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Cross-Canada Happenings As Told By Wire

News From Halifax to Vancouver Boiled Down and Tensely Told

The last session of the fourteenth Nova Scotia Legislature since con- federation was prorogued Friday by His Honor Lieutenant-Governor, Robson Douglas. This assembly com- pletes the term of the present Gov- ernment, and an election will be held before September 30.

The tragedy of Wrangel Island is again to be brought before the House by Hon. Dr. R. J. Manion. Dr. Manion proposes to ask for an ad- dress of the House requiring the production of all correspondence be- tween the Canadian Government, Vilhjalmur Stefansson and the Gov- ernments of Great Britain and the United States.

Major-General J. H. McBrien, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., Chief of Staff of the Department of National Defense, Ottawa, is in New York, where his marriage took place Friday to Miss Lynn D. Hartridge, daughter of C. W. Hartridge, formerly of Savannah, Ga., and now a resident of New York.

Some interesting figures on the coast of locomotion were adduced during the discussion of Canadian National Railway finances in the House Committee on Railways and Shipping. It cost \$17,300,000 to keep the locomotives of that road in re- pair last year. Depreciation was \$421,890 and retirements represented a loss of \$895,140. New locomotives purchased in 1924 cost \$1,800,000. They were all purchased in Canada.

To encourage the beautification of school grounds, the Canadian Horti- cultural Council has instituted a Dominion-wide competition, and is offering valuable silver cups as prizes to those who do the most meritorious work toward the beau- tification of school grounds during the coming season. Each province will have its own competition. A cup when won three times, not necessar- ily in succession, by any school be- comes the property of the school, and with each cup, the council will present an award of merit which can be kept and framed by the school as a permanent record.

In recognition of his bravery and promptness in saving the life of a chum, Scout David J. S. Cromarty, aged 13, of the 14th Ottawa Troop, has been recommended for the award of the certificate of merit by the Awards Board of the Boy Scouts' Council. Scout Cromarty was play- ing with several friends near a hole in the ice on the Rideau River, when one of the boys, Tom Ahearn, lost his balance and fell into the water.

Sixty-two billion tons of coal, half of this amount recoverable, lie be- neath the surface of Alberta soil, according to Prof. J. A. Allan, Pro- vincial Geologist and head of the Department of Geology of the Uni- versity of Alberta, in a statement made before the Alberta Coal Com- mission. The commission was also told that \$12,000,000 had been lost by the abandonment of coal mines during the past 20 years.

A trade treaty between Canada and Finland shortly will be sub- mitted to Parliament. The Acting Min- ister of Finance, Hon. J. A. Robb, has given notice of his intention of moving the ratification of a conven- tion to extend "most favored nation" treatment to Finland so long as Can- adian goods enjoy in Finland the same treatment as is given goods from the United Kingdom, as set out in the treaty of 1923 between Great Britain and Finland.

More than two billion kilowatt hours of electric power have been exported from Canada within the last five years, according to an- swers made in the House of Com- mons. The Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario has obtained two licenses to export electric power, one for 80,000 kilowatts and one for 45,000 kilowatts of "off peak or interruptible power." The Ontario Hydro Commission has, accord- ing to answers made, been exporting power since 1917 from Niagara Falls.

Reduction in the membership of the House of Commons was moved in the Senate Friday by Senator Lynch-Staunton. He dealt at some length with the usefulness of the Commons and with the cost of its upkeep. He suggested that a maxi- mum of 200 members would be am- ple, and that the Quebec representa- tion, which is the ratio on which membership of other provinces is based, should be reduced accord- ingly. Senator Lynch-Staunton thought that representation should be by district, and not by population.

Revenue car loadings on Canadian railways still lag behind those of last year. In the week just ended, 50,512 cars were loaded. In the same week last year, 54,959 cars were loaded. Lighter traffic in coal and grain accounted for the decrease.

Brigadier-General A. E. Panet, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., a member of a well-known French-Canadian family, was among the cabin passengers to arrive at Quebec on the Canadian Pacific S. S. Montrose Saturday morning. He has been stationed with the Imperial forces in India for the past few years, and is now on his way to his home in Kingston, Ontario, for a visit of some three months, before returning to July.

Official announcement is made of the appointment of Norman Mc- Kenzie, a Canadian, now in atten- dance at Cambridge University, Eng- land, as assistant legal adviser in the International Labor Office, League of Nations, Geneva. The vacancy in this position occurred through the retirement of P. E. Corbett, of Mont- real, who has returned to teaching work at McGill University.

Delegates from unitist and anti- unitist bodies of the Presbyterian Church will travel 3,000 miles to at- tend the meeting of the General As- sembly of Scotland, where it is un- derstood both will endeavor to ob- tain recognition from the parent

body. Principal D. J. Fraser of the Presbyterian College of Montreal, and Prof. Cyrus MacMillan of Mc- Gill University, sailed Friday for Scotland to represent the non-con- curring Presbyterians of Canada. Presbyterians entering the union will be represented by Principal Gandier, of Knox College, Toronto, and Dr. J. M. Duncan, who left on Thursday.



Saturday Hike
 The First Durhams hiked to Allan Park on Saturday afternoon and took on Hanover Troop in a game of softball. Hanover was too good for us by three runs. However, they played their Assistant S.M., and our team had little practice.

In the "paper-chase," we came off better. Harold Boettger has a nice bunch of lads, but the First Durhams take no back seat for any other Troop. We may not be as smart at baseball, but we are good at other things—cooking, for instance.

A most unusual circumstance of the hike, in fact, one that makes it an outstanding one is that "Nig- ger" Whitmore got enough to eat. He actually refused a third weiner. This unusual occurrence is duly entered in the troop record.

The S.M. and the T.L. and P.L.'s stayed out over night. The "pu- tents" arrived on Saturday afternoon and were given their first work-out. We had a little bit of rain on Sun- day morning that demonstrated the fact that the tents were waterproof.

"Salty" Hephurn and "Osey" Moon tired of the society of the rest on Saturday night and went off to Han- over "Lothario-ing." We have not been able to find out whether or not they were successful in their quest for the elusive "chicken." We know that Oscar seemed very much dis- gust with the tinned variety the next morning. Perhaps the compar- ison with that of the night before was too odious—or "odorous."

It was not long after turning in that the camp ground reverberated to the musical (?) efforts of the campers. In fact, the owner of the place complains that the cows were so much disturbed by the weird noises that the flow of milk was considerably less than usual the next morning. However, he needn't think he can put up a bluff like that, and get any more money out of us.

A.S.M. Leaving
 We learned with much regret of the departure of Eddie McQueen for Welland, which takes place next Monday. The Troop all wish him every success in his new position. Eddie has been very faithful in his duties as Assistant Scoutmaster and Treasurer of the Troop, and the Scoutmaster will very greatly miss his help. We trust that he will get into the harness again in Welland. We believe they have a bunch of real live scouts down there.

SCHOOL HONOR ROLLS FOR PAST MONTH

S. S. No. 9, Glenelg.
 IV.—Annie Arnett, Dorothy Arnett, Mary Hopkins, Orval Hopkins, Louise Jacques, Reg McFadden, Roy Hargrave.
 Sr. III.—Grace Hopkins and May Collinson, equal, Bertha McNally.
 Jr. III.—Irene Collinson, Eddie Lawrence, John McDonald.
 Sr. II.—Clarence Hargrave.
 Jr. II.—Clara Jacques, Susie Greenwood, Freddie Arnett, Doris Lawrence, John Collinson.
 Sr. I.—Lillian Collinson, Ruby Lawrence, Clarence McNally, Gordon Greenwood, David Aljoe.
 Jr. I.—Allie McGirr, Melville Har- rison.
 Sr. Primer—Margaret Brown.
 Junior Primer—Cecil Brown.
 Primer A.—Harry Lawrence, Vic- tor Arnett, Murray Greenwood.
 —E. M. Park, teacher.

Ebenezer, S. S. No. 3, Bentinck.
 Sr. IV.—Mary Hopkins, Florence Bailey, Christine McCulloch, Pearl Alexander.
 Jr. IV.—Lenore Reay, Myrtle Charlton.
 Sr. III.—Gordon Coult, Wilbur Mighton, John Coult, Archie Tur- nbull, Borden Brown, Milton Bar- man.
 Jr. III.—James McDonald, Gladys Alexander, Gladys Mighton, John McLean.
 II.—Joseph McCulloch, Russell Bartman, Jean Coult, Emily Bar- man, Lillian Park, Charles Mighton, Loel Johnston, George Mighton.
 I.—George Bailey, Claren Reay, Herbert Wells, Clifford Brown, Dor- thy Bailey.
 Primer—Albert Reay, Myrtle Bar- man, Grace Reay, Pearl Bartman.
 —P. A. Wilson, teacher.

SOUTH AMERICA AS SEEN BY TOURISTS

Mrs. (Dr.) Lorne Robertson of Stratford Gave Good Address to I.O.D.E. Ladies and Friends Tuesday Night.

The ladies of Canadian Grey Chap- ter, I.O.D.E., staged another of their delightful social gatherings in the auditorium of the High School, the entertainment this time consisting of an address by Mrs. (Dr.) Lorne Robertson of Stratford on her trip two years ago to South America, taken under the auspices of the American College of Surgeons. The trip was made by specially char- tered steamer from New York, and the itinerary included calls at Ha- vana, Cuba, Panama, and other points of interest on the eastern South American coast as far south as Buenos Ayres in the Argentine and Monte- video, in Uruguay. About 20 Can- adians were included in the party, the rest being Americans. Being a special cruise, the party stopped over at ports not touched by regu- lar passenger steamers.

They left New York in February, and the first stop was Havana, Cuba, approximately 1,200 miles. The city's buildings were described as of Moorish architecture with Spanish influence. The stop at Panama was one of great interest, as well as at the Venezuelan republic, where there are to be found the largest platinum mines in the world. Car-acas in the same republic, was de- scribed as "the most beautiful city in South America," and is quite modern.

One thing of particular notice in South America was the preponder- ance of Canadian banks, especially the Royal Bank and the Bank of Commerce. Few American banks were to be found.

Mrs. Robertson remarked that when you set foot on a British pos- session, it is easy to recognize it, as in Trinidad, by the actions and dress of its people, their homes and buildings.

Trinidad, situated off the north- eastern coast of Venezuela, and ap- proximately 300 miles north of Bri- tish Guiana, is the most beautiful island in the West Indies. Here are the largest asphaltum lakes in the world. It is also a famous health resort because of its oven temperature, always around 72 to 74 degrees. It is from Trinidad that we get the most of our spices.

Rio de Janeiro (the river of Janu- ary, because it was in this month that it was discovered), is the sec- ond largest city of South America with a population of 1,500,000, is 3,500 miles from Trinidad. It is a clean city and thoroughly modern. The speaker referred to some of the wonders of South America, not gen- erally known in this part of the world, and more especially Brazil, of which "Rio" is the capital. Of 55 largest rivers in the world, 33 are in Brazil, the Amazon being 600 miles wide at its mouth.

The speaker said there are 365 is- lands in the harbor, which is very beautiful and said by many author- ities to be the most beautiful harbor in the world. Mrs. Robertson showed quite a number of views of Rio, taken herself and later de- veloped for lantern work, and of the many beautiful palms that lined the avenues and streets, said she had been told they originated from one single palm brought from Spain 400 years before.

At Santos, farther south, there was heavy shipping of coffee. Passing on to the Argentine, and to Buenos Ayres, the speaker dealt lightly with the native population, describing them as fond of horse- racing and gambling, and while they were a progressive people, they were apparently not very energetic. She referred to the beautiful rose gar- dens seen in the Argentine capital city and said that they contained over 5,000 named varieties.

On the return trip, the party stopped over at Barbadoes, described as the smallest but richest island of the West Indies, and were of coral formation. Views of shipping in the harbor at Bridgetown, the sugar mills, buildings, streets and natives were shown.

The return trip from Barbadoes to New York took up a running time of eight days.

We regret very much that our time and space will not permit us a more extensive report of this most interesting address.

At the close of the address, Mrs. D. B. Jamieson moved a vote of thanks which was seconded by Mrs. (Dr.) Grant and suitably replied to by the recipient. A vote of thanks was tendered to the school board for the loan of the building, by Mrs. MacBeth, seconded by Miss A. Kearney. Little Miss Shirley McIntyre presented the speaker with a bo- quet of cut flowers.

The meeting was presided over by the Regent, Mrs. G. S. Kearney, and besides the address, the program was enhanced by a piano duet by Mesdames Hargrave and Ton, a solo by Mrs. C. C. Middlebro', and a duet by Mrs. T. M. McFadden and Miss Ramage.

LEAVES FOR WELLAND MONDAY OF NEXT WEEK

Mr. Eddie McQueen, assistant to Postmaster Smith here for the past two years and a half, leaves for Welland next Monday, where he has accepted a position in the post office at that place. Since his connection with the office here, Mr. McQueen has proven himself a painstaking and obliging official, and his de- parture will be a decided loss to the local post office staff and the public at large. We wish him success in his new position, which is a dis- tinct advance in his chosen profes- sion as a member of the Canadian postal service.

THE SPRING STORY OF THE MEADOW

Examine your new meadows now. A half-hour's walk over them may save you future loss by indicating whether or not your cropping practices in this connection have been correct, says G. P. McRostie, Dom- inion Agrostologist.

Each young plant, especially of the various clovers, stands out fair- ly distinctly at this time of the year, and we are able to see wherein our seeding has either succeeded or failed to measure up to what we might rightfully expect.

Some of the plots at the Central Experimental Farm, when examined in April, were almost completely covered with live plants of the kind seeded, while others presented a sorry contrast. These latter plots had been planted with seed from regions where weather conditions were not so severe as at Ottawa, con- sequently the great majority of the plants had winter killed.

Unevenness of seeding, and the presence of large clods of earth or large stones, were reflected in either the absence of plants in definite spots or in the patchy, uneven ap- pearance of the sod. Some spots, however, were bare where the ground was smooth and in good condition with no large stones present. Such areas, it was concluded, were either seeded too deeply or the seeder had become clogged for a moment.

Here and there plant diseases had taken their toll, and in a few cases, insect attacks had so weakened a plant that it could not survive. The greatest reason, however, for the poorest stands, could be attributed to the kind of seed used and how and on what kind of land it has been sown. Many crop failures are fore- ordained at the time of planting, but fortunately the essential elements of a profitable crop may be ensured at the same time.

QUOTA LAW IN U. S. AIDS CANADA

Dominion Expects Thousands of Set- tlers as Result.

Canada expects to get several thousand new settlers from Europe this year as a result of the present limitations in the immigration laws of the United States, according to Colonel Stoughton Dennis, chief commissioner of the department of colonization and development of the Canadian Pacific Railway, who is in

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New York City en route to Europe. Col. Dennis thought it probable that the C. P. R. would handle 100,000 immigrants, mostly from Scan- dinavian countries. "Indications are," he said, "that a large move- ment has set in from Denmark to Western Canada."

Speaking of things Canadian, Col. Dennis said that one of the features of the Wembley Exhibition this year will be a reproduction in butter of the Prince of Wales' E-P Ranch. The exhibit will be hermetically sealed in a plate glass case and is expected to be one of the most in- teresting features of the exhibition.

Burglar (surprised by house own- er): "Well, if that ain't the limit. What d'yer mean by puttin' a card on your door: 'Out of town till Monday?'"

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