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PREMIER BONAR LAW SUBMITS RESIGNATION

NURSES' HOME DRIVE ENDS SUCCESSFULLY; CAMPAIGN STILL IN PROGRESS

Speculation Favors Baldwin as Successor to Retired Premier; Lord Curzon is also Mentioned

LONDON, May 21.—Newspapers of every shade of opinion deplore the retirement of Rt. Hon. Andrew Bonar Law from the prime ministership, especially expressing regret at its cause. Nowhere is there a discordant note.

Both the Daily Express and the Post endorse Rt. Hon. Stanley Baldwin, chancellor of the exchequer, as Mr. Bonar Law's successor, the opinion being that Lord Curzon could not possibly form a ministry without the aid of Mr. Baldwin.

The country bids fair to be without a premier through Whit Monday at least.

King George is at Aldershot and up to this afternoon had not asked anyone to accept the premiership so far as is known to the public.

Political gossip is of the opinion that Lord Curzon will be offered the premiership and that neither he or Mr. Baldwin will be the new prime minister.

BONAR LAW RESIGNED

Following Announcement by
Doctors That His Early
Recovery Cannot be
Hoped For

LONDON, May 21.—Following an announcement from three physicians that his health is not good and that an early recovery from his throat trouble cannot be hoped for, Premier Andrew Bonar Law today sent his resignation to the King who accepted it with much regret.

A successor is not suggested by Mr. Bonar Law who leaves his cabinet as a potential ministry for the prime minister who will follow him.

WILLS TO MEET DEMPSEY NEXT

Jack Kearns Says There Will be
No Bout With Jess Willard or
Luis Firpo

GREAT FALLS, May 21.—Jack Kearns says that Jack Dempsey will not meet Jess Willard or Luis Firpo whatever may be the outcome of their summer bouts, as they are neither worthy opponents or good drawing cards.

GOOD PROGRESS BUCKLEY BAY

Buckley Returning From
Sands, Says New Machinery
to be Put in

Buckley, managing director of the Massett Lumber Co., accompanied by J. A. director, who have been on a trip of inspection to the mill at Buckley Bay, Charlotte Islands, called at this morning on the launch Euphonia, leaving for Vancouver.

Buckley expressed himself as satisfied with the manner in which the work of the large saw mill was progressing. The question of putting on a double shift in abeyance for some time as the new machinery has to be installed and tuned up. There are no logs in the water at the mill now than the present machinery can cope with and it is the idea of keeping pace with the logs being cut that the installation of additional machinery is being undertaken.

LEAGUE RECEIVES \$100,000 OFFER TO MEET JOE BECKETT

NEW YORK, May 21.—Mike Sine, the world's light heavyweight champion, has received a offer of \$100,000 to meet Joe Beckett in Dublin on August 1 of the European title.

EARLY OPENING OF YUKON NAVIGATION

DAWSON, May 21.—The first steamer for Dawson is expected to leave Whitehorse on May 28, constituting one of the earliest openings of navigation for the Yukon River on record. All the ice is gone except on Lake Lebarge where it is crumbling fast.

ZEV WINNER OF KENTUCKY DERBY

Harry Sinclair Gets \$50,000 in
Addition to \$7,500 Gold Plate
—Even Field

LOUISVILLE, Kentucky, May 21.—The \$50,000 prize in the Kentucky Derby on Saturday was won by Zev owned by Harry Sinclair. Martingale was second and Vigil, third.

In this, the forty-ninth renewal of the Kentucky Derby, there was one of the most evenly balanced fields in many years. The race was worth \$64,000 in addition to the winner's gold plate valued at \$7,500. This was quite a contrast with the first Derby in 1875 when Aristides romped home ahead of the field to win \$2,850.

WOULD BUILD MILL IN CITY

James Innes, of Eburne, Makes
Enquiry of Board of Trade

The secretary of the Board of Trade is in receipt of a letter from Jas. Innes, of Eburne, B.C., who is enquiring on behalf of a friend in the east for a mill site on which to erect a flour mill. Mr. Innes asks in his letter if the city would be prepared to take stock in a limited stock company for the erection of such a mill and as to whether the city would offer a bonus. The letter will come up for discussion at the next meeting of the Board of Trade.

U.S. MONEY IN CANADA

Bankers Trust Co. Reports Two
and a Half Billion Invested
in Dominion

NEW YORK, May 21.—A survey of Canadian industry by the Bankers' Trust Co. reveals that \$2,500,000,000 of American money is invested in Canada, half of it since 1915. Bonds total \$1,200,000,000 and the balance is invested in farms, mortgages, industries, banking and private loans. The company predicts that, at an early date, American capital invested in Canada will equal that of Great Britain.

BRITISH PREMIER RESIGNS.



The above is one of the latest pictures of Mr. Bonar Law. It shows him leaving No. 10 Downing Street on his way to the House of Commons before he left on his health-seeking trip to Switzerland.

Nearly Thirteen Thousand Dollars Collected for Hospital Building; Highest Collection Gonzales Team

The Nurses' Home building fund campaign came to a successful close on Saturday night with the total money raised for the purpose standing at \$12,807.29. Following the drive, it was announced that the campaign would in reality be in progress for some time yet with T. Ross Mackay in charge, making his headquarters at the Red Cross Hut. By the time all persons have been canvassed, the total, it is expected, will reach over the \$13,000 mark. The leading team in the campaign was that of Milton Gonzales with a total of \$1,586 to its credit. J. L.

GRAHAM BELL QUITS C.N.R.

Will Return to Deputy Minister-
ship of Railways
and Canals, It is
Announced

MONTREAL, May 21.—It is officially stated that Major Graham A. Bell, vice-president in charge of finance and accounts for the Canadian National Railways, will return to his office as deputy minister of railways and canals for the Dominion government by whom he was loaned to the railways. The two railway departments are under the direction of Sir Henry Thornton for the time being.

SLIGHT OPERATION ON MR. BONAR LAW

According to Statement Issued
This Afternoon by Physicians
of Retired British Premier

LONDON, May 21.—Physicians of Rt. Hon. Andrew Bonar Law, retired British premier, this afternoon issued a statement to the effect that Mr. Bonar Law had a slight operation on his throat today. Otherwise, his condition is unchanged.

HUGE GERMAN DEBT TO U.S. PROTEST TO CONFERENCE

American Claims Include 12,416
Items and Total \$1,497,046.-
313

WASHINGTON, May 21.—American claims against Germany contain 12,416 items for a total sum of \$1,497,046.313, of which \$22,606,000 comprises claims of sufferers from the Lusitania sinking to be settled first and a total from the government itself of \$336,144,000, of which \$225,000,000 is the cost of the army of occupation. The last is subject to negotiation with the Allied Council at Paris and may not be pressed against Germany.

MRS. HEALY PASSES AWAY

Death of Popular Local Lady Oc-
curred Yesterday in Seattle
Hospital

Mrs. Esther Isobel Healy, wife of A. W. Healy, of this city, died yesterday morning in a Seattle hospital. Word to this effect was received by friends in the city by wire and advice was also contained in a despatch to the Daily News this morning. The funeral will take place at Vancouver tomorrow.

The late Mrs. Healy was most esteemed and a wide circle of friends in the city who have received news of her sudden demise with profound shock and regret. Taking an active part in the social and religious life of the city, she was regent of the Queen Mary Chapter, Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire, and a teacher in the St. Andrew's Anglican Church Sunday School as well as a member of the Caledonia Diocesan Board of the Women's Auxiliary and the Japanese Mission Board. She also belonged to the Ladies' Musical Club and the Ladies' Reading Club.

The late Mrs. Healy, who was a native of Nova Scotia, and was of United Empire Loyalist descent, came to Prince Rupert with her husband seven or eight years ago. Only a few weeks ago she went south with Mr. Healy for medical treatment having been in poor health for some time.

Besides the widower, who is on the staff of the F. G. Dawson wholesale house, Mrs. Healy is survived by a brother, C. H. Macaulay, of the prominent firm of Vancouver brokers, Macaulay, Nicholls & Maitland. A sister also resides in Vancouver.

GREENWOOD FARM SOLD

GREENWOOD, May 21.—William Jenks, the pioneer rancher of Greenwood, has sold his farm to Robert Forshaw and will remove to the coast.

***** FLOWERFUL WON WOODBINE RACE *****

TORONTO, May 21.—Flowerful, of Seagram stables, won the sixty-fourth King's Prize, running on the Woodbine track Saturday afternoon. Chechno was second and Trail Blazer third. Flowerful won by a length.

***** RENFREW MILLS ARE DESTROYED BY FIRE *****

Plant of Which Hon. Thos. Low is President Goes up in Flames—Insured

RENFREW, May 21.—The mills and warehouse of the Renfrew Mills, of which Hon. Thomas Low, minister without portfolio in the federal government, is president, were destroyed by fire. The loss was \$225,000 covered by insurance.