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UNEMPLOYED INJURED IN CLEVELAND CLASH

MILLIONS OF DOLLARS WILL CHANGE HANDS

For Purchase of Property to Make Windsor Hotel, Montreal, One of Largest on Continent — American Interests Involved

(Canadian Press)
MONTREAL, Feb. 11.—A deal whereby fifteen and twenty million dollars will change hands for the purchase of property to make the present Windsor Hotel one of the largest on the continent, is under way, Montreal La Presse says today. The paper states that American interests will consummate the deal whereby a church and a whole block of property will be acquired whereon the present hotel will be enlarged or a separate building erected to connect with the present hotel.

Celebrates Anniversary

(Canadian Press)
VATICAN CITY, Feb. 11.—The first anniversary of the signing of the historic Lateran treaties settling the long standing controversy between the Holy See and the Italian Government was celebrated today. Count De Vecchi, Italian Ambassador to the Holy See, called at the Vatican shortly before noon to present the Government's congratulations to the Pontiff.

Lady de Crespigny has been elected governing director of the largest private estate company in England.

ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC.

- *Mr. Stewart Wednesday special show. 1603-2-8-41
- *Don't fail to attend the "Indoor Circus" at Sours, Feb. 13th and 14th. 1658-2-11-21
- *Leading live hogs at Emerald Thursday forenoon, Feb. 13th, Ever-El Haslam. 1674-21
- *Concert and Pie Social, Tryon Hall, Feb. 13, Wed., Feb. 12th. Sale of candy. If not fine, Friday next. 1655-21
- *Hockey at North Wiltshire, North River vs North Wiltshire tonight, Feb. 12th. 1708
- *Come to the W. M. S. birthday social at the Mansie, Cornwall, Thursday evening, Feb. 13th. 1700
- *Come to the concert at Canoe Cove Hall, Feb. 15th. If stormy, Monday. Proceeds in aid of the school. 1704-2-wed.-fri.
- *Borden Line Club leading live and dressed hogs Thursday, Feb. 13, from 12 to 3. 1703-21
- *Be sure and attend the Annual Valentine Bridge of the C. W. L. Date Thursday evening, Feb. 13th. Refreshments served. 1668-31
- *Notice—Annual Meeting of Hope River Egg Circle in Hope River Hall, on Wednesday, February 12th, 2 P.M. J. L. Murphy, Secretary. 1628-2-10-31.
- *Annual meeting of Hope River Egg Circle in Hope River Hall on Wednesday, Feb. 12th, at 2 p. m. J. L. Murphy, Secy. 1628-2-10-31
- *Auction sale of one hundred choice pure bred Plymouth Rock pullets on the Market Square, Friday, Feb. 14, at 12 noon sharp. Terms cash. *Nearly all starting to lay. 1652-2-11-31
- *The W. M. S. of Pownal United Church will hold a Valentine Bean Supper and entertainment in the Florida Hotel on Thursday, Feb. 13th. Admission 25c and 50c. Weather unfavorable held the 14th. 1841-21-mon.-wed.

Had Narrow Escape



Pascual Ortiz Rubio, who two hours after he was sworn in as president of Mexico was wounded in the jaw by a shot from a would-be assassin. The president's wife, little niece, an aide and a bystander were also wounded. A long distance telephone call across the Atlantic was received from Dwight W. Morrow, United States ambassador to Mexico, last night, to inquire about the condition of the president. Morrow, who is in London at the naval conference, called Foreign Minister Genaro Estrada and talked for ten minutes.

Can. to Reap \$350,000,000 From Tourist Trade In '30 Says A. A. A. Vice President

TORONTO, Feb. 10.—Speaking before the annual meeting of the Ontario Motor League at the Royal York Hotel last night, Ernest N. Smith, executive vice president of the American Automobile Association, declared that at the present rate of growth, the American tourist business would be worth half a billion dollars to Canada in a very few years. Citing figures to show that Canadian touring had in the past eight years increased more rapidly than any other individual industry in the Dominion, Mr. Smith predicted that this year's harvest would amount to close to \$350,000,000.

LATEST DOINGS AT THE NAVAL CONFERENCE

(Canadian Press)
LONDON, Feb. 11.—Hon. J. L. Ralston, Canadian Minister of National Defence and representative of the Dominion at the Five Power Naval Conference, addressed today's plenary session and supported the British-United States stand for abolition of the submarine.

Mr. Ralston's support of the British and United States came during discussions which followed the presentation of the viewpoint of the heads of the various delegations. Similar support for abolition of the underwater craft came from Sir Atul Chatterjee, representative of India; Hon. J. E. Fenton, Australia Minister of Trade and Commerce, and representatives of Australia at the conference and professor Timothy Smiddy, Irish Free State's delegate.

LONDON, Feb. 11.—The naval conference at 1 p. m. today concluded its fourth plenary session during which the delegations of Great Britain and the U. S. called upon the world sea powers to abolish submarines. France and Japan insisted upon their continuance, but the outlawry of their use in inhuman manner.

Italy announced herself ready to participate in discussions for abolition of the craft, although believing that in the present state they were necessary for the smaller nations.

France cannot do without submarines, Georges Leygues, French Minister of Marine declared. Abolition was urged by Secy. H. L. Stimson as a practical and common sense measure. The chief American delegate said submarines were more costly per ton than any larger war craft and that it was a weapon particularly susceptible to abuse which might easily cause recurrence of the dreadful experiences of the past.

Two resolutions were introduced, one by the U. S. proposing abolition, the other by the French proposing a committee to prepare an agreement forbidding submarines to act toward merchant ships otherwise than in strict conformity with rules for surface craft. Premier MacDonald referred the two resolutions to a conference committee for study and report. The viewpoint of Britain was presented by Rt. Hon. A. V. Alexander.

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*Annual Meeting Hunter River Club will be held Friday, February 14th in New Glasgow Hall at 8 o'clock. J. A. Gillies of the Dominion Livestock Branch will be present. Nicholson Bros., Secretary. 1841-21-mon.-wed.

GERMAN LINER SANK AT PIER IN NEW YORK

Value of Steamer Placed Between Two and Half and Three Million Dollars, Without Cargo.

(Canadian Press)
NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—The North German Lloyd liner, Muenchen, burned and sank at her pier in the Hudson River today, a short time after she had docked at the end of a voyage from Bremen. A series of explosions in a quantity of shellac stored in her hold occurred a few minutes after the fire was discovered. The flames spread with terrific speed and ferocity after the explosions and in a short time the liner sank.

A stewardess was slightly injured when the force of one of the explosions knocked her down. The 263 passengers had left the ship before the explosions occurred and the crew was immediately ordered ashore. The ship had docked at 9.10 a. m.

The liner Muenchen made her maiden voyage to New York in July of 1928, being the first German ship since the war to enter the harbor. She was 551 feet long, 65 feet beam and with a gross tonnage of 14,000 tons. She has accommodations for 1,100 passengers.

The value of the liner was placed at between \$2,500,000 and \$3,000,000, without cargo. No estimate could be made of the value of her cargo. Shortly after the ship sank, it was officially stated that seven persons including a stewardess and Captain Gibney were injured. All were taken to St. Vincent's Hospital.

ART SHIRES BUYS HIMSELF A NICE TRUNK

CHICAGO, Feb. 11.—Charles Arthur (The Great) Shires, has not yet signed a contract to return to first basing for the Chicago White Sox, but his new trunk indicates he intends doing so.

The new trunk—a special job—is about as modest as the Great One himself. It is painted red and green, with little white stockings scattered around in whatever spaces remained after inscribing his name on all sides in nice big letters.

(Canadian Press)
SASKATOON, Sask., Feb. 11.—Urging the whole civilized world to join Ukrainians in a general protest against atrocities perpetrated on the Ukrainian population in Ukraine by the Bolshevik regime, 400 local British subjects of Ukrainian descent met here and passed a resolution emphatically protesting against red terror. The resolution will be forwarded to Premier Mackenzie King at Ottawa, Premier J. Ramsay MacDonald, at London, the League of Nations at Geneva and the Russian Ambassador in London, England.

To Assume Chair



Dr. John Wylie, who will arrive from Glasgow in May to assume the chair of preventive medicine and public health at Queen's University, Kingston, to which he has just been appointed.

155 PERSONS, 31 FIRMS INDICTED IN U. S. CITIES

Widespread Action Taken By Federal Grand Jury At Chicago Re Alcohol Case.

(Canadian Press)
CHICAGO, Feb. 11.—One hundred and fifty-five persons and 31 firms in New York, Chicago, Los Angeles and numerous other large cities were indicted by a Federal grand jury today on charges of violating the national prohibition law by means of a conspiracy whose operations extended from coast to coast.

The indictment set forth 287 overt acts in violation of the dry laws and gave as the basis for the conspiracy the illegal diversion of more than 1,000,000 gallons of Government alcohol during the last seven years.

All the firms indicted either are now or once were in business requiring the use of alcohol in the manufacture of toilet articles, perfumes, medicines and similar products to which the Government gave permits for withdrawing the alcohol. It is charged that much of the alcohol was diverted and redistilled for beverage purposes, and that several of the firms operated merely as a blind or "cover house" for the syndicate.

BROKERS ARE WILLING TO COOPERATE

(Canadian Press)
TORONTO, Feb. 11.—The Standard Stock and Mining Exchange, the members of which have been subjected to investigations which led to the arrest of twelve on charges of conspiracy is willing to cooperate in any way that will put an end to bucketing, short selling and other illegal practices that will injure the investments of the public, the conference of representatives of Canadian Attorney Generals was told today. Fred J. Crawford, President, Norman Urquhart, past president, and L. J. West, secretary of the Standard Exchange were the spokesmen.

200 POLICEMEN TO TURN BACK UNEMPLOYED

Spirited Scene Before City Hall in Cleveland — 20 of Crowd and Two Policemen Injured.

(Canadian Press)
CLEVELAND, Feb. 11.—Shouting for "work and wages" or we will fight, between 1,000 to 1,200 unemployed men and women stormed City Hall here today where they were turned back by the clubs of 200 policemen. Twenty of the crowd and two officers were injured and several of the inciters in the crowd were jailed. The trouble started when one of the fifty women in the crowd who was not permitted in, started to cry "the police are clubbing us." This was the signal for disorder. Word was passed along the line, "The police are clubbing us, break through the line."

Student Takes His Own Life

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—Arthur P. Mellich, 25, graduate student and part time instructor in mathematics at Brown University, was found dead in his room at the Hotel Statler, late yesterday, a suicide. Mellich had cut his left arm above the elbow, then falling to find death quick enough, that way, had hanged himself by a towel to the rim of a shower bath. Authorities attributed his accident to a conspiracy whose operations extended from coast to coast.

Centenarian From Island Dies In B. Columbia

VANCOUVER, B. C., Feb. 9.—Solomon Mutch, 102, one of Vancouver's four centenarian residents, is dead here. Born in Lot 48, Prince Edward Island, in 1828, he moved as a young man to Halifax where he engaged in the fishing and shipping business. He came to the Pacific coast at the age of 62 when he retired from active business, life and land in Seattle, Washington, until twenty seven years ago, when he came to reside in British Columbia. Mr. Mutch was hale and hearty until the last.

The deceased was a son of James Mutch, Mt. Herbert, and a grandson of Major Alex. Mutch, the first of the family to come to this province. Solomon Mutch was a merchant in Halifax for many years, thence he moved to London, where he resided for five years, moving later to St. John's Newfoundland, where he lived for fifteen years. Until shortly before his death he resided in Burnaby, B. C., and on the death of his wife moved to Penticton to the home of his son Edwin. He was married three times. His first wife was Anne Coffin, the second Mrs. Boyver (nee Selma Mutch) widow of Henry Boyver, the third Harriet White. He had eight children, three of which are still living, Edwin, Penticton, B. C., Mrs. John Haddon, Vancouver, B. C., and Mrs. John Ample, San Diego, California. One son Dr. Percy Mutch was lost off the coast of Newfoundland in 1890.

(Canadian Press)
OTTAWA, Ont., Feb. 11.—A silver fox which escaped more than a month ago from A. Herbrand's fox farm near Chelsea, Que., has been captured in a trap near Buckingham, Que., about 30 miles away.

Flying Burglar Gets Away With Nice Aeroplane

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 11.—Police throughout the United States are on the alert, watching for a flying burglar who today looted the office of Air Express Inc., at Port Columbus and escaped in a sky-blue plane with silver tinted wings.

The stolen ship, called "Blue Heaven," is worth \$1,800. The thief took with him two parachutes, a wool-lined flying suit, a helmet, goggles and a pair of fleecy-lined boots, all stolen from the company's offices and worth approximately \$800.

The plane had a five-hour supply of gas, sufficient for the burglar to reach New York, it was said.

ROADS MADE IMPASSABLE BY NEW PLOUGH

Many Complaints Respecting Condition of St. Peters Road.

Strong complaints as to the condition of the roads over which the government snow-plough has been operating are being received. In particular, the St. Peters Road is said to be in a worse condition than at any time for several years past. It was impossible for the mail couriers to travel on this road last Thursday and Friday, and the church services last Sunday at Mount Stewart and Marshfield were cancelled for the same reason.

On Thursday the mail courier was unable to get any farther than Mr. John R. Munn's residence, about six miles out of Charlottetown. The snow having drifted level with the piled-up banks left by the plough, it was impossible to travel either on the road or on the sides. On Friday the condition was practically the same.

Farmers travelling over the road this week have the same complaint. The almost impassable condition, they state, is due to the filling of the deep trench left by the plough. Several have expressed the hope that the Government would try to improve as far as possible the old method of road breaking, and do no further experimenting in their districts with the new snow-plough.

(Canadian Press)
TORONTO, Ont., Feb. 11.—An exchange system for University undergraduates in their third year has been announced by the National Federation of Canadian University Students. This is an innovation in Canada and means that any bona fide student of a Canadian University who has completed two years of his course may by application be allowed to pursue the third year of that course at another Canadian University.

FLYING CLUBS IN FINANCIAL DIFFICULTIES

18 Out of a Total of 24 Canadian Clubs in Dire Straits — Amalgamation Suggested.

(Canadian Press)
MONTREAL, Que., Feb. 11.—Out of twenty four flying clubs in Canada, today 18 are in financial difficulties and must get some more money from other sources if they are to continue, and the remaining six if they paid all their book debts, are also behind, Major Gen. G. H. MacBrien, President of the Aviation League, and former Chief of Canadian Staff Department of National Defence told the members of the Montreal Light Aeroplane Club at their monthly dinner here. In offering a solution to the problems facing this new industry, Gen. MacBrien suggested an amalgamation of all the flying clubs and small operating companies in Canada under the name of the National Flying Services of Canada Ltd., on the basis of a Government subsidiary. This plan was resolved after several discussions with Hon. J. L. Ralston, Minister of Defense, and will be submitted to him after his return from England, Gen. MacBrien said.

Canadian Wheat Much Favoured

(Canadian Press)
OTTAWA, Ont., Feb. 11.—Millers in Great Britain wish to buy Canadian wheat both because of its intrinsic worth and because it possesses qualities which make it specially suitable for blending with home grown British wheat. This assurance was contained in a statement issued today from the offices of Sir William Clark, British High Commissioner, and who announced that the British Millers Association at a meeting yesterday went on record as denying that there was any organized opposition in Great Britain to the purchase of Canadian wheat.

DIGBY, N. S., Feb. 11.—E. M. Bancroft, 62, one of the best known commercial travellers in the Maritime Provinces died here today after a long illness.

An Exchange System For Undergraduates

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Pres. Of Mexico Is Recovering

(Special to the Guardian)
MEXICO CITY, Feb. 11.—President Ortiz Rubio has so far recovered today from his wounds in the assassination attempt last Wednesday that he began attending to the urgent part of his official business. Lieut. Colonel Chazora, his Secretary visited him in his sick room for this purpose. The doctors report that his condition is

The Weather, etc



Toronto cloudy 28-1
Montreal clear 30-
Quebec clear 30-
Charlottetown clear 30-1
Halifax clear 28-2
St. John fair 28-1
Boston clear 44-2
New York clear 40-2
High tide this morning at 10.4
and tonight at 9.48.
Sun sets this afternoon at 5.25 and
rises tomorrow morning at 7.04.
Very satisfactory though a slight
loss of grip is bothering him.