

MILITARY COLLEGE HEAD PROMISES COMPLETE PROBE OF INSTITUTION

Predicts Shake-Up Following Arnold's Action in Taking French Leave.

STORY WARRANTED

Adequate Punishment Promised For Offenders—Boy Is Asked To Return.

Special to The Advertiser by a Staff Correspondent.

Kington, March 8.—Major-General A. C. MacDonell, commander of R. M. C., completely vindicates Florent Arnold, the young cadet, who took French leave of the college.

In a letter to the boy's father, Major F. G. Arnold, he completely exonerates the lad, admits that the serious allegations made about conditions at R. M. C. were warranted, predicts a shake-up at the college, that responsibility will be fixed upon those concerned about the investigation awarded. He admits that Arnold had "good reasons" for leaving. He says that he has found his own statements about the boy to have been inaccurate, and that the young cadet's story, in justification of his leaving without leave, as published in the press, was warranted.

General MacDonell's letter:

Dear Major Arnold:

"Replying to your letter of March 4th, and in accordance with my understanding, I beg to inform you that, up to the present, I have only been able to make a partial investigation into conditions under which your son left college. However, I deeply regret to find that he had good reasons for leaving, and that the statements made by him in justification of leaving the college without leave, as published in the press, were warranted. My investigations justify me in exonerating your son from blame, and I regret that the statements which I made in good faith concerning his living has now been proved to be incorrect. I shall continue my investigations, and fix the responsibility upon those concerned. Adequate punishment will be awarded. Your son was not replaced in his position as senior in his class because of his failure in that position, but solely due to the new system adopted at the Royal Military College, whereby seniors in the fourth class are taken in turn. At Christmas, your son's standing was very good. He had no regimental entries in his conduct sheet, and my report on him was as follows: Conduct excellent, a very good report, a hard worker, and a true, should make a success, a sportsman and a man of command. I am prepared to have your son return to the R. M. C. and rejoin his class under the new conditions, and when the proposed changes have been effected, I am quite sure you will be quite satisfied to have him back at the college. Yours very truly."

It is not likely that Florent Arnold will accept General MacDonell's invitation to return to the R. M. C. He told The Advertiser that he didn't want to go back.

Major Arnold pointed out that, while he would consider the commandant's invitation, he would not consider the boy's return to the R. M. C. He would send the boy back. Young Arnold plans to go in for electrical engineering. Since his experiences at R. M. C. have been so pleasant, he plans to return to Regina, where he believes he can get his senior matriculation this spring, and then he would probably return to Queen's University next fall. He plans a university course here since he has relatives in the town. This was a factor in his entry to R. M. C.

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The Whole Family Was Laid Up With Severe Colds

On the first appearance of a cough or cold, our advice to you is to get rid of it before it has a chance to grow worse; gets settled on the lungs, and causes bronchitis, pneumonia or other serious lung troubles.

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup will immediately relieve the cold or cough on its inception.

Mrs. David Ayres, Kearney, Ont., writes: "Our whole family was laid up with severe colds, and we didn't seem to be able to get any relief from anything we used, until one day a friend came in and told me we would be able to get rid of our colds if we used Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. I decided to take her advice, and in no time our colds were all gone."

"Now, knowing the value of your remedy, we always keep it on hand, so as to have it in case of emergency."

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup is 35c a bottle; large family size, 60c. Put up only by The T. Milburn Company Limited, Toronto, Ont.—Adv.



HON. PETER SMITH, provincial treasurer in the Drury government, whose re-purchase of tax-free bonds is to be the subject of an investigation next week by the public accounts committee.

Hon. W. H. Price, present treasurer, declares revelations will startle the public.

GIRL FOUND IN PIPE MAY NOT RECOVER

Little Hope Held For Gladys O'Connor, Picked Up in Toronto Sewer.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto, March 9.—Little hope is held for the recovery of Gladys O'Connor, the 22-year-old Hamilton girl who was found in an unconscious state Saturday lying in a sewer pipe in a refuse dump off Danforth avenue, this city. The girl is now in the General Hospital, but she has been unconscious most of the time since she was taken out of the pipe with her limbs frozen, and she has been unable to give any information about how she got into the pipe. She is suffering chiefly from exposure to the cold, and her condition is regarded as critical.

Miss O'Connor had been visiting her uncle, Dr. Michael J. Brown, of Toronto, when she suddenly disappeared last Tuesday.

According to Dr. Brown, Miss O'Connor had not been well for some time, and for that reason had been compelled to leave her position at the Hamilton Hotel. Her father is dead and her mother is an inmate in an Ontario mental institution.

Miss O'Connor was discovered in the pipe by two boys, who at once notified the police.

Unable to enter the pipe the police officers sent the two boys to investigate and in a few minutes the boys crawled out to report that the girl was frozen solid to the bottom of the pipe which had been filled with water. She was apparently dead.

Accordingly axes were secured at a house nearby, and the boys once more crawled inside to cut the girl loose.

When she was laboriously pulled to the light of day she was seen to be not dead but unconscious, badly frozen in most parts of the body, her lips blue and her heart scarcely beating.

She was immediately carried up the stairs, and to the offices of the Canada Bread Company, where Dr. Hurd, Danforth avenue, attended her and administered stimulants. The police ambulance was sent for, and upon its arrival the girl opened her eyes for a moment and moaned the name of Dr. Michael J. Brown.

Dr. Hurd said that the girl had been living. Scarcely had she breathed these words until she againapsed into unconsciousness, and in that condition at the General Hospital, with little hope held out for her recovery.

Inquiry at the detective office has shown that the girl had been missing from Doctor Brown's home since Tuesday last, an upon her disappearance had no money whatever.

VESSEL SAVES SAILORS OF DOOMED STEAMSHIP

Do Not Know If Seventeen Rescued Comprised Full Crew or Not.

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, March 9.—Seventeen members of the crew of the wooden steamship Oshana, which is believed to have sunk yesterday, have been rescued by the Swedish-American liner Kungsholm, a radio message received at the line's office today said. It was not known whether the rescued comprised the entire crew of the vessel.

Calls for help from the Oshana were received yesterday, giving her position as about 200 miles east of Halifax. The Oshana was an old wooden steamer of about 900 tons.

VERY IMPRESSIVE FUNERAL FOR LATE C. P. R. OFFICIAL

Canadian Press Despatch.

TURKS' PRESTIGE IS BEING GONE WITH CALIPHATE

British Papers Believe Turkey Loses Place As Great Nation.

AID BRITISH IN INDIA

Associated Press Despatch.

Ali Garh, India, March 9.—Muhammad Ali, the well-known Indian Moslem leader, addressing a congregation at the mosque here today, vigorously protested against the action of the Turks in banishing the caliph. The speaker said his anguish was the greater because a blow to Islam had been struck by its own historic champion.

Associated Press Despatch.

London, March 9.—Little political importance is attached by the British press to the abolition of the Kemalists of the Caliphate, so far as Great Britain is directly concerned, though it is to knock the bottom out of the Khilafat agitation in India, which re-unites the Hindu and the Moslem in a common discontent.

The effect of the Kemalists' move on Turkey, however, is quite a different matter. It is generally anticipated here that this action by her national extremists will considerably weaken her position and prestige in the world, removing the last ground of her claim to rank as a great power.

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MAN BADLY INJURED IN ATTEMPT TO SUICIDE

Shoots Self At Desk—Harried Over His Financial Status.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Ottawa, March 9.—William Thomas, 65, proprietor of the Co-operative Press and Job Printing and Messenger Service here, shot himself through the right temple with a revolver while sitting at his desk at his shop Saturday morning. He is in hospital in a critical condition.

According to John Lefebvre, an employee of the Co-operative Press, Mr. Thomas had been contemplating suicide for a long time as business was dull and his attempts to dispose of his business had failed.

Lefebvre said that Mr. Thomas had failed to pay his four employees' wages last week.

WOOD, SENIOR, REFUSES TO DISCUSS REPORTS

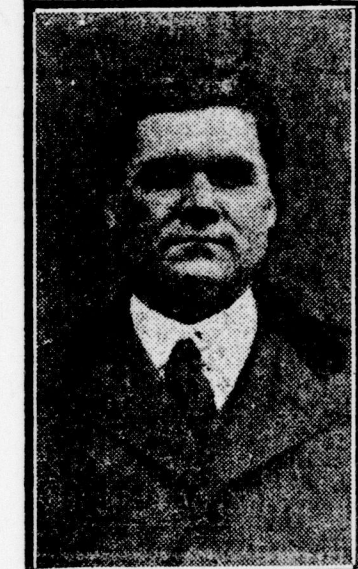
Denies That He Has Anything To Say Regarding Son's Statements.

Associated Press Despatch.

Manila, March 9.—Governor-General Leonard Wood today declined to discuss the reported statements made during the presidential nomination in 1920.

Questioned regarding a reputed offer of support from certain oil interests during the presidential convention, the governor-general said: "I do not wish to discuss the convention of 1920, and I have nothing to say regarding any statements made by Leonard Wood, Jr."

Leonard Wood, Jr., has been quoted recently as saying that his father had been offered support of certain oil interests for the presidential nomination of 1920, providing the late Jake Hamon was named secretary of the ticket.



Harry Leader, Progressive M.P. of Portage La Prairie, who intends to move that the salaries of ministers, senators and M.P.s be reduced twelve and a half per cent as an economy measure.

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FATHER DELORME STUDIES BOOKLETS

Amuses Himself While Judge and Jury Examine Bullets Through Microscope.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Montreal, March 9.—While Mr. Justice Martineau and the jury spent the better part of two hours looking through a microscope to examine bullets fired from automatic pistols, Rev. Father Delorme, whose trial on the charge of murdering his half-brother Raoul, was proceeding carefully studied a number of booklets Saturday morning, frequently underlining here and there with a red pencil and marking pages with a pencil.

One of the books was "The Second Congress of Medico-Legal Study," over which he nodded his head approvingly from time to time, while another was "The Art of Shooting." Titles of other books were covered in white paper.

Saturday's session was devoted to the description and examination of pistol bullets. Dr. Derome, medical expert, demonstrating the flight, construction and material of 25 calibre bullets such as used for a Bayard pistol.

OWNER RECEIVES PLANE ON PAYMENT OF DUTY

Custom Officials Release Plane Seized At Waugh, Manitoba, To C. R. Rhodes.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Winnipeg, March 9.—A big aeroplane seized by the customs officials at Waugh, Manitoba, was released Saturday to its owner, C. R. Rhodes of Minneapolis, president of the aviation school there, after Mr. Rhodes had proved ownership and paid duty on the plane, which had not been reported after it had been brought over the border.

The police on Friday completed the seizure of the plane, its ownership then unknown, with the seizure of fifteen cases of whiskey ordered by temporary residents of Waugh, and they suspected a plot of transport the liquor into the United States.

Special to The Advertiser.

Ingersoll, March 9.—Word has been received here of a serious accident which befell Frank Ingersoll, formerly of this town, at Detroit. He was employed at the Edison plant, and sustained severe head injuries as well as a fractured arm and thigh, when a derrick broke.

IRISH NATIONALIST ARMY IS STIRRED BY NEW MUTINY

Arrest of Major-General Tobin and General Dawson Is Ordered.

DISTURBANCES FOLLOW

Associated Press Despatch.

Dublin, March 9.—Excitement is growing in Dublin in connection with the mutiny in the ranks of the nationalist army as disclosed in an official communication issued Saturday night, saying that orders for the arrest of Major-General Liam Tobin and General Charles Dawson had been issued. Minister of Defence Mulcahy last night issued the following order to the army:

"Two army officers have attempted to involve the army in a challenge to the authority of the government. This is an outrageous departure from the spirit of the army, which will not be tolerated by the officers and men of the army who cherish its honor. They will stand over their posts and do their duty today, in this new threat of danger, in the same watchful and determined spirit that always has been the spirit of the army."

Evades Arrest.

Major-General Tobin, who has evaded arrest, managed to see representatives of the army, and to whom he declared he spoke for and acted on behalf of old comrades in the Anglo-Irish war. He confessed the mutiny was a consequence of the commotion of the demobilization of more than 900 officers last week. Tobin himself was among those demobilized. He complained that there were too many officers, and that the demobilization of the Anglo-Irish struggle included in the list.

General Tobin was one of the lieutenants of the late Michael Collins. Precautions have been taken for any eventuality. The guards have been doubled at all the Dublin barracks, leaves of absence have been cancelled, and there is generally unusual military activity.

In addition to the trouble at Templemore, where the commandant and other officers vacated the barracks and retired to the hills with machine guns, rifles and ammunition, there are reports of difficulties with the demobilized officers at Comanstown, Clare Morris and other places.

Affects By-Election.

What is supposed to have been an indirect effect of the mutiny has experienced today at a political meeting here in connection with the by-election for a Dail seat to be held next Tuesday. President Cosgrave and other members of the government attended. It was expected that Mr. Cosgrave would refer to the mutiny, but he refrained from doing so.

About 10,000 persons attended the meeting, which was characterized through out by extreme disorder. The speakers were frequently interrupted and the speeches were almost inaudible amid the din of cheering and counter-cheering by the crowd. A shot was set on fire, which nearly caused a serious panic. Attempts to eject the disturbers only aggravated matters. There were frequent shouts of "Up, De Valera," and "Down, the government." Moving through the crowd collecting funds for the Republicans added to the din.

TWO MORE DEAD FROM SMALLPOX

One a Niece of First Victim of Scourge—No New Cases Reported.

Special to The Advertiser.

Windsor, March 9.—Smallpox claimed two more victims today, both women, bringing the total death list up to 25. The victims are: Mrs. Edna May, 47, of Windsor, who died yesterday, and Mrs. Thomas, 46, of Malden, who died today. Both had been ill but a few days. Mrs. Edna May was a widow, and her children, was a daughter of Edward Deneau and a niece of the late Gordon Deneau, the first person to die with the disease. She had attended the funeral of her uncle. The situation in Windsor today was reported as somewhat improved, there being no deaths or new cases for the past 48 hours.

Girl Is Killed By Falling Tree

John Cook of Trenton Sees His Daughter Meet Terrible Death.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Trenton, March 9.—Lena May Cook, 12-year-old daughter of John Cook, Trenton, was instantly killed yesterday while helping her father to cut down a tree. The tree had been noticed, but in sawing was cut little to one side and began to swing out of the direction in which it was supposed to fall. The father called to his daughter to run, but she did not get out of the way in time and was killed by the falling tree.

DOUBT IF GRAIN TARIFF WILL AFFECT EXPORT

Cabinet Ministers Unofficially State Certain Amount Will Still Go To U. S.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Ottawa, March 9.—While no official comment was made here on the announcement from Washington that the tariff on grain entering the United States will be increased, it appears to be the general impression in government circles that the increase will not materially affect the Canadian exports.

Toronto Detective Is Cleared of Perjury in His Connection With Pinfold, Honsinger Case

Raney Calls For Letters

Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto, March 8.—Hon. W. E. Raney has given notice of motion in the Legislature for a return of correspondence between the present Government and also the late Government and A. E. Browning, K.C., late deputy attorney-general of Alberta. Mr. Browning was a man mentioned by Hon. W. H. Price, provincial treasurer, in connection with the Provincial Securities which it was alleged bought succession duty free bonds and sold them to the Government at a handsome profit.

N. Y. C. PRESIDENT DIES FROM FALL

Alfred E. Smith Thrown From Horse While Riding in Central Park, N. Y.

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, March 9.—Alfred E. Smith, president of the New York Central Railroad, and president and director of many railroad and industrial enterprises throughout the United States and Canada, was thrown from his horse in Central Park yesterday and died without regaining consciousness while being taken to a hospital.

Although 62 years old, the railroad president was in excellent health, and horseback riding was one of his favorite recreations.

Beginning his railroad career as a messenger boy for the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railroad in 1879, Mr. Smith's rise was spectacular.

JEALOUSY THOUGHT MURDER MOTIVE

Toronto Music Teacher Shot To Death by William Steadman.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto, March 9.—Jealousy is said to have been the incentive which caused William Steadman, aged 40, of Toronto, to shoot and kill Herbert McClure, 47, a Toronto music teacher, when they met in the street yesterday afternoon. Steadman is under arrest on a charge of murder.

The shooting occurred almost immediately the two men met, before McClure had been given an opportunity to defend himself against the allegations of Steadman. Steadman was shortly afterwards placed under arrest on a charge of murder.

McClure was a well-known musician, a short distance from where he was shot to death and according to the story told the police two of Steadman's children were studying music under him. Steadman charged that while on his visits to his home McClure forced his alleged attentions on his wife and acted improperly towards her.

ESKIMOS GO TO DEATH SHOWING LITTLE FEAR

Sergeant Who Executed Slayings Reaches Alaska En Route From Herschel Island.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Fairbanks, Alaska, March 9.—Sergeant Thorne of the Canadian Royal Mounted Police arrived yesterday at Fort Yukon, 150 miles north of here, and reported that he executed two Eskimos at Herschel Island in the Arctic Ocean on February 1 for the murder of two white men.

The Eskimos met Thorne without fear, Serg. Thorne reports, and declared on the scaffold that the police had long been enemies of their people. They remained in good spirits until the hour of death.

CANADIAN PREMIER GOES TO ATLANTIC CITY FOR REST

Ottawa, March 9.—Right Hon. W. L. MacKenzie King, premier of Canada, departed yesterday for New York, from whence he may go on to Atlantic City for a couple of days. Asked the significance of his visit, the premier said that he was taking a brief rest.

HOW VITAL NERVE FORCE WINS THE JOYS OF LIFE

It Keeps Our Bodies Filled With Energy and Rekindles the Fires of Strength.

A boy wakes and hustles out of bed. He has had enough of bed; he's got to get out in the world and see what's going on—and make something go on.

His long, sweet sleep has renewed him, restored his vital energy. The only way to keep him in bed is to tie him there.

That boy is on the run when he hits the floor. It takes the whole family to hold him long enough to tie his shoes. That boy has what many men and women lose when they ought still to be young; the vital force and energy that makes a man a real man, a woman a real woman with all the charm of full physical vigor.

That boy has all of his vital nerve force. It has not been impaired by the overwork, worry or mental strain—so he is filled with vigor that will not be denied. In some men and women the vitality of youth lasts all their lives. They do not know what it means to have weak or shattered nerves, to have undernourished bodies, to lack strength and purpose.

Judge Dismisses Case When No Material Evidence Is Produced by Crown.

DENIES ANY MEETING

Honsinger Takes the Witness Stand, Denies Conversation, Although Crown Witness.

Special to The Advertiser.

St. Thomas, March 8.—What R. L. Brackin, M.L.A., of Windsor, declared to be an outstanding feature in the criminal proceedings occurred this morning when Bartram Young, a private detective of Toronto, appeared before Judge Ross in county court on a charge of perjury in connection with the application for a new trial in the Pinfold-Honsinger breach of promise of marriage suit, heard last February.

The charge against Young was dismissed as there was no material corroboration of the evidence given by the crown's chief witness, Harry Borbridge, boot and shoe merchant of the city. In the course of his evidence, Borbridge, after having had a conversation with R. F. Honsinger, the defendant in the breach of promise suit last year, in which he swore he had refused to swear to an affidavit prepared by Honsinger and told him to pay for it and get a receipt the next time he had an affair with a woman. Although a crown witness, Mr. Honsinger took the box and underwent cross-examination by Mr. Brackin, denied ever having had such a conversation with Mr. Borbridge or having approached him about the affidavit in question on the occasion named.

"It isn't often that one crown witness goes in the box and calls another crown witness a liar," remarked Mr. Brackin, laughing.

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