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He who succumbs to bribery is a moral, and soon will be, a physical wreck—mind reacting on matter.

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## Indian Leader Is Taken Into Custody

### DESTRUCTIVE FIRE AT O'LEARY

#### GENERAL STORE OF KENNEDY & COMPANY COMPLETELY RAZED

#### SLEET STORM CRIPPLES WESTERN ONT.

Brantford and Stratford Isolated Because of Disrupted Telegraph and Telephone Communication.

Store And Merchandise Valued At \$50,000 Wiped Out Saturday Night In Fire Which Started Shortly After Store Was Closed For The Night.

The Province was visited Saturday night by another destructive fire, this time at O'Leary, which completely destroyed the large general store of Kennedy and Kennedy, Limited. Both buildings and stock, including a large supply of general merchandise, were lost.

The fire broke out about 11 o'clock Saturday night, some fifteen minutes after the store had been locked up for the night. It is believed to have caught from the stove. Children passing the store noticed signs of fire and gave the alarm. The flames made such headway that despite every effort of the citizens of O'Leary it was impossible to save either the building or the stock.

TORONTO, Ont., Jan. 3.—(By The Canadian Press)—Crippled by one of the worst sleet storms ever to strike the district, western Ontario was slowly returning to normal tonight while linemen worked frantically to restore interrupted communications. Extent of the damage wrought by the storm last Thursday night will not be known for several days as hundreds of telegraph, telephone and hydro wires are still down.

Both Brantford and Stratford remained isolated tonight because of disrupted telegraph and telephone communication with the rest of the Province. Many other centres lack one or other of the services. Emergency squads are working night and day to restore conditions and hopes are expressed tonight that by tomorrow all the main centres in Ontario would again be in touch with the outside world.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC

- Guardian Club loading hogs, January 6th. 11247-12-31-31.
- A meeting of Ujig and Grandview Shipping Club, Jan. 7th. Members will please attend. W. D. Ross, Sec'y. 11297-1-4-11
- Hockey match, Highfield Rink, tonight, North River Lindsvers versus Charlottetown Wildcats. One hour's skate after match. 113031
- Mt. Stewart Club loading hogs, Tuesday, January 5th. Afternoon only. Hogs must be previously listed with Secretary, D. J. McDonald. 11276-1-2-21.
- Warning Talkies Montague, Monday. See Double Cross Roads with Robert. Ames. and Lila Lee. Wonderful show. 1129-1-4-11.
- Montague Club loading hogs Wednesday, January 6th until noon. All hogs must be listed with Secretary. Signed Most Annear. 11294-1-4-11.
- Morell Shipping Club loading hogs Wednesday, January 6th. List with Harold Webster for Secretary. Signed J. R. Compton. 11295-1-4-11.
- The Annual Meeting of the Wiltshire Dairy Co. will be held in the hall at North Wiltshire on Monday, January 11th at 2 P. M. Roland Easter, Secretary. 11267-1-2-41.
- Come to the Mission Band Concert in Central United Church, Tuesday evening, January 5th at 8 o'clock, also lantern slides. Silver collection. If not fine, first fine night. 11304-11
- South Melville Dramatic Club present their play Cranberry Corners at Kelly's Cross Monday, January 4th. If stormy on following Thursday. 11284-1-2-21

#### U.S. CONSUL ILLUSTRIOUS NEW GLASGOW'S BADLY BEATEN STATESMAN SECOND MAJOR BY JAPANESE LAID TO REST FIRE IN WEEK

Assaulted On One of Mukden Main Streets After He Stepped From Official Car.

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MUKDEN, Manchuria, Jan. 3.—Calvert B. Chamberlain, United States Consul, stepping from an automobile displaying the United States flag and coat of arms, was assaulted and painfully beaten by three Japanese soldiers today on one of the main streets of Mukden. U. S. Consul General Myrl S. Myers accompanied Mr. Chamberlain to the Japanese Consulate where he lodged a vigorous verbal protest with Consul S. Morishima against what he described as an "entirely unprovoked assault."

OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 3.—(By The Canadian Press)—Canada buried one of its most illustrious sons yesterday. A semi-state funeral was held for the late Sir George Foster, last of Sir John A. MacDonald's "old guard" and grand old man of Canadian politics. Cabinet Minister under seven prime ministers, parliamentarian for fifty years, champion of moral causes, ambassador of peace and empire crusader, Sir George Foster's long public career ended in his death last Wednesday.

Gathered at the funeral were leaders of the state, representatives of foreign countries and hundreds of men and women prominent in every sphere of Canadian activity. Services were held in Chalmers United Church where Rev. Dr. John Woodside paid tribute to the memory, the ideals and accomplishments of the dead statesman. The whole public career of Sir George Foster was epitomized in his creed: "The

#### Mahatma Gandhi And Nationalist Pres. Arrested

Viceroy Lord Willingdon Takes Drastic Move After Eleventh-Hour Attempts To Bring About A Compromise Fail.

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BOMBAY, Jan. 4.—(Monday)—Mahatma Gandhi was arrested early today for the second time within a year and a half and Nationalist India once more prepared a campaign of civil disobedience. President Vallabhai Patel, of the Indian Nationalist Congress also was taken into custody. Both were arrested under a Bombay regulation of 1927 and the warrant stated that they were being removed to Yerawda jail at Poona for "good and sufficient reasons."

Viceroy Lord Willingdon's drastic move was made after eleventh-hour attempts of moderate Nationalist leaders to bring about a compromise had failed. Gandhi postponed a scheduled trip to his shrine at Ahmedabad in the hopes that he could come to an agreement with the Viceroy over the new ordinances against agitation.

Seek Compromise Sir Tej Bahadur Sapru and M. Jayakar, delegates to the London Round Table Conference, were understood to have telegraphed the Viceroy, seeking a compromise. British authorities served an ultimatum on Gandhi at three o'clock this morning. Continued on page 7

#### TRIPLETRAGEDY

(Canadian Press) CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 3.—The bodies of Mary Roth, 23, a maid in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Heindel of suburban river forest and two young children of her employers were found hanging in the Heindel home early today.

Police theorized the maid in a fit of insanity killed the children and ended her own life. The Eastern Bakery blaze was the second of three fires over the weekend. The fire occurred when Goodman's restaurant was damaged by a top-storey blaze on Saturday afternoon, the third today when a double garage on Forbes street caught, one automobile being destroyed.

#### THE CANTON KILLERS GET GOVERNMENT SIX OFFICERS IS DISSOLVED THEN ESCAPE

(Associated Press) HONG KONG, China, Jan. 3.—The Canton government was dissolved today in accordance with its peace agreement with the Nanking authorities.

Committees were formed to administer the provinces of Kwangtung and Kwangsi under the Nanking Government. Hu Han-min, former chief of the Chinese Nationalists, practically controls the executive committee and Cantonese participation in the Nanking Government still was doubtful.

#### Will Not Be Represented

BERLIN, Jan. 3. (A.P.)—Germany will not send an ice hockey team for the winter Olympics at Lake Placid, N. Y., next month, it was announced definitely today. The German decision was reached, it was explained, partly on account of financial reasons but also because of the scanty prospects of German success in that sport.

#### TWELVE WHITE RUSSIANS KILLED IN STREET RIOTING

TOKYO, Jan. 3.—(A.P.)—A Rengo dispatch from Harbin today said at least twelve "white" Russians were killed in street fighting there that followed the beating to death of a Russian boy by a Chinese shopkeeper.

#### Record & Forecast of the Weather

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Toronto, Ont., Jan. 3.—

MINIMUM AND MAXIMUM TEMPERATURES		
Dawson	10B	6B
Vancouver	38	58
Buff	3B	20
Winnipeg	0	18
Toronto	30	38
Ottawa	26	36
Montreal	24	30
Quebec	24	26
Saint John	21	30
Halifax	27	32

SYNOPSIS The storm off the middle Atlantic coast is passing eastward to the ocean. Pressure is comparatively high in Quebec and over the United States but low in Alberta and British Columbia.

Local snowfalls have occurred in Nova Scotia and snowflurries in Saskatchewan, while in other parts of the Dominion the weather has been generally fair, and rather mild east of the Great Lakes.

FORECASTS Lower St. Lawrence Valley—Moderate winds; fair; not much change in temperature. Ottawa and Upper St. Lawrence Valley—Light to moderate winds; fair and rather mild.

Gulf and North Shore—Fresh northerly winds; scattered snowflurries but mostly fair. Maritime Provinces—Fresh to strong northerly winds; clearing, not much change in temperature. High tide this morning at 7:44 and tonight at 6:38.

OPPORTUNITIES LIE ON EVERY HAND; SO DO A LOT OF PEOPLE



Sun sets this afternoon at 4:31 and rises tomorrow morning at 7:53. New moon Thursday, Jan. 7, 9:23 p.m. Sunmeride tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown. CAR FERRY SCHEDULE Week days—Leaves Borden daily 9:15 a.m. and 11:40 a.m. Leaves Tormentine daily: 10:35 a.m. and 2:55 p.m.

#### MURDER AND AUSTRALIA SUICIDE IN IN GRIP OF NEW BRUNSWICK HEAT WAVE

(Special to the Guardian) MELBOURNE, Australia, Jan. 2.—Australia today was in the grip of one of the worst heat waves in its history. At Adelaide the hot spell was the worst in fifty years and the temperature remained at 80 degrees at midnight, sending thousands of people out of doors to sleep. Devastating grass fires swept western New South Wales and it is estimated at least 20,000 sheep perished.

MINTO, N. B., Jan. 3.—(By The Canadian Press)—Bearing fatal throat and other wounds, the bodies of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Papis, elderly Belgian residents of Hardwood Ridge, Sunbury, were found at their little homestead four miles from here today. The couple had been separated by domestic difficulties that took them to court last August, and according to information given police by Alyre Gogan, 28, hired man on the farm, the tragedy was in the form of a murder and suicide.

Gogan said that after he arose this morning he heard a call for assistance and saw Papis lying on the dining room floor with his hands over a slash in his abdomen. The light was dim, said the hired

#### \$300,000 FIRE

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., Dec. 3.—Fire swept the shops of the Ontario and Western Railroad here yesterday causing a loss estimated at \$300,000. Three shops were completely destroyed and a fourth was badly damaged. Fire apparatus from neighboring towns assisted the local department in fighting the flames.

#### Sudden Death

(Canadian Press) HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 3.—Watches valued at \$500 were stolen when a show window of Gabriel's jewelry store on Barrington Street was opened, apparently with a glasscutter, early this morning. No arrest had been made tonight.

Ross's Mills, Vernon River, will run first five days of each week. 11293-1-4-21 held.

#### Glaring Lights Cause Of Death

SAINT JOHN, N. B., Jan. 3.—(By The Canadian Press)—The glaring headlights of an approaching motor car were held responsible at a Coroner's inquest last night for the accident that claimed the life of George Lounsbury, 12, and seriously injured his father, Herbert Lounsbury, when they were struck by an automobile while walking along a road here, Thursday night.

#### The King's New Year's Message

(Special to the Guardian) LONDON, Jan. 2.—A prayer for the return of prosperity together with the light of hope and the strength of united purpose, was contained in a New Year's message from the King today in reply to the greetings of the citizens of London presented by the Lord Mayor.

#### INSPIRING NEW YEAR'S MESSAGE

The following inspiring message was received on New Year's Day from the Canadian Prime Minister by Premier Stewart: "Hon. J. D. Stewart, Premier, Prince Edward Island.

"Personal cordial New Year greetings to Mrs. Stewart and yourself. I am sure you will agree with me that Canadians may well look back upon 1931 with pride and forward to 1932 with confidence and join in the hope that the continued display of the indomitable spirit with which they faced the difficulties of the past year will enable the people of Canada to establish the foundations of a greater and more enduring prosperity. "R. B. BENNETT"

"We live in times fraught with difficulties, the King said, in his message of thanks, but during the anxious days through which we have been passing the courage, determination and sacrifice of all classes to restore the fortunes of our beloved country filled me with admiration. It is in a spirit of confidence that I send my greetings to the citizens of London, praying that under divine guidance the coming year may bring the light of hope and the strength of united purpose to our lives and renewed prosperity to our land."

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