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WAS MURDERED ABOARD OF RUM RUNNER

Robert Pike Was Killed and His Body Thrown Into the Sea.

FIGHT FOLLOWED DANCE ON SHIP

British and American Governments Have Joined Hands to Investigate The Case.

(Canadian Press)

ATLANTIC CITY, July 25. —The cordon of silence which surrounds rum row, outside the 12-mile limit off Atlantic City, was punctured today by the tale of murder committed months ago on one of the veteran vessels of the booze trade. Two governments, the British and American, joined hands in the case.

It is a tale of fierce hatred induced by the monotonous life of the sailors, who spend weeks riding at anchor in waters safe from revenue cutters. Ang if it had not been for the mother of the murdered man, who waited in vain in Ireland for the money he sent her each month, the account never would have reached the ears of the authorities.

Dropped Body Into Sea.

November 26, the body of Robert Pike, a 24-year old sailor was sewed in a sack and slid off a board into the Atlantic.

Pike, according to Robert D. Clarke, Department of Justice agent, from Phipadelphia, was shot and killed in a brawl aboard the British steamer Genevieve of rum row.

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Says Ford Might Float Peace Loan

(Canadian Press)

LONDON, July 25. —"Perhaps Henry Ford will float a loan for the sake of world peace." This idea, said the Morning Telegraph today, is being seriously suggested, in some quarters here.

"If Morgan, Rockefeller, and the Bank of England interests remain adament regarding a German loan, the newspaper said editorially, "it is suggested in some quarters that Ford might save the situation."

Rich Mineral Find Made in Alberta

(Canadian Press)

EDMONTON, Alta., July 25. —One of the most valuable minerals in the world today, iridium, has been discovered in the upper waters of the Peace River, by the Canyon Gold Mining Company.

A representative of an Edmonton syndicate arrived from the north today after having filed claims for 10 miles along the river, and he is of the opinion that a real old-time stampede will result from the discovery.

The precious metal was discovered when drills of the Canyon Gold Mining Company, drilling for gold, discovered quantities of metal on the bed rock.

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SAVED $50,000 ON AUTO MARKER CONTRACT

Ont. Conservative Gov't Gets the Job Done for Half U. F. O. Price

(Canadian Press)

TORONTO, July 25.—Celebrated as the concern with which Hon. F.C.Biggs transacted business while Minister of Highways in the U. F. O. government, the Canadian Colortype Company again entered into prominence yesterday through being awarded the present Conservative Government's contract for motor markers for 1925. The company obtains its present contract by a tender of 10 cents per pair for the markers, whereas its business with Hon. Mr. Biggs was at the contract price of 23 cents per pair.

The Colortype Company's bid was the lowest of several tenders presented this year for the manufacture of the motor license plates. The number of 275,000 pairs is being ordered by the government so that the contract involves approximately $27,500. The price paid that year was 12¾ cents per pair, so that the Colortype tender will this year save the Province some $7,500.

The Colortype Company enjoyed the bulk of the Provincial business during Hon. F. C. Biggs' term of office, although at prices well over double the present contract. One of the last-minute acts of Hon. Mr. Biggs after the defeat of his government was to award a contract for the 1924 markets to this company at a price of 23 cents per pair. The contract was promptly cancelled by the Conservative Government upon its accesion to power, and the business was placed with the St. Thomas Metal Sign Company, which had submitted a tender practically half the Colortype figure. The saving to the Province by this policy was $50,000.

YESTERDAY'S PROGRAM AT CHAUTAUQUA

Two very live and important questions were discussed by lecturers at yesterday's Chautauqua, intermingled with two splendid musical concerts by the Kennedy-Johns Recital Co.

This trio of gifted Australian musicians, consisting of Mr. Lauri Kennedy cellist, Mrs. Dorothy McBride Kennedy, pianist, and Miss Constance Neville Johns, coloratura soprano, received at both their concerts insistent and enthusiastic encores. A Charlottetown audience is seldom privileged to enjoy so magnificent a rendition of classic music and old favorite songs as was heard yesterday afternoon and evening in the Chautauqua tent.

The speaker of the evening was Private Harold Peat, a talented Canadian soldier who has served with the 1st Contingent and who still bears marks of wounds suffered in the great struggle. Pte. Peat still suffers from the effects of being gassed, and is totally deaf in one ear. Since the war he has written many books and his latest "The Inexcusable Lie," which treats of the uselessness of war and its horrors, is the one from which he takes the subject of his lecture.

Mr. Peat has a remarkable message and his talk last night created a profound and lasting impression on an exceedingly large audience.

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Boston Back in Service Soon

(Canadian Press.)

BOSTON, July 25.—Although photographs of the Eastern Steam ship liner Boston make it appear that the vessel is heavily damaged, the cost of repairs will probably not exceed $30,000, according to a statement made this morning by Calvin Austin, president of the company. He said that the estimate was conservative and was made as the result of a survey of the vessel.

On Friday the Boston will be taken to New York where she will be placed in drydock and repaired. Mr. Austin stated that the ship will be back in service within a fortnight.

BRAZILIAN FEDERALS ARE UP AGAINST HARD PROPOSITION

Besiegers Faced By Up-to-Date And Formidable Defence System.

(Canadian Press)

BUENOS AIRES, July 25. —The impression is growing stronger here daily that the Brazilian federal forces besieging Sao Paulo are meeting with such formidable resistance that the capture of the city is far from being an event of the immediate future. It is becoming clear from scraps of information reaching here from one source and another that the fighting between the federal troops and rebels has resolved itself into trench warfare similar to that on the western front during the European conflict.

Advances made by the federal troops are reported in official communications to have been relatively small in regard to the distance. This is believed to signify at most the capture of the front line of trenches.

The rebels main defences are reported to have been constructed under the direction of former Italian and German officers who served in the European war and who have resided in Sao Paulo. These defences are described as most formidable and of a character that would require the heaviest artillery to shatter.

Placing Buoys Of United States World Fliers

(Canadian Press.)

PICTOU, N. S. July 25.—Buoys for anchorage of the world encircling United States aviators who are expected to arrive here early in August were laid this morning from the United States cruiser Milwaukee which reached here last night from Halifax.

The Milwaukee will on departure from Pictou proceed to the Arctic circle on a buoy placing mission.

WIRE BRIEFS

Last Minute News Flashed in Over the Wires

(Canadian Press)

HALIFAX, July 25.—The special division of five United States destroyers needed for northern seas to patrol and safeguard the lane over which the United States world encircling fliers will fly over the Atlantic from Europe to North America, arrived here at four o'clock this afternoon.

NEW YORK, July 25.—Motion pictures of the Carpentier Tunney bout reveal that the blow which felled the Frenchman in the 14th round was not a foul, despite assertions of many ringside spectators that it was below the belt.

MONTREAL, July 25.—The Canadian Pacific, Angus shops are closing down tonight and are to reopen the morning of August 4, according to notices posted at the shops. The stoppage entails a temporary lay off of about 3,000 men for five working days. The present working week at the shops being five days.

MONTREAL, July 25.—Vessels containing the Blessed Sacrament in the Catholic parish church at Dorval about twenty miles west of this city, were stolen late last night or early this morning by thieves who smashed their way through the front doors of the church. Over $1500 worth of gold and silver vessels were taken.

CHICAGO, July 25.—Countess Elsa, grand daughter of King Gustav V., reigning ruler of Sweden and daughter of Prince Oscar Bernadotlo is working in Chicago for $18 a week at power machine, cutting tanned hides for shoes and automobile cushions. This became known today.

BEAUVOIR, Mass., July 25 —Mrs. Mary Sanders, 74, seven times a widow will be married to her eighth husband here Sunday afternoon. The bridegroom to be is A. J. Fuller, 96. Mrs. Sanders and Mr. Fuller are inmates of a home here.

Uncle Pat McLeoughlin, bachelor, 104, also an inmate of the home will act as best man.

LONDON, July 25.—The House of Commons today passed the third reading of the government's Housing Bill after the oppositions motion of rejection had been defeated 226 to 131. The bill as originally drafted had been a good deal altered during the committee states but the frame work remained intact.

May Open The Allan Shaft

(Canadian Press.)

NEW GLASGOW, July 25.—A conference will be held here tomorrow to discuss the advisability of re-opening Allan Shaft which was sealed up following the tragic explosion of June 30. R. M. Wolvin, Montreal, and J. E. McLurg, president and vice-president of the British Empire Steel Corporation, and T. J. Brown, Deputy Minister of Works and Mines in the Government of Nova Scotia, will inspect the shaft.

H. M. S. "Valerian" Enters Port

The sloop of war H. M. S. Valerian docked at the Marine wharf yesterday evening at 6 o'clock and will remain here until the end of the month.

Soon after docking her Commander Capt. Bruce Cardyne paid his official visit to Lieut. Governor MacKinnon; it was returned at 7.30 by the Lieutenant Governor, accompanied by his aide-de-camps Col. A. G. Peake and Col. S. R. Jenkins. The Governor's party also included Capt. Palmer.

The H. M. S. Valerian is similar in size and complement to the H. M. C. S. Patriot, which is berthed on the opposite side of the pier.

YOUNG WOMAN TARRED AND FEATHERED

Victim Alleged to Have Held Attention of Another Woman's Husband.

(Canadian Press)

FREDERICK, Md., July 25. — A young woman, whose name was said to be Dorothy Grandon, Martinsburgh, Va., was tarred and feathered near Myersville last night by an unmasked mob said to have been led by a young married woman who had objected to alleged attentions paid by her husband to Miss Grandon.

According to the details of the affair received here the mob met the woman in the street and took her to the end of the village where she was stripped of her attire and a coat of tar and feathers applied. When freed the woman fled to the house at Myersville where she had been staying and was still there today although she had been ordered to leave the town.

SUES CITY OF TORONTO FOR COMPLEXION

Undertaker Contracted Smallpox and Says Business has Suffered

(Canadian Press)

TORONTO, July 25.—An undertaker is suing the Toronto Board of Health because his complexion has been ruined.

This is the curious result of a claim made by Reginald Roy Moore, undertaker, who claims that the Board of Health is responsible for his attack of smallpox last February because he was not warned.

Mr. Moore, who is badly disfigured, said yesterday that his illness in his opinion, was due to gross carelessness on the part of the Board of Health. Since his disfigurement, he says that he is unable to obtain lucrative orders in his profession.

"I was called to a house on Dundas street where a death had occurred from alleged measles," said Mr. Moore to The Star today. "This was in February of this year. "When I reached the house I found that the dead woman was lying in bed just as sh ehad died,

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English Squadron To Arrive In Halifax Aug. 5

(Canadian Press.)

HALIFAX, July 25.—The British special service squadron, now on its way from San Francisco to Halifax, via the Panama Canal and Jamaica, is expected here Tuesday August 5, and is scheduled to remain till Aug 15 when it sails for Quebec.

Elaborate entertainment is being arranged for the officers and men by the Federal, Provincial and Civic governments. The visit of the squadron coincides with the Halifax ten day carnival.

Eskimo Convicted Of Manslaughter

(Canadian Press)

FORT McMURRAY, Alta., July 25. —At the trial of the Eskimo, Ikalpia held at Aklavik by Judge Dubuc, the native was found guilty of manslaughter and was sentenced to five years imprisonment according to word received here today.

OPERATION ON THE HEART STIRS THE MEDICAL WORLD

Surgeons Hope to Relieve Troubles With the Knife

(Canadian Press)

VIENNA, July 25. —The completé recovery of a patient operated on here for angina pectoris (neuralgia of the heart) by the American surgeons, Dr. Walter B. Coffey and Dr. Brown, of the Southern Pacific Hospital, San Francisco, has aroused the keenest interest of a conference of these groops of physicians from various parts of the world who have been directing their efforts to the relief of angina pectoris by surgery.

The conference was called by Professor Wenckebach, a heart specialist of Vienna University, who delivered a course of lectures on that subject in the United States last year.

By two entirely different routes these surgeons have succeeded in relieving attacks of angina pectoris. In addition to severing the sympathetic nerve associated with with spasms of the aorta, the American surgeon also severed the sympathetic connections of the depressor nerve, which is that part of the system of heart control with which the operation of Dr. Hofer and Dr. Eppinger have to do.

One of the difficulties connected with the operation performed by Dr. Coffey and Dr. Brown arises from the fact that the depressor as a separate nerve is rarely found, and where it cannot be found the possibility of relief by cutting the lower end of the vagus, or pneumogastric nerve, is difficult. Such an alternative is considered by the surgeons as dangerous and of doubtful benefit.

Canadian Rifle Team On Way Home

(Canadian Press)

LONDON, July 25. —The Canadian team which competed at Bisley in the recent annual shooting matches held under the auspices of the National Rifle Association sailed for home today on the Megantic.

Private Burke, Ottawa, winner of the Kings prize, takes home $1250 and like each of the other members of the team, he also takes a decent slice of prizes won in various events during the two weeks shoot.

Town Topics

Tid-bits on the Tip of Everybody's Tongue

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Eat And Grow Thin

No longer need you surrender sweets when reducing! Listen to this from the address of Dr. McLester to the annual convention of the American Medical Association:

"The effort of many obese people, said Dr. McLester, to avoid all starchy foods and to eschew all sweets is without reason. Carbohydrates are the chief source of energy for the maintenance of body temperature and, in overwhelming measure, for the production of work. Not only are simple sweets, when credited with their proper chloric value, of no harm, but when taken at the proper time they will permit the patient to rest satisfied with a smaller quantity of food."

There's the Emancipation Proclamation of those who have cut out candy in order to reduce!

MAKES VAIN ENDEAVOR TO SAVE LIFE OF HIS PAL

(Canadian Press)

SALEM, July 25.—Plunging twice into water that had been brought to a boiling point by electricity from a high tension wire, William Kelly, a lineman's helper for the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway, battled against heavy odds and saved from death William Kehoe, another worker, who was trapped on a 30-foot pole that had fallen into the North River canal.

Kehoe, who was severely burned, was taken to Salem Hospital, where he died. Bernard Rowan, another lineman, who was on the pole when it crashed into the canal, swam ashore and after being treated at hospital for cuts and bruises, was sent home. Kelly was slightly burned but refused medical attention.

Labor's First Budget Passed

(Canadian Press.)

LONDON, July 25.—Labor's first budget has passed the Commons almost unchanged thus creating a record in budgets for many years.

All parties cheered vociferously when the bill passed its third reading without division.

The Conservatives made a futile eleventh hour effort to raise once more the question of imperial preference.

Sir Robert Horne who raised the question maintained that if natural consequences followed in the Dominions the budget would prove the most disastrous in British history, and the memory of its framers would go down to posterity overwhelmed in obloquy.

British Warships In Panama Canal

(Canadian Press.)

BALBOA Heights, Canal Zone, July 25.—The British battleship squadron which has been visiting Pacific Coast ports, was passing through the Panama Canal today en route to Jamaica, to spend several days in Kingston harbor.

Headed by the giant dreadnought Hood, largest battleship in the world the squadron steamed into Balboa yesterday. The Hood is the largest vessel that has ever passed through the canal. There was only three feet of clearance on either side of the great ship as she was lifted through the locks on the Pacific Coast side. The big vessel reached Gaillard Cut, however, without incident.

Canal authorities charged $22,800 transit tolls for the Hood and a total of $42,000 for the squadron.

THE PREMIER'S REPLY TO G. W. V. A. COMMITTEE

At a meeting of the executive of the G. W. V. A. held last evening the reply of Hon. J. D. Stewart, Premier of Prince Edward Island to the committee which presented resolutions passed at a meeting of returned soldiers was read and it was decided to send a copy of same to the Patriot and Guardian for publication

The reply is as follows:

Charlottetown, P. E. I.
July 14th, 1924.

Lt. Col. D. A. MacKinnon, D.S.O.
Charlottetown,
P. E. I.

Dear Sir,—

With reference to a Resolution passed at a meeting of returned men held in this city and presented to me by a Committee of which you were Chairman, you will remember that I then promised that the matter would be submitted to Council.

This has been done, and the prayer of the Resolution considered, viz: "that the Government be asked to investigate all dismissals and pending dismissals of returned men, affording them a fair opportunity of defending themselves against any charges made, and if no untoward conduct is proven, that they be reinstated in the former position."

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WILL SEEK PERMISSION TO SEARCH

Vessels Off Rum Row For Narcotics and Aliens.

(Canadian Press)

NEW YORK, July 25. —Permission to board vessels on rum row to search for narcotics and aliens to be smuggled into the country, will be sought by agents of the Treasury Department was announced today, following the seizure of a letter on a prisoner, indicating their presence on a vessel anchored off the shore.

The letter was written by a man on one of the boats to Robert Wylie, Glasgow and stated that Chinese and other foreigners were aboard the boats and also that boats have been making six trips daily from the fleet with illicit cargoes of liquor. The letter bearing this information fell into the hands of officials through the capture of a power boat carrying two hundred cases of liquor.

The Weather, Etc.

TORONTO, July 26.—Maritime fresh westerly winds, clearing, Sunday fine and moderately warm.

High tide this evening at 7.16 and tomorrow morning at 6.35.

Sun sets thisevening at 7.37 and rises tomorrow morning at 4.36.

New moon Thursday, July 31st 3.42 p. m.

Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

Maximum and Minimum temperatures:

Toronto, clear	82	58
Montreal, rain	74	56
Quebec, rain	72	50
Ch'town, fair	74	63
Halifax, cloudy	84	60
St. John, cloudy	75	56
Boston, cloudy	94	72
New York, cloudy	88	72

600 PER MONTH CROSS LINE AT SARNIA, ONT.

Conditions in U. S. are Causing Back-to-Home Movement

9,000 COME BACK IN TWO MONTHS

These Do Not Include Those Only a Short Time in States.

(Canadian Press)

SARNIA, Ont., July 25.—Canadians and former British-born residents of Canada are returning from across the border at this point at the rate of more than 600 a month, Chief Immigration Officer Robinson stated, yesterday.

This despatch confirms the account published earlier in the week that the dying out of boom conditions in the U. S. had caused a "Back-to-Canada" movement amongst native sons and daughters who had left this country with the last two or three years.

"Glad to be back," has been the usual response to greetings of friends. The exodus from the States to the home province is continuing.

Some Figures.

The Presbyterian Witness, Toronto, in a recent article on the same subject, says:

Evidence that many Canadians are returning from the United

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Germans Expect To Be Invited

(Canadian Press.)

BERLIN, July 25.—The German Government confidently expects a formal invitation today to attend the Inter-Allied Conference in London. Already the delegation has been named, headed by Chancellor Marx and Dr. Stresemann, and details of the journey to London which will be made, if at all, in a ordinary train and channel boat worked out.

Government circles are putting out propaganda concerning the visit already hastening to emphasize that Marx is going to discuss the Experts' report with the Allies, not to listen to dictation of terms.

Doesn't Pay There To Jiggle Telephon

(Canadian Press)

PARIS, July 25.—Parisian telephones acquired a new feature when the administration officially adopted a mechanism which will register calls on the operator's board in the order in which they come. The government has notified subscribers that they must never jiggle the telephone receiver. Each time they do so they acquire a new number. The ingenious mechanism flashes numbers in the corresponding order in which the calls come, so that if 12 calls appear on the board the operator attends to them in the exact order as they are numbered. The absent-minded subscriber who removes the receiver up and down to attract the operator's attention will never get his calls at all, as he gets further down the waiting line with every move.

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