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Accidents Take Toll Of 150 Lives

United States Reports Many Fatalities Over Independence Day Weekend.

SALARIES OVER \$5,000 TO BE REDUCED

C. N. R. Officials To Take Cut On August 1st.

(Canadian Press)

OTTAWA, July 4.—Further reductions in the salaries of officials of the Canadian National Railways above \$5,000 per annum will be made shortly, it was learned here today. It is understood the reductions will take effect on August 1. The proposed cuts do not affect salaries or wages under \$5,000.

The C. N. R. directors have been studying the question of further reductions on salaries over \$5,000. Hon. Dr. Manion, minister of Railways and Canals, replied to them when asked as to the accuracy of the report that such reductions were pending. The directors had made considerable progress in this

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NEW YORK, July 4.—(A.P.)—The death list of victims in the United States celebration of Independence Day today approached the 150 mark tonight with prospects of going considerably beyond that figure.

From all sections of the country came reports of fatal automobile accidents, drowning, and other deaths attributable to the three day Independence anniversary holiday.

Automobiles were far in the van as a cause of death. Drownings came second. Only eight deaths, less than reported in any recent year, were blamed upon fireworks—six in Butte, Mont., one in Indiana and one in Ohio.

The weather brought moderate temperatures to most of the country and no deaths attributable to the heat were reported.

The Butte fireworks tragedy, one of the worst in recent years, took the lives of six youths under 20. They were killed when a pile of dynamite caps suddenly exploded while they were detonating them one by one. The source of the caps or the cause of the explosion were not learned.

Automobile accidents caused more than 80 deaths. There had been more than 50 drownings. Sundry other mishaps accounted for a small number. Of the drownings, nine

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RELIEF BILL Settlement Not Yet Reached At Lausanne

Measure May Become Law Despite Suggestions Of A Veto From President Hoover.

WASHINGTON, July 4.—(A.P.)—Nearing the end of a long seven months' trial U. S. Congressional leaders laid plans today to provide relief for the unemployed and go home.

The \$2,100,000,000 compromise relief bill is expected to receive approval tomorrow from the conference committee and be taken up immediately by the Senate and the House of Representatives.

Sponsors of the legislation were hopeful it would be enacted into law before the week end, despite

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Ramsay MacDonald Will Leave For London On Thursday, By Which Time It Is Hoped A New Treaty Will Have Been Signed.

LAUSANNE, Switzerland, July 4.—(Canadian Press Cable)—Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald put his foot down today and declared he was not going to allow the Lausanne reparations conference to drag on and on. He announced he must leave on Thursday night for London and that his decision is irrevocable.

As the British Prime Minister is not only chairman of the conference but has been forced by circumstances into the role of mediator between France and Germany, his statement will inevitably accelerate the business of the conference and probably lead to a settlement of the main issues within 24 hours.

Bracken Will Have Two Opponents

THE PAS, Man., July 4.—(By the Canadian Press)—Premier John Bracken will have two opponents in the deferred election in The Pas when electors go to the polls July 14. Nomination papers were filed here today on behalf of Mr. Bracken, member of the last house, N. E. McDonald, Labor, and H. F. Meallison, K. C., Independent Conservative.

A. A. Campbell, official Conservative candidate, was not nominated. He issued a brief statement in which he said financial reasons were the cause of his staying out of the fight.

Jones Declared Elected By 627 Majority

HAMPTON, N. B., July 4.—(By the Canadian Press)—Today was declaration day in the constituency of Royal, following last Monday's election, and Hon. George E. Jones, Conservative, was officially declared elected with a majority of 627 votes over his Liberal opponent, Donald V. White. The totals were: Jones, 6,754; White, 7,127. Mr. Jones received 5,106 votes in Kings County and 2,588 in Queens as compared with 4,451 and 2,676 for Mr. White.

NEW CABINET FOR PORTUGAL

LISBON, Portugal, July 4.—(A.P.)—Oliveira de Salazar, finance minister for the last two years, succeeded today in forming a new Portuguese cabinet to succeed the government of General Domingos Oliveira, which resigned last month. De Salazar will be presiding officer and minister of finance, and also will hold temporarily the war portfolio.

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Will Support Hoover Proposals

LONDON, July 4.—(A.P.)—It was said in authoritative quarters today that Great Britain has decided to build up a disarmament case at Geneva harmonious with and on the foundations of President Hoover's proposal for reducing the world's arms by one-third.

The British delegation at Geneva it was said, will not advance a distinct programme of its own but, using the Hoover plan as a basis, will put forward observations upon it. Implementing the proposals of the United States in some cases appears to be the intention.

BRITISH DELEGATES CRITICISED

Their Proposals Would Seriously Threaten The Whole Canadian Cotton Textile Industry, It is Claimed.

(Canadian Press)

MONTREAL, July 4.—The conference here a few weeks ago between British and Canadian cotton mill owners was the subject of a statement today in which the attitude of the British delegates was subjected to some criticism. The statement came as a reply to the report made to Hon. J. H. Thomas, Secretary of State for the Dominions, on the return home of the Lancashire men.

The report of the British delegates stated that the Canadians showed "marked reluctance to contemplate the slightest diminution in the level of protection against British injury." In their reply, the Canadian cotton men declare the British proposals were "excessive and were admitted to be so by the sponsors."

The Canadians take the Lancas-

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LOST FLYERS ARE FOUND

Were Greatly Weakened As a Result Of Their Experiences In The Australian Bush.

WYNDHAM, West Australia, July 4.—(Canadian Press Cable)—Greatly weakened and even slightly deranged as a result of their gruelling experiences in the bush, two German flyers lost for nearly two months were found alive today and were being brought back here. They were Captain Hans Bertram and his companion named Klausmann, who had been missing since May 17, after they had started a flight from Kupang Island to Darwin, in Australia's Northern Territory.

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Prospects Good For Canadian Cattle Trade

LONDON, July 4.—(Canadian Press Cable)—Prospects for increased cattle exports from Canada to Great Britain appeared bright tonight as the House of Commons refused to exempt livestock from the list of duties which the government was empowered to impose against the Irish Free State.

The last attempt from the opposition to block the measure came in the form of an amendment from the Independent Labor party which moved to exclude Free State livestock from the provisions act. The amendment was defeated by a vote of 310 to 43.

Non-pedigreed live cattle from Canada are barred at present from Great Britain but Canadian pedigreed stock enjoy the same treatment as that accorded Free State cattle until enforcement of the measure passed tonight. A statement to this effect was made in the House of Commons today by Sir John Gilmour, Minister of Agriculture.

QUEBEC, July 4.—A detachment of artillerymen from the garrison left here yesterday for Halifax, where they will undergo a course of training.

British Offer Is Not Accepted

Free State Insists On International Tribunal Instead Of Empire Body, To Arbitrate Annuities Question.

(Canadian Press Cable)

LONDON, July 5.—The House of Commons early this morning adopted the Government's measure empowering tariffs on goods from the Irish Free State by a vote of 223 to 31, a government majority of 192.

LONDON, July 4.—(Canadian Press Cable)—A majority of 278 votes was accorded the government on the first test of strength in the House of Commons tonight in the government's proposal to recover the land annuities from the Irish Free State by imposing new duties on imports from the Free State.

The House voted 321 and 43 against a Labor opposition amendment to the government's tariff

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Steel Men To Discuss Matters

MONTREAL, July 4.—(By the Canadian Press)—In preparation for the coming Imperial Economic Conference at Ottawa, representatives of the British and Canadian steel industries will commence a series of conferences here tomorrow.

It is understood the meetings have been arranged so that the steel men of the two countries may have an opportunity to discuss each others' viewpoint and the best method of co-operation.

In order to assist the Imperial conference in every way possible, the British and Canadian representatives have thought it essential that they should understand each others' position in advance so that there will be no danger of a clash while the conference is continuing.

The meetings will be held in camera and it is expected that few announcements will be made until the close of the sessions.

Banquet For Delegates

OTTAWA, July 4.—(By the Canadian Press)—The Canadian Government will tender a banquet to the delegates to the Imperial Conference on the night of the opening of the parley on July 21.

Preparations for several other functions are under way. Lord Beesborough will give a dinner to the Empire representatives shortly after their arrival, and the date will be made known in a few days.

Record & Forecast of the Weather

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Toronto, July 4.—Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson ... 42 74; Vancouver ... 54 70; Edmonton ... 46 68; Winnipeg ... 48 74; Toronto ... 54 68; Ottawa ... 50 74; Montreal ... 56 72; Quebec ... 48 72; St. John ... 32 62; Halifax ... 45 72; Charlottetown ... 36 70.

SYNOPSIS
Pressure is low over northeastern Quebec and along the north Atlantic coast, also over a large portion of the western provinces and western States, with rising pressure in the region of the Great Lakes.

FORECASTS
Gulf and North Shore: Fresh to strong westerly winds; mostly fair and cool.

Maritime West: Moderate to fresh winds; mostly clearing and cool.

Maritime East: Fresh shifting winds; unsettled at first, with probably showers; clearing later.

measure, which would have had the effect of delaying imposition of the tariffs until a decision had been rendered on the annuities by an arbitration tribunal and the Free State had thereafter defaulted the payments.

Developments crowded thickly in a long day of the House of Commons and at the end of these facts had emerged.

The latest communication from the Free State rejects the British offer of arbitration by an Empire tribunal, instead insisting on an international tribunal.

The British Government is going ahead therefore with the meas-

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STATISTICS ON GOLD PRODUCTION

For Second Consecutive Year, Canada Is Second Largest Gold Producing Country In The World.

(Canadian Press)
OTTAWA, July 4.—The 1931 Canadian gold production amounting to 2,693,892 fine ounces valued at \$55,697,888 constitute a new high record in the gold mining industry of the Dominion and for the second consecutive year established Canada in the position of the second largest gold producing country in the world. Gold is now Canada's most valuable mineral output even surpassing coal, which retained the premier position for so many years, says a report issued today by the

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Oil Conference

PARIS, July 4.—(A.P.)—The oil conference among representatives of Great Britain, the United States and Rumania continued today its effort to work out details of an agreement in principal reached last Friday.

This agreement recognized the necessity for co-operative action. Today's session lasted almost six hours and discussions will be resumed tomorrow.

Russian interests were not represented.



First quarter moon Sunday, July 10, 11:07 p.m.
Summer's tide eighteen minutes later than Christmascross.

CAR FERRY SCHEDULE
Week days—Leaves Borden full load 8 a.m., 11 a.m., 2 p.m., 5 p.m., 8 p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC

- Hope River Tea Party July 9th. 4182-7-5-31.
- Grand Picnic July 16th, Morell Rear Parish. 4193-7-5-31.
- Dance in Fortune Bridge Hall, Friday, July 8. 4186-7-5-31.
- St. Columba's Tea Party, July 9th. Better than ever. 413-7-5-31.
- Borden Live Club loading hogs, lambs, calves, Albany, Wednesday, July 6th. 4156-7-5-31.
- Kelly's Cross Tea Party Wednesday, July 13th. The best yet. 4196-7-5-31.
- Alpha Rebekah Lodge meets Tuesday, July 5. Installation of officers. 4200-7-5-11.
- Tryon-Crapaud United Church Picnic Wednesday, July 6th or first one day following. 4158-7-5-31.
- Come to the ice cream festival and dance in Toronto School, Tuesday, July 5th. 4135-7-2-31.
- Ice Cream, Soft Drinks, Cigars and Cigarettes at Town Hall, Georgetown, July 6th, 1932. 3948-6-28-7-4-5.
- Don't forget Lawn Party at Long Creek on Thursday, July 8th. Proceeds West River Telephone Co. 4189-7-5-21.
- All set for a real good night's entertainment at Hearts Hall tonight. Good specialties, electric lights, etc. 4189-7-5-11.
- Games, Bingo, Dancing Contest, Music and a delightful half-holiday assured at Hope River, Saturday, July 9th. 4153-7-5-11.
- If you have not seen "The Red Headed Stepchild" you still have a chance. Willshire players at East Royalty tonight. 4168-7-5-11.
- Annual Envelope Collection for Maintenance City Hospital will be taken up from 8th to 15th inst. 4182-7-5-11.
- Come! Come! Come! Millon Festival on Wednesday, July 6th. Supper, Bazaar, Sports. If wet next fine day. 4174-7-5-11.
- Don't forget the Salvation Army Lawn Social in Rochford Square on July 8th. Band in attendance. 3993-6-28-7.
- Reserve July 6th for modern and old time dances at MacMillan Hotel, Stanhope Admission \$5 cents. Refreshments, Orchestra. 4192-7-4-31.
- The Aitken and Miss Compton tea in connection of smart soiree of "Eddy Brown" Dresses and summer hats priced surprisingly low at Miss Compton's, Georgetown. 4173-7-5-11.

Conditions Good In The West

WINNIPEG, July 4.—(By the Canadian Press)—The west is the brightest spot in the Dominion at the moment, said Alderman J. A. McKerchar of Winnipeg today in his presidential address at the opening session of the annual convention of the Union of Canadian Municipalities.

"Growing crops on the prairies offer more in the way of encouragement than anything else I know of," said the president. "If present indications in the west are fully realized we may look with a degree of confidence for better and more prosperous times in Canada as a result of the 1932 harvest."

FIVE KILLED BY TORNADO

WASHINGTON, Kas., July 4.—At least five persons were killed and more than 15 others were injured by a tornado that ripped through this Washington County seat town late today.

Mayor Edgar Bennett, of Washington, said five or six bodies had been found in the wreckage.

He estimated 50 business buildings and 75 residences had been levelled or partly destroyed.

"It just tore up the entire town," Bennett said. "The twister came just about 6 o'clock."

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(Canadian Press)
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ANXIETY IN FREE STATE

Business Circles Perturbed Over New Levees On Irish Goods.

(Canadian Press Cable)
DUBLIN, July 4.—Publication of President Eamon De Valera's latest note to the British Government rejecting an Imperial tribunal for arbitration of the land annuities resulted in expressions of anxiety in political and business circles here tonight, especially when it was followed by the introduction in the British House of the measure empowering the government to raise tariffs against the Free State.

It was not expected here that President De Valera would consent to shift his ground at all—he holds that in any event economic circumstances would prevent him handing

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Hunter River Club loading live stock Wednesday forenoon until 11 o'clock. Lambs must be over 70 lbs. and well finished to get top price. Nicholson Bros., Secretary. 4191-7-4-31.

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