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LOST TORONTO MEN WANDERED IN WOODS NEAR HALIBURTON

They Subsisted on Wild Game and Food Found in an Abandoned Camp--Both Are in Good Condition--Found by Two Trappers Ten Miles From Madawaska Lake.

London, June 10.—W. J. Weatherhead and E. D. Solomon, Toronto prospectors, missing since May 24 in the woods near Haliburton, were found late yesterday afternoon by two trappers, Bert and William Boyce, near Hollow Lake. They had been subsisting on wild game and on food found in an abandoned camp near the lake. They are both in good condition, although worried with being lost and very tired with tramping. The men were found only ten miles from Madawaska Lake, and 30 miles from Haliburton. Being entire-

PROVINCIAL PREMIERS ASK NEW LIQUOR LAWS

Want Excise Duty Reduced One-third on Canadian-Made Spirits.

Ottawa, June 10.—At the conference of Provincial Premiers now in session here, an important resolution was passed calling on the Federal Government to take steps regarding the liquor law. "That whereas all the provinces of Canada have some form of Government sale of wines and spirits, and it is in the public interest to protect such Government sale, and enforcement of the laws in respect to which involves much expenditure by all such provinces, "Whereas the high customs and excise duty and sales tax levied upon liquor, and the amount so levied exceeds the profits realized by the Provincial Governments, which bear all the responsibility of the Government sale of liquor; "And whereas if such customs and excise duties and sales tax were reduced on Canadian-made wine and spirits to say one-third of the present duty in cases where sales are made to a Provincial Government, and to say one-half in cases where wines and spirits are imported by a Provincial Government and the present duties were still maintained on sales to and importations by others, so that the governments of these provinces in which the principle of Government sale prevail, such reductions would protect Government sale and give a preference to the use of Canadian-made wine and spirits. "And whereas the costs of wine and spirits could then be reduced when bought in a legal way through Provincial Government commissions or authorities, which reduction would tend to eliminate the present strong incentive to illicit manufacture and sale of wines and spirits and assist in the enforcement of the liquor laws. "Resolved that the Federal Government be respectfully asked to cause such legislation to be enacted by the Parliament of Canada as will effect the above reductions."

Leave for Denver. Dr. P. H. Huyck and Mr. F. W. Coates leave to-day to attend the convention of Rotary International at Denver. Dr. Huyck goes as the delegate from the Kingston Club, while Mr. Coates will represent Brockville. They will be away for about three or four weeks. Spain is unable to accept the classification in the composition of the League of Nations Council, which places her in the secondary ranks of powers. Senor Quarboal declared before the council Thursday afternoon. Rev. R. Smith, of Lennoxville, Que., was appointed Bishop coadjutor to assist Archbishop Thorneley, by the Synod of Algoma, in session at Sault Ste. Marie on Thursday morning. The Kingston Orangemen will celebrate the 12th July in Belleville.

FURTHER STRENGTH IN CATTLE MARKET

Prices at Toronto Fifty Cents Higher Than Week Ago—Hogs Strong.

Montreal, June 10.—With but 12 cattle, 16 sheep, 134 hogs and 192 calves for sale on the two markets yesterday morning prices were generally on a level with Tuesday. Medium and fairly good veal calves sold together brought \$8.50, common and pail-fed calves \$8.50 to \$7.50 and grassers and thin drinkers \$5.50 to \$6. Hogs were scarce and the few lots of good quality were sold from \$15.75 to \$15.90.

Toronto Market. Toronto, June 10.—Cattle trade remained strong with prices 50¢ higher than last week on the Toronto Livestock Exchange. Heavy steers brought \$8 to \$8.75 with choice handyweights and near heavies at \$8 to \$8.50. Good butcher cows sold from \$8 to \$7 with good bulls at \$6.50. Calves were steady at \$11 to \$12 for choice with other grades down to \$4.50. Hogs remained strong at \$15.50 off car for thick smooths and at \$17.01 for select. Lambs sold steady at \$16.50 to \$18 a hundred pounds for the best. Sheep were steady with tops at \$8.50 a hundred pounds.

THIRD CONTRIBUTION. Man, 50 Years in U. S., Aids Britain to Pay Debt. London, June 10.—A man born in England, but who has lived in the United States fifty years, has sent his third contribution in three years to the Government to be used toward paying the debt to the United States. Winston Churchill, Chancellor of the Exchequer, has sent him the cheque of the Government. His contribution this time consisted of bonds worth £1,370.

BEDLAM BREAKS LOOSE IN GERMAN REICHSTAG

Chancellor Marx Defends President Hindenburg From Attacks of Socialists. Berlin, June 10.—Bedlam broke loose in the Reichstag today when Chancellor Marx defended President von Hindenburg against Socialist attacks upon his recent pronouncements against the confiscation of former rulers' property. Fists fights were threatened between deputies of the right and left parties. The Socialists' criticism was varied by former Chancellor Hermann Mueller, who charged the president with violating the constitution in abandoning the non-partisan attitude prescribed for chief executive. The Ontario Highways department has decided to put a new top on the highway from Kingston to Catsquill. It certainly is needed.

Mr. Forke Tells Renfrew Rotary Club What is Ailing Our Country To-day

Renfrew, June 10.—"When I went to parliament first, I imagined that I was going to reform the whole country, but after twelve years of that life, I find that I am very humble and cannot live up to my past expectations." So declared Robert Forke, leader of the Progressive party in the Federal house in addressing the Renfrew Rotary club here last night. "Our trouble to-day is that some of our people do not realize that Canada is no longer the country of Macdonald and Mackenzie, but there have been great changes taking place. If our east and west could get together and work together, we should not need to fear the proverb that a house divided could not stand."

DIES OF CARBON MONOXIDE FUMES

Toronto, June 10.—William J. Brown, aged 71, was found dead in his garage last night, having, it is believed, succumbed to carbon monoxide fumes from the exhaust of his car engine, which had been left running.

BENCH WARRANT FOR HIS ARREST ISSUED

Because Toronto Man Failed to Answer Charge of Attempting Suicide. Toronto, June 10.—When Percy Ham of Toronto, well-known in musical circles, failed to answer a charge of attempted suicide, in police court this morning, a bench warrant was issued. Ham was on \$10,000 bail, half of which was provided by himself and half by his father. He is alleged to have attempted to end his life on May 29, by inhaling illuminating gas. Ham is thirty-seven years of age.

MUST CREATE GOOD FEELING TO GAIN ITS INDEPENDENCE

Cairo, June 10.—The necessity of creating good feeling between Egypt and Great Britain in order to pave the way to complete independence of Egypt was emphasized in the speech from the throne read at the opening of parliament to-day by the new Egyptian Prime Minister, Adly Yaghen Pasha. It was announced in the speech that Egypt will apply for membership in the League of Nations.

MANUFACTURERS ASK INCREASE IN TARIFF

And Abolition of Sales Tax—J. M. Taylor of Guelph Elected President. Toronto, June 10.—Resolutions were adopted today by the Canadian Manufacturers' Association in annual session, urging immediate and substantial increases in the customs tariff on finished products where necessary, and also that when higher duties have been put into effect, Canada should endeavor to increase her export trade by making preferential tariff arrangements, based on the bargaining principle, with other countries, particularly countries of the British Empire. Other resolutions called for federal legislation to safeguard Canadian factories and their employees until depreciated currencies of other countries are restored to normal, and also that the anti-dumping laws be strengthened. Abolition of the sales tax was urged in another resolution. J. M. Taylor, of the Taylor-Ford Co., Limited, Guelph, was elected president of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association at this morning's session. W. S. Falls of the Sherwin-Williams Co., Montreal, was advanced to the first vice-presidency.

R.M.C. ADVISORY BOARD HERE

Made Inspection of Buildings and the Cadets' Work. The members of the Royal Military College Advisory Board made their annual visit to the institution yesterday, inspecting the buildings, reviewing the cadets at work and holding a conference with the Commandant and staff of the College. The Board will make its report to Ottawa. Those comprising the Board are as follows: General Sir A. W. Currie, G.C.M.G., K.C.B., chairman; Dr. Howard Murray, Nova Scotia; Lt. Col. A. MacMillan, New Brunswick; Ven. Archdeacon Cody, Ontario; H. M. Tory, Ontario; B. Fletcher, Manitoba; General V. W. Odium, V.C., Vancouver; General Cartwright, R.M.C. Club; the chief of staff and deputy minister, Department of Militia and Defence. Major-General MacBrien, Chief of General Staff, Department of Militia and Defence, who is a member of the R.M.C. Advisory Board, came to Kingston from Ottawa, for the annual visit of the Board in his capacity.

A DOUBLE DROWNING IN LAKE NEAR MIDLAND

Two London, Ont., Young Men Lose Lives When Dance Upset. Midland, June 10.—Two young men, William Dudderidge, jewelry store clerk, and Ray Eden, aged twenty-one, Western University student, both of London, Ont., were drowned yesterday by the upsetting of their canoe near here, when proceeding towards Port McNicoll. Capt. A. G. Elson, by whom both boys were employed, swam towards them, hoping to effect their rescue, but was obliged to turn back and reached shore with great difficulty. Eden's body was found this morning and was taken to Barrie.

200 Cement Bags Stolen From the City

A sneak thief made off with 200 cement bags, the property of the city, and which were stored at the Board of Works plant, in the fair grounds. Detective Thomas Munnings, who was given the case, succeeded in locating the bags at a second hand store, and which were returned to the city.

A RETRACTION BY BULLETIN OF EDMONTON

Of Charges Made Against Canadian Press and Others. The Canadian Press Directors Grant Membership to the Bulletin for Evening Paper. Edmonton, June 10.—The Edmonton Bulletin will published today the following statement by its publisher, Chas. E. Campbell: "On December 3rd, last, in a publishers' statement in the Edmonton Bulletin and subsequently in an action for damages in the Supreme Court of Alberta, I made certain charges against the Canadian Press, J. H. Woods, of the Calgary Herald and John M. Imrie, of the Edmonton Journal. These charges were made in good faith, on information which I believed to be true, but which I have since found was incorrect. "With reference to the Canadian Press, I have settled my difference with that organization, and have applied for membership in it. I have found on further enquiry that the directors of the Canadian Press, in dealing with my application for a morning news service last fall, exercised their functions according to their by-laws and are desirous of facilitating newspaper publication in Edmonton to the fullest extent within these by-laws. "It has been shown to my satisfaction that the Edmonton Journal and Mr. Imrie personally did not oppose but actually supported my application, also that such conditions as were proposed by Mr. Woods as president of the Canadian Press were suggested in good faith. They were in fact, such as to be subsequently approved by the directors of the Canadian Press as proper under the circumstances, covering an interim news service in advance of the consideration of an application for membership. That part of my statement of claim alleging conditions proposed was based in part on memory and I have since found was incorrect in certain respects. None of the conditions I suggested had any relation whatever to the trade unions or agreements with the same. "I desire, therefore, to make complete retraction of the charges made in December last, and have instructed my solicitors to withdraw the legal action then taken against the Canadian Press, Mr. Woods and Mr. Imrie. (Signed)—"CHAS. E. CAMPBELL," Toronto, Ont., June 10, 1925.

GOVERNMENT HAS ACTED

Is Inquiring Into Dumping of American Strawberries. Ottawa, June 10.—The Government has taken action with respect to the report that the Canadian market was being flooded with American strawberries. This announcement was made in the House of Commons yesterday afternoon by Hon. G. H. Boulton, Minister of Customs and Excise, in reply to a question by Hon. S. F. Tolmie (Conservative, Victoria). Mr. Boulton stated that a representative of the Dominion had been sent to the country of production to ascertain on the ground the home market value of the fruit in question. In the meantime customs officers had been instructed to accept shipments subject only to any amendments or corrections which might be made under the dumping clause.

HUDSON'S BAY VOTE PASSED BY COMMONS

There Was No Division—Several Conservatives Spoke in Favor. Ottawa, June 10.—After the discussion again occupying the major portion of yesterday's sitting the House of Commons last night passed a vote of \$3,000,000 for the Hudson's Bay railway. The vote went without division. The purpose of the vote is to put into shape for operation 332 miles of road from Le Pas, Manitoba to Kettle Rapids, on which steel has already been laid. Several Conservatives spoke in favor of the vote, including Hon. Dr. Manion of Fort William.

GOVERNMENT IS NOT LIKELY TO INTERVENE

In the Coal Crisis in Great Britain—Mine Owners Are Blamed. London, June 10.—The position created by the breakdown of Tuesday of the renewed negotiations between the coal owners and miners for settlement of the coal stoppage is regarded by the Government as so serious that a cabinet meeting probably will be summoned to decide whether it shall take further steps to end the dispute. Opinion, however, is said to be against intervention.

THE SENATE PASSES CUSTOMS CHANGES

Hon. Dr. Reid Says That Better Salaries Should Be Paid. Ottawa, June 10.—The Senate adopted the amendments to the customs tariff yesterday and the bill was given its third reading. When these amendments were under discussion, Hon. J. D. Reid, former Minister of Customs, said from his experience the Customs staff on the whole was a good organization. He never could understand how we got the service to administer the Customs Act at the salaries paid. Men getting less than two thousand a year were doing work of the most important character. He did not believe we could ever get the Customs Act properly administered unless we secured competent men by paying adequate salaries. The recommendations made for the betterment of the Customs services were probably sound, but they cannot be carried out with the present salaries paid, as competent men will not remain in the service.

MUST DIE ON GAWWAS

Baltimore, Md., June 19.—Richard Rees Whittemore, the "million dollar crime trust" leader, and slayer of a Maryland penitentiary guard; today was sentenced to die on the gallows. He killed Robert Boltman in escaping from penitentiary in February, 1925.

MILK PERMITS ARE HELD UP

PENDING CLEAN-UP OF DAIRIES. Dr. G. W. Bell, Milk Inspector, Is Determined That Kingston Will Secure Best Possible Supply—Health Officer to Seek Information for Special Milk Committee of City Council.

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MANY OMITTING ENGLAND

Half Million Americans Going to Europe This Season. London, June 10.—A half-million Americans will come to Europe this summer, and within a decade the steadily increasing number of American tourists to Europe will reach one million annually, according to a London newspaper. A growing proportion of these tourists are leaving England out of their itineraries, he says, because they think England is more expensive than the Continent, and English hotels interior. Wealthy American who can afford to stop at the best London hotels have no complaint, but it is said the bulk of the current in the United States that second-class English hotels are costly and poorly equipped.

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EXTRA DOLLAR EXCISE TAX TO BE DROPPED

Boxes of Cigars of Ten or Less to Be Included in Three Dollar Rate. Ottawa, June 10.—The extra dollar a thousand excise tax on cigars put up in boxes of ten or less will be removed by the provisions of a bill introduced in the House of Commons yesterday, Hon. G. H. Boulton, Minister of Customs, explained that for some unknown reason the Excise Act did not include these small boxes of cigars in the three dollar excise rate, and that the higher rate of \$4 had been charged. The rate will be \$3 per thousand on all cigars hereafter. The bill was given first and second readings without discussion. It provides also that where there is no excise warehouse in a seaport, tobacco, cigarettes and cigars may be supplied from another excise warehouse to the customs bonded warehouses at such ports, so that shipping may be supplied from the latter warehouses. The effect of this is to give Canadian tobacco manufacturers a chance to cater to the shipping trade in such seaports, where hitherto they have not been able to compete with foreign dealers.

A CYCLONIC STORM SWEEPS PRAIRIES

The Heaviest Rainfall Ever Recorded—Snowfalls in Northern Sections. Edmonton, June 10.—Windstorms of a cyclone nature, reaching a velocity of 50 miles an hour at times, visited the districts between Wetaskiwin and Red Deer Tuesday night shortly before sunset and did great damage to telegraph and telephone poles in areas affected, according to reports received here. The Alberta Government telephone system was the hardest hit and ten miles of poles were levelled when they were struck by the gale. The centre of the storm was between Ponoka and Lacombe, but there was also some trouble south of Red Deer. Heavy rains were reported in many districts all over the northern and central portion of the province. Rain began shortly before six o'clock at Wetaskiwin and a heavy downpour was also reported from Banff. Rain fell in Edmonton was the heaviest ever recorded, 2.68 inches falling between 7 o'clock Tuesday night and 3 o'clock yesterday morning. Snowfalls are reported at White Court and at points in the district north of Peace River. No Damage to Crops. Regina, June 10.—As far as could be learned no damage was reported from any part of Saskatchewan as the result of the electrical rainstorm that visited Regina yesterday. Shaunavon reports a heavy electrical and wind storm lasting thirty minutes, but no injury to crops or damage to property. Yesterday morning Regina district probably received the greatest amount of moisture, with more than a quarter of an inch recorded.

MR. SPEAKMAN GREETED

Limped Into House on Crutches After Long Illness. Ottawa, June 10.—The proceedings of the House of Commons yesterday afternoon were interrupted by the entrance of Alfred Speakman, Progressive member from Red Deer, Alberta, Mr. Speakman who has been ill in a local hospital since February limped into the House on two crutches and was greeted with applause from all sides. C. H. Cahan (Conservative, St. Lawrence or George) who was speaking at the moment in the debate on Hudson Bay Railway estimates paused for a moment to extend the greetings of the House to Mr. Speakman. European scientists are to be invited to participate in the bituminous coal conference, in New York.