

SHOT DIRECTOR, HELD UP BANK

Automobile Bandits Locked Employs in Vault and Es- caped With \$4500.

Rockville, Md., April 26.—Seven automobile bandits shot and killed Francis M. Hallowell, director, drove the clerks and officials at the point of revolvers into the vault, locked them in, robbed the First National Bank of Sandysprings, Md., of \$4500 in cash, and escaped in their high-powered car. Posses of citizens and detectives from Baltimore are searching Howard and Montgomery counties tonight. One posse came up with the bandits about dusk, but, after shots were exchanged, the bandits were off again, and soon eluded their pursuers. Five thousand dollars reward has been offered for their capture.

It was at the bank's closing-hour when the machine stopped in front of the bank. Frank Miller, a clerk, was about to bolt the front door when he saw the big car of again, and soon eluded their pursuers. Five thousand dollars reward has been offered for their capture.

One of the outlaws, interpreting the director's failure to open the vault, fired an attempt at a subterfuge, first. After emptying the cash drawers and placing the money in bags, the bandits hurried to the vault and escaped. Townsfolk, attracted by the shots, hurried to the bank. They saw the bleeding body of Hallowell on the floor, but were puzzled as to the whereabouts of the officials and clerks. Finally someone thought of the vault, and attempted to open the door, but failed. A call was sent out for several of the directors of the bank, but none of them seemed to know the combination. Twenty-five minutes passed before a vice-president was found and the officials were released.

PRESBYTERIAN SYNOD MEETS IN BRANTFORD

Elects Rev. D. R. Drummond of Hamilton Moderator for West- ern Ontario Districts.

Brantford, April 26.—(Special.)—A three-day conference of the Presbyterian Synod of Hamilton and London districts was opened here tonight in Alexander Church. An official welcome was delivered by the pastor, Rev. C. S. Oko. Rev. Dr. Gandler gave the opening address, on "The Call of the Forward Movement of the Ministry." Dr. Gandler spoke for a great conscientious effort on the part of all ministers to overcome the indifference and ignorance of the present day.

GLAD THAT MANDATE AWARDED TO BRITAIN

New York, April 26.—The Zionist Organization of America announced here tonight that it had received several hundred telegrams from Jews in all parts of the United States, expressing approval of the action of the San Remo conference in awarding the mandate over Palestine to Great Britain.

It was stated that there are hundreds of thousands of Jews in the ports of Odessa, Constantinople, Constantinople and Vladivostok, awaiting the opportunity to embark for Palestine. Many have ventured across the Mediterranean in unseaworthy fishing smacks, and hundreds have been drowned, while others are said to have walked across Europe to reach seaports near Palestine.

Denmark in Throes of Election; Great Excitement Prevails

Copenhagen, April 26.—Great political excitement prevails in Denmark where the first general election under the proportional representation system is proceeding today. The Social Democrats have 109 candidates in the field, the Radicals 94, the Left, or Liberals, 103, the Conservatives 68, the Theosophical party 22, and the Left Socialists 3. Three minor parties have candidates on the ballot for the first time.

JAIL FATHER AND SONS.

Woodstock, Ont., April 26.—Nelson Parkes and his two sons, George and John, of South Norwich, were today sentenced to three months, plus an indeterminate sentence of two years in Burwash, by Magistrate Ball on theft charges. Parkes, his three sons, his brother and his son-in-law all appeared in court on charges of receiving stolen goods, knowing them to be stolen.

Homicides From Slight Colds.
LAXATIVE, BRONCO SPASMS, TUBERCLE, the Hæmorrhage by curing the Cold. A tonic laxative and antiseptic. Look for signature E. W. GROVE on box. 20c.

STUDENTS IN MOTEL.

Brantford, Ont., April 26.—(Special.)—Garbed in black, the students at the collegiate institute attended today to show approval of the Over-all Club idea. The dresses and suits included blue denim overalls, black cashmere and gray cotton with numerous other varieties.

COSTLY JOY RIDE.

Brantford, Ont., April 26.—(Special.)—An echo of the theft of the auto owned by Dr. G. W. Barber which he was making a call, was heard in police court today. The car was taken by a trio, Frank Atfield, Joe Atfield and John Ross. Frank Atfield was fined \$200 and costs for having liquor in an unauthorized place, the stolen auto. Ross was fined \$300 for the theft of the car, and Joe Atfield was released. The joy ride was a short one, the trio being caught at Paris.

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Eyes. If they Tingle, Itch,
Smart or Burn, If Sore,
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YOUR EYES Granulated, use Murine
often. Soothes, Refreshes, Safe for Infant
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HAMILTON

Hamilton, April 26.—The Steel party of Canada held its annual meeting today, reported a progressive year, and re-elected the directors.

Charles Morgan of Sudler, Morgan and Walsh, who has been mentioned as the probable appointee to the office of assistant city solicitor, has withdrawn his application for the post.

A fathers and sons' banquet at Charlton Avenue Methodist Church was largely attended tonight. The banquet was under the auspices of the Men's Brotherhood.

That despite the announcement of an early start on the construction of the link of the Hydro radial between Port Credit and St. Catharines, there was need of a bumper deputation being sent from here to the meeting at Toronto on Thursday was pointed out to local officials today.

Appointment of Chester S. Walters, ex-mayor, as inspector of taxation, to succeed Morgan of Sudler, was announced by the city treasurer, has been announced. The coming as a surprise. It is an appointment generally popular.

Ran down a motor car this afternoon, Irene Boucher, a child residing at 57 Niagara street, received injuries which necessitated her removal to the General Hospital. Her condition is not serious.

COUNCIL SUPPORTS TERMINAL EXTENSION

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and time recently that it was to be carried out. There was no sense in making a football of the scheme. Aid. Hiltz also strongly advocated launching the undertaking this year.

The whole committee on works report, calling for local improvement expenditures of nearly \$100 million, was adopted.

Council sat until 2 o'clock this morning and handled a number of contentious subjects. Aid. Mrs. Hamilton presided over the committee of the whole for the first time, with all-round efficiency.

Increase of Ferry Fares.
The move for an increase of fares on the ferry service gave members an opportunity for some oratorical fireworks. The company's demand for an increase of adult fares from 10c to 15c return had been recommended by the board of control, but in council committee Aid. Plewman moved an amendment that the company be allowed to charge 8c single fare, 15c return fare, and 25c for four-trip tickets.

Ald. Sykes moved that the question be referred back.
Mayor Church and Controller McGuire supported the application on the ground that the company should not be allowed to operate at a loss, which would be the case, it was said, under the old rates, according to Commissioner Bradshaw.

Controller Ramsden finally moved an amendment that the company be allowed to increase fares to four tickets for 25c, or 15c return, leaving the rate for islanders unchanged, and this was accepted by council on a 15 to 8 vote.

Second and third readings were given the by-law to provide for increased ferry fares. Aid. Burgess took the view that the measure adopted does not protect island residents against a possible increase, and he moved a resolution to refer the matter to a committee to report on whether they were not as able to pay the increase as the people of Eglaricourt.

Several Deputations.
A deputation opposed the opening of a lane between Huron and St. George streets southerly from Dupont street, and another deputation supported the plea for the opening of a lane between Lansdowne and St. Clarens avenue, south from Bloor street.

Third reading was given the bill authorizing the mayor and city treasurer to deposit with the Hydro-Electric Power Commission debentures to the amount of \$1,325,000, in connection with the construction of the hydro radial between Toronto and Bowmanville. Third reading was also given the bill providing for the removal of civic employees by cheque.

Third reading was given the bill to authorize the extension of Norway avenue from Kenilworth avenue to Lake street, under the local improvement act, and also the bill to authorize the widening and grading of Bloor street, from the west limit of High Park avenue to the east limit of the street, under the local improvement act, and the bill to authorize the extension of Ethelwin avenue from its present terminus easterly to Iona avenue.

Ald. Cowan, chairman of the board of health, asked the mayor if anything had been done with regard to the purchase of the old General Hospital, on East Gerrard street recommended by his committee. Mayor Church replied that the matter was being considered.

Early Closing Bylaw.
Ald. Winnet gave notice that he will bring for the repeal of the early closing bylaw.

The recommendation of the parks commissioner that \$170,641 be paid to Mrs. M. A. Binler, former owner of park refreshment privileges, for fittings installed by her, was accepted by council.

Dispute Over Garage.
Council rejected the recommendation of the board of control that P. McMartin of 44 Marmaduke be not permitted to cut the boulevard for the purpose of making an entrance to his garage. A deputation of residents on the street appeared and asked that Mr. McMartin be forbidden to proceed with construction, but the request was not granted.

OPEN VERDICT RETURNED.
An open verdict was returned by Coroner Dr. McCollum's jury at the inquest into the death of George Giasio, who was fatally injured on April 6, at the corner of Harbour and Bathurst streets, when a truck was crushed between a truck and a Hydro pole.

The deceased's brother, Arthur, was driving the truck at the time of the accident, and the jury found that it was traveling at an excessive rate of speed, and that the driver lost control of the truck thru the steering gear locking.

FIGHT POTATO STRUT

Brantford, April 26.—(Special.)—The city is being in a serious state of more of potatoes to break the potato ring, which has forced the price up to \$8 a bag.

ABANDONS ATTEMPT TO REACH THE POLE

Amundsen, Icebound Off Si- berian Coast, Awaits Op- portunity to Sail South.

Washington, April 26.—The Amundsen polar expedition party, in the steamer Maud, is icebound at the mouth of the Kolyma river, Siberia, and awaiting an opportunity to sail southward, it was indicated in radio despatches made public today at the navy department. Amundsen, who discovered the south pole, apparently had abandoned his attempt to reach the north pole.

The expedition left Dixon island, in the White sea, in September, 1918, and had not since been heard from until the navy radio station at Cordova, Alaska, established communication with the party recently. The first message from Amundsen was picked up at Cordova on March 25 from the station on St. Paul's island. It said:

"St. Paul reports S.O.S. from Russian station at Amundsen, stating Amundsen expedition icebound in Kolyma river (Siberia), and requesting we handle important despatches."

Interchanged between Amundsen and his family in Norway, but no information regarding the condition of the members of the expedition, or the reasons for turning back, were given.

A despatch received today in answer to a message to the Cordova station, asking for all available information regarding the Maud party, said that a messenger had started south, and that Amundsen intended to take the steamer Victoria at Nome, Alaska, for Seattle, but that the time would depend on when the expedition could get clear of the ice. This message came from the Anadir, Siberia, station, several hundred miles from the mouth of the Kolyma river.

Officials at the navy department said it was probable that the Maud, Amundsen's ship, was still icebound in the Kolyma river, and that the party had been sent overland to the trading post radio station on Anadir bay to establish communication with the outside world. It was not considered probable that the explorer had been able to get the Maud around to Anadir thru the ice.

WOMAN IS INJURED
IN MOTOR COLLISION
Driver of Other Motor Car Con-
tinues on Way After Accident.

Two motor cars came into collision about 9 o'clock last night on West Queen street, near the Parkdale railway station, resulting in an occupant of one of the cars, a woman, being slightly cut about the face. It is said that a large motor car, which was driven east on the north street car tracks in defiance of the rules of the road, and that the driver of the smaller car did not stop after the collision. The smaller car was considerably damaged.

The other car did not stop after the accident, but it is understood that the number is known to the police.

SOME ONE STOLE A BICYCLE.

Max Rosenberg, 20 Vanauely street, and Harry Jankofsky, 25 Wolsey street, were arrested tonight by P.C. Crowe, charged with the theft of a bicycle from in front of the Huron Street School. The bicycle was owned by Lloyd Carey, 7 Wells street.

LYNCHING THREATENED AT PONTIAC JAIL

Pontiac, Mich., April 26.—Alfred Webb, held for investigation in connection with the killing Saturday night of a woman, was taken from the city jail by Oakland county authorities late today and rushed to Detroit for safety, while an increased mob, estimated to number 1,000, gathered about the county building, threatening violence. Feeling had run high all day and authorities feared they might not be able to cope with the situation tonight. The crowd was later notified that the prisoner had been taken to Detroit and quietly dispersed. A search of the building revealed three ropes concealed in the vicinity of the jail.

Webb claimed that he spent the week-end in Detroit with his wife, Mrs. Webb came here during the day and corroborated the story.

BRITISH AND ARABS FIGHT IN PALESTINE

Cario, April 26.—Fighting is reported to be taking place between Arab and British troops in Palestine. No details have been received here.

Two British soldiers attacked Semakn, south of Lake Tiberias, from which the small British force withdrew after a fight, in which they suffered a few casualties.

The incident was not important, according to the official view, being merely a local development of recent Sedonin cattle forays.

WESTERN MINERS STRIKE FOR NICE WHITE BEDS

Prince Rupert, B.C., April 26.—Such innovations as abolition of double bunk, and the installation of white sheets and pillow cases have been combined with the demand for a wage of \$6 a day, and a charge of not more than \$12.5 a day for board is made by the employees at the Dolly Varden mine, Alice Arm. The One Big Union has called a strike, and eighty men have been paid off.

Stockholm Chosen for 1921 Championship Hockey Matches

Antwerp, April 26.—Stockholm was chosen for the 1921 European international championship matches at a meeting of the hockey enthusiasts who are here for the Olympic hockey games. The matches are to be played in February or March with Canadians and Americans participating. Canadian rules were chosen to govern the play.

Max Sillig of Switzerland was chosen president of the international hockey association.

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TOWNS TO SEEK FOR RADIAL GUARANTEE

Deputation to Visit Parliament Buildings Concerning Toronto- Eastern.

A deputation representing the towns on the line of the proposed Toronto and Eastern radial railway, including Pickering, Whitby, Oshawa and Bowmanville, will visit the parliament buildings on Thursday to inquire the government on the question of guaranteeing the bonds of the Toronto and Eastern radial railway.

Rumors have been current that the seventh day after nomination, the Ontario government will guarantee the bonds of the road are anxious to have a definite statement from the Drury cabinet. They want construction to start at once, but the Hydro Electric bonds have to be guaranteed by the provincial government before they can be marketed. The bonds of the various municipalities are merely held by the Hydro Electric Commission as collateral.

TWO AMENDMENTS TO ELECTION ACT

When the bill to amend the elections act was undergoing its second reading in the Ontario legislature yesterday afternoon, two amendments were added. The first was that elections take place on the second day after nomination. The second was that all electors in Ontario must be residents of the province for twelve months before allowed to vote. As it stands now, the twelve months' residence may be anywhere in Canada.

ESCAPES JAIL

Woodstock, Ont., April 26.—Walter Mott of Toronto, awaiting trial on charges of having drugs in his possession and being in possession of the jail tonight. His partner, Higgins, pleaded guilty on similar charges and was sentenced to two and a half years in Kingston.

PARLIAMENT APPLAUDS TRIUMPH OF FALCONS

Ottawa, April 26.—(By Canadian Press)—In the middle of a warm debate in the commons tonight, the House then being in session, Dr. E. M. Blake (North Winnipeg) rose and asked permission to speak on the matter of the Winnipeg Falcons. The Winnipeg Falcons have won the international hockey championship in Antwerp, 12 to 1, he said, and members applauded vigorously.

FATHER AND SON SENTENCED.

Woodstock, Ont., April 26.—(Special.)—Four members of the Parkes family of South Norfolk were arraigned in court today on charges of theft and receiving stolen goods. Nelson Parkes and his two sons, John and George, were found guilty and sentenced to an indeterminate period at Burwash, of from three months to two years. Two other Alex. Parkes and George Trowhill, were fined ten dollars and costs, and allowed to go.

CATHOLIC FORESTERS' EUCHRE.

Under the auspices of the Catholic Order of Foresters, Holy Name Court No. 1818, a euchre and dance was held in Player's Hall, Danforth avenue, last night. A large crowd was in attendance and eight prizes were awarded the winners in the euchre contest.

Cole's Orchestra furnished the dance program and refreshments were served under the supervision of the entertainment committee.

A feature of the proceedings was the drawing for the prize of \$30 in gold. Intermediate prizes were also awarded. The proceeds will be devoted to the building fund of the new parish hall.

American Gamblers in Mexico Are Latest to Go on Strike

Agua Prieta, Sonora, April 26.—American gamblers employed here went on strike today. Employees of gambling houses demanded a raise from \$10 a day to \$15. Chinese gamblers were being employed as strike-breakers.

POLAND-UKRAINE PACT SOON

Warsaw, April 26.—The foreign office announces that a treaty between Poland and Ukraine will be signed within a few days. The independence of the Ukrainians will be proclaimed soon afterwards.

OBJECTIVE NOT REACHED.

Brantford, Ont., April 26.—(Special.)—At the Jewish relief fund campaign headquarters today it was announced that the tag day Saturday had netted \$1,053, and the Sunday house-to-house canvass, \$1,150. The previous week's canvassing was productive, but the objective of \$10,000 was not reached.

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YORK COUNTY AND SUBURBS

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THE CHURCH IN CHINA.

Bishop White of Honan, China, gave an interesting outline of the work of the Anglican Church in China at the evening service in St. John's Parish Church, Norway, Sunday evening, before a large congregation. Among other things pointed out the wonderful opportunities for missionary work in that country, and for safeguarding the peace of the world.

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BIG MONTREAL SALE.

Montreal, April 26.—One of the largest real estate deals in recent years was closed here today in the purchase for \$500,000 of the Commercial Building, by Semi-Ready, Limited. This is a three-story shop and building and at the corner of St. Catharines and Peel streets.

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