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## Monthly Meeting Of City Council

### Reduction In Amount Of Proposed Street Construction Over That Of Former Years. Condition Of Queens County Jail Questioned

The regular monthly meeting of the City Council, the first regular meeting for the incoming board, was held last evening with the newly-elected chief magistrate, His Worship Mayor T. W. L. Prowse, presiding. The proclamation, declaring the annual session elected, was read by City Clerk George P. Nicholson, followed by the reading of the minutes and the communications. His Worship took the opportunity of sending citizens for the honor conferred on him in electing him chief magistrate of the city. He expressed the hope that the next two years would prove that their confidence has not been misplaced. His Worship also congratulated the candidates on their election, and expressed the hope that the work will go on harmoniously, as he personally was well pleased with the men elected. The payment of a number of bills was confirmed, and the communications read. The latter consisted of an application for installation of a gas tank, proposition from The Charlottetown Guardian, which is sponsoring the publication of "Prince Edward Island's Golden Future," a

## MOTION TO REVIVE GRANTS FOR HIGHWAYS

### Federal Government Urged To Assist In Project.

(Special to the Guardian)  
OTTAWA, March 10.—Members from all parts of the country joined in the House of Commons today in advocating the construction of a national transcontinental highway and urging the Federal Government to assist in the project. It was argued that the country could well afford the cost of connecting up the provincial roads to make a motor highway from coast to coast. The revenue to Canada from the tourist traffic would make the expenditure on the highway a good investment. The subject came up on a resolution moved by D. F. Kellner of Athabasca, calling upon the government to revive the grants to the provinces for highway purposes. Mr. Kellner put the cost of completing a transcontinental highway at thirty-three million dollars, but Hon. R. J. Manion pointed out that there could be through traffic with the bridging of a gap a few hundred miles north of the head of the Lakes. George Black of the Yukon urged the construction of a highway to Alaska. Tomorrow Premier King's bill to prohibit the export of liquor to the United States will come up for second reading and debate.

## Noted English Beauty



Lady Joan Kathleen Grigg, wife of Sir Edward Grigg, high commissioner of East Africa protectorate, who was the host of the Prince of Wales. The prince is reported to have contracted malarial fever while on his hunting trip in Africa. Before her marriage, Lady Joan and her sister, both daughters of Lord Islington, were considered two of the most noted beauties in England.

## Killed By Train

(Canadian Press)  
SAINT JOHN, N. B., March 11.—A special despatch to the Evening Times Globe from Campbellton, N. B., reports that Frank Leach of Red Bank, 35, and Michael Sheehan, of Barnaby River, 45, were killed by a train this morning at Christopher Brook railway bridge, about three miles from there. They were on their way to work for the Restigouche log driving and boom company across the Restigouche River. Leach's brother Alex, and Allan McKinnely were with him. When Leach heard the train behind him he started to run, but his foot slipped and the train hit him. Sheehan tried to cross the track but failed. The other two escaped down a steep embankment. An inquest will be held Tuesday.

## Over Ninety Men Trapped In Mine

### Hope Expressed That No Lives Will Be Lost—Short Circuit Causes Fire.

(Canadian Press)  
STUEBENVILLE, Ohio, Mar. 10.—Ninety-seven men were trapped by fire in the Wolf Run Mine of the Jarner Collieries Co., three and one half miles from Amsterdam in Jefferson County late today. Three hours after rescue squads were sent into the mine, one of the squads reported to the Company officials that thirteen of the trapped men were found safe and hope was expressed that the others would be taken out safely. Fresh air was being sent into the workings through an overcast chute and hose lines were placed in the fire area through one of the lifts. The fire started on the north side of the mine about 2 p. m. It was said to have been caused by a short circuit when one mine car in a train of six cars jumped the track and pulled off the trolley. Reports indicated that there were 137 miners in the workings when the flames broke out. Five of the men rushed through the fire and escaped through the main entrance. They were only slightly hurt. Thirty-five others reached safety through an opening on the south side of the mine, leaving the remainder trapped, with the east opening as the best possible means of escape.

## MUST PAY DEATH PENALTY

(Canadian Press)  
OTTAWA, March 1.—Herman Revinsky, now in jail at Regina, Sask., must pay the death penalty tomorrow morning for murder. The Cabinet having reviewed the case carefully has decided that there will be no interference with the sentence of the court.

## Latest Doings At The Conference

(Special to The Guardian)  
LONDON, March 10.—Chief delegates of Great Britain, United States and France to the naval conference tackled the first great crisis today, when they faced each other across a table at St. James Palace for consideration of France's demand for a guarantee of security. In exchange for such a guarantee, France has let it be known she is prepared to cut her claim for a big navy aggregating 724,000 tons in five years. It was a matter of utmost gravity which Premier MacDonald, United States Secretary of State Stimson and M. Briand were called upon to handle. Upon its outcome depends success or failure in this greatest of all disarmament conferences. The exact nature of the security pact which France is asking as the alternative to her big naval program is not yet announced, but according to one report M. Briand's proposal is briefly that of a pact of mutual guarantee as between Britain, France, Italy and Japan. Each would undertake to come to the assistance of the other with an armed force in the case of aggression. In return for the added security, France would be willing to reduce her naval program by 40 percent. The obligations of the United States would be limited to an undertaking, not to supply money, raw materials or munitions to the aggressor country. Such is the rumor a communiqué issued at St. James Palace, after a meeting of delegates today, said the heads and other members of the delegations of the United States, France and the United Kingdom had a conversation at St. James Palace this morning at 10 a. m. and certain technical questions were found to require further exploration. The French Minister of Marine, (Jacques Louis Dumesnil) and the First Lord of the Admiralty, (A. V. Alexander), accompanied by technical advisors and with American observers, were asked to consider these matters at once and report thereon as soon as possible, in order to give time to continuous prosecution of this enquiry. After obtaining the assent of the Italian and Japanese delegations, a meeting of the heads of the delegations fixed for 3 p. m. today was postponed until Tuesday at 5.30 p. m. A further meeting of the three delegations will take place Wednesday at 3 p. m. or earlier if the technical report requested is ready. Premier J. Ramsay MacDonald in his radio talk broadcast yesterday, said he shall not agree to base any treaty which may result from this conference on entangling alliances. The bonds of war are not, and cannot be security of peace. The United States, Japanese and British delegations were understood today to be virtually agreed in principle on their respective naval quotas, although no actual agreement had yet been signed.

## Apologised For Suiciding

(Special to The Guardian)  
NEW YORK, March 10.—Poor Health was believed today to have impelled Louis Finkelstein, 22, a pre-law student at Seton Hall Junior College in Brooklyn, to commit suicide by jumping from the 20th floor of the Commodore Hotel. He left a note apologizing to the management for any inconvenience he might cause, but did not explain the reason for his act.

## HARD TIMES FOR GYPSIES

(British United Press)  
BERLIN, March 10.—(British United Press)—Gypsies will get scant welcome in Germany if the new German Penal Code is adopted by the Reichstag.

Paragraph 372 of this code, which has just been approved by the codification committee of the Reichstag, fixes a penalty of six weeks imprisonment for members of gypsy bands found wandering about the country without any visible or justifiable means of support.

## Monthly Meeting S' Side Council

(Special to the Guardian)  
SUMMERSIDE, Mar. 10.—The regular monthly meeting of the Summerside Town Council was held tonight. His Worship Mayor Lidstone presiding, over a full Council Board. After routine and the passing of bills amounting to \$3,920.06, the following standing committees for the year were appointed: Finance and Purchasing—Councillors McNeill, chairman; Schurman and Moore. Streets—Councillors Phillips, chairman; Grady and Moore. Police—Councillors Moore, chairman; Schurman and Kelly. Light and Power—Councillors Schurman, chairman; MacNeill and Kelly. Property and Fire—Councillors Kelly, chairman; Phillips and Grady. Assessors—Councillors Grady, chairman; McNeill and Phillips. Schools and Parks—Councillors Grady, chairman; Moore and Schurman. All the existing civic officials were reappointed with the exception of the assessors and the police, which were laid over to next night of meeting. The reappointment of Mr. T. H. Jackson as engineer of the electric light plant was at \$1,650 per annum, being a raise in salary of \$150. On motion of Councillor McNeill, the Mayor and Town Clerk were authorized to make an overdraft on the bank up to the sum of \$10,000. On motion of Councillor Moore, the by-law governing the licensing of

## Arthur Meighen Speaks Before Dal. University

(Canadian Press)  
HALIFAX, N. S., Mar. 10.—If another calamity of dimensions such as that which shattered and debilitated mankind a few years back is to be avoided, one of the most potent factors in guarding against its recurrence is a clear and decisive understanding as to where guilt really lies for the outbreak of the last war, declared Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, former Prime Minister of Canada, speaking at Dalhousie University this evening. His subject was, "who are guilty of the Great War?" The guilt of Austria is unqualified, and is not redeemed by a single palliating fact, he declared. The guilt of Germany is definite and complete. The guilt of both is black and eternal. Criticism can be levelled and probably justly levelled at some of the conduct of Russia, but at every stage of Russia's conduct this at least can be said, that there is room for a difference of view. The attitude of France was massive and the gravest indictment against her, if indictment it be, is failure of positive effort in the early stages of the trouble to find some means of settlement. To the glory of Great Britain it is said that after fifteen years of research, revelation and reflection, her conduct stands unassailable and her conscience without stain.

## Losing Ground

(Special to The Guardian)  
WASHINGTON, March 10.—In the race for the title of world financier, Great Britain is rapidly losing ground in the United States, it was revealed today in the publishing of a study of foreign loans of the two countries by Iver C. Olsen, of the Finance and Investment Division of the Department of Commerce. The United States still has a lead of \$130,000,000, but it is pointed out that this is considerably below the 1928 figure of \$500,000,000. Responsibility for the decline in United States foreign loans is placed by the report on the Stock Market crash. The drop in tourists' expenditures in Switzerland this winter, because of the mild weather, has been felt keenly by hotels and others catering to visitors.

## Successful Maiden Trip

(Canadian Press)  
CHARLESTON, S. C., Mar. 10.—The Carolian, first all welded, rivetless self propelled steamship in the history of navigation in the United States, has made a successful sea run attaining a speed of 11.5 knots an hour. Members of the crew said on their return to this port that no leaks had developed in the hull. The motion of the vessel they said was without vibration, while she responded to her helm like a yacht. Tests just completed were made without load.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC.

- Cardigan Shipping Club shipping club and sails Wednesday, March 12th. 2227-3-11-21
- Borden Line Club loading hogs and calves Thursday, March 13, at Albany. Hours 12 to 3. 2348-31
- Come and see "Aunt Jersy on the Warpath" in Wheatley River Hall, Thursday evening, March 13. If not fine Friday. 2347-3-11-21
- The St. Teresa Dramatic Club will present their three act comedy drama "Finnigan's Fortune" in St. Teresa Hall, Monday, March 17th. 2229-3-11-12-14
- St. James Hall tonight Mrs. Wilkins will give an evening with Drummond. Hear her in several French Canadian pieces in which she excels. 2223
- Mrs. Lawson, Miss Hornby and Mr. Walter MacNutt are assisting at Mrs. Wilkins' literary evening in St. James Hall tonight. Tickets 35 cents. 2223
- Come to the Women's Missionary parlor social, Presbyterian Manse, Marshfield, Wednesday, March 12th at 8 p. m. If not fine, Friday. 905-11
- Reserve Tuesday evening, March 11th for parlor social at Joseph MacEwen's, Campbellton. Good program, music, vocal and instrumental music, dialogues, etc. including Crap and Buckle-Busters. Admission 25c and 35c. Ladies with baskets free. 2225-3-11-31
- Come to the grand concert and basket social in Hampton Hall on Friday night, March 14th at 8 p. m. Step dancing, vocal and instrumental music, dialogues, etc. including Crap and Buckle-Busters. Admission 25c and 35c. Ladies with baskets free. 2225-3-11-31

## Maritime Commissioner Is Visitor In Halifax

HALIFAX, March 10.—Here to consider ways and means of stimulating a greater interest in Maritime trade relationships, as developed through the Toronto office, R. W. E. Burnaby, Maritime Trade Commissioner at Toronto, arrived in the city last evening and is stopping at the Lord Nelson Hotel. He will confer with the Board of Trade today when he will present several conditions which may be advantageously adjusted for the betterment of trade here. "Many of the opportunities for trade development are for products new to the Maritime mills and factories and it is realized that it will take time to acquaint Maritime producers with the demands of the market," stated Mr. Burnaby, in reference to the present existing conditions. Mr. Burnaby is most enthusiastic about the coming tourist season and says that indications point towards a greater influx of tourists into the Maritimes this year than there has been for many years.

## Camera Made To Be Swallowed

NEW YORK, March 10.—A camera made to be swallowed was demonstrated last night to the New York Academy of Medicine by Drs. Paul W. Aschner and Maurice Berck, of Mt. Sinai Hospital.

Its use is to take pictures of the interior of the stomach. Hitherto, said the demonstrators, the periscope method has been in common use for "shooting" the interiors of stomachs for medical diagnosis.

This camera is scarcely bulkier than a big lemon drop. It is a cylinder a little more than a quarter of an inch across and just over half an inch long.

It is so easy to swallow that the apparatus carries a pair of them. They are mounted end to end at the extremity of a flexible rubber tube. Between them is an electric light bulb. The control wires reach them through the interior of the tube.

The picture is taken by a mighty flash of the midjet light. It lasts less than a hundredth of a second, but gives twelve thousand candle power. The cylinder camera does not use lenses, but instead have the pinholes familiar to every amateur. A pinhole gives perfectly focused image.

There are eight pinholes in each cylinder, placed so as to give sixteen separate views that virtually blanket the whole interior of the stomach. The films on which these pictures are taken each measure one quarter by seven sixteenths of an inch. The inventor is an Austrian engineer, F. G. Beach, now in the employ of a New York company. The demonstrators said he made the first camera of this sort in Vienna several years ago and later came here to perfect the present apparatus.

## The Weather, etc



IF YOU MUST STAND ON YOUR DIGNITY DON'T LET YOUR FOOT SLIP!

TORONTO, March 11.—Maritime: Moderate winds, mostly westerly, fair not much change in temperature. Toronto, fair ... 42-32 Montreal, clear ... 40-23 Quebec, clear ... 36-24 Halifax, cloudy ... 44-34 Saint John, fair ... 33-32 Boston, clear ... 45-36 New York, cloudy ... 52-38 High tide this morning at 9:44 and tonight at 9:46. Sun sets this evening at 6:01 and rises tomorrow morning at 6:18. Full moon Friday, March 14th, 2:34 p. m. Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

LOS ANGELES, March 10.—Mae Murray, screen and vaudeville actress filed suit in Superior Court here today demanding \$1,750,000 damages from Tiffany Productions Inc., a motion picture studio, on the claim that lack of skill in producing a film featuring herself had injured her professional reputation.

## Mysterious Malady Is Blamed On Bad Lique

### 300 Are Stricken With Partial Paralysis In Oklahoma City—Battle Starts

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., March 10.—Federal authorities today joined in efforts to combat a mysterious malady accompanied by paralytic symptoms which has stricken approximately 300 persons now fatally so far, in Oklahoma City, after Dr. Walter H. Miles, City Health Director, said he attributed the strange illness to poison liquor or Jamaica ginger. A Federal ban has been placed on shipments Jamaica ginger from Kansas City and St. Louis to Oklahoma City and a Federal drive against its sale started last November, would be established.

## Is No Enemy of Communism

NEW YORK, March 10.—"I have no quarrel with Communism myself" declared Sir Henry Thornton, president of the C. N. R. at the University of Pennsylvania club, pleading for universities to exert a moderating influence on the trend of world thought. MAY COME The time may come when we shall adopt communism as the most enlightened scheme of social existence. Today we accept conditions which fifty years ago would have horrified our grand parents. But, if this change should be brought about, I hope it will come about as a result of thoughtfulness.

## Canada Expresses Its Sympathy On Taft Death

### Says Overhead Grew Top-Heavy

OTTAWA, March 6.—Collapse of the extensive brokerage firm of Mowatt and McGillivray was due to an overhead that grew top heavy. This statement was made today by D. A. MacGillivray, member of the company on his return to the capital. He had been in Toronto in connection with the closing of the company in Ottawa and through 30 branch offices located largely through the Maritime Provinces and the Ottawa Valley. He believes reorganization can be accomplished shortly. It is understood the promotion schemes of the firm will not be affected by the company. These include Arno Mines, Malartic Mines and a few others. On motion of Councillor McNeill, the Mayor and Town Clerk were authorized to make an overdraft on the bank up to the sum of \$10,000. On motion of Councillor Moore, the by-law governing the licensing of milk vendors and the inspection of milk was passed and ordered to be published in the Journal and the Pioneer newspapers. Council adjourned until next Monday night. 2

## Canadian Minister At Washington Calls At Taft House To Express Sympathy.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—Canada was quick to express her sympathy with the United States in the loss of William Howard Taft. The Canadian Minister and Mrs. Massey called at the home of the late President this afternoon. The Canadian flag over the legation was at half staff. Messages of sympathy were received by Mrs. Taft from Their Excellencies Lord and Lady Willingdon and from Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King. Many private citizens of the Dominion, who had personally known Mr. Taft also hastened to express their regret by telegram. Their Excellencies wired: "Please accept our most sincere sympathy. We feel Canada has lost a real friend." Mr. Justice C. Archer, of Montreal, telegraphed: "Please accept our sincere sympathies in your great bereavement."