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HIGH TRIBUTE TO SIR M. SADLER

Made Doctor of Literature on Eve of Departure from Leeds—Refers to Canadian Tour.

(Canadian Press Cable) London, June 8.—Sir Michael Sadler, noted educationist, who is leaving the University of Leeds, where he is vice chancellor, to become master of University College, Oxford, was paid high tribute at the Leeds University today and honorary degree of Doctor of Literature was conferred on him.

Tries To Reconcile Argentina To The League of Nations

Buenos Aires, June 8.—President De Alvear, in a message to Congress yesterday, asked that legislation be passed to facilitate Argentina's return to normal relations with the League of Nations and requested approval by Congress of Argentina's adherence to the League Covenant.

ALBERTA SENATOR DEAD IN OTTAWA

Ottawa, June 8.—Hon. Amelie Forget, Senator for Alberta since 1911, died at 12:15 o'clock this morning at his home here.

Novice Lady Driver Wrecks Police Station

Niagara Falls, Ont., June 8.—The police station at Niagara Falls, N. Y., was wrecked yesterday afternoon when Miss Helen Lephew, who was learning to drive an automobile, smashed in the entire front of it. She tried to drive into an alley alongside of the station and guessed wrong. Officer Dan Clark on duty at the time, was buried in the debris and stunned by a falling timber, but not seriously injured. The prisoners in the jail at the time have been moved to another station.

McKEEN-CARRBAY.

Montreal Gazette, Thursday.—The funeral of Mrs. McKean-Carrbay, who died at St. Augustine's Church, Montreal, after a long illness, was held this morning at 10 o'clock at the funeral home of the late Mr. McKean-Carrbay, 101 St. James Street, Montreal.

LORD BYNG WILL OFFICIATE

Toronto, June 8.—Lord Byng has consented to take part in the ceremonies connected with the dedication of the Soldiers' Memorial Tower at the University of Toronto, which will probably be held on Armistice Day. The tower will cost \$200,000.

NOTICES OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS, 50 CENTS

BIRTHS

HIGGINS.—To Mr. and Mrs. John Higgins, 21 Somerset St., on June 4th, a daughter.

DEATHS

FORTUNE.—At Sydney, N. S., on June 6, 1923, Evelyn, wife of James L. Fortune, leaving her husband, three sons and three daughters to mourn.

GOOD YIELD OF FRUIT PROMISED

Toronto, June 8.—Fruit prospects are generally very good, according to E. F. Palmer, director of the horticultural experimental station at Vineland.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm MacLeod wish to thank their friends for kindness and sympathy in their recent bereavement; also Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fairweather, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Blizard, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Ganong (St. Stephen), Charles Sweet, James and Edna, MacLeod—staff Water St. Grocery, Connor Bros., for flowers and wreaths.

Mills, Questioned In Murder Case, Takes A Fling At Hall's Widow



JAMES MILLS, HUSBAND OF THE SLAIN CHOIR SINGER AND MRS. EDWARD WHEELER HALL, THE RECTOR'S WIDOW.

New Brunswick, N. J., June 8.—James Mills, one of the figures in the recent Hall-Mills case, whose meek manner and helpful attitude in the investigations following the murder of Mrs. Mills and the Rev. Edward Hall won him early elimination from the case, was questioned today by the State Assembly.

Plan To Assist Catholic Youth On Y. M. C. A. Plan

(Ottawa Journal) Sentiments of deepest loyalty in temporal and spiritual matters were expressed by the speakers at the banquet held in the Chateau Laurier last night in connection with the 20th Ontario State Convention of the Knights of Columbus now in session here.

LOCAL NEWS

NEW PITCHER FOR SAINTS

Lewis "Lefty" Strecher, one of the leading pitchers with the St. Andrew's Club in the Boston Twilight League, arrived in the city today to join St. Peter's Baseball Club. He will pitch the afternoon game in Moncton Saturday.

DOCTORS HOME

Drs. S. H. McDonald, J. R. Nugent, F. L. Kenney, W. E. Rowley and S. E. Bridges arrived home today from the New Brunswick and Maine Medical Association convention, which was brought to a close yesterday in Houlton, Me.

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MISS CANADA BACK FROM CAPE BRETON

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Winifred C. Blair, as Miss Canada, with her mother, returned from Cape Breton yesterday where she was the central personality in a King's Birthday firemen's carnival at Glace Bay, an exchange of Franco-Canadian courtesies upon that occasion aboard the French warship Regulus and was the guest at several smart social affairs arranged by officials of the British Empire Steel Corp., the Dominion Coal Co., and prominent citizens of the town. At Sydney she attended in the Great War Veterans ball where she was specially honored by the vets because of her late father.

During her stay in Cape Breton Miss Canada drove a big motor truck in the friends' parade, descended into a coal mine and mined a half ton of coal with pneumatic drills; visited hospitals, schools, convents and sick adults and children in private homes. In one of the hospitals a new baby was named Winifred Blair Mackenzie, a clergyman christening the child during the visit of the Miss Canada party, the St. John girl acting as godmother. A pretty little cup suitably engraved, the gift of the new baby, is one of Miss Canada's cherished mementoes.

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'NEW CANADIANS' ARRIVE IN WINNIPEG



A party of Swiss and Dutch immigrants arriving in Winnipeg en route to their new homes in the west. It is reminiscent of the old days when Europeans were pouring into Western Canada.



A young giant of 6 feet 4 1/2 inches, with his companion about to start for Canada.

SOUTH AFRICA AS A FRUIT PRODUCER



Recently the Union of South Africa celebrated the shipment of one million cases of fruit to Europe in one season. This is the first time this record has been achieved. The picture shows General Smuts, with some of the members of the Cabinet examining the millionth case just before it was shipped.

PERSONALS

Sussex Report: Miss Margaret McFee returned from a trip to Moose Jaw and other western towns on Saturday, and will spend sometime with her father, Robert McFee, who is in poor health.

MONTEAL PERSONALS

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'VARSITY HONORS CANADA'S PREMIER

Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King Receives Honorary Degree—Further Distinction for Dr. Helen MacMurchy.

(By Canadian Press.) Toronto, June 8.—Seldom, if ever, has the University of Toronto conferred honors in such manner as was witnessed by a distinguished assemblage in Convocation Hall last night, when among others, the Government of the Dominion was honored by the bestowal of the University's tribute upon the Prime Minister.

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