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## No Shirking On Government Part In Civic Relief

### Civic Disbursements For Direct Relief Have Been Small In Comparison With Amounts Paid Out By Government.

### Central Figure



UNCOVER PLOT

Photo shows Agnes Schoemaker, whose arrest bared a sensational plot to dynamite a cell block and liberate 150 inmates. Arrested with her were Mary Cross, 25, sister of one of the long-term convicts, and three Jackson state prison guards who admitted smuggling money and communications between the prisoners and the girls, and were to aid in the jail delivery, according to the confession of Miss Cross.

### Rail Debt Rise In Canada

OTTAWA, Ont., Oct. 16—The total increase on debt account of the Canadian National Railways from Jan. 1 1923, to Dec. 31, 1931, was \$924,677,415, the report of the Royal Commission on Transportation said today. Over the same period the Canadian Pacific Railway increased its capital securities by \$283,399,722, of which \$91,011,955 was allotted to ocean services the report said.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC

- \*\*RATE:—2c per word strictly payable in advance.
- \*\*Show and Dance Mt. Stewart Wednesday, 5814-10-14-31.
- Show and Dance Forest Hill Tuesday, 5814-10-14-31.
- \*\*Driving harness, \$17.75 a set and up. S. L. Hardy & Co., harness manufacturers, 5822-10-14-31.
- \*\*Souris Club loading lambs at Baldo Thursday afternoon, Oct. 20. C. D. McKinnon, Secy., 5863-11.
- \*\*Sports and Tug-of-War at Seven Mile Bay, Monday, Oct. 17. Admission 5 and 10 cents. 5842-10-15-2.
- \*\*Don't miss the Sports at Stanley Rink Tuesday night, October 18th. Dance at the Club House 5852-10-17-11.
- \*\*A few lines of baggage to clear at one third off. S. L. Hardy & Co., The Leather Goods Store, Charlottetown, 5822-10-14-31.
- \*\*Kensington Club loading livestock Wednesday forenoon, Oct. 19. Stock must be in by 10 o'clock to catch early train. John R. Sharpe, Secy., 5866-11.
- \*\*Buying live and dressed fowl and chickens at Cardigan for canning, every Friday until further notice. W. E. Jenkins, 5856-10-17-11.
- \*\*The Ladies of the Eastern Star Chapter will hold a Pantry Sale at Holman's Ltd., on Saturday, Oct. 15th at 3 p. m. 5857-10-17-mon-thur-sat-31.
- \*\*Dressed Hogs. We will be buying dressed hogs, organs out, Tuesday, October 18th at Kensington, paying top market prices. P. McNutt & Son, 5830-10-15-31.
- \*\*Entertainment and Supper Davenport Hall, Thursday, October 20th 8 p. m. Admission 35 cents. Bear Rev. Mr. Archibald, Bedeque, Mr. Osborn, New London on this programme. 5853-10-17-mw-31.

## GERMANY'S ATTITUDE OBJECTIONABLE

### France Unlikely To Agree To Hold Disarmament Parley In Any Other City Than Geneva.

(Associated Press)  
PARIS, Oct. 16—Characterizing Germany's refusal to take part in a preliminary four-power arms conference at Geneva as an affront both to France and to the League of Nations, a Government spokesman indicated today that France, was unlikely to agree to hold the meeting in any other city. The selection of Geneva was made when Premier Edouard Herriot conferred with Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald last week in London. Italy, the fourth power that would participate in the meeting, agreed with the French and British.

## AGED PRELATE PASSES AWAY

### Rev. Dr. Edward Walker Dies At Rollo Bay—55 Years a Priest.

With the death of Rev. Edward Walker at Rollo Bay on Saturday afternoon, there passed away the oldest Roman Catholic priest in the Province. He was in his seventy-ninth year, and had been in the priesthood for fifty-five years.

Born at St. Georges, Prince Edward Island, on May 10, 1853, Father Walker was ordained to the priesthood in Charlottetown on July 10, 1877. Almost all his life since his ordination was spent in Rollo Bay. About six years ago he retired from active labour, but continued to celebrate Mass daily until a few days before his death. Dr. Walker offered the first Mass a year ago in the newly erected church at Rollo Bay.

### Mother Love

MONTREAL, Oct. 16—(CP)—Mother love is not always inflexible, proof of which was shown in the case of Mrs. Pump, Toronto woman, who came to Montreal to meet her three-year-old daughter from whom she had been separated for a year and in her haste to greet her own child made the mistake of embracing another. Rushing eagerly on board when the "Montrose" docked, Mrs. Pump cried to a stewardess "where is my daughter?" Five little children stood by: the excited mother picked up little Arlette Desforges and lavished upon her all the mother love meant for her own little Irene. The latter was in charge of another stewardess.

"Mothers often are so anxious to hold their babies after long absences that they kiss first and look after," an Immigration Department officer said, "but there is no danger of the mistake lasting more than a minute. All are accompanied by papers and, anyway, the stewardesses who look after them make it their own business to see everything is all right before they let them go."

## New Home Secretary



FILL VACANCIES IN BRITISH CABINET

Sir John Gilmour, the new home secretary, and Sir Samuel Hoare leaving Downing St. after the British cabinet meeting, at which the vacancies caused by the Liberal-Labor desertions were filled.

## Victory For The Scots On Bagpipe Issue

(Special to the Guardian)  
OTTAWA, Oct. 16—Scotsmen should be happy today. The bagpipes have at last been given official classification as musical instruments. Not only this, but they are to enter Canada, from the land of the heather, free of duty. Heretofore the British product has had to pay a 15 per cent duty.

## MONCTON MAN CHARGED WITH SERIOUS CRIME

(Canadian Press)  
MONCTON, N. B., Oct. 16—William LeBlanc, 121 Westmoreland Street, this city, is in the City Hospital and Calixte LeBlanc, 49, of 58 1/2 Pearl Street, also this city, is confined to a cell at police headquarters, charged with attempted murder as the result of a stabbing affray on East Queen Street last night. William LeBlanc was stabbed just under his heart and his condition at first considered grave, has shown improvement, and hospital authorities state he will recover.

## Australia Satisfied

CANBERRA, Australia, Oct. 16—The Australian Government is well satisfied with the agreements signed at the Imperial Conference. Speaking in the House of Representatives today Hon. H. S. Gullett, Minister of Trade and Customs, declared the benefits gained by the

## THE FRENCH SENATORIAL ELECTIONS

### Radical Gain Assures Them a Working Majority In The Gov't.

(Canadian Press)  
PARIS, Oct. 16—Early returns from the French senatorial elections to replace one third of the membership of the Upper Chamber this evening indicated that the Radicals or Democratic left group would gain about a dozen seats, assuring a working majority for the supporters of the Premier Edouard Herriot's Radical Socialist Government.

## SCORES FREE TRAVELLING ON C.N.R.

### "Blazing Instances Of Extravagance" Almost Anywhere You Look, Declares Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen.

OTTAWA, Oct. 16—"You can look anywhere over the length of this Dominion, at either coast, in any province, almost in any city, and see blazing instances of extravagance," declared Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, government leader in the Senate, today in an address bristling with criticism of the former management of the Canadian National Railways. "It is an extravagance wholly at the expense of the taxpayers, an extravagance which is the principal chain that ties Canada today."

Senator Meighen was speaking on the address in reply to the speech from the throne, and devoted a large portion of his remarks to the railway problem and the report of the Duff Commission. Implementing this report the government contemplated introducing legis-

## Hospital Survey Makes Progress

### 3 PROVINCIAL HOSPITALS AGAIN ON APPROVED LIST OF COLLEGE OF SURGEONS.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 17—Announcement is made today by the American College of Surgeons that 2,294 hospitals are now on the approved list in Canada and the United States. The list this year again includes the three Hospitals in Prince Edward Island.

Three times as many lives are being saved in hospitals of the United States and Canada today than were saved 15 years ago, declared Dr. Franklin H. Martin, director-general of the American College of Surgeons, at the opening session of the twenty-second annual Clinical Congress of the world noted association here today.

In 1918 only 89 hospitals in the United States and Canada could meet the requirements. Today 2,294 hospitals are meeting these requirements thereby winning a coveted place on the approved list of the College announced to the public today.

The work of making hospitals safe for the public is carried on by the American College of Surgeons through its Hospital Standardization department which conducts a continuous inspection of all hospitals of 25 beds or more in which acutely ill or injured patients are treated. The surveys are accomplished at no expense to the hos-

## Political Riot Ends In Tragedy

### Three Killed And Twenty Injured In Vienna When Fascists And Police Clash.

VIENNA, Oct. 16. (A.P.)—Two Fascists and a policeman were slain and twenty Fascists wounded by gunfire in a bloody riot among Fascists, police and Socialists in the working class section of Vienna today. The disturbance occurred while the Fascists were parading past the Socialist "Worker's Club," and although it was obscure just how the hostilities began, the police, who had accompanied the Fascist paraders, swung into action before the fighting had got very far.

## U.S. ELECTIONS

(Canadian Press)  
NEW YORK, Oct. 16—The final push to decide occupancy of the White House gets under way this week with the people of the United States being bombarded with Democratic and Republican argument and counter-argument tonight. President Hoover spoke tonight again after delivering the second of his major speeches in Cleveland Saturday. The Democratic candidate, Franklin D. Roosevelt, takes off for a swing through the South and Dixie border states.

When Secretary of State, Henry L. Stimson, begins the Republican invasion of the east here on Tuesday virtually the entire Cabinet will be on the stump for their chief. In the main the proposition of the Republicans is the Hooverian Cabinet, during the crisis of the past three years, has saved the United States from chaos.

## Fish Week Oct. 24 To 31st

(Special to the Guardian)  
MONCTON, N. B., Oct. 15—Canada's National Fish Week, October 24th to 31st, will be observed in Canadian National dining cars and hotels. Some interesting figures have been prepared as to consumption of fish in Canadian National Dining cars.

Whitefish heads the list with 75,200 pounds. Lake trout comes next with 66,100 pounds. Salmon 51,850, halibut 45,280, haddock 40,000, fresh cod 35,850, 3,400 pounds of smelts are served in a year and 2,150 pounds of sole, along with flounder, swordfish and sturgeon, 8,000 dozen oysters on the half shell were served, or 400 gallons all told, which includes steaks, etc. 3,500 pounds of lobsters were served and 2,500 pounds of clams, scallops 1,700 pounds, crabs 1,400, shrimp 1,100.

The figures for the shell fish would indicate that approximately 1,300 passengers order oysters on the half shell. This will give some idea as to the value of any movement which will increase the consumption of fish by Canadians which incidentally means much to the Maritime fisheries.

A unique feature of Hospital Standardization is that hospitals are surveyed at their own request only and enforcement of standards is voluntary. Nevertheless, of hospitals having 100 beds or more, 93.9 percent have already received approval, and 66.2 percent of all hospitals of 25 beds and over are satisfactorily meeting the requirements.

The approved hospitals in this Province are named in the following list:

- Prince Edward Island
- Charlottetown — Charlottetown Hospital, 80, Sisters of Martha, Fully Approved; Prince Edward Island Hospital, 60, City and County — Board of Trustees, Fully Approved.
- Summerside—Prince County Hospital, 67, Independent — Board of Trustees, Fully Approved.

### Located



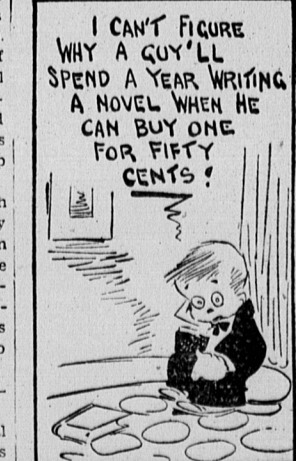
INSULL, JR., RETURNS TO PARIS

Samuel Insull, Jr. (ABOVE) refused to answer questions when he returned to Paris this week after disappearing with his father, Samuel Insull, former Chicago Utilities magnate, who has been indicted for embezzlement and larceny. The elder Insull was found in Athens, Greece.

## NO CHANGE IN IRISH-ENGLISH SITUATION

(Canadian Press)  
LONDON, Oct. 16.—J. H. Thomas, Secretary for the Dominions, said yesterday that the position regarding the Irish land annuities and other issues between the two countries remained unchanged. In a statement to the British Press Association, Mr. Thomas said the result of the negotiations which have been going on here for the past two days will be made known in detail on Tuesday when Parliament convenes.

### The Weather, Etc



METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Toronto, Oct. 16—Maximum and minimum temperatures:

Dawson	30	22
Edmonton	18	26
Regina	31	36
Winnipeg	28	34
Toronto	48	62
Ottawa	42	60
Montreal	48	62
Quebec	48	62
St. John	38	54
Halifax	30	54
Charlottetown	38	54

FORECASTS  
Maritime West—Fresh shifting winds, cloudy with occasional showers.  
Maritime East—Fresh or strong shifting winds, cloudy with scattered showers.  
High tide this afternoon at 12.44 and tomorrow morning at 12.55.  
Sun sets this afternoon at 5.12 and rises tomorrow morning at 6.19.  
Last quarter moon Saturday, Oct. 22, 11.4 p. m.  
Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.  
EAR FERRY SCHEDULE  
Week days—Leaves Borden daily 8.15 a. m. and 1 p. m.  
Week days—Leaves Cape Tormentine 10.57 a. m. and 2.55 p. m.