

Dominion - Wide Meet To Frame Policies In Aid Of Farmers Called

Non-Robert Weir Will Meet Representatives Of Every Phase Of Governmental Activity In Agriculture.

OTTAWA, Aug. 7.—Conference of agricultural services in Canada (Dominion and Provincial) will be held in Toronto on the week of August 20. Announcement of this was made today by Hon. Robert Weir, Dominion Minister of Agriculture.

NATIONAL BODY

The Minister will propose the establishment of a national committee of technical men to advise on the best methods of coordinating the various federal and provincial activities in research, experimentation, control, extension and marketing.

SUCCESS IS PROOF

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GETS STRONG SUPPORT

It is understood from the announcement made by Mr. Weir that the conference in Toronto will be attended by the provincial Ministers, heads of agricultural colleges in Canada representatives of the Dominion Department of Agriculture, and representatives from the National Research Council and the Canadian Society of Technical Agriculturists.

IMPRESSIVE

(Continued from Page 1) them in death from their shipmates. The three other men lost were victims of lesser tragedies. Eleven vessels of the fleet were lost at sea last year.

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NEW WATERWAY

(Continued from Page 1) of the rainbow; and here, there and everywhere were alert, khaki-clad policemen, an intimation that danger sometimes follows those in high places.

From the regimental band, the notes of the National Anthem rang out, as the Governor General drove up at three o'clock in the afternoon. He was accompanied by Prime Minister R. B. Bennett and Hon. R. J. Manion, Minister of Railways and Canals.

The real significance of the canal was that it constituted a link in the great seaway, Premier Bennett told the listeners. It would be of little value otherwise. It was one of the contributions which Canada had made to civilization.

"Workers pass but the work remains," said Mr. Bennett. Thus His Excellency the Governor General was performing the opening ceremonies of a work which had been undertaken when the Duke of Connaught represented his Majesty in Canada.

"It is owing to the kindness of your government that an Englishman is privileged to share in your joy and pride," said Rt. Hon. Stanley Baldwin, leader of the British delegation to the Imperial Conference. He rejoiced in Canada's "great triumph."

The funeral of the late James Currie was held yesterday afternoon from his late home 92 Green St. Charlottetown and was largely attended. Many of his former neighbors and friends from Bonshaw and vicinity being in attendance.

The service at the home was conducted by the Rev. R. Moorehead Legate and at the grave side by the Rev. Ewen MacDougall. The pall bearers were: Messrs Abner Crosby, Edwin Boyce, William Gaudet, Geddie McLeod, R. Vessey, W. Solomon. Interment was in the family plot in Argyle Shore Cemetery.

CONVENTION

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The business of the session completed, Miss K. W. MacArthur, Toronto, Ont., delivered an address on women's work.

At the evening session, Mr. R. H. MacNeill, Charlottetown, led the devotional service, speaking on the subject, "Christian Education the Hope of the World."

The nominating committee brought in a resolution re-electing the existing board of officers. Following is the report:

Major C. L. MacKay, Charlottetown, President. L. B. Mellish, Montague, Vice-President. Bertie L. Stewart, Charlottetown, Secy-Treas.

Members of the P. E. I. Missionary Board—Milton Stewart, Edison Rollings, J. H. Williams, Wilfred MacDonald, James MacCallum, Robert Beck, A. P. Wells, Ernest Houston.

Ex-Officio, All Ministers of the Churches in the Province. The president, Mr. C. L. MacKay then gave his annual address, outlining briefly the work of the year, and putting forward tentative suggestions for future work.

The Central Christian Church quartette, Messrs. C. L. MacKay, Preston Beck, W. L. Outhouse, and Milton Stewart rendered very acceptably "Where Will You Spend Eternity?"

The convention sermon on "Common Sense on Christianity," was preached by Pastor H. R. Bell, of South Lake.

DEATHS

HEARN—In this City. Sunday night, Aug. 7, 1932, at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. George McQuaid, 18 Stewart Street, Frances Hearn, age 72 years. Funeral notice later.

BASHA—In this City, August 5th, Elias Basha, aged 77 years. Funeral from his late residence, 247 Dorchester St. this morning at 8:45 to St. Dunstan's Basilica, thence to the R. C. Cemetery.

MATHIESON—At Springfield, Saturday, August 6th, Dr. James Rendgen with Mathieson, formerly of Charlottetown, aged 66 years. Funeral Monday, August 8th at 2 p. m. at the residence of Angus Mathieson, Springfield, thence to South Granville Cemetery. Please omit flowers.

Brief Stresses Need Of Protection For Lumber Industry

SAINT JOHN, Aug. 7.—(By The Canadian Press)—The substance of New Brunswick's brief on lumber was disclosed here following announcement at Ottawa that Canadian lumbermen and British importers had placed their report before the Imperial Conference.

In the event of a profitable market being secured in Great Britain, said the brief, it was estimated that New Brunswick could supply annually an amount of lumber equivalent to 200,000,000 ft. board measure, manufactured to meet the requirements of the British Market.

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PASTORAL

(Continued from Page 1) of a common faith and a common citizenship, the children of those original inhabitants and those pioneer settlers gather before God's altar to worship in accordance with Christ's command: "Do ye this in commemoration of Me."

They receive Christ's gracious Benediction, or kneel in silent prayer and adoration when their hearts are troubled with sorrow, or when they are hungry for divine consolation even in the midst of joys. Attending Mass and Benediction, and offering private adoration and prayer are the ordinary expressions of Catholic faith in the Real Presence and by these we fulfil those essential obligations of personal and social worship which the principles of right reason and the teachings of revelation proclaim must be offered by intelligent creatures to their Creator.

But down through the ages devotion to the Blessed Sacrament has consistently developed in accordance with the laws of human progress, and in recent years, due to the better apprehension of its importance, and encouraged by the facility of travel and social intercourse, Catholics are everywhere endeavouring to offer to our ever-present Saviour a greater tribute of love and honour than is possible within the limited resources of a single parish. As a result, meetings have been held for the purpose of celebrating and glorifying the Real Presence, and priests and laymen from various places have been seeking the best means of spreading the knowledge and love of the Blessed Sacrament throughout the world.

Within the last forty years these meetings have developed into diocesan, national and international or world Congresses, and the Holy Father usually sends a Cardinal Legate to personally represent him as president of these latter meetings.

We know that every effort is being made by the pastor and congregation of Miscouche to make this first Congress an historic event, and we ask you to pray that nothing will mar the deep religious character of this gathering. We beg all to come to it in a spirit of intense faith and sincere love for Jesus Christ. This is the only motive that should prompt you to attend. Although provision will be made for the comfort of those who come, we hope all will be willing to make personal sacrifices in order that everything will be edifying to those who may be drawn there by mere curiosity. Let us show those who do not believe as we do, that like the Apostles of old we know and believe we have with us "Christ, the Son of the Living God," and as actions speak louder than words we will by our piety be preaching the best sermon possible to those who are not "of the household of the faith." Noisy and picnic conduct should be absolutely avoided around the vicinity of the church, and during the procession of the Blessed Sacrament all should be either taking part in the singing or devoutly reciting the beads or private prayers.

We commend this holy undertaking to the heavenly protection of St. Pascal Baylon, patron of Eucharistic Congresses and to Mary Immaculate, the dearest and most faithful adorer of Jesus. These will be days of great and unusual graces for us and we should strive to take advantage of them to the fullest, by the adorations, thanksgivings, pleadings and supplications we pour forth to Him Who has assured us that His delights are to be with the children of men, and whose Sacred Heart is burning with love and generosity for us. May He have mercy upon us in this diocese, in this beloved Canada, in our renowned Empire, in the whole wide world, which belongs to Him by the double right of creation and the purchase price of His redeeming blood. May He forgive us our many coldnesses and negligences towards this Sacrament of His love, and accept this humble profession of our faith as an absolute and irrevocable consecration of our homes, our parishes, and our institutions in all of which we wish the Eucharistic Christ to reign as King. May the beautiful blessings of Jesus be upon us all in return, the blessing of peace and good health, the blessing of land and cloud and sea, the blessing of our lives full of deeds of honour, virtue and righteousness, and in God's good time, may we all have the eternal blessing of seeing the Real Presence of Jesus Christ, no longer hidden under the Eucharistic Veils, but in His heavenly majesty and glory.

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Annual Event Suggested

In accordance therefore with this modern trend of piety, which has received the fullest approval of the Church, this diocese will hold a Eucharistic Congress from the 14th to 17th of August, and we earnestly invite you all to take part in it. We hope that this modest effort of ours will henceforth be an annual event, the main functions of which will be held in a different parish each year, so that ultimately every parish will have the honor of holding high festival in praise of the Blessed Eucharist.

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Trinity United Church

MONDAY 7:30—Committee of Stewards—Regular monthly meeting—Social Hall. 4853-8-8-11

feast of Mary's glorious Assumption, offering their devotions especially for sinful Catholics who neglect to approach the altar even at Easter-time, and on Tuesday for the sick, the aged and infirm who are deprived of the blessings of frequent reception of the sacraments, so that these dear afflicted members of our diocese may also have a rich share in the blessings and spiritual joys of these days.

First General Meeting

On Tuesday evening, August 16th, the first general meeting of the Congress will take place in the parish church at Miscouche, when His Excellency, Most Reverend George Courchesne, Bishop of Rimouski, Quebec, will preach and Pontifical Benediction will be given.

Low Masses will be offered at Miscouche on Wednesday, August 17th, from 6 o'clock until the Solemn Pontifical Mass at 10:30, and at this Mass all the clergy of the diocese will be present, and the sermon will be delivered by Rev. Dr. McLellan, of Summerside. Following this Mass the Blessed Sacrament will remain exposed on the altar until 6 p.m., when the Congress will be brought to a close with a grand public procession of the Blessed Eucharist. If weather permits the Pontifical Mass and Benediction will take place at an outdoor altar, returning to the Church for the final blessing. During Wednesday afternoon a special conference will be held for the clergy at 3 o'clock in the parish hall, and at 3:30 o'clock a children's Holy Hour will be conducted in the church. We hope that every parish will be represented at the functions in Miscouche. Others should at least visit our Lord in their own parish churches on Wednesday afternoon and evening, so that it will be a day of united prayer and petition to God in which the entire diocese will take an active part.

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Bennett As Grandfather Pictured By British Paper

BARGAINING

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secure is reduction in tariffs on British goods rather than increase in the spread of preference by raising the tariff on foreign goods. In this regard, attention is drawn to the words used by Mr. Baldwin in his supplementary statement to the conference: "A preferential rate of duty, if the preference is to be of material assistance, must not be so high as, in effect, seriously to restrict importations; and the United Kingdom delegation would urge upon the dominions that the rates of duty charged should be so graduated as to give to the products of the United Kingdom a reasonable chance of competing on even terms, and that the rate of duty against United Kingdom products should be fixed for protective purposes no higher than is necessary to give a reasonably efficient industry in the Dominion a fair chance."

In British circles, moreover, emphasis is laid on the point that cost of production cannot be unduly increased if Great Britain is to find adequate markets for her products in the foreign field.

Menace of Russian lumber will loom large in coming discussion between the Canadian and British delegations. Lumbermen all over the Dominion are pressing for action. In passing, British headquarters tonight deny reports that representatives of British lumbering interests, with connections in Russia form a part of the British delegation. The eight industrial advisers of the British delegation, it is stated, do not include any representative of British lumbermen.

represented throughout the conference by Hon. L. P. D. Tilley, another Minister of the Government. Premier Richards was here for the opening, and is now making his second visit since the conference started.

"I am here to join with the New Brunswick delegation in any service we may be able to perform," Premier Richards said tonight. He was naturally more interested in the timber trade than anything else, he said, "and we would like to see the embargo on potatoes lifted," he added.

It is generally anticipated that the British delegation will be asked to hear arguments in favor of lifting the potato embargo, whether or not it could be considered a part of the economic conference programme. The embargo, imposed in 1925 because of the fear among British farmers that the Colorado beetle which infests Canadian potato plants, would be carried to the British Isles, has been a point of contention for some time, particularly last winter when shortage in the British market sent the price sky-rocketing while Maritime Province farmers held enormous stocks which they were unable to sell at any price.

At that time the Canadian Government sent an entomologist to England to try to convince British authorities that the beetle could not follow the crop. At the same time the Maritime Provinces sent a delegation of which Mr. Smith was a member, but it was a fruitless effort.

Trust Canadians, Says Beaverbrook LONDON, Aug. 7.—(Canadian Press Cable)—Lord Beaverbrook, in his Sunday Express today urged British Ministers at the Ottawa Imperial Economic Conference to cease what he termed their "propaganda" in the British press depreciating the value of Canada's trade offer.

"Suppose the Canadian offer is not good enough, which I do not acknowledge for a moment," the Canadian-born peer said, "what folly it would be on that account not to lay the foundations of a new Empire."

"Don't tell me the old story about the obstacles of the manufacturing industries in Canada and Australia. Let our Ministers give up their attacks on Mr. Bennett and propaganda in the British press depreciating the value of the Canadian offer."

"Trust Canadians as you trusted them in 1914. Throw the responsibility on Mr. Bennett."

The Sunday Times and Sunday Observer both urged patience in appraising progress at the Ottawa Conference.

AGRICULTURE

OTTAWA, Aug. 7.—(By the Canadian Press)—British, Dominion and Provincial Ministers of Agriculture discussed the industry during the week-end. Trips were made to points in the Ottawa Valley, Lu-

OTTAWA, Aug. 7.—Delegates to the Imperial Conference from the United Kingdom and other Dominions than Canada were tonight considering the advisability of issuing a joint statement in denial of scurrilous attacks appearing in two London papers against Premier Bennett.

Apart from the epithets—such as "buffoon"—employed, they charge him with holding up the conference. "That is quite untrue," a senior British delegate declared tonight. "It is also most unfair. Probably no similar conference has ever progressed more favorably, more consistently, or with greater despatch. It was at our request, not Mr. Bennett's, that the conference adjourned from Friday until Tuesday. Though no general meetings were held during that period the time was not wasted. I have heard no delegate speak of Mr. Bennett's chairmanship except in deservedly laudatory terms."

The papers which attacked the Canadian premier were the London Star and London News Chronicle, Liberal in politics and under joint ownership.

The Ottawa Journal today editorially publishes excerpts from the News Chronicle's representative at the conference in which the latter writes: "I imagine there will be intervals of baby worship between discussions on intra-Empire banking, marketing and shipping, for Lord and Lady Bessborough have a very small baby at Government House, and the Prime Minister, the Right Hon. R. B. Bennett, has recently become a successful grandfather."

And the News-Chronicle had more to tell. Not satisfied with this news about our premier, the writer went on to say: "She (Mr. Bennett's daughter) will be at Laurier House as hostess during the Conference; that is the Number 10 Downing Street of the Canadian capital."

It will probably be news to Canada's bachelor premier that he is a "successful grandfather," but it will be even greater news to him to learn that Laurier House—the home of Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King—is the equivalent of 10 Downing Street and that "his daughter" is hostess there during the Conference. It will also be news to Mr. King.

Revival of the market for Canadian sawn lumber in the United Kingdom continues to loom large in Imperial Conference discussions. Thousands of men would be afforded employment in this country by the regaining of this large market which was lost to Soviet Russia through the "dumped" product of cheap labor.

To meet the system of "dumping" lumber into the Mother Country by the Soviet Union, proposals have been put forward resulting from conferences with British importers. An increase in the British preference from 10 to 20 or 25 per cent has been agreed upon between Canada and the British importer and control of imports from Russia.

Canada, with enormous supplies of exportable sawn lumber, principally in British Columbia, Ontario, Quebec, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia is prepared to ship one-third of the United Kingdom's yearly import of 4,100,000,000 feet board measure amounting to \$140,000,000 in value. Today, the Dominion only supplies to the Mother Country 44 per cent of the total import and Soviet Russia 36.7 per cent. Giving their cooperation to the Dominion Government, a number of provincial government representatives have been here during the past week. Others are expected to arrive tomorrow.

Too Late To Classify LOST—SPARE TIRE AND RIM between Keppoch and Charlottetown. Finder leave at this office. 4854-8-8-21