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June 9, 1924

Coast to Coast Flight in Less Than a Day

Hertzog is Premier of S. Africa—Labour Government Meets Another Defeat—Postal Strike in Canada Collapses.

LABOR GOVERNMENT AGAIN DEFEATED.

LONDON, June 24. The Labor Government sustained another defeat in the House of Commons last night by the substantial vote of 315 against 175 in consequence of a Conservative Liberal combination in favor of referring a motion dealing with the financial provisions of the Housing Bill to a committee of the whole house instead of to a special committee which the Government sought to impose. The defeat, however, was one of procedure, and not of principle. No political significance, therefore, was attached to it and other business of the House was proceeded with.

HERTZOG PREMIER OF SOUTH AFRICA.

PRETORIA, June 24. General James Barry Hertzog, leader of the victorious party in the recent elections, today accepted the premiership of South Africa, succeeding General Jan Christian Smuts. General Hertzog has begun the formation of his cabinet.

AIR FLIGHT RECORD.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 24. Lieutenant Russel L. Maughan wrote a new and spectacular chapter in the history of man's conquest of the air when he spanned the North American continent in less than a day. It was his third attempt. Lieutenant Maughan flew at an average speed of approximately 150 miles an hour, making less than above 2,000

FEET AND MORE AT OR UNDER THAT HEIGHT.

FIVE DEAD IN NAPHTHA EXPLOSION. NEW YORK, June 21. Five men were reported missing and eight others were seriously injured late today by an explosion of Naphtha on board the British freighter Egremont Castle at her Brooklyn dock. Seventeen badly burned were rushed to hospitals, and five unaccounted for, were believed to have been trapped in the vessel's hold. Two tugs towed the blazing steamer into the East River to save shipping from danger of possible explosions. As the tugs caught hold of the vessel her hatches were battened down, ending the last slim chance for life of the five men trapped in the hold. The vessel's cargo included 100,000 gallons of highest grade aeroplane gasoline, 100,000 gallons of naphtha and a large quantity of motor oil. The blaze spread so rapidly that firemen feared other explosions and the freighter was towed into East River and ordered sunk.

TORNADO STRIKES BELFAST.

BELFAST, June 24. A terrific tornado, unprecedented in history, struck here this evening, resulting in extensive damage. Many buildings were wrecked and a number of people injured.

ASK FOR REINSTATEMENT OF POSTAL STRIKERS.

MONTREAL, June 24. Executives of Letter Carriers' As-

sociation and Postal Clerks' Association waited on Postmaster Gaudet this morning and asked him to take back Postal strikers unconditionally. Mr. Gaudet promised to consider the case of each man individually, having regard to his ability and to financial considerations.

ANOTHER CONFERENCE TO BE HELD.

REGINA, June 24. The Dominion Government is to meet a delegation of western postal workers with a view to settling the present dispute. Knowles, President, and Charles Gardner, Secretary of the Amalgamated Servants, last night sent a telegram to Premier King, Hon. James Murdock and Charles Stewart, Acting Postmaster General. The delegation will be named from among the employees of the West post offices should the government consent to this suggestion.

STRIKE BREAKS DOWN.

TORONTO, June 24. What was intended to be a Dominion wide strike of Canadian Postal employees has become a fight between striking members in Montreal, Toronto and Windsor, and the Federal Government. At all other points in the country the service is advancing normally, while in Montreal it is expected that mail will be handled effectively in a few days.

LOBSTER SEASON EXTENDED.

OTTAWA, June 24. A recommendation to the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, stating that in view of the late season and the very small catch of lobsters around the Coast of Prince Edward Island, and the northern part of Nova Scotia, some extension be made to the season this year, was adopted by the Marine and Fisheries Committee of the House today.

ITALIAN MILITIA TO BE DEMOBILIZED.

ROME, June 24. Premier Mussolini has given orders that the National Militia, which was recently mobilized, be demobilized immediately, according to the semi-official Stefani Agency.

GOOD ROADS ASSN. OPENS.

St. Andrew's by the Sea, N.E., June 24.—Favored by perfect weather and with an attendance of nearly two hundred, and with more on the way, the eleventh annual convention of the Canadian Good Roads Association was opened this afternoon in the Casino of the Algonquin Hotel, which is convention headquarters. Russell T. Kelly, of Hamilton, President of the Ontario Provincial Highway Association, presided, and declared the 11th convention opened under more auspicious circumstances than any previous gathering.

A Big Store in a Small Town

How many towns of less than 3,000 people have a general merchandise store that can show nearly a half-million-dollar business in the fourth year of its existence; that employs at least three dozen clerks, and keeps open twenty-four hours a day; that sells matches and strawberries by the carload; that maintains its own special fire fighting equipment, and its own detective to watch for light fingers; and that has to have traffic cops out in front on Saturdays or other busy days to handle the crowds? At least there is one such—Winner, South Dakota; habitat of the "Outlaw Trading Post."

CANADIAN PACIFIC SAILINGS

FROM MONTREAL.
To Belfast—Glasgow.
July 4 July 11 Marloch
July 17 Marburn
Aug. 7 Sept. 4 Montclair
To Southampton—Glasgow.
July 8 Montclair
To Cherbourg—Stamton—Antwerp.
June 25 July 23 Minnedosa
July 9 Aug. 6 Melita
To Liverpool.
July 18 Montclair
June 27 July 25 Montroyal
July 28 Montreal
July 4 Aug. 1 Montcalm
July 11 Aug. 8 Montrose
To Cherbourg—Stamton—Hamburg.
July 2 July 30 Empress of Scotland
July 16 "Emp. of France"
From Quebec.

CRUISES FOR 1925

ROUND THE WORLD
Empress of France Jan. 14
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Next week is Earl Haig Week, and the Star Movie being the G.W.V.A.'s Theatre, we are therefore in line, and for our three changes we will show English, Irish and Scotch attractions. Oh, Boy.

COMING:—The Picture of a Million—"LET NO MAN PUT ASUNDER." Watch and Wait, But Don't Miss It!

Wedding Bells

FRASER—CLIFT.

Holyrood, Mr. Hutton played the Wedding March. And so, in sunshine, and surrounded by friends and well-wishers, the sweet young bride has begun life's journey. May they be very happy and may the sun always shine on their future.

Masonic Installation

The installation of the officers of Avalon Lodge, No. 718, E.C., A. F. & A. M., took place in the Masonic Temple last evening, the ceremony being performed by Wor. Bro. W. A. Ellis, D.D.G.M., in the absence of R. W. Bro. J. R. Bennett, D.G.M., assisted by the D.G.S., Wor. Bro. W. J. Edgar and R.W. Bro. H. E. Cowan, D.D.G.M., S.C. The following officers were installed:—

W.M.—Bro. Edgar Dawe.
I.P.M.—Bro. Chas. K. Miller.
S.W.—Bro. L. G. Stick.
J.W.—Bro. Rev. Dr. M. Fenwick.
Treasurer—Bro. Robert Dawe.
Secretary—Bro. W. H. Parsons.
D. of C.—Bro. H. M. Maddick.
S.D.—Bro. L. G. Crummev.
J.D.—Bro. C. W. Udle.
J.G.—Bro. W. J. Carson.
S.S.—Bro. Wilson Clarke.
J.S.—Bro. E. J. Sansome.
Tyler—Bro. G. W. Morris.
Following the ceremony, the retiring W.M., P. K. Miller, was presented with a Past Master's Jewel by the installing officer, on behalf of the Lodge. Later the brethren assembled in the banquet room and spent an enjoyable social hour. Among the visitors were a number of brethren from S.S. Metagama.

Earl and Countess Haig Coming

Padre Nangle received a message yesterday stating that Field Marshal and Countess Haig had embarked on board the Caronia for here. The following is the message:—

NANGLE, War Veterans.
All safe on board. Field Marshal Earl and Countess Haig arrived in Liverpool at noon and were received by the Lord Mayor and Lady Mayoress. Among those present on arrival were:—Sir Thomas Royden, chairman of the Cunard Line; the Senior Naval and Military Officers; Sir Edgar Bowring; Col. Talbot, D.S.O., M. C. The party was then entertained on board at lunch as guests of the Cunard Line.
(Sgd.) GORDON.

Walking is President's Only Form of Play

Walking is President Coolidge's only form of play. And he walks as religiously and as solemnly as he prepares or signs State papers. Sometimes he takes a friend along, but usually he is accompanied only by a secret service operative. He walks anywhere and everywhere in Washington.

Once upon returning to the White House from a walk, he and his secret service companion approached one of the little-used entrances. A sign, "Closed," hung on the gate.
"We are not supposed to go in this way," he remarked.
"But it's your house," the secret service man laughed.
"Well, we'll go around to another entrance," the President replied and walked on.
Roosevelt probably would have jumped the gate and would have seen to it that newspaper men were duly informed. Taft would have sent for a key. Wilson would have taken care not to see the sign.

But to Coolidge a sign on a White House gate means as much as he would have it mean to any one else.—Aaron Hardy Sim, in Forbes Magazine (N.Y.)

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C. & B. Essence Rennet.
C. & B. Rennet Tablets.
C. & B. Lemon Cheese.
C. & B. Potted Meats Game and Fish.
C. & B. Parmesan Cheese.
C. & B. Celery Seed.
C. & B. Mixed Herbs.
C. & B. Galatines Ham and Chicken.

C. & B. Galatines Ham and Tongue.
C. & B. Galatines Chicken and Tongue.
C. & B. Galatines Oxford Brrawn.
C. & B. Veal Cutlets.
C. & B. Veal & Green Peas.
C. & B. Lamb Cutlets.
C. & B. Lunch & Green Peas.
C. & B. Sweet Pickles.
C. & B. Nonpareil Capers.
C. & B. Anglo-India Relish.
C. & B. Savoy Pickles.
C. & B. Bengal Club Chutney.
C. & B. Mango Sweet Chutney.
C. & B. Browning for Gravies.
C. & B. Distilled Malt Vinegar.

C. & B. Tarragon Vinegar.
Burgess's Ess. of Anchovies
McIlheny's Tobasco Sauce.
June 16, m.w

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THE BABY'S FIRST KISS.

Oh, time shall bring you many things, but none so rich as this— The glory of that happy day your baby learns to kiss. To many a thrill your heart shall leap; but none so sweet and true As when those little baby lips first give a kiss to you.

You'll joy to see her take a step, you'll dance to see her smile. The first glad words she utters in your memory book you'll savor; But never from the countless charming tricks she'll learn to do Shall you be so entraptured as when first she kisses you.

Through many a patient month you'll

wait this precious joy to seek. But unreturned shall be that kiss with which you touch her cheek; In vain you'll ask her to bestow that joy which is your due, And wonder when she'll condescend to give a kiss to you.

Then suddenly one happy day when homeward you've returned, You'll find those little laughing lips their loveliest art have learned; And mother, standing at the door, will share your spell of bliss, And you will want to tell the world your baby's learned to kiss.

Kodaks, Brownies and Premo Cameras are all reduced in prices. Secure your Camera for the big Competition which commences on June 28th, and lasts while Earl Haig is on our shores. —TOOTON'S, The Kodak Store, June 20, 71.

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