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COMMONS APPROVES PREMIER'S MOTION

FATHER OF SYLVIA GAINES IS EXONERATED IN CONNECTION WITH KILLING

Position of Canada in Respect to Signing of Treaties is Enunciated

OTTAWA, June 22.—"We stand first, foremost and always in approval of the Parliament of Canada." Premier King, in these words, stated the policy of his government with regard to the ratification of treaties involving military or economic sanctions. "We believe," he went on, "that Parliament stands as one representative of the nation as a whole and we believe in having it understood in advance that on all these great questions parliament will be consulted and its approval obtained, we shall be helping to maintain, without the possibility of a division or difference, friendly relations between the different parts of this great empire; and that we shall be able to further, in a most effective way, unity within our own country and unity within the British Empire itself."

The premier was making a motion in the House providing that "Before His Majesty's Canadian ministers advise the ratification of a treaty or convention affecting Canada, or before signifying the acceptance of any treaty, convention or agreement involving military or economic sanctions, that the approval of the Parliament of Canada should be secured." The House approved the motion without dividing.

Premier King intimated that the Locarno treaties would be coming up for discussion before the next Imperial conference in October. Up to the present the Canadian government had not signified its acceptance of the Locarno agreements nor would it reach a decision until after the Imperial conference.

The point I wish to bring out very clearly is that this government will take the position, regardless of what decision may be reached, that Parliament should be asked to approve the acceptance of the Locarno Pact before the Dominion of Canada becomes a party thereto," the premier added.

Merrill and Davis were here in 1925 on their way to the Seward district where they spent the summer. They were using a Curtis flying boat.

FISHING ONLY FAIR SO FAR

High Boat on Skeena River Since Sockeye Season Opened Was Twenty Fish.

Sockeye fishing is only fair on the Skeena River so far as may be judged from first reports that have been received following the opening of the season on Sunday night. The highest boat got fifty fish and some got none at all. The catch on Rivers Inlet Sunday night was very small, the highest boat reporting only 26 sockeye. No reports have yet been received from the Nass River.

RUBY DOLAN IS NOW AT OKALLA

Waiting Escort to Penitentiary in Kingston, Ontario

VANCOUVER, June 22.—It will probably be two weeks before the men of the Kingston penitentiary behind Ruby Dolan, held in Okalla prison awaiting escort to Ontario. There are female prisoners now in Kingston where they are safe-guarded and given an opportunity to learn occupations that will enable them to make good after their discharge. Local authorities are awaiting instructions from Ottawa regarding the escort which will probably be provided by the British Columbia penitentiary.

The case against the Oriental Trading Company of selling liquor was remanded in the city police court this morning until next Tuesday.

STEWART MINE IN COURT CASE

Action Against Former Secretary of Rush-Columbia Company Is Dismissed.

VICTORIA, June 22.—Action against Fred Elliott, lodged by W. W. Bush and Arthur Bagg, for alleged illegal retention of the books of the Bush-Columbia mines at Stewart was dismissed yesterday by Mr. Justice Gregory upon Elliott's application when the plaintiffs failed to appear.

Arthur Hayes, commander G. H. R. Shingby and J. B. Shaw were named in the same action, the four defendants being sued for \$74,000 on account of shares alleged to have been allotted and issued without payment to the Rush-Columbia treasurer. Action against the three others had been stood over. It was alleged that Elliott, as secretary of the company until last February, refused to surrender possession of the books and papers to permit of removal of the registered office of the company when a new secretary was appointed. This and the allegation that shares had been improperly issued was denied, Mr. Elliott promising to surrender the books when he was paid by the company for his services and for money he had paid out personally on behalf of the company.

EXTRA INNING GAMES PLAYED

Exciting Contests in Big League Baseball Yesterday—Cincinnati Beat Chicago.

NEW YORK, June 22.—Major league games were featured yesterday by extra innings in four of the matches. Cincinnati won the most exciting game so far this season in the National League by beating Chicago 6 to 5 in sixteen innings. By the time the winning run was scored, six pitchers had seen service. Boston Nationals took a game from Brooklyn in a slugfest which went eleven innings while the Boston Americans lost to Philadelphia in eleven innings. St. Louis and Detroit fought a close ten-inning contest.

National League
Brooklyn 7-6, Boston 8-4.
St. Louis 11, Pittsburgh 15.
New York 10, Philadelphia 3.
Chicago 5, Cincinnati 6.
American League
Cleveland 5, Chicago 2.
Boston 6, Philadelphia 7.
St. Louis 4, Detroit 5.

MANY WOMEN AT CONGRESS

Only 5,000 Men Among 150,000 Worshippers at Eucharistic Gathering Today.

CHICAGO, June 22.—The greatest assemblage of women ever gathered within one enclosure in North America banked the stands in Soldiers' Field today at the second annual public session of the International Eucharistic Congress, less than 5,000 men being among the 180,000 worshippers. A women's choir of 150,000 voices including 5,000 nuns, chanted the famous mass of Vito Carnevali.

Miss Beatrice Burke of the High School teaching staff sailed tonight on the Gardena for Vancouver where she will spend the summer vacation.



The Argentine Polo Team met the Hurlingham team at Hurlingham, London, in the course of their exhibition matches.

Witnesses of Seattle Murder State Positively That It Was Not Wallace Gaines They Saw

SEATTLE, June 22.—A. S. Stokes and his wife last night declared that Wallace C. Gaines, father of Sylvia Gaines who was slain last Wednesday night, was not the man they saw lurking near the scene of the killing at about the time the crime was committed. Taken by police officials to the Gaines' home, the Stokes couple were confronted by the father and asked if he was the slayer. "This is not the man," Mrs. Stokes emphatically announced, and her husband concurred, saying, "absolutely not the man."

Prosecutor Colvin said: "The episode staged in this house should leave no doubt in the public mind that Gaines stands completely exonerated of every base and vile rumor to which he has been subjected since his daughter was found murdered."

ESCAPED FROM JAIL AT OKALLA BUT IS SOON RECAPTURED

VANCOUVER, June 22.—Victor Munn, aged 45, was recaptured one hour after escaping from Okalla prison farm on Monday afternoon.

He will not be charged with breaking jail until the termination of his nine months sentence on a dope charge. If he behaves the authorities will not press for heavy punishment.

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Burns Lake Rises from Ashes with Great Hope for Future Prosperity

(By H. F. PULLEN)

BURNS LAKE, June 22.—It is seldom that a big fire injures a place permanently and that is the case with Burns Lake. A little more than a year ago half the town was wiped out by fire, but today all the buildings have been replaced and others have been added and the result is that the town is much more permanent than it ever was. It shows all the signs of progress. New buildings and additions to old ones are seen on every hand. Buildings are being painted and put into condition and today Burns Lake is one of the progressive small towns along the line of the Canadian National with a future which is bound to bring it into greater prominence.

But why is Burns Lake likely to be a town? Inquires someone. Let me tell you. It is the jumping off place for the huge rich Lakes Country to the south where the people claim they have more real farm land than in any other district in British Columbia. It is also the centre of a farming country which is picturesque and fertile and it is also a fur trading centre and probably will prove to be a mining centre of considerable note, for the Tataltapin and other mines in the neighborhood of the Babines must be reached from that point.

Residents Confident

The residents of Burns Lake are all proud of the progress they are making and are confident of the future. They feel sure they have the location and the ability to make good. And after all, much of the success of a town depends on the ability of the individuals to make a success of their own business and to co-operate with their neighbors to carry out public undertakings.

One of the evidences of co-operation on the part of Burns Lake citizens is seen in the big community hall which was built recently and for the building of which four thousand dollars was raised by collective efforts. The bonds of the other two thousand dollars were taken up locally so that it may be said that the citizens put up the whole six thousand dollars. This is an object lesson to every town. While the hall is not completed inside and is not yet painted outside, it is being used and is commodious and comfortable and it should not be long before it ranks with any hall of its kind in the province.

Recreation Grounds

Burns Lake is showing further indication of community spirit. It has recently cleared and laid out a fine recreation ground for summer sports. The land was donated to the town by the Provincial Government, but it was timbered. Bee followed him in an attempt to get it cleared, as many as fifty people going out at one time to clear away the stumps and burn the refuse, plow the land and level it and gradually get it into shape. Now it is finished and there is a splendid ball ground. The tennis courts are adjoining. There is also a tourist camp for the use of touring visitors.

Burns Lake town faces the lake of the same name and a narrow channel connects the lake with Decker Lake. The two lakes together giving a waterfront length of 28 miles. This is a splendid summer playground and the people of the town and district as well as visitors use it a great deal. The water is warm enough for swimming and it is ideal for canoeing or boating.

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WOODWARDS' WIN INSURANCE CASE

Will Be Reimbursed for Burglary Which Took Place Last Spring.

VANCOUVER, June 22.—Judgment for \$4,036, five-eighths of the amount of the loss, was awarded Woodwards Ltd. on two burglary policies with the United States Fidelity Guaranty Co. by Mr. Justice D. A. Macdonald in the Supreme Court. The decision was that in an action brought by the department store when the company refused to make good policies following a burglary in the spring. The balance of the loss is covered by another insurance company which awaited the outcome of this action before reimbursing the plaintiffs.

LARGE SURPLUS UNITED STATES

Further Tax Reduction Must However Await Full Test of Revenue Law Says Coolidge

WASHINGTON, June 22.—Announcing a probable \$390,000,000 treasury surplus for the fiscal year ending June 30 and promising comfortable balances for the next two years, President Coolidge gave warning last night that another tax reduction must await full test of the new revenue law.

VOLCANO TO BE INVESTIGATED

Henry Watkins, Equipped with Gas Masks, Leaves Cordova Today for Scene

CORDOVA, June 22.—Equipped with gas masks, Henry Watkins leaves here today to investigate the reported eruption of a volcano two miles from the Copper River and Northwestern Railroad. Smoke visible for ten miles was seen issuing from the peak on Saturday.

SAYS KLU KLUX KLAN INSTRUCTED HIM TO BLOW UP R. C. CHURCH

TORONTO, June 22.—Arrested here late yesterday on a charge of attempting to blow up with dynamite St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church at Barrie on June 10, William S. Kelly, Irishman, aged 30, alleged that he had been "set apart" by the Klan to do the work.

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Unsightly Shacks on Waterfront

The beauty of the entrance of Prince Rupert harbor is not enhanced by the row of unsightly squatters' shacks along the waterfront west of the elevator. They do not improve the landscape in the eyes of the hundreds of tourists who are passing through the port during the summer months nor do they leave a good impression. While nobody desires to deprive the people who may be occupying these structures of their homes, it might be well for the railway company or whoever else may be in control of the particular land in question to make an effort toward having the situation cleared up. Doubtless if some of these buildings were on city property their demolition or repair would have been ordered ere this.

Life Guard at Salt Lake

With the swimming season at the Salt Lake at its height the necessity of some patrol as a life saving precaution becomes apparent. Children and people who are not accustomed to water, it is said, visit there unaccompanied and, already this season, it has been necessary to give assistance to those in distress. It would not be a matter of much expense to have a guard employed at the lake on Sundays and holidays. The matter should be attended to before some fatality occurs.

Local Elevator is Tory Butt

Prince Ruperts' elevator continues to be the butt for Conservative attack at Ottawa. Prince Rupert is becoming used to that, however, for the elevator was condemned energetically by the Opposition before and during the election campaign. Now, however, they are complaining because the plant was turned over to the Wheat Pool who will operate it. Prince Rupert is heartily in accord with the leasing of the elevator, for it will make the plant an active one which perhaps it might not have been had the government attempted to operate it. Fred Stork worked hard to have the elevator leased as he did to have it built. Prince Rupert is behind both his efforts despite what his political opponents may say about it.

Canada Should Have Its Flag

If the adoption of a distinctive Canadian flag involved anything like the controversy that has developed in South Africa, there might be some reason for hesitation. But there is no such danger. It is very generally agreed that any new Canadian flag should contain the Union Jack as one of its main features. The trouble in South Africa is over the proposal of the main part of the Dutch element to leave the Union Jack off the flag and to simply hoist it along with the South African flag on special occasions.

No serious proposal of this kind comes from the French-Canadian population in Canada. La Presse of Montreal has been conducting a competition to select a suitable design for a Canadian flag. Four competitors tied; their designs being identical, except in execution, and their suggestion, freely translated from La Presse, is as follows: "On a white field, a Union Jack in the upper corner next the staff and in the middle of the fly a large green maple leaf; this recalls the heroic period of Canadian history under monarchic France; it symbolizes our loyalty to Great Britain; it makes concrete the present history of Canada and her aspirations by the maple leaf."

This design might or might not suit people in other parts of the Dominion, but it would not be a very serious matter to find a design that would be generally acceptable. There is no reason in the world why we should not have a distinctive flag, as Australia and New Zealand have, without the slightest weakening of the bonds connecting them with Britain and the other Dominions. It would help to increase the national consciousness and should stimulate national pride and unity.—Winnipeg Free Press.

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CROPS ARE IN GOOD CONDITION

**With Week of Cold Weather, Sun-
shine Is Now Needed.**

WINNIPEG, June 22.—It is evident from the reports received covering all parts of the three prairie provinces that the cool weather and rain of the last week has been quite general according to the tenth crop report of the Canadian National Railways. With the heavy precipitation all parts of the west now seem to have a sufficient supply of moisture. The ground is well covered with a heavy growth which will prevent in a measure at least the loss of moisture through high winds. It is surprising to note the number of points where frost has been reported within the last week, but it is equally pleasing to see that at no point has damage to crop been reported from this cause. Cutworms have been quite active in many sections of the west, but apparently the damage is not great and with the heavy rains of the past week their activity will be considerably lessened.

The cool weather has not been inducive to rapid crop growth, but in spite of that crops are well in advance of the same date last season. Wheat is reported in the shot blade at many points, rye is fully in head and other grains making excellent progress.

Manitoba

The province of Manitoba shared fairly equally in the precipitation of the past week and the moisture supply is quite adequate to the present needs at least. What is needed more urgently than anything else at the present time is warm weather to produce the most rapid crop development. Wheat is reported in the shot blade at Gladstone, Carberry, Rapid City, and a number of other points, while some Garnet wheat is actually headed out at Cromer. Cutworms have appeared at several points throughout the province, but the damage seems to be largely confined to garden stuff.

Saskatchewan

Conditions throughout the province of Saskatchewan are quite similar to Manitoba. Wheat is showing a growth in many parts of from eighteen to twenty-four inches. At Tisdale five per cent. is in shot blade and many other districts report the same progress. Cutworms have appeared at several points in the province, but so far as can be ascertained the damage has been very slight, the most noticeable perhaps being Hanley, Kenaston, Findlay. The damage done two weeks ago by the high winds has been in measure relieved by the cool weather and heavy rains of the past week. Crops are looking particularly good in the southern part of the province.

Alberta

Reports from Alberta carry quite a cheerful tone. The cool weather of the week has allowed the rain to soak well into the ground. As with the other provinces warmer weather would be greatly appreciated, though the crops are making good progress, pastures are abundant and evidence of a good hay crop is not lacking. No very serious damage can be reported from any point. The cutworms and similar pests have been reported in a few instances, but, fortunately, damage is not at all great. Slight frosts have appeared at several districts in common with Manitoba and Saskatchewan, but any damage that has occurred is confined entirely to gardens.

NEWSPAPER AGREEMENT

**Terms on Which Publication was
Resumed After British
Strike**

LONDON, June 25—(Canadian Press).—The following are the exact terms under which the London newspapers resumed normal publication after the recent general strike: 1. There shall be no interference with the contents of newspapers owned by members of this Association. 2. There shall be no interference with or victimisation of any members of the staff who worked or returned to work during the strike either in their own or in another office, nor shall there be any victimisation by the employers. 3. There shall be no interference by members of the

unions with the management of business, or with the right of the management to employ, promote, or discharge members of the staffs. Nor shall it be necessary for private secretaries or managers of departments not engaged in production to be members of a union. 4. No chapel meetings shall be held during working hours. 5. The strict observance of agreements in the newspaper trades shall be regarded as a matter of honor affecting each individual employer or employee. 6. There shall be a joint committee of three from each side, which shall sit each day at three o'clock, to decide any cases which may arise in connection with above.

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Ten Years Ago in Prince Rupert

June 22, 1916.

The American tug Kasaan, Capt. Thompson, arrived in port this morning on her way from Ketchikan to Cleminto, near China Hat. She is going to take off a scow which she lost there last year.

Miss Kuster, who was formerly in the millinery business here, stopped off this morning to visit Miss Criddle at the Bay View Hotel. Miss Kuster, whose home is in Long Beach, California, is on her way to Alaska.

THE MAN IN THE MOON

says:

IT took the old soldiers to show how easy it was to transport an army by water and capture Digby Island without a shot being fired. Strategy counts.

IT'S not always the man with the money who can tell you all about the rise and fall in the stock market.

A MAN has to be real clever to make you think he knows what you know he doesn't know.

WHEN an old soldier hears the Boys' Band strike up those martial airs the days of grave crushing don't seem so long back.

JUDGING from the nature of his calling a druggist should be a good "mixer."

A PICNIC without ice cream and pop is to a boy what a stag party without a corkscrew is to a man.

A WASHINGTON biologist says to beat the earwig menace raise loads. Then to beat the load menace we'll have to raise earwigs. What a life!

BY taking a short cut some men recently discovered a body of rich ore at Topley. And yet our parents used to tell us that short cuts didn't pay in life.

THE visiting Englishmen are real "kickers" judging from their soccer victories.

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