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PRINCE IS GIVEN ROUSING WELCOME HOME

RETURNS TODAY AFTER 25,000 MILE JOURNEY

Thousands of Spectators Meet Him at Victoria

KISSES MOTHER Affectionate Scene in London Station—Greetings From Admiralty Sent

LONDON, Oct. 16—London gave the Prince of Wales the most affectionate welcome of all his homecomings this afternoon, when he returned from his tour of South Africa and South America. He was greeted at the Victoria Station by the King and Queen, other members of the Royal Family, and thousands of spectators.

KISSES MOTHER After shaking hands with the King, the heir apparent bent low over the Queen's hand. Then, dropping all formal salutations, he placed an arm about his mother, and kissed her affectionately on both cheeks.

ADMIRALTY WELCOME LONDON, Oct. 16—The admiralty today sent the following message to the Prince of Wales, aboard the Resolute: "On behalf of the Royal Navy, which is proud to have entrusted with Your Royal Highness's safety and comfort on your many sea voyages, we beg to offer you the most cordial welcome home on the conclusion of your long journey. We also beg to congratulate you on the great success of your tour, which realized the expectations of the nation in the most amicable manner of strengthening the links binding together and by confirming and intensifying our old and valued South American friendships."

PICTURESQUE SCENE Victoria Station was elaborately decorated with flags, and gay bunting, then ever before in its history, and the picturesque Welsh Guards were drawn up at attention to greet the prince, who is their colonel. In spite of the fact that the general public was excluded from the great station it was crowded, and a train service in that section, where the prince's special train arrived, was held up for a considerable time.

Committed For Trial; Shortages Are Paid

HALIFAX, N. S., Oct. 16—Clifford G. Murphy, former accountant at the Nova Scotia government sanatorium at Kentville, N. S., was committed for trial this morning on a charge of theft arising out of alleged shortages discovered in his department. His committal took place in Kentville this morning, but he was released on bail, fixed at \$6,000, in the supreme court chambers here this morning, by Mr. Justice Mellich.

Report of Death of Queen Mother Denied

LONDON, Oct. 16—A rumor that Queen Mother Alexandra was dead, emanating from an unknown source, was persistently spread throughout London early this afternoon, causing considerable commotion, until it was finally squelched by official denial from Sandringham Castle, where the aged widow of Edward VII. makes her home.

Resumes Work And Leg Is Broken

George Gullfoll, 22 Moore street, suffered a broken leg this morning when he was struck by a sling loaded with lumber while working on board the steamer Yagel Maru at Long Wharf. He was taken to the General Public Hospital in the ambulance. He had been at work only about a week following an accident to his foot some time ago.

Security Conference Adopts Last of European Arbitration Treaties

MORE WORKERS, LESS COAL MINED

Imperial Oil Co. Has Bought Courtenay Bay Plant, So Report Says; \$150,000 Mentioned

A report was current this morning that the Imperial Oil Company had bought the Courtenay Bay plant, which is situated on the coast of the Gulf of St. Lawrence. The report was that the Imperial Oil Co. had paid Mr. McAvity about \$150,000 for his holdings and that the Canadian Independent Oil Co. would continue to operate as a separate unit, selling their brands of gasoline and motor oil and operating the service stations they now maintain.

Chance Seen For Developing Maritimes' Fish Industry

OTTAWA, Oct. 15—I traveled from Montreal to Ottawa this morning with Arthur Boutillier of Halifax, president, and J. T. O'Connor of Montreal, vice-president, of the Canadian Fisheries Association. Naturally the talk turned on fish. Mr. Boutillier said that foreigners are taking, and that our waters off the Atlantic coast than our own fishermen are taking, and that there is unlimited opportunity to develop the industry if Canadians could be prevailed on to eat more sea food. There has been in recent years, he said, a great improvement in methods of taking and handling fish. Mr. O'Connor observed that fine fat haddock from Digby and Yarmouth in some cases deteriorated quickly, and he asked the cause. Mr. Boutillier replied that these were doubtless fish which remained many hours in the boats before being cleaned and iced. Here is a hint for the fishermen. They should bear in mind that somebody is to eat the fish they catch, and that every precaution should be taken to have them cleaned and iced as quickly as possible; for this means a better market.

THE Maritime Provinces could have no more enthusiastic admirer than Mr. O'Connor. "When I saw your beautiful country and realized its possibilities, and learned of the difficulties of your situation," he said, "I declared that if I were a native of the Maritimes I would be demanding a change in conditions, even as your people are now doing." Mr. O'Connor was especially charmed with Digby and the Annapolis Valley. I learned today that there is a relation between the fisheries and American ports. T. H. Johnston of Prince Rupert, a vice-president of the Canadian Fisheries Association, told me they make large shipments of frozen fish through New York for world markets because they cannot get a Canadian service. Sometimes they cannot get as much refrigerator space as they need, or the Canadian sailing date is too late to serve their need.

ALLEGED LIQUOR IN MADAWASKA SEIZED

Inspector Saunders Returns to Capital After Series of Confiscations.

SPECIAL TO THE TIMES-STAR FREDERICTON, Oct. 16—Liquor Inspector Fraser Saunders returned here last night after devoting attention to Madawaska County where searches and seizures were made at St. Leonard's, Green River and Edmundston. Liquor Inspector Allan McLaughlin was with him. As a result of the seizures a number of cases will come before Magistrate Michael of Edmundston on Tuesday. Alcohol and liquor seized is said to have been smuggled from St. Pierre-Miquelon, the ale was from Quebec breweries. From Joseph Tetu conducting a hotel in Edmundston 109 gallons of alcohol was seized; from Fred Devlin at Green River 10 gallons of alcohol and an automobile; from Joseph Mercure, a bag containing ale; from Arthur Plourde, four bottles of ale; from Frank Goudreau one bottle of ale; from Laura Parent of St. Leonard's, three gallons of alcohol; from John Cyr, two bottles of ale; from George Ringette, one barrel of ale and two boxes of liquor. Fred Cole sold alleged liquor to an inspector.

TWO REFUSE OFFER

Liberal-Protectionist Only Candidate in Field in Sherbrooke County.

SHERBROOKE, Que., Oct. 16—So far F. N. McCrea, who has announced his candidature as an Independent Liberal-Protectionist, is the only candidate in the field in Sherbrooke County. This morning Dr. W. W. Lynch officially declined the nomination unanimously tendered him by the Conservative convention on Wednesday night, while Charles B. Howard, chosen at the official Liberal convention a short time ago, has also refused nomination.

SAINT JOHN DOES LIKE BASEBALL!

THIS picture was taken in Canterbury street in front of The Times-Star and Telegraph-Journal building while the exciting last day battle for the world championship in baseball was being contested on Thursday. It shows a section of the great crowd assembled to hear The Times-Star megaphone a play-by-play account of the game as it came over the wires direct into this office. Comments heard in the throng of eager fans were highly complimentary to this newspaper for the service given in this way throughout the series.

SEVEN MEN EMPLOYED TO DO THE WORK OF SIX

Under Secretary Says Individual Production Must Be Increased

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TABLES TURNED ON MUSSOLINI BY JOURNALIST

United Press. LOCARNO, Switzerland, Oct. 16—Peace, the ideal of the Security Conference is not always reflected in the reports of delegates and correspondents at Locarno. Premier Mussolini of Italy approached the correspondent of the London Herald, a labor daily. "How's Communism?" the Premier asked. "I don't know—I'm not a Communist," replied the reporter. "Then I'm mistaken," said Mussolini. A correspondent of a Rolland paper overheard the conversation. "You are often mistaken," he contributed as Mussolini abruptly walked away.

SAINT JOHN LAWYER IN MONCTON HEARING

H. A. Powell, K. C. Represents Tramways Co. in Appeal For Bus Permission.

SEEK ENTRY TO U. S.

6,000 Mexican Laborers Said to be Trying to Cross to Texas.

MEXICO CITY, Oct. 16—An army of Mexican laborers is endeavoring to enter the United States, according to the Graphico. The paper estimates that about 6,000 are seeking to cross the border. Texas is the goal of most of the laborers. They hope to work on the Rio Bravo dams.

RUHR IS CLEARED

Last French Detachment, Left to Protect Shipping Body, Departs.

TWO KILLED, 3 BADLY HURT, 21 BRUISED AS TRUCK HITS COW

WATERLOO, Que., Oct. 16—The death list in the automobile accident near Waterloo last night was increased to three after noon today, when M. Desautel succumbed to injuries. WATERLOO, Que., Oct. 16—Two members of the party killed outright, another not expected to recover, two more seriously injured, but with chances of life, and 21 others more or less badly hurt, was the toll exacted when a motor truck, bearing 26 young men to this place from Granby, where they had been to attend a political meeting, struck a cow near St. Xavier's Corner, shortly after midnight last night. The dead are: Jules Gagne, 21, of Waterloo, who died from ribs penetrating his lung; and Adolard Garley, aged 24 years, fractured skull and internal hemorrhage. It is expected that M. Duffault, who was very seriously injured, will not recover, while J. Levesque, and Amor Fortin, both of this place, were both dangerously hurt. It is feared that the former has a fractured skull, while the latter is suffering from a broken arm and other minor injuries. Cuts, bruises and severe shaking up, were experienced by the other occupants of the truck.

P. Q. MINISTER FOR HIGHER TARIFF

Carron Tells of Appeal Made to Ottawa to Protect Farmers.

BANDIT'S BODIES ARE EXPOSED IN DAMASCUS

BEIRUT, Syria, Oct. 16—The bodies of 24 bandits killed by French troops in the course of a "cleaning up" operation in the vicinity of Damascus, have been taken into that city and exposed in the public squares as a warning to others. One hundred bandits were killed in this operation.

GREEN RE-ELECTED

A. F. of L. Officers Are Returned by Acclamation—Oppose Soviet Recognition.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Oct. 16—The American Federation of Labor last night re-elected President William Green, and his associate officers by acclamation; chose Detroit as next year's convention city; declared against formation of an independent labor party, and opposed recognition of the Russian Soviet by the United States. Many other resolutions also were adopted, but the convention was unable to clear its calendar and another session will be held today.

LEX, STARTING AT 100 TO 12, WINS MIDDLE PARK STAKES AT NEWMARKET.

NEWMARKET, Eng., Oct. 16—Sir Abe Bailey's Lex, by Lemberg-Excellita, this afternoon, won the Middle Park Stakes by a neck from Lord Woolavington's Coronach, the odds on favorite, at 1 to 7 with Lord Glendole's Tenacity third, a length and a half behind Coronach. Lex started at 100 to 12 against, and Tenacity at 100 to 7 against. Only the three ran out of the 150 two year olds nominated last November.

QUEBEC TASTES LED AWAY FROM HARD LIQUORS

QUEBEC, Oct. 16—Though the Quebec Liquor Commission report for the year 1924-25 has not yet been given out publicly, Premier Taschereau, commenting on it, said the figures would show another move of the population of the province towards wines in preference to hard liquor. As far as can be ascertained, the report of the commission will show sales amounting to slightly over \$21,000,000, with profits of over \$4,000,000.

DARROW TO DEFEND ACCUSED NEGROES

CHICAGO, Oct. 16—Clarence Darrow has undertaken the defence of Dr. Ossian H. Sweet and 10 other negroes now jailed in Detroit on a charge of murder. The men were arrested following a riot in the vicinity of Sweet's home on September 9, when Leon Becher, a bystander, was killed and another man wounded. Darrow won attention for his brilliant defense of Richard Loeb and Nathan Leopold, millionaire killers, whom Darrow saved from the noose. Last summer he defended John T. Scopes, Tennessee school teacher, charged with teaching evolution.

CHAMPION WINS

Miles Defeats Jimmie Hawboldt in Five Mile Run at Antigonish.

PARENT OPPOSED

QUEBEC, Que., Oct. 16—Charles Ratie has been chosen Conservative candidate in Quebec West to oppose Georges Parent, Liberal. There is no opposition as yet in Quebec East to Hon. Ernest Lapointe.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Oct. 16—Sterling exchange irregular. Great Britain 48 3/4; France 44 1/2; Italy 40 1/2; Germany 23.80. Canadian dollar 1/4 of 1 per cent premium.

Man Thought Dead and Buried Arrested Charged With Murder, Wife Loses Insurance Money

NEW YORK, Oct. 16—For some months a board headpiece bearing the inscription: Frederick H. Turner, died January 15, 1925, has marked a mound in a hillside graveyard in the Kentucky mining county of Pike. Yesterday this same Frederick Turner stepped off a ship from Germany to face charges of murdering the man buried in the hillside as himself, and to tell his wife of the end of her life of ease, lived on the fifty thousand dollars secured from the insurance company. Turner had been in Hamburg, Germany, during the time he had been thought dead, and buried. He was arrested as he landed and taken to police headquarters for a grilling. He charged that his father-in-law, Joe Jacks, deliberately set off the explosion in the Auburn mine, which killed two men, one of whom was buried as Turner. Then, he continued, Jacks forced him at the point of a gun, to leave the country so that the insurance money might be collected. Nine months of near starvation in Germany, induced Turner to write home, thus putting the police on his track and finally to come back and give himself up. In his story, the miner accused his wife from complicity in the affair, but named various relatives who are sought.

FINAL MOVE FOR LASTING PEACE IN EUROPE MADE

Concluding Session Is Scheduled For Tonight

BRITON HONORED

Austen Chamberlain, 62 Years Old Today, Is Senescent In Locarno

CHAMBERLAIN'S BIRTHDAY

The British foreign secretary Right Hon. Austen Chamberlain, was 62 years old today, and in celebration of the occasion, the Locarno town band staged a serenading concert under his hotel balcony, while a little girl in the national Swiss costume, presented a basket of flowers to Mrs. Chamberlain. General manifestations of rejoicing over the outcome of the conference, have already begun in Locarno. A great crowd was gathered about the conference hall this morning, hoping to catch glimpses of the leading statesmen, especially Premier Mussolini, who arrived only yesterday.

STANLEY COMPANY MAKES ASSIGNMENT

J. G. Douglas & Co. Have \$19,459 Assets and \$24,718 Liabilities.

THE WEATHER

SYNOPSIS—High pressure has come into the western provinces from the northward, with colder weather and strong indications that a storm now developing over the Southwestern States will move to the Great Lakes. From Ontario eastward, the weather is fair and moderately warm.

FORECASTS

Table with columns for location, time, and weather forecast. Includes entries for Victoria, Calgary, Edmonton, Winnipeg, Toronto, Montreal, Saint John, Halifax, and New York.