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Dense Fog Seals Ports In Britain and Halts The Traffic

THOUSANDS TRAPPED IN MINE

AQUITANIA COULD NOT GET AWAY

Southampton Harbor Completely Locked; Liner Held at Anchor.

SPORTS POSTPONED

Airships From Continent Unable to Land Through Ocean of Fog.

London, Nov. 26.—The greatest part of Britain was held in the grip of frost and fog over the week-end, tying up the ports, halting land traffic in some places and preventing the carrying out of many sport programmes. The fog was not severe, even for this country, but it was accompanied by a new, clammy fog that made conditions abominable.

PREVENTS HIS SON WASTING HIS MONEY

Wealthy John B. Lewis of Reading, Mass., Makes Codicil to His Will.

Man Will Attend Church Union Rally

Toronto, Nov. 26.—According to a statement issued by the church union conference committee, over six thousand seats have been applied for in connection with the church union rally meeting to be held in Massey Hall, Metropolitan Church and Bond street church this evening.

PAPAL PRINCESS' WILL IS FILED IN N. Y.

Widow of James Mackin Leaves Rome Property to Cardinal's Niece.

New York, Nov. 26.—Princess Spottiswood-Mackin, who died in Harrison, N. Y., on August 21, left \$1,000 for the erection of a monument to herself with the inscription: "She did what she could for humanity—Sallie Britton, Princess Spottiswood-Mackin."

All her property in Rome, except her money, securities, jewelry and lace will go to Countess Valentina Vannutelli Venturini, niece of Cardinal Cagelli, Papal Secretary of State, with whom she frequently visited during her trips abroad.

The Papal Princess, whose title was formerly Sallie Britton of St. Louis, and later the wife of State Senator James Mackin of New York. After the death of her husband she was converted to the Catholic Church and was received with special honors in the Reichstag Congress in Paris in 1908.

Being a beautiful woman and reputed to be wealthy, hardly a year went past that she was not reported to be engaged to some member of the nobility of France or Italy, but she always denied the rumors and never married after Senator Mackin died.

The residue of the estate, the value of which is not given, is left in trust for the support and maintenance of her nephew, Robert L. Nisbet of White Plains. The Princess was 73 at her death.

Spanish Monarch Now Sees Naples

Bologna, Nov. 26.—King Alfonso and Queen Victoria, of Spain, arrived here yesterday from Rome. They were received at the station by the Minister of Justice, and drove through the streets of the town amid the plaudits of the populace. They left here last evening for Naples.

SPLIT ON WAR DEBT.

Commission Is Divided on Dunning Note to France.

Washington, Nov. 26.—The question of sending a dunning note to France regarding her war debt threats to cause a split in the Debt Funding Commission, and President Coolidge may decide the matter.

NEW GERMAN CHANCELLOR IS NAMED

General Von Seekt is Dictator Behind Throne in Germany.

DR. ALBERT ACCEPTS

Insists on Having Mandate to Dissolve the Reichstag at Any Time.

BY CARL D. GROAT
British Official Press.

Berlin, Nov. 26.—General Von Seekt, Germany's unofficial dictator, will be the power behind the government if Dr. Heinrich F. Albert, latest to try a hand at the helm of the floundering ship of state, succeeds in forming a cabinet.

RECORD IS BROKEN MONTREAL'S SNOW

Fall of 14 1/2 Inches in City and District Heaviest in 50 Years.

GOVERNOR COX SPEAKS WELL OF US

F. W. Robertson Brings Word of Speech at Boston Banquet.

HYDRO MATTER IS DISCUSSED

Commissioners Authorize a \$2,925 Expenditure— Comfort Station.

The city commissioners this morning authorized the expenditure of \$2,925 by the Public Power Commission. Resolution of Sympathy.

Commissioner Wigmore referred to the death of E. W. Paul, one of the city's most valued officials and moved that a letter of condolence be sent from the Common Council to the widow, Mrs. J. A. Grant and her four children.

Mayor Fisher moved acceptance of the recommendation of the Civic Power Commission that the tender to the city for the construction of the foundation and erection of the steel towers to carry a primary power across the St. John River and that two steel towers be purchased from the New Brunswick Electric Power Commission at a cost of \$2,000.

Commissioner Thornton asked if the \$25,000 for street lighting, which had been authorized and not used, might not be used for this purpose rather than bond issues. He said already the amounts authorized exceeded the \$450,000 which it was said the system could be completed for.

Ray A. Willet said the amount authorized to date, less \$3,718 for street lighting, was \$391,000 and he believed the system would be finished for the \$450,000.

The motion carried.
For Comfort Station.

Commissioner Frink moved that a portion of the plot in Market Square be utilized for the proposed comfort station, that the city engineer be instructed to prepare a plan and if necessary engage an architect. He said he had in mind a building which would serve as a waiting room and bookstand and perhaps a second story which might be leased.

Commissioner Wigmore asked if the commissioner could not bring in a report on the cost of a building in King Square as well as in Market Square. Commissioner Bullock said the New Brunswick Power Co. should be asked to co-operate.

Commissioner Thornton favored King Square as the best place for the station but believed there should be one in Market Square as well.

Commissioner Frink was given the authorization asked for.

Commissioner Bullock moved that \$150 be paid the heirs of Andrew Lamereaux, toward the cost of breakwater constructed at Navy Island, provided the heirs give a proper release to the city. On the suggestion of Commissioner Frink this matter was laid over to get the opinion of the city solicitor.

JAIL MASS MEETING

Citizens League Plans Public Gathering in December.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 26.—A mass meeting in Public Hall is to be called by the Citizens League for some date in the first week of December to present plans for a bond issue for a new jail building.

It was decided to hold the mass meeting at a special session of officers of the league late Wednesday, Carl D. Frickolin, president, presided.

H. H. McKeehan, president of the Criminal Justice Association; Henry Payer, chairman of the Cleveland Bar Association Committee; and Julia Mrs. Keppeler Hall, chairman of the Women's Clubs Jail Committee, and Judge George F. Easer of Common Pleas Court were also at the meeting.

YOUNGER IS NAMED HEAD OF TORIES

Man Accredited With Driving Out Lloyd George is at Helm.

HURRIES TO LONDON

Violence is Threatened Conservative Speakers in Election Campaign.

London, Nov. 26.—Lord Younger, who as Sir George Younger is accredited with having forced the resignation of the Lloyd George government, is to have command of the Conservative campaign in the coming election.

Lord Younger has hurried to London from his country seat to take the place of other party chiefs who will be forced to leave headquarters and fight for their respective seats in the constituencies.

In accordance with the electoral law all nominations were to be in by 1 p. m. today and the final figures were looked for an early hour.

The electioneering campaign in the press and on the platform continues to be very bitter, and in some constituencies the people are showing an angry spirit. The Conservatives say that several of their speakers have received notices threatening them with violence if they appear on platforms in London.

Postmaster Evans was heavily guarded by police when he spoke in that district on Saturday.

Premier Baldwin's debt settlement with the U. S., which David Lloyd George opposed in a speech last Saturday is doing service for the Premier's opponents elsewhere.

The Daily Express, one of Lord Beaverbrook's newspapers which are attacking Mr. Baldwin ostensibly because his tariff proposals do not go far enough, says that what unopposedly the Premier has achieved is almost entirely due to his financial settlement in Washington.

"It is generally admitted," says the newspaper, "that but for Mr. Baldwin's 'bull at a gate' methods the U. S. would willingly have postponed the whole question and given us in the end far better terms. As it is, the British public must find forty million pounds yearly, which is nearly twice as much as the total inducements the Premier is holding out as past proceeds of his tariff scheme. The only difference is that we are not quite so certain of the cash coming into the customs under a tariff."

The newspaper takes a fling at the Times because that newspaper is supporting Mr. Baldwin, saying: "The Times can always be trusted for giving the American view, being that its principal proprietor was born in the U. S."

KONGSHAV BID IS NOT ACCEPTED

Underwriters Refuse St. John Man's Offer—Reported Sale in Norway.

Captain Halvorsen, who was in the city in the interests of the Norwegian Underwriters, announced this morning that the M. H. Kongshavn, which was put under the hammer last Thursday at this port for the winter. It is understood that she has been sold to a party in Norway.

It will be recalled that when the steamer was put up at auction the underwriters received the right to accept or reject any offer made.

BETTER AND BETTER EVERY DAY

The Times-Star is becoming better and better every day. Many of its readers say it is keeping abreast of the times—and then some.

For ONE CENT it certainly is far ahead of all competitors in Canada. The additional TWELVE FEATURES have put it in a class by itself.

News when it is news is a motto which the Times-Star lives up to. Day after day The Times-Star carries NEWS which no other paper in the Maritime Provinces carries.

Its feature service is very much AHEAD of all competitors in New Brunswick. These are only a FEW REASONS why the Times-Star, while selling for one cent is worth TWICE AS MUCH. The Times-Star is "A Great Newspaper Growing Greater," and that is why it is "The Paper That Goes Home and Stays Home."

Young, Pretty, Wealthy—And She Wants a Hubby

GLORIA FOY
Detroit, Nov. 25.—Hey, fellows! Wealth, happiness and a beautiful wife—Some young man will win all three if he can convince Gloria Foy, 22-year-old heiress, that he would make her a desirable husband. And furthermore, keep her so convinced for 10 years.

Mrs. Foy, once an understudy of Marilyn Miller and now a star of a current musical attraction, has received \$1,500,000 through the will of her uncle, Richard Foy, wealthy coffee planter of Rio de Janeiro.

She gets a third of it immediately. The next half million is hers only if she marries before she is 25. And the third and last installment comes ten years from her wedding day, if she and her husband still are living together happily.

And she says she hasn't a prospect in the world.

SCHOOLBOY ROMANCE REVEALED AS BRIDE DIES IN BATHTUB WASHING STOCKINGS

Boston, Nov. 26.—A tragic end of a schoolboy romance was revealed yesterday when Medical Examiner David C. Dow admitted that Mrs. Edith G. Cook was drowned in the bathtub of her honeymoon flat at 7 Summer road, Cambridge, within a week.

Both she and her bridegroom husband, Scarborough F. Cook, student at the Harvard Medical School, were prominent in Springfield society. Cook found his bride in four inches of water when he returned home. She had been washing silk stockings in the afternoon and is believed to have become faint, slipped into the tub and was drowned.

The grief-stricken young husband has vanished from the attractively furnished honeymoon flat and has fled to seek comfort at home, it is believed.

Mrs. Cook, who was Edith Carey Grover, was married on June 2 by the Rev. Charles A. Wing, pastor of the Church of the Unity, at the Grover home. The couple had been sweethearts since 16 years old and their names had been linked for years. Both were prominent in the younger set of the city.

Cook is the son of Waldo L. Cook, managing editor of the Springfield Republican, and his bride was daughter of James Grover, special agent for the New York Underwriters' Agency.

GIRL DIES; NOW CHARGE IS MURDER

London, Nov. 26.—After withstanding an operation for the extraction of the bullets and after being kept alive for more than an hour by the administration of oxygen, Geraldine Durston died on Saturday night in Victoria Hospital. It is alleged Geraldine Topping admitted shooting her on Friday at the girl's home, following her refusal to marry him. A charge of murder will be laid against Topping.

Two bullets struck Miss Durston in the abdomen. Miss McNaughton, also a victim of the shooting, has successfully passed through the shock stage and is reported today as being brighter.

ASSISTS VESSEL World's Longest Cable Is Landed

U. S. Coast Guard Cutter Rushes to Aid of Ship in The Atlantic.

Vineyard Haven, Mass., Nov. 26.—The coast guard cutter Actushet passed here this forenoon on her way to the assistance of a steamer reported to be aground near Pollock Rip. The name of the steamer as reported here was the Williams-Port, but no further particulars were given.

Weather Report

Unsettled.
Maritime—Fresh winds, partly cloudy in west, strong winds or gales with rain in Cape Breton. Tuesday, strong winds and unsettled.

Gulf and North Shore—Strong winds or gales and unsettled with rain or snow tonight and Tuesday.

New England—Rain tonight and Tuesday; warmer tonight; colder Tuesday afternoon or night; fresh south winds shifting to west and northwest.

Toronto, Nov. 26.—Temperatures: Lowest Highest during Stations 8 a.m. Yesterday night
Victoria ... 42 50 42
Winnipeg ... 32 20
St. John ... 42 32 38
Halifax ... 56 38
New York ... 38 44 38

EXPLOSION IN STATES REPORTED

Officials of the Company Decline to Comment on Accident.

DEAD UNKNOWN

Many are Anxious as Silence Over the Accident is Maintained.

Benton, Ill., Nov. 26.—More than one thousand men may be trapped in Mine No. 1 of the Chicago, Wilmington and Franklin Coal Company, it was reported, following an explosion in the mine this afternoon.

Officials of the company here declined to comment on the report and would not say whether they knew if any men had been killed in the blast.

Eleven Are Buried
West Frankfort, Ill., Nov. 26.—Eleven men, badly burned have been taken from the Orient Mine, four miles from here, where an explosion occurred this morning. At 11.15 a.m. many men were still unaccounted for and these are supposed to be in the mine behind the fire.

TAKES MATTER UP TO OTTAWA

Commissioner Bullock is to Have Conference on the Wharfage Question.

Commissioner Bullock this morning at the City Council meeting announced his intention of proceeding to Ottawa to take up with the heads of the departments of Public Works and Marine and Fisheries the matter of a working agreement between the city and the Marine Department in regard to overlapping collections. He contended that the cutting out of the provision inserted in the potato warehouse lease dealing with that phase of the matter would mean a loss of \$5,000 a year, and he complained that an editorial in the Telegraph-Journal did not do the City Council justice, and that the city taking over the property in providing the potato warehouse.

The commissioner said he had received a request from the Public Works Department that the lease contained a covenant providing that in the case of the city taking over the property, the appraised value should include the cost of repairs to the wharf and a statement that the matter of overlapping would have to be taken up direct with the department of Marine and Fisheries.

He said that in inserting the clause about overlapping the city was only continuing an arrangement which has been in effect for some years, as at the present time the Government collected the side and top wharfage at No. 14 and the city collected for No. 6 extension, and these amounts about balanced.

He was prepared to recommend that the land be decided to the Government, and that would get rid of the question of appraised value and he was willing to make the agreement in regard to overlapping apply only to No. 14 berth if it was found necessary, but he felt sure that the matter could be arranged in a manner satisfactory to all parties at a conference.

Commissioner Frink said he had been in favor of a deed of the land to the Government at the start, but understood the department had asked for a lease. He said the city had kept this land as a buffer between the Government and the other parties to the tripartite agreement. The council was not trying to hold up the work, but there seemed to always be someone trying to throw a monkey wrench into the machinery between here and Ottawa.

Commissioner Wigmore said he felt the council had not met the Government more than half way in all respects, but he did not think the citizens would support a move that gave away \$5,000 a year. He had always found that both Governments tried to get everything for nothing from St. John.

Commissioner Bullock will leave at four o'clock this afternoon for Ottawa.