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## RETAIL MERCHANTS INTERVIEWED SIR HENRY DRAYTON

**And Protest Against the Collection of the Luxury Tax Being Left to the Retailers.**

Ottawa, June 1.—"The burden of collecting the discriminatory and confusing luxury tax, which they consider 'ill-advised, poorly conceived, and poorly devised,' was asked to be removed from their shoulders by the retail merchants of Canada, at a special interview with Sir Henry Drayton, Minister of Finance, in the Chateau Laurier this morning, at which some 200 retailers from all over Canada were present.

Instead of making the retail merchants collect the tax, they asked that it be collected at the source of supply, namely from the manufacturer and importer, and absorbed in the same manner that all systems of taxation are absorbed. Full sympathy and co-operation with the government was expressed by the retailers, through Mr. Henry Watters, Ottawa, who acted as chairman of the meeting.

"One of the most striking statements in Sir Henry's reply was:

"In the interest of everybody, the government desires to check extravagance and pull down the cost of living. Perhaps we are already getting our faces towards lower prices. The government wants to encourage efficiency in business. But we are not going to borrow money."

The Finance Minister was received with loud cheers.

He said that he did not deserve the thanks which Mr. Watters had extended to him. "I have not been getting thanks lately," he said, "but curses. After all, he was only a glorified choreboy, who was their servant."

## ENGLISH CRICKET TEAM WILL TOUR STATES

New York, May 31.—Not having had a visit from a foreign cricket team since 1913, when Australian as well as English cricketers came to this country, American cricketers are looking forward with keen zest to the forthcoming trip of a company of players to be sent over by the English Cricket club of England, famous for its many tours of distant climes and membership in which is restricted to university and public school men. Such a visit was planned last year, but had to be abandoned in consequence of difficulties attending the procurement of passports. That obstruction does not exist this year and accordingly the Britons are expected here during September.

**Nanaimo Golf Links Ltd.**  
Elected Permanent Directors  
At a statutory meeting of the Nanaimo Golf Links Limited held last night permanent directors were elected as follows: E. H. Bird, J. W. Coburn, N. MacFarlane, Dr. W. H. Drysdale, W. W. Mitchell. The directors were given authority to proceed without delay with laying out the course.

You will have the time of your life at the Red Cross Committee Dance in the Agricultural Hall, Wednesday, June 2nd. You will also be adding a worthy cause. General admission 75c.

## AUCTION SALE

At the Agricultural Building (Annex), TO-DAY, JUNE 2 at 2 p. m.

Under instructions from Mrs. (Major) Binnings.

Buffet, Extension Table, Set Leather Dining, finished in Fumed Oak, Child's Iron Crib, Electric Table Lamp, Bedroom Suite, Bedstead, Dresser, Chairs in fumed finish, Wire and Ostermoor Mattresses, 3-Piece Parlor Suites in mahogany, Library Table (Jacobean, fumed), Upholstered Chairs and Rockers for Library, Large Mantle Mirror, Drop Head Singer Sewing Machine, (like new), Ice Box, Verandah Chairs, Rugs, Carpets, Linoleums, Card Felt Tables, Large Oak Top Hickory Table, Couch and Pad, Set Military Boot-trees, Photograph and Records, Regina McClary Range, Books, Pictures, Oak open China Cabinet, large Oak Book Case worth \$70; tent 10 by 14 with a large fly; 4 volumes History of B.C., cost \$70; 10 volumes Encyclopedia, leather bound, gilt edges, worth \$90; one new Barrel Butter Churn; 4 rolls New Canoe, each 14 ft. by 6 ft., new Jap Square 6 by 12, Oak China Cabinet, Oak Book Case, Dressers and Stands, several Iron Beds, etc. About 100 pieces of Sheet Music.

Goods on view after 12 a. m. Do not miss this extra fine Sale, Agricultural Building. Sale Starts sharp at 2 p. m.

**J. H. GOOD**  
Auctioneer

## PROFITTEERING IN DRY GOODS CHIEF TOPIC AT CONVENTION

San Francisco, June 1.—Profiteering in both wholesale and retail drygoods lines, will be an outstanding theme at the first Pacific Coast Convention of the National Retail Drygoods Association which opens here tomorrow, with a delegation from the British drapers Chamber of Trade in attendance.

Mr. T. M. Hardwick, of London, will address the convention tomorrow on the theme of how England handled the profiteering question.

## WILHELM FANCIES WILL RULE AGAIN

London, June 1.—Rumors of impending revolt are steadily growing in Berlin and indications are that the headquarters of the revolutionary movement are at Potsdam, where Prince August Wilhelm, son of the former Emperor Wilhelm, is staying. He is regarded as the leader of the military party, says a dispatch.

Advices from Doorn declare that Wilhelm Hohenzollern is in high hopes of a successful coup and believes that he will once more become the ruler of the German Empire.

## HAVE COMPLETED PLANS FOR TOUR OF THE ISLAND

Vancouver, June 1.—The wholesale bureau of the Board of Trade, has completed its arrangements for the trip to Vancouver Island. Up to the present 28 members have signed their intention of going. They will visit Victoria, Duncan, Nanaimo, Port Alberni, Parksville and Cumberland, and will leave Vancouver on the morning of June 11th.

Just some songs at twilight when the lights are low, Friday evening, St. Andrew's Church at 8.15 p.m. Also Mr. Andrew Dunsmore's organ recital numbers. Also a very social social afterward. The Women's Association cordially invite you. Admission to concert and social 50 cents.

**EMPIRE DAY CELEBRATION**  
A meeting of the General Committee of the 24th of May Celebration will be held in the Board of Trade room, on Friday, at 7.30 p.m. for the purpose of receiving the financial statement and of winding up the business of the celebration.  
A. T. NEEN, Secy.

## LIBERALS EXPECT ELECTION SOON

Vancouver, June 1.—In anticipation of a general election in Canada before Spring of next year, the National Liberal Council of fifty-four, the governing body of the national Liberal Party, has been summoned to meet in Ottawa on June 8, 9 and 10 in the rooms of Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, the Liberal Leader.

This announcement has been made by Charles E. Campbell, who is the executive secretary for the British Columbia representatives, who will leave on Thursday for Ottawa. The Council, with a membership of fifty-four, includes the eight Provincial Liberal Premiers and Hartley Dewart, the Leader of the Liberal Opposition in the Ontario Legislature.

Premier Oliver will be unable to attend the Ottawa convention, but it is expected that three or four representatives from this Province will attend.

Dr. Wilks will give a very helpful and interesting lecture for women only in Oddfellows' Hall on Wednesday next, 8 p.m. under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. All women urged to come. Collection for expenses taken. 40-24

## DOMINION TODAY

**Enid Bennett**

in  
"The Woman in the Suitcase"  
A Paramount-Artcraft Picture.

## PEARL WHITE

in  
"THE BLACK SECRET"  
2nd Episode

SNUB POLLARD COMEDY.

## VOTERS' LIST WILL CLOSE JULY 15

All Previous Lists Have Been Cancelled and Would be Voters Must See to it That They are Registered Without Delay.

Victoria, June 1.—At a meeting of the Oliver Cabinet this morning it was decided to close the new provincial voters' list on July 15 next. The Court of Revision will be held six weeks afterwards, according to the provisions of the Act passed at the recent session of the Legislature.

In making this announcement this morning the Hon. J. W. de B. Farris, Attorney-General and Minister of Labor, emphasized the fact that all previous lists used in provincial elections were automatically cancelled by the new statute. In other words, only those persons whose names appear on the lists now about to be compiled will be permitted to exercise the franchise when the forthcoming referendum on prohibition is submitted to the people of the Province. Inclusion in a former list and absence from the new one will be of no avail to the qualified voters.

Registration already has commenced in different parts of the Province and those eligible are urged to take opportunity to get on the new list.

## NEWSPRINT PRICES STILL SOARING

Announcement is Made of Big Advances in the Price of Paper for Export to Come Into Effect During the Last Two Quarters of This Year.

Montreal, June 1.—The Canadian Export Paper Company today announced the export prices of newsprint paper for the third and fourth quarters of the current year. The new prices as fixed, showing very large advances over the prices previously prevailing for their export business.

For the third quarter of 1920, which commences on July 1 the new price will be 5 1/2 cents a pound at the mill, which is equivalent to \$110 a ton. For the fourth quarter of 1920, which commences on October 1st next, the new price will be 6 1/2 cents a pound at the mill, which is equivalent to \$130 a ton.

The Canadian Export Paper Co. controls approximately 25,000,000 pounds per annum of the export paper output of five of the leading Canadian newsprint producers.

## ASK FOR CONVENING OF SPECIAL TRADES CONGRESS

London, June 1.—Meeting today the "Triple Alliance" made up of railwaymen, miners, and transportation workers, passed a resolution which was referred to the Laborite parliamentary committee, urgently requesting the convening of a special Trades Union Congress to decide what the attitude of Labor shall be toward production and the handling of munitions destined for Ireland and Poland.

## JOHN HAMILTON DIED AT NOON YESTERDAY

The death occurred at noon yesterday at the family residence, 165 Irwin street of John Hamilton, a native of Scotland, aged 78 years. The deceased who had resided in Nanaimo for the past sixteen years is survived by one son, John, of Nanaimo, and three brothers, one of whom, William Hamilton, resides in this City. Mr. A. S. Hamilton formerly of Nanaimo, is a cousin of the deceased.

The funeral will be private and will take place from Mr. Jenkin's undertaking parlors on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The Rev. W. Vance officiating.

## THE KING'S BIRTHDAY

Thursday, June 3rd, the anniversary of the King's Birthday, being a Public Holiday, there will be only one delivery of mail in the City, namely at 8 o'clock in the morning. For the convenience of the general public, the wicket at the Post Office will be open between the hours of 1 and 2 o'clock, P. M.

The Provincial Government offices will be closed all day on Thursday, the anniversary of the King's Birthday.

## EDMONTON REFUSES TO VOTE MONEY BY-LAWS

Edmonton, June 1.—For the second time within two months, Edmonton burgesses have turned down the money by-laws for a total expenditure of a million and a half dollars to provide power house additions, additions to the telephone system, a concrete grandstand in the exhibition grounds, and other public works. Voting was decisively adverse in all cases.

## LIBERALS' VIEW OF THE BUDGET PROPOSALS

**Hon. Mackenzie King Declares It Has Been Framed for the Purpose of Protecting the Profiteer and Not the People—He Makes Startling Charges About the Government's War Expenditures**

Ottawa, June 1.—(Can. Press.)—The attitude of the Liberal opposition toward the Budget, was voiced by its leader in the House this afternoon.

The Budget, declared the Hon. Mackenzie King, in the course of a three-hour speech, is a Budget to protect the profiteer. It is not a Budget to protect the people of Canada. It showed, he said, that the Government had no policy for dealing with the high cost of living, for instead of reducing the cost of living the Government was really making it more difficult for the people to live.

Mr. King spoke for three hours, and declared that the Government should resign. It had been elected for the term of the war, and should give place to an administration competent to frame a sound peace policy. It had acquired the war habit of mind, which resulted in autocratic rule, and extravagant expenditures. The expenditures of the last fiscal year had added nearly \$400,000,000 to the debt of Canada, or at a rate of over \$1,000,000 a day. One item of expenditure of \$121,000,000, made by the Government during the war, was unaccounted for, and the Auditor-General had been unable to find where the money had gone. The proposals made in the Budget would only encourage the manufacture of shoddy goods.

The vote on the Budget in the Dominion House at Ottawa, was expected to take place early this morning, too late for the result to be made known.

## MINE INSPECTOR'S DEATH ACCIDENTAL

Fernie, June 1.—A verdict of accidental death was returned today by the jury inquiring into the death of William Lancaster, Mine Inspector, who was killed on Saturday. The evidence showed that the deceased had never driven an auto before that day, and his loss of control and inexperience in proper handling of the car were stated to be factors in the accident, as the point where the fatality occurred was not extraordinarily dangerous.

75c General admission to the War Memorial Dance in the Agricultural Hall on Wednesday, June 2nd, includes refreshments, a wonderful time dancing to the strains of Jensen's 5-Piece Orchestra and it also means helping along a worthy cause.

## CRAIG-POWELL

Mr. Walter E. Craig, son of Mr. William Craig, Milton Street, this City, was united in marriage in Christ Church, Vancouver on Monday afternoon by the Rev. W. W. Craig, to Miss Edith Powell of Toronto, the bride being attended by her sister, Miss Ada Powell of Toronto, the groom being supported by Mr. Charles Alexander of Seattle. After spending a week in B. C., visiting Nanaimo, Vancouver and Victoria, Mr. and Mrs. Craig will take up their residence in Seattle.

The groom is a native son of Nanaimo and prior to his enlistment for overseas service was employed on the Free Press. He has a host of friends in the City who will wish himself and his bride many years of happy married life.

Whist Drive and Dance under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary of the G.W.V.A. in the G.W.V.A. Hall Wednesday, June 2nd. Admission 25 cents. Everybody welcome.

The Anniversary Sundae at the Social Gathering after the St. Andrew's Twilight Recital, Friday evening. Its good.

Invitations are out for the wedding of Miss Gladys Latta, of Vancouver, and Mr. William Mainwaring, son of Mr. A. E. Mainwaring, of this City.

## Weather Forecast for Today

Light to moderate winds. Continued fine and warmer.

## DERBY BETTING IS VERY ERRATIC

**Tetratema is Still a Firm Favorite at Short Odds.**

London, June 1.—The eve of the Derby has seldom seen a more erratic book on the great race. The Two Thousand winner Tetratema is indeed a firm favorite at 9 to 4, a price which is unusually short due to a good deal to the uncertainty regarding Mr. Raphael's Allenby. This colt ruled a firm second favorite and even for a time challenged Tetratema in the betting market, after his win early in May, of the Newmarket Stakes in record time.

Just before that race he had been reported to be off in his training, and similar rumors have now sent him out to 8 to 1, with both Sir J. Buchanans Sarchedon and Lord Derbys Archais at a trifle shorter odds. The position however may be changed before the horses are let go to the post at Epsom tomorrow afternoon.

## MACCABEES RALLY HERE ON MONDAY

The Women's Benefit Association of the Maccabees will hold a Home Coming Rally in the Oddfellows' Hall, Nanaimo, on Monday next, the guests of honor on this occasion being Dr. Ella J. Fifield, Supreme Medical Examiner, of Port-Huron, Mich. and Minnie W. Aydelotte, Deputy Supreme Commander, of Oakland, Cal.

The rally program is as follows: Monday, 10 a.m.

Opening music.

Greetings to Supreme Officers.

Lillian P. Hodgson, Supervising Deputy.

Response—Ella J. Fifield, Supreme Medical Examiner; Minnie W. Aydelotte, Deputy Supreme Commander.

Music.

Prayers by the Rev. Mary Jane Carnelly, Commander St. Cecilia No. 14.

Response—Nellie Pettipiece, District Deputy.

Grand March, led by Supreme Officers.

Review Opening—St. Cecilia Review, No. 14.

Order of Business, Balloting, new password.

Music.

Recess.

Luncheon 1 p. m.

Monday, 2.30 p.m.

Regular opening—Cumberland, No. 17.

Degree of Protection, Cumberland No. 17.

Music.

Recess.

Flower Fund March, Victoria, No. 1.

Special Feature Dance, Cumberland Scotch Lasse.

Question Box—Ella J. Fifield, S. M. E., Minnie W. Aydelotte, D.S.C.

Special Feature Drill, Queen Alexandra, No. 4.

Solo—Joan Spowart.

Monday, 8 p. m.

Installation of officers of St. Cecilia, No. 14, by Nellie Pettipiece, D. D. Vancouver, No. 2.

Flag Service and Degree of Fraternity, St. Cecilia No. 14.

Reception of new members.

Reading—Laura Cavalsky.

Flower Fund March.

Regular Closing.

## WILLIAM KAY DIED IN VICTORIA ON FRIDAY

The death occurred in the Jubilee Hospital on Friday last of William Kay, after an illness of upwards of two years. The deceased who was a native of Scotland, aged 66 years, had resided in Nanaimo since 1907, leaving here nearly three years ago to enter the Jubilee Hospital for treatment. Besides his widow who resides in this city, he is survived by two sons, John Kay of Nanaimo and Andrew Kay of Union Bay and one daughter, Mrs. Morganti of Seattle.

The funeral took place in Victoria on Monday from Thompson Undertaking parlors, interment in Ross Bay cemetery.

## D'ANNUNZIO'S PLANS EXCITE THE JUGO-SLAVS

Vienna, June 1.—There is intense excitement in Belgrade over the plans of Gabriele D'Annunzio with regard to Sussak, near Fiume.

According to the South Slav bureau, the Jugo Slav Government is demanding that the Rome Government put a check on D'Annunzio, saying that otherwise the Jugo Slav Government will be compelled to issue the necessary instructions to the South Slav army.

## NURSES DECORATED FOR THEIR HEROISM

Geneva, June 1.—Fifty nurses, representing fifteen countries, have been awarded the Florence Nightingale medal for heroism on the battlefield by the Geneva Red Cross Society.

Six American, eight British and eight French nurses received the decoration dedicated posthumously to Miss Edith Cavell, the British woman who was executed at Brussels by the Germans in 1915.

## EX-PRESIDENT TAFT'S DAUGHTER TO MARRY

New Haven, Conn., June 1.—Mrs. William Howard Taft today announced the engagement of their daughter Helen to Frederick Johnson Manning.

Mr. Manning is an instructor in history in Yale University. He was a member of the class of 1916 in Yale and was until September 1919 a first lieutenant in the field artillery. The marriage will take place in Canada in July.

Don't forget the Red Cross Committee Dance in the Agricultural Hall tomorrow (Wednesday) evening June 2nd in aid of the War Memorial Fund. Jensen's 5-Piece Orchestra. General admission 75c. This includes refreshments.

## NANAIMO CRICKETERS WILL PLAY IN VANCOUVER

The team which will represent Nanaimo in the cricket match against the G. W. V. A. team in Vancouver tomorrow, was selected last night. It is composed of the following: F. Jepson (Capt.), R. R. Hind, March, A. Leighton, A. Paul, A. E. Filmer, J. F. E. Partington, G. Wilton, P. Cowman, D. Waugh, M. Armstrong, D. Wilton.

Mr. A. S. Hamilton and Mrs. Hamilton, of Union Bay, are visiting friends in Victoria, and making the Dominion Hotel their headquarters.

## SHAMROCK IV. GIVEN TRIAL SPIN

Sir Thomas Lipton's Challenger Reached Splendidly in a Stiff Breeze Under Light Canvas.

City Island, N. Y., June 1.—Sir Thomas Lipton's yacht Shamrock IV, challenger for the America Cup, was tried under her own sail today for the first time since being brought to this country in 1914. In a breeze of about 10 knots, the reconstructed green racer was put through her paces on Long Island Sound.

In the aggregate she had about a 20 mile spin. Captain William Burton, who will sail the Shamrock IV in the international series of races that will start off Sandy Hook on June 15, was at the wheel. Also on board were Mrs. Burton, wife of the English skipper, Col. Duncan Neill, Sir Thomas Lipton's yachting representative in America, and Mr. Charles Nicholson, designer of the craft. At the end of the trip they all stated that they were very pleased with the way the yacht stood up in a breeze that was decidedly stronger than the one that carried away the Resolute's mast off New Haven a week ago. As it was her first trip, Captain Burton made no attempt to drive the yacht. She carried only a main sail, a jib and a stay-sail throughout the afternoon. Captain Burton wanted to give the craft time to find herself before he crowded on any additional canvas.

Prorogation of Mock Parliament on Thursday June 3rd, 9 p.m. followed by social time. G. W. V. A. Hall. Informal dress.

## BASEBALL RESULTS

American League—  
New York 4, Washington 7.  
Boston 6-2, Philadelphia 8-7.  
St. Louis-Chicago postponed rain.  
Cleveland 10, Detroit 11.

National League—  
Philadelphia 4, Boston 8.  
Brooklyn 10, New York 9.  
Pittsburg 4, St. Louis 5.  
Chicago 5 Cincinnati 6.

## SUPREME COURT IS DIVIDED ON BOARD COMMERCE ISSUE

It is Now Stated That the Question of the Board's Jurisdiction Over Price Fixing Will be Taken to the Privy Council.

Ottawa, June 1.—(Can. Press.)—The Supreme Court of Canada divided in its opinion today on the jurisdiction of the Board of Commerce of Canada as a profit fixing tribunal. An order, which the Board proposed to issue to retail clothing in Ottawa limiting the profit which any retailer may make on men's suits and overcoats to a net 15 per cent, was upheld by the Chief Justice, Sir Louis Davies, and Justices Anglin and Mignault. Justices Idington, Duff and Brodeur refused to uphold the order.

It is understood that the matter will be taken to the Imperial Privy Council.

The result of the judgment is that the status quo remains unchanged as regards the powers of the Board of Commerce.

Many phases of the Board's activities have remained undeveloped during the past few months pending the ruling of the Supreme Court. The appointment of a permanent Chief Commissioner following the resignation of Judge H.A. Robson from that post last March also has been postponed by the Government for the same reason. The Board has been carrying on under the direction of W. F. O'Connor, with James Murdoch, Labor's representative on the Board as Assistant Commissioner.

A notable quartette of vocalists at St. Andrew's Twilight Recital, Friday evening. Mrs. Drysdale, Mrs. Grayson, Mrs. Muir and Miss Jean Patterson in their best songs. 1-4

## MAKES SERIOUS CHARGE AGAINST U. S. OFFICIAL

Post, Assistant Secretary of Labor, "had a perverted sympathy for the criminal anarchist," Attorney-General Palmer told a House committee today that in dealing with attempts of the Government to rid the country of dangerous aliens Mr. Post had employed a "self-willed and autocratic substitute of his own mistaken personal viewpoint for the obligations of the public law."

Mr. Palmer was testifying before the Rules Committee, which is investigating the official conduct of Mr. Post in deporting proceedings.

## FISH REFRIGERATOR CARS FOR GRAND TRUNK RLY.

Prince Rupert, June 1.—Superintendent Brewer has been advised from Winnipeg that the Grand Trunk Railway has placed an order for thirty fish refrigerator cars, the immediate construction of which is urgently needed.

## Resigns McGill Chancellorship.

Montreal, June 1.—Sir Robert Borden's resignation as Chancellor of McGill University was accepted with deep regret by the Board of Governors, who held a special meeting in offices of Sir Charles Gordon. The causes which led to Sir Robert Borden's resignation are lack of time and ill-health.

A special practice of all officers and guards of the Maccabees, also of all committees in connection with the Rally and balloting on new candidates, will be held on Wednesday afternoon at 2.30.

## BIJOU THEATRE TODAY

**Constance Talmadge**  
in  
**HAPPINESS A LA MODE**

SELECT PICTURES

## Jack Dempsey

In "DAREDEVIL JACK"

FOX NEWS

MUTT & JEFF CARTOONS