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NO NEW DEVELOPMENTS DURING WEEK END

Leaders of All Three Parties are Preparing Statements for the Public—E. J. Garland is Guiding the Progressives.

OTTAWA, July 5.—No developments occurred in the political situation during the week-end, although it was anticipated for a few days. Leaders of all three parties devoted some time to the preparation of more statements to the public, further defining the happenings of the past week from their several points of view, but not all of these statements had been completed last evening.

Premier Arthur Meighen let it be known that he does not expect to have his cabinet completed for a week or two. There is no reason, it is stated, why he should not take as much time as he may find necessary for this task, and he will have to consult his leading associates as to the personnel. A number of these are in close communication with him.

Both Premier Meighen and Rt. Hon. MacKenzie King spent Sunday in the Gatineau country, the former calling on friends and the latter at his summer home at Chelsea.

Mr. King worked on his new statement for the newspapers while Mr. Meighen finally decided to hold his pronouncement. E. J. Garland, of Bow River, who seems now to be entrusted with the guidance of the Progressives, labored in the room in the Parliament Buildings on a similar task.

**Pitched Battle Between Moslems and Hindus**  
LONDON, July 5.—Pitched battles were fought Saturday in the streets of Allahabad, the "City of God," British India, and even in the mosques of Patna, in Bihar, Bengal, says a despatch to the Sunday Express from its Indian correspondent. Moslems and Hindus were engaged and there were numerous casualties on both sides. The outbreaks followed the refusal of the Moslems to allow a procession of 10,000 Hindus to pass a mosque. Insults were exchanged and knives, sticks and stones were used in hand-to-hand fights. Many Moslems were pursued inside the mosque. Large forces of police in Allahabad had to be drafted before order was restored.

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Hon. R. J. Manion



The Fort William member, who has charge of the Department of Health, Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment, Post Office, Immigration and Labor in the temporary ministry of Hon. Arthur Meighen.

Chief of Tariff Board Has Gone To Europe

(Special to the Guardian)  
OTTAWA, July 5.—Hon. C. P. Graham, chief of the new Tariff Board, has gone to Europe, and will probably be away for six weeks. For the time being, the work of the Board is at a standstill. It will probably remain so until after the election, when Mr. Graham will be back in Canada.

Strike Is Feared

(Canadian Press)  
NEW YORK, July 5.—What seems to be the last hope of averting the strike of motormen and switchmen on the city's principal subways at midnight tonight was dissipated today when officials of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company declined the transit commission's arbitration offer.

Munn Case Before Supreme Court

The case of the King vs. Wm. Munn, charged with receiving stolen goods, knowing them to be stolen, is now being heard before Mr. Justice Aronson, and a jury in the Supreme Court. The Attorney General is appearing for the Crown, and Mr. J. J. Johnston, K. C., for the prisoner.

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Cardinal Protest Against Persecution of Roman Catholics in Mexico

(Canadian Press)  
ROME, July 5.—Cardinal Gasparri, acting on behalf of Pope Pius, has sent a circular letter to representatives of the Holy See throughout the world protesting against the "inhuman persecution of Roman Catholics in Mexico."

Condensed Specials

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STORM IN EUROPE TAKES HEAVY TOLL

18 Killed and 97 Injured in Train Wreck Near Paris—12 Persons Met Death in Berlin Suburb.

PARIS, July 5.—Eighteen persons were killed and ninety-seven injured in a wreck of the Havre-Paris express near Acheres Saturday night. Thirty-two of these suffered slight injuries.

Dissolution of Parliament According To Precedent

(Canadian Press)  
OTTAWA, July 5.—"As respects the complaint by the Right Hon. Mr. Mackenzie King about the manner of dissolution of parliament, it may be stated that the forms and procedure used followed precisely the same as those prepared by King himself four days previously when he himself sought dissolution of parliament."

Success of Islanders

During his life in the United States Father Cullen has met and come into contact with many islanders. He says that these are welcomed into American communities because of their enterprise and fidelity to duty, but above all account of the spirit of religion that has been inherited by whether Catholic or non-Catholic. At the present time, said Father Cullen to a Guardian reporter yesterday, there is evident in the United States a strong reaction against the philosophy of naturalism that has been rampant, taught by ultra scientists, and the mixture of which is now being proved by the irreligious spirit of the present generation.

Miss MacPhail is Nominated Again

DURHAM, Ont., July 5.—The Southeast Grey U. F. O., convention which packed the Town Hall to the doors Saturday nominated Miss Agnes C. MacPhail, M. P., Federal candidate for a third time, and F. R. Oliver, of Arthemisia Township as provincial candidate for South Grey constituency.

Berlin July 5.—Twelve persons were killed and many injured in a violent thunderstorm which swept over the Berlin suburb of Wilmersdorf yesterday.

Wilmersdorf is one of the principal picture film producing areas of the forest and the suburbs of the east of Berlin were completely inundated by the cloudburst, which also put an end to the horse racing at Hoppegarten. Many lightning struck a stable. Where the lightning struck were entered through the race track was converted into a lake.

INTERESTING IN INTERVIEW WITH PROMINENT EDUCATIONALIST

Rev. Thomas Cullen, Former Islander, and Now President of St. Thomas College, Speaks of Successful Islanders Abroad—States Purpose of The Eucharistic Congress.

To their strong, stable regard for religion, and to their full recognition of the value of education, may be attributed much of the success of islanders in the United States, says Rev. Thomas Cullen, President of St. Thomas College, St. Paul, Minnesota, and a native of Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island.

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STAGE DEMONSTRATION IN LONDON

Women Demand right to Vote at Age of 21 and that Peeresses be Allowed to Sit in the House of Lords.

LONDON, July 5.—Women began gathering early on Saturday morning along the Thames embankment to march to Hyde Park for their demonstration in favor of equal political rights with men.

Lower Rates to be Made Effective by Order-in-Council

(Canadian Press)  
OTTAWA, July 5.—Removal of the luxury tax on Canadian-made automobiles and penny postage rates is understood to be put into effect by order-in-council. When parliament was dissolved, the bill providing for these changes in excise duties was still awaiting Royal Assent and did not become law.

Will Investigate Conditions In The Maritimes

(Canadian Press)  
OTTAWA, July 5.—"The Maritime Rights Commission will shortly begin the work of investigating conditions in the Maritime provinces," declared Hon. W. A. Black, Acting Minister of Marine and Fisheries today.

League of Nations Vote Reaffirms French Thesis

(Special to the Guardian)  
GENEVA, July 5.—By a vote of eight to six with five absent members, the League of Nations affirmed the French thesis, that military, naval and aerial armaments are independent and must be treated in combination.

Announcements, Coming Events, Meetings, Etc

- Rates—2c. per word each insertion.
- \*\*Reserve July 6th for the ice cream festival at James R. Munn's, Mt. Herbert. Proceeds in aid of L. O. B. A. 365-3-3
- \*\*Remember the sale "Globe Hotel" Georgetown and all furnishings by auction July 9th, 1926. 359-7-6-1
- \*\*Come to the Ice Cream Festival at Mayfield Hall, July 8th. If not fine come Friday evening.
- \*\*Rev. Archibald McLeod of Summerside will lecture in Hartsview Hall on Wednesday, July 7th at 8 p. m. Admission 10 and 15 cents. Sale of candy. Proceeds for missions. 410-7-6-21
- \*\*Notice—The Fishing rights on my property at Dingwells Mills (pond and stream) are reserved. No fishing allowed. Signed, George Dingwell, N. W. Lowther, Agent. 410-7-6-21
- \*\*Clearance Auction Sale of farm, stock, crop and implements and household effects on Saturday, July 10th 1 o'clock at Frank Willis, North River. 415-7-6-21
- \*\*Sturgeon Picnic—Our annual picnic will begin at 2 p. m. Tuesday, July 13th, watch for posters. 3974-4-22-101

A New Senator



Dr. W. L. McDougald, Chairman of the Montreal Board of Harbor Commissioners has been appointed to the Senate.

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WATCH THE BEE BUT DON'T INTERFERE WITH HIM

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The seizure constitutes one of the largest ever made at Truro as the freight car contained no less than 100 cases of whiskey, 55 five gallon tins of pure alcohol and a quantity of gin and rum. The goods were consigned to Edmunston, New Brunswick listed as "165 boxes of fresh fish."

When the customs officers opened up the car they found the contents of the car hidden under empty barrels. The alcohol tins were each carefully wrapped in old feed bags while the cases of whiskey and the gin and brandy were lying underneath the empty barrels otherwise unaccounted the whiskey consisted of five or six different brands including Johnny Walker, John Begg, Sandy MacDonald and Dundee.

The valuable consignment was removed from the freight car to the vaulted warehouse where it will remain under lock and key until dispositive is made by the customs authorities.

Customs officials believe that in this seizure they have uncovered another route for the exportation of smuggled liquor out of Nova Scotia. The freight car arrived here over the Dominion Atlantic Railway line. It is believed that the shipment is part of goods which have been smuggled ashore somewhere along the Digby coast, possibly not far from Sault Ste. Marie where the liquor was loaded on board the freight car for shipment. Customs officials were tipped off that the shipment had been loaded and despatched by the D. A. R. and the officers here were ready upon its arrival.

Rumrunners have been active off the Digby coast for the last few weeks and it is reported that the shipment is part of a large cargo landed from one of the schooners plying the trade along the Digby coast. The seizure will likely have the effect of preventing further shipments from Digby county for some time.

(Canadian Press)  
CONCORD N. H., July 5.—New York to Paris in 35 hours on a transatlantic non-stop flight of 3,100 miles, with no special protection from ships at sea, is the sporting proposition to be undertaken by Captain Rene Fonck, French aviator, and two United States flyers sometime during the first week in August.

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