

SPIRIT DIRECTS SHIP TO RESCUE

Interesting Story of Apparition At Sea Retold When "Ghost" Sifted.

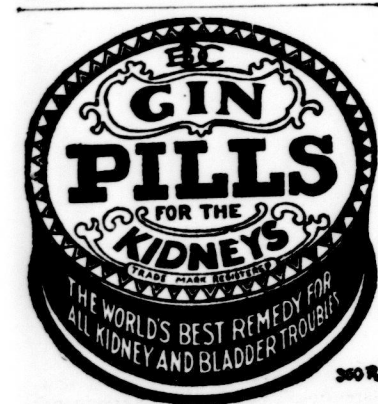
Captain Carries Medal From U. S. President Because He Obeyed Apparition.

HALIFAX, April 23.—One of the stories of the "unknown" which were retold during the recent Antigonish County manifestations at Caledonia Mills, and while Dr. Franklin W. Prince of New York, of the American Society of Psychical Research, was conducting his investigations into the mysteries, was that which concerned Capt. George A. Hatfield, a well-known deep sea mariner, of Parrsboro, N. S.

In the spring of 1876 Capt. Hatfield left Cienfuegos, Cuba, in the bark J. T. Smith, bound for Boston with a load of sugar. On the night of April 20, with the weather clear and the wind favorable, Capt. Hatfield retired, leaving the mate in charge of the ship. He had been sleeping for some time, when he was suddenly awakened by what seemed to be a man shaking him by the right shoulder, and telling him to keep the vessel off one-quarter of a point. Aroused from his slumber, the captain saw a man disappearing through the cabin door. Thinking it was the mate he went on deck and questioned him, but the mate, expressing much surprise, assured him that he had not been in the cabin.

Stranger Repeats Warning. By this time a thunderstorm had suddenly broken, but the wind still blew from a favorable quarter. Capt. Hatfield went below, and was soon asleep. The same messenger as before awoke him, and he was able to distinguish, before the visitor disappeared on deck, that he was dressed in a grey suit and wore a white straw hat. When the captain went again on deck no sign could be seen of the stranger.

Capt. Hatfield went below, determined to watch, but, finding, still asleep, again he was awakened by the apparition. It was then about midnight, and the storm had abated. The skipper determined to heed the thrice-given message, and had his vessel's course changed one-quarter of a point, and



Soviet Offer To Pay Chile 70 Cents.

SANTIAGO, April 23.—Chile is the first country to feel a direct benefit from the Russo-German treaty signed at Rapallo. Immediately after the signing of the treaty it was announced that the Soviet had sent a wireless message to the Chilean government offering to pay the debts owed Chile and asking how to remit.

The message was signed "Roudauan, commissary of the people, Moscow." The debt totals seven francs (70 cents), which the government owes for a radiogram.

gave orders for a sharp lookout, as the Florida coast was being neared.

Rescues Ship's Crew.

On the following day at noon the lookout sighted what he thought to be a lightship. Capt. Hatfield thought that none should be near, and ran for the object. It was soon seen to be a schooner, waterlogged and sinking, and on closer approach was found to be the American schooner D. Talbot. A boat was sent to her, and Capt. Amesbury of the distressed vessel, his wife and young son, and several of the crew were rescued. Within a short time the disabled schooner sank.

When Capt. Hatfield told his dream to Capt. and Mrs. Amesbury, the latter confidently stated that she believed the apparition to have been that of her father. As a memento of the rescue Capt. Hatfield carries a valuable gold watch, with the following inscription: "Presented by the President of the United States to Capt. George A. Hatfield of the British bark J. T. Smith, Parrsboro, N. S., for humanity and courage in the rescue of the crew of the sinking American schooner D. Talbot, April 21, 1876."

HONOR MEMORY OF YPRES HEROES

Special to London Advertiser.

INGERSOLL, April 23.—In commemoration of the anniversary of the second battle of Ypres, the members of the G. W. V. A., this morning attended an impressive service at the Salvation Army Citadel.

They marched from their rooms on King street to the music of the Army band. The service was conducted by Ensign Husband and was of a most appropriate nature.

LORD MOUNTBATTEN DIES.

LONDON, April 23.—Lord Leopold Mountbatten, youngest son of Princess Beatrice and the late Prince Henry of Mountbatten, and brother of Queen Victoria of Spain, died today. Lord Mountbatten underwent an operation on Saturday and failed to rally. He was 32 years old and served throughout the European war.

MRS. HALIBURTON DIES.

Special to London Advertiser. WOODSTOCK, April 23.—Mrs. David Haliburton is dead at the age of 76 years. Previous to coming to Woodstock 35 years ago she lived in Dundas.

ENGINEERS' STRIKE STILL UNSETTLED

British Union Representatives Fail in Attempt to Reopen Negotiations.

SITUATION GROWS TENSE

Workers Claim Employers Seeking to Force Greater Managerial Control.

LONDON, April 23.—(By Canadian Press Cable.)—Following a new deadlock on Friday night, the mediators who are seeking to end the dispute in the engineering trades were early astir on Saturday morning continuing their effort to secure a fresh basis of negotiations.

Representatives of the Employers' Federation, the Amalgamated Engineering Union and 47 allied unions met separately at their respective headquarters, but three hours of discussion ended with the announcement that the attempt to reopen negotiations had definitely broken down.

T. J. McNamara, minister of labor, is coming to London to deal with the situation. The unions on Saturday published the correspondence since April 20, including the letter sent out by the employers on April 21, threatening to cancel the suspension of the lockout notices. The unions declare the employers are thus seeking to force the unions to come to heel and submit to a greater measure of managerial control in the shops than was provided in the agreements of March 24 and April 1. They declare that no responsible trades union body would ever voluntarily accept the new conditions.

The employers at the Friday night conference offered to withdraw their memorandum, claiming a greater measure of managerial control and regulation of overtime, if the men would accept as a basis of settlement the right of the employers to review wage conditions, but this offer was rejected by the representatives of the unions.

CLAIM GIRL QUEEN OF BOY THIEVES

VANCOUVER, B. C., April 23.—Twenty-three boys and one girl, ranging in age from 13 to 15 years, constituting what were known as the "Helmick gang," have been arrested in connection with a series of automobile robberies.

The girl, say the police, was the "queen" of the gang, which was organized on the Apache style, to "satisfy her whims."

OTTAWA MILK PRICES REDUCED.

OTTAWA, April 26.—A general reduction in the price of milk will become effective in Ottawa May 1. The price will be cut from 11 to 10 cents per quart. This will be the lowest price the commodity has been sold for several years in Ottawa.

QUEEN'S STUDENT WORST BURGLAR

KINGSTON, April 22.—Grappling with a would-be burglar as he was entering his room over the balcony at Hillcroft, at 3 o'clock this morning at the home of W. T. Minnes, of MacNee and Minnes, Union Street West, Dave Harding of Sarnia, star half back for Queen's inter-collegiate rugby team gave the intruder such a tussle that the two men rolled over the floor and onto the veranda, thence to the ground, a drop of about 15 feet.

Harding fell, still holding his man, but the force of the drop was so great that his hold was broken and he sustained injuries which necessitated his removal to the General Hospital, the burglar in the meantime escaping. Fortunately Harding had no bones broken.

He is a first year student in arts and was studying late, having been only asleep a short time when the burglar entered the room.

WOULD PROHIBIT POWER EXPORTING

OTTAWA, April 22.—(Canadian Press.)—Dr. H. Deslauriers, St. Marys, Montreal, has given notice that he will bring before the House a resolution which would have the effect of prohibiting the export of electrical power from Canada to the United States.

Dr. Deslauriers' resolution would assert "that whereas the exportation to the United States of the electric energy of the water-powers of Canada promotes the progress of the United States to the detriment of Canada, it would be desirable that the government place a prohibitive duty on this anti-national commerce."

CLANDEBOYE

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CLANDEBOYE, April 23.—The infant son of William Darling is regrettably suffering from an attack of pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. John Northgraves and Miss Mary Northgraves spent Easter week with Mr. and Mrs. William Northgraves, 4th concession, McGillivray.

Miss Laura Simpson spent the holidays at her mother's home in Clarendon.

Miss Mabel Hodgson, who is on the Toronto teaching staff, spent the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Hodgson, of Clarendon.

Miss Oliver, London, spent a part of the holidays with her sister, Mrs. A. Bice, McGillivray.

Mr. Turk, of Parkhill, the Watkins Co. representative in this district, made his usual trip on April 19.

The recent snowstorm and the heavy frosts at nights, since, have further delayed seeding. There was a thick ice formed on Friday night, and people fear that the fruit buds, which were especially well advanced on small fruits, may be considerably injured.

SIDE LIGHTS AT OTTAWA

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HOUSE OF COMMONS, OTTAWA.

April 23.—Even a Progressive member cannot escape the boredom of a dull day in the house, though he be imbued with the crown of his head with the theme of diligent attention to every detail that occurs in the green room. He will be found to be present in the "off again, on again" Finnegans style. In the afternoon of Saturday's meandering through the main estimates only Donald Sutherland came forward to "brighten the corner where he was and the other corners where the other lone deputies were." He tried hard to exasperate that ordinarily calm gentleman, Hon. W. R. Motherwell. One could almost imagine the minister of agriculture saying to himself before the questionings of the member were over, in true agricultural manner, "Well I swan, Donald, if you ain't the most pestiferous fellow I ever saw."

Donald wanted to know all about hog cholera, the cattle embargo and divers other matters, each of which led further and further from the beaten path of estimates. One thing leads to another, on question to another, the cause and effect, the beginning and the end, the who and the what of hog cholera were gone into, presumably for the edification of nobody.

The member for Oxford has always taken a great interest in agriculture, which is supposed to have undergone great disappointment when he was not appointed to the position of minister of agriculture in the late administration. Most every time he rose to his feet this afternoon after the first half-hour of questioning had gone on, Progressive members kept shouting out "passed," meaning the estimate in hand, hoping by this means to keep Mr. Sutherland quiet. Finally, Mr. Motherwell said the estimate was passed, in answer to a question from Sutherland about Duncan Marshall.

"Are the operations of Duncan Marshall passed?" said Mr. Sutherland.

"No, they have only begun," said Mr. Motherwell amidst laughter.

We do not think we are wrong when we suppose that the minister of agriculture is prone to use what shall we call it?—rural phraseology.

This afternoon Mr. Motherwell, speaking of one gentleman, said he "didn't know beans when the bag was open."

MEMBERS CONTRAST THE PRESENT

parliament with the last, at least those who were here last year do. They point out the numerous holidays parliament took during the late regime. On the slightest pretext parliament would knock off for the day, and working days about balanced the number of holidays.

It is easier to gauge the current political thought of a country from some place far removed from the capital. If gazing at close range at parliament were the advantage of the electorate then there would be far greater political stability than at present. Movements from the ordinary state of things do not originate in the legislature itself.

All of which brings out this thought—Will the time come soon when there will be in parliament a Western group, a Maritime group, a Quebec group and an Ontario group? If the Progressive movement loses itself and dissolves into the Liberal party then such a group parliament will never come, for such a thing would be the vindication, if it needs any vindication, of the two-party system. But if the Progressive movement remains in political integrity, and remains a Western group, for such a thing is it, the Ontario members of the Progressive group are really an overflow of the U. F. O. in Ontario, a movement that has or may not have a good future, and which will lose strength if redistribution is put through—so if one section of the country sends a group to parliament may not another.

MEMBERS are continually rising to their feet when the estimates are going through "suggesting in all seriousness that he, a minister, do so and so." Parliament has had considerable of this time-worn phrase, yet speaker after speaker continues to use it. Now it would be somewhat of a shock if a member intimated that he did not make his suggestion in a spirit of seriousness. For instance, what a shock would parliament receive should a member rise and say that he made a suggestion "in all jocularity" or "in all joviality," or something of that nature.

It must be admitted that they make suggestions that might be doubted as given in a spirit of all seriousness. This latter class of suggestion often emanates from many a Conservative bench.

FUNERAL PLANS MADE

Burial of Marjorie Pickthall To Be Held Wednesday.

TORONTO, April 23.—The funeral of Marjorie L. C. Pickthall, the brilliant Canadian novelist and poetess, who died in Vancouver on Wednesday last, following an operation performed on April 17, will take place on Wednesday afternoon.

The remains are expected to arrive in this city late Tuesday afternoon and on the following afternoon at 2 o'clock a service will be held in the church of St. Mary The Virgin, conducted by Rev. Canon Anthony Hart, who was a close personal friend of the late Miss Pickthall. Interment will then be made in St. James' Cemetery.

It was first proposed to hold the funeral immediately on the arrival of the train from the West, but these arrangements were changed out of regard for the wishes of a great number of friends who desired to pay their last respects.

SARNIA CONSTABLE RESIGNS POSITION

Clarence McLean Takes Action Following Private Meeting of Police Commissioners.

ADMITS INSUBORDINATION

Had Invited Sergeant to Step Outside Office and Settle Differences.

SARNIA, April 23.—Following a private meeting of the police commission to inquire into charges of insubordination made against Constable Clarence L. McLean, the latter tendered his resignation yesterday on the suggestion of the commission. The constable had intimated his intention of resigning before the meeting of the commission.

The charges arose out of an invitation made by McLean to Sergeant John Cranmer to take off his coat and come outside the police station to settle affairs.

This was following a statement by McLean to the effect that Constable Norman Short had accepted \$3 from George Kreeby on Sunday last when the latter was being taken to the police station in an intoxicated condition. Kreeby, following his fine, asked Short to return \$3 to him, and the latter denied having taken it. McLean tackled Short later with the matter, and Short reported him.

The police commission found Short not guilty of taking the \$3, though Kreeby, McLean and another man swore that he had accepted it. The commission ruled that as two of the witnesses were intoxicated at the time their evidence was unreliable.

McLean admitted the insubordination, and stated that his remarks to Sergeant Cranmer had been occasioned by the latter declaring that he (McLean) had spied on other constables on their beats and other differences.

SOLD WATER FOR GENUINE GIN

HAMILTON, April 23.—Magistrate Jelfs on Saturday sent Charles Smith, colored, to jail for 6 months for selling a bottle of clear water as gin to John Speck. The magistrate in imposing sentence said it was one of the meanest tricks he ever heard of.

GRAND DUCHESS MARIE DIES.

THE HAGUE, April 22.—Grand Duchess Marie of Mecklenburg-Schwerin died today at the royal palace.

She was the mother of Prince Henry of Mecklenburg-Schwerin, consort of Queen Wilhelmina.

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