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TAFT AND BRYAN ARE THE MOST LIKELY CANDIDATES

Taft is Practically Sure of Republican Presidential Nomination While William Jennings Bryan Will be Democratic Choice.

Chicago, June 12.—Tonight will see the end of the long-drawn-out series of contests... At least, that was the prospect of the schedule held out and as the committee thus far has been able to work close to the time limit set for the various cases...

SAY 'TWA'S JOKE

Men Arrested in Connection With Hamilton, Ont., Ballot Scandal Put Up This Defence.

Hamilton, Ont., June 12.—(Special).—William Lawson and Harry H. Dillabaugh, for whose arrest warrants were issued in connection with the ballot scandal last Saturday, were arrested at their homes by Detective Conner, Dillabaugh told the officer that he was trying to play a joke on Mr. McLaughlin...

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FISHERMEN RETURN.

Ald. J. W. Vanwart, Geo. W. Slocum, Donaldson Hunt and John A. Lipsett returned yesterday via the N.B. Southern Railway, from a fishing trip to New River, bringing with them a string of two hundred trout. The fishermen found the heat yesterday very severe and Ald. Vanwart was for a time prostrated with the heat...

QUANOING ACCIDENT AT DIGBY.

Digby, N. S., June 12.—(Special).—J. P. Dodge, of Middleton, a painter, who was thrown from a canoe last night while endeavoring to make a quick turn near the shore, he was rescued by George Wilson, Mr. Henry Raymond and the Salvation Army captain, just in time to save his life.

MUST PULL WITH BRITAIN.

Paris, June 12.—A special despatch to the Mail from Reval, says that Premier Stolypin declared that a Russo-British entente was necessary to the equilibrium of Europe. He added that it could not be a purely friendly ship for Germany, being concerned purely in the situation in Persia, Afghanistan and Tibet, which made such an understanding imperative.

PROMINENT CANADIANS PICTURED IN CARTOONS

(By the Canadian Newspaper Cartoonist Association.)



James Ross, President of the Dominion Coal Company, One of The Principals in the Famous Steel-Coal Litigation.

ANOTHER ADVANCE IN MEAT PRICES IN ENGLAND

Solution of Difficulty May Be Found in Withdrawal of Embargo on Cattle For Immediate Slaughter.

London, June 12.—The retail trade organizations have been notified of a further general rise in the price of meat, the advance being attributed to the shortage of cattle here and the scarcity in America. In the house of commons last night, several members protested against the board of agriculture's refusal to withdraw the prohibition against the importation of cattle for immediate slaughter from diseased countries...

RED CROSSES

FREELY BOUGHT

Hospital Got a Good Sum as Result of Glen Cove Women's Efforts.

If anyone in Glen Cove was not asked to buy a red cross Saturday, says Brooklyn Eagle correspondent, it was because he stayed closely at home and did not appear out on the street. It is safe to say that hardly a person who walks along Glen or School streets, or who attended the ball game on Saturday, escaped being asked once, if not many times, to buy a red cross...

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ANOTHER HOTEL PLANNED IN MONCTON

Commercial Men Dissatisfied With Rates of Existing Houses Are Projecting Another.

Moncton, June 12.—(Special).—The advance of rates by the three principal hotels of Moncton may result in the establishment of another hotel here. From June first the rates in the Moncton hotels have been placed at \$2.00 a day, the second advance within a short time, and commercial travelers are up in arms, saying there has been no adequate improvement in the service. Commercial men are making a move, they claim, to arrange for another hotel, their aspirations guaranteeing the entire patronage of all the members through their newly organized central hotel committee. While the recent advance was stated to be on account of the increased price of supplies the general impression is that the advance is due to the rigid enforcement of the Scott act, which compelled the hotel barrooms to close. A police story of being lured and robbed by four teen-year-old Annie Gallant in the police court yesterday led to Mrs. Caleb Morrell, nineteen years old, being fined \$30 for the same offence for keeping a boarding house.

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NEWS FROM FREDERICTON

Supreme Court—Funeral of T. B. Winslow—W. T. Whitehead III.

Fredericton, N. B., June 12 (Special).—The Supreme Court met this morning after hearing several common motions adjourned until Tuesday July 7th, when judgments will be delivered. In the Moncton Scott Act Cases, eight in all, Chandler, K.C., moved for a rule nisi to show cause why an order for a writ of habeas corpus should not be set aside. The court granted a rule nisi returnable July 7th. In ex parte Thibideau an order for a stay of proceedings granted by Judge Laflamme on May 28th was discharged on motion of Chandler, K.C. The court took the ground that as McLellan had not taken out his writ or made application to enforce the order it should be discharged. The remains of the late J. B. Winslow were conveyed to Springfield this afternoon and interred in the family lot in St. Peter's Church yard at that place. An impressive funeral service was conducted at Christ Church Cathedral by Rev. Suburban Street. The funeral cortege included members of the local government, officials of the departmental building and many private citizens. The government was represented by Hon. Messrs. Morrissey, Fleming and Grimmer. The chief mourners included Donald B. Winslow, Jasper A. Winslow, F. E. Winslow, J. J. Fraser Winslow, Warren C. Winslow (Chatham), Norman Winslow, Woodstock; Rev. George D. Ireland, Lieut. Duit maine, T. C. Lee, W. U. Lee, St. John; T. C. Allen, J. D. Hays, G. N. Babbitt and J. H. Dickson. Messrs. Winslow, nephews of the deceased acted as pallbearers. Rev. Suburban Street conducted the service in the graveyard of St. Peter's Church. John B. Kinghorn who is to leave this evening for Montreal to accept a position was waited on at noon today by the members of the Curling Club, of which he has been the efficient secretary for several years, and presented him with a signal and a letter of appreciation. Mr. Kinghorn made the presentation in a happy speech and Mr. Kinghorn returned thanks in suitable terms. Mr. Kinghorn was taken suddenly ill at his office this morning from an attack of acute indigestion. He had partaken of a hearty breakfast and was stricken down while looking over some papers. A physician was soon in attendance and he was conveyed to his home where he soon died. His illness is not considered dangerous. Messrs. Grimmer and Morrissey returned last evening from a trip to Miramichi where the surveyor general has been attending to some crown lands business and secretaries of the various provincial societies should form the executive of the association together with the practitioners of the association at its general meeting held on Tuesday. For Quebec which has no provincial medical association, Dr. C. A. Peters and Dr. Lockhart, both of Montreal, were named as the representation on the executive. Dr. Geo. Elliott of Toronto was re-elected and Dr. R. B. Small also of Ottawa as general treasurer. The finance committee was appointed as follows: Dr. Fortherrham, Toronto; Dr. E. M. G. Starr, Ottawa; Dr. Geo. Armstrong, Montreal; Dr. James Bell, Montreal and Dr. R. W. Powell, Ottawa.

FRENCH OFFICER DEGRADED WHILE THOUSANDS WATCHED

Naval Ensign Charles B. Ulmo Charged With Selling Naval Secrets, Stripped of His Uniform Before Thousands of Spectators.

Fredericton, N. B., June 12.—A pitiable spectacle, the degradation of the traitor Charles E. Ulmo, formerly a naval officer, occurred at St. John Square here today in the presence of an enormous crowd. Ensign Ulmo was arrested at Toronto last October, charged with being a spy. An examination of his effects showed him to be in possession of many valuable documents. Last February he was found guilty by a court martial of attempting to sell naval secrets to a foreign power and sentenced to life imprisonment in a fortress and to be degraded in rank. Train excursions were run into Paris and thousands of people from the surrounding country came to witness the ceremony. They packed the sidewalks and covered the adjoining roofs, walls and parapets. The pressure of the crowds was so great that it threatened to sweep away the lines of soldiers and sailors drawn up around the square. After the troops had been reinforced with two line regiments, a battery of artillery, and two squadrons of cavalry, Ulmo, wearing his uniform and sword, was led into the rectangle, where the commandant read the order that Ulmo had betrayed his country and was sentenced to wear his uniform. Two subalterns then took off his sword and stripped him of his chevrons and buttons. One of the subalterns bore the sword across his knee and threw the broken blade at Ulmo's feet. In this plight Ulmo was compelled to march at the head of a squad of soldiers around the rectangle amid the hoots and jeers of the crowd. He walked with his bare head sunk upon his breast and his eyes staring straight in front of him. Tears were streaming down his face. Several thousand recruits who witnessed Ulmo's degradation were greatly impressed by the ceremony. Ulmo will be deported to French Guiana.

STARTS ON A LONG PATROL

Inspector of North North West Mounted Police off on a 3000 Mile Trip.

Edmonton, Alta., June 11.—Inspector Pelletier, R. N. W. M. P., has left on a trip through the north to Hudson's Bay. He took three men as relief for the force at Churchill, and will be the first northern patrol to make a trip. They will reach Churchill by October. Pelletier will return to Regina via Winnipeg, reaching there about the end of the year. He will make a full report of the conditions of the people, Indians and Eskimos, the conditions of the country, and will enforce the game laws. The relief force is composed of one sergeant Joyce, Fort Saskatchewan; Constable Laker, Fort Saskatchewan; and Constable Conway, Calgary, all experienced men. The party go to Athabasca Landing, down the Athabasca in the Hudson's Bay boat to Fort Murray, and then to Peterboro canons through the Great Slave Lake, Fort Reliance, Artillery Lake, Hargrave River, Thelon River, Baker Lake, Chesterfield Lake, stop at police post at Cape Filderton, then down the coast to Churchill.

WESTERN DEALS WERE UP AGAIN

House of Commons This Morning Heard Criticism of Methods of Peace River Colonization Co.

Ottawa, June 12.—(Special).—In the house of commons this morning, Sir Wilfrid Laurier promised for Monday a statement of what further legislation is to be brought down this session. On the motion to go into supply, Sam Hughes brought up the case of the Peace River colonization company which has an extensive concession there. The trend of his argument was that while the conditions have not been lived up to the company is having about its concession in the old country and endeavoring to sell the land at \$7 per acre. He wanted to know what the government was going to do about it. Mr. Oliver, in reply, related the difficulties encountered by the company and said that a notice of cancellation of the concession had been given but a time extension granted. If the terms were not lived up to the concession would be withdrawn on July 1st. Mr. Sproule followed on a criticism of the terms of the grant from which he said Montreal speculators had benefited. He took no stock in the notices of cancellation and accused the department of reckless administration in entering into such loose agreements.

OF SUICIDE IN ESSEX, MASS.

Mrs. T. F. Bowe and George A. Gorton, Arrested on Husband's Charge, Drink Strychnine and Die Almost Together.

Essex, Mass., June 11.—One of the most sensational affairs which has taken place in this town for years was the double suicide which took place here when George Allen Gorton, aged 50, and Mrs. Edith A. Bowe, aged 33, the wife of T. F. Bowe, both of Grove street, living within a half mile of each other, ended their lives by taking strychnine. Last Saturday morning Mr. Gorton and Mrs. Bowe were arrested, charged with a statutory offence. The house was entered at 1 o'clock in the morning upon a complaint issued to the Essex police by T. F. Bowe, husband of Mrs. Bowe, who learned a few days ago that Mr. Gorton was visiting the house. It is said Mr. Bowe travels on the road selling bits of his own manufacture, and when away Mr. Gorton called at the house. It is also alleged that Mr. Bowe had planned a trip last Friday which was known to Mr. Gorton, and thinking the coast was clear visited the house. Mr. Bowe learned that his wife was entertaining company kept watch on the house, and seeing Gorton enter, called the police. Gorton and Mrs. Bowe were taken to Gloucester and placed under arrest. Their case came before the court Tuesday morning and was held over to the grand jury trial being held in \$400 bonds, which were furnished. Gorton returned to his home and on his way went to a store in Essex and endeavored to buy poison, saying that he wished to kill a cow. It was refused and so he went to Gloucester and bought some strychnine, after which he returned home and drank it. He suffered terribly agony and died about 1 o'clock. It was claimed that he stopped on the way and left some poison with Mrs. Bowe. Within 24 hours of the time that Gorton ended his life, Mrs. Edith A. Bowe also died by the strychnine. It is said Mrs. Bowe received word that the bondsman had withdrawn the bonds after learning of the death of Gorton, and she feared to go to jail. She said that she would never be locked up and went into the house and took the

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