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## Head-On Train Crash Kills Two

### Two Freights Of The Boston And Maine Railway Tele- scope — Many Injured.

WANTLAND, Mass., Aug. 3.—Two freight trains, traveling in opposite directions on a single trackline of the Boston and Maine railway, collided head-on on a curve in Wantland today, killing the engineer of one train and injuring other trainmen.

Four other injured trainmen were taken to a hospital in Holden.

Railroad officials were unable to explain the accident, and at once began an investigation to establish the cause.

The accident occurred just before two p. m. Eastern Daylight time on the Central Massachusetts branch of the railroad. Passenger service recently was discontinued on that part of the line.

## Treaty Between Cuba And Can. Under Study

HAVANA, Aug. 3.—(A.P.)—A commercial treaty between Cuba and Canada is under study, according to the magazine Cuba Importadora Industrial. Volume and value of trade between the two nations declined steadily in recent years, figures prepared by the magazine show.

Imports totalling \$6,819,148 and exports of \$6,445,823 in 1926 have declined to imports of \$1,881,746 and exports of \$888,619, in 1931.

## Catholic Bishop Passes Away

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Aug. 3.—The Rev. Daniel Joseph Curley, bishop of the Roman Catholic diocese of central New York, comprising the counties of Madison, Oswego, Oneida, Madison, Broome, Chenango and Cortland, died tonight at 6:55 o'clock at his episcopal residence here of heart disease.

## Laid To Rest

TORONTO, Aug. 3.—(By the Canadian Press)—Hon. John F. G. B. Justice of the Appeal Court of the Supreme Court of Ontario, who died Monday, was buried today in Mount Pleasant cemetery.

Members of the Anglican Church of the Bar attended the funeral service held at his home, among them, Sir William Mulock, Chief Justice of Ontario and Chief Justice F. R. Latchford.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC

Show and Dance Morell, Monday, 4765-8-3-31.

Forest Hill, Show and Dance, 4783-8-4-31.

Seven Mile Bay "Tea" Wednesday, Aug. 10, 4770-8-3-31.

Come to St. Anthony's Church for a "Tea" on Tuesday, August 9, 4757-8-3-31.

Dance with Orchestra tonight at Welcome Inn, Brackley, 4778-8-4-11.

Come to the dance at Stanley Hall Friday night, August 5, 4749-8-2-21.

Movie, See "First Auto." Riot comedy, Howitt's Hall tonight, Monday, Murray River Saturday, 4787-8-4-11.

Don't miss the Dance in Emerald Hall on Friday, August 5th, 4757-8-3-31.

Hamilton Orchestra in attendance at dance on 9 p. m. to 11 p. m., Monday, 4733-8-2-41.

New Bus Service from Murray Harbor North via Gasperaux, over Montague and Montague to Charlottetown. Starting Monday August 6th, 4761-8-4-31.

Come to the Lawn Party and dance at Aton Hall Thursday August 4th, if not fine Friday, 4767-8-3-31.

The District Convention of McDonald, Waterville, Glenora, Mt. Allison and Hamlet Women's Institutes to be held in Mt. Allison Thursday August 4th. Opening at 8 o'clock. Everybody welcome. 8 o'clock, Evening Session.

## FALLACIOUS ARGUMENT RE EMBARGO

### Ottawa Officials Dis- appointed At At- titude Of Empire Farmers' Party Spokesman.

OTTAWA, Aug. 3.—(By the Canadian Press)—Officials of the Department of Agriculture read with considerable disappointment the expressions of opinion of D. Crawford, member of the touring Empire Farmers' party, quoted in a despatch today from Montreal, on the subject of the British embargo on Canadian potatoes. Mr. Crawford was quoted as having declared that what the party saw in their tour of Canada had strengthened their opposition to raising the embargo.

In 1926 the British Government placed an embargo on importations of Canadian potatoes because the Canadian plants were infested with the "Colorado beetle," the common potato bug. Repeated efforts by Canadian authorities have failed to secure a lifting of this embargo, in spite of the evidence presented to prove that the beetle does

not exist in Canada.

Other officers include the following: Col. E. W. Roscoe, D.S.O., K.C., Kenilville, Vice-president; J. A. T. Croft, M.C., Halifax, Honorary Treasurer; Roy I. Balcom, Halifax, Auditor.

Executive—Cape Breton, James Guest, A. K. MacDonald, Clarence Gillis, Edward Griffiths; Antigonish, Fictou and Guysboro counties, Leut. F. C. Gillingwater, M. O., of Stellarton, Rev. John Service, of New Glasgow; Colchester and Cumberland counties, E. C. Dexter, Truro; Valley Counties, G. C. Nowlan, M.L.A., of Wolfville, T. H. H. Fortier, of Annapolis Royal; South Shore Counties, T. B. Smith, of Liverpool; Halifax, Major M. F. Gregg, V.C., M.C., Halifax.

Today's programme included a memorial service at Bridgewater's monument to her dead soldiers. Watten Jollymore, President of the New Glasgow Legion branch, delivered a short address after which wreaths were placed. Edward Hunt of Liverpool sounded the last post.

## Bolivians Blame Paraguay For Starting Trouble

LA PAZ, Bolivia, Aug. 3.—(A.P.)—Bolivia informed the League of Nations today that she "does not decline" pacific solution of her controversy with Paraguay over the Gran Chaco territory, and at the same time the nation prepared for the eventuality of war.

Matching Paraguay's general mobilization order, the government called to the colors all classes between the ages of 22 and 29 and summoned all retired army officers between 30 and 50 years old to active duty.

The note sent by the foreign office to the League of Nations was in response to communications from the League urging that every measure be taken to avert warfare over the Chaco jungle land which is considered one of the most potentially wealthy areas of its kind in the world. The note said:

"Replying to your cablegram of August 1 and August 2, I beg to inform the Council of the following: "On June 29 our position at Lake Chuquisaca was attacked by Paraguay. (Continued on Page 5)

## British Potato Embargo Question Again In Limelight

### Divergent Views Appear In Press, Pending Authoritative Statement Of Attitude Of British Delegates At Imperial Economic Conference.

No authoritative statement has yet appeared as to the attitude of the British delegates at the Imperial Economic Conference towards a removal of the embargo on Canadian potatoes—a matter of considerable importance to Maritime agricultural producers. Speculation, however, has been busy. The Canadian Press quotes a spokesman of the Empire Farmers' party, now touring Canada, to the effect that he will urge a continuation of the

## New President N. S. Can. Legion

BRIDGEWATER, N. S., Aug. 3.—Dr. V. F. Gilford, of North Sydney today was elected President of the Nova Scotia command, Canadian Legion, in annual session here. He succeeds Rev. G. W. Bullock, of Bridgewater.

## Horse Innocent Victim Of Greed

FREDERICTON, N. B., Aug. 3.—(By the Canadian Press)—Mrs. Mary Geneau, of Bluebell, Victoria County, thought a neighbor was cutting and hauling more than his share of wood as stipulated in their agreement. She took an axe, walked to the neighbor's horse, and severed its left hind leg. The horse died. The neighbor took action. Mrs. Geneau has started serving a term of two months in the jail at Grand Falls.

## Miners Make Plea For Aid

SYDNEY, N. S., Aug. 3.—(By the Canadian Press)—Their clothes worn out the miners of Reserve have called a meeting for tomorrow to ask for more general relief and particularly for distribution of clothes. Owing to the lack of employment for the last two years the miners claim they have barely been able to keep body and soul together. He said, was much the same as the

## POLITICAL FATALITIES MOUNTING

### Three More Names Added To List Of German Riots.

BERLIN, Germany, Aug. 3.—(A.P.)—Three more names were added to the long list of Germany's political fatalities today while trial balloons were being launched to bring about negotiations looking toward a union of Adolf Hitler and General Kurt von Schleicher, Germany's two strong men, to rule the Reich.

Denial by a high Foreign Office official of reports that a meeting had been arranged between General Von Schleicher and Captain Ernst Roehm, Hitler's spokesman, failed to quiet widespread reports that important discussions impended. Numerous newspapers printed stories to the effect that "feelers" were being extended on both sides. Baron Von Alvensleben, a friend of Chancellor Franz von Papen and a member of the Aristo-

## Conference Activities

### MANY HAPPY RETURNS

OTTAWA, Aug. 3.—(By The Canadian Press)—The Imperial Conference paused for a few minutes today to do honor to Rt. Hon. Stanley Baldwin, leader of the British delegation on his 65th birthday anniversary. The congratulations of the assembled delegates were voiced by Prime Minister R. B. Bennett, chairman of the Conference in a little speech.

OTTAWA, Aug. 3.—Efficiently conducted industries in Canada will continue to be protected from injurious competition even from competitors of the United Kingdom. This is the interpretation put on the replies of Premier R. B. Bennett yesterday at the press conference in connection with the Imperial Economic Conference.

The Prime Minister had been asked as to what concessions Canada would be prepared to extend to the textile industry of the United Kingdom. "Insofar as it is possible to encourage any importations into this country from the British Empire without impairing any efficient Canadian industry, it will be done," he replied.

He added "the cotton industry in Canada is one of the most efficient in the world."

## Says De Valera Policy Will Hold Up U.S. Payments

DUBLIN, Aug. 3.—(Canadian Press Cable)—Senator Joseph Conolly, Minister of Posts and Telegraphs, told the Senate tonight that creation of an Irish Republic was a policy of President Eamon De Valera and that Great Britain could not hope to get its war debts considered by the United States, "so long as this question remains unsettled."

His declaration was in debate that preceded the Senate's adoption of a resolution urging the government to reopen negotiations immediately with Britain with a view to settling the land annuities dispute which recently plunged the two countries into a tariff war.

President De Valera told a mass meeting at Limerick last week that he was not going to waste any more time in "futile discussion" to secure arbitration of the dispute.

## England Anxious To Help Peace Negotiations

(Associated Press)

LONDON, Aug. 3.—The Foreign Office announced tonight that the British envoys at La Paz and Assunon had been instructed to inform the Bolivian and Paraguayan Governments that Great Britain will give all possible support to the appeal for peace by the President of the League of Nations council. Great Britain also will support the moderating action of the friendly nations assembled at Washington.

## Long Journey Was In Vain

CALAIS, Me., Aug. 3.—After hitch-hiking across the country to be at her mother's bedside at her death, Mrs. R. H. Moore of Oakland, Calif., was held up at the Canadian Customs today and learned her journey is in vain. Her mother had died at her home in St. John, N. B.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 3.—Gov. Harry G. Leslie today ordered Indiana National Guard troops into Vigo county where union pickets have besieged 60 non-union miners in the Dixie

## Disagreement At Yesterday's Parley

### British And Australian Dele- gates Fail To See Eye To Eye In Various Discussions.

(By George Hamilton, Canadian Press Staff Correspondent)

OTTAWA, Aug. 3.—Discussions which opened today between the British and Australian delegations at the Empire conference failed to result in agreement. It is understood that the discussions will probably be resumed on Friday.

Immediately after the Anglo-Australian discussions were for the time being concluded, discussions opened between the British and Indian delegations. Negotiations between the British and other Empire units will follow. Success of the conference turns largely on these discussions.

They are described as the final discussions looking to the conclusion of definite trade agreements. Previous talks, both in Ottawa and in London before the conference opened, have explored the ground. In the present discussions, definite offers on both sides have been tabled.

The fifth conference committee—that on economic co-operation—met this afternoon, and two more sub-committees were appointed; one to investigate minimum requirements for standards of agricultural products, another to inquire into industrial co-ordination. "Satisfactory progress" was reported by the sub-committees on standardization and procedure.

## Heavy Fighting Between Japs And Chinese

PEIPING, China, Aug. 3.—Telegrams to the Japanese Legation from Mukden, Manchuria, said today that the most serious conflict thus far between Chinese irregulars and Japanese troops was being fought at Newchwang.

One thousand irregulars attacked the town yesterday, the telegrams said. Sixty irregulars and 30 Japanese were reported killed. The Japanese garrison, numbering 108 troops, resisted the attack while reinforcements were rushed from Tashihchiao, of the South Manchuria Railway. Japanese destroyers landed several hundred sailors and Manchukuo aeroplanes twice bombed the Chinese lines.

After a lull during the day the irregulars resumed the attack in the evening, the reporters added, and the fight was still in progress when the last despatches were sent early this morning.

Chinese irregulars also were attacking Hsicheng, on the South Manchuria railway, 60 miles south of Mukden, and were reported planning a raid on other points along the railways.

## Killed By Truck

SYDNEY, N. S., Aug. 3.—(By the Canadian Press)—Crushed under a heavy highway truck at Irish Cove today, Thomas Conway, 30, died while he was being rushed to hospital in this city.

He was a native of Conception Harbor, Newfoundland, where his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Conway, reside.

## More Males Than Females

OTTAWA, Aug. 3.—(By The Canadian Press)—Canada has 372,298 more males than females in its population, according to returns from the last census made public today by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. The total males were 5,274,541, and females 5,002,245.

## The World Economic Parley

(Canadian Press)

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—The United States administration hopes that the forthcoming International Economic Conference, in addition to opening the way for an improvement of business conditions, will prove to be one of the steps leading to a reduction of world armaments.

This is one of the points that is being considered at the State Department and the White House where thought is being given to the qualifications of a group of men from which will be chosen the separate committees that will plan the conference and survey the economic and financial phases of the problem.

The announcement of the personnel of the group will be withheld until the time and place have been fixed for the preliminary meetings.

Already there is agitation for the appointment of a silver expert. Senator Reed Smoot of Utah, called at the White House today and after talking with the President said he had urged that Mont Gerry, of Salt Lake City, be named as one

## Record & Forecast of the Weather

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FORECASTS:

Ottawa and upper St. Lawrence valley: Northwest to west winds, showery at first but clearing later. Northwestern Quebec: Moderate winds, mostly cloudy, not much change in temperature.

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Gulf and north shore: South-easterly winds, becoming fresh, cloudy and warmer, showery at night.

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CAR FERRY SCHEDULE  
Week days—Leaves Charlottetown 8:15 a. m. and 11:40 a. m. and 5:15 p. m.  
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