

BALDWIN READY TO DEFEND ACTS OF GOVERNMENT

Interest Aroused Over Proposed Speech at Conservative Conference

REPLY TO CRITICISM ON MOSUL LIKELY

Communist Activity and Coal Subsidy Also Possible Subjects of Speech.

LONDON, Oct. 3.—Lively interest has been aroused over the speech Premier Stanley Baldwin is to make tonight at the annual conference of the Conservative party at Brighton. It is presumed he will answer the severe criticisms to which he and his colleagues have been subjected recently by a section of the press.

MOSUL QUESTION

The chief ground for these attacks has been the government's attitude on the Mosul question, due to the declaration of Secretary for the Colonies Amery at Geneva that the British Government was prepared, if necessary, to retain its hold on Mesopotamia since 1920, which previously had been indicated as the date the British would leave there. Anti-government critics insist there is strong division of sentiment in the cabinet over this matter and that the Conservative party is disgruntled over British commitments in Mosul.

It is understood that at yesterday's cabinet meeting which was the first held in nine weeks, the Mosul question was fully discussed and that Mr. Baldwin would take in his speech was agreed on. It doubted, however, whether he will say much on the situation, as nothing can be said until the report of the Hague court on the questions referred to it by the council of the League of Nations at Geneva.

COAL SUBSIDY

The anti-government critics also are telling the public that there is dissension in the ranks of the Conservative party over the government having granted the recent coal subsidy and that they may expect to hear something scathing from the Premier on this subject.

It is anticipated at the conference something will be heard on the recent activity of the Communists.

U. S. PRISONERS TO MAKE FOOTWEAR

Million Dollar Factory to be Erected at Fort Leavenworth.

A million dollar factory within the prison walls of the Fort Leavenworth federal penitentiary will begin making shoes for the men of the U. S. army and navy and federal institutions, next January, reports The Associated Press from Fort Leavenworth, Kan. Warren F. Goldthwaite will be its superintendent.

One of the serious problems with which Warden W. L. Biddle has had to contend is that of finding employment for his prisoners. The shoe factory will put to work 700 convicts whose time now is idled away in the penitentiary. It is a small remuneration but will go partly toward the support of their families and partly into a fund at interest, to be paid them on their release. The government will take a profit from production.

The plant is expected to turn out from 2,000 to 3,000 pairs of shoes daily when operating at its capacity, but this will not be possible until skilled labor has been developed among the prisoners. When the peak of quality and quantity has been attained the penitentiary will begin manufacturing footwear for the army and navy, and later a work in addition, for other institutions maintained by the government.

USED MAN POWER.

The factory was built by man power at a great saving in cost. Wherever some expensive bit of machinery could be replaced by manual labor it was done. When it was necessary to hoist tons of brick and steel, cement and crushed stone to the workers on the skeleton fourth story, a series of runways was rigged up from lumber sawed at the prison mill, and up these runways the convicts trundled their wheelbarrows of construction material. Six hundred wards of the government helped build the plant.

The factory will be fireproof throughout, with large windows and a white enamel walls. The floor surfaces will be impervious to grease and shoe blacking. Modern sanitary and safety devices and the latest shoe-building equipment will be used.

Superintendent Goldthwaite came to Fort Leavenworth from Haverhill, Mass., where he had completed a quarter of a century with a shoe manufacturing firm. He will be assisted by five civilian foremen.

TALKS OF IMMIGRATION

MONCTON, N. B., Oct. 3.—Commissioner D. C. Lamb of the Salvation Army, London, gave an address to-night in the main auditorium of the city building under the auspices of the Moncton Canadian Club. J. G. MacKinnon, president of the club was chairman. Commissioner Lamb who is now on a tour of the world investigating opportunities with regard to immigration of British settlers gave much attention to immigration problems. Mrs. Lamb also gave a stirring address. A vote of thanks was tendered the speakers on motion of Senator Robinson, seconded by J. W. Fraser. Among those who attended the meeting was Hon. Lewis Smith, Minister of Agriculture for New Brunswick.

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DIES AT SEA AS HE STARTS 275TH TRIP

Retired Scottish Merchant Had Passed Later Years Voyaging Atlantic.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—There was sadness in the office of the White Star liner Adriatic, last evening, when the death of James E. Hargreaves, but there was no doubt in their minds that his end came as he had hoped. When he passed his 80th year with 275 crossings of the Atlantic to his credit, he told his friends: "When the time comes, I want to die at sea. I crossed it so often because I love it, and I love it enough to want to die while crossing."

Mr. Hargreaves, 81 years old, slept into death just after the Adriatic pulled out of Liverpool on the trip that ended here. A steward, who had served him often, saw him lying too quietly in bed and called Dr. Fleming, ship's surgeon, but Mr. Hargreaves' heart had stopped. His body was taken off at Queenstown.

Years ago he found the work of his Scottish woolen business too irksome, and he stopped. From that day until he died his one great interest in life was voyaging back and forth across the Atlantic, always riding with the officers of the Adriatic and the Baltic, whom he knew best. The sea was in his blood as much as it is in the blood of the old salt who cannot quit his post.

MISSION MEETING IN OKLAHOMA CITY

Ten Thousand Delegates Gather From Thirty-eight Foreign Countries.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Oct. 3.—Ten thousand delegates representing 38 foreign nations thronged Oklahoma City today for the 78th annual International Disciples of Christ convention, the conference lasting until October 11. Missionaries from Interior Africa, Siam, China, Japan and Australia, and native converts from those countries, were expected to reveal many interesting and strange experiences at the many banquets, luncheons, meetings and gatherings of the convention.

Preparing for the entertainment and comfort of the religious meeting delegates, local church organizations had combined in their endeavors to supply 4,000 rooms, hundreds of automobiles for transportation and parking space for 5,000 visitors' automobiles. Preparations had been underway for six weeks. It was announced early that the convention was the largest ever entertained in Oklahoma City.

The Disciples of Christ is a religious body. It has one of the largest international missionary organizations in the world and sends its missionaries to the most remote corners of the globe.

SAYS BIRDS PREDICT EARLY HARD WINTER

Massachusetts Ornithologist Sees in Southern Flights Signs of Season.

BOSTON, Oct. 3.—It's going to be a wild, wild winter, according to the feathered weather prophets of the bird family, Edward Howe Forbush, State Ornithologist, so reports. Reports he is compiling from bird lovers throughout this section of North America, he announced, show that the strange instinct of the birds is telling them to prepare for an unusually early, long and hard winter.

QUITTING FAR NORTH

Migrating birds and will fowl appear to have received an inside tip and they have started their southward flights much earlier than usual. Hawks, owls and other feathered creatures of the far North who usually consider Labrador quite warm enough for their winter home have already penetrated as far south as Northern New England this fall, Mr. Forbush says. He believes the prediction of an early and hard winter is further confirmed by heavy migration of gulls, cormorants, ducks and geese to points farther south. Many white herons are reported southward bound and there have been large flights of shore birds, particularly the smaller species, such as plovers, curlews, sandpipers and killdeer.

Lorneville W. M. S. Elects Officers

The W. M. S. of the Lorneville United church held its annual meeting on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. J. J. Galbraith with Mrs. Alfred Spence, the president in the chair. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. Peter Jackson; Vice-president, Mrs. Alfred Spence; treasurer, Mrs. Bertha Ferguson; and secretary, Mrs. S. Galbraith. Mrs. W. J. Bevis, wife of the minister of the United church in East Saint John, and a former member of the Lorneville W. M. S., gave a lengthy and illuminating report of the W. M. S. convention held in Malpeque, P. E. I., recently. After the business session a fifteen cent tea was held and many visitors came in. The proceeds of the tea will go to missions.

English Society Girl Given Masculine Gifts

LONDON, Oct. 3.—Birthday gifts to an English society girl of a gun, a gun case, and a gold cigarette case on the occasion of her coming of age, was the subject of a recent article in the Times. It is no longer fashionable in England for a girl to be feminine. Instead, upon coming of age, she enters a man's estate.

The recipient of these masculine gifts was Miss Elizabeth Murray Baillie, only child of the late Colonel F. D. Murray Baillie of Caley, near Gatehouse, England.

WRESTLE TONIGHT

TULSA, Okla., Oct. 3.—Rain caused postponement of the wrestling match scheduled here tonight between Ed "Strangler" Lewis and Wayne (Big) Munn. The match will be staged tomorrow night.

Weddings

Bel-DeinStadt.

Rev. John J. Pinkerton, pastor of the United Church, Fairville, last evening was the officiating clergyman at the marriage of Miss Hazel DeinStadt, daughter of the Rev. Thomas DeinStadt, of New York, retired clergyman of the United Church of Canada, formerly of Saint John and of the late Mrs. DeinStadt, to Winthrop C. Bell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew M. Bell, of Halifax, N. S. The ceremony was performed at "Boulderwood," the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Ralph Pickett Bell, and Mr. Bell, Halifax, in the presence of immediate relatives. Rev. Mr. Pinkerton is an intimate friend of the groom, with whom he was associated in college days at Mount Allison University. The groom is a professor at Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass., from which he is taking a year's vacation. Mr. and Mrs. Bell, on their return after a honeymoon trip will reside in Chester, N. S. The bride is a niece of Professor W. M. Tweed, of Mount Allison and has many relations in the Maritimes. Her sister, Mrs. Ralph Bell, was formerly Miss S. Marguerite DeinStadt, formerly of Saint John and her husband is grandson of the late Dr. Humphrey Pickett, first president of Mount Allison University.

Horton-Cline.

A very pretty home wedding was solemnized at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cline, of Richardson, Deer Island, on Wednesday morning, Oct. 1, at 9 o'clock when their daughter, Miss Reta Carolyn Cline, became the bride of Clarence Broadhurst Horton, son of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Horton of Saint John. Rev. Paul Richardson, pastor of the Church of Christ, Lubec, Me., and cousin of the bride, officiated.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was charming in a gown of beige georgette crepe with point lace trimmings and carried a beautiful bridal bouquet of roses. Mrs. Horton Richardson played the wedding music, as the bride entered the room and during the signing of the register. Little Miss Ruth Horton, sister of the groom, was a very dainty flower girl, wearing a frock of crabsire crepe with band of the same, both being trimmed with silver. She carried a basket of roses.

A wedding breakfast was served after the ceremony and informal reception, the guests being only the immediate relatives of the bride and groom. The bride's traveling dress of mahogany shade was a crepe back satin with coat of the same material, trimmed with fur and with hat to match. Mr. and Mrs. Horton left by motor boat for Eastport, Me., en route to Boston, New York and other United States cities. On their return they will reside in Saint John.

Among the many beautiful gifts received by the bride were substantial checks from the groom, the bride's parents and other relatives; a silver tea service from the parents of the groom and a handsome piano lamp from the staff of H. Horton & Sons, Ltd., for whom the groom is a traveling salesman. The visiting guests were Mr. and Mrs. George A. Horton, Miss Ruth Horton, Mr. George Douglas Horton, of Saint John.

Vaughan-Harris.

At Centenary church parsonage yesterday afternoon Rev. R. G. Fulton united in marriage Norval Sterling Vaughan, of St. Martins, and Miss Florence Harris, of Sheffield, England. The bride and groom were unattended. Those who witnessed the ceremony included the bride's sister, Miss Ethel M. Harris, the groom's sister, Mrs. G. G. Sherwood, of Upham, Kings county, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brshaw, of St. Martins. Mrs. Harris was carried by motor for St. Martins where they will reside. Many friends extend hearty good wishes for their happiness.

Crozier-Hall.

The marriage of Miss Ruth Frances Hall, of South Bay, and Maurice T. Crozier, of Alma, was solemnized yesterday afternoon at the parsonage in Penobscot, Rev. J. T. Dimmock officiating. Mr. and Mrs. John C. Hall, parents of the bride, were present at the ceremony. The ceremony was held at 2 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Crozier left for Saint John, where they will spend a few days as the guests of Mr. Crozier's sister, Mrs. MacWilliam, and Rev. E. R. MacWilliam at the Waterloo street Baptist parsonage. Later they will visit the home of the bride's parents in South Bay before going to Alma to reside.

Deaths

Geo. E. Beaumont.

HILLSBORO, Oct. 3.—The death of George E. Beaumont, one of Hillsboro's old residents, occurred very suddenly at his home in Surrey, on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Mr. Beaumont had been in failing health for some time. He was 66 years of age and a member of the Valley Baptist church. He is survived by his wife and 10 children. The three sons are Walter and Howard, of Hillsboro, and James, of Portland. Several daughters are Mrs. LeRoy Terris and Mrs. Leslie Jonah, of Hillsboro; Mrs. Otis Nicholson, of Amherst; Mrs. Elsie Stevens, residing in Maine; Mrs. Herbert Kale and Mrs. Thomas Howell, of Cambridge, Mass., and Goldie, at home.

The funeral services will be conducted on Sunday by Rev. M. C. Higgins of the Valley Baptist church. Interment at Greenwood cemetery.

James D. Cook.

MONCTON, N. B., Oct. 3.—James Duncan Cook, whose death occurred at his home 321 Robinson street, last night, was an employee of the C. N. R. and one of the best known engineers in the service, up to the time of his retirement several years ago. He was 66 years of age. He was an active member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. He is survived by his widow, one son, Ray, of Boston, and three daughters, Mrs. A. Gillespie, rs. CMCharles Moore and Mrs. Charles Gillespie, all of Moncton; and one brother, George Cook, also of Moncton.

FREDERICTON MARKET.

Prices in the Fredericton market yesterday were: Butter, 35 to 40 cents; eggs, 35 to 40 cents; chickens, 35 to 40 cents; fowl, 25 cents; lamb, 18 to 25 cents; veal, 8 to 14 cents; beef, 10 cents; live fowl, \$1.25 each; apples, \$1.25 to \$3.00; potatoes, \$2.25; onions, 80 cents; corn, 20 cents; cauliflower, 15 to 20 cents each.

YARMOUTH CHOIR WILL SING SUNDAY

At Both Services in Queen Square United Church 134th Anniversary.

The popularity achieved by the Yarmouth Choir of eighteen male voices last fall at Queen Square accounts for the wonderful interest in their appearance in connection with the 134th anniversary services next Sunday.

The anniversary committee is being besieged with requests for the Choir to sing again after the regular evening service, starting about eight-thirty, so as to accommodate many who cannot find it convenient to attend the seven o'clock service. Announcement as to whether or not this will be possible may be expected Saturday.

The pastor, Rev. Harry C. Rice, will preach at both services, and a choir of forty-five voices will lead the congregational singing, which is expected to be an important feature of the anniversary.

Entire Bible Written On One Sheet of Paper

KARUIZAWA, Japan, Oct. 3.—A Japanese Christian, one Ishizuka, a member of the Friends Mission, has just completed a transcription of the Bible, Old and New Testaments, on a single scroll of fine Japanese paper, "kakemono."

The scroll is described as "six shaku, four sun in length and two shaku nine sun wide (six feet by two and one half feet). The work of printing was done by hand with a Japanese writing brush and required "four years and three months and 10,000 prayers," according to the artist. The letters stand out beautifully distinct under a microscope.

Shell Discovered Best Loud Speaker

LONDON, Oct. 3.—An Englishman has discovered that Dame Nature herself has fashioned one of the best loud speakers for a radio that has ever been devised.

He took a large Conch shell about two feet high and sawing off the bottom end attached a microphone to the shell. The results it gives, he said, are superior to any commercial loud speaker used.

ADDRESSES W. M. S. Bible at Portland United Church.

Rev. J. M. Murchison Speaks on Bible at Portland United Church.

At the rally meeting of the Portland United church W. M. S., held in the church last night, Rev. J. M. Murchison, secretary in New Brunswick and Newfoundland for the Bible Society, gave a fine address on the Bible, and also sang a solo that was much appreciated. Mrs. Allan W. Linley, president, was in the chair, and the opening devotions were led by Mrs. Charles Cowan. The choir sang an anthem with fine effect. Reports of the year's work of the three missionary groups were presented and they showed much fruitful activity on the part of the members. Mrs. Andrew Myles read the report of the missionary auxiliary and the reports for the missionary circle and the missionary band were read by Miss Ada Calhoun.

ACADIA WINS GAME

WOLFVILLE, N. S., Oct. 3.—Acadia University defeated King's University 11 to 0, in an exhibition rugby match here this afternoon.

New York Woman Dances Nimbly At Her 105th Birthday Party

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—Mrs. Frances Levatrestro, who lives alone in her cottage at Colfax and Railroad avenues, Grant City, S. I., 864 days in the year, had a party this week in honor of her 105th birthday anniversary. The vegetables were from her own garden, harvested by herself, and she helped her daughters, Mrs. Amelia Kohlman and Mrs. Jennie Lauria, with the cooking.

Besides her daughters, there were about 20 other relatives at the party. When the photograph was started Mrs. Levatrestro's toes began to tap the floor, and presently she was on her feet, exhibiting the steps they used to dance in Brittany when she was a girl.

She admits that she is an old-fashioned girl in most things, disapproving of powdered faces, wares, knees, short skirts and bobbed hair, but she is as modern as any flapper in her denunciation of prohibition. Before prohibition Mrs. Levatrestro drank wine with each meal, now she has to drink water and she fears, in may be the death of her.

Late in the afternoon she cut the birthday cake, which had 105 candles, and entertained a dozen members of

the Mothers' Club of the Grant City Public School, of which she is a member. Her guests told her they were going to take her motoring this week end to a musical comedy, of both of which diversions Mrs. Levatrestro is fond. Announcement of the approach of the birthday festivities brought her letters from elderly persons in many parts of the country, including one from a young fellow of 103, who promised himself the pleasure of calling on her on his next visit to New York.

Glass Instead of Oak Used In London Houses

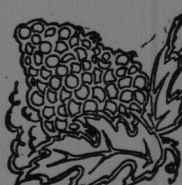
LONDON, Oct. 3.—A special kind of glass painted to simulate marble is now being used in modern houses as being instead of the traditional oak.

One prominent society woman has had one of the rooms in her house paneled with this glass in a rich shade of blue.

Her lead is being followed rapidly by the exclusive circles of Mayfair.

One wit has already declared that no longer will it be possible for anybody to throw stones!

Stores Open 8.30 a.m.; Close 6 p.m.; Saturday 10 p.m.



Early October News Of Fall Fashions and Fabrics

'Tis a never ending tale, the story fashion has to tell, but most women are glad to listen to her new gloriously interesting recitals. Always our store contains her latest ingenuities. You'll like the new season's late offerings. Come in soon and allow us the pleasure of showing them to you.

Try Morning Shopping for Better Service and Leisurely Selection

Balbriggan Dresses

Women are enthusiastic about these new Balbriggan dresses because they're warm, jaunty, serviceable and above all highly favored by fashion.

Newest models here include youthful two-piece styles with skirt fashioned with kick pleat or inverted side pleats and made with camisole tops. Some are smartly trimmed with silk braid in shade to match dress. Others have stripes of contrasting color at bottom of overblouse, sleeves and collar.

Autumn colors feature the popular roseleaf, pansy, tortoise shell, scarlet, nectarine, black prince and others. All are very moderately priced. \$7.50 to \$18.75. (Costume Dept., 2nd floor.)

Dressy Frocks For Little Ladies

Misses and women of smaller build will now find in our "Little Lady" shop a bright array of fashionable frocks in sizes and styles to suit them exactly. Modes are youthful, becoming and exceptionally well designed.

Many of the newest frocks are fur trimmed and flared. From such beautiful colors as pansy, rosewood, resida, harvest brown and others equally novel and fascinating, you'll find it an easy matter to make satisfactory selection.

Note—In this special grouping will also be found well designed dresses for women who are shorter and stouter than average. (Little Lady Shop, 2nd floor.)

Rain Coat Time

Autumn days are bound to bring their measure of wet weather. Well dressed women will meet the wet days happily attired in such Rain Coats as our new and fashionable stocks now offer.

Slickers in yellow, green, purple, red and blue. Misses' and women's sizes. \$12. Oil Silk in similar shades. Misses' and women's sizes. \$16. Rubber Coats with trim velvet collars. Green, rose and blue only. \$10.50 and \$10.75. (Costume Dept., 2nd floor.)

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Collar and Cuff Sets in dainty combinations of net and lace.

Vestees—Some of them in the fashionable plastron style admirably suited for use with suits or sweaters.

Jabots in sheer georgette crepe and pretty lace and net effects.

Printed Scarfs in handsome silk crepes and georgettes; also novelties in Rayon silk, and Scotch Woolens in plaids and stripes.

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24 in. wide... 18c yd	27 in. wide... 20c yd
27 in. wide... 23c yd	30 in. wide... 24c yd
29 in. wide... 26c yd	35 in. wide... 27c yd
34 in. wide... 28c yd	36 in. wide... 34c yd
	Pajama Suitings
	British Make
Plain Colors	34 in. wide... 34c yd
27 in. wide... 25c yd	35 in. wide... 36c yd

NOTE—Colors and patterns are suitable for men's, women's and children's wear.

(Linen room, ground floor.)