

SHIP 10 WEEKS FROM NEWCASTLE N.B. TO PORTLAND

Portland, Me., Feb. 7.—A provincial four-masted schooner is somewhat of a variety at this port, and when the tug Cumberland was seen making harbor with one in tow, it was thought by some that Capt. McDuffie had picked up the overdue coal-laden schooner Bradford E. Jones. The vessel proved to be the Avon Queen, an auxiliary British schooner of 939 tons, which sailed from Newcastle (N. B.) on November 26 for New York, lumber-laden. All kinds of unfavorable weather was encountered and the vessel has made frequent stops at coastwise ports in the more than two months that has passed since she made her start.

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NEW PONTIFF, EXPLAINS WHY HE CHOSE NAME PIUS

Rome, Feb. 8.—The reason for his choice of the name of Pius was explained by the new Pontiff yesterday to Cardinal Luaidi. "I was born under a Pius. I came to Rome under a Pius. Pius is the name of peace—then Pius shall be my name," he said.

McKinleyville School Report For January

Grade V.—Lorne Clarke 84; George Dawson 67.
Grade IV. (a)—Dorothy MacGregor 71.6; Loreta Palmer 64.8; Vincent Duthie 52.2.
Grade IV (b)—Lillian Clarke 79.6
Grade III. (a)—Archie Clarke 52.
Grade III. (b)—Geraldine Welsh 99.3; Clara Clarke 98; Margaret MacKinley 96.6; Hannah Brennan 91 Robert MacKinley 74.
Grade II—Otto Doyle 84.5; Irene Clarke 67.
Grade I.—Catherine Clarke 75; Freeman Doyle 56.
Perfect attendance for month—Beryl Smallwood, Dorothy MacGregor, Loreta Palmer, Archie Clarke, Margaret MacKinley.

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Government Will Note Yield To Wage Demands

Ottawa, Feb. 8.—Steadily mounting wage demands of men for whom work was provided by the Government in Ottawa to relieve their distress have led to the discontinuance of the work and a hundred men who have been receiving \$4 a day will again be jobless.

The work being closed is the construction of a retaining wall along the Rideau Canal. The wall has been erected as far as the Grand Trunk bridge at Ottawa East. It will be carried no further now. An interesting story attaches to the discontinuance of the work. The men employed in it had recently received two increases in wages in response to their demands. It is as a consequence of their demanding still more from the Government that the work is stopped.

The work was undertaken this winter solely for the purpose of providing relief in the unemployed situation. The men employed were paid thirty cents an hour. The Allied Trades and Labor Council discussed their wage and it was also brought up at meetings of the Civic Advisory Committee on relief. After the change of Government the men applied for higher wages. The intervention of the Minister of Labor, Hon. James Murdock, on the point of fair wages on government enterprises was secured and on his recommendation the men were increased to \$3.40 a day of eight hours. This did not satisfy them and they applied for a further increase. This also was granted, the rate of pay being raised to \$4.00.

France Wants To Delay The Genoa Conference

London, Feb. 8.—It is unlikely that the French Government's request for a three months' delay in the opening of the Genoa conference will be met by Great Britain. It was stated in official circles today. The sooner the conference convenes the sooner European industrial reconstruction will begin, according to the view of these officials.

Paris, Feb. 8.—Premier Poincare today reaffirmed the French Government's determination to seek guarantees before going to the international economic conference at Genoa. He made this clear at a secret session of the foreign affairs committee of the Chamber of Deputies to which he gave complete details of the Government's plans and copies of documents.

The Premier said it was France's right and duty before going to Genoa to get the necessary assurances that none of her rights under existing treaties, nor those concerning the League of Nations would be jeopardized. But as to whether French delegates actually would go to the conference or not, he said:

"It is not for France either to accept or decline an invitation issued in her name."

NOVASCOTIA MUNICIPALITIES WANT MORE 'HOME RULE'

Halifax, N. S. Feb. 8.—The Nova Scotia Government is being confronted by a demand for more "home rule" from towns and municipalities throughout the Province. The Provincial Government, they say, has been encroaching upon sources or revenue which the towns and municipalities believe they should be free to exploit for their own purposes. The Pictou County Council recently refused to obey the Provincial law requiring an assessment for highway purposes, and the Town Council of Kentville is protesting against the tax on their general assessment to assist the Provincial Government to maintain, "not the roads in the town, but the highways in the country."

The Provincial Government levies taxes on theatres, moving picture houses, circuses, motor cars, pool rooms, and skating rinks, and many towns, cities and municipalities are now claiming that they should have a share of all these taxes.

Eight Men Killed In Mine Explosion

Huntingham, W. Va., Feb. 8.—Eight men were killed, two badly injured and one is missing as the result of a mine explosion late yesterday which wrecked a mine of the Marietta Coal Company on Pond Creek, according to information received here last night.



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