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NEW YORK SOCIETY ALL AGOG

Keen Anticipation of the Visit of Governor-General, Duchess and Princess

AN HONOR FOR MRS. REID

First New York Lady to Entertain British Loyalty as House Guests - Talked of Trip of King Across Atlantic all Imagination.

(Canadian Press)

New York, Jan. 20.—Society is keenly expectant over the visit of the Duke of Connaught and his Duchess, with Princess Patricia, who are to arrive here on Monday morning from Ottawa for a four days' visit with the ambassador to the Court of St. James, and Mrs. Whitlaw Reid.

Mrs. Reid will hold the distinction of being the first New York hostess to entertain British royalty as house guests. It is really the first time that persons of such rank in England paid this country a visit since 1800, when the Prince of Wales, the late King Edward VII, was a much feted visitor.

As the visit of the royal party will be purely social, there will be many entertainments crowded into the four days of their stay here. The social plans which have been arranged by the ambassador and Mrs. Reid for the entertainment of their distinguished guests, and which include several dinners and a dance, will be augmented by several other smaller affairs, principally luncheons.

London, Jan. 20.—The statement that King George and Queen Mary will go to Canada in 1914 and possibly visit the United States is said here to be based on a reliable source. "That for the only foundation for it is an article in the Pall Mall Gazette on contemplated royal visits to continental countries, in which the writer suggested that King George, after going to France and Germany, might determine to extend his travels to the Dominion across the Atlantic in which case he would possibly visit the United States. This suggestion is in the only article which is not even mentioned in the light of the expedition in Nepal, accompanied by the drawings he sends to his paper with a letter, in the course of which he writes:

QUARTER MILLION LOSS BY FIRE IN TORONTO BUILDING

Allen Manufacturing Company Suffer Heavily—Three Firemen Acre Hurt

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 20.—Three firemen were injured and Toronto suffered the most costly commercial fire in years, when a four-story warehouse and factory building of the Allen Manufacturing Company at Simcoe and Pearl streets was damaged to the extent of a quarter million dollars last night.

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

J. A. M. WEATHER REPORT. Toronto, 20 6 W. 10 Fair. Montreal, 24 -3 N.E. 12 Clear. Quebec, 24 8 W. 14 Clear. Halifax, 46 4 N.W. 16 Clear. St. John's, 43 21 N.W. 16 Cloudy. Sydney, 48 22 N.W. 19 Cloudy. St. John's, 48 26 N.W. 20 Cloudy. Halifax, 48 28 N.W. 24 Fair. Yarmouth, 46 29 N.W. 19 Fair. St. John's, 46 10 N.W. 26 Clear. Boston, 22 13 N.W. 8 Clear. New York, 22 16 N.W. 20 Cloudy. The wind is blowing from the west and indicates "Below Zero."

Forecast: Fresh northwest to southwest winds; clear and colder today and on Sunday. Synopses: Fair cold weather everywhere generally. To banks and American ports fresh northwest to southwest winds. Saint John's Observatory.

The Time Ball on Customs Landing is hoisted half its elevation at 12.45, full elevation at 12.50, and drops at 1 p.m. Standard time of the 66th Meridian, equivalent to 2 hours Greenwich mean time. Local Weather Report at Noon. 20th day, January, 1912. Highest temperature during last 24 hrs. 46. Lowest temperature during last 24 hrs. 10. Humidity at noon 75. Barometer readings at noon (sea level and 32 degrees Falt.) 30.22 inches. Wind at noon: Direction N.W.; velocity 16 miles per hour. Clouds: Same date last year: Highest temperature, 33; lowest 2. D. L. HUTCHINSON, Director.

FREDERICTON BLOCK IN THE GRIP OF FIRE

Outbreak in Sharkey Building in Queen Street Gives Firemen Hard Fight

Under Control This Afternoon With Estimated Loss of Eight or Ten Thousand Dollars—Hon. G. E. Foster to Give Alumni Oration at U. N. B.

(Special to Times) Fredericton, N. B., Jan. 20.—One of the most costly commercial fires which this city has experienced for some years, broke out at ten o'clock this morning in G. E. Wilkes' emporium store, located in the Sharkey block in Queen street. The block, which is owned by the estate of the late Owen Stanley, is divided into two sections, separated by a stout brick wall, and the flames were confined to the upper section. The lower part was occupied by the Western Telephone Company, George F. Wilkes, optician; James F. Sharkey, hardware; and the Singer Manufacturing Company's office. The two upper flats were vacant.

WITH KING GEORGE IN THE WILDS OF INDIAN JUNGLE

Graphic Artist Sends Home Sketches and a Letter Telling of His Majesty's Prowess

(Canadian Press) London, Jan. 20.—A long letter, packed with sketches, which had been written by the expedition in Nepal, accompanied by the drawings he sends to his paper with a letter, in the course of which he writes: "His Majesty shot altogether thirty-two animals of the country, in cages, some of them very rare. They were carried home by coolies, their cages and placed in three lines. One of the most difficult captures was a tiger or wild dog, from the borders of Tibet. A tiger leaped from a forest of trees, and various kinds of deer and mousdeer, every sort of bird and fish, and all manner of game, were shot and baskets of every fruit and vegetable known completed the gift."

DOG DEFENDANT IN PROBATE CASE

Breaker of Hearts Will Have Some Years in Prison to Repent

Vienna, Jan. 20.—A pet dog is to be the "defendant" in an interesting claim about a will. The owner, Franz Bela Csabo, widow of a Hungarian official, was found dead from heart disease. She left a will bequeathing all her possessions, including \$5,000 ready cash, to her pet dog, which had been confined in a room in the flat, with mirrors and silk brocade furniture, and was fed on seasonable delicacies.

REDMOND WILL GO IF HE HAS TO BE CARRIED

Dublin, Jan. 20.—John Redmond, the nationalist leader in the house of commons, was able to leave his bedroom yesterday. He says he is determined to attend the home rule meeting at Belfast February 5, even if he has to be carried there.

PROMISED TO MARRY ELEVEN

Vienna, Jan. 20.—Eleven women are married against a man who had promised marriage and had borrowed money to the extent of about \$6,000 from them. The prisoner, Karl Huber, forty-two years of age, belonging to an itinerant band of musicians, solemnly acknowledged that he had been solemnly betrothed—almost equal to marriage in this country—to all the women.

A LONG LIST

No less than seventy-eight men have been reported by Serg. Vinkler and Policeman Lee for working at Sand Point without a license.

ST. JAMES' BOYS WON

In the Queen's Rink this morning the James' chivalry Boy Scout hockey team defeated the Queen Square club score 4 to 0.

BELIEVE THE NEWS FOUND SOUTH POLE

New York Man of Scientific Mind as Daily Expecting Word

South to Be There TOMAS DAY

(Canadian Press) New York, Jan. 20.—Officials of the Geographic Society, and similar organizations interested in polar expeditions are awaiting word from Captain Robert Adams, who is expected to reach the south pole on tomorrow day, and they believe that his announcement will be the final and decisive one. It is believed that he has almost reached the pole. The expedition was organized by the British navy, and was led by Captain Scott, who is now in the south. The expedition was organized by the British navy, and was led by Captain Scott, who is now in the south.

THE DURBAR TURBAN

The great Durbar at Delhi is responsible for this latest fashion in headgear. This is probably the dusting of all the hats designed as reminders of the current events.

THE PROBLEM OF THE WESTERN GRAIN CROP

Hon. Mr. Cochrane Says Some Way of Storing it to Give Railways a Chance Must be Found

Montreal, Jan. 20.—The building of the International, and its extension completed by the completion of the Canadian Pacific and other lines, will be a great boon to the West. The minister declared himself in favor of western railway problems, declaring that some means must be found either public or private, of both combined, for storing the western crops for a time at least, so that the shipping season will be extended sufficiently to give the railroads a chance. He added that the government would be pleased to see the government purchase is practically completed but that they had been requested by the sellers to keep the price paid private.

EX-SENATOR JONES TALKS IN PROJECT FOR BAKER WILL HERE

33-Senator N. M. Jones, of Bangor, Me., was at the head of the line of grocers in the Consolidated Path and Paper Company, applying for incorporation with a capital of \$50,000 to take over the Path and Paper Company, which had been in operation for many years in connection with it in this city.

BOYCOTT AGAINST THE HIGH PRICE ASKED FOR BUTTER

New York, Jan. 20.—Appeal to the women of New York to stop butter for the next thirty days unless the price is reduced has been made by the "Housewives League" whose president is Mrs. Julian Healey.

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CONDEMNNS SOME DANCES OF THE HOUR

A Vigorous Address by Father Vaughan to Brooklyn Audience

SOCIETY PEOPLE HEAR HIM

Preacher Speaks Forcefully and Women of Society Come Forward to Say They Agree With Him—The Danger Presented

New York, Jan. 20.—Speaking to a big audience, including many society people in the Brooklyn Academy of Music, Rev. Father Bernard Vaughan, the noted English Jesuit preacher, expressed strong views against the society craze for such dances as the "Apache" and the "turkey trot." As usual the eminent speaker addressed to his audience of calling a spade a spade.

ARTHUR W. ATKINSON OF SACKVILLE DEAD

Wife Was Miss Lee of This City—Had Been Ill Only Few Days

Sackville, N. B., Jan. 20.—(Special)—The town was greatly shocked this morning by news of the death of Arthur W. Atkinson, a well-known and respected resident of Sackville, at the age of sixty-two years. He had been ailing for some time, but had been up and about until a few days ago, when he complained of feeling poorly.

LAD TELLS OF ROBBERY

Four Others Charged With Taking Money From Him

The story of theft from a boy on one of the public streets was told in the court this morning by Joseph Miles, a twelve year old lad, at whose instance Guy Northrup, Harold Garnett, Frederick Duncanson and William Mober, all boys in short-trousers, were before the court. The boy said that while proceeding from the Victoria Rink one day this week, he was held up by the four lads named, and robbed of about fifty cents. Two of the boys, he said, held him and the other two went through his pockets. He was told that if he did not give up the money they would take him into an alley way and make him fight for his life.

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