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CLAIMS UNKNOWN SPIRIT HUSBAND OF WIFE WRECKED HOME

(Canadian Press.)
LOS ANGELES, Sept. 14.—Naming the unknown "spirit husband" of the wife as a Spiritualist, Earl L. Clark was granted a divorce from Gertrude Clark, who testified:
"In 1914 she got into Spiritualism and began to attend lectures and neglect her home. She said she had a spirit husband named Alfred, and it got so that Alfred dictated the affairs of her home."
"Whenever I wanted to pull off a business deal or something, Alfred would object and my wife would refuse to go through with it. She said she wanted a separation from me because Alfred had a husband all picked out for her in this world."
"She added that I was far beneath her and that she was supreme because she was a Spiritualist—on a higher plane."
"She would neglect home affairs and stop getting my meals. Sometimes for ten days she wouldn't clean house at all."
"It nearly made a nervous wreck of me."
Clark told the Court his wife prepared food for him that was not fit to eat, and said it was good enough for him.
A woman witness told of a conversation she held with Mrs. Clark, and said the latter stated she was planning to obtain a divorce.
The witness stated that Mrs. Clark claimed to be a Spiritualist, a theosophist, a believer in new thought and metaphysics.

LORD RENFREW WELL ON WAY TO HIS RANCH

Heir to throne Left Quebec Yesterday, Now Near Destination

(Canadian Press.)
OTTAWA, Sept. 14.—Wearing his famous fedora hat and smoking a cigarette, Lord Renfrew, the Prince of Wales, stepped off his train on his arrival here tonight, at 10.50 standard time. With only ten minutes before his train left, the Prince chatted with Hon. Martin Burrell, General Trotter and his secretary, Sir Geoffrey Thomas. As the train pulled out of the station a large gathering of citizens gave the Prince three rousing cheers, which he acknowledged with a hand from the rear of the platform.
QUEBEC, Sept. 14.—His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, travelling as Baron Renfrew, left here this afternoon at 3.15 o'clock accompanied by his suite.
There was no demonstration at the station as the Prince and his suite boarded Lord Shaughnessy's special car "Kilmarney" which has been placed at the disposal of the Prince for his trip to and from his ranch in Alberta.
MONTREAL, Sept. 14.—Lord Renfrew's train reached Outremont, a suburb of Montreal, at 7.45 standard time this evening. There was a halt of five minutes while engines were changed, but the Prince did not leave his car, and there were no demonstrations. At 7.50 the train pulled out for Ottawa, where it was due at 10.50.

PROBLEMS IN SOUTH AFRICA SUBJECT OF FINE ADDRESS

Rev. Walter Cotton Explains the Industrial Conditions in That Country and the Racial Problem Which is Becoming Increasingly Serious.

(Canadian Press.)
Canada's duty to come to a sympathetic understanding of the problems of South Africa, because of the part Canada played in the Boer war and because we are all part of one Empire, was emphasized by Rev. Walter Cotton last night in a most interesting address in St. James Hall. Rev. Mr. Cotton, who is principal in a missionary college in Johannesburg for the training of native workers has had abundant opportunity of getting first-hand information upon conditions in South Africa and his clear and concise statements last evening were highly appreciated. Rev. Mr. Cotton presided and a vote of thanks at the conclusion of the address, moved by Mr. D. Edgar Shaw and supported by Mr. W. A. Stewart was warmly endorsed by the audience.
Rev. Mr. Cotton, who appeared in his mission dress, pointed out that the consideration of South Africa's problems should be one of some help in the solution of Canada's difficulties. Besides the problem of racial and labor racial differences and transportation which we have in common, there is also in South Africa the question of how the white and colored peoples are to live together in harmony and mutual happiness. The British people, numbering between 600,000 and 800,000 are the chief holders of the Empire, and are the leaders in practically all the industries. They have always taken the lead in educational mat-

CUSTOMS SEIZE AND HOLD RUM LADEN CRAFT

Shelburne Schooner at North Sydney Must Pay \$100

(Canadian Press.)
NORTH SYDNEY, N. S., Sept. 14.—The schooner Alaso, Captain J. D. Bower, of Georges River, Shelburne County, N. S., has been fined four hundred dollars by the Customs Department for failing to comply with port regulations at Cow Bay, C. B., about a month ago.
The schooner, with 350 cases of liquor on board, entered Cow Bay, during heavy weather for shelter and failed to report to the Customs House.
After having been detained for four weeks at Sydney the schooner and cargo are released on payment of the time imposed.
The steamer Herbert Green has been released on \$2,000 bonds to comply with the decision of Customs Department. The steamer was seized at North Sydney and has since been detained following the finding of a large quantity of liquor stowed in her lifeboats. She is owned in Newfoundland.

THE ABOLITION OF THE CANADIAN SENATE IS LABOR'S DEMAND

(Canadian Press.)
VANCOUVER, Sept. 14.—A demand for abolition of the Senate of Canada, endorsement of the League of Nations and optimistic addresses from fraternal delegates indicating the strides made by the labor movement, were the leading developments at today's sessions of the Dominion Trades and Labor Congress.
"It is my proud boast," declared Mr. Hodges, Secretary of B. M. F., amidst cheers, "that ours is the most stable Labor party at present in existence. We are nearest to governmental authority of any, and we are more likely to retain that authority, once gained, than any other party."
The British unions, which had a membership of 4,250,000, had gone through hard times in the throes of the war depression. Even financiers at home had come to the realization that their interests could not flourish in an atmosphere of war and they were now working against it. War tended to close the normal overness of trade and a country over specialized in industry and under-specialized in agriculture must continue trading.
"Your problems," said Mr. Hodges, "are no doubt difficult, but they are infinitesimal as compared with those of England. Our standard of living gradually has fallen and fallen, not so much from internal dissension, but because of our sheer dependency on normal trading."
At today's sessions it was decided to urge all unions to support the Congress Journal, either by voluntary assessment or using large enough numbers to delay the large deficit already incurred.

EARTHQUAKE WILL MAKE CHANGE IN JAP POLICIES

Expansionist Schemes of Imperialists Must Now Give Way to Domestic Economy Necessary For Reconstruction of Devastated Areas. Catastrophe May Add One More to World's List of Democratic Governments

(Canadian Press.)
NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Japan's entire future international policy will have to be changed because of the devastating catastrophe that has so greatly reduced her wealth.
The militaristic leaders will be unable to engage in foreign ventures and their expansionist schemes must give way for years to come to domestic economy necessary for the reconstruction of Tokyo and the other devastated areas.
Out of the most terrible earthquake destruction in Japan's history a democratic form of government may emerge. The earthquake came at the precise moment when the appointment of Count Yamamoto as premier by the reactionary influences marked the opening of a new struggle between the democratic forces of Japan and those favoring a continuation of the clan and militaristic autocracy which has been the final say at Tokyo in all important matters of policy. Had there been no earthquake,

COMMITTEE ORGANIZED FOR JAPAN RELIEF FUND CAMPAIGN

At a meeting yesterday morning in the Board of Trade rooms, under the auspices of the local branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society plans to provide assistance to the stricken people of Japan were discussed. Mr. Justice Hazard, president of the P. E. I. Branch presided. There were present Premier Stewart, His Worship Mayor Jenkins, Rev. W. M. Ryan, Rev. R. C. Eaton and a number of prominent ladies and gentlemen.
The president in opening the meeting asked for suggestions as to the best course to adopt. The Red Cross has been asked by the Federal Government to act as the medium of appeal for subscriptions and the society has assumed this responsibility. The need for assistance in Japan after a calamity perhaps unprecedented in history should be apparent to everyone and help if it comes must come at once. He instanced the wonderful overflow of assistance to Halifax during the war-time disaster in that city and stressed the fact that the present calamity is enormously greater. It has been made very clear that the purpose of the collection the Red Cross has been asked to make, will be used solely for the purpose of relieving the famine situation which prevails in Japan, and that no part of the funds will be expended in rebuilding purposes.
The secretary, Dr. S. R. Jenkins read telegrams received from the office of the Red Cross explaining the situation. The date for the collections it was suggested in the communications should be no later than the 23rd inst.
After discussion by Mr. C. G. Dray, Mrs. F. L. Hazard, Mrs. (Dr.) S. R. Jenkins, Mayor Jenkins, Mrs. F. J. Casey, Hon. Dr. McMillan, Mr. Jos. McCarry, Miss Carrie Holman, Rev. Messrs Eaton and Ryan, Premier Stewart and a number of other ladies and gentlemen the general opinion was expressed that church and press appeals throughout the Province, followed by the opening of subscription lists in the press and with church collections throughout the country, would be the promptest method of achieving results.
Premier Stewart said that any assistance the Provincial Government could give in the matter would be cheerfully given. The Government would be pleased to cooperate in every way with any general committee appointed.
Major Jenkins on behalf of the City Council also proffered every possible assistance in the work.
A committee to organize the collection campaign was appointed, consisting of the executive of the Red Cross, the local clergymen, the Mayors of Charlottetown, Summerside, Alberton, Tignish, Georgetown, Montague, and Souris, and Mrs. F. J. Casey, Mr. R. H. Rogers, Hon. Dr. McMillan and Mrs. William McIntyre.
The members present on this committee met immediately after the general meeting to formulate plans.
At the meeting of the committee it was decided to ask the Mayors of the incorporated towns to call meetings without delay in order to make arrangements for the collection of relief funds.
The following committees were appointed:
To conduct the Envelope Collection. Mrs. (Dr.) S. R. Jenkins, Mrs. W. S. Stewart, Mrs. F. J. Casey, Mrs. (Dr.) Goodwill, Miss Earle, Mrs. W. J. McIntyre.
Publicity Committee: Messrs R. H. Rogers, J. McCarry, Dr. S. R. Jenkins, President, Mr. Justice Hazard, Secretary, Dr. S. R. Jenkins, treasurer, Mr. D. A. MacKinnon.

MILITARY DEMAND OUSTING OF THE SPANISH CABINET

Uprisers Under Primo Rivera Captain-General of Barcelona Disfavor Conduct of Ministers and are Prepared to Back up Their Leader to the Finish. Movement Spreading Through Cities Martial Law Proclaimed

(Canadian Press.)
MADRID, Sept. 14.—Spain is in the travail of a revolution. A military coup d'etat, originating in Barcelona has spread rapidly through the various districts and provinces of the country and has aroused the deepest concern to the Government.
At the head of the movement is the Captain-General of Barcelona, Primo Rivera, a man of strong influence and powerful associations. Behind him are the officers of the Army, who have been chafing for many months under the ignominy of the Moroccan campaign. With the officers are the rank and file, who seem ready to follow their leaders to the end.
The Foreign Minister, Santiago Alba, who is believed to be particularly obnoxious to the revolting elements, has resigned from the Ministry as well as the minister of Labor, Felix Armitia.
The Under Secretary of War, General Bermudez Castro, informed the correspondents this afternoon that the Minister of War had a long conversation on the telephone with the Captain-General of Barcelona, who informed him that he had rebelled against some measures of the present Government.
The Captain General paid tribute to Premier Albucares and the Minister of the Interior, the Duke of Almodovar.
Captain General Primo Rivera explains that his object is to restore the country to the immoral policies of the present Government and declares that the troops in Madrid and throughout Spain hope for a decision by the King removing the Ministry which is prejudicial to the nation.
BARCELONA, Sept. 14.—Captain-General Primo Rivera this evening made public a telegram received by him from Madrid, signed by the Captain-General there and Generals Vacallant, Frederic

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LOST—SUNDAY IN THIS CITY on road to Beach Grove Inn gaberling raiucoat. Finder kindly leave at this office or notify Noble Renton, 226 Lantz St., Moncton. 11

WANTED TEN MEN FOR LUMBER woods and at Mills on Topique River, six miles from I. C. R. railroad station. Apply to Roy Cox, 154 Pownall St. 31

FOR SALE, CHOICE BLOOD stock with litter of twelve.—D. MacArthur, Cornwall. 436-9-15-51

BRIGHTON LOT FOR SALE CORNER Villa St. and North River Road. One of the best available, surrounded with well developed trees. Apply to G. F. Hutchison. 442-9-15-31

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TO LET cottage in nice locality Apply Guardian Office. 389-9-13-11

PRESS MAY BE BARRED FROM IMPERIAL CONFERENCE.

(Canadian Press)

LONDON, Sept. 14.—The question of publicity of proceedings at the Imperial Conference is receiving a great deal of consideration as the opening day approaches. While it is generally admitted that certain sessions must inevitably be private especially those centering on imperial defence and foreign policy yet it is generally accepted as a principle that as far as possible the widest publicity should be given to economic discussions. The method adopted in previous conferences was that results of daily discussions were communicated to representatives of the press by an official of the conference but this is not regarded as satisfactory by newspapermen who think that at preliminary sessions when the entire question is brought up they should be freely admitted. It is rumored the Canadian delegates favor complete exclusion of the press from all sessions.

Town Topics

Tid-bits on the Tip of Everybodys Tongue

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Dublin 1865

Going over medals awarded to Moir's products at various times and places a particularly interesting one was revealed. It was issued by the Dublin International Exhibition, 1865, in the Arts and Manufactures Department. Fifty-eight years ago—two years before Confederation!

This was eight years after the celebrated international conference of candymakers held in London in 1857 at which the

foundations for the modern expansion of candymaking were laid.

Says the Farmers' Bulletin, 712, U. S. Government, "bread and cereals, which are among the cheapest food materials, should be served in variety."

In the old days all too much money was squandered every Saturday night on drink. Today Saturday night most married men bring home a box of candy for their families. The world hasn't gone to the above bows altogether.

E. J. McMURRAY, WINNIPEG TAKES CABINET POST

(Canadian Press.)

OTTAWA, Ont., Sept. 14.—The appointment of E. J. McMurray, K. C., of Winnipeg, to the portfolio of Solicitor General is announced today. The appointment has been under consideration for some time and does not carry with it Cabinet rank but it has been the custom to make the holders of the office a Privy Councillor, giving him a seat in the Cabinet.

The bye-election in North Winnipeg will be held early in October, and the new Minister's probable opponent will be Dr. M. R. Blake, who formerly represented the Constituency, and during a visit here a few weeks ago announced his intention of running.

Mr. McMurray is 45 years of age, and was born at Thorndale, Ont. His major life in 1921, was 715 over Russell, Socialist and 764 over Dr. Blake. In the 1917 election the latter had a majority of 6,324.

natives present an increasingly difficult problem in the industrial field.

Of the mixed races there are 600,000 in South Africa, and these occupy a position midway between the Bantus and the whites. There are about 200,000 Indians, who are making common cause with the natives in an endeavor to extract from their white rulers some kind of a charter of rights.

The Industrial Problem

The heart of the industrial problem in South Africa, Mr. Cotton continued, is the relation between black and white labor. In the gold mines especially there is in existence what is called a "color bar", which reserves certain trades and semi-skilled industries to the whites, who have been receiving thirty pounds a month where the colored man receives three pounds. During the war inferior Dutch workmen came to the mines, receiving white man's pay while actually under instruction from the natives. After war difficulties confronting the mine owners induced them to make retrenchments in the payment of many of these Dutch miners and it was felt that the "color bar" was endangered. A strike resulted and a revolutionary cry was raised. It was a time of real danger for everybody. The issue, however, proved even more decisively that the disturbance of (Continued on Page Three.)

The Weather, Etc.

ONE THING I LIKE ABOUT SWIMMING YOU AIN'T APT TO GET HIT BY AN AUTO!



TORONTO, Sept. 14th.—Light winds fine and moderately warm. The temperature yesterday, minimum 55, maximum 66. High tide this afternoon at 2.09, and tomorrow morning at 2.03. Sun sets this evening at 6.11 and rises tomorrow morning at 5.38. First quarter moon Monday, Sept. 17, 4.03 a.m. Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.