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LABOR STANDS ALONE IN BRITISH ELECTION

WORK OUT TWO NEW ENTRIES IN RACE FOR CHAIR

Trainers Unblanket E. R. Dennis and T. W. McFarland in Civic Classic.

CAUSE LITTLE SURPRISE

Stable Gossip Has Long Reported Prospects of "Black Horses."

There was but a slim attendance at the municipal track Tuesday, when three more "dark horses" for the first race on December 4 next, the majority "free-for-all," were led from the stable.

There was scarcely a ripple of excitement or surprise in the paddock when the new entries were announced—E. R. Dennis and W. T. McFarland.

As a matter of fact, it had been common knowledge in the grandstand for more than a week that three or four more likely possibilities for the big event were "under cover," and when the trainers and their associates at the city hall, building over with "inside dope," imparted the glad tidings Tuesday, and furnished implicit instructions where to "place the money," they were naturally disappointed when their announcements were greeted with "old stuff" and "I told you so."

Although it was also known that every effort was being expended to induce James Gray to enter the race, it is not believed that he will not consent to his name on the sheet, and the "grooming" of other possibilities continues with renewed vigor.

In the meanwhile, the two definite entries—ex-Ald. George Wenig and Ald. P. G. W. Greig, self-styled "Earl of Dunblane," may have the "edge on the field" by their early appearance at the post.

TRY ALLEGED SCOTTISH PEER ON FRAUD CHARGE

A. J. W. Greig Implicated in Wrecking Trust Company Claims To Be "Earl of Dunblane."

Charlevoix, Mich., Oct. 24.—The trial of A. J. W. Greig, self-styled "Earl of Dunblane," was under way in circuit court here today. Greig faces a charge of obtaining money through false pretence in the organization and alleged wrecking of the Title Guarantee and Casualty Company, which is now in the hands of the state insurance commissioner.

Many residents of northern Michigan invested in the concern. State officials have estimated that their losses will amount to tens of thousands of dollars.

"The Earl of Dunblane" has been in jail since he was brought back from Montreal several months ago. He insists that he is a member of a titled Scottish family.

GERMAN MARKS FALLS.

New York, Oct. 24.—Disquieting cable dispatches concerning Germany's economic condition were reflected here today in the further depreciation of German marks, which were quoted at 21.50 a hundred, or 4.705 marks to the dollar. The previous price of marks was 23.80 each.

THE WEATHER

FORECASTS.
Today—Fresh winds, shifting to southwest and fair.
Wednesday—Fresh south and southwest winds; a few light scattered showers, but mostly fair, with higher temperatures.
The depression which was in the Ottawa Valley yesterday now covers the Maritime Provinces, while the western depression is centred in Manitoba.
Rain has fallen over Quebec and the Maritime Provinces, and over the greater portion of Ontario, and a few light showers or snow flurries have occurred in the West.
Temperatures.
The highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours today were:
High—Low.
Victoria... 58... 48
Calgary... 40... 30
Winnipeg... 40... 30
Pt. Arthur... 42... 32
St. John... 46... 36
Toronto... 54... 42
Kingston... 58... 48
Ottawa... 58... 48
Montreal... 58... 48
Quebec... 58... 48
St. John... 52... 42
Halifax... 52... 42
LOCAL TEMPERATURES.
The highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night were:
Highest, 58; lowest, 32.
The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were:
Highest, 40; lowest, 32.
Barometric Readings.
Monday—8 p.m., 29.11.
Today—8 a.m., 29.21.

Twins Reach 92



MRS. JANE L. BALL.
MRS. R. C. HACKENBURG.

MRS. JANE L. BALL (above), Mrs. R. C. Hackenburg, Decatur, Ill., twins, have just celebrated their 92nd birthday. They hope to reach the century mark.

U. S. REFUSES TO SAY RACE WON

Committeemen Will Not Accept Present Victory of Henry Ford.

American Ship Withdraws Definitely From Fisherman's Classic.

BULLETIN.
Gloucester, Mass., Oct. 24.—The Canadian members of the international fishermen's cup committee this afternoon let it be known that at last night's meeting of the committee, when they offered to hand over the cup to the Henry Ford, "if it were acceptable that way," four U. S. committeemen present jumped to their feet and said they did not want it that way, that they would not take it that way, and that they still expected to win it without a flaw.

Gloucester, Mass., Oct. 24.—The Gloucesterman, Henry Ford, today definitely withdrew from the racing for the international fishing schooner championship of the north Atlantic. Captain Morrissey, asserting that his boat and his men had already won the two races from the Canadian champion Blue Nose, necessary for possession of the title trophy, put pig iron ballast aboard preparatory to going fishing.

Another report says the racing has been postponed today on representation that Captain Morrissey Turn to Page 3, Column 8.

BRIDE OF A YEAR MISSING FROM WINDSOR HOME

BUT 17 YEARS OLD.

WINDSOR, Oct. 24.—Mrs. Mable Essey, 238 Bridge avenue, a bride of a year, is missing from her home, and Windsor and Detroit police have been asked to assist in locating her. She is but 17 years of age.
About three weeks ago she and her husband, William Essey, decided to break up housekeeping, on account of the 19-year-old husband's illness, and went to live with his parents. Against her husband's wishes, Mrs. Essey secured a position as a maid, but later gave it up. On Wednesday she went to Detroit and did not return until 11:30 p.m. The next morning, telling her mother-in-law that she had been offered three positions and that she was going to take one of them, she left the house, and has not been seen since.
The only word that has been received from her is a postcard received by her husband, postmarked Detroit, but bearing no clue to her whereabouts.
On the postcard she said that she was "fine," and bade her husband goodbye.
Immediately following the receipt of the message, the young husband notified the police, who are now searching for the missing young woman.

TARDY OFFICERS CAUSE LAD TO SUFFER IN JAIL

Young Londoner Held for 16 Days Awaiting Reply From Toronto.

PAROLED FROM BURWASH

Charged With Failure To Report Whereabouts to Local Physician.

All because parole officers have failed to respond to letters from the police and other authorities, a young London man, who is on parole from Burwash, has spent sixteen days in jail without a trial on a vagrancy charge, and has been remanded for another week. Magistrate Graydon declared he was very reluctant to order this further remand.

The prisoner was paroled on March 28, and his parole expires October 28. Sixteen days ago the police received a request from the assistant parole officer at Toronto to apprehend him and hold him until an officer arrived. It was charged he had failed to report to a local physician. The young man was locked up, and the police notified the authorities. Within a week the prisoner was brought before the court again, and as a reply had not been received from Toronto he was remanded again.

His counsel, Albert M. Judd, wrote to the parole authorities for an explanation, but did not receive any acknowledgment of his letter. "As I understand it," said Mr. Judd, "the defendant interviewed a parole officer a few days before he was arrested, and an argument ensued. Finally, the officer threatened him that Burwash stared him in the face. The boy could not stand it any longer and left the officer. A few days later he was arrested."

SEEK TO PREVENT FASCIST DEMONSTRATION IN NAPLES

Italian Government Order Tearing Up of Railway at Rome in Effort to Stop Gatherings.

Rome, Oct. 24.—The government has taken special precautions to prevent the passing through Rome today of large crowds of Fascists on their way to Naples, where they are to hold a big demonstration. It is estimated that 40,000 Fascists will take part in the gathering. The carabinieri and royal guard have been reinforced, and strict instructions have been given that any steps may be resorted to, including the tearing up of the railway tracks, in order to prevent the Fascists from entering Rome.

Similar preparations have been made in Naples by the Fascists to insure a great manifestation of their strength without creating disorders. Representatives of all sections of the Fascist army will be present, including aviators with their machines. Prof. Benito Mussolini, head of the Fascists, will review the gathering and deliver an address, in which he will outline the political program of the party.

A. WOOD, PRESS VETERAN, PASSES AT SPOKANE, WN.

Regina, Sask., Oct. 24.—A. D. Wood, a veteran Canadian newspaper man, is dead at Spokane, Wash., according to word received here. He edited the Winnipeg Call in the earlier days of the Manitoba capital, and later was connected with the Winnipeg Free Press. He left for Washington fifteen years ago, and was with the Spokane Review until a year ago, when he suffered a paralytic stroke, from which he never fully recovered.

KILLS WIFE AND SELF ON STREET

New York, Oct. 24.—Henry Sigmund, known to police as "Dutch Lefty," a gambler, early today killed his wife Edith to her separate apartment in East New York, accosted her on a street corner, and when she refused to return to her home, shot her and then himself. Both died instantly.

The police reported that Sigmund, since a quarrel several days ago, snatched away all the furniture in his home. In his pockets today were found a pint of whiskey and two pictures of his wife.

WANTS CHEESE, NO CASH, HOLDS UP WOMEN, BEATS GROCER

TAZMAN FINED FOR HAMILTON ROAD FRACAS.

AS A RULE, the vicinity of Elmer Hardy's store on the Hamilton road is a quiet neighborhood, but yesterday afternoon it appeared to be "joked" for a slap-stick motion picture comedy. David Tazman was the reason.

In court this morning Hardy told the magistrate that Tazman came into his store to buy some groceries, but strongly protested against his weighing some cheese which he ordered. Then when the bill of \$1.20 was presented Tazman said he was "broke."

Apparently he did not intend to be without cash very long, for he attacked two women on the street and demanded their money, the storekeeper testified. Then he returned to the store and amused himself by "flooring" the proprietor at intervals. However, Hardy did not appreciate his little prank, and chased him with an iron bar and called the police. They took the man in tow and charged him with being intoxicated in a public place. To this charge and one of being disorderly, laid by Hardy, he pleaded guilty. Two fines, amounting to \$15 and costs, were entered against him. "You are lucky you were not charged with assault," commented the court.

PLANS MODERN EQUIPMENT AT U.

Dean Fox Seeks Co-operation of Staff in Furnishing of New Buildings.

Believes Professors Know Best Requirements For Everyday Usage.

Every precaution is being taken in drafting the plans of the new university buildings, and the equipment of the rooms, Col. W. J. Brown, executive secretary of Western University, stated today. "It has been found that so much depends on the correct equipment, and even on the furnishings of each classroom that each professor has been asked for individual constructive suggestions."

Col. Brown was in Sarnia Monday, addressing the Chamber of Commerce in that city, on "Western University," and while there paid a visit to the Sarnia Collegiate and Technical Institute.

"It is a wonderful building, costing more than \$600,000," stated Col. Brown. "There are about twenty-five teachers, and some 800 students, and every room has been laid out with a purpose."

"When the new university buildings are completed here they will include the latest feature as well as the most necessary."

It is anticipated by officials at the U. that the practical suggestions of those who will be coming day after day, will enable the building committee to make the new university buildings the best, the most modern in equipment on the continent.

To that end, Dean W. Sherwood Fox, Saturday addressed a note to the professors, advising them that the building committee would appreciate their advice.

Some suggestions already received at the Dean's office were outlined in the request. They included the latest type strong tablet-arm chair for the students, ample slate blackboard accommodation in each room, a strip of cork carpet at the top of the blackboards for the pinning of charts and maps, electric bell service in each room, and brackets for the hanging of stereoscopic screens.

In view of the fact that endless difficulties are said to have arisen in other educational centres over the alleged failure of the authorities to consult the actual users of the class rooms regarding the equipment, the present action of Dean Fox is being commended by the professors at the university.

SEND JAP CRUISER TO VLADIVOSTOK

Honolulu, Oct. 24.—The Japanese cruiser Chikuma has been ordered to proceed to Vladivostok at the request of the consul-general there, according to a cable dispatch to the Nippon Jiji, Japanese language newspaper here.

The Soviet army is said to be audible in all sections, giving rise to the fear that the demonstration might develop at any moment into a more serious affair. The allied police were largely reinforced and the night passed without any serious incident, although the high state of tension continued until almost dawn.

CLAIM IRISH REPUBLICANS DRAFT PEACE PROPOSALS

LONDON, England, Oct. 24.—A dispatch to the Press Association from Dublin says peace proposals have been drafted by the republicans for consideration by the government.

BOARD FINDS NO REDUCTION RAIL WAGES MERITED

Conciliation Body Reports Finding On C. P. R. Pay Dispute.

8,000 MEN AFFECTED

Would Not Cut Freight and Baggage Men, Clerks and Checkers.

Montreal, Oct. 24.—No reduction in wages for clerks, freight handlers, baggage men and checkers employed on Canadian Pacific Railway lines, is the purport of the majority report received this morning of the conciliation board, which sat in connection with the wage dispute between the Canadian Pacific Railway and the grades covered by the International Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks.

About 8,000 men are affected by the award. The majority award, which constitutes the award of the board, is made by the chairman of the board, Daniel Uguhart, K.C., and by J. G. O'Donoghue of Toronto, representing the men. A minority report is being submitted by J. T. Arundel of Toronto, representing the company.

FIND N. S. FARMER BEATEN TO DEATH

Clemensport, Annapolis County, N. S., Oct. 24.—It is a most difficult case and there is no clue to go by. Chief Detective Horace Kennedy of Halifax, said today concerning the murder at Guinea, near here, of Thomas Berry, 75 year-old farmer, of that place.

Mr. Berry's body was found Sunday morning in the kitchen of his home with the skull crushed, from the temple to the back of the head. The aged farmer had evidently made a fight for life, and almost his entire body was bruised, while his mouth was lacerated as if struck by a heavy blow from a fist. The room was wet and blood was splashed on all sides.

COUZENS WILL MANAGE DETROIT STREET RAILWAY

New York, Oct. 24.—A Detroit dispatch to the Wall Street Journal states that a precedent in municipal affairs was made Monday, when Mayor Couzens announced that he would personally assume the duties as manager of the Detroit Street Railway, following the retirement of Joseph S. Goodwin, whose resignation was accepted.

TYPHOID FEVER EPIDEMIC HITS MONTREAL KIDDIES

Montreal, Oct. 24.—There is prevalent in Montreal at the present time an epidemic of typhoid fever, which is claiming as its victims children between the ages of 5 and 12.

Physicians report that many cases of children being stricken are daily coming to their notice, but that as yet adults appear to be immune from the disease.

BRINGS VALUABLE CARGO OF SILK TO VANCOUVER

Vancouver, B. C., Oct. 24.—The Empress of Russia from Yokohama docked here yesterday with 275 passengers and a silk cargo valued at \$7,000,000.

Among the passengers was Captain E. R. Evans, R. N., of Scott Antarctic fame. Captain Evans is returning to London after serving for the last two years in command of H.M.S. Carlisle at the China station.

WOMEN FIGURE AS PRINCIPALS IN 9 U. S. MURDER TRIALS

TRAGEDIES PRESENT "ETERNAL TRIANGLE."

CHICAGO, Oct. 24.—Nine tragedies stand out as dramatic spectacles in the news of the United States today, all of them presenting women in leading roles, and nearly all involving the "eternal triangle" in different twists and variations.

Six sensational murder trials, five with women as defendants, are in various stages of trial, while one woman tried for murder won her freedom at a preliminary hearing last week, and another last night from a jury, and a seventh faces her third trial on the same charge.

Presenting an unusual variant, it was announced today, at Fresno, California, a man who killed his young wife, when he found her with a youth of her own age, would be tried for manslaughter.

Mrs. Hazel McNally, accused by her husband of having made away with twin babies, was freed at a preliminary hearing last week, when the state failed to prove the infants were other than sawdust-stuffed dolls, made up to gratify the whim of the husband, Frank McNally, to appear as a father.

Churchill Better



WINSTON CHURCHILL.

LONDON, Oct. 24.—Winston Churchill, British colonial minister of the Lloyd George government, is reported to be improving, following an operation for appendicitis. Mr. Churchill was stricken with the malady while dining at the former premier's residence recently.

ASHTON RINGS FOR MORE PEP

Wants More Speed in Preparing Data on Street Railway.

Thinks Citizens Could Easily Make Money If Road Purchased.

More speed is desirable if the rate-payers are to be adequately provided before the election with all facts and figures pertaining to the London street railway and other possible means of civic transportation, reasons Acting Mayor John Ashton.

Mr. Ashton points to the nearness of the municipal election, and holds the belief that if the citizens are to be asked December 4 to vote upon the proposal to purchase the street railway, no further delay should be occasioned, and the proposition should be presented to them immediately.

"They should have had this information for their consideration a month ago," declared the acting mayor Tuesday. "In my opinion it will require quite a lot of persuasion in any event to convince the bulk of the citizens that the purchase of the road would be a good sound and safe investment."

"They are now prejudiced against the street railway company, and plenty of time should be taken to present them with the proposal, and to show them that the road could be handled by them satisfactorily and with a profit."

Mr. Ashton believes personally that once the city assumed control of the railway and selected a first-class business administration, success would be noted within a few years. He warns against making a political football of the affair, however, and views with disfavor the suggestion that a commission direct operations, as in the case of the London and Port Stanley Railway.

RUSSIANS TO MEET CHINESE.

Honolulu, Oct. 24.—According to a cable dispatch to the Nippon Jiji, local vernacular newspaper, another conference between Russia and China is expected to be held in Peking Nov. 10.

DEPLORES LACK OF MEN FOR MINISTRY

Montreal, Oct. 24.—That there is a serious shortage of young men willing to offer themselves as candidates for the ministry, and that the laymen are responsible for this shortage, is the claim of Dr. Rexford, principal of the Diocesan College, in an interview with a local paper.

In placing the responsibility upon the shoulders of the laymen, Dr. Rexford cited the history of the early church, in which the apostles are recorded to have called together the laymen and to have requested them to choose seven young men for ministry in the early church.

MICHIGAN PIONEER DIES.

Bay City, Mich., Oct. 24.—Thomas L. Hardy, one of the pioneer manufacturers and railroad builders of Michigan, died here yesterday. Mr. Hardy also was a coal operator, and was extensively interested in real estate.

LEADERS DECIDE PARTY TO WORK INDEPENDENTLY

Will Be No Fusions With the Other Political Groups.

MANY POTS BEGIN TO BOIL

Reginald McKenna, Liberal, Supports Policy of Premier Bonar Law.

LONDON, Oct. 4.—(Associated Press).—A dozen of the most prominent Labor men in the country met here this morning and decided upon the policy of the Labor party for the coming London municipal and also the general elections, but at adjournment it was stated the manifesto the party would issue was being kept secret for a day or two. It was decided, however, that the Labor party would not affiliate with any other.

Reginald McKenna, former chancellor of the exchequer, long known as a staunch Liberal, created a sensation in political circles this afternoon when addressing the City Conservative Association he came out in support of Mr. Bonar Law's policy. "I highly esteem the courage and conviction of Mr. Bonar Law," he said. "It seems to me Mr. Bonar Law's government offers us the only prospect of stability. We shall have not only peace and retrenchment, but capable and faithful administration."

Mr. Bonar Law, Great Britain's new premier, held a conference this forenoon with Wm. T. Cosgrave, head of the Irish provisional government, with regard to Irish affairs.

A colonial office announcement on the subject read: "In view of the change in the government, arrangements were made at the beginning of the week for a meeting between Mr. Bonar Law and Mr. Cosgrave, head of the Irish government. The meeting took place this morning. Mr. Cosgrave was accompanied by K. O'Higgins, secretary of home affairs, and Hugh Kennedy, law officer."

Glascow will be the chief center of interest in the political situation for the rest of the week. The new prime minister, Andrew Bonar Law, on Thursday will announce the details of his policy there, and forty-eight hours later Premier Lloyd George will address a meeting, being accompanied by Scotland by Sir Robert Horne, who was his chancellor of the exchequer.

The Times political correspondent emphasizes the importance of the situation in Glascow, which it says is due to the strength of the conservative party among the industrial workers, adding that it is largely on account of the reluctance of the Glascow members of parliament to abandon the coalition.

Help Home Rule.

The writers suggests that this position is likely to give impetus to the Scottish home rule movement. It is hinted elsewhere that Bonar Law's re-election as member from the central division of Glascow is no wise certain, and that he will be opposed by Sir George Paton as a free Liberal, in addition to the Labor candidate.

Former Premier Asquith is to speak in Glascow next week. In parts of Great Britain, notably the Lancashire manufacturing towns and Glascow, there are large resident Irish communities. How they will cast their votes is arousing interest both here and in Ireland. The Freeman's Journal, Dublin newspaper, crystallizes its advice to them in the sentence: "Wherever you see a Disinherited head, hit it."

T. P. O'Connor, whose Irish constituents in the Scottish division of Liverpool are dissatisfied with him because he remained a Nationalist, and because, although a home ruler, he supported neither Eamon de Valera nor Michael Collins in the House of Commons, will probably be opposed by a Sinn Fein candidate.

Decide On Lady Astor's

The question of Viscountess Astor's position in the Sutton division of Plymouth has been settled by the central Conservative Association, declaring her the official Conservative candidate, but it is understood that Dr. Bayly will oppose her, as well as a Labor candidate.

A striking intervention in the political conflict was made today from Manchester in the form of a manifesto, issued by the local Liberal candidates and the executive of the Manchester Liberal Federation. Manchester Liberalism in the past has often had an important influence on British politics. "The Manchester school" having become the standard name for a familiar brand of somewhat advanced Liberalism.