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FORTY-FOURTH YEAR

BRANTFORD, CANADA, THURSDAY, JANUARY 22, 1914

TAYLOR'S FATE IS SEALED TO-DAY

Dr. Bruce Smith Made His Third Examination of Prisoner

Issues Statement This Morning to Sheriff to That Effect.

A signed statement, which dooms the fate of James Taylor, was issued this morning by Dr. R. W. Bruce Smith, who arrived here last night to make what he said was his third examination of the prisoner.

The examination was conducted in secret, and accordingly Dr. Smith issued the following memorandum to the Sheriff.

Acting under instructions from the Minister of Justice, I visited Brantford jail, January 21st, 1914, for the purpose of making a special report regarding the mental condition of James Taylor, a prisoner awaiting execution.

As a result of my examinations, I beg to report that James Taylor is not insane.

From the revolting details of the crime, as related to me by Taylor, I do not believe that there was uncontrollable impulse resulting from disease known as Sadism.

The authorities at the jail have necessarily been under a strain, in view of the task which must be performed within the walls of the building.

Quebec Graft Is the Talk Of the Street

QUEBEC, Jan. 22.—An air of mystery seemed to hang over the provincial legislature this forenoon and everybody was wondering what would happen after the House was called to order this afternoon and the alleged disclosures of the Montreal Daily Mail came up for discussion.

Today's Bulletin On the Premier

[By Special Wire to The Courier] TORONTO, Jan. 22.—The physicians attending on Sir James Whitney issued the following bulletin at 11 o'clock:

"Sir James Whitney spent a somewhat restless night, but is in a fair condition this morning."

MORAL REFORMERS PLAN CONGRESS

Rev. Moore, of Toronto, Arranging a Big Meeting at Ottawa.

TORONTO, Jan. 22.—A thousand moral reformers are being called upon to assemble at Ottawa to ask for amendments to the criminal code.

HEARTFELT TRIBUTES BY COMMONS' LEADERS

House Adjourns Out of Respect for Lord Strathcona After Speeches by Premier Borden and Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

OTTAWA, Jan. 22.—Parliament adjourned almost immediately after prayers yesterday as a national tribute of respect to the memory of Lord Strathcona.

His Work Was For Canada. Premier Borden arose when the orders of the day were called, stating that all members of the House on both sides would agree that Parliament should pay its tribute of respect to the memory of the grand Canadian who passed away yesterday.

BRITISH SUBMARINE A7, WHICH SANK WITH 14 MEN



The British submarine "A7" foundered off Plymouth, England, recently. The "A7" lies at the bottom of Cawsand Bay, on the western shore of Plymouth Sound, and has been so long below that naval experts believe the fate of her crew of fourteen officers and men is sealed.

GERMANY'S PLANS TO CRUSH OUT MONOPOLY

DRESDEN, Jan. 22.—While other countries have spent years in discussion of the trust problem, and how to deal with it, the German Government has just given a practical illustration of the manner in which it expects to check the operations of the American Tobacco Trust here, and break up the trade combination.

CHARBONNEAU IS TO HAVE A REAL JOB HERE

His Court is to be Turned Into a Theological Debating School

[By Special Wire to The Courier] MONTREAL, Jan. 22.—L'Action Sociale, the organ of the Roman Catholics in Quebec, having accused Le Pays, a paper owned by Godfrey Langlois, M.L.A., the educationist, of being anti-religious, a heinous indictment in this province, because it held certain liberal views, which accusation has been the cause of a \$10,000 libel action brought by Mr. Langlois against the Quebec Journal.

TEN THOUSAND STRIKE IN LONDON

[By Special Wire to The Courier] NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—A cable from London to The Tribune says: Ten thousand coal porters in London went on strike for higher pay yesterday. Practically no coal was delivered in the city, which is in the midst of the longest and worst cold snap of many years.

Coal Porters Make Demands for An Increase in Pay.

[By Special Wire to The Courier] NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—Antonio Cupertino, an Italian emigrant, who became violently insane and shot and killed Dr. Arrigo Giannone, an Italian Government immigration inspector, while the Steamer Berlin was approaching Gibraltar on January 12 last, was brought into court today in irons when the Berlin docked.

Strathcona to Be Buried in North London

[By Special Wire to The Courier] LONDON, Jan. 22.—Westminster Abbey is not to be the last resting place of the body of Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, late High Commissioner for Canada, who died early Wednesday morning.

TOLL OF LIFE WAS RECORD ON LAKES

[By Special Wire to The Courier] DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 22.—The year 1913 was a record breaker for the Lake Carriers' Association, both in volume of business and in disaster, according to the report of William Livingston, president of the organization submitted at the annual meeting to-day.

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THE CAMPAIGN IN WELLAND

Temperance and Liquor Forces Are Using Biblical Quotations

ST. CATHARINES, Ont., Jan. 21.—Hon. W. P. Windle, of Chicago, former platform mate of W. J. Bryan, addressing a meeting in Thorold last night in opposition to the Canadian Temperance Act campaign in Welland County used the Bible in his address and quoted verses to prove Christ endorsed a man's privilege of drinking wine and challenged anyone to find in holy writ one verse in favor of prohibition.

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HON. ADAM BECK IS FAVORED FOR POST

Both at Ottawa and Toronto Power Minister is Mentioned

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LOST LIFE IN A PADDED CELL

Man Who is Locked Up at Edmonton in Barracks.

[By Special Wire to The Courier] EDMONTON, Alb., Jan. 22.—An insane man named Mackenzie Bateson, for some time chafed at the University of Alberta, lost his life by suffocation last night in a fire at the R. N. W. M. P. barracks here.

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