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BOTHERED ABOUT THE WORD OBEY

May it Be Left Out of Marriage Ceremony Discussed in England

"ADD BUT NOT TAKE AWAY"

Lawyer Quotes Bishop's View of Way Out of Difficulty—Gable to New York Says Queen Cut Down Court List

(Canadian Press) London, Jan. 16.—Discussion is raging over the question whether or not the omission of the word "obey" from the marriage service, would render the ceremony invalid.

The Archbishop of Canterbury has taken occasion to contradict a report of his intervention in the Dugdale ceremony on Saturday, when a clergyman refused to perform a wedding ceremony till the word obey was included. Ecclesiastical authorities generally hesitate to express an opinion as to the legality of the omission of the word "obey."

"One lawyer said:—You may add to the vows of the marriage service, but you can not take any part away from them. The best way therefore out of the difficulty is when the bride wishes to be placed on an equality with the bridegroom, is to add to obey, to those taken by the husband. I have that," he added, "on the authority of a well known bishop."

New York, Jan. 16.—The Tribune's London correspondent today says:—The starting point is made, that presentations at court, of ladies of foreign birth, shall in future be restricted to those married to British subjects, or whose male relatives hold some official position in this country.

"It is stated that Queen Mary does not see the American invasion with favor, and that she is the author of this suggestion. It is further proposed, in order to relieve the pressure on the courts held in London, that their sittings shall be held in Dublin and Edinburgh."

STRIKE IN BALLET

Paris Dancers Cause Abrupt Termination of Opera Performance

Paris, Jan. 16.—The ballet at the opera went on strike last night, unexpectedly as the curtain was about to rise on the Ballet Russe, which followed the opera. The dancers, who were protesting to the audience, and the people left the building.

The members of the ballet demanded the dismissal of two unpopular dancers, but the directors of the opera decline to accede to this demand.

NEWS OF MONCTON

Moncton, N. B., Jan. 15.—(Special)—Coroner L. C. Harris empaneled a jury today to hold an inquest into the death of Helen C. Curtis, C. B. brakeman, who was killed in the Moncton yard last evening while shunting.

George Warner, of Pecton, and Percy McDonald of Moncton will referee tonight's hockey game in Moncton between the Victoria and New Glasgow. It will be the first trial of the double referee system in Moncton this season.

IN THE WAR ZONE

Constantinople, Jan. 16.—A report is current that proposals to put an end to the hostilities between Turkey and Italy have been submitted by Russia to the signatory powers of the treaty of Berlin. The suggestion is that Turkey should renounce her African provinces, but this will only be submitted to the belligerents until all the powers approve.

Vienna, Jan. 16.—It is reported today from Saloniki that Montenegro is making preparations for a conflict with Turkey, and is arming the people on the frontier of Montenegro with repeating rifles.

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ONLY ONE TO GO.

There will be only one representative from New Brunswick on the Board of Trade excursion to the West Indies which will leave New York by the steamer Maunania on Friday. Fred A. Fisher, manager of the Enterprise Foundry in Sackville will be among the passengers. While several business men have been talking of going, no bookings have been made for the second excursion.

FROM WEST ON VISIT.

Charles D. McPherson, formerly of McPherson Brothers, Union street, and who since last year has been engaged in the real estate business, has returned to the city for a visit. He is accompanied by his brother and they are the guests of Thomas J. McPherson, Union street.

MOOSEJAW HIS HOME NOW.

Joseph F. Weatherhead, son of John Weatherhead of this city, who has been in the west for several years has returned to the city for a few weeks' visit. He is located at Moosejaw, where he has about 1,500 acres of land and is engaged in farming and real estate, in both of which he has been very successful.

STARVING, THEY ARE SELLING THEIR CHILDREN TO NOMADS

Terrible Conditions Prevailing Among the Peasantry in South East Russia

(Canadian Press)

London, Jan. 16.—The terrible conditions prevailing among the peasantry in south-east Russia are depicted in a telegram from a doctor in Orenburg. The doctor says that the starving peasantry in the government of Orenburg on the river Ural, not having any assistance from the authorities, are selling their children to the Kirgiz nomads in the government of Samarkand. Many of the peasantry have died from hunger and typhus, and more than seventy per cent of the children are afflicted with a fearful epidemic. In some of the villages, while in other districts the distress is extreme.

ICE CUTTERS LOSE TRACK IN STORM; NEARLY LOSE LIVES

Horses and Sled Sink and One Man May Have Been Drowned

Montreal, Jan. 16.—With the landmarks blotted out by the falling snow driven by a wind which sweeps from the east, nine men employed as ice cutters by the City Ice Company, went through the ice yesterday and came within an ace of losing their lives. It is thought that a man named Belina lost his life. The horses and sled sank in the swift current and were lost.

DELEGATES REPRESENT 300,000 COAL MINERS

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 16.—Thirteen hundred delegates, representing 300,000 organized coal miners, gathered in this city today in one of the most important conferences in the history of the United States and Canada.

It is the 23rd annual convention of the United Mine Workers of America, and will formulate the demands to be made upon the nation's coal supply.

The delegates will meet representatives of the coal owners in a grand ball to be given at the Waldorf-Astoria hotel in New York City on Wednesday.

YOU COULD STILL TELL 'T WAS WHISKEY

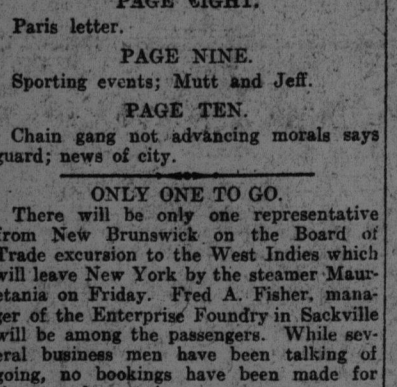
Booze Two Years and Four Months in Making Trip Across Atlantic

New York, Jan. 16.—The adventures of a whiskey bottle which drifted with the ocean currents all the way across the Atlantic are told in a letter received from England by J. C. Lavin, a New York engineering expert. Mr. Lavin threw the bottle over the rail of a house boat on Long Island coast in August, 1909. He left a card with his name and address inside, and has just received a response from the Moricheshire. It took the bottle nearly two years and four months to cross the ocean. When picked up the odor of whiskey was still strong, according to the Welshman who found it.

NEW YORK SOCIETY WOMAN OPENS HYGIENIC TENEMENTS.

MES. W. K. VANDERBILT'S HYGIENIC TENEMENTS

The efforts of Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt in providing hygienic apartments in New York city for persons with tubercular tendencies has met with instant success. The group of buildings, which are located on the east side has been opened just a week, but already 250 of the 368 apartments have been rented. In planning the humane enterprise Mrs. Vanderbilt desired the persons of limited means who might be in delicate health should enjoy the benefits of a trip to a high priced sanatorium without leaving home.



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THRILLING SCENES AS REVERE HOUSE IS IN GRIP OF FLAMES

Famous Old Boston Hotel Partially Destroyed NO LIVES ARE LOST

Exciting Rescues of Men and Women From the Burning Building—Has Sheltered Many Noted People Beneath Its Roof

(Canadian Press) Boston, Mass., Jan. 16.—The Revere House, one of the oldest and most famous hotels in New England, was partially destroyed by fire early today. Quick work by the employees and the firemen saved all the patrons, although there were many narrow escapes. The loss is estimated at \$100,000. A systematic search of the ruins was made all day, but no bodies were found.

The hotel, which fronts on Bowdoin Square, has sheltered such notable guests as the Prince of Wales, later King Edward VII.; Daniel Webster, Jenny Lind, Emperor Pedro of Brazil and Admiral Pasha, of the Turkish army.

It was a five-story structure of stone and brick. Starting in the rear of the grove, the fire gained rapid headway and in a few minutes the flames had leaped up the stairways and elevator wells to the upper stories in the Bulfinch street annex.

There were many thrilling rescues through flames and smoke filled hallways and over the ledgers. Dozens of women were escorted down the stairs to places of safety and several men and women escaped by climbing the roofs of adjoining buildings. The fire escaped were found in the men and women, but hastily joined ladders were the means of rescue for more than a score.

Several women were seen to jump from a window by their ankles and descend below on ladders brought them to the street. One woman in black night clothes, a neighbor of the guests, received shelter in nearby houses several other women, all of whom were rescued.

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PLAN WELCOME TO KING AND QUEEN ON THEIR RETURN HOME

Great Naval Review at Spithead One Feature—Coronation Visits to Be Returned in Spring

(Canadian Press)

London, Jan. 16.—King George and Queen Mary, who are now passing through the Red Sea, on their return voyage from India, are to have a great welcome on their arrival in the British Isles. Both the British and French navies will participate. After the return of the king and queen to London a magnificent coronation is to be held in St. Paul's cathedral. The coronation will be very brief, as the spring will be spent in returning coronation visits to all the continent courts.

LITIGATION OVER INSURANCE POLICY

North Shore Case Before Judge McLeod—Chancery Matters

The matter of the insurance policy on the life of the late Edward Mallis of the North Shore was before Justice McLeod in chambers this morning. Mr. Mallis had a life policy of \$1,000 with the Canadian Assurance Society. About two weeks ago the insurance company refused to pay the proceeds of the policy, for the payment of the insurance to her. A summons was issued to show cause and was returnable this morning.

Edward Mallis, during his life time made an assignment of the policy to Maxine Mallis, his brother. On Edward's death the money was paid into court by the insurance company whose head office is in Montreal.

Miss Maxine Mallis and Marian Brock claim the policy. The date for the hearing will be set by His Honor later on. Witnesses will be called by Marian Brock and Orestes, Maine. Dr. W. B. Wallace and J. P. Byrne of Bathurst appear for the "beneficiary" and J. A. Barry for Maxine Mallis.

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