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Talk of Provincial Elections on September 2.

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Today's Weather—Fair and Cold.

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Board of Control Orders Date Secured on Requirements For New City Hall—Vast Crowds at Funeral of Assassinated French Minister—Georgia Farmer Kills Wife and Two Daughters—Two More Bodies Recovered From Toronto Hotel Ruins.

## WILL THERE BE AN ONTARIO ELECTION HELD ON SEPT. 2?

Rumors From Provincial Capital Declare That There Will.

GREAT LOCAL INTEREST

Various Opinions Expressed as to Possibility of General Vote.

POLITICAL POT BOILING

Many Features of Parliamentary Strife Seem to Confirm Rumors.

Private dispatches from Toronto indicate clearly the growing conviction at the provincial capital that another provincial election will be held before the next session of the Legislature. So great have the rumors grown in magnitude that the date for the supposed election has already been fixed—Sept. 2—according to many stories.

Constant friction among cabinet ministers, the illness of Sir James Whitney, the unanswerable attacks of the Liberal Opposition on the "surplus" shown by Government mismanagement, the charges against Howard Ferguson, M. P. P., for accepting Federal appointments contrary to the Provincial statutes, and the fiasco of smoothing these charges out, have all served to lend their quota of authenticity to the repeated rumors of a Provincial election.

Locally the idea of a September election is being given the gravest consideration. Some of those who profess to be in the "know" of Ontario politics declare that there is no possibility of an early election. Others who claim an equal familiarity with the workings of the Government machine at Queen's Park, are just as positive in their declarations that the rumors have the earmarks of truth.

Whatever the outcome the talk of an early election is creating the greatest interest in Conservative circles, and the machines of the various ridings, adjacent to London, are being well oiled in anticipation of the event.

### THE WEATHER.



#### LOCAL TEMPERATURES

The following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London for the 24 hours preceding 8 p.m. yesterday: Highest, 22 above; lowest, 12 above.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today: Highest, 15 above; lowest, 7 1/2 above.

Forecast: Moderate winds; fine and cold today and on Saturday.

The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours preceding 8 a.m. today: Stations. High. Low. Weather. Victoria. 64. 46. Clear. Calgary. 44. 20. Cloudy. Winnipeg. 28. 16. Clear. Fort Arthur. 12. 10. Clear. Pelly Sound. 14. 6. Clear. Toronto. 22. 6. Clear. Ottawa. 16. 9. Clear. Montreal. 18. 2. Clear. Quebec. 34. 2. Clear. Father Point. 32. 6. Cloudy. minus (-) means below zero.

#### Weather Notes.

The disturbance which was in Quebec yesterday has passed to the northward of the Gulf and the western cold wave has spread over Ontario and Quebec, and all the Middle States.

## Clang of Sabres Is Heard Throughout Ulster Province

(Special to The Advertiser.)

Belfast, Ireland, March 20 (Six P.M. Irish Times. Special Cable).—This has been an exciting day for Ulster, and as the sun goes down blood red in the west, there are those who say it is an ominous sign of terrible events on the morrow, or within the next few days or months. The clang of sabres has been heard throughout the whole province during the day. There has been unusual activity in the movement of British troops. There are many indications that the Government is preparing for any eventuality. Heavy detachments of troops arrived at Newry, Omagh, Armagh and Enniskillen. Hitherto only small garrisons have been stationed at these points. It is reported that the garrison at Belfast will be increased tomorrow and Sunday. Sir Edward Carson was in secret conference with Unionist leaders here all afternoon, and leaders of Orange Lodges and Ulster volunteers will meet in Belfast Hall tonight.

## VAST CROWDS FILL PARIS STREETS FOR CALMETTE FUNERAL

Police Out in Force To Handle People, But No Outbreaks Occur—Notabilities Present.

[Canadian Press.] Paris, March 20.—The funeral of Gaston Calmette, victim of Mme. Caillaux, took place today in the Church of Saint Francois de Sales in the northwestern district of Paris, and within a block of the residence of his assassin.

Hours before the procession moved, vast crowds filled the streets. The police and military authorities had taken great precautions to prevent any disturbances. The police were out in force all along the route, and the underground stations nearby were occupied by large detachments, who had instructions to close them in the event of the crowds becoming too great to handle. Squadrons of mounted Republican Guards also were under arms, and occupied strategic points in the vicinity.

Among the notable personages present at the funeral were Emile Loubet, former president of the Republic; Aristide Briand and Louis Barthou, two former premiers; Prince Murat, Baron Robert de Rothschild, Edmond Nabori, the attorney who is to defend Mme. Caillaux, Sarah Bernhardt and hundreds of others.

Some of the many wreaths bore the inscription: "A victim of his devotion to his country." and "Killed on the field of honor." High prices were paid for advantageous places along the route from which to see the procession. No funeral oration was pronounced in the church, where a simple mass was performed by the parish priest. The funeral procession reached the cemetery without incident.

## MIGHT HAVE PERISHED IN BIG TORONTO FIRE

Londoner Decided Not To Accompany Graham at Last Moment.

But for a combination of circumstances which prevented him from going to Toronto with his friend and fellow club member, John P. McAlpine, a well-known member of the Hermitage Club, might also have perished in the fire which destroyed the Woodbine Hotel and caused the death of Jack Graham, of this city.

Mr. Graham had asked Mr. McAlpine to go to Toronto with him, but owing to business engagement, he was unable to go. Ben Pinder, formerly a member of the Hermitage, and now of Toronto, knew that Mr. Graham was to have been in Toronto this week, and about 7:30 Tuesday night telephoned to the Woodbine Hotel and asked for him. The girl on the switchboard called Mr. Graham's room, and receiving no reply to her rings, informed Mr. Pinder that Mr. Graham had probably gone out. A few minutes later the fire broke out.

Mr. Graham was known as a sound sleeper, and his friends in the Hermitage Club believe that he went up to his room after dinner for a nap and did not awaken until it was too late to make his escape from the burning building.

## SIX MONTHS' SENTENCE FOR THIS BIGAMIST

A London Man Admits His Offence in Brantford Court.

(Special to The Advertiser.)

Brantford, March 20.—Six months in Central Prison was the sentence given this morning by Magistrate Livingstone to Gordon May, who married two wives. May was married three years ago to Ruby Lane. Deserting her, he later married Lena Anderson, of Uxbridge, the ceremony taking place in Brantford.

Today May stated that his second wife knew that he was a married man, but that he was very young when first married, and he had the promise of the first wife that she would not make any trouble for him, and so the second marriage took place.

## TERRIBLE TRAGEDY ON GEORGIAN FARM

J. A. Eubanks Kills Wife and Daughters, Fires His Buildings and Then Puts Bullet in His Own Head.

[Canadian Press.] Oak Park, Ga., March 20.—J. A. Eubanks, a farmer, living near this place, early today killed his wife and two daughters as they slept, set fire to his home and several other farm buildings, and then fired a bullet through his forehead. Physicians say he cannot live.

Mrs. Eubanks' head was almost severed from her body with an axe. The two children, one aged 4 years, the other 6 months old, were killed with a knife. After slaying his family and firing the buildings, Eubanks awakened a neighbor, told him what he had done and then shot himself. Eubanks, 30 years old, is believed to have been mentally deranged.

## ISSUE MORE WARRANTS IN ABDUCTION CASE

Police To Investigate the Girl's Story of Forcible Detention in Rooming-House.

Warrants have been issued for the arrest of several East End residents, including a couple of Armenians, as a result of the story told to Magistrate Judd today by May E. Evland, the 16-year-old girl who was brought back from Windsor Thursday after her alleged abduction by Wilfred Tregenza. The police refuse to divulge the names of the parties on whom the warrants will be served, but the charge against them will be one of aiding in the abduction of the girl.

The story told by the girl is that she was detained by a woman in an Elizabeth Street rooming-house. She claimed that her life was threatened unless she did as Tregenza told her. As a result of this story, a warrant was issued for the rooming-house keeper.

The police are also working on a story told by the girl's father, and several important developments are expected before Tregenza appears in court tomorrow.

## NO DECISION AS TO C. N. R. APPLICATION

Another Conservative Caucus To Be Called—If Aid Is Granted, G. T. P. Will Also Apply.

[Canadian Press.] Ottawa, March 20.—It is semi-officially stated today that no decision has yet been reached by the Government in relation to the C. N. R. application for assistance, and that pending investigation now in progress no action will be taken.

Before anything is done another caucus of the Conservative party will be held. It is understood that a complicating feature of the situation is that should the C. N. R. succeed, there will be a similar application from the G. T. P. As yet between taking over and operating the C. N. R. or further guaranteeing its bonds, the Government favors the latter course.

G. T. P. Denies. Montreal, March 20.—Reports published in Canada and the United States that the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company are asking for further assistance from the Canadian Government, are not correct, according to an official statement given out to the newspapers this afternoon.

## TWO MORE BODIES FROM HOTEL RUINS

[Canadian Press.] Toronto, March 20.—Two more bodies have just been recovered from the Woodbine Hotel ruins, bringing the total known deaths up to five. There is no surprise yet as to who the fifth victim is.

## GROPING WAY OUT WHEN OVERCOME BY SMOKE AND FLAMES

Indications Point to Graham Being Hopelessly Trapped in His Room.

MAY HAVE BEEN ASLEEP

Body, Burned Beyond Recognition, Was Identified by Several Pins and Emblems.

A. E. Silverwood and J. W. Cawse returned to the city Thursday night after successfully establishing the identity of John Graham, the London traveller who met death in the fire at the Woodbine Hotel, Toronto, Tuesday night.

In conversation with The Advertiser, Mr. Silverwood related the circumstances of the anxious search, which ended in the discovery that the body, which was supposed to be that of Levenson, was that of the London man.

No Doubt as to Body. "Identification was made possible by the gold in his teeth," Mr. Silverwood said. "We had several other clues also, and there can be no doubt that the body was the one we were looking for." "We were told that the burned body, Wednesday evening, but as it was just growing dark and the firemen were about to stop their searching, we then went to the morgue where three charred bodies were lying. There were told that two of the bodies had been identified, and the third found had also been partially identified as that of Levenson. A tie pin had been found with the body, which we brought back, but could not identify. It convinced me, however, that we were on the right trail.

Wore Club Pin. "I was further convinced by the fact that the name of a St. Andrew's firm was distinguishable on the necktie which was discovered with the body. In the morning we learned that the proprietor of the hotel had several articles in his safe which were with the remains. We went down, and one of the first articles produced was a watch bearing the Masonic emblem, and with Graham's initials engraved on the back. The watch had been found close to the body believed to be Levenson's, and was thought to belong to him, but its discovery left no doubt that the body was that of Graham. We also discovered a Hermitage pin attached to a small portion of his vest."

Burned Beyond Recognition. "The body was burned beyond all hope of recognition. From the position of the body I should judge that he was overcome as he was groping for the door-knob in his room. One arm was raised as though he had been groping along the wall, and the other was extended as though reaching for the door-knob. My theory is that he was either taking a nap in his room after dinner, or else engaged in writing a letter.

"His room was No. 24, and was on the third floor. The whole section of rooms along that corridor were completely gutted, and the body had fallen down into the dining-room below."

## ALLEGED ABDUCTOR REMANDED IN COURT

Man Charged With Taking 15-Year-Old Girl Away, Asks for Adjournment.

Wilfred Tregenza appeared before Magistrate J. C. Judd today, charged with the abduction of 15-year-old May E. Evland, and was remanded, without entering a plea, until Tuesday in order that he may secure counsel.

While in court Tregenza had nothing to say beyond the fact that he would like to have the case adjourned until Tuesday in order to secure an attorney.

Crown Attorney James B. McKillop asked for an adjournment and the case will now lay over until March 24.

Tregenza and the girl were brought back from Windsor yesterday by Detective Harry Down.



Tregenza and Evland Girl Snapped on Return to City Yesterday Afternoon.

## LONDON MAN WHO ESCAPED DEATH IN FATAL DETROIT FIRE



PERCY SHORT

## ASYLUM ROMANCE ENDS IN COURTS

Former Nurse Enters Suit Against Electrician for Breach of Promise.

ASKS \$3,000 HEART BALM

Wants Recompense for Loss of Health and Feelings—Incurred Heavy Expenses.

The threads of a tangled romance, which began in the local hospital for the insane are to be unravelled by the assize court, which sits in this city on April 14.

Beatrice Maud Parker entered suit this morning against Sidney Rose for \$3,000 damages on account of his failure to carry out an alleged promise of marriage made to her in December, 1912. Rose is an electrician, employed at the hospital for the insane, and Miss Parker was one of the attendants there until she left to prepare for the nuptials which never materialized.

In her statement of claim she alleges that Rose "popped the question" in December, 1912, and the happy day was set for January 1. The bride-to-be "incurred expenses to a large amount in preparing clothing and other matters for the intended marriage," the statement of claim continues. She lost all this and also her chance of marriage and by reason of this loss she was injured in her health and feelings.

The defendant makes serious allegations against the plaintiff in his statement of defence, saying that certain discoveries he made relative to her character were responsible for his refusal to carry out the promise of marriage. He also denies that any specific date was set for the wedding.

McKillop, Murphy & Gunn are acting for the plaintiff and Jarvis & Vining for the defendant.

## FORMER LONDONER IS ON KRAFCHEK JURY

D. G. Sare Was Well Known Here—Is Helping Try Murder Case.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Winnipeg, March 20.—Among conspicuous figures in the jury at Morden, trying Krafchenko for the murder of the Bank of Montreal manager, Arnold, at Plum Coulee last December, is D. G. Sare, hotelkeeper of Deloraine, Trail, B.C., clean-shaven man, 35 years of age, he was born in London, Ontario, and came west three years ago, purchasing a hotel at Deloraine.

D. G. Sare was well known in this city, having lived with his father, David Sare, Evergreen avenue, South London, for many years.

Born in London, he later removed to Ambrose and then to Goderich, being proprietor of a hotel in both towns. Three years ago he removed to the West and located at Deloraine, where he continued the hotel business.

J. Wright, proprietor of the Metropolitan Hotel, Dundas and Wellington streets, is a brother-in-law.

## STREET CAR DELAYS

Yesterday's Records of "Hold-ups" at Level Crossings.

Crossing. Time. Lost. G.T.R.-Richmond. 3:15-2:21 p.m. 6 min. G.T.R.-Richmond. 10:21-10:25 a.m. 4 min. G.T.R.-Richmond. 11:35-11:40 a.m. 5 min. G.T.R.-Richmond. 11:47-11:52 a.m. 5 min. G.T.R.-Richmond. 10:42-10:48 a.m. 6 min. G.T.R.-Richmond. 11:25-11:29 a.m. 4 min. G.T.R.-Richmond. 9:19-9:22 p.m. 2 min. G.T.R.-Richmond. 9:52-9:56 p.m. 4 min.

## MILITARY GUARDS DOUBLED AND GARRISONS STRENGTHENED

Signs of Government Activity in Ulster—Carson Makes a Dramatic and Hurried Trip to Belfast to Confer With His Commander-in-Chief.

SINISTER RUMORS IN PLENTY

[Canadian Press.] Belfast, Ireland, March 20.—Sir Edward Carson, the leader of the Unionists of Ulster, made a dramatic entry into the capital of the province today. His purpose in coming here is to consult with the other Ulster Unionist leaders and with the commanders of the Ulster Volunteer force.

The great activity displayed at Unionist headquarters and in the army barracks have caused considerable excitement among the people of Belfast, who for days past have been momentarily expecting some decisive move on the part of the Unionist chiefs or on that of the Government.

Before landing this morning, Sir Edward Carson received on board the steamer on which he had made the passage from England, Sir George Richardson, a retired lieutenant-general of the British army, who is commander-in-chief of the Ulster Volunteer force, together with his chief officers.

Met by Guard. The party came down the gangway from the steamer to the pier, the fong drawn up as a guard of honor the emergency force of picked men of the Ulster volunteers, who had been summoned to the Unionist headquarters at a late hour last night. A big crowd gave them a noisy welcome, cheering wildly and firing salutes into the air from their revolvers.

Moving Documents. During the night automobiles had been kept busy moving stores and documents from the Unionist headquarters, who had been keeping close watch on every move made by the Unionists.

Precautions of a particular rigorous character have been taken at the Victoria military barracks here, where extra guards have been on duty day and night for several days past. Urgent instructions have been sent to the military authorities in the south of Ireland to dispatch reinforcements immediately to the garrison stations in Ulster.

Infantry Arrives. In response to instructions from army headquarters a detachment of 200 infantry arrived at Newry, in the course of the day, from the Curragh and another 300 from Mullingar. The garrison of Londonderry also was reinforced by 300 men from Mullingar, and two warships have arrived in Dublin Bay.

"Be Calm," Says Carson. Feeling among the public in Belfast has become much more tense since yesterday's debate in Parliament over his arrival here Sir Edward Carson issued an appeal to his followers to preserve calm. No disturbance had occurred up to 8 o'clock this afternoon.

## ORDER DATA ON NEW CITY HALL

Controllers Instruct Building Inspector To Find Out Department Needs.

ESTIMATE PARING NEXT

Board Will Start Cutting-Down Process Next Week.

The board of control this morning authorized Building Inspector A. M. Piper to go ahead with the collection of data and preliminary specifications for the new city hall. The inspector will be asked to determine what accommodation will be necessary for the various civic departments, how much land will be required, and so forth. The expenditure is to be kept within the \$250,000 mark.

Controller W. G. Coles is anxious to proceed with the work as rapidly as possible, and when Inspector Piper's information is complete, it will be submitted to the council, preliminary to launching the architects' competition for suitable plans.

The controllers will get busy within the next week on the estimates, paring them down will be a real task, and members of the board seem to feel like staving off the evil day as long as possible.

Too Late! Too Late! City Solicitor T. G. Meredith wrote that it was too late to have a clause inserted in the city of London bill asking that the control of trees and boulevards be handed over to the park commissioners, but when representatives of the city go down to Toronto to urge the acceptance of the various provisions of the measure the Legislature will be asked to insert this clause. The city solicitor also advised that Continued on Page Eleven.

## Ulster Volunteers Called Out

Belfast, March 19.—An emergency force of picked men from the Ulster Volunteers was hastily summoned to headquarters tonight.

The motive for the sudden call has been kept secret, but rumors persist of military action on the part of the Government and projected arrests.

Will Abandon Parade.

The proposed parade of Nationalist volunteers, announced for Sunday at Londonderry, which was regarded in many quarters as likely to result in a conflict which would set the heather on fire in Ulster, will probably be abandoned. John Redmond, the Nationalist leader, today telegraphed an urgent appeal to the promoters of the parade to cancel the affair, which was, he said, "calculated to inflict the gravest injury on the Nationalist cause, as it was playing the game of their bitter enemies and affording them the pretext they were particularly looking for."

Guarding Carson. The house occupied by Sir Edward Carson and the other Unionist leaders is guarded by Ulster volunteers in full service kit, prepared to resist any attempt to execute any warrant which might be issued by the authorities.

Warships For Kingston. Dublin, March 20.—The fleet of British warships now lying in Bantry Bay in the southwest of Ireland, is expected to sail tomorrow for Kingston Harbor, which lies seven miles to the southeast of Dublin.

Startling Stories.

New York, March 20.—A London cable to the Tribune says: With startling suddenness the outlook in Ulster has become one of great gravity, and predictions are freely made that the long-threatened "war" is now only a matter of days. A rumor was current last night that the British Government is preparing for the military occupation of the province.

The atmosphere in Ulster itself has grown suddenly electrical. Important developments may occur there at any moment and sinister rumors abound.

There are several signs and portents indicating early and momentous action on the part of the Government. The guards have been doubled and the garrisons strengthened at the military barracks, in accordance with the intentions announced early in the week, with a view to preventing possible raids for munitions of war by the "covenanters." It is persistently reported that the arrest of the leaders of the Ulster volunteer force is imminent.

Volunteer Activity. Meanwhile, there is unusual activity among the Ulster volunteers. Forty members of the motorcycle corps left Belfast yesterday under secret orders.

Unionists are convinced that the authorities are contemplating some coup, it is stated in military circles that the Government has a comprehensive scheme for pouring extra troops into the province within 24 hours and Continued on Page Eleven.

## INSISTS ON TOTAL ULSTER EXCLUSION FROM HOME RULE



SIR EDWARD CARSON.

## INVADED CHURCH; IS TO BE TRIED TUESDAY

[Canadian Press.] New York, March 20.—The most important of the trials resulting from the recent invasion of the New York churches by the unemployed was today set to begin on March 24. The defendant, Frank Tannenbaum, is the youthful representative of the Industrial Workers of the World. Tannenbaum is indicted for participation in unlawful assemblage, a misdemeanor. He refused to accept bail and is awaiting trial in jail.

JOHN D. GIVES \$50,000.

[Canadian Press.] Boston, March 20.—A gift of \$50,000 from John D. Rockefeller to the International Young Men's Christian Association College at Springfield was announced at an alumni gathering here last night. The sum will be applied to an endowment fund of \$500,000 which is being raised.