

ENJOYING THE HIGH TIDE OF PROSPERITY

Edwards, of the Drummonds, Here With Charyords of Business Outlook Maritime Provinces.

The maritime provinces are certainly enjoying the high tide of prosperity, said Edwards, manager of the Drummond...

KINGS COUNTY COAL MINES

Montreal Capitalists Have Expert at Work on Find in Studholm—Oil Shales Also.

Kings county correspondent sends the graph some interesting facts concerning the coal deposits in the parish of Studholm, at Hornbrook, Mill Brook, and Mt. Middleton. He says a syndicate of Montreal capitalists have had an expert miner from the coal fields of Nova Scotia over the ground, together with a geologist...

Another part of the parish of Studholm, indications of oil shales have been discovered, and it is believed that in the near future, by men connected with the oil and gas companies...

CHATHAM TO GET A WOODSTOCK INDUSTRY

Bar Foundry Plant to be Removed—Fire Destroys Little Branch Residence.

Chatham, N. B., July 25—While at dinner yesterday, James F. Fine of Littleton noticed that the roof of the attic kitchen chimney was on fire and the way that the flames had made when they were first discovered the family fled towards saving the house...

CHATHAM TO GET A WOODSTOCK INDUSTRY

It is believed that the new line of railway to be built to this town is already beginning to be felt, for it is well known that Messrs. Hannan and McNaught, the principals in the Maritime and Machine Works Ltd., founded, recognized the advantages that Chatham enjoys for the shipment and carriage of raw and processed products by water and by rail...

NOTHING TO PRELUCE PEACE OF BRITAIN

Premier Asquith Declares Cordial Relations Exist With All Countries

Policy of Cultivating Friendships and Settling Difficulties Amicably Has Borne Good Fruit—Maintenance of Naval Supremacy is an Insurance Against War—Hopes to Arrive at Satisfactory Agreement With Premier Borden at Next Week's Conference.

(Through Reuters' Ottawa Agency.) London, July 25—Speaking in the House of Commons today on the estimate for the committee on imperial defence, The Right Hon. Mr. Asquith, prime minister, made an important statement...

Dealing with the work of the committee, he said, there were four permanent sub-committees which were practically in constant session. The first was the home port defence committee. It had sent out not less than twenty-five reports to the main committee...

Other temporary sub-committees were constantly sitting to deal with various matters, amongst them the maintenance of transportation, overseas transport and wireless telegraphy throughout the empire. Mr. Asquith affirmed that this committee had no influence on policy and although it did not determine policy it was necessary to be governed by reference to our international relations.

GUARD LORD DAVENPORT FROM LONDON STRIKERS

Head of Port Authority Distressed Over Laborers' Demonstration Against Him—Pitiable State of Families of Dock Workers Arouses Much Sympathy for Them.

New York, July 25—A cable from London says: Twenty-four police today mounted guard over Lord Davenport's residence and the dock which surrounds it. Another detail of police approaches to the park. Lord Davenport is the employer for whose dock thousands of striking dock workers are camped on Tower Hill yesterday. The strikers were taken for fear of an attempt to assassinate him.

TANK STEAMER STILL BURNING

Philadelphia, July 25—Oil in the British tank steamer Trinidad which caught fire at Maracaibo near here yesterday when the plant of the Union Petroleum Company was almost destroyed by fire was still burning today. At high tide the bow of the burning tank steamer rested on the river bank and the vessel was under way from amidships aft, the caused burning oil to float off the steamer into the river menacing nearby vessels.

QUEEN MARY RIDING AROUND A BRITISH COAL MINE ON A TRUCK



This interesting picture shows her majesty inspecting the mine properties on a recent visit to the Silverwood Colliery, with the king. She is accompanied by a couple of lady friends. The colliers are pushing the truck around.

CRISIS REACHED IN TURKEY'S AFFAIRS

Military Officials Demand That Chamber of Deputies Be Closed Within 24 Hours—Threatens to Enforce Demands by Having the Army March on Constantinople.

Constantinople, July 25—A group of Turkish military officers today lodged a demand with the president of the chamber of deputies that the chamber be closed within twenty-four hours. The military league demand that the Turkish chamber of deputies be dissolved on the basis of the constitution that the house of deputies is the only lawful assembly...

INQUIRY ABOUT PASSES ON I. C. R.

Commissioner Adair to Hold Investigation Today—Moncton Council Awards Contract for Pumping Engine.

Moncton, N. B., July 25—Tomorrow morning the Supreme Court chamber will begin an inquiry into charges of procuring and distribution of illegal passes on the I. C. R. A number of citizens, it is understood, have been subpoenaed to give evidence.

POLITICS WARMING UP IN VIRGINIA

Prominent Democrat Killed by Republican Leader—Moun-taineers Threaten Judge Who is to Try Them for Vote Selling.

Jonesville, Va., July 25—The killing of Dr. Jas. W. Walden, a prominent Democrat, last night by Perry Wallin, a Republican leader, has fanned a smouldering political fire in the Blackwater district to a threatened outbreak. All through the mountain district the clans are lining up.

BIG STRIKE ON G. T. PACIFIC

Two Thousand Men Quit on Construction Work in British Columbia.

Vancouver, B. C., July 25—Two thousand men of the I. W. W. have gone on strike on the Grand Trunk Pacific, between Hazelton and Burns Lake, a distance of 180 miles. Burns Lake is a short distance northwest of Port George. The men quit work last night.

MARYLAND THIRD TERMERS CHOOSE CHICAGO DELEGATES

Baltimore, Md., July 25—The Maryland progressive Republicans assembled here in mass convention today and selected 16 delegates with half a vote each and a like number of alternates to the National Progressive convention at Chicago, Aug. 3. Resolutions were adopted empowering a committee of seven to select eight presidential electors independent on those names on the regular ticket and declaring that no elector now on the ticket should be placed on the progressive ticket unless he first resigns.

COAL MINERS' STRIKE IN ALBERTA

Letbridge, Alta., July 25—At Coleman today 150 miners went on strike and several hundred others are expected to follow. Wage dissatisfaction is the cause.

SIXTY LIVES LOST IN TERRIFIC FLOODS

Many Towns Inundated in Ohio and Pennsylvania

Hundreds Are Homeless—Great Destruction of Buildings and Railway Property—Communication Cut Off With Many Sections of the Devastated Area.

Pittsburg, July 25—Over sixty lives were claimed Wednesday by floods and cloud bursts in southwest Pennsylvania and West Virginia and hundreds of homes and business houses destroyed. Uniontown (Pa.) leads the list of known dead with fifteen. At Wheeling (W. Va.), three were drowned; at Lemont (Pa.) four drowned; at Ellerswood (Pa.), three drowned and thirty-six lives are reported to have been lost in other towns of the two states.

SEEK IN VAIN FOR MISSING NURSE

Her Brother Comes on From Virginia to Help in the Search

PRAY FOR HER SAFETY

Stories That Miss Snodgrass Was Seen in New York City Seem to Be Groundless—Relatives Offer Reward for Finding Her.

New York, July 25—No progress was made yesterday in the search for Miss Dorcas L. Snodgrass, the former nurse in the Mount Vernon hospital, who disappeared a week ago Wednesday after she left the home of her sister, Mrs. John L. Ordier, in Mount Vernon, to stop in New York. Her brother, Edward K. Snodgrass, a well-to-do farmer at Berryville (Va.), arrived here to aid in the search if possible, and announced that he would pay a reward of \$500 for information that would lead to the finding of his sister.

THIRTY-FOUR KNOT YACHT AT HALIFAX

Flier Towed Across Atlantic by British Tug—Was Built for New York Man.

Halifax, July 25—The new turbine express steam yacht Winchester, towed by the English tug Sarah Joliffe, arrived this morning, the latter calling for coal. The Winchester was built in Scotland (G. B.) for P. W. Rouse, New York. The yacht is an oil burner. She sailed tonight for New York under her own power.

CANADIAN MINISTERS TO BE FETED IN PARIS

Premier Borden and Colleagues Due There Saturday—Postmaster General to Discuss Cheaper Postage and Cable Rates—Hon. Mr. Hazen Has a Mission, Too.

Paris, July 25—The Canadian postmaster general, Hon. Louis Philip Pelletier, arrived here this evening. He was met by a representative of Premier Poincaré, the Canadian commissioner to France, Phillip Ray and the secretary of the Franco-American committee, Gabriel Louis Jarry.

TWO KILLED AND TWO FATALLY HURT IN QUEBEC CAVE-IN

Quebec, July 25—As a result of a cave-in which occurred yesterday afternoon while a number of men were digging the banks of the canal at Kenogami (Que.), two men were killed and five Italians and four others were injured, two mortally. Five other men who were caught in the slip escaped without injury. Three more are reported to be still underneath the soil which fell. One hundred men are now working to clear the channel, and remove the other victims.

ROBBERS HOLD UP VANCOUVER BANK; GET \$2,000

Knock Manager Temple and Assistant Senseless, and Get Away.

Vancouver, B. C., July 25—Two robbers held up the Northern Crown Bank at Central Park six miles out of Vancouver at 1 o'clock this afternoon. They had been loitering in the vicinity for half an hour having come there with a horse and rig. They covered Manager C. C. Temple with a gun and also held up his assistant, Tompkins, both of whom were having lunch. They attempted to force Temple to open the safe but he refused and one struck him over the head with a piece of loaded pipe. They put Tompkins out in the same manner and broke open a cash drawer and took \$2,000. They got away in their rig. When Temple recovered consciousness he telephoned for help but the robbers have not been captured.

SAYS BORDEN FAVORS GIFT OF \$30,000,000

London Mail Declares Canadian Ministers Will Recommend Building Three Dreadnoughts for Britain.