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Nominations in North Irish Elections

McCAFFERY SAYS NO DELAY IN GETTING COURT HOUSE WORK STARTED

Commence at Once with Court House; Architect Coming

Following the announcement that the contract for the erection of a new court house here being let to the local firm of Albert McCaffery, an interview was sought with Mr. McCaffery in order to determine when the work would be commenced and how it would be carried out.

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LIBERAL LEADERS WHO HAVE BEEN CRITICIZING THE GOVERNMENT.



Left to right: William Duff, of Lunenburg; Dr. Beland, W. L. Mackenzie King and W. C. Kennedy.

LLOYD GEORGE AND BRIND TO HOLD MEETING

LONDON, April 21.—Premier Brind and Lloyd George plan to hold a strictly private conference at Hythe, England, only one secretary of each to attend.

Preparations Being Made for Election of Northern Parliament in Ireland

DUBLIN, April 21.—Preparations are being made for the election of members of the North Ireland Parliament under the Irish Act. Candidates have been chosen for most of the constituencies. These so far include 43 Unionists, 14 Nationalists and 19 Sinn Feiners. There are 52 seats to fill so it is clear that to date there is no great rush for office such as characterizes the Parliaments in other countries.

TO GO OVER POWER LINE

Will Take Superintendent Duncan's Party Six Weeks Sounding Dam and Traversing Line

Superintendent T. C. Duncan, of the municipal utilities department, will leave about the middle of next week to commence an exploration trip of Thule River, Wark Channel, power project. The party will comprise four men, including Mr. Duncan and Bert Moore, an experienced woodsman, who is employed on the present Woodworth Lake transmission line. The trip will take about six weeks and a camp will be established in the cabin at Wark Channel.

About a month will be required in taking soundings for the dam foundation at the proposed power site. This will be done by the digging of pits and use of the sounding rod. A survey of the bedrock in the vicinity will practically be made. To traverse the transmission line will take about nine days. Mr. Duncan will not remain out with the party for the whole six weeks, but will make periodical visits into town to attend to his other duties.

FORMER RUPERT MAN OFF TO OIL COUNTRY

John Alder Left Victoria for Edmonton Bound for Mackenzie River

John Alder, after spending a few days in Victoria, left last night for Vancouver. He will journey East as far as Edmonton and probably strike north into the Fort Norman country, far scene of recent oil activity. Mr. Alder, whose home is on Hampshire Road, has been away for several months in connection with his Eastern business interests.

"I have no definite plans regarding my trip into the oil country," said Mr. Alder last night. "I intend to look over the prospects and, if considered feasible, may consider a proposition for transporting supplies there from Edmonton. There is no doubt that a tremendous movement will commence to the Mackenzie River basin as soon as the rivers are open for transport."

HUGHES GOVERNMENT IS SUSTAINED ON CONFIDENCE VOTE

MELBOURNE, April 21.—The Hughes Government has been sustained on a vote of confidence by the Commonwealth Parliament following an adverse snap vote which gave the opposition an opportunity to demand an appeal to the country. This vote indicates that there will be no appeal at present.

WILL REBUILD PLANT BURNED AT VICTORIA

VICTORIA, April 20.—The Sidney Roofing & Paper Company plant at Sidney will be rebuilt immediately, the machinery installed, and the plant again put into operation at the earliest possible moment.

While the ruins were still smouldering, insurance appraisers were busy on the estimate of the loss entailed as a result of the fire which amounted to about \$50,000, which was almost covered by insurance.

LIQUOR SUPPLY ON THE ROAD

Sufficient for Three Months Will Be in British Columbia Soon.

VICTORIA, April 21.—Supplies of liquor sufficient for a three months business is en route to this province consigned to the Liquor Board, according to information given out by the board here.

NEW PRESIDENT OF PROVINCIAL CHAPTER DAUGHTERS OF EMPIRE

VANCOUVER, April 21.—Mrs. Drummond is the new provincial president of the I.O.G.E. elected here yesterday.

ONE OF TRIPLETS LIVED UNTIL HE WAS SEVENTY-SEVEN

FOND DU LAC, Wis., April 21.—Sydney Windecker, aged seventy-seven, one of the "Windecker Triplets," who for seventy-five years celebrated their joint birthday, died recently. The only survivor of the trio is Mrs. Sedate Pier, of Wausau, Wis.

YOUTHFUL BANDITS MADE A BIG HAUL

CHICAGO, April 21.—Five youthful bandits in an automobile held up the vice-president of a real estate firm here today and escaped with \$25,000.

BUBONIC PLAGUE AT ALEXANDRIA, EGYPT

ALEXANDRIA, Egypt, April 21.—Bubonic plague has broken out here and is causing a large number of deaths. An average of 35 deaths a day is being reported.

Settlement Miners' Strike Not Likely for Another Week

LONDON, April 21.—It is practically certain there will be no settlement of the coal strike until next week. The members of the Miners' Federation are dissatisfied with the new proposals of the mine owners but will endeavor to find ground for negotiations when the miners meet on Friday.

MEMORIAL SERVICE OF SECOND BATTLE OF YPRES ON SUNDAY

Father Leray, French Chaplain and Prisoner of War, Will Give Address.

The Great War Veterans' Association, at the regular meeting held last night, made arrangements for the holding of a memorial service on Sunday night in the Westholme Theatre to commemorate the anniversary of the Second Battle of Ypres.

Father Leray, of Terrace, a French priest, who went through the war and was wounded several times besides having been taken prisoner, will deliver the main address of the evening.

MANY TOURISTS AS EVER THIS SUMMER

C.P.R. Vessels are Already Booked Far Ahead Into June and July.

If the advance bookings can be accepted as a criterion, travel on the C.P.R. boats to Alaska calling at Prince Rupert this year will establish a new record. Practically all the accommodation for June and July has been booked in the south already for the Skagway boats.

GOVERNMENT LIFTS BAN ON NEWMARKET

Regular Events will be Staged as in Past Hundred Years

LONDON, April 21.—The government has withdrawn the ban upon racing as far as the Two Thousand Guineas and One Thousand Guineas are concerned. The ban was placed on account of the coal strike. Both races will be run at Newmarket on April 29. These races at Newmarket have been run annually for over one hundred years.

BIRTH

A son was born last evening to Mr. and Mrs. John Myhill-Jones, Stephens Block.

GREEKS ARE PREPARING ONSLAUGHT

Will Launch Offensive Against Turkish Nationalist Army Soon.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 21.—The Greeks are preparing a formidable offensive against the Turkish army. They have been strengthening their forces and reorganizing, following their recent reverse, and expect to benefit from the experience.

The Turkish Nationalist army is said to number 100,000 men and they are all good fighters. They look on the war as largely religious in character and against their ancient enemies from whom they once took much territory, they become keen soldiers and a most formidable enemy.

FISH TRAIN OUT TODAY

Eight Car Loads Went Out on Special Leaving at 9:30 This Morning.

A fish special left this morning for eastern Canadian and United States points with eight car loads of fresh halibut which was sold at yesterday's auction. Three empties are expected tonight and there is so far one boat here with fish, the Torkens-jold with 18,000 pounds which will be sold at the regular auction tomorrow.

ECLIPSE OF MOON VISIBLE HERE MAY BE SEEN TONIGHT

If Sky is Clear Between 11 and 12 the Phenomenon may be Noticed

A total eclipse of the moon visible generally in North America on both the Pacific and Atlantic Coasts takes place tonight at 11:24, Prince Rupert time. The middle of the eclipse will be at 11:34 and the end at 12:05. If the sky is clear tonight the phenomenon should be visible, for the moon is full tomorrow.

YUKON LEGISLATURE

Bill Provides British Only May Sit On Arbitration

DAWSON, April 21.—One of the features of the Legislature which has opened here is the passing of a bill providing that only British subjects shall sit on a mining arbitration board.

FOR OFFICERS COMMENCES MONDAY

Alleged to be Responsible for Sinking of Governor to Answer Charge of Negligence.