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CONTINUES TO DISPLAY AS TOURISTS FLEE

Hawaiian Volcano of Kilauea Active—Serious Earthquake Shocks Have Occurred in Puna and Kau Districts.

VOLOCANO HOUSE, Island of Hawaii, June 17.—Halemauau the Hawaiian House of Everlasting fire and pit of the active volcano of Kilauea, continues spasmodically to present a display of terrible natural powers which has not been excelled within the memory of living man. Renewed activity may rock the entire island, it is predicted by scientists.

Violent outbursts, wracking the throat of the freight and sending incandescent boulders hurtling high into the void, have occurred on an average of twice daily during recent days, accompanied by heavy dust clouds which are split and rent by bolts of lightning and peals of thunder. Earthquakes of varying intensity have been an almost constant concomitant of the eruptions. Steam roars from the cauldrons of the crater, and huge avalanches of rock, which once formed the rim of the crater, so crashing down to be hurled up again by the next explosion.

Tremendous subterranean forces are at work under the surface, in the pit and under the earth of the surrounding region. Serious quake shocks have occurred in the Puna and Kau districts, opening wide cracks in the surface some as wide as 200 feet.

With the descent of the rock avalanches, mushrooming clouds of dust, one rising atop the next, are caught in the whirl of heat from below, forming the appearance of a vast factory chimney. Caught

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*SECOND HAND STORE NEXT door to B. Carter's Auction rooms, 181 Great George Street. We are open for business, we buy and sell anything from a needle to an anchor. We have the money what have you to sell? We are open every evening.

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*FOR SALE—PRIVATE SALE OF furniture commencing Tuesday 17th. June, at 104 Weymouth St. 2712-6-17-31

*FRESH FRUIT AND VEGETABLES, bananas, apples, oranges, pineapples, plums, cantaloupes, string beans, celery, tomatoes, cabbage, onions, cranberries and water melons. Jenkins & Sons, 2714-6-17-31

DOMINION POSTAL EMPLOYEES WILL GO ON STRIKE TO-DAY

Public Warned That All Important Mail Should Be Posted Before Twelve O'Clock To-day—Local Men Will Remain On Duty (Canadian Press.)

OTTAWA, June 17.—The strike of postal clerks throughout the Dominion is indicated by the following message which was given to the public through the press by the Secretary of the Dominion Federation of Postal Employees:

"The public are warned through the press that all important mail should be posted before twelve o'clock noon tomorrow."

"The warning of the impending strike has been conveyed to the local retail merchants association and board of trade who are calling emergency meetings to deal with the situation.

Interviewed last night by a Guardian representative Mr. J. F. Whear provincial Post Office Inspector stated that local employees would still remain on duty.

Mr. Whear declared that the postal men here were in favor of the protest but would not resort to a complete walkout. He also stated that in his opinion the strike would be confined to the larger centres and would not go into effect throughout the Maritimes with the probable exception of St. John.

OTTAWA, June 17.—The Government has gone just as far as it is possible for it to go in the matter and if there is to be any further change in salaries that will have to be made by parliament itself," said Right Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, Prime Minister, in answer to a question on Postal Workers' salaries by William Irvine, Labor, Calgary East, in the House of Commons this afternoon.

Mr. Irvine said that he understood that the Prime Minister had announced that the government could make no alteration in the schedule of the Civil Service Commission, but that any changes must be made by parliament. In what way could parliament deal with this matter, and when Mr. Irvine asked.

The Prime Minister replied by reading an opinion from the Department of Justice to the effect that the government could not revise the schedule of the commission.

Civil Service appointments and salaries had been placed in the hands of the Civil Service Commission in order to remove them from the arena of politics as it was called, said the Prime Minister.

Bell is Conservative Candidate in St. Antoine

MONTRÉAL, June 17.—Leslie C. Bell was selected as Conservative candidate to contest St. Antoine Division in the forthcoming Federal bye-election necessary by the recent resignation of Hon. Walter G. Mitchell at a convention held in the Division tonight. Mr. Bell was stated to be a native of Western Canada, a graduate of Queen's University, Halifax, a member of the Bar of Nova Scotia, and also of the Bar of Quebec, having been engaged in practice in Montreal since 1917.

James A. Lynch Heads Printers

(Canadian Press.) INDIANAPOLIS, June 17.—James A. Lynch, of Syracuse, N. Y., has been elected President of the International Typographical Union to succeed Charles P. Howard of Detroit, according to an unofficial report of the election board made public today. Lynch's majority was given as 2,029 out of approximately 56,000 votes cast.

*JUST ARRIVED—LARGE CUCUMBERS, 15c each.—Jenkins & Sons, 21

*FOR SALE—CABBAGE PLANTS 30 cents per hundred, Tomato 30c per dozen, Cauliflower, 20c per doz; postage extra.—Burt Bros & Fraser, Market House, Charlottetown.

*TO LET—DWELLING 105 North River Road. All modern conveniences. Apply A. Pickard & Co., Phone 240, City, 2842-6-18-31

TEN THOUSAND ROTARIANS IN TORONTO

Every Organization is Assisting in Entertainment of the Visitors.

(Canadian Press.) TORONTO, June 17.—With the largest convention in the history of Toronto getting into its stride, Rotarians from all parts of North America, Great Britain, Honolulu, Cuba, etc., are arriving in hundreds and accommodation for them will no doubt tax the powers of the Reception Committee.

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Artillery Inspection To-day

Last evening Major General H. C. Thacker, C. M. G., D. S. O., commanding 6th Military District, accompanied by Col. D. A. Elkins, D. S. O., and Lt. Col. T. E. Powers, arrived in the city for the purpose of inspecting the Prince Edward Island Heavy Artillery Brigade and No. 8 Signal Company under command of Lt. Col. J. P. Hooper, M. C., and Major K. S. Rogers respectively.

Both artillery and signaller are training with greatly reduced numbers this year, and the inspection will not therefore be as spectacular as in the days of yore.

This year instruction has been concentrated on technical training in the case of the Artillery this will be further supplemented by a twelve day's course at Petawawa.

The artillery will be examined this afternoon at 2 o'clock in gun laying, and prizes and badges will be given to the most proficient.

NEW PRESIDENT OF FRANCE DECLARES STAND

(British United Press.) PARIS, June 17.—Gaston Doumergue, France's new president in his first message to parliament today declared that Germany before the reparations experts report was put into effect, must prove her good faith. Such proof he insisted must come "from facts and not from mere engagements without previous assurance of fulfillment."

"France's conciliatory spirit which is sincere and indisputable cannot go as far as to null her vigilance and make her forget the lessons of the past."

The President laid stress on the statement that France could not renounce her own force or the control which treaties give her right to exercise over Germany.

The action of the stationing committee is not releasing Reginald Vincent, a probationer, for ministerial work in the Saskatchewan conference was endorsed by the ministerial session on the ground of needing him in their conference.

The conference adopted a resolution of the stationing committee that no minister of board should drop an appointment on any circuit without consulting with the stationing committee.

The final draft of stations was read this morning.

The trustees of Portland Street parsonage, St. John, were given permission to sell the old parsonage; proceeds to be devoted to the new.

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WIRE BRIEFS

Last Minute News Flashed in Over the Wires

(Canadian Press.) BRIDGEBOURG, Ont., June 17.—The number of Canadians returning home through this frontier port after a considerable absence in United States is averaging between 500 and 1,000 per month. Most of these are artisans and are bringing their tools back with them.

(Canadian Press.) ASCOT HEATH, Eng., June 17.—Scullion, by Junior, over Mullion owned by George Hardy at 10 to 1, against won the Ascot stakes, of \$10,000 run here today at the opening of Ascot meeting.

(Canadian Press.) PARIS, June 17.—The Declaration of Premier Herriot's cabinet submitted to parliament today, affirms that the Ruhr will not be evacuated until guarantees provided in the experts report have been set up. Other features of the declaration include pronouncement for the restoration of normal relations with Russia.

(Canadian Press.) JOLIET ILLS, June 17.—A mud covered touring car loaded with 25 pouches of registered mail believed to be part of the loot of the \$3,000,000 mail robbery near Chicago was found today on a farm south of here.

(Canadian Press.) NEW ORLEANS, June 17.—One negro is dead, one white seriously injured and several negroes badly hurt, as a result of a wholesale shooting at Leesville late yesterday when negroes attempted to liberate two negro prisoners according to word received today from Leesville.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., June 17.—A riotous scene followed a meeting held by Republican politicians to prevent Lieutenant Governor Toupin from presiding over today's session of the state senate. Men and women were trampled upon by the political combatants. Republican and Democratic senators clashed and the spectators took sides in the free for all fight.

FINAL DRAFT OF STATION SHEET AT CONFERENCE IN SACKVILLE

Dr. Chown Denounces Amendments Proposed to Church Union Bill by Private Bills Committee—Report On Social Service

SACKVILLE, N. B., June 14.—A ministerial session of the New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island Methodist conference this morning authorized the president to give credentials and letters of standing to Rev. Walter Vey, who asked for them that he might join the congregational church association of Vermont.

The action of the stationing committee is not releasing Reginald Vincent, a probationer, for ministerial work in the Saskatchewan conference was endorsed by the ministerial session on the ground of needing him in their conference.

The trustees of Centenary parsonage, St. John, were given permission to sell the present property; proceeds to be applied to the purchase or building of a new parsonage.

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FAREWELL MEETING FOR DR. AND MRS. ALEXANDER ROSS

Large Number of Citizens Assembled Last Evening at Board of Trade Rooms Where an Address Was Read by Mayor MacKenna and Presentations Made by Mr. John Agnew

Last evening in the Board of Trade rooms a large number of ladies and gentlemen fittingly bestowed for in loyalty to the land of your ancestry and its noble traditions there is none to surpass you.

The church of your fathers and your own has found in you a valiant defender of her faith, and practice which has brought in small encouragement to her many loyal sons and daughters who are fighting the battle for her very existence in Canada today.

Our Province has had in you a citizen who has brought credit to it in time of war you did your bit and in time of peace you have been awake to the interests of our people and have used your influence in the political realm to further the welfare of the state.

It is with sincere regret that we, citizens of Charlottetown representing the several phases of our community life, business, professional, fraternal, social, political, and religious, gather here on the eve of your departure from among us to bid you farewell.

With genuine sorrow we learn that you feel that the breeze of the Pacific Coast may benefit your health and we trust that the change you are about to make will accomplish all you hope and that you will find better health and new energy in your new land and in addition as many warm friends as you leave here.

We regret your departure from us for during all the years you have been with us you have taken a great interest in our local affairs; and in many phases of our city life you have played a prominent part in the education of the youth of our city by your personal example and influence you have done much to encourage our young to attain higher standards in several subjects of the school curriculum. In fact an educational effort in school or in public could always depend upon you for sympathy and support.

In your own profession you have done much to maintain its prestige and to raise its standards. An appreciation of your and your work we desire to express the appreciation of a wider circle who have known you professionally—the citizens, rich and poor, learned and unlearned, who have benefited by your skill; not only by your skill but also by the never-failing sympathy, generosity and encouragement you gave in time of need.

As a member of the Caledonian Club you have been honored by your fellow clansmen and the honours have been fittingly bestowed for in loyalty to the land of your ancestry and its noble traditions there is none to surpass you.

The fraternal organizations of which you are a member are glad to have had you as one of their brethren.

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EXPLAINS DECREASE IN CAN. M. M. EARNINGS

C. N. R. Chief Stated That Past Year Has Been a Poor One in Many Respects.

(Canadian Press.) OTTAWA, June 17.—Sir Henry Thornton today gave the Committee on National Railways and Shipping some information in regard to the government merchant marine. He explained the decreased earnings by saying that generally speaking, last year was not a good year. The decrease in operating expenses had been brought about chiefly by cancellation of unremunerative services.

"Which is the most profitable part of the service," asked the Chairman W. D. Euler. Sir Henry replied that there had been a loss of \$544,000 in services to the United Kingdom in 1923. The services to the Barbados and Trinidad had resulted in a profit of \$68,000, but that to Bermuda and Nassau had turned in a loss of \$153,000. The Newfoundland service had resulted in a profit of \$40,000 and that to Australia in a loss of \$330,000. Two passenger vessels were operated on the Bermuda Nassau service. Voyages to the Orient had resulted in a loss of \$1,729,000 and a single voyage to India turned in a loss of \$73,400.

Cut His Throat While Insane

(Canadian Press.) WOODSTOCK, June 17.—While in a fit of temporary insanity, last night, Jarvis Estabrooks, of Fielding, cut his throat. He was brought to the Fisher Hospital and while his condition is serious he will likely recover. He was 70 years of age.

School Meeting At Kensington

The annual meeting of the ratepayers of Kensington for the disposing and discussion of business concerning the town's school was held yesterday.

The meeting which was conducted in the most enthusiastic and business-like manner was presided over by Dr. Lockhart.

The reported receipts for the school year were \$1,638.00. This amount was voted out as follows:

Supplement—Principal, \$275; Vice-Principal \$175; 1st assistant, \$150; 2nd primary teacher, \$125; Current expenses, \$800; repairs \$100; school fair, \$30.

School—Mr. Jas. Braham was re-elected as trustee and Mr. J. A. Ready as Auditor.

Announcements, Coming Events, Meetings, Etc.

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*Tea Party at Emerald Dominion Day. 2596-6-11-181

*We have the schooners "J. W." with Albion net coal and "Stella" with Inverness round. Just discharged. Phone 175 W. D. Gillis & Co. 31

*The Victoria Dramatic Club will present their two act comedy, Among the Breakers, at the hall Victoria, Thursday, June 19th. 2590-6-14,17,21

*A joint meeting of the St. Vincent Society and Ladies Auxiliary Protestant Orphanage will be held in the Red Cross Rooms, 57 Grafton next Tuesday June 24th, at 4 o'clock

*Electric Irons, Toasters and Vacuum Cleaners repaired at short notice; also Electric Wiring and Jobbing of all kinds at Palmer-Watson, Electric Co., 2707-6-17-21.

*A very interesting concert will be presented in St. Herbert Orphanage Friday, June 20th at 8 p. m. sharp by city talent and the children of the Home. Admission 25 cents. Sale of ice cream sandwiches. Proceeds in aid of Orphanage. 31wmt



Table with weather forecasts for various locations: Toronto, Montreal, Quebec, Charlottetown, Halifax, St. John, Boston, New York.



ELECTED PRESIDENT OF FRANCE

Gaston Doumergue, President of the French Senate, who was elected President of the Republic by the National Assembly. He defeated Paul Painlevé, candidate of the Left Bloc and president of the Chamber of Deputies, by 515 to 189 votes. He is the first Protestant, and the Norwegian mainland.