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SAYS GOOD SHOULD DRIVE OUT THE BAD

This or Reform Them, Says Col. Hughes About Officers

SEES GENERAL AWAY

Sir Ian Hamilton Leaves Quebec For England and is Given Hearty Send-off—Minister Talks on The Profession of Arms

(Canadian Press)

Quebec, July 25.—Hon. Col. Sam Hughes, minister of militia, here to see Sir Ian Hamilton off to England, declared that in the tour of inspection just finished, he had never before been so impressed with the earnestness shown by those who had taken part in the work carried out this year. This augured a new appreciation of the value of patriotism and the desire to fit themselves for national defense.

Referring to his remarks at a banquet of Halifax, the minister said he had received hundreds of letters from all over the country, approving of his action in this respect. The keynote of many of these letters was that the militia could not understand why the militia had not been on business lines in the past and why the same energy, earnestness and discipline was not exacted from the militia as would be required by a business man from the man in his employ.

For himself, he could say that no one more appreciated the good work being done by the officers and the permanent forces, but he considered it was up to the good officers to purify their regiments of the undesirable ones, whose actions did harm to the forces as a whole. They should either reform them, or get rid of them. He knew of no career where there were such opportunities, provided a man were earnest and strove as much after efficiency as he would in other pursuits.

General Hamilton, left for England by the Empress of Ireland. He was given a hearty God speed by a large crowd assembled on the dock.

A guard of honor was furnished by the 9th Regiment Voltigeurs of Quebec, the crack French-Canadian regiment of this city, with its band. The band of the Royal Canadian Garrison Artillery was also present.

Gen. Hamilton, accompanied by Hon. Colonel Hughes arrived at the dock at 8:45 o'clock yesterday afternoon and inspected the guard of honor. At the conclusion of the inspection he shook hands with all the officers and accompanied by the minister of militia and several officers went on board. As he ascended the gangway he was greeted with prolonged cheers.

BRITISH M. P.'S IN MONTREAL; ALL MUM

Seem to Have Agreed on Saying Nothing to Reporters

Montreal, July 25.—There was a pact of taciturnity made among the British parliamentarians who arrived in this city last night for a trip across the Dominion and other parts of the empire. In the vessel and on arrival at the Ritz-Carlton hotel they all maintained a dignified reserve which was so assiduous that, had it been reported that any member of the party had passed a courteous "good evening" to a newspaper man, there would doubtless have been an official denunciation.

REDETERMINED vs. ST. JOHN AT TENNIS TOMORROW

A team of seven ladies and seven gentlemen from the Fredericton Tennis Club will meet an equal number of players of the St. John Tennis Club on the T. John courts tomorrow. This is to be a return match. The last contest, which took place in Fredericton two weeks ago, resulted in a tie. Play will commence on the arrival of the Fredericton train in the morning, when a scoreboard will be waiting to take the visitors to the grounds, and will continue during the afternoon. Luncheon, the players only, will be served on the grounds, and at the tea hour the members of the local club, as well as the layers, will be entertained.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Stewart, director of meteorological service.

Fine Tomorrow—A pronounced area of high pressure now covers the Great Lakes and Middle States and a disturbance which moves to prove important is moving toward the western provinces. Owners have occurred from Ontario towards while to the west the weather continued fine and dry.

SHOOTING TOMORROW

The St. John County Rifle Association will hold their annual match for the corporation cup and P. R. A. medal tomorrow, Saturday, at King's ranges, commencing at 1:30.

He Is 64 Years Old Today

This is the natal day of Hon. A. J. Balfour, for many years Unionist leader and still the biggest man in the opposition in the British House of Commons. He is 64 years old today.



A. J. Balfour

MOVE BY TURKEY COMPLICATES WAR SITUATION IN THE EAST

Ambassadors of Powers Worried and Fear That General Disturbance May Result From Invasion by Ottoman Troops

(Canadian Press)

London, July 25.—Just when the situation in the Balkans seemed to be taking a more favorable turn, Bulgaria having recognized the fact of her defeat and being willing to negotiate for peace, the situation caused by the reappearance of Turkey on the scene is changed, and the whole affair has now taken a most serious aspect.

A feeling of approaching consternation has been caused by a report that the Turks were advancing towards Philippolis and King Ferdinand of Bulgaria has asked intervention of the powers.

The utmost secrecy is observed as to the results of the discussion of the ambassadors at their conference yesterday. All of them, doubtless, agreed that some steps should be taken and the Enos-Midia line frontier for European Turkey observed but the ambassadors have as yet apparently been unable to reach a decision as to how this is to be accomplished.

In ambassadorial quarters there is a feeling of uncertainty in regard to the future and there is no expressed view as to how they can reach a common agreement or the steps to be adopted. According to dispatches, the authenticity of which is undoubted, Turkish forces, whose strength is unstated, but which are apparently Kurdish cavalry, invaded old Bulgaria and occupied Jamboul, sack it and other towns and villages. Jamboul is about forty miles north of the frontier and sixty miles from Adrianople.

The Bulgarian legation in London has official information that "the Turks penetrated Bulgarian territory in the direction of Hissligatch and occupied Vakov, Constantinovo, Soujak and Derent. The first two were burned. The cavalry occupied Karagha, half way to Hissligatch and Jamboul and also the Cavjilovo Valley. Panic prevails among the population."

New York, July 27.—A cable to the Tribune from London says: "News of an exceedingly grave character reached London last night, and it is confirmed in authoritative quarters. It may be summarized as follows: A Turkish force whose strength is not stated, but which appears to consist of Kurdish cavalry, has invaded old Bulgaria, the town of Jamboul has been occupied, and according to official telegrams, sacked, with other towns and villages. Against this fresh act of aggression on the part of Turkey, Bulgaria has already lodged a protest with the powers.

By carrying a campaign of reconquest from Adrianople into what cannot possibly be claimed as anything but Bulgarian territory, Turkey has created a new situation full of dangerous possibilities. So far as can be judged, the force which has made this incursion is 4,300 o'clock this afternoon to continue the discussion.

GREAT DISCOVERY IN SURGICAL WORK ANNOUNCED

London, July 25.—Great interest was taken in the meeting of the British Medical Association at Brighton yesterday, when Sir Berkeley Moynihan, professor of clinical surgery in the University of Leeds, described the discovery by an American surgeon, George W. Crile, of Chilo, Ohio, who has found a method of anaesthesia whereby the area of operation could be shut off from the brain for several days if necessary.

The Daily Express, commenting editorially considers that the discovery is perhaps one of the greatest in modern surgery.

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No Better Off Than Five Months Ago

Sand Point Situation Demands Immediate Government Action—Board of Trade Men Have Been at Work But Results Not Rapid Enough—Not Even Grain Conveyors Yet Arranged For

(Special To Times)

Fredericton, July 25.—The latest report in political circles here is that O. S. Crockett M. P. will not wait for the retirement of Chief Justice Barker from the bench but will take the judgeship created by the act of assembly last session and his appointment will be made as soon as Hon. Mr. Hazen returns from the Pacific coast.

The pending vacancy in the representation of this county is causing quite a stir in Tory circles and several aspirants are looming up. Hon. H. F. McLeod is being boomed for the vacant seat and it is said has the hearty support of his colleagues in the local government. J. K. Pinder, M. P., is hot foot after it, and has the active support of A. R. Slipp, M. P., and other influential Tories who are at loggerheads with the McLeod wing of the party. John A. Young, M. P., is also canvassing his friends for support and the name of R. B. Hanson, barrister, has been mentioned. The bye-election to fill the vacancy would likely be held in the autumn.

Alexander Gibson Sr., of Marysville, who has been suffering from an attack of la grippe is much improved today. The veteran captain of industry will be ninety-four years old on August first.

H. Morrison, manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce at Portage la Prairie and his brother, A. Morrison, of St. John, are visiting here.

HALE MANTOBA M. P. TO COURT; CONTEMPT IN ELECTION CASE

Morrison, Whose Return is Protested, Was Given Until June 30 to Appear, But Has Not Done So

Winnipeg, July 25.—The commitment of Alexander Morrison, M.P., for contempt of court, is being set aside in connection with the proceedings which followed the filing of a petition against his election for Macdonald.

Mr. Morrison has failed to comply with an order of the court to appear for examination, and to produce certain documents and today an application for his commitment will be made before Justice Cameron. The court order specified that Mr. Morrison appear for examination and produce certain documents before June 30, but up to date he has not appeared.

MRS. PANKHURST IS SAID TO BE VERY ILL

London, July 25.—Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, who was released last evening from Holloway jail after an imprisonment lasting only since Monday, is reported to be in a very critical condition. Three consultant physicians have been called in by the attending physician.

The consulting physicians take such a serious view of her condition, that they ordered immediate resort to a transfusion of blood. Mrs. Pankhurst's weakness and inanimation from the effects of her "hunger and thirst strikes," are so extreme that great apprehension is felt by the doctors as to the outcome, "she could be no worse," was the statement made by one of the attendants today.

Lady Sybil Smith, daughter of the Earl of Antrim, Mrs. Pethick Lawrence and Miss Evelyn Sharpe, were sent to prison today for a fortnight on a charge of disorderly conduct during an attempt to hold a militant suffrage meeting at the entrance to the lobby of the House of Commons yesterday.

SERIOUS SITUATION IN COAL STRIKE TERRITORY

Calumet, Mich., July 26.—Disregarding orders of the western federation of miners against violence, many of the 15,000 striking miners yesterday created enough disturbances to result in the ordering out of troops. By tonight there will be nearly 2,400 state soldiers, including cavalry and artillery in the mining fields of the upper peninsula of Michigan.

There were no concerted attacks on mine property or persons about the mines, but several persons were injured in sporadic brawls. So bad did the situation appear to Sheriff Crane that he asked Governor Ferris for militia early in the day.

The governor ordered Adj. Gen. Vandercok to rush soldiers to the strike zone. A plentiful supply of ammunition and two field guns with shrapnel will arrive today.

THE HALF HOLIDAY

The weather man has been kindly as a rule on Saturday afternoons this summer and tomorrow he says he is going to give us nice warm weather.

CROCKETT WANTS TO BE JUDGE NOW

Talk of Appointment When Hazen Comes Back

A WAR OVER NOMINATION

McLeod, Pinder and Others Said to Want to Run for York—Alexander Gibson Has Been Ill But is Getting Better

PUBLIC OPENING OF RIVER GLADE SANITARIUM IN SEPTEMBER BY MR. BORDEN AND SIR WILFRID

Mrs. Jordan Adds to Other Munificent Gifts Equipment of Forty Bed Public Ward—Other Plans Gone Into at Meeting Yesterday

colled by none in the general excellence of the work done.

"The work on the pavilions is progressing rapidly; they have cost in the neighborhood of \$8,000 each and are thoroughly equipped. The alterations on the main building are also well under way. We hardly expect that the large ward which we intend putting up will be ready before next year."

The premier said that it was decided yesterday to hold the public opening of the sanitarium on September 18. The programme and names of the speakers will not be announced until after the next meeting of the association which will be held in St. John in about two weeks' time.

Those present at River Glade yesterday were: Mrs. Jordan, Hon. J. K. Fleming, F. W. Sumner, F. C. Robinson, Dr. A. F. McAvaney and Dr. Landry. (Continued on page 7, seventh column)

PERHAPS MOTOR FIRE EQUIPMENT FOR ST. JOHN WORK

Commissioner McLellan Home Today After Seeing Much in Boston

Commissioner McLellan returned to this city at noon today after a strenuous week in Boston. In spite of the excessive heat the commissioner was busy from morning to night making an inspection and study of the various civic departments in which he is particularly interested. In addition to fire and police work he had an opportunity to witness street making and paving operations from beginning to end and profited by it.

Modern fire fighting apparatus engaged much of his attention and as a result of his visit it is possible that he may recommend the purchase of a motor-driven combination fire engine, chemical and hose-wagon. He also was interested in the gasoline tractors, fire-patrol boats, a new style of hydrants and some other apparatus which may be required in St. John later on.

IMPROVING ELKS' BUILDING

Extensive improvements are being made to the property acquired by the Elks some months ago in Wellington Row, which will enhance its value and make the rooms more attractive for the members. A large assembly hall has been provided for. It will be 62 by 42 feet and will be for use as an auditorium and hall for exemplifying degrees. There will also be a bowling alley, billiard room and quarters erected for the servants and steward. The masonry work is being done by A. R. C. Clark, the carpentry by Alfred Dodge, the painting by James Pallen, and the steel work by Fleming & Sons.

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