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ONE CENT In Greater Saint John

TWO CENTS Elsewhere

FATE OF 25 N. S. FISHERMEN UNKNOWN

WESSEL FOUND WRECKED ON BAR AND CREW GONE

Belief Expressed Men May Be in Dories of Schooner

OPINIONS DIFFER

Life-Saving Superintendent Says Craft May Have Capsized in Tempest

HALIFAX, Aug. 11.—Wireless messages from Sable Island this morning brought news of a comforting nature regarding the fate of the 25 south shore fishermen who were members of the Lunenburg hand-liner Sylvia Mosher, found lying on her side Tuesday morning, a total wreck on North Bar, Sable Island.

WREATH TO BLAZE

According to the island official, the southeast storm of Saturday night was followed by high seas Sunday. Monday the seas moderated but fog set in. Tuesday morning when the vessel was discovered, there was a light northwest wind.

FINISH FIGHT SEEN IN GOAL DISPUTE

British Leaders Depressed by Result of Vote on Peace Proposal

LONDON, Aug. 11.—With the exception of Emperor Cook, who outwardly rejoices at the solidarity of the miners and the fact that they are unwilling to recede a single inch, the men's leaders are this morning depressed at the result of the vote turning down what are known as the Bishop's proposals. They declare it means a fight to a finish, and they fear that the only result of such a struggle will be that the miners will lose and the position of the owners will be improved, and government intervention will be farther off than ever because the refusal shows that the miners are unwilling to accept the slightest compromise.

FORM COMPANIES

Saint John People Named as Incorporators in Fredericton Report

FREDERICTON, N. B., Aug. 11.—George Magnus Breyer and A. Stuart W. White, of City of Saint John, have formed a co-partnership under the name of the Saint John Blakes Flakes Company to carry on business in the manufacture and sale of chipped potatoes.

Growing Rivalry Between Italy and France Worries Great Britain

Mayor White Discusses Tax Exemptions in Second Bulletin

MAYOR WHITE today released the second of a series of bulletins dealing with financial matters affecting the city. In this he deals with the proposed installment payment of taxes and the effect it would have on the rate and collections. He also gives some pertinent information on the way installment payments are worked in Toronto and Vancouver. His statement follows:

The City of Saint John is unique in that it is the only city in Canada in which tax exemption is not general. In Toronto exemption is \$2,000 for a married man, with a further allowance when there are children. In Calgary the amount is \$1,500, while in Vancouver there is neither personal nor income tax.

Saint John's tax rate has increased very materially in the last twenty years owing to the demands for better streets, a more fully equipped fire department, better ferry service, playgrounds, etc., all of these costing large sums of money.

VETERAN DEAD

LETHBRIDGE, Alta., Aug. 11.—Fred D. Shaw, who came west with the Royal Canadian Mounted Police in 1888 and who was for 21 years with the customs department here, being collector of the port at the time of his retirement, died yesterday of heart failure. He was a native of Kentville, N. S.

MEMBERSHIP NOW PLACED AT 2,188

Maritime I. O. O. F. at Charlottetown Hears Encouraging Reports

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Aug. 11.—The 26th annual meeting of the I. O. O. F. of the Maritime Provinces, opened here yesterday with a record attendance of 80 past chief patriarchs present. All the Grand Encampments yesterday morning, reports presented showed a total membership at June 30 to be 2,188. The total paid for relief was \$601. The total receipts for subordinate lodges were \$3,785.47. The statement showed a balance of \$1,674.74 in the hands of the treasurer. Sixteen deaths occurred during the year.

Secret Informers on Mexico Church Property Are Paid

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 11.—Since the present religious controversy developed about 100 "denunciations" of Roman Catholic church property have been made to Government officials. Within the past few years about three hundred denunciations were made but not settled. Thus four hundred denunciations are pending and Attorney General Ortega has ordered representatives of the Department of Justice to immediately investigate the situation.

FIST FIGHTS IN FRENCH HOUSE ON DEBT DEBATE

Sergt.-At-Arms Drags Communist Deputy From Rostrum

FAKE VOTES

Commission Named to Prepare Report When Chamber Sits in October

Canadian Press

PARIS, Aug. 11.—The Senate and Chamber of Deputies today began a long vacation. During this vacation a sub-committee appointed by the Chamber's finance committee will study the debt agreements with Great Britain and the United States.

BIG MAJORITY

The National Assembly in session at Versailles yesterday by vote of 671 to 144 passed the bill fixing the provision for a sinking fund in the constitution of the republic for the purpose of amending the country's debt and generally relieving the tangled financial situation.

THREE SUSPENSIONS

The triumph of the Polignac Government came after three suspensions of the bill. The Communist tactics of the Communists. At one time there were fist fights between the Communist and the other members. The one-armed General Pelletier, acting as sergeant-at-arms, mounted the rostrum to drag down the Communist deputy Doriot, while other Communists sang the Internationale.

REMOVE POLITICS

After the obstruction of the Communist, one fact stood out—that France's supreme legislative body had decided that the commission which will have at its disposal the income from the tobacco monopoly and part of the proceeds of the inheritance tax shall be removed from all political conflict.

C. P. R. Appointments in West Announced

WINNIPEG, Aug. 12.—The following changes in the staff of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company will become effective on August 16. It is announced at the offices of the company here: T. C. MacNabb, superintendent at Revelstoke, B. C., has been appointed engineer on construction, western lines, with offices at Winnipeg; J. D. Eralne, at present superintendent at Calgary, has been appointed superintendent of the Revelstoke Division; J. G. Sutherland, inspector of transportation, western lines, has been appointed superintendent of the Calgary Division.

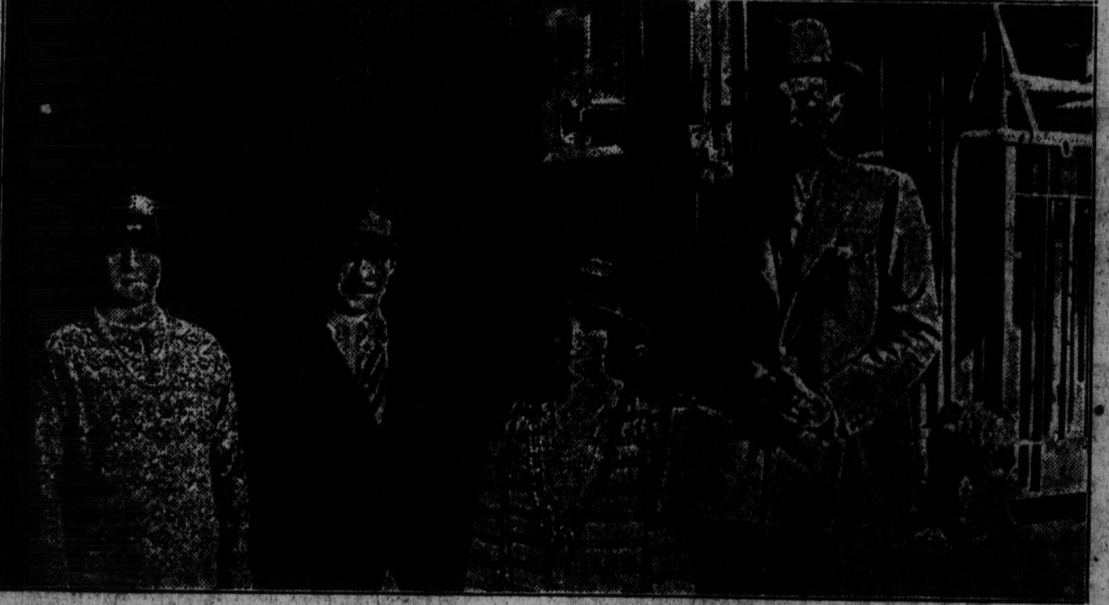
Rum Runner Taken By Customs Cutter

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Aug. 11.—The customs cutter Gribb, Captain Coffin, yesterday towed into Charlottetown harbor the large motor boat Nancy Lee, loaded with between 600 and 700 cases of liquor. The Nancy Lee was captured off the Pughwash shore. She is now tied up at the Marine wharf under guard, waiting instructions from Ottawa.

Promises \$250,000 To Build Church

PEORIA, Ill., Aug. 11.—John Cooper, Kewanee Iron Worker, says he expects to take over \$250,000 in cash and 16,000 acres of Virginia land, left to him by his grandmother, when he becomes 38 years old next September, 18. In the face of rumors that the legacy is a hoax, Cooper has made a pledge of cash for the construction of a nurses' home at the Kewanee Hospital and has promised fellow church members a \$250,000 church for which they are already laying plans.

Studies 3,000 Family Scheme



THE Earl of Clarendon, Under-Secretary of State for the Dominions in Great Britain, with the Countess of Clarendon and their three children, are touring Canada at the present time. His Lordship is investigating the conditions under which the 3,000-family immigration scheme from Great Britain is working out in this country. In 1925 some five hundred families were brought over; in 1926 about 1,200; and next year the balance will have arrived here. The photograph shows from left to right: Lady Joan Villiers, Lord Hyde, the Countess of Clarendon, the Earl of Clarendon and Hon. Nicholas Villiers.

With The Rival Leaders In Western Campaign

KING REPUDIATES GIVES PROMISE OF CENSURE VOTE TALK TARIFF REVISION

Hon. Chas. Stewart Speaks With Liberal Chief at Edmonton

DELOVAINE, Man., Aug. 11.—"We shall revise our tariff through and through. It has never been revised in twenty years."

TARIFF PRINCIPLE

"It is not the height of the tariff that is of importance, it is the principle which underlies it—the permanency of its stability of it. We will give every industry in Canada, a chance. Give it an opportunity in our own market, which every Canadian industry has the right to have."

EXPRESS SYMPATHY

GLENBORO, Man., Aug. 11.—Premier Meighen has telegraphed to Mrs. G. H. Bolvin, widow of the former Minister of Customs, expressing the sincere sympathy of Mrs. Meighen and himself "in your sad loss and present grief."

SAYS LUMBER WAS NOT CAUCUS TOPIC

Premier Presides at Provincial Government Party Meeting Here Today

At a caucus of the provincial Government party was begun this morning in the Seaman's Institute and matters of general interest to the party discussed. At the close of the meeting the Premier, Hon. J. B. McBecker, said the meeting would be continued this afternoon and there was nothing for publication from the morning session. "Lumber matters were not discussed," said the Premier.

THOSE IN ATTENDANCE

The meeting was presided over by the Premier and others present were Hon. C. D. Richards, G. C. Grant and J. M. Scott, York County; Hon. Lewis Smith, Albert; Hon. J. L. O'Brien, S. D. Heckbert, F. T. Lavole and Akeley Holmes, Northumberland; S. D. Gupill and J. S. Lord, Charlotte; H. V. Dickson, J. William Smith and A. J. Brooks, Kings; M. A. Oulton, H. M. Wood and M. G. Siddall, Westmorland; E. C. Atkinson and A. D. Taylor, Sunbury; W. B. Evans and J. A. Moore, Queens; B. Frank Smith, F. C. Squires and E. W. Melville, Carleton; Hon. L. P. D. Tilley, W. H. Harrison, James Lewis and M. E. Agar, Saint John City.

BIRTHDAY OF PHONOGRAPH

ORANGE, N. J., Aug. 11.—The 40th birthday of the phonograph invented by Thomas A. Edison, was celebrated today.

LONDON FEARS BALKAN PACT DEVELOPMENTS

Sees Mussolini Usurping French Power in Europe

TENSE SITUATION

Observers Concerned Over France's Reaction to Italy's Latest Move

By HERBERT BAILEY

British United Press

LONDON, Aug. 11.—Mussolini's determination that Italy shall oust France as the greatest power on the continent of Europe and the conflict between Italian and French policies to which attention was called after the signing of the Abyssinian treaties, is causing much anxiety.

CHALLENGE TO FRANCE

By understanding between Italy and Greece and Rumania under which war material is furnished to both the latter countries, and by negotiations for a Rumanian-Russian-Italian pact Italy secures a commanding influence in the Balkans and every point of the French-Balkan policy is challenged.

Saint John Jeweler Is Secretary-Treasurer

FREDERICTON, N. B., Aug. 11.—The New Brunswick Jewellers' Association was formed here today at a convention attended by some forty representatives of the trade from different sections of the province. James T. Mavor, Fredericton, vice-president of the Canadian Association, was chosen as president of the provincial association, with A. A. Shute, also of Fredericton, as vice-president. H. G. Macgillivray, of Saint John, was elected secretary-treasurer, and H. Williston, of Newcastle, was named as the fourth member of the executive.

TEN SENTENCED TO DIE

TYUMEN, Siberia, Aug. 11.—Ten desperadoes were sentenced to death here today for the murder of more than 100 victims. Chief among the condemned was the notorious woman, Ekaterina Pishchikova, wife of the leader of the gang, who himself was known as the "intimidated peasant" as the "Jack-the-Ripper" of the Ural Mountains. The woman was accused of killing her victims with an axe.

Deaf Dancers Aided By Floor Vibrations

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 11.—Delegates to the convention of the National Association of the Deaf danced with faultless rhythm to the strains of music communicated to them through the vibrations it caused in the ball-room floor.

Hi-Jackers' Boarding Party On Nova Scotia Rum Runner Repulsed With 2 Men Dead

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Aug. 11.—Three known dead, two reported killed, two men critically wounded, and one man reported missing, was the toll from two encounters between rum-runners, hi-jackers, bootleggers, coastguardsmen and federal agents in Florida in the past five days.

TEMPERATURES

Table with columns for location, highest during 24 hours, and lowest yesterday, night.