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MANY DEATHS IN SOUTHERN TORNADO

Storm Sweeps Through Georgia Taking Toll of One Hundred Lives.

(Canadian Press)
ATLANTA, Ga., April 26.—Out of tornados which swept Georgia and South Carolina today came reports of more than 100 dead and many injured as communication systems were restored in part. The actual toll of dead is not known but it is fairly certain that 71 in Georgia and South Carolina have perished and six in Ohio. Unconfirmed reports from Candler and Bullock counties, Central Georgia, estimated more than 50 dead, mostly negroes. At Statesboro, Ga., a telephone operator reports 41 dead, and more than 100 critically injured. The total of injured may run to 1,000, as reports are gradually made.

The twisters struck South Central Georgia late yesterday afternoon, rising out of the west. High windstorms recurred at several communities several hours later, taking an additional toll of dead and injured. The series of storms moved from the same general direction later to strike near Sparta, S. C., and smaller communities in the northwestern section of that state. Relief crews of doctors, nurses and workmen moved to the stricken area by automobile and by horse and in many instances on foot where roads became impassable because of fallen trees and debris. Drug stores, railroad stations and private homes were transformed into temporary hospitals. At Metter, Cochran and Dexter, Ga., more than 200 injured were treated in the improvised first aid stations.

League's Police

(Canadian Press)
GENEVA, April 26.—Although the League of Nations has not yet been able to raise an army of its own, it will soon be the proud possessor of an imposing police force of six Swiss gendarmes. The force, which will be commanded by a brigadier, of Gendarmerie, is to have its headquarters in the annex of the secretariat, in which the typists "pool" is situated. For important occasions such as the general assembly, when the authorities have to provide protection for more than 100 leading statesmen of Europe, the league's gendarmes will be strongly reinforced by drafts from the local police.

ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC.

- *Reserve July 17 for St. Peter's Horse Races. 8095-4-9-27
- *Dr. Cliff, M. D.—Start now home prevention cure. Purdy Station, Westchester Co., N. Y., U. S. A. 5079-6-12-3 mos.
- *Club loading hogs and calves at Hazelbrook, Wednesday, May 1st, till 10.30. W. T. Coady, Secretary. 3468-4-27-21
- *Buying hogs at Emerald Tuesday forenoon, April 30th. Ernest Haslam. 3449-4-27-21.
- *Special general meeting Ladies Aid of Protestant Orphanage, Monday, April 29th at 158 Prince Street at 3 o'clock. 3471-4-27-11
- *Reserve Friday, May 3rd for play at North River. 3429-4-26-21.
- *Club loading hogs and calves at Murray River, April 30th, afternoon. Meeting April 27th, 7.30 p. m. 3428-4-26-31.
- *Stanley Bridge Dramatic Club will present their three act comedy drama, "The Three Pigs," in Stanley Hall Thursday evening, May 2nd. If not fine, Friday evening, 3434-4-26-61
- *Buying live hogs at Kensington Tuesday forenoon of each week. Alden Moase. 4957-3-satmont.
- *Kensington T. S. S. Club loading hogs Wednesday of each week up till noon, John A. Douglas, Secretary. 7042-3-16-satmont.

Self-Government in India Should be Given Trial

(Special to the Guardian)

BOMBAY, April 26.—The Associated Chambers of Commerce, who claim to represent the greater part of the £1,000,000,000 of British capital which is supposed to be invested in India, recommended in a memorandum to the Simon commission that in order that there may be no ground for the suggestion that Great Britain has not honored her pledge of August, 1917, self-government in India should be given more than a fair trial.

The chambers therefore recommend a scheme for granting the provinces constitutions varying up to full responsible autonomy. If this is granted, however, they express the opinion that the following safeguards must be provided: first, the position of the government of India towards the legislative assembly must be strengthened. Second, the central government must be given powers of intervention in the event of a breakdown of the government in any province. Third, provincial second chambers should be set up. Fourth, adequate safeguards should be provided for the administration of the police. Fifth, a clause should be inserted in the new government of India act forbidding discrimination against industrial or commercial interests in legislation or taxation.

Youths Arrested

(Canadian Press)

TORONTO, April 26.—Picked up on suspicion on Greenwood Ave. while carrying suit cases, two youths were arrested by Sgt. Grinnell and P.C. Hill 6196 Pape Avenue Station, who were out scouring the district in the police car. When brought to the station they admitted they were the two young men who attempted to hold up the dominion bank, Lakeshore highway, New Toronto, yesterday noon, and were driven out of the bank by one of the tellers, who fired at them. In their suitcases they had two black waterproofs and were brought to police headquarters. They gave their names as Harold Lee, 17, and Russell Lee, 15, brothers, who came from Lindsay, Ont.

MONCTON, April 26.—Engineers were busy laying out the airport this morning and equipment was being brought to the property. Workmen were on hand also and commenced the first work towards making the field "safe for aeroplanes." The ground is quite dry and within a few days a great deal of activity will be centered around the port.

There's Still Plenty of Parking Space on Easy Street

TORONTO, April 26.—Maritime, fresh westerly winds, fair, not much change in temperature.
Toronto, clear 50-44
Montreal, cloudy 48-40
Quebec, cloudy 46-38
Chattown, cloudy 50-40
Halifax, cloudy 58-33
St. John, fog 50-42
Boston, fair 60-56
New York, clear 62-58
High tide this afternoon at 12.31 and tomorrow morning at 1.55.
Sun sets this evening at 7.03 and rises tomorrow morning at 4.50.
Last quarter moon Wednesday, May 1st, 9.02 p. m.

ORATORICAL CONTESTS ARE SUPPORTED

By Community Organizations in Many Provinces, Who Aid Provincial Champions in Going to Toronto.

A great deal is rightly said on platform and in the press nowadays about the rising generation and the future of our country. The acid test of sincerity in all such propaganda is the answer to the question, what are we doing to help matters along? Actions invariably speak louder than words. Those who speak with conviction, and most effectively, are those who precede or follow their propaganda with tangible efforts.

Endeavour is being made by a Central Committee in various countries including Canada, to widen the vision and extend the knowledge of the rising generation. For this purpose have been organized the International Oratorical Contests in which this Province is taking an active part. What support is the movement receiving here compared with other Provinces? It is safe to say that as much enthusiasm has been aroused here as elsewhere. Something more than enthusiasm of course is required to prove that we have the best interests in this particular respect of the rising generation at heart. It is not only necessary for the principals in our larger schools to encourage their students, and to persuade them to cultivate the art best fitted to display their learning and to make them useful to their fellow men; but it is also desirable that community organizations should directly interest themselves in the contests and in the contestants.

In other Provinces such organizations have "fathered" and "mothered" the district and provincial champions. They have banqueted them, provided them with outfits, gifts, and other things necessary to make their public appearance as orators a success. Here the District and Provincial Contests are not such important events as in the larger provinces where thousands crowd to hear the rising orators, and where everything is carried out as at a state function. It is different however, when our candidate goes to the Dominion Contest at Toronto on May 15th. There our representative in dress and equipment as well as oratory must be on a par with the other candidates, otherwise he, or she will start with a heavy handicap. On the platform in the Arena at Toronto, everybody, including the contestants, wear evening dress.

Here is where the good service of the Rotary and Gyro Clubs and Women's Institutes in other provinces come in. They have made their influence felt by entertaining the winner and providing the wherewithal to help to make it easier for him or her to carry off the palm of victory at Toronto. This is community service of a high order, and shows an active appreciation of the efforts being made to help the rising generation generally.

The Provincial finals will be held in Zion Church Hall, Charlottetown on Friday May 3rd, at 8 p. m., and the Dominion Championship Contest will take place at Toronto on May 15th.

New Trade Policy

(Canadian Press)

TORONTO, Ont., April 26.—A new policy of Canadian trade extension in the United States has resulted in the establishment of trade officials in Chicago and San Francisco, said Robert S. O'Meara, who has been appointed Canadian trade commissioner in Chicago office today. The territory under the supervision of Mr. O'Meara will include all the states west of the Alleghenies to the Dakotas and as far south as Texas. "Over fifteen percent of the imports and 35 percent of the exports of the United States came from that section last year," said Mr. O'Meara.

Wedded Secretly In Toronto



Henry L. Donerty, one of the United States' wealthiest bachelors, and his bride, former Mrs. Percy Frank Eames, the announcement last week of whose marriage came as a distinct surprise to their friends. The pair were married secretly in Toronto last December by Rev. Canon Skey. The photograph here shows the bride and groom on the board walk a day or two ago at Atlantic City.

Official Opening Of Rosary Hall

There was a large attendance at the opening of the new Rosary Hall last evening, about two hundred ladies being present all of whom were greatly pleased with the splendid rooms to be occupied in the future by the Catholic Women's League.

The President, Mrs. McIntyre, gave a brief address, explaining the aims and objects of the organization, the scope of its national work, and the work being done by the local sub division.

The meeting was opened with prayer by the Rev. Chaplain, Monsignor Maurice McDonald, and the singing of O Canada.

A very pleasing concert programme was presented by the following artists: Piano solo Miss Mary Maddigan; Soprano Solo, Miss Kathleen Hughes; Violin Solo, Mr. Alfred McKearney; Vocal Solo, Mr. Victor Coyle; Song, Mrs. J. A. McDonald; Reading, Mrs. Frank Murray; Vocal Solo, Mrs. J. J. Trainor; Song, Mr. Frank McDonald; Soprano Solo, Miss Lucy Blanchard.

Brief remarks were made by Rt. Rev. Monsignor Maurice McDonald, Chaplain of the local sub division, Rev. A. J. McIntyre, and Rev. Dr. Bernard Gillis, who spoke in glowing terms of the splendid entertainment and the bright and commodious hall in which the C. W. L. is now lodged, and wished the ladies success in their future undertakings.

The programme closed with the National Anthem, after which those present spent a while in social intercourse.

The next social affair of the C. W. L. will be a Bridge which they will give in their rooms next Friday night May 3rd.

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., April 26.—Quadruplets, three boys and a girl, were born here yesterday to Mrs. Veto Nauros, 37 years old. One of the boys died shortly after birth but the other three babies and the mother were reported to be doing well. The Nauros have three other children. The father is a bootblack.

Contribution To Lord Mayor's Fund

(Canadian Press)

LONDON, April 26.—The lord mayor tonight announced that he had received \$2,577 from American citizens of Welsh descent in Racine, Wisconsin for the benefit of unemployed Welsh miners and their families. This swells the lord mayor's fund to \$4-105,000. In sending the gift Racine citizens wrote: "May those in authority in Great Britain soon be able to develop and put into operation a plan that will effectually cure unemployment. And may the government of our beloved United States and the government of our ever dear old mother country clasp hands and diligently labor together in abolishing war and furthering the cause of world peace."

I'm Alone Case To Be Submitted To Arbitration

(Canadian Press)

OTTAWA, Ont., April 26.—The government of the United States has made and the government of Canada has accepted an offer to submit points of difference with respect to the sinking of the Canadian schooner I'm Alone to arbitration. This is the outstanding feature of correspondence exchanged between the two governments which was tabled in the House of Commons, just before adjournment tonight, by Right Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, Premier of Canada. The correspondence is comprised in four "notes" the shortest of which covers nearly three and the longest approximately seventeen typewritten pages. The Canadian notes bear the signatures of Hon. Vincent Massey, Canadian minister to Washington. The communication from the United States in which the case is stated from the point of view of that country is signed by Henry L. Stimson, the new secretary of state.

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The correspondence indicates that there are important rules of difference between the two governments with respect not only to questions of fact but also as to international law.

One of the important differences of fact bears in the distance of the I'm Alone from shore when the United States coastguard vessel Wolcott first approached and ordered her to heave to. Importance attaches to this because of the provisions of the 1924 "rum running" treaty permits search and seizure of British and Canadian vessels only within the distance of one hour sailing from the shore. The master of the I'm Alone contends that he was outside this limit. The view of the United States government is that he was within this limit and therefore subject to search and seizure.

Again the Canadian government takes the position that the action of the United States coastguard cannot be justified on the ground of "hot and continuous pursuit", while recognizing that there is such a ground, the Canadian note points out that "the pursuit did not begin within the territorial three mile limit, which is an essential factor."

The United States government on the other hand justify the action of the coastguard on this ground also. If the arrest would have been valid when the vessel was first hailed, but was made impossible through the illegal action of the pursued vessel in failing to stop when ordered to do so then hot pursuit is justified and the locus of the arrest and the distance of the pursuit are immaterial, the note states. This statement is subject to the provisions in the first place that the pursuit and arrest are without the waters of any other state and that the pursuit has been hot and continuous.

The house contains 14 bed-rooms, five reception-rooms, a ball-room, and a library.

There are only six residents in Carlton Gardens, the others being the Duke of Devonshire, Lord Tredegar, Lord Bearsted, Sir Richard Cooper, and A. C. Bossom. It is expected Lord Balfour will live in future mainly at Wittingham, his seat in East Lothian.

Mrs. James Morell, of Bournemouth England, celebrated her 102th birthday recently by attending the movies.

HEARINGS ADJOURNED

(Canadian Press)

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 26.—Charles Evans Hughes special master in the Lake Michigan diversion hearings, today adjourned the hearings until fall, after denying a motion by the complaint of the Great Lake states that the diversion by the Chicago sanitary district be limited to 7,500 feet per second until final judgment.

FLAT REFUSAL TO SUPPLY INFORMATION

Premier Tarty Says "I Won't" When Asked To Furnish Facts Re School Supply Appointment. Interesting Discussion On Government Dismissals, Legislative Grants, Provincial Building, Etc.

ed in his stead.
Provincial Legislature, April 17th, House in Committee on the estimates. (Continued from yesterday's Guardian.)

Executive Council Costs
Mr. Stewart: Will my hon. friend explain the basis on which the mileage is paid to Executive Council members?

Premier Saunders: Ten cents a mile the same as they have always been paid.

Mr. Arsenault: Last year you only expended \$542. Why have you increased the estimate by over \$100?

Premier Saunders: There was \$85 that was carried over to pay this year. They didn't have sufficient money. The estimate of the meetings is anywhere from \$45 to \$50 for mileage. That is as fair an estimate as we can give you. We try to meet once a month anyway, sometimes a little oftener.

Mr. MacMillan: You have a very expensive executive.

Premier Saunders: Exactly the same as before, only we meet a little oftener than you did.

Mr. Stewart: You are not showing more results for it.

Dr. MacMillan: In fact, it is costing twice as much as it was two years ago.

Premier Saunders: If you people were sleeping on the job we can't help it.

Dr. MacMillan: You certainly pay yourselves well. You let the teachers go but you don't forget yourselves.

Premier Saunders: We don't go to sleep on the job.

Mr. Stewart: You might just as well be asleep as be day-dreaming. (Applause.)

Premier Saunders: Our members may be living farther from the city.

Mr. Stewart: But it wouldn't double the cost, surely.

Premier Saunders: Well, I am telling you that you people made it just the same as we did.

Mr. Stewart: I know you are telling me!

The item was passed.

Department of Education, \$101,525

Dr. MacMillan: I do not notice an item here which properly should be under Education. Will the Premier tell us when the Educational Commission will be appointed?

Premier Saunders: I might say, for the information of my hon. friend, that I think it will be some time in the month of July or August.

Dr. MacMillan: I asked for some information a little while ago with respect to Joseph F. Doyle, and you suggested that it stand over until we came to the educational estimates. Is Mr. Doyle now an inspector?

Premier Saunders: No, he is superannuated.

Dr. MacMillan: Was he dismissed?

Premier Saunders: (After a lengthy pause, during which he interviewed Mr. H. H. Shaw and several members of the Executive): He was dismissed!

Dr. MacMillan: Why was he dismissed? Was he not one of the most capable inspectors in the Province, and one who had given great service to education?

Premier Saunders: No, I don't agree with that at all. He was a man, and he was unable to get around to inspect his schools as we felt a younger man would do. A man of seventy years of age! It is pretty near time he was retired.

Hon. Mr. Stewart: Did he get a pension?

Premier Saunders: He got a pension, yes.

Mr. Stewart: As a school teacher?

Premier Saunders: Yes.

Dr. MacMillan: Who was appointed

Mr. Stewart: I notice in the Public Accounts of 1928, page 7, Classification of Expenditure, part 3, a credit item, "Less payment from Technical Grant, \$14,866.95." If the leader of the Government will turn to page 152, Appendix 8, Department of Agriculture, he will find that the total amount there received from the technical grant was \$18,009. Those are two independent credits of amounts received from the technical grant apparently for two different departments. One would suppose from reading this report that the total amount received from the technical grant was \$18,009 plus \$14,866. What I am coming to is this: I made enquiry when I was at the meeting of the Agricultural Committee, and after a good deal of research we ascertained that the \$14,866 is apparently included in the \$18,009. It is part of the same amount, although it appears here as two independent credits in two separate departments of the public service. My information is that \$18,866 is the total amount of the grant for all purposes received from Ottawa. But you can see the misleading way in which this item appears. If it is for agricultural education, then it should appear in the agricultural items and should be left out of the educational department. If, on the other hand, you are going to divide it up, it should be properly apportioned between the two departments. An ordinary person, without special knowledge of the facts, would be quite misled as to the amount of the grant.

Mr. Stewart: We have followed the same method. I think that what you say is perfectly true, but it is the same system.

Mr. Stewart: No, this is the first year that the school inspectors were paid out of this grant. This is something new, and I submit that for the sake of clarifying the accounts, one course or the other should be followed. I know it appeared to me as though you were out \$18,000 in your accounts until I got the explanation.

Premier Saunders: I think that is perfectly right.

(To be continued)

Jewel Robbery

(Canadian Press)

LONDON, April 26.—A quarter of a million dollar jewel-robbery, one of the biggest and most sensational in Great Britain, was reported to Scotland Yard today. Detectives of the famous yard were of the belief that an international crook was responsible. It was known that fingerprint clues were in possession and that a search was being made internationally for a man believed to be the head of a gang working in the continent and in Great Britain. The jewels were stolen from the suite of Anton Jurgens, a millionaire in a Southend hotel.

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