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CANADIAN PATROL BOAT CAPTURES U. S. POACHER

(Canadian Press) VANCOUVER, B. C., April 25.—The United States fishing schooner Salmon of Seattle suspected of poaching in Salamatra Bay on the west coast of Vancouver Island was captured last night by the Canadian Fisheries patrol boat Malaspina after the schooner was struck by a broadside from the patrol boat and had been scuttled by the fleeing crew who left one wounded man behind. The remainder of the crew succeeded in escaping inland on Vancouver Island and are being pursued by federal and provincial police. The Salmon is said to have fled when the patrol appeared and after a chase of a mile the patrol boat sent a volley through the cabin of the schooner. It is believed to be the first time that a Canadian patrol boat has fired on a United States craft in Canadian waters.

Grain Shipments From St. John N. B. Total 15,006,000

(Canadian Press) ST. JOHN, N. B., April 25.—Grain shipments from the Canadian Pacific elevators here to date this season total 15,006,000. There are 385,000 bushels remaining for shipment.

Carter Report Being Audited

(Canadian Press) SYDNEY, April 25.—Two bank officials from the local branches of the Bank of Montreal and Canadian Bank of Commerce, C. T. Morrisey and H. W. Peacock respectively began this morning an audit of the city books to check the Carter report and discover if possible the nature of a few thousand dollar shortage reported in that document.

Toronto Committee Press for Union

(Canadian Press) TORONTO, Ont., April 25.—By a vote of 20 to 11 the Presbyterian Church Union Committee with delegates from all parts of Canada today resolved to press the proposed bill for union with Methodists and Congregationalists before the coming general assembly.

MARSHAL FRENCH SISTER IS ON A HUNGER STRIKE

LONDON, April 25.—A despatch to the Times from Dublin says that Mrs. Charlotte Despard, the sister of Field Marshal French, has been on a hunger strike at the Kilmalham jail since five o'clock Thursday afternoon in protest against the imprisonment of Mrs. Maud Conne MacBride and three other women who recently were arrested while arranging a poster parade in connection with the hunger strike of four Republican prisoners.

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Rush Continues to Gold Fields In Labrador

(Canadian Press) DANE, Ontario, April 25.—Information coming out by mail from prospectors in the gold fields of north western Quebec and brought by the so-called "Mocasin wireless" this season shows that the rush has not abated and that the movement is generally toward the east. Prospectors have been coming in fully prepared for the past six weeks at the rate of eight to ten daily, according to a letter from a prospector.

Belgium Floating Billion Franc Loan

(Canadian Press) BRUSSELS, April 25.—Belgium is floating a loan of one billion francs proceeds of which are to be applied to reconstruction of damage caused by the war. The nations note circulation is now nearly seven billion francs.

Bad Weather for Royal Wedding

(Canadian Press) LONDON, April 25.—Sudden skies and chill winds in London overshadow the elaborate plans for tomorrow's brilliant function when the Duke of York marries Lady Elizabeth Bowes Lyons at Westminster Abbey. The weather bureau holds out scant hope that the sun will shine on the ceremony.

Unveiling Ceremony Takes Place Today

This morning at 11 o'clock an interesting ceremony will take place in the Provincial Building when a beautiful bronze tablet erected by the Women's Auxiliary of the B. I. Artillery will be unveiled to the memory of the Island Artillerymen who served in the war. The tablet faces the main stairway landing and will be a decided decorative feature to the building. His Honor the Lieutenant Governor, Rev. J. S. Bonnell and others speakers will take part. The members of the Legislature will attend in a body and an invitation is extended to all returned men, the clergy and everyone interested.

Russians Deny They Tortured Patriarch

(Special to The Guardian) LONDON, April 25.—Denial of a report from Riga that the Russian trade delegation here, they contacted also that he called on the populace to revolt and had blessed Ant. Ked and General Denikine Koltchak.

Lady Elizabeth To Ride To Abbey In Royal Coach

LONDON, April 26.—It is necessary to go back more than 650 years in the records of Westminster to find a parallel to the ceremony which will take place today when the Duke of York is married to Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon. The last time a son of a reigning king married a commoner in the abbey was in 1269 when Edgmond Grouchback was wedded to Aveline of Lancaster, daughter of the Duke of Aquitaine.

Exchange Rates

Noon exchange cables in New York, April 25:

Sterling	4.66 4/8 cents
French Franc	6.67 "
Italian Lira	4.93 "
German Mark	20.60 "
Canada	98.31 1/2 "
Argentine Gold Peso	85.94 "
Japanese Yen	48.90 "
Indian Rupee	31.48 "

WHEAT FROM CANADA WILL GO TO STATES

LOS ANGELES, Calif., April 25.—The time will come when the United States will buy its wheat from Canada, according to Joseph I. Brittain, American Consul-General at Winnipeg, on visiting in Los Angeles. "I believe Canada is the greatest wheat producing country on earth," he said. "Our commercial relations are close and profitable. We have the consumers and Canada, for years to come, will be producing food stuffs in large quantities. The United States and Canada offer a shining example to Europe of peace and harmony between two peoples lasting more than 100 years. This condition prevails along a boundary line of 3,600 miles long. The Canadians are an splendid, progressive people."

H. R. H. THE DUKE OF YORK MARRIES EARL'S DAUGHTER TODAY

The Happy Event in the Royal Family Takes Place in London With Unusual Demonstrations of Loyalty and Rejoicing on the Part of the Whole of the British Empire.

Prince Edward Island, which bears a distinguished royal name, joins heartily today in the rejoicings over the celebration of the marriage of H. R. H. the Duke of York, second son of His Majesty King George Fifth, to Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, daughter of the Earl of Strathmore, which takes place at 11 o'clock this morning in Westminster Abbey. This is equivalent to 8.30 our time, when our city bells will ring and the various horns and signals will make a joyful noise.

"All the world loves a lover" and all the British Empire, including the Garden of the Gulf, is more than pleased to join in congratulating Their Majesties and the royal bride and bridegroom on the happy event of today. (Special to The Guardian.)

LONDON, April 25.—Three processions will march down the ancient aisles of Westminster Abbey at the wedding of the Duke of York and Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon. The first will be that of the Royal Family, led by the King and Queen, followed by Queen Alexandra, escorted by the Duke of Connaught. The principal clergy for the ceremony, garbed in their most resplendent robes, will then proceed to their places. After a pause the solemn profession will follow, led by the choir, in the presence of the King and Queen and Queen-Mother seated upon three golden thrones. Facing them from the north side will be the parents of the bride, the Earl and Countess of Strathmore and King Horne.

THE WORLD'S LATEST NEWS SUMMARIZED IN BRIEF

(BY OUR OWN WIRELESS.)

NEW YORK, April 25.—General strikes of American seamen affiliated with men on ships in New York Harbor is called by officials of organization who say 3,000 workers will be affected.

NEW YORK, April 25.—Bell Brothers Inc., and Sals & Company department stores corporations announce in joint statement their consolidation.

NEW YORK, April 25.—McKey Walker, welterweight champion has been restored to good standing in New York and New Jersey.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Six patrol boats of the Bureau of Fisheries have been directed by executive order of President Harding to patrol the waters of the North Pacific frequented by the fur seal, and sea otter.

BOSTON, April 25.—The recall of George Harvey, Ambassador to Great Britain would be called for under a resolution to President Harding proposed in the legislature today by representative Kelley of Boston, because the resolution claimed that the Ambassador boasts more of English ancestry than of his American.

LONDON, April 25.—Hairs of the American government which will defend the Walker cup at St. Andrews have been entered for the St. Georges cup competition to take place on the Royal St. George's course at Sandwiche May 2 and 3.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Orders of the Inter-State Commerce Commission requiring railroads to sell railway mileage books at twenty per cent reduction on regular rate on May 15 were revoked today and the effective date of the mileage books sale postponed until January 9, 1924.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—About \$40,000,000 of the amount granted was appropriate by Congress over the protest of the Bureau for Improvement of Rivers and Harbors already has been allotted by Secretary Weeks and the remainder will be distributed amongst various projects later.

DUBLIN, April 25.—Richard Hatway, James McCreary and John Greaney were executed here today by the Free State authorities. Hatway who was a deserter from a British regiment was captured recently.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—More latitude for district managers less than doubled efforts in rehabilitation work will result from the conference of regional officers in progress at the Seaman's Bureau, director Hines said.

CATHOLICS FORM MOST NUMEROUS RELIGIOUS GROUP

OTTAWA, April 25.—Of the 8,788,463 people residing in Canada at the sixth census on June 1, 1921, less than one-half of one per cent, could be classified as having no religious belief or idea, according to Bulletin No. 12, just issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. Of that total, 8,752,516 belonging to some Christian denomination or sect and 173,143, or 1.9 per cent as non-Christian. Included in the latter are 125,190 Jews, 40,727 Oriental religions and 7,226 pagans leaving less than one-half of one per cent, otherwise reported. The main religious divisions in New Brunswick follow: Anglicans 47,020; Baptists, 66,254; Methodists, 24,572; Presbyterians, 21,211; Roman Catholics, 170,319. Comparative percentages showing the increase or decrease in the various religions and denominations made the largest gain, while the Methodists, Baptists and Congregationalists showed losses from the census of 1911, a period of ten years. The following ratio percentages of the denominations to total population in 1911 and 1921, respectively, follow: Anglicans, 14.47 and 16.02; Baptists, 5.31 and 4.80; Congregationalists, 4.7 and 3.5; Methodists, 14.98 and 12.18; Presbyterians, 15.48 and 16.03; Roman Catholics, 29.31 and 33.30.

Home Study Condemned by Windsor Board

(Canadian Press) WINDSOR, Ont., April 25.—Abolition of home-work system in public schools was ordered last night by the Windsor Board of Education after one trustee attacked the system as cruel and obsolete. Members of the Board took a stand that no home work be given pupils unless parents consented.

Turks And Allies Fail to Agree on Major Questions

(Special to The Guardian.) LAUSANNE, April 25.—The Allies and Turks were unable to agree on any of the major questions before the economic commission at the peace conference today. All the questions were finally referred to a committee of experts who will attempt to work out a solution in accord with the demands of both sides. It is declared that Turkey no longer is ready to recognize the granting to certain classes of foreigners the rights of political subjects.

Irish Irregulars Were Executed

(Canadian Press) TRALEGG, Ireland, April 25.—Three Irregulars were executed this morning by the Free State government. They were James McCreary, John Greaney, and Richard Hatway, the latter formerly a deserter from the British army, was captured hidden in a cave in the Kerry Cliffs.

Revolvers For Irish Citizens

(Canadian Press) LONDON, April 25.—Dublin despatches say that the Free State government is to issue revolvers and ammunition to well disposed citizens that they may protect themselves from robbery and violence now prevalent on public highways.

British Member Urges Tax on Titles

(Special to The Guardian.) LONDON, April 25.—Chancellor Baldwin announced that stamps taxes surrounding the proceedings when an Englishman becomes a duke would cost him \$3,400; a baronet's would be close to fifteen hundred dollars. He was replying to a member who urged the taxing of titles.

BILL TO PROVIDE A HEAVY PENALTY ON DRUG TRAFFIC

OTTAWA, April 25.—Canada, through its government, has declared uncompromising warfare against the illicit trafficking in drugs. A House of Commons motion gave third reading to Hon. Dr. Beland's bill to prohibit the improper use of opium and other drugs and for the second year in succession, Parliament has forwarded to the Senate a measure under whose terms the accused person is denied the traditional right of appeal. This particular clause was last year passed by the lower House and rejected by the Upper Chamber. Strong opposition to removal of the right of appeal, the Ontario Temperance Act and the corresponding acts of other provinces were cited as instances of parallel legislation which had led to grave abuses of power and to gross injustices to innocent citizens. Hon. Dr. Manion, Conservative, Port William; Hon. J. R. M. Haxter, Conservative, St. John and L. H. Massey, Liberal, Hants, vigorously upheld the principle of appeal but the House while sympathizing in a broad sense with their plea, hardened its heart toward the traffickers in drugs. The determination of the Government to take ruthless measures was uncompromisingly expressed by the minister and by Hon. E. M. Macdonald, who has been occupying the seat lately vacated by the Solicitor-General. So far as the drug menace was concerned, he said, he was convinced that the government "must act as if Canada were under martial law." (Applause.) He would admit, he said, that in respect of prohibition legislation the rights of certiorari had been taken from the subject in almost every province of the Dominion, with probable consequent injustices but "this species of crime"—the drug

SPECIAL RAILWAY FREIGHT RATES FOR P. E. I.

(Canadian Press) OTTAWA, April 25.—All that the new tariff will be published next week. Coal and fertilizers products have between Prince Edward Island and the mainland at the same rates as on the mainland and commodity tariffs, applicable to the same points on the island are stated to be on the same basis as on the mainland. Extension of commodity rates to the further list of farm products comes as a result of a lengthy series of representations by Prince Edward Island members in Parliament who took the matter up with the Canadian National Management and Railway Commission. Publication of new tariffs brings or on a lower basis than on the building materials, lumber and other forest products, livestock, high explosives, co-operate stocks, hay and straw, grain and grain products, potatoes and scrap iron, under commodity rates has been delayed owing to reorganization of the Canadian National Railway Traffic Department. Information today however, is in session.

PENSIONS COMMISSION ADVOCATES ABOLITION OF JOINT BOARD

(Canadian Press) OTTAWA, April 25.—What was generally regarded as a bombshell in the Pension Act rose for the day. J. Patton, Secretary of the Board of Pension Commissioners read a statement on behalf of the board in which the Board practically asks for the abolition of the system by which the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment and Pensions Board work together and advocated a return to the system in use before the middle of 1921, when these two departments functioned as separate units.

Big Profits But a Deficit

(Canadian Press) HAMILTON, Ont., April 25.—At the annual meeting of the Steel Company of Canada at its head office here today, the directors were all re-elected. The manufacturing profits for the year were shown as \$1,962,269 and interest and income from securities and investments were \$293,000. The dividends on preferred shares at seven per cent were \$64,000 and on ordinary shares \$805,000, making a deficit of \$356,000.

Birchdale Available For Womens Conventions

(Canadian Press) HALIFAX, N. S., April 25.—This year for the first time in the history of the National Council of women conventions visiting delegates will all be housed under one roof. The governors of Dalhousie University have placed on the shores of the North-west Arm at the disposal of the Council for the period of convention which will be from June 20 to 27th.

Progressive Wins Moosejaw Election

(Canadian Press) MOOSEJAW, April 25.—E. N. Hopkins, Progressive, placed the Moosejaw constituency in the hands of the Progressive party by election by a majority of 1598 according to an official count conducted yesterday by T. Carmichael.

OH GEE - DID YOU EVER FEEL SO GOOD YOU FELT BAD!



OTTAWA, April 25.—"Every tub should stand on its own bottom and every retailer on his own feet. The retailer should not be upheld by adventitious aid; that is the great objection of price-fixing," declared A. R. McMaster, chairman of the special agricultural conditions committee of the Canadian Star Company, Cardinal, Ont., a witness before the commission tonight. Mr. Benson, after giving his evidence as to distribution costs under the present system, had asked for the point of view of the committee. "There are many manufacturers," continued Mr. McMaster, "who fix the price at which the retailer must sell their product to his customers. Sometimes these fixed prices give considerably more than a fair margin of profit on what they buy the goods for from the wholesaler. Such a system makes the retailer a mere clerk handling the manufacturer's goods on a fixed margin." traffic—would permit of no middle measures. Experience had shown that appeals, for the most part, were taken merely to gain time.

TORONTO, April 26.—Maritime north winds, clearing with little higher temperature. The temperature during Tuesday night was 32 above zero; at 9 a.m. yesterday 36 above and at 3 p.m. last night 33 above zero. Full moon Monday April 30th. High tide this morning at 7:30 and tonight at 7:44. Sun sets this evening at 7:02 5:30 p.m. S'ide tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.