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## BRITAIN, U.S. RUSH WARSHIPS TO SHANGHAI

### RUSSIAN TRANSPOLAR PLANE IS UNREPORTED

#### PREPARE FOR 51TH ANNUAL CONVENTION

#### Grand Lodge Knights Of Pythias, Maritime Domain, Meet Here Next Week.

Officials last night were commencing preparations for the 51st annual convention of the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Maritime Domain, which opens at Beach Grove Inn, Tuesday, August 17.

The general committee in charge includes the following members of Empire Lodge No. 19, Charlottetown: G. O. G., J. T. McKee, Chairman; R. R. and S. I. G. MacLean, secretary; Deputy Grand Chancellor, H. E. MacLean, chairman of entertainment committee and treasurer; Chancellor Commander, B. F. Tinney, ex-officio on all committees; C. T. Aharon, chairman housing committee; Past Chancellor William Warren, chairman registration committee; Eighty R. L. McClure, chairman transportation committee.

Co-operating with the general committee are: Mrs. S. A. McDonald, most excellent chief of local Pythian Temple and Mrs. J. A. McKenzie, Past Supreme Representative and other Pythian Sisters.

Pythian Sisters will hold sessions in the Oddfellows Hall, Charlottetown.

#### EXECUTIVE HEAD DIES

HAMILTON, Ont., Aug. 13—George Robert Kerr, 55, vice-president and treasurer of the Canadian Westinghouse Company, Limited, died at his home here tonight. He had risen from a junior position to occupy his high executive post.

#### COMING EVENTS

- "Dance in C.M.S.A. Hall Vernon Ave., Monday, August 16th. Auspices C. W. L. L-1533-8-13-21.
- "Buying live fowl every day. Bowman's Store, Hunt River. L-1489-8-14-21.
- "Dance in Grand View Hall Monday, August 16th. Good music, refreshments. Proceeds for school. L-1575-8-14-11.
- "Hon. A. E. MacLean, lectures in Zion Baptist Hall, August 16th at 8:30 P. M. on his trip to the Coronation. L-1494-8-14-11.
- "St. Peter's Club loading livestock every Tuesday afternoon until further notice. Please list with local secretary. L-1520-8-14-21.
- "Exhibition Exhibitors. We now have a supply of Beet Pulp. We will make deliveries at Grounds. L-1518-8-14-21.
- "Ball game and dance, Lake Verde School, Monday night, August 16. Hughes' Orchestra. L-1553-8-12-31.
- "Ice Cream Festival and Dance at Waterville School Tuesday, August 17th. If unfavorable following night. L-1507-8-14-11.
- "Big August Clearance Sale now in full swing. Get your share of the bargains now! Sale ends on August 15th. Clark Bros., Montague. L-1518-8-14-11.
- "All taxes in arrears of St. Patrick's School must be handed in by Sept 1st or same will be handed over for collection. By order of Trustees. L-1486-8-13-21.
- "Western Canadian lambs are being brought into the Maritimes at low prices. Eastern values have been adversely affected. We do not recommend marketing under the circumstances. Livestock Marketing Board. L-1519-8-14-11.

#### Japan's Troops 'Moving Up' Along North China Front



Grim, deadly Japanese machine gunners race across a peaceful appearing meadow in North China during a lull in fighting, top photo, and dig into the shell hole shown below. The machine gun is trained on Chinese lines only yards away, where similarly helmeted and armed troops crouch in trenches.

#### Dandurand To Head Canadian Delegation To League Meeting

OTTAWA, Aug. 13—Senator Raoul Dandurand, Canada's veteran international statesman will head the Canadian delegation at the coming meeting of the Assembly of the League of Nations, Prime Minister Mackenzie King announced tonight.

Other delegates will be Hon. J. L. Isley, Minister of National Revenue, and Hon. Vincent Massey, Canadian High Commissioner in London. Dr. W. A. Riddell, Canada's permanent officer at the League of Nations will be an alternate delegate.

Mr. King also said he hoped to be able to announce personnel of the Royal Commission on financial relations between the Dominion and the Provinces over the weekend.

Senator Dandurand is minister without portfolio in the King Government and Government leader in the Senate. A former president of the Assembly of the League he had represented Canada at many international gatherings and is thoroughly familiar with the work of the League.

One of the youngest members of the Cabinet Mr. Isley will be making his first trip to Geneva as an official Canadian delegate. Mr. Massey attended last year's Assembly as a member of the Canadian delegation and has participated in several international conferences.

The League Assembly will meet Sept. 13.

#### Persists Story Of Kidnap-Murder True

LEMMON, S. D., Aug. 13—(CP)—Floyd Hutchinson self-accused participant in the Charles Mattson kidnap-murder in Tacoma, Wash., last December, clung to his "confession" in jail today in the face of outright doubts expressed by United States federal and town officials.

The 30-year-old former Alliance, Neb., ranch hand, arrested Wednesday on a vagrancy charge, insisted, Chief Constable Pat Jones said, that identification of his companion in the crime would prove a signed "confession" he made last Wednesday.

#### Stresses Quality In Potato Production

FREDERICTON, N. B., Aug. 13—(CP)—New Brunswick potato producers should depend upon quality rather than greater acreage to meet increased competition from other sections of Canada, Dr. H. Barton deputy minister of the Dominion Department of Agriculture, told farmers assembled at the Dominion Experimental Station here today. Room existed for greater expansion into new markets, particularly for seed potatoes.

The third and last day of the station's first annual "at home" ended after 2,000 agriculturists from all parts of the province had heard addresses, seen demonstrations and entered contests.

#### Demented Mother Drowns Children

MUNICH Aug. 13—(CP) Hava—A demented German mother threw four of her small children into the Isar River today and was about to throw in the fifth when police reached the scene. The four children, all under seven years of age, were drowned.

#### NEWFOUNDLAND SEA MONSTER UNIDENTIFIED

#### Sea Beast Killed After 48-hour Battle—Second Monster Attacks Boat.

FORTUNE HARBOR, Nfld., Aug. 13—(CP Cable)—Fortune Harbor's sea monster, still unidentified a day after it was killed in a 48-hour battle against fishermen's guns and harpoons, tonight was lying lashed to Capt. Earl Noble's vessel Golda awaiting an offer of purchase.

If no museum or institution buys the huge carcass, its nine-inch deep coat of fat will be tried into oil.

The exact length of the creature is 34 feet. It is finless, but has several pairs of four-foot long flippers. Its tail is nine feet in extreme width, while the mouth, three feet eight inches across, extends six feet from the tip of the snout.

The immense fish differs greatly from any whales frequenting Newfoundland waters, and does not fit description of any known fish.

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#### Finced For Failure To Aid Fire-fighters

(By The Canadian Press)  
NEW GLASGOW, N. S., Aug. 13—Three New Glasgow men today were fined \$5 and costs each on a charge of refusing to assist in extinguishing a forest fire when ordered to do so by Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

The trio, Hector Borden, William Paris and Edward Mintis, were found guilty of refusing to assist fire fighters at Sunny Brae, N.S., several weeks ago when a fire threatened the village and caused occupants of farms and dwellings in the town to evacuate their homes.

#### Death Of British Shipping Magnate

NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE, Aug. 13—British shipping circles tonight mourned the death of Baron Runciman who ran away to sea as a poor Scottish lad of 12 and became a millionaire shipowner and a member of Parliament.

Lord Runciman died at his home on the Northumberland coast, Shoreham Hall, a few months after celebrating his 90th birthday. He arrived yesterday from his yacht Sunbeam II at Blyth, thus missing by one day the fulfillment of a cherished wish—to die afloat.

He founded the firm of Walter Runciman and Company, Limited, of Newcastle and London, was chairman of the Moor Line and the Anchor Line and a director of many other shipping companies. He represented Harlepool as a Liberal in the House of Commons from 1914 to 1918, was made a baronet in 1906 and became the first Baron Runciman in 1932.

His only son, Walter Runciman, was created a viscount recently on his retirement as president of the Board of Trade after serving in the Baldwin Cabinet for many years.

#### Refuses Comment

In Seattle, Soviet representative A. Yermolin, who said earlier he expected to fly here by 11:12 a. m. (6:12 p. m. A.D.T.) refused to comment on their long silence.

United States officials, who declined to be quoted, privately expressed fear for the airmen, who, they estimated, were five hours overdue at 11:12 p. m. A.D.T.

But other observers pointed out that headwinds which buffeted the huge ship might have delayed it, being routed on the 4,000-mile flight to a refueling here before continuing on to an eventual destination at Oakland, Calif., more than 6,000 miles from Moscow via Fairbanks.

The plane had not been directly heard from here since passing over the North Pole region at 12:45

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#### FLIERS ARE OVERDUE AT FAIRBANKS

#### Anxiety Expressed As Fliers Fail To Communicate Location On Flight From Moscow.

FAIRBANKS, Alaska, Aug. 13—United States officials privately expressed anxiety tonight over the silence surrounding six Russian transpolar fliers, overdue here on their flight from Moscow along the course of a possible commercial airline to America.

At five a. m. (noon A.D.T.) the huge four-motored plane was heard radioing its call letters to the wireless station at Point Schmidt, Northern Siberia.

Radio stations in Alaska, Canada and the United States listened in vain for further word from the plane piloted by Sigismund Levantefsky, one of the Soviet Union's most famous airmen.

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### Native - quarter Ablaze Following Artillery Battle

#### Sino - Japanese Conflict Enter New And More Ominous Phase—Flames Menace Whole District.

(By The Associated Press)  
SHANGHAI, Aug. 14—(Saturday)—Three Chinese warplanes bombed the Japanese cruiser Izumo today at the northern end of Shanghai's famous bund but apparently missed their mark by the narrowest margin.

The attackers, appearing over the cruiser with lightning suddenness, dived and loosed one bomb each, the explosions reverberating through the city and engulfing the vessel, flagship of the Japanese Fleet here, in a wall of smoke.

As the smoke lifted, the Izumo appeared to be undamaged but the stocks nearby were splintered.

The Japanese unleashed a hail of anti-aircraft fire as the planes appeared but caused no damage. Machine guns and one-pound guns were pressed into action.

As the Chinese bombs burst, witnesses half a mile away saw flames shoot toward the sky.

Spectators who were closer said shrapnel rained around the Izumo and nearby buildings.

#### Duce Holds Mock Warfare Off Sicily

CASTELVERANO, Sicily, Aug. 13—King Vittorio Emanuele, Crown Prince Umberto and Premier Mussolini braved a broiling sun today to witness an "enemy" landing on the shores of this Italian island, opening phase of Italy's annual war game.

Some of Italy's best military brains, including General Alberto Priarano, undersecretary of war, observed the manoeuvres.

After the war games have been completed, troops will be concentrated Aug. 19 at Gibellina, where Mussolini is expected to make an important speech.

#### Speed to Shanghai

British and United States warships sped toward Shanghai to take part in protection of Shanghai's foreign communities, including 8,000 Britons. British infantry patrolled the borders of the International Settlement with French, American and other foreign detachments.

Admiral Sir Charles Little, commanding Britain's China Squadron, on his flagship, the Cruiser Cumberland, was enroute to Shanghai from Tsingtao.

With fighting at Shanghai the undeclared war between Japan and China, begun July 7 with a minor skirmish west of Peking, entered

#### Rescues Six From Possible Drowning

HALIFAX, N. S., Aug. 13—(CP)—Lawrence Brown, 33, of Africville, a suburb of Halifax, saved six men from possible drowning in the Bedford Basin of Halifax Harbor today. One of the men, John Dobbins, had two fractured ribs when he was picked out of the water by Brown, a negro.

The men were cruising about the basin in a 20-foot motorboat when it capsized, throwing them into the water. Brown who noticed their plight a mile off shore, put out in a rowboat to rescue them.

On his way to rescue them, Brown picked up Dobbins who was swimming to shore. He was in an exhausted condition.

Dobbins' companions all could swim and had no trouble treading water until Brown appeared.

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TORONTO, Aug. 13—Minimum and maximum temperatures:—

Dawson	42	65
Victoria	40	70
Edmonton	39	63
Regina	35	64
Winnipeg	32	58
Toronto	57	80
Ottawa	60	72
Montreal	62	72
Quebec	62	74
Saint John	58	74
Halifax	65	73
Charlottetown	70	80

FORECASTS  
Maritime Provinces: Moderate southwest to west winds; partly cloudy; probably scattered showers; not much change in temperature.

High tide this afternoon at 4:21 and tomorrow morning at 3:29.

Sun sets this evening at 7:09 and rises tomorrow morning at 5:01.

Full moon Saturday, Aug. 21, 7:47 p. m.

Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

Leaves Borden 9:15 a. m., 1 p. m. and 5:15 p. m. Leaves Tomatina 11 a. m., 2:30 p. m. and 6:30 p. m. daily except Sunday.

Starting July 13 to Sept. 6—Monday, Tuesday and Saturday only leave Borden at 7 a. m. and leaves Tomatina at 8:15 a. m.

# Provincial Exhibition --- August 16 to 20