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JAPS AND GERMANS.

London, Aug. 26.—The revelation that the diplomatic negotiations which finally resulted in the Anglo-Japanese alliance first contemplated an Anglo-German-Japanese triple alliance and that Germany was largely instrumental in instigating them but was shut out by Japan, is made in the diary of the late Count Tadasu Hayashi, former Japanese ambassador to Great Britain, and twice foreign minister, part of which was recently published.

The Jiji Shimpo, of Tokio, printed portions of the diary, but the Japanese government prohibited further publication and the censor suppressed telegrams sent by foreign correspondents in Japan reporting details.

RETURNED FROM WEST

Mrs. George Cowie and children formerly of Marysville, have returned from the Canadian west, to which they removed about three months ago. Mr. Cowie will follow shortly. Conditions in the west were not found satisfactory and Mr. Cowie will locate in New Brunswick.

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DIXON GUILTY ON ONE CHARGE

Judge Will Submit Case to Attorney-General--Afternoon Session of County Court

At the afternoon session of the court, the case of the King vs. Robert Dixon was taken up before his honor and the following jury, Wilfred C. Day, John S. Russell, Bayard Stillwell, Charles A. Conway, Weston Evans, Frank S. Alwood, G. Heber Arnold, George T. Calhoun, Frederick Selby and Thomas G. Keirstead and Percy J. Steele. Thomas Dillon was stood aside by the crown and William Gibbon was challenged by the accused.

The prisoner on being arraigned pleaded not guilty to the charges contained on the two counts in the indictment that he "did on July 23 last attempt to murder Adam MacIntyre and that he did on the same day attempt to assault Mr. MacIntyre with intent to do grievous bodily harm."

Adam P. MacIntyre was the first witness for the crown and told of the prisoner coming into his office and drawing a knife. Edmund Chase, a city marshal, told of taking the knife from Dixon. Officer Alex. Crawford told of the arrest, and G. Earle Logan, who was present in the chamberlain's office at the time Dixon came in, told of hearing the accused threaten "to get" MacIntyre at either dinner or supper time. Dixon was not represented by counsel and handled his own case. He said that Mr. MacIntyre robbed him of his share in his father's property and at one time intimated to the court that if he got a "sackknife" he would report the matter to the minister of justice.

The jury retired at 8.40 and returned at 8.48 and after a short deliberation returned the first count and guilty on the second. He will be sentenced later. His honor intimated that he would submit the matter to the attorney-general.

In the case of the King vs. Boylen, Mr. Harvey moved that a bench warrant be issued for his arrest. The accused is out on bail and did not turn up at the opening of the court. E. S. Ritchie is defending.

At the conclusion of the county court yesterday afternoon Judge Jonah held a session of the Special Criminal Court and the case of the King vs. Phillip Home, charged with non support, was taken up. C. H. Ferguson appeared for the crown and the accused in person. After the prisoner's wife and Mrs. Sophia Fenwick and Deputy Chief Police Jenkins testified, the court suggested that the parties get together with a view of becoming reconciled.

DOCTORS PLEAD GOOD FAITH IN SCOTT ACT CASES

Sussex, N. B., Aug. 26.—The cases of alleged violation of the Canadian Temperance Act on the part of several prominent local physicians still hold the centre of attraction here today. Standing-room was at a premium at both sessions before Magistrate Folkins today.

This afternoon the second case against Dr. D. H. McAlister was heard in the evidence against the doctor for not content with taking Dr. McAlister in once, returned to him a few days later and succeeded in procuring a prescription for eight ounces of whiskey. Gjerde was the first witness called. He said that on August 12 he obtained a prescription for whiskey from Dr. McAlister without the formality of a physician's examination, without saying that it was for medicinal purposes.

C. H. Fairweather told of filling the prescription with eight ounces of Scotch whiskey.

The defendant sworn, said that Gjerde had called, and as he had been asked before asked him how he was feeling and received the response that he was better. Witness said that the doctor told him a story about going out to look over some lumber areas similar to the late related to him. Gjerde testified this morning, "Then," said the witness, "he made a motion to me as if writing which I took to mean he wanted another prescription. Later he asked me for it. I gave it to him in consequence of a previous examination and because I thought it had done him good and that he had not abused it."

The defendant was believed in good faith when he prescribed the ten ounces that it was the proper thing to do, witness replied, "Yes," and after the conversation he and I had in regard to his proposed travels and coupled with the fact that he had not abused the previous prescription, I would have, if I had it in the office, given him liquor even without a prescription.

This completed the evidence in this case. Another case against Dr. John B. Gilchrist will be heard tomorrow morning and it is expected that the arguments of the attorneys will be made in the afternoon. In the meantime the residents are awaiting with interest the result of the hearings. It is said that one of the doctors reported has paid a fine of \$20 rather than have his case aired in the place court.

SLAVERY IN PHILIPPINES

Washington, Aug. 24.—Not only peonage but chattel slavery in the strictest sense of the word is flourishing today throughout the Philippine Islands, according to a special report made by Commissioner Dean C. Worcester, Secretary of the Interior, to the Governor-General.

The report is the outcome of a request for information made to the War Department by the senate on May 1, when Senator Borah read a letter from Commissioner Worcester stating in a general way that slavery existed on such a scale as to make it one of the most serious problems confronting the government. Dean Worcester's report is all the more interesting because the war department reported to the senate that it had no information concerning slavery in the islands.

Channel Swimmers Failed.

Cape Grisey, Aug. 26.—Jabez Wolfe, abandoned his attempt to swim the English Channel this afternoon and returned to the French shore on board the accompanying boat.

Dover, Aug. 26.—Henry F. Sullivan, of Lowell (Mass.), failed in his attempt to swim the English channel today. He entered the water near the South Foreland at 6.45 o'clock in the morning, and left the water at 4.03 in the afternoon when within six miles of Cape Grisey, France.

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FUNCTION OF PRISON FARMS

(Ottawa Journal).

The Toronto World notes that a small municipality in Washington state has established a farm to which the man who has failed to support his wife or family is relegated. He is made to work, for which he is given board and lodging and a dollar and a half a day, which is sent to his wife. But what of the man who is anxious and willing to work and can't find employment, asks the World? He surely is at least as worthy of a job as the shirker.

At the present time it is one of the problems of life for the individual to find work and to retain it. In this country work seems to be reasonably plentiful, notably so at certain times of the year. So the man who complains that he cannot find work seldom gets much sympathy. His idleness is put down to some fault on his own part, laziness, profligacy, slothfulness or indifference.

The man who refuses to support his family deserves punishment. He commits an offence against the law, more grievous than that of the idle individual who has no wife or family depending on him. But his wife and family have done no wrong. So the law does its highest duty in providing that they shall not suffer, and this is done by making the culprit work for them under the eye of the law. Being used to the ways of idleness, he suffers through being made to work, which experience also tends to make a useful citizen of him. In so far as an idler's wife and family are concerned, putting him in jail is the worst possible punishment, for while there he is certain to receive no aid, and they are certain to receive no aid. The prison farm for idlers or idlers is a fine thing.

A DOUBLE HONOR FOR PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

(Charlottetown Patriot)

A double honor has been bestowed upon Charlottetown and the Island generally. E. T. Higgs, merchant has been elected president of the Maritime Board of Trade and R. L. Cotton, journalist, has been elevated to the important position of President of the Maritime Press Association. We rejoice in the honors bestowed upon these two worthy citizens of Charlottetown. Mr. Higgs is one of the rising young business men of the province. He has long been identified with boards of trade, having been secretary, vice-president and president successively of the Charlottetown board. He is alert and active, has a thorough grasp of business conditions, transportation matters, and is in every way fully qualified for the high and responsible position to which he has been elevated. We heartily congratulate him upon his well merited recognition at the hands of the Maritime Board of Trade.

Mr. Cotton is a newspaper man of note, and is now proprietor, the Maritime Stationer, Sunnyside. He is full of business and vim. He has long been a member of the press association and last year was elected vice-president, and this year occupies the proud position of president of that most important organization. We believe Mr. Cotton will make a most capable president and will discharge his responsibilities in such a manner as to reflect the highest credit upon the press association and himself. He has a capital knowledge of journalism and contributions affecting the press in the maritime provinces; therefore, Charlottetown and the province at large, are doubly honored, and we again heartily congratulate both Mr. Higgs and Mr. Cotton on the honors they have gained.

A ROAD LESSON FROM THE WEST

(The Missoulian)

If we stop to contrast the condition of the public highways in Missoula county at present with their condition four years ago, we bring to notice some of the best and most practical hoisting that has ever been done in this community or for it.

The road policy of the county commissioners has been progressive, but it has not been extravagant. A systematic plan of highway improvement, decided upon four years ago and consistently followed ever since, has given to Missoula county as fine roads as can be found anywhere in Montana. The community has not felt the expense of this work, but it has received the benefit.

The Missoulian has referred lately, more than once, to the enthusiastic expressions of approval for Missoula county roads which came from the hundreds of automobile tourists who passed over these highways at the time of the meeting of the good-roads congress in Kellipell. We do not believe there was ever anything which did this country more good, in the line of publicity, than the advertising of our roads by men from all parts of the state who were the delegates to the congress meeting.

It is this sort of hoisting which is practical and helpful. The county commission has taken up the road work in a business-like way. Whatever roads have been built, have been built permanently. Whatever money has gone into road-making has been spent to get permanent returns. It has done the county much good.

It is possible to get to almost every part of Missoula county now over good highways. The continuance of the present policy of the commissioners will mean that, in another year or two, there will be no part of the county without a good road. This means that the farmer and the wood-hauler can get to market with their products at much less cost than before. It means, too, that the tourist can enjoy the splendid scenery and climate of western Montana with a minimum of effort and that the tourist travel here will be greatly increased.

TO VISIT PROF. BELL (Sydney Post)

Prince Albert of Monaco, ruler of the little European principality, known the world over for its famous gambling casino, Monte Carlo, will visit Belm Brough, Prof. Graham Bell's home, at Baddeck in the near future, probably coming to Sydney for a few days. He is now at Halifax, and will leave for Baddeck in the near future.

For twenty-six years the Prince has been engaged in the study of the depths of the North Atlantic ocean. He is still enthusiastically taken up with this oceanographic study, and, as stated above, is now at Halifax with his scientifically equipped yacht, the Hiramella, having arrived from the Azores, about a week ago. Prince Albert is now sixty-five years old and states that though he loves the ocean and the investigation work he has been pursuing, he will soon have to bring his work to a close.

HANDS COVERED WITH PIMPLES

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MORNING LOCALS

D. J. C. Fairweather of Chicago, who has been here with a view to finding suitable scenery for the enactment of several photoplays has expressed himself delighted with the scenery in this vicinity and has recommended to the Vitagraph company that a studio be established in St. John.

D. D. McDougall of Glasgow, Scotland, who owns large hardware establishments in that city and has big interests in western Canada, visited Mr. Hoag, secretary of the Board of Trade yesterday to discuss the desirability of investing capital in local enterprises.

Mr. Hoag, who was painfully injured while at work in the Parlington pulp mill yesterday afternoon. The acid cauldron about which he was working overflowed, badly scalding him about the head and body.

Miss Van Buren of Boston, assisted by Bayard Currie, also of Boston, and Alphonso Smith of West St. John, gave a most enjoyable concert in the Brussels street Baptist church last evening before a large audience.

Suffering hallucinations from an excessive use of liquor a prisoner in the guard room at the police station caused the chief and policemen much uneasiness last night. It was feared that he might attempt suicide if he were committed to a cell. Several cases of this kind of delirium have emphasized the need of a padded cell at the police station. Chief Clark is strongly in favor of having one.

MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES

The old station house at Truro, occupied by J. M. O'Brien as a restaurant and upstairs as living apartments, was badly damaged in a fire yesterday. The total loss is about \$1,500 to owner and tenants.

Michael Maybrick, known as Stephen Adams, a writer of many popular songs, died yesterday at his home in Buxton, England. Some of his best known songs were "The Holy City," "Star of Bethlehem," and "Nancy Lee."

A set of false teeth, have been found near the spot where the body of Atkinson was found some days ago lying dead at Sydney, N. S. The dentist who made a set for Atkinson says they were not the latter's.

William Washington Nutting, whose cutter has been lying in Halifax harbor for the last five days, sailed from there yesterday for Cape Bay, Nfld. Mr. Nutting sailed his craft, Nereis, from New Rochelle to Yarmouth with no other crew than himself, and is making this trip alone also.

C. Alfred Woods, the I. C. R. locomotive engineer who was indicted for manslaughter in connection with a fatal wreck at Bathurst last winter, was honorably discharged from custody yesterday on the grand jury finding no bill against him.