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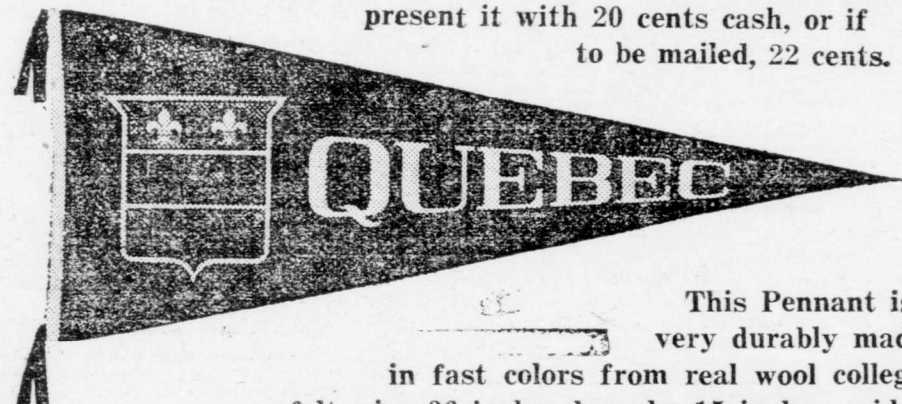
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NEW PHILIPPINE GOVERNOR.

[Canadian Press.]
Washington, D. C., Aug. 20.—Representative Francis Burton Harrison, of New York, has been selected for Governor-General of the Philippines. President Wilson will send his nomination to the Senate today.

HIS PUNISHMENT.

[Washington Star.]
"I understand the composer of that wonderful piece of music walked the floor at night," "Served him right," replied Mr. Growcher. "That's what I have to do when the family next door plays it."

Western Crops in Good Shape

[Canadian Press.]
Winnipeg, Aug. 20.—Hon. George A. Lawrence, minister of agriculture, has just returned from a trip through the south country, and reports the crop throughout the country in splendid condition, with harvesting in full swing at almost every point.
The crop promises to grade higher than last year. Recent storms that swept over the country were reported to have done great damage, but the damage appears to have been more imaginary than real.
There is a good demand for harvest help, but a steady stream of workers is pouring into the provinces from the east and from the British Isles.

TRYING TO SETTLE

Countess of Warwick May Go on Lecturing Tour.
[Canadian Press.]
London, Aug. 20.—The Daily Sketch says today that the Earl and Countess of Warwick are calling their creditors together in order to make an arrangement for the liquidation of their debts.
The Countess of Warwick went to the United States last year on a lecture tour, the purpose of which, it was stated, was to raise money to meet her financial obligations. After two appearances she suddenly brought her tour to an end and returned to Europe.

THINKS WILSON POLICY IS GRAVE MISTAKE

Canadian in Mexico Favors Recognition of the Huerta Administration.

A Canadian holding an important position in a large public service company in Mexico objects strongly to the attitude of the United States Government to the Huerta administration. In a letter to relatives in this city he writes:

"Well here we are another week further on and still in practically the same position. The United States certainly is slow in coming to a conclusion, even if their own ambassador tells them what to do. Apparently President Wilson is a bit of a sentimentalist and afraid that if he recognizes Huerta, he will be an accessory after the fact, to Madero's taking of I would like to have President Wilson hear what his own countrymen down here think about his fool ideas, and as for not wishing to recognize a Government emanating from a revolution, where did the United States Government get its start? So far as revolution is concerned the American revolution is history, and the United States certainly rose against Great Britain in rebellion and a Government was formed from that revolution.

"So far as we know Huerta intends to resign as soon as the country is at peace and elections can be held by a president. Therefore until he shows plainly that it is not his intention to carry out his promises, he should be recognized as the legal head of the Mexican Government, especially as the legislative bodies of Mexico have recognized him, and these legislative bodies were elected by the people during the former regime. Moreover, the United States is in a very ridiculous position, as all the European governments have recognized Huerta, and many of the Asiatic governments, and practically the Latin-American republics as well. The United States is therefore standing alone in its attitude, and due to its proximity to Mexico, making things very hard for a Government, which, I believe, is conscientiously endeavoring to restore peace to the country."

Port Stanley

Port Stanley, Aug. 20.—Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan, of Detroit, are spending a few days with Mrs. Sullivan's sisters, the Misses Hanson, at their Grantham Cottage, Erie Rest.

Miss Florence Berdan, of London, and Mr. Reg. Stone, of Woodstock, spent the week-end at Fern Cliff Cottage, Invererie Heights.

Mrs. A. W. Stone and Miss Adeline, of Woodstock, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Anderson, Fern Cliff Cottage, Invererie Heights.

Miss E. Berlette, of Woodstock, who has been spending the past three weeks at Oasis Cottage, returned to her home yesterday.

Miss Mary and Mr. Harry Filibrown, of Boston, are the guests of Mrs. Kenna, Hillside Cottage, Grimsmond's Beach.

Miss Beatrice Adair, who has been visiting at Hillside Cottage, is enjoying a trip up the lakes.

Miss Eva Metcalfe, of London, is visiting with Mrs. McKenna on Grimsmond's Beach.

Mr. Al. Davis, of London, spent the week-end at Riley's Roost, Willow Beach.

Mr. Wm. Fraser, the late owner of Invererie Heights, was here yesterday on his way from Niagara Falls.

About seven hundred people from Inwood, Melburne and vicinity journeyed to Port Stanley yesterday to enjoy their annual outing. The Inwood Band accompanied and helped make the day pleasant.

At the Franklin House—Miss Kitty Brown, of London; Miss Bessie Larkin, London.

At the Hotel Loney—E. Fletcher, of Saskatoon; J. W. Brown, of Winnipeg; L. C. Skinner, of London.

Poor Have to Pay That Rich May Play

Labor Organ Makes Slashing Attack on Peers' Appeal for Funds.

[Canadian Press.]
London, Aug. 20.—The Daily Citizen, the organ of the Labor party, makes a slashing attack on the peers' appeal for \$500,000 to secure the adequate representation of Great Britain at the Olympic games of 1916.

In the heading "Snobbery in Sport," it says: "At the very time the peers' appeal was published with a flourish of trumpets, another letter, not signed by any dukes, ventured to enlist the sympathies of the British people on behalf of thousands of starving people in the Balkans."

"In our own country, subscriptions have to be raised to relieve the miseries of underpaid and underfed women and children. While such subscription lists remain unfulfilled, the peers are busy in sending the general public to give £100,000 toward a sports fund? If anything were needed to make the dukes more popular, treat the appeal with scorn, it would be the fact that the money is being raised on behalf of the aristocracy, while the right of any artisan, mechanic or laborer, to call himself an amateur. The poor are to pay that the rich may play."

Goes to Jail For Pointing Gun

George Bell, of Strathroy, was brought to the county jail on Tuesday afternoon on a commitment by Police Magistrate Noble of Strathroy, for aiming a pistol at a lady. The complaint was laid by Thomas G. Short, and Magistrate Noble fined him \$450, with option of 30 days, which he decided to take.

Hungarian Premier Is Some Fighter

[Canadian Press.]
Budapest, Hungary, Aug. 20.—Count Stephen Tisza, the Hungarian Premier, fought a sword duel this morning with Marquis George Pallavicini, a lieutenant in the Austro-Hungarian army. Both duellists were slightly wounded in the head.
The quarrel arose over the marquis charging the premier with having influenced witnesses in the recent libel suit brought by Dr. Ladislaus Von Lukacs, at the time Premier Tisza was Deputy Deacon, who had accused Von Lukacs of corruption.
Today's duel was the third fought by Count Tisza in the present year.
Marquis Pallavicini, who is a lieutenant of the Ninth Regiment of Hussars, was acting as best man at the wedding of Count Anton Sigary, of Hungary, to Miss Harriet, of New York.

BLUFFER WAS SENT TO JAIL

Young Strathroy Porter Pointed Revolver at Girl and Escort.

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[Special to The Advertiser.]
Strathroy, Aug. 20.—George Bell, a young porter employed at the American Hotel here, was sent to the London jail for 30 days by Magistrate Noble yesterday afternoon for pointing a revolver at a young domestic employed at the hotel and her escort on Sunday evening.

Bell had a falling out with the young woman, and when he met her and a friend on the street he stopped them and abused the girl roundly, and ended up by pointing the revolver at the pair and threatening to shoot. Information was laid against him and he was arrested by Chief Wilson.

In court Bell stated that the revolver was not loaded and that he was only trying to bluff the girl and her friend. The court gave him a severe reprimand and sent him to the London jail.

CANADIAN CLUB ASSN. TO MEET IN HAMILTON SOON

Program Includes Addresses By Leading Officers All Over Canada.

[Canadian Press.]
Hamilton, Aug. 20.—Hamilton will be host for a notable gathering next week. The city has been selected as the place of meeting for the fifth annual conference of the Association of Canadian Clubs. This is the twenty-first year in the history of the great movement, which had its inception in Hamilton.

Hundreds of delegates from clubs in all parts of the Dominion and in the cities of the United States are expected to be present and take part in the proceedings.

The conference will be held on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week, in the Conservatory of Music, and among the speakers will be Bernard C. Handwell, dramatic critic, Montreal; W. Stanford Evans, ex-mayor of Winnipeg; Homer Watson, R.C.A. Club; Ven. Archdeacon Cody, D.D., L.L.D., of Toronto; W. T. Grant, M.A., F.R.S.C., professor of colonial history, Queen's University, Kingston, and J. Joyce Broderick, British vice-consul at New York.

Among the social features were a garden party in honor of the visitors, tendered by the Women's Canadian Club and automobile drives around the city.

Dropped 900 Feet From Aeroplane

[Canadian Press.]

Paris, Aug. 20.—Aviator Pegoud today carried out safely a sensational experiment in the use of the parachute in descending from an aeroplane while in flight. Rising to a height of 900 feet Pegoud pulled the string attached to a parachute folded on the aeroplane. The parachute immediately opened and filled with air, lifting the aviator from his seat and letting him slowly but safely down to earth, while the driverless aeroplane fell like a plummet and was smashed to bits.

Timber Rafts Are All at Sawmill

Sarnia, Aug. 20.—Having just completed placing the five million feet of lumber brought down by the Red tugs in the booms in Sarnia bay, it was the intention of the Red tugs to bring down another raft for the Cleveland-Sarnia Sawmills Company before the season closed.

The booms, however, are in need of repair, and will be taken out and fixed. Therefore no more rafts will be brought down this year, as by the time the repair work is done it will be too late in the season to venture out with a raft.

CHLORINE IS SCARCE.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Sarnia, Aug. 20.—There isn't enough chlorine in the Sarnia water supply to prevent it from becoming polluted, according to the provincial board of health, which instructs the town that twice the quantity of the chlorine must be added.

Edmonton Police To Be Investigated

[Canadian Press.]
Edmonton, Aug. 20.—Edmonton is threatened with a police sensation as the result of charges of maladministration in the force during the past three months.

Yesterday Deputy Chief S. J. Wright and Senior Sergeant J. S. Edwards were summarily dismissed by Chief Carpenter, formerly of Montreal, on charges of having given out information to the press relative to the working of the department.

The dismissed officials have excellent reputations, and are popular with their comrades, and a general strike of the force is threatened. Petitions are in circulation asking that a police investigation be ordered by the city commissioners.

SHORT \$80,000

Secretary of Locomotive Engineers' Lodge Has to Retire.

[Canadian Press.]
London, Aug. 20.—An astonishing state of affairs has arisen in the Society of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen, a trade union to which about 30,000 railway locomotive drivers and firemen belong. The expenditure of some \$80,000 above the society's income last year has been followed by a compulsory holiday for Secretary Albert Fox.

ALBERTA PREMIER CONFIDENT OF CROP

Here From Alberta, Hon. A. Sifton Predicts Big Harvest in the West.

EASIER MONEY THEN

Says West Is More Interested in Railways Than in the Navy.

Toronto, Aug. 20.—Hon. Arthur Sifton, premier of Alberta, is in town at the King Edward with his young son. He left home a week ago last Saturday, and came to Ottawa on private business. From the capital he came down to Toronto, also on private business, and leaves for the west today.

"How would you like to be the Canadian commissioner at London, England?" the correspondent asked the Hon. Arthur apropos of the rumor that the post would be offered to his brother, Hon. Clifford Sifton, on the resignation of Lord Strathcona.

"I wouldn't like it at all," said the premier of Alberta. "I wouldn't like to live there. England is all right to visit, but not as a permanency."

Clifford Won't Be Commissioner. Although disclaiming any authority to speak for his honorable brother, Clifford, the premier received from him the strong impression, that even if Lord Strathcona did think of resigning a post that suits his kindly social activities to perfection, neither of the Siftons would be able to accommodate their energies or their western spirits to the confines of London society.

"At the same time I believe that there is room for an aggressive resident commercial agent in England representing Canada," said Mr. Sifton. "A man who would go out for the business, and who could get it."

Record Crop General. "What is the uppermost topic in your mind just now, Mr. Sifton?" "The crops," returned Mr. Sifton, without hesitation. "That is the only topic in the west just now. By the way, maybe it is because I am not a newspaperman, but I never could understand why people should write headlines that are misleading."

The premier of Alberta picked up a Toronto morning paper in which it was stated that Southern Alberta had mostly escaped harm from the cold rains.

"They had cold rains in Manitoba, but that was several hundred miles away. It's just like saying Toronto escaped an earthquake last night. So it did, but there was no earthquake in this vicinity, anyway."

Mr. Sifton says that a record crop will be general through the west this harvest.

"The crops looked fine when I came through," he said.

Money Will Be Easier. "Will money loosen up out there on the strength of the harvest?" "Money is tight everywhere besides the west," replied Mr. Sifton. "But I think money will be easier when this crop is marketed. Speculative real estate buying will not revive, but buying for use will."

"Does the farmers' loan clause in the new bank act help any?" "Mr. Sifton smiled. "People with lots of wheat could always borrow money. I don't see that the new bank act makes any difference."

Car Shortage Not So. Mr. Sifton reports. People are more interested in railways than in ships for the navy. The car shortage will not likely be so acute this fall with three railroads in the business. But there will always be congestion, as the crops of the west are so big and the season so short. Farmers would have to build elevators of their own to absolutely cure the car shortage. And that would mean double handling and expense.

Fair Exhibits Must Be In Early

The secretary of the Western Fair has sent a letter to all firms holding space in the different buildings for the coming exhibition, notifying them that their space is ready and available for any preparatory work they wish to do, and also that it is desirable that all exhibits should be in position not later than Saturday, Sept. 6. Every effort possible is being made to enforce this rule. Entries will close Sept. 2, for the dog show, as a catalogue has to be issued. This will be strictly adhered to, and those wishing to show their dogs should take notice. General entries close Sept. 4, and it is quite necessary that all exhibits should be in by that time. The management have spent a large sum of money this year in preparing the grounds and buildings, and everything will be in first-class condition for the opening days. Programs, prize lists and all information from the secretary, Dominion Savings Building, London, Ont.

Plans To Control Western Borrowing

[Canadian Press.]
Calgary, Aug. 20.—John Jones, London financial expert, director of the Hudson Bay Company here, as personal representative of Lord Strathcona in connection with the opening of the Hudson Bay new Calgary establishment, speaking as an investor in Canadian debentures, advocates for Western Canada, the establishment of some central authority which would control municipal borrowings, and to which English investors could refer for information concerning securities offered. In Great Britain this function is performed by the local government board. He is of opinion that the first province that formulates some such scheme will find itself possessed of a distinct advantage in its financial undertakings.

Robbed Preacher Who Helped Him

[Canadian Press.]
Winnipeg, Aug. 20.—Edwin Brewer, charged with the theft of the household furniture from the home of Rev. W. B. Carvill, was arrested in Minneapolis at the request of the Winnipeg police.

A short time ago Brewer poured into the minister's ears a tale of woe, which, coupled with his forlorn appearance, constrained the kindly parson to take him into his household as a friend.

Brewer's gratitude was so eloquently expressed that when Carvill went on his vacation, he left the house in the

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Jews Disappointed At Govt's Action

[Canadian Press.]
Berlin, Aug. 20.—The Rumanian Government, which is planning to confer full rights of citizenship on Jews serving in the army in the recent campaign against Bulgaria seems bent, according to a Bucharest communication to the Tageblatt, on restricting its action to narrowest limits. The Rumanian war office has just served notice on several thousand Jewish volunteers, according to the newspaper, that they had been illegally mustered in, and that they will be sent home. The Government's favor, therefore, if limited to actual soldiers, will affect only 15,000 regulars of the 30,000 Jewish population.