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INQUIRY INTO CRUISE OF MARGARET OPENED

Evidence Heard Regarding Cruise of 1923 - Inquiry Adjourning Until Saturday.

(Canadian Press) QUEBEC, Aug. 5.—Allegations of wild orgies and ministerial joyrides on the Customs cruiser Margaret were branded as baseless in a report today which was released by Sir F. X. Lemieux, confounding the Customs Probe started by the Stevens committee.

Chamber Votes Confidence in Poincare

(Special to the Guardian) PARIS, Aug. 5.—The Chamber of Deputies today voted confidence in Premier Poincare by rejecting a socialist counter project to Poincare's plan regarding the tobacco monopoly. The Socialists' counter project was rejected by 350 votes to 172.

Maintains Same Attitude on Religious Question

(Special to the Guardian) MEXICO CITY, Aug. 5.—President Calles again has reiterated the intention of his government "to enforce without fearing interdicts or punishments," the Mexican constitutional provisions regarding religion. General Calles has replied to this effect to Augusto B. Leguia, President of Peru, who sent the Mexican chief executive a telegram requesting re-establishment of harmony between the Mexican government and the Roman Catholic Church.

Ch'town Defeated New Glasgow By Score of 12 to 9

(Canadian Press) NEW GLASGOW, Aug. 5.—Charlottetown won for the first time their mainland baseball tour when they defeated New Glasgow here today by a score of 12 to 9. The game was scored by heavy hitting and many errors. The pitching of Connors for Charlottetown who held the New Glasgow line to eight hits, coupled with the frequent misplays of the local team was responsible for the Abegweits victory. The Abegweits collected thirteen safes, his only McLean. The Charlottetown players leave for home tomorrow.

King Dislikes Modern Fashions

(Special to the Guardian) COWES, England, Aug. 5.—King George's dislike for sleeveless gowns and short skirts as summer fashions for women is said to be responsible for a remarkable reversion to former styles by the exclusive set here for the regatta season. The younger women of the social set have suddenly taken to long sleeves and longer skirts.

Customs Probe Continued

QUEBEC, Aug. 5.—Reading of the commission extending the Customs Probe and naming Francois Lemieux to preside at the hearings was the opening act. Mr. Justice D'Auteuil swore in Sir Francois on the bench. The oath to the commission officials followed.

Did The Sun Rise?

Ex-Premier King is reported in his latest speeches as declaring that in all his experience of eleven campaigns he has never seen such intense interest in an election, and he has no doubt of the result.

Apostolic Delegate Leaves For Rome

(OTTAWA, Aug. 5.—His Excellency the Most Rev. Pietro di Maria former Apostolic Delegate for Canada and Newfoundland, left Ottawa quietly last night to return to Rome, before taking up his new duties as Papal Nuncio at Bern Switzerland.

PRINCE ADDRESSES BRITISH ASSOCIATION

Mixes Slang With Serious Thought, Opening Meeting of Scientists—Reveals Hope of penetrating Cancer Secrets.

(OXFORD, Eng., Aug. 5.—The Prince of Wales mixed slang with serious thought on science to produce what critics call the most ambitious oratorical effort in his life. Speaking as president of the British Association for the Advancement of Science, the Prince opened the annual meeting of that organization at the Sheldonian Theatre here Wednesday night. It was the first time a member of the British Royal family had presided at a meeting of the organization, since Prince Albert, great grandfather of the Prince of Wales, had performed that function in 1859. Thirty-five hundred delegates from all parts of the world were assembled for the meeting. It was the first time since the war that Germans have been present.

Speech of 8,000 Words

The final draft of the speech was 8,000 words long, and it represented months of work on the part of the heir to the throne. Many looked upon it as a concrete result of recent announcements that the Prince had settled down seriously to train for his future job of ruling Great Britain. Disavowing any capacity to instruct the servants of various fields represented at the gathering, the Prince of Wales pointed out that one of his duties as president was "to tell you something that you don't know already."

Members of Royal Commission Arrive

Sir Andrew Rae Duncan, Judge Wallace, Prof. Cyrus MacMillan and F. McClure Sclanders, comprising the Royal Commission investigating the claims of the Maritime Provinces, arrived in Charlottetown last evening and will hold their first session in the Legislative Assembly room this forenoon at 10 o'clock.

Maritime Sitings Will Open Aug. 16

(Canadian Press) QUEBEC, Aug. 5.—Maritime sittings of the Lemieux commission investigating the Customs Department will open at Halifax probably on Aug. 16. R. L. Calder, K. C., counsel, stated today that the Maritime sittings would certainly not be open before the 16th.

TEACHERS' CONVENTION WILL CONCLUDE SITTINGS TODAY

Election of Officers Yesterday With Mr. Coldwell as the New President—Nearly Three Hundred of the Teachers Were the Guests of the City Council at a Dinner at Beach Grove Inn.

Yesterday was another arduous day for the official delegates of the Canadian Teachers' Federation, who, in order that they may bring their business to completion, are this morning holding a session that will begin at seven o'clock. The most important business transacted at yesterday's session was the election of officers, which resulted as follows: President; Mr. M. J. Coldwell, Saskatchewan. Vice President; Dr. E. A. Hardy, Ontario. Secretary Treasurer; Mr. G. J. Elliott, Manitoba. Executive; Mr. G. W. Clark, British Columbia; Mr. A. Waite, Alberta; Mr. W. Mountain, Manitoba; Mr. L. McDonald, Prince Edward Island; Dr. G. J. Oulton, New Brunswick; Past President Howe, Quebec.

DOMINION REGISTRATION OF TEACHERS

Following the action of the Canadian Teachers' Federation Convention of 1925 in referring the report of the Manitoba Committee to the Provincial Organizations and Executive of the Manitoba Teachers' Federation appointed the following committee to give the question of Dominion Registration of Teachers further consideration and submit recommendation: Mr. A. E. Hearn, Mr. D. Allison, Mr. C. W. Laidlaw, Mr. G. G. Bell, Mr. G. J. Oulton. The Executive of the Manitoba Teachers' Federation directed that the report of this committee be forwarded to the Convention of the Canadian Teachers' Federation without prejudice.

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MUST NOTIFY SECRETARY IN ADVANCE. Anyone having information which they wish to place before the Royal Commission investigating the claims of the Maritimes, would confer a favor by notifying the Secretary, Mr. F. McClure Sclanders well in advance, accompanying the notification with a précis of the evidence to be presented.

S. F. Doyle Re-elected President of M.P.B.A.A.U. of C.

(Canadian Press) AMHERST, N. S., Aug. 5.—Samuel F. Doyle was elected president of the Maritime Province Branch of the A. A. U. of C. with W. E. Sterling of St. John as senior vice-president, H. A. MacQuarrie of Westville as junior vice-president and L. B. MacMillan of Charlottetown as the new secretary. A. D. Campbell of Sydney was named as honorary vice-president of the Maritime body, while the following members were named to represent the Maritime branch at the annual meeting of the A. A. U. of C. to be held in St. John at an early date: F. Doyle, Charlottetown; L. B. MacMillan, Charlottetown; H. A. MacQuarrie, Westville; Gordon Quigley, Halifax; S. I. Bolton, Sussex; Chas. Gillespie, Moncton; A. Blakeney, Moncton; W. E. Sterling, St. John; and T. Kennedy, St. John.

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9 Killed, 3 Injured In Automobile Accident

(Canadian Press) PARIS, Aug. 5.—Nine persons were killed and three seriously injured when an automobile skidded near Wildbach, Germany, and fell to the railroad tracks just as a train was passing, according to a Havas despatch. Not a single person in the automobile escaped either death or injury.

Land and Nation League to Publish Newspaper

(Special to the Guardian) LONDON, Aug. 5.—An intensive campaign to popularize the new Liberal land policy is being organized by the Land and Nation League, of which Lloyd George is president. And in connection therewith, a newspaper will be published by the League and 2,500 public meetings will be held. The newspaper, which will make its first appearance on October 1, will be called "The Land News". The League hopes that the circulation of the paper will reach 250,000 by the end of the year.

4,000 Houses Inundated In Japanese Town

(Special to the Guardian) TOKIO, Aug. 5.—The most serious flood recorded here in 35 years, has devastated a prefecture. Four thousand houses were inundated in the town of Honjo. Casualties in the flood areas yet unknown. Many towns in the area are without lights.

Royal Commission Sitting Here

The Royal Commission which has for some time been sitting in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, on the city last evening, and this morning at ten o'clock will begin sitting in the Provincial Chamber to hear the claims of Prince Edward Island.

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NO CONSTITUTIONAL ISSUE SAYS MEIGHEN

King Always Shivering in White Terror Over the Constitution When He is Out of Power.

(NORTH BAY, Aug. 5.—Standing at the portal of the great north—as he himself put it—Premier Meighen tonight declared his readiness to co-operate with the Ontario Government in a practical plan to "get something done" in the development of northern Ontario water power. "You want water powers developed," he said, and referring to legislation adopted by the King government, he added, "I want to give assurance here that upon the expiry of any grants or rights made by status—when those do expire—it will be the policy of any government of which I am the head, to meet at once the government of this province and cooperate with them in a practical plan to get something done to meet the aspirations of the people of this district and to bring results not only to Northern Ontario, but to the wide community of which you are the centre."

Mr. Meighen had trenchant phrases for accomplishments of the King administration. Liberals were waving flags and shouting hallelujahs "over reducing taxes, while the sales tax was two thirds higher than when they took office." "They want to get your blessing," he said, "for raising taxes on the masses of the people and reducing them on the rich."

Tariff reductions on automobiles in the Robb budget were the most maddening sham and hoax that any government ever perpetrated on an unsuspecting people, they want you to put the oil of gladness into their hands for that noble sacrifice.

He described Mr. King as struggling desperately for some issue which would give the customs report. "There's no affair here," he said, "to hide the wiles of wickedness."

And he says the Governor General has to do whatever his Prime Minister advises all the time, even to the extent of enabling him or his government to be supreme over the House of Commons, and refusing the House of Commons the right to censure. No Prime Minister in the history of Parliamentary government in any country has ever asked for a dissolution when there was a motion of censure pending against him."

Mr. Meighen held that he, himself, was entitled to dissolution on two grounds: 1—No motion of censure was pending against him; 2. A government which came into power between one election and the next without a dissolution by every British precedent. On the authority of Lord Russell, on the authority of Queen Victoria in writing and on the authority of every man who had written on the constitutional law.

"There is no more constitutional question in this fight than there is in the anatomy of the sun," Mr. Meighen declared. Mr. King was always shivering in white terror over the constitution," when he was out of power.

LONDON, Aug. 5.—The British government refuses to become alarmed at the receipts of reports of ultimatum flung back and forth between Bulgaria and Jugoslavia in consequence of border raids. Nevertheless the Govt. is using its influence in both Belgrade and Sofia to reduce the present tension.

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