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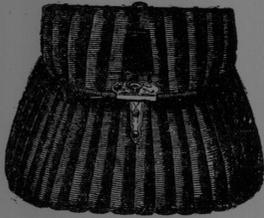
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ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, MAY 23, 1908.

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DEAD WOMAN IS INDICTED FOR MURDER

An Unusual Feature of the Guinness Case

This Action is Necessary in Order to Indict Lamphere as an Accessory.

LAPORTE, Ind., May 22.—In returning seven true bills against Ray Lamphere today, the Laporte County grand jury also indicted Mrs. Belle Guinness for the murder of Andrew Heiglein, of Mansfield, S. D. No warrant was issued for Mrs. Guinness, for she was declared officially dead by the verdict of Coroner Mack, but to vote a true bill against Lamphere as an accessory in the killing of Heiglein, it was necessary to indict Mrs. Guinness as the principal. Lamphere now stands before the bar of justice officially charged with arson, five murders and being an accessory to the Heiglein murder.

Separate bills were returned against Lamphere for the murder in the degree of Mrs. Belle Guinness and her three children, Philip Guinness, Myrtle Sorenson and Lucy Sorenson. The unusual feature of the seventh true bill is its indictment of the dead woman. It reads: "The grand jury presents that Belle Guinness, late of the county of Laporte, and State of Indiana, on the fourth day of January, 1908, did unlawfully, feloniously, wilfully and with premeditated malice, kill and murder Andrew Heiglein, the means and manner of such killing being, to the grand jurors, unknown."

Lamphere was not arraigned and this will probably not be done until the cases are set for trial. Bench warrants issued by Judge Richter were served upon Lamphere in jail this evening. He expressed but slight surprise for the returning of indictments had been anticipated.

"I shall ask to have the case set down for early trial this term," said Prosecutor Smith tonight. "The digging today under the direction of Sheriff Smuter, resulted in the unearthing of a human skull, which tonight, it was decided, was one of the bodies dug up in the chicken yard two weeks ago. At that time three skeletons were found in one hole, but there were only two skulls."

CHICAGO, Ill., May 22.—Friends of Benjamin F. Carleton, a prominent life insurance company, believe that he was one of the victims of Mrs. Guinness. Nothing has been heard of him since that time. He told some friends that he had met a rich widow with whom he was going to make some business deals. When the skeletons were dug up on the Guinness place, the resemblance to Carleton in the shape of the head and a peculiar of four false teeth that his wife, now living in Chicago, is confident that he went to Laporte to see Mrs. Guinness and was there murdered.

PRINCES AT OSBORNE LIKE ANY OTHER BOYS

Prince Edward Not to Come to Canada With His Father—Public School For Princess Mary.

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Beyond having a private room each the young Princes will be treated exactly as any other cadets while they are at the naval college. The present intention of the Prince of Wales is that each of his sons shall pass through a course of training at Osborne as he becomes old enough. Prince Edward, the eldest, is not, however, intended for the navy, and will probably leave Osborne next year and begin his studies for his university career. Ultimately he will join the army, probably when he is about twenty.

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BIG FIRE IN NEW YORK.

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CLEVELAND STRIKE STILL CONTINUES

Various Propositions Made and Rejected.

Men Offer to go Back Pending Arbitration Proceedings, But Would Lose Their Seniority.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, May 22.—After laboring all day and agreeing upon the one important obstacle which stood between the peace of the street, the railway strike situation, the work was all undone late tonight when Glen K. Shurtliff declined to act as a third arbitrator. One arbitrator to represent the strikers and another to represent the Municipal Traction Company, had been easily selected last Wednesday. Then came the task of deciding upon the third man. Today Mr. Shurtliff was selected and tonight he declined. The task will be resumed tomorrow and in the meantime the strike goes on, at least until tomorrow evening.

CLEVELAND, O., May 23.—Marked by a night of absolute quiet in contrast with the violence of the preceding twenty-four hours, negotiations for peace in the street car traffic was continued this morning. The declaration of Glen K. Shurtliff, to act as third arbitrator, brought with it the necessity of further discussion of a name for the Municipal Street Railway Company. Only the matter of the disposition of the men pending the arbitration proceedings prevented a vote on the arbitration articles being taken last night.

President Dupont refused to accept Avery's suggestion that the strikers, pending arbitration, take their old positions. An alternative suggestion that the arbitration board at once decide the position of the men during arbitration was also rejected by President Dupont of the local union, that the men will vote "Yes" or "No" upon a proposition to submit to full arbitration through a course of the holidays the agreement of the Cleveland Electric Railway Company's labor agreement upon the new company.

The company formulated articles of agreement for arbitration to go to the men today, together with a counter proposition that, pending arbitration, enough men to be taken back those hired during the strike. The men will vote "Yes" or "No" upon a proposition to submit to full arbitration through a course of the holidays the agreement of the Cleveland Electric Railway Company's labor agreement upon the new company.

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"DO NOTHING SESSION OF CONGRESS."

Present Session Has Earned the Above Title

Much Important Legislation Has Been Introduced But Very Little Passed.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 22.—Legislative problems presented to the present Congress for solution, but un-answered, so far outnumber the actual "results" that they may afford justification of the charge in the approaching campaign that the present has been a "do-nothing" session. More important questions were presented to the public generally, and sections or classes demanded action than ever before in the nation's history. A majority of these were of President Roosevelt's making and listed among his "policies." Comparative-ly, the number of laws were few. On the other hand, the aggregate of the appropriations was great and when the final figures are obtainable, it is not doubted that they will exceed those of any previous session in times of peace.

Conspicuous above all other questions with which Congress dealt, was the effort to pass an emergency currency bill. The Senate and House failed to agree and the result was that a commission of Senators and representatives in Congress, whose duty it shall be to study the subject and report at the next session, was decided upon.

Numerous bills affecting labor were considered by both the Senate and House. In the form in which the bills were presented, organized labor was not heartily behind them. A new employers liability law to take the place of that destroyed unconstitutionally by the Supreme Court was evolved.

The construction of four battleships was urged in a special message to Congress and a fight for this program was led by administration members of both the senate and house. An appropriation was made for the construction of two battleships and the party of opposing the construction was announced by Republican leaders, which was generally regarded as a concession to the president's enlarged naval program.

Authority to choose a tariff commission and to appoint experts to gather data with view to the revision of the tariff at the next session was strongly advocated. As a result, resolutions were adopted in the senate and house authorizing the committee on ways and means, to conduct individual investigations of the natural resources of the United States before the session prominently many such bills were introduced in both bodies to obtain an appropriation for the creation of the Southern Appalachian and White Mountains Forest Reserves, but it did not succeed. As an alternative, a commission to investigate the matter was authorized. The committee was authorized by an appropriation of \$50,000,000, was advocated and rejected because among other reasons, of the condition of the treasury. As a substitute, a bill was prepared to "continue" the inland waterways commission, which was amended to "authorize" the committee. The bill to permit the president to appoint the inland waterway commission was passed.

During the session, 3,734 private pension bills became law. Many matters were before one body or the other, attracting attention in the other, among which was the Brownsville affair in the senate and the movement for the retirement of the negro soldiers, who were discharged without honor, but the whole subject will go over until next session.

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The meeting was presided over by Faith Smith, M. P., who introduced the chief speaker, Rev. A. A. Cameron, D.D. Mr. Smith said he felt strongly on the subject of women suffrage. He had intended to introduce a bill in the Commons this session, dealing with the question, but as he received no encouragement, had decided not to. He was not, however, in favor of the extreme measures taken by the suffragettes of England. "If I am again elected to represent British Columbia," he said, "I shall most certainly introduce a resolution to the House to bring about women suffrage." The meeting was attended by the wives and children of the officials of various states to attend the fetes and reception of the American battleship fleet.

MEXICO CITY HAS BIG SENSATION

Prominent Millionaire Arrested for Stealing

Charged With Misappropriating Millions of Dollars—Was Head of Mexican Cotton Trust.

MEXICO CITY, Mex., May 22.—Financial and business circles in Mexico City have been shaken by the greatest sensation in years owing to the order of the judge of the second instruction today to bring Martin Jacoby, a millionaire and head of the mercantile house of Jacoby, into court on the charge of misappropriation of funds which it is said will total between three and five million dollars. The order was issued on the representation made to the court by prominent bankers and financiers.

The house of Jacoby constitutes the largest cotton buying concern in the republic. To all practical intent it held a corner on the market. It is declared that out of a series of speculations and perhaps resulting from the October panic, the house during recent months has suffered a loss of millions of dollars.

EVANGELISM THE SPIRIT OF THE CHURCH

General Assembly of U. S. Presbyterians Declare for Mission Work and Sabbath Observance.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 22.—"Evangelism is the spirit of the church. Evangelism that the world may be won for Christ," was the keynote of the speeches delivered by the ministers at the general assembly of the Presbyterian church in the United States of America today.

The speeches followed the report of the committee on evangelism work. Dr. B. P. Fullerton, of St. Louis, the moderator, delivered a strong address, urging the 1,300 members of the church to take up the work of individual evangelism. Dr. Chapman then gave an address on practical work of the committee, explaining what had been accomplished.

That all labor on Sunday, including printing of newspapers, the preparation of lessons by students, funerals, unnecessary travel and all excursions, be condemned, was embodied in the report of the committee on Sabbath observance. Speeches following this report aroused enthusiasm and the highest pitch of enthusiasm a resolution was adopted petitioning Congress to enact a law similar to the Swiss law, which insures to all workers in every year fifty-two days of twenty-four hours each for rest.

FOREIGN MARINERS WILL NOT GET CERTIFICATES

OTTAWA, May 22.—In the Senate today, in committee on a bill to amend the Shipping Act of 1906, Senator Power objected to a clause empowering the Minister of Marine to refuse to open examinations for masters and mates to persons living in Canada but who are citizens of a country which does not open its examinations to Canadians. Senator Power declared there was a shortage of certified men on the Atlantic coast and if the minister put this act into operation for the benefit of Ontario, which chiefly desired the bill, it would hurt the vessel owners of the Atlantic coast. He moved an amendment giving the minister the power to apply the act to the whole of Canada or to any part of the coast.

STEAMSHIPS WILL BE ABOLISHED

NEW YORK, May 22.—Announcement was made last night by John P. Holland, inventor of submarine boats, that he is at work on an airship in which he expects within five years to be able to travel from this city to England in 20 hours.

"I fully expect that my airship will be capable of a speed of one hundred miles an hour," said Mr. Holland, "and I also expect that this speed will be attained within five years. I have already built airships, three of which have been successful. If there come that high development in airships that I confidently expect, steamships will be a thing of the past. We shall travel by air."

CLOSING EXERCISES OF MOUNT ALLISON

Banquets Last Night for the Graduating Class.

E. R. Machum, of St. John, Has Offered Cup for Athletic Competition.

SACKVILLE, May 21.—The closing exercise at Mount Allison began last evening when an interpretative recital was given by Mrs. Jessie Edridge Southwick. Suppers in honor of the graduating class of the university were held. A supper in honor of the men of the class took place in the university while the ladies of the class were banqueted in the ladies' college. Both proved very successful. As the forms the toast list was as follows: "The King—proposed by I. C. Rand, '99, of Moncton, responded to by S. J. S. The Ladies—proposed by J. H. Beaulieu, '06, of New Glasgow, responded to by J. L. McSweney, '08, of Moncton and A. S. Robinson, '08, of Port Elgin. The Alumni—proposed by E. B. Graham, '09, of Centerville, N. S., responded to by Prof. Tweedie, '08, of the Faculty and Institutions—proposed by A. R. Reynolds, '10, of Newport, N. S., responded to by B. W. Hunsell, '08, of Dartmouth.

Our Societies—proposed by J. S. Aubury, '10, of Stellarton, responded by F. C. Flacook, '08, of Greenwood, N.S., W. R. Smith, '05, of St. John, and A. D. Killam, '05, of Yarmouth. Our Next Merry Meeting—proposed by D. H. Corley, responded to by W. T. Purdy, '05, of Amherst. Another speaker was E. R. Machum of St. John.

During the evening it was announced that E. R. Machum would give a cup for competition on such terms as athletic association may determine.

MILLIONS IN BUILDINGS; FEWER LABOR DISPUTES

Monthly Report of Department of Labor for April.

OTTAWA, May 22.—The conditions of the labor market this spring are reflected in the report of the labor department for the month of April, showing that there were twenty-five fewer disputes last month than in April, 1907, and a decrease of 37,700 in the number of working days lost. The total number of trade disputes in Canada last month amounted to 44, showing a decrease of 1,000 from the number of disputes in 1907. The total value of buildings erected in these localities was \$58,587,957. Of this Toronto contributed \$14,238,800, being, as in 1906, the locality in which building was most active during the year. Montreal, with \$5,606,136, stood second, Winnipeg third with \$3,456,350, and Vancouver fourth with \$3,568,504.

The remaining cities in which the building during 1907 exceeded \$500,000, were Hamilton, \$3,030,340; Ottawa, \$2,384,800; Edmonton, \$3,074,318; Calgary, \$2,109,840; Victoria, \$1,600,000; Regina, \$1,171,840; Medicine Hat, \$1,000,000; London, \$775,000; Halifax, \$608,000; Sherbrooke, \$577,000; Stratford, \$677,000; Brandon, \$567,180; Quebec, \$529,830; Sarnia, \$530,100; New Westminster, \$530,000; Brantford, \$510,000, and Guelph, \$500,800.

Comparative returns relating to the value of buildings in 1906 and 1907 were obtained for forty cities. In these cities the total value of buildings erected in 1908 was \$58,587,957, and in 1907, \$58,238,732. The decrease of building in these cities in 1907 as compared with 1906 was accordingly \$35,309,285.90.

TORONTO NEWS IN BRIEF.

Banal Lock Broken—Lady Admitted to Bar—Criminal Captured.

TORONTO, May 22.—Steamer D. D. Calvin, bound up Welland canal, broke lock No. 18, and carried away three gates. Navigation will be stopped until repairs are fixed.

A Winnipeg despatch reports some cool rains and frosts in past week but complete reports received today say no permanent damage was done to growing grain, though oats received a setback.

Judge Cline dismissed the appeal of Nelson Cannon today and defendant will be taken back to Columbus, Ohio, to answer charge of bribery in connection with municipal paving scandal.

Miss Grace Howson, of Barrie, was sworn in as barrister today. She is the third woman barrister practicing in Ontario.

James Young, farm hand, Leeds Co., who nearly killed Robert Stewart, his employer, with a club, intending to rob the house, was caught in his mother's place today after three days' chase by county constables.

LATEST WEATHER REPORT

FAIR and WARM