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## TWENTY-TWO MILLION WILL BE EXPENDED ON CANADIAN'S ROADS

Federal Government Approves Plan—Many New Highways.

### BIG SUM FOR QUEBEC

Ottawa, Aug. 9.—Plans that provide for expenditures of forty million dollars to better the highways of Ontario and Quebec are among those which have just been approved by the government under the operation of the federal highways act.

The total outlay contemplated in Ontario is \$22,000,000, of which the Dominion government will contribute \$8,000,000, the province \$12,000,000 and the municipalities \$2,000,000. Quebec's projected outlay is \$17,300,000, of which the Dominion government will put up \$5,000,000 and the province and municipalities the balance.

### All Main Highways

In Quebec three standard highways including the King Edward highway, Montreal to Rouville Point, the Quebec and Montreal North Shore road, and the road from Levis to Jackman, Maine, are already finished or practically so. The plans submitted all conform to the standard prescribed by the act, and when the system is completed vehicular traffic will be revolutionized. The roads that are planned are all trunk or main highways, as distinguished from country or township roads.

### Plan for Ontario Roads.

The Ontario plan provides for the following main highways: Windsor to the Quebec boundary at Coteau, via Chatham, London, Brantford, Hamilton, Toronto, Belleville and Kingston, with branches from Hamilton to Niagara Falls and from Prescott to Ottawa.

Port Erie, thru Simcoe and St. Thomas to Windsor. Toronto to Sarnia, via Brampton, Guelph and Stratford. Toronto to Muskoka. Ottawa to Pembroke. Ottawa to Point Fortune, connecting with the road to Montreal. Ottawa to Kingston, via Perth and the Rideau lake.

### New Roads in Quebec.

The plans of Quebec which have been approved are for first-class highways: Hull to Montreal, Montreal to Levis, Levis to Rimouski, Riviere du Loup to Edmundston, connecting with the St. John valley highway; Montreal to Sherbrooke, via Granby and Magog; Montreal to Malone, N.Y., via Chateaugay and Huntingdon; Montreal, thru the Laurentide to Mount Laurier.

The present year will see work well advanced on many of these roads.

## TEN PEOPLE HURT IN MOTOR SPILLS

Two Accidents Near Woodstock—Five Persons Are Seriously Injured.

Woodstock, Ont., Aug. 9.—(Special).—Five people are lying injured in the local hospital, and five others are at their respective homes, suffering from injuries, as the result of two automobile accidents which took place in this city over the week-end. On Sunday night, the car belonging to Mr. Harwood, who lives a few miles north of this city, slipped on the bank of the Swaberg road and rolled into the water. The two men of the party were not seriously hurt. Mrs. Nixon, Ethel Nixon, and Miss Jane Appleton of Railway street, this city, and Mrs. Roberts, Nelson street, were all injured and cut seriously.

### Car Turns Turtle.

The other accident occurred when a car driven by N. McIntosh of this city, in which Mrs. McIntosh, Miss V. Bickle and Miss Lillian McKay, all local people, turned turtle on Winnest street. Miss McKay suffered a broken collar bone and other injuries, while the other three occupants were also injured, but not seriously. A defective steering gear is said to be the cause of the spill.

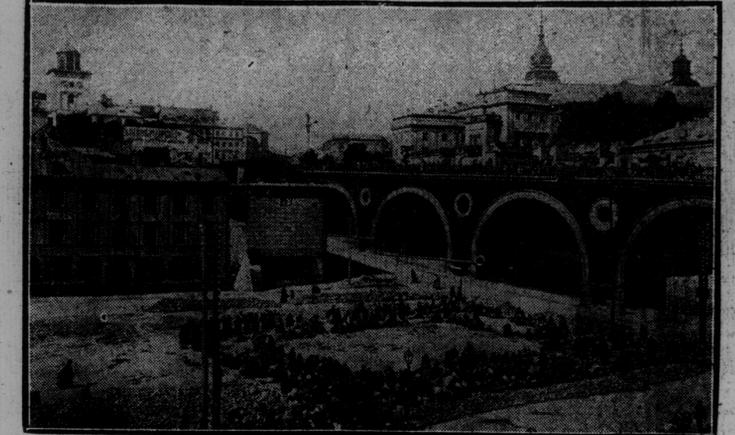
### GRANT TO OPEN FAIR.

Kingston, Aug. 8.—(Special).—Hon. R. H. Grant, minister of education, has consented to open the Kingston industrial fair on Sept. 20.

### The Price of Our Wheat.

What about the opening price for Canada's wheat crop, now said to be exceptionally large? No one seems ready to make it more than two dollars, notwithstanding the talk of another war in Europe. The Chicago Grain Exchange disposed to boost prices further, in fact, it was urged to keep them at last week's rate. In fact, Chicago is lower. The British government is reported to be disposed to buy Canada's wheat in preference to that of Argentina's. In that case, our Canadian government ought to try and secure the order. Perhaps the Grain-Growers' Association of the Canadian western provinces would join in the operation. It would be an easy matter for the Canadian banks to finance the marketing of our wheat on the strength of an order from the British government. But is it to be two-dollar wheat and bread in proportion?

## SCENE IN WARSAW, THREATENED CAPITAL OF POLAND



The Zjazd street in Warsaw, one of the main thoroughfares of the city. The street is an approach to one of the three bridges spanning the Vistula, which are being closely guarded by the Polish troops in the event of further onslaughts of the Bolshevik troops. In the photograph is seen the Alexander bridge, which is 500 feet long, the greater part of which is on dry land. Besides this bridge there is one for ordinary traffic and a third for railways, none of the Alexander. This span is the key to the Warsaw fortifications. At the side of the bridge is seen a market place.

## WARSHIP TAKES MANNIX LANDS HIM IN WALES

Removed From Steamer Baltic Under Technical Arrest—Leaves for London—Press Calls It a Blunder.

London, Aug. 9.—Four British destroyers closed in upon the steamer Baltic, carrying Archbishop Mannix of Australia from the United States, off the Irish coast in the early hours of this morning, and the commander of the destroyer Wivern, with two Scotland Yard detectives, went aboard and placed the archbishop under technical arrest. They escorted the prelate, with his secretary, the Rev. Albert Vaughan, to a destroyer, which steamed toward Fishguard, where orders had been given to land the archbishop. A wireless from the admiralty, however, reached them en route, with instructions to proceed to Penzance, at the extreme south-westerly tip of England. The archbishop was landed there this afternoon. He was accompanied by a representative of Scotland Yard to the home of Canon Wade, and afterward took the night train for London.

"Very Silly," Says Mannix. Plymouth, Eng., Aug. 9.—"I think the government is making it worse for themselves than for me. They are putting me to a little inconvenience, but are making themselves very silly," thus spoke Archbishop Mannix of Australia to six priests and newspaper men who greeted him on his arrival by train in Plymouth at 10:30 o'clock tonight from Penzance.

"I think the people of Ireland," the archbishop added, "know their business as well as the people over here. I was not going there to tell the people my views at all, because they have made up their minds without any reference to me." Archbishop Mannix chatted for several minutes at the station, during which he referred without comment to his removal from the Baltic, and the restrictions placed on his movements. He proceeded on the train for London.

## DOCTOR BRINGS PATIENT TO TORONTO IN AIR BUS

Ottawa, Aug. 9.—(By Canadian Press).—The value of the airplane as an ambulance was demonstrated at Camp Borden, when Lieut. Townley, a member of the instructional staff, and a former overseas flyer, was conveyed from the camp to a Toronto hospital in 40 minutes. Lieut. Townley, while engaged in some work at the camp, started an old wood, necessitating medical attention. The camp doctor, himself an experienced flyer, had the wounded officer placed in a machine, which he then piloted to Toronto.

## REPORT THE CORNERING OF BANDIT MURDERER

Bassoff is Seen Limping on Hillside Half Mile From Frank, Alta.—Another Policeman Shot Dead.

Frank, Alta., Aug. 9.—Bassoff, the former murderer, was believed to be cornered on a hillside, half a mile away, this afternoon. The first news of his presence here came when Mrs. Holloway telephoned to the police to say he had just left her cottage, after partaking of a meal. According to Mrs. Holloway, Bassoff was limping and using a stick for a cane. She was alone at the time and at Bassoff's request for food, she readily prepared a meal.

### Skirmish Line of Police.

Mrs. Holloway telephoned the Canadian Pacific Railway station, where Colonel Macleod, head of the Canadian Pacific Railway police, was located, and in less than ten minutes a skirmish line of police was flung around the hills. Mounted police and Canadian Pacific Railway police are co-operating to effect the desperado's capture. He could not be more than a quarter of a mile away, but he is sheltering in a country that affords ample cover.

### SPECIAL OFFICER IS KILLED.

Lethbridge, Alta., Aug. 9.—The accidental shooting of "Big Nick" Kyslik,

## ARREST SUSPECTS IN TORONTO MURDER CASE, CLUES FAIL

Six Men Were Rounded Up, But Tragedy Still Remains a Mystery.

### INQUEST OPENED

Inspector of Detectives Guthrie stated last night that there were no new developments in the murder case of Philip Goldberg, the eight-year-old boy found murdered near Sunnyside Saturday afternoon. Detective Sergeant Cronin and Wickett of the central office are handling the case, with Detectives Nicholls and McIlwraith. Six suspects were brought in during the day, and the detectives motored as far as Streetsville yesterday afternoon to bring a man in. This man had been acting strangely, and he answered the police description of the man wanted. He refused to talk to the Streetsville police officer, and when he did, he gave three different names. He was brought to Toronto for examination by Inspector Guthrie, and later allowed to go. Five others were rounded up in different parts of the city, but were released from custody.

"During the day, telephone messages kept coming in to headquarters that men answering the description of the much-sought man were seen at different street corners and in buildings. The police are investigating every source of information given them."

### Unable to Locate Boy.

Mr. Guthrie said last night that his men had been unable to locate the boy who is said to have made the statement that he had seen young Goldberg westbound on Queen street in a motor car with a man.

Fred Ebsary, 1058 East Queen street, reported to the police in the afternoon that he had seen a strange looking man in a Chinese café near (Continued on Page 2, Column 1).

## JAPANESE RESIDENTS OF OKHOTSK MASSACRED

London, Aug. 9.—A Reuter despatch from Vladivostok says the government has received advice that the Japanese residents of Okhotsk, a maritime town of Siberia on the Sea of Okhotsk, have been massacred and the town burned.

## SECOND VICTIM OF SPEEDING IS DEAD

D. Bettel, Driver of Motorcycle in Race at Exhibition Track, Succumbs.

J. D. Bettel, the driver of the motorcycle which figured in the fatal crash on Saturday afternoon at the Exhibition track, died early this morning at the Western Hospital. Death was due to internal injuries, aggravated by the strain on his system caused by a broken arm and leg. Bettel, who was 20 years of age, and resided in Hamilton, was well known as a professional rider on Canadian and American tracks. He was a native of the United States, and his body will be taken to Philadelphia for burial. Removal of the body will be supervised by his mother and brother, who arrived at the hospital yesterday.

In the same accident in which Bettel received his injuries, W. H. Smith, the occupant of the side car, sustained injuries which resulted in his death while being conveyed to the hospital.

## SMUGGLERS TRADE AGAIN REVIVED

Much Liquor Landed in Launches and Boats Along Atlantic Coast.

Washington, Aug. 9.—Liquor smuggling into the United States from Canada and elsewhere has reached such proportions that it has brought in its wake a large illegal traffic in other commodities, it was learned today at the treasury department.

The customs service, charged with protecting the United States from smugglers has found itself "wholly inadequate" to meet the situation, according to Assistant Secretary Shouse, of the treasury, who is head of that department. Mr. Shouse declared it was no secret that vast quantities of liquor had been coming in, in all the custom-officers had confiscated "thousands upon thousands of dollars worth from ships which attempt to conceal liquor stocks on entering customs ports." The large supplies which officials believe have been smuggled in, however, have come not thru ports but by landings of launches and small boats in secluded spots along the Atlantic coast.

## BLOCKADE DEPENDS UPON OUTCOME OF MINSK CONFERENCE

Premiers Decide to Delay Application of Aid to Poland—Lloyd George Determined That No Allied Troops Shall Be Used—Millerand Obligated to Concede Point—Full British Cabinet Meets.

London, Aug. 9.—The Hyde conference, hurriedly called Sunday to consider means for saving Poland from the Bolshevik menace, ended today with an agreement between Premier Lloyd George and Premier Millerand on the aid to be given the new Polish state.

"It therefore warns the government that the whole industrial power of the organized workers will be used to defeat this war." It was resolved by the conference to take such steps as may be necessary to carry the above decision into effect. The statement advised all labor organizations to be prepared to send their leaders to London to instruct their members to lay down their tools.

"A committee of action" appointed by the meeting will see Mr. Lloyd George at noon tomorrow. The conference, which reported the whole field of labor, is regarded as having presented an ultimatum to the government threatening direct action.

## POLES ARE HOLDING A STRONG POSITION TO DEFEND WARSAW

Battle Expected to Decide the Fate of City Not Yet Begun.

Paris, Aug. 9.—The battle which is expected to decide the fate of Warsaw has not yet really begun, according to the latest news reaching Paris, both sides are gathering forces for the final struggle.

General Haller's newly formed army occupies a strongly entrenched position in the fork between the Narv and the Bug Rivers, where an army is able to block the approach upon Warsaw of a numerically superior enemy, as was demonstrated in the Napoleonic campaign of 1807, and during the Russo-Polish war in 1811.

In the opinion of military observers the principal danger for the Poles is the advance along the Prussian frontier, because it would force them to extend their front westward when they need to keep their armies concentrated as much as possible east of Warsaw. The Poles thus far have been able to ignore this advance, which is merely a demonstration, but it is considered likely that the Red staff will avoid battle in the fork until stronger forces can be pushed toward Mlawa.

Heavy fighting continues on the eighty mile front along the middle Bug between Vladimir, Volynsky and Drobychyn. North of Brest-Litovsk the Russians have obtained a footing on the left bank of the river. South of Brest-Litovsk the Poles command the river and the Galician frontier the situation remains unchanged.

## BRITISH MONEY COMING FOR PULP DEVELOPMENT

Ottawa, Aug. 9.—That a very heavy investment of British capital is likely to be put into the development of the Canadian pulp and paper industry is practically assured as soon as the exchange conditions improve. This idea was strongly broached at the Imperial Press Conference here last week, particularly in view of the great proportion of Canadian paper that is now going to the States, and the high prices in Great Britain.

## SIR DAVID BEATTY MAY VISIT CANADA

Admiral Sir David Beatty and other distinguished British naval officers may visit Canada in connection with the Nelson Day plans of the Navy League, according to an announcement of a Navy League representative at a luncheon of the Forest, Ont., branch, held there yesterday. Commodore Aemilius Jarvis said to The World last night that the Navy League's Toronto headquarters was making strong efforts to induce Sir David to come to Canada, but that no definite assurance had been received.

## VERDICT OF JURY ON BABY'S MURDER

David McNeal, of Thorold, is Named as Responsible for Child's Death.

St. Catharines, Ont., Aug. 9.—After fifty minutes deliberation this afternoon a coroner's jury at Thorold returned a verdict to the effect that Margaret Boucock, four-year-old child, whose decomposed body was found on the route of the Welland ship canal last Wednesday, came to her death by strangulation on the afternoon or evening of July 13, last, and expressed the opinion that her death was caused by the hands of David McNeal, in whose company she was seen walking towards the spot where the body was found.

## IRISH CRIMES BILL RECEIVES ROYAL ASSENT

London, Aug. 9.—(By Canadian Associated Press).—The house of lords read the Irish crimes bill today for the second time without a division, and the royal assent was afterwards given.