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Will Ascertain Full Details Of Old Age Pensions

Mr. Irvine G. MacLaren Appointed To Make Complete Investigation Into Cost, Etc., Of System For This Province.

S.S. SYDFOLD DOCKED HERE LAST EVENING

Coal Laden Steamer Arrives After Being Aground At Indian Rocks For Nearly a Week.

The S. S. Sydfold, which had been stranded on Indian Rocks off Little Sands for nearly a week, was towed to port and docked at Phipps' wharf about 8:45 last evening.

Nothing New Re Kidnapping

HOPEWELL, N. J., May 2. (A.P.)—Col. Charles A. Lindbergh was absent from his hilltop home tonight incident with word from a high official that a new underworld unit had thrown its strength into the search for his stolen son. The Colonel's personal efforts, however, were considered entirely separate and distinct from the new aid, which was described as the outgrowth of the offers made by Al Capone from his Chicago jail cell.

ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC

Reserve Saturday, July 2nd for St. Margaret's Tea. 2316-5-3-11.

Kensington Club loading hogs Wednesday, May 4th. 2825-11.

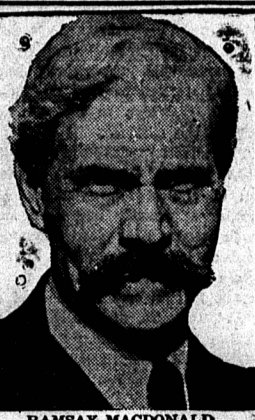
Rubber traces \$2.85 a pair, S. L. Hardy & Co. Harness manufacturer. 2798-5-2-31.

Comes to the Auction and Dance at the Emerald Hall, Wednesday, May 4th. Auction starts at 8:30. Music furnished by Jack Revaux. 2795-5-2-31.

Hunter River Dramatic Club present their play "The City Feller" at the Hunter River Masonic Hall, Wednesday, May 11th. If not fine, first time night. 2798-5-2-31.

No matter what the state of conditions are, there is no discount on the Cash Values of your Life Insurance Contracts. You'd be surprised how cheaply you can create a cash estate. Discuss the matter today with J. A. Moore, Manager of Sun Life, Canada's largest Insurance Co. May 2-4.

Sight Impaired



RAMSAY MACDONALD

LONDON, May 2.—(A.P.)—Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald may have to undergo an operation on his right eye similar to the surgical treatment of his left eye exactly four months ago tomorrow. This was disclosed today after a two hour examination of Mr. MacDonald's eyes, and his physicians decided to hold a consultation tomorrow to decide on the best course of treatment of the right eye. Another specialist may be called in.

PULPWOOD FIRE IS SPREADING

Conflagration Which Has Been Raging Since Last Wednesday, Has Begun To Present More Serious Aspect.

PORT ALFRED, Que., May 2.—(By the Canadian Press)—Fire which has been raging through a huge pile of cut wood here since Friday has begun to present a more serious aspect than at any time since its outbreak.

THE BERMUDA CONFERENCE

(Written for the Canadian Press by Cameron R. McIntosh, M. P.) HAMILTON, Bermuda, May 2.—British and Canadian delegations to the tri-partite conference of Empire Parliamentarians today met at the Bermuda Chamber of Commerce in a series of preliminary conferences, visited the House of Assembly where His Excellency Sir Thomas Astley Cubitt expressed the hope that "pleasant spiritual results" would accrue to the conference, and voiced their own convictions that as a fore-runner to the Ottawa gathering the present meeting would lead to a beginning.

Instant Death

ALEXANDRIA, Ont., May 2.—(By the Canadian Press)—Falling off a freight train here tonight, Alexander Cameron, of Stellarton, N. S., was caught beneath the wheels and instantly killed. He was about 40 years of age.

THE FRENCH POLITICAL SITUATION

Liberal Coalition Gov't. Headed By The Veteran Statesman, Edouard Herriot, Looks Possible In The Face Of Sunday's Balloting.

PARIS, May 2.—(Canadian and Associated Press Cable)—A Liberal coalition Government headed by the veteran statesman of the Left, Edouard Herriot, tonight became a distinct possibility for France in the face of Radical and Radical-Socialist gains in the first ballot of the French general elections Sunday.

The issue however cannot be decided until next Sunday's second ballot. Out of 515 constituencies, 248 deputies were elected on the first ballot. A half dozen seats are delayed returns. Four Colonial constituencies will not be filled until later in the year. In the remaining 357 seats a plurality will be sufficient to elect a candidate next Sunday.

Congressional Pardon Is Suggested

(Canadian Press) WASHINGTON, May 2.—A congressional pardon for the four defendants convicted of manslaughter in the Massie case was proposed in the United States House of Representatives today by representative Crips (Democrat, Ga.) who introduced a bill for this purpose.

Double Drowning In New Brunswick

Fisherman Forced To Witness Death Of His Two Children — Older Son And Himself Rescued In Nick Of Time.

SAINT JOHN, N. B., May 2.—(By the Canadian Press)—News of a double drowning Saturday off the Island of Grand Manan, southwestern New Brunswick, and the epic struggle of a fisherman and his son to save the young victims, was received in Saint John late tonight. The 11 year old son and eight year old daughter of Budd Lyon, Castalia, Grand Manan, were drowned when their boat struck a ledge near Edmond's Rock, close to Grand Manan. Lyon and another son, aged 17, were rescued. The names of the children were unavailable here tonight.

WILL RECOVER

HALIFAX, N. S., May 2.—Joseph Wilson, 19 year old Halifax youth who was struck in the head by a Royal Canadian Mounted Policeman's bullet on the Preston Road early today, was still in critical condition, but expected to recover, tonight.

Will Support Alfred E. Smith

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 2. (A.P.)—Little Rhode Island Democrats today stood by their 1928 champion, Alfred E. Smith. Delegates to the party's state convention refused by a roll call vote of 172 to 33 to support Franklin D. Roosevelt and by a voice vote instructed its delegates to the National Convention to cast the 10 votes of the smallest state in the United States for Smith as the party's Presidential nominee.

Is Mentioned



EDOUARD HERRIOT

Mentioned as prospective leader of French Coalition Government. Issue, however, will be decided next Sunday.

More Trouble In Manchuria

TOKYO, May 2.—(A.P.)—A new trouble spot appeared in Manchuria over the week end as various press despatches told of fighting in Fengtien, the southernmost province, and next door neighbor to Mongolia. Japanese military reports said their troops clashed with rebels at Tung-liao (Paoyantala), a railway junction point about 100 miles west of Changchun, the Manchukuo capital, killing several hundred rebels. Japanese losses were placed at six dead and sixteen wounded.

Argentine Will Not Be Represented

BUENOS AIRES, May 2. (A.P.)—When the Imperial Conference meets in Ottawa next July, Argentina will be an interested outsider. President Augustin P. Justo, in his first message to the Argentine Congress today said Ambassador Malbran at London had been directed to follow closely preparations for the conference and report fully upon it, after which Argentina hoped to know what steps would be necessary to protect Argentina's British markets. The President referred warmly to Anglo-Argentine commercial friendship.

Record & Forecast of the Weather

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Toronto, May 2.— Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson 34-52, Vancouver 48-68, Edmonton 36-56, Banff 30-56, Winnipeg 44-60, Toronto 36-52, Montreal 44-50, Ottawa 38-48, Quebec 38-50, Saint John 42-50, Halifax 48-54, Charlottetown 44-62.

FORECASTS: Ottawa and Upper St. Lawrence Valleys: Moderate winds, fair and somewhat warmer. Lower St. Lawrence Valley: Moderate winds, fair and a little warmer. Gulf and North Shore: Moderate to fresh northwest and west winds. Fair and cool. Maritime East: Moderate shifting Maritime West: Moderate to fresh winds, cloudy with a few scattered showers. shifting winds, partly cloudy and rather cool. High tide this morning at 9:12 and tonight at 9:50. Sun sets this evening at 7:07 and rises tomorrow morning at 4:45. New moon Thursday, May 5, 2:12 p. m. Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

IS SWORN AS ADMINISTRATOR OF PROVINCE

Mr. Justice Arsenault Assumes Official Duties In Absence Of Lieut. Governor Who Leaves Today For Boston.

His Honour Lieutenant Governor Dalton has obtained a month's leave of absence from his official duties and leaves this morning on a visit to members of his family in Boston.

Pres. Hoover Leads France In Primary

BALTIMORE, M. D., May 2. (A.P.)—President Hoover today piled up a substantial lead for Maryland's 19 votes in the Republican National Convention, in his Presidential primary campaign with former Senator Joseph I. France.

Autos Will Be Confiscated

WASHINGTON, May 2. (A.P.)—The United States Supreme Court today ruled that automobiles used in importing liquor into the United States are subject to confiscation under the tariff law and the Government is not required to take action against them under the more lenient prohibition law. At about the same time, the court passed upon two similar cases. It held a United States vessel seized for

Premium Offered For Island Barley

Sample Tested In Montreal Proves Island Barley Of Prime Quality For Malting Purposes. Good Market Assured If Sufficient Seed Can Be Obtained And Properly Harvested Next Year.

The opportunity of Prince Edward Island developing an extensive market for barley at premium prices is reported by Mr. J. W. Boulter, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, who recently returned from a business trip to New York. On returning home Mr. Boulter visited Montreal and discussed the question of the Island's barley production with officials of the Canada Malting Company. This company, Mr. Boulter explained, has been in communication with the Provincial Department of Agriculture to learn if there was any possibility of obtaining 6-row barley in quantities from this Province. Practically all the barley grown here is of the 2-row variety. The malting company had never been able to use this variety with any success, the 2-row barley grown in Manitoba not having proved satisfactory. However,

Accepts Gift



UNIQUE BIRTHDAY GIFT Here is a unique birthday gift. An Arctic exploration trip to last three months in the frigid north. Miss Emmy Lou Sutton, daughter of Dr. Richard Sutton, Kansas City physician, asked for the present because she said she wanted to shoot ice-cream bears and fish for whales. She will sail for Norway on May 1.

NEWSPAPERMEN IN CONVENTION

TORONTO, May 2. (By the Canadian Press)—At the opening of convention week of the Canadian Daily Newspaper Publishers, the board of directors of the Canadian Press was in session today. M. E. Nichols, the Tribune, Winnipeg, President of the Canadian Press, presided. The meeting will continue tomorrow. Directors of the Canadian Press in attendance were: E. Norman Smith, the Journal, Ottawa, Honorary President; W. B. Preston, the

SHANGHAI, May 2—Almost on the eve of a final Sino-Japanese armistice in the Shanghai area the Japanese authorities today reported Chinese snipers had slain one of their Chapel sentries, and captured

transporting liquor could be confiscated under the navigation laws and that a vessel seized by the coast guard while bringing liquor into the country could be confiscated under the tariff law.

IT'S ALRIGHT TO PLAY THE FOOL TODAY BUT DON'T LET IT BECOME A HABIT!

CAR FERRY SCHEDULE: Week days—Leaves Borden daily 9:15 a. m. and 11:40 a. m. Leaves Tormentine daily 10:30 a. m. and 12:55 p. m.