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French Domination of the Air Disturbs Other Nations DEPEND ON CARE VICTORY SURE

New York Girl's Romance With Count Ends

LORRAINE ENGINE IS CONQUEROR

Gives France the Fastest Airplane in the World Today.

DOISY'S FEAT

Planes Could Bomb European Capitals Twice Daily From Home Base.

BY CHARLES M. McCANN (British United Press Cor.)

London, May 10.—Two weeks out from Paris on an air dash that has shattered records across two continents, a French aviator has piloted his machine to earth at Rangoon, one of Britain's strategic gateways to the Orient.

Catching their breath after their first amazement at the French feat, Englishmen are beginning to realize the meaning of the dash, namely, that there is ground for the French claim that France possesses the fastest airplane engine in the world.

Lieut. Pelletier D'Oisy, who arrived at Rangoon Friday after flying from Calcutta, is piloting a special Berguet machine equipped with a Lorraine engine.

Makes Europe Uneasy.

The realization of what this French machine and French engine has already done is causing uneasiness in every military air force almost everywhere.

Such French bombing planes could easily travel 1,000 miles a day, and could possibly make from 1,500 to 2,000 miles. Thus, operating from a base in France, the French machines could make morning and afternoon round-trip bombing flights to almost every European capital.

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HUNDRED ARE KILLED AT KIRKUK

Clash in Mesopotamia Follows Altercation Between Soldiers and Shopkeepers.

London, May 10.—One hundred townspeople and six native soldiers were killed in a serious disturbance at Kirkuk, Mesopotamia, May 4, according to advice to the Colonial Office.

The disturbance followed an altercation between three soldiers of the native levy and shopkeepers of the city and the entire native levy detachment participated before order was restored.

Bill's Right To Sidewalk Upheld

New York, May 10.—(United Press.)—John Reoch's big black dog bill is not a vehicle, although he does wear a license tag. He is a dog, and as such he has the right to run on the sidewalk, and anyone who gets in his way when he is in a hurry to get home to his soup-bones takes a chance.

This verdict was returned in favor of Reoch and Bill by a jury in the Queens County Court, dismissing a demand by Harold Smith for \$5,000 damages.

Harold testified that Bill's steering gear was out of order. Bill was tearing down the sidewalk to keep clear with a plaster. Suddenly he veered, upset Mr. Smith and knocked that indignant pedestrian into a gutter. Smith's leg was hurt so badly that he had to wear a plaster sleeve on it for three weeks.

GENERAL STRIKE BRINGS SHOOTING

Soldiers Kill Four Men in Tucuman, Argentine—Riots at Bahia Blanca.

(United Press.)

Buenos Aires, May 10.—Four men were shot dead by troops on Friday at Tucuman, where the general strike is still continuing.

Workers in several cities have not obeyed union orders to call off the strike. A police sergeant was killed in strike riots at Bahia Blanca and disorders also occurred at Mendoza.

THIS STRIKE HAS PECULIAR EFFECT

Chokes Tunnels With Fumes From Automobile Exhausts—People Overcome.

Pittsburg, Pa., May 10.—Scores of persons were overcome by automobile exhaust fumes in the Twin Liberty tunnels through the South Hills here today. Increased traffic in the tunnels as a consequence of a strike of 3,200 street car motormen and conductors caused the tubes to become choked with the gases. First aid crews were rushed to the scene.

The carmen have asked an increase of from 75 cents an hour to 75 and 77 cents an hour.

SATISFACTION IS RUSSIAN DEMAND

Says Germany Must Act or Commercial Intercourse Will be Affected.

(United Press.)

Moscow, May 10.—Unless Germany gives fullest satisfaction for the invasion of the Soviet trade delegation building in Berlin by German police, political consequences will undoubtedly follow, declares Premier Rykoff. He says that commercial intercourse with Germany will be reduced to the barest minimum, and will, in fact, undoubtedly be interrupted unless satisfaction is given.

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MILICENT ROGERS TO COME HOME

Pretty Heiress to \$40,000,000 Married Titled Frenchman Last January.

FATHER TAKES HAND

Finds Them Unhappy and Says No Money Unless They Part.

By WEBB MILLER (United Press Staff Correspondent.)

Paris, May 10.—Bitter and disillusioned, pretty Milicent Rogers, heiress to \$40,000,000, was reported ready to sail from Havre for home today, her romance with Count Ludwig Salm von Hoogstraten ended.

The heiress, in company with her father, will sail for New York this afternoon on the liner France, so friends here said. Col. Rogers arrived ten days ago to take his daughter home. He was quoted as saying that "A financial provision probably will be made for Count Salm."

Both Ludwig and the Countess Salm were disillusioned, a friend of Salm said. "They realized love was not to be had, and they would not receive a cent of the Rogers millions as long as they lived together."

"The money question was the real issue, friends said, as Salm admitted he was practically without funds except for a very small income from his Austrian estates."

Word that the break might be near first began to be circulated in Paris late last month, when it was learned that the countess's father had called New York for England to put his son in college.

It was taken for granted then that he had heard of his daughter's unhappiness and was coming to take her home.

The rumors grew as reports of the financial straits of the couple and were brought in by friends of Rivera who returned to the capital.

HICKMAN TAKES THE CABINET JOB

Liberal Leader Will Form New Government For Newfoundland.

St. John's, Nfld., May 10.—At the invitation of Governor Allarday, Albert E. Hickman, leader of the Liberal party, has undertaken to form a ministry to succeed that of Hon. W. R. Warren, who resigned on Thursday.

It is understood that the majority of the executive cabinet, who served under Sir Richard Squires and Hon. W. R. Warren, will be identified with Premier Hickman.

Prominent in the lineup will be the cabinet ministers who insisted on Sir Richard Squires' resignation and who went out of office rather than remain with him in the cabinet after the disclosure of charges against him last year.

The main feature of the Liberal programme appears to be a clean up of the state of things disclosed in the recent Walker inquiry and this undertaking, it is said, will be carried out by Sir William Lloyd, at one time prime minister of the country and now registrar of the supreme court. He has been offered the portfolio of justice. The date of the general election will likely be May 31.

Lighthouse Cares For War Blind

New York, May 9.—(United Press.)—Sixty-six U. S. soldiers were blinded in both eyes during the World War, Surgeon General M. E. Ireland states in a communication to Mrs. Winifred Holt Mather of New York, founder of the Paris Lighthouse for the Blind, a movement to facilitate with his own eyes progress in this country under the patronage of President Coolidge.

Those who suffered total or partial blindness in one eye numbered 486.

It is probable that many veterans have been blind since the war, but General Ireland says he has no way of knowing the number of these.

American eye casualties were relatively small compared with those of the other allies. The Paris Lighthouse has cared for the war-blind of all nations.

RUMORED INCREASE FOR POSTAL MEN

Report in City Says 20 Per Cent.—Ottawa Will Announce Today.

Rumors were current about the city today that the Federal cabinet had decided on an increase of 20 per cent in postal salaries, but the local president, G. C. Cosman, said that he had had no official announcement. The following Canadian Press despatch was received today from Ottawa:

The matter of revised salary schedules for postal workers was before the Federal Cabinet during the morning session of May 9.

FEAR VIOLENCE AS FASCISTI MEET

Police Take Precautions in Halle, Germany—Communists Threaten.

By CARL D. GROAT. (United Press Staff Correspondent.)

Berlin, May 10.—Police took every precaution to preserve order in Halle today as Communists openly threatened violence against a great Fascist demonstration held in connection with the dedication of a monument to General von Moltke.

Strong police units, fully armed, patrolled the streets as hundreds of Fascists poured into the city.

Field Marshal von Hindenburg, General Ludendorff and a score of other military leaders of the old regime were scheduled to participate in the demonstration, which the extreme Nationalists expect to make an occasion for starting a "great wave of patriotism."

NEW POLITICAL PARTY FORMED

Latest Development in Ireland—McGrath and McCarthy Leaders.

Dublin, May 10.—Joseph McGrath, former Minister of Commerce, and Daniel McCarthy, former Government Whip in the Dail Eireann, who resigned during the recent army crisis, announced last night the formation of a new Dail group whose policy will be complete independence, territorial unity and economic progress.

The debate in the Dail over the Anglo-American Liqueur Treaty was quoted as showing the government's "slackness in foreign affairs."

The new party announced its determination to insist on honorable fulfillment of Article 12 of the Anglo-Irish Treaty, providing for the settlement of the boundaries between northern and southern Ireland.

Autos Killed 17,000 in Year

New York, May 10.—(United Press.)—Approximately 17,000 lives were lost in automobile accidents in 1923, according to the figures of the National Bureau of Casualty and Surety Underwriters. This does not include grade crossing accidents in which autos figure. These included would total 17,000. The 1923 figures total 2,000 above the 1922 record.

Of the total fatalities, 82 per cent were of children under 15 years. Automobiles killed more people than all other vehicles put together, including street cars, steam trains, etc.

In 1909, the year taken as the start of the popularity of the automobile, there were 1,000 fatalities.

LIQUOR ACT OF ALBERTA IS IN FORCE

No Difficulty Now in Getting Supply Direct or by Mail.

TWO VENDORS

Permits Easily Obtained Under One of Four Forms, Also Specials.

(Canadian Press.)

Edmonton, Alta., May 10.—The Alberta Liquor Act goes into force today. Liquor Commissioner R. J. Dinning last night announced that arrangements have been completed for the opening of vendors' stores at Edmonton and Calgary, and it is the intention that these two stores for the time being shall handle the entire trade. Other stores are being opened in the larger towns and cities throughout the province.

The liquor can be purchased direct from the vendors' stores in the two cities, Mr. Dinning said, in the official announcement. "Arrangements have also been made to fill mail orders. Before liquor can be purchased it will be necessary for intending purchasers to obtain permits."

"Applications for liquor permits can be made by mail or in person to the vendors at the different points. Only individual permits will be issued, and no person will be given permits unless twenty-one years of age."

There are four regular forms of permits, as follows:

General permit entitling the holder to purchase spirits, wine, beer and malt liquor, \$2.

For beer only, \$1.

For applicants who are temporary residents in the province, entitling them to purchase spirits, wine, beer or malt liquor for one month, \$1.

For single purchase of beer, wine, spirits or malt liquor, 50 cents.

"Special permits will also be issued to druggists, physicians, dentists, veterinarians, ministers of the gospel, persons in the mechanical and manufacturing business, or scientists, persons in charge of hospitals, sanatoriums or homes for aged persons."

"The permits are not transferable, and provisions have been made whereby they can be suspended or cancelled for violation of the act."

ROMERO PUT UP A GREAT BATTLE

Johnson Forced to Give Ground But Chilean is Knocked Out.

New York, May 10.—Quintin Romero, Chilean heavyweight, today realized that his dream of becoming champion of the world had faded. On the other hand Floyd Johnson, of Iowa, stood out in the minds of boxing critics as the "man who might come back."

The young South American's dream of wearing the most prized crown in all lightdom was rudely broken by the hand of his own body when the husky middle-westerer sent him to the canvas in the seventh round of their ten round bout at Madison Square Garden last night.

Four times before the knockout the invader was beaten to the canvas; but after the second of these falls he sent Johnson sprawling and after the fourth he returned with a final spasm of fury that sent the American reeling before him about the ring.

Then unable to launch an effective assault upon his adversary he nevertheless refused to quit. The knockout blow came in the seventh round after the Chilean had been knocked about from corner to corner, sagging but striving mightily to evade the knockout.

No Landlord Worries Them



Not a cent of rent to pay! And no landlord or janitor always nosing around! This woman and her little family certainly can be thankful they dwell in southern California. The climate there makes it possible for them practically to live out-of-doors. All the cooking is done in the open. And the bedrooms were hastily thrown together from old pieces of lumber and sheet iron.

Washington Representatives Refuse Coolidge Request Re Japanese Bill

Washington, May 10.—By a vote of 191 to 171, the House declined yesterday to approve the Japanese exclusion provision of the immigration bill inserted by House and Senate conferees at the request of President Coolidge.

The measure was sent back to conference with the House managers instructed to insist on elimination of the provision, which would postpone the effective date of exclusion to March 1, 1925, and would request the President to negotiate with Japan for abrogation of the "gentlemen's agreement."

The Senate voted to make exclusion effective upon enactment of the bill, but the conferees, after agreeing to accept the House date, decided to recommend postponement for an additional eight months.

The princess is a daughter of a former commander of the city under the Czarist regime. She was previously sentenced for espionage and banditry, but was pardoned.

PRINCESS ON TRIAL Stays at School in Fredericton

Fredericton, N. B., May 10.—A. S. McFarlane, now a member of the Provincial Normal School faculty, has been appointed to succeed Dr. D. C. Foster as principal of the Fredericton High School at the conclusion of the present school year.

Arrangements have also been concluded for Otto B. Miller who joined the High School staff last fall after graduating from the U. N. B. and following other teaching experience elsewhere in this province, to continue as a member of the teaching staff. He had resigned to accept a position with the Protestant School Board of Montreal. His salary here has been increased.

FAIRLEY IS GIVEN LIGHT SENTENCE

Deal With by Police Magistrate in Campbellton This Morning.

(Special to Times.)

Campbellton, May 10.—Justice tempered with mercy was meted out to Chester B. Fairley in the police court this morning in the Customs House case as full restitution had been made and for the sake of the accused's wife and his parents the magistrate sentenced him to five months in the common jail at Dalhousie. The accused must serve one month and will be allowed his freedom then. The remaining four months will not have to be served if he behaves like a law abiding citizen.

No Restriction On Canadians

Washington, May 10.—(By Canadian Press.)—The Immigration bill as it has been finally agreed to in the conference committee of the two houses contained a provision under which any person born in Canada, and his wife or minor children, accompanying him or following him can enter the U. S. without restriction. They are in the non-quota list under the bill.

REDUCED MAJORITY IS WORST

Farmers, Commercial and Industrial Forces Behind the Premier.

SURPRISE TODAY

Radical Leaders Appeal—Say Poincare Aspires to be Dictator.

(Canadian Press.)

Paris, May 10.—That the agricultural bloc will swing Premier Poincare into power again in tomorrow's parliamentary election is the confident assertion of the government campaign managers.

France has 4,500,000 land owners, most of them peasants, among whom are about one-third of the national electorate. The farming interests, combined with the commercial and industrial forces, are relied upon by the Premier to supply him with an adequate majority.

The farmers have been making more money in the last two years than ever before, and it is difficult to find in the rural districts any peasant or proprietor who is not in favor of keeping M. Poincare in power.

Opinion General.

The news system of voting, the immense number of candidates and the division of the chamber of deputies into many groups give basis for such widely varied calculations that experienced observers are not disposed to assert anything strongly except victory for the present government with its opponents affirming that it will be returned with a reduced majority.

The surprise of the morning was a final appeal by the radical party to its followers to vote for Socialists in those districts where the Radicals do not appear to have the best chance of winning and where a coalition ticket has not been formed.

This is regarded as most significant, as the Radical party is the backbone of the coalition of the left formed by the Radicals and Socialists to defeat the government and has probably three times as many votes as the Socialists.

The Radicals make their appeal on the ground that it is their conviction that the Republican regime would be imperilled by re-election of the present governmental majority. The examples of Mussolini in Italy and General Primo de Rivera in Spain are cited as cases showing the "danger" in giving too much confidence to one man, and Poincare is accused of aspiring to such a dictatorship.

Talk War.

The campaign speakers of both the great blocs—national and radical—tell the voters that the success of their adversaries will mean war.

The Radicals affirm that Poincare's austere attitude in dealing with Germany and the tenacity with which he is clinging to military occupation of the Ruhr will, if persisted in, bring about an armed conflict with Germany; that this can be seen in the success of the Nationalists in the German elections and that the present French government if returned to power, will be more provocative towards Germany than hitherto.

The supporters of the Government contend that the bloc on the left would be weak if it came to power in the presence of the German danger; that the German Nationalists in that case would prepare for fresh aggression; that the only successful method of treating Germany is to be inflexible as to French rights, and that if the new government were to adopt an attitude of gentle timidity war would be inevitable.

Weather Report

Toronto, May 10.—Pressure continues quite high over northern Canada but low over the Great Lakes and middle states has become less pronounced. Rain is falling in eastern Ontario and western Quebec, while in other parts of the Dominion the weather is fair.

Forecasts:

Partly Cloudy.

Maritime—Moderate northeasterly winds, partly cloudy today and Sunday; not much change in temperature.

Northern New England—Cloudy tonight and Sunday; probably occasional showers, no change in temperature; moderate easterly winds.

Lower St. Lawrence, Gulf and North Shore—Northeast winds, fair today and Sunday, not much change in temperature.

Toronto, May 10.—Temperatures:

Table with 2 columns: Station, Highest during, Lowest. Rows include Victoria, Kamloops, Calgary, Edmonton, Winnipeg, Montreal, St. John, Halifax, New York.

Hold Troops For Fire Fighting Work

(United Press.)

Douglas, Ariz., May 10.—Troops were being held in readiness at Camp Jones, Friday night, to get to the assistance of forest rangers, engaged in fighting a fire raging east of here. Thousands of acres of timberlands were threatened.