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JUNE OR JULY
FOR ELECTION
IN MANITOBA

Meanwhile Norris is to Carry on Business of Province.

lieutenant Governor Opposes Idea of Group Government—Necessary Supply to be Voted and Essential Legislation Arranged.

(Canadian Press)

Winnipeg, March 21.—The Norris government, which resigned on Friday following passage of the Talbot vote of confidence, will remain in office until necessary supply is voted by the legislature and legislation considered essential in the interests of the province is enacted. This course was urged by the lieutenant-governor Sir James Aikins in a long statement which was raised by Premier Norris at a session of the house last night and was approved by the members of the Independent Farmer, Labor and Conservative groups. The only opponent was Joseph Bernier of St. James, who claims to be the leader of a straight independent party consisting of three. Mr. Bernier favored a provisional government representing opposition groups, saying this was a good time to try out group government.

This morning representatives of the groups, including the government group conferred with the object of arranging a legislative programme calculated to meet with the acceptance of the majority in the legislature. It is regarded as probable that the business to be conducted will keep the house in session till the end of the month, when the legislature will be dissolved with a general election set for the end of June or early in July. In his letter the lieutenant-governor expressed himself in unmistakable terms against the formation of a provisional government, composed of members of opposition groups, and his contentions in this respect were challenged by F. J. Dixon, leader of the Labor group and by Mr. Bernier. "It is not evident," stated the lieutenant-governor, "that if the leader of any of these groups were called upon to assume government, he would be able to appeal to them. I am satisfied from the contentions, the disputes and the conflicting views of the several groups or parties in the assembly that it is not only improbable but practically impossible for them to work together in harmony or to form an administration strong and enduring or which would efficiently and beneficially carry on His Majesty's government in Manitoba."

KING HAS GOLD;
QUEEN IN PLACE

Ceremony at Waterloo Station Today Not Attended by His Majesty.

London, March 21.—King George will be no anxiety, but it was not thought prudent that he expose himself to the cold winds at the station.

Waterloo station, through which thousands of troops passed on their way to the various fronts in the war, has been enlarged and suitably decorated and inscribed as a war memorial. A lofty arch at the entrance bears the names of France, Belgium, Mesopotamia, the North Sea, and other regions where there was decisive fighting.

A PROMINENT
TRAVELER DEAD

Wallace C. Rafuse of Lunenburg Passes Away at Age of 57.

Lunenburg, N. S., March 21.—Wallace C. Rafuse, one of the best known commercial travelers in the maritime provinces, passed away at his home here last night, after an illness of five weeks. He was fifty-seven years of age and is survived by his wife and one daughter.

DENIES STATEMENT
ATTRIBUTED TO
HIM BY BORAH

New York, March 21.—Paul D. Cravath last night issued a statement denying that he ever had said, as Senator Borah quoted him in the senate, that there was an "unwritten agreement" that the U. S. and Great Britain should act together in an emergency in the Pacific.

PRINCE AT COLOMBO

Colombo, March 21.—The British battleship Renown, with the Prince of Wales aboard, arrived here this morning.

THE DEEP WATERWAY PROJECT



The eighteen heavily shaded states have, by act of their legislatures or by declaration of their governors, organized and voted funds to promote the great St. Lawrence Deep Waterway project in which Canada is also interested. An idea of the vast area of country this scheme affects may be gained from this diagram.

USE WIRELESS IN HUNTING DOWN RUM RUNNERS

Washington, March 21.—Rum runners along the Canadian border will be hunted by wireless according to advices received yesterday by Commissioner Haynes from Colonel R. C. Vandercreek, head of the Michigan department of public safety. A system of wireless communication, he said, will be installed along the length of the Canadian-Michigan border as a part of the concerted campaign by U. S. and Canadian officials against the illicit importation of liquor into this country.

IN PARLIAMENT

Speakers Touch on Variety of Subjects in Federal House Discussion.

Ottawa, March 21.—(Canadian Press)—In the House of Commons the debate on the address was continued by William Irvine (Labor, Calgary East) who said that the government today seemed to want to mould men to itself rather than be moulded by them. The premier had said that he invited Progressives into his cabinet, but it was on condition that they become Liberals. The system tended to drive Labor members into a camp of the government or of the opposition. Labor might be forced to differ from the government on matters of principle and this difference might result in the defeat of the government and its consequent resignation.

This system, he declared, to be wrong. The defeat of the government should not necessarily follow the defeat of a government measure. Mr. Irvine suggested a committee composed of representatives of retail trades, manufacturers, labor and agriculturalists to investigate the trades system.

J. J. Hughes, Liberal, Kings, P. E. I., said that the idea of bringing immigrants to Canada to take up land was being favorably received but it would be better to improve conditions so that those now on the land would stay there. He said Prince Edward Island's markets had been ruined by the late government. He urged the government to cease its methods of endeavoring to get income tax out of the farmers, declaring that this tax in respect to farmers was intolerable and foolish.

H. H. Stevens, (Conservative, Vancouver Centre) declared that the Conservatives stood for the inauguration of a voluntary wheat pool system. While not wishing to interfere with the powers of the railway commission, he thought parliament might well deliberate on the advisability of reducing commodity freight rates. The rates were too high on commodities. He was opposed to bringing in immigrants who remained in Canada but a short time and then crossed over to the U. S. He advised calling the president and other officials of the Merchants Bank before the committee on banking and commerce to get information as to the steps which led up to the crash of the institution.

Herbert Marler (Liberal, St. Lawrence—St. George Montreal) said that, though the government was in a position to own and operate, he would do everything in his power to assist the government in giving the national railways a fair policy. He declared that the "Canadian Government Merchant Marine" policy was barren, bereft and destitute of all reason and should never have been undertaken.

J. Pritchard, (Progressive, North Wellington) took the ground that the Progressives were not seeking class legislation except where legislation of special interest to the farmers would be of benefit to the whole country. If agriculture was made profitable there would be no need to worry about the national debt. W. G. Raymond, (Liberal, Brantford) declared that the tariff was a tax and as such, it was unfair to contend that farmers should be free from it while the tools of the carpenter or blacksmith were made to pay duty. Mr. Raymond moved adjournment of the debate and the House rose at 11 p. m.

SAUVE MOTION
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Quebec, March 21.—(Canadian Press).—On the eve of prorogation, a motion by Arthur Sauve, leader of the opposition, calling for a royal commission inquiry into alleged trafficking in colonization lots by former and present members of the Quebec legislature, was defeated and defeated in the assembly last night.

TURN TO RIGHT LIKELY THE RULE AFTER
DECEMBER 1

Fredericton, N. B., March 21.—Hon. P. J. Veniot today said that he expected December 1, 1922, would be the date the turn to the right rule of the road would go into effect in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia if the permissive legislation now before the Nova Scotia legislature is passed. "We are all ready in New Brunswick," he said, "and December 1—between seasons' date—looks to me to be the logical time to bring the change into effect."

As Hiram Sees It

"Hiram," said the Times reporter to Mr. Hiram Hornbeam, "you see this paragraph in this newspaper?" "Yes, sir," said Hiram, "I don't need no glasses to read it." "I've been reading it over for you," said the reporter, "and trying to figure it out in my mind—and I can't. Did your brain ever get that way?" "After I had the grippe once," said Hiram, "I didn't do no thinkin' fer quite a spell. Hanner said I hadn't sprawl enough to get out of my own way." "I guess it must be the March weather," said the reporter, "if I were you, I would have speed enough to get it number." "Hain't been tryin' to find out whether whiskey has the same old taste—hey you?" queried Hiram. "I can't even offer that excuse," said the reporter, "I wouldn't be able to put it in words. It would be too much effort. What were we talking about, anyway?" "Did I say anything?" said Hiram, "is some of Hanner's ground henlock, black cherry an' sassafras tonic. I'll bring you some tomorrow."

HAD TO GET OUT
BY THE WINDOWS

Moncton, N. B., March 21.—Fire early this morning destroyed the residence of Harry Colborne of Lewisville. The estimated loss is about \$6,000. The fire had gained considerable headway before it was seen. The occupants were unable to save any of their possessions and had to make their escape from the building by window. Destruction of the residence was the family's first loss. The residence was formerly the property of E. J. Thompson, who now lives in British Columbia.

PANTRY BOY IN
LONDON TAKEN ON
MURDER CHARGE

London, March 21.—Henry Jacob, nineteen-year-old pantry boy in the hotel where Lady Alice White was fatally injured last Monday night, was arraigned in police court today, charged with wilful murder. Jacob is alleged to have confessed to striking Lady White with a workman's hammer. She was found unconscious in her room on Tuesday morning and died the following day. Her skull had been fractured.

WRANGEL ISLAND
PART OF CANADA IS
OTTAWA BELIEF

Ottawa, March 21.—(Canadian Press) Wrangel Island will come to Canada. That it is expected here, will be the upshot of the planting of the British flag there on September 21 by the last Arctic expedition organized by Vilhjalmur Stefansson.

WEATHER
REPORT

Synopsis.—The disturbance which was over Lake Huron yesterday is now centered over Maine, causing strong winds with snow and rain in Ontario, Quebec and the maritime provinces. Moderate temperatures have prevailed in the west with light snow in some sections of Saskatchewan.

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Lloyd George To
Ask Confidence Of
Commons on April 3

(Canadian Press Cable.) London, March 21.—Premier Lloyd George will resume his place in the House of Commons April 3, and will immediately ask for a vote on the government's policy regarding the Genoa conference, Austen Chamberlain, the government leader, announced this in the house today. Mr. Chamberlain added that the government intended to put a motion clearly raising the question as to whether it possessed the confidence of the house. "The whole house will recognize that it would be impossible for us to ask the premier to go to Genoa if there were any doubt about his authority."

PAY U. S. WITHOUT QUESTION.

Sir Robert Horne, chancellor of the exchequer, discussing the British debt in the House of Commons today, said: "I do not propose to make any conditions to the U. S. government as to the payment of our due obligations."

MACLACHLAN TO
LABOR MINISTER

Will Keep on Preaching Coal Production Cut. Nova Scotia Miners' Leader Answers Hon. James Murdock—Says it is Retaliation for Unjust Encroachment.

(Canadian Press.) Halifax, N. S., March 21.—The Herald publishes today a telegram which Secretary J. B. MacLachlan, of the U. M. W. of America, District 26, is said to have addressed to Hon. James Murdock, minister of labor, in reply to the latter's protest against the manifesto of the miners' secretary urging the miners to reduce production. In part Mr. MacLachlan said: "Replying to your telegram of Saturday I wish to state that in the manifesto issued by me, neither the thing known as sabotage nor the word itself was mentioned. Once, however, I did in that document strongly advise the miners to cut down production to a point where all profits of the British Empire Steel Corporation would be wiped out. This is nothing dishonest about it; you to the contrary, notwithstanding."

Mr. MacLachlan added that the miners have no wage agreement and will not pay dividends on "acres of idle junk, known as the steel works."

CONCILIATION
IS SOUGHT BY
MINERS IN WEST

Board to be Asked for by Workmen of Alberta and Eastern British Columbia. Calgary, March 21.—District 18, of the United Mine Workers of America, comprising Alberta and Eastern British Columbia, will make application for the appointment of a conciliation board under the provisions of the industrial and labor relations act. H. Ostlund, K. C., of Lethbridge will be named as the miners' representative on the board. The miners will advocate the appointment of Herbert Greenfield, premier of Alberta, as chairman of the board.

MONCTONIAN SEEKS
MINTURE BOUT

Gorman Wants Bout With Sydney Man—Claims Honors in India and Army. Moncton, N. B., March 21.—John Edward Gorman, a local boxer, said that he is getting in condition and will endeavor to meet John Alex McIntyre, of Sydney, who recently knocked out Joe Irvine of St. John. Gorman claims the welterweight championship of India in which country he served with the Imperial army; the welterweight title of the 32nd Brigade and of the 27th Division when that division was located at Saloniki. He will box here soon, in preparation for the McIntyre bout should McIntyre decide to meet him.

ATTEMPT TO KILL
CHINESE DIPLOMAT

Four Shots Fired by Student at Minister in Paris—Companion Hit. Paris, March 21.—An attempt was made today to assassinate Mr. Chen-Lu, Chinese minister to France. Four shots were fired at him by a Chinese youth. None took effect. Mr. Tsan-Gow, a Chinese engineer, who was accompanying the minister, was wounded in the head. The minister's assailant, who surrendered soon after the shooting, is a student who gave his name as Lee-Ho-Ling. He was disgruntled with the attitude of the minister toward the Chinese in Paris, which he complained of as unkind. The attack took place as Mr. Chen-Lu was driving in his auto.

WOULD HAVE THE
BLASPHEMER FREE
FROM PROSECUTION

London, March 21.—(Canadian Press)—The text of two private bills was issued yesterday. One provides that criminal proceedings shall be instituted in any court against any person for blasphemy, heresy, blasphemy, blasphemous libel or atheism. The other bill aims at "preventing the perversion of the minds of children under twenty years of age by means of seditions and revolutionary teachings."

GERMAN AMBASSADOR TO
THE U. S. APPOINTED

Berlin, March 21.—Dr. Otto Ludwig Wiedfeldt, has been appointed German ambassador to the United States.

EXCHANGE TODAY New York, March 21.—Sterling exchange steady. Canadian dollars 312-16 per cent. discount.

LITTLE NEEDED
FOR CIVIL WAR
IN IRELAND

Conditions on Ulster Border Reported Very Bad.

Suggestion of Joint Action by the Governments of the North and South—Factional Feeling Runs High in the Six Counties.

(Canadian Press Cable.) London, March 21.—The dangers of the situation in Ireland are emphasized by the morning newspapers, several of which take the view that little more would be needed to start actual civil war. Sniping between the entrenched forces on either side of the Ulster border has been going on for several days and yesterday machine guns were reported to have been brought into action. Meanwhile, disturbances continue throughout the six counties areas of Ulster.

Moderate opinion in the south favors joint action by the northern and southern governments to relieve the tension on the border, according to the Aimes Dublin correspondent, and it is hinted elsewhere that a earnest conference between Arthur Griffith and Michael Collins yesterday was partly concerned with the possibility of securing such action. It was thought this might involve a preliminary meeting of Mr. Collins with Premier Sir James Craig of Ulster.

Reports of murders, incendiarism and other outrages in the northern districts, where the tension between the Protestants and Catholics is most severe, fill a large space in the newspapers. The violent denunciations of each faction against the other suggest that appointment of the blame in numerous instances is difficult and perhaps impossible to decide, but they show the fierce state of factional feeling which dangerously threatens the general peace.

No late development in the affairs along the border is reported for the moment, but the Belfast police late last night reported that the telegraph and telephone wires in County Tyrone and in parts of the counties of Armagh and Londonderry had been cut, and Belfast was consequently unable to communicate with those districts.

In consequence of the continued lawlessness in Belfast itself the carrying of the city announced yesterday their determination to cease work today on the ground that they were insufficiently protected from the gunmen.

WOMAN MEMBER
DOES NOT BELIEVE
IN THE SENATE

Miss McPhail, M. P., Says She Therefore Cannot Urge the Appointment of "Janey Canuck."

(Special to The Times) Ottawa, March 21.—Miss Agnes McPhail still retains her disbelief in the senate. She has seen the big parliamentary machine going for more than a week still is not converted to the use of the gorgeous red chamber in the east end of the building. She has received a lot of letters asking that she urge the appointment of Mrs. Murphy "Janey Canuck" to the senate. Miss McPhail replied that, as she did not believe in the upper house, she could not urge the appointment.

UNEMPLOYMENT
RELIEF ORDER
IS EXTENDED

Ottawa, March 21.—(Canadian Press.)—An extension of time in the federal government's unemployment relief order-in-council has been made by the government. The time in which the government will continue to assist in promoting work undertaken by provincial or municipal authorities with a view to lessening unemployment has been extended from March 31 until April 15, and the provisions for federal aid in direct relief, where work cannot be provided, has been extended until April 30.

GOLD MINING PIONEER
IN NOVA SCOTIA DEAD

Truro, N. S., March 21.—Kent Archibald, a pioneer of the gold mining industry in Nova Scotia, died suddenly at his home here yesterday. For many years he operated some of the best gold mines in the province. He was seventy-nine years old and leaves three sons and two daughters.