

JACK DEMPSEY STARTS TRAINING

Preparing for Bout With Gibbons on July 4.

Leaders Cannot Make Trip to Canada—A Victory for Strangler—McGraw Lets Two Recruits of Pitching String Go.

(Canadian Press.)

Great Falls, Mont., May 16.—Jack Dempsey is here to establish his training quarters to fit himself for the fifteen-round championship contest on July 4 with Tommy Gibbons of St. Paul.

Dempsey started his training by taking a long walk today, and will establish his training quarters within a day or two.

Jack Keenan, his manager, will arrive Thursday with several sparring partners.

Toronto, May 16.—A message received today from England states that the Leader Boat Club of London will not be able to visit Canada this year, as a crew that could get away for the necessary length of time cannot be secured.

It was announced a week ago that a leader crew would take part in the aquatic carnival in connection with the Canadian National Exhibition.

Chicago, May 16.—Ed Bradley, Lewis, world's heavyweight wrestling champion, minus his famous headlock, last night defeated Renato Gardini of Boston in two falls out of three.

The Major Leagues.

New York, May 16.—The New York Yankees, having met the Giants, and gathered strength, start today on the last half of their western invasion with every chance of being firmly entrenched in their position when they re-enter their stadium to ward off the counter attack of the west.

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Lady Mary Thyne, a favorite chum of Princess Mary, is one of those reported engaged to the Prince of Wales.

SCENE IN BRITISH HOUSE ENDS IN A SUSPENSION

Communist Member's Disrespectful Remarks Cause Furore

Vote of 800 to 88 Suspends Him—Angry Words Between Laborites and Chairman of Committee—No Division on the Russian Debate.

(Canadian Press Cable.)

London, May 16.—An unusual scene occurred in the House of Commons last night which ended in the suspension of a Communist member, John T. Newbold. The vote suspending him was 800 to 88.

Newbold had spoken disrespectfully of the chairman of committee, Captain Edward Egerton Fitzroy, Conservative member for Northamptonshire. Captain Fitzroy called upon Newbold to withdraw, and this led to angry recriminations between the Laborites and the chair.

The Laborites reproached the chair for not allowing Newbold to apologise. Fitzroy persisted in his railing for the withdrawal of Newbold and called upon the sergeant-at-arms to remove Newbold, who declined to move from his seat.

Thereupon the chairman sent for the speaker who upheld the action of Captain Fitzroy. This provoked fresh scenes of acrimony. Suspension carried.

The speaker seemingly thought Captain Fitzroy had acted hastily, but said he could only abide by the rules of the House. He suggested that Newbold could make a communication to the House, which was declined.

The speaker put the motion of the suspension of the member which was carried amid great excitement. Newbold then withdrew.

The Russian Debate.

No vote was taken on the Russian debate. The Labor party in view of the situation with Leonid Krasin, the Bolshevik commissioner, requested that the government should request that the division on Labor leader MacDonald's motion for a reduction in the foreign exchange should be postponed until the government's policy.

The Government Has Many Troubles, With Suchoutrage Worst Because of the International Complications.

Peking, May 16.—Banditry in six provinces, anti-Japanese riots in several provinces, Japanese boycotts in one province, on the southern coast and in the south, and war-like preparations in the north are among the troubles of the last few weeks confronting the Chinese Government.

At Tangshan, in Chihli Province, the Japanese tried to extort money from the railway, which is their duty to guard. U. S. troops at Tien Tsin were ordered out.

Outside of Hankow, in Hupoh Province, 1,000 Hunan bandits are encamped, demanding a heavy cash payment and gifts of ammunition from the Chinese authorities as the price of their departure.

On May 13, near Shaowu, Fukien Province, two U. S. missionaries, Mr. and Mrs. Christian, were robbed by bandits of everything they possessed. A way to the south in Kwang-Tung where Su Yat Sen holds sway, bandits near Pakho captured H. C. Rowson, of the British American Tobacco Company, April 27 and demanded \$300,000 ransom.

After being bound and imprisoned in a cave, with his arms bound in a cast, for six days, Rowson regained his freedom when Chinese troops attacked the bandits, who fled.

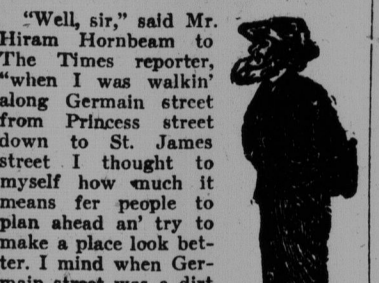
Court Action In Kidnapping Case

Schenectady, N. Y., May 16.—Three women were to be arraigned here today in court action attending the kidnapping and recovery of Vernon Alexander, six-year-old son of F. W. Alexander, radio engineer.

Harry Fairbanks, of Ogdensburg and Stanley Crandall, of Rochester, now are being sought by Canadian and U. S. police for the actual crime. The women are Mrs. A. Fairbanks and Mrs. Ruth Crandall, wives of the men, and Mrs. H. D. Grinnell, foster mother of Mrs. Fairbanks.

A heavy rain preceded the wind.

As Hiram Sees It



"Well, sir," said Mr. Hiram Hornbeam to The Times reporter, "when I was walking along German street from Princess street to Newbold. I think I thought I ought to myself how much it means for people to plan ahead an try to make a place look better. I mind when German street was a dirt road with asphalt sidewalks from the curb right up agin the houses. Now they got a paved street, and grass, an' trees—an' I see some folks in plantin' shrubs this spring between their houses. If the folks was on that street hedn't cared they'd hev a dirt road an' them old sidewalk's 'til in another week or two you'll get 'em. Wind-bag avens! Seen! that the folks has got my idea of things 'at was called 'Hornbeam-over-laid'—By Hen!"

Committee Named For Anti-Betting Bill Consideration

(Special To The Times)

Ottawa, May 16.—To consider the bill which would amend the "Anti-Betting" bill that was proposed by Hon. Smeaton White (Intermar) Quebec, in the House of Commons yesterday, a committee will be appointed.

The committee will consist of Messrs. Lougheed, Dandurand, Macdonald, MacLean, and McEachern. The committee will report to the House on Wednesday.

The bill would amend the Criminal Code, which provides for a maximum fine of \$500 for betting. The bill also provides for a maximum fine of \$1,000 for betting in a public place.

The bill is being introduced by Hon. Smeaton White (Intermar) Quebec.

RUNS OVER MAN; SPEEDS AWAY AND ESCAPES SHOTS

(Special To The Times)

Montreal, May 16.—Pursued by revolver bullets after he had knocked down and run over a man last night, the driver of a car which had been northward and disappeared.

A constable who jumped on the running board of the car was pushed off and injured.

L. A. Leveille, who was run over, was taken to the general hospital, where his condition is regarded as critical.

FORMER GOVERNOR OF P. E. I. IS DEAD

Charlottetown, P. E. I., May 16.—Hon. Benjamin Rogers, an ex-governor and the first Commissioner of Agriculture in the Dominion, died at his home in Charlottetown, aged eighty-six years.

WEATHER REPORT

Issued by authority of the Department of Agriculture and Fisheries, Ottawa, P. E. I., at six o'clock p. m.

Synopsis.—The depression which was centered in Illinois yesterday has taken the form of a trough which now extends from western Quebec to the Ohio Valley.

Heavy rain has fallen every where in Ontario east of Lake Superior and in Quebec, and is now setting in in the Maritime Provinces.

Forecasts:—Rain.

Maritime—Strong winds; moderate rains from southwest, with rain today and on Thursday.

Gulf and North Shore—Strong winds; cloudy, with rain today and on Thursday.

New England—Showers tonight and probably Thursday morning; cooler late tonight and much cooler Thursday; strong south to southwest winds, probably gales, shifting to northwest by Thursday.

Toronto, May 16.—Temperatures:

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St. John Students Are .N.B. Prize Winners

John H. Bond Captures Three in Sophomore Year; Frank Corkery Wins Scholarship; H. C. Seely Best Athlete—Thirty-Eight Degrees in Addition to Honorary Ones.

(Special To The Times)

Fredrickton, N. B., May 16.—The University of New Brunswick will graduate her sixty-third class under her present charter on Thursday afternoon and also will complete her 126th year as an institution of higher learning.

Thirty-three bachelors' degrees will be granted, the class of 1923 being one of the largest graduated since the beginning of the war. In addition there will be five masters' degrees and whatever honorary degrees may be decided upon by the senate on Thursday morning.

Two degrees in Forestry, that of L. S. Webb and R. D. R. Jago of Fredrickton and one degree of M. A. to Mrs. Frances MacKenzie of Sussex, will be granted personally. The other masters' degrees will be in absentia.

The candidates for degrees in applied science will be presented by Prof. John Stephens, and those for degrees in Arts by Dr. W. V. B. Bridges.

St. John Students' Success.

John H. Bond of St. John of the Sophomore Class, appears in the prize list as winner of three prizes in his sophomore year.

He is from Burnt Church, Northumberland County.

His fellow student, Frank Corkery, winner of the Ketchum Silver Medal, for civil engineering in the senior year is a son of H. H. Hagerman, of the Provincial Normal School staff.

W. D. MacDonald, winner of the City of Fredrickton medal in the electrical engineering department is from Sussex.

Miss Edith C. Hallett, prize winner in freshman English is from Fredrickton but formerly resided in Moncton.

H. C. Seely, winner of the William Taylor medal is the best all round athlete in the fourth year. He is from St. John. John DeB. Harrison is from Edmononton, Alberta. He is a grandson of the late Chancellor Harrison and wins the Whitehead scholarship in Junior Forestry. R. S. Hawkins, winning the I. O. D. E. prize for the best student graduating is from Fredrickton.

M. S. C. in Forestry—Reginald Darrell Robert Jago, Charles Rowlette Townsend, Horace Peterson Webb, H. G. C. in Forestry—John MacKay Anderson, Raeburn Simpson Hawkins.

Second Division—Leo Francis Cain, Allice Elizabeth McMonagle, Otto Von Bismarck Miller, Glenford Albert McEwen.

Third Division—Marion Elsie Irene Long, Annie Kathleen Woods. Second Division—Edward Cecil Akerley, Bernard Harrison Hagerman, Walter George Edward Creed, Henry Eric Cornell Smith.

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Third Division—William Lawrence Lamourey, James Henry Burt. B. S. C. in Forestry, Second Division—Lawrence Edgar Gilmore, Edgar Wendall Hagerman, Leland Stratton Lister, Daniel Watson James, William Mac Neill.

Honour and Distinction Certificate, Censoria of 1923.

Graduation Honors, Juniors.

Mathematics and Mathematical Physics, Class 1—Frank Corkery, Mary Baird Jones, James Osborne McNally.

Natural Science and Chemistry, Class 1—Frank Corkery.

Philosophy and Economics, Class 1—Arthur Edward Leslie Booth, Ella Beattie Jeffries, Edith Marion Catherine MacRae, Florence Thompson Soodgrass, Arthur Allison Wishart.

Class Division—John Mackay Anderson, Raeburn Simpson Hawkins.

Sophomores.

Latin, Class 1—Margaret Graham Wallace.

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Freshmen.

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DEBATE ON BUDGET GOES ON IN HOUSE

Appointment of Advisory Tariff Commission Advocated.

(Special To The Times)

Ottawa, May 16.—In the House of Commons, yesterday, the budget debate was continued. W. M. Raymond, Liberal, of Brantford, commended the budget in that it met the country's need for tariff stability.

Hon. R. Manion (Conservative), Fort William, suggested a campaign of education among manufacturers and employees, with a view to demonstrating the mutual benefits which would arise from lower prices for the farmer consumers. He said the great balance of opinion in the world was in favour of a protective tariff. He advocated the appointment of an advisory tariff commission to study and report on the tariff from time to time.

Hon. W. R. Motherwell, Minister of Agriculture, spoke of conditions among the farmer. He advocated mixed farming instead of specializing on dairying, fruit or wheat, and emphasized the importance to the farmer of the silo. He commended the new bounty on hemp, which he claimed would be raised in Canada as an industry most essential for her welfare.

E. J. Sexsmith, Progressive, Lennoxville-Actonville, advocated retrenchment and aggressive immigration policy.

W. Bird, Progressive, Nepeawa, was the last speaker of the evening. The debate being adjourned by Hon. Charles Stewart.

Industrial Disputes Act.

A bill to amend the Industrial Disputes Act gave rise to some sharp debating in the Senate, and was finally passed for further consideration.

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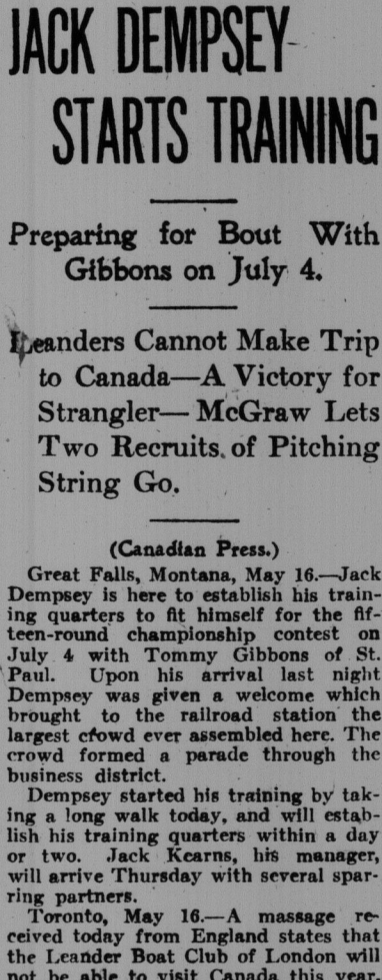
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TWICE SAVED FROM THE GALLOWS; HE PETITIONS AGAIN

Montreal, May 16.—A petition was presented here yesterday to the Court of Appeal asking for a reprieve until December 7 in the case of Raoul Brodeur, who is sentenced to hang at Sweeneyburg on June 1 for the murder of a farmer at Waterloo a year ago.

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U. S. Financier Victim of Pneumonia After Battle Since March.

Mentone, France, May 16.—George Jay Gould, U. S. financier, who has been ill at Cap Martin, near here, for some time, died at three o'clock this morning.

Mr. Gould was stricken with pneumonia at his villa on March 30. For several days his condition remained critical, but he then rallied and on April 3 was said to be out of danger.

Three weeks later, however, he suffered a relapse, and on May 3 took a turn for the worse. The end came peacefully. Mr. Gould's wife and two children were at his bedside.

Whoever controls the motion picture industry," he said, "controls the most powerful medium of influence over the public.

FIRE AT ABDUCTOR BUT KILL CAPTIVE

Officers End Woman's Life as She Nears Safety.

Pine Bluff, Ark., May 16.—Mrs. J. Smeaton, who was shooting at two men who had abducted her Friday night, Sheriff Burks of Drew county said yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Snow had left Eldorado by automobile to return to Mr. Snow's home in Cincinnati, O. Their automobile was stalled in Moro Bay bottoms, near Eldorado, when the two men came up in their car and suggested that they take Mrs. Snow to Warren and send back a mechanic.

Meanwhile, Snow repaired his car and drove to Warren but could not find any trace of the others.

The two men with Mrs. Snow presumably gagged in the automobile, stepped in Monticello to buy gasoline.

They refused to pay for it and March 15, D. Ratner and Price were called. The men sped away, the officers firing one shot after the automobile. This shot, it was later discovered, killed one of the men, whose name is not known.

The officers took up the chase and overtook the automobile three miles from Monticello.

Mrs. Snow, it is said, ran toward the officers and the alleged abductor crumpled and fell from a bullet sent after the escaping man. She died almost instantly.

GREAT WIND BLOWS HOUSE DOWN AND PEOPLE ARE HURT