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IF U. S. BANKERS NEED HELP LET THEM COME TO CANADA

President Hughes is Surprised That the United States Cannot Find a Way Out of Existing Difficulties—The Advantages of the Canadian System. President Hughes is surprised that the United States cannot find a way out of existing difficulties. He is of the opinion that the Canadian banking system offers many advantages over the American system.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 20.—John P. Knight, of Montreal, Quebec, secretary of the Canadian Bankers' Association, speaking last night before the American Bankers' Association Convention on "Our currency as it appears to a Canadian," said in part: "It may interest you to know something of the Canadian Bankers' Association, and in particular let me now say if it has anything in her make-up which is worthy of your consideration, you are welcome to adopt same. The original membership of Canadian Bankers' Association was voluntary, and its work largely educational. In 1890, it became a business organization, incorporation of banks doing business in the Dominion of Canada is subject to supervision, so far as its notes are concerned by the Canadian Bankers' Association. To it also has been given by parliament, the winding up of failed banks.

MAGNIFICENT HOME BEING ERECTED AT THORNETOWN

By Dr. J. E. Hetherington—Next to the Jordan Residence it is Probably the Finest in the Province. The residence of Dr. J. E. Hetherington at Thorntown, is nearing completion. With the exception of the Gordon house at River Glade this is said to be the finest country dwelling house in the province.

WAS BURIED UNDER A FALLING CHIMNEY

Elin Sally Had a Miraculous Escape While Working on Nelson Street Today. Elin Salley, a Syrian, had a miraculous escape from death this morning. She was employed as a carpenter working on Stephenson's machine shop, which was gutted by fire on Wednesday night.

AMERICANS LUCKY WITH PURSE SEINES

They Are Making Big Catches off Newfoundland—Colonials are Annoyed. ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Oct. 20.—American fishing vessels are now taking herring from Bay of Islands, securing seventy-five barrels nightly with the aid of purse seines. Three hundred colonial fishermen have been engaged by the agents of the American vessels.

FAMOUS OLD ABBEY IN ENGLAND DESTROYED

SELBY, Eng., Oct. 20.—The famous old Abbey church here known as Selby Abbey, is a total ruin, the result of a fire which broke out in the organ chamber at midnight. Only the bare walls were left standing.

EUROPEAN COMPANY TO FIGHT STANDARD OIL

BREMEN, Oct. 20.—The European Petroleum Union, which has been organized to fight the Standard Oil Company, has an initial capital of \$5,000,000. It is backed by the Rothschild Company and Nobel Bros, both Russian concerns, the Deutsche Bank and other Petroleum interests.

THE NIAGARA POWER HEARING ON NOV. 3RD

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—Acting upon a report from Captain Kutz of the engineering department and one from the International water-ways commission relative to electric power transmission across the Niagara River, Secretary of War Taft yesterday set November 12th for the final hearing on the subject. Priced briefs must be submitted before November 3rd.

HUNDREDS OF LABORERS MAY HAVE LOST THEIR LIVES

Ten Barges, Crowded With Workmen, Were Carried to Sea in the Great Storm and it is Feared That They Have Foundered. KEY WEST, Florida, Oct. 20.—The Austrian steamer Jenne, Captain Dudnich, bound from Gulf port for Genoa has called at this port to land forty-nine workmen picked up at sea near the Bahama coast, 160 miles from Key West. The men were part of a force of 150 workmen engaged on the coast extension work. Most of the others were either killed or drowned in the storm early Thursday. Nine other barges crowded with workmen engaged in extension work were at sea with barge number four. There is no news of them and it is feared all were lost.

BANK OF ENGLAND'S ACTION CAUSES SATISFACTION

Financiers Think the 6 per cent Rate Will Put an End to the Heavy Drain on Britain's Supply of Gold. LONDON, Oct. 20.—After the surprise caused in financial circles yesterday by the exceptional increase in the Bank of England's rate of discount a feeling of great relief and confidence was manifested today, as it was believed that the 6 per cent rate would prevent the export of further gold. Nevertheless the stock market this morning continued to show much nervousness, but there was an absence of the feverish excitement which followed the first announcement of the increased rate. American securities continued their downward movement, the opening prices being in marked contrast to those of the opening yesterday. Union Pacific opened at 139 1/2, against 139 1/8 yesterday, while U. S. Steel was offered at 48 3/4, against 50 1/2-3 bid yesterday.

LIBERTY IS GRANTED TO ALL CLASSES OF PEOPLE

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 20.—The government has issued a ukase removing all restrictions regarding employment by the state, making all equal before the law, and releasing the peasants from the vexatious communal system. It prescribes also that the peasants are now free to choose their place of residence, and abolished the poll-tax from January 1, 1907.

PARTINGTON BUYS THE CUSHING MILL

Purchased for Him by Mr. Hanington for \$416,000. Dr. Pugsley and Thomas McAvity Were Also in the Bidding—Bank Stock Sold at Auction. The Cushing pulp mill was sold today at Chubb's Corner at public auction. The bidding was brisk, and in less than five minutes after the sale began the mill had passed into new hands.

NO MORE HYMNS MAY BE USED IN CATHOLIC CHURCHES

Bishop O'Connor Sends Instructions to His Clergy. NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Bishop John J. O'Connor has sent an order to all the Roman Catholic pastors in the diocese of Newark, warning them that the hymn "Near My God to Thee" must not be sung hereafter in any Catholic church in the diocese and that the hymn "Lead Kindly Light" may only be sung in a church after the service is over provided the pastor has given his permission. The latter hymn was written by Cardinal Newman, before his conversion to Catholicism. Bishop O'Connor cites a rigid rule of the church that nothing be sung except a part of the liturgical service and that the hymns mentioned do not come under that head.

TO STATE PRISON FOR SHOOTING HIS WIFE

BOSTON, Oct. 1.—A sentence of not more than 15 nor less than 10 years in the state prison was imposed upon Robert H. Long of Chelsea for shooting his wife, by Judge Bond in the Suffolk county superior court today. On August 28th Long shot his wife, Jennie H. Long, and attempted to shoot himself. Mrs. Long, although severely injured, recovered. The two had not been living together and the crime was attributed to jealousy.

LIPTON WILL COMPETE FOR HIS OWN CUP

And May Possibly Sail a Yacht Himself—A Twenty-Footer to be Built. CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—Sir Thomas Lipton will build a twenty-one foot racing yacht and enter the annual races of the Columbia Yacht Club next year for the trophy given by himself. He has long been urged to do so and yesterday he made known his decision after a conference with a committee from the yacht club.

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