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N.P. HOUSE PREPARES TO ENTER LAST WEEK

PROROGATION NEXT FRIDAY NOW CERTAIN

Both Sides In Legislature Agreed As To Closing

RESUME TUESDAY

Bills Incorporating Grand Falls Power Co. and Paper Company Slated

FREDERICTON, April 24—The Provincial Legislature will resume again on Tuesday for the last lap of the session.

Starting the week will be the meeting of the Corporations Committee on Tuesday morning to complete consideration of the bill incorporating the St. John's River Power Company, after which the bill incorporating the New Brunswick International Paper Company and that giving the Fraser Companies authority to build transmission lines from Grand Falls to Campbellton for their proposed paper mill there will be taken up.

Both government and opposition members of the Legislature expressed the opinion before leaving for the weekend that the House would reach prorogation some time next Friday.

LOGGING CONTINUES IN NORTH SECTION

Cutting and Hauling Crews to Be Utilized Also For Driving

FREDERICTON, April 24.—Although the month of May is but a few days off, and stream driving in ordinary springs is getting under way at this time, logging and hauling in the lumber woods is still going on in the extreme north of the province. A. T. Murchie, chief engineer, states that these large companies have crews cutting and hauling at the present time, the intention being to have these crews drive the logs as soon as conditions permit.

FIRE DAMAGES HOUSE

This morning the residence of Hurd A. Belys, 817 Aberdeen street, was slightly damaged by fire which started on the roof.

FORMULA AGREED ON FOR INDIAN PARLEY

Round Table Conference Will Attempt to Solve Problems of Country

Canadian Press Cable. CAPETOWN, S. A., April 24.—In the legislative assembly yesterday Hon. Dr. D. E. Malan, Minister of the Interior, announced that as a result of conversations between the South African cabinet and the Indian deputation which recently visited Capetown in the interests of the Indian residents of South Africa, who would be affected by the passing of the Asiatic bill proposed by the Hertzog government, a formula had been agreed upon which would form the basis and determine the nature of the proposed round table conference. The round table conference, the minister said, would be a serious and honest attempt to arrive at an effective and amicable solution of the Indian problem in this country.

DR. H. V. PEARMAN DEAD

WOLFVILLE, N. S., April 24.—The death occurred here early this morning of Dr. Horace Vivian Pearman, M. D., C. M., formerly of Halifax, where he was known as a prominent eye, ear and throat specialist. Dr. Pearman, who was born in Bermuda in 1861, received his medical education at McGill University, Montreal, and in London and Vienna.

GEN. BERTRAM DEAD

MONTREAL, April 24.—The death took place here today of Major General Sir Alexander Bertram, 62, of a short illness.

Houses In Ottawa Suburbs Inundated As Rideau River Freshet Rises

Small Boy With Cap Dissipates Cemetery Ghost

Eerie Apparition Turns Out To Be Street Lamp Light On Tombstone

LONDON, April 24.—Surely never was such a terrible supernatural manifestation found to be so harmless as that of the Elmers End cemetery, Kent. Some weeks ago a small boy rushed home one evening, declaring tearfully that he had seen a grave on fire, with a big cross above it.

SOME days ago, a great may tree was pruned at the entrance gates, allowing the rays of a street lamp to shine on the polished surface of the cross.

The ghost was laid when a small boy, for a shilling, climbed the lamp-post and held his cap in front of the lamp, the ghostly cross immediately disappearing.

O. J. LAWSON HEAD FOR A THIRD TERM

East Saint John Tennis Club Hears Cheering Reports at Meeting

The annual meeting of the East Saint John Lawn Tennis Club was held at the home of Mrs. Frank Josselyn yesterday. An excellent report was brought in by the secretary, Miss V. Foley. The membership was growing and that the last year had been a success. The report of the treasurer, William Woodroffe, showed the club was in good standing and without debt.

FOR SUMMER WORK

G. K. McNab, local port agent for the C. G. M. M., will leave this evening for Quebec for the summer season. David Arthur, import clerk for Furness-Wilby & Co., Ltd., staff, will leave tomorrow for Montreal for the summer.

No 'Small Peoples' Says Briand, Asked About League Policy

PARIS, France, April 24.—Replying to an interpellation concerning the League of Nations policy, Premier Briand said the recent assembly had shown that there was no "small peoples' left, and that any nation might assert its will, before which all ought to bow.

MILLION FRANC DONATION TO FRANCE'S FUND

Is Made By Zaharoff, Mystery Man of Europe

PARIS, April 24.—The steadily mounting total of France's "Save the Franc fund" got a million-franc impetus yesterday, when Sir Basil Zaharoff, known as the "mystery man of Europe," turned over to the Ministry of Finance a check for that amount.

90,000 WATCH BOLTON TAKE ENGLISH CUP

LONDON, April 24.—Bolton Wanderers won the English Football Association cup, emblematic of the soccer championship of England, at the Wembley Stadium, defeating Manchester City, one to nothing. The winning goal was scored for Bolton by Jack after the second half had been in progress 82 minutes.

HOLE MADE IN WALL THEFT CASE STORY

Evidence of Bricks Being Removed in Smythe Street Case

LEAGUE GAMES

LONDON, April 24.—Football games played today resulted as follows: English League, First Division: Birmingham 1, West Ham United, 0; Blackburn Rovers, 3; Aston Villa, 1; Burnley, 1; Leicester City, 0; Cardiff City, 2; Liverpool, 2; Everton, 3; Newcastle, 0; Huddersfield Town vs. Bolton Wanderers, not played. Manchester City vs. Leeds United, not played. Sheffield United, 3; Manchester City, 1; Tottenham Hotspur, 0; Arsenal, 1.

Delegate From Oshawa Injured In Fall

OTTAWA, April 24.—It was stated at the civic hospital this morning that the condition of Charles Metcalfe of Oshawa, was slightly improved, and the doctors did not think his skull was fractured.

U. S. Senator Moves to Make War Illegal

WASHINGTON, April 24.—A proposed constitutional amendment to make all war illegal has been offered in the Senate by Senator, North Dakota insurgent Republican. His plan would forbid all appropriations for war purposes, apparently without a loophole for defence in event of attack from without.

Wanderers Defeat Manchester City In Final For Soccer Championship

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U. S. Co-Operation With British Urged

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., April 24.—The need for mutual co-operation and friendship between the United States and Great Britain in the interests of civilization was the sentiment voiced by speakers last night at the one hundred and fifty-fourth annual dinner of the Society of the Sons of St. George.

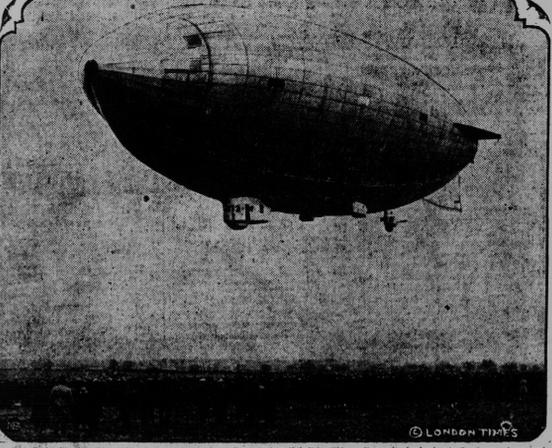
RADIO LEAGUE TO MEET HERE TONIGHT

Broadcasting of Proceedings to Be Interesting Feature of "Beatty" Convention

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, April 24.—Sterling exchange steady. Great Britain 48 1/2, France 39 1/2, Italy 40 1/2, Belgium 38 1/2, Germany 23 1/2, Canada 50 1/2, 11-64 of one per cent premium.

The Norge Pauses On Way To Pole



This is the first picture to reach America of the dirigible "Norge" as it looked at Furham, England, where it made its first step on the way from Rome to Spitzbergen, the base for Captain Roald Amundsen's proposed flight across the North Pole to Point Barrow, Alaska.

Warning of Storms, Two Days Before They Break, To Be Sent By Radio From Greenland

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., April 24.—Storm warnings to North Atlantic shipping two days ahead of the arrival of the actual storm, may be given soon by meteorologists through the employment of a great radio station located on the Greenland Plains, Dr. William H. Hobbs, of the University of Wisconsin, told members of the American Philosophical Society yesterday.

FIRE HAZARDS ARE DELAYED BY SNOW

Season Well Behind Last Year's When First Blaze Reported April 6

SNOW SETTLING FAST

It is expected that the snow will disappear rapidly. Woodmen report that recent warm days have made the snow settle fast in the southern section of the province and the warm weather which ordinarily occurs at this season of the year should make the snow melt fast.

FAILURES IN CANADA

TORONTO, April 24.—Commercial failures in Canada, reported by I. G. Dun and Company, during the past week, totaled 21 compared with 48 during the corresponding week of last year.

Fails To Get Liquor Despite "Permit" of King and Premier

FORT WILLIAM, Ont., April 24.—Claiming to have special permission from King George of Britain and Premier Mackenzie King, of Canada, to buy liquor, J. G. Brown, declared to be a Kingston, Ont., resident, walked into the police station yesterday and asked one of the constables to pay for it and get him a bottle of liquor, throwing down a ten-dollar bill to go with it.

WATER REACHES RECORD LEVEL LAST EVENING

Surface Now Is 9 Feet Above Navigation Level

CELLARS FLOOD

Ice Jam In Mooney's Bay Still Holding—Cottages Six Feet Under

OTTAWA, April 24.—The floods of the Rideau River about Ottawa had receded a few inches this morning, according to word received from Billings Bridge, which is the centre of the flooded area. The cold nights halt the melting of snow, and as Rideau River is comparatively short and is fed by creeks and smaller rivers, many quite close to the city, the effect is evidenced by early frosts.

ICE STARTS OUT OF MONTREAL

MONTREAL, April 24.—The ice in Montreal harbor started its outward movement this morning. Fluctuations in the water height have been taking place during the past few days, varying between 41 and 46 feet and registering as much as two feet change in a half hour.

DEAN OF LODGE IS SPEAKER AT CAPITAL

John Bebbington, 36 Years a Member, Addresses Sons of England

MUSSOLINI SICK

BASEL, Switzerland, April 24.—Having apparently successfully checkedmate communism which threatened to strangle hold on the Italian body politic Benito Mussolini, master of Italy, now is waging a battle against a sinister enemy, which seeks to destroy him.

PAINTER DEAD

EDINBURGH, April 24.—Edwin Alexander, who was widely known as a painter of birds, animals and flowers died today in his 56th year. He exhibited chiefly in the Royal Scottish Academy.

The Weather

SYNOPSIS—A shallow depression which was over the Northwest States yesterday has developed into an important storm now centered over Lake Michigan. Rain is falling in Western Ontario. Elsewhere in the Dominion the weather is fine.

TEMPERATURES

Table with 2 columns: Location and Temperature. Locations include Toronto, Montreal, Halifax, and New York.