

FAMOUS PAINTING BY PAUL PEEL COMES TO CANADA FROM HUNGARY

James Colerick of London Has Completed Negotiations for Its Purchase — Home City of Artist Will Now House His Masterpiece.

LONDON, Ont. Dec 4.—An announcement that is expected to cause a wave of interest throughout the art world, and particularly among art lovers in Canada, was confirmed here to-night by James Colerick who has just completed the purchase of Paul Peel's masterpiece, "After the Bath". The painting which has been reproduced and sold in every country of the world, was the greatest triumph of the career of one of London's native sons, who executed it in Paris in 1890 and exhibited it at the Paris salon, where he was awarded the gold medal in the following year. The painting was sold from the salon to the Hungarian National Art Museum at Budapest, where it has since been held, and it has now become available through the financial exigencies of the Hungarian nation.

Saw Stranger Hanging Around St. Boniface Coll.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 6.—A stranger man whose actions were such as to arouse her suspicions was seen hanging around the grounds of St. Boniface College on the eve of last Saturday's fire which cost ten lives, according to the statement today of Mrs. Charles Loisselle, of St. Boniface to a reporter. Mrs. Loisselle has been subpoenaed to give evidence before the provincial fire commissioner. She said in an interview that she saw a "mysterious man" on the college grounds carrying a rope on his arm at 8 p.m. Friday and two hours later she saw him again in the same vicinity. The man was acting suspiciously, she declared, and she hurried home.

Labor Member Tenders Apology

LONDON, Dec. 4.—Jack Jones the dockers' champion and labor member for Silverton, West Ham, reappeared in the House of Commons yesterday after his suspension on Tuesday, following his reference to ministers as "dirty dogs" and tendered an apology. The episode has thus been smoothed over.

Falling Branch Kills Woodsman

BATHURST, N.B. Dec. 6.—Sudden death came to Joseph D. Landry last Thursday while he was working at a lumber camp of the Gloucester and Trading Co., in the vicinity of Red Pine. He was sawing down a tree when a large branch broke off and fell, striking him on the side of the head and killing him almost instantly. The body was immediately brought to town, and on Friday was taken to his former home in Grand Anse. The funeral took place on Monday morning. The late Mr. Landry was well known throughout the parish and highly thought of by all. He leaves his wife and a family of twelve children, who have the sympathy of the community in their great and sudden loss.

300 Casualties In Greek Uprising

ATHENS, Dec. 4.—Three hundred casualties occurred in an uprising against the Turkish rule in Smyrna according to a despatch received from that city today. Civilians and Kemalist troops fought amid the ruins of the city burned when the Turkish Nationalists seized it. The revolt occurred when many of the inhabitants, alleging that occupation of Greeks had extinguished all social and economic life in Smyrna, staged a big demonstration in favor of a return of the Greek administration. The Kemalists attempted to disperse the gathering but met with unexpected opposition. A pitched battle raged for some time.

Canadians Meet In Western Town

CALGARY, Dec. 6.—More than one thousand natives of the Maritime Provinces of Prince Edward Island, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia gathered in annual reunion in the Palliser Hotel last night to do honor to the provinces by the sea. Several men, prominent in business and public life former residents of the seaboard provinces delivered eulogistic remarks of their birth. Mr. Justice Tweedie, Prince Edward Island; Hon. R. B. Bennett, New Brunswick; Bishop J. T. McNally, Prince Edward Island; W. A. MacDonald, barrister Nova Scotia were among the speakers. For the first time in the history of the Maritime Provinces association Newfoundland was represented at such a gathering when A. M. Peters supervisor of the Alberta branches of the Bank of Montreal spoke on its behalf. Many of those present displayed tags indicating they were from Newfoundland. "I wish to congratulate members of the committee of this organization for doing what the 'Fathers of Confederation' failed in 1887 to do when they endeavored to bring about a confederation," said Mr. Peters in his address. "I am sure that the spirit of national good will and amity will always prevail."

MURPHY WINS CHAMPIONSHIP MOTOR RACE

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 5.—Jimmy Murphy won the 250 mile championship automobile race held here today at the Beverly Hills, speed way, doing 200 laps of the 1 1/4 mile oval in 2 hours, 10 minutes and 30 seconds. Earl Cooper took place and Harry Hays third.

Killed By Needle Left In A Rabbit His Wife Cooked

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 6.—While eating rabbit at dinner, a barber, Thomas Sharp of Liverpool swallowed what he thought was a bone. It turned out, however, to be a sewing needle and some time later this caused his death. His wife at the inquest, said: "I prepared a dinner of rabbit and sage and onions, and then sewed it up with a needle and cotton. I must have forgotten to remove the needle." Sharp had delayed going to hospital until his neck began to swell. The doctors, however, could find nothing although the X-rays were used. It was only during the post-mortem examination that the needle was found. It had perforated the gullet and set up acute inflammation of the neck and chest. A verdict of accidental death was returned.

No Longer Possible For Railway Men to Hold Up Country

MONTREAL, Dec. 6.—That the time was at hand when by the advance of motor truck traffic on roads it would be forever impossible for two millions of railway employees to hold up the business of the continent in any endeavor was one of the chief points made in an address on transportation problems by Guy Tombs here today. He pointed out that over a million such trucks were in use between Canada and the United States today and that even with the present roads it was cheaper and safer to use this means of transportation in preference to railways for distances of a hundred miles or under.

French Crook Had Sense Of Humor

PARIS, Dec. 6.—A crook with a sense of humor and nerve this afternoon took a jeweller to the reception roof of the prefect of police and there robbed him of rings worth several thousand dollars. The thief, who has since been identified as an Algerian named Cohen, escaped with the booty, and tonight he is being sought by the police with a fervor of which even the victim cannot complain. Cohen introduced himself to the jeweller early this afternoon as an intimate friend of M. Maudin, the prefect of police, who incidentally is the most powerful man in the French capital. He stated that the prefect wished to make his wife a present, but was too busy to visit the stores. He had accordingly commissioned him (Cohen) to make several choices of rings which the jeweller should bring to the prefecture where a final selection would be made. The jeweller, happy and pleased assigned his son to take to the prefecture three valuable rings which Cohen selected. The amiable Cohen took the young man to the prefecture where he guided him to a room marked "cabinet de prefet." There he bade him wait while M. Maudin was informed of his presence. Returning almost immediately, how ever Cohen stated that the prefect was too busy to see him personally, but wished the rings sent in trustingly the jeweller surrendered the rings, and waited while Cohen passed out of a door into the corridor and left the building. Only after half an hour, when the young jeweller became nervous and entered an adjoining office did he realize he was duped. The police, on hearing the story exhibited an alacrity not generally accredited to public officials, and identified the crook as a former stool pigeon connected with the prefecture.

Doctors Stop Meat In Kidney Trouble

If Your Back Hurts or Bladder Bothers, Begin on Salts. No man or woman who eats too much meat can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Big meat eating may develop uric acid, which excites the kidneys; they become overworked from the strain, get sluggish and fail to filter the waste and poisons from the blood; then we get sick. Rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, dizziness, sleeplessness and urinary disorders often come from sluggish kidneys. The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys, or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, stop eating meat and get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast, and in a few days your kidneys may act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate the kidneys; also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus often ending bladder weakness. Jad Salts is inexpensive and then no injury; it cleanses and relieves; it does not take any time to work about the kidneys; it helps keep the blood pure and the blood vessels free from serious...



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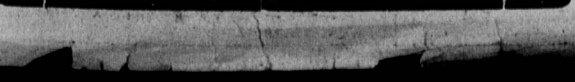
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CANADIAN MINISTERS TO DISCUSS TRADE TREATY WITH BELGIANS

PARIS, Dec. 6.—The conference between officials of the French Ministry of Commerce and the Canadian Government Ministers, Hon. W. S. Fielding and Hon. Ernest Lapointe, for the negotiation of a treaty of commerce, has been adjourned until next week. Meanwhile, at the request of the Belgian Government, the Canadian Ministers will go to Brussels to discuss the commercial relations between Belgium and Canada. They will start this evening.

MARKED DECREASE IN THE CONSUMPTION OF LIQUOR IN CANADA

OTTAWA, Dec. 6.—Per head consumption of spirits in Canada the last fiscal year was the lowest recorded. In 1899, the first record given by the Department of Customs and Excise in its annual report of the per head consumption of spirits in Canada was 1,124 gallons. It reached the highest level in 1874 with a per capital consumption of 1,994 gallons. Last year it was 360 gallons as compared with 875 gallons in 1921 and in comparison with an average consumption since 1869 of 922 gallons.

MOTHERS' PENSIONS COST OVER MILLION DOLLARS.

TORONTO, Dec. 5.—An expenditure of \$1,382,138 was made during the fiscal year ending October 31st by the Mothers' Allowance Board, according to the report which that organization made yesterday to the Hon. Walter Rollo, Minister of Labor. The number of mothers on the pension roll was increased during the year from 2,835 to 3,559, and the administration expenses of the totalled \$73,924.



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