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JOE MOORE SMASHES THE JEWTRAW RECORD FOR THREE-QUARTERS; EQUALS HIS 220

New York Flash Clips Off Two-fifths of Second—Donovan First to Break Placid Skater's Winning Streak—Elimination for Competitor to Meet Mathieson.

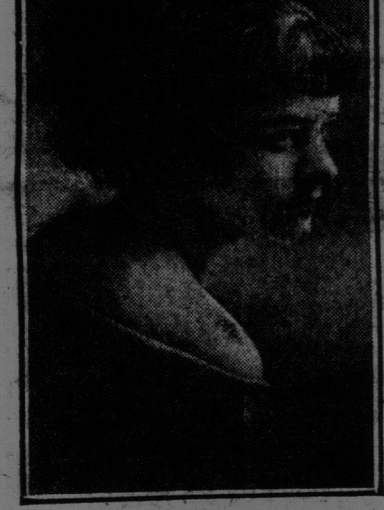
(Canadian Press.)

Saratoga Springs, N. Y., Jan. 20—Joe Moore, of New York, middle Atlantic skating champion, yesterday established a new record for the three-quarter mile event, 2:02 2-5, in a race against Moore's time beats by 2-5 seconds the record established by Charles Jewtraw, of Lake Placid, at Johnson City, last week.

Carnival Queen Contest is Now Assured Success

Entries Are Now Pouring in and Large Number Expected for Next Week—Pictures of Two More Entrants Published Today—Organizations Taking Hold.

With another week still to go, the Times contest for the selection of a Carnival Queen is already assured of complete success. More entries have been received in the last two days than in all the previous days of the contest put together and from present indications, it is expected that the early part of the week will see a record entry.



MRS. PANKHURST IN CITY TODAY

Noted Suffragette Leader Goes to Moncton; to Speak Here Later.

Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, former noted leader in the movement for women suffrage, arrived in the city today on the Montreal train and left on the belated Halifax express for Moncton where she will speak tomorrow. To Times reporter Mrs. Pankhurst said she was going to Moncton today but would return in about two weeks' time and speak here at the Imperial theatre. She had a busy itinerary arranged for the next two weeks, taking in, as it did, so many points in the province.

Mrs. Pankhurst was accompanied by Dr. Gordon Bates, secretary of the Social Hygiene Council for Canada; and Dr. J. H. Higerty, secretary of the Social Hygiene Council for New Brunswick, and Dr. J. A. McCarthy, Hon. Dr. W. F. Roberts, M.P.P., Minister of Health, also was at the station. Dr. McCarthy accompanied her to Moncton, where W. B. Snowball of Chatham is president of the New Brunswick Council.

TO PREACH MISSION HERE. Rev. Father Montagu Cyril Bickert, prior of the London House of the Community of the Resurrection, an Anglican order, arrived in the city today on the Montreal train from western Canada where he has been conducting missions. He was met at the depot by Rev. John V. Young, pastor of Mission church, where he will give a ten day's mission, opening on Sunday evening. He is one of the most prominent preachers of the Anglican church. Following his stay in the city he will sail from St. John for London.

AT ST. PETERS. A triduum was started in St. Peter's church last evening for the married and single women of the parish. It will be concluded on Sunday evening with special services at which new members will be accepted into the Arch-Confraternity of the Holy Family. A special series of sermons is being preached by Rev. J. Cloran, C. S. S. R.

It is no doubt that their hopes that the ultimate result will be the selection of an excellent candidate for the name of Canada's fairest daughter will be realized.

So far those in charge of the contest are pleased with its success and there

The Evening Times CARNIVAL QUEEN CONTEST. NAME ADDRESS (This coupon to be cut out on dotted line, filled in and attached to the back of the photograph.)

DARING HOLD-UPS STRIKE NEW YORK

Child Killed and Men Shot in Bandits' Work

Little One Struck by Speeding Taxi, Robber Leaps Out and Puts Body Aside—One Set Get Payroll, a Second Falls.

(Canadian Press)

New York, Jan. 20—Two especially daring hold-ups in the city yesterday resulted in a child being killed by a taxicab and one set of bandits while they were escaping with the \$775 payroll of a brickyard at East 26th street and the East River, and two of forty employees of the Brooklyn Union Gas Company being shot by three bandits who attempted to get away with a payroll amounting to \$7,500 in one of the company's plants at 197 St. James' Place.

In the Brooklyn hold-up the bandits escaped after paying off the payroll and clerks of the gas company exchanged more than forty shots with them and saved the payroll. One of these bandits was believed to have been mortally wounded, but his confederates got him away in a black automobile in which they drove to the place, because none of the company's defenders had bullets left. Within three hours of the hold-up detectives took into custody Frank Schloemer, 24 years old, a chauffeur, who admitted that he owned and drove the car used by the bandits.

The victim of the taxicab used by the bandits in the East 26th street hold-up was eight year old Alice Tooker, of 901 East 29th street. She was crossing the street when she was hurled ten feet by the bandits' car. One of the four robbers in the car jumped out of the vehicle when the child again fell in the path of the car, and after thrusting her body aside, rejoined the others in the machine and the robbers then escaped down Second avenue.

AWAY ON MISSION WORK IN CHINA

Sisters of St. Vincent de Paul and Franciscan Monks Leave Vancouver.

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 20—Two parties which attracted considerable attention during the sailing hour on board the Empress of Australia were the Sisters of St. Vincent de Paul and Franciscan Monks. In the former party were Sisters Mary David Ingram, Catherine Finn and Anita Barnett, recently of St. Louis, Missouri, who are Sisters of St. Vincent de Paul, are bound for Shanghai to enter the Catholic mission fields. They were accompanied from the Empress by Rev. Father A. J. Sullivan, director of the Province of Normandy, St. Louis; Sister Superior Eugenia of St. Louis and Sister Selma, superintendent of the Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum of San Francisco, who returned south last evening. The picturesque corset head dress worn by the Sisters was in striking contrast to the flowing black veil usually associated with Sisters of Charity.

Seven Franciscan monks, five of whom were the monastery monks, including Father Cesar Stern of Strasbourg, and recently of San Francisco, returning to the French oriental mission in Shanghai, China, where he has already spent sixteen years. The other members of the party, consisting of French Canadian monks, included Father Firmus Lachapelle of Montreal, enroute to Kogoshima, Japan.

Daughters of Wanamaker Get Million Each

and Large Sum for Home for Bequests to Presbyterian Church Erring Boys.

Philadelphia, Jan. 20—The will of the late John Wanamaker, filed yesterday, leaves \$200,000 to the trustees of the general assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America for Bethany Collegiate Church.

Gifts of \$80,000 each are made to the Friendly Inn, Philadelphia and the Bethany Brotherhood, which is connected with Bethany Church, of which Mr. Wanamaker was a member.

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Now, St. John, Bid Him Welcome! GIRL AND MAN DEAD IN MYSTERY TRAGEDY IN TOWN OF NEW GLASGOW



Three weeks from today St. John will be out en masse to welcome the spirit of the Winter Carnival. The arrangement of the programme is now well in hand and there is no doubt that the people of St. John will take part in a week of real, live, healthy enjoyment that will be set down as a beacon light in the history of sport and get together in St. John.

PADLOCK DOORS OF NEW YORK CAFES VIOLATING PROHIBITION

New York, Jan. 20—Thousands of New York saloons, cafes and restaurants, a large number of them in the "White Light District" may be closed in the near future as a result of decisions made at a conference on prohibition enforcement yesterday.

Padlocking of virtually all establishments convicted of prohibition law violations, it was said, would follow the beginning of united action by federal and local authorities today.

LABOR LEADER CRITICIZES THE FRENCH POLICY

Ramsay MacDonald Thinks People Not Behind Ruhr Move.

London, Jan. 20—James Ramsay MacDonald, Labor M. P. and chairman of the Labor party, last night at Killybeg, near Glasgow, declared France was following "a policy of dismemberment of Germany."

JAPANESE RYE CROP DROPS.

Tokyo, Dec. 21—(By mail)—According to investigations made by the agriculture and commerce office, this year's rye crop in Japan aggregated 21,628,886 koku. Compared with the crop of last year it shows a decrease of about 85,000 koku.

GOOD NEWS FROM STANLEY.

North Sydney, N. S., Jan. 20—A message picked up here from the C. G. S. Stanley, which sailed yesterday afternoon for Magdalen Islands stated that she was making good time and that the coast was clear of drift ice. She did not expect to encounter heavy ice until well into the Gulf of St. Lawrence.

As Hiram Sees It

"Now that we are well into it and have had a taste of all kinds of it," said the Times reporter to Mr. Hiram Thompson "this is not such a bad old winter, after all."

"We'll get through it all right," said Hiram. "If it ties us up a little an' stops us from racin' along as fast as we'd like to— it won't do us no harm. I sometimes think the weather gits mad at us fer not takin' no notice of it. If a day's fine we jist jigger out that it'll help us do a lot o' things we're crazy to do— an' we never see how bright the sunshine is an' how bracin' the air is, an' how good it is to be alive. We never think about that at all—only the money or the good time or the new deal or whatever we got in mind at the time. I wouldn't be surprised if the Weather Man gives us a jolt now an' agin jist to let us know he's handin' out the one thing that really counts fer folks that hes to breathe or they can't stay alive. Yes sir— we winter's all right. I haint hed my ears froze yit— an' the fun the kids is gittin' out of it warms my old heart every day— by Hen!"

ENFORCE THE LAW ABOUT UNAUTHORIZED WEARING OF MILITARY UNIFORMS

Ottawa, Jan. 20—The matter of the unauthorized wearing of military uniforms came up yesterday before the Canadian Infantry Association. It was decided to ask the government to instruct the R. C. M. P. and civil police that the law regarding the unauthorized wearing of uniforms was to be strictly enforced.

WEATHER REPORT

Synopsis—Pressure is highest in the Maritime Provinces and relatively low over the western provinces and from Lake Superior south to Texas. The weather has been generally fair over the Dominion with the exception of a few snow flurries in Ontario and decidedly cold from Quebec east.

Table with columns: Stations, 8 a.m., Highest during night, Lowest during night. Rows include Victoria, Montreal, Calgary, Edmonton, Prince Albert, Winnipeg, Saskatoon, Toronto, Kingston, Ottawa, Quebec, St. John, N. B., Halifax, St. John's, Nfld., Detroit, New York.

BRINGING BRITISH IMMIGRANTS OVER

W. C. Noxon, Agent-General of the Ontario Government in London, has completed a plan for the emigration of 2,000 single men, a limited number of married men and a number of boys and girls over sixteen years of age from Great Britain to Canada. The Imperial Government and Ontario are jointly financing the scheme.

BAD WORK AMONG SAILORS ON N. Y. WATER FRONT

Blind Pigs Selling Poison Liquor—Seamen's Society Seeks Action.

New York, Jan. 20—Complaint that scores of "blind pigs" were operating on the Hudson River waterfront and that people had been poisoned by bad liquor was filed with the District Attorney and Police Commissioner by the American Seaman's Friend Society, yesterday. The action followed a conference of fifteen seamen's welfare organizations.

WEEK'S TOW FOR SACHEM AND LAME DUCK TO HALIFAX

St. John's, Nfld. Jan. 20—The Norwegian freighter Capto, reported by radio in tow of the Furness liner Sachem, headed for this port, has lost her rudder and her stern is badly damaged. It was said that the journey to this port would probably take a week. The Norwegian steamer Bueand, twenty-four days out from New York for Baltimore, put in here yesterday short of coal.

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CALLS ON REV. PERCY GRANT TO RE-TRACT OR LEAVE MINISTRY

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Eight Die in a Tenement Fire

Five of One Family Among Victims

A Lawrence Mother, Two Daughters and Two Sons Perish and Head of Household is Critically Injured in Leaping from Window.

Lawrence, Mass., Jan. 20—The bodies of eight people were recovered from the ruins of a tenement house here which was gutted by fire early today. It was feared that others had lost their lives. The building, a five story brick structure, housed five families, but the number of occupants were unknown. The known dead are:

Mrs. Lucia De Gloria, her daughter Rose, 10, and Mary 3, and her sons Joseph 7 and Angeline 5; Mrs. Mary S. Kellid; Joseph Reyska; Romani Reyska.

Angelo De Gloria, father of the four children burned, was injured when he jumped from a window on the third floor. He was taken to the Lawrence General Hospital in a critical condition and it was believed his back was broken.

Patrolman Murray and Dr. S. J. Mulholland while passing the building in Elm street, saw it was ablaze. Rushing in, they aroused as many of the members of five families occupying the tenement as they could reach. Many of these were able to make their way out of the burning building, but suffered severely from smoke and exposure. Flames cut off the escape of the families on the upper floors. De Gloria, unable to save his wife and children, and driven to a window by the fire, finally leaped out rather than perish in the flames.

Fire Chief Morris said he believed the fire resulted either from an explosion of coal gas or from incineration. The damage was estimated at \$12,000.

The girl's face showed traces of great agony and was blood covered from a cut which she evidently received in the writhings of death. She was an unusually pretty girl.

Frith had oozed from the mouth of the stricken people, where they lay. The men and the girl had evidently partaken of an evening meal Thursday. Boiled meat was found in the oven this evening and it gave off a rancid smell. A pot of baked beans was on top of the stove. The room is on the second floor of a two-story building, owned by MacNeil's, shoe dealers, and over Spinney's fish market. The girl had sub-rented it from Miss Annie Macdonald, an elderly woman, who held the upper flat. She had lodged a long time with Miss Macdonald, who speaks very highly of her.

Duncan Macdonald, about thirty years of age, a married man with a family at Mayfield, Antigonish county, had recently come to New Glasgow for employment. Chippie Reid belonged to Little Harbor, near New Glasgow, and was an acquaintance of long standing of the girl. He came to town Saturday and it was said remained here pending the bettering of storm conditions.

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The distance between McCook Field and Mitchell Field is 220 miles. It was a non-stop flight. Lieutenant Pierson kept to an altitude of about 3,500 feet. One hour and nine minutes after leaving Dayton the De Havilland passed over Moundsville, W. Va.

The airplane used by Lieutenant Pierson weighs more than three tons with such a supply of gasoline and oil aboard as was taken for the trip from Dayton. Lieutenant Pierson and his companion, weighted as they were with heavy clothing, added about 400 pounds to the load.

AUTOS AND YACHTS SUFFER IN LACHINE FIRE

Montreal, Jan. 20—Damage estimated at \$75,000 was caused early today by a fire in a boat building shed and garage at Lachine. Seventy-five motor yachts and five automobiles were badly damaged. The buildings were the property of H. Leblanc.

GET READY TO BUILD THE VIMY MEMORIAL CHURCH

Montreal, Jan. 20—Final steps for the realization of the Canadian Vimy Memorial church are now being taken, it is announced by Rev. Canon A. P. Shatford, following a meeting of the general committee which has had the project in hand for the last two years. Plans of the building to be erected in the town of Lens were finally approved yesterday and instructions were given for a start on construction.

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