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Lord Baldwin Will Observe 72nd Birthday Today In Quiet Of Country Home

STOURPORT-ON-SEVERN, Eng., Aug. 2.—(CP)—Lord Baldwin today is a spectator on the sidelines of the political arena in which he was a leading figure for many years.



LORD BALDWIN

Great Britain's former Prime Minister has passed quickly out of the limelight in the 26 months since he left No. 10 Downing street.

Tomorrow he will be 72. His birthday, like most of his days in retirement, will be spent here in the quiet Worcestershire countryside for which he has such deep affection.

Florists Close Convention With Banquet

The school for design of the florists' Telegraph Delivery Association closed its two-day session in a banquet at the Charlottetown Hotel last night.

Orders May Be Given Canada

MONTREAL, Aug. 2.—R. P. Jelliffe, president of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce, said here today after returning from England that British war orders for forms and supplies other than food and ammunition may soon be received in educational quantities by Canadian factories.

Coming Events

- Notice in this column 5 cents per word. Dance St. Charles Hall Friday, Aug. 4th. L-930-8-3-11. Reserve Wednesday, August 9th the Cavendish Hall. L-173-7-17-18-19-24-25-26-28-1-2-3. Dance, French River Hall Friday, August 3rd. Door price 2c. L-922-8-2-21. Don't forget Tea Party, St. George's, August 10th. L-926-8-3-5-8. St. John's Church Picnic on Recreation Grounds, Capraud, Wednesday, August 9th. L-927-8-2-3-11. A Red Cross Dance in Millvale on Friday night, August 4th. L-710-8-3-21. Come and Dance at Fortune's Friday night, August 4th. Burke's Theatre, Clifford Feiers, Saturday, August 4th. L-913-8-3-11. Capraud District Orange-Sunday, August 5th, 3 P. M. L. O. A. B. L. L. O. A. Band. L-922-8-3-11. All roads lead to Belfast on August 5th to St. John's Presbyterian and Bazaar. L-924-8-3-5. Dance at Robert Armstrong's on Saturday, August 5, 8 o'clock. Admission 25c. Good Luck. L-934.

DANZIG NAZI LEADER MAKES FIERY SPEECH

Forster Expresses Hope For Early Anschluss With The Reich.

(By Lynn Henzlerling, Associated Press Foreign Staff) FREE CITY OF DANZIG, Aug. 2.—Albert Forster, fiery Nazi district leader of Danzig, tonight promised the destruction of the last 10 per cent of the Treaty of Versailles.

Uppermost in the minds of his listeners was his city's promised "return to the Reich."

At the same time the leader reassured Danzigers that they were "protected against any surprises."

"Say it louder," cried some of his brown-shirted hearers when Forster quietly declared, "we have taken certain measures to protect ourselves."

"Further further need be said," he said.

Hilfer Holds Fate "We know we cannot decide our freedom ourselves," he added. "We know that decision can come only from the Fuehrer. We know that our fate lies in his hands and that it is in good hands."

The Treaty of Versailles is not as yet destroyed, and the last 10 per cent will follow. That it will come, we know, we do not know when, but we will be able to hold out."

Forster addressed a crowd of several thousand men and women in which known shirts of storm troopers predominated, called together by the Reich Society for German Prestige.

He mentioned Poland, who has declared she would allow none of her rights in Danzig to be impaired, only once in his brief speech. He said the Poles were suffering from "sensitiveness."

Most of the speech was devoted to a description of "brutal" English colonial methods.

Germans, he declared, must rid themselves of the "idea that England is the natural ruler of the sea."

"Germans went to sea long before England was a state," he said. "They the British rule one quarter of the world. With what right? God did not give them that right. They have proceeded most brutally in the last 200 years, and when Germany declares a claim to live, they cite it as imperialism."

The commission said registration statement covering the intended issuance of the securities "failed to disclose by far the greater part of the financial information required of foreign government and their agencies by the Securities Act."

'Most Dangerous Killer' — Dewey



Tagged "the most dangerous criminal" by New York District Attorney Tom Dewey, Louis (Leopke) Buchalter, above, fugitive since his New York garment and trucking racket was smashed two years ago, is object of nation-wide hunt by federal and New York authorities. Dewey says Buchalter's hired assassins are engaged in systematic slaying of potential witnesses against the gangster.

Manhunt Stirs Nation-wide Crime Probe

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—The United States Government disclosed today that a special grand jury had been summoned to act as an extraordinary national clearing house for information to lead investigators to the hiding places of Louis (Leopke) Buchalter, New York boss racketeer, and other long-hunted fugitives.

With this step, which federal authorities said had the approval of Attorney General Murphy, the search for the man in the country, already there hangs over the head of the gangster—described by Thomas E. Dewey, Manhattan District Attorney, as the most dangerous industrial racketeer in the United States—a \$25,000 dead-end city reward.

The additional federal grand jury—it will be the eighth sitting here—will hold its opening session Monday. Before it, agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation will take the most encyclopedic mass of information about criminals ever assembled in one grand jury room—86 reports aggregating more than 50,000 pages.

General procedure was thus outlined: The inquiry, not to be confined to this federal district, will draw witnesses from various cities.

Whenever evidence of crimes in other districts is turned up, it will be put in the records here and then sent along to the jurisdiction involved.

Whatever evidence of state law violation is dredged up will be handed over to the state prosecutors involved, along with a request for cooperation with federal authorities on any federal crimes.

Inspector Anderson To Be Transferred

FREDERICTON, N. B., Aug. 2.—Inspector John D. Bird, head of the Moncton sub-division of the R.C.M.P., will be transferred to Alberta in the near future, Superintendent W. V. Bruce, commanding J division of the force, said tonight. Inspector Bird will take command of the Vegreville sub-division of K division, which embraces Alberta. Sub-Inspector N. Anderson, at present attached to L. Kivison (Prince Edward Island) will replace Inspector Bird.

Inspector Bird started police work with the Fredericton Police Force and was a member of the New Brunswick Provincial Police when that organization was absorbed by The Mounted in 1932. He is best known for his investigation and solution of the famous Bannister murder and kidnaping case near Moncton a few years ago.

NAZI LEADERS CLAIM GERMANY AGAIN MENACED

'Encirclement' Charged As War Anniversary Marked For First Time.

(By The Associated Press) BERLIN, Aug. 2.—Germany today marked the anniversary of her mobilization for the Great War just 25 years ago, an event never before observed in post-war Germany.

Nazi leaders used the occasion to conjure up a parallel between the Germany of 1914, which they pictured as menaced on all sides by "covetous enemies," and the Germany of 1939, described as encircled by "the same group of jealous powers."

The difference, however, was emphasized in every speech and order of the day: Kaiser Wilhelm's Germany was "caught unprepared." Chancellor Hitler's Germany "is prepared and unbeatable."

HOMAGE TO HINDBURG In other years of the Nazi regime, Aug. 2, the anniversary of the death in 1934 of the German Republic's last president, Field Marshal Paul von Hindenburg, had been the occasion for homage to his memory.

This year, too, a huge wreath was placed by order of the Fuehrer at the Hindenburg Tomb in the Tannenberg National Monument by the First Army Corps Commander, General Georg von Kuechler.

DAY FOR FORCES But the Hindenburg observance was a mere incident this year. Chief attention was centred on three things: 1. Orders-of-the-day by commanders of the armed forces. 2. Exercises in every military drill grounds. 3. Manoeuvres in western Germany.

Colonel-General Walther von Brauchitsch, chief of staff of the army, in an order-of-the-day, asserted that "again those same powers that then (1914) compelled us to fight a war of defence are attempting to encircle us."

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Tri-Power Talks At Moscow Centre On Military Missions

MOSCOW, Aug. 2.—(AP)—The forthcoming visit to Moscow of British and French Military Missions was discussed late today in another of the long series of meetings among British, French and Soviet Russian negotiators for a Mutual Assistance Agreement.

The British and French Ambassadors, Sir William Seeds and Sir Archibald Sinclair, Liberal spokesman, and Mr. Churchill who argued that the next two months were likely to be so critical that Parliament should remain in touch with the situation.

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Chamberlain Is Upheld By Vote Despite Minor Revolt Within His Own Party

Opposition Move To Have Commons Reassemble Late In August Defeated — New Ships To Bolster Navy.

LONDON, Aug. 2.—(CP)—Prime Minister Chamberlain overrode a minor revolt within his own party tonight, won a 250 to 132 vote of confidence and pushed through his motion to adjourn Parliament for two months beginning Friday.

Liberal and Labor members supported by a group of Conservatives and Independents, including Winston Churchill, attempted to have the House of Commons reassemble Aug. 21 for a one-day session because of the critical international situation.

The Prime Minister contended the Government was ready for any emergency and that there was no need to have the members of Parliament break their vacations except in case of unexpected developments. In that event, he said, the members would be called back.

This made the opposition amendment a question of confidence and after its defeat the Government's adjournment motion was passed 245 to 129. It provided that the House reassemble Oct. 3.

Ship-Building Program In connection with Mr. Chamberlain's declaration of Britain's preparedness against an emergency it was announced that 180 small vessels—mostly mine layers and sweepers and escort vessels would be added to the nation's 1939 naval program at a cost of about £11,000,000 (approximately \$51,480,000).

The debate on the adjournment motion also was preceded by an announcement by Mr. Chamberlain that a further "vigorous protest" had been lodged with Japan against anti-British agitation in North China.

(A Tokyo dispatch said Sir Robert Craigie, British Ambassador to Japan, had threatened to break off the current Tokyo negotiations on the Anglo-Japanese dispute at Tientsin unless Japan puts the anti-British movement under control.)

Official circles here said Ambassador Craigie notified the Japanese Government that hostility toward Britons in North China was a violation of the understanding, reached recently, on which the Tokyo Conference was based.

Keep Close Contact The closest possible contact was being maintained with the United States and France on the far eastern developments, Mr. Chamberlain told the House.

The bitter, five-hour debate on adjournment was opened by Labor Leader Arthur Greenwood, Sir Archibald Sinclair, Liberal spokesman, and Mr. Churchill who argued that the next two months were likely to be so critical that Parliament should remain in touch with the situation.

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Mr. Churchill painted a gloomy picture of the European situation, describing it as "graver than this time last year"—on the eve of the crisis over Czecho-Slovakia.

He said masses of German troops were gathered all along the Polish border "and every preparation is being made for an attack."

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OPEN CHURCH CONVENTION HERE TONIGHT

Maritime Meeting Of Churches Of Christ At Central Christian Church.

The Maritime Convention of the Churches of Christ (Disciples) will open in the Central Christian Church here this evening at 7:00 p.m. After devotional period Rev. W. L. Outhouse will deliver an address of welcome to those in attendance with responses being delivered by Messrs. William Casaboom and E.M. MacDougall, members of the M.C.M.S. Board.

The Convention theme will be "Continuing Steadfastly" on which an address will be delivered this evening by president R. M. Johnston of Milton, N.S. Appointment of committees will conclude the opening session.

The convention will conclude on Sunday evening. Music will be supplied by the choir of Central Christian Church with Mrs. Leigh Dingwall as organist. Convention song leader will be Mr. Donald Stockford.

Following is a list of the convention officers and members of M.C.M.S. Board:

- Convention Officers President—R. M. Johnston, Milton, Nova Scotia. Vice President—R. H. MacNeill, Charlottetown, P. E. I. Secretary—E. M. MacDougall, Bridgetown, N. S. Members M.C.M.S. Board President—James W. Barnes, St. John, N. B. Vice President—Lieut. Col. C. L. MacKay, Charlottetown, P. E. I. Secretary—P. W. Push, St. John, N. B. Treasurer—Gardigan, P. E. I. Ernest Calib'ck, Summerside, P. E. I. W. G. Quigley, St. John, N. B. Dr. F. L. Wallace, Halifax, N. S. E. M. MacDougall, Bridgetown, N. S. William Casaboom, Tiverton, N. S. G. W. Titus, Cleveland, Ohio. H. E. Wagner, Weymouth, N. S. R. J. Currie, St. John, N. B. L. H. Outhouse, (deceased), Beaver Harbor, N. B. R. H. MacNeill, Charlottetown, P. E. I. R. M. Johnston, Milton, N. S.

Will Not Attend Liberal Banquet

TORONTO, Aug. 2.—The Toronto Globe and Mail says in a newspaper story today that Premier Hepburn and other Ontario government cabinet ministers will not attend the testimonial banquet to be tendered Prime Minister Mackenzie King here Aug. 8.

"None would discuss the situation, but it is learned on good authority that some have already declined their banquet invitation with the proverbial 'regrets,'" says the newspaper. "Others who are out of the city on extended vacations have, it is understood, been spared even this necessity."

The Globe and Mail says many private Liberal members of the Ontario Legislature also will decline invitations to the dinner preferring "not to differ from the position which Premier Hepburn will take."

Maintenance Crews Remain At Posts In Mine Strike

NEW GLASGOW, N. S., Aug. 2.—A meeting of Stellarton local, United Mine Workers, decided today to leave maintenance workers at their posts in the four Pictou County collieries of the Acadia Coal Company whose 1,200 employees are on strike.

Previously the strikers had threatened to withdraw the maintenance men by this morning unless the company agreed to their demand for a chain runner who had been removed from his job by reinstatement. District President D. W. Morrison of the U. M. W. wired the local last night that withdrawal of the maintenance workers was against the union's policy. The strike was called a week ago.

Another meeting is scheduled for Friday night.



(Canadian Press) TORONTO, Aug. 2.—(Minimum and maximum temperatures:— Dawson 50 57 Vancouver 50 75 Edmonton 52 77 Regina 47 78 Winnipeg 53 82 Toronto 64 82 Ottawa 50 76 Montreal 57 73 Quebec 49 72 Saint John 55 75 Halifax 58 72 Charlottetown 55 66

FORECAST Maritime East: Moderate west and southwest winds; fair and warm. High tide this afternoon at 12:29 and tonight at 12:44. Sun sets this evening at 7:26 and rises tomorrow morning at 4:47. Last quarter moon Aug. 8, 5:18 a. m. Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

THE CAR FERRY SAILINGS Leaves Borden 7 A. M., 9:45 A. M., 1 P. M., 4:30 P. M. Leaves Tormentine 8:15 A. M., 11 A. M., 3:05 P. M., 6:20 P. M.

SUNDAY SAILINGS Leaves Borden 9 A. M., 7 P. M. Leaves Tormentine 10:15 A. M., 8:10 P. M.

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Italian Army War Games Held Near French Border

MILAN, Italy, Aug. 2.—Italy's army of the Po took up positions 60 miles from the French border tonight ready to unleash a counter-offensive tomorrow designed to destroy the forces of an imaginary invader.

The mock invasion from the direction of France occurred last night when the "Red" army pierced defences of the frontier garrisons in a surprise attack. Italian military experts stressed the "offensive" character of the manoeuvre about to be executed by the mobile army of the Po.

The newspaper Il Corriere Della Sera said: "If it were possible to carry out the experiment beyond the frontier, realism would be perfect, but unfortunately this is not possible."