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Lord Inman To Be New BBC Governor

By JAMES McCOOK
LONDON, Dec. 11 — (CP Cable) — Prime Minister Attlee today announced that Lord Inman, 54, recently elevated to the peerage and prominent Church of England lay leader, will succeed Sir Alan Powell as chairman of the BBC, Lady Reading will be vice-chairman. The announcement came during debate on the BBC's new licence — criticized by Brendan Bracken, Conservative front bencher, as giving the postmaster-general power to censor programs. Sir Alan resigned the chairmanship today along with Vice-Chairman O.H. Mills, Lady Reading, the new Vice-Chairman, also is chairman of the Women's Voluntary Services, a uniformed civilian war service organization. Today's debate took place in con-

nection with the government-chartered corporation's licence to continue for another five years as Britain's sole broadcasting organization. Wilfred A. Burke, assistant postmaster-general, told the members during debate that the BBC will be ordered to continue a daily report on proceedings in the Houses of Parliament in the form of 15-minute programs entitled "Today in Parliament."

He said the program is compiled by impartial, professional reporters and has found "general approval."

Mr. Burke said the Corporation would have to finance its home broadcasting during the five years of the contract from revenue derived from the £1 (84) fees paid by each of the estimated 10,700,000 owners of receiving sets. The government will retain 15 per cent of the revenue from this source. Overseas broadcasts will be financed from taxation and will not be paid for from licence revenue. Mr. Burke placed the BBC's losses on dollar transactions during the six months ending last September at a little more than £15,500. During the same period the BBC spent

about £26,000. Mr. Bracken, Information Minister in the wartime coalition government, criticized the BBC licence on the ground that it would prevent the BBC from telling the public whenever censorship had been used. All censorship powers should be removed, he said.

PERSPIRATION

Those clean, self-respecting people who do not believe that they perspire, or, if they do, that this isn't noticeable, are reminded in a bulletin from headquarters in Ottawa of the Department of National Health and Welfare that everyone perspires and that it is only natural and well for their health that they should do so. It is through perspiration that the body removes certain wastes. The Department has only the time-honoured reminder of the value of clean living, clear skin and clean clothing, to offer for those who would not offend.

Czechoslovakia was established as a republic at the end of the First Great War.

Letter Of Appreciation Received From Britain

The following letter received by Mrs. John D. Robertson, East Batic, P.E.I. speaks for itself of the appreciation felt by the people of Britain for gifts received from Canada:

Dear Mrs. Robertson: I have today received your lovely quilt as a gift from the Women's Voluntary Service and I cannot express my gratitude — it is so beautifully made and such a novel idea with the gay wool trimming, to say nothing of the weight and warmth it will give.

I was thrilled to get your kind message as we in Britain know what you have done for us during the War in so many ways, especially the fine boys you sent over here to fight for us, a large number of whom were stationed in this area.

We had our house completely destroyed in October, 1940, together with most of our possessions, but we are hoping to have it rebuilt in the near future. I am telling you this as we do feel you would like to know that the hard work and kind thoughts you have put into all your gifts to us are being received by people who can make use of them.

Along with your quilt I received a pair, scrubbing brush and two saucepans, all as gifts from Canada.

My husband served in the London Fire Service all through the War, being too old for the Army, and I have spent lots of evenings in the Canadian Legion canteen so come in contact with quite a lot of your boys. We are gradually trying to get back to normal, and on looking back, it all seems a nightmare which we hope will never be repeated.

Thanking you once again for the lovely quilt which can assure you will be well used, I am, Yours very sincerely, (Sgd.) Phyllis Spratt (Mrs. B.) 4 Richmond Road, Croydon, Surrey, Eng.

The quilt mentioned in the above letter was one of the many made and shipped overseas by the Kingsboro Women's Institute.

Interim Defence Research Board Is Established

OTTAWA, Dec. 11 — (CP) — Defence Minister Abbott announced tonight that an interim defence research board has been established in Canada as a civilian aid to the defence forces in their fight to keep pace with modern scientific battle methods. Simultaneously, he announced that it would consist of four Canadians distinguished in various fields of science and technology, sitting in an honorary capacity, and of five high officials acting as ex-officio members. Secretary of the new board is Maj. Robertson Gass MacNeill of Ottawa, formerly of Kentville N.S.

Its creation follows the establishment of such bodies as the Atomic Energy Control Board, one with sweeping powers over every conceivable phase of atomic development, a defence research organization with status equal to that of the three services; and Canadian Armaments Limited, a permanent nucleus of arms, equipped with the tools and blueprints to gear the nation's industry to fighting production within far less time than the four years it took to bring her to her producing peak in the Second Great War.

Members of New Board: The appointed members of the

Regular Monthly Meeting K. of C.

The regular monthly meeting of the Knights of Columbus was held Tuesday evening with a large attendance of members. Grand Knight R.E. Bradley presided.

The meeting opened with prayer by the chaplain, Most Rev. James Boyle.

After the reading and adoption of the minutes of the last regular meeting, one minute of silence was observed out of respect for departed brothers. Routine business was then disposed of and a Christmas donation was voted for the following institutions: St. Vincent's Orphanage, Social Service of the Charlottetown Hospital, Falconwood Hospital, Infirmary and Queen's County Jail. The matter of purchasing a property as a home for the Council was discussed at some length and was finally deferred to the next meeting when additional information will be available for the members.

His Excellency Bishop Boyle addressed the meeting and outlined the benefits derived from study clubs and advised the members to establish such courses for themselves. The meeting closed with prayer by the chaplain.

The new board is headed by Dr. C. H. Best, C.B.E., director of the Banting and Best Department of Medical Research and of the Department of Physiology of the University of Toronto; Dr. Paul Eduard Gagnon, director of the department of chemistry at Laval University, Quebec City; Col. Robert Dickson Harness, D.S.O., M.C., vice-president and general manager of the Northern Electric Company, Ltd., Montreal; and Dr. Otto Maass, C.B.E., professor of physical chemistry at McGill University and wartime director of chemical warfare for the services.

A Step Forward

Officially, the formation of the new board was cited as "a further step forward in the organization of scientific research in relation to Canada's defence policies, and to co-ordinate economically research problems common to the armed services."

It is typical of the interlocking system of scientific approach now springing up in Ottawa that men such as Dr. Gagnon and Dr. MacKenzie also sit in on the meetings of the Atomic Energy Control Board. It bespeaks a close liaison among such vital branches as the National Research Council, the universities, the business world — through Col. Harkness, for instance — the forces and the other scientific bodies that are emerging.

Canada Still Seeks Resting Place Of Missing

By JOHN LEBLANC
OTTAWA, Dec. 11 — (CP) — Over many lands around the globe, Canada is still seeking her dead and paying her last respects to the men who gave their lives on foreign soil in the Second Great War. The Army and the Navy have



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completed this final gesture to their dead, but the Air Force, with the war long past, continues the long, painstaking hunt for those thousands who vanished from the air to join the list of those "missing — believed killed."

More than 10,000 R.C.A.F. members were posted originally under this heading. Many of these — perhaps half — never will be located, for they and their aircraft plunged into the North Sea, the English Channel, the Atlantic, or met death in circumstances that precluded recovery of their bodies.

Of the remainder, about 3,000 have been found, many of them buried in Germany or other enemy countries. For those still untraced, the search goes on.

It goes on in northern Europe, Italy, North Africa, the Far East and the distant lands of the Pacific theatre. In Europe, the R.C.A.F. has 30 officers working in a "missing research and inquiry unit"

with the Royal Air Force and the Australian and New Zealand air forces.

In the other theatres, Allied officers act as on-the-spot investigators for Canada and pass on information regarding any bodies located. Canada's group does the same for other Allies.

Many families refuse to give up hope that a son or husband still lives, and the services receive many letters suggesting they may still be wandering, with memory gone, around the old battlefields. But not a single case of amnesia has been found.

TEA FROM INDIA

Thickest and richest of India teas are those grown in the Assam district. The teas of Ceylon generally are full-bodied, well-flavored and form the basis of a great many blends.

GLASGOW — (CP) — The steamship Royal Ulsterman, is back on the Glasgow-Belfast route after six years' war service.

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