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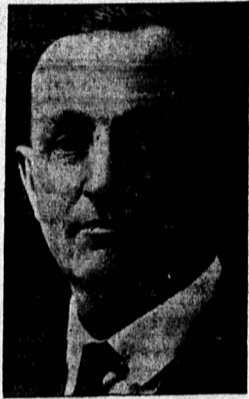
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ISLAND CAPITAL WELCOMES ODDFELLOWS

SEVEN DEAD IN LEVEL-CROSSING TRAGEDY

GREETINGS TO DELEGATES FROM THE GRAND MASTER

The following fraternal greetings to the representatives of the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., Maritime Provinces jurisdiction, and all taking part in the sessions this week in Charlottetown have been issued by Grand Master A. S. Robinson, of Moncton, N. B.:



A. S. ROBINSON, Grand Master, Moncton, N.B.

"As Grand Master it is my privilege and a very great pleasure indeed to welcome you most heartily in friendship, love and truth to this the seventy-eighth annual session of the Grand Lodge.

"In this historic city of Charlottetown was held the first of that series of Conferences which resulted in the accomplished fact of Confederation. And just as that meeting, we believe produced great and lasting good of a national character, so may the sessions of the Grand Bodies here assembled give birth within the Realm of Fraternity to influences which shall vastly promote the three great Principles which are the basis of our institution and rebound to the good of all mankind. Never before in the history of the world was a practical illustration of those Principles to the affairs of daily life so easily needed. I therefore urge you to enter upon the work which lies before us at this time with singleness of heart. Put aside all that is selfish or petty. Ever remember that the Cause itself is greater than the greatest among us. Thus, and thus only, shall we advance toward the goal of our high calling.

\$250 STOLEN FROM FARMER AT COVEHEAD

Returning yesterday with his wife after attending a church meeting at Pleasant Grove, Israel Strickland, 74-year-old Covehead farmer, discovered his home had been broken into and \$250—his life's savings—had been stolen from its place of intended safe-keeping in an old trunk.

Election Plans Expected In Few Days

(C. P. By Guardian's Special Wire) OTTAWA, Aug. 11.—Speculation in the capital now places the election day as late as Oct. 7 or possibly Sept. 30. Sept. 23 had been generally accepted as the date to be chosen but in view of late crops and harvesting operations which might be in full swing throughout the latter part of September, a later date is being considered.

TRAIN PILES INTO CAR NEAR MONTREAL

Seven Members Or Relatives of Waterville, Maine, Family Are Victims.

(C. P. By Guardian's Special Wire)

MONTREAL, Aug. 11.—Seven members or relations of one Waterville, Me., family lay in the morgue here tonight, victims of a terrific level crossing smash when their heavy automobile was struck by a Diesel-engine Canadian National Railways train at the Montreal-St. Johns highway crossing late Saturday. The accident occurred three miles south of the little village of Laprairie and 15 miles from here.

The dead are: Charles Talbot, 61, Waterville, Me.

Mrs. Charles Talbot, nee Appoline LaPierre, his wife. Ovida Talbot, 33, Waterville, Me.

Hippolyte Talbot, 33, Waterville, Me.

Mrs. Georges Genesse, nee Pauline LaPierre, 59, Magog, Que.

Rev. Brother Laurentien (Thomas Talbot) 32, of the Order of Les Freres de l'Education Chretienne.

Rev. Brother Maximilien (Girard Talbot), 30, of the same Order.

Travelling Fast

The automobile and train were travelling at high speed at the time of the crash. Three of the automobile's seven occupants were killed instantly, three others within a few minutes of the accident and the seventh died en route to hospital.

The force of the collision was such the two-coach train was derailed. Traffic on the Montreal-bound side of the double-tracks was delayed for more than two hours. The crossing has neither crossing gates nor wig-wag system of protection but is well-provided with warning signs and the usual "stop" sign.

On the north side of the track there is a slight dip in the road before it mounts and passes over the tracks and it is thought the driver may have failed to see the train approaching because of this dip.

The R. C. M. P. have been notified and are investigating.

Joseph Sauve, engineer of the

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COMMENDS FINE HUMANITARIAN WORK OF LODGES

"To the delegates assembled in Charlottetown for the Annual Convention of the Grand Lodge, Independent Order of Oddfellows and the Rebekah Assembly, Maritime Provinces and Newfoundland," writes Premier the Hon. W. J. P. MacMillan, "I extend a whole-hearted welcome and express the hope that you will, for the time being at least, consider yourselves citizens of this fair Province.



PREMIER MACMILLAN

"You will find hospitality is one of our natural resources. Our people will feel amply repaid for their kindness and consideration if you but assure us that at no distant date we may again have the opportunity of welcoming you.

"Your Order is doing a fine humanitarian work, and the ideals for which you stand are helpful in the maintenance of good citizenship.

"In these days, the fostering of brotherly love in the community, the nation and internationally is of far reaching importance and will assist greatly towards assuring the continuance of peace."

Official Programme

Following is the official programme commemorating the 78th anniversary Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., which opens in Charlottetown today:

Monday, Aug. 12 Registration: Patriot Office, Oddfellow's Building, Richmond street. Every person attending sessions is expected to register in book provided for that purpose.

7.30 p. m. Special session Rebekah Assembly, to confer Assembly Degree, in Prince of Wales College Auditorium, Past Presidents' Conference at close of session.

Tuesday, Aug. 13

9.00 a.m. Seating of Officers and Past Presidents of Rebekah Assembly, by Past Noble Grand of Alpha No. 10.

9.30 a.m. Opening session Rebekah Assembly, Prince of Wales College Auditorium, Weymouth street.

10.00 a.m. Opening session of Grand Encampment in Oddfellows Lodge Room.

2.00 p.m. Second session Grand Encampment.

2.00 p.m. Second session Rebekah Assembly.

8.00 p.m. Special session Grand Lodge, to confer Grand Lodge Degree, in Oddfellows Hall, Richmond street.

7.00 p.m. Confering Canton Degree in Oddfellows Hall.

8.00 p.m. Regular meeting Alpha, No. 10, when they will confer the Rebekah Degree, in Prince of Wales College Auditorium. Followed by reception to visiting delegates.

Wednesday, Aug. 14

9.00 a.m. Opening session Grand Lodge in Oddfellows Hall.

9.00 a.m. Third session Rebekah Assembly.

10.00 a.m. Government and Civic Reception in Prince Edward Theatre.

12.30 p.m. Past Presidents' Luncheon at Canadian National Hotel.

2.30 p.m. Joint Memorial Service in Prince of Wales College Hall.

3.45 p.m. Reception at Government House by His Honour Lieutenant Governor George D. DeBlois and Mrs. DeBlois.

5.00 p.m. Decoration of Chivalry, by Canton Dryden, under command of Col. Nicholson, on lawn in front of Government House.

6.30 p.m. Banquet at Canadian National Hotel.

8.00 p. m. Second session Grand Lodge (if required). Grand Ball in Oddfellows Hall.

9.30 p. m. Dance at Beach Grove Inn for visiting delegates.

Thursday, Aug. 15

9.00 a.m. Third session Grand Lodge.

9.00 a.m. Rebekah District Deputies' meeting, Prince of Wales College.

2.00 p.m. Closing session of Grand Lodge (if required). Meeting of Home Board Trustees in Board of Trade rooms.

8.00 p.m. Dance in Oddfellows Hall.

NEW AERIAL WEAPON IS DEVELOPED

Italian Navy Holds Satisfactory Manoeuvres At Spezia.

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ADDIS ABABA, Aug. 11.—Ethiopia is willing to give a part of the Ogaden Province to Italy if she receives financial assistance and an outlet to the sea in return, Emperor Haile Selassie today told the Havas correspondent.

Ogaden, bordering on Italian Somaliland, is the southern Ethiopian province in which lies the actual scene of the incident which brought the Italo-Ethiopian conflict to a crisis. One difficulty faced by the arbitration commission entrusted by the League of Nations with settling this incident is that both countries claim Ubul.

Selassie's Offer

The Emperor was asked whether he was willing to make territorial concessions in return for financial aid for his program of extending civilization, and in order to avoid serious national and international consequences which might result from a war with Italy, he said: "We do not wish to see the independence of our country touched. We also do not wish that Italian prestige should be affronted.

"It is true that the government still desires to be able to obtain loans to develop our country and accelerate the work of civilization which we have undertaken. But one of the other means capable of helping the economic development of our country is the acquisition of a port for Ethiopia, and if we realize these two aspirations we will see no objection to ceding a part of Ogaden."

Not Yet Considered

LONDON, Aug. 11.—(C. P. Cable) —In the wake of speculation on the probabilities of an Italo-Ethiopian war in the near future, it was learned tonight the question of barring the Suez Canal to Italian warships has not yet been raised in any diplomatic form.

Closing of the Suez Canal has figured prominently in discussion of the prospects of general action by the League of Nations Council, it being taken for granted that the tripartite conference opening in Paris next Friday is unlikely to find any solution of the dilemma.

A number of international lawyers here have always maintained that under the Covenant of the League, the Canal could be closed to an aggressor by an unanimous vote of the League, other than the actual parties to the dispute, but it must be stressed this question has never been put to the test either in the present or any other dispute.

Is Critical

J. L. Garvin, noted editor of the Sunday Observer, suggested today that if British official opinion had been better informed on the Italo-Ethiopian problem earlier there

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Cordial Greetings From The Lieutenant-Governor



LT. GOV. GEORGE D. DEBLOIS

Barn Damaged By Fire At Montague

Fire which was discovered shortly after 10 o'clock last night caused considerable damage to a new barn owned by Mr. Harold Hynes, Montague. Members of the family discovered flames starting from the roof.

The fire is believed to have been due to spontaneous combustion as the loft contained a quantity of new hay.

The roof was burned off and considerable damage done to the interior before the flames were extinguished by the Montague Fire Department.

EUCCHARISTIC CONGRESS THIS WEEK

Diocesan Assembly Will Be At Vernon River On Tuesday and Wednesday.

The Diocesan Assembly of the fourth annual Eucharistic Congress will be held on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week at Vernon River. The assembly will open on Tuesday evening with an address of welcome by Rev. P. D. McGuigan, P.P. Following the welcome His Excellency Bishop O'Sullivan will preach a sermon. The Pontifical Benediction of Blessed Sacrament will be given by Archbishop McGuigan of Toronto.

On Wednesday at 8 a. m. Low Mass and Holy Communion will be celebrated by His Excellency, the Bishop, and at 10 a. m. Solemn Pontifical Mass will be celebrated by Archbishop McGuigan. The sermon will be delivered by Rev. A. L. Sinnott, P.P., Rollo Bay. After Mass the Blessed Sacrament will be carried to the main altar of the parish church where it will remain exposed for adoration until the evening procession.

At 2 p. m. there will be recitation of vespers by the clergy; at 2 p. m. Holy Hour for the laity, conducted by Rev. M. Rooney, P.P., of Cardigan. At the same hour there will be a conference of the clergy in the Vestry at which papers will be read by Rev. M. Francis and Rev. R. MacKenzie of St. Dunstan's University and Rev. J. D. McNeill of Tignish.

At 5.30 the Solemn closing of the Congress will be held. The sermon will be preached by Archbishop McGuigan. Other items for the closing are the public procession of the Blessed Sacrament; consecration of the Diocese to the Sacred Heart; benediction of the Blessed Sacrament; and the concluding hymn: "Holy God we praise Thy Name," sung by all present.

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\$2,000 FIRE IN TENEMENT ON SATURDAY

Rays of sunlight, converged by a flaw in the window glass, are believed to have started a \$2,000 blaze in a two-family wooden tenement on the corner of Spring Street and Brighton Avenue Saturday afternoon.

The fire was discovered when a young daughter of Mr. Hooper Esery, one of the occupants, went to pick up a cushion leaning against a porch window. The cushion burst into flames and a startled girl dropped it. A rubber raincoat caught fire and blazed up, setting fire to the walls and ceiling of the porch. The blaze quickly spread to the main building. The flames had taken strong hold when the firemen arrived and it was only after a stubborn fight that they were extinguished.

All the furniture and contents of Esery's side of the house were destroyed and considerable damage by smoke and water was caused in the other side, occupied by Mr. George Francis and his family. Almost all the furniture in Mr. Francis' house was removed undamaged.

Mr. Esery's loss, estimated at \$500.00, was not covered by insurance.

The damage to the house, which is owned by Mrs. John McAleer, is estimated at \$1,500.00, partly covered by insurance.

You CAN HAVE TOO MANY FRIENDS AS WELL AS NOT ENOUGH!



Light to moderate winds; partly cloudy and warm; probably some light scattered showers. (C. P. By Guardian's Special Wire) TORONTO, Aug. 11.—Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson 48 60 Aklavik 40 44 Edmonton 50 72 Regina 48 72 Winnipeg 56 80 Toronto 65 83 Ottawa 64 84 Montreal 62 74 Quebec 66 85 St. John 56 72 Halifax 58 80 Charlottetown 58 82 Maritime East: Light to moderate winds; partly cloudy and warm; probably some light scattered showers.

Maritime West: Light to moderate south and southwest winds; cloudy with occasional light showers; probably some fog. High tide this evening at 7.30 and tomorrow morning at 9.42. Sun sets this evening at 7.12 and rises tomorrow morning at 4.53. Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

CAR FERRY

Leave Borden 8.45 A. M. (Extra) 1 P. M. 5.15 P. M. Leave Summerside (Extra) 11 A. M. 3.25 P. M. and 7 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Group Of Past Grands, Island's Pioneer Lodge, I. O. O. F.



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GOODBYE TO MAURETANIA

ROSYTH, Scotland, Aug. 6.—(C. P.)—As the Mauretania, once the pride of the Atlantic Ocean, edged her way to the dockside here to be broken up a killed piper played a lament.

AN ILLEGAL ARSENAL

RANGOON, Burma, Aug. 6.—(C. P.)—Several persons were arrested when police raided a house in Shwabo district and discovered a complete outfit for the manufacture of firearms and ammunition.