

# PRIVY COUNCIL'S DECISION ON TREMBLAY-DESPERATE MARRIAGE CONCERNS QUEBEC, NOT ONTARIO

Bishop M. F. Fallon Refuses to Make Any Detailed Statement Regarding Matter—Rev. A. L. G. Clarke Agrees With Statements of Bishop Farthing of Montreal.

The privy council's decision in the Tremblay-Desperate marriage case does not in the least affect us here in Ontario, it is a matter for Quebec," declared Bishop Fallon when seen by The Advertiser this morning. "I have said nothing further to say in the matter."

His lordship insisted that regard to the mixed marriage question, Catholics were apt to confuse the civil or legal aspect of the matter with its sacramental aspect. It is only with the latter that the church is concerned. In Ontario as well as in other English-speaking countries the legality of marriages is not performed by a priest, but is fully admitted, so long as the marriage has been carried out in accordance with the law of the land, but nevertheless the church retains its right to deal with the canonical phase of what it has always defined as a solemn sacrament.

A. J. G. Clarke of the Church of St. John the Evangelist, when spoken to this morning, said that he had not gone into the effects of the decision to any extent, but he quite agreed with the opinions of Bishop Farthing of Montreal and Chancelor L. H. Davidson, that by this decision, although it is in connection with a case of consanguinity, definitely settles the entire issue of mixed marriages so far as the validity in Quebec is concerned, and places the civil law paramount to the old canon law of the province, which was formerly invoked in all such cases.

# SENATE CHAMBER SPICK AND SPAN FOR OPENING

Presents Handsome Appearance, Although Permanent Decorations Not Complete.

Ottawa, Feb. 12.—All arrangements for the opening of Parliament on Monday will be completed by tonight. A large staff of painters, carpenters and decorators was working on the Senate Chamber all night, and at 7 o'clock this morning the new Senate Chamber, complete as far as it will be, was opened to the public. The chamber, which is a large room, is a very handsome appearance, notwithstanding the fact that a considerable amount of the wall will not be done for some time, but in the meantime these panels are occupied by a number of the larger canvases of the memorial collection.

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# SNOWSTORM DELAYS OPERATION OF STREET CARS IN N.Y. CITIES

Strike in Albany and Troy Continues.

Albany, N.Y., Feb. 12.—The weather has become an important factor in the street car strike in Albany, Troy and nearby municipalities. Upon it apparently depends the immediate ability of the United Traction Company to obey the order of the public service commission to operate the cars at a strike of its regular force of 1,200 union employees, who quit work two weeks ago because of a 25 per cent wage reduction.

Struck hard by the countless automobiles which piled the traction company routes during the 24-hour strike, the cars were delayed to the depth of several inches. Efforts to clear it away yesterday with snow plows and sweepers proved fruitless. Shortly before 8 o'clock this morning one car, preceded by a gang of twenty strike-breakers, with shovels and picks, came out of the North Albany barns and began to make a laborious attempt to proceed toward the city. By constant use of the picks and shovels and the "snow-buckling" tactics of the crew the car proceeded at approximately the rate of less than a block an hour.

Vienna, Feb. 12.—Enactment of a law providing for a referendum relative to fusion between the Austrian Republic and Germany has been formally demanded of the Government here by the Groesse Deutsche party. The organization claims that such legislation would be in fulfillment of promises made before the recent election in Austria, and makes its demands in the name of the German people. The Groesse Deutsche party is a union between this country and Germany.

It is explained that immediate action regarding fusion would not necessarily follow a plebiscite, but such a vote would be taken out of a desire to show the real sentiment of Austria to the world.

Following are the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 31; lowest, 25.

The official temperature, during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 28; lowest, 9.

Forecast: Generally fair today and on Sunday; higher temperature on Sunday.

Stations	High	Low	Weather
Victoria	45	28	Fair
Winnipeg	54	28	Fair
Port Arthur	36	18	Fair
Sault Ste. Marie	32	18	Fair
Quebec	30	20	Fair
Toronto	29	15	Fair
Kinross	30	14	Fair
Ottawa	28	9	Fair
Montreal	21	13	Fair
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The disturbance which was in New Jersey yesterday morning is now centered in Cape Breton, causing rains over the Maritime Provinces, attended by a considerable snowfall.

Elsewhere in the Dominion, with the exception of some light snowfalls in Northern Ontario and Western Quebec, the weather has been fair, and in the West abnormal cold.

# URGES PAYING JAIL MATES REGULAR WAGE

Winnipeg Grand Jury Would Inaugurate New System.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Winnipeg, Feb. 11.—Employment of prisoners detained in Manitoba jail at wages prevailing for free labor is recommended by the grand jury in its report submitted to Chief Justice Mathers on Friday. Commenting on the recommendation, the chief justice said that prisoners should be given employment on useful public works at fixed wages, and that wages should be paid to their dependents for their own use at their release if they had no dependents.

# FORDNEY TARIFF BILL WILL BE CONSIDERED AGAIN IN U.S. SENATE

Advocates of Measure Will Put Up Strong Fight.

Washington, Feb. 12.—The Fordney emergency tariff bill was listed for further consideration in the Senate today after having been shoved aside in favor of appropriation measures.

The measure came up today under an agreement reached at the conclusion of a brief debate on Thursday. Whether any progress would be made on the measure today, any real progress for that matter, at this session of Congress was a question, although proponents had announced their intention to put forth their best efforts in the brief time allowed them.

The Senate in its consideration of the measure was down to the sugar schedule today when it began work, and the amendment of Senator Smoot, Republican, Utah, which drew an attack when it was offered Thursday, was still before the Senate. The Smoot amendment, according to its author, would add about one cent a pound to the price of sugar, but still would not be so burdensome on the consuming public as the finance committee's amendment. Opponents of the Smoot amendment have attacked it principally on the ground that it was technical and involved.

# Ham and Eggs Price Reduced

Montreal, Feb. 12.—The price of ham and eggs is down 10 cents, and the price of all eggs 5 cents is down today. It was learned yesterday that the orders for the lowering of the price on these articles of food had been issued by the head office in New York.

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# GARFIELD WOMEN SENT TO TORONTO

Kitty Will Reside With Her Mother-in-Law While Annie Is Sent to Institution.

Annie and Kitty Garfield, wives of Denton and Norman Garfield, will leave the county jail on Monday for Toronto, the former to go to a home for girls and the latter to the home of Mrs. Garfield, mother of the male prisoners, who keeps a grocery store.

Three weeks ago when arrested on a vagrancy charge, with their husbands, they pleaded not guilty, but after consultation with their counsel, E. W. M. Flock, today they decided to reverse their plea.

Annie Garfield must stay in the Toronto institution until the superintendent is satisfied that she is fitted to go into the world again.

Magistrate A. H. M. Graydon told the girls that provision was being made for them on condition that they stay where they were sent if they do not comply with the stipulations they will be brought up and sentenced, as sentence has been suspended.

Kitty Garfield said that she met Norman Garfield in Toronto, but was married in Hamilton.

Mrs. Harrison, who lends a helping hand to girls who come before the magistrate will take Annie Garfield to Toronto on Monday.

Crown Attorney J. B. McKillop wished to know if Kitty Garfield could produce a marriage certificate.

Mr. Flock said that he had seen one framed and hanging on the wall of their home at 54 Dundas street. He did not know if it was still there.

# RAILWAYS ASKING FOR HUGE DAMAGES

Want British Government To Pay Three-Quarters of a Billion.

London, Feb. 11.—The British Government may have to pay £150,000,000 in claims as a result of its control of the railways during the war, according to estimates submitted today by a Government committee which investigated the situation. The claims are divided as follows:

£20,000,000 for arrears in maintenance.

£40,000,000 for abnormal wear and tear.

£20,000,000 for the replacement of stores.

It is understood the railway companies may make other claims, but that the committee is of the opinion that no others will be admissible.



JOHN BULL: "ALL RIGHT, I'LL START IT!"

# CONFESSES TO MURDER FOR WHICH ANOTHER WAS LYNCHED

Marion, Ill., Feb. 12.—Settino De Santis, an Italian miner, was hanged here yesterday for the murder of Amel Calcesterera and Tony Hemphill, two boys. Before he was led to the gallows, De Santis confessed to the murder of Edward Chapman in Johnson City, Ill., six years ago, for which crime another Italian, Joe Bingo, was lynched at the time.

Chapman was killed at the home of his son-in-law, Ben Schult, mine foreman, who had discharged Bingo, De Santis and another Italian, Frank Bianca. Bianca was also implicated in the murders for which De Santis was hanged, made a confession in which he charged De Santis fired the shot that killed Chapman, and a few days later committed suicide in jail while his trial was in progress. De Santis then confessed to another Italian, one of the interpreters at his trial, that he had accidentally shot Chapman while trying to kill Schult.

# Poincare, Joffre and Other Distinguished Frenchmen Expected to Come to Canada

Montreal, Feb. 12.—For the inauguration of the French exhibition train which is to tour Canada next summer, a distinguished mission of French statesmen will visit this country, Senator Beaubien, in making the announcement, declared that he expected ex-President Raymond Poincare, Marshal Joffre, ex-Premier Viviani, and other distinguished Frenchmen to come to Montreal on that occasion. The French mission will arrive in New York on the new liner Paris, and they will come to Montreal, later visiting Quebec, Ottawa and Toronto.

If French products are to be exhibited in Canada, Senator Beaubien emphasized the point that for every concession made in favor of France, the same concession had been obtained for the Canadian exhibition train that will make a similar tour throughout France in the summer of 1922. Free transportation for the products of both countries has been secured across the Atlantic, and a free train in each country will likewise be supplied.

The science of the day will also be utilized, as the products will be supplemented by moving picture scenes, representing Canada's natural resources. On the other hand, scenes representing French industries will be exhibited in the theatres of Canada.

# ARMED MEN IN CORK OPEN FIRE RAILWAY TRAIN

One Soldier Is Killed, While Number Are Wounded.

Cork, Feb. 12.—One soldier was killed and a number of others wounded today in an attack on a passenger train outside of Mill street station by a hundred armed men. The train was carrying a large number of soldiers, and the attack was a surprise. The soldiers were taken to the Cork military hospital aboard a special train.

# SMUTS' LEAD IS STEADILY GROWING

Johannesburg, Union of South Africa, Feb. 11.—Latest returns of the South African election show the following results:

Nationalists ..... 73

Labour ..... 9

Conservative ..... 2

Other ..... 1

# AT ONTARIO BAR ASSOCIATION

London, Feb. 12.—The Ontario Bar Association, which has been temporarily abandoned and future plans will depend on the advice of its lawyers. The chief of the immigration department here said he had no order from Washington to arrest O'Callaghan for failing to leave the United States within the time limit fixed by the department of labor.

# TWO KILLED, 15 HURT, IN FIGHT AT SHIPYARD

The Italian Communists and Socialists in Combat.

London, Feb. 12.—Two persons were killed and fifteen wounded yesterday in a conflict between Communists and Extreme Nationalists at the naval shipyard at Monfalcone, Italy, says a Rome dispatch to the Central News, which quotes a report to the Epoca.

CAUSE OF TROUBLE.

Trieste, Feb. 12.—Disorders occurred in the town of Monfalcone, 23 miles from this city, today, and it is reported that several persons were killed and wounded. The trouble, it is reported, arose over the burning of the plant occupied by the Socialists yesterday morning. Some Communists became involved in an argument with two Extreme Nationalists, and the discussion resulted in a fight. Troops were called out and workmen holding a shipbuilding ward in the town were forced to withdraw, while red guards retired from the scene of the trouble.

A telegram received from Monfalcone stated that the place was quiet.

# GERMAN STATESMEN PLANNING BEST WAYS TO DISSOLVE GUARDS

Legislation Is Now Being Prepared by Minister of Interior.

Berlin, Feb. 12.—Legislation which would prescribe the manner in which all the civilian guards in Germany are to be dissolved, is now being prepared by the ministry of the interior. After being submitted to the cabinet the measure will be presented to the Reichstag for approval.

The action of the Bavarian premier in placing responsibility for disarmament on the Berlin Government has created a situation quite embarrassing to the federal ministry. In view of the prolonged deliberations by the Bavarian ministers at Munich, Konstantin Fehrenbach, the chancellor, had looked for a more emphatic declaration from Dr. Von Kaahr.

# LIVELY DEBATE.

Munich, Feb. 12.—Independent Socialists demanded during yesterday morning's session of the Bavarian Diet that the Government make a report on negotiations carried on between the Bavarian minister and Dr. Von Kaahr, Bavarian minister, and this provoked a lively debate. A speaker for the Government declared that the proceedings at Berlin were confidential, and that their nature could not be divulged except in a plenary session.

# TO PROTECT PUBLIC FROM WILDCATting

New Regulations To Govern Oil and Gas in Northwest.

Ottawa, Feb. 11.—By Canadian Press. The department of the interior made public today the regulations governing the disposal of oil and natural gas in the Northwest Territories. These regulations are the first of their kind, and are designed to protect the public from wildcatting, fraud and misrepresentation, and to ensure that the oil and gas is disposed of in a fair and equitable manner.

The regulations are somewhat similar to those in force in Alaska. An adequate drilling outfit must be established in the location within two years of the date of the permit; drilling to a depth of at least 500 feet must be completed during the third year, and to an aggregate depth of 2,000 feet during the fourth year.

# BISHOP FARRELLY IS NOT EXPECTED TO LIVE

Knoxville, Tenn., Feb. 12.—Hope for recovery of Bishop John P. Farrelly, head of the Catholic Diocese of Cleveland, was abandoned today by his physicians. The bishop has been ill with pneumonia since last Sunday.

# LIVED IN EXHAUST PIPE.

New York, Feb. 12.—The open end of an exhaust pipe, four feet in diameter, connecting two buildings in Lower New York, served as a home for Antonio Bolakour, aged 50, for more than three years, it was disclosed today. Unable to obtain employment, and too proud to beg, he subsisted on morsels taken from restaurant garbage cans. He began a 30-day sojourn in the pipe today.

# WILL RECOMMEND GOVT PAY ITSELF COST FOR TRAINING CITY'S BACKWARD CHILDREN

Minister of Education, Dr. R. H. Grant, In Sympathy With the London Request and Promises Full Support When Matter Comes Before House.

While in Toronto yesterday to see the minister of education in regard to the provision of high school accommodation and his sanction to the policy outlined by the trustees, the delegation took the opportunity to lay before Dr. R. H. Grant a suggestion with regard to Government assistance toward the provision of special classes for backward children in the schools of Ontario.

The matter was laid before the minister at a special interview by a special committee, comprising Trustees T. Colledge (chairman of the board), Mrs. Tanner, Mrs. Hunt and Ed. Smith. The interview was held after the 12 members of the delegation which went down to Toronto yesterday had paid a visit to the office of Dr. P. W. Merchant, director of technical education.

Mrs. C. E. Tanner, as chairman of the special committee, introduced the matter, and after reviewing the recent visit of Dr. Clarke of Toronto, specialist on mentally deficient children, to London and his report on 75 cases of backward children and recommendation that two classes be immediately provided for the care of 32 of these children, asked the minister to place before the Government a recommendation that the Government make a grant in aid of this special training.

Mrs. Tanner suggested that the grant should be on the same basis as the grants made to vocational training courses, namely half the total cost of the classes, and that the other half be borne by the city of London. She also suggested that the grant should be for the care and teaching of the children.

Dr. Grant received the suggestions made by the delegation very courteously and expressed his fullest sympathy with the work. He promised that the suggestions made in regard to financial assistance by the Government should be given the most careful consideration.

During the visit to Dr. Merchant's office the delegation were assured that the Government was fully prepared to give in the promotion of high school education in London. He expressed full approval of the creation of a central school for the accommodation of the children in the special classes.

# NOTORIOUS "GANG" LEADER UNDER ARREST

THOMAS QUINN, Toronto, said by the police to be a three-gun man and leader of a gang of criminals responsible for many depredations in various Canadian cities. Several of the gang are now undergoing sentences of from five to fourteen years imprisonment. He is 27 years of age and has had a life of crime.

# Cutting Hay And Ice At Same Time

Beth, Me., Feb. 12.—They are making hay here while the sun shines this morning. The hay is being cut by a machine, and the ice is being cut by a machine. The machine is a new one, and it is doing a very good job of cutting the hay and ice at the same time.

# LORD CECIL WILL JOIN OPPOSITION

Declares He Is Increasingly at Variance With the Government.

London, Feb. 11.—Lord Robert Cecil has definitely intimated his decision to cross the floor of the House of Commons and take his seat on the opposition bench. The intimation was contained in a letter written to Lord Edmund Talbot, chief Unionist whip, in which Lord Cecil explained that he is getting increasingly at variance with the government on a number of public questions, and that he will be able to express his views more freely and in a more timely manner from the opposition seat than from his old seat among the Unionists.

# SIGN COMPANY'S PLANT BURNS.

Horrell, N.Y., Feb. 12.—The factory of the National Sign Company at Horrell, N.Y., was destroyed by fire this morning. The company had just moved its plant to Canisteo from Dayton, Ohio. The loss is estimated at \$50,000.

# HOLD CONVENTION IN MARCH.

Toronto, Feb. 12.—Following up the convention held in Windsor, Ont., in January, 1914, the National Waterway Association of Canada will hold a three-day convention in Toronto on March 8 and 9 to urge on the Government the need for energetic action in deepening the St. Lawrence to provide a passage for ocean vessels between the Great Lakes and the sea.

# THE HIGH SCHOOL PROBLEM.

Practically every member of the large delegation which visited the minister earlier in the day to discuss high school policy of the board shared in the discussion which took place and in which Dr. Grant took a close interest.

The delegation, which comprised Chairman Thomas Colledge, Trustees Edwin Smith, A. N. Udy, H. Hayman, Mrs. Tanner, Mrs. Hunt, A. R. Wright, Dr. Robert, Rev. A. A. Bice, A. Langford, W. T. Clark and Dr. Charles Brown, separate school representatives, met the minister of education in the private office and were in consultation with him till 10 p.m.

Following Mr. Colledge's introduction to the minister of the individual members of the delegation and his statement of the case as set forth in the policy agreed upon by the board at its special session last Monday, when over three hours were spent in finding a solution to the deadlock place which at that session took place, which at times came near to a reopening of the old battle between the trustees, but this tendency was happily checked each time by some other member of the delegation intervening with a warning word.

Trustees Udy, following Mr. Colledge, said: "Now that we have succeeded in reaching what appears to us to be a working agreement for the immediate solution of the school of the other unit school next year, we hope, Mr. Minister, that you will see your way clear to approve of the policy outlined. We are all anxious to see the school on the central site proceeded with at once."

"But, that only provides for sixteen rooms," interposed Trustees Wright and Udy, "and we understand that the report of Dr. Merchant and the provincial inspection of high schools suggest the minimum number of teaching rooms needed immediately at 25."

Trustees Langford remarked, "While we want to start the construction of the school, we want to start the construction of the school."

# BOARD OF EDUCATION AT SPECIAL MEETING PAYS TRIBUTE TO LATE R. M. McELHERAN

"His Place Will Be Hard to Fill," Says Chairman Coleridge.

# GREAT LOSS TO CITY

Was Well Versed in Technique of Board of Education Procedure.

Never before in the history of the city have the trustees of the board of education been called together under such sorrowful circumstances as surrounded the special meeting of the board of education held at 12 o'clock this morning to pay tribute to the sudden death of the secretary of the board, Mr. R. M. McElheran, who died at his home shortly after midnight, following a stroke of apoplexy.

Mr. McElheran directed the fortunes of the board for 28 years, and was one of the best-versed men in the province on the technical side of education procedure. His rulings, given when asked by the trustees, were accepted as final. His great knowledge of the board, and in fact, the city, has shined in many years, and his death is a great loss to the city.

Chairman Coleridge, in calling the trustees to order, paid a high tribute to the sterling worth of the late secretary, whom he described as a man of the highest abilities and of undoubted worth. He said that the place would be very hard to fill.

Trustees Smith, Hayman and Langford, chairmen of the board, and other trustees, respectively, followed, each paying high tribute to the undoubted worth of Mr. McElheran, as guided by the trustees in the carrying on of the official affairs of the city. Back of the other trustees present, their own sense of honor and expressed the feeling of great loss which they felt at the sudden loss of the man on whom each more or less depended for guidance in every matter connected with the affairs of the city schools for many years.

Chief Inspector C. B. Edwards paid a very warm tribute to the memory of Secretary McElheran, with whom he has been his lot to be closely connected in regard to matters concerning the affairs of the city schools for many years.

A resolution expressing the very high honor in which the late secretary was held by the trustees, their great sorrow and feeling of loss at his sudden death, and their deepest sympathy with Mrs. McElheran and her family in their great and sudden bereavement, was passed by the board. The trustees standing in reverent silence for the space of several seconds.

# DR. RUTHERFORD WOULD RUN IN WESTERN RIDING

Calgary, Feb. 12.—If Dr. Rutherford, now a member of the Dominion railway commission, is taken into the Meighen Government, it is believed that he will be a candidate in the Medicine Hat riding, made vacant by the death of Hon. A. L. Sifton. It is also stated that an effort is being made to unite the Liberals and Conservatives of the riding on Dr. Rutherford's candidature, but this movement has not gone very far yet. The farmers will have a candidate.

# INDOORE CANDIDATE.

Brookville, Feb. 12.—The trades and labor council last night endorsed Calvin Lawrence of St. Thomas, Ont., as its representative in the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, for the vacancy on the Dominion railway commission. It also passed a resolution asking the Labor members of the Drury Government to adopt eight-hour day legislation.