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JAPAN MASSES NAVAL FORCE AT SHANGHAI

Firemen's Assn. To Meet In Amherst

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire)
AMHERST, N. S., Aug. 11—The annual meeting of the Maritime Firemen's Association will be held here Aug. 17, according to an announcement made here today by Secretary Wilfred McDonald. The Amherst fire department is preparing to entertain the visitors the night of the meeting.

COMING EVENTS

- Dance at Forum Hall Friday, McKernan's Orchestra. L-1506-Q-11-31.
- Buying live hogs Albany Thursday 12th, Emerald 13th until noon. G. C. Green. L-20-65-W-1-1-1-1-1-1.
- Yeo's Theatre this week Louis-Braddock Fight Pictures. L-1907-8-11-12-13-16-17-18.
- Card party, sale ice-cream and dance, Hope River, Friday, Aug. 12. L-1525-8-11-21.
- Dance in Millview Hall, Friday, August 13th in aid of Women's Institute. L-1442-8-9-12.
- Notice: Dance and ice cream in Maple Plain School Friday, Aug. 13. Proceeds in aid of school. L-1548.
- Dance St. James Hall, Sunday, August 14th, 8:30 p.m. McKernan's Orchestra. L-1508-7-11-31.
- Ball game and dance, Lake Verde School, Monday night, August 16. Hughes' Orchestra. L-1555-8-12-31.
- Ice cream social and lecture by Rev. S. McRae, on China, 8:00 p.m. at St. James Hall, Thursday, Aug. 12. L-1516-8-11-21.
- Come to ball game and dance at Bromore on August 13th. Bus from Nobara tea rooms at 9 P. M. L-1511-8-11-21.
- Come to the Lawn party and dance at Churchill Friday Aug. 13. If not fine Monday, 16th. L-1502-8-12-2-1.
- Fiddlers' and dancers contest in Lot 65 hall, Aug. 12th. Good prizes. Admission 25 cents. Send entries to Mrs. J. H. Wiltshire. L-1438-8-7-51.
- Everett Haslam, Emerald, Alden Moore, Kensington, Lemuel Crowe, Hunter River, buying live hogs Monday, August 16th. L-1540-8-12-11.
- Please list your hogs, lambs or calves a week in advance to arrange for car lots. Taking orders for "Binder twine." Ugg Shipping Club. L-1541-8-12-11.
- Valleyfield Amateur Contest Tuesday, August 17th. Prizes. Send entries to Mrs. John P. MacLeod by August 16th. Admission 25 and 10 cents. L-1543-8-12-11.
- The Freetown Players will present their play, "The Road Back" in Graham's Road Hall, Thursday, Aug. 12, 8:30 p.m. Dance after play. L-1550.
- Come and enjoy a good supper at Marshfield this evening. Tea served at 5. Music by Meleton Sound System. If not fine next Thursday. L-1557.
- The P. E. I. Avyrrre Breeders Club will hold their Annual Meeting in the Agricultural Hall, Charlottetown on Thursday, August 12th at 2 P. M. R. Brown, Secretary. L-1478-8-10-31.
- A portion of cornmeal added to your grain ration will improve it and probably bring that one dollar premium you have been heretofore missing. Last your order at once. Livestock Marketing Board. L-1517-8-11-21.
- Corn meal: We expect to announce in a few days time the price of a car of cornmeal for car lot distribution. We are doing this to accommodate farmers who want to finish their hogs into a grade that will qualify for a dollar per head premium. Please book your orders at once. Livestock Marketing Board. L-1517-8-11-21.

Closing Services Of Eucharistic Congress Held

Bishop Kelly Of Oklahoma Makes Plea For Unity In Eloquent Sermon—Kinkora Ceremonies Are Largely Attended.

The Eucharistic Congress of the Diocese of Charlottetown closed yesterday afternoon at Kinkora. Through the heavy rain of the morning prevented the morning service being held outside, the weather cleared and the afternoon session was held in the open. There was a very large attendance at all services yesterday.

In the morning a Low Mass was celebrated at 8 o'clock by Bishop O'Sullivan, the responses being sung by the children's choir of Kinkora parish. At 10 o'clock Solemn Pontifical Mass was celebrated by His Excellency Bishop Francis C. Kelly, of Oklahoma. The church was filled to overflowing for the service. The altar was artistically arranged with flowers and the church was draped with the papal colors.

Assisting Bishop Kelly at Mass were Rev. F. X. Gallant, Egmont Bay, high priest; Rev. J. A. Murphy, D.D., Rector of St. Dunstan's University; and Rev. Fr. Croken, Fort Augustus, Deacons of Honour; Rev. Fr. MacCardle, Deacon, and Rev. Fr. Keefe, Sub Deacon.

Mgr. McDonald, Tracadie, preached the sermon on unity. In the course of his remarks he said there was a great desire for unity in the world today manifest in the many local conferences that are being held, but if the goal is to be reached we must strike out jealousy and selfishness from our lives and cooperate one with another for the good of all. This is true of the individual and of nations. This state can only be obtained by seeking the grace of God and his Holy Sacraments. He closed his remarks by asking for prayers for unity in the world.

In the afternoon there was recitation of Vespers and Complin by the clergy and during theological conference of the clergy a holy hour was conducted by Rev. R. McKenzie, vice rector of St. Dunstan's University for the children.

At five o'clock Rt. Rev. Bishop Kelly delivered a most eloquent sermon on the Holy Eucharist, taking as his subject "a book in two volumes." The creation and man with the revelation and explanation showing that the logical outcome of the plan of creation was embodied in the doctrine of the Catholic faith. The church service was followed by the procession of the Blessed Sacrament, which was taken part in by all and carried out with all the ritual of the church. The route of procession was a mile long. The Corpus Christi Choir from Charlottetown and the 22nd annual meeting of the Canadian Bar Association, which was held at the church grounds, the ladies of the parish catered to the visitors at the noon hour and supper hour. Tea tables

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PRESERVATION OF WATERFOWL IS SOUGHT

Migratory Bird Regulations Announced—Island Open Season For Ducks And Geese Sept. 15 to Nov. 14.

OTTAWA, Aug. 11—(CP)—The Department of Mines and Resources today announced migratory bird regulations for the 1937 hunting season, extending the restrictive principles of the 1936 regulations imposed to meet serious depletion of waterfowl through over-shooting and through drought on Prairie nesting grounds.

The regulations, which include bag limits for ducks and geese and open-season dates in the various provinces, follow the recent announcement from Washington of continuance in 1937 of "very strict regulations" in effect in the United States in 1935 and 1936 under the Migratory Birds Treaty.

In all provinces, bag limit for ducks is placed at 12 a day. Bag limit for the season is 150 in the Maritime Provinces, Ontario and Quebec, but is 100 in the Prairie Provinces and 125 in British Columbia.

In the Maritime Provinces, Ontario and Quebec, bag limit for geese (except brant) is five a day, 50 for the season. Closed season for brant is continued.

In the Prairie Provinces, bag limit for geese is five a day but the seasonal limit is placed at 50.

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Penmanship Expert Visits Native Province

Mr. H. B. MacLean Of Vancouver Arrives In City.

Mr. H. B. MacLean, head of the penmanship department of Vancouver Normal School, who originated the MacLean system of writing used in the schools of this Province, arrived in Charlottetown Tuesday night on a short visit. Mr. MacLean is a native of Hillsboro, six miles from Charlottetown. When the McDonald Consolidated School was operated at Mt. Herbert some years ago he was principal for two years.

The system of penmanship designed by Mr. MacLean, who is a noted educationist, in addition to this Province has been officially adopted in Nova Scotia and British Columbia. Last year the system was introduced into Newfoundland schools. Mr. MacLean before coming here spent a week with Mr. Lloyd Shaw, general superintendent of education in Newfoundland.

Mr. MacLean travelled from Vancouver to Boston by air making the trip in 17 hours flying time. "One cannot help but be impressed with the safety and speed of air transport on the trip across the continent," Mr. MacLean declared. Mr. MacLean travelled by boat from Boston to St. John, New Brunswick, and flew to Halifax.

While in the Maritimes the well known Canadian penman lectured in various summer schools. He stated he would be glad to meet teachers here while he is visiting his native province.

Mr. MacLean paid high tribute to the work of another Prince Edward Islander, Mr. Lloyd Shaw, general superintendent of education in Newfoundland. He was an outstanding and progressive educationist who was doing a splendid work, the speaker said.

Mr. Shaw is at present spending a holiday in the Province.

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KING WIRES ABERHART RE BANK MEASURE

Asks Alberta Government To Facilitate Supreme Court Reference.

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire)
OTTAWA, Aug. 11—Alberta's bank legislation may be referred to the Supreme Court of Canada for an opinion on its validity, Prime Minister Mackenzie King disclosed tonight. He telegraphed Premier William Aberhart today asking if the Alberta Government would facilitate such a reference and refrain from enforcement until the court delivered its opinion.

The telegram Mr. King sent the Alberta Premier said: "The Honorable William Aberhart, Premier of Alberta, Edmonton, Alberta.

"Minister of Justice is considering under provisions British North America Act certain legislation enacted at recent session Alberta Legislature.

"Before submitting question for decision of Governor in Council would appreciate your letting me know whether your Government would be willing to facilitate hearing of a reference to Supreme Court of Canada regarding validity of bills number five, six and nine and to undertake pending determination of such reference not to take any steps towards enforcement of any of said measures.

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Battle Fought For Possession Of Nankow Pass

Conflicting Reports Received From Front As Central Chinese Force Engages Invaders—Japanese Rush Reinforcements.

(By The Associated Press)
TIENSIN, Aug. 12—(Thursday)—Japanese troops are on the defensive in bitter battle about the mountains of Nankow, but preparing to throw the full force of aerial and motorized units into the fight if Chinese turn toward Peiping to the south.

Fighting has been in progress since early Wednesday morning.

The Chinese 89th Division of Nanking, Central Government, troops from Suiyuan and Shansi began the attack, the Japanese command here said.

They sought control of Nankow Pass, through which Japan has been able to move troop reinforcements from Manchoukuo, over which she exercises a protectorate.

The Japanese at once brought artillery into play and their activity presently is defensive, the Tientsin Japanese command said.

But, Japanese headquarters here warned, all of Japan's forces in North China, estimated to be more than 40,000 troops will strike if the Chinese attempt to push toward Peiping.

Japan's Army established full control of Peiping last Sunday, having won the withdrawal of Chinese troops from the walled city in compliance with demands made after the initial Sino-Japanese clash west of Peiping on July 7.

If the Chinese force seeks to advance and reclaim Peiping, Japanese here said, the Japanese aerial armada will go into action.

Likewise, the Japanese said, new infantry and tank units will be brought from Jehol, in Manchoukuo and outside the great wall.

SHANGHAI, Aug. 11—(AP)—Japan massed naval power at Shanghai tonight while far to the northwest the ancient city of Nankow was reported after following new hostilities in the Sino-Japanese North China conflict.

Twenty-seven warships from across the China Sea were estimated in the force which crowded the Whangsoo River or were stationed in the Yangtze River.

Between 500 and 1,000 bluejackets were landed as Japanese naval authorities proclaimed events culminating Monday in the slaying of a Japanese naval officer and a seaman on the outskirts of Shanghai. "mean that Japan's Navy effectiveness in China must be increased."

The true extent of the hostilities in the vicinity of Nankow at the mountain pass 30 miles northwest of Peiping, remained undisclosed.

Conflicting Reports

The Domei (Japanese) News Agency said Japanese artillery set Nankow aflame after the Chinese 89th division from Shansi Province clashed with Japanese troops. This report said the Japanese occupied positions in the environs of Nankow.

Unconfirmed Chinese reports

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Claims Part In Mattson Kidnapping

LEMMON, S. D., Aug. 11—Chief of Police Pat Jones said tonight that a man giving his name as Floyd Hutchinson of Alliance, Neb., told him he took part in the Charles Mattson kidnapping at Tacoma, Wash., last December.

The man, said by Chief Jones to fit the known physical description of the long-sought fugitive, was picked up by Jones on a vagrancy charge in a box car here late today.

Jones said Hutchinson told him he and a man named Bill Perren, also of Alliance, called on Dr. Mattson to get narcotics last winter and a few days later abducted the youth.

After kidnapping the child, the Chief quoted Hutchinson as saying, he and Perren took the boy to Everett, Wash., where they held him for ransom. Failing to collect, he said, Perren stabbed the boy in the back and threw dirt and leaves over the body and left for Alliance.

Shortly after they returned to Nebraska, Hutchinson told Jones, Perren was arrested for cattle rustling and sent to the Nebraska State Penitentiary.

(By The Associated Press)

DEIR-EZ-ZOR, Syria, Aug. 11—French bombing planes and motorized infantry went into action today to suppress a rebellion of Mohammedan Kurds against French rule in Syria.

Several Christians were injured, villages were pillaged and civil authorities who tried to restore order were fired upon by bands of wild Kurdish tribesmen in north-eastern Syria.

The French were concerned over the origin of large shipments of cartridges and other munitions, found at Aleppo, and consigned to the rebellious tribesmen.

Specific reasons for the uprising were concealed under official censorship.

Bar Association Meets In Toronto

TORONTO, Aug. 11—(CP)—Conference of the commissioners on the uniformity of legislation in Canada will open its annual session here tomorrow under chairmanship of D. J. Thom, K. C., Regina. Vincent MacDonald, Dean of Dalhousie University, is secretary.

After the legislation conference more than 1,000 Canadian benchers and lawyers will attend the 22nd annual meeting of the Canadian Bar Association. The opening session will be led by Hon. Henry Hague Davis, president of the Association.

Distinguished legal men who will address the convention include Frederick H. Stinchfield, president of the American Bar Association who speaks Wednesday and Norman Birkett, K. C., who served as solicitor for the former Mrs. Wallis Warfield, the present Duchess of Windsor.

DEATH TOLL REACHES 102

CARACAS, Venezuela, Aug. 11—(AP)—A revised death toll today listed 102 oil workers drowned when a excursion boat capsized on Lake Maracaibo Monday.

Oddfellows Close Convention Today

FREDERICTON, N. B., Aug. 11—(CP)—Reports and committee work came before the Oddfellows Grand Lodge of the Maritime Provinces and Newfoundland tonight at its 80th annual meeting under the auspices of D. J. Thom, K. C., Regina. Vincent MacDonald, Dean of Dalhousie University, is secretary.

An invitation to hold next year's convention at Truro, N. S. will be considered tomorrow. Acceptance of this was thought probable tonight.

Outstanding in today's activities was a memorial service in Wilmot United Church. Oddfellows and Rebekahs paraded to the church after Grand Master Wood placed the wreath. An assembly closed this morning the delegates were formally welcomed to the city and province.

Heart Stopped Four Times, Still Lives

MONTREAL, Aug. 11—(CP)—Audrey Worrall, seven, was resuscitated after a heart attack today. Dr. Max Wiseberg said, her heart stopped beating four times during an attack of convulsions in the night.

Dr. Wiseberg said she was called to the child's house when she experienced trouble breathing. Shortly after his arrival Audrey was seized with convulsions, and during the prolonged attack her heart stopped beating four times for 10 seconds each time.

Administration of adrenalin, in the arm and heart, and artificial respiration and oxygen administered by an emergency crew of a power company finally revived the child sufficiently to remove her to hospital.

PIONEER FLIGHT UNDERWAY

LUEBECK, Germany, Aug. 11—The German flying boat Nordmeer reached Lisbon, Portugal, today on the first leg of a trans-Atlantic survey flight for a passenger-mail route between Germany and the United States.

Auto-Railer Car Expected Here Official Says

To Be Operated As Experiment—C. N. R. Chief of Transportation Visits Province.

An auto-railer car, to be operated as an experiment on Prince Edward Island railway lines, is expected to be here in a few days.

Mr. N. B. Walton, Montreal, chief of transportation, Canadian National Railway, announced while in Charlottetown yesterday. The railway official felt that the machine might play an important part in the transportation problems of the Province. A similar unit was operated in Ontario for a considerable time this summer, and had proven quite satisfactory. It was not likely that the car would be operated on any established route here this season. It was intended rather to determine where it would best fit in the transportation needs of the island. The car can operate either on the roads as a motor truck or on rails. Transfer from one mode of travel to the other is quickly made.

Conditions generally were greatly improved, Mr. Walton said. Freight and passenger traffic had held up especially well on the mainland during the summer.

Mr. Walton was accompanied by Mrs. Walton and A. C. Barker, general superintendent of transportation, Montreal.

The party, travelling by private business car, went to Tisbury yesterday afternoon. Today they will cross over to the mainland.

Halifax Youth Is Drowning Victim

BEAVERBANK, N. S., Aug. 11—John Bowser, 20-year-old Halifax youth, was drowned in the Beaverbank River here late today. He became exhausted while swimming beyond his depth. His body was recovered four hours later.

Jack Shannon, a companion, nearly drowned as he attempted to rescue Bowser.

Minister Seriously Injured In Fall

NEW GLASGOW, N. S., Aug. 11—(CP)—Rev. Prescott Murray, pastor of Presbyterian Church at Little Harbor about nine miles from here, tonight was a patient in a New Glasgow Hospital with a broken back and head injuries. Internal wounds were also feared.

The Minister was hurt late today when he fell 25 feet from a scaffolding near the roof of his church.

John Mowbray, Little Harbor, who was with him on the staging, was badly shaken up.

The injured man is a native of New Brunswick and a graduate of Montreal Theological College.

Erect Memorial To Thomas Haliburton

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire)
WINDSOR, N. S., Aug. 11—A memorial to Thomas Chandler Haliburton will be unveiled here Aug. 28 by Premier Angus L. Macdonald.

Government commissioners said their troops had "evacuated" the village but advanced to three hill-top positions in other parts of the sector; the Insurgents said they had driven their foes off under heavy fire.

Refuges from Santander, brought to Bayonne by the French sloop Orlane, said the Government had 70 warplanes on the northern front to combat an expected Insurgent drive on Santander.

They added that moral of the Government troops was good and that these forces ready had retaken several positions.

Insurgents Halt Government Drive On Asturian Front

In eastern Spain, the village of Fraix de Albarracin fell to the Insurgents who are trying to cut through the strategic Madrid-Valencia communication lines.

Government commanders said their troops had "evacuated" the village but advanced to three hill-top positions in other parts of the sector; the Insurgents said they had driven their foes off under heavy fire.

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Report Ships In Collision

HALIFAX, Aug. 12 (Thursday)—(CP)—The ocean going steamer, the Foundation Franklin left Halifax under forced draft at 3:20 A.M. Atlantic daylight time, today after receipt of an unconfirmed report a Danish Freighter and a passenger steamship had collided 250 miles off Halifax.

East Coast Signal Service said no SOS signal had been received by them. In the report which caused the tug to sail the ships named were the Duchess of Atholl, said to be bound from Montreal to New York with cruise passengers and the Danish Freighter Maime bound to New York from Oslo.



METEOROLOGICAL SERVICE
Toronto, Aug. 11—Minimum and maximum temperatures:

Dawson	46	62
Victoria	54	68
Regina	44	63
Winnipeg	50	62
Toronto	69	79
Ottawa	68	74
Montreal	72	78
Quebec	70	78
Saint John	58	70
Halifax	68	84
Charlottetown	68	82

Maritime Provinces: Moderate, southwest winds; cloudy and warm with some fog; probably scattered thundershowers.

High tide this afternoon at 2:30 and tomorrow morning at 2:30. Surf sets this evening at 7:11 and rises tomorrow morning at 4:58. First quarter moon Friday, Aug. 13, at 9:28 p. m.

Summerside the fifteen min. after last day of Charlottetown.

THE CAR FERRY
Leaves Borden 9:45 a. m., 1 p. m. and 4 p. m. Leaves Charlottetown 3 a. m., 2:35 p. m. and 6:30 p. m. daily except Sunday.

Starting July 12 to Sept. 6—Monday and Saturday only leave Borden at 7:15 a. m. and leaves Toronto at 8:15 a. m.

Provincial Exhibition --- August 16 to 20