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DIE IN BREWERY FIRE

New York, May 29—Two men were burned to death in a fire which last night destroyed the Fidelity Brewery, First avenue. The firemen were seriously hampered by ammonia fumes. Their drift into Bellevue Hospital, two blocks away.

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Allies Intend to Keep Firm Grip on Affairs in Germany

LOYD GEORGE'S DRIVE A FAILURE

MUST MEET DEMANDS OF THE TREATY

Note From the Council of Ambassadors. REPLY TO REQUEST Germany Wanted Supervision Placed in Care of League of Nations.

(Canadian Press.) London, May 30—The Allies intend to keep a firm hand on military control of Germany by maintaining the commission of control in full operation until the disarmament demands made in the Treaty of Versailles are fully executed, according to a long note from the Council of Ambassadors sent to Berlin from Paris today.

The ambassadors' communication was in reply to a German note of March 31, in which the Berlin Government maintained that it was time for the League of Nations to take over the supervision of Germany.

TWO CONTRACTS TO ST. JOHN COMPANY

Bridge Work Bids Are Dealt With by Provincial Works Department, Fredericton. (Special to The Times-Star.) Fredericton, N. B., May 30—Bridge contracts aggregating some \$14,000 on the province are announced today as awarded by Hon. P. J. Veniot, Minister of Public Works. In all cases work is to begin as soon as possible.

THE GOVERNMENT IS NOT WORRIED

Three of Premier MacDonald's Supporters Crossed the Channel Today. New York, May 30—Stephen Walsh, Secretary of State for War; Lord Thomson Air Minister; and Frank Hodges, Labor leader, left for the continent this morning in separate airplanes from Croyden. Their departure was interpreted as meaning that the Government considers its position secure for the moment.

Ten Die In Coal Mine Fire in Spain

Oviedo, Spain, May 30—Ten men are known to have perished in a coal mine fire near here. Rescue squads are attempting to save others known to be in the workings.

Church Doctrine Is Given As Evidence

Cleveland, May 30—The whole body of doctrine of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States was called in evidence yesterday in the trial here of Bishop Wm. M. Brown, accused of teaching outside that doctrine. The trial court of eight bishops ruled that the doctrine of the church was contained in the Book of Common Prayer, and, in accordance with the decision, the case against the accused bishop was presented within half an hour.

POINCARÉ WILL RESIGN SUNDAY

The Socialist Federation Shows Its Hostility to President Millerand. (United Press.) Paris, May 30—The Government of Premier Poincaré will hand its resignation to President Millerand on Sunday at 10.30 a. m., it was learned today. Resignation of the cabinet has been considered certain since its defeat in the recent parliamentary election, in which the left wing group scored enormous gains.

LABOR TOO BUSY FOR CONFERENCE

Indefinite Postponement of Proposed Imperial Meeting Called for August Next. London, May 30—(Canadian Press.) A resolution giving a mandate to the Socialist Federation, the French section of the Workers' Internationale. The Federation also voted against participation in the ministry, by 1,784 to 666. The Socialist Federation, in the Chamber, numbering 105 deputies, represent the Socialist Federation.

FREDERICTON HAS TWO NEW PLAYERS

Buck Dillon and Buck Freeman Expected to Strengthen The Team. Fredericton, N. B., May 30—The Fredericton Club left today on a trip which will take them as far as Moncton for the weekend. They left at noon by automobiles for St. John, where they play this evening, and go to Moncton tomorrow for two games there.

Wire Briefs

Ottawa, May 30—In the Commons today the annual statement of the C. N. R. will be further debated. The Senate will meet at three o'clock. Toronto, May 30—Fire losses in Canada during the week ended May 28 are estimated by the Monetary Times at \$449,963, compared with \$899,000 the previous week, and with \$1,637,000 the corresponding week of last year.

SAYS LENINE IS HEARD IN TABLE TAPS

Sir Arthur Conan Doyle Gets Message in Haunted Chamber. ALL LIGHTS OUT Spooky Story Published in London—Soviet Leader Tells Sad Tale. (United News.) London, May 30—A strange and dramatic story of how the spirit of Nicolai Lenin, dead ruler of Soviet Russia, conversed through table-tapping with a group in a haunted room in London has been revealed by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle.

ST. JOHN MAN GETS NEWCASTLE POST

H. C. Hopkins Appointed Town Marshal—Ritchie Company Assessment Valuation. (Special to The Times-Star.) Newcastle, May 30—At a special meeting of Newcastle Town Council last night two new police officers were appointed, and a fixed valuation for the D. & J. Ritchie Co., Ltd., was agreed upon. Practically the entire session was given over to the discussion of police matters, and by a vote of 6 to 1 H. C. Hopkins, of St. John, was appointed town marshal, and Thomas Hill of Red Bank, night patrolman, replacing John Ashford and Edward Walsh of Newcastle.

ALLEGED PLOT TO BOMB CONSULATES

Rumor From Korea Causes Anxiety in Tokio—Prompt Action Taken. Tokio, May 30—Discovery of an alleged Korean plot to bomb the British and United States consulates in Seoul (Korea) is causing some uneasiness there, press dispatches indicate. Semi-official confirmation has been made to a report that special guards have been posted at the United States Consulate. The bombing plan is believed by officials to have originated with the "Korean provisional government," which was formed in 1919 in Shanghai by Koreans opposed to Japanese rule in their native country. Every effort is being made by officials to prevent any outrage against the United States Consulate at Seoul, fearing any such incident would cause trouble at the present time, due to the exchanges between the two governments resulting from passage of the United States immigration law.

WILL BE PUBLISHED ON KING'S BIRTHDAY, TUESDAY

Both The Telegraph-Journal and The Times-Star will be published on Tuesday, June 3, the King's Birthday. The Telegraph-Journal will be issued at the usual hour. The Times-Star will be issued as usual at 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday as possible. Advertisers are asked to keep this in mind in preparing copy for the Times-Star of next Tuesday, and to have it in this office not later than 4 o'clock on Monday afternoon. Earlier if possible. The Times-Star will be issued at 12 o'clock tomorrow, Saturday, and on succeeding Saturdays of the summer.

MAY USE PART OF IRISH FUNDS

New York, May 30—Supreme Court Justice McCardeny ruled today that a reasonable part of the \$2,500,000 of Irish Republican funds now on deposit here for use in prosecuting their defence of the suit brought by the Irish Free State to obtain the money. The Free State, brought the suit on the ground that it was the legitimate creditor of the fund of which De Valera and O'Mara were named trustees.

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Did One Chicago Millionaire's Son Take the Life of Another? HE DENIES IT Question About Spectacles That Were Found on Body of Victim. (Canadian Press.) Chicago, May 30—Nathan E. Leopold, Jr., 19 year old son of a millionaire manufacturer, university honor student, and connected with some of Chicago's wealthiest families, was questioned all night by Robert I. Crowe, state's attorney, after an optical company's records revealed that he had worn a pair of spectacles the day of the murder of Edward G. Bremer, 33 year old kidnaper's victim. Early today, when questioning was suspended until 1 p. m., Leopold still maintained that he was not the owner of the spectacles, although he was familiar with the terrain of the wild country on the far south side where the body was found jammed in a railroad culvert between two lanes. A score or more persons have been arrested since Franks, also the son of a multi-millionaire, was killed; but Leopold's attorney has made it plain that they placed their chief reliance upon finding the owner of the spectacles. Toward that end hundreds of opticians and their clerks have examined records. "Maybe they are, but I do not think so," the youth was quoted as having said. He said that he had purchased them to relieve headaches, but had discarded them some time ago. At the county building he said, he thought his glasses were at his home, but a detective search there was reported to have revealed only the case bearing the name of the firm which had repaired the sale of spectacles to Leopold. Before dawn fifty detectives were ordered to visit fraternity houses and other places of wealthy residents of the university circle, to take into custody for questioning twenty-five or thirty chums of young Leopold. It was under the name of a witness, Miss MacKie, who refused to appear at a hearing of the case last week. It is said that Miss MacKie will be able to give evidence concerning meetings of Hubert Boves-Lyon and Miss Smeaton, mother of Constance Mary Lyon.

RADIO CAN NOW KEEP A SECRET

John Hays Hammond, Jr., photographed in Rome, Italy, where he has entered into contract with the Italian government for the purchase of a radio device which permits secrecy in transmission and permits more than one message to be sent simultaneously on the same wave length. Demonstrations in Italy brought to light that the device makes possible "narrowcasting," the opposite of broadcasting, and long the dream of radio fans. Young Hammond is the son of the famed writer, educator, financier and diplomat, John Hays Hammond.

LABOR LIVES ON LIBERAL TIMIDITY

Asquith Forces Not Ready for Appeal to the Country. MAKING THREATS Liberals May Turn on Labor, But Crisis Over for Present. BY H. N. MOORE (British United Press.) London, May 30—The Labor Government this morning is celebrating a dual victory. In the first place it has defeated the strongest offensive made against it since Ramsay MacDonald assumed power, and secondly, its efforts were largely responsible for the prevention of both the miners' and builders' strikes, which two weeks ago seemed almost inevitable.

EXEMPT FORTUNE OF KATHERINE DREXEL, NOW NUN, BECAUSE OF CHARITIES

Washington, May 30—A romance lying hidden in the dry pages of the new Income Tax Reduction bill came to light when it was learned that a special provision was inserted to exempt from taxation the fortune of the former Kater Drexel of Philadelphia, who as Mother Katherine, head of a Roman Catholic alms house, is bound by vows of poverty to give her wealth to charity. Under the present law, up to 15 per cent. of an income given away for charitable, religious, scientific, literary or educational purposes is free from taxation. But at the request of Senator Pepper of Pennsylvania, the Senate Finance Committee added a proviso to cover the case of Mother Katherine, and this is now in the bill in the hands of President Coolidge. Senator Pepper said Mother Katherine was a "great power for good," and had established homes for friendless girls in many parts of the United States. Mother Mary Katherine, who as Miss Katherine Drexel of Philadelphia on May 6, 1889, renounced an income of \$1,000 a day and took the vow of poverty as a nun, was the founder of the Roman Catholic Order of the Blessed Sacrament. The richest nun in the world, she has devoted her fortune to the care and education of the colored and Indian children of this country and has founded branches of her order all over the country. At first she intended to join the Order of the Sacred Heart, but after visiting the Indian country she decided to found an order which would have as its aim the education and elevation of the Indians. To these she later added the negroes.

GIRL ASPIRES TO HIGH ESTATE

Woman and Man Are Sentenced in Maine Court For Infanticide. Rumford, Me., May 30—Mrs. Emma Lufkin and Leander Thurlow of Andover were found guilty of murder in the first degree by a jury in the Oxford County Supreme Court here last night. Judge Dwyer at once sentenced the two to life imprisonment. Thurlow and Mrs. Lufkin were charged with causing the death of an infant girl, born to the woman on January 22.

CANADIANS GET NO CONCESSIONS

Soviets Turn Down Six Bids—British and U. S. Granted Several. Moscow, May 30—Canadians seeking concessions in Soviet Russia will derive little encouragement from the declaration of M. Zinoviev before a Communist party convention yesterday. The chairman of the Communist International told the delegates that Canada had six bids in for concessions and that none had been granted. Great Britain was granted seven out of 141 applications, the United States 10 out of 101, and Italy, with 25 bids, had none accepted.

Cry "Communists" In Bucharest Disaster

Athens, May 30—Scattered explosions continued last night in Bucharest as a result of the fire in the munitions dumps on Wednesday, said unconfirmed dispatches today. Fires still smoldered in the devastated part of the city. "Some reliable reports say the Communists are responsible for the disaster," the dispatches added, "and there has been a recrudescence of fears of a Russian invasion of Bessarabia."

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GRADS TO ASSIST BISHOP'S COLLEGE

Ottawa, May 30—Graduates of Bishop's College, Lennoxville, Que., residing in the Ottawa district, last night held a meeting to organize to assist in a campaign to raise \$500,000 for increased endowment and the extension of the arts course facilities of the college.

U. S. PLANES ON WING TOMORROW

Tokio, May 30—The U. S. round the world flight will get under way again on Saturday, a message from Kasumigaura said today. The three U. S. aviators have finished overhauling their planes after the hard flight across the icy north Pacific seas from Alaska.

Weather Report

Toronto, May 30—The western high pressure has spread over the Great Lakes, while the eastern depression has increased in intensity and is now centred near Anticosti. The weather is fine but rather cool throughout the Dominion. Forecasts: Lower St. Lawrence Gulf and North Shore—Strong northwest winds, clearing Saturday northwest winds, fair and cool. Fair and cool. Maritime—Strong west and northwest winds, fair and rather cool today and on Saturday. Toronto, May 30—Temperatures: Stations 8 a.m. Highest yesterday. Victoria ... 40 ... 50 Kamloops ... 50 ... 76 48 Calgary ... 34 ... 64 32 Edmonton ... 44 ... 70 42 Winnipeg ... 46 ... 60 34 Montreal ... 46 ... 64 42 St. John ... 52 ... 54 42 Halifax ... 38 ... 66 44 New York ... 56 ... 68 50