

Search Continues for Missing American Airman

Soviet Ambassador Leaves Berlin--Anglo-Soviet Conference at Variance Over Debt Problem--Kingston Confers B. Sc. on Two Newfoundlanders.

PROBLEM CAUSES DEADLOCK.

LONDON, May 4. The Anglo-Russian conference, which began about two weeks ago in London, has reached a deadlock on the question of recognition of debts. The statement of J. O. National Liberal, at Lancaster, declared the conference doomed to failure until the debt problem was solved.

MIGRATION STATISTICS.

LONDON, May 4. Since the creation of the Overseas Settlement Committee, 44,269 immigrants have been assisted under the Empire Settlement Act, 31,235 to Australia, 6,599 to New Zealand, 6,195 to Canada. In the light of these figures and tendencies, the report says, at least safe to assert that there is a prospect of migration reducing the population of Great Britain in a manner injurious to posterity as a matter of fact the total

migration from this country last year, though substantially larger than the previous year, was less by 123,000 than in 1923 (19137).

SOVIET AMBASSADOR LEAVES BERLIN.

BERLIN, May 4. M. Krestinsky, Russian Soviet Ambassador to Germany, left for Moscow to-night. His departure is the sequel to the action of the Berlin police in entering the Russian trade delegation and searching the houses from roof to cellar for a Communist, against whom a warrant had been issued.

D'OISEY OVERTAKES MACLAREN.

AGRA, India, May 3. Lieut. Helletier D'Oisey, French aviator, flying from Paris to Tokio, arrived here to-day at 1.30 p.m. The French aviator to-day overtook Stuart MacLaren, British round the world flier, who has been delayed at the

Northern Indian town of Parli, because of motor trouble.

SEARCH CONTINUES FOR MAJOR MARTIN.

FALSE PASS, Alaska, May 3. Definite information that Major F. L. Martin has been missing since 11.30 a.m., Wednesday, passed the Canby at Chignik Lagoon, in the direction of Portage Bay, just north of Shumagin Islands, was reported by an overland searching party when it returned here last night. The belief that Major Martin was forced down by a strong gale which arose shortly after he departed from Chignik towards the Bertha Sea, resulted in orders being broadcasted for vessels to comb immediately the Bering Sea shore line from Dutch Harbor, Unalaska Island to Unangashik, North of Chignik.

RECEIVER APPOINTED FOR STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

BOSTON, May 3. Lewis K. Thurlow to-day was appointed Receiver for the Boston, Halifax and Newfoundland Steamship Co. The firm petitioned into bankruptcy in February.

FIRE IN APARTMENT HOUSE CAUSES 3 DEATHS.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 4. As the result of a fire which broke out in a three storey, six family apartment, this morning, three persons, mother and two daughters, are dead; eight persons are suffering injuries, and the lives of two score occupants,

several of whom were forced to jump to safety, were endangered.

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE RECEIVES MISS McPHAIL.

WASHINGTON, May 4. Miss Agnes McPhail, only woman member of the Canadian Parliament, was received on Saturday by President Coolidge.

KINGSTON GRADUATES.

KINGSTON, Ont., May 4. The list of graduates from Queen's University includes for the degree of Bachelor of Science Maxwell Goss, St. John's and Robert Hampton Mercer, Bay Roberts.

CONSCIENCE MONEY.

HALIFAX, May 3. An unprecedented incident occurred at the City Hall yesterday afternoon, when City Treasurer C. T. Hopewell received an envelope with the single word "conscience" written thereon. On opening the envelope Mr. Hopewell discovered a large roll of bills amounting to \$350.

A Message to Women

When you look for face powder you generally seek the best money can buy, for most ladies realize that in face powder the best is the most economical in the end. Therefore we suggest that you try Three Flowers face powder next time. Nearly all its numerous users say it is the most pleasing powder. It possesses a charming fragrant odor—it is soft and soothing to the skin, and it adheres to the face without being noticeable. Most drug and department stores have Three Flowers.

Double Wedding at Badger Brook

An event, unique in the annals of outpost life, took place at Badger on the afternoon of Wednesday, April 30th, when Miss Vera Marion Cunningham, daughter of Magistrate and Mrs. Cunningham of Springdale, was united in marriage to Mr. Wm. Alcock of St. John's, and her sister, Miss Helen Chamberlain Cunningham, to Mr. Jesse J. Davis, of Peoria, Ill. The ceremony was performed by Rev. T. E. Loder, Rector of Grand Falls, in the presence of a large gathering of relatives and friends of the contracting parties. The brides were given away by their father and were attended by their sister, Mrs. Andrew Porter, as matron of honor, while Mr. Porter acted as best man.

The brides were attired alike and looked very pretty in dresses of ivory satin and georgette, with bunches of orange blossoms at the side. Their bouquets were of carnations and maiden hair fern. The weather was most propitious for the happy event and the sun shone with unusual splendor as the wedding party motored to the church. The hymn, "Fount of All Life" was sung at the opening of the ceremony and at the close the wedding march was played.

Following the ceremony the wedding party, amid showers of rice and confetti, motored to the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Porter, where a reception was held. When the toast of the brides, proposed by the officiating clergyman, had been duly honored congratulatory speeches were made by several of the guests.

The presents received were many and included cheques and purses of gold, testifying to the popularity of the young ladies. Mr. and Mrs. Davis will take up residence at Peoria, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Alcock, after a sojourn in the United States, will return to their future home at Badger.

The writer joins in the felicitations extended and wishes the participants in the joyous event many years of wedded happiness.—Com.

Wolf Cubs

His Excellency Sir W. L. Allard, K.C.M.G., Chief Scout, has signified his intention to attend the Second St. John's Wolf Cubs' entertainment to be held on Wednesday, 7th inst., at 8 p.m. in Spencer College Hall. The

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Wolf Cubs will be seen in a most attractive little programme, after which they will display and offer for sale some of their work, consisting of hand painted blotters, bags, etc., also very pretty electric light shades together with other artistic attractions. The Cubmaster, Miss Steed (there are no Cubmistresses) and her pack of Wolf Cubs merit the hearty support of the public, and although there are other entertainments on that night (with which the Wolf Cubs unavoidably clash), there are none just so attractive. The Wolf Cubs are a happy band of little men preparing themselves for good citizenship. We hope that some of our Boerian friends and prominent citizens will be able to be present. It is impossible

for the Wolf Cubs to advertise widely, as the money at their disposal is simply what they earn. The movement is very much indebted to the daily Press, who are always most willing to give publicity to boy welfare work. Tickets for the entertainment can be obtained at the door. All Scouts who read this should make a special effort

to attend and see the work of their little brothers. G.

A Letter of 22
Rouleau, Sask.—All known records in Saskatchewan for large litters of pigs went by the boards here when James Brown's 810 pound Duroc Jersey sow gave birth to 22 pigs. Two of them have died since but the remaining 20 are all healthy and strong animals.

—By Bud Fisher.

Remarkable Mirages Viewed

TOKIO, March 28 (A.P.)—Two remarkable mirages are reported from the northwestern coast of Japan. A mirrored picture of a mountain appeared recently at a village in Toyama prefecture, and at practically the same hour a mirage of an avenue of pines was visible from a nearby village.

Household Notes.

Chopped mushrooms mixed with soup stock and breadcrumbs make a good stuffing for roast pigeon. A very wholesome dessert for the children is rice boiled in milk and served with cinnamon and sugar. Boiled sliced carrots, buttered and rolled in finely minced parsley make a nice garnish for lamb steaks. If you are planning to make doughnuts for a church supper, allow about a pound of flour to every thirty.

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