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TAXICAB STRIKE IN OLD LONDON

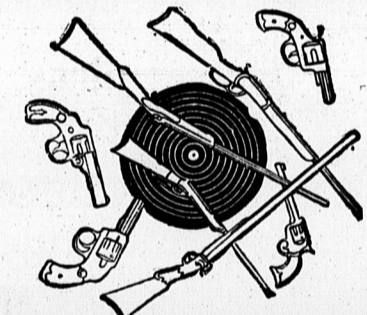
LONDON, April 17—London is threatened with a taxicab strike. Two thousand drivers held a mass meeting on Saturday and adopted a resolution protesting against the action of the Owner's Federation in increasing the price of petrol.

LUMBER MILL BURNED DOWN.

FREDERICTON, April 17—A lumber mill operated by John Scott, at Rooth Station, was completely destroyed by fire yesterday. The mill was well equipped with modern machinery and valued at \$12,000. Insurance was \$4,500.

BANK OFFICIALS ASKED FOR \$13,500,000

NEW YORK, April 12—Three involuntary petitions in bankruptcy, aggregating \$13,500,000, were filed here today against three officers of the failed Carnegie Trust Company, now in the hands of the state superintendent of banks. The respondents are William J. Cummins, one of the leading directors of the Trust company; Charles Arthur Moore, Jr., and William J. Condon, directors. Their financial status as given in the petitions are: Cummins, liabilities, \$5,000,000; assets, \$400,000. Moore, liabilities of \$2,000,000 and assets of \$100,000. Condon, liabilities of \$6,500,000 and assets of \$500,000. Payson Merritt was named receiver for all three under bonds of \$100,000. But three petitioning creditors are named, which is all the law requires, but their lawyers say that many more are associated with them. The creditors who appear are: Hermann C. Brewster, \$30,000; Herbert Hatfield, \$9,644; and James S. Watson, \$8,000, all for money loaned. They allege against Cummins in their petition that preferential payments have been made since he became insolvent and that there has been transfer and concealment of considerable property with intent to hinder, delay and defraud creditors. The lawyers for the creditors said today that the actions filed by them were not brought against the respondents as directors in the Carnegie Trust Company, but as individuals.



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PROVINCES CONTROL IN MARRIAGE LAW

OTTAWA, April 12—Col. Sam Hughes' questions respecting the attitude of the Roman Catholic Church toward marriages between members of that church and mixed marriages solemnized by ecclesiastics of other denominations were answered in the House this afternoon by Sir Allan Aylesworth.

The minister said that beyond such articles as had appeared in the newspapers, and other references to the subject, neither the government nor any department of the government had any knowledge that the Roman Catholic Church and the courts of the Province of Quebec declined to recognize as valid a marriage of two Roman Catholics celebrated by a clergyman not belonging to the Roman Catholic Church. Neither was the government nor any department aware that ecclesiastics of the Roman Catholic Church declared invalid any mixed marriage not celebrated by a Roman Catholic priest. Under the British North America Act, he said, the subject of marriage and divorce was one upon which the parliament of Canada might legislate, but everything relating to the solemnization of matrimony was under the control of the provincial legislatures and authorities.

Colonel Sam Hughes asked if it was the intention of the government to enact legislation to make all marriages performed in Canada by any officials, recognized in any province, legal throughout Canada, if the government would make it a criminal offence for any person to promulgate any dogma or rule of any ecclesiastical organization casting doubt upon the validity of any marriage performed by any official recognized as entitled to perform marriages, and if it was the intention of the government to declare all marriages of two Catholics, solemnized by Protestant clergymen in Quebec or in any other province.

To these enquiries the minister of justice replied: "Legislation of the character indicated would appear to relate only to the persons by whom, and the ceremony by which, marriage could be solemnized. That would be a question for the provincial legislatures and authorities."

Col. Hughes asked if the govern-

ment would declare valid the marriage of every woman, who supposed herself to be legally married, and declare the children born of such marriage legitimate. He also wished to know if the government would pass legislation requiring every man who has left his wife under any ecclesiastical dogma to pay her alimony.

To these questions Sir Allan Aylesworth replied: "Legislation such as is indicated, would seem to refer to property and civil rights and would be a matter within the jurisdiction of the provinces."

He said the government was not acquainted with any law of the people of Canada which had been overridden by ecclesiastical dogma.

MEN WANTED IN BOSTON NABBED IN AUSTRALIA

NEW YORK, April 13—Inspector Russell at Police Headquarters made known today that he had received word from Detective Lynch, of the Boston Police Department, who is now in Austria, that he had under arrest there in the Province of Galicia Jacob and Joseph Goldberg, who are wanted by the Boston police for \$15,000 jewelry robbery, and who jumped their cash bail of \$5,000 after being captured in this city after the Boston robbery. The prisoners are brothers, chronicled in police records as "Joe the Red" and "Jake" and were uncovered in jail in a small Galician town after having been arrested by the Austrian police with burglar tools in their possession.

Previously it was supposed that both had been burned to death in company with Harris Rothstein, alias "Kovak the Smith," in the destruction by London police and British soldiers of the Anarchist den, at Houndsditch, London. "Joe the Red," got his nick name from his Anarchist leanings, and was known to have been in London about that time with Rothstein, who, it is still thought, may be dead. All three were down on the police records as "canopeners" and Kovak was called "the smith," because of his proficiency in forging the canopener itself, as cracksmen call the tool with which safe doors are pried off.

The three were arrested here a year ago last March and jumped bail while awaiting extradition papers from Massachusetts. All trace of them except the guest from London was lost until last February, when Steve Maglyni, cracked the head of Stanislas Krasowsky, both of Brooklyn, with a claw hammer. Maglyni was arrested and in his pockets were found three pawn tickets to three different watches which were found to be three of the watches stolen from Ullians shop in Boston.

Under the third degree Maglyni denied any complicity in the job, but implicated Krasowsky, who was taken to Boston and there identified as one of the men seen by the janitor of the shop shortly before it was robbed. He had escaped arrest here and when his pals fled to London, he took passage with them. He returned to see his wife, the fight and arrest followed and the police got their clue which led to the other side of Austria.

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REPLY OF PROWSE BROS L T D.

To The Inquiry As To Whether Cash Or Credit Is Best

Sir:—Your letter as published in the Guardian last week—has not had as prompt response perhaps, as you might deem right. But the busy holiday season, rendered still busier by the increased business owing to our change of System—has deferred the reply. As answer to whether the business is more profitable—it is impossible to estimate as yet what increased profits may result. That it is JUST AS PROFITABLE, with much less worry, and less help is an assured fact. And as far as satisfaction to our customers is concerned, not a day passes but we hear comments in favor of the change from some of them. The lower prices of goods is an inducement to purchase which cannot be overlooked; the opportunity to send any one to buy if too busy to come personally—simply because prices are the same to all is another great help—and the general results have so far been so satisfactory that we would not change again to the old system under any inducement. A system that is the rule the world over except in small places which have become accustomed to long credits and high prices, MUST BE the correct one to adopt—and we have no hesitation in saying that we have no regrets, nor do we expect to have any over the change from Credit to Cash. There is never any bantering over prices now—each article is marked in plain figures, and customers know it is useless to ask greater reductions than are already made. Thanking you for your interest, we are Yours &c. Prowse Bros. Ltd.

THE MORE NAMES THE MORE PAY.

OTTAWA, April 17—The schedule of remuneration for the Census Commissioners has been settled. One cent per name recorded will be allowed, with additional amounts covering the travelling expenses. Three County Commissioners in P. E. Island will receive one hundred and twenty-five dollars each in expense money. The special officer for the Magdalen Islands will receive his instructions from the permanent official in Charlottetown.

THREATENED STRIKE IN NOVA SCOTIA

NEW GLASGOW, April 17—There is every reason to believe that within the next ten days, practically every coal mine in Nova Scotia, as well as a number of the most important industries, will be closed down. The most serious strike in the industrial history of this Province is threatened as a direct result of a long standing dispute at Springhill.

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