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Britisher Broke Segrave's Record Over Measured Mi.

Malcolm Campbell Exceeds Late Countryman's Mark By 14 Miles Per Hour.

(Canadian Press)
DAYTONA BEACH, Fla., Feb. 5.—
Starting over the ocean speedway
like a blue streak, Captain Mal-
colm Campbell, of England, today
attained a speed of 246.575 miles an
hour on the first of two official trials
for the world's land speed record in
his huge Bluebird racing
car. Campbell's first run, made
from north to south, was clocked at
147.0 seconds over the measured
mile. Upon reaching the south end
of the course, he immediately pre-
pared to dash back on his second
trial. About two minutes later he
raced back over the course going
north.
In two tremendous bursts of speed,
the 40 year old driver flashed twice
the measured mile at an average
speed of 245.730 miles an hour. This
exceeds by 14.37 miles an hour the
previous record of 231, established
here in 1929 by the late Sir Henry
Segrave, also of Great Britain.

Increase In Motor Licenses

Automobile registration fig-
ures for 1930 for Prince Edward
Island show a considerable in-
crease over the previous year.
Passenger car licenses num-
bered 6611, as against 5537 for 1929;
trucks, 739 as against 568 for
1929; motor cycles, 26 as against
11 for 1929; 28 trailer licenses
were issued for 1930, none for
1929. Dealers' licenses for 1930
were 24 for motor cars and 2 for
motor cycles, as against 25 dealers'
licenses for motor cars in
1929.

Banks Always Ready To Help Says President

(Canadian Press)
TORONTO, Ont., Feb. 5.—State-
ments made by Hon. Robert Weir,
Dominion Minister of Agriculture re-
garding Canadian banks and the
financial situation in the West at
the banquet tendered to stock breed-
ers and exhibitors by the Canadian
National Exhibition last night, were
replied to today by Sir John Aird,
President of the Canadian Bank of
Commerce, and A. E. Philips, Gen-
eral manager of the Imperial Bank
of Canada. The banks have always
been very generous with the farmers of
the west and they haven't changed
their policy, said Sir John in com-
menting on Mr. Weir's demand that
the bankers make their stand clear
as to whether or not they will give
credit next spring.

Would Give Credit To New Zealand

(Canadian Press)
OTTAWA, Ont., Feb. 5.—Members
of the Government are unwilling to
make direct comment on a resolu-
tion of the Canadian Lumbermen
Association, that credits be extended
to New Zealand to enable purchase
of Canadian lumber for reconstruction
purposes. The resolution was passed
at a meeting of lumbermen in
Toronto yesterday. The general feel-
ing in official circles, however, is
that the Government would not hesi-
tate to provide such credits if they
were asked for by the New Zealand
Government.

Would Float 25 Million Loan

(Special to the Guardian)
CANBERRA, Australia, Feb. 5.—
The Commonwealth Government
will propose to the loan council the
floatation of a loan of between \$25,-
000,000 and \$30,000,000 in order to
pay bonus to Australian wheat grow-
ers. The decision was reached today
after a conference between the Prime
Minister, Hon. James Scullin, Hon.
E. G. Theodore, Treasurer and Sir
Robert Gibson, head of the Com-
monwealth Bank. The bank, it is un-
derstood, adhered to its determina-
tion that it could not afford to ad-
vance more than 56 cents a bushel
as initial payment on the present
crop of wheat.

CANADA WAS UNITED STATES BEST CUSTOMER

(Canadian Press)
WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Canada
remained the greatest national cus-
tomer of the United States in in-
ternational trade generally for 1930,
though the actual sum of exports
sent from this country to Great Brit-
ain was somewhat in excess of Can-
adian purchases, it was shown in a
Department of Commerce report
made public today.
Exports to the Dominion amount-
ed to \$659,326,000 against \$948,446,-
000 in 1929 and imports from Can-
ada for the same period were \$402,-
306,000 against \$503,496,000. The 1930
exports to Great Britain were \$678,-
109,000 against \$848,000,000 the pre-
ceding year and imports were \$209,-
893,000 against \$329,751,000. Exports
to Russia amounted to \$111,362,000,
the largest for any year in modern
times and compared with \$81,543,000
in 1929 and with \$38,563,000, which
was the average annual export of
the United States to Russia in the
four year period from 1922 to 1926.
Imports from Russia amounted to
\$21,967,000 in 1930 as compared with
\$21,520,000 in 1929.

Mar. Provinces Trade Commission Meets In Toronto

(Canadian Press)
TORONTO, Ont., Feb. 5.—The
Maritime Provinces Trade Commis-
sion, consisting of six prominent Tor-
onto men, and two representatives
from each of the Maritime Provin-
ces, gathered here today for their
annual meeting and spent the day in
discussion of the problems of mar-
keting Maritime produce in Central
Canada. The meetings were held in
the offices of R. W. E. Burnaby,
Maritime Provinces Trade Commis-
sioner in Toronto.

Asphyxiated By Gas Stove

(Canadian Press)
HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 5.—Neigh-
bors entering the small apartment
of Carl Dowe, 33, this evening, found
the body of his wife, 24, who had
been asphyxiated by gas. Dowe, in a
serious condition, was removed to a
hospital, where it was thought he
might recover. Mrs. Dowe was found
lying on a couch and her husband on
the floor near a door, indicating he
had been trying to escape from the
room. An investigation revealed a
gas stove had been leaking.
With no evidence pointing to the
contrary, police and medical opinion
agreed the case was accidental. Mrs.
Dowe, of Wolfville, N. S., was a fos-
ter-sister of George Nowlan, M. L.
A. for King's. She had been in Hal-
ifax only a few days.

Planes Active In Dominion

(Special to the Guardian)
WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—E. S. Mac-
Phail in charge of the Canadian de-
cennial census to be taken on the
first of June, today visited the Uni-
ted States Census Bureau, watching
with interest the high speed tabula-
tion machines developed by the Bur-
eau. "While our task does not com-
pare in magnitude with this, we have
also been developing highly special-
ized machines," said Mr. MacPhail.
They are principally the product of
one young genius, F. Beislie. Mr.
MacPhail said he was expecting to
enumerate between 10,000,000 and 11,-
000,000 inhabitants in Canada in 1931
as compared with the 12,775,046 in
continental United States in 1930.
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the Canadian Government into all
the circumstances in connection
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tive of the Navy League of Canada at
their last meeting.

Had Interview With Hoover



Above is shown Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett (left), Canadian prime minister, with Secretary of State Stimson at Washington, D. C., just after the former's arrival to call on President Hoover, the first time in four years a Canadian prime minister has visited the White House.—Associated Press Photo.

Air Accidents In Canada In 1930 Took A Toll Of Twenty-Five Lives

Death Is Mystery



OTTAWA, Feb. 5.—Thirty one air
accidents during 1930 in Canada
took a toll of 25 lives, according to
the quarterly liaison letter of the
civil aviation branch of the Depart-
ment of National Defence issued to-
day. Of this number, 14 were pilots
six were passengers and five were
"third" passengers. Serious injuries
were sustained by 10 persons, and
slight injury by eleven. Of the ac-
cidents, five occurred on scheduled
air mail routes; eight happened in
light aeroplane clubs; one was due
to a manufacturer's test; two were
suffered by pleasure parties and three
were ground accidents.

Between Ten And Eleven Millions In The Dominion

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PENSIONS HEARINGS CONCLUDED

The Charlottetown sittings of the
Pensions Tribunal were concluded
yesterday, when the full number of
cases scheduled to be heard at the
session, twenty two in all, were
gone into thoroughly. Colonel Mac-
Leod, M. C., who with Colonel Mac-
Kenzie, D. S. O., presided, left yester-
day for Newcastle. He will con-
tinue the sittings of the Tribunal in
conjunction with Colonel Ganong, O.
B. E., while Colonel MacKenzie, who
leave today for London, Ont., will
preside jointly with Colonel Gover
in the central district.
Interviewed last night, Colonel
MacKenzie stated he hoped to be
back in Maritime area again before
the end of the present itinerary of
the Tribunal, which continues until
March 1st. The future arrangement
of the personnel of the presiding of-
ficers in the various districts, how-
ever, rested with the chairman at
Ottawa.
The tribunal officials were highly
pleased with the courtesy extended to
them during their sittings here. They
were particularly obliged to the
Provincial Government for the use
of the Legislative Chamber.

MACDONALD CHALLENGED IN COMMONS

Cotton Lockout In Lan- cashire Topic In House —Prime Minister Questioned On All Sides.

(By George Hambleton, Canadian
Press Staff Correspondent)
LONDON, Feb. 5.—Labor's left
wing, aggressively pursuing Sir Os-
wald Mosley's policies for drastic
action to curb unemployment, made
a virtual declaration of war on Prime
Minister Ramsay MacDonald, in the
House of Commons this afternoon.
Interest was keen as the Prime Min-
ister promptly accepted the challenge
and immediately flung it back at the
Independent Labor Party.
The tussle came about when the
Prime Minister announced the Par-
liamentary program for next week,
telling Rt. Hon. Stanley Baldwin that
Wednesday would be allotted for dis-
cussion of the Conservative motion
of censure, with a subsequent date
for a Liberal motion of unemployment.
James Maxton, leader of the
Independent Labor Party, immedi-
ately demanded whether time would
be allowed for discussion of the left wing
motion dealing with the cotton lockout
in Lancashire. This was more im-
portant than the rather academic
motions of the Conservative and Lib-
eral parties, he contended. I am
ready to give time for any motion
which will help conditions in the
cotton industry, Premier MacDon-
ald curtly replied. But I am not pre-
pared to give time for a motion which
instead of helping the situation will
make it worse. Mr. Maxton shot
back a question as to whether Labor
when in opposition, had not been af-
forded opportunities for discussion.
Yes, the Prime Minister sharply an-
swered, but when the motion is put
down in a responsible way, after con-
sultation with responsible leaders in
the Labor movement. Another left
winger asked if the Government was
prepared to reopen the cotton mills
under the Emergency Powers Act,
and whether the Prime Minister was
aware that the great majority of bal-
lots of the Lancashire workers fa-
vored such a course. The answer to
both parts of the question is no, the
Prime Minister replied.

\$100,000 Fire

(Canadian Press)
GOGAMA, Ont., Feb. 5.—In a
great sweep from building to building
fire early this morning destroyed ten
stores and residences along the main
street of Gogama, northern Ontario
town. The loss is estimated at \$100,-
000.

Nominated For Moderatorship

(Canadian Press)
REGINA, Sask., Feb. 5.—Rev. W.
G. Brown, Saskatoon, was unanim-
ously nominated for the Moderator-
ship of the General Assembly of the
Presbyterian Church in Canada at
the regular meeting of the Regina
Presbytery.

Canadian League Passes Resolution Re Josephine K.

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Red Cross Society Has Strenuous Yr.

Very Encouraging Reports Sub- mitted At Annual Meeting Last Night. Lieut. Governor Dalton Succeeds Hon. F. R. Hertz As Honorary President.

Charged With Smuggling Of N. B. Potatoes

BANGOR, Me., Feb. 5.—Sam
G. Poltras, of Hamlin, Me., was
before the U. S. Commissioner
here today, charged with smug-
gling 38 barrels of potatoes from
New Brunswick and held for the
U. S. Court.
He was also held for violating
the immigration laws and paid
\$600 to re-possess two teams
which were seized.
He furnished \$1,000 bail for
appearance.

Tariff Changes Affected Imports

(Special to the Guardian)
CANBERRA, Australia, Feb. 5.—
Imports to Australia in the past six
months show a drastic reduction,
owing to the important tariff changes
effected by the Labor Govern-
ment in that period and were also
substantially lower than the exports
for the same period.
Imports amounted to \$192,000,000
compared with imports of \$374,000,-
000 in the same period of the pre-
vious fiscal year. Exports for the last
six months were \$251,000,000, com-
pared with exports of \$301,000,000 in
the same period of the previous fiscal
year.

(Canadian Press)
BULGRAVE, N. S., Feb. 5.—
Heart failure caused the death of
Lillian O'Neil, 19, of Auld's Cove,
late last night, while she was
suffering from severe burns sus-
tained yesterday when her cloth-
ing caught fire from a kitchen
stove.

The Weather, Etc.



TORONTO, February 6.—Moderate
winds, partly cloudy and a little
milder; some light snow.
High tide this afternoon at 1.35
and tomorrow morning at 1.35.
Sun rises this morning at 7.12 and
sets this afternoon at 5.17.
Last quarter moon Monday, Feb. 9,
12.10 p. m.
Summerside tide eighteen minutes
later than Charlottetown.

Temperatures
Maximum 16
Minimum 6

Exceptionally encouraging reports
of work accomplished during the past
year were submitted at the annual
meeting of the Prince Edward Island
branch of the Canadian Red Cross
Society, which was held in St. Paul's
Parish Hall last evening, with the
president, Dr. H. D. Johnston, in the
chair.
His Honour Lieutenant-Governor
Dalton, who was present, accepted
with pleasure the position of hono-
rary president of the organization, so
capably filled by his predecessor in
office, Hon. F. R. Hertz. He ex-
pressed warm interest in the work
of the Red Cross Society and assur-
ed the meeting that he intended to
take an active part in its activities.
Reference to His Honour's generous
contribution to Red Cross activities
during the war was made by Dr.
Johnston. The aim of the Society,
the president pointed out, has always
been to co-operate with other orga-
nizations. An agreement has now been
arrived at whereby the Provincial
Government takes over control of the
health nursing activities, leaving the
Society in a better position to con-
centrate on junior work and the
clinics for crippled children. The
junior membership is increasing, in
the Province and it is hoped before
long to make it representative 100
per cent of the school children of the
community. The present membership,
it is hoped, will be doubled during
the coming year.

Finances unfortunately, have not
kept pace with the increasing scope
of the Society's activities. The ex-
penses at present are about \$1,100 a
month, and it will be necessary, if
the work is to be continued, that
further contributions be received.
The president thanked personally
the staff and executive of the So-
ciety, the service clubs of the city,
and all who assisted in any way
during the year.
The reports of the secretary, treas-
urer and nursing superintendent
were read and adopted.

The secretary in his report recom-
mended the appointment on the ex-
ecutive of a member of the P. E. I.
Teachers' Federation.
The nominating committee, con-
sisting of Messrs. John McKenna, R.
H. Rogers and R. L. Cotton, submit-
ted the following list of officers and
executive members, who were duly
elected:

- Honorary President, His Honour
Lieutenant Governor Dalton.
- President, Dr. H. D. Johnston.
- Vice President, Mr. Frank Clark.
- Secretary, Dr. W. J. MacMillan.
- Treasurer, Mr. D. A. MacKinnon.
- Vice President, Prince County, Miss
Glady's Holman.
- Vice President, Kings County, to
be nominated by the executive.
- Executive: Hon. Frank R. Hertz,
Mrs. V. L. Goodwill, Mrs. S. R. Jenk-
ins, Mrs. C. G. Duffy, Mr. W. F. Tid-
marsh, Mr. John McKenna, Mr.
George J. Tweedy, Mr. William Mor-
an, Mr. R. H. Rogers, Mrs. Barry
Tait; also a nominee of the P. E. I.
Teachers' Federation and the fol-
lowing representatives of the Central

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Equal Rights

(Special to the Guardian)
TOKYO, Feb. 5.—The Government
today introduced a bill into the
Japanese diet, which would grant
women equal rights with men in el-
ections for city, town, village and
autonomous assemblies. The pro-
jected grant is intended as a step
preliminary to the granting of national
suffrage. The effect of the bill would
be to add 13,000,000 voters to the na-
tional registers.