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**KANSAS CITY'S MOTOR SHOW COMES TO GRIEF**  
Newest Offerings For 1925 Reduced Mass of Twisted and Charred Wreckage—Over \$2,000,000 Damage—One Fireman Loses Life

(Canadian Press)  
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 15.—Motor show offerings for 1925 were reduced to a mass of twisted and charred wreckage early today in a fire that ended Kansas City's Motor Show on the destruction of the American Livestock Pavilion.  
Three hundred pleasure cars, approximately seventy five motor trucks, two air planes and accessories were valued at \$1,500,000. The building valued at \$650,000 was leveled. Captain John J. Crane, Kansas City's oldest fireman was burned to death.  
The fire originated, it is believed, from faulty wiring.

**Careless Smoker Causes Explosion With Loss of Life**  
BUCHARST, Feb. 15.—A lighted cigarette carelessly dropped on a parcel resulted in an explosion that wrecked a train and killed four, injuring twenty. The parcel belonged to a travelling miner and contained high explosives.

**Govt. May Buy Merchant Marine**  
(Special to The Guardian)  
OTTAWA, Feb. 15.—The Government is now considering an offer for the purchase of the Merchant Marine, declared Hon. G. P. Graham, Minister of Railways this afternoon. Now and then we have an offer for a part of the fleet and certain of the ships are for sale, but no proposition for buying the whole has ever been considered or is under consideration. Now we of ten get cables however making a variety of proposals.

**OTTAWA, Feb. 15.—Referring to a rumor that the Government was considering an offer for the purchase of the Canadian Government Merchant Marine fleet, Hon. George P. Graham, Minister of Railways and Canals said today that there was no truth in the story. He said the Government had received several offers in the last two years none of which had ever been considered.**

**British Hope For New Conference**  
(Canadian Press)  
LONDON, Feb. 15.—Hope by the British Government that a new disarmament conference will be called before long and preferably by the United States, is believed to be causing the Cabinet to delay its decision regarding fresh warship construction.

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**Bird Brings Dollar to Its Benefactor**

OTTAWA, Feb. 15.—The remarkable story of a sparrow which pays its way was related here today by Dr. S. J. Keyes, principal of the Ottawa Normal School. Dr. Keyes says that one of the sparrows which his sister-in-law has been in the habit of feeding with bread crumbs daily, this morning flew down on the veranda with a one dollar bill in its beak, dropped the money and flew back with a mouthful of crumbs.

**QUE. FARMERS ASK TARIFF ON VEGETABLES**

**Opposition Voiced to Resolution Favoring Barring Out of U. D. Produce**  
(Canadian Press)  
MONTREAL, Feb. 15.—High Tariff dues that will prevent American garden produce from entering Canadian markets to the detriment of local growers, and an embargo on the export of all raw materials, such as pulpwood, nickel, asbestos and tobacco to force the expansion of manufacturing in the Dominion were favored by the resolutions adopted this afternoon at the convention of the United Farmers of Quebec held here.

Considerable opposition to the resolutions was manifested in some quarters, but the pro-tariff section forced the motion and carried the day.  
John W. Ward, of Winnipeg, Secretary of the Canadian Council of Agriculture and members of the United Farmers of Manitoba, held the convention that, as agriculturists, the members present would be acting contrary to the thought of Ontario and the West if they adopted the proposal.

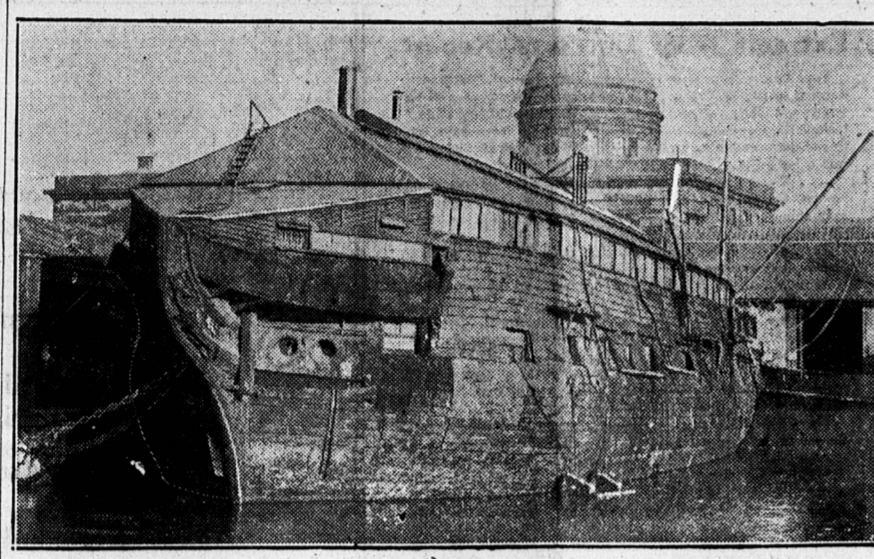
**Requests The King To Give No Titles**

CAPE TOWN, S. A., Feb. 15.—Arthur Barlow, the Labor member for Bloemfontein, today introduced a motion in Parliament praying that the King refrain in future from bestowing titles upon subjects residing in the Union and mandated territory.  
The suggestion was greeted with cheers and laughter. Premier Hertzog is opposed to the granting of titles and definitely declined last year to include any South Africans for consideration in the New Year's honors list.

**Pine Hill Gets A Rhodes Scholar**

Pine Hill students are all rejoicing in the news that came Wednesday announcing that one of the most clever and most popular students, Robert Homer Norton, had been selected as the 1925 Rhodes Scholar for Prince Edward Island.  
Mr. Norton hails from Cardigan, Prince Edward Island. He came to Dalhousie in the fall of 1921, having graduated from Prince of Wales College, with a brilliant record. At Dalhousie he took a course in Arts in which he especially distinguished himself in Philosophy. He graduated with Distinction last spring.  
This year he is back at Dalhousie, reading for his Master of Arts degree in Philosophy.  
Mr. Norton is a student for the Presbyterian ministry and had intended entering Pine Hill college for his theological studies next year. Thus in the distinctive honor which has come to him, Pine Hill College is honored along with Dalhousie and his native Province.  
During his years at Dalhousie he has lived in the Pine Hill Residence, taking an active part in the Dalhousie life as well as in all Dalhousie College affairs. He is a splendid type of college man and popular with every student.  
He is an ardent supporter of debating and is Vice-President of the Pine Hill debating Union. His talents lie also in the literary field and this year he is Pine Hill reporter for the Gazette, and makes other contributions of a more decidedly literary nature.  
The honor which has been bestowed upon him is well merited and he is a worthy choice.—(Halifax Herald.)

**WOODEN SHIP WHICH HAS BEEN IN SERVICE FOR OVER 100 YEARS**



H. M. S. Eaglet, for many years has been a training ship for the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve, Mersey division at Liverpool. Recently this vessel was condemned as dangerous and unfit for further service and is to be replaced by a new one. The Eaglet was launched more than 121 years ago and is the oldest wooden ship of any size in the world still afloat.

**FLOODS AND ICE JAMS PLAY HAVOC IN NEW ENGLAND**

(Canadian Press)  
BOSTON, Mass., Feb. 15.—Three deaths and injuries to four men by a gas explosion at Montpelier, Vermont, caused by the carrying away of a cellar wall, destruction of bridges and dams and demolition of rail, telephone, telegraph and highway communications in various sections were listed this morning among results of floods and ice jams that have occurred throughout New England during the last few days.

**BOOSTING THE BIG CIRCUS TOURIST TRADE OPENS TONIGHT**

Read what Mr. F. S. Reeves of Eldon, P. E. I., has to say with regard to improving tourist traffic for Prince Edward Island:  
Owing to the fact that Prince Edward Island is so far from the large centres of population, it follows that only the comparatively wealthy and well-to-do people can be attracted to this Province as tourists. That being so, it also follows that a large percentage of these people will come in motor cars or will at least plan on the automobile to furnish the major portion of their diversion while here. And if we grant these facts, and would wish this class of tourists to increase in numbers, then we must look to our motoring facilities for them while here. And above all other things the wealthy motorists demand are good roads—roads that are good and are maintained as such.  
There is another problem that confronts the average motorist, more or less of a nightmare in getting to the Province namely: the crossing with their automobiles in the Car Ferry. This phase of the journey must be made cheaper and less of an ordeal.  
When a tourist has once decided to come here, whether a motorist or not, he of course, must have accommodation—comfortable accommodation and surroundings. Many city people picture the life on the farm as being ideal, and enrapture over the pleasant scenes of farm life as can be enjoyed in the summer time. They enjoy and exult in the gustatory pleasures of the lovely fresh eggs and the beautiful sweet cream and milk fresh from the cows. They think of the green fields and the smell of new mown hay as entirely synonymous with the farm and a thing to be enjoyed forever.  
Let us capitalize our advantages in these respects. To many people while we may, in the large cities any such picture of life without any other allurements, away from the insufferable heat of the height of summer is most appealing.  
Therefore possibly if some of our farm women could be persuaded to take one or two or possibly several of a family to spend rather live with the farm family as paying guests it might prove pleasant, congenial and profitable to all concerned. Such guests would demand very little beyond the average farm fare and would be perfectly content to spend their vacation in the luxuriousness and revel in the delightful summer climate, in the consciousness of escaping the superheated streets and sidewalks and torrid conditions of their homes in the large cities.

**Told of Planning \$400,000 Robbery**  
LOS ANGELES, Feb. 15.—Herbert Wilson, ex-evangelist, serving a life term in San Quentin prison for murder, told the Federal Court today the story of the organization of the gang that is alleged to have planned the \$400,000 mail truck holdup in March, 1921.  
Wilson testified that the bandits stationed themselves at a railway crossing, Herbert Cox, who was killed in an attempted jail break by Wilson, went to the gate control tower and forced the watchman to lower the gates against the approaching mail truck, which was being followed by Wilson and a man named Dertsch in an automobile.  
When the truck stopped the driver and guard were forced at the point of pistols to hand over the control of the registered mail conveyance.  
The bandits then drove the truck to a secluded spot, Wilson testified, where 13 pouches were transferred to Wilson's automobile and taken to Wilson's home. Approximately \$400,000 in cash and jewellery, stocks and bonds were taken.  
Arrangements were made to market the securities in Chicago, Wilson stated.

**94 Year Old Prof. Of Harvard Gets Appointment**

(Special to The Guardian)  
HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 15.—Dr. J. D. Logan, Harvard's 94 year old Professor of Canadian Literature in Acadia University has been appointed by the Civil Service Commission to be Associate Archivist of Canada.

**RESCUERS ONLY THREE FEET FROM FLOYD COLLINS**

(Canadian Press)  
CAVE CITY, Ky., Feb. 15.—The roof of the avenue expected to lead to the natural rock trap where Floyd Collins has been imprisoned for fifteen days, was only three feet from diggers in the rescue shaft at nine o'clock this morning, according to official bulletin. Officials fixed eight o'clock Sunday night as the zero hour, unless unexpected difficulties are encountered.  
LATER (Canadian Press)  
CAVE CITY, Feb. 15.—Floyd Collins, entrapped sixteen days in a sandstone cave near here, was not reached today by the rescuers who are attempting to excavate a new approach to the spot in the narrow passage way in which he was caught by falling rocks. Owing to the uncertainty of the sap- pers as to where their tunnel will bring them, no prophecy could be made as to the time of rescue, but it was indicated that their tunnel would lead into the new cavern, where Collins was discovered when he became entrapped. No further indications that Collins still lived had been received to night.

**Marshal Cameron Passes Away**

The citizens of Charlottetown will hear with shock and regret the news of the death yesterday evening seven o'clock of Marshal Cameron.  
The late Mr. Charles Cameron was in the seventy-fourth year of his age, having been born on February 28th at Augustine Cove. While still in his early youth he for some years drove the mails between Charlottetown and Miramichi and at the age of twenty-one joined the Charlottetown Police force.  
During his term of service with that body the deceased became one of the most familiar figures in the city, and, as a police officer and citizen, by his integrity and impartiality, his gentleness and frankness of manner, he earned the esteem and respect of all who knew him and made friends of all with whom he came in contact.  
In 1890 he was appointed Chief of Police and held that office to the day of his death, which followed an illness of only three weeks, during which he underwent a serious operation at the City Hospital.  
The deceased was twice married, his first wife being Elizabeth Platts, who predeceased him forty years ago.  
There is left to mourn, besides a sorrowing widow, the following children of the first family:—Fredrick J. Cameron, now of Fredericton, N. B., B. C. Cameron, Somerville, Mass., Mrs. Charles Large, city and W. P. Cameron, Connecticut, and the following children of the second marriage: C. H. Cameron, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Mrs. A. B. Davidson, city, and R. H. Cameron, city. Also two grand-children, Gertrude and Percy Cameron.  
The bereaved The Guardian extends sincerest sympathy. The funeral arrangements will be announced later.

**Invitation to Ottawa**

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Feb. 15.—The Canadian Commission headed by Hance Logan, which came here to discuss better trade relations between the two countries, was entertained at luncheon today by the Jamaica Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Logan delivered the principal address.  
The Canadian message included an invitation from Ottawa to a Jamaican delegation to attend a conference to be held this spring to amend the existing trade agreement, with the purpose of diverting trade to Canada. A resolution was adopted recommending the Governor to accept the invitation and appoint a delegation.  
The speakers laid stress on reciprocal markets and the maintenance of trade within the British Empire. The Duke of Athol spoke, taking this view.  
The National Anthem)  
Features of the recital were the vocal solo by Mr. Williams and Prof. Fletcher's organ solo, "The Church Triumphant." These numbers, and also the Harmony Male Quartet, were listened to with a rapt attention that betokened the highest appreciation by the large number present. The vocal duet by Mrs. Fletcher and Mr. R. L. McKee was rendered with fine effect.  
That the recital was greatly appreciated was evidenced by the favorable remarks heard from all sides at its conclusion.

**THE MARKETS**

(Canadian Press)  
OTTAWA, Feb. 15.—(Eggs)—Four cars of American fresh firsts arrived in Montreal this week. Cheese eggs, which are on the Montreal market are finding very slow sale. Jobbers not being inclined to handle, had roads have affected receipts during the past two weeks, but with colder and more reasonable weather it is anticipated that arrivals will be heavier next week and prices lower.  
TORONTO, Feb. 15.—Specials jobbing 55, extras 53, firsts 50 seconds 46. Montreal, dealers paying delivered extras 55, firsts 52. Extra jobbing 58 to 63, firsts 55 to 58. Western markets unchanged. A good deal of western stock being offered. Western markets unchanged. St. John, N. B. fresh extras jobbing 63, firsts 60. Prince Edward Island country extras 58, firsts 44 seconds 34.  
MONTREAL, Que. Feb. 15.—There was considerable inquiry from foreign buyers for Canadian grain here on Saturday, but the volume of business was smaller owing to there being very few bids. Owing to the further strength in the oat situation at Winnipeg on Saturday, the domestic market was again stronger and prices were advanced another two cents per bushel. Ontario No. 3 white goods being quoted at 65 cents, No. 4 grade at 63 cents per bushel ex-store. The feature of the flour trade was the stronger feeling that developed for spring wheat goods and prices were marked up 20 cents per barrel. The winter wheat market was unchanged. The trade in millfeed was quiet but the undertone was steady no change of any importance occurred in rolled oats. Prices were well maintained for all grades of fresh eggs at the recent changes noted. The butter trade was quiet but prices were steady. The cheese market was without any special feature to note with fodder made No. 1 white and colored goods selling at 20 1/2 to 20 3/4 cents per pound, and No. 2 grade at 19 1/4 to 19 3/4 cents per pound. Beans were firm at \$2.90 per bushel.

**Announcements, Coming Events, Meetings, Etc.**

Rates—2c. per word each insertion.  
TORONTO, Feb. 16.—Maritime south west winds, mild. Maximum and Minimum temperatures:  
Toronto, clear ..... 32 16  
Montreal, clear ..... 28 18  
Quebec, clear ..... 22 16  
Ch'town, fair ..... 35 33  
Halifax, clear ..... 38 28  
St. John, clear ..... 36 27  
Boston, clear ..... 42 30  
New York, fair ..... 38 28  
High tide this afternoon at 3:26 and tomorrow morning at 4:51. Sun sets this afternoon at 6:28 and rises tomorrow morning at 6:58. Last quarter moon, Monday, Feb. 16th 5:17 a.m.  
\*\*French River Reserve Thursday evening, February 19th for the concert and pie social to be held in the French River Hall. 457-2-16-21  
\*\*The Annual Banquet of the Marshfield Farmers Institute will be held in the Hall on Wednesday, Feb. 18th. If not fine, the following fine night.—460-2-16-34  
\*\*Coming to Broadbalk, Wednesday, Feb. 18th, the 3-act comedy, "The Arrival of Kitty," by the Free-town Dramatic players, good inter-act specialties.—457-3-16-31



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