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FAVOR FOR LIQUOR IMPORTATION MEASURE

STILL ANOTHER NON-STOP FLIGHT RECORD SET UP BY AMERICAN AVIATOR

SUDDEN DEATHS IN VANCOUVER

Girl Shoots Herself; Man Falls
Down Stairs; Woman's Body
Washed Ashore

VANCOUVER, May 28.—Three
tragedies marred the week end
here.

Anna Boyd, aged 23, employed
in a local theatre, shot herself
through the lungs, according to
the police, and is not expected to
recover.

Mike Gettings, aged 66, fell
down the stairway of a local
hotel on Saturday night and
died yesterday.

The body of a woman, about 42
years of age, believed to be that
of Miss Catherine Groll, a sten-
ographer employed by Peabody's
Ltd., salmon packers, was washed
ashore on Sunday morning in the
First Narrows. Her hat, umbrella
and handbag were located on the
shore near where the body was
found.

PIONEER OF YUKON DIES

Paul S. Hogan Succumbed at
Keno Hill to an Attack of
Heart Failure

DAWSON, May 28.—Paul S.
Hogan, prominent in the political
and business life of the Yukon,
died of heart failure at Keno Hill.
He was a former member of the
Yukon legislature, his term hav-
ing expired last June. A pioneer
of the Alton camp in British
Columbia, Mr. Hogan afterwards
lived for several years at White-
horse where for a time he pub-
lished a paper.

FARMER GIRLS FROM ENGLAND

Winners of Sir Henry Thornton's
Scholarships to Study Cana-
dian Methods

MONTREAL, May 28.—The four
English farmette winners of
the scholarships offered by Sir
Henry Thornton, head of the Cana-
dian National Railway system,
have arrived here. All experts in
farming they will remain for four
months in Canada studying Cana-
dian methods and visiting the
various provinces.

WORTHINGTON-EVANS POSTMASTER-GENERAL

Former Secretary For War Ac-
cepts Post in Premier Bal-
win's Cabinet

LONDON, May 28.—Sir Lam-
ing Worthington-Evans, secre-
tary for war in the Lloyd George
cabinet, has accepted the office
of postmaster-general under
Premier Baldwin.

SEVEN KILLED IN DETROIT ACCIDENT

Street Car and Automobile Collide
on Street With Serious Re-
sults

DETROIT, May 28.—Seven
were killed and several injured
when an auto collided with a
heavy street car. Bounced off the
tracks, the car struck three
other automobiles on the street
and wrecked one.

Manson's Liquor Amendment Favored by New Brunswick; Hopeful That it Will Pass

VICTORIA, May 28.—According to word received by Hon.
A. M. Manson, attorney general, the government of the province
of New Brunswick has signified its approval of the amendment
to the Canada Temperance Act which would give the govern-
ments of British Columbia and Quebec the sole right to import
liquor.

This approval, coming after the announcement that the
prairie provinces are in accord with the intent of the amendment,
strengthens Mr. Manson's hope that the result of tomorrow's
discussion of the question in the Senate will be favorable.

RICH STRIKE IN KLONDYKE

Ball Breaks Up and Old-
time Stampede Starts
From Dawson

DAWSON, May 28.—The
Empire Day ball in this city
was broken up at midnight
on Thursday when it was an-
nounced that a new silver
ledge had been discovered at
Happy Creek, forty miles
south of here. An old time
stampede was staged and
there was a wild race and
scramble for launches and
boats. The ledge is reported
to have been found by James
Robinson and an Indian
named Jack Laskie.

HARD COURT TENNIS

W. H. Johnston and Susanne
Lenglen Win World's Titles
at St. Cloud, France

ST. CLOUD, France, May 28.—
William H. Johnston won the
men's single hard court tennis
championship of the world by
defeating J. W. Asher, of Bel-
gium, by scores of 4-6, 6-2, 4-6
and 6-4.

Susanne Lenglen won the
women's title defeating Katherine
McKane, of England, 6-3 and 6-3.

FISH ARRIVALS

One American boat marketed
6,500 pounds, and seven Cana-
dian boats marketed 36,000
pounds, a total of 42,500 pounds
of halibut on the Fish Exchange
this morning. There was little
difference in prices for American
and Canadian fish and second
class catches.

The arrivals and sales were:
American
Emblem, 6,500 pounds, at 15.0c
and 10c; to the Royal Fish Co.
Canadian

Rosepoint, 6,500 pounds, at
15c, and 10c; Ethel June 4,000
pounds at 14.5c, and 10.5c; Gib-
son, 1,000 pounds at 14.5c, and
10c; to the Royal Fish Co.

E. Lipsett, 9,000 pounds, at
14.5c, and 10.5c; to the Canadian
Fish & Cold Storage Co.

Lillian M., 6,500 pounds, at
15.3c, and 10.5c; and Agnes B.,
6,000 pounds, at 14.3c, and 10.5c,
to the Booth Fisheries Canadian
Co.

Westerner, 3,000 pounds, at
14c, and 10.5c; to the Alton Fish-
eries.

Rev. Dr. R. J. Simpson, of
Toronto, head of the Methodist
Church superannuation fund for
Canada, passed through the city
on Saturday afternoon. He at-
tended the recent B.C. Methodist
Church conference at New West-
minster and left on the evening
train for Edmonton where he
will attend the Alberta confer-
ence.

FRENCH TAKE CASH FROM ESSEN BANK

ESSEN, May 28.—The
French government has
seized ninety billion francs
from the Reich bank here
to pay certain bills which
the Germans claimed they
were unable to pay.

LEAGUE BASEBALL

SATURDAY'S GAMES

National League
St. Louis 5, Pittsburgh 4.
Philadelphia 3, New York 4.
Brooklyn 5, Boston 0.
Cincinnati 4, Chicago 5.
American League
Washington 3, Boston 2.
Philadelphia 8, New York 10.
Chicago 2, Detroit 1.
Cleveland 0, St. Louis 1.

Coast League
Sacramento 6, Seattle 3.
Salt Lake City 1, Portland 5.
Vernon 7, Oakland 6.
San Francisco 2, Los Angeles 3.

SUNDAY SCORES

National League
Philadelphia 4, New York 12.
Boston 5, Brooklyn 6.
St. Louis 1, Cincinnati 2.
Pittsburgh 4, Chicago 2.
American League
Chicago 0, Detroit 6.
Cleveland 6, St. Louis 2.
New York 8, Washington 1.
Coast League
Sacramento 4-4; Seattle 6-7.
Vernon 2-5; Oakland 7-3.
San Francisco 10-7; Los An-
geles 3-3.
Salt Lake City 6-1; Portland
7-6.

CLEAVAGE IN TORY PARTY

Chamberlain Tells Constituents
That Baldwin Did Not Seek
His Aid

LONDON, May 28.—A letter
from Rt. Hon. Austen Chamber-
lain to his constituents stating
that Premier Baldwin did not ask
his help in forming a ministry
has caused a sensation. It is
generally believed that there is
now a cleavage in the Conserva-
tive party which the change of
premiership, it had been hoped,
would have removed.

FIGHTING IN GERMANY

WERDEN, May 28.—Seven
persons were killed and 93
wounded in clashes over the
week-end between civilians and
volunteer police and Commun-
ists.

A. W. Healy returned from
Vancouver on the Prince George
Saturday afternoon.

More Hebrideans Canada Bound



Typical of a happy type.
THE Hebrideans are a home loving
race of people not much given to
wandering from their native hearths,
but the arrival at St. John aboard
the Canadian Pacific steamships
Marloch and Metagama of over six
hundred sturdy men and women of
the western isles, forced by stern ne-
cessity to seek their fortunes in the
land of promise is not without prece-
dent. In the year 1802 a contin-
gent of 111 was brought from the
Isle of Mull by Lord Selkirk to de-
velop the sheep industry on St. Clair
Plains, Kent County. If times were
hard when these people left home,
late was not more kind to them after
they had settled here. Forty-five of
their number were carried off by
fever in the first year and the war
of 1812 wiped out the settlement.
In 1812 Lord Selkirk's agent, Colin
Robinson, of the Isle of Lewis, per-
suaded a number of his fellow island-
ers to whom the abolition of the Clan
system had brought high rents and
misery, to settle in the Red River
district. This party encountered
the hostilities of the Indians and,
through their industry and progres-
sion, the jealousy of the white traders.
When the settlement was wiped
out on one occasion and many of
them wiped out, the remainder were
forced to leave. However, they re-
turned in time to harvest the first
western wheat crop and many attrib-
ute to this fact that Winnipeg stands
where it does to-day.

BANDITS SEIZE LARGE PAYROLL

Illinois Postmaster and Clerk
Held up and \$45,000 is Stolen

ST. ANTON, Illinois, May 28.—
Five armed men, on Saturday
evening held up the postmaster
and a postal clerk in the heart of
the city and escaped with \$45,-
000, the payroll of the coal mines
here. A pouch containing the
money was being carried from
the train to the post office when
the robbery occurred. The band-
its escaped in an automobile.

LIQUOR SELLERS FROM STEWART TO OKALLA

Special Constables Arrived From
North Last Night With Four
Prisoners

Special Provincial Constables
W. Rudman and W. T. Bell, of
Stewart, arrived in the city on
the steamer Prince George last
night having in custody R. J.
Murphy, W. Patterson, R. W.
Keith and A. Roseng. Murphy,
Patterson and Keith were sen-
tenced at Stewart to six months
imprisonment at the Okalla
prison farm for selling liquor,
and Roseng received a like sen-
tence for vagrancy. Roseng was
removed to the General Hospital
last night by Provincial Con-
stable Martin for medical atten-
tion to his arm which had been
injured as the result of intoxica-
tion. The prisoners will be taken
south on Thursday.

OTTAWA ANNOUNCES ADMIRALTY COURT

(Special Daily News)
OTTAWA, May 28.—The
Department of Justice an-
nounces that admiralty
jurisdiction in British
Columbia is being divided
to provide for two courts
instead of one. Judge F.
McB. Young has been ap-
pointed surrogate judge
in admiralty for the
northern district with head-
quarters at Prince Rupert.

AMUNDSEN MAY HAVE DIFFICULTY

Exports Say That Magnetic Cur-
rents Will Interfere With
Trans-Polar Flight

COPENHAGEN, May 28.—A
fear is expressed by experts that
Amundsen, the explorer, who
will attempt a flight across the
North Pole next month, may en-
counter unknown magnetic cur-
rents in the inner Arctic zone
which may upset the compass and
cause him to fly in circles.

Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Andrews,
of Chilliwack, are visiting in the
city with Mr. and Mrs. M. M.
Stephens. Mr. Andrews, who is
pastor of the Methodist Church
at Chilliwack, is on holidays.
From here he and Mrs. Andrews
will proceed to Burns Lake to
visit their daughter who is
teaching school there. Then they
will leave for a visit in Ontario.

BREAKS ONE MAN RECORD

American Aviator Files Non-
stop Mexico to Canada
in 12 Hours

MOUNT CLEMENS, May
28.—Lieut. Harrison Crocker
landed here last night com-
pleting a non-stop flight
from the Gulf of Mexico to
Canada and breaking the
world's record for a one-
man plane. The distance of
1,400 miles was done in 11
hours and 45 minutes.

Assistant Air Chief Gen-
eral Mitchell declared that
this, with the recent coast to
coast flight by Aviators Oak-
ley and McCready, demon-
strates that the United
States can put an air force in
the centre of the country and
move to any border within 11
hours.

SCHOONERS TO TAKE LUMBER FROM JUNEAU

Three Vessels Chartered by
Frisco Company to Carry
Spruce to Australia

W. L. Conyn & Co., of San
Francisco, have chartered three
schooners, Annie Conyn, Russell
Havside and Phyllis Conyn, to
load spruce lumber at Juneau,
Alaska, for Australia, on a basis
of \$16.50 per thousand feet.

R. A. Beaven, provincial police
constable at Ocean Falls, return-
ing south last night after spend-
ing a few days in the city.

BUILDING BEAR RIVER BRIDGE

Work on Fill Proceeding Satis-
factorily — Kispiox River
Bridge Also Under Way

Major R. M. Taylor, provincial
district public works engineer, re-
ports that the work on the fill
across the Bear River near Stew-
art is proceeding satisfactorily,
and it is expected to make a start
on the building of the new bridge
immediately after high water. The
new bridge is being built on the
main road from Stewart to Bitter
Creek. Some fifteen men will be
employed on the work.

The building of the new bridge
across the Kispiox River, north of
Hazelton, is well under way, all
the material for which is on or-
der. Work will commence as soon
as the high water recedes and
the bridge will be completed this
summer.

ESTABLISHES IN EUROPE

C.N.R. Has Manager For Contin-
ent—Ambitious Office in
Paris

PARIS, May 28.—Sir Henry
Thornton, president of the Cana-
dian National Railways, has ap-
pointed Arnold Aronovici, con-
tinental manager of the Great
Eastern Railway in England, to be
general continental agent of the
Canadian National Railways.

The Hotel Scribe here has been
purchased for 28,000,000 francs
about \$1,818,000, and the Cana-
dian National Railways will oc-
cupy the whole ground floor of
the building. The basement will
be turned into a moving picture
theatre showing Canadian views.

TO TOW CEDAR LOGS FROM ALASKA SOUTH

Davis Rafts Will be Taken From
Ketchikan to Puget Sound

The Bellingham Tug & Barge
Co., of Bellingham, Wash., is to
start its tug Richard Holyoke
towing cedar logs from Ketchi-
kan to Everett, Wash. A Davis
raft of one million feet will be
taken each trip. If the results
are successful, considerable
quantities of Alaska timber may
be manufactured by Puget Sound
mills. The cedar supply tribu-
tary to Puget Sound is steadily
decreasing and mills now find it
necessary to look further afield
for their logs.

QUEBEC VILLAGE IS RAVAGED BY FLAMES

Seventy-Eight Families Homeless
and \$400,000 Damage is
Done at Ste. Agathe

MONTREAL, May 28.—Seventy-
eight families were driven from
their homes when 150 buildings
were destroyed in a fire which
ravaged the village of Ste. Agathe.
The damage amounted to \$400,000.

CONSERVATIVE LEADER

LONDON, May 28.—Prime
Minister Baldwin was chosen
leader of the Conservative party
at a party meeting this morning.

The Union steamer Ghelohsin
Capt. Stacey, arrived in port at
2 o'clock this morning and left
for Anyox, Alice Arm, and in-
termediate ports of call at 4.