

BRINKLOW DIED- DOING HIS DUTY BY HIS COMPANY

Late Section Foreman on C. N. R. Trying to Save Property When Hit

JURY'S RECOMMENDATION Railway Company Should Devise Protection for "Spring Rock Cut"

"That the said Edward John Brinklow came to his death in the discharge of his duties, by endeavoring to reverse the direction of the car (hand car) in which he was riding, and from the evidence we would consider that the said Spring Lake rock-cut is a dangerous locality."

Coroner Dr. Boyce's jury reported at the close of the inquest last evening and exonerated the crew of the train from all blame in connection with the death of the foreman and closed with the following recommendation:

"We recommend that the Railway Company devise some means of affording more protection to their employees in this locality."

Edward John Brinklow was a section foreman on the C. O. R. line and former reeve of Limerick township, who died in Belleville General Hospital on May 1st, owing to injuries received by being struck by a south bound train on the C. N. R. at Spring Lake rock-cut at the hour of 7.50 in the morning of April 28th.

BONAR LAW WILL RETURN TO HOUSE

Will Probably Join Balfour as Elder Statesman attached to Ministry

LONDON, May 12.—Bonar Law is in Paris, and will soon return to London and to the House of Commons, from which he did not resign. His health is much improved, but he shows no inclination to resume the leadership in the Commons, in which post Austen Chamberlain is now firmly established.

Events within the Coalition Party have moved somewhat rapidly since Bonar Law resigned office. The Asquithian Liberals have now finally cut Lloyd George out of their type of Liberalism, even to the point of taking down a presentation portrait of him which has hitherto adorned the walls of the National Liberal Club.

Last night, Sir George Younger, chief organizer of the Unionist party, stated significantly: "The Coalition must go to the country the next time as a united party under a single leader."

The general election of 1918 was fought under the joint leadership of Lloyd George and Bonar Law.

PEANUT SELLER GRABS BASEBALL CLUB

ATLANTA, Ga., May 12.—Is there a profit in peanuts? There must be. Announcement was made today that controlling interest in the Atlanta baseball club of the Southern Association has been acquired by R. J. Spiller, holder of the refreshment concession at the baseball park. It was announced today.

Molder Loses Eye.

Kingston—While employed in road work at Merrickville during a stack period at the Kyle malleable works, Wilfred Youde, was struck in the eye by a splinter of stone broken off by a hammer. The eye has now been removed at a Smith's Falls hospital.

Picton's Assessment.

Picton—Picton's assessment is made. The value of land \$426,470, value of buildings, \$1,804,055, or a total of \$2,439,685. The increase over 1920 is \$18,335. Exempted property is \$427,600. The population is 2,189, an increase of 24. There are 476 children between the ages of five and sixteen.

NAVAL OPERATIONS ARE NECESSARY TO "LAND" HUGE CACHE OF LIQUOR; LICENSE OFFICIALS AS JACK TARS

TWO motor launches puffing their way from the Main Docks through the Lake and the Bay of Quinte to Picton, one of them bearing thirty-two cases of Scotch whisky and gin one ten-gallon keg of eye whiskey, and two five-gallon kegs of alcohol, were the pretty sight which met the blissing sun yesterday afternoon.

103 MILES OF WATER TRIP. The quartette left Belleville at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning in a launch reared from A.

NATIVE BORN BEST FOR LAND

Advice Given Nation by Duke of Devonshire in Speech At Ottawa

STRONG WHILE RACE Best Immigration Agency in World, Says Governor-General, is the Cradle

OTTAWA, May 12.—"The best immigration agency in the world is the cradle," said His Excellency the Governor-General, who occupied the chair at the annual meeting of the Victorian Order of Nurses' board of governors in the Chateau Laurier.

While on their farewell tour of the west, their Excellencies had been impressed more than ever with its magnitude and possibilities. "One thing Western Canada needs more than anything else is the population that will turn its resources into the most useful channels."

"We talk about immigration and filling up this country, but the best immigration agent in the world is the cradle. If we work together to bring up a strong, active, virile population of our own, born on the place that is the surest way to develop this great land's resources. The organizations that help to that end are doing an enormous service for their country."

His Excellency urged close co-operation between the order and the Red Cross Society. He suggested that the Red Cross use its prestige to develop public sentiment, and supply money for the work of the Victorian Order.

Tramp Steamers Not Good Enough; Wait Freight Line

OTTAWA, May 12.—The question of the correctness of the financial statement of the Canadian government merchant marine was raised before the Parliamentary Committee on nationally owned railways and shipping, this morning by Wm. Duff, Lunenburg, who secured consent to have A. J. Mitchell, financial director, called for cross-examination on this point.

R. B. Teakle, operating manager, said the ships were getting a fair share of business and that he was endeavoring to build up a freight liner business as against the tramp business which was "not worthy of Canadian ships."

Hon. A. K. MacLean raised the point of whether or not the interests of the National Railways clashed with the interests of the National ships. It might destroy Canadian trade if this were the case. Mr. Teakle did not remember an instance of this kind.

LATE ARCHIE GREEN.

The mortal remains of Archie Green, of Point Anne, were laid to rest on the Mohawk Reservation on Wednesday afternoon. The Rev. A. H. Creggan, of Deseronto officiating. The bearers were M. Hill, R. Sero, M. Sero, J. Maracle, B. Lewis and J. Maracle.

H. Kerr, local boatman. A sixty-three mile trip brought the party to the Main Docks ten miles off the Prince Edward shore and there their real work began.

Like revenue officers of old they searched the island and found a big consignment of whiskey, rye, gin and alcohol in a deserted stone shack. The booze was all Canadian or Scotch product.

A search for the owner revealed the fact that he was far away. As the hard stuff appeared to be for the purposes of bootlegging and as it was in a place where it could not legally be kept, the whole of it was seized. No arrests were made.

Then what to do with it was the problem. The launch could not carry the big shipment so it was decided to press into service a motor boat at the fishing village. One was secured and

COLLISION IN LAKE

The crew divided up and started off on the return voyage. It looked like a bold buccaneering party but anyone who knows the genial human spirits who were on the expedition knows that the crews had an enjoyable forty-mile trip back to Picton. The ships collided in mid-lake and slight damage was done to Belleville barque. Arriving at Picton the booze was carted to the police station and locked up for safety. The Kerr boat was left there and the fisherman's boat went back to the island.

The Belleville crew arrived home at 1.30 this morning. This is the biggest single seizure in this district since "O. T.A." became a common phrase in Ontario.

Struck By Train But Little Injured

While crossing the G. T. R. tracks at Napanee on Monday afternoon, Joseph Sykes, an employee of the creamery, was struck by a train and thrown forty feet. The engine driver saw the man on the tracks and blew the whistle, but Sykes went on unheeding and the train could not be stopped in time. When he was picked up, it was found that he was not seriously injured, no bones were broken, and aside from a severe shaking up he is none the worse.

REGISTER DEEDS BEFORE 1ST JUNE

After That Date the Fee Will Be Increased Under New Law

TRANSFERS INVOLVED Tax of One-Fifth of One Per Cent. Will Be Imposed, It is Announced

A tax of one-fifth of one per cent. of the consideration on the transfer of all deeds of lands, tenements and other realty will become effective on June 1st under the Land Transfers Act, 1921, and will be transmitted by the registrars of the different counties to the Provincial Treasurer. The transfer must be accompanied by an affidavit as to the consideration or value of the realty.

It is to the interest of all persons who have deeds of property which are not registered to have them registered before June 1st as all registrations on or after that date will require the tax and the production of an affidavit. Numbers of people have unregistered deeds in their possession.

Make Presentation To Mr. James Bewell

The Alert Bible Class in connection with Holloway St. Methodist Church, visited Rossmore Methodist Church on Tuesday and presented a play. During the evening a pleasing event took place, a presentation of a purse. The presentation was accompanied by an address of appreciation from the congregation of Rossmore Church, the document being signed by Miss Gertrude Duke, Mr. J. L. Gerow, Mrs. R. Babcock, Mrs. Wm. Belnap, Mrs. Chas. Reddick and Mr. Wm. Brickman.

W.C.T.U. ELECT OFFICERS

At the April meeting of the W. C. T. U. the following were elected office bearers for 1921-22: Pres.—Mrs. Gibson. Rec.—Mrs. Hagerman. Cor.—Mrs. M. Farley. Treasurer—Miss Jack.

Lateness of the hour prevented further work. The list will be completed at the May meeting. A spirit of gratitude prevailed, due to the recovery of Mrs. Gibson to the extent that she retains the presidency on condition that an associate be appointed.

Owing to the removal from the city, Mrs. Bontar, treasurer, for the past fifteen years, she could not accept re-appointment.

Strong Thread.

Swedish experimenters have spun thread 50 per cent. stronger than pure wool and closely resembling it from 60 per cent. peat fibre and 40 per cent. wool.

SET ON FIRE IN CHURCH PARLOR

Blaze in Holloway St. Church Last Night Was \$6,000 Mortgage

AGAIN FREE OF DEBT Annual Meeting of West Belleville Congregation Was Held

A mortgage which has been resting against Holloway street Methodist Church was last evening destroyed by fire at the annual meeting in the school parlors. The mortgage was put on for \$6,000 in 1912 when the church was renovated and an addition built. The indebtedness had been paid off, the last payment being \$655.00.

The Rev. A. H. Foster, pastor, presided. The quarterly board trustees were called to the platform for the ceremony of cremation of the mortgage. Mr. A. E. Bailey, the oldest of the stewards, was given the honor of touching the match. As the document blazed the congregation rose and sang the doxology, while the seven stewards—Messrs C. Walters, C. Ostrom, E. Mastin, Nelson Jones, C. Pearce, and George Bates, held the tray for the ashes.

\$10,500 Raised During Year. Holloway street church raised \$10,500 for all purposes during the year just closed. Reports from all the departments were read, showing the church's position as never better.

Eighty-eight new members were received into the church in the past twelve months. The first Methodist church on the west side was a frame structure which in 1876 gave way to the brick place of worship now standing. The original mortgage on the church was wiped off in the nineties.

The Rev. A. H. Foster now enters upon his third year as pastor with every prospect of still greater success.

NO EIGHT-HOUR DAY ON FARMS

Help is Scarce And Season is Getting On—Seeding Nearly Done

Many farmers were on their land at five o'clock this morning in their efforts to complete seeding. The work which is now almost ended, has been very heavy owing to the winter killing of fall grains and the absence of help on the land.

The decline in price of farm products is having a tendency to make farmers do all their own work. The average wage being paid this Spring is \$40. per month.

A well-known Thurlow agriculturist stated today that the acreage under cultivation this year would equal or be superior to that of last year. In Sidney seeding is about over.

FOLKS IN COBOURG WANT THEIR TOBACCO.

Cobourg, May 12.—If the W. C. T. U. proceed to make war on tobacco, and seek to prohibit the use of tobacco, as it is understood they are endeavoring to do, they will not have matters all their own way in Cobourg. Lists, or petitions, are being signed in town by citizens who are utterly and unreservedly opposed to any such drastic legislation, which would deprive them of using tobacco. The petition is being signed by many who do not use tobacco in any form.

URGE NEW RULES TO AID CONVICTS AT PENITENTIARY

Committee Reports After Months of Inquiry Against Present System

REFORMATION THE IDEA Corporal Punishment is Denounced—Give Convicts Real Work to do

KINGSTON, May 12.—The report of the committee appointed several months ago to inquire into the penitentiary system of Canada and to recommend amendments to the penitentiary Act and revision of the penitentiary regulations, was made public today.

The committee consisted of O. M. Biggar, K.C., Ottawa; P. M. Draper, Ottawa, and W. F. Nickle, K. C., of Kingston. The report recommends several far-reaching amendments to the act, and a complete new body of regulations based upon the committee's recommendation that reformation instead of repression, should be the principal of penal institutions.

One of the principal recommendations relates to a provision for the convicts, of sufficient work with a resultant system of industrial classification.

Corporal punishment is denounced as unnecessary in a great many cases. The committee provides for its infliction if, in the opinion of the Minister of Justice, an incorrigible convict can in no other way be brought to a realization of his obligations.

Abolition of the present severe reserve rules is recommended with the adoption instead of the idea of making the system such as, so far as possible, to turn prisoners into good citizens.

Other Recommendations It is proposed to rest the general direction of the penitentiaries in a penitentiary board to be established. Other recommendations would exclude mentally defective prisoners from rigid penitentiary discipline, would provide adequate work for prisoners with some remuneration; classification of all employments in the penitentiary under six heads, according to the skill and capacity entering into them; establishments for penitentiary schools; compulsory education of illiterates; improvement of libraries; insistence on standard of cells being respected; provision for outdoor exercise; maintenance of the health of convicts and regulated distribution of tobacco.

Belleville Rebekahs Entertained at Picton

Wednesday, May 11th, will be a day long remembered by the members of Macpelah Rebekah Lodge No. 144, of Picton. About fifty members of Quinten Rebekah Lodge Belleville, were present on a fraternal visit. Sister C. Kenley, the noble grand of Picton, welcomed the visitors and asked the Degree Staff from Belleville to instruct into the teachings of the Rebekah Degree the four candidates who were waiting. The Degree Staff under P. G. Bro. S. A. Barkley, who worthily upheld their reputation of being one of the best in this part of Ontario were the following sisters:

N. G., A. Carter; P. N. G., M. Naylor; V. G., L. Cole; Chaplain, M. J. Bennett-Smith; Conductor, R. Turner; Warden, L. Naylor; R.S.N.G., E. Allison; L.S.N.G., G. Brower; R. S. V.G., M. Gerow; L.S.V.G., P. N. G. L. Naylor; Banner Bearers, A. Cornish, J. Wilson, N. Young, L. Mikel; Banner Supporters, E. Turvey, M. Ashley, P. Smith, G. Burnett, J. Rowson, E. West, E. Gawles, A. Brown, E. Fenn, R. McCoy; Inside Guard, B. Andrews; Pianist, J. Smith.

Immediately after the Degree members adjourned to the splendid dining room, where tables were laid, loaded with good things to which everyone did full justice. P. G. Bro. F. W. Martin acted as chairman and expressed the appreciation and congratulations of Picton Lodge to the Degree Staff for the splendid manner the degree had been exemplified. P.D.D.P. Sister Hubbs also expressed her congratulations, which were more than appreciated by the Belleville Staff, coming from such a hot Sister of Oddfellowship as Picton.

A beautiful bouquet of flowers. Among the visitors who replied were Sister L. Cole, Sister M. J. Bennett-Smith, P. N. G. Sister L. Naylor and Bro. Barkley. A very enjoyable evening was brought to a close by singing the National Anthem, and the very dusty roads of Prince Edward, reaching Belleville safely in the early hours of the morning.

OVER 350,000 WORKERS SEE WAGES CUT IN MONTE.

LONDON, April 25.—(By Mail)—More than 350,000 workers in Great Britain suffered reductions in wages last month amount to £60,000 a week, and 110,000 received increases amounting to about £2,900 a week. This is shown by the Ministry of Labor. Retail prices fell eight points in that month, the Ministry says, the reduction being due chiefly to fall in the prices of food, although clothing prices also went down to some extent.

TWO WOMEN IN ULSTER ELECTION

Selection of Unionist Candidates for May 24th—Vote Nearly Complete

HOW ABOUT SENATE? Many Prominent People in Ulster are Likely to Get Seat There

BELFAST, May 13.—Selection of Ulster Unionist candidates for the election May 24, has been practically completed, and party leaders are centering attention on the campaign. The nominees represent practically all classes of the community—labor, professional, manufacturing and farming elements. The labor men, however, are drawn from the Unionist ranks and do not include socialists and members of the Independent Labor party, who are accused of being allied with Bolshevism and the Sinn Fein.

Two women have been designated to make the race for the Unionist forces. They are Mrs. R. P. S. Chick and Mrs. R. J. M'Mordie for Belfast. Many names prominent in the civic and political life of Belfast and Ulster do not appear in the list of candidates as announced, but there is yet opportunity for their selection to the senate when the members of this body are named later by the lower house.

Ulster is entitled to 47 members in the lower house divided as follows: Belfast city, 16 members; County Down, 8 members; County Antrim, 7 members; County Armagh 4 members; County City Derry, 5 members; Counties Tyrone-Fermanagh, 3 members; Queen's University, 4 members. Of the 19 Sinn Fein candidates for Ulster, 9 are at present in jail and at least half of the remainder are "on the run."

The list includes Arthur Griffiths, founder of the Sinn Fein now in prison, and Eamonn de Valera, President of the Irish Republic. Against the Gypsies. Kingston—As a result of the ill-treatment reported against the Gypsies who have been camping at Bardsfield—in connection with their horses, the militia authorities will be asked to refuse to allow these wanderers to camp on militia property.

Grant 21 Divorces In Twenty Minutes

OTTAWA, May 12.—Within a space of twenty minutes the Private Bills Committee of the House this morning passed twenty-one divorce bills.

EMPLOYMENT CONDITIONS IMPROVING IN CANADA

OTTAWA, May 12.—Dominion headquarters of the employment service of Canada received for the week ending April 16, reports from over five thousand firms with 609,946 workers on their pay rolls. For the previous week these identical firms had reported pay rolls

AIR ROUTES EVERYWHERE; EUROPE NET WORK OF LINES

LONDON, May 11.—Almost daily extension of passenger and mail service by air is rapidly making Europe a network of aerial transportation lines. Negotiations are now nearing completion for an airway from Berlin via Riga to Moscow, and when this service is completed it will be possible to travel by air from London to Moscow, a distance of nearly 3,000 miles.

Berlin already is connected with London by the Dutch service through Amsterdam. This Dutch branch also has inaugurated service between Paris and Amsterdam.

The existing London-Paris service connects at Paris with the airway to Warsaw which goes by way of Strasbourg and Prague. The Franco-Rumanian Air Service Company, which is responsible for this airway, has obtained concessions from the Austrian and Rumanian governments and hopes shortly to open an airway that will connect London through Paris with Constantinople.

MARCONI LIKES WIRELESS PHONE

Great Inventor Plus Faith to This in Place of the Cable

NOT YET DEVELOPED Expects to be Able to Speak Across the Ocean Without Trouble

LONDON, May 13.—Signor Marconi, inventor of wireless, plus his faith to trans-Atlantic telephonic communication by wireless instead of by cable, despite the recent successful experiments in America connecting Cuba with the mainland in a telephone circuit extending 5,000 miles.

"I still think," he said, "that the only satisfactory method of telephoning across the Atlantic is by wireless. At present we can only do a short distance by cable telephoning from London to Paris as far as we can do now. In attempts to communicate with Spain we have failed. Up to 100 or 200 miles of cable it works. With 1,000 miles or more of cable it won't work."

"Wireless telephony, of course, has not yet been developed to the same extent as the wire telephone, but it is being rapidly improved. We have not done anything like 5,000 miles thus far. We have spoken successfully from London to Rome, and we have got words through to America, but not in a commercial or practical way. At present there are certain disturbances of the waves in space, the cause of which has not yet been discovered."

EUREKA LODGE EN FETE.

Eureka Lodge, 233 A.F. and A.M. was en fete last evening, when over two hundred attended the regular meeting which was honored with the presence of the district deputy, R. W. Bro. Potts of Trenton. The degree work was given a musical setting, the effect being unique. At the banquet in the dining hall, Wor. Bro. Leon Walmsey presided and the accommodation at the tables was inadequate so great was the attendance. The Eureka Orchestra furnished the music.

After the King had been pledged, the Grand Lodge was toasted by R. W. Bro. C. J. Symons, R. W. Bro. Potts making reply referring to the growth of Masonry throughout the world.

The health of the sister lodges was proposed by R. W. Bro. F. D. Diamond, and replied to by W. Bro. Frost of Moira Lodge, R. W. Bro. J. Clarke, of the Belleville Lodge, W. Bro. Wiggins of Dorie Lodge, W. Bro. Dr. Morgan of Arden, W. B. Alvey of Trent Lodge and others.

Bro. (Rev.) D. C. Ramsay proposed and responded to the toast of the absent Masons who were unable to get into lodge on account of the large number present.

V. Wor. Bro. J. O. Herly called the company to drink the health of the candidate newly initiated, who made reply.

R. W. Bro. F. E. O'Flynn proposed the visitors' health and R. W. Bro. R. Spencer of Trenton spoke in response. Bro. J. Booth and Bro. H. C. MacKay both contributed vocal solos to the program.

COTTON SPINNERS' WAGES CUT.

MANCHESTER, May 13.—The Cotton Spinners' and Manufacturers' Association has given notice of a reduction of thirty per cent in wages in the weaving section. Three hundred thousand operatives will be affected.

Obituary

On Thursday evening Mrs. J. T. Kissack (nee Laura Storring) passed Divide in her 27th year Hospital.

A great many at Mad member the late Mrs. K. she was at Mr. J. C. Daley made many friends and Friends and relatives to hear of her death hours before death came "I should like to live to my little ones, if it is not, I am ready to die. She leaves to mourn sisters and 5 brothers, Bray, of Chippawa, Mrs. of Trenton, Mrs. Thom Madoe Township, Mrs. F. of St. Catharines, Mrs. F. of Niagara Falls, Stella Mary and Evelyn at home Trenton, Guy of Madoc and Ross, Oscar and John Mr. and Mrs. Storring London for the funeral and returned the following

Air Commodore Charl British embassy, Washington guest of their Excellency Governor-General and of Devonshire, at Govern

R. C. M. P. PUT ON STAGE HERE JUNE

Famous Red Coated Send Detachment Celebration

G.W.V.A.'S BIG Many Places are Remission to Have Known Attractions

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Mr. Porter also stated received this morning the pliants had been refused and that the Belleville been specially favored.

"The June 3rd Celebration extends to Mr. gratitude for his success in this spectacular attraction L'ddie, the secretary wishes to thank Mayor H efforts in trying to get ment of Mounted Police June 3rd."

MARKET SQUARE PAVING DONE AS TOO COSTLY

"Three Dollar Plan" Yet Go Through—Undecided

PAVE TO C.N.R. The table of the mounted mouse was given a musical setting last night when committees wrestled in nearly five hours and the two recommendations to the council at its Monday session.

Quite a varied program kept the committee busy. The proposal to pave side of the market between Front streets appeared definitely been dropped in order to inaugurate an economy.

Those favorable to the cation of aldermen for the may find difficulty in getting law through, although it is a majority of the favorable.

What they did do was to recommend that walk be constructed on side of Dundas street from the city limit to the prayer of the petitioned for an asphaltic pavement on Dundas street.

Street and southerly along street to the C. P. R. petition having been proposed and that the engineer prepare specifications so that be proceeded with at once.