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BRITISH FLYERS DEFINITELY DECIDE TO COME BY WAY OF PRINCE RUPERT

Rival Flights Round the World will be Race Against Time to Secure Honor of Finishing First

OTTAWA, April 11. — The passage across Canada of the British airmen in their round-the-world flight will be a race against time, the similar flight begun by the United States airmen having started a competition between the two countries for the honor of being the first to complete a world flight.

The itinerary of the British aviators provides for landing of the British fliers at Prince Rupert and arrangements for their departure from Sdyney, Nova Scotia, by way of Newfoundland has been completed by the Royal Air Force, which will supply the airmen with large scale maps of the country they will traverse from Prince Rupert eastward and will facilitate their Canadian tour.

The longest stop on the trans-Canada flight will be at Ottawa where two days will be spent installing a new engine.

The British airship 'eft about March 25 and is at present on the Island of Corfu awaiting a new engine.

ADVERSE WEATHER DELAYS AIRPLANES FLIGHT WESTWARD

SITKA, April 11.—Definite announcement that the four United States airplanes, which arrived here yesterday on the world flight will not leave before tomorrow was made by flight Commander Major Martin who said the weather reports received made it uncertain when they would continue the journey.

LABOR GAINS IN AUSTRALIA

Now Controls Situation in West Australia and Will Form Coalition Government

PERTH, April 11.—The fate of the government of Sir James Michell is sealed after a period of uncertainty following the general election in Western Australia. The defeat of the ministry is now an established fact. The Labor party gained 26 seats and the other parties combined had only 24. Labor is now the strongest in the House of Representatives and may join forces with the anti-government section of the Country Party in forming a new administration.

URGES ACCEP T EXPERT REPORT

Sir Robert Horne Strongly Urges Nations of Europe to Bring About Peace

LONDON, April 11—Sir Robert Stevenson Horne, former chancellor or the exchequer, in a speech warmly commented o n the report of the reparations experts. He said it was urgent that the nations go ahead along the lines proposed and try to bring peace to Europe. He was unable to imagine Germany refusing the proferred settlement, he said, and France ought to be convinced of the desirability of taking this remedy. He believed Great Britain would be willing to accept.

VISITS OTTAWA ON DEPARTMENT BUSINESS

VICTORIA, April 11.—Premier Oliver left yesterday for Vancouver en route to Ottawa. The premier's trip is being made at this time largely at the request of the federal government to discuss various departmental matters outstanding between the province and the Dominion.

NOTICE.

Take Notice that all persons are required to put their premises in good sanitary condition on or before the 22nd day of April, 1924. Any person failing to do so will be prosecuted according to law.

By order of the council.

E. F. JONES,
City Solicitor.

MEASLES EPIDEMIC AFFECTING SCHOOLS

Was General Last Month, Superintendent Hurn States In Attendance Report

Attendance for the city schools during the month of March was reported as follows by H. S. Hurn, superintendent, to the board last night:

	Boys	Girls	Ttl.
Booth	185	178	363
Borden	130	128	258
Seal Cove	29	20	49
Totals	344	326	670

Principal Brady reported that attendance continued satisfactory at the High School. There had been only three or four absentees on account of measles.

Mr. Hurn reported that the measles epidemic had continued and was very general. Percentage attendance, averaging 77.66 for the month, had dropped as low as 56 per cent in some grades.

MUD CONDITIONS UP LINE DELAYS TRAINS

Tonight's Passenger Train From the East Will be at Least Two Hours Late

Heavy rains are causing mud slides in Bulkley Canyon east of Hazelton and train service as a consequence is somewhat interfered with. The passenger train due at 4.30 this afternoon is late and last reports were that she would be at least two hours behind time in arriving.

AMENDMENT LIKELY TO INCOME TAX ACT

OTTAWA, April 11. — When the budget resolutions are considered in detail in committee gossip has it that Hon. J. A. Robb, acting minister of finance, will likely move for an amendment to the Income Tax Act, which will increase from $300 to $500 the exemption granted for every child.

LEAGUE BASEBALL

Coast League

San Francisco 10, Portland 9.
Salt Lake 17, Oakland 18.
Los Angeles 8, Seattle 3.
Sacramento 6, Vernon 9.

IMMIGRATION IS DISCUSSED

Official From England Says Many Countries Oppose Their People Leaving

MONTREAL, Que., April 11.—Dr. W. J. Black, European manager of the colonization and development department of the Canadian National Railways arrived in Montreal yesterday from London, England. The purpose of Dr. Black's visit is to confer with officers of the system concerning several important points on immigration and on the completion of his business here he will return at once to Great Britain.

So far as a general influx of skilled labor from the British Isles is concerned, Dr. Black sounded a warning. "If Canada enjoys a building boom in the near future," he said, "there will be no use in contractors looking to Great Britain for a supply of bricklayers and plasterers. There are not sufficient men in these trades to supply the demand in the British Isles now, even though the requirements cannot be characterized as out of the ordinary."

Speaking of immigration conditions generally, Dr. Black pointed out that France, Sweden, Denmark and to some extent Norway are not prepared to countenance emigration to any considerable degree, although from all the countries mentioned, with the exception of France, which is seeking immigration, large numbers of people suitable for land settlement could be secured if they did not lack sufficient capital to purchase the equipment required for farming operations. He considered it questionable whether a heavy influx of people of this class could be expected until economic conditions throughout Europe improve.

Switzerland and Holland are both favorably inclined towards emigration, and Dr. Black believes there will be little difficulty in securing workers for farms and other industries as fast as Canada can absorb them.

At the men's banquet at the First Presbyterian Church, Victoria, yesterday, Hon. T. D. Pattullo and George R. Naden were down for responses to toasts.

THINGS THAT SOON WILL BE HERE.

The survey is under way and construction will soon commence on road to Skeena River from Prince Rupert.

Glasgow Member Scraps with Colonel Amery in House of Commons and Both Apologize

LONDON, April 11.—An affray took place in the House of Commons last night when Colonel Amery and G. Buchanan, Labor member for Glasgow, came to blows as the outcome of warm feeling over the Evictions Bill. The matter was referred to by Speaker Whitley, who said he was determined to protect the good name of parliament. If such a disturbance occurred again he would probably inflict the penalty of suspension for one day.

Mr. Buchanan said he regretted the incident and unreservedly withdrew the expressions, "A little swine" and "guttersnipe" which he had applied to Colonel Amery in consequence of the colonel's reference in the speech to poor people.

Colonel Amery said he gladly accepted Buchanan's expression of regret and hoped that the member would bear him no ill will.

SLIGHT REDUCTION SCHOOL ESTIMATES

Two Items Totalling $6,761.23 Have Been Lopped Off Budget for Year

An arrangement reached between a committee of the school board and the finance committee of the city council whereby the school estimates for 1924 are reduced by $6,761.23 was confirmed by the school board last night. The total figure is made up of two items lopped off—$2,500 for legal expenses and $4,261.23 representing the school board' surplus of estimates over expenditure last year. In the course of the discussion, it was pointed out by Trustee Parker that the school rate this year was 10.80, only a slight increase over 10.68 last year in spite of a greatly reduced assessment.

WOMEN WANT RIGHT TO BECOME MINISTERS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

HAMILTON, April 11.—Presbyterian women of Ontario represented by 900 delegates attending provincial women's missionary society of the Presbyterian church passed a resolution memorializing the general Assembly to allow women to become ordained for the ministry.

RECORD PRICE FOR SALMON

Billy Boy Received 24.90 Cents a Pound for 1500 Pounds Red Springs

HALIBUT CATCHES SMALL

The highest price on record was paid today by the Royal Fish Company for the catch of 1500 pounds of red spring salmon when they secured it for 24.90 cents a pound. Red salmon has been dear lately but this beats everything before offered at the fish exchange.

Owing to the bad weather, halibut catches have been small. A good many boats have tied up awaiting better conditions and those that have been out have brought in very small catches. The bad weather this spring has seriously affected the totals for the season so far. Sales today were:

American

Adeline, 3,000 to Atlin Fisheries at 11.10c and 5c.

Canadian

Oh Bill 800 and Swing 1,000 to Atlin Fisheries at 11.10c and 6c.

Osumi 3,000 to Cold Storage at 11.20c and 6c.

Imperieuse 6,500 to Royal Fish Co. at 11.10c and 6c.

Carruthers, 80,000, discharged to Cold Storage plant without selling.

BIRTHS

There was born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Dunbar, Clapp Building, yesterday a daughter.

A son was born Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Smith, Sixth Avenue.

New Capital Interested in Whalen Pulp Concern

Will Have to be Reorganization and Much of Capital Written off if Plans go Through.

(Special to Prince Rupert Daily News)

VANCOUVER, April 11.—New capital has been interested in the Whalen Pulp & Paper Company and a new scheme of finance has been devised for the rejuvenation of the concern, it was announced by E. M. Mills, receiver, on his return from the East.

The bondholders and debenture holders of the company are to meet in the East at an early date and after the details of the plan have been worked out it is expected that local creditors will be asked to meet representatives of the bond and debenture holders.

"A new issue of capital will be necessary," said Mr. Mills, "and it will be necessary to write off much of the valuation and depreciation that has been carried for some time, before this new capital will take hold of the plants."

According to Mr. Mills, the world markets are slack at the present time as the United States is the only buyer of pulp.

SYSTEMS OF ENTRANCE PASSING DISCUSSED

Board Delays Decision as to Whether Government Test or Promotion Plans to be Adopted

Superintendent H. S. Hurn asking what the board's policy was to be this year, the school board discussed last night the question of whether a certain percentage of Entrance pupils are to be allowed to pass on principal's recommendation or whether all will be required to take the government test.

Mr. Hurn himself favored the government system. Trustee Williams championed the promotion plan on the basis of year's work but Trustees Orme and Rochester were inclined to the government test plan. Chairman Parker saw advantages and disadvantages in both systems. The question was laid on the table for a month.

BOYS OF FRANCE IN RUGBY GAME OUTPLAY SCHOLARS FROM WALES

PARIS, April 11.—In an international rugby match here yesterday, a team of French schoolboys overwhelmed a similar team from the schools of Wales by a score of 23 to 0.

TERRACE CONSTABLE BEING TRANSFERRED

Provincial Police Constable C. A. Mancor of Terrace is being transferred to Britannia Beach and he will leave for there with his family next Tuesday. He will be succeeded by Constable Eggleshaw who is due next week from Savona.

The Kiwanis of Vancouver are again asking if there are any homes in this district that would be willing to adopt under-privileged children or to give them foster homes. Rev. G. D. Smithson of the local Baptist Church is acting locally for the Kiwanis.

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HON. JOHN HART IS RESIGNING

Will Retire from Public Life at Next Election to go Back to Business

VICTORIA, April 11. — Hon. John Hart, minister of finance in the Oliver Government and member of the Legislature for this city, will retire from politics at the next election. The decision was announced officially today.

Mr. Hart's retirement is caused by the demands of his own business. No successor will be named until after the election, it is understood. He will remain in office until that time.

In a letter to the Premier annonucing his decision to retire, Mr. Hart declares he retains the complete loyalty to the Government and the Liberal party.

LOCKOUT TO BE IN SHIPYARDS

Will be Effective Tonight When Over 100,000 Men Will be Out

LONDON, April 11.—The shipbuilding employers' federation announced today that since the striking shipyard workers at Southampton had not resumed work in accordance with instructions of their executive councils, their union's lockout notices throughout the country would become effective at the close of work tonight. One hundred thousand men will be affected by the lockout.

WRECKED VESSEL SOUTH CAROLINA MAID OF FRANCE

WILMINGTON, N.C., April 11.—A wrecked vessel, believed to be the Maid of France, eight days overdue here from Barbadoes, is reported off the coast. Two bodies are reported floating on the ocean near the wreck.

TIDES ARE NOT HIGH ENOUGH TO LET BOAT FLOAT OFF THE ROCKS

Capt. T. M. Wilkie returned last night from the scene of the wreck of the steamer Admiral Rodman. So far the tides have not been high enough to take the vessel off and it is anticipated that it will not be possible to float her for at least another week.