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SHOOT'S WIFE AND SELF HUNTSVILLE SCENE OF A TRAGEDY JEALOUS MAN'S CRIME

Nelson Smith of Berlin Goes to Wife's Home, Where She Was Visiting, and Kills Her—Then Runs From House and Shoots Himself.

HUNTSVILLE, May 8.—(Special.)—Jealousy is held to have been responsible for a double tragedy on the outskirts of this town to-day, when Nelson Smith, an employe of the Galt, Hespeler, Preston and Berlin Railway, shot and killed his wife and then, a few moments later, ended his own life with a bullet.

The shooting took place at the home of his father-in-law, James Goldie, a farmer, about a mile and a quarter from the town, and across the river. His wife, who was Miss Martha Goldie, had been visiting her parents for about six weeks. She was about 30 years of age and was married seven years ago.

Sister Found Him Standing Holding Body in His Arms

Smith arrived in town this morning. His home was in Berlin, where his mother and brothers reside. He had breakfast at a hotel and then, it is said, went to the district school, where he asked to see his six-year-old son. He greeted the lad affectionately and asked him if his mother was at home and on being told that she was, he set off for the house, where a brother-in-law admitted him. Smith seemed in his usual spirits and when he met his wife in the parlor and when she kissed her and seemed in the best of humor. The general conversation that followed was free from signs of anger or excitement, but a few minutes after Mrs. Goldie left the room she was horrified to hear two revolver shots.

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Suburban Railway Services.

The News says editorially: The World deserves encouragement in its campaign for a suburban railway service out of Toronto. For years past Montreal has enjoyed the advantages of numerous daily trains to and from all the neighboring municipalities. Why should Toronto be discriminated against? Toronto's adequate local services of the character indicated would make towns as far distant as Brampton and Whitby virtual suburbs of Toronto. Business would be attracted to the city and city business and professional men would be able to give their families the benefit of country life. Dr. P. H. Bryce maintains that a family must get back to the land every third generation or lose its stamina and vitality. A suburban service for Toronto is worthy the consideration of the railways and of the railway commission.

MONTREAL OFFICIALS DON'T KNOW OUR NEEDS

Perhaps They'll Come This Way, Tho, and Become Better Acquainted.

MONTREAL, May 8.—(Special.)—The Toronto World's campaign for a better suburban service for that city is attracting a great deal of attention here, and while every passenger official of the Grand Trunk is out of town and the under men are unwilling to give out any idea of the company's policy, the C.P.R. high officials talked more freely. They, however, evidently know little about the centres of population in and about the City of Toronto. They declare that while there are people and places around Montreal there are very few of a similar importance near Toronto, hence the progressive policy of the company in Montreal and a backward policy for the Queen City.

ARREST GERMAN PRINCE.

One of Kaiser's Intimates Accused of Gross Offences.

BERLIN, May 8.—Prince Philipp zu Eulenburg was placed under actual arrest to-day. The crown prosecutor took this step as a result of the testimony given by two men at his bedside in the effect that the prince had been guilty of wrongful actions with them 25 years ago.

MRS. GUINNESS ALIVE.

Body in Ruins Not That of the Murderess.

CHICAGO, May 8.—A despatch to The Inter-Ocean from Laporte, Ind., says: Mrs. Bella Guinness, high priestess of murder, who at the back door of her farmhouse kept a private graveyard, from which nine bodies have been unearthed, is alive.

STRIKE ON C.P.R. AT OWEN SOUND

Freight Handlers Go Out and Strike-Breakers Desert.

OWEN SOUND, May 8.—(Special.)—A strike that is assuming serious proportions commenced yesterday, when 250 freight truckers on the Canadian Pacific Railway's thru freight sheds walked out on the refusal of their demand for the restoration of last year's scale of wages, viz., 17 cents an hour.

Government Hasn't Money AND OPPOSITION'S TACTICS MAY PRECIPITATE CRISIS

No Ready Cash for Ordinary Expenditure of Service and None Will Be Voted Until Election Bill is Rendered Harmless.

OTTAWA, May 8.—(Special.)—Not a dollar for supply as long as the government adheres to its determination to bring under the municipal election law many classes of voters residing in the unorganized sections of the province. His other argument was that the bill "would cover many irregularities."

QUEBEC FREIGHT HANDLERS ALSO TO BE SETTLED WITH

QUEBEC, May 8.—The Express of Britain arrived this morning. For many weeks it has been reported that the C.P.R. removing the terminus for the Express from Quebec to either Three Rivers or Montreal, and it was not until the vessel had actually arrived at Quebec this morning that these rumors could be definitely disposed of.

TAKE OVER BRANCH LINES.

Haughton Lennox Presents Motion Regarding the G. T. P.

OTTAWA, May 8.—(Special.)—During the hour for private bills to-night, the bill to extend the time of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company was considered.

A CLUMSY ATTEMPT.



MR. BORDEN: Ah, so that political juvenile thought he would trip me up, did he?

IRISH COERCION ACT PASSES INTO HISTORY

By 201 to 7, House of Commons Passes Second Reading—Secretary Birrell Supports It.

LONDON, May 8.—By a vote of 201 to 7 the bill repealing the Irish Coercion Act of 1887 passed its second reading in the house of commons to-day.

FIFTY YEARS A RESIDENT.

J. L. Blaikie Will Celebrate His 86th Birthday To-Day.

Many happy returns of the day to John Lang Blaikie, president of The North American Life Assurance Company, and one of our most respected citizens, who attains his 86th birthday to-day, and the fiftieth year of his residence in the City of Toronto.

\$500 REWARD.

Incentive Now for Capture of Murderer Moir.

OTTAWA, May 8.—(Special.)—The government has authorized the minister of militia to offer a reward of \$500 for the arrest of Private Moir, who murdered Col.-Sergt. Lloyd at Wolsey Barracks, London, on April 17, or for such information as may result in his arrest.

TRIBUTE TO CANADA.
(Canadian Associated Press Cable.)
LONDON, May 8.—The Standard, referring to Mackenzie King's report, says Canada has taken full advantage of the opportunity to prove her recognition of imperial responsibilities in the eyes of the world. If all over-seas states accept their position in the same generous spirit, difficulties arising from the relations of alien races within the empire need not greatly alarm.

BALLOTS CAN'T BE PRODUCED

Stanstead By-Election Boxes Contain the Papers of Old Election.

OTTAWA, May 8.—(Special.)—A sensation has been caused by the disappearance of the ballots cast in the recent by-election in Stanstead, Que. In the house to-day R. L. Borden read a telegram from Sherbrooke to the effect that the clerk of the crown in chancery had been summoned to appear before the election court at Stanstead and had reported that 44 boxes purporting to contain the ballots of the by-election in January contained the ballots of the election of 1904.

INVITE THE "OLD BOYS."

Suggests That Former Governors-General Be Asked to Quebec.

OTTAWA, May 8.—(Special.)—In the senate this afternoon Senator Macdonald of British Columbia suggested that the government should invite some of the former governor-generals of Canada to be the guests of the Canadian Government at the Quebec celebration in July.

A REMARKABLE ESCAPE.

Ross Edwards Had Foot Caught in Frog.

SMITH'S FALLS, May 8.—(Special.)—Ross Edwards, a C.P.R. employe, had an exciting experience yesterday. He was working in the yard here and was in the act of turning a switch when his foot got caught in a frog.

MAY SHOW GRAFT.

Mr. Haultain to Make Charges in School Book Matters.

REGINA, Sask., May 8.—The Morning school book contract was defended by the minister of education in the assembly to-day in a two-hour speech, during which he resented charges of graft alleged to have been made by the leader of the opposition, and dared Mr. Haultain to make good.

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