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BUDGET SUSTAINED BY MAJORITY OF 13

OPPOSITION'S MOTIONS LOST BY SAME MARGIN

Division Reached In Early Hours This Morning

CHORUSES SUNG

Neither Premier King Nor Opposition Leader Cast Their Vote

OTTAWA, Ont., May 19.—After over a month of debate, ending in an all-night sitting, the House, at 4:05 this morning, defeated the Conservative amendment to the budget by a majority of 13. The vote stood: Against, 121; for, 108; majority against, 13.

LEADERS PAIRED

An unusual feature of the division was that neither Premier King nor Right Hon. Arthur Meighen, opposition leader, cast a vote. Mr. Meighen was absent through illness. Mr. King was paired with Mr. Meighen. There were no party switches. The division present went solidly against the amendment. Conservatives were solidly for it.

Progressives, Independents and Labor voted with the government. Announcement of the result was greeted with loud Liberal cheers. The House then again divided on the main budget motion.

Once more division bells rang throughout the building. As members waited for the return of the whips, songs broke out and papers were thrown into the air. "Show me the way to go home," mingled oddly with old French songs. Main budget motion was carried by 121 to 108. Majority for 13.

On the main budget motion voting was reversed, the Liberals, Progressives and Independents and Labor members voting in the affirmative, and Conservatives in the negative.

LARGEST MAJORITY The main budget motion—the technical motion that the House resolve into committee of ways and means to consider the budget resolutions, carried by a majority of 121 against 108—government majority 13.

In the two divisions the government secured its largest majority of the session on a major measure. The taking of the division occupied rather more than an hour and a half this morning, when the last speech ended, and Speaker Lemieux rose to put the question.

MARITIME VIEW In the closing moments of debate, F. P. Quinn of Halifax cited had the opportunity, he would have moved an amendment to the budget. His suggested amendment held that conditions in the Maritime provinces, such as steel, were alarming; that remedial measures had been too long delayed; that the conditions were due to tariff reductions made in recent years, especially in respect of steel and iron, and that the budget contained no provisions for a remedy.

Following adoption of the budget motion, the House resolved into committee of Ways and Means but only to report progress. Then at 4:25 a.m., the House adjourned.

TEXT OF AMENDMENT OTTAWA, Ont., May 19.—The text of the Conservative amendment to the budget reads: "In the late general election campaign assurances were repeatedly given by the Prime Minister and other ministers of the crown, that before further tariff changes were made, an opportunity would be given industries affected thereby to be heard before an advisory board."

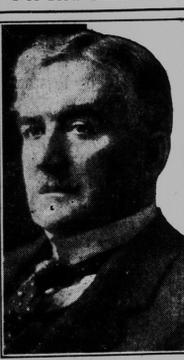
"That such assurances were officially incorporated by the government in the speech from the throne of the present session in the following words:—"Changes in the tariff should be made only after the fullest examination of their bearing upon both primary and manufacturing industries, and that representations requesting increase or decrease of duties should be made the subject of the most careful investigation and report by a body possessing the necessary qualifications to advise the ministry with respect thereto. A tariff advisory board will accordingly be appointed forthwith."

"That such tariff advisory board was accordingly appointed. "And this House regrets that in the case of drastic changes announced in the budget such assurances have not been fulfilled."

The amendment was moved by Hon. Dr. Manion and seconded by Hon. H. H. Stevens.

Counter Revolution To Marshal Pilsudski Under Way At Posen

For Red Chamber?



HANCE J. LOGAN

HANCE J. LOGAN PROBABLY NEW N. S. SENATOR

Premier King Non-Committal When Questioned, However

Ottawa, May 19.—Reference was made in the House of Commons yesterday to the rumor that H. J. Logan, former Liberal member from Cumberland, has been appointed to the Senate. Premier Mackenzie King was non-committal in his reply to George Nicholson, Conservative of East Algona, who said that Mr. Logan had himself announced his elevation to the Red Chamber and had received the public congratulations of the mayor of the town.

Leading Liberals of Cumberland and Westmorland counties six weeks ago declared the elevation of Mr. Logan to the Senate. The general belief in Amherst is that he will or has been selected.

P. E. I. Imports 10,500 Tons of Fertilizer

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., May 19.—The Potato Growers' Association of Prince Edward Island is completing the task of distributing thousands of farmers throughout the province 10,500 tons of imported chemical fertilizer, involving an outlay of \$800,000. This was the largest importation of fertilizer ever made here.

NOVA SCOTIA GIRL ADMITTED TO BAR

HALIFAX, N. S., May 19.—Miss Olive Maddin, aged 22, daughter of J. W. Maddin, K. C., well-known barrister of Sydney, was admitted to the Bar of Nova Scotia this morning. Miss Maddin is the fourth woman to become a full-fledged barrister in Nova Scotia. She studied at Dalhousie University, from which she graduated when she was 20 with Bachelor of Arts and LL.B. degrees. Graduating at such an early age it was necessary for her to wait two years before being admitted to the bar. Miss Maddin is believed to be the youngest graduate in law in Canada.

Swiss Boys Mauled When They Fall Into Bear Pit

BERNE, Switzerland, May 19.—Trapped in a bear-pit in a park, two boys fought for their lives yesterday and were badly mauled before they could be rescued. One bear dragged Ellenberger into an interior cage before guards arrived. The guards rescued both boys with great difficulty, dragging them from the pit with ropes. During the efforts at rescue, one bear escaped, but it was returned to the pit without attacking anybody.

STORM DAMAGE IN MIDDLE WEST TOTALS \$500,000

Three Persons Are Killed, Including An Aviator

70-MILE TORNADO

Houses Overturned, Sheds Wrecked and Rafts Were Blown Off

CHICAGO, Ill., May 19.—The first severe wind and rain storm in the Middle West this season centered its wrath on portions of Illinois and Indiana, bringing death to three persons, one an aviator, and causing damage estimated at \$500,000.

FRUIT CROPS RUINED

In Northwestern and Central Indiana, and in Northern and Central Illinois, the storm, which struck yesterday, was accompanied by winds of extreme violence, several houses being overturned, sheds wrecked and roofs blown from buildings. Trees and telephone poles were levelled and communication was hampered.

Fruit trees and crops, especially grapes, were damaged in portions of Illinois by hail. The storm in Illinois reached its greatest intensity at Harvey, Chicago suburb. There a mile tornado like wind, cut a path two blocks wide and a mile long, damaging two scores of houses and garages, and causing damage of \$800,000.

CHICAGO ESCAPES

Chicago escaped the windstorm, was deluged by rain, which flooded hundreds of basements.

In Argo, Illinois, near Chicago, Ross C. Kirkpatrick, aeroplane pilot in the Ford Airways Service, and his all metal ship were hurled to the ground by the gale. Kirkpatrick, a former army flyer, whose home was in Detroit, was killed. The wreckage of his plane was found after the storm.

Wm. Arnold, a farmer of Port Wayne, Indiana, and Virginia American, 18, son of a Kenton, Ohio, farmer, were killed by lightning. Ten persons in Illinois were injured, two probably fatally.

MIGRANTS ARE TO LAND AT HALIFAX

Three Liners Due to Call During Next Few Days

HALIFAX, N. S., May 19.—Three trans-Atlantic liners, bringing a total of 140 passengers, will arrive at Halifax during the next few days from European points, en route to New York. The vessels are the Norwegian-American liner Bergensfjord, due Thursday from Oslo, and the Holland-American liner Ryndam, from Rotterdam, due Thursday, and the White Star liner Baltic due Saturday from Liverpool via Glasgow and Belfast.

SALMON'S LONG SWIM

Fish Liberated in Atlantic Are Caught in the Gulf of Georgia

VANCOUVER, B. C., May 19.—How far does a salmon swim during its life time? Fishing in the Gulf of Georgia Sunday, Sergeant John McLean of the local police force, caught a ten-pound salmon. On its tail was placed on young fish liberated in the Atlantic Ocean by the Federal Fisheries Department, Ottawa.

House Committees Postpone Sitings

OTTAWA, Ont., May 19.—Several committees of the House of Commons, including the committee conducting the customs probe, postponed their sittings this morning, chiefly for lack of quorum. After the all night sitting of the House, members came late to their offices and practically all the usual morning activity was suspended.

Comm'r Byrd Plans Flight To South Pole

OSLO, May 19.—A telegram to the Aftenposten from Spitzbergen says that Lt. Commander Richard Byrd, United States Navy, first man to fly over the North Pole, plans to undertake an expedition to the South Pole as soon as possible. Byrd and the members of his expedition are leaving King's Bay for London tomorrow.

NEW YORK STATE TO HAVE VOTE ON PROHIBITION

Gov. Smith Says Question Should Be Finally Settled

ALBANY, N. Y., May 19.—A statewide referendum on the prohibition question is virtually assured for the fall election. "There never has been any real expression of what the people of the state think of the whole question," Governor Smith said yesterday. "I'd like to have it settled once for all, find out for once what they really do want. What harm will come from it?"

MINERS OF BRITAIN DECLINE TO YIELD

Deadlock Still Exists, Asserts Secretary A. J. Cook of Big Federation

LONDON, May 19.—"The position is a deadlock," said Secretary A. J. Cook, of the Miners' Federation today, in speaking of the government's proposals which come before a miners' national delegate conference here tomorrow. The miners, he asserted, would not agree to any alteration of hours or wages.

POTATOES PLANTED

Farmers up River Begin Seeding—Oats South of Capital

FREDERICTON, May 19.—The Provincial Department of Agriculture issued the following today: Reports received at the Provincial Department of Agriculture are that a considerable acreage of oats and potatoes will be sown this week in the Saint John valley district north of Fredericton. The earliest planting of main crop potatoes yet reported was on May 18. The probability is that the acreage of potatoes will be only slightly increased over last year's amount.

Roads of Province In Fair Condition

FREDERICTON, May 19.—Hon. D. A. Stewart, Minister of Public Works, accompanied by B. H. Kinghorn, chief road engineer, will go to Woodstock tomorrow to inspect the Houlton road on which work is needed.

W. E. D. STOKES DIES

NEW YORK, May 19.—W. E. D. Stokes, died in his home here this morning.

French Advance Six Miles Against Riffs

FEZ, May 19.—The French forces have advanced nearly six miles on a twenty mile front in the drive begun against the Rifians this morning, says an official statement this afternoon.

Navy Fliers To Explore Alaska



Between May 20 and May 25, some 135 men comprising the United States navy's Alaskan Aerial Survey expedition, will leave their base at San Diego, Calif., for southeastern Alaska to commence their perilous task of making a photographic map of 40,000 square miles of largely uncharted terrain. The expedition is declared to be the most dangerous ever undertaken in the Arctic. They expect to take three years to complete their work. Four Loening amphibian planes will be used. Main photo shows officers of the expedition inspecting one of the four planes. Grover Loening, inventor of the Loening plane, is in the foreground in civilian clothes. Inset is of Lieut. B. H. Wyatt, the flight commander.

Cheerful Optimism Spreads Through British Industry Despite Coal Difficulty

LONDON, May 19.—A remarkable spirit of cheerful confidence in the future has been infused throughout the industries of Great Britain, even though the outlook for a satisfactory settlement of the coal difficulties is still unpromising.

OTTAWA MAY ACT IN EASTWOOD CASE

State Dept. Sends For Shells, Said to Have Been Fired By U. S. Cutter

LUNenburg, N. S., May 19.—In response to a request from the Department of State, the Lunenburg solicitor for the owners of the schooner Eastwood, alleged to have been shelled by the United States coast-guard cutter Seneca, a few miles off the American coast, several weeks ago, has forwarded to Ottawa the shells and fragments of shells, and small portions of the damaged woodwork of the schooner.

Embargo Wins Irish 2,000 Guineas Stakes

MURRAGH, Ireland, May 19.—The Maharajah of Rajppla's Embargo captured the Irish 2,000 guineas stakes today over a field of 10.

SCOTT FOUND SANE

Conclusion Declared Reached By Board in Case of Chicago Slayer

CHICAGO, Ill., May 19.—The state commission named to investigate the sanity of Russell Scott, slayer of a Chicago drug clerk, has reached a conclusion and while no official announcement was made of the decision, the Herald and Examiner says it has learned from an authoritative source that the former Canadian financier has been found mentally sound and will be returned to Chicago.

Two Plan Trip Around World In Month's Time

NEW YORK, May 19.—Phileas Fogg went around the world, at least in the pages of Jules Verne's imaginative book, in 80 days, but two Americans were scheduled to leave New York today on the Mauretania to do it in 31 days.

GENERAL HALLER READY TO MOVE ON TO WARSAW

Polish Capital Hears That Peace Envoy Has Failed

CABINET HELD

Pilsudski Government, However, Says Posen Difficulties Will Be Overcome

WARSAW, May 19.—The Polish General Haller, who has at his disposal 35,000 men of all arms and with tanks, preparing to attack Marshal Pilsudski, who recently carried out a successful coup and overthrew the Polish government, says the Posen correspondent of the Echo de Paris.

"REIGN OF TERROR"

"There is a reign of terror in Warsaw and fighting has again broken out," the correspondent quotes General Haller as having said to him. The general absolutely denied that eighty per cent of Polish troops supported Pilsudski or that President Wojciechowski had resigned.

RECEIVES REPORT

WARSAW, May 19.—The provisional government has received a report from Speaker of the Senate Trompowski, who was sent to Posen in an endeavor to appease the intransigence of the leaders of the parties there over the Pilsudski coup in Warsaw. It is understood the report announces the failure of his attempt.

PILSUDSKI RECOVERS

WARSAW, May 19.—Marshal Pilsudski had sufficiently recovered from his exhaustion to attend a meeting of the cabinet last night.

MAY BE WHIPPED

ST. CATHARINES, Ont., May 19.—Surrounded by a cordon of police to prevent a possible demonstration against them, Richard Darling, Frank DeYoung, Robert Gough and Walter Lidford were arraigned before Police Magistrate James J. Campbell today on a charge of criminal assault. They pleaded not guilty and were held for trial by a higher court. Conviction carries life imprisonment with lashes on the death penalty.

The Weather

SYNOPSIS — The depression near Chicago last night is now centered north of Detroit, causing rain in Ontario. Pressure remains low off the Atlantic coast and is high west of the Great Lakes. Except in Ontario the weather is mostly fair and rather cool in Saskatchewan, Manitoba and eastward to the Maritimes.

FRESH WINDS, SHOWERY. MARITIME — Fresh northwest winds, mostly fair. Thursday fresh winds, becoming showery, not much change in temperature.

NEW ENGLAND — Showers tonight, cooler in west portion; Thursday generally fair, cooler in interior; moderate to fresh shifting winds becoming fresh northwest by Thursday morning.

TEMPERATURES. TORONTO, May 19, 1926. Lowest 8 a.m. yesterday night

Table with 2 columns: Location and Temperature. Locations include Edmonton, Winnipeg, Toronto, Montreal, Saint John, Halifax, and New York. Temperatures range from 28 to 62.