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CONNIE MACK SAYS RED SOX WILL WIN IT Breaks His Rule and Assumes Role of Prophet

LATE NEWS OF SPORT Offer of \$50,000 to Johnston For Battles With Langford and McVey Likely to be Accepted—British Pugilists to Visit The States

(Canadian Press) Philadelphia, Sept. 19.—Baseball fans here were somewhat surprised today to learn that Connie Mack, manager of the Philadelphia Athletics, had broken his hitherto invariable rule against making predictions by picking the Boston Americans as the likely winners of the approaching world's series, with the New York Yankees. Here is Mack's opinion on the subject.

"The Boston Red Sox should win the world's championship of 1912, with as much ease as we captured it in 1911. Some people seem to be under the impression that the Boston team are liable to waver when the big games are staged, but there is not a cub or youngster in the line-up. All are tried and true, and will go through the series without a quiver. Volstead demands. Mat Wells will appear here in November. Bombarlier Wells, who was recently married, will remain in London until midwinter.

PIRATES CAPTURED Plans to Seize Steamer in West River, China Are Thwarted

Hong Kong, Sept. 19.—Pirates, who had planned to seize the steamer Kwaiyang, while she was bound for Heungshan, at the mouth of the West River, were thwarted today by the timely arrival of a warship.

FEDERAL DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH IS URGED Canadian Association Also Adopts Other Important Resolutions

Toronto, Sept. 19.—Two important resolutions were passed by the Canadian Public Health Association before it adjourned its annual convention yesterday to assemble in Regina next year.

COMPUNCHER IN WEST SHOOT'S FORMER DETECTIVE

Lethbridge, Alb., Sept. 19.—Former City Detective Egan was shot and perhaps fatally wounded last night in front of the Union Bank, by Richard Christian, a cow puncher, who has been in the city for the last few days from the Iron Springs district.

WEATHER BULLETIN Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries. R. F. Stewart, director of meteorological service.

Toronto, Sept. 19.—General shallow depression exists over the continent this morning while the weather in Canada is more or less unsettled generally, rain having fallen in nearly all localities.

CROSS CONTINENT TRIP OF THE ROYAL TRAVELERS ENDED Duke of Connaught and Party in Vancouver—A Call on Sir Charles Tupper

(Canadian Press) Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 19.—With perfect weather Vancouver presented a brilliant spectacle, as the governor general, the Duchess of Connaught, and Princess Patricia made their entry here yesterday amid the cheers of the tens of thousands of people who thronged the streets through which the royal visitors proceeded on their way from the station to the court house where a civic address of welcome was presented.

W. C. T. U. MEETING IN CAMPBELLTON Proceedings of the Annual Provincial Convention—Membership and Finances

Campbellton, Sept. 19.—The annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. opened here yesterday afternoon with a large attendance of members and many matters of importance to be dealt with. The sessions were opened with devotional exercises by Mrs. Flanagan, at two o'clock and half an hour later the president called the convention to order.

WHOLESALE DRY GOODS MEN OF THE DOMINION MEET HERE

An important gathering of the wholesale dry goods merchants of the dominion is being held in St. John today. The heads of the large houses throughout Canada have been in the habit of meeting a couple of times each year to discuss trade conditions and similar matters of mutual interest.

CANADIAN FRUIT TO BE SHOWN IN LONDON

Ottawa, Sept. 19.—(Special)—Canada will make a great display of grapes and peaches at the Festival of Empire exhibition to be held in London next year.

Polled by Typhoid Germs Washington, Sept. 19.—Jamaica Bay, Long Island, and the Potomac River seventy-five miles down from Washington, both are polluted by typhoid germs, according to the department of agriculture's declaration.

The Anti-Home Rule Campaign Belfast, Sept. 19.—The second of the current ten days' anti-home rule demonstrations was held at Larnagh, County Down, today. A vast concourse of Orangemen registered their determination to resist the establishment of an Irish parliament by force if necessary.

Blames the Business Men Moose Jaw, Sask., Sept. 19.—At a meeting of the associated boards of trade of western Canada, General Superintendent Taylor of the C. P. R. laid the blame for the greater part of the car congestion upon consignees who prefer to pay the 21 day demurrage charges, rather than build or rent proper warehouses.

SIR WILFRID IS IN GREAT FIGHTING TRIM "Canadian Citizenship and British Ties" His Public Life Inspirations

(Canadian Press) Cobalt, Ont., Sept. 19.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier in his address here last night, said that the primary object of his visit to Northern Ontario was to determine at first hand the needs, requirements and wants of the people, for he planned to further devote himself to public service.

SINGLE LINE TO KANE'S CORNER; WORK IS TO BE BEGUN ON IT AT ONCE

The line of the St. John Railway Company will be extended to Kane's Corner, but it will be only a single track instead of the double track, as proposed. This decision was reached this morning after a conference with the city commissioners at which the terms under which the city would permit the double track were discussed and Colonel H. H. McLean and H. M. Hopper, representing the company, met this morning at eleven o'clock in city hall.

ARREST POLLOCK IN NEW YORK POLICE MURDER CASE Want Pugilist's Manager as Witness and Break up His Plan for Trip To Europe

(Canadian Press) New York, Sept. 19.—Harry Pollock, in whose apartment "Bald Jack" Rose was arrested, was arrested today by Detective Thomas of the district attorney's office. Pollock was arrested on a body attachment in the John Doe proceedings. Information reached the district attorney's office that Pollock was about to sail for Europe. Acting District Attorney Moss asked Justice Goff for a body attachment in order to insure Pollock's presence in the trial of Lieutenant Becker for the murder of Rosenthal.

MRS. E. A. SMITH IS VICE-PRESIDENT Federation of Canadian Clubs closes Session—To Observe Semi-Centennial

(Special to Times) Fredericton, N. B., Sept. 19.—The fourth annual meeting of the Federation of Canadian Clubs adjourned at noon after a successful session. Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows:

To Health Congress Toronto, Sept. 19.—J. W. S. McCullough, provincial officer of health and newly elected president of the Canadian Public Health Association, will take his seven-day trip to attend the convention of the American Public Health Association now in session in Washington and the International Congress of Hygiene and Demography to be held there next week.

WANT BORDEN TO ADD MINISTER OF MINES TO CABINET Canadian Institute in Session in Victoria—Reference to Mineral Development in New Brunswick

(Canadian Press) Victoria, B. C., Sept. 19.—The Canadian Mining Institute in session here yesterday passed a resolution urging the dominion government to appoint a minister of mines. The gathering was presided over by Dr. A. E. Barlow of Montreal. He referred to the highly prosperous condition of the mining industry in Canada. In Nova Scotia, he said, while gold mining was declining this had been more than made up for by the coal output which this year would be the largest in the history of the province.

FOUR STEAMERS IN NEW SERVICE FROM PORT OF GALWAY Mr. Kirkwood Says it is Intended to Start Operation Next Season

(Canadian Press) Toronto, Sept. 19.—M. Kirkwood said to the Hall and Empire today, that he had recently returned from London, where he had been completing arrangements for a proposed trans-Atlantic line from Canada to the United States to Galway, on the west coast of Ireland, which has been referred to in despatches from London and New York.

JORDAN IS NOW IN THE DEATH CELL

Boston, Sept. 19.—Chester S. Jordan was placed in a cell at the state prison, where he is now in the death cell. He was transferred from the East Cambridge jail, which has been his home for four years, to the death house, in Sheriff Fairbank's private carriage. Jordan wore a blue suit, striped shirt, white collar and dark necktie.

WILL NOT JOIN THE SOCIALIST PARTY

Have, France, Sept. 19.—The general confederation of labor, which is holding its biennial congress here, voted yesterday to continue outside the Socialist party. The vote was 1,000 to 35.

NEWS OF FREDERICTON (Special to Times) Fredericton, N. B., Sept. 19.—John Coombes died unexpectedly at his home here last night. He was aged fifty-eight, and leaves three sons and two daughters, one of the latter is the wife of hon. Justice Patterson, of the C. P. R.

BRITAIN'S LESSON FROM RECENT OLYMPIC GAMES

London, Sept. 19.—The British Olympic council has issued its official report on the Stockholm games. It is signed by Lord Desborough and Rev. Robt. S. Deacony Lafan. The principal point set forth in the report is the need of national spirit and more money for training purposes.

QUEBEC WRITER FOUND DEAD

Quebec, Sept. 19.—A sensation was created here by the discovery that George M. Fairchild, Jr., a well known local author was found dead on his grounds, at Carter yesterday afternoon. He was not shooting. He must have met with some accident.

WAS WITH MRS. ROBERTS JUST BEFORE DEATH

Manchester, Mass., Sept. 19.—Clarence Legg, a young man, has definitely determined the fact that Mrs. Benjamin H. Roberts, formerly of Publico, N. S., met death by accident and was not murdered. Legg called on Chief Converse and Daniel Northrup, met Mrs. Roberts and a woman companion in Beach street on Monday evening, Sept. 9. They walked to the Singing Beach and then returned to the square, where Northrup left them and the three others continued up Central street through Bridge street and down Ashland Avenue.

CHINESE GOVERNMENT OUTLINES COURSE IN MONGOLIAN MATTER

London, Sept. 19.—At a secret session of the national assembly at Peking today, according to a despatch to the Times, the minister declared that the government would offer armed resistance to aggression in inner Mongolia but would accept the Russian conditions with regard to outer Mongolia, hoping through these concessions to secure Mongolian allegiance to the republic.

BALLINGTON BOOTH'S DAUGHTER IN ACCIDENT

New York, Sept. 19.—Miss Theodora Booth, daughter of General Ballington Booth, head of the Volunteers of America, with two women friends, was badly shaken up in an automobile smashup at East Lake. Both autos were moving slowly at the time of the collision and none of those in either car was badly injured.

TERMS OF AGREEMENT OF THE C. P. R. AND ITS TELEGRAPH OPERATORS

Montreal, Sept. 19.—The text of the agreement between the C. P. R. officials and the train dispatchers was given out this morning. It may be summarized as follows: Twelve per cent. increase in wages to all operators; one hour reduction a day in working hours for agents and operators; advance of five cents an hour for all work over regular schedule of ten hours a day; one day off for train dispatchers each week, with no reduction in pay; luncheon to receive ten per cent. increase in salary and an allowance for overtime and Sunday.

LAYMEN'S MISSION PLANS

Toronto, Sept. 19.—The Canadian Council of the Laymen's Missionary Movement plans an extensive campaign in mission work for the next three years. There will be an inter-denominational anniversary gathering in October, with reports of three years progress, a special meeting on November 19 to mark the fifth anniversary of the founding of the movement and a celebration on March 19, 1913, the centenary of the birth of David Livingstone, African missionary hero.

Inter-parliamentary Union

Geneva, Switzerland, Sept. 19.—The seventeenth annual conference of inter-parliamentary union began here yesterday with a large attendance of delegates.