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Explorers Find Lost Tribes

LONDON, October, 17 (British United Press)—A lost tribe of cave dwellers, who are entirely free from disease and who live to a great age, has been discovered by Dr. Irvin Baird, who has just returned from an expedition to the Himalayas.

Dr. Baird claims that the tribe he discovered—600 men, women and children, all of splendid physique—are the last of the Chaldeans mentioned in the Bible. He believes that they travelled from the original home in Mesopotamia to their present home, 380 miles northwest of Gantok.

They speak their original language, he says, and live to be a great age. Some of the men he proved to be 145. They are entirely free from disease of any kind, and live at a height of 22,000 feet. Their only food is vegetable.

MANY VISIT AFRICA'S PARK

Krueger National Park, in South Africa, attracted more visitors this year than ever before, and is reported to be usurping the popularity of seaside resorts as a place for vacations. The visitors live in

"rondavels," which are mud and thatch huts, and strong bolts on the inside reassure the timid. Cars are stopped at the gate of the Reserve by keepers, and the occupants provided with sealed rifles, to be used only in self-defense. The camp consists of a number of rondavels, and a store where canned provisions may be brought and mattresses and furniture rented. Each rondavel has behind it an open fire-place where cooking can be done, and native boys may be hired as servants. Visitors are warned to keep close to their cars in the Reserve. Lions apparently cannot scent human beings above the smell of gasoline, and ignore cars.

An American invited some of his countrymen to his grouse-shoot in Scotland. Though they were tyros at the game they set off blithely on the first morning. Some hours later they returned, one limping and the remaining three bandaged. "Say," observed the host's wife as she met them at the door, "you all look as though you'd been in the wars, but never mind, that's a fine heavy bag you're carrying." "Bag," retorted the husband, grimly, "say, honey, that isn't a bag. That's the ghillie."

WESTERN GUARDIAN

—AT FREETOWN on Tuesday evening, Oct. 20th, the Elmer Farnell Concert Company of Amherst will present a variety concert in Birch Grove Hall. 9412-10-16-41

—BAIL FORFEITED—One drunk forfeited his bail of \$15 on Saturday when he did not appear in the Summerside Police Court that morning. S.

—STORM WRECKS WHARF—The storm which was pretty general in the west of the Province on Friday night washed away a good portion of Schurman's Wharf at the eastern end of Summerside harbour. Two sections in the middle of the wharf are completely gone. Fortunately the end of the pier which was piled with lumber was undamaged. S.

—COMMITTEES APPOINTED—Matters of interest were taken up by the Council of the Summerside Board of Trade on Friday evening. The president, Mr. R. B. Richardson presided. A committee was appointed to confer with the proper authorities with regard to an air mail service. A committee was also appointed to meet the Charlottetown Board of Trade in connection with the curtailment of the late train and mails services. S.

PERSONALS

—Mr. J. E. Milligan of Northam was a visitor to Summerside on Saturday. S.

—Mr. Thomas P. Hammill of Bedouque was in Summerside on business on Saturday. S.

—Mr. and Mrs. Allan Forsythe of Charlottetown are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Ferno Graves, of Summerside. S.

IN MEMORIAM

MR. MARK MAYHEW

In the passing of Mr. Mark Mayhew on October 10th, Maple Plains lost one of its oldest and most highly respected citizens. Departed was born in Suffolk, England, 92 years ago. He came to Prince Edward Island with his parents when four years old. In early manhood he married Miss Sarah Warren, a native of the Island, who pre-deceased him some years ago. Their family was five sons, Frank, (deceased); George, of Shamrock; Robert, of Westmoreland; Newton, of Mt. Tryon, and Thomas at home; also one daughter Mrs. David Mullins at home. There is one surviving brother James, of Summerside. Mr. Mayhew was a life long member and supporter of the former Methodist Church.

The funeral was held from his late residence on Sunday afternoon and was largely attended. The hymns sung were "Jesus, Lover of my Soul," and "Nearer, My God to Thee." The service was conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. L. Lund. The pall bearers were Messrs. Edward Shreeman, Fred Walsh, Owen McCarville, Nathan Ramsay, Rich Lord and Fred Oakes. Interment was made in the Peoples' Cemetery at Tryon. The sympathy of the friends go out to the bereaved family.—Other papers kindly copy.

NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—A plan to give every surgeon a professional rating based on results of his operations was under consideration today by the American College of Surgeons.

The idea, which is a development of a system now in effect at the Passavant Memorial hospital of Jacksonville, Ill., was brought up by Dr. Carl E. Black of that institution.

His plan is to establish a uniform system of marks so every surgeon can be charged with the surgical deaths which follow his operations and credited with the successful ones.

In detail, the plan calls for every surgeon's marks to be totalled at the end of a given year.

Anglican Rector Becomes Monk

(British United Press)

SYDNEY, Australia, Oct. 17.—Bowed with grief at losing his wife and four children when the car he was driving accidentally dashed into a river three years ago, Rev. Jas. Benson has sought solace as a monk. He is now Father Benson of the Community of the Ascension at Goulburn, an Anglo-Catholic order, pledged to celibacy, poverty, and chastity.

He has written to Sutherland Council, which asked him to pay rates on land he owned at Port Hacking, telling them to sell his property and dispose of any balance as they thought fit.

"I am a monk, pledged to a life of poverty," he wrote. "I have no money nor ever shall. Please refrain from any further communication."

Founded in 1921, the Community of the Ascension has attracted many young men with High Church leanings, who after undergoing their novitiate, have taken their vows, and become Fathers of the Church.

Spain's Future Jeopardized

VATICAN CITY, Oct. 17.—(A. P.)

—Osservatore Romano, the Vatican city newspaper, asserts in an editorial tonight that by separating church and state the Spanish republic has jeopardized its own future.

Referring to the six-month-old government as an "unripe fruit," the editorial asserted that although separation of church and state had been proclaimed in the name of liberty, the action was in fact "oppression, violence and persecution."

The Italian attitude is expressed in an editorial in Lavoro Fascista, which asserts that old monarchial Spain is hardly ready for the extremes of democracy.

"The republican mask does not conceal the soul of the Spanish people who elect Socialists but crowd the church," said this newspaper.

Praises Britain's Treatment of Ghandi

NEW YORK, N. Y., October, 17.—

India is not yet ready for self-government, in the opinion of Mme. Cornelia Sorabji, Indian feminist, who has arrived here on a lecture and debating tour.

Interviewed regarding the Indian situation, Mme. Sorabji said she did not care to be known as an "anti-Gandhiist," but as one whose views differed from those of the Indian leader.

"He has one point of view and I another," she said, while we're both members of the legal professions and have a great many things in common our opinions on progressive self-government for our native land differ considerably.

"Mahatma Gandhi wants immediate self-government," she proceeded. "I want it to be progressive within the Empire. We both agree that India is not wholly ready, but his idea is that the ideal state would come more quickly if we could cut completely away at once."

Mme. Sorabji had nothing but praise for the manner in which Lord Irwin, former viceroy of India, dealt with the Indian leader after his release from prison where he had been placed following the demonstrations he incited earlier in the year. "No other country but Great Britain would have made it so easy for a rebel to come in and consider peace terms," she concluded.

Without stopping to remove his clothing seventy-year-old Charles D. Thompson jumped into the sea at Southsea, England, and saved a twelve-year-old boy, swimming ashore with the lad under one arm.

Employer: How many men have you got working here? Works Manager: "Not more'n one in ten."

Cornell Names Element 87

(By Howard W. Blakeslee, Associated Press Science Editor)

NEW YORK, N. Y., Oct. 16 — A brand new substance, the missing element number 87, poked part of its face into the view of science today.

Ninety-two elements long have been known to comprise every material substance composing the earth, but two of them known only by number 87 and 85, never have been found definitely.

Positive identification of this substance in Samarskite, a lustrous black compound, was announced this afternoon by Cornell University, along with evidence of some of its properties.

According to this evidence 87 is a solid, is insoluble in water, is extremely inflammable, and is the most light-sensitive material yet found anywhere.

While the Cornell experiments do not yet show the color, science long has expected that number 87 would be white, lustrous metal. The other missing child in the earth's element family is expected to be black, a shining solid, related to the iodine family of elements.

The information developed at Cornell immediately gives the new scientific baby a potential job in electricity. It may make the world's best coating material for photo-electric cells, the electric "eyes" which by reason of their films of light-sensitive metals far outdo human vision.

The Cornell discovery was made by Jacob Papish, Professor of Spectroscopy. It was made with the aid of a spectroscopic, the same instrument which astronomers use to detect the substances of which stars are made. It is the same instrument with which Dr. Papish discovered that in the slag heaps of smelters there is plenty of the once rare element, germanium.

Abnormal Father Killed His Son

(Canadian Press)

TORONTO, Ont., Oct. 17.—Wilbur N. Bunker, was incapable of appreciating the act when he allegedly drowned his two-and-half-year old son, Ronnie, in the bath-tub at his home here on April 23, declared Dr. Robert Armour, defence alienist, at the trial of Bunker on a charge of murder today.

"For the depression to drive him to do what he did, I believe him to be distinctly abnormal," Dr. Armour testified. "He knew he had killed his child. He had no horror, no repugnance. He was distressed solely because he lost his son—as though he had lost him through disease."

Comrades of Bunker during the Great War testified to his soldierly qualities and kindness. The case will likely reach the jury tomorrow.

Lodge's After Death Experiment

LONDON, October 17 British United Press)—When Sir Oliver Lodge is dead he will try in spirit to communicate with this world.

Speaking to the Modern Churchmen's Conference at Oxford, he said that he would try to establish his identity by detaching a peculiarly childish and preposterous peculiarity which he has recorded in a sealed document deposited in the custody of the English Society for Physical Research. No living soul has any idea of what it contained.

"I hope to remember the details of this document and relate them in an unmistakable fashion," he declared. Sir Oliver spoke of the guidelines and help he had received from people on the other side, including his wife, who died two years ago, and his son Raymond.

WEST ROYALTY SCHOOL

The following is the standing of West Royalty School for the months of August and September:

Grade X—1, Lillian Hurry; 2, Cedric Stetson.

Grade IX—1, Katherine Dixon and Raymond MacKinnon, (equal); 2, Ivan Roberts; 3, Eileen Curley; 4, Isabel Curley; 5, Cecil Stetson; 6, Jack Bell.

Grade VIII—1, Laura Stetson; 2, Kitty MacKinnon; 3, Lorne Hurry; 4, Bernard Trainor.

Grade VI—1, Florence Dixon; 2, Birdena Frizell and Raymond Jackson, (equal); 3, Maurice Curley; 4, Ivan Frizell; 5, Laura Hurry; 6, Helen Hurry; 7, Gerald Trainor; 8, Margaret MacKinnon.

Grade V—1, Marion MacKinnon; 2, Athol Roberts; 3, Lois Hurry and Henry Hurry, (equal); 4, Pius Curley.

Grade IV—1, Georgina Trainor; 2, Catherine MacKinnon; 3, Helen MacKinnon; 4, Ivan MacKinnon.

Grade III—1, Mildred Hurry; 2, Irene Frizell; 3, Gladys Curley; 4, Gertrude Savidant; 5, George Moore; 6, Louis MacNevin and Sydney MacNevin, (equal).

Grade II—1, Elwin Burke; 2, Bertha Hurry; 3, Bobby Gates; 4, Lloyd Gates; 5, Keith Pickard.

Grade I—1, John MacKinnon; 2, Marjorie Long and Billy Long, (equal); 3, Florence Savidant; 4, Ruth MacKinnon; 5, Doris Savidant.

Experiments on himself with a new form of rubber mask for administering oxygen and gas are believed to have caused the death of Dr. Gilbert Blunt, who recently was found dead in his room in West Bridgford, England, with the mask over his face.

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