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NOW FACES A MURDER CHARGE

Boy Strangled and the Body Thrown Into Marsh.

Mrs. Lewen Held in Detroit on Charge of Abducting the Boy—Father Thinks it May be Revenge.

Detroit, May 17.—Mrs. Elizabeth Lewen, fifty-eight, held at the women's detention home Saturday on a charge of abducting Max Ernest, six years old, accused a charge of murder today, following the finding of the boy's body last night. The body had been strangled and the body thrown into a marsh on the east side where two boys found it while taking a walk.

PICKFORD AND BLACK MAN ON C. N. R. SHIPPING

Ottawa, May 17.—(Canadian Press)—George W. Handley, of Pickford and Black, Halifax, told the special parliamentary committee on Canadian National Railways this morning that he did not think government ships should enter into competition with privately owned vessels, unless the demands of trade necessitated their so doing.

ACCIDENT KEEPS OUR WAR VESSELS IN PACIFIC WATERS

Victoria, B. C., May 17.—Damage sustained by H. M. C. S. Patriot, of the Canadian naval squadron, when she grounded in Nanaimo harbor last Tuesday, has been discovered to be serious enough to require about two weeks work. The accident has caused the postponement of the departure of the Canadian naval squadron from Esquimalt for Halifax, set for May 22.

MONTRÉAL STOCK EXCHANGE

Montréal, May 17.—A great deal of strength was displayed on the local stock exchange during the early trading today, and many substantial advances were registered. Attili was stronger by a half point at 37, while Atlantic Brazilian at 20-1/2. Brompton rose from its closing figures at 36-1/2 to 37-1/8. Breweries made the largest advance by strengthening one and three eighths points to 53-3/8.

Australians vs. Canadians

Toronto, May 17.—The Australian Davis Cup challengers have consented to play the first round against the Canadian team in Toronto on July 23, 25 and 26.

LORD ROBERT CECIL

A member of the British House of Commons who strongly opposes the measure for the protection of what are known as "key industries."

TO FOIL MAIL ROBBERS



The latest attempt of the U. S. government to thwart mail robbers is to use steel containers that are transported on flat cars. They are lifted off by crane and placed on a motor truck.

SENT UP TO HIGHER COURT

Dr. F. X. Morris Testifies—Charges an Attempt to Rob Him.

NO FEAR OF IT, SAYS GEDDES

Says Britain and U. S. Will Not be in Conflict Over Jap Alliance.

IONNART IS TO GO TO ROME

French Cabinet Meeting—Reports on the Upper Silesian Trouble.

Paris, May 17.—The French cabinet met today under the presidency of Premier Briand to consider the foreign political situation.

TO BE DEPORTED

Montréal, May 17.—Patrick J. Reid, one of Montréal's unemployed, who was arrested while leading a raid on Child's restaurant several weeks ago, for which he received a three months sentence, will be deported from Canada, according to a verdict rendered by the immigration board.

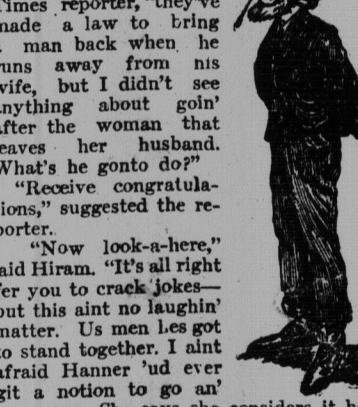
ITALIANS ELECTIONS

Rome, May 17.—Government computations on Sunday's parliamentary elections, based on returns received up to noon Monday, with fifty districts doubtful, show the election of 240 supporters of the Giolitti ministry, so the newspaper reports.

HER SOLDIER SONS

Mrs. Archie B. McAulay, 39 Portland street, has received two general service medals, one for each of her two sons, Pte. A. J. McAulay of the Royal Canadian Regiment, and Corporal J. J. McAulay of the Canadian Field Artillery.

As Hiram Sees It



"I see," said Mr. Hiram Hornbeam to the Times reporter, "they've made a law to bring man back when he runs away from his wife, but I didn't see anything about going after the woman that leaves her husband. What's he going to do?"

CIVIC RECEPTION IN FREDERICTON FOR PREMIER

Hon. Mr. Meighen to be There on Next Monday—Hon. Hugh Guthrie Also.

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NEW KIND OF RAILWAY CAR TRIED IN CANADA

Toronto, May 17.—The first trolley-less, storage battery electric railway car in Canada made its inaugural trip from Toronto to Belleville over the C. N. R. lines yesterday, and for the next month will give an hourly service between the two cities.

WEATHER REPORT

Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, E. F. Stewart, director of meteorological service.

DR. COWAN, M. P.

Member for Regina, who strongly condemned the refusal of Nova Scotia coal operators to produce their cost sheets before the parliamentary fuel committee.

VICTORIAN BRINGS FOLKS FOR CANADA

Quebec, May 17.—(Canadian Press)—The C. P. O. S. Victorian docked yesterday after an uneventful trip. The passengers numbered 1,840, including 372 cabin and 908 third class.

JOIN FORCES TO GO BEFORE THE COAL OPERATORS

Hard and Soft Coal Miners to Work Together for New Schedule Next Year.

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TO RETIRE FROM POLITICS



Col. C. W. McLeish, M. P. for Triggs, Lancashire, England, and parliamentary secretary to the under secretary for the colonies, will retire next general election. He served with distinction during the war in the Royal Horse Artillery. He is a native of St. John, N. B.

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MARK TIME IN THE COAL STRIKE

Public Utilities Being Kept In Operation.

One Miners' Official Discusses Dropping Demand for Coal Profits Pool—Some Disturbances, Mostly in Scotland.

London, May 17.—(Canadian Associated Press)—The industrial position was little altered yesterday, the most notable announcement being that of McGurk, the Lancashire miners' representative who declared that the miners' federation should realize that some attention must be given to the idea of dropping the demand for a national coal profits pool. He added that the strike would last until Christmas before the miners or the government would concede the demand for a pool.

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SPLENDID TROUT IN FINE SETTING

About this season of the year the angler's fancy begins to turn to thoughts of running streams and jumping fish. Fishing rods, neglected through the winter, are being dusted off and carefully inspected in preparation for an excursion to neighboring waters replete to contain fish. A particularly tempting display of trout in one of W. H. Thorne & Co's King street windows today stirred the blood of many an angler. They ran from two to two and a half pounds. All were hooked with "Forest March brown fly." They are nicely exhibited with a background depicting a mountain scene with a valley of rushing waters girt about with trees and rocks. On one of the rocks is a fisherman armed with the necessary implements for landing the wily trout. In the foreground is everything a prospective angler could desire with which to prepare him for the pursuit of the elusive fish. Fishing baskets, flashlights, pneumatic pillows, rods, reels, lures, knives and (shades of bygone days) a flask, all are there. Many favorable comments were made on the excellence of the arrangement of the articles in the window, the originality of the background and the line of the trout themselves.

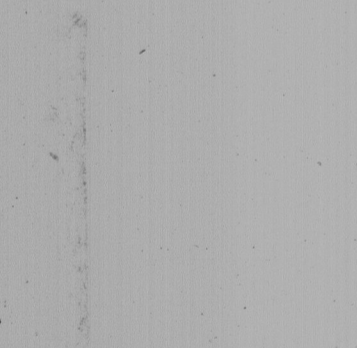
TO PUT ON BRAKES IN NEW ENGLAND

Effort Being Made to Check Losses of Industries.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET

Chicago, May 17.—Opening: Wheat—May \$1.46-1/2; July \$1.14-3/4. Corn—July 61-3/8; Sept 63-3/4. Oats—July 38-3/4; Sept 39-3/8.

ART STUDENT WINS SUCCESS



Henry Prison, a young London sculptor student whose Scottish Borderer figure was chosen as a great war memorial for the dead Scottish soldiers.

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