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Duncan Report Under Review

Transportation Now The Chief Problem With The Maritimes, States Writer In Southam Press.

(Canadian Press)

OTTAWA, Ont. Sept. 4.—In a second report of conditions in the Maritime Provinces, Paul Reading, for the Southam Press, states that a frank recognition of rights has given the Maritimes the will to go ahead, and in the main he says that recommendations of the Duncan report has been carried out. Among other things there are the following:

"A memorandum prepared at the instance of the St. John Board of Trade finds in the report thirty-one recommendations, of which it classifies thirteen as implemented or partly implemented. Another analysis reduces the number to ten recommendations, on eight of which action has been taken, but close inspection suggests that there is not such a wide disparity between these two summaries as the mere figures suggest. The essential points are: That the Duncan Commission was unqualified in its acceptance of several Maritime claims that had hitherto been vaguely understood by the rest of Canada; that most of its major recommendations have been at least partly carried out; and that there are still a number of important points awaiting final action."

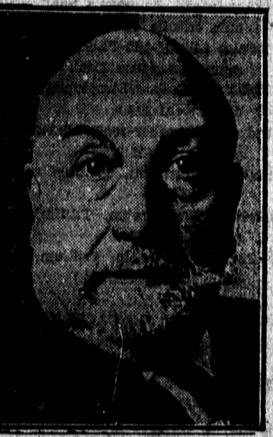
"The Commission left no doubt regarding Canada's obligation to treat railway communication with the Maritimes as one of the terms of Confederation. It endorsed the claim of the three eastern Provinces to special consideration on the score that they were promised this consideration as a condition of their union with Upper and Lower Canada. This was the basis of twenty per cent rail freight reduction applied two years ago on local 'eastern lines' traffic, and on goods moving out from the Maritimes both by land and sea."

"The action taken does not completely fulfill the Duncan recommendation but it does represent a subsidy of from \$3,500,000 to \$4,000,000 a year to Maritime traffic and it has opened new western markets to certain Maritime products."

ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC.

- *St. Peter's school will reopen Friday, 13th, at 9 a. m. 7723-9-4-21
- *Dr. Chitt, M. D.—Start now home prevention cure, Purdy Station, Westchester Co., N. Y., U. S. A. 6-7-11, Sept. 12nd.
- *United Church Women's Missionary Society Rally, Montague, September 13th. Afternoon Conference, evening public meeting. 7745-9-5-11
- *Morell Club loading hogs and lambs September 11th from 10 A. M. to 2 P. M. Book now, George Leslie, Secretary. 7766-9-4-21
- *Club loading at Murray River September 10th. Lambs forenoon, hogs and calves afternoon. 7732-9-5-21
- *Southern Queen's Shipping Club loading hogs, fat sheep and lambs Tuesday, September 10th. Stewart Ross, Secretary. 7740-9-5-21
- *An officer of the Dominion Poultry Division will hold a poultry culling demonstration at Peakes Station on Friday, Sept. 6th, at 10 a. m. Place Wallace Rd. R. R. 4. 7751
- *M. Nash, District Poultry Promoter will hold poultry culling demonstrations at St. George's Eggs Circle, Friday, Sept. 6th, at the following places: 10 a. m. E. J. Macdonald, St. George's; 3 p. m. Daniel Macdonald, Lomaxing. 7751

80 Years Young



Sir Alexander Mackenzie, one of Britain's leading musicians, who celebrated his 80th birthday recently. He attributes his longevity to appreciation of a good joke and hard work.

Endurance Plane Forced Down

(Canadian Press)

CHICAGO, Sept. 4.—The plane "Chicago, We Will" in which Russell Mossman and C. E. Steele were seeking an endurance flight record was forced down at 2:30 p. m. Chicago daylight time this afternoon after having been aloft in their Stinson-Detroler for 290 hours and 57 minutes. Magneto trouble forced their descent.

British Fight With Bedouins

(Canadian Press)

JERUSALEM, Sept. 4.—The correspondent of the Jewish Telegraphic Agency reported today that British troops were engaged in a fierce fight last night near Gaza with a Bedouin tribe. Several of the Bedouins were killed and wounded.

Cruisers Will Be Constructed

(Special to the Guardian)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 4.—Ultimate construction by the United States of the entire 15 cruisers authorized by Congress in the last naval program were predicted by Chairman Hale of the Senate Naval Committee, after a conference with President Hoover today at the White House. Senator Hale said he had talked to the president regarding the naval question and believed the 15 cruisers would have to be constructed no matter what agreement on the naval question was reached between the United States and Great Britain.

Conservative Rally

(Special to the Guardian)

TORONTO, Ont., Sept. 4.—Plans for the Conservative rally on Sept. 19 in honor of Premier G. Howard Ferguson were advanced another stage yesterday when a special committee from the provincial Conservative members of the legislature met in session at the Royal York hotel. Tentative arrangements call for the entertainment of 2,300 men and women representatives of all sections of the province. Premier Ferguson will be the sole speaker at the dinner. From him is expected the opening shot of the next Ontario election campaign.

TEACHERS MEET IN CONFERENCE

Annual Meeting of East Prince Teachers' Association At Summerside.

The annual meeting of the East Prince Teachers' Association was held in Summerside High School on Tuesday. The morning session opened at 10 o'clock with Mr. Jelly presiding. After the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting, the enrollment of teachers took place and the Resolution, Press and Nominating Committees were appointed. Mr. Braden Jelly, in the absence of the President, then gave an address in which he stressed the duties of the teachers to the Federation. Inspectors Auld and Murphy then addressed the meeting and touched briefly on the subjects of history, school fairs, physical drill, the keeping of registers and other phases of school work. Mr. Auld expressed regret at the departure of Professor Shaw from the province and that he would be a very distinct loss to the Department of Education.

Miss Katherine McLean then gave an interesting outline of the Junior Red Cross work and its objects and aims. Professor Lloyd Shaw followed with an interesting talk on the course of studies, the changes of test books and other matters of vital importance to the teachers as a whole. In regard to the change of test books Mr. Shaw did not think they had been changed too often and expressed himself pleased with the amount of supplementary reading that had been added to the text books.

At the afternoon session the chief feature was Mr. Shaw's address on the teaching of English. In a pleasing and instructive address he pointed out the most important factors in the teaching of English and suggested the combined use of the word and phonetic methods to be used in the primary grades. He also attached a great deal of importance to reading and spoke of the value of silent reading and by way of illustration gave the teachers a test in silent reading. He expressed the hope that one of the results of the present Royal Commission on Education would be that a sufficient supply of supplementary literature would be obtainable from the Department. Resolutions were then read and adopted. First, resolved that the thanks of this convention be tendered to Professor Shaw and the Supervisors and all those who assisted in any way in making this convention a success. Second, Resolved that the thanks of this convention be given to the trustees of the Summerside High School for the use of this building. Third, Resolved that this convention approves of the Education Commission now holding an investigation throughout this Province and would recommend that the board of Education implement its recommendations as soon as possible. Fourth, Whereas this year the teachers have been seriously handicapped in having to commence work without a course of studies. Therefore resolved that in future the Department of Education be asked to place a curriculum for the ensuing year in the hands of the teachers at the end of June thus enabling them to gain an insight into the work during the holidays. Fifth, Whereas many new books have been placed on the course of studies and a considerable expense is entailed by the teacher to procure the same therefore resolved that the Department of Education require the School Boards to place in each school a complete set of the books on the curriculum. The officers for the ensuing year were then elected as follows:—President, Mr. Norman McDonald, of Kensington; Vice President, Mr. Austin McDonald of Summerside; Secretary-Treasurer, Miss Agnes Ramsay, of Summerside. The convention was voted a great success and about seventy delegates attended the meeting.

Canada to Adhere To World Court

(By George Hambleton, Canadian Press staff correspondent.)

GENEVA, Sept. 4.—Canada's intention to adhere to the optional clause in the constitution of the permanent court of international justice during the present assembly of the League of Nations was formally declared this afternoon by Senator Raoul Dandurand, head of the Canadian delegation. At the same time he made it clear that in doing so Canada was following the policy she enunciated four years ago.

Sale Of Wine Is Advocated

(Canadian Press)

MONTREAL, Que., Sept. 4.—Taverns in the Province of Quebec, may soon have permits for the sale of wine to patrons. At present beer is the only type of alcoholic beverage on sale at such establishments. Premier Taschereau commenting on placards exhibited during the Labor Day parade which advocated the sale of wine said that the question was being given careful consideration by the Provincial Government.

Threshing Well Advanced In Manitoba

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From Quebec

(Canadian Press)

REGINA, Sask., Sept. 4.—J. F. Bryant, Conservative, Lumsden, was elected speaker of the first session of Saskatchewan's seventh legislature over J. M. Parker, Liberal, Touchwood, by a vote of 35 to 28. Premier Gardiner had previously declared he would not accept a defeat on the speakership as a vote of non-confidence.

Largely Attended Wedding At Summerside

(Canadian Press)

The marriage of Agnes Ruth, only daughter of Mrs. MacPhail and the late Dr. Colin Alexander MacPhail, to Mr. Alastair George MacKinnon of Montreal, son of Dr. and Mrs. Clarence MacKinnon of Halifax, N. S., took place at 2 o'clock on Wednesday, September the fourth, in Trinity United Church, Summerside, the church being filled to capacity by friends and well wishers.

The ceremony was performed by the pastor, Rev. J. P. C. Fraser, assisted by Rev. Dr. MacKinnon, father of the groom. The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion by the girl friends of the bride. The altar was banked with potted plants in autumn tints with lovely bowls of chrysanthemums and gladiolus and a beautiful arch of ferns and dainty flowers. The bride was given in marriage by Dr. Albert Sharp, and wore a white satin gown made in princess style, the skirt falling in graceful folds in a long back. Her veil was arranged in cap shape with orange blossoms and her bouquet was a shower of yellow roses with lilies of the valley. Miss Strong, the organist, played the Wedding March as the bridal party entered the church. The bride's mother was dressed in an ensemble of orchid georgette and wore a corsage bouquet of orchids and sweet peas. The groom's mother was gowned in black and white and wore a very beautiful Japanese coat and wore a corsage bouquet of pink roses. The ushers were Mr. Robert Gordon and Mr. Hugh Nicholson. During the signing of the register Miss Dorothy Wyatt rendered very beautifully "O Promise Me."

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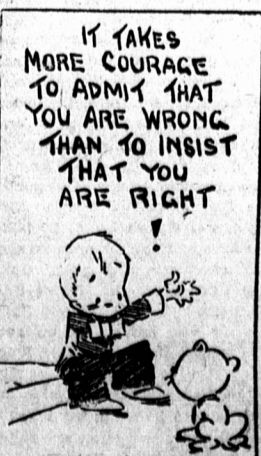
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