Shipped.

A considerable dropping off in business during the first eleven months of last year compared with the corresponding period of 1931 is reflected in figures supplied by the Island Division of the Canadian National Railways.

The programme of economy was strictly adhered to. No new construction work was begun, and only the general work of maintenance was carried out. There was some repair work done to the terminals at Borden and Tormentine. There were 1,168,179 bushels of potatoes and 136,157 bushels of turnips shipped by water during 1932 from different ports.

#### Loaded Cars

Following is a statement showing number of loaded cars forwarded from Borden to Tormentine:

1931	1932
January	1204 463

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### ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC

- Skating Cornwall Rink tonight. 7459-11
- Seven Mile Bay Hall, Monday, Jan. 9. Progressive auction and dance. Doors open 7.30. 7458-11
- Borden Line Club loading hogs, lambs, Albany, Wednesday, January 4th. 7463-11
- Come to the big New Year's dance in Emerald Hall Wednesday, Jan. 4. Good music. 7464-11
- The Oyster Bed Driving Club will hold their annual meeting Saturday, Jan. 7th, 7.30, at E. M. Cudde's store. 7462-11
- The Annual Meeting of the New Perth Dairying Co., will be held on Tuesday, January 17, 1933, at 2 o'clock. Douglas McLaren, Secretary. 7455-1-4-21.
- Skating Cornwall Rink, Monday, Wednesday and Saturday. Splendid ice. Admission 15c and 10c. 7452-1-4-31.
- Start the New Year right by attending the B. I. S. social evening tonight, cards, modern and old time dancing. Island's leading orchestra. 7457-11
- Hockey, Victoria Rink, Wednesday, January 4th, Bedeque vs. Victoria. McLean League game. Admission 25 cents. 7461-11

## WOULD LEVY ADDITIONAL TARIFFS

U. S. Measure Would Affect Countries With Depreciated Currencies.

(Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—A measure to levy additional tariffs on goods from countries with depreciated currencies was introduced today by Representative Hill, Washington Democrat, a member of the House ways and means committee.

The tax would become effective if the articles came from a country whose currency was five per cent below its par value. The levy would begin at one per cent of the dollar value of the imported article and would increase in proportion to the currency depreciation.

## Quebec Superior Court Hands Down Decision

(Canadian Press)

QUEBEC, Jan. 3.—The Superior Court has not the jurisdiction to over-rule a decision of the Minister of Immigration, according to a judgment handed down in Superior Court by Chief Justice Sir Francois Lemieux this morning in the case of Pawel Szczerbaty, who was found guilty of taking part in the May Day riots at Rouyn, and ordered deported by an immigration board of inquiry.

Szczerbaty served six months in Quebec jail for his part in the riots after which he contested the right of the Minister of Immigration to order his deportation, on the grounds that he had been a resident of Canada for more than five years, and that therefore he did not come under the jurisdiction of the Immigration Department.

The Chief Justice, however, found that it was up to Szczerbaty to prove these allegations before the Immigration Department Board of Inquiry, otherwise the decision of the Board of Inquiry could not be set aside by the Superior Court.

In view of these facts, Sir Francois dismissed with costs the application for a writ of Habeas Corpus and a writ of ancillary certiorari.

## Jack Pickford Dead In Paris

(Associated Press)

PARIS, Jan. 3.—Jack Pickford, native of Toronto, Ont., brother of the famous Mary and an actor in his own right, died this afternoon after a lengthy illness, death coming in the same hospital where his first wife, Olive Thomas, died of accidental poisoning in 1920. The body probably will be sent to California but final word is being awaited from Mary Pickford.

Two doctors and two nurses were with him when he died. He had been semi-conscious the past three days and lapsed into coma three hours before his death.

Pickford, who was 38 years old, was ill when he arrived in Paris last September. He had become extremely emaciated during his long illness and friends said that movie fans who had known him in the films would not have recognized him.

Dr. Edmund L. Gros, who attended him in the American hospital, said death resulted from "multiple neuritis which finally affected the brain centre."

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—(A.P.)—Edward Maloney, who has been accused by police of killing Larry Fay, night club promoter, on Sunday night in an argument over a salary cut, was reported tonight at the Charles Street police station to be under arrest there.

## Icebreaker Hits Berg

COPENHAGEN, Denmark, Jan. 3.—(A.P.)—A vaguely worded telegram received here today from Helingsfors said the Russian icebreaker Malygin, with 100 men aboard had struck an iceberg and that the icebreaker Lenin had been sent to her assistance.

Many trawlers are operating in the vicinity where the Malygin was said to be, but no authoritative information was available.

## Past Year Reviewed By Public Men

(Canadian Press)

MONTREAL, Jan. 4.—If the year 1932 did not bring Canada out from under the heavy pall of economic depression it at least displayed a few encouraging factors not evident in the panic year of 1931 and at the same time brought home to Canadians the necessity for rigid economies and cautious expenditures. Prominent business and public men of the Dominion expressed this view in an annual review of trade and business conditions published by the Montreal Gazette.

Canadian traders and producers would do well to study both world and domestic markets very carefully, suggests Hon. H. H. Stevens, Dominion Minister of Trade and Commerce. Mr. Stevens says in part:

"It is high time that the world generally, and governments particularly, should begin to live within their means, cease going into debt. In business we require men of a careful and cautious type who will refrain from plunging into extravagances of new plant and new machinery when times are prosperous and forgetful of the fact that all undue expansion tends to defeat its own purpose. Integrity, however is not enough. Our business men require a competent knowledge not only of their own industry as it exists in Canada but of their own industry in other countries and of the state of business throughout the world as a whole.

#### W. C. COULTER

Despite her difficulties, Canada has maintained a high place in industry and commerce, says W. C. Coulter, President of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association. Canadian exporters have made a very creditable showing under adverse conditions, and much is to be hoped for from the tariff agreements resulting from the Imperial Conference at Ottawa. At the same time Mr. Coulter adds a warning against injudicious expenditures of both governments and individuals. The ultimate cost of social legislation such as workmen's compensation laws and unemployment insurance should be closely studied, he says. "Without making any observation on the merits of social legislation," says Mr. Coulter, "it must be recognized that a large share of the payment is made by the taxpayers as well as by industry, and this fact should be borne in mind in considering further legislation of this type."

#### J. A. MACLEOD

"It is a matter for congratulation that during 1932 the fall of wholesale price has been considerably less rapid than it was during the whole of 1930 and 1931, writes J. A. MacLeod, President of the Canadian Bankers Association and general manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia.

Mr. MacLeod continues "nevertheless it must be admitted that the rise in the price index from June till September of 1932, was very slight indeed, and since January last, as during the two previous years, the general direction of prices in the wholesale markets in Canada has been downwards. To many, for this reason, the central problem involved in the developments in the past three years has been a monetary problem."

CALGARY, Jan. 3.—(Canadian Press)—The Bank of Montreal stood firmly today in its refusal to grant the city of Calgary any further credit unless it met its obligations in New York in American money.

## Shooting Fray Ends In Tragedy

One Man Fatally Shot And Seven Others Wounded When Rival Coal Mining Factions Clash.

(A.P.)—One man was fatally shot and seven others wounded in a shooting fray between rival coal mining factions at Kincaid here tonight. The dead man was Vincent Rodems of Springfield.

The shooting was at the no. 7 mine at Kincaid. Reports to authorities were that members of the new progressive miners union, who had been doing sporadic picketing in Christian County since September, were at the mine, armed with guns and clubs, when members of the United Mine Workers Union finished work.

The shooting started after the pickets allegedly were ordered to leave. National guardsmen, who had maintained order during strikes and labor disagreements, were withdrawn from the county several days ago.

### Distinguished



#### GOOD WILL ENVOY

Viscount Kikujiro Ishii, member of the privy council, and former Japanese ambassador to France and to the United States, who will sail from Japan January 9 aboard the ship Yasukuni Maru to visit Europe and the United States. The distinguished visitor will explain his country's position in the Manchurian disputes and endeavor to win the understanding and co-operation of European countries and the United States.

## UNEARTH COUNTERFEIT MATERIAL

Two Quebec Men Arrested In Connection With Counterfeiting Ring.

(Canadian Press)

THREE RIVERS, Que., Jan. 3.—One of the most pretentious counterfeiting attempts in the history of the province was unearthed at Almaville, near Shawinigan Falls, Que., over the weekend it was shown today when Charles Blackburn and Armand Gagon appeared in court here. They pleaded not guilty and were remanded until Jan. 5. Blackburn was charged with counterfeiting and Gagon with having been found in possession of counterfeit notes.

Royal Canadian Mounted Police assisted by the Chief of Police of Shawinigan Falls found what they declared to be a mass of incriminating material used in the making of spurious currency in Blackburn's house which they raided. The completely equipped counterfeiting plant was prepared to turn out five, 10 and 20 dollar bills of the Royal Bank of Canada and 10 dollar bills of the United States Federal Reserve Bank.

"Suspicion of a large counterfeiting exploit had been raised at Shawinigan and surrounding towns and villages some weeks ago as note after note, almost perfectly executed, were presented to various stores and even to banks.

Co-operation of the R. C. M. P. was asked by Shawinigan Falls police. Clues pointed to Almaville and eventually a search warrant was procured for a raid on Blackburn's house. A superficial examination showed a large camera, photographic films, acids and other paraphernalia as would be used by the man in his occupation as a lithographer.

At the end of three hours exhaustive search a small medicine cabinet was taken out of the bathroom. Behind it, R. C. M. P. stated, were several magazines in which were 17 completed plates from which Royal Bank and Federal Reserve bills could be made.

LONDON, Jan. 2.—(Canadian Press Cable)—Enquiries at the War Office and Colonial Office this evening failed to elicit any confirmation of the report that trouble had occurred among the Northumberland Fusiliers at Jamaica.

## Newfoundland Makes Payment

ST. JOHN'S Nfld., Jan. 3.—(Canadian Press)—The Newfoundland Government today paid out \$2,227,000 in interest on its bonded indebtedness, and discussion in financial circles revolved about the possibility of the Island Dominion converting some of its loans on a lower interest basis. The talk however, was entirely unofficial, and there was no indication from government sources as to whether or not the administration was planning to follow the United Kingdom and Canada in attempting to ease the interest burden.

## PRIME MIN. REVIEWS YEAR JUST PASSED

OTTAWA, Jan. 3.—Prime Minister R. B. Bennett, in his New Year's message issued through the Canadian Press stated: "Fifteen years ago we were entering the last stage of an armed conflict that exacted an unprecedented toll of life and treasure from the whole world. Purchasing power was destroyed, markets lost and a vastly accelerated producing machine had to adjust itself to the consequent shrinkage of internal and external trade. No nation escaped the war's blighting influence, and peace was made by a world that was lost in the wilderness it had created.

#### Great Gap Showed

"It would be folly to claim that we were consistently wise in our efforts at world recovery. Indeed the frank admission of some of the errors that mark the peace and subsequent settlements provides today the sanest ground for hope of improvement. We thought the way out was not difficult. At one time all pre-war standards of living seemed to have been regained and even surpassed. All too soon we had to face a great disillusionment. The evidences of recovery which we thought were real were based on false premises. A great gap was suddenly apparent between debtor and creditor nations. Vast quantities of gold, the generally accepted standard for determining national and international obligations, shifted from one group of nations to another with disastrous consequences to both. Great Britain was compelled to abandon this generally accepted standard with consequences far-reaching in importance.

"We have since witnessed two groups of debtor and creditor nations who seemed as two individuals struggling in the water, one of them in apparent health and capable of making for the shore, but held in so firm a grip by the other as to make their common fate inevitable.

"This year again we face the same unsolved problems, but with an enlightened hope—a vision that comes to those determined against failure—and a hope that is based on profitable experiences. There is reason to believe that the international process of trial and error is passed. We have learned to approach the task with the realization that depression is a common enemy to all of us. And that only by a united approach can success be made certain.

#### No Richer Blessing

"No richer blessing could come at the moment to a harassed world than the assurance of permanent universal peace. This is dependent however, on settlement of disarmament problems. When immediate disarmament problems are settled, confidence will be restored, credit extended, purchasing power re-established and international channels of trade will be re-opened.

"Canada will pay her own debts according to the letter of her contracts, that is our attitude to our own obligations. As to inter-governmental war debts, the Dominion of Canada has incurred none. As to reparations, we have already

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## JAPS OCCUPY CHINESE WALLED CITY

General Attack And Heavy Bombardment Preceded Occupation.

(Delayed Ten Hours By Censor)

(Associated Press)

TIENSIN, China, Jan. 3.—Following upon a general attack and bombardment of Shanhaiwan this morning, in which two Japanese gunboats, aircraft and army units participated, the Japanese occupied the entire walled city at two p.m. The attack encountered obstinate resistance for three hours, although a detachment of the Tientsin Japanese garrison, which had been stationed at Shanhaiwan, rapidly took the important south gate, facilitating the infantry advance to the city.

Thus far the Japanese have not attempted to advance west of Shanhaiwan beyond the broken railway bridge midway between Shanhaiwan and Chinwangtao, about 10 miles to the southwest.

It was stated that General Hockukuo, Chinese commander, was negotiating at Chinwangtao for the purpose of achieving a peaceful settlement of the conflict. Meanwhile Chinese preparations for large scale resistance are being carried forward.

#### Says Japs Have Carefully Laid Plans

SHANGHAI, Jan. 3.—(C.P.)—Dr. T. V. Soong, Finance Minister of the Chinese Government, declared today that Japan's attack on Shanhaiwan was "only another step in the carefully laid plans of Japanese militarists" to invade Mongolia and North China.

The Finance Minister made this statement after he had conferred with General Chiang Kai-Shek, chairman of the Nationalist Government military affairs commission. General Chiang refused to divulge what took place at the conference. He is returning to Nanking, the capital, immediately.

A War Office spokesman announcing that order to localize the conflict already had been dispatched, said that much depended on whether Chinese leaders "cooperate sincerely in the efforts to restore peace." But the Japanese authorities are reinforcing their troops.

#### Clash Unforeseen

"It is not possible, therefore, to say definitely that the fighting will be localized or to predict that it is likely to spread," the spokesman said. "I can say, however, that the clash at Shanhaiwan was entirely unforeseen by our side and was in nowise connected with the intentions of the Japanese army ultimately to make Jehol unmitigably a part of Manchukuo."

(Jehol is a province lying between Manchuria and China proper. Shanhaiwan would be a logical jumping off place for the Japanese in the event of a campaign to conquer the province.)

The Japanese version of the origin of the conflict is that it was preceded by numerous skirmishes in the last few weeks on the southern border of Manchuria. Sunday evening, the Japanese said, two bombs were found in a Japanese sentry box, and thereupon forces in Shanhaiwan suburb were dispatched to the city to protect Japanese nationals. Battle ensued.

Press dispatches said the fighting in the coastal district south and west of Shanhaiwan was severe, with the Japanese destroyers Fuyo and Asagao, as well as numerous army aeroplanes, participating. The War Office spokesman, however, said official reports indicated that only the ninth brigade of Chinese troops and five companies of Japanese were involved in the action. The Rengo correspondent at Tientsin reported that Major General Suzuki from Sulchang had estab-

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### Not Satisfied



#### TO RESUME SEARCH

Albert de Winton, who is en route to Brazil for the purpose of organizing an expedition at his personal expense to search for the lost Col. H. P. Fawcett who, he believes, is still alive although not heard from for seven years. Commander Dyott led an expedition in search of the lost explorer some time ago but failed to find him.

## CONFERENCES POSTPONED

(Canadian Press)

OTTAWA, Jan. 3.—Conferences between Prime Minister R. B. Bennett and Col. Herbert J. Mackie, on the subject of Canadian trade with Russia, scheduled for today, were postponed until tomorrow. It was learned late this afternoon, it is understood that G. G. Serkua and J. H. MacDonald, who are in Ottawa on a mission designed to bring about trade arrangements with Russia on a barter system, continued conversations with government officials today.

(C.P.)—

First shipment to arrive in western Canada, a carload of tomatoes from the Bahamas, in the British West Indies, came to Calgary today. The ten tons of tomatoes are the first of a number of proposed shipments to be made this year.

### The Weather, Etc



METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Feb. 9, 1932.

Dawson	53B	40L
Aklavik	22B	10L
Victoria	38	47
Vancouver	31	42
Edmonton	40B	30L
Buff	4	23
Calgary	4B	8
Saskatoon	12B	20L
Regina	12B	20L
Brandon	12B	20L
Winnipeg	8B	4B
Toronto	30	40
Kingston	30	40
Ottawa	30	40
Montreal	30	40
Quebec	30	40
St. John's	28	34
Halifax	24	34
Charlottetown	21	34

#### FORECASTS

Gulf and North Shore—Fresh southerly and south winds; partly cloudy and mild.  
Maritime Provinces—Moderate to fresh southerly winds; fair and mild.  
High tide this afternoon at 4.30 and tomorrow morning at 5.20.  
Sun rises this morning at 7.58 and sets this afternoon at 4.32.  
Full moon—Wednesday, January 11, 8.58 p. m.  
Summer tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.  
CAR FERRY SCHEDULE  
Week days—Leaves Borden 9.15 a. m. and 1 p. m.  
Week days—Leaves Cape Tormentine 10.30 a. m. and 2.55 p. m.