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things is that no one ever has to use
his brains.

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mined conqueror of every adverse
circumstance that stands in your way.

Ottawa Descriminating Against Labourers

"Kelly" Damaged—Got a New One



While watching the hockey match between the Canadian team and Oxford and Cambridge at Golden Green rink, England, recently, Lord Greenwood, formerly Sir Hamar Greenwood, and a native of Whitby, Ontario, had his hat damaged by the puck. As a sequel a new hat was presented to him, with a letter from the captain of the Canadian team at a dinner given in connection with the Canadian section of the British Industries Fair. The photographs here show Lord Greenwood (left) accepting his new hat at the hands of the Canadian hockey captain.

PHITTACOSIS IN GERMANY

(Canadian Press)
POTSDAM, Germany, Mar. 16.—A fresh outbreak of phittacosis is suspected here in a family of three which bought a freshly imported parrot. The physician and nurse who treated the patients have died.

Three Children Burned To Death

In Fire Which Destroyed Their Home In Early Morning Hours—Mother In Hospital

(Canadian Press)
EDMUNDSON, N. B., Mar. 16.—Doris, aged five and Gerard, aged three lost their lives when the home of their parents Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lavoie was destroyed by fire here early yesterday morning. A third child, Geraldine, died later yesterday from burns. Three other children rescued along with Geraldine by the parents, escaped unharmed. The mother is now in a critical condition in the Edmundson private hospital. The cause of the fire is unknown, and although firemen responded quickly to the alarm, they were unable to do anything further to save the children, the house being a mass of flames.

LATEST DOINGS AT THE NAVAL PARLEY

(Special to the Guardian)
LONDON, March 15.—A 100 percent agreement by the United States, Great Britain and Japan was said in a naval conference circles today to be an accomplished fact as far as the delegations are concerned. Approval by the home governments of the United States, Japan agreement which closed Saturday was said to be the only thing remaining to enable these three delegations to write final to their conference difficulties.
For days these delegations have been so close to agreement that there was said to have been little between them. Provisional American-Japanese agreement, achieved by

No Ordinary Room, Is George's

(Special to the Guardian)
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 15.—Never again will the bedroom where George Washington slept be occupied by an ordinary individual. The Mt. Vernon Ladies Association, a group of women from the forty-eight states, who control and manage the Washington mansion, eighteen miles south of the National Capital, have just finished an improvement at this historic place, which means that the home of George Washington henceforth will be sacred from modern occupancy.

Five And Half Million Decrease

(Canadian Press)
OTTAWA, Ont., Mar. 16.—A net decrease of \$5,561,109.69 in Customs and Excise revenue for the month of February, 1930, as compared with the corresponding month a year ago is illustrated in the figures just issued by the Department. Customs duties declined by \$3,053,262.15; excise tax by \$2,305,837.51 and excise duties by \$201,750.63. There was an increase in sundry collections of \$9,890.60.

IMPRESSIVE FUNERAL OF CANADIAN ACE

War Time Flyers Circling Low Over Cemetery, Spray Roses Over Grave of One They Loved So Well.

(Special to the Guardian)
TORONTO, Ont., March 15.—A nation and U. S. leaders and mourners today lead the body of Col. W. G. Barker, V. C., famous Canadian war ace as he went to his last resting place in Mount Pleasant Mausoleum, and in thundering aeroplanes away overhead, six war time flyers joined the thousands below in farewell salutation to one of the greatest of their number. As the service in the cemetery came to its sad ending the drone of the motors in the sky died away, the machines swung low, then a spray of roses drifted from each, delicate petals, fluttering gently over the ranks of uniformed men of all regiments, heroes of the air like Barker among them, over the heads of distinguished statesmen, bowed in tribute with hundreds of humble citizens, and gently, ever so gently, they settled on the sacred earth. Sharp volleys ripped the silence not the rat-tat-tat-tat of a machine gun, tearing through a fuselade, probing into vital parts sending an enemy hurrying to destruction in flames, just three crisp cracks, in well spaced order. Solemnly the oak casket was borne inside to eternal peace, the highest homage that could be afforded one of the empire's most gallant heroes was paid.

BOSTON TO HALIFAX HOP

(Canadian Press)
HALIFAX, N. S., Mar. 16.—The first commercial air flight to Halifax was made today when R. P. Bell, summoned home from Boston by the serious illness of his wife, flew from Rockland, Maine, in an Ireland Amphibian, making the flight in five hours and fifty-five minutes. The Amphibian was piloted by W. H. Wincapaw, with Ralph Meritt acting as co-pilot.
Bell was in Boston yesterday afternoon when he received word of his wife's illness. A flight was arranged from East Boston to Rockland, where an Amphibian necessary for a trip to Halifax and available. Due to weather and other conditions, it was decided to wait until this morning before starting the second and final leg. The plane left Rockland at six o'clock and refueled at Bar Harbor. Forty minutes later it ascended again, flying towards Grand Manan, N. B. Pilot Wincapaw skirted the coast of Maine and followed the coast of New Brunswick to within a few miles of St. John. He crossed to Halifax by way of Cape Chignecto and the Minas Basin, refueling on the Avon River above Hantsport. The ship left on its return flight this afternoon.

Body Found

(Canadian Press)
UTICA, N. Y., Mar. 16.—The body of Mrs. Beecher Grouse, 58, missing society woman, of Utica, was recovered last night in the Barge Canal in this city, after a search of four months, extending over the entire country.

Wanted for Fraud



"Dr." Daniel Davenport, alias Horace Ippelwithe, "African explorer," whose alleged jungle film "Jango" created general interest, is being sought by Boston authorities for alleged fraud. They claim the "cannibals" shown in the film were two local negro janitors.

SEAL PLANE CRASHES

(Canadian Press)
ST. JOHN'S, N.F., Mar. 16.—The plane piloted by A. Harvey of Ottawa and used to locate seals for the sealing fleet, crashed while taking off yesterday at St. Anthony, on the northern coast of Newfoundland, and is a total wreck. Harvey escaped injury, but as there is no communication with St. Anthony at this time of year, he must remain there until navigation opens.

NOT BINDING

(Canadian Press)
WASHINGTON, March 16.—Acting Secretary Cotton of the State Department yesterday expressed the view that the intention of Rear Admiral Byrd not to claim lands discovered in the Antarctic area was not considered binding upon the United States government.

BIG SEAL CATCH IS REPORTED

(Canadian Press)
ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., March 16.—About 138,000 seals have been slaughtered by the Newfoundland sealing fleet since killing began on March 13. Catches from the various ships were reported as follows: Nazoopee 34,000; Ungava, 28,000; Eagle, 19,000; Neptune, 12,000; Viking 6,000; Imogene, 22,000; Beothic 15,000; Ranger, 2,000.

Lone Bandit Gets Large Haul

(Canadian Press)
OTTAWA, March 15.—Between \$4,000 and \$5,000 was the loot of a lone armed bandit who held up the branch of the Banque Canadienne Nationale on Beechwood Avenue in the suburb of Eastview at 11 o'clock this morning. A young clerk, sole occupant of the bank when the bandit walked in the front door, was forced to stand with his face to the wall, hands above his head, while the man ransacked the cashiers till and safe. The robber hurriedly left the building after warning the clerk that to raise an immediate alarm would mean death.

FORMER DICTATOR OF SPAIN, DEAD

Was Found Dead In Hotel Room By His Two Daughters—Heart Failure The Cause.

(Canadian Press)
PARIS, March 16.—Primo De Rivera, former Dictator of Spain, died of heart disease in his hotel room today. He was 60 years old.
Gen. De Rivera, who bore the title of Marquis De Estella came to Paris shortly after he resigned his office last January 28, ending six years of almost supreme power in Spain. He had been in poor health for some time, but was believed to be recovering. The former Dictator died alone in his hotel room. His two daughters found the body when they returned from church. They summoned their brother, who called the family physician. The doctor said De Rivera had been dead half an hour. Death called Gen. Rivera on the eve of his departure for Wiesbaden, Germany, where he was to take the cure of diabetes.

Echoes Of Big Mail Car Robbery

(Special to the Guardian)
TORONTO, Ont., Mar. 15.—The man who according to police, concocted the scheme for the \$300,000 mail car robbery at the Toronto Union Station back in June, 1928, Finley McLeod Sr., a frail looking chap who feared to go to Kingston Penitentiary, was removed from Toronto last night by sheriff officers to Stony Mountain Prison, a few miles outside Winnipeg. He is under a fifteen year sentence for his part in the crime and it was on his evidence Toronto police and postal authorities were enabled to follow up the lead which eventually brought every crook in the event to justice, with the lone exception of Bill Boven, American gunman, still at large. On efforts for his apprehension Toronto police have spent over \$10,000 in a continent wide search.

RETRIBUTION



Louis M. Auger, former member of parliament, who was sentenced to two years in Kingston penitentiary on a serious charge.

POLICEMAN KILLED

(Canadian Press)
NEW YORK, N. Y., Mar. 16.—A policeman was shot and killed yesterday when six gunmen made an unsuccessful attempt to seize a \$7,200 payroll in the office of a shoe manufacturing company, in down town Brooklyn. More than two score policemen were called to surround the building, but a search of the premises showed the gunmen had escaped.

Discovery Of New Planet Outstanding

(Special to the Guardian)
LONDON, Mar. 15.—H. R. Kingston, president of the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada, declared today that the discovery of the new planet by the Lowell Observatory in Arizona is the outstanding astronomical event of the century. Dr. Kingston added that it ranks with three other planet discoveries since A. D. 1610.

Hairpin Trade Optimistic Over Outlook For Future

Tariff Board Hears That Long Hair Is Returning, But Comb-Makers Ask Protection To Tide Them Over For A While.

Although Nineteen Biddy Still Laying

(Special to the Guardian)
NEWMAN, Calif., Mar. 15.—The oldest hen in the world is claimed by Ole Stevenson who owns a ranch six miles north of here. Her age is nineteen years and she is still an excellent layer. During 1929 the hen, a Rhode Island Red, laid eggs for seven months without missing a day.

Comb and Novelty Company of Warwick, Que., presented the application, and declared woman was now coming back to long hair. All they wanted was a tariff to permit them to carry on until the market for hairpins and such things revived.
"I'm afraid you are in the wrong court," remarked Chariman W. H. Moore. "What can we do to make women let their hair grow? You should go to the Daughters of the Empire."

CO-OPERATION WITH LABOR DEMANDED

Federal Government Not Trying to Assist Labourers in This Province.

The Labourers Protective Union celebrated 28th anniversary of Organized Labor in Charlottetown in their hall yesterday afternoon. Upwards of two hundred members assembled in the lodge room which was specially arranged for the occasion. President Gormley called the meeting to order and after explaining why the members were gathered together invited Vice Pres. Rush to take a seat beside himself on the platform as he was to be the guest of honor on the occasion. The Treasurer, Jos. Purcell, then read the following address:—
L. P. U. Hall, March 16, 1930.
Mr. James Rush, Vice Pres. of L. P. U.
Dear Brother:

Dear Brother:

We are assembled together this afternoon to commemorate the anniversary of the beginning of organized labor in Charlottetown and President Gormley and his Executive Board have chosen you to be the guest of honor on this grand occasion.
Brother Rush, we feel proud of you as you are the only active member of this body whose name is on the Certificate of Registration that has been adorning the wall of our Lodge Room for twenty eight years. This is certainly a singular honor of which you may well feel proud. During the entire existence of this organization you have on different occasions been elected to a position on the Executive Board. You have held the position of President and in that as in all other positions you have beyond all doubt proven yourself to be a true and staunch advocate of organized labor.
Believe us Brother Rush, we appreciate all you have done in the past for the great cause of Labor and we also appreciate the service you are now rendering as our Vice President.
True you are now advancing in years and will soon retire from active labor service, but this is still further proof of your real labor principles. We cannot let this occasion pass

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The Weather, etc



TORONTO, March 17.—Maritime Moderate westerly winds, fair with a little higher temperature.
High tide this afternoon at 1.09 and tomorrow morning at 2.43.
Sun sets this evening at 6.09 and rises tomorrow morning at 6.06.
Last quarter moon Friday, March 21, 10.49 p. m.
Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

Put Baking Troubles Aside—Use "Robin Hood" Flour