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## Empire Trade Agreement is Planned by Canadian Government Says London, Eng., Newspaper

LONDON, June 25.—Reports that the Canadian Government is contemplating a new Empire trade agreement as a step toward the desired goal of increasing inter-Empire trade was published in London papers yesterday without official confirmation.

Commenting on the reports the Evening Standard said such a proposal would be welcomed by commercial men in London, especially those having Canadian interests.

A conference between Great Britain and the Dominions on the matter had been discussed for some time, the Standard said, and views had been exchanged between London and Ottawa. During his recent visit to Britain Hon. Frank Carroll of Quebec City, newspaper publisher and member of the Quebec Legislative Council, interviewed most of the leaders in British finance and commerce on the idea and met with encouragement, receiving promises of support.

## DELEGATES OF TRADE BOARD

Five Men Will Be Official Representatives of Local Board at Convention This Week

Mayor S. P. McMordie, Ald. C. H. Orme, M. P. McCaffery, G. W. Nickerson and Ald. F. G. Dawson have been appointed as delegates of the Prince Rupert Board of Trade to the annual convention of the Associated Boards of Central British Columbia here this week.

While there are the official delegates, it is pointed out by Board of Trade officers that as many members as possible are expected to attend the business sessions of the convention and also the entertainment features.

## PREMIER CALLS FIELDING HOME

OTTAWA, June 25.—Premier Mackenzie King, who had been out of town over the week-end, returned yesterday afternoon and went directly to the residence of Hon. W. S. Fielding to express sympathy in the death of the Canadian statesman. Scores of messages from all parts of the Dominion poured into the home of the veteran statesman today.

## SHOT AND DIED NEAR PETERSBURG, ALASKA

JUNEAU, June 25.—Ole Bludseth, an employee of Port Waller Herring Co. at Suginaw Bay, was shot last night and died on the way to Petersburg. An investigation is being made.

## AUSTRALIAN AGAIN FLIES

Capt. Kingsford Smith Planning to Break Record to England in Southern Cross

SYDNEY, N.S.W., June 25.—Captain Charles Kingsford Smith took off in the Southern Cross today in a new attempt to break the speed record for a flight between here and England. He planned a non-stop flight across Australia to Derby, where he would begin his overseas flight.

## CHAINS OF LAKES ON BERANOFF ISLAND

JUNEAU, June 25.—R. H. Sargeant, typographer for the geological survey, accompanying the naval expedition, today announced the discovery of two chains of lakes in the central part of Beranoff Island. They average from one to three miles long. The first chain consists of four lakes and the second of two lakes.

## THREE WOMEN DROWN IN EAST

STE. ANNE DE BELLEVUE, Quebec, June 25.—Miss Mabel Price, 35 years of age, lecturer in history at Macdonald College here, her sister, Gertrude, and Miss Madeline Foy were drowned here yesterday when a motor launch overturned during a violent storm which swept over Montreal and vicinity. The three women were trapped under the boat.

Olof Hanson, who has been on a trip to Atlin and Telegraph Creek districts, will return to the city on the Princess Adelaide tomorrow afternoon.

## New British Parliament Was Opened Today, Speaker Chosen Adjournment Taken to July 1

LONDON, June 25.—The new British Parliament held its first session under the Labor Government today and re-elected Captain E. A. Fitzroy, Conservative, as speaker. Not a vote was cast against the popular presiding officer, who was lauded in the nominating speeches for his impartiality. His appointment was moved by Premier Ramsay MacDonald and seconded by former Premier Baldwin.

The House adjourned shortly afterwards and will get down to business next week with the reading of the speech from the throne.

## RUM RUNNING CARRIED ON IN LEGAL MANNER

WINDSOR, Ont., June 25.—A clean bill of health was given Essex county border operators by Alfred E. Cuddy, deputy commissioner of the Ontario provincial police. "Short circuiting of liquor in this district has been reduced to an appreciable minimum," he said. "There is probably very little of it, but certainly not much. After another check of the export docks in the immediate Windsor area, the deputy commissioner reiterated his belief that there was no gun-toting in or around the Canadian docks by United States rum runners or their henchmen."

## MUSEUM BOARD HELD MEETING

Matters Connected With Increasing Collection Were Dealt With Yesterday

The Prince Rupert Museum Board at its regular meeting in the Bank of Commerce yesterday afternoon dealt chiefly with routine matters. The question of getting several important Indian relics for the institution was discussed and left for the chairman, Rev. Canon Rushbrook, to investigate further and if necessary take action.

A number of new members were reported and membership tickets were ordered printed.

Among questions discussed was whether the name of the organization should be changed and it should become a more active scientific and historic investigation society or should remain simply a museum collecting organization. The matter was left open for the present and in the meantime work of collecting specimens will continue as at present. Those interested will be asked to donate historic articles or natural history specimens.

Mr. Rushbrook showed interesting photographs of native work, including rock carvings.

Those present were Rev. Canon Rushbrook, Mrs. J. G. Gibson, secretary, B. J. Mellich, Rev. W. E. Collison, Miss Ruth Stewart and H. F. Pullen.

### PRICE OF WHEAT

VANCOUVER, June 25.—The price of wheat today was \$1.22 1-2.

## Program Arranged for Annual Convention of Assd. Boards of Trade

Many Delegates Expected to Arrive on Train Tomorrow Afternoon From Interior Points

The following is the official program for the annual convention here this week of the Associated Boards of Trade of Central British Columbia:

### WEDNESDAY

3:30 p.m.—Interior delegates arrive in the city by regular train.

7:00 p.m.—Auto trip for visiting delegates over Kaien Island Highway to Galloway Rapids.

### THURSDAY

10:00 a.m.—Official opening and initial business session in City Hall.

2:00 p.m.—Afternoon business session.

7:00 p.m.—Banquet in Commodore Cafe by Prince Rupert Board of Trade and City Council in honor of visiting delegates.

### FRIDAY

10:00 a.m.—Concluding business session; election of officers; selection of 1930 meeting place.

2:00 p.m.—Harbor excursion and clam bake on neighboring beach.

Evening—Delegates free for private entertainment.

### SATURDAY

11:30 a.m.—Interior delegates will return to homes by regular train.

## Some Prominent Members of Britain's New Cabinet



Above are seven members of the Macdonald Cabinet. They are: Top left to right: Rt. Hon. Sidney Webb, famous Parliamentarian, who has been appointed Minister of State for the Dominions and Colonies; Rt. Hon. Philip Snowden, Chancellor of the Exchequer; Rt. Hon. Thos. Shaw, Minister of War; and Rt. Hon. G. Lansbury, First Commissioner of Works. Bottom, left to right: Rt. Hon. Arthur Henderson, who occupies the position of Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs; Rt. Hon. Margaret Bondfield, Minister of Labor, who is the first woman to receive a Cabinet appointment in any British Government; and Rt. Hon. J. R. Clynes, Home Secretary.

## BORDER RAIDS ON CAN. STOCK

SWIFT CURRENT, Sask., June 25.—Organized gangs who cross the border in trucks, steal and slaughter cattle belonging to Canadian ranchers and rush the carcasses across the line before they are missed are causing heavy losses, according to a resolution which urged the government to put a stop to the modern rustling system passed by the Saskatchewan stock growers convention here.

## British Empire May Join World Court at Macdonald's Request

LONDON, June 25.—Important negotiations affecting Empire affairs are reported to have been indicated by the Labor Government of Great Britain. It has communicated with the Dominions in an effort to gain an agreement on the signing of an optional clause of world court statutes under which questions of international law would be submitted to a permanent court of international justice at the Hague.

The Labor newspaper, the Daily Herald, today said the Government had also informed the Dominion Governments it proposes to resume diplomatic relations with Russia.

Australia hitherto was the only Dominion reluctant to sign the optional clause of the world court statutes and it is understood this reluctance has now been removed to a great extent. In any event, Premier Macdonald is hopeful of being able to show complete Empire agreement on joining the world court when he visits the League of Nations assembly in September.

## FINEST CROPS PEACE RIVER

MONTREAL, June 25.—Crop conditions throughout western Canada, although excellent in certain districts, are not generally as promising as at this time last year, stated Dr. W. J. Black, director of colonization and agriculture for the Canadian National railways, who has returned from an official tour of the west. Notwithstanding this, however, conditions generally are more prosperous than for some years in western cities, said Dr. Black.

"Some of the finest crops we saw in all the west," he continued, "were in the Peace River country. There is a tremendous area under cultivation this year throughout the entire Peace River country and land settlement has been going forward there at an enormous rate. Settlers have gone in large numbers even as far northwest as the Fort St. John district."

## COVENTRY TO GO TO LONDON

Son of Earl Will Be Market Commissioner for British Columbia

VICTORIA, June 25.—Hon. T. G. Coventry, former member of the Legislature for Saanich and son of the Earl of Coventry, has been made market commissioner in London for the British Columbia Government. It is understood his main business will be to build up a demand for Okanagan fruit.

### PROTECTION OF TEACHERS

Rev. Canon Hon. J. Hinchcliffe, minister of education, has sent a circular letter to lady teachers in rural schools stating that they should under no consideration remain in the school buildings after school hours without the presence of one or more children or friends and requesting school boards to so arrange. He also urges that proper arrangements be made to keep the schools clean.