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GENERAL MOTORS RESUMES; OTHERS CLOSE

DURANT FACTORY PLANS TO RE-OPEN TOMORROW; WILLYS STOPS MAKING

Resumption Called Only Temporary Measure, As Permanent Policy of Manufacturers As Yet Undecided

DELEGATION TO OTTAWA LIKELY

Ford Officials Declare Canadian Industry Must Be Continued in Spite of Tariff Changes; Manufacturers' Past President Calls Reduction Bad

TORONTO, Ont., April 19.—The Durant Motor Car Company of Canada will reopen its Toronto plant tomorrow for the purpose of liquidation of stock.

The Dodge Motor Car Company of Canada plant remained closed today and the time of its re-opening is uncertain.

At the Willys-Overland plant the manufacture of Willys cars was today discontinued, this making necessary a reduction of about 100 in the number of workmen employed.

ONLY TEMPORARY MEASURE

Resumption or possible resumption of operation at these plants and at the General Motors plant at Oshawa is at present a temporary measure, it is announced, as it does not seem company officials have not yet been able to decide on a definite and permanent policy following the reductions of duties on imported cars.

Steps toward the formulation of a general policy would be taken at the meeting here on Wednesday of the Automotive Manufacturers' section of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association.

OSHAWA, Ont., April 19.—Work was resumed at the plant of the General Motors Corporation of Canada here this morning, after a cessation of two days, following the tariff reduction in imported motor cars announced in the budget speech. All employees, numbering about 3,000, returned.

TORONTO, April 19.—Concerted opposition by manufacturers of automobiles and automobile accessories and their employees against the reduction of the tariff on motor cars, announced in the Federal budget, is developing over the week-end, and it is expected that within the next few days a definite plan of action will be decided on.

Employees of the General Motors Corporation at Oshawa yesterday decided to call a meeting of the 3,000 employees of the plant for Tuesday night to discuss the situation.

Meantime Mayor Weston of Oshawa is receiving numerous replies to a telegram of Saturday, which he sent to 800 municipalities and manufacturers, asking co-operation in forming a strong delegation for the purpose of protesting to the government at Ottawa against the reduced tariff.

MANUFACTURERS TO MEET

On Wednesday, April 21, manufacturers of automobiles and accessories will meet in Toronto to discuss the situation and decide on some plan of action to meet the altered conditions.

While automotive men denounced the tariff, officials of the Ford corporation plant in Canada, stated they believed that in spite of the changes, the automotive industry in Canada must continue operations, and issued a statement which declared that the "welfare of 100,000 Canadian employees and their dependents in our own and allied industries, together with a tremendous investment in plants, equipment and organization, representing \$10,000,000, allows of no alternative but to continue operations."

DURANT OPENS TUESDAY

Officials of the Durant Motor Company, stated last night, that their plant in Toronto which closed Saturday, would re-open on Tuesday morning. Permanent operations depend on the findings of the executives who are looking into the situation, it was stated.

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Turkey's Constriction Move Blamed On Italo-Greek Threat

Bobbed-Tail Cat Proves Heroine Of Boston Blaze

Carries Day-Old Kitten To Safety; Protests When Barred From Others

A BOBBED-TAIL TIGER CAT of the nondescript alley variety, but dearly loved by the children of Edward D. Ellison, furnished a touching scene at the two-alarm fire in the tenement house at 131 Tremont avenue, Everett, by carrying one of her day-old kittens through the fire-swept building to safety and then "mowing" pitiously when firemen refused to let her enter the building again, to save the remaining two members of her family.

THEY were later found dead in a little box in the basement overcome by smoke.

The fire, which started in the living room of the first floor tenement occupied by the family of Edward D. Ellison, owner of the building, destroyed all of the furniture and clothing of that family and also caused heavy damage to the second floor tenement occupied by John McShellan and family. No one was in the house at the time of the fire but the cat and her family and "Zedna," an Alreade dog. The Everett fire chief attributes the cause of the fire to rats and matches, and estimates the damage at \$5,000.

THE heroic rescue of the day-old kitten has insured its living to an old age or untimely death by accident, as Mr. Ellison stated, although he did not intend to keep any of the kittens, he will not part with it now for anything. "Zedna," the pet Alreade, was finally locked in the adjoining barn after having been shooed out of the burning house three times, two playmates, Libby, six, and Arthur, 10, children of the Ellison family.

PILOT IS SOUGHT

Capt. J. F. Donnellan, of Chicago, Missing Since Thursday in Michigan

CHARLEVUOX, Mich., April 19.—A relief party left Cross Village yesterday with a dog team, their destination being St. James, Beaver Island, and their object to learn why Captain J. F. Donnellan, of Chicago, aeroplane pilot, had not returned from his flight to the island last Thursday. Shore residents believe the trip across the lake, a distance of 18 miles, which is extremely treacherous at this season, would take five to eight hours.

Cardinal Believes Sudden Wealth Usually Bad For Catholics; Some Exceptions

BOSTON, April 19.—Sudden attainment of wealth often leads Roman Catholics to the "filthiest kind of pride and vanity," Cardinal O'Connell believes. Riches for Protestants, on the other hand, mean greater opportunity for charity, and, in the end, Divine blessing.

The Cardinal yesterday told a conference of the St. Vincent De Paul Society that he had ceased to hope for material prosperity for Catholics, because "I used to think," the Cardinal said, "that it would be a fine thing to help along our Catholic people to become materially very well to do, prosperous when they do. I won't say every single one. There are noble men and women Catholics, who have become enormously wealthy and who live simple beautiful lives. But as a general rule it is most unfortunate. I wish I had not to say it, but it is the common sentiment of all of us who know, that some Catholics will certainly receive God's blessing more than to have acquired large fortunes; much better for their own lives, for their own characters; because so often we see the results of sudden attainment of wealth that ends in the filthiest kind of vanity and pride."

"Our people get suddenly rich and lose their heads and hearts. Protestant people of today, if they seem to be lacking in external—what shall I say, demonstrations—of religion, have become wonderfully charitable. If they do not go to church they give to every worthy cause, and do not close themselves up and hold tight to every dollar that is coming to them.

"Now that is true. Remember, these non-Catholics who are constantly giving millions of money to great causes will certainly receive God's blessing. There is no question of that. God will dwell with them in their living charity of which He is the centre and the heart."

The Cardinal praised the poor and middle class of the faith, whom he said were generous and noble-hearted to a fault.

7 WITNESSES TO BE HEARD IN LUMBER PROBE

Public Accounts Body To Resume Hearing Tomorrow SMITH TO TESTIFY

Fireworks Expected When Agricultural Committee Dips Into Scheduled Matters

French Minister of Finance To Visit U. S.

FREDERICTON, N. B., April 19.—The Public Accounts Committee will hold the centre of the stage in the Legislature tomorrow, when the House resumes following the week-end adjournment. For the stage is all set for the committee to proceed with the budget demanded by E. C. Atkinson, member for Sunbury, with respect to the charges involving the River Valley Lumber Company, and M. A. Smith, ex-M. L. A. for Sunbury, made by Mr. Atkinson during his speech in the budget debate.

Seven witnesses, including Mr. Smith himself, and officials of the Department of Lands and Mines, have been summoned to appear before the committee in the investigation of charges made by Mr. Atkinson that Mr. Smith used his position as a supporter of the late administration, to secure special privileges with respect to lumber, cut by his company. Meanwhile the probe by the Lancaster Highway tangle has not yet been completed by the committee.

Meanwhile it has been intimated that the sessions of the Agriculture Committee are likely to produce some fireworks this week, as well. So far this committee has been engaged in a rather rigorous examination of the various branches of the Department of Agriculture, the various officials of the department being examined by the committee with respect to the work of their respective branches.

TO TAKE INITIATIVE

Now it is intimated that the department will take the initiative respecting several matters which are due to come before the committee this week, particularly with respect to the affairs of the Agricultural Societies Union, as well as the British Canadian Packing Co.

On Wednesday the municipalities committee is expected to resume private consideration of the Fredericton Assessment bill which has been partially approved by the committee already.

Teacher Selection Plan Undecided

FREDERICTON, April 19.—The committee on the selection of high school teachers to make the European tour during the summer vacation under the arrangements made by Lord Selkirk has been in session but is not in position yet to make announcement concerning the method of selection. Those selected will sail according to present expectation on July 1 or 8 from Montreal. That will make it necessary to make the selection as early as possible and it is likely it will be made in May.

FASCISTS ATTACK CATHOLIC SHOPS

Co-operative Organizations in Switzerland Invaded and Looted of Supplies

CHAMON, Switzerland, April 19.—Attacks by Fascist on Catholic organizations are continuing, according to reports reaching here, the latest having been in the town of Artega in the Puy district. Here the Catholic societies had a co-operative organization and this has been broken up and looted. The Fascists insisted for some time before allowing it because its headquarters were in a priest's home. But for the competition with Fascist shops was here and finally they invaded the co-operative, declaring their patience with peaceful organizations was over. They looted the co-operative of its supplies, and while the Fascists have, stacks of wine and so on, paraded to the Catholic Trade Union Hall where they held a feast to celebrate their victory.

FRANCE PROTESTS ABYSSINIA PACT

Publication of Agreement Between Britain and Italy Arouses Opposition

PARIS, April 19.—French opposition has been aroused by publication in England of an agreement between Chamberlain and Mussolini to divide British and Italian spheres of influence in Abyssinia. It was declared here that no such agreement is possible without French participation, and France is opposed to dividing spheres of influence which affect the only independent country in Africa.

The black kingdom of Ras Tafari, a member of the League of Nations, cannot, in French opinion, be hemmed in by agreements between European powers. It is being declared that Abyssinia has won her independence politically she is in danger of losing it economically.

PIT REMAINS SHUT

No Settlement Reached Yet in Colliery Dispute at Glace Bay

GLACE BAY, N. S., April 19.—Number 24 colliery, Glace Bay, which closed down last week, owing to a dispute between some of the men and the management, is still idle. The trouble arose over two landing tenders refusing to take up certain work which they considered outside their routine and they were backed up by a section of the pit force. On the advice of the United Mine Workers' executive the men decided to return to work pending an enquiry into the dispute, but so far the whistle has not blown for work.

BANS SUNDAY GAMES

Referee's Head Says He Would Rather Burn Boots, Throw Away Whistle

MONTREAL, April 19.—Horace Lyons, soccer referee, president of the Province of Quebec Referees Association, addressing a "footballers' meeting" under the auspices of the Fairmount-Taylor Brotherhood yesterday, said he would burn his football boots and throw away his whistle rather than take part in Sunday soccer. The statement was made in connection with an announcement that the Dominion Football Association had received a communication from the Province of Quebec Football Association asking its sanction for the playing of soccer on Sunday.

DEVELOPING CO. TO HAVE CAPITAL OF \$5,000,000

International Subsidiary Expected To Have Same Amount

DEBATE LIKELY

Veniot To Ask That Bill's Second Reading Made Order of Day

FREDERICTON, N. B., April 19.—July 1, 1928, is the compromise date named for power from Grand Falls to be ready for distribution in the terms of the agreement under which Grand Falls in the St. John River will be developed. This is the date which will be named in the legislation which will be introduced in the provincial legislature this week, providing for development of the Grand Falls. The St. John River Power Company, which is to be incorporated under the legislation, will probably have authorized capitalization of \$5,000,000 and the four trustees of the International Paper Company, the second L. P. subsidiary which will be formed to carry on paper manufacturing, will probably have similar authorized capitalization, or it may be even greater.

WANT ONTARIO IN CANADIAN LEGION

Generals Don't Bother A. G. Moore so Long as They Want to Help

TORONTO, April 19.—Although nothing definite was done at the meeting held here Saturday for the promotion of the unity of all war veterans in the province of Ontario by the merging of the various veterans organizations under the Canadian Legion of the British Service League, the gathering was one of the big events of the session, which will be a formal affair, instead of coming when the bill is before Committee of the whole house.

PREMIER RESIGNS

Chinese Prime Minister Blames Himself For Recent Coup, Depositing President

PEKING, April 19.—Premier Chi Teh Yao has resigned, blaming himself for negligence in connection with the Kuomintang coup of last Saturday, when the National Army deposed President Tsai Chi Jui. The cabinet had dismissed General Lu Chung Lin, the nationalist commander from all his posts.

Five Dead, Three Dying And 12 In Hospital After Fires Which Ended Chicago Parties

CHICAGO, April 19.—Five persons are dead, three cannot live, and 12 others are in hospitals nursing injuries here, as a result of two fires that terminated revelry carried in the early hours of Sunday morning. A gallon can of kerosene exploded at the climax of a birthday party, showering the guests with liquid fire, and fatally injuring four of them. A four-story brick building was swept by flames which originated in a drinking party.

Three occupants of the building were killed; a fireman received fatal injuries, and six others were rushed to hospitals.

TEN BURNED At the birthday party Mrs. Frank Smagorsak hurled the contents of a gallon can of kerosene into a stove, when the smog went cool. Ten guests at the table nearby were deluged with the blazing liquid as it exploded. They were rushed to a hospital where two of them died, two others were burned so seriously they cannot live, and a fifth, Frank Smagorsak, will be permanently blind, if he recovers. His wife, who caused the explosion, escaped uninjured. J. Jamieson, proprietor of the burned brick building, admitted, according to police, that he had been selling whiskey for the past six months.

President Installed

PREMIER PANGALOS



ATHENS, April 19.—General Pangalos was installed as President of Greece at the Cathedral Sunday. He took the oath of office before the Holy Synod and the Ministerial Council. A salute of 21 guns was fired at dawn in honor of the occasion, and a similar salute was given at the conclusion of the ceremony. In the afternoon General Pangalos received the congratulations of officials at Government House. On assuming the presidency General Pangalos ordered the liberation of all political prisoners and journalists accused of attempted sedition, including M. Papanastasiou, former Premier, and General Constantopoulos, former Minister of War, and others who were sent into exile from today. General Pangalos announced, he will relinquish all his dictatorial rights, which he assumed early in January of this year.

REMAINS CATHOLIC

Queen Marie Gives Up Idea of Joining Greek Orthodox Church

BUCHAREST, April 19.—Queen Marie, it is authoritatively stated, has given up the idea of renouncing her Roman Catholic faith with the idea of joining the Greek Orthodox church. Last week it was reported the Rumanian queen would embrace the Orthodox faith because she felt there was need for her to be closer to the spiritual relations of her children, who are members of the Greek church.

MILITARY MOVE O. K.

From Angora, the Turkish capital, come advice to the effect that everything has been following closely Mussolini's voyage to Tripoli and the general political situation, and that Turkey has not failed to make proper preparation. The Constantinople newspapers decline to believe that Italy would make an unprovoked attack on Turkey, but nevertheless they express satisfaction that the Turkish government is taking all necessary precautions.

PREMIER RETURNS

ROME, April 19.—Premier Mussolini returned to Rome Saturday night. He came back from Tripoli where he had been on a tour of inspection.

The Weather

SYNOPSIS.—The high pressure which was centered in Manitoba on Saturday, has drawn southward and is now centered over Lake Michigan, while a depression is moving eastward across the Western Provinces. The weather conditions warm throughout the west and cold from Ontario eastward.

FORECASTS

MARITIME.—Fresh west and northwest winds, fair and cold today and Tuesday.

NEW ENGLAND.—Fair and continued cold tonight; Tuesday and Wednesday fair with rising temperature.

Temperatures TORONTO, April 19.—

Table with 2 columns: Location and Temperature. Locations include Victoria, Calgary, Edmonton, Winnipeg, Toronto, Montreal, Saint John, Halifax, and New York. Temperatures range from 46 to 60.