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TELEGRAMS.

ST. CROIX STATION.

Winnipeg, July 6th.—Anticipating a record harvest, plans for bringing 40,000 harvest hands from Eastern Canada to assist the farmers of Western Canada in reaping and threshing their crops will be discussed at a meeting of railway employment service officials here on July 17th. Members of the United Farmers Organization in the Prairie provinces will also attend.

Paris, July 6th.—(Reuter) The Olympic Committee announces that Australia is sending forty athletes, men and women, to take part in the games at the Olympic. New Zealand is sending a team of fifty contestants.

Paris, July 6th.—According to advices received here from the League of Nations at Geneva, the Canadian amendment to article ten, namely: "That the members of the League shall undertake to respect and preserve, as against external aggression, the territorial integrity and existing political independence of all the members of the League and in case of any such aggression or any threat or danger of such, the Council shall advise upon means whereby their obligations shall be fulfilled," was rejected almost unanimously. The proposed amendment would make participation in any war measure by a nation which is a member of the League dependent upon its political and geographical circumstances and the consent of the nations members of Parliament. The French members of the Council, led by Gabriel Hanotaux, killed the amendment by urging that the Council must not be tied down to any particular formula.

Halifax, N. S. July 7th.—Mr. D. Livingstone, District President of the United Mine Workers and J. B. McLachlan, the District Secretary Treasurer, were arrested at the United Mine Workers headquarters at Glace Bay last night and are now in jail at Sydney. Chief detective Kennedy left last night for Sydney with warrants for the two union officials and they will be brought to Halifax for trial. Messrs Livingstone and McLachlan are being charged under section 136 of the criminal code. The charge arises out of a letter which is stated to have been circulated among the local unions of the United Mine Workers. The charge, in effect, is that Livingstone and McLachlan wilfully and knowingly published a false tale which had a tendency to cause injury and mischief to a public interest, to wit, the provincial government and the provincial police.

Wimbledon, July 7th.—Randolph Lycett and Miss Elizabeth Ryan, Great Britain, won the world's title in the mixed doubles by defeating L. S. Deane, Indian Davis Cup Star, and Mrs. Shepherd Barron 6 4, 7 5.

Hong Kong, July 7th.—Bandits today held up a train on the Canton Kowloon railway fifteen miles from Canton, killing a Chinese military officer and one soldier and carrying off about 90 upper class Chinese, who are being held for ransom. Booty valued at fifty thousand dollars was also taken.

London, July 7th.—Referring to Great Britain's new air programme Sir Samuel Hoare, the Air Minister, said yesterday in speaking at a luncheon given the National Citizen's Union that he did not expect an attack from anyone, "least of all from any of our old Allies" but, he added, "being a great empire we must ensure our national security. Whoever be our friends, we cannot leave our shores open to a hostile attack or live on the sufferance of any power in the world. Just as we have the one power standard for the navy, so must we have a standard for the air force," Sir Samuel expressed a wish to see aviation a great British national industry and he wanted to strengthen the hands of the Government so as to bring about international restriction on air forces.

Moscow July 8th.—Christian Rakovsky, who is to succeed Leonid Krassin as head of the Russian Soviet delegation in London, as announced by M. Rakovsky, was former president of the Ukrainian republic.

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