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WOULD RESTORE MISSISSIPPI RIVER HIGHWAY

President Roosevelt Says Nation Should Deal With Mississippi

LAKES TO GULF WATERWAY Difficulty of Regulating Corporations in Interstate Operations

St. Louis, Oct. 2.—President Roosevelt here declared it the nation's duty to restore the Mississippi river to its proper place as a great artery of commerce, and termed the proposed float channel from the lakes to the Gulf a national necessity. He warned against plans which officials represent as "reckless extravagance or tainted jobbery," but urged a "liberal waterway policy."

TIMBER AREAS ARE RESERVED

Ottawa Officials Arrange for Withholding of Forestry Rights

New Westminster, Oct. 2.—Senator Borch would come under the most serious consideration, but a further examination by members of the government of the treaty with Spain leads them to believe that any tariff concessions granted to France need not necessarily apply also to Spain.

REGINA'S MASONIC TEMPLE

Regina, Oct. 2.—The first meeting of Masons in their new hall was held last night, and a very large number were present.

Denial From Caleb Powers

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 2.—Caleb Powers now in Georgetown jail awaiting his fourth trial for the murder of William Goebel, when told of his indictment by the Franklin county grand jury for subornation of perjury, said the charges in the indictment were false.

MR. KIPLING CAUTIOUS Defers Statement in Regard to Oriental Immigration

Winnipeg, Oct. 2.—Rudyard Kipling, after addressing the Canadian Club this evening left for Calgary and the coast cities. On his arrival, when the semi-official reception was over, he settled down to a quiet chat and had a great many more questions than answers.

FRENCH TREATY TRADE RESULTS Imports From Japan and Other Countries Will Share Benefits

SILK DUTIES TO BE LOWER Several Countries Can Gain Concessions Under Favored Nation Clause

Ottawa, Oct. 2.—The new Franco-Canadian tariff treaty just drafted in Paris will affect also Canada's tariff on imports from Japan and from other countries in the most favored nation clause of Canadian trade treaties.

SMUGGLER CONSCIOUS-SMITH Ottawa, Oct. 2.—The Department of Customs is in receipt of a remittance of \$30 conscience money.

GRAIN RECEIPTS IN MANITOBA Crop Moving Freely—Weather Wet and Unfavorable for Threshing

Winnipeg, Oct. 2.—So far as the crop of the Dominion for the first six months of the current fiscal year, ended September 30, amounted to \$100,000,000, an increase of about \$10,000,000 compared with the same period last year.

Registration in London Ottawa, Oct. 2.—The board of manhood suffrage registration for the coming bye-election in London has been appointed as follows: Judge MacEwan, Judge Elliot, and Magistrate Love and Cowan.

FATAL GUN ACCIDENT Malorytown, Oct. 2.—Kenneth Ferguson, aged three years, was playing with his brother, Alfred, aged five years, about six o'clock yesterday, and got possession of a loaded gun. In some unaccountable manner Kenneth was shot through the head and instantly killed.

FRENCH TARIFF MAY ENTER Ottawa, Oct. 2.—Major Winter, secretary of the Dominion Rifle Association, has received word that France will not object to the proposed extra demand for the enforcement of the pure food law, which will be no display of anything but loyalty and patriotism.

CALGARY BAR MATCH ARTHUR BURNS BEATS CHANDLER of Vancouver, at New Westminster

New Westminster, Oct. 2.—The feature of the day at the exhibition was the Marathon race of 10 miles between Arthur Burns of Calgary, and W. E. Chandler, long distance champion of the Pacific coast. Burns won by about 200 yards in splendid finish.

NEW TRUSTEE FOR STANLEY CUP Ottawa, Oct. 2.—Today P. D. Ross, who has charge of the famous Stanley cup, for which the hockey clubs of Ottawa, Montreal, Winnipeg, Brandon, Kenora and other points have striven for years, formally appointed W. F. Foran as trustee, in place of the late Sheriff Swinburn.

Run of Hard Luck Ottawa, Oct. 2.—The last night of an Ottawa laborer, is un lucky. He was in an Ottawa hospital for some time on the point of death from heart trouble. He left to-night, and there some one stole \$57, his suitcase, clothes and other articles. A few hours later a train struck him at Winchester street, Toronto, and he lies in a hospital there now with a fractured skull.

GASOLINE EXPLOSION Hamilton, Oct. 2.—Through an explosion of gasoline last night in the blacksmith shop owned by William Hutchison the place was entirely destroyed, along with the contents, and Hutchison was severely burned. He was filling a lamp with the stuff when it was exploded by a candle standing near. The firemen were called, but were unable to save the place. The damage is about \$300.

JAPANESE CLAIMS Government Will Await Report From Mr. Scott

Ottawa, Oct. 2.—The cabinet has not passed the claims made for damages done to Japanese property at Vancouver. It was decided before taking definite action to await some further information from Mr. Scott of the immigration department, who is now in the West, but it is practically certain that the claims will be formally passed on Monday or Tuesday next.

HIGHER DUTIES IN AUSTRALIA New Tariff as Proposed Would Much Affect Canadian Trade

Ottawa, Oct. 1.—The new Australian tariff recently introduced in the Commonwealth parliament has been received at the department of trade and commerce. It has not yet passed parliament, and it is, therefore, liable to undergo many changes, as it has previously affected Canadian trade with Australia.

DULUTH BRIDGE DAMAGED Superior, Wis., Oct. 2.—The steamer Hoover and Bacon hit the center pier on the Northern Pacific bridge on the way to Duluth, when the draw was open.

TORONTO WEDDING Toronto, Oct. 2.—A notable wedding took place at St. James' church this afternoon when Lieut. Bertram Wood Davidson, of the King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry, and Miss Gladys May Nordheimer, daughter of Albert Nordheimer, were married by Bishop Dumoulin of Niagara, assisted by Rev. Mr. Welch.

LAWYER'S BILL RAISES QUESTIONS Public Attention Again Attracted to the Case of the Ontario Bank

Toronto, Oct. 2.—The Globe, under the caption of "Casting Suspicion on Justice," calls for an investigation of the bill of particulars in the charge made by Frank Arnold for services on behalf of G. R. E. Cockburn, president of the wrecked Ontario bank. Arnold rendered a bill for \$7,250. Mr. Cockburn refused, and the court ordered a bill of particulars to be filed by him.

DECLARATIONS OF THE LIBERALS Resolutions on Various Subjects at Vancouver Convention

Vancouver, Oct. 2.—The Provincial Liberal convention came to a close this afternoon. Among the resolutions endorsed was one asking for resumption of the Natal act for the exclusion of Orientals, and for the abrogation of any existing treaty which prevented this, and also calling on the provincial government to re-enact the bill if necessary.

ARCHBISHOP'S CONFERENCE Ottawa, Oct. 2.—A conference of the Roman Catholic archbishops of Canada opened this morning, with seven out of the eight in attendance, at the request of the archbishop of Victoria, who is unable to attend on account of illness. Matters relating to the proposed re-enactment of the law on information will be given out.

WARNING TO SHIPPERS Montreal, Oct. 2.—A circular has been issued by the Canadian Freight Association calling attention to the ruling of the board of railway commissioners regarding the description of freight, and authorizing the railway companies to charge a further toll of four per cent of the freight value on attempted fraud if detected.

POPULATION OF KINGSTON Kingston, Ont., Oct. 2.—According to the assessment returns, Kingston's population is now 18,226, an increase of 100 over 1904.

KILLED BY A TRAIN Bowmanville, Oct. 2.—John W. Morrison, an old bus driver, was killed on the railway here yesterday. He got out of the way of one train and was struck by another going in an opposite direction.

AN INSURANCE COMPLAINT Regular Companies Object to "Wild Cats" in Manitoba

Winnipeg, Oct. 2.—Insurance companies of the city are protesting against the manner in which it is claimed a number of "wild cat" companies are doing business in the city and province, when they have no standing. They maintain that there are companies with head offices in foreign countries, but which have no officers here or authority for doing business under the provincial government. The insurance act provides for certain regulations, being enforced, against such companies, and members of the board of fire underwriters for Manitoba and the Northwest want the act interpreted to see what will be done. The standard companies admit that these "wild cat" companies are plenty good enough unless there is fire, but in that case with a claim of \$3,000 they may be compelled to be satisfied with \$1,000.

SECRETARY TAFT LEAVING JAPAN Had Private Audience With and Was Entertained by Emperor

Tokio, Oct. 2.—William H. Taft, African Secretary of War, officially bade farewell to Japan this afternoon, and left the brilliantly decorated Shinghai railroad station for Kobe amid the firing of an artillery salute and great display of fireworks. Officials of the government, including the heads of the army and navy departments, the staff of the American embassy, and the municipal officers of Tokio assembled on the platform to extend their best wishes for the health and success of the distinguished traveler, during his tour around the world. This afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Taft accompanied only by Brigadier General Edwards, chief of the Bureau of Insular Affairs, and Frederick W. Crozier, Mr. Taft's private secretary, drove to an imperial carriage, escorted by a troop of cavalry, to the Emperor's palace with all the ceremonial attendants for ten minutes.

EXCHANGE KIND REGARDS The Secretary Much Pleased With His Reception by the Japanese

While the private audience was in progress, Mr. Taft was received by the Emperor. Both their Majesties showed great cordiality in their reception of the American Secretary. While no official statement of what transpired at the private audience was given out, the Emperor expressed his friendliness for America and his admiration of President Roosevelt, and Mr. Taft assured him that his sentiments were those of the Dominion of the United States. After the audience Mr. and Mrs. Taft called on the Emperor's cousin, Prince Fushimi, the Emperor's cousin, who visited the United States in 1904, and then returned to the palace. On the arrival here Mr. and Mrs. Taft were ushered into the banquet room, where a luncheon was served. The Emperor and Empress were sitting on one side of the table, with Mr. and Mrs. Taft opposite them. The luncheon was most elaborate, the banquet room being profusely decorated with American and Japanese flags and red, white and blue flowers. The favors were of either exquisitely designed. After the luncheon Mr. and Mrs. Taft bade farewell to their Majesties and members of the Shiba palace staff, headquarters, reaching there at about 3:30 p. m. Count Hayashi, the Foreign Minister, called on Secretary Taft, and had a long conference with him. The Tafts' conference during the drive to the station were preceded and followed by a number of cavalry, who were accompanied to the station by the Japanese Minister of War, Terunosuke Oyama, and other government officials.

MANITOBA GRAIN RECEIPTS Winnipeg, Oct. 2.—The total grain receipts since September 1 amount to 1,375,000 bushels of wheat and 153,000 bushels of other grains.

STRUCK ON IRISH COAST Killrush, Ireland, Oct. 2.—The French steamer Xilia, on its way from Brest to Liverpool, was struck on the Irish coast, and its crew were rescued.

MARLBOROUGH IN OTTAWA Ottawa, Oct. 2.—The Marlboroughs, the famous English cricket team, reached here yesterday, and will play with a Canadian team made up of Ottawa, Toronto, Hamilton and Montreal players.

FLOUR MILLING PROFITS Montreal, Oct. 2.—The annual meeting of the Lake of the Woods Milling Company was held today. The retiring board of directors was re-elected. The annual statement showed a profit of \$75,152 last year.

OLD STEAMER BURNED Midland, Ont., Oct. 2.—The old steamer Metamora or Playfair, of the wrecking fleet here, was burned at Shaganah bay on Sunday night. She struck a rock and after the crew went ashore turned over and caught fire. The bay is north of Farry Sound.