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BRITISH EMPIRE EXHIBITION OPENED TODAY

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE ANNOUNCES HE WILL WORK TOWARD DISARMAMENT

British Empire Exhibition was Opened Today by King George at big Stadium, Wembley, London

WEMBLEY, London, April 23.—The British Empire exhibition covering 220 acres of ground and including displays from every part of the Empire was opened today by King George and will continue open until September. It will be the mecca of thousands from overseas as well as millions of those residing in the United Kingdom.

The exhibition was formally turned over to the King by the Prince of Wales as president.

The opening was a colorful ceremony. It took place in the huge stadium with all the pagentry which surrounds public activities of British Royalty. The addresses of the King and the Prince of Wales were picked up by radio and hundreds of thousands of people throughout the British Islands heard the King's voice for the first time.

PREMIER'S SON WOUNDED IN DUEL

NAPLES, Apl. 23—A duel with swords was fought today by Vincenzo Nitti, son of a former premier and Gidio Francsoni, in which Nitti was painfully wounded in the arm.

The duel arose from an article published by Francsoni in a Facist paper which Nitti considered an insult to his father.

Here are three possible winners for Japan in the coming Olympic games. From left to right are shown the standing broad jump record holder, the 100-metre champion and the entrant in the running broad jump.

AMERICANS ARE STILL DELAYED

Three Flyers at Dutch Harbor Awaiting Martin Who Has Not Yet Left Kanatak

SEATTLE, April 23.—Lieutenants Lowell Smith, Leigh Wade and Erik Nelson of the American round the world flight squadron are still waiting with their cruisers at Dutch Harbor for the arrival of Major Martin, flight commander, from Kanatak. Since repairs were completed to Major Martin's machine, following his accident last week, weather has prevented his continuing the flight.

Reports from Alaska this morning told of blizzards prevailing along the Alaskan peninsula and the Aleutian Islands.

LOCKOUT IS NOW LIFTED

Southampton Ship Workers Return and British Employers Open Shops

LONDON, April 23. — With general resumption of work on the part of the Southampton shipbuilding employees who have returned from an unauthorized strike, the Employers' Federation lifted the lockout which has thrown 100,000 men out of work throughout the country. Many of the workers have resumed duty.

SEVEN HOUR FLIGHT TO DUTCH HARBOR

Boston was Lifted Out of Water by Steamer Brookedale and Motor Lifted Out

DUTCH HARBOR, April 23.—Smith, Nelson and Wade arrived Saturday afternoon, from Chignik. They were greatly fatigued after their seven hour flight. Upon arriving they circled a few minutes over the village and then came down. They were towed to an anchorage. The Boston was lifted out of the water by the steamship Brookedale and deposited on the wharf. The motor was then lifted out.

The Chicago and the New Orleans were skipped to the beach for minor repairs.

AMUNDSON'S FLIGHT

COPENHAGEN, April 23—Capt. Roald Amundson said his flight to the North Pole this summer will cost $250,000. Six men will participate and start about the middle of July. Amundson will fly a Dornier plane which Premier Mussolini presented to him.

SWANSON'S CLAIM TO BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION BOARD

Hearing of Case Will Take Place Tomorrow with Two Local Arbitrators and One Outside

A board of arbitration consisting of Jarvis H. McLeod, customs collector, Capt. E. McCoskrie, shipping master, and W. A. Wallace, of Vancouver, representative of the British Corporation, marine underwriters, will sit in Prince Rupert tomorrow to settle the claim of Capt. A. Swanson against the Coastwise Steamship & Barge Co. for services rendered in connection with the salvaging of the coal laden barge Griff at the time the steamer Amur went ashore some time ago. Mr. Wallace will arrive from the south on the Prince George today.

ALASKA PACKERS HAVE ANOTHER WAGE CONTEST

Several Vessels Gone North with Mixed Outfits Declare Operators

SAN FRANCISCO, April 23.—The Alaska Packers' Association and other companies engaged in the Alaskan fishing industry, are deadlocked with the Alaska Fishermen's Union over wages for the season. Leaders of both sides admit this. The packers declared today that they had sent several vessels north with mixed labor outfits and one composed entirely of union men. Peter Olson, secretary of the labor union, declared that if the fishing fleet sailed this year it would go with men never before in that service.

NEW GENERAL MANAGER C.N. EXPRESS COMPANY

Willaim C. Muir Takes Place of C. A. Hayes on May 1

MONTREAL, April 23.—Announcement was made at general headquarters of the Canadian National Railways here today of the retirement of C. A. Hayes from the office of general manager express department and the appointment of William C. Muir, as acting general manager. The resignation of Mr. Hayes will become effective May 1.

The railway officer who is in his sixtieth year gained his first railroad experience in New England. He became assistant general freight agent of the Grand Trunk Railway at Chicago in 1903, was promoted to be freight agent of the system, with headquarters at Montreal, in 1908, and in 1911 was appointed freight traffic manager of the Grand Trunk.

Mr. Muir, who becomes acting general manager Canadian National Express, was born at Clinton, Ontario, and entered the service of the American Express Company at Toronto in 1884. He was later agent of the Dominion Express Company at Winnipeg and joined the Canadian Northern Express in 1902, being successively superintendent, auditor, general superintendent and general manager at Winnipeg. Upon the amalgamation into one company of the Canadian Northern Express and Canadian Express in 1921, Mr. Muir became vice-president and general manager of the joint Canadian National Express Company with headquarters at Montreal. He is well known to the business interests throughout Canada.

Great Native Easter Festival at Mouth of Nass River Follows Gathering of Oolichans Harvest

The Easter celebration of the Indians of the Naas River was held this year, as is their custom, at Fishery Bay, following the annual harvest of the oolichan. The whole community of Greenville was present with large contingents from Aiyansh with their clergyman, Rev. Oliver Thorne and also many from Kincolith and Port Simpson.

On Good Friday afternoon services were held morning and evening and during the afternoons of Friday and Sunday the Church Army held open air meetings.

The Easter Day festival was, however, the great event. It began with a celebration of Holy Communion at which 74 communicants took part. At the eleven o'clock service the Aiyansh choir sang as anthems two selections from the Messiah.

Possibly the most impressive ceremony of all was the baptizing of fourteen babies in the afternoon. The mothers brought them and all were present to see these young children officially received into the church.

The evening service was followed by a beautiful rendering of an Easter cantata, "The Resurrection."

At all services the church was crowded with reverent worshippers and the several branches of the Church Army saw the culmination of three months of work in a great Easter revival.

The Council of Greenville, the organization that has charge of this fishing reserve, welcomed all the visitors and provided generous hospitality. Ground has been broken for a new church at Fishery Bay, the present building being far too small to accommodate the crowds that gather at the well known food centre for the Indians.

This week the people return to their homes and the long line of shacks along the foreshore will be deserted until the oolichan run commences in the spring of next year.

FLYER NOW IS IN INDIA

Stuart MacLaren Rapidly Making up Time Lost at Corfu

KARACHI, India, April 23.—Stuart MacLaren, the British round the world aviator arrived at six o'clock this evening (Indian time) from Bandar Abbas on the Persian Gulf, passing by the scheduled stop at Chaubar.

When MacLaren left Corfu on April 16 he was fourteen days behind his schedule but regained one day at Cairo and several since and he says by the time of his arrival in Japan that all lost time will have been made up.

Yesterday's Flight

BANDER ABBAS, Persia, April 23.—Stuart MacLaren, the British round the world aviator, arrived here last evening after having flown all the way from Baghdad with a short stop at Bushire.

COMPARE PRICES WITH THOSE OBTAINED HERE

According to the Alaska Empire nine halibut boats sold 35,000 pounds at Juneau, the prices paid being 9 and 5 or 9 and 6. On the same day the prices paid here for 82,000 American caught halibut was between 13 and 14c for first class and 7 cents for seconds.

The boats discharging at Juneau were the Olga, Juno, Emma, Fern, Lou, Helen, Ina J. Tagon, Daisy and Alpha.

LEAGUE BASEBALL

National League

Chicago 2, Cincinnati 3.
Pittsburg 10, St. Louis 7.
Others postponed, rain.

American League

New York 6, Washington 3.
Cleveland 7, Chicago, 6.
St. Louis 4, Detroit 8.
Philadelphia-Boston, rain.

Former Premier of Newfoundland and Other Ministers are Arrested Following Report of Commission

ST. JOHN'S, Newfoundland, April 23. — The minister of justice has caused the arrest of Sir Richard Squires, former premier; Alex. Campbell, former minister of agriculture; and John T. Meaney, ex-controller of liquor, all of whom were released on bail.

The arrests were made following the findings of Commissioner Walker to the effect that Squires and Meaney misappropriated funds of the department and Controller Campbell was adjudged guilty of using public funds to pay his personal expenses.

Several other officials of the former administration were arrested on similar charges.

Coolidge Advocated an Extension of Effort to Limit all Armaments

Will Make Move to Bring About Another World Conference to Deal with it.

NEW YORK, April 23.—President Coolidge at the annual luncheon of the Associated Press editors and publishers of the leading newspapers here yesterday made a speech which was broadcasted throughout the country. He promised to make an effort to bring about another world conference, to attempt further limitation of armaments including submarines, aircraft and land forces. Such efforts must, however, be predicted on a definite settlement of the German reparations question.

The proposed conference, the president said, might take up the codification of international law with an attempt to determine the rules of war and the rights of neutrals.

The president declared that while America had determined to maintain her political independence, such independence would be strengthened when the economic stability of Europe was restored.

INTERESTING LECTURE ON BIRDS YESTERDAY

Many Gathered in Booth School to Hear Prof. M. Y. Williams' Discourse on Subject of Birds

Prof. M. Y. Williams of the department of geology, University of British Columbia, delivered a very interesting lecture in the auditorium of the Booth Memorial School yesterday afternoon on the subject of birds and their habits. A fine set of colored flash light pictures was also exhibited. H. S. Hurn, superintendent of public schools, presided and there was a very good attendance, mostly school children.

Prof. Williams sailed on the Cardena last night for Ocean Falls.

WIRELESS REPORT
8 a.m.

BULL HARBOR.—Part cloudy, calm; barometer, 30.22; temperature, 38; light swell; 2 a.m. spoke steamer Prince George left Ocean Falls for Prince Rupert; 3.15 a.m. spoke steamer Princess Mary off Ivory Island southbound; 7:45 a.m. spoke steamer Cardena abeam Idol Point southbound.

DEAD TREE POINT. — Clear, calm; barometer, 30.12; temperature, 32; sea smooth.

DIGBY ISLAND.—Clear, calm; barometer, 30:33; temperature, 28; sea smooth.

Noon

BULL HARBOR.—Clear, light northwest wind; barometer, 30.20; temperature, 48; light swell.

DEAD TREE POINT.— Cloudy, calm, barometer, 30.15; temperature, 44; sea smooth.

DIGBY ISLAND.—Clear, calm; barometer, 30.10; temperature, 44; sea smooth.

STUDY GERMAN FLYING

BERLIN, April 23. — Colonel Mouzaffer bey, inspector general of the Turkish airfleet, heads a Turkish commission which has arrived in Berlin to study aviation. Wedjih bey and Major Fessa, two of the best known Turkish pilots, are with the commission. The Turkish delegation visited Italy and France before coming to Germany.

HALIBUT DOWN IN PRICE TODAY

Large Quantity Sold at Fish Exchange this Morning, Mostly American

Twelve halibut boats marketed their catches at the Fish Exchange this morning. The total was 283,600 pounds, ten American schooners having 278,000 pounds and two Canadians, 5,600 pounds. One boat was in with a catch of salmon.

Arrivals and sales:

American

Daly, 20,000 pounds, at 11.1c and 5c, and Sherman, 20,000 at 11.1c and 5c, to the Booth Fisheries Canadian Co.

Star, 11,000 pounds, at 11c and 5c; Brothers 15,000 pounds at 11c and 5c, and June, 15,000 pounds at 11.2c and 5c, to the Atlin Fisheries.

Yellowstone, 16,000 pounds at 11.1c and 5c, to the Royal Fish Co.

Eagle, 50,000 pounds at 10.2c and 5c, to the Pacific Fisheries.

Radio, 78,000 pounds, at 10.1c and 5c; Democrat, 21,000 pounds, at 11c and 5c, and Roald Amundsen, 30,000 pounds at 11c and 5c to the Canadian Fish & Cold storage Co.

Canadian

Brant, 5,000 pounds, at 9.6c and 6c, to the Royal Fish Co.

O Bill, 600 pounds, at 9.6c and 6c to the Atlin Fisheries.

Salmon

Billy Boy, 2,600 pounds at 19c to the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co.

DRIFTED EIGHTEEN DAYS ON OPEN SEA

Three Japanese, Survivors of Fishing Boat Crew of Ten, Land on Phillipines

MANILA, April 23. — After drifting for eighteen days in the open sea in a small boat after their fishing vessel had sunk, three Japanese, the only survivors of a crew of ten, have landed on the coast of Rangasanan, province of Luzon. The men say they saw a number of ships passing but they were unable to attract their attention.

THE SPHINX'S NECK

ALEXANDRIA, Egypt, April 23.—A deep crack has appeared in the neck of the Sphinx according to the Egyptian Antiquities Service. Steps are being taken to repair the fissure before irreparable damage is done to this most priceless of Egyptian relics.

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