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Apprehension Is Felt For Plane

"American Nurse" Unreported After 37 Hours Out Of New York—Has Gas For More Than 40 Hours.

ROME, Sept. 14.—(By The Canadian Press)—Italian air officials expressed apprehension early today in the absence of any reports of the trans-Atlantic plane, "American Nurse" after she had been out of New York for 37 hours. The information at Clamping airport was that the ship had gas for 40 hours or more and should arrive in Rome within that time. The air distance between Rome and New York is 4,200 miles and previous reports on the "American Nurse" indicated that she was making better than 100 miles an hour. In the absence of incontestable proof that the various sightings of a plane over the Atlantic and Mediterranean actually involved the "American Nurse," officials declined to speculate as to what may have occurred.

His Mother Dies, 90 - Year - Old Son Seeks Death

(Special to the Guardian)
JERSEY CITY, N. J., Sept. 14.—Ninety-year-old John Myer became hysterical and threatened to kill himself to-night when he found out his mother, Mrs. Dora Myer, had died of a heart attack, she was in her 117th year. Deputy Police Chief Daniel Casey had the aged son removed to the psychopathic ward of the Jersey City Medical Centre for observation.

Flood Damage Proves Costly

EDMONTON, Sept. 14.—(By The Canadian Press)—It has taken four months to complete repair work on the wrecked telephone system, badly battered by Alberta's big sleet, rain and wind storm last April. The government was forced to spend \$300,000 to repair the damage which resulted in 11,000 broken poles and 70,000 miles of wire wrecked.

Caribou Holds Untold Wealth

CALGARY, Alta., Sept. 14.—(By The Canadian Press)—A journey up the old Caribou trail, in British Columbia, from Ashcroft to Queenell, then on to Barkerville, has convinced F. P. Cobb, local mining enthusiast, that untold wealth still is hidden in the Caribou country. There is still a great stretch of land where gold must lie, he believes, and urges more prospectors to go in. Near Barkerville, Mr. Cobb said, 400 to 500 men were working claims. Returns, he concluded, were not as great as in the 1898 rush when \$70,000,000 in gold was taken annually from this field, but he predicted a great increase in production would result if more interest was taken in the area.

Potato Plant Yields Tomatoes

WINNIPEG, Sept. 14.—(By The Canadian Press)—A potato plant that is producing tomatoes is attracting considerable attention in the garden of Fred Granger, local suburbanite. Some time ago Mr. Granger cut down a potato plant to about two inches from the ground. A small tomato plant was stultically treated and the two fruited. Both plants survived the operation. Whether or not potatoes are growing in the ground Mr. Granger does not know. He is certain of the tomatoes which, though small, are decidedly conspicuous.

Much Talk But Nothing Done, Says N.S. Prem.

(Canadian Press)
HALIFAX, Sept. 14.—"There has been a great deal of talk on this subject of governmental expenditures and it reminds me of Mark Twain's remarks about the weather—"everybody talks about it, but nobody does anything," Premier Gordon S. Harrington of Nova Scotia said today commenting on the Canadian Chamber of Commerce discussions of government financing. "I can safely say that it has been the aim of all governments, federal, provincial, and municipal, to keep expenditures as closely in relation to revenue as it is possible," he continued. "The pressure for further expenditures has been so intense during the period of depression that it has almost baffled those who are responsible for it. I can safely say that if anyone can tell the government's today how they can provide the essential services that are demanded of them and still reduce expenditures, that person will be very welcome in all our councils, and there is a distinct place for him in public life."

CAN. GOOD ROADS ASS'N. ELECT OFFICERS

(Canadian Press)
DIOBY, N. S., Sept. 14.—Hon. Leopold MacAulay, Ontario Minister of Highways, is the new President of the Canadian Good Roads Association, which closed its annual convention with a banquet here tonight. He succeeds Hon. A. C. Stewart, Saskatchewan Minister of Highways, who tonight was elected Honorary President. Other officers were elected as follows: First Vice President: Hon. P. W. Bruhn, British Columbia. Second Vice President: Col. J. L. Rouland, Quebec. Third Vice President: Hon. J. D. Stewart, Premier of Prince Edward Island. Secretary: George A. McNamee, Montreal. Board of Directors: The officers and Hon. Mr. Justice Arsenault, Charlottetown; Hon. P. C. Black, Halifax; Charles M. Black, Montreal; H. S. Carpenter, Regina; Hon. W. R. Clubb, Winnipeg; J. A. Duchastel, Quebec; Hon. William Finlayson, Toronto; Hon. Charles P. Fullerton, Ottawa; T. J. Mahoney, Hamilton; A. J. McGillivray, Winnipeg; Theodore G. Morgan, Montreal; Hon. O. L. McPherson, Edmonton; Patrick Philip, Victoria; B. C.; Hon. Frank Oliver, Ottawa; A. Pion, Quebec; W. G. Robertson, Toronto; Hon. W. H. Quinton, St. John's, Nfld.; R. M. Smith, Toronto; Hon. D. A. Stewart, Fredericton; J. L. Stewart, Toronto.

The Royal Commission

(Canadian Press)
OTTAWA, Sept. 14.—The report of the Royal Commission on transportation will not be presented to the Government until next week. While it had been suggested that this important document might be handed to Prime Minister Bennett during the latter part of the present week, it has been decided not to do so. It is considered desirable to have some of the commissioners here to accompany Mr. Justice Lyman P. Duff, chairman, when the report is delivered, and they will come to Ottawa for the purpose. It is probable that Sir Joseph Favelle will come from Toronto, Beaudry Leman from Montreal, and possibly other members of the commission from points farther away.

Tribute To Our War Dead



NEW WAR MEMORIAL FOR OTTAWA

In tribute to the 64,000 Canadian soldiers who lost their lives in the Great War, the memorial shown here is to be erected permanently at Ottawa. It will be on exhibition for the first time in Hyde Park, London, before being shipped to Canada. The memorial is the work of the famous sculptor family of March of Farningham, Kent. The picture here shows one of the figures of the memorial being placed in position.

Alberton Holds Best Fair In Yrs.

New Exhibition Grounds Highly Commented On By Visitors—Excellent Exhibits.

(Special to the Guardian)
The new Exhibition Grounds at Alberton presented an animated appearance yesterday for the opening of the West Prince Exhibition. The exhibits were far above that of other years in quality and quantity. This was particularly noticeable in horses, cattle and sheep. Among these exhibits were some of the finest animals in the Maritime Provinces. The entries in carriage and draft horses were exceptionally large and of superior quality for many years. Mayor Foley welcomed the Lieut. Governor and visitors and expressed his pleasure at the interest taken in the exhibition as he considered them of educational value. Mr. A. D. O'Brien, President, also gave a short welcoming speech. His Hon. Lieut. Governor, Chas. Dalton officially opened the exhibition and addressed the gathering in highly complimentary language. The keynote of his speech was quality. Other speakers were Hon. G. S. Sharp, Mr. A. E. MacLean, M. P., Mr. J. W. Boulter, Deputy Minister of Agriculture. The exhibits were far above that of other years in quality and quantity. This was particularly noticeable in horses, cattle and sheep. Among these exhibits were some of the finest animals in the Maritime Provinces. The entries in carriage and draft horses were exceptionally large and of superior quality for many years. Mayor Foley welcomed the Lieut. Governor and visitors and expressed his pleasure at the interest taken in the exhibition as he considered them of educational value. Mr. A. D. O'Brien, President, also gave a short welcoming speech. His Hon. Lieut. Governor, Chas. Dalton officially opened the exhibition and addressed the gathering in highly complimentary language. The keynote of his

ANOTHER MODERATE WINTER IN STORE, IS OPINION OF EXPERT

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—Unless there is an unprecedented sharp drop in temperature, the weather man believes another moderate winter is in store. That is the normal expectancy, Joseph M. Kincer, Chief of the Agricultural Meteorology Division of the Weather Bureau said here, as a result of the upward swing in the thermometer beginning in 1926. Records show that the weather moves in currents of a few cold years and then a few warm years, Kincer said. In the past, a change from one cycle to another has come gradually and while not forecasting definitely a mild winter, he said that indications pointed that way since there is no evidence yet that a change to abnormal temperatures was begun. The present upward trend in temperature really began after the hard winter of 1918. Since then abnormal weather has been dominant, with the trend particularly noticeable since 1926. Every month this year except March has brought temperatures ranging above the 50 year mean. Kincer, said that though the heat has been more blistering, rainfall over most of the country has kept crop damage at a minimum.

Can't Reduce Navy, Guards 80,000 Miles

HOOVER'S ECONOMY PLAN IMPRACTICABLE TO BRITAIN

LONDON, Sept. 14.—Because she has 80,000 miles of sea routes to protect and because her fleet already has been reduced until it is only one-third of its strength at the end of the world war, Great Britain claims that she cannot still further cut her war vessels by one-third, as suggested by President Hoover.

Therefore, the Hoover plan, while "heartily welcome," has been indirectly rejected by the British government and the latter's counter-proposals launched to the world with the claim that they will achieve just as much disarmament. Great Britain proposes reductions in the size of battleships and cruisers, but would not reduce their numbers.

HINDENBURG IGNORES NON-CONFIDENCE

(Canadian Press)
BERLIN, Sept. 14.—President Paul Von Hindenburg announced emphatically tonight that he intends to pay no attention to the motion of nonconfidence in the Von Papen Cabinet voted by the Reichstag Monday. The President set forth his position in a letter to Hermann Goering, National Socialist Speaker of the Reichstag, who had asked him to oust the Government of Chancellor Franz Von Papen.

"Decisions taken by the Reichstag after presentation of a decree of dissolution are unconstitutional and hence void," said the presidential secretary in a communication to the Speaker. "The President does not intend to draw any consequences from these decisions." This meant, it was explained, that the aged Field Marshal does not expect the Chancellor to resign nor to rescind the emergency decrees legalizing his programme to effect economic rehabilitation and to relieve unemployment. These decrees also were voted down by the Reichstag.

TO LOOK INTO PENSION ACT

A Committee Headed By Justice Rinfret Will Begin Operations Tuesday Next.

(Canadian Press)
OTTAWA, Sept. 14.—Appointed several weeks ago to enquire into the administration of the Pension Act, the committee headed by Mr. Justice Rinfret of the Supreme Court of Canada will begin operations Tuesday next. The committee comprises departmental officials having to do with the administration of the act and representatives of the Associated Veterans of Canada. It is expected that the sessions will be held in public. Witnesses will be summoned and a thorough probe into many grievances against the machinery which the act of 1930 set up will be instituted. Among the matters enquired into will be that of alleged pension frauds. Following publication of statements to the effect that many pensions had been improperly paid and that fraudulent practices had been resorted to by persons applying for pension, the Canadian Le-

Ontario Village Wiped Out By Conflagration

Three Hundred Persons Homeless When Flames Cause Property Damage Estimated At \$500,000

(Canadian Press)
SPRAGUE, Ont., Sept. 14.—Three hundred persons were homeless tonight as firemen still manned hoses pouring water onto smouldering embers of fire that wiped out the entire business section of this village and caused property damage estimated at half a million dollars. Twenty-five homes, two warehouses, a general store, garage, hotel and two boarding houses fell before flames swept by a stiff wind from the J. J. McFadden Lumber Company yards where they destroyed 7,000,000 feet of lumber. Every available man in the district fought the flames or helped wild-eyed, weeping women and frightened children drag furniture and other effects from houses that lay in the path of the blaze.

TROOP TRAIN IS WRECKED, 100 KILLED

(Canadian Press)
ORAN, Algeria, Sept. 14.—A troop train carrying 500 officers and members of the famous French Foreign Legion plunged into a ravine near Tlemcen today and the Havas News Agency said probably 100 Legionnaires had been killed and another 100 seriously injured.

Wage War On Crows

(Canadian Press)
EDMONTON, Sept. 14.—(By The Canadian Press)—International warfare on crows is a possibility, according to Staley H. Clark, Alberta game commissioner. Following a conference with Luther Goldman, of the biological department of the United States government, Mr. Clark said it was hoped Washington would accept the suggestion that all crows possible be killed in United States territory. The Alberta government is waging an intense anti-crow campaign. More than 1,000,000 birds already have fallen prey to rifles of those eager to share in the rich prize money offered for the crows killed.

Fixtures For Speakeasy Sale

(Canadian Press)
PROVIDENCE, R. I., Sept. 14.—Nearly all fixtures required for the well-furnished speakeasy will be knocked down to the highest bidders on Sept. 15, when for the first time in the history of the state government officials will auction equipment seized in "dry" raids on clubs and saloons. Bars seized in several raids will be destroyed, under orders issued by Federal Judge Ira Lloyd Letts to U. S. Marshal Howard C. Arnold but bar mirrors, couches, overstuffed chairs, tables, napkins, screens, floor lamp, cuspidors, an electric pump, ash trays and even a fire hose rack will go under the auctioneer's hammer.

English House May Open Oct. 18

(Canadian Press)
LONDON, Sept. 14.—(Canadian Press Cable)—Announcement that Parliament will reassemble on October 18 instead of October 27 as originally planned has brought about revival of assertions in Liberal quarters of impending resignations of Liberal Ministers in the National Government as a result of the agreements entered into by the United Kingdom delegation at the Ottawa Imperial Economic Conference. The News Chronicle declared Liberal opinion inside as well as outside the Government has hardened into definite hostility. "Whereas a week ago the chances were three to two against the early resignation of Liberal Ministers they are now three to two in favor," the newspaper says.

The Weather, Etc

HALF THE WORRY IN THIS WORLD IS CAUSED BY THE DREAD OF THINGS THAT NEVER HAPPEN!
TORONTO, Sept. 14.—Fresh to strong south west winds, partly cloudy with stationary or a little higher temperature. High tide this morning at 10:30 and tonight at 11:32. Sun sets this evening at 6:32 and rises tomorrow morning at 5:33. Last quarter moon Thursday, Sept. 22, 8:47 p. m. Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown. CAN PERRY SCHEDULE Week days—Leaves Boston daily 9:15 a. m. and 1 p. m. and 5:15 p. m. Week days—Leaves Cape Tormentine 10:30 a. m., 2:55 p. m., 7 p. m.