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TREMENDOUS WELCOME ACCORDED ROYALTY

JAPANESE RENEW INDIGNITIES ON BRITONS Millions Cheer King And Queen On Homecoming

CHAMBERLAIN URGED TO TAKE FIRM ACTION

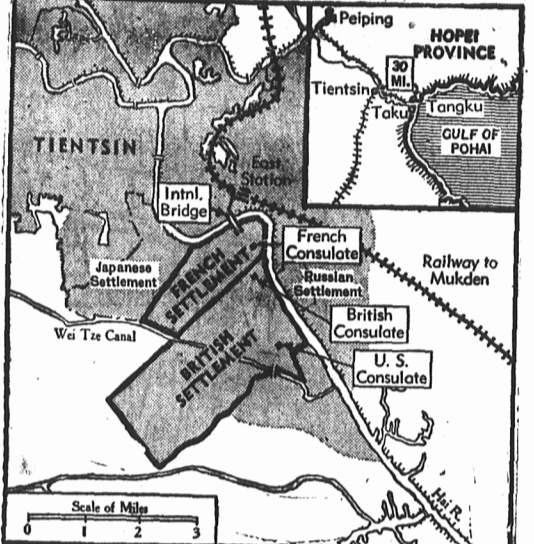
Shortage Of Fresh Food Presents Increasingly Serious Problem In Concession.

LONDON, June 22—Prime Minister Chamberlain, faced with a growing demand for strong action in the Far East, today told the House of Commons that if negotiations fail to settle the growing friction between Great Britain and Japan "we are considering what further steps might have to be taken."

Earlier in the day a Government spokesman declared continuation of the blockade of the British Concession at Tientsin "will obviously lead to counter measures" by Britain.

It was disclosed Foreign Secretary Lord Halifax sent a message to British authorities at Tientsin giving assurance the Government would make every effort to protect British interests there.

Tientsin: Scene of Jap Blockade



Large map above is closeup of Tientsin, north China port, where Japan blockades British and French areas, inhabited by 120,000. Persons attempting to leave or enter foreign settlements are quizzed, searched in vicinity of International bridge, East station. Inset map shows position of Tientsin in respect to coast. Commercial ships discharge cargoes at Taku and Tangku, 30 miles down Hai river.

NAVAL FORCES DOUBLED IN TROUBLE ZONE

Britain And United States Reject Japanese Warning At Swatow.

SHANGHAI, June 22—(AP)—Great Britain and the United States doubled their naval forces today in the Japanese-occupied South China Port of Swatow in the face of a belated warning to the warships and nationals of both to leave a zone of possible hostilities.

Britain sent the destroyer Scout to support the destroyer Thetis which was already moored in Swatow.

Admiral Harry E. Yarnell, Commander-in-Chief of the United States Asiatic Fleet, summarily rejected the warning which foreign officials said was not received yesterday until two hours after the Japanese announced the fall of Swatow and cessation of hostilities.

The United States destroyer Pillsbury, which stood by in the inner harbor yesterday to protect 48 Americans in Swatow, was joined by the destroyer Thetis. The coastal gunboat Asheville will leave Hong Kong tomorrow for the port.

Are Evacuated
Twenty women and children of Swatow's British community of 80 sailed for Hong Kong aboard two British merchantmen.

Original and accidental accounts differed as to the nature of the Japanese warning.

British naval quarters in Hong Kong said foreign ships had been "ordered" to leave Swatow harbor by 1 P. M. today (2 A. M. EDT), but a Japanese naval spokesman in Shanghai said only "the usual warning" had been given to foreigners to leave a zone of possible hostilities. He denied that there had been any time limit.

Admiral Yarnell's rejection of the Japanese communication was issued from Chinwangtao, North China, where the Cruiser Augusta, his flagship, is anchored.

Americans have escaped the treatment meted Britons and the Swatow issues developed a further instance of contrasting Japanese attitude toward Britons and Americans.

Japanese naval headquarters in Swatow issued a statement expressing "appreciation of the American Navy's sympathetic attitude toward Japanese operations in Swatow."

The statement gave no explanation why Admiral Yarnell, in his rejection, said American warships would try to avoid interference with Japanese operations so far as was consistent with their duty.

Rumor Of Ralston's Return To Politics Revived At Ottawa

OTTAWA, June 22—(CP)—Lt. Col. J. L. Ralston, former Minister of National Defence and now member of a Montreal law firm, was among those who called upon Prime Minister MacKenzie King yesterday, and his visit revived rumors that he might return to politics.

Finance Minister Dunning, who was seriously ill last year and carried on with some difficulty during the parliamentary session, may not subject himself this year to the rigors of an election campaign. Col. Ralston was chief financial critic for the Liberal party when it was in opposition from 1930 to 1935 and has been mentioned as a possible successor to the Finance portfolio.

Col. Ralston did not offer himself for re-election in 1935 and announced his retirement from politics so that he might practice his profession. He was defence minister in the previous MacKenzie King Cabinet representing the Nova Scotia riding of Shelburne-Yarmouth.

IS RE-ELECTED PRESIDENT OF W.M.S. BRANCH

Mrs. J. T. Burchell, Sydney, Reappointed To Office At Sackville Meeting.

SACKVILLE, N. S., June 22—(CP)—Mrs. J. T. Burchell of Sydney, was re-elected president of the Maritime Branch of the Women's Missionary Society of the United Church of Canada (this afternoon).

The following slate of officers, many of whom were re-elected, was adopted at the afternoon session: Past president, Mrs. L. W. Parker; president, Mrs. J. T. Burchell; vice-president, Mrs. J. R. Miller, Springhill, N. S.; Mrs. J. W. Fawcett, Saint John; Mrs. E. E. Woodside, Cornwall, P. E. I.; recording secretary, Mrs. L. W. Bartlett, Saint John; corresponding secretary, Mrs. J. H. A. Langille, Tatamagouche, N. S.; Christian stewardship and finance, Mrs. A. J. Matheson, O'Leary, P. E. I.

Mission circles, Mrs. A. J. Reynolds, Mulgrave, N. S.; affiliated C. G. I. T. groups, Mrs. E. V. Forbes, Windsor, N. S.; Mission bands, Mrs. L. L. MacLennan, O'Leary, P. E. I.; associate helpers, Mrs. E. M. Mills, Debec, N. B.; supply, Miss Margaret Grant, Halifax; community friendship, Mrs. Roy Vail, Halifax; literature, Mrs. W. A. MacLean, Inverness, N. B.; monthly and world friends, Mrs. A. G. Pentz, Devon, N. B.; interdenominational and Christian citizenship, Mrs. R. A. James, Lunenburg; ship, Mrs. C. R. A. James, Lunenburg; the press, Mrs. K. N. Tall, Truro.

Unprecedented Display Of Loyalty And Affection Marks Return Of Royal Couple From History-making Tour.

(By R. K. Carnegie, Canadian Press Staff Writer)

LONDON, June 22—England wrote "well done" tonight after King George and Queen Elizabeth's history-making 15,000-mile tour into the new world.

To the cheers of multitudes in Canada, the United States and Newfoundland was added the noisy, spontaneous acclaim of King George and Queen Elizabeth's old countrymen as they welcomed Their Majesties back to the Empire's capital.

Cheering millions gave the King and Queen a demonstration of loyalty and affection such as this capital has not seen since Their Majesties were crowned two years ago. And almost immediately His Majesty went back to work, although his royal tour can hardly be spoken of as a vacation. He received Prime Minister Chamberlain at Buckingham Palace one hour and 24 minutes after he himself set foot in the royal residence.

Outlines Developments

Mr. Chamberlain remained at the Palace for almost two hours. It was understood that he outlined to His Majesty international and political developments since King George left England almost seven weeks ago.

At the same time it was the first opportunity the King had to tell his Prime Minister of the royal tour just concluded.

Leaving this evening crowds were still milling about stately Buckingham Palace over which the Royal Standard flew again for the first time in six weeks. Twice the King and Queen and the little Princesses appeared on the balcony in answer to the crowd's appeals. They stood for many minutes graciously acknowledging the cheers, but they left the people still unsatisfied.

Top hats waved in the air among workmen's dilapidated caps and broad accents blended with voices of the crowd as they called out "Well Done Your Majesty," "Welcome Home," "Stout Work" and then the chant was taken up again: "We want Our King and Queen."

The Royal Couple made their first appearance on the balcony 12 minutes after they entered Buckingham Palace, at 6.15 P. M. (2.16 P. M. EDT) wearing the attire which they had on when they left the Empire of Britain at Southampton—the King in the uniform of an Admiral of the Fleet and the Queen in a blue woolen dress and matching long coat.

Their second appearance, still accompanied by the Princesses, who wore pink dresses, was at 8.40 P. M. The King had changed to tails and the Queen was in a flowing heliotrope evening gown.

And once again the Queen conquered the hearts of 50,000 subjects massed about the palace when she blew a kiss to them. This precipitated a new outbreak of cheers.

Royal Family Reunited

Tonight the Royal Family was reunited again within Buckingham Palace after the North American tour which took Their Majesties from the heart of the Empire for 47 days.

London still echoed to the mighty cheers that left no doubt the mighty Empire of Britain were deeply appreciative of the service to the Empire the King and Queen had rendered by their unprecedented trip.

Their Majesties were welcomed by a cross-section of London life. No one cheered more heartily before Buckingham Palace than the Dean of Westminster. The uproar of Westminister, where members of the

Grand Orange Lodge Meets In Winnipeg

WINNIPEG, June 22—(CP)—The Grand Orange Lodge of British America opened its 139th annual session here today with Sir Richard Squires of Newfoundland presiding as Grand Master. Delegates representing lodges from Victoria to Newfoundland, totalled 250.

Loftus H. Reid, Toronto, grand secretary, told the convention a substantial increase in membership had occurred during the year. R. Hardy Small, Toronto, grand treasurer, reported a satisfactory financial balance.

The Grand Black Chapter of the Grand Orange Lodge and the Ladies Orange Benevolent Association are also in annual sessions here. J. A. McCallum of Campbellton, N. B., was elected grand master of the Grand Black Chapter. Other officers included: Deputy grand lecturers: Newfoundland, A. Pear; Nova Scotia, M. Brown; New Brunswick, W. J. Loane; Prince Edward Island, W. Snelgrove.

Institute Meet Elects Officers

Mrs. Walter Leard, Fernwood, New President—Attend Reception At Government House.

tion of wealth in the hands of a few and pointed out the danger of such a condition reminding the delegates that when Rome fell two per cent of the people owned all the lands.

The first requisite here, he believed, was nationalization of the banking system of Canada. Some might throw up their hands and exclaim "that is socialism" but some could be said about the postal service yet who would ask for a privately owned postal service system.

"You who are living ten or fifteen years from today will look back and hardly recognize you are living in the same world, conditions will be so changed," Mr. Dennis predicted.

A feature of the morning program was the portfolio exhibited by Mrs. Walter Leard, president-elect displaying scenes and various items of home handicrafts. The portfolio would be sent to Alberta in the autumn, it was understood.

Pass Resolutions

Institute delegates in a resolution asked Department of Education, business men and those in authority to consider carefully before employing married women, especially those whose husbands were well able to support them. The practice deprived many young people of a means of a livelihood, it was felt.

The convention petitioned the Provincial Government to pay teachers according to class of pupils in the district.

The convention in a resolution issued a plea to politicians and political workers to discourage bribery for political purposes, terminating the practice a "demoralizing and vicious one."

The above resolutions were passed at the morning session. In the afternoon, Mrs. L. B. McNeill, Montague, retiring president presided yesterday.

Hon. W. H. Dennis

A plea to the women to assist in getting men in rural districts organized was voiced by Hon. W. H. Dennis, Minister of Agriculture at the opening session yesterday. Organized groups could be assisted by the Department but could not be helped individually to any extent, the Minister said.

Mr. Dennis saw in the present trend a tendency for concentra-

ANGLO-SOVIET NEGOTIATIONS BOGGED DOWN

Germany Seeks To Wean Russia From Anglo-French Bloc

BY J. F. SANDERSON
Canadian Press Staff Writer

LONDON, June 22—(CP Cable)—Germany is making trade overtures to Soviet Russia in the hope of weaning the Soviets away from the Anglo-French peace bloc, it was learned in official circles here tonight.

Joachim Von Ribbentrop, German Foreign Minister, has made advances to Russia both in Berlin and Moscow but diplomatic circles here insist he has been rebuffed.

There is doubt the British Government has been aware of any diplomatic moves by Von Ribbentrop since the beginning. But there is no indication such moves have been responsible for slowing up the Moscow negotiations for a Franco-British pact linking Russia, France and Britain.

The German Foreign Minister used the same tactic in an attempt to block the Anglo-Turkish Military Alliance, sending to Ankara Franz Von Sapper, who offered "trouble shooter," who offered the Turkish Government all sorts of inducements. But in that case British diplomacy triumphed over the German.

Meanwhile the negotiations in Moscow are going very slowly. There is belief here the Soviet Government has not budged an inch from its original suggestion that explicit guarantees against aggression direct or indirect must be given Latvia, Estonia and Finland since their beginning. The Baltic states refuse to accept them.

This may be the explanation, official circles said, of reports from Moscow that Foreign Commissar Molotov has rejected the latest British proposals which would have included the Baltic countries in the protection offered by the mutual aid pact without expressly naming them.

A Paris report that Molotov had decided to present a note to the French and British Ambassadors in Moscow to clarify the Soviet stand was considered a very hopeful sign.

It increased hope Moscow would adopt a more conciliatory attitude and attempt to meet the wishes of Britain and France rather than force its own views to the fore all the time.

Royal Thanks To The Press

(By R. K. Carnegie, Canadian Press Staff Writer)

LONDON, June 22—(CP Cable)—King George and Queen Elizabeth today thanked the newspapers of Canada for the way in which they reported the Royal Tour of the Dominion.

Before the Empress of Britain docked at Southampton the representative of The Canadian Press aboard the liner was summoned by Their Majesties to the Royal stateroom.

The King asked him to convey his thanks to the newspapers and press organization.

"They have helped us so much," the Queen interjected "and we want to thank them."

It was suggested to Their Majesties that their tour had come at the most opportune time to advance unity among the Canadian people.

The King expressed satisfaction at the way the tour had been carried out and agreed that this had been a propitious time to make it.

"We do hope our visit will make Canadians even more united," the Queen remarked.

WELCOMED TO NOVA SCOTIA

DOBY, N. S., June 22—(CP)—Premier Angus L. Macdonald extended an official welcome to the Nova Scotia contingent of the 265 delegates attending the annual convention of the Canadian Electrical Association here.

Steam-Roller Struck By Train Demolished

TRACADIE, N. S., June 22—(CP)—A steam-roller, stuck on the tracks in the path of the east-bound Halifax-Sydney Express near this Antigonish County village today, was smashed to bits. The operator jumped from his machine before it was struck by the train.

Pieces of the roller were scattered for yards around the crossing where it was caught between the tracks. Little damage was done to the Canadian National Railway train and it proceeded after two hours delay.

Lester C. Bulmer Dies At Halifax

HALIFAX, June 22—(CP)—Lester C. Bulmer, manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia Branch at Chester, N. S., died in hospital here today of his 43rd birthday. A native of Sackville, N. B., he served with the bank in Newfoundland, Amherst, N. S., and St. Peter's, P. E. I. He served overseas with the 85th Battalion.

No Consideration Given To Election Date Says Premier

OTTAWA, June 22—Prime Minister Mackenzie King, at the close of the Cabinet Council tonight, said the Government had not given consideration to the date of the next general election. "We had a great accumulation of work before us and sufficient until the day is the evil thereof," the Prime Minister said with a smile, when questioned on election possibilities.

"But it is gratifying to see so many evidences of satisfaction with the Government on the part of many of those who were not of our party," the Prime Minister observed. He did not develop this remark.

It was the first meeting the prime minister had had with his ministers since he left Ottawa May 16 to accompany Their Majesties on the royal tour as minister in attendance on the King.

Mr. Mackenzie King said he intended taking as much rest as possible during the next months on

You NEVER GRADUATE FROM THE SCHOOL OF EXPERIENCE



(By The Canadian Press)

TORONTO, June 22—Minimum and maximum temperature:

Dawson	54 60
Edmonton	48 52
Vancouver	54 64
Calgary	52 68
Regina	52 78
Winnipeg	52 78
Toronto	60 72
Ottawa	52 70
Montreal	54 74
Quebec	52 74
Saint John	54 76
Halifax	56 68
Charlottetown	52 71

Forecasts:—Maritime East: Moderate variable winds; mostly fair and moderately warm; probably followed by scattered showers at night on Saturday.

High tide this afternoon 2.58 and tomorrow morning at 3.54. Sun sets this evening at 7.50 and rises tomorrow evening at 4.14. First quarter moon June 24, 12.38 a.m. Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

THE CAR FERRY SAILINGS

Leaves Borden 7 A. M. 9.45 A. M. 1 P. M. 4.30 P. M.

Leaves Tormentarie 8.15 A. M. 11 A. M. 3.05 P. M. 6.30 P. M.

SUNDAY SAILINGS

Leaves Borden 9 A. M. 7 P. M.

Leaves Tormentarie 10.15 A. M. 8.10 P. M.

Fresh Food Scarce

Major G. A. Herbert, British Consul, declared fresh food had become a very serious question and said British authorities were preparing to bring supplies in their own boats from Shanghai and elsewhere, if necessary.

The Consulate-General issued a statement charging eight Britons had been forced to submit to indignities, including stripping and lengthy examinations in full view.

Coming Events

- Rate for Notices in this column 3 cents per word.
- "Dance in Millview Hall Friday, June 23rd. Singing by Helen Doucette. L-79-6-22-21.
 - "Cake Sale in aid of Basilea Altar Society Saturday afternoon, Moore & McLeod. L-79-6-22-31.
 - "Welcome Inn, Sunday Special from 5 to 7, Three Course Chicken Dinner. L-617-6-23-21.
 - "Bread, Rolls etc., at S. A. MacDonald's Saturday 24th by Royal Order. L-813-6-20-23.
 - "Ice Cream Festival and Dance in St. Theresa's Hall, Monday night, June 26th. Webster's. L-103-6-23-11.
 - "See "His Irish Frind" in Webster's Corrier Hall on Friday, June 23rd. Ice cream, Orchestra, and Dance. L-59-6-22-21.
 - "St. James Sunday School Picnic Saturday, at farm, Royal Rhythms, Dunstaffnage, Truck leaves 1.30. L-55-6-22-31.
 - "The Cornwall Y.P.U. will present their three-act comedy "Marying Anne", York Hall, June 23rd. L-40-6-21-23-21.
 - "See "Tempest and Sunshine", presented by Mount Pleasant Players in Marshfield Hall tonight, June 23rd—Admission 25 and 15 cents. L-118.
 - "The Choir of St. John's Presbyterian Church, Belfast, will present "The Prodigal Son in Song and Story" on Sunday, June 25th at 7.30 P. M. L-102-6-23-21.
 - "Reserve Friday evening, June 30th for Pe Social and Play. "Here Comes Charlie", in St. Margaret's Hall. Refreshing comedy, interesting specialties, music, step-dancing. Curtain at 8.45 sharp. Admission 25 cents. Ladies with free tea. L-104-6-23-26-26-30.
 - "Livestock Marketing Board—Selling hogs, lambs, calves, week of June 29th through local shipping clubs as follows: Monday afternoon Elmira, 5.00; St. Peter's, 5.00; Mount Stewart, 5.00; St. Theresa, Charlottetown; Tuesday forenoon Hill train time, Charlottetown; Wednesday forenoon, Hunter River, Brudenburgh, Kinkora; Thursday noon 12 to 3, Albany, Pleasant; Friday noon 12 to 3, Albany, Pleasant; Saturday noon 12 to 3, Albany, Pleasant.

Stresses Need Of Practical Books For Library Service

HALIFAX, June 22—(CP)—A regional library service equipped with practical books rather than cultural literature was urged tonight by Nova Scotia's Halifax regional library director, in an address before the Maritime Library Institute Convention.

To meet the needs of the primary producer and the common man of Nova Scotia, the modern library of this province should handle the cultural side with the left hand and the practical side with the right, Miss Bateson said. Men in business and industry likewise needed books that could teach them along their own lines she held.

Adult Education

Rev. Father J. J. Tompkins of

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Reserve, N. S., one of the Fathers of the co-operative movement in this province, spoke on the close connection between the Regional Library and Adult Education. He saw the library as the "university of the common man," but increased funds were needed to bring both it and adult education to people of the rural districts where they were most needed.

He presented a chart showing expenses on adult education in various sections of the United States and Canada. Nova Scotia was at the bottom of the list, spending only 1-50 of what Massachusetts did.

The fifth annual conference of the Librarians opened today and continues tomorrow. President E. Chandler of Charlottetown is presiding.