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Victory on Budget For Government IRISH ELECTIONS ON FRIDAY CENTRE OF INTEREST IN BRITAIN

Budget Carried by Majority of Eighteen: Supported by All The B. C. Progressives

OTTAWA, June 14.—The budget resolutions were carried by the House of Commons at an early hour this morning by a majority of eighteen. The vote stood 119 for and 101 against. It followed the defeat of the Drayton amendment by a huge majority. Nine Progressives and one Independent voted for the Government, including McBride of Cariboo, Humphreys of Kootenay and Neill of Comox-Alberni and seven Ontario Progressives.

After the vote on the Drayton amendment was taken showing a majority of 123, Hon. Arthur Meighen drew attention to the fact that seven Progressives and two Labor members had refrained from voting and were not paired.

The Speaker instructed them to put themselves on record while the House roared "No loafing on the job." The final vote on the Drayton amendment showed a majority against of 118. Miss McPhail, Ontario agrarian, supported Drayton and so did the two Labor members.

The vote came at half-past one this morning. There were no switches in either the Liberal or Conservative ranks, the Liberals voting for the budget and the Conservatives against it to a man. Crear and all the Progressives except nine voted against the budget.

ALASKA HERRING COMING THROUGH

Steamer Jefferson Coming in
Today—Motorship Apex
Was Here Yesterday.

The Admiral Line steamer Jefferson is due in Prince Rupert today with another shipment of mild cured herring from New Port, Alaska, for New York. The motorship Apex was in port yesterday with four carloads of this commodity which is being shipped to New York today. It is understood that these two vessels are only the first of a number which will call here during which will the season with a large quantity of herring which is to pass over the line of the Canadian National Railway through this port for the East.

ANTI-BLUES WIN FINAL VICTORY

No Appeal to be Made at Victoria
Against Magistrate's Decision

VICTORIA, June 14. — Police Commissioner Stenland announced that the commission will not appeal against Magistrate Jay's decision in dismissing the charges against the merchants infringing the Lord's Day Act. Enforcement of the act, he states, is practically at an end.

Mayor Marchant is out of town but without Commissioner Stenland's support he can do nothing as Commissioner North is opposed to the enforcement of the law.

TESTING IRON ORES IN SARATA DISTRICT ON VANCOUVER ISLAND

VICTORIA, June 14.—Rich iron ores in the Sarata district near Alberni are being tested by the provincial Government as one of the preliminaries to getting a steel industry started in British Columbia.

DEATH LIST MOUNTING.

NEW YORK, June 14.—Three more bodies, victims of Sunday's storm have been found. The police think the death list will reach 75.

HEAD OF SISTERS OF ST. JOSEPH ARRIVES TO VISIT CONVENT

Mother General Victoria, of the Sisters of St. Joseph, arrived today from Vancouver to spend a week visiting the local convent. Mother General Victoria, who is head of the Sisters of St. Joseph in Canada, has been visiting the Pacific Coast for some time. She comes from Toronto and is accompanied here by Sisters Claudia and Alacoqua.

LADIES' BRANCH OF LOYAL ORANGE LODGE BEING OPENED HERE

A lodge of the Loyal Orange Benevolent Association, ladies' branch of the Loyal Orange Lodge, is to be inaugurated in Prince Rupert tomorrow evening. Mrs. J. J. Tulk, Grand Mistress, having arrived from Vancouver on the Prince George today to take charge of the opening ceremonies. There are a large number of ladies in the city who will join tomorrow night as charter members.

Mrs. Lemon, 657 Fifth Avenue East, entertains tonight in honor of Mrs. Tulk.

Today's Conference on Irish Question May be Final: Elections Friday

LONDON, June 14.—Considerable optimism is felt regarding the status of the Irish negotiations and it is suggested in some quarters that today's conferences may be final ones. In any event it is declared that very little more discussion will be necessary for a complete agreement.

DUBLIN, June 14.—The leaders of the pro-treaty party manifested increasing confidence in the outcome of Friday's parliamentary elections and predict some surprises for the anti-t, claiming among other things that Erskins Childers and Mary McSweeney are certain to lose their seats.

Many complaints of intimidation are reported in districts where independent candidates are standing for election.

Riddled With Bullets

BELFAST, June 14. — The bodies of two unidentified men riddled with bullets and with their hands tied behind their backs were found lying by the roadside at Lislea, South Armagh, this morning.

PAY OF CLERGY IS DISCUSSED

Presbyterian General Assembly
Goes on Record Favor of
Minimum Wage

WINNIPEG, June 14.—The Presbyterian General Assembly went on record yesterday regretting the failure of the Pensions Board to carry out the agreement to pay all ministers a minimum stipend of \$1,800 at mission centres.

Chairman Sedgwick of the Pensions Board promptly resigned, complaining that the Assembly advocated payment in full of stipends but did not suggest where the money was coming from. The matter will probably be brought up again.

125,000 ALASKAN HERRING TO BE PUT UP DURING SEASON

SEATTLE, June 14.—The salting industry of Seattle and Alaska will put up 125,000 bbls. this year compared with 74,000 barrels last year. The increase is due to the increased demand for the product in New York.

COUNTY CRICKET

Middlesex beat Somerset by innings and 235 runs.
Lancashire beat Nottingham by an innings and 108 runs.
Surrey beat Yorkshire in the first innings.
Kent beat Essex by an innings and 205 runs.
Warwickshire beat Worcester by 223 runs.
Derbyshire beat Gloucester by 158 runs.
Hampshire beat Leicester in the first innings.
Sussex beat Northampton by an innings and 12 runs.

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ALLEGED CONFESSION OF MAN SAID TO HAVE CAUSED EXPLOSION

Man Who Committed Suicide in
Washington State May Have
Caused Trouble.

SEATTLE, June 14.—Canadian and United States authorities are investigating the alleged confession of William Johnson, alias N. Primatchek, who is said to have caused the explosion of three British ammunition ships in the harbor at Halifax late in the year 1917, resulting in many deaths and great destruction.

Johnson committed suicide in Skagit county, Washington, last month and is alleged to have made a confession to a mine watchman a few weeks before he killed himself. He was a native of Finland.

TUG LORNE IS TO GO INTO SERVICE AGAIN TOWING Q. C. LOGS

The G. T. P. tug Lorne is to be commissioned again next week towing logs from the Queen Charlotte Islands to Alert Bay, distributing point. This vessel has been tied up for several months and moved today from the ocean dock to No. 1 shed. Captain J. McKernan, of the Prince Albert, arrived today from Vancouver to take charge of her. The Albert, which has been running to San Francisco from Ocean Falls, is tied up at Vancouver for a short time.

REDISTRIBUTION WILL BE DISCUSSED SOON

OTTAWA, June 14. — Premier King promised inquiring members that the redistribution question would be discussed fully during the present session.

COAL BARGE LOST PART OF CARGO IN CHARLOTTE SOUND

The tug boat Louise, Captain W. Bell, has arrived in port with a scowload of Vancouver Island coal for Albert & McCaffery.

While in Queen Charlotte Sound on the way north the coal cargo on the scow shifted and it is estimated that somewhere over 50 tons was lost overboard. The weather was rough and windy and, just after the G. T. P. steamer Prince George had passed, the cargo started to shift in the addition swell. Capt. Bell immediately made for cover in Safety Cove and due to his good management in beaching the scow the greater portion of the 402 tons of coal aboard was saved.

FISH ARRIVALS.

Fish arrivals today were as follows:
Alpha, 4,000 pounds, sold to the Canadian Fish and Cold Storage Co at 6c and 3c.
Anne May, 7,500 pounds, sold to the Atlin Fisheries at 6.8c and 4c.
Plop, 2,500 pounds of red salmon, to Royal Fish Co at 13c.

APPLIED KNOWLEDGE.

May—This medicine surely makes your eyes smart.
Ray—Oh, put some on my head!—Topics of the Day.

JEFFERS IS COMING HERE

To Make Inspection of Booth
Memorial School With
Provincial Architect.

A. M. Jeffers, the prominent Edmonton architect and building expert, has replied to the message of the School Board asking him to come here and make an examination of the Booth Memorial School, intimating that he would be ready to leave Edmonton tomorrow night, his terms being \$500 and expenses. W. D. Vance, secretary of the board, yesterday afternoon wired to Mr. Jeffers accepting the terms and requesting him to come at once. Mr. Jeffers will be here on Saturday night's train. He will inspect the school building with Hugh Whittaker, provincial architect, who has been delegated by the government to come here for the purpose.

GOOD ROADS PRESIDENT

Hon. J. L. Perron, of the Quebec
Provincial Cabinet to Pre-
side Next Year

VICTORIA, June 14. — Hon. J. L. Perron, of Quebec provincial cabinet was elected president of the Good Roads Association for the ensuing year. F. L. Fellowes of Vancouver is the second vice-president.

SIGN ON THE DOOR TALMADGE PICTURE

Interesting Story to be Filmed
Tonight at Westholme
Theatre.

"The Sign on the Door," with beautiful and alluring Norma Talmadge as the star, will be shown tonight at the Westholme Theatre. The screen version of the Channing Pollock play is one of the most popular photo-dramas shown in this locality in a decade, it has demonstrated by its reception here that the public taste is for the artistic as well as the dramatic in motion picture production. "The Sign of the Door" is not only a triumph from the purely artistic side but it is a strong dramatic, compelling thing that brings both laughter and tears and tugs of the heart-strings.

BASEBALL

National League.
Pittsburg, 5; Boston, 8.
Cincinnati, 5; New York 5.
Chicago, 8; Brooklyn, 3.
St. Louis, 0; Philadelphia, 14.
American League.
Philadelphia-Cleveland, rain.
Boston, 0; Chicago, 5.
Washington, 1; Detroit, 5.
New York, 4; St. Louis, 13.
Coast League.
Oakland, 5; Salt Lake, 8.
Vernon, 4; Sacramento, 9.
Others travelling.
Western International.
Vancouver, 2; Tacoma, 1.
Calgary, 6; Edmonton, 4.
International League.
Syracuse, 5; Reading, 2.
Buffalo, 7; Newark, 0.
Toronto, 9; Jersey City, 8.
Rochester, 8; Baltimore, 2.

BIRTHS.

There was born to Mr. and Mrs. Dick Tarry, Sixth Avenue on June 10, a son.

Fierce Attacks Are Made on British Premier in The House of Commons

LONDON, June 14.—Premier Lloyd George resisted another attack in the House of Commons on a proposal to reduce the vote for the costs of his secretariat, which was rejected by a vote of 205 to 111 amid scenes of excitement during which there were cries of "resign."

The Premier's private secretary and staff organization was built up during the war and costs £33,000 annually.

Lloyd George predicted that no responsible government would in future dispense with this machine.

The matter of the reprieve of Major True convicted on a charge of murder, was brought up in the House yesterday. Home Secretary Short denied that any favoritism was shown in the reprieve of the slayer of Gertrude Yates, a reprieve which precipitated a terrific attack on the Premier in Parliament and in the press of the country.

700 VISITORS WILL BE HERE

Three Hundred B. C. Masons,
150 Rotarians, and 150
Mecca Temple New
York Shriners.

With three big excursion parties which will be in Prince Rupert next week this city will have 700 visitors. The Grand Masonic Lodge, arriving on Wednesday morning for a two day convention here, will bring at least 300 visitors. The Princess Charlotte, Captain William Boyce on which they are making the trip has been fully booked up for some time now. The New York Rotarian excursion, numbering 250, will be here for half an hour on Wednesday morning on their way East and the Mecca Temple Shriners of New York, on Saturday morning, will comprise 150 members.

Great preparations are being made here for the reception of the B. C. Masons. There will be the usual business of the convention with the social events going with it. Besides members of the Rotary Club from the south who are with the convention are to be invited to the Rotary Luncheon on Thursday. The Prince Rupert Club will also be thrown open for all the Masonic visitors. The Princess Charlotte will arrive on Wednesday and will return south on Friday.

Rotary Visitors.

The New York Rotary excursion will arrive from Seattle on Wednesday morning on the steamer Prince George, Captain Moorehouse. Their special train of 14 cars including Pullman sleepers and observation car, three Canadian National Dining and New York Central baggage cars, will be on hand on arrival of the steamer and will pull out for the East at 11 o'clock. During the half hour stay of the excursionists in the city it is planned to have an impromptu meeting with the local club in the upstairs rooms of the new station. G. K. Howard, general tourist agent from Toronto, is making the trip from Seattle to Montreal with the Rotarians as representative of the Canadian National Railways.

The Mecca Temple Shriners of New York will arrive from Seattle on the Prince Rupert, Capt. Donald, Saturday morning and will go East on their special train of ten cars half an hour after arrival. G. A. McNichol, assistant general freight and passenger agent here, is going south tomorrow night to Seattle and will accompany this party to Montreal as representative of the Canadian National Railways.

L.O.L. 2310. All Orangemen, their wives and lady friends are requested to attend the installation of L. O. B. A. Thursday evening at 8 p.m. prompt in the Metropole Hall.

TURKS CHARGED WITH MASSACRE

Archbishop Claims That 1,300
Women and Children Slaugh-
tered Inland From Black
Sea

LONDON, June 14. — Charges that thirteen hundred Christian women and children were taken by the Turks from Samson on the Black Sea to the interior and massacred near Kavak two weeks ago are contained in a telegram received by a Greek citizens' committee here from Archbishop Metaxakis, the Greek patriarch of Constantinople.

SKIRMISHER TO LEAVE FRIDAY

Will Take a Small Shipment of
Salmon From Here Before
Going on to Vancouver.

The Canadian Government Merchant Marine steamer Canadian Skirmisher will complete overhaul at the local dry dock and will go off the pontoons on Friday afternoon. The vessel will then take on a small shipment of Canadian Fish and Cold Storage salmon here and will clear for Vancouver the same evening.

More vessels of the fleet are expected here before long for overhaul but none are yet definitely set for arrival.

COST OF LIVING STILL GOES DOWN

So Reports Labor Department of
the British Government —
Statistics Given

LONDON, June 14.—There was a further slight decline in the cost of living during the month of May according to the Labor Department. The average cost of the family budget of staple foods on sixty cities was \$10.20 as against \$10.26 in April and \$12.25 in May, 1921, and \$7.43 in May, 1914.

VARSEY WON ROYAL HUNT CLUB RACE

ASCOT, June 14. — Varsey, owned by F. Greflon, won the Royal Hunt Club handicap here today. Stratford was second and Grubenmore third.