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Baldwin Speech Taken As Prediction Of Early Elections

SEPARATISTS ROUTED BY GERMANIS

Ottawa Pulpwood Session To Open Monday

ELECTION IN ENGLAND PREDICTED

Premier Baldwin's Speech Strengthens Belief of Early Voting.

TARIFF DISCUSSED

January or February Stated as Time to Go to the Polls.

(By Canadian Press.)

London, Nov. 3.—One effect of Premier Baldwin's speech at Manchester has been to strengthen the conviction that a general election is inevitable within a comparatively short time.

Some observers see significance in the phrase the Premier used when, after asserting that the problem of unemployment necessitated recourse "to radical and drastic measures," he said he proposed to do so.

"Let others say how they would set out to achieve the end we all have in view, and then let the country decide."

Need of Election.

Neville Chamberlain in a speech at Cardiff last evening referred pointedly to the need of an election on the tariff question and intimated no time would be lost in appointing a committee to construct the framework of a general tariff on manufactured goods.

Election Coming.

London, Nov. 3.—A general election in Great Britain is coming within 12 months. At least that much seems assured out of a string of indefinite political speeches.

Sir Laming Worthington Evans, Postmaster General, speaking at Cardiff yesterday, pointed out the impossibility of framing a general tariff until the advisory committee, which was being appointed, had lifted the matter in conjunction with representatives of industry and has presented its report.

CONSIDER NAMING PUBLIC DEFENDERS

Committee of Canadian Born Appointed to Report on Proposal.

Toronto, Nov. 3.—Police Magistrate J. E. Jones of Toronto has been appointed by Sir James Aitkins, Lieutenant-Governor of Manitoba and president of the Canadian Bar Association, as convenor of a committee to consider the advisability of appointing public defenders in criminal cases in populous centres. Other members of the committee are: Sir Hugh John Macdonald of Winnipeg; Peter Bercevitch, K. C., Ernest Bertrand, Montreal, and W. K. Murphy, Toronto.

Paris Will Probe High Living Cost

Paris, Nov. 3.—Prefect Naudin has summoned all the principal city officials to a council of war to consider the high cost of living. All possible causes of the recent rise in prices will be thoroughly discussed from every angle and each official will be asked to investigate his special field.

Arrest Gambler; Get A Holiday

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 3.—A twenty-four hour vacation will be the reward of any policeman who arrests a gambler in Los Angeles, Chief of Police August Volmer has announced. If the gambler is a particularly prominent one the vacation will be longer.

CARTER TO RE-OPEN TOMB OF KING TUT

Now Unpacking Treasures In Cairo and Will Go Back For More.

Cairo, Nov. 3.—Howard Carter has arrived here from Luxor for a stay of several days. He will supervise the unpacking of several cases of treasures from the Tutankhamon Tomb. The objects will be exhibited in the Cairo Museum.

Wire Briefs

Montreal, Nov. 3.—Canadian Pacific Railway earnings for week ending Oct. 31, \$2,119,000. Increase \$70,000.

Halifax, Nov. 3.—The Gloucester schooner Columbia, aspirant for international fishermen's racing honors, left for home at 9:30 a. m. today.

Toronto, Nov. 3.—Clifford H. Sherwood, alias Harris, wanted in Montreal for false pretences, was arrested last night in a downtown Toronto hotel under the name of Harris.

Paris, Nov. 3.—A despatch from Berlin says it is learned authoritatively that the Bavarian Government has sent a telegram to Chancellor Stresemann demanding the establishment of nationalistic dictatorship.

Ottawa, Nov. 3.—A strong critic of the federal department of health for using a drug addict as a decoy in the recent case against Dr. Gordon Booth was contained in a resolution passed at a meeting of the Ottawa Medical Society here last night.

Paris, Nov. 3.—M. T. Herrick, U. S. ambassador, called on Premier Poincaré today and had a long conversation with him. The strictest secrecy regarding the subject of the conference is maintained at the French foreign office and the embassy.

New York, Nov. 3.—Cotton advanced today 65 points at the opening of the market, representing a total jump of 265 points or thirteen dollars a bale, in the seasonal trading of the last two days.

Sydney, Nov. 3.—Announcement was made this morning by President Roy M. Wolvin that the British Empire Steel Corporation is establishing a pension fund to provide annuities for employees whose age does not permit them to continue at work.

Hamilton, Nov. 3.—Mentally unbalanced over religious zeal Mrs. Renben Parr, Mount Hamilton, aged 45, placed her feet in a kitchen fire last night and both limbs were badly charred. She was taken to the Mount Hamilton Hospital and her condition is critical.

Berlin, Nov. 3.—New York's appraisal of the market on the basis of one and two third trillion to the dollar moved Chancellor Stresemann to convene a midnight session of his rump cabinet at which several emergency ordinances were proclaimed for the purpose of forestalling a similar collapse of the mark in Berlin.

Montreal, Nov. 3.—Ideal rugby weather greeted Halifax Wanderers today when they hopped on to McGill campus to join issue with the Montreal English rugby club for the coveted McTier cup. The grounds was in excellent condition, with a soft spring turf and there was a crispness in the air which would make the players exercise themselves to the utmost.

MARITIME HEARINGS COMPLETED

Timber Resources of Canada Being Investigated by Board.

EMBARGO OPPOSED

Commission Finds Keen Interest is Taken in Forest Conservation.

(By Canadian Press)

Ottawa, Nov. 3.—The Royal Commission on pulpwood will open its Ottawa meetings on Monday night next, November 5. The commission will sit in this city all of next week. After spending next week in Ottawa, the commission will proceed to Toronto, at which point hearings will be held from November 10 to November 11. The itinerary subsequent to the Toronto hearings has not yet been decided.

Although the commission is charged with enquiring into the question of the pulpwood embargo, it is also investigating the question of conservation of timber resources.

E. H. Finlayson, secretary of the commission, who recently returned from the Maritime Provinces, stated that the public hearings for Nova Scotia and New Brunswick have now been practically completed.

While travelling in those provinces, he said, the commission found that a very keen interest was displayed on the question of the pulpwood embargo, as well as on the general question of forest conservation. The interest, he said, was manifested in the fact that in several instances the commission was invited to visit the pulpwood plantations and to see the methods of logging.

MUST GO TO DAIL

Course of Proposals Re-Agreement With Ulster Outlined by Cosgrave.

Dublin, Nov. 3.—The question of the proposed conference to settle the boundary between Northern and Southern Ireland was raised in the Dail yesterday.

President Cosgrave said: "There has been no question of a conference on the basis of the Collins-Craig agreement, and there will not be. The Free State is not sending plenipotentiaries to any conference and the Government has no power to alter the Anglo-Irish treaty, but if any proposals are made for an agreement they must be submitted to the Free State parliament."

Russian Pole Is Killed While Hunting

New Glasgow, Nov. 3.—Joe Kolosky, a Russian Pole, working in the mines at Stellarton, was instantly killed while hunting in the woods near Bytown, Pictou County, this morning.

The dead man's companions claim that in some way Kolosky stumbled and the gun accidentally discharged.

Says Englishman Buys Derby Winner

Newmarket, Eng., Nov. 3.—Baill Jarvis, trainer of Papyrus, told an interviewer today that the winner of the last Derby had been sold to an Englishman but that he could not reveal the name of the purchaser nor the price.

The colt, Jarvis said, was not to be relegated to the stud but would continue under his care next year. The negotiations for the sale were completed yesterday.

Constables Fight Melbourne Strike

Melbourne, Nov. 3.—The government of Victoria is enrolling special constables to cope with the strike of the Melbourne police which is spreading.

At first the strike, which originated because the police commissioners refused to dismiss an officer who was accused of using spying methods, was confined to the policemen on the night shift, but yesterday a number of men who had been on day duty refused to go to work.

New York Makes Landlords Be Good

New York, Nov. 3.—Forty New York landlords were lined up before Magistrate Brough in the Municipal Term Court and sixteen offenders were fined a total of \$565 for violation of the tenement house law.

The two who suffered the heaviest penalties were Henry Oscar, owner of a tenement at 304 West Sixty-ninth street, and Morris Goldsman, who owns a building at 119 East Fourteenth street.

PRINCE OF SWEDEN IS WED TODAY

Cousin of King George Becomes Bride of Heir to Throne

EVENTFUL WOOING

Many Members of Royalty Attend Ceremonies at St. James Palace.

(By Canadian Press)

Stockholm, Nov. 3.—The marriage in London today of Lady Louise Mountbatten, great-granddaughter of the late Queen Victoria of England and second cousin to King George, the present sovereign, to Gustaf Adolf, crown prince of Sweden, is received with deep interest here. The Swedes are eager to meet the woman who one day will become their queen, and England is believed to be gratified at the new royal tie that binds Stockholm and London into still closer friendship.

Lady Louise is a sister of Lord Louis Mountbatten who last year married Miss Edwina Ashley, said to be one of the richest women in England.

Lady Louise's father was a typical English aristocrat in England and London until she came to Sweden. It is recalled that reports of his resignation were current last July during the controversy over the question of a separate air force for the fleet, but the newspaper says Admiral Beatty's present definite step is not associated with that issue.

SAYS ONLY HOME LIFE WORTH WHILE

Phenix, Ariz., Nov. 3.—Home life is the only thing in the world that makes living worth while, was emphasized by Mrs. Alice Winters, president of the National Federation of Women's Clubs, in an address before the annual convention of the Central Arizona District Federation.

"Women's sphere throughout the ages seems to have been made up of things men do not like to do," she declared. "Men have reared the church spires, built school-houses, but every good thing men have done has been to serve that which women have in their hands—the home."

BLUENOSE RAPPED

Halifax Chronicle Says Nova Scotia Schooner Should See Rules.

Halifax, Nov. 3.—The Halifax Chronicle has the following comment on the schooner race: "The fate of the schooner race is most unfortunate from every point of view. While every allowance may be made for the feeling of disappointment of Captain Walters and his crew over the losing of a victory which they had virtually won, still it is to be regretted that they did not cheerfully and sportsmanlike accept the decision of the sailing committee and abide by the result. Then final victory would be all the more to their credit. Having entered the contest they were in honour bound to accept the decision of the committee. The admirers of the Bluenose have ample confidence that she would have sailed home again with flying colors."

MANY LEAVE ITALY

Emigrants in Six Months Number 186,000; Canada Gets 2,311.

Rome, Nov. 3.—The emigration bureau has published statistics showing that 186,000 Italians emigrated during the first six months of 1923. Of these 2,311 went to Canada.

A Good Reminder



Saturday, Nov. 10, is "Forget-Me-Not Day" for disabled World War veterans in the U. S. And pretty girls, with their bunches of forget-me-nots, will keep one from forgetting. This Cincinnati maiden is a typical reminder. Proceeds will be expended in welfare, relief and legislative assistance for the disabled men.

Boy of Five Sees Crazy Father Kill Mother and Commit Suicide

Prescott, Ont., Nov. 3.—Harry Puffer, aged 49 years, a farmer residing three miles south of Huronville, in a fit of insanity, brutally murdered his wife, Ethel R. Puffer, 40 years, yesterday and then committed suicide by hanging himself to the rafters of his barn, according to provincial police here. The only witness to the crime was a little five year old son, who was in the room when the deed was committed.

Window Shopper Solves A Riddle

New York, Nov. 3.—Stopping in front of a jeweler's to set his watch, the man in the street passed by glance at the diamond display in the window. As he looked absent-mindedly at the array he noticed an elderly woman and a young girl closely inspecting the stones. They presently shifted their gaze from the window to the young woman's unglazed hand and talked in undertone.

NOTED WRITERS AT FREDERICTON

Fredericton, Nov. 3.—Major W. O. McGehean, sporting editor of the New York Herald, Herbert Igoe, the New York World's fistic expert, and Robert Maher of the New York Herald, arrived here last night from their trip to the Rocky Brook district of the Miramichi on a big game hunting trip just in time to catch a C. P. R. train for Montreal, where they are due at noon today, en route to New York.

Harry Allen, president of the N. B. Guides' Association, who had arranged their trip, met them at the Barker House upon their arrival here; they left the heads of the game they had killed to be mounted, as mild weather prevented them taking any venison or moose steak back to New York with them, but Bert Igoe had a live souvenir of his trip for his daughter, Major McGehean said the party had thoroughly enjoyed themselves and were coming back to New Brunswick again next year either for salmon fishing or to hunt big game.

Weather Report

Toronto, Nov. 3.—A disturbance now in the Lower Mississippi Valley is likely to move slowly northward to the Great Lakes. The weather is fine and mild throughout the Dominion.

Severe Earthquake Recorded On Coast

Victoria, B. C., Nov. 3.—An earthquake as severe as the recent one which destroyed Yokohama and Tokio in Japan, was registered at the Meteorological Observatory at Gonzales Heights yesterday afternoon.

Napier, Dominion, director of the observatory, calculated the quake to have occurred 5,600 miles to the westward of the Island of Guam, a well known source of big shocks.

Small Will Case To Supreme Court

Toronto, Nov. 3.—Mr. Justice Rose at Osgoode Hall yesterday issued an order for the transfer of the probate of the will of Ambrose J. Small from the Surrogate Court to the Supreme Court of Ontario. The application for the transfer was made by W. N. Tilley, K. C., and Frank J. Hughes, counsel for Mrs. Theresa Small, wife of the missing theatrical magnate.

LOYALISTS DRIVE OUT OPPONENTS

Aix La Chapelle is Again in Hands of the Reich Government.

REBELS EJECTED

Several Persons are Reported Killed in Street Fighting

(By Canadian Press.)

Aix La Chapelle, Nov. 3.—Aix La Chapelle is again in the hands of the authorities of the Reich government and the separatist factions have been driven out of town.

The eviction of the separatists came yesterday, following fighting which began early in the morning in an endeavor to capture the Rathaus, inside which a strong defense was put up by Loyalists, composed of police, firemen and city officials. The Loyalists finally surrendered but later the separatists were ejected and forced by the Belgians to leave the city.

Several persons were killed in the fighting, exactly how many has not yet been established, and a score wounded. The attack began between five and six o'clock yesterday morning.

ALLEGATIONS MADE AGAINST 4 MOUNTIES

Assertions of Unlawful Acts Are to Be Investigated by Royal Commission.

Victoria, B. C., Nov. 3.—Under J. P. Smith, K. C., chairman, a Royal Commission to investigate allegations against three officers and one ex-officer of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police opened yesterday and decided to adjourn the sittings until November 12 to permit charges now being considered in Police Court to be disposed of.

Commissioner Smith said that he held a warrant for a full inquiry. Allegations forming the basis of the inquiry were contained in a statement referring to F. W. Eccles, W. L. Smith and Sergeant Robert Mundy, three officers of the Vancouver R. C. M. P., and Frank Fernandez, at one time employed by the force. It is alleged as a basis of inquiry that the men unlawfully trafficked in drugs; that Mundy and others caused certain persons to be imprisoned without lawful cause.

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High School Boys In Critical Game

Fredericton, Nov. 3.—Fredericton High School and St. John High School are playing here today in the final contest of the N. B. Interscholastic League, with the championship of the league hanging on the outcome.

A win today for the local boys will give them the undisputed championship of the league and the opportunity of challenging the interscholastic leaders in Nova Scotia for the Maritime championship again. If St. John High wins, the championship goes to Robtsey Collegiate School.

Weather Report

Toronto, Nov. 3.—A disturbance now in the Lower Mississippi Valley is likely to move slowly northward to the Great Lakes. The weather is fine and mild throughout the Dominion.

Maritime—Light to moderate winds, fine and mild today and on Sunday.

Gulf and North Shore—Light to moderate winds, fine and mild today and on Sunday.

New England—Fair tonight; Sunday increasing cloudiness, followed by rain Sunday night, little change in temperature, moderate northerly winds.

Toronto, Nov. 3.—Temperatures: Highest during 8 a. m. yesterday, night.

Prince Rupert 48 46 44  
Victoria 48 50 46  
Kamloops 50 50 46  
Calgary 44 44 30  
Edmonton 52 46 26  
Prince Albert 26 44 24  
Winnipeg 38 46 36  
St. Louis 50 50 46  
St. John's 51 51 31  
Kingston 44 48 42  
Ottawa 48 54 26  
Montreal 38 46 30  
Quebec 30 44 28  
St. John 32 46 26  
Halifax 34 44 24  
St. John's, Nfld 30 34 26  
Detroit 51 52 40  
New York 44 50 40