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REDS ARREST DELEGATES TO ZIONIST MEET

Seventy-Five Reported Taken in Russia Charges of Intrigue With Entente and Allegation of Agreement With England - Privileges Declared Abused.

Moscow, May 18.—(Associated Press)—Seventy-five delegates and alternates to the all-Russian Zionist congress, which met here late in April, have been arrested, according to a statement issued by the extraordinary commission. It is asserted the extraordinary secrecy observed regarding the meeting of the congress and the fact that a large proportion of those present were not connected with the Zionist movement, led to the arrests.

GIRL DIED ON ATLANTIC VOYAGE

Halifax, N. S., May 18.—The steamer Havford, of the American Line, Captain Jones, arrived here this morning from Liverpool, completing a ten day passage across the Atlantic. She had forty cabin and 189 steerage passengers to land here and will sail this afternoon for Philadelphia, with forty cabin and 292 steerage. The Havford also brought 600 packages of letters and 100 of parcel post.

HUNGARY TO SIGN BUT APPONYI QUILTS DELEGATION

Budapest, May 18.—(By the Associated Press)—Hungary will sign the peace treaty presented to her by the Allies, it was indicated here today. Count Albert Apponyi, who strongly opposed the acceptance of the treaty, has resigned from the peace delegation.

ARREST IN CONNECTION WITH FRENCH STRIKE

Paris, May 18.—Etienne Leveque, who with M. Monmousseau, radical leader of the French railroad workers' union, and Leon Midol, secretary of the Paris, Lyons and Mediterranean union, is accused of precipitating the general strike in France, was arrested today, charged with a conspiracy against the safety of the state.

SAYS SOLDIER SHOULD BE CANADA'S PREMIER

Winnipeg, May 18.—"Returned soldiers should be in parliament and a returned soldier should be elected premier at the next election to look after the interests of the returned men," said J. Harry Flynn, first vice-president and dominion organizer of the Grand Army of United Veterans, here yesterday.

BODY IN RIVER PROVES THAT OF MARTH MOON

Had Disappeared a Few Days Before Date of Wedding. Saskatoon, Sask., May 18.—With identification of the body of a young woman taken from the North Saskatchewan River on law, Wednesday, light has been shed on the mysterious disappearance of Miss Martha Moon, of Edmonton, three days before the date set for her wedding, made by parents of the young woman.

HAVE NO HOPE FOR THE LIFE OF J. A. EDWARDS

Phone Message to Relatives in Fredericton. Fredericton, May 18.—A telephone message from R. H. Edwards of Halifax to relatives here early this morning was that there now was no hope for the recovery of John A. Edwards, formerly of this city, who is seriously ill in Halifax. He had a relapse during the night.

MEMORIAL AND SUBURBAN RATES Matters Taken Up at Hampton Meeting - Suburbanites May Organize.

An adjourned meeting of citizens of Hampton to discuss the erection of a memorial to the memory of the lads from the parish who made the supreme sacrifice in the war, was held last evening. A committee appointed at a previous meeting recommended the extension of the school grounds for the purpose of a memorial athletic field; a tablet also to be erected bearing the names of the men in whose memory the field was created. The erection of a public hall in connection with the grounds was also recommended.

FOR PRISONERS.

New York, May 17.—Arrangements have been made between Canadian and American prison reform societies whereby citizens of either country deported after serving prison sentences will not be dumped across the border without provision being made for them, it was announced here today at the conference of the National Committee of Prison Labor.

MEXICAN POLITICS

Washington, May 17.—Pablo Gonzalez' withdrawal from the contest for the presidency of Mexico reported to the state department today was regarded here as the best indication that leaders of the De Facto government desire to eliminate the danger arising from political rivalry.

Alfonso's Birthday.

Madrid, May 18.—King Alfonso yesterday appeared at a window of the palace in response to the acclamations of the populace on the occasion of his birthday. He expressed his thanks to his subjects for their greetings.

FINANCIAL POSITION OF CANADA SET OUT TODAY IN BUDGET SPEECH

DEBT INCREASED DURING THE YEAR BY \$395,000,000 As Hiram Sees It

(Canadian Press Despatch). Ottawa, May 18.—Sir Henry Drayton, minister of finance, presented his first budget to the house today. Prior to stating his taxation proposals, Sir Henry gave an extensive review of the financial and economic position of the dominion. Conditions obtaining not only in Canada, but all over the world, he said, were very different from the conditions which prevailed while the war was in progress.

VERY NARROW SQUEAK FOR GOVERNMENT

(Special to Times). Ottawa, May 18.—Gossip is rife about the parliament buildings this morning because of the near squeak the government had last night from being defeated on an important motion. The cries of "resign" and "skeleton" with which the opposition greeted the result of the vote on the amendment calling for all correspondence with regard to the appointment of a minister plenipotentiary would flow itself to get in such a situation is evidently moribund and dying on its feet.

BOOTLEGGERS THE NORTH SHORE TAKEN

(Special to Times). Fredericton, May 18.—Chief Inspector W. S. Fielding yesterday was informed by telephone by Sub-Inspector Dickenson of Northumberland county that he had arrested one of the most noted bootleggers of the Chatham and that the man now is out on \$1,600 bail.

WEATHER REPORT

Synopsis—Pressure is still low in the western provinces and highest over the middle Atlantic states and in Newfoundland. A few light scattered showers have occurred in the western provinces; also in the Lake Superior district and in the peninsula of Ontario. Otherwise the weather in Canada has been fine, and for the most part moderately warm.

Trade With Britain. There had been an "extraordinary increase" in the imports from the United Kingdom. For October they were \$8,855,848; for March they stood at \$25,855,886—the latter figure constituting a record. Total imports from the United Kingdom for the fiscal year were \$126,274,000, or fifty-three millions greater than in 1919 and very nearly, as expressed in dollars, equaling the pre-war trade with the mother country.

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SPAIN'S CHIEF TOREADOR KILLED

Galleto Had Slain 1,480 Bulls and Had Amassed Fortune. Madrid, May 18.—Madrid is mourning because her favorite toreador, Galleto, was killed by a bull on Sunday night while attempting to save a fellow toreador.

LOCAL NEWS

FLAG POLES UP. The civic flag poles in the squares and other public places have been planted and were in place this morning, when flags were flown in honor of Loyalist Day.

DEATH OF ROBERT ROSS. The death of Robert Ross of 105 Chesney street occurred this morning at the age of seventy years, after a prolonged illness. He is survived by three sons, Roy, Kenneth and Walter, all of St. John. The funeral will be held on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from his late residence.

FOUR PASSED EXAMS. Four journeymen electricians passed their examinations before the board of examiners at City Hall this morning. The successful candidates were Charles Hyson, Carrol L. May, E. P. Carr and Allan B. McKinney. Four others were granted licenses on their five years' experience in the business.

BURIED TODAY. The funeral of Mrs. R. S. Lacey was held this afternoon from her late residence, 222 King street east. Service was conducted by Rev. Mr. McKay of St. David's church and interment was in Fernhill.

P. E. I. FINANCES

Estimate of \$740,000 Expenditure and \$20,000 More Revenue - New Taxes. (Canadian Press) Charlottetown, P. E. I., May 18.—Premier Bell in delivering his budget speech in the legislature on Monday night estimated expenditure at about \$740,000 and revenue at about \$720,000 more. Last year the actual expenditure was \$739,000 but revenue was only \$806,000. In order to provide for the big shortage in revenue it was necessary to levy additional taxes.

WEST INDIES AND ST. JOHN

According to an announcement at the board of trade this morning, the Canadian Government Merchant Marine has advised the board that it will be impossible to provide a monthly summer service between St. John and Jamaica as the actual expenditure was \$739,000 but revenue was only \$806,000. In order to provide for the big shortage in revenue it was necessary to levy additional taxes.

TRAINED SOCIAL WORKERS

Montreal, May 17.—With a new department connected with the University of Montreal to meet the need for scientifically trained social workers showed the first fruits of the initiative of two years ago when last night at the Academy Bourget, for the first time in Canada, university diplomas were awarded to students who have followed the course. The occasion was the closing exercises of the Loyola School of Sociology and Social Service when diplomas were given to six young ladies.

LEFT MORNING TRAIN. WOMAN IN NOVA SCOTIA BADLY HURT

Truro, N. S., May 18.—Mrs. Richard Parker, of Shubenacadie, while alighting from a train today before it reached the station, was thrown from the car steps and badly injured.

POPE RECEIVES SOME 20,000 FRENCH PILGRIMS

Rejoice at Canonization of Joan of Arc. Cardinal Begin Among Those Present - Pontiff Singles Out General Castlenau for Particular Notice.

Rome, May 18.—Cardinal Begin of Quebec was among the high dignitaries of the Catholic church in attendance yesterday when the French pilgrims who came to Rome for the canonization of Joan of Arc were received by Pope Benedict in St. Peter's. It had been planned to hold the reception in the Vatican, but no hall in that edifice was large enough to accommodate the throng which numbered approximately 20,000.

Among the other cardinals who attended the ceremony were Mgrs. Ametis of Paris, Laurent Rieunier, Dubois of Rouen, Andrea of Bordeaux, and Naurais of Lyons. There were, in addition, French archbishops, bishops, senators and deputies, all of whom were greeted with special deference by the Pontiff, who singled out Gen. Castlenau for particular notice.

Monsignor Touchet, Bishop of Orleans, thanked the Pope for the canonization in the name of the entire French nation, the Pontiff answering this address. "Pope Pius X," he said, "decreed the canonization of Joan of Arc. I am glad the Almighty allowed me to sanctify her, but I regret this honor was not reserved to Pope Pius X." The Pontiff ended by invoking the benediction of France, especially her senators, deputies and civil authorities.

PUBLISHERS FORM LEAGUE TO SAVE ON WHITE PAPER

Said Many Old Dailies May Have to Suspend Unless Conditions Improve. Washington, May 18.—Representatives of more than 100 newspaper meeting here yesterday formed the United States Publishers Newspaper Conservation League.

RECALLS DAYS OF COLONIAL WARFARE

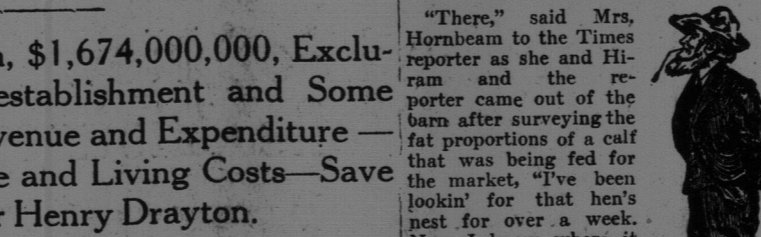
Glenfalls, N. Y., May 18.—With military honors, an historic page being the remains of Major Duncan Campbell, Laird of Inverawe, Scotland, who died in Fort Edward, July 17, 1758, of wounds received in Abercrombie's futile attack upon Montcalm's entrenchments at Ticonderoga on July 8, 1758, will be moved on memorial day from the Union cemetery near Hudson Falls to a plot in the same cemetery where is buried the body of Jane McCrea, who was scalped by the Indians in 1777, and whose name has been passed down through history, thus linking two of the most famous and romantic stories of colonial warfare.

FRANCE COMES BACK; REVENUE IS INCREASING

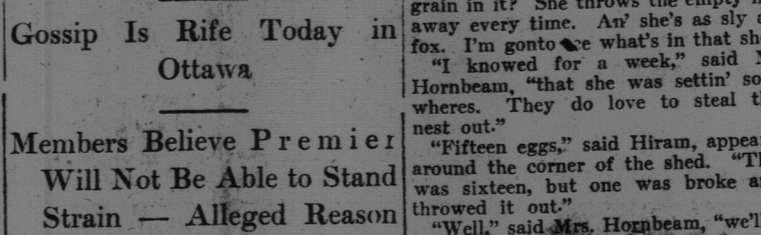
Paris, May 18.—Increases in French revenue from indirect taxation and estate monopolies are again shown for April. The total amount received from these sources during the month was 1,057,180,000 francs, or 59 per cent in excess of the corresponding figure for April, 1914.

GIVEN SWORDS.

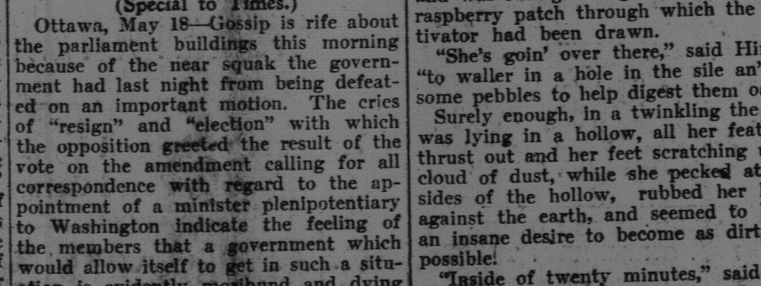
London, May 17.—With full civic ceremonial Admiral Jellicoe and Viscount French today received swords of honor and the freedom of the city of London. The Duke of Connaught and Marshal Haig attended. Admiral Jellicoe, returning thanks, paid a great tribute to the dominions' naval services. Their splendid gallantry, sacrifice and endurance had made the British mercantile marine famous throughout history, he said.



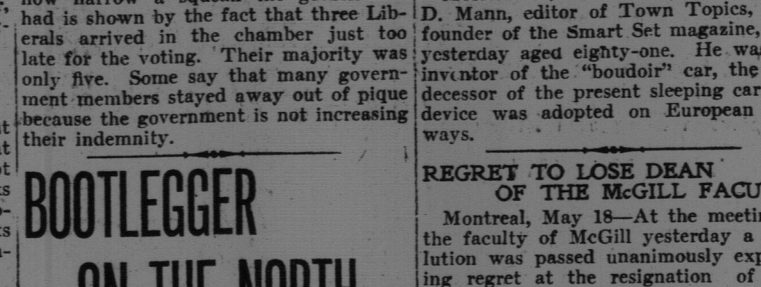
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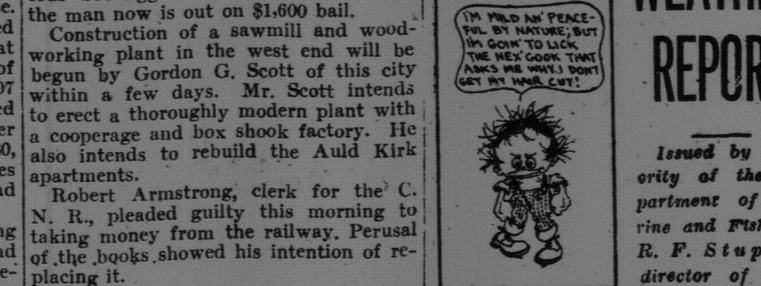
Members Believe Premier Will Not Be Able to Stand Strain - Alleged Reason of Absence of Some Government M. P.'s.



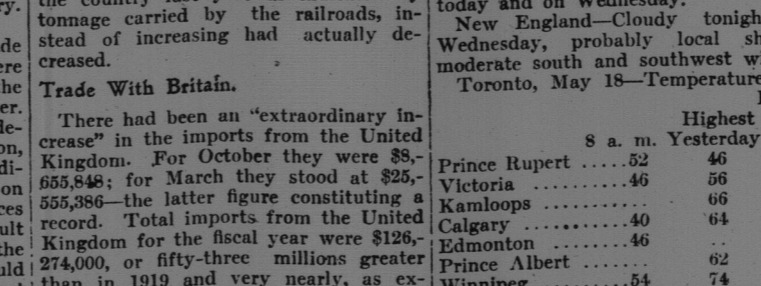
Very narrow squeak for government



Bootleggers the North Shore taken



Weather Report



Trained social workers



Woman in Nova Scotia badly hurt