

DESPERATE FIGHT IN MONTREAL

(Canadian Press) MONTREAL, June 8.—Following a desperate fight between a colored man and an Assyrian in West Craig Street Saturday, Joseph, Aboud, 22 years old, was taken to the General Hospital with a knife wound in his side. The Negro, Henry Smith, was taken to the police station. Aboud's injury is over the heart and severed an artery. His condition is very serious. The trouble started when Aboud refused to give the Negro money. Smith will be arraigned to-morrow on a charge of attempted murder.

MOVE UP SAYS MAYOR GAYNOR

NEW YORK, June 6.—Mayor Gaynor wants the aldermen to legislate the "end seat hog," in open surface cars out of existence. He sent a special message to the board on the subject yesterday, saying in part: "The habit of all selfish people, especially if they be big and fat, is to take the end seat in the summer cars and stick there, instead of moving along as other people get on. I would suggest to you to consider whether you should not pass an ordinance making this selfish practice a misdemeanor."

TO PROBE BASEBALL TRUST

WASHINGTON, June 6.—Plans for an investigation of the so-called "baseball trust" were made today by Representative Gallagher, of Illinois, who will have a hearing with a week before the House Rules Committee, on his resolution. Representative Gallagher declared today that half a dozen witnesses would be sufficient to sustain his "charge of monopoly." He prepared today a list which includes Horace Foelck, former President of the Philadelphia National Baseball Club, and men from New York, St. Louis, Chicago, Cleveland, Pittsburgh and Buffalo.

CONGRESS AT GHENT

GHENT, June 7.—Delegates from many countries have arrived in Ghent to attend the International Congress of Agriculture, which will be formally opened tomorrow and continued in session for an entire week. Prominent among those in attendance will be the members of the American commission now touring Europe for the purpose of studying the problem of farm credits before the present-day problems of country life and there will be meetings where the science of breeding, planting, special crops, agricultural engineering and forestry will be discussed by eminent experts.

CHURCH UNION

TORONTO, June 7.—The Congregational Church conference yesterday passed a unanimous resolution for Church Union. This is the first time they have adopted such a resolution without one dissenting voice.

PRINCE LIKES CANADA

TORONTO, June 7.—Prince Albert on his return from Niagara declared Canada to be "A Rippling fine country." But objected to the fact that everywhere he went our people tried to get snapshots of him.

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SIXTY-NINE FOXES FOR P. E. ISLAND

(Canadian Press) SASKATOON, Sask., June 8.—Sixty-nine live foxes, silver grey, black and red, valued at \$60,000 and collected at North Battleford, passed through the city on the C. P. R. last night, destined for P. E. Island.

TO MARK 81 YEAR OLD TRAIL

MUSKOGEE, Okla., June 7.—Boy Scouts from numerous cities of Oklahoma will round up here tomorrow morning on a "hike" across the country to locate and mark the trail followed by Washington Irving and his party when they visited this section in 1822. The marking of the trail will be a difficult task, as most of the old landmarks have disappeared in the eighty years that have passed since the visit of the famous novelist and historian.

BIG IRRIGATION RESERVOIR OPENED

STERLING, Colo., June 7.—Hundreds of Sterling, together with hundreds of visitors from the surrounding country, kept a holiday today in celebration of the completion and opening of the great reservoir of the North Sterling Reservoir and Irrigation Company. The huge reservoir and the connecting ditch system will afford an abundant water supply for 33,000 acres of land in this vicinity.

THIRTY-THREE LIVES LOST BY FIRE IN MAY

TORONTO, June 6.—The Monetary Times estimate of Canada's fire loss during May amounts to \$2,125,868 as compared with the April loss of \$1,470,622 and \$2,251,815 for the corresponding period of last year. There were seven fires during the month in each of which the loss exceeded \$100,000. These were at North Sydney, \$250,000; Moncton, Englehart, Trenton (Ont.), Gretna, Plessiville and Edmonton. During May, 33 lost their lives through fire, the largest number of fatalities since July, 1911.

KAISER'S BIG JUBILEE

BERLIN, June 7.—All of the details have now been arranged for the commemoration of the Kaiser's jubilee. The Germans are determined that the celebration of his 25th year of reign shall be one of the greatest festive events since the creation of the empire. The celebration proper, which will take place the week of June 15, will be preceded by numerous festivities and public functions. The first of these will take place tomorrow, when 30,000 athletes will parade before the Kaiser on the occasion of the dedication of the stadium constructed in the Grunewald race course outside Berlin, for the Olympic games of 1916. A levee and court attended by all the high civil and military officials will be held on Monday, and on each of the following days there will be gala performances in the Berlin theatres.

BISHOP HOBAN 60 YEARS OLD

SCRANTON, Pa., June 6.—Rev. Michael J. Hoban, Catholic bishop of Scranton, received many congratulations today on the occasion of his sixtieth birthday anniversary. Bishop Hoban is a native of New Jersey and was educated at Holy Cross College in Rome. He was appointed coadjutor bishop of Scranton in 1896 and succeeded to the bishopric on the death of Bishop O'Hara three years later.

NEWS FORECAST FOR THE COMING WEEK

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 7.—Saturday will be the 136th anniversary of the adoption of the Stars and Stripes as the national emblem of the United States of America. Thursday will be graduation day at the United States Military Academy at West Point. Commencement exercises will be held during the week at Princeton University, the University of Illinois and other educational institutions throughout the country. The Hamburg-American Line steamship Imperator, the largest vessel in the world, is scheduled to sail from Hamburg Wednesday on her initial trip to New York. The Mississippi legislature will convene in special session Tuesday to consider issuing bonds of \$1,000,000 or more, the funds to be devoted to levee construction along the Mississippi River. Delegates from many countries, including the United States and Canada, will take part in the conference of the World's Alliance of Young Men's Christian Associations, which is to begin its sessions Wednesday in Edinburgh, Scotland. Other notable conventions of the week will include the meetings of the Associated Advertising Clubs of America, at Baltimore; the National Association of Building Owners and Managers, at Cincinnati; the Northwestern Association of Dairy Officials, at Bismarck, N. D.; and the New York State Bankers' Association, at York, Ont.

MINISTERS PLAN THEIR VACATION

OTTAWA, June 8.—With the session at an end the members of the cabinet are making plans for the summer. Most of them have still an accumulation of business which they were unable to attend to during the closing weeks of the House and their plans are yet indefinite. Premier Borden will probably be in Ottawa until the end of the month either at his old home in Nova Scotia or at the seaside. Whether he will visit England again this summer has not yet been settled and it will likely be decided during the next couple of weeks. At least five of the ministers expect to visit the west this summer. Hon. R. C. Rogers intends to-morrow night to make a tour of inspection of the western public works. Later in the summer, Col. Sam Hughes leaves in company with General Sir Ian Hamilton, to visit the militia camps of Canada. During the next two weeks they will visit points in Ontario and Quebec and leave for the west on June 21.

LADY BOXED KAISER'S EARS

LONDON, June 4.—Lady MacDonnell, in her book "Reminiscences of Diplomatic Life," tells how she once boxed the Kaiser's ears. The incident occurred when Lady MacDonnell was living in Berlin. Wilhelm then was Crown Prince and he was a frequent attendant at her teas, and usually afterward played checkers with the hostess. She writes: "On one occasion he accused me of cheating. I became infuriated, and unmindful of his high estate, I impulsively leaped across the table and boxed his ears. "His sense of humor and satisfaction at having been so successful in working upon my feelings saved the situation. Ever afterwards when we met he used to cry: 'I know a lady who cheats at checkers!'"

BRILLIANT BALL AT VERSAILLES

LONDON, June 6.—The spirit of Louis XIV filled the Albert Hall last night when the Versailles ball took place in the presence of Queen Mary, the Duke of Connaught, Prince Arthur and Princess Patricia of Connaught, the Battenbergs, the Schewski-Holstens and other royals. The ball was decorated with gold in the cipher of the French king and with mimic crowns on a white ground, while at one end, on a throne under a blue canopy, with fleur-de-lys, King Louis sat with his country folk, forming a mimic court of the seventh century. The hereditary Grand Duke of Mecklenburg-Strelitz, in golden coat and blue robes of state, played Louis, while the Countess of Dudley was Queen Marie Therese. The famous beauties Countess Curzon, Mrs. John Astor and Lady Diana Manners, were respectively Mesdames De Montespan, De Maintenon and Louise De La Valliere. A flurry of alarm was perceptible when the queen arrived, lest the suffragettes might choose the occasion for another outrage, but they made no attempt to spoil the evening, and the queen, with evident delight, watched the stately court of Louis XIV, and afterward the make-believe kings and queens of France and England, the hereditary Grand Duke of Mecklenburg-Strelitz, the Countess of Dudley, Harry Lindsay and the Countess of March were commanded to sup with the actual queen.

PIRATES ATTACKED FRENCH STEAMER

HONG KONG, June 6.—The French steamer Robert Lebeaudy, engaged in the West River trade, was attacked by pirates, who secured \$30,000, according to reports received here today. A passenger on the steamer was killed and the engineer and several members of the crew were wounded in a fight with the robbers. Reports of numerous other attacks upon vessels indicate that piracy is rapidly increasing in the South.

DEGREES FOR N. SCOTIANS GIVEN BY UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO

TORONTO, June 6.—At the convention at the University of Toronto today, the honorary degree of doctor of laws was conferred on Rev. Daniel Miner Gordon, M. A., D. D., principal of Queens university, Kingston, and an eminent Nova Scotian. Dr. Gordon was presented for this honor by the president of the university, who recognized Dr. Gordon's services to his church and country, referring to his successful pastorate in Ottawa and Winnipeg and his patriotic participation as chaplain in suppression of the last northwestern rebellion. The degree of master of laws was conferred also in council upon John J. Powell, K. C., of Halifax, who obtained this distinction with fraternal honors, after examination in civil and public law and on a thesis on "The philosophy of the law of real property." Mr. Powell was also awarded a complete set of their cyclopaedia of law and procedure, having been specially recommended for the prize by the university examiners in law.

CENTENARY OF "HOME, SWEET HOME"

John Howard Payne, the homeless poet and actor who was all his life a wanderer on the face of the earth, and who is chiefly famous as an author of "Home, Sweet Home," was born in New York 121 years ago today. It was when Payne was afflicted with homesickness for his native America that he wrote "Home Sweet Home," and 1913 is therefore the centenary of that famous of songs in praise of home. "Home Sweet Home," did not attain any popularity until ten years later, when it was incorporated in Payne's musical play, "Clari, the Maid of Milan." The music was written by Sir Henry Bishop, although it is alleged by some that Payne, in his Italian wanderings, had heard the air sung by peasants, and that Sir Henry, after hearing Payne hum it, merely arranged the music. Payne died in 1852 at Tunis, Africa, where he was United States consul. His remains were buried in the English cemetery but thirty years ago a subscription was raised by admirers of the song and the body was brought to America and interred in Oak Hill Cemetery, at Washington.

HON. MR. COCHRANE TO INSPECT I.C.R. IN KENTVILLE, N.S.

(Special to The Guardian) OTTAWA, June 8.—Hon. Frank Cochrane, Minister of Railways, leaves to-morrow for a tour of the Intercolonial main line from Montreal to Halifax. He will, while on the trip, study the conditions of the road at first, and then make improvements for which provision has been made in legislation during the session just closed. It is probable that the visit of the minister, but for the action of the Liberal majority in the Senate, would have resulted in the immediate addition of a number of important branch lines of railway to the Intercolonial as feeders.

The bill enabling the government to lease or purchase branch lines of the Intercolonial was killed in the Senate with the approval of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his followers in the House. The Senate followed the usual method of amending the bill out of existence. The amendment provided that nothing could be done without the minister first coming to parliament for authority in each instance. If, of course, the Minister could do in any event without the bill so the effect of the amendment is the reversion of the legislation altogether.

The result is already coming home. It is known in Ottawa that with such legislation as was proposed the government could have greatly strengthened the I. C. R. by the acquisition of roads which by reason of financial stringency is now impossible to secure. When the stringency passes it will be impossible to secure these roads at anything like the figure for which they can be obtained now. The defeat of the bill means that these roads, if sold at all, will be sold to private interests. This means a great increase in the cost to the I. C. R. if the lines are taken over later. The Liberals must take the responsibility for that.

ATLANTA TELLS OF HIS EXPERIENCE

ATLANTA, June 6.—On the eve of his release on parole, Julian Hawthorne, son of the noted author, reveals in an analysis of present day legal punishment, the result of his observations after two months imprisonment in the Atlanta federal prison. Mr. Hawthorne's opinions on the generation of the federal institution's monthly periodical, Good Words, under his prison register number, 4,435.

NEW ORDER OF PRISONERS.

"A new order of prisoners has consequently come into existence. They are criminals not by innate tendency, but by accident and stress of circumstance. They are men who had been heretofore law-abiding, and who are now going to jail for offences which have been committed by the lawless men of the present day. The new order of prisoners is a result of the discriminations of public prosecutors.

JAILS MORE POPULOUS.

"Meanwhile our jails are becoming more instead of less populous; the notable increase of federal courts and the tendency to concentration of power in the national government over the States enables convicts to be more easily obtained. "Whether or not this increased facility keeps even pace with impartial justice is a question to be solved by experience. "A great body of inspectors and other officials of courts has been created, and they are naturally eager to justify their salaries. A system of widespread as to breed uselessness in all walks of civic life. But all evils are accompanied by compensations, and if the processes used to obtain convictions occasionally remind us of Russia, yet if they unexpectedly prove the means of admitting the angel of reform into prisons they may be worth the price."

WOMAN SUFFRAGE

KENTVILLE, N. S., June 8.—In the Supreme Court Saturday Judge Ritchie imposed heavy sentences. Arthur Dorie, convicted of attempting to poison his brother, got 14 years in the penitentiary. Samuel Gould, leader of a gang that terrorized part of Kings County and four found guilty of burglary, were sentenced to 14 years. William Solomon and Percy Hilez of the same gang got 7 years each. Vernon Solomon, brother of William, convicted of attempted burglary, got five years, William Nicholas for the same offence got two years.

FARGO FIRE ANNIVERSARY

FARGO, N. D., June 7.—With a mammoth parade of allegorical floats, trade displays and civic and military organizations Fargo today observed the twentieth anniversary of the great fire of June 7, 1893, which devastated an area of forty-two city blocks and entailed a loss of \$3,000,000. Though the business section of the city was entirely wiped out by the fire the recovery was rapid and today the city of Fargo is one of the most substantial and flourishing to be found in the entire Northwest.

TREATIES HELD UP

WASHINGTON, June 7.—Unless a decided change of sentiment occurs in the senate a renewal of 23 Arbitration treaties between the United States and other nations may be impossible, that with France was recently renewed but last night the senate failed to renew the treaties with Great Britain, Italy and Spain. The Panama tolls matter is a hindering force.

CONSECRATION AT SUMMERSIDE

The church people of Summerside and St. Eleonors experienced a season of refreshing and spiritual uplift by the visit of their chief pastor, Bishop Worrell, yesterday. His leadership arrived from Kensington by the evening train Saturday and was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Mills, during his stay in Summerside. Yesterday the first service of consecration of St. Mary's Church, and was a very impressive yet simple one, easily comprehended by all present. The Bishop and his chaplain, Rev. Dr. Hunt of Kings College, Windsor, having robed in the tower-room, the Rector of the parish and the two wardens, Messrs. H. J. Massey and H. C. Mills, going to the door knocked three times. The door being opened by the chaplain, the Rector read the petition for consecration which was accepted by the Bishop. The 24th Psalm was recited in procession and the Bishop and clergy then proceeded to the altar whence after the proper prayers, they went to various parts of the church, the Bishop blessing the edifices in general and the various articles of furniture used in the service. During the consecration service prayer the "Old Hundred" was heartily sung by the choir and congregation and Dean Bullock's celebratory hymn, "We Love the Place, O God," was sung as an introit to the service of the Holy Eucharist which immediately followed. After the Nicene Creed hymn 364 was sung and there followed the Bishop's sermon from the text "Whom do men say that I am," in which he emphasized that churchmanship stands for creed, worship and service. After the sermon the hymn "O God, our help in ages past," was heartily rendered by all present and the communion service was proceeded with which a large number of communicants received the sacrament. At 3 confirmation in St. John's Church, St. Eleonors, to a class of ten in the presence of a congregation which taxed the seating capacity of that venerable edifice. At 7 p.m. confirmation was administered at St. Mary's Church, Summerside, to 23 persons and so many attended this service that seats could not be found for all. The music throughout the day was excellent and many were the compliments from those present at the service. At the close of the evening service the Bishop congratulated the congregation on their good work and the happy relations that existed between them and their Rector. St. Mary's Church is a handsome and solid brick structure, an acknowledged ornament to the town. In the disastrous fire of 1906 the members of this congregation watched their little church go up in flames, but hardly were the ashes of the old structure pulled away when this small, but united congregation began preparations for a new and finer structure and must feel highly gratified in thus seeing their years of labor and loving devotion crowned with success.

TRAGIC AFTERMATH OF TITANIC DISASTER

PARIS, June 6.—Among the passengers on the Titanic whose names were given as among those lost, was Madame Breuy, a native of Bethune. Her husband lamented her loss for a reasonable time, and then married another woman. On Tuesday M. Breuy received a letter from his first wife, saying she was very much alive, and was on her way back to Bethune. The husband became very much excited and fired four bullets at his second wife, killing her. He then committed suicide rather than face the wife who had been rescued from the Titanic.

ONE MAIL STEAMER A WEEK

ST. JOHN, June 6.—All uncertainty as to St. John's sharing in the new policy of Canadian mail being served only to Canadian ports under the present contract, confirmed during the present session of parliament, has been removed with the receipt of an official notification by local post office officials here, that the C. P. R. and Allan line subsidized mail steamers would bring their packets to St. John this winter. This will mean one mail steamer each week during the season, the two companies to alternate with the service. According to the notice received from the office of the postmaster-general the Royal line and the White Star-Dominion line will alternate with the same weekly service to Halifax, making altogether two steamers a week from the winter ports, there being three now running to Montreal.

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FIRST MARTYR FOR MONTREALERS SAW

(Canadian Press) MONTREAL, June 8.—Nekota Vakar, a Russian, ended his life early Saturday by throwing himself in front of a rapidly moving car. The motorman attempted to stop the car but before he succeeded Vakar's body was cut almost in two. Hundreds witnessed the dramatic suicide. Six weeks ago Vakar jumped from the second story window of his boarding house.

MILITARY CHURCH PARADE YESTERDAY

The annual Church parade of the 3rd and 4th Batteries of the 4th Regiment Heavy Brigade was held yesterday morning. At 10 o'clock over 300 men and officers assembled at the drill hall, and under command of Colonel Peake the parade headed by the Regimental Band marched up Kent St. and down Prince to the new Zion Church. Those attending the Fro-Cathedral separated and under command of Major Darke marched to their place of worship where high mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Johnson, at Zion Church after the reading of the Scripture lesson the Pastor, Rev. G. C. Taylor, addressed a few words specially to the soldiers. He welcomed them to Zion Church and expressed the pleasure it afforded him to preach to a regiment having such noble traditions both at home and abroad. His sermon for the occasion, from the text Luke 7: 9 "I have not found so great faith, no not in Israel," was interesting and helpful. He emphasized the value of discipline and allegiance, drawing many valuable lessons from the lives of soldiers mentioned in Scripture and concluding with a short exhortation for loyalty and allegiance to a person, a dogma or a creed but to the living person, Jesus Christ. There was a large attendance.

CENTENARY OF FAMOUS OFFICER

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 7.—Officials at the Navy Department today recalled the fact that tomorrow will be the centennial anniversary of the birth of Admiral David D. Porter, one of the most famous naval officers who ever fought under the United States flag. Admiral Porter, who next to Admiral Farragut, attained a higher rank in the navy than any other officer before, served his country for 62 years, entering upon his sailor's career while yet almost a child. It is interesting fact that Admirals Farragut and Porter were reared together as young men. Porter's father being old Commodore Porter, who made Farragut his adopted son. Admiral Porter passed the last years of his life in Washington, where his death occurred February 13, 1891.

OLD LEXINGTON WILL CELEBRATE

LEXINGTON, Mass., June 7.—Lexington, famous in history as the scene of the first engagement of the American Revolution, has donned gala attire in anticipation of a three days' celebration of her 200th anniversary. The celebration will be ushered in tomorrow with church services and historical exercises. Monday will be Old Home Day and on Tuesday a parade of the Lexington Minute Man and other military organizations, followed by a review on the battle green.

PRINCETON 166th COMMENCEMENT

PRINCETON, N. J., June 7.—The exercises in connection with the 166th annual commencement at Princeton University will be ushered in tomorrow morning with the delivery of the baccalaureate address by President Hibbin in Alexander Hall. Monday will be observed as class day and Tuesday as commencement day.

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