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NAVIGATION HALTS AS BLIZZARD RAGES

High Winds Reduce Depth of St. Marys River, Tying Up Traffic.

Special to The Advertiser. Sault Ste. Marie, Dec. 5.—Vessel traffic has been virtually tied up by a sweeping northwest blizzard, which has been in progress the past 24 hours. Downbound steamers arriving here have been compelled to tie up or anchor on account of low water in Lower St. Marys River, caused by the northwest wind, which has reduced the river depth to 19 feet.

Eight vessels locked down since 6 o'clock last night, and these are scattered at different points down the river. The Maytham and Tyrone, which reached here yesterday after a furious battle with the storm of last week, were reported tied up at Detour waiting more favorable weather.

The wind reached a maximum of 52 miles at the Soo today, while at Whitefish it was 65 miles this afternoon. The gale was accompanied by blinding snow, making it impossible for any steamer to venture out. Four upbound steamers are lying in shelter in the vicinity of the Soo and upper river.

So heavy were the seas blown up by the wind that they dashed high over upper gates of the Poe Lock, winter, and nearly filled it up with water and nearly filled it up before pumps could be gotten into operation.

The dock at Dispatch Station at Big Point was torn away by the force of the storm. Adolph Brosco, coast guardman at Lookout Station No. 2, West Neeshib Channel, was thrown from his rowboat, in which he was crossing to the dyke, but swam to shore after a strenuous struggle in the face of the raging blizzard.

Several steamers arriving down today reported losing anchors in trying to keep in shelter, and obtained extra ones here. It is the most severe storm experienced in this section for years.

QUEBEC ATTORNEYS GET THREAT SIGNED "K.K.K."

Quebec, Dec. 5.—Commissioners Robideaux and Archibald, and Eusebe Beliveau, K.C., and John A. Sullivan, K.C., judges and counsel in the royal commission investigation in session here, which is inquiring into the circumstances surrounding the murder of Blanche Gagneau, a young Quebec girl here two years ago, received today a crudely typewritten letter on dirty paper, headed: "K. K. K."

The letter, written in poor French, reads: "Justice, or the head of authority: 'Public of the provinces condemns policy of protection. One after another justice will be done. 'A man unworthy of living must disappear—K. K. K.' In the lower corner are some mysterious marks as follows: 'AV—T—S. K. H. J.'"

DECLARES GERMANS USE LESS ALCOHOL

Dr. Strecker of Darmstadt University, Speaks at St. Marys.

Special to The Advertiser. St. Marys, Dec. 6.—A fairly representative audience of the people of St. Marys and district welcomed several world delegates who attended the recent world temperance convention in Toronto, in a mass meeting in the Presbyterian Church, Church street, last night. Mr. F. E. Butcher acted as chairman.

The first speaker on the program was Dr. August Ley, professor in mental diseases, Brussels, Belgium, who reviewed the action of alcoholic liquors on the human system, telling how much better Belgium has been since the law of 1919, prohibiting sale of liquor in public places, came into force in that country.

The second address was delivered by Dr. Strecker, professor in the University of Darmstadt, Germany, who stated that it is the young people of that country who are behind prohibition, declaring that they were behind prohibition in an effort to build up a greater and better Germany. In late years the use of alcohol has been greatly reduced in Germany.

Mr. Tarina Sinha of Bedares, India, dealt with the opium trade. The three countries producing opium are India, China, and Persia. Most of the Chinese opium is used in China itself. The world traffic in opium, however, is carried on by India and Persia. The manufacture of opium in India is in charge of the Indian government, and is, I am ashamed to say, declared the speaker, "a monopoly of the government; it is one of its main departments, and the department of education is of the Ontario government."

"The wheat and opium trades are the strongest competitors in India. There are two kinds of opium, trade and excise. One thousand two hundred and fifty-seven tons of opium are manufactured yearly. Seven hundred tons are sold in foreign markets. Japan increased importation from a half ton of opium in a few years to 23 tons last year."

"The consumption of opium is growing, but this is not due to prohibition. The United States is the largest user of opium. The statistics show United States as using 36 grains per person, Germany 20, England 1 and France 2. The great increase on this continent is due to the prosperity of the people and the easy methods of smuggling between Canada and United States."

"In Australia they are thinking of government control, but this will not solve the problem, the only cure is absolute prohibition. It is the only way to save the next generation. The old world will follow the lead of Canada and United States. Canada do your duty."

Rev. Mr. Evans, seconded by Rev. Duggan, moved a vote of thanks to the visiting delegates for coming to St. Marys. This was answered by Rev. G. Gordon of Australia.

INDIANS AGREE TO STEWART'S PLAN

Proposed Tribunal of Three Finds Favor With Six Nations.

Oshweken, Ont., Dec. 6.—The proposal of Hon. Charles Stewart, superintendent-general of Indian affairs, was definitely accepted yesterday afternoon by the council of the Six Nations Indians. The text of their acceptance is as follows: "The tribunal of three is satisfactory. British subjects, one to be chosen by each side, and the third to be agreed upon by the parties, each party to bear its own proper expenses. All questions of political rights or jury's decision affecting both parties, and all money claims by either against the other shall be submitted to and determined by the tribunal upon their merits. The determination of the tribunal shall be binding upon the party."

"The Dominion government shall obtain the consent of the imperial government to the submission to the law that the determination of any matter submitted affecting or involving duties or obligations existing between the Six Nations and the British Crown shall be conclusive between them."

USE AIRPLANE FOR FIRST TIME IN IRISH WARFARE

Aviator Bombs Irregulars in Drimouliagh Ambush With Disastrous Results.

Cork, Dec. 5.—An airplane for the first time has been brought into action against the irregulars with disastrous results to 60 of them, well entrenched in ambush near Drimouliagh.

A call for reinforcements from national troops brought an airplane to the scene. Sighting the irregulars, it bombed them out. They endeavored to make their escape, some into the neighboring wood, but the airplane circled over them and raked the fleeing men with machine gun fire. It is believed that a great majority of the irregulars were killed or wounded. The nationals had one man killed.

TO DEVELOP RESOURCES THROUGHOUT EMPIRE

London, Dec. 5.—(Canadian Press Cable).—When questioned in the House of Commons today regarding emigration matters, Captain G. Ormsby Gore, under-secretary to the foreign office, said he had presided this morning for the first time at a meeting of the overseas settlement committee. He would do his utmost to accelerate progress of the various empire settlement schemes. Captain Gore said the policy of the empire settlement act was regarded more as a constructive plan for developing inter-imperial trade than as a means of dealing with the present abnormal unemployment in Great Britain.

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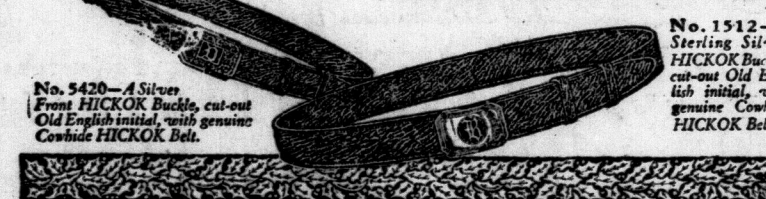
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