

THREAT TO BOMB U. S. SENATE CHAMBER

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ARCHPRIEST OF ST. PETERS, ROME, IS DEAD

Loses Life In Brave Attempt To Rescue Children

Cardinal De Val Died Yesterday

Former Papal Secretary Of State Passed Away From Heart Failure After Appendicitis Operation.

(Canadian Press)
ROME, Feb. 26.—Cardinal Merry Del Val, former Papal Secretary of State and in recent years Archbishop of St. Peter's, died today from heart failure after an operation for appendicitis.
Cardinal Merry Del Val was particularly well known in Canada. In 1896 he proceeded as Papal Delegate to Canada to report on the adjustment of claims of the Canadian Bishops as to separate Catholic schools in Canada. He was Protector of some religious orders in Canada, among them the Sisters of Charity, known as the Gray Sisters of Canada.

TWO MINUTES OF SILENCE IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS

(Canadian Press)
OTTAWA, Feb. 26.—How many returned soldiers who served overseas in the War have been appointed by the Government of Canada since Jan. 1, 1922, (a) to the Senate (b) to the Supreme or High Court Bench of the various provinces. This question has been placed on the order paper of the House of Commons by T. L. Church, Conservative Toronto North West.

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(Canadian Press)
THE PAS, Man., Feb. 26.—Sister Superior Margaret of Mary and eight young Indian pupils perished in a fire yesterday at the Cross Lake Indian school. Sister Jeanne Du Chantal broke her spine in leap from the second floor.
A Consolidated Mining and Smelting plant may start from here soon to carry Bishop Ovide Charlebois to the scene of the disaster, and the plant will bring here the injured Sister Jeanne Du Chantal.

Word of the fire was brought to the Pas by a man who had driven from Cross Lake, 55 miles southeast of Wabowden, the nearest railway station. The cause of the fire is not known. It is thought that it started on the third floor of the building in the west part of the main section, as that is where the Indian girls were quartered.
The Sister Superior died in a brave attempt to lead some of the children through the flames to safety. All of the children who perished were under nine years of age.
Bishop Charlebois estimated today that the property loss would reach \$200,000. The school was a three storey stone structure built in 1914. An addition was built in 1920.

ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC.

- *Reserve Thursday, March 20, for Kirk tea and bazaar. 1931-2-27-21
- *Fasse partouting done at 206 Weymouth Street. 1930-2-27-31
- *Borden Line Club loading hogs, lambs, calves, Thursday, Feb. 27, Albany. Hours 12 to 3. 1931-31
- *Come to the Taxis and Trail Ranger concert in Cornwall Hall, Thursday at 8 o'clock. 1944-2-25-31
- *York Club loading hogs Wednesday afternoon, March 5th. List at once. J. F. Allen, Secretary. 1973-3-28-21
- *Come to the big Auction and Whist Party in Rosary and Caledonian Halls, Thursday, Feb. 27th. Good prizes and a good time. 1981
- *The ladies of Trinity United Church will hold a cake sale in aid of P. E. I. Hospital at Province Bros., Saturday, starting at 3 o'clock.
- *Club meeting at Murray River March 1st, at 7:30 p. m. Listing hogs and calves for shipment March 4th. Afternoon. 1998-2-27-21
- *Social at Hope River Thursday, Feb. 27. Excellent programme. Hot coffee served. Ladies with baskets or pies admitted free. If not fine social on Friday night. 41
- *The annual meeting of St. Andrew's Egg Circle will be held in the schoolhouse on Friday, Feb. 28, 1930, at 7 p. m. If stormy, first fine night following. D. F. Egan, Sec'y. 1995-2-27-11
- *Special meeting of St. Andrew's Club in Hunter River Hall, Friday night at 7:30. Orders taken for Feed, Wheat and Barley. Please attend if interested. Nicholson Bros., Secretary. 1974-2-26-21
- *Annual Meeting Emerald Shipping Club in Springfield Hall in conjunction with Egg Circle Meeting, Thursday evening, February 27th at 7:30. J. A. Gillies will attend. 1974-2-26-21
- *The Norbord Women's Institute will hold a concert and social in the old Saint James Church Building, Summerfield on Thursday evening, February 27th. If not fine, first night following. Ladies with baskets free. 1907-2-26-21

Noted Publisher



Lord Beaverbrook, noted English publisher and newspaper owner, former Canadian, who attended the long debates, recently, in the British House of Commons upon empire free trade, which he followed with close interest from the press gallery.

U. S. SENATORS ALARMED OVER THREAT LETTERS

Additional Guards Placed About Capitol As Precautionary Measures.
(Special to The Guardian)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 26.—Threats to bomb the U. S. Senate Chamber, and pointed intimations to various Senators to the effect that it would be more healthful for them to absent themselves from the Capitol for varying periods, have resulted in the placing of additional guards and other extraordinary precautionary measures. This was learned today coincidentally with a statement from Senator Watson minimizing the seriousness of the situation, but admitting that threatening letters had been received and that some Senators were much alarmed. Watson was inclined to believe that the unusual flood of threatening letters has its origin in widespread discontent brought on by an aggravated unemployment situation and industrial depression. He also expressed the opinion that some of the missives might have come from fanatics on either side of the wet.

Passengers Injured In Derailment

(Special to The Guardian)
TORONTO, Ont., Feb. 26.—Nine passengers are reported by the C. N. R. to have received slight injuries, when train No. 46, C. N. R., was derailed at a point near Holland Landing on the New Market division at 5:45 this morning.
The train was operating between North Bay and Toronto and was in charge of Conductor J. Lee and Engineer Hadden.
The baggage car, express car and second class coach left the rails, but remained upright. The first class coach and four pullmans were tilted at an angle of about 45 degrees. None of the passengers required hospital attention.

WILL DISMISS 748 NON U. S. CITIZENS

City of Detroit Calling For Survey of All Civil Service Employees To Cover Citizenship, Etc.
(Special to The Guardian)
DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 26.—Immediate dismissal of 748 employees of the City of Detroit who are not citizens of the United States was ordered in a resolution passed unanimously today by common council. The council also passed a resolution calling for a survey of all Civil Service employees to cover their citizenship, length of service, place of residence and similar details, indicating that the wholesale dismissals may be more widespread.
The 748 men who are to be laid off are distributed as follows: 569 in Dept. of Public Works; 65 in Public Lighting Dept.; 85 in Fire Dept., and 18 in the Parks Department.

Ferguson Govt. Had Majority Of 65 On First Vote

(Continued on page 3)
TORONTO, Feb. 26.—The Ferguson government emerged from its first skirmish in the legislature this afternoon with a majority of 65 over the combined opposition groups. The amendment to the address in reply to the speech from the throne, moved by W. E. N. Sinclair, K. C., Liberal leader, was defeated by 85 to 20.
The Liberal and Progressive groups and the single representatives of Labor and the U. F. O. voted solidly against the government. The amendment constituted a want-of-confidence motion and denounced the government largely on the alleged failure of Hon. W. H. Price, Attorney-General, to administer properly the security frauds prevention act.

\$79,095 In Grants Recommended By United Ch. Board

(Continued on page 3)
MONCTON, Feb. 26.—Amounts totalling \$79,095 were recommended yesterday by the Home Mission Committee of the Maritime Conference of the United Church of Canada as grants to the pastoral charges within this conference for the ensuing year. The grants passed included the following, according to Presbyteries: Annapolis, \$2,400; Bermuda, \$1,750; Cumberland, \$4,910; Fredericton, \$6,925; Halifax, \$7,000; Inverness and Guysboro, \$3,375; Lunenburg and Queens, \$4,265; Miramichi, \$2,590; Moncton, \$6,265; Pictou, \$44,700; P. E. I., \$5,300; Saint John, \$4,556; St. Stephen, \$2,925; Sydney, \$4,260; Truro, \$4,075; Windsor, \$2,265; Woodstock, \$3,240, and Yarmouth, \$4,380.
Prince Edward Island Presbytery amounts are as follows:—Belfast and Belle River, \$600; Bradairene, \$275; Cove Head, \$750; Dunfries, \$600; Georgetown, \$525; Hampton, \$400; Montrose, \$325; Richmond Bay East, \$800; West Cape, \$425; Winsloe, \$600.
Vernon and Orwell in this Presbytery go off the list, having reached the status of self support.

House In Sympathy With Returned Men

Onus Of Proof As To Disability Should Be On Board, Not Soldier, Is Contended.

(Special to The Guardian)
OTTAWA, Ont., Feb. 26.—The debate on the address which closed rather abruptly at six p. m. yesterday was followed today by a debate on pensions. In a motion moved by Dr. McGillivray, Muskoka, it was declared that the onus of proof as to disability should be on the Board rather than upon the man. The members speaking to the resolution were all sympathetic the feeling being that it was better than a few undeserving cases should be looked after than that one deserving case should be overlooked. No decision was reached at six o'clock, when the House adjourned.

DIVORCE QUESTION

Henri Bourassa leaps into the divorce situation with all the ebullient joy of one who likes to get into a controversy. He gives notice of a resolution to have the House shut up shop so far as divorce is concerned after this year and receive no more petitions or bills from the Senate. He wants the House to get rid of the whole petrid mess. That is what—as regards Ontario—the Senate and many in the House have been trying to do for three years but not without some substitutional process, namely, in the courts.

IMMIGRATION

(Canadian Press)
WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Restriction of western hemisphere immigration to an annual total of 76,074, including 67,556 for Canada and Newfoundland and 2,900 for Mexico, was proposed in a bill today by chairman Johnson of the House Immigration Committee.

Oil Director Jumps To Death

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Richard H. Jones, a director of Standard Oil Corp. of New Jersey, was killed today from a fall from his eighth floor apartment on Park Avenue. Police listed the case as a suicide, and said Jones jumped to his death after striking his wife on the head with an electric lamp.

Surgeon To King Is Dead

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LULWORTH COVE, Eng., Feb. 26.—Sir Alfred Frupp, 64, surgeon to King George and the late King Edward, died today. He was also an organizer of the Frothblowers, one of England's most popular charitable organizations.

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Toronto Postal District The Largest Contributor With Montreal Second—Increased Expenditures.
OTTAWA, Feb. 26.—Net revenue from the Post Office of Canada, during the last fiscal year amounted to \$31,120,904.31 and the expenditure total \$33,483,059.50 leaving a net deficit on operations of \$2,312,154.19. Increased expenditures for the year were accounted for by statutory increases in salary and increases in overtime and temporary help occasioned, in large part, by an epidemic of influenza in November and December, 1928.
Of the 12,430 post offices in Canada, the largest contributor was the Toronto postal district which contributed the revenues by \$6,953,828.47. Montreal came next with \$4,511,388.92, while Winnipeg with \$3,665,522.50 and Vancouver with \$1,404,441.02.

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The Weather, etc

LOANING IS ONLY A LUXURY WHEN THERE'S A HEAP O' WORK TO BE DONE!
TORONTO, Feb. 27.—Fresh north-westerly winds, mostly fair and moderately cold.
High tide this morning at 11:05 and tonight at 9:21.
Sun sets this afternoon at 5:46 and rises tomorrow morning at 6:40.
New moon Thursday, Feb. 27, 9:09 p. m.
Have been introduced before, but have never been passed further than second reading.