CANADA TO ACQUIRE RAILROAD SYSTEMS

Dominion Will Operate Lines and All Subsidiaries From Atlantic to Pacific.

LINE COVERS 9000 MILES

First Plans Contemplate Taking Over Canadian Northern, With Later Acquisition of Grand Trunk Pacific System.

OTTAWA, Ont., Aug. 2.—Plans of the Canadian government for nationalization for railways in the dominion on a larger scale were announced in Parliament yesterday by Sir Thomas White, finance minister. He declared that in addition to the government-owned Inter-Colonial Railway in Eastern Canada, it is proposed to acquire the entire Canadian Northern railway system of over 9000 miles, of which 6000 miles are situated in the Western wheat belt.

The finance minster stated the Canadian Northern had a common share capital of $100,000,000, of which the government already owned $40,000,000 and it was proposed now to purchase the remaining $60,000,000 of common stock from the private owners. A board of arbitration would be appointed to determine the value, he declared, and afterwards the government would create a new company, appointing its entire board of directors to operate the system. This would mean that with the Inter-Colonial and the Canadian Northern railways, the people of Canada would own a system of railways from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

The finance minister said the government favored retaining as many as possible of the operating heads of the Canadian Northern, especially D. B. Hanna, vice-president and operating head, and General Manager McLeod, of the Western lines.

The transaction involved also, he said, government ownership of the subsidiaries, including steamship lines, telegraph companies, express department, hotels and grain elevator systems in Western Canada - well as the Mount Royal tunnel by which the road is about to gain access to Montreal and the terminal docks at Vancouver.

The finance minister stated that the government contemplated the eventual acquisition of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway which is built from Winnipeg to Prince Rupert on the Pacific Coast.

The government did not announce the details of the plan for the operation of the road acquired, but stated that it would do so after it had concluded the transfer to the government of the outstanding stock of the Canadian Northern Railway.

The stock of the Canadian Northern outstanding is held to the extent of 5-6 by Sir William MacKenzie, Roderick MacKenzie and Sir Donald Mann. It is estimated that the potential value of the stock will result in the owners receiving from $25,000,000 to $40,000,000 in the settlement.

TWO MERCHANTS ENLIST

Carlton Brothers Dispose of Business to Enter Navy.

CARLTON, Or., Aug. 2.—(Special.)—Two of Carlton's most popular young business men, Wilbur A. and William L. Wills, went to Portland yesterday to enlist in the Navy. Both are musicians and expected to be assigned to the band. Wilbur was with the Oregon National Guard on the Mexican border last year and received an honorable discharge when the troops returned. The brothers have been engaged in the grocery business here, but disposed of their business and have been busy since getting their affairs in shape to enlist.

With the enlistment of these brothers, 40 have joined the American forces from this district.

TRAVELING MEN TO PICNIC

Outing to Be Taken at Council Crest Park August 18.

The Traveling Men's Association is to hold a big picnic at Council Crest Park Saturday, August 18. A band concert, dancing, special games and stunts are among the features planned.

The Oregon division has nearly 800 members and most of the traveling salesmen spend Saturdays at home.

STORES TO CLOSE HALF DAY

Roberts Bros. and Retail Grocers to Picnic at Columbia Beach.

Following a custom which has been the practice for several years, Roberts Bros.' Welfare Association will hold its first "Mid-Summer Outing" at Columbia Beach next Wednesday afternoon and evening.

The Welfare Association is made up of 135 employes of the store and their families, and for seasons past one afternoon and evening each week during August has been devoted to recreation and diversion in which not only all the employes and their families, but the proprietors of the mercantile establishment and heads of departments, have closed up shop and gone along.

The association is busily engaged preparing an informal programme of entertainment, amusement and sports which will be held on the big athletic field at Columbia Beach.

In addition to the Roberts Bros.' outing at Columbia Beach next Wednesday, the Retail Grocers' Association and Meat Dealers' Association will take an afternoon off and take a joint "dip" in the Columbia River at this resort.

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GREAT NORTHERN CREW QUITS AS OFFICERS BOARD SHIP.

Search for Liquor Called Off When Tie-up of Vessel Is Threatened—Sack of Whisky Is Found.

ASTORIA, Or., Aug. 2.—(Special.)—There was a near strike on board the steamship Great Northern this morning and all on account of the efforts of the officers to prevent the bringing of contraband liquor into the state. When the steamship landed at her wharf in Flavel, at 11:45 o'clock last night, she was boarded by State Special Agent Reichard, Deputy Sheriff Spicer, Constable Nelson and a force of ten deputies.

Captain Ahmen welcomed the officers on board and said he was glad to have the vessel searched for liquors, but asked that care be taken not to disturb the passengers. The officers agreed to this and accordingly decided to wait until morning, but as they were leaving the vessel some members of the crew remarked that if the officers came aboard the crew would leave.

At 5:40 o'clock this morning the search was commenced and immediately virtually every member of the deck and engine-rooms crews packed his belongings and walked ashore. The officers had proceeded but a short distance when they found a gunny sack filled with whisky stowed in a barrel of hot water standing in a gangway, leading to the crew's quarters. This was seized and then the search was stopped and the peace officers withdrew, as they did not care to tie up the vessel.

As soon as the officers left the crew returned to duty and the discharging of the cargo was resumed.

COLONEL'S PLANS WAIT

JUDGE GANTENBEIN COMES HOME FOR WIFE'S FUNERAL.

Five Motherless Little Ones May Result in Surrender of Army Commission and Return to Bench.

Because of his bereavement, due to the unexpected death of his wife from heart trouble Monday morning, Calvin U. Gantenbein, Circuit Judge, who has been at the Officers' Reserve Corps at the Presidio, has made no decision as to his future plans.

He would see only close friends of the family after his return to Portland yesterday. Close friends of Judge Gantenbein believe he will give up his commission as Colonel in the Reserve in order to remain in Portland with his five children, who have been left motherless.

The funeral of Mrs. Gantenbein will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the Portland crematorium, where services will be conducted by Rev. Thomas L. Eliot, pastor emeritus of the First Unitarian Church, and his son, Rev. William G. Eliot, pastor of the same church. The body will lie in state at the Holman Undertaking Company parlors until 1 o'clock.

Judge Ganterbein returned to Portland two weeks ago to confer with his wife as to whether or not he would accept the offered post of Judge-Advocate General of the Philippines, and it was due largely to her wishes that he had decided to decline the Philippine post. Only a few days after he had returned to the Presidio he received word of Mrs. Ganterbein's death.

LIQUOR CACHE IS FOUND

Two Arrests at Roseburg and Warrants Held for Two More.

ROSEBURG, Or., Aug. 2.—(Special.)—As the result of an early morning raid on a dwelling owned by Thomas Cannon, in this city, and the discovery of a cache of liquor beside the county road about two miles south of Roseberg, Sheriff Quine today got warrants for Cannon, Jess Baldwin and Gale Hamilton, a man whose identity the officers refuse to reveal.

Cannon is accused of conducting a nuisance, while the other men are charged with transporting liquor into a dry state. Hamilton and the unidentified man have left Roseburg, according to the Sheriff, but will probably be arrested in Portland.

AIRMEN DASH NEAR EARTH

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chivalry, deliberately stopped his machine gun when a German officer drew his pistol and began shooting at him and engaged the enemy with his pistol, apparently feeling that he had no right to take an unfair advantage of his opponent. The aviator's pistol, however, was sufficient.

McMinnville Desires Grant Lands.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Aug. 2.—At the request of the Mayor of McMinnville, Senator McNary and Representative Hawley will introduce bills authorizing the sale to the city of McMinnville of 1760 acres of Oregon & California land on the south fork of North Yamhill River, to protect the city's water supply. Under the law this land cannot be donated to the city, but must be transferred under special act of Congress.

Fund Given Earthquake Victims.

SAN FRA. CISCO, Aug. 2.—Subscriptions totalling $15,200 for the relief of earthquake stricken Salvador were collected by the San Francsco Chamber of Commerce in 24 hours, it was announced late today. One-third of the subscriptions was telegraphed to Salvador for immediate use. There were two $2500 donations.

Scandinavian Lawn Party Set.

The young people of the First Norwegian-Danish Methodist Episcopal Church will give a lawn party at the parsonage lawn, 587 Hoyt street, Saturday night, August 4, and they extend a cordial invitation to all Scandinavian young people to attend.

LABOR CURB LIKELY

Disturbances Thought Due to German Propaganda.

FEDERAL INQUIRY IS ON

Secretary of United Mine Workers' Association Denies Report of General Strike to Back Up Demands of I. W. W.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—Drastic action by the Government to meet the labor disturbances in the West and Southwest, which officials are sure have been stirred up by German propaganda, will be taken if the situation shows any growth.

Intimations of an attempt to call out the United Mine Workers, should the Government not intervene on behalf of the Industrial Workers of the World in labor disputes in certain sections of the West, have resulted in the Department of Justice undertaking a broad general inquiry.

The inquiry has not yet reached the stage where definite action has been formulated, but officials assert that nothing possible will be left undone to prevent the tie-up of industries deemed vital in the conduct of the war.

BELEN, N. M., Aug. 2.—The guard placed over the 34 men whom the Council of Defense of McKinley County deported was raised last night and the men were told that they were free to go. Their departure probably will begin tomorrow, the majority going to Trinidad, Colo., according to statements of members of the band. None announced an intention of returning to Gallup, although three said they had families and homes there. One said he had lived there 20 years.

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 2.—The idea of intimations of attempts to call out the United Mine Workers of America, should the Government not intervene in behalf of Industrial Workers of the World in labor disputes in certain sections of the West, was ridiculed and branded as misleading and incorrect today by William Green, secretary-treasurer of the United Mine Workers of the World.

Mr. Green last night made public telegrams he sent to President Wilson and others protesting against the deportation of members of the United Mine Workers. At the same time he specifically stated his protest was not because of any action taken regarding the Industrial Workers, but because of alleged deportation of United Mine Workers from a tent colony at Gallup, N. M.

HOLLISTER, Cal., Aug. 2.—About 150 miners in the New Idia quicksilver mines near here are on strike, demanding an increase of 50 cents a day. The men, mostly Spaniards from the Kingdom of Aragon, left work Tuesday while a detachment of troops guarding the mines was absent.

GLOBE, Ariz., Aug. 2.—Lieutenant-Colonel George P. White, commanding the United States Cavalry in the Globe-Miami district, issued a proclamation last night stating that all miners and other workers desiring to return to work would have the protection of the armed forces at his command.

MRS. CLARK HELD INSANE

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made a wide search, but has been unable to find any trace of them.

Drs. K. A. J. MacKenzie, E. W. Morse and R. C. McDaniels comprised the insanity board which heard all the evidence and made its findings within a few minutes after the hearing had concluded. They held that she is afflicted with paranoia.

The hearing, which started at 11 o'clock yesterday morning and continued until nearly 4 o'clock, was not without its dramatic features. Time after time Mrs. Clark would burst into fits of sobbing. When court took a recess at noon she suffered a complete collapse and became hysterical. It was several minutes before she became subdued.

Mrs. Clark was on the stand for more than two hours, during which time she told and re-told the story of her life. Contradictory statements followed each other in rapid succession.

Youths' Sympathy Gained.

During the early part of the hearing Mrs. Clark sought to convey the impression that Glen Kleineau had taken the leading part in the attempted abduction last Sunday of her divorced husband which included a horse-whipping and then a forced re-marriage at Vancouver Sunday evening.

Later, however, after both of the Kleineau boys had appeared before the board, Mrs. Clark began sobbing again and shouldered the entire blame for the attack on Mr. Clark. She said that the elder brother, Glen, had been so affected by her repeated recounting of her domestic unhappiness that he willingly entered into any plan which she suggested.

What appeared to the physicians and court as positive evidence of her unbalanced mental condition was a weird tale of how Mr. Clark one night had plastered the entire side of their home with blood and had placed a large pool of blood on the door step where she and the servants would fall into it when they entered the house.

Wedding March Played.

During her long and rambling statement she told of how she had so fixed a music box at her home that it would play nothing but the wedding march which was played at her wedding to Mr. Clarks. It was after she and Glen Kleineau had agreed to force an interview with Mr. Clark she said, that she got out this music box and played the wedding march because she believed that she would force her divorced husband to re-marry her. "It was the happiest moment of my life," she said.

A rigid examination was made as to why she told the Kleineau boys to take guns with them Sunday morning when they started to carry out their abduction plot, but she denied, as did the boys, that there was ever any plan mentioned to shoot or injure him.

"When we started out I said to the boys, 'Shoot me full of holes if you must, but harm not a hair of his head,' she told the board with a laugh.

Threatening Letter Admitted.

She denied that the horse-whipping of Mr. Clark was included in the abduction plans, but after a letter which she had written to Mr. Clark, July 14, had been read to her, in which she threatened a public horse-whipping, she admitted that she had written the letter and had meant everything she said in it.

"I am proud of that letter," she said. "Now if that be insanity make the most of it."

"I did want to see Max Kleineau strike Mr. Clark," she admitted later. "I said to Glen, 'Wouldn't it be a fine thing to see that manly, soldier brother of yours slap that coward in the face?'"

An excerpt from the vituperative letter which was introduced in evidence reads as follows:

"You have dragged my good name in the dirt just as long as I will permit and I will do as I have told you and others—horsewhip you in public—and bring you into public contempt and ridicule in different ways if you do not change your attitude towarde me."

Threat Is Made.

Another paragraph reads:

"Multnomah county is rather tired of you and your cowardice, and when the question of my sanity next is discussed, as it soon will be, yours will also come in question, as there are some physicians in particular who hold such revolting cruelty as you have shown a faithful wife can only be classed as insanity.

"You have vainly thought that bribing courts and employing unscrupulous tricksters would obtain your ends, but I will bring you face to face with a supremer court than one that can be bought, and men will see whether justice is an empty name."

After the letter had been read to the end, Dr. Mackenzie inquired:

"After admitting you wrote this letter containing all these threats, do you still say that you love your former husband, Mrs. Clark?"

"I do love him; most emphatically yes," was her reply.

Time after time she insisted that the divorce granted to Mr. Clark was obtained through fraudulent methods, and she would not admit that they are now divorced. She kept referring to him as her husband. When asked in what way fraud had been committed, she replied:

"Mr. Clark controls the courts; he controls the newspapers and it is impossible for me to get justice."

Mr. Clark's Aid Sought.

During Mrs. Clark's examination the Kleineau boys were kept from the room and every few minutes she would cry out that she wanted them by her side. Twice she begged that the court send for Mr. Clark, saying that she knew he would help her.

"Judge," she addressed Judge Tazwell, "it seems very unfair that my husband isn't present. Shouldn't he be here? Isn't it right that I should have him? I know he would be of assistance and my one desire is to see him."

At the afternoon session, however, she felt differently toward Mr. Clark. After repeating several times during the morning that she still desired to remarry Mr. Clark she declared during the afternoon that she did not want to marry him now.

"After this affair Sunda. I have seen a new light," she said. "My viewpoint has been changed."

At another time during her examination she snatched a weeding ring from her finger and burst into a wild fit of sobbing. She then told of an unhappy marriage before her marriage to Mr. Clark in 1906. She was examined at length concerning her first marriage, and said that she became unhappy a month after her first marriage when she learned that her former husband had been playing a game of billiards when he told ..er he was attending a board meeting.

Common Law Marriage Alleged.

She said that the father of her first husband died leaving an estate of $1,000,000, of which she was to receive $100,000. She said that Mr. Clark induced her to enter into a common-law marriage some time before they were legally married, but had her keep it quiet in order that she might not jeopardize her chances of getting the $100,000 from her father-in-law's estate. She said that she was still the wife of her first husband and the mother of three children when she entered into the common-law marriage with Mr. Clark.

This statement was hotly denied by Mr. Clark last night, who said that Mrs. Clark's own sister would verify his assertions.

In support of her charges of her common-law marriage, Mrs. Clark produced two wedding rings. One, she said, was given to her at her common-law marriage and the other when she was legally married to him in 1906. She said that when she and Glen Kleineau had made their plans to abduct Mr. Clark last Sunday and force him into a remarriage, she debated on what ring to use for the ceremony and had finally chosen the one which was used at her common-law marriage.

Mr. Clark Belittled.

She said that every time she made a new friend in Portland Mr. Clark caused anonymous letters to be circulated in an effort to break such friendships, and when she wrote letters to Mr. Clark telling of her love for him he would laugh and show them to everybody.

"But in spite of it I still love him," she said. "That is my insanity."

Mrs. Clark denied having any knowledge of how her husband received a mysterious bullet wound in the arm at Salem five years ago, but declared that the wound, which she saw the next day, indicated that he had done it himself. She said she still had the shirt he wore on which powder burns still show, indicating that the shot was fired at an extremely close range.

Glen Kleineau testified briefly and showed a desire to protect Mrs. Clark in every possible way with reference to the proposed abduction of Sunday. He finally admitted that he and Mrs. Clark had planned the Vancouver marriage. He also admitted that he had pulled his gun on Mr. Clark when they were scuffling in the machine, but denied that he had intended using it.

Alleged Theft Wins Sympathy.

The younger Kleineau, Max, talked freely of the affair. He said that Mrs. Clark had told him to get a gun and take it with him, and it was because of her statements concerning Mr. Clark that he consented to take part in the proposed abduction. He said that Mrs. Clark told him that she wanted to force her divorced husband into remarriage in order to get $70,000 which she declared he had stolen from her. He said he understood that he would be well paid for his part.

Mrs. Clark's nervous and mental condition was noticeable throughout the hearing. She said that she had not slept more than two hours at any one time since Mr. Clark had obtained the divorce, and also said that she had not eaten a bite since Sunday. Court attaches had a lunch brought to her in Judge Tazwell's chambers during the noon hour, where she ate with Mrs. M. L. T. Hidden, who was at her side throughout the hearing.

Judge Tazwell said after the hearing that immediate arrangements would be made for Mrs. Clark's removal to the state hospital.

GUNFIRE SINKS SCHOONER

All Members of Crew of John Hays Hammond Are Saved.

LONDON, Aug. 2.—Th American schooner John Hays Hammond has been sunk by the gunfire of a German submarine. All the members of the schooner's crew were saved.

The John Hays Hammond was a schooner of 132 tons gross and was built at Essex, Mass., in 1907.

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$1 Angar's Emulsion... 90c; 50c Angar's Emulsion... 45c; $1 Wyeth Sage and Sulphur at... 83c; $1 Danderine now at 80c; 50c Danderine now at 40c; Dandy Roach Powder, 12-oz. can.. 50c

One pound Senna Leaves on sale at.... 50c; $1.00 Lydia Pinkham's Compound at.. 79c; Pure Grape Vinegar, the pint now at 10c; quart..... 20c; $1.00 Benetol now at 80c; 50c Benetol at..... 40c

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NEW YORK STILL SIZZLES

Sixty-seven Deaths Reported for Day, While 30 Additional Fatalities Occur in Philadelphia. Exchange Closes Saturday.

CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—(Special.)—The return of cool weather was the means of saving the lives of hundreds of babies, according to Health Commissioner Robertson yesterday.

Twenty-three babies less than one year old died as compared with 27 last year.

There were 25 who died yesterday under the age of 2, as compared to 33 for the three hottest days in 1916. The death rate among infants under 2 years was 152, while for the same period this year the number was 111.

The breaking of the extreme heat was a blessing to the babies, said Dr. Robertson. If the hot weather had continued the infant mortality would have increased. It was the continued heat last year that made the number of deaths higher.

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—Thunder showers and cooling breezes late today brought relief from the paralyzing heat which has tortured New York for the last four days. The lower temperature came too late, however, to avert another long list of deaths. The Board of Health announced that 67 persons had been killed by the heat today and there were hundreds of prostrations.

Dr. Charles E. Bolduan, director of the public health education, declared that most of the 878 deaths which have occurred in the city since Sunday were caused by the high temperature.

Philadelphia reported 30 additional deaths, making 105 in the past three days due to the heat.

The New York Stock Exchange will be closed Saturday because of the heat.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—The heat wave in the East, broken tonight by scattered showers, shows slight probability of an imminent recurrence, according to experts of weather bureau. No immediate relief is promised, however for the West, while a climb n the mercury is expected in the Ohio and Mississippi valleys. High temperatures continued until late today throughout the East. Boston and Baltimore reported 98 and New York, Philadelphia and Washington 98.

HOSPITAL COST IS $500,000

Plans for American Lake Unit Call for 59 Buildings.

TACOMA, Wash., Aug. 2.—(Special.)—Plans for the $500,000 hospital unit at American Lake have reached Major David L. Stone, quartermaster's department, in charge of construction at Camp Lewis. The plans call for 59 buildings, on the northwest corner of the grounds.

It will be one of the most complete hospitals in the country, having all the latest improvements known to medical science. When the 46,000 men are mobilized at the cantonment the hospital will be one of the busiest units in the great army city.

Mineral Lands May Be Leased.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2. — Senator Pittman's bill to open 200,000 acres of Government land for lease in Western states, believed to contain sodium and potassium, was reported favorably today by the Senate public lands committee.

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