

## CHAIRMAN HUGHES SCORES PRESS REPRESENTATIVES SENDING OUT FALSE REPORTS OF CONFERENCE

Referred Especially to Cabled Reports on Land Armament in Which Premier Briand Was Charged With Statement of An Offensive Character Regarding Italy — Thanked by French and Italian Representatives.

Washington, Nov. 25.—The following communique was issued today after the meeting of the Far Eastern committee of the armament conference, in part:

"The committee on Pacific and Far Eastern questions met at eleven o'clock a.m., Monday, November 22, 1921, in the Pan-American Building.

"The chairman, Mr. Hughes, at the outset of the meeting, called attention to the inaccurate and damaging press reports which had been sent abroad in order that its unfortunate character, inaccuracy and falsity, might be noted in relation to the report that, during the discussion in the committee regarding land armament, M. Briand had made statements of an offensive character, regarding the Italian army, and that the representative of Italy did not appropriately resent the statement.

Made From Whole Cloth

"Mr. Hughes said that, as every member of the committee knew, was wholly false, was made out of whole cloth, that M. Briand had said nothing whatsoever reflecting upon the Italian Government or the Italian army, that nothing occurred that required any rejoinder by the representative of Italy, and that the entire report had no existence whatever in fact. It seemed to be advisable that the chairman of the conference should make this statement in order that appropriate note should be made of it.

"In reply to the statement of the chairman, M. Viviani, on behalf of France, said:

"I thank the chairman for his kind new in adding with his high authority his denial to that of Mr. Schanzer, myself. It is perfectly apparent that M. Briand could never have said such things as have been put into his mouth. How could he have done so when the closest bonds of friendship and alliance exist between the two countries. The two nations have always been friendly. We are true for the good of humanity. Nothing should be allowed to turn us from the end of the goal to which we have set our

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Thanked by Italy

Mr. Schanzer then cordially thanked the Secretary of State for his fortunate idea in making this statement, which, he said, was quite necessary, because certain persons, during the conference, had made use of the press to distort the good relations existing between the countries represented here. He was delighted that the chairman had used his high authority to close the unfortunate incident for all time and expressed thanks to Messrs. Viviani and Briand for their sentiments of sympathy for Italy which are so well known to every one.

The committee unanimously agreed.

Work of Sub-Committee.

"The committee received the report of the sub-committee on Foreign Post Office in China and adopted it unanimously, the date on which it shall come into force and effect being deferred for public announcement in the near future. The report as adopted is as follows:

"A.—Recognizing the justice of the claims expressed by the Chinese Government to secure the abolition of foreign agencies in China, save, or except in leased territories, or as otherwise specially provided by treaty, it is resolved:

"1.—The four powers having such postal agencies, agree to their abandonment subject to the following conditions:

"A.—That an efficient Chinese postal service is maintained;

"B.—That an assurance is given by the Chinese Government that they contemplate no change in the present postal administration, so far as the status of the foreign co-director-general is concerned;

"2.—To enable China and the powers concerned to make the necessary dispositions this arrangement shall come into force and effect not later than:

"A.—Pending the complete withdrawal of foreign postal agencies the four powers concerned severally undertake to afford full facilities to the Chinese customs authorities to examine in those agencies all postal matter (excepting ordinary letters, whether registered or not, which upon external examination appear plainly to contain written matter) passing through them, with a view to ascertain whether they contain articles which are dutiable or contraband or which otherwise contravene the customs regulations or laws of China;

"The committee received the statement of the sub-committee on extraterritoriality, reporting progress and a statement from the Chinese delegation asking for the removal of the various establishments placed in China by foreign powers without treaty sanction, such as foreign troops, police boxes, and telegraph and wireless stations. The committee decided to begin the discussion of these questions at its next meeting.

"The committee also decided that there should be constituted a standing sub-committee on drafting, to be composed of a delegate appointed by each power.

"The committee then adjourned to meet tomorrow, November 29, 1921, at 11 o'clock a.m.

(The newspaper reports referred to in the above communique and denied by Chairman Hughes, M. Viviani and Messrs. Schanzer, were copied by one of the special European correspondents of the conference.)

W. C. McKay, city ticket agent of the C. P. R., arrived in the city yesterday afternoon, accompanying the body of his sister who died in New York on Saturday. The funeral was held from the depot on the arrival of the Boston train. Service at the grave was conducted by Rev. R. A. Armstrong. Several C. P. R. officials attended the funeral.

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## DIFFICULTIES MET BY POLITICAL ORATORS

Conservative Speakers Obligated to "Hoof It" to Keep Appointment at Milford.

Notwithstanding the heavy snowfall of yesterday, and the fact that their car was stalled by the way, the Conservative speakers, obliged to speak in Milford last evening, managed to get there.

## JUST HOW IT SHOULD BE DONE

In giving a dinner or supper party, as host you will enter the dining-room first, with a feminine honor guest at your right. The hostess, with her own dinner partner, will enter the room last.

You will not let rain or any other climatic accident keep you from attending the event to which you have accepted an invitation.

You will sit your wraps up in the lobby of the theatre, if you happen to be late, so that sitting behind you will not be annoyed by your movements after you are seated.

## Comb Sage Tea In Hair To Darken It

It's Grandmother's Recipe to Keep Her Locks Dark, Glossy, Beautiful.

The old-time mixture of Sage Tea and sulphur for darkening gray, streaked and faded hair is grandmother's recipe, and folks are again using it to keep their hair a good, even color, which is quite sensible, as we are living in an age when a youthful appearance is of the greatest advantage.

Nowadays, though, we don't have the troublesome task of gathering the sage and the money mixing at home. All drug stores sell the ready-to-use product, improved by the addition of other ingredients, called "Wyneth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." It is very popular, because nobody can discover it has been applied. Simply moisten the comb or a soft brush with it, and draw this through your hair, taking one strand at a time, by morning the gray hair disappears, but what delights the ladies with Wyneth's Sage and Sulphur Compound is this, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also produces that soft lustre and appearance of abundance which is so attractive.

## Induction Service Held At Rothesay

Rev. Peter Jackson Inducted in Pastoral Charge of Rothesay, Hampton and Hammond River.

The Rev. Peter Jackson, late of Inverness, in the Presbytery of Quebec, was inducted into the pastoral charge of the congregation of Rothesay, Hampton and Hammond river last night in the Rothesay church.

The Presbytery met in the church vestry at 7 o'clock and was constituted with prayer by the moderator, Rev. R. M. Logan.

The induction service began promptly at 7:30 and was conducted by the moderator, Mr. Logan, who inducted Mr. Jackson into the charge of the congregation.

The Rev. P. B. Dowling addressed the newly inducted minister, emphasizing his duties to preach the Word of God and to be a faithful pastor over his parish. He pointed out to him the necessity of prayer as well as study in the fulfillment of his duties.

The Rev. Dr. J. A. Morrison then addressed the congregation, recalling the pastorate over this same church of the Rev. William W. Hainne, who for many years was known by the St. John Presbyterians as a most scholarly man and able preacher. Dr. Morrison also referred to the fact that years ago the Presbytery of Quebec had taken from the Presbytery of St. John the Rev. Dr. Love, who has ever since continued in Quebec city, the honored minister of St. Andrew's Church there. And he expressed the hope that the pastorate of Mr. Jackson inducted coming from Quebec to the St. John Presbytery might be as long and as faithful as Dr. Love's pastorate has been in Quebec. Dr. Morrison then emphasized the place of the church in the nation and showed that no other organization or institution was so well qualified to create and to build up sound public opinion as was the church. He showed that it was only insofar as the nation was dominated by sound public opinion that life and prosperity were assured.

The ladies of the Rothesay church entertained the visitors and members to refreshments at the close of the service.

## The Tabernacle Church Y. P. S.

Members Last Evening Heard Instructive Address by Dr. Zella Clark.

An interesting meeting of the Young People's Society of the Tabernacle church, was held in the church school room last evening, with the President, Peter C. Huxley, in the chair. A very pleasing duet by Mr. Murray and Miss Ethel Kierstead preceded an instructive address delivered by Dr. Zella Clark, who spoke of mission work in India, and the work done by her as a medical missionary in that field.

Dr. Clark said there was great need of workers, and told of the good already done by the few Canadian Baptist missionaries who were ministering to the needs of some 4,000,000 people in Northern India.

She stated that the people there had no conception of a God of love and purity. Their forefathers and parents re-incarnated God, was Krishna, a being so vile that the British Government had suppressed the printing of his biography. She stated that the people of India's ideal of religion was so low that it was extremely difficult to appeal to them with love of God except as that love is revealed by service in the transformed lives who have forsaken the religion of Hinducism.

The attendance at the Tabernacle Sunday school last Sunday was the largest in the history of the church. An interesting plan is being worked out to enroll all the men and women members of the congregation in the Sunday school.



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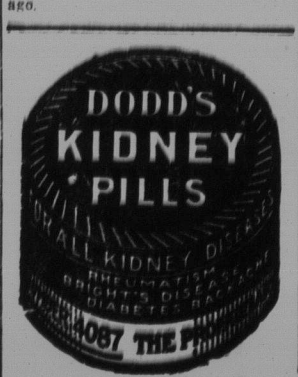
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## Obituary

Mrs. Maud Call.

Claremont, N. H., Nov. 25.—(Special)—Mrs. Maud Russell Call, wife of Hebron Call, died at her home, 14 Henry street, after an illness of over a year. She was born in Richmond, N. B., 64 years ago, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Currie. She came to the United States at the age of 16 years, and married Reuben Call thirty-eight years ago. The couple resided in Waterville, Maine, many years before coming to Claremont twenty years ago.



## Find Body of Famous American Dog Derby Racer

Was Drowned With His Team of Nine Dogs in Moose Lake November 13.

The Pas, Man., Nov. 25.—(Canadian Press)—The body of Walter Goynes, the famous American dog derby racer, who was drowned with his team of nine dogs in Moose Lake, Nov. 13, has been found. Search parties had been scouring the lake for days looking through the transparent ice, and within twenty-two paces of the shore a searcher discovered the body. The body was found sitting upright, in a sled, partly covered by a heavy robe, with the nine racing dogs stretched out in alignment in eight feet of water. The provincial police, who investigated the accident, believe that Goynes was going at racing speed for the shore to escape this ice, when he pitched headlong through and under heavier ice, where escape was impossible. Cold weather set in the day

after the tragedy and the spot was frozen over with a foot of ice, removing every vestige of evidence that might lead searchers in that direction. Of the eleven loose dogs that were following Goynes and his racing team, two perished and they were found lying close to the team. This is the only accident that has ever happened to a derby racing team. Goynes' dogs were the pick of the country and much was expected from them in the 1922 derby.

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