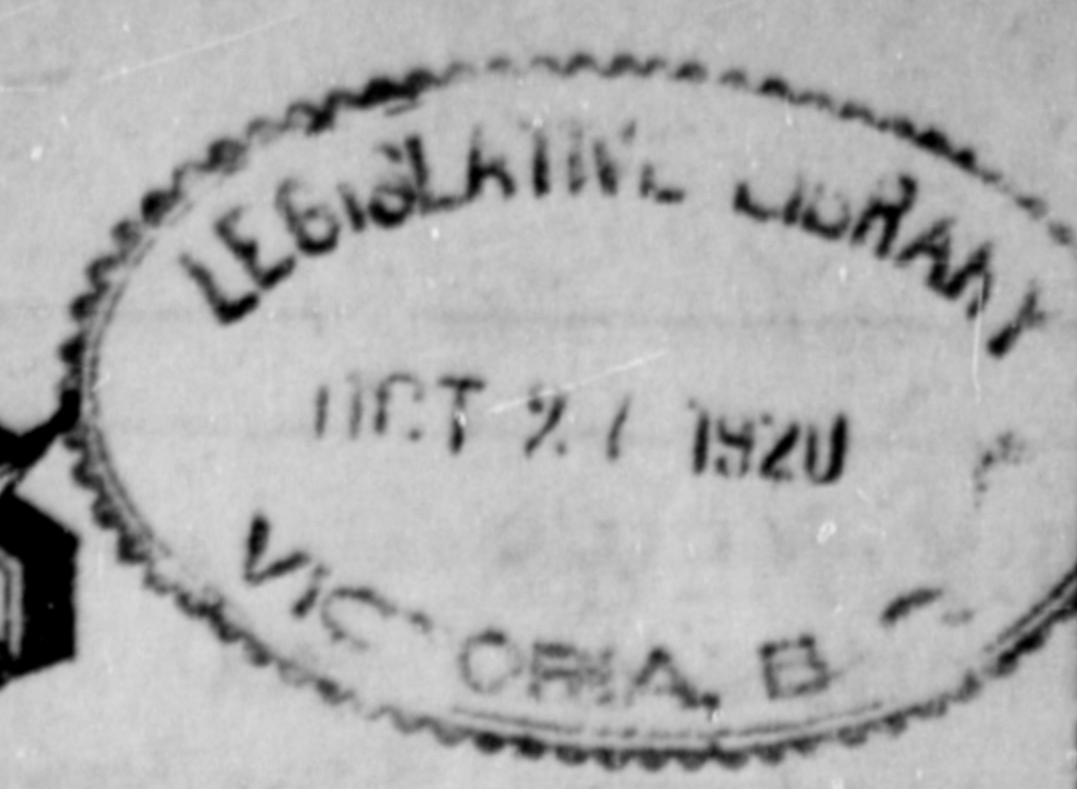


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Coal Miners Strike at Centre of Stage

PREMIER OLIVER SAYS ELECTION WILL BE SOON BUT NO DATE YET SET

Continuation of Railwaymen Makes Strike Settlement Difficult

Premier Lloyd George says negotiations were under way when indiscreet action was taken; discussions may be resumed

PRINCE RUPERT, Oct. 22.—In the House of Commons last night Premier Lloyd George said he had been engaged in a two days' conference with the parties concerned in the coal strike and toward a settlement was favorable. He could not, however, disclose the fact that the precipitate action of the railway executive in threatening a strike had embarrassed the government. "It is a misfortune, adding seriously to the difficulties," he said. "It was interference exceedingly rash, exceedingly unwise and apparently not desired by anybody. Action of that kind encourages irresponsible persons to go behind the responsible ministers."

CANON SCOTT ARRIVES TODAY

Genial Chaplain was Given Reception When He Stepped off Princess Mary.

The jovial Canon Scott arrived on the Princess Mary this afternoon in order to speak at the Empress Theatre tonight. He was met by a crowd of "the boys from France" headed by Col. Peck, V.C., and Captain McGregor. Among the welcoming party were Acting Mayor Dybbavn, Canon Rix, Judge Young, Jack Edwards, G. P. Tinker, Ray Macdonald, James Campbell, B. E. Oughton, C. V. Eviatt, S. Thompson and Joe Hutcheson. As the Canon stepped off the boat three hearty cheers and a tiger were rendered. He was taken in charge by Col. Peck who will show him about the town today and is dining at Canon Rix's, whose house guest he will be while in the city. Tomorrow morning he leaves for the east on the train. Speaking to the News when he was getting off the steamer Canon Scott said that he had been asked in Toronto what he thought about Lord Mayor McSwiney and he said he thought he was solving the highest cost of living question. He didn't know who to talk about today but if he was asked about Col. Peck he could say a great many good things.

The Secretary Makes Provision for Emergency

Bill to Ruin all Mines by Withdrawal of Men; Bill made to German Miners by British Labor

PRINCE RUPERT, Oct. 22.—In the House of Commons, Edward Lloyd George, Secretary of State for the Colonies, gave notice of the introduction of a bill to provide for the withdrawal of all labor from the coal mines, which are now kept in order by specially assigned forces. Their withdrawal would render the pits useless on the resumption of work. BIRMINGHAM, Oct. 22.—The leaders of the striking British miners have applied to the Miners' International Federation for assistance, according to the newspaper Vorwaerts, adding that the German miners have sent a message wishing the strike speedy success.

ALBERTA IS PREPARING FOR THE ELECTION

Meeting Set for Tomorrow in Final Decision Will Be Made.

CALGARY, Oct. 22.—Quiet preparations are going on here for the forthcoming provincial election which is expected to take place in December. While the various parties are away they will be in the city tomorrow and it is expected that a final decision will be made. A general feeling that the government has brought the province safely through the war and reconstruction has the finances of the province in good shape, the opposition say whether they will support the policy which the government will set before them in the next few years or will re-assert their own.

Full Blooded Indian Doctor Preacher.



Rev. Edward Akinakew, a pure Indian and a famous speaker who is studying medicine in Alberta University, is attending the Anglican synod now meeting in Winnipeg.

WIRELESS STATION BEEN DISMANTLED

Beacon Established at Entrance to Masset Inlet on Straits Islets.

Official notice has been sent out in regard to the dismantling of the wireless station at Ikeda Bay, Queen Charlotte Islands. The station is no longer necessary since the shutting down of the Ikeda mine.

A gas beacon has been established on Straits Islets on the west side of the entrance to Masset harbor. It is a white acetylene light automatically occulted at short intervals.

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HEAD OF CANADIAN NATIONAL



The latest photograph of D. B. Hanna, president of the Canadian National Railway.

Officers Elected for Athletic Association

New Directors open season with a clean sheet and money in the bank; Plans for Season discussed last night

At the meeting of the Prince Rupert Amateur Athletic Association held in the Board of Trade rooms last night officers for the coming year were elected, financial and other reports received in regard to the work of last season and plans discussed tentatively for the forthcoming winter. After considerable discussion it was decided to leave the matter of dues in the hands of the new executive, they being responsible for the financing of the Association for the year.

CLOSING DOWN WHERE TWO STATIONS EXIST

One Depot at Canora, Prince Albert, Moose Jaw, Portage la Prairie, Yorkton and Battleford.

Under the co-ordination of the Grand Trunk and Canadian National Railway lines, at points where two stations have formerly existed one only will be used with a view to increased efficiency and economy. Under the new ruling the G. T. P. stations at Portage la Prairie and Yorkton will in future be used while the C. N. R. stations at Canora, Moose Jaw, Battleford and Prince Albert will be headquarters.

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Premier Declares Election Very Soon

Private Meetings of supporters of the big parties have been held in Vancouver preparing slates for coming contest

MILNER, October 22.—In a three-hour speech before a large audience, Premier John Oliver declared there would be an election very soon, but as yet no date had been decided on.

After expressing surprise at the result of the plebiscite, Mr. Oliver said government control would mean that the money heretofore sent out of the province would now be kept within the provincial boundaries. He announced that he himself voted for prohibition.

MANY REFUSED PREMIERSHIP

VANCOUVER, Oct. 22.—Election rumors are already giving place to the referendum results in the public interest. Both the major parties have been holding private meetings with a view to getting out strong slates. Everywhere the Liberals are expressing themselves as confident that the Government will be returned with a good majority. Those who are not allied with either of the political parties say there is nothing else to do but return the present Government.

France's New Premier was President Millerand's Fifth Choice. M. Georges Leygues has become premier of France. According to the "Matin," the French premier-ship was declined successively by M. Lhopiteau, minister of justice; M. Steeg, minister of the interior; and M. Jonart before M. Millerand offered it to M. Leygues. Our Paris correspondent has said that it was also offered to M. Briand, so M. Leygues is M. Millerand's fifth choice. This unwillingness to accept the post on M. Millerand's conditions suggests that the apparent desire of the new president to be his own prime minister is not universally approved. It must be the first time in the history of the Third Republic that a prime minister has been appointed on the condition of taking over all his predecessor's colleagues, which means in effect that all the ministers are directly chosen by the president of the republic. Although he has held office six times—on the first occasion in the Charles Dupuy cabinet of 1894 and on the last occasion in the Clemenceau cabinet of 1917—he has never been in the front rank of French politicians and was never looked upon as likely to become prime minister or minister of foreign affairs, still less both at once.

NO CARS SO THERE WAS NO FISH SALE

Yearly 200,000 Pounds of Fish is Again Tied up at the Fish Wharves.

There were no refrigerator cars for the arrivals posted at the Fish Exchange this morning so the sale has been held over until tomorrow morning when three cars are reported to be arriving. The only sale was the Jean which sold 300 pounds of salmon to the Atlin Fisheries at 16c and 5c. The rest being halibut boats have been held over.

Following are the arrivals listed today: Tom and Al, 50,000 lbs.; Lincoln, 10,000; Washington, 20,000; June, 11,000; White Star, 11,000; Star, 10,000; Helena, 10,000; Brothers, 10,000; Lancing, 10,000; Progress, 6,000; Fanny, 2,000, and Pair of Jacks, 7,000 pounds.

PREPARE TO INVADE NORTHERN OIL FIELD

EDMONTON, Oct. 22.—Several parties will leave Edmonton for the new oil fields on the Mackenzie River by dog team in order to stake in advance. Other prospectors will travel by the river route in the spring as soon as the ice goes out.

SMITHERS BOY IS GIVEN LONG TERM AT OKALLA PRISON

Norman Kitson, a Smithers youth, was sentenced to serve 18 months at Okalla Prison Farm on appearing before Judge Young at an evening session of the court last night. Evidence was given by Constable John Kelly, of Smithers, as to the offences of the boy and his breaking jail twice, on one occasion taking another prisoner with him. The lad was clearly shown to have criminal tendencies. A short time ago he was before Judge Young charged with theft and was let out on suspended sentence. The case was short and held between the arrival of the train at 6 o'clock and the departure of the Prince George at midnight. Constable Kelly continued the journey south, taking the boy to prison.

There will be one show only at the Empress Theatre tonight, commencing at 7.30 sharp and finishing in time for Canon Scott's lecture at 9 o'clock.

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