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OCEAN RATES WILL BE REDUCED

Military Program At Standstill As Result of Strike

COMBINE FIGHT IS RENEWED

W. T. R. Preston Announces Big Cuts To Be Made in Ocean Rates.

REACHES MONTREAL

Emigrants Will Be Brought Out For \$40 a Head.

Associated Press Despatch.
Montreal, Aug. 8.—The combine fight in rates from Europe to Canada will be made by British interest with whom W. T. R. Preston, Canadian government investigator has been negotiating in England. Mr. Preston announced when he disembarked from the liner Melita here this morning. Emigrants will be brought from Great Britain at \$40 a head; cattle will be transported to British ports at \$15 a head instead of \$20 and merchandise rates will be reduced, Mr. Preston says.

He renewed his charge that a combine to maintain high ocean rates existed, and added:
"The fight against the shipping combine is now on."

HATHEWAY'S WIFE DENIED FAREWELL

Incensed Over Not Being Able To See Husband Before He Was Taken to Kingston.

Mrs. G. Leslie Hatheway is more or less incensed at not having an opportunity to see good-bye to her husband before he was taken to Kingston yesterday morning to begin his six-year term for robbing the Thordale branch of the Bank of Montreal of \$5,000 on July 3.

Mrs. Hatheway is still in a very nervous condition following her collapse in police court Thursday morning when Magistrate Gladman pronounced sentence. She is ill in bed at the home of friends at the present time.

Mrs. Hatheway saw her husband at the jail two hours after his sentence and has not seen him since that time.

WOOD IS RE-ELECTED HEAD OF WHEAT POOL

Canadian Press Despatch.
Calgary, Alta., Aug. 7.—H. W. Wood, chairman, and wheat pool executive of the Alberta wheat pool were re-elected to office at the annual meeting held here, according to an announcement given out by R. O. Gorman, secretary.

The Weather

FORECASTS.
Moderate winds, moderately warm and showery today and on Sunday.
Pressure is now rather low over both Canada and the United States excepting British Columbia. The weather is showery in the maritime provinces, Western Ontario, Manitoba and Saskatchewan. Elsewhere it is fair. Cooler weather has become general in the western provinces.

Temperatures.	
The highest and lowest temperatures previous to 8 a.m. today were:	
Stations.	High Low Weather
Victoria	75 62 Fair
Calgary	74 44 Fair
Winnipeg	78 54 Fair
Port Arthur	72 60 Fog
Perry Sound	72 60 Fog
Toronto	82 68 Cloudy
Kingston	78 66 Cloudy
Ottawa	84 60 Fair
Montreal	82 60 Clear
Quebec	74 58 Cloudy
Father Point	58 46 Rain
St. John	66 60 Cloudy
Halifax	62 60 Rain
The highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night were:	
Highest, 84; lowest, 65.	
The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were:	
Highest, 71; lowest, 65.	
Sun rises at 5:13 a.m. and sets at 7:53 p.m. standard time.	
Barometric Readings.	
Friday—8 p.m., 29.22.	
Today—8 a.m., 29.13.	

The Misses Home Stop

U. S. Air Service Mascot Disappears During One of His Many Trips.

Associated Press Despatch.
Cleveland, Aug. 8.—The cat mascot at the United States air military field here, disappeared. He next was seen at Hadley field, New Brunswick, N.J., eastern terminus of the transcontinental air mail route. Then he turned up at Bellefonte, Pa. There he was picked up by Pilot Paul Collins, who flew him back to Cleveland.

STORE IS SOLD FOR \$21,000

Property On North Side of Dundas Near Waterloo Changes Hands.

MORE SALES PENDING

A store site on the north side of Dundas street, near Waterloo, has been sold by the Canadian Bank of Commerce for a price in the neighborhood of \$21,000, it was learned today. A retail business will be conducted on the premises.

While he admitted that negotiations for the sale of the property had been in progress, R. T. Brynner, manager of the main branch of the bank here, declared that the deal was as yet incomplete, and so would not divulge the name of the other party.

Dundas real estate is more active this year than in 1924, and other transfers of property are believed to be pending.

\$425,000 CLAIMED FROM U. S. A. FOR 18 DEATHS

By HARRY NICHOLS.
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Mexico City, Aug. 7.—The Mexican representative on the claims committee at Vera Cruz informs the correspondent of the newspaper United Nations that he has entered a claim for \$425,000 for the death in April, 1914, of 18 persons at the time when the port was entered by United States troops.

Will Try Again To Swim Channel

Chicago Expert Declares Laymen Incapable of Judging On Sanity.

Associated Press Despatch.
Chicago, Aug. 8.—The heroic fight of a young wife to save her husband from the gallows may turn out to have been a fight to relegate hanging to the place of a tradition in Illinois.

Lawyers and criminologists, as well as experts in nervous and mental diseases see this possibility in the link of nice questions in psychiatry to the administration of the criminal code, in the case of Russell Scott.

LIBERALS CONFIDENT OF VICTORY

New Brunswick Campaign Closes Today, With Balloting Monday.

98 CANDIDATES

Waterpower Development in Province Has Been the Big Issue.

Associated Press Despatch.
St. John, N. B., Aug. 8.—The stage was being set today throughout New Brunswick for Monday's balloting, to decide the personnel of the next legislative assembly of the province. Ballot boxes and ballots were in the hands of the responsible officials and everything was in readiness for the functioning of the electorate who besides passing on the administrative record of the government of Hon. P. J. Veniot, will decide whether or not the development of Grand Falls as a publicly owned enterprise is to be prosecuted at once.

SOVIET FORCES CLASH WITH WHITE RUSSIANS

Reds Take Hostages To Average Loss of Forty-Eight Men.

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Vienna, Aug. 7.—The Polish press reports an engagement between the forces of Captain Moroff, White Russian leader, and soviet troops which had been sent out to halt his activities. Captain Moroff ambushed the soviet troops in the forest 25 miles from L. Humen and the Reds are reported to have lost 48 killed. Later the Reds took many hostages from among the villagers of L. Humen.

Hanging May Be Abolished As Result of Scott's Case

Illinois Criminologists See But Slight Chance To Enforce Capital Punishment.

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INCENDIARIES START COAL TIPPLES FIRES

Losses At Pomeroy, Ohio, Will Exceed \$135,000—Bloodhounds in Pursuit.

Pomeroy, Ohio, Aug. 8.—Two of the biggest coal tipples in the Pomeroy district were totally destroyed by fire at 3 o'clock this morning within 10 minutes of each other. County officials said both fires were of incendiary origin.

Canada's Premier Is Guest of Honor At Sutton's Three-Day Horse Show



HOTEL DETAIL IS EXPLAINED

Council Committee Meets With Shareholders of Hotel Companies.

CONSTRUCTION SOON

The committee appointed by a joint meeting of No. 1 and No. 2 committee of the city council yesterday afternoon met with the shareholders of the Benson-Hines and Lloyd George hotel companies at the London and Western Trusts company at 1 o'clock today and went carefully into the details of the plan whereby it is hoped to erect a new 250-room hotel on the federal square property. The meeting was primarily for the purpose of getting all angles of the proposition into concrete form, so that the committee may make a definite recommendation to a special meeting of the council, to be called as early as possible next week.

PRINCE IN BOILER-ROOM FIGHTS OFF EMBONPOINT

British Heir Spending Much of His Time Aboard Warship in "Reducing."

VISITS ST. HELENA

Plants Olive Tree Beside the Empty Grave of Great Napoleon.

By G. WARD PRICE.
Special to The Advertiser and North American Newspaper Alliance.

St. Helena, Aug. 8.—The Prince of Wales, worried over his increasing tendency to put on weight, is spending most of his time at sea, while en route from South Africa to South America, in a program of "reducing."

HEIR-HUNTER ALMOST FINDS HIS MAN IN CITY

Page Mr. Parkins. He is the heir to vast fortunes awaiting his claims as heir to the estates in England. It was thought yesterday that Charles Parkins, letter-carrier, of 611 Simcoe street, was the man. Though his name lacks the terminating letter S and other qualifications to accept the money, he was approached yesterday as a probable heir.

MAGNATE'S DAUGHTER NOT TO WED BARONET

Associated Press Despatch.
New York, Aug. 8.—The first information that Miss Emmeline Marion Grace, daughter of Eugene C. Grace, president of the Bethlehem Steel corporation, is not to be married to Sir Michael William Selby Bruce, young Scottish baronet, to whom her engagement was announced last December, reached New York today. It came in the form of a cable news despatch, announcing that Sir Michael, a captain in the Royal Field Artillery, is to marry Miss Dorcas Dalziel Greenwall in London today. The bride is a daughter of a colonel in the British army.

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In a despatch received here from Ottawa today reference was made to the need of soldiers in their own districts for training camp purposes throughout the Dominion.

In the absence of Brig.-Gen. W. B. King, who is in Montreal today, Col. Lawless explained that while the troops are in the strike area training is at a standstill here and elsewhere.

Instruction Ceases.
Only a nucleus of an army is stationed in the military districts. The officers and instructors are needed for training of militia. When sent away instruction ceases.

This was illustrated at Kincardine camp this year. There were not sufficient instructors to carry out the work as it should be done. As soon as the soldiers return they will again take up training here.

Soon to Return.
The members of the Royal Canadian Regiment's Company at present in the Cape Breton strike area, are ready to depart for London. That they will not be there more than a day or two is evidenced by a nurse received at their headquarters stating that no more mail was to be forwarded to the Maritime branches.

Mail posted in London branches their quarters in 42 hours. It is believed in military circles that if the troops did not mean to move out on Monday or Tuesday that one more batch of mail would be sent out today.

HURLS INK BOTTLE AT PRINCE FILM

Dublin Nurse Fined For Action, Offers an Explanation to Court.

Associated Press Despatch.
Dublin, Aug. 8.—When films of the Prince of Wales on his tour of South Africa, were being shown in a motion picture theatre Thursday, a nurse, Dora Maguire, threw a bottle of ink at the screen, ruining it. She was arrested in police court yesterday and ordered to compensate a girl musician whose clothes were ruined. The nurse told the police when she was arrested that she had no personal objection to the Prince, but could not stand people cheering those who had helped the "black and tans."

Week-End Tips For Motorists

In planning week-end trips, motorists are advised to bear in mind the following roads closed to traffic:

Hyde Park highway—Detour advised by County Engineer Tait. Road closed from 5th concession west to Sarnia.

Longwoods road, Delaware to Strathburn, closed for paving. Road open for local traffic from Melbourne to Christina. Through traffic from London for Chatham, Windsor and Detroit advised by department of highways to take Springbank drive to Komoka, Mount Brydges, Glencoe and Strathburn. Detour at Lambeth for south highway to Detroit via Talbotville, Blenheim, etc.

Thordale sideroad east of Thordale now open. Detours at Jarvis and Simcoe on St. Thomas-Niagara Falls highway.

Prof. Line road closed for paving from 5th concession to beyond St. Johns. Detour either by Adelaide street or turn left at 5th concession, London township, 1/4 miles, then north 3/2 miles and back to Prof. Line road.

Dorchester Station road to provincial highway (Governor's road) closed for two weeks.