

FALLACIOUS CONTENTIONS OF GLOBE REGARDING PORTLAND SHOWN UP BY MINISTER OF CUSTOMS

Electors of Carleton Cheered to Echo as Hon. Dr. Baxter Made Reply to Misrepresentation of St. John's Evening Paper—Accepts Challenge and Reads to Audience the Whole of Hanna Letter.

(Continued from page 1) ...ian ports, unless otherwise designated by the shipper. That clause was an easy one for the shipper as it permitted them to ship woolly through Portland or any other foreign port, if they so desired. The Conservative had vigorously attacked the clause and had been shown to be wrong by the Hon. Dr. Baxter and Dr. MacLaren.

Liberal Mismanagement

Dr. Murray MacLaren referred to the terrible mismanagement by the Liberal Government in regard to the economy and necessary building of the Grand Trunk Railway from the award of the Board of Arbitration had been dealt with the line would come into actual possession of the Government. With the acquisition of the Grand Trunk Railway Canada would have 22,000 miles of railway at its disposal and would be in a position to say for the first time in our national life that Canadian ports had no other Canadian railways and through Canadian ports. It had become the members of the Opposition or the Liberal press to attempt to blame the Government for a result which followed in consequence of the legislation passed by the Laurier Government, and which had been opposed by the Conservatives.

Legacy From Liberals.

Hon. Dr. Baxter also scored the disastrous railway policy of the Laurier government, and the construction of lines which were an advance on the verge of bankruptcy, and in order that Canada might be afforded an opportunity of governing the money which had been expended by the administration of Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

Tribute to Premier

F. A. Dykeman stated that he had had the pleasure of being in England at the time of the Imperial Conference, and that the stand that Premier Borden had taken at the time was one that he had never seen elsewhere. The leading newspapers of England had highly eulogized the Prime Minister and had most complimentary referred to his ability, broad intelligence and capacity for grasping and dealing with big questions.

Eight Cape Breton Collieries Down

Over 2,500 Men Will be Thrown Out of Work by the Move.

Gloucester, N. S., Nov. 30.—Because the steel houses for coal will only warrant the production of 5,000 tons per day, eight Cape Breton collieries controlled by the British Empire Steel Co., Ltd., will close down this week.

LANDRU GIVEN SENTENCE TO DIE BY GUILLOTINE

Jury Brings in Verdict of Guilty Without Including Extenuating Circumstances

Vancouver, Nov. 30.—Hector Landru, who has been on trial for more than three weeks in the assize court here, charged with the murder of ten women and a boy, was found guilty of murder in the first degree tonight. Landru was sentenced to die by the guillotine. He asked for a last-minute reprieve, but the jury returned its verdict without any further delay. Landru had borne himself throughout the long trial with the utmost calmness and self-control. He had heard the sentence of death imposed without emotion.

Canadian Teachers In England Not Being Well Treated

Formal Complaint Regarding Treatment Lodged With Department Education at Toronto.

London, Ont., Nov. 30.—Formal complaint regarding the treatment accorded Canadian teachers in England has been made to the Department of Education at Toronto, according to a letter received here from one of the teachers now in London, England. Many of the 77 delegates are receiving but the minimum allowance of approximately \$100 per month, while one former principal of a large Toronto school is declared to be teaching kindergarten classes. The communication contains a list of grievances, stating that teachers have been appointed to schools in the heart of the slums and that they are disheartened with the material conditions. While the teachers did not expect a continued holiday over there by any means, it was said they did not, on the other hand, expect to be treated in the manner in which they are being treated during the treatment for some time, the delegates have finally protested to the Canadian authorities.

Labor Group Gains Force In Affairs of South Africa

Patriotic Nationalists to Keep Eye on Their Leaders.

London, Nov. 30.—Canadian Press Cable. Premier Smuts, who has recently taken place at Bloemfontein, the appearance of a Nationalist-Labor combination, meeting, he said, had recently taken place at Bloemfontein, which he believed, would have a most far-reaching effect on the politics of South Africa. At this meeting, continued the Premier, which had been called by the National Union of Railway and Harbor Services, General Smuts, the Nationalist leader and leader of the Labor group in the assembly, appeared on the same platform and a new compact was signed. The Premier has become impossible of patriotic nationalists to keep a watchful eye upon their leaders and see whether they were being led. The Labor group has been gaining in force in recent months, fostered by unemployment and labor unrest, in the two constituencies of Gardens and Lamb, formerly held by the Government, were captured by the Labor group.

Further Cut In Operating Deficit By C. N. R. System

Canadian Owned Railroads Continue to Improve to the Digest of Calamity Howlers

Ottawa, Nov. 30.—That the Canadian National system, for the ten months ending Oct. 31, has been able to cut the operating deficit of the C. N. R. in the year just past by \$1,000,000, is announced in a statement issued tonight by Hon. J. A. Stewart, Minister of Railways and Canals. Stewart stated that the C. N. R. had a deficit of \$10,000,000 in the same ten months of 1920.

FRENCH ARMY NOW NUMBERS ABOUT 818,000

This Report Made to Deputies in Connection With Calling Up 1922 Class.

Paris, Nov. 30.—The strength of France's army was given as 818,000 as of Oct. 31 by the report of the Army Commission to the Chamber of Deputies made public today. The report was made public in connection with the government's proposed law calling the class of 1922 to the colors in two contingents, one next May and the other next November. Although an official figure is available, the report said a considerable part of the class of '22 had returned to their homes on crop furlough, or on indefinite leave, making the actual number in uniform 600,000 or upwards, with the balance subject to immediate recall. The army commission estimates that the government plan, which is recommended for adoption, would, through the release of various contingents of the class of 1920 and the incorporation of the class of 1922 during the year, give a strength of 818,000 men in the spring. Next year's class, the new class joins, it is estimated the plan again would reduce the army personnel to 610,000. But it is estimated the joining of the second contingent of the class of 1922 would raise the figure to the present strength by next November. The commission, in its report, assumes that the class of 1922 will serve only eighteen months instituting the reduced service which the commission definitely outlines as an accepted policy. Next year's class, allowing for exemptions, is estimated by the commission at 800,000. The present French army, the report says, is composed of 818,000 whites, 117,000 natives of North Africa, and 11,000 natives of the other colonies and foreign lands.

Scotch Night At St. Columba Church

Church Tastefully Decorated in Scottish Nature—Supper and Programme Enjoyed.

A very successful supper and Scotch entertainment was held last evening in St. Columba Presbyterian church, Fairville, in commemoration of the centenary of the death of James Watson, pastor of the church. The church was tastefully decorated, the decorations being of a distinctly Scottish nature. The electric light bulbs were stored in such a way as to give the effect of a bonfire of Scotch kilts. The various decorations of good things provided by the ladies of the congregation were much enjoyed by the large crowd of people in attendance.

Jap Schooner Burns At Sea

Vancover, B. C., Nov. 30.—The Japanese schooner Keonoo Maru, with a cargo of oil from Japan to Port Alberni, B. C., is reported to have been seen and to have towed two hundred miles off Cape Victory on Tuesday.

Believed It Will Be Given to Jury Sometime Tomorrow—Contradictory Evidence.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 30.—The prosecution in the case of Roscoe C. Arbuckle, accused of manslaughter in connection with the death of Virginia Rappe, closed today, but made revelations which may lead to an extension of testimony for several hours tomorrow. The defense attorneys said they reserved the right to controvert anything new brought out, but further evidence they said their case was closed. Arbuckle agreed on four hours for arguments for each side, so that it appeared, they said, the jury might have the case in its hands by Friday afternoon. The defense today offered evidence in support of that given by Mrs. Minnie Neighbors, who last night was placed under arrest on a charge of perjury preferred by the prosecution. Mrs. Neighbors had been a guest at a resort near Los Angeles. This was related for the state by the husband of the resort, who declared Mrs. Neighbors had never taken her to the place. The day another employer of the resort testified that she had seen Miss Rappe there at the time specified by Mrs. Neighbors.

Craft Named In Honor of Maine Makes Record Trip

Seattle, Nov. 30.—Just 18 days almost to the minute from the time she left Norfolk, Va., and including a stop of over 30 hours at San Pedro, where she filled her bunkers, the world's fastest Pine Tree State, Capt. M. J. Jensen, commander, arrived in Seattle Nov. 31 and berthed at the Smith Cove Pier of Seattle terminal.

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Prince of Wales Having Jolly Time On His Pilgrimage

Moving Through India in Magnificence; Has Time for Little of Sport.

Jodhpur, British India, Nov. 30.—The Prince of Wales enjoyed in his first hour hunt at early dawn today with five teams of men, each team with four spears. Many women accompanied the hunting party. Numerous big black bears were found. The Prince obtained his first kill by riding down his bear and securing a clean and vigorous thrust.

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Lip Sticks And Powder Puffs At Montreal Booths

Star Discovers Great Coup Planned by Liberals—Would You Believe It?

Montreal, Nov. 30.—The Montreal Star says today: Lipsticks, powder puffs, rouge, hairpins and possibly chewing gum are to vie in importance with the official ballot forms at most of the city polls on December 6 to meet the requirements of the 1921 general election. The first voters of a plot to intrigue the women's vote tricked down this morning from Liberal offices, where a battery of clerks were reported engaged in compiling the details of the impending coup. While the scheme has not yet been fully developed, the revelations have already attracted a large number of this young girl who will be active as agitators.

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CONTRADICTORY MAULEY MURDER

Several Witnesses Contradictedly Opposite to That of Policeman Boss Testify Evidence.

After taking a strong course for the defense, the prosecution says the witness advised at the trial of John Paris yesterday took an equally strong course in support of the crown. Several witnesses contradicted themselves, and the evidence given by them was at times directly opposite to that given by them at the first trial, or by other witnesses. It is thought that all the evidence will be in by tonight.

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