

# Coronation Celebrations Open In Old Country

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# PROBE UNDERWAY IN DIRIGIBLE DISASTER

## ANARCHIST REVOLT IN CATALONIA SPREADS

### MANY SLAIN IN RIOTING AT BARCELONA

#### Insurgent Army Opens Drive On Last Line Defence Of Basques.

(A. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) BARCELONA, Spain, (by telephone to Paris)—May 7—The anarchist rebellion against the Barcelona and Valencia Governments continued today. For four days there has been fighting in the city's streets. Telephone operators returned to work for the first time since Tuesday, but fighting is not ended. Within the city proper there is comparative quiet, but shooting still can be heard in the suburbs. The warfare has been frightful. Police fill the streets and public order is under control of an officer from the Spanish Valencia Government. But for the uniformed patrols, the Central Plaza Cataluna is deserted.

The above dispatch was telephoned to Paris by an American resident, probably under the eye of a censor.

Four hundred persons have been reported killed in the Barcelona rioting against the Government's administration, considered too conservative by the anarchists.

Reports from Cerbere, along the Franco-Spanish frontier, today said that the revolt was spreading to towns and villages.

The anarchists battled with troops enroute from Valencia to restore order, but the result was not known. A few stores were said to have reopened in Barcelona, and some transportation service resumed, but new casualties were feared in suburban fighting.

#### OPEN DRIVE ON BILBAO

ST. JEAN DE LUZ, France, May 7—(AP)—The Northern Spanish Insurgent Army smashed today against Bilbao's last line of defence.

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### COMING EVENTS

- \*Coronation Dance Brackley Beach Lodge, May 11th. L-133-5-6-21.
- \*Seven Mile Bay Monday, May 10, dance Wellington Orchestra. L-268-5-8-21.
- \*Ladies' A1 rummage sale St. James Hall 7 o'clock tonight. L-275.
- \*Come to the Dance in Summerfield Hall Thursday evening. Ladies with cake free. 5-8-11-21.
- \*Lemuel Craswell buying live hogs Hunter River Tuesday, May 11th. L-233-5-8-21.
- \*Don't miss the three one act plays and other specialties at Kingston, Wednesday May 12th. If stormy, Thursday. L-240-5-8-11.
- \*Farmers take notice—Debelle Jr. will be at home evenings for service from this date on. John D. McIver, Kinkora. L-193-5-6-21.
- \*Don't forget the Coronation Dance in Millview Hall Wednesday, May 12th in aid of Institute. L-246-5-8-11.
- \*See the Stanley Players present their play "Southern Cinderella" in Bradabane Hall on Monday evening, May 10th. L-247-5-8-11.
- \*See "George in a Jam" in St. Charles Hall by St. Charles Drama-Club on Coronation night. L-155-5-7-8-11.
- \*Come to Hayettes, Pic Social and Dance at Hope River, Monday 10th. If not fine on next night. L-185-5-7-31.
- \*See the Variety Concert presented by Tryon B. Y. P. U. in Tryon Baptist Hall, Monday, May 10, 8.15 P. M. Come and have a real laugh. L-119-5-8-10.
- \*The South Granville Dramatic Club will present their play, "The Noble Outcast", in Long River Hall, Monday night, Dance after. L-269-5-8-21.

### CH'TOWN CORONATION PROGRAM IS ANNOUNCED

#### Arrangements Almost Complete For Local Celebration Wednesday May 12

Opening address on the Coronation Day program at the Charlottetown Forum will be by His Majesty King George VI. It was decided at a meeting of the general Coronation Day committees last night. Time of the opening at the Forum was changed to 2.55 p.m. to enable the King's broadcast address to his peoples to be heard by those participating in the celebration here. Opening remarks by His Worship Mayor P. W. Turner, who will preside, will be timed to precede the King's four-minute address.

Guests who are to occupy places on the platform at the Forum were asked to be in their places before the arrival of the parade at 2.40. The parade will be seated at 2.45 p.m. plans call for.

A meeting of the parade committee will be held Monday night when details regarding the procession will be settled.

The following is the program for Coronation Day, May 12, as prepared last night by the committees, presided over by general chairman Coun. R. C. O'Hanlon.

12 Noon—Royal salute of 21 guns, fired by 8th Battery, 1st Medium Brigade, R.C.A.

2.00 P.M.—Parade assembled prepared to move off as follows: At Victoria Park, all Militia units; at Armouries, Canadian Legion; at Rochford Square, Boy Scouts and Girl Guides; at Queen Street, all Fraternal Societies, Lodges, etc., in order detailed by Col. Dawson. Head of first unit at W. A. Rix's store facing north.

Route of march: Kent to Weymouth; Weymouth to Fitzroy; Fitzroy to Forum.

Parade to be assembled in Forum at 2.45. School children will be seated in Forum at 2.30 under direction of school principals.

2.50—Administrator arrives. R. C.N.V.R. and all armed units "Present Arms", L.O.C. Band plays "God Save the King".

2.55—Meeting opened by His Worship Mayor Turner.

3.00—Message from His Majesty (radio).

### GERMANY IS UNDAUNTED BY DISASTER

#### Plan To Speed Completion Of New Dirigible LZ-130 Now Under Construction.

(A.P. by Guardian's Special Wire) BERLIN, May 7—Undaunted by the loss of the Hindenburg, the German government moved tonight to place another giant airship in service between Europe and North America as soon as possible, probably within three months.

After a conference with the veteran dirigible commander, Dr. Hugo Eckener, the Reich's Air Minister, General Hermann Goering, ordered the airship builders at Friedrichshafen, to rush to completion the LZ-130, which was to have been the sistership of the Hindenburg.

Officials of the Air Ministry estimated General Goering's order meant completion of the new dirigible soon enough to permit her to take the Hindenburg's place in the trans-Atlantic airmen within three months.

#### Will Speed Completion

In a proclamation addressed to the men of the German Air Service, General Goering announced his decision to speed up completion of the LZ-130 and added:

"Working shoulder to shoulder, we men of the German Air Service want to show the world that in spite of everything the future of our enterprising spirit of Count Zeppelin persists, that airship communication between nations is a work of peace, binding peoples closer together and simply can not be eliminated at this stage of world development."

Dr. Eckener, who rushed back to Berlin from Austria on learning of the disaster at Lakehurst, expressed similar sentiments in a radio broadcast.

#### A Saddened Country

A saddened Germany ordered her experts to the United States tonight to determine whether sabotage, lightning or mechanical fault sent the proud Hindenburg crashing in flames and threw the future of German zeppelin construction into uncertainty.

There was a cry for non-inflatable helium from the 69 year old Dr. Hugo Eckener who designed the Hindenburg, floated with explosive hydrogen.

Where was a popular cry in the controlled press for more German airships to fly over oceans and continents to maintain national prestige.

There were plans for a sistership to the Hindenburg to be ready for flight this fall, he said. Lessing said he had accepted offers for picketing help proffered by Louis Weinstein, secretary-treasurer of district council No. nine, brotherhood of painters; the Committee for Industrial Organization, and the International Longshoremen's Association.

More than 1,000,000 persons will go on the line, Lessing said. He designated New York, Chicago, Detroit, Cleveland, Philadelphia, Minneapolis, St. Paul, and other cities as special objectives. If necessary, he added, picketing will spread.

### Wreck Lines Are Cleared

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) SPRINGHILL, JUNCTION, N. S., May 7—Regular schedules were being maintained on auxiliary lines tonight by the Canadian National Railways as workmen cleared up last wreckage of the train disaster here Wednesday night.

The death toll as announced by officials stood at six tonight; two were employees, two trespassers and two unidentified dead. All passengers had been accounted for it was stated, and none were dead. Philip Francis of Main River, N. E., was seriously injured but was reported progressing favorably in Amherst Hospital tonight.

Four of the 10 taken to hospital last night were discharged. Known dead are Engineer Clarence Bauer of Moncton, N. B., Express Messenger Camille LeBlanc, also of Moncton, Alfred Leger, 17, and Ernest Long, 22, of Maccan, N. S. The two unidentified dead were listed as transients by officials.

### KING WILDLY CHEERED AT WESTMINSTER

#### Coronation Spirit Grips Entire Country As Day of Days Nears.

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) LONDON, May 7—The Coronation program was in full swing tonight. The Coronation spirit gripped the entire country. Only the weekend stood before the week of weeks, for which the Empire has planned so long.

From one end of the country to the other gay house parties got under way. Visitors flocked to seaside and country resorts to pass the last weekend before Wednesday's great fete. In the capital itself clubs and restaurants were crowded. Less pretentious visitors continued sightseeing.

#### King Wildly Cheered

King George, looking fresh and well after his strenuous program of the past week, was accorded a vociferous welcome at Westminster Hall—the ancient hall of William Rufus where so many momentous events in England's history have transpired—when he attended luncheon with parliamentarians from all corners of the Empire.

In nearby Westminster Abbey rehearsals of the Coronation rites neared completion. On Monday there will be a final, full-dress rehearsal. Today all principals, including Prime Minister Mackenzie King of Canada and the other Dominion Prime Ministers, attended. Earl Marshal the Duke of Norfolk and his sister, Lady Rachel Howard, took the place of the King and Queen.

#### Thousands of Pilgrims

At every port in the Kingdom, ships great and small disembarked thousands of pilgrims to this shrine of Empire. Dozens more will reach these shores by Monday, and the great assemblage from overseas will be all but complete. On Tuesday there will be a great influx from the provinces at home.

Canada's military contingent arrived quietly at Camp Pirbright in Surrey, not far from Bisleigh Camp, and settled down to await the call to their honored role in the Coronation pageant. The Canadians, numbering 300, arrived without fanfare and will remain here until moving to Olympic Stadium in London on Monday. The Royal Canadian Mounted Police and other smaller units of Canada's contingent already are in the capital.

#### Forest Fire Hazard Relieved By Rain

FREDERICTON, N.B., May 7—(CP)—Forest fire hazard in New Brunswick, temporarily relieved by yesterday's light showers, became more acute today with warm sunlight and drying winds.

Forest officials said the number of fires reported this year was small. They were taking precautions against further occurrences.

#### C.I.O. Plans To Invade Dosco Plant At Sydney

MONTREAL, May 7—The Committee for Industrial Organization will seek collective bargaining rights shortly with the steel branch of the Great Dominion Steel and Coal Corporation, the C. I. O.'s "voluntary" Montreal organizer said tonight.

Lacien Dufour, the organizer and Montreal President of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers of North America, said this C. I. O. affiliate's Dosco negotiations likely would open with Peck Rolling Mills, Limited, Montreal subsidiary of the Corporation.

He indicated the possibility, though, that the Peck negotiations might be postponed to dovetail with plans of M. T. Montgomery, C. I. O. steel organizer for Canada, who he said may submit demands to Dosco for its 3,500 workers in Sydney, N. S., steel plant. Dosco's big coal subsidiary, the Dominion Coal Company, at present recognizes the United Mine Workers of America, whose president is C. I. O. chief John L. Lewis. Recently Dominion Coal signed with the U. M. W. for pay raises averaging 7-12 per cent, and Dosco almost immediately followed its subsidiary's suit with similar increases in all operating branches in Canada and Newfoundland.

### Sabotage Theory To Be Considered In Investigation

#### Captain Ernst Lehmann, Veteran Zeppelin Master, Succumbs In Hospital. Death Toll 33.

LAKEHURST, N. J., May 7—(AP)—Captain Ernst Lehmann, stocky little veteran master of zeppelins, joined 32 other victims of the Hindenburg holocaust in death tonight, even as federal authorities set out to establish if sabotage caused the fatal plunge of the great dirigible.

Before he died, Lehmann, who skipped the Hindenburg on her pioneering passenger trips here a year ago, echoed the views of the parade of aeronautical experts who have looked over the grotesque wreckage strewn over the United States naval air landing field.

"I can't understand it," he said. "I can't understand it." With reports of sabotage refusing to be downed, two authorities—Dr. Hugo Eckener, head of the Zeppelin Company, and Senator Roger Copeland (D-N.Y.), chairman of the United States Senate Commerce Committee—were on record as saying the possibility of sabotage should be exhaustively investigated.

#### Place Death Toll at 33

Meanwhile, the latest death toll of last night's flaming disaster released by the Zeppelin Company placed the known victims at 33. The roll named 11 passengers, 21 members of the crew, and one spectator as dead.

The Department of Commerce took over complete charge of an inquiry already well advanced informally. Participating under direction of department officials will be representatives of the German Government, Copeland's committee, the United States Navy and the State of New Jersey. Public hearings will begin Monday.

#### Flew Zeppelin Raiders

Captain Lehmann, who flew Zeppelin raiders in the Great War and was master of the Hindenburg on its 10 trans-Atlantic voyages last year, died of burns and injuries in hospital more than 22 hours after he stumbled, dazed from the flame-ridden airship. His protegee, Captain Max Frenz, who took over command for that fatal first voyage here this year, was still in critical condition from burns.

About an hour before Lehmann's death, his friend, Commander Charles E. Rosendahl, hero of American airship flights and commander at Lakehurst Naval Base, where the dirigible's skeleton lay, broadcast a report of the disaster to the German nation.

#### LOST THROUGH FIRE

"In judging this disaster," he said, "it must be remembered that the Hindenburg was lost through fire. The ship had successfully completed her west-bound crossing over the North Atlantic, was under normal control in every respect and was making a normal landing."

"Whatever may have been the origin," he continued, "the loss of the Hindenburg can be attributed only to one basic cause, namely, that of fire. Had this ship been inflated with the non-inflammable, non-explosive helium gas, such as is used in our American airships, such a catastrophe would have been impossible."

Earlier in the day, the Senate Military Affairs Committee approved a bill which would liberalize

#### TORONTO, May 7—(CP)—Minimum and maximum temperatures:

Dawson	28	58
Victoria	54	90
Edmonton	30	52
Regina	34	46
Winnipeg	58	62
Toronto	47	53
Ottawa	50	52
Montreal	50	58
Quebec	46	56
Saint John	44	60
Halifax	44	48
Charlottetown	38	48

Maritime East: Moderate to fresh easterly winds; partly cloudy not much change in temperature. High tide this morning at 8:17 and tonight at 9:12.

Sun sets this evening at 7:13 and rises tomorrow morning at 4:30. New moon Monday, May 10, 8:17 a.m. Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

### LARGE RUM SEIZURE MADE BY MOUNTIES

194 five-gallon kegs of rum, hidden in thick scrub behind Stanhope Lane and Covehead Harbor, were seized by Mounted Police yesterday afternoon. The liquor, hidden about 100 yards from the shore, was discovered by Bradley, Shaw, Jay and LeClair of the Charlottetown R. C. M. P. Detachment. Police said last night they believed they knew who owned the liquor and that prosecution would likely follow.

The value of the liquor "at the ship's side" would be about \$3880, it was believed.

### Scouts To Mark Coronation With Beacon Chain

(C.P. by Guardian's Special Wire) OTTAWA, May 7—Arrangements are complete for the national contribution of one Boy Scout to Canada's coronation celebration, a coast-to-coast chain of old-time beacons, Dominion headquarters of the Boy Scouts Association said today.

The first of these beacons will flare at nightfall on Atlantic coastal headlands and travelling with the dusk will flame across the Dominion, skirting the St. Lawrence and the Great Lakes to the Lakehead at Fort William, and from Winnipeg across the prairies in 50 mile jumps to the Rockies and through to the Pacific.

Suitable patriotic ceremonies will precede the lighting of the beacons. In many cases this will include a torchlight procession, the burning of military flares and the firing of a royal salute of 21 rockets in special Boy Scout colors. In numbers of communities the torchlight parade to the Scout beacon will be headed by town officials, with bands.

Where possible the beacons are being lighted at historic points. At Saint John the fires will burn at old Fort Howe, Martello Hill and Anthony's Cove. The first Gaspeian Scout Troop will light their fire on the tip of Gaspe and the answering flare of Quebec Scouts will burn at Cap Diamant.

### Badly Injured In Cave - in

FREDERICTON, N.B., May 7—(CP)—Ralph Scott, South Devon, suffered a broken back and a fractured leg here today when he was buried by a cave-in.

Scott was working on the excavation for a new school building when the bank broke away burying him. Doctors who attended him said he had a good chance for recovery.

### Capt. Hatfield Loses Fight Against His Extradition

OTTAWA, May 7—Rejected by the highest United States court in his fight against extradition, Captain Freeman Hatfield, veteran Nova Scotia airfield skipper, will be brought back from Manchester, N. H., in a few days to face charges of theft arising from the "Gypsum Queen" reparations claim.

### Plan Picketing On Nation-wide Scale

HOLLYWOOD, May 7—(AP)—Charles Lessing, Union chieftain, announced tonight 1,000,000 persons would begin picketing motion picture theatres on a nation-wide scale Monday. It will be concentrated on major cities, he said.

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