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ADJOURNED MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL LAST NIGHT

By-Laws Passed and Other Important Business Attended to - Police Department Again Scored by Councillor Hennessey - Meeting Adjourned Until This Morning at 9 O'clock.

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NON-ARRIVAL OF NORGE CAUSES SPECULATION

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(Canadian Press.) NOME, ALASKA, May 14.—At nine o'clock this morning a light snow was falling here and no word had been received concerning the airship Norge, bound hither after a flight over the North Pole.

The time was three p.m., eastern standard time. Old friends of Roald Amundsen here, as they sleepily chattered after staying up most of two nights to welcome him and the Norge, generally expressed the opinion that he had turned about to seek an unexplored area in the Arctic Ocean and would come along to Nome in good season.

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BUMPER HOUSE AT PRINCE EDWARD

For "An Arizona Cowboy," Capably Presented by Kelly's Cross Dramatic Club

Charlottetown theatre goers have been entertained this season with a more than ordinary number of amateur dramatic performances and last but not least on the list is "An Arizona Cowboy," which was presented to a bumper audience in the Prince Edward last night by the Kellys Cross Dramatic Club, and staged under the auspices of the Catholic Women's League.

If the applause of the audience was any criterion of the play there was nothing lacking in "An Arizona Cowboy" for the handclapping that rewarded the efforts of the performers was most generous in measure, and no opportunity was lost to show appreciation of a particularly good piece of acting. Not only was the acting in the drama especially good for amateur and practical unexperienced performers, but the specialties between the acts were also "chock full" of high class entertainment, and fiddlers and step dancers were heard and seen who would have given a good account of themselves at a recent fiddling and dancing contest.

As the story of "An Arizona Cowboy" contains very little of any kind of plot the play depends a good deal for its interest on the acting of the cast, and this in itself says quite sufficient for the histrionic ability of the actors who go to make up the Kelly's Cross Dramatic Club, for not for a minute did the action of the performance lag or lose interest.

The title role of the play was very capably filled by Joseph Kelly, as the Cowboy Sheriff, who is responsible for the maintenance of law and order in the Western town of Purple Dog, and who is evidently in love with Marguerite Moore, a pretty ranch owner, played very cleverly and convincingly by Miss Helena Monaghan, Leslie Trainor, as the somewhat irresponsible and reckless partner of the sheriff, was also very clever in his acting. The villain of the piece was played by Frank J. Flood and Ernest Gorman, who both gave good (or their, bad) accounts of themselves. Both characters were well sustained and quite true to life. Particularly good pieces of characterization fell to the credit of Mrs. Joseph Creamer, as the Indian maiden, and Bennett Trainor, as the comical Chinese cook. Mrs. Creamer, who had a quite difficult role to play, rendered it to such fine effect, that on more than one occasion she won the spontaneous and unstinted applause of her entire audience.

The supporting parts, Ezekiah Bugg (whose name should have been Ananias), by Oswald Kelly; Big Elk, the Native chief, by Frank Roach; Mrs. Polly; Coralie Blackbeard, by Mrs. John Nantess; a Young-un by Miss Margaret Monaghan, were all equally well played, and contributed not a little to the success of the entertainment.

The specialties between acts consisted of vocal solos by Frank Flood and Oswald Kelly, and step dancing by Edward Carragher and Miss Marie Macdonald, with the fiddling by Patrick Tremor and Amos Monaghan. Each of these numbers was rewarded with a well deserved encore.

Mr. Austin Trainor acted as stage manager during the performance, and his services were greatly appreciated by the actors.

(Special to the Guardian) WASHINGTON, May 14.—Strong indications that there would be no legislation against milk and cream imported from Canada were seen here late this afternoon when New England cream dealers, through their counsel, began an action against the Lenroot bill.

The general association taken ground that Canadian milk and cream are on practically the same plane as to sanitation as that in the United States. Witnesses to the New England organization are expected to take the stand before the Senate Agriculture Committee on Monday.

Senator Norris, chairman of the committee, today declared he was interested in the public health side of the question only, and that if legislation to protect the public health is sought, then the measure should apply to interstate business as well as importation from Canada and elsewhere. To bring in the interstate question means that such a controversy will be aroused to make it impracticable to take action in the present session of Congress.

(Special to the Guardian) PEKIN, May 14.—A new government was set up in Peking today—a reorganization of the Cabinet of Dr. W. Yen, which functioned in 1923; before Marshal Fong Yu Tsing became a dominant figure in the capital.

The new Cabinet announced the presidency vacant by virtue of the resignation of President Thao Mun on May 1st and that it would assume the functions of the chief executive.

Although the new regime is without the status of a ruling cabinet, it is understood that it will operate as the executive with the consent of military factions in actual control of the situation.

FIERCE FIGHTING IN THE POLISH CAPITAL

It is Estimated That 450 Persons Have Been Killed in Street Fighting Thus Far - Warsaw Completely in the Hands of Pilsudski's Forces.

(Canadian Press) BERLIN, May 14.—Polish Government air forces are reported to have bombed the revolutionary headquarters of Marshal Pilsudski in Warsaw.

It is estimated that 450 persons have been killed in street fighting thus far. Foreigners are fleeing the country.

BERLIN, May 14.—Government officials are reported here to have fled from Warsaw as a result of a revolutionary movement headed by Marshal Pilsudski.

(Canadian Press) PARIS, May 14.—General Sikorski, former Premier of Poland and former Commander of the Polish army of the Northern Light says a Havas despatch from the Polish frontier, is at the gates of Warsaw and has engaged Pilsudski's forces.

(Canadian Press) BERLIN, May 14.—A Warsaw despatch tells briefly of an attempt at suicide by General Cosimir Sosnowski, commander of a Posen army corps and former Minister of War. The Posen troops were marching on Warsaw to oppose Marshal Pilsudski, having declared for the Witos government.

Falling to control his men, General Sosnowski, in despair, drew his revolver and shot himself. He is said to be seriously wounded.

(Canadian Press) PRAGUE, Czecho-Slovakia, May 14.—A fierce struggle is going on in Warsaw around Belvedere Palace where the Government has taken refuge. Late despatches from the Polish capital report eighteen killed including Polish officers and slightly wounded in the streets of the city. Former President Pilsudski, in command of the revolting troops, is in control of the capital and the situation has been greatly aggravated by the arrival in the outskirts of Warsaw of two regiments from Posen, to aid the ousted government. A manifesto by President Wojciechowski thrown from an airplane declares that a majority of the army sides with the government and that troops are on their way to Warsaw to engage the Pilsudski forces. It appeals for support for the lawful government.

The inner city is completely in the hands of the Pilsudski adherents and the Marshal with his staff has his headquarters in the Saxon Palace. The Government apparently is endeavoring to delay negotiations until it is able to converge the greater number of its forces in the province of Warsaw. An aviation corps has reported for service and an airtight embargo on telephonic and telegraphic communications has been imposed throughout Poland to prevent Pilsudski from mobilizing his followers. The President's guard and loyal government troops are concentrated in Belvedere. In addition to armored cars the government troops have two light battalions. The spacious parks which surround the Palace have been the scene of considerable fighting.

(Canadian Press) Pilsudski Ultimatum In an ultimatum Pilsudski demands the resignation of Premier Witos and the appointment of non-political heads of the War and Foreign Ministries, together with the withdrawal of all decrees promulgated by the Witos Administration.

Up to the present the Socialists have declined to join Pilsudski and the Government has therefore been able to keep the railways operating with Socialist labor union trainmen.

Anticipating sanguinary fighting citizens have fled or are in hiding. Only hurrying troops are encountered in the streets. Warsaw looks like deserted city.

The Minister of War, Malczewski is organizing the Government defence in the Provinces leaving the protection of Government and the defence of Belvedere to General Dzierzawski, the Commandant at Warsaw.

A despatch received by Courier from the frontier describes Marshal Pilsudski's march on Warsaw. When he arrived at the city's eastern outskirts he was met by a detachment of Government troops under command of an Adjutant of War Minister Malczewski, and a temporary armistice was agreed to.

(Canadian Press) Battle Near Palace In the name of the Government, 2801-5-15-21

Oldest Woman In Canada Is Dead

(Canadian Press.) SIMCOE, Ont., May 14.—Mrs. Nathan Fitch, probably the oldest woman in Canada, died here early today in her 111th year.

Mrs. Fitch was born in a village along the Niagara River one year before the close of the war of 1812. She was christened at the first Anglican Church in the Niagara district. Her maiden name was Permelio Palmer, and she was the daughter of one of the first pioneers to invade the Niagara Peninsula.

and if not he was in perfect accord with Councillor Blanchard, Councillor Prowse answered saying that space on the Market Square was rented to persons conducting legal attractions only.

After much discussion on same, it was moved and seconded that space on the Market Square would be rented to any attraction conforming with the city by-laws.

It was resolved to have the necessary repairs done to the city property on Richmond St.

Police Report for the month of April 1926

Arrested for Drunkenness 3
Arrested on Warrants 3
Arrested for Stealing 2
Total 8

Summons served during the month 8
Subpoenas served during the month 10
Garnishees served during the month 3
Parole subjects reported during the month 4
Scarlet fever cards put up during the month 20
Searches made with Prohibition warrants 11
Committed to jail during the month 5

Police officers collected milk samples during the month:
A. J. McInnis 20
J. W. Higgins 14
William McInnis 14
Joseph Trainor 3
Dominic Doyle 2
Total 53
J. W. SHAW
Chief of Police

Councillor Hennessey, Chairman of the Police Committee and that he had the same complaint with reference to the Police register. Nothing as to the absence of two police officers was reported although one was away on sick leave and another was on holidays. He added that the refusal of allowing him to see the register was explained as a joke, but there is a serious side to the joke and it wasn't on him. He stated that there were eighteen complainants recorded in said book between March 28, and May 11 and no action was taken. It was reported in the police.

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SOME FOLKS UNDERSTAND NOTHING BETTER THAN ANYTHING ELSE

TORONTO, May 15.—Martime moderate winds, partly cloudy, not much change in temperature with a few scattered showers. Maximum and minimum temperatures: Toronto, fair 64-52 Montreal, clear 66-44 Quebec, fair 60-42 Ch'own, fair 57-34 Halifax, fair 64-34 St. John, cloudy 54-38 Boston, cloudy 72-52 New York, rain 66-52 High tide this afternoon at 12:39 and tomorrow morning at 2:12. Sun sets this evening at 7:25 and rises tomorrow morning at 4:28. First quarter moon, Wednesday, May 19th 1:24 p. m. Sunsets tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

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Announcements, Coming Events, Meetings, Etc.

*Y. M. C. A. Rummage Sale, Market Building, May 27th 9209-11-15, 18, 22, 25, 26, 27-71

*Come to see Robert Weeks dance in the Belfast Public Hall, Tuesday, the 18th. 9279-5-16-21

*Warning! Extra thrilling comedy show. Don't miss it. North Wiltshire Monday, Hunter River, Tuesday 9296

*The Johnston's River Dramatic Club will present the 3 Act Comedy "The Arm of the Law" in Consolidated School, Mt Herbert, on Monday night, May 17th 12-13-31

*Fiddling Step-dancing Old-time Comedies at "An Arizona Cowboy" by the Kelly's Cross Dramatic Club in Prince Edward Theatre, May 14th. 9189-5-11-14.

*A general public meeting will be held in New Dominion Church on Monday, May 17th at 8 p. m. to consider the question of remodeling the cemetery. All interested are urged to attend. By order of Trustees.—B. McEwen, Sec'y. 9288-5-15-21

*St. George Dramatic Club will present the three act comedy "Ruby Hart's Ranch" in St. George's Hall on Monday, May 24th. Basket social after performance. 9201-5-15-21