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Expel Union Men Who Joined Winnipeg Strike

Action by Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen FIFTY-ONE FROM ONE LODGE

Statement is Made by Vice-President Murdoch—Winnipeg Trades and Labor Council May Lose Charter for Advocacy of One Big Union

Winnipeg, July 17.—All the members of the International Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen in the Winnipeg district who participated in the recent general strike which the brotherhood considers to have been illegal, will be expelled from the union, said James Murdoch, vice-president of the organization yesterday.

Definite action was taken in this connection on Tuesday night when fifty-one members of one Canadian Pacific lodge were expelled. Some of these men had been members of the brotherhood for twenty-five years. They can in six months make application for re-admission, and if permission is given by the grand lodge they can again become members of the organization.

May Lose Charter.—Winnipeg, July 17.—In the opinion of many union officials summary action by the Dominion Trades and Labor Congress is expected to follow the adoption by the local trades and labor council of the Calgary convention report amounting to full endorsement of the one big union project.

Winnipeg, July 17.—Machinery Lodge number 122 (C. P. R.) had its charter revoked last night by its international representative as a result of its decision to throw in its lot with the one big union.

This body has a membership of about 400 and a big attendance was anticipated in view of the important decision required of the membership. However, not half of the lodge's membership put in an appearance and the actual vote was sixty-four in favor of the one big union to four against it.

At a meeting of the executive committee of this decision, James Somerville, international representative, who had addressed the meeting prior to the vote being taken, declared the charter revoked. In an interview Mr. Somerville said that he was fully confident that the majority of the men would recognize their union and remain on an international basis.

SNOW IS MAKING MORE HAVOC IN THE ANDES COUNTRY

Buenos Aires, July 17.—Snowfalls on both sides of the Andes Mountains have resulted in further landslides of large proportions, adding to the difficulties of repairing communication over the mountains. The tunnels on the Trans-Andine Railway have been destroyed in the latest landslides. The bilzard in the mountains is said to be continuing, forcing repair gangs to abandon their efforts.

TRANSFERRED TO MONCTON Willard M. Morrison, who has been assistant accountant of the Royal Bank of Canada, this city, left today for Moncton, where he has been promoted to accountant in the branch of the Royal Bank. Many friends will wish him continued success. His position in St. John is now being filled by S. A. Gordon, who was accountant of the branch in Wolfville, N. S., and arrived in the city yesterday.

Form of Address to Be Presented to Prince of Wales

Ottawa, July 17.—It is officially announced that addresses for presentation to His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales during his visit to Canada should begin as follows: "To His Royal Highness Edward, Albert, Christian, George, Andrew, Patrick, David, Prince of Wales and Earl of Chester, in the name of the United Kingdom, Duke of Cornwall, in the name of England, Duke of Rothesay, Earl of Carrick, and Baron of Renfrew, in the name of Scotland Lord of the Isles, and Great Stewart of Scotland, K. G. G. M. G. M. C. C. etc."

"We have the honor to be, Sir, 'Your Royal Highness' most obedient servants." Drafts of addresses, which should not ordinarily exceed four paragraphs in length, should be sent in not later than the first of August to the governor-general's secretary, Ottawa.

HALIFAX EXPECTS 40,000 DEPENDENTS IN NEXT FEW MONTHS

Halifax, July 17.—Representatives of the military and government are conferring today over the completion of arrangements for the transportation of 40,000 military dependents who will arrive here in the course of the next few months. It was decided that if a wife came on the same transport with her husband, she might accompany him forward on the train. Otherwise the dependents will be forwarded on the regular trains or special.

As Hiram Sees It

"I'm tickled to death with the municipal council," said Mr. Hiram Hornbeam this morning. "I wanted to go out to get some money to build a house out in the country, but I didn't know how in time I was going to get the money. I ain't got it now on the credit of the city—according to that vote they passed Tuesday. They're good fellows. I had no idea they'd be so generous. I'm gonto apply right away for the money an' git busy. I won't be here when the last payments comes due, but the city's good for it. I tell you, Mister, I'm gonto take back all the things I ever said about them councillors. They're all friends of mine—I know it. I'll bet if I wanted to put a mortgage on my hoggan tomorrow they'd take it my valuation—see this. I kin see a great future ahead of the settlement now. We'll all come in an' git a loan—financed by the city—'n' go git the cash. What makes the hull thing so good is the way the city helps us when it needs help itself. We couldn't blame the council if it spent every cent in the city, for I guess if the truth was known you need houses a good deal more'n we do."

"It does look like a fairly good proposition for you," said the reporter.

"Say," said Hiram, "I kin see Silo Jones is tryin' to take a loan to build a house for that lady, good-for-nothin' son of a—'n' he's had two instals' o' em. After the house was built they wouldn't pay a cent, an' because of the loan he's take on live alongside of Silo Jones he'd git it for the city for less'n half-price—they'd be glad to meet him in the city, for I must run along an' git that loan—good-day."

British Officer to Direct the Plebiscite in Schleswig—Bulgars Arrive in Paris Next Week

Berlin, July 17.—(By the Associated Press)—The managers of the Independent party are calling on the German proletariat to protest on July 21 against the Versailles peace treaty.

Austria Asks for Food

Paris, July 17.—(Havas Agency)—The Austrian peace delegation has sent a request to the supreme council of the Allies for the requisitioning of Austria which was interrupted on July 7, by resumed and continued throughout August and September. The German peace mission has sent the council a memorandum, asking information concerning the Allied mission which has arrived at Meaux.

Major A. McMillan and Major W. Vassie Aides-de-Camp to Lieutenant Governor

Fredricton, July 17.—The following provincial appointments are gazetted:—Major Alexander McMillan, D. S. O., R. O. C. E. F., (late 26th Battalion, New Brunswick Regiment, O. C. F. C.); Major W. Vassie, D. S. O., C. E. F., (late C. G. A. C. E. F.), to be aides-de-camp to His Honor the Lieutenant Governor. Arthur J. J. J., of Edmundston, attorney-at-law; Francis M. O'Neill of Fredericton, and James B. Dever of St. John, attorney-at-law to be notaries public.

INCREASE IN STUMPAGE IN NEW BRUNSWICK

Reported That it Means About \$150,000 Added to Revenue; News of Fredericton

Fredricton, July 17.—Notification is given in the Royal Gazette published today of an increase in the rates of stumpage to be charged on practically all soft woods of the province of New Brunswick.

VALLEY RAILWAY READY AUG. 1

The Valley Railway will be ready for operation and will be handed over to the C. N. R. for that purpose on August 1, according to a statement made today by Hon. W. P. Jones, president of the St. John and Quebec Railway Company.

A RANK OUTSIDER



Germania—"And I thought we was going to haf such a lovely time together."

They Walk To Their Work In Boston Today

Car Service There and in Twelve Nearby Cities and Towns Tied up by Strike

Boston, July 17.—Car service on the streets, subway and elevated lines here and in twelve adjacent cities and towns was tied up today by a strike of 9,000 union employees of the Boston Elevated Railway system.

ANOTHER DROP IN EXCHANGE ON LONDON TODAY

France and Italian Rates Also Show Depreciation—New York Speculation as to Future

New York, July 17.—Exchange on London underwent another violent decline today, demand bills falling to 4.26% and cables to 4.28%, or three to four cents under yesterday's figures, the lowest ever recorded.

U. N. B. SENATE IN SESSION HERE TODAY

At a meeting of the Senate of the University of New Brunswick here this afternoon, the matter of appointing new members to the faculty will be considered.

WEATHER REPORT

Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Sturp, director of meteorological service.

VANCOUVER OUTSKIRTS IN DANGER FROM BUSH FIRE

Vancouver B. C. July 17.—A brush fire in the eastern section of West Point Gray, on the outskirts of Vancouver, sprang into new life early this morning under a heavy wind which carried the flames toward the residential district of East Gray, and at one o'clock it was reported twelve or fifteen houses were in danger.

Soldier Patients Fire Building

Liberate Prisoners in Toronto Hospital and Apply Oil and Match; Some Forty Placed Under Arrest

Toronto July 17.—About half past ten o'clock this morning forty returned soldiers at the Christie Street Orthopaedic Hospital, stormed the guard room to liberate two of their comrades who were imprisoned there. After bursting open the door and taking out the prisoners they got a quantity of coal oil drenched the bedding in the building and set fire to it. As the structure is fire-proof the flames simply consumed the inflammable material inside all the fittings being destroyed.

CAPTAIN NOW HERE HAD SOME WAR EXPERIENCES

Commander of Schooner Energi, In From Iceland

He Was Twice Torpedoed by Germans and One of His Vessels for a Time Commandeered by Russians

Twice torpedoed by the Germans and having his vessel commandeered by the Russian government were some of the war experiences of Captain Raahauge, commander of the three-masted Danish schooner Energi which is now loading lumber at the Melowd wharf.

TRAPPED IN A TUNNEL BY FOREST FIRES

Nelson, B. C., July 17.—Three men are trapped by forest fires in a tunnel at the second relief mine, near Rele, in the Salmon River Valley. The men are known to have provisions enough to last them for four days.

DUBLIN OFFICIALS ASK MAYOR TO IGNORE THE PEACE CELEBRATION

Dublin, July 17.—(By the Associated Press)—All grades of officials of the city corporation have signed a memorial to the Lord Mayor of Dublin, asking him to recognize July 18, peace day, as a holiday, on the ground that a state of war exists between the British government and the Irish people, and the latter do not desire to participate in peace celebrations.

BABY DEAD BESIDE ITS STARVING MOTHER

Third Mystery in Two Weeks in Brockton, Mass.

Brockton, Mass., July 17.—Another mystery story, the third which has baffled the police within two weeks, was revealed when Medical Examiner A. Elliott Paine reported the death of an infant to the police. Inspector William S. Allen is investigating.

DOMINION TEXTILE BOND

Montreal, July 17.—The Dominion Textile Company announces the calling of a special meeting for August 26 when the shareholders will be asked to sanction a by-law enacted by the directors authorizing the creation of a bond issue to the amount of \$15,000,000. The company's outstanding bond indebtedness is \$7,500,000.