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MONTREAL ORDER OVER CARD GAME

Fatal Shooting in Orpheum Theatre After Play

PISTOL MAN ARRESTED

Charles J. Ross Shot Robert Fitzsimmons When Dispute Arose—Both Employes of the House—Ross Walked Streets for Hours and Then Arrested

(Canadian Press) Montreal, Nov. 30.—In a quarrel over cards late last night, Robert Fitzsimmons, chief usher in the Orpheum Theatre, was shot and killed by Charles J. Ross, a solicitor for advertisements for the theatre programme. The shooting occurred in the check room in the basement of the theatre.

According to the story of eye witnesses, the two men with several other went to the cloak room after the performance in the theatre to have a game of "black-jack." They had been playing a short time for fairly high stakes, when a dispute broke out between Ross and Fitzsimmons as to the amount of the stakes. Ross contended that Fitzsimmons was making them too high. After some violent language and hot temper, Ross suddenly reached back and pulled a revolver out of his pocket. The rest of the party ran to cover and while they were hiding Ross shot Fitzsimmons in the side.

Before anyone interfered with him, he walked out of the place, leaving his victim on a chair. Fitzsimmons was then taken to a hospital and died an hour later. After the shooting, Ross left the theatre, and walked around for a few hours. He was just leaving his hotel quarters when a constable arrived. At the police station a revolver with two bullets and an empty cartridge was found in his hip pocket. He was anxious to know about Fitzsimmons' condition, and asked Sergeant Fisher to telephone to the Royal Victoria hospital.

When asked what started the fight, that led up to the shooting, Ross said that they were playing a game of black-jack after the show and that Fitzsimmons tried to cheat him out of \$14 on a hand. He said he refused to pay the amount as the limit was only \$2. Then Fitzsimmons struck him, smashed his glasses and tried to break his back across a bench. "I lost my head, and in the excitement pulled the revolver out of my pocket, and fired," said Ross. He has a wife and child and is forty-six years old. Fitzsimmons was single.

NICHOLAS MEATING OF ST. GEORGE IS DEAD

Member of Grenville Manufacturing Firm Passes Away Suddenly

St. Andrews, N. B., Nov. 30.—(Special)—Nicholas Meating, of the firm of Tait Meating Co., granite manufacturers of St. George, died suddenly this morning. He arose and dressed as usual and soon afterwards expired. He had been in poor health for some time past. He was sixty-two years old and is survived by his wife.

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

Table with columns: Temperature Past 24 Hours, Mac. Min. Dir. Vel. Toronto, Montreal, Quebec, etc.

Forecast—Fresh west to south winds, fair today and on Friday; Friday, a little higher temperature. Synopsis—Fine weather prevails generally with mild conditions in the west. To Banks and American ports, fresh west to south winds.

Local Weather Report at Noon. Thursday, Nov. 30, 1911. Highest temperature during last 24 hrs 32. Lowest temperature during last 24 hrs 20. Temperature at noon 32. Humidity at noon 64. Barometer readings at noon (sea level and 52 degrees Falt), 29.92 inches. Wind at noon—Direction south, velocity four miles per hour. Highest temperature during last year—High temperature 46, lowest 33, cloudy and showers. D. L. HUTCHINSON, Director.

NEW CARDINALS REVEAL RED HAT IN ROME TODAY

Magnificent Scene at Ceremony of Public Consistory in Vatican

Rome Throbbing With Excitement Over The Event and Amid All Pope Pius Was One Remaining Absolutely Calm—The Ceremony in Detail

(Canadian Press) Rome, Nov. 30.—The concluding and most impressive ceremony connected with the creation of the new cardinals occurred this morning at the great public consistory at the Vatican, when fourteen princes of the church were invested with the red hat indicating their rank.

There was tremendous excitement all over the city, and inside the Vatican. The only person who remained absolutely calm was the Pope himself. His serenity of mind is one of the secrets of the influence of Pius X over all who approach him. Every available space in all the rooms and corridors along which the papal procession was to pass and in the hall where the consistory was to take place, was occupied at an early hour. The hall of beatification is an immense chamber over the portico of St. Peter. It had been especially prepared for the occasion. At one end stood the throne flanked by the cardinal's stalls and places for high ecclesiastics and the Sistine Choir, while facing these were seats for the lay members of the consistory.

The consistory was presided over by the Pope in person, who sat on a throne of gold, and was flanked by the two cardinals who had been created on the previous day. The Pope repeated feebly in his melodious voice the usual Latin formula, after which he tenderly embraced the supplicant kneeling before him.

When the long ceremony was over, Pope Pius rose, bestowed the papal benediction on all present, and withdrew. After accompanying the pontiff to his apartments, the new cardinals formed a little procession of their own, proceeding to the Sistine Chapel to return thanks for the honor accorded them.

After the public had dispersed, all the cardinals, both old and new, joined the Pope in the hall of the consistory for a supplementary secret consistory presided over by the head of the church, when he granted the new cardinals their degree of participation in the papal power. The new cardinals, placed the cardinal's ring on their fingers, and assigned to each a specific charge of a titular church in Rome. The ring given by the Pope to each of the new cardinals is a very simple one, consisting of a simple white ring with a stone set solidly in gold, in such a way to allow the papal coat of arms to be engraved on the band.

SCOTLAND'S DAY IN ST. JOHN

The Programme for St. Andrew's Society Banquet in the Royal Hotel Promises Much of Interest

The annual celebration of the festival of Saint Andrew will be observed with due honors by the members of the local St. Andrew's Society this evening. The celebration will take the form of a banquet in the Royal Hotel at eight o'clock, at which about 150 members and guests will be present.

Robert B. Paterson, president of the society, will occupy the head of the honor and with him will be the guests of honor and the other officers of the society. Owing to illness Lieutenant-Governor Tweedie will not be able to be present.

Wherever we live, what'er our lot, Still will we plead and pray That Scot retire thy brother Scot Upon St. Andrew's Day.

TO BE DEPORTED. Heavy travel today again brought the Montreal train into the city in two sections, the first on time, with a large number of passengers, and the second three hours late, for the Granparan and the S. Empress of Britain. The number of Englishmen coming to the city today was many of other nationalities as well, and the station was given a very animated appearance. Among those arriving was John Koumman, and a guard in charge of nine foreigners, being deported as undesirable, four of them because of being demented.

MAY BE POSTPONED AGAIN. The preliminary examination of Harry B. Clark, the former manager of the Charlotte street branch of bank New Brunswick, which was postponed on Wednesday last week, is due to come up again tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock. The representatives of the bank will be ready to go ahead with the case, but it is understood that George W. Fowler, M.P., counsel for Clark, will ask for another adjournment.

NEARING COMPLETION. The work of repairing the break in the water on the K. P. R. property in Mill street, is being pushed ahead rapidly. The covering is already well under way, so that the filling in with earth will probably be completed in a few days. The work of erecting the freight platforms, of which there are to be three lengthy ones, is also going along at an encouraging rate.

WOMAN SUICIDES

David Lockhart's Body Found in Mill Pond—Trouble in Fredericton Over St. John Girl—St. Andrew's Society

Fredericton, Nov. 30.—(Special)—David Lockhart, of Pokiak, York County, committed suicide at that place yesterday by throwing his body into the mill pond. He had been working in the lumber woods but returned home a few days ago on account of ill health. Since that time his conduct had been strange.

A young girl named Elliott, who had been attending the Model School, disappeared from the city early this week. The attention of the trust officer, Mr. Roberts, was called to her non-attendance at school and on investigation it was found that the mother of the child had come from St. John and compelled her to return with her. The girl's mother is married and is living in North End, St. John. Her grandmother had been stationed in the city and sending her to school and on those grounds said she had the right to custody. It is not yet decided what action will be taken but it is probable that steps will be taken to have the girl returned.

Canon Alex. Skene is mentioned as the next warden of the municipality of York, to succeed Warden Rogers, who is retiring. The warden will be elected in January.

The Fredericton branch of St. Andrew's Society will hold a dinner at Windsor Hall tonight. The attendance will be large. P. R. Ross, of St. John, will be in attendance. The principal speakers will be Rev. Dr. W. H. Smith, of St. Paul's Presbyterian church, Fredericton, who will speak on "The Day and All Who Honor It," and Hon. J. K. Fleming, who will reply to "Parliamentary Institutions."

LATE SPORT NEWS

Wolgate Warded No "Sleeping Stuff"—White Hopes in Battle. Los Angeles, Nov. 30.—Early this morning, Clara Barton, hospital matron, announced that Ad. Wolgate was asleep, was resting easily, and that his condition was improving. When yesterday morning Tom Jones informed Wolgate that he must be operated on, the champion said: "All right, Tom, I'll go through it, but Tom, none of that sleeping stuff for me. I'll take the morphine without other stuff, and then go to it. I can stand it."

New York, Nov. 30.—Tom Kennedy outlasted the champion, when yesterday morning at the Royal athletic club Brooklyn, last night. Both men are local white hope. Kennedy, a former champion, was on points, but Palmer, with his rushing, tired Kennedy. Kennedy was mainly distress in the round from the pounding his kidneys and stomach received, but he recuperated and outboxed Palmer round the fourth round. Palmer's weight was announced as 212 pounds, and Kennedy's 195.

Spokane, N. S. W., Nov. 30.—Jimmy Clubb, of Milwaukee, Wis., middleweight champion of Australia, fought and knocked out Jim Long, a middleweight boxer, today in a round, which led in every round. The contest took place in the Stadium.

BAD IN ALBERTA

Weather Conditions Put Off The Threshing Until March. MacLeod, Nov. 30.—The weather conditions are anything but good for the farmers throughout Alberta. A fall of snow, the mid-spell, and a cold snap came in turn, and the threshing will be left until March.

RAILWAYS MAY HAVE TO KEEP CAR ORDER BOOK. Ottawa, Nov. 30.—The railway commission on Tuesday, December 5, will consider the matter of requiring all railway companies under the jurisdiction of the board to provide at all stations a car order book in which a record must be kept showing particulars of all cars ordered and allotted, also the advisability of requiring all orders for cars to be made in person by shippers, their agents, by mail or telegraph, giving particulars of cars required to the agent in charge of the station from which shipment is made.

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WILL HELP FIGHT THE WHITE PLAGUE

Imperialist Success in China Civil War—Report of an Armistice in Effect

MORE NEWS OF REBEL DEFEAT

(Canadian Press) Peking, Nov. 30.—Consular reports received from Soochow, Nov. 24, announce that the imperialists defeated the rebels in a pitched battle on Ningman in the south of the province of Soochow. The missionaries are safe.

The negotiations opened between Lieut. General Yen Kwo Chang, commanding the imperial troops at Hankow, and General Li Yun Heng, commanding the revolutionaries, for an armistice continue through the medium of the consuls. The government confirms a statement that the armistice has already gone into effect but Lieut. General Chang reports that occasional firing occurs at Wu Chang and Han Yang.

Washington, Nov. 30.—The United States yesterday formally offered to China the services of 2,500 American troops, now stationed in the Philippines, to aid in keeping open the railway from Peking to the sea and for the protection of foreigners in China, if the Chinese council of Ministers desires to accept their services.

ONE WAY TO DEAL WITH SOCIAL EVIL

Winnipeg Will Put Red Light District in Ward Voting For It. Winnipeg, Man., Nov. 30.—As the result of the recent civic agitation as to what shall be done with Winnipeg's red light district, the candidates now standing for Mayor, Fredrickson, Fredericton, and who will speak on "The Day and All Who Honor It," and Hon. J. K. Fleming, who will reply to "Parliamentary Institutions."

TRURO'S BAD CHECK CASE

Truro, N. S., Nov. 30.—(Special)—It now transpires that Tuesday last was not the evening of that day with bogus cheques. He has been here several times and made the acquaintance of several people by reason of being quite musical. He is an Englishman of another name. It is said he worked for a Halifax musical instrument firm for a time.

TO TEACH "LITTLE MOTHERS"

Toronto, Nov. 30.—The school inspector movement, Tuesday morning classes will be opened in the eastern, western and central districts of Toronto. The school nurses will teach the girl pupils proper methods of bathing and dressing babies, cleaning and airing infants' clothing, and feeding babies.

MURDERER IS SUICIDE

London, Nov. 30.—Herbert Cooper, who murdered "Joel" George Sauger, a circus owner on Tuesday last in East Finchley, a suburb of London, committed suicide yesterday on the railway, two miles from the scene of the crime. Cooper's de-capitated body was found this morning.

POLITICS IN ONTARIO

Toronto, Nov. 30.—The Liberals of West Hastings have written to Rev. Ben H. Sence, secretary of the Ontario branch of the Dominion Alliance asking that the alliance enter a candidate in the riding in the provincial elections, and promising the endorsement of the Liberal convention, and also the financing of the campaign.

FRANCISCAN LEADER DEAD

Boston, Nov. 30.—After a fortnight of suffering, Rt. Rev. Fr. Ubaldo Pandolfi provincial of the Italian Franciscans in the United States and rector of the church of St. Leonard of Port Maurice in this city is dead from complications brought on by diabetes.

SAY ARABS GUILTY OF AWFUL CRUELTIES

Rome, Nov. 30.—A party of officers, surgeons and reporters, who have been searching the places in Tripoli taken by the Italians on November 26, found many bodies of Italian victims of the fighting of October 23, the day before the Italian massacre of Arabs. The bodies, many of them atrociously mutilated. Some of the victims had been crucified and their eyelids stitched so that they could not close them. Some had been buried to their armpits, their hands lopped off, and their faces tortured. The agonized faces of many of them, suggest that they had to endure awful tortures.

ITALIANS REPORT PRISONERS BURIED TO ARMPITS, HANDS CUT OFF AND EYES GORED OUT—STORY OF ONE WHO ESCAPED

An Italian who had escaped by hiding for three days in a ditch, pretending he was dead, and who witnessed the mutilations, declares that Turkish officers and women were present. Five Italians were buried alive up to their shoulders, and allowed to starve to death.

Perth, Nov. 30.—News has been received here, that an Italian war ship is bombarding Fort Sheik Said, on the Arabian coast.

DUKE OF CONNAUGHT TAKES A HAND IN THE CONFLICT

Toronto, Nov. 30.—The Duke of Connaught has accepted the honorary presidency of the National Soterism Association, and has expressed warm interest in the work undertaken by the association.

BUSY DAY IN TORONTO

Talk to Newspaper Men at Reception One Feature of Programme—Open Ball at Armories, Most Brilliant Social Event in History of Toronto

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