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ELECTION OF TORONTO LADY IS ANTICIPATED

Mrs. Heber Vroom Unopposed As N. B. Councillor

PAPERS BANNED

Entry of Certain U. S. Publications Condemned; Committee to Meet Cabinet

BEFORE the annual election of officers of the National Chapter Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire, late this afternoon, the sentiment among the delegates pointed strongly to the choice for president of Miss Joan Arnoldi, of Toronto, first vice-president, and one of the most prominent officials of the organization. There was no opposition to the election of Mrs. H. Heber Vroom, of Rothesay, as national councillor for New Brunswick. Winnipeg will be the place of next year's convention.

Numerous resolutions were disposed of at the session this forenoon. The meeting was opened by the national president, Miss R. M. Church, of Toronto, but she surrendered the chair for the greater part of the morning to Mrs. A. F. Griffiths of Victoria, B. C., provincial president.

ARMISTICE DAY

The chapter favored a fitting observance of Armistice Day generally, the topic arising on the report that British royalty had decided against being given because of the desiring of the Prince of Wales to have the solemnity of the day recognized more fully. It was pointed out by several delegates that most of the balls given that evening were arranged by the military bodies and were the result of financially patriotic causes, such as soldiers' relief.

PAPERS NAMED

The subject came before the meeting through the reporting of a resolution from the Ontario provincial chapter. Certain United States magazines and the Calgary Eye Opener were reported have published matter unfit for circulation in Canada. Mrs. R. C. Marshall of Calgary, provincial president of Alberta, explained that the Calgary Eye Opener was now published in Minneapolis and she thought the Calgary Board of Trade should be notified. Miss Arnoldi (Toronto) related an incident which occurred in her city, "Judge" New York, and she stated on one occasion objectionable matter which was called to the attention of the publishing house. The publishers immediately withdrew their whole issue from Canada before the matter could be admitted that the issue should not have contained the objectionable feature.

REPORT ON ATHEISM

Miss Arnoldi told of the activities of the American Association for the Advancement of Atheism, which had circulated sacrilegious literature in Toronto. Toronto lawyers had said that no action could be taken at law or by the Government against such propaganda because of the religious freedom feature of the constitution. The National Chapter voted to draw the attention of the various religious bodies of the Dominion, the delegates feeling that they could not take any direct action, if the government could not. The headquarters of the association is said to be in Chicago.

FILMS DISCUSSED

A long discussion on United States films exhibited in Canada followed. It was the contention of most of the speakers that many of these films had a subtle influence on the minds of the young. On motion of Mrs. W. Pitt, seconded by Mrs. Whittier, it was voted to request the Canadian government to give a tariff preference to British films. The chapter voted to impress upon the Federal government the desirability of limiting the group system of settling newcomers to that foreign immigrants would not be isolated or cut off from Canadian institutions and customs. Mrs. Marshall, Calgary; Mrs. Whittier, Mrs. Featherstonhaugh, Toronto, and others said that most of the immigrants in the west were good citizens, but that a few nationalities were not learning very rapidly to become Canadians because they lived in colonies apart from English-speaking people. Mrs. Griffiths remarked that the Doukhobors were becoming more amenable to Canadian laws and customs and were progressing.

A BAD FEATURE

Mrs. Wilson-Smith said that one bad feature of the west was the rushing of

3-Alarm Fire Destroys Plant of American Dye Works; Loss Over \$10,000

Armed Canadian Soldiers March in Cleveland Streets in Centenary Celebration

CLEVELAND, O., June 11.—For the first time in history, armed troops of another country marched through the streets of Cleveland today. It was the famous Toronto Scottish regiment. Four hundred strong, the regiment came to help celebrate the Cleveland-Canada Day. The celebration was held today in commemoration of more than 100 years of friendly relations between Canada and the United States, as well as the particularly close social and commercial relations between this city and the province. It is estimated more than 4,000 residents of the Dominion were Cleveland's guests. Among them were Hon. George S. Henry, Hon. Lincoln Goldie and Hon. J. S. Thompson, representing the Ontario government; George Wilson, president of the Toronto Board of Trade, and an official delegation of 150 other representative Canadian citizens.

RAILWAY OUTLET IS NOT FEASIBLE

New Road From Peace River to Coast Reported on by Engineers

OTTAWA, Ont., June 11.—A railway outlet from the Peace River district to the coast, will not be economically possible for some time to come, according to a report issued by the five railway engineers who have been investigating Peace River railways on behalf of the Canadian National and Canadian Pacific railways. Discussing the relative merits of the proposed western routes, that is direct to Vancouver or Prince Rupert, the report states that the direct route to the coast is not economically possible for some time to come, because of the extra cost of hauling the excess weight of the five railways. The report states that the direct route to the coast is not economically possible for some time to come, because of the extra cost of hauling the excess weight of the five railways. The report states that the direct route to the coast is not economically possible for some time to come, because of the extra cost of hauling the excess weight of the five railways.

AMITY URGED BY EGYPTIAN PREMIER

Adly Pasha Announces Egypt Will Apply For Seat in League of Nations

CAIRO, Egypt, June 11.—The necessity of creating good feeling between Egypt and Great Britain in order to pave the way to complete independence of Egypt was emphasized in the speech from the throne read at the opening of parliament yesterday by the new Egyptian premier Adly Yeghen Pasha. A picturesque royal procession marked the preliminary ceremonies in which the new premier, former Premier Zagloul Pasha and King Fuad participated. Ovation were accorded all three, both in the streets surrounding the parliament buildings and in the chamber itself. Bagloul Pasha was elected president of the Chamber and was given a cordial ovation.

CABLE TRANSFERS

MONTREAL, June 11.—Cable transfers 486 3-16. Immigrants to naturalization courts just before an election. The chapter voted to present to the National Chapter of the Bahamas at Nassau, New Providence, a beautiful national standard provided by Mrs. Beddington-Hall, to whom the dedication of the Canadian National Chapter was extended. It was also decided to take steps to assist financially the Connaught hospital for Canadians in London.

Great Opportunities For Work, Says Head of Women's Council

VANCOUVER, B. C., June 11.—There are great opportunities for service in this great work of ours—and this work, it is not nationalism, in its best and truest interpretation. This is my message as I come before you today to deliver my valedictory after four years of happy experience as your head. It is a wonderful position to hold—

DUTY ON AUTOS SAME AS BEFORE, SAYS MEIGHEN

Premier Says 5 p.c. Reduction Must be Passed on

LEADERS IN TILT

Bill Reducing Customs and Excise Imposed Out of Committee Stage

U. S. Customs Service After The Smugglers

WASHINGTON, June 11.—Increased importations of automobile traffic across the Canadian border and extraordinary duties as a result of the intensive drive to prevent the smuggling of liquors has necessitated a supplemental appropriation of \$705,000 for the customs service.

NOVA SCOTIA MEN ARE SECRETARIES

Prof. Norman Rogers and A. F. McDonald on Maritime Rights Body

CLOSE SEASON FOR CLAMS ADVOCATED

Dr. McLaren and Thomas Bell Press For Limit—To Employ Experts

Amundsen To Visit Vancouver In June

VANCOUVER, B. C., June 11.—Roald Amundsen, leader of the successful trip across the North Pole, will be a visitor here before the end of June. Word to this effect has been received by C. H. B. Jorke, Norwegian consul here, in reply to an invitation tendered by Mayor Taylor.

Whitemore Gangsters Get 40 Years Each

NEW YORK, June 11.—Leon and Jacob Kramer, "brains" of the Whitemore million dollar jewel robbery mob, convicted of first degree robbery, mob, second offenders, were sentenced today to 40 years each in state prison.

MURDERER DIES

Coolie Who Killed Canadian Woman Missionary Shot by Soldiers

PEKING, June 11.—A coolie, who murdered Mrs. W. E. Sibley, wife of Rev. W. E. Sibley, a Canadian United church missionary at Chengde early this week, was armed with a heavy sword with which he severed his victim's head from his body, according to a report on the murder submitted to the United States consul here. The murderer was wounded by soldiers and died shortly after. The motive for the crime has not been established.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, June 11.—Sterling exchange York, Great Britain 486 1-16; France 290; Italy 363; Germany 23.80. Canadian dollars 93-02 one per cent. premium

I. O. D. E. Ladies Face Camera



PICTURE shows group of delegates to the I. O. D. E. National Chapter meeting here. It was taken at the Riverside golf course yesterday afternoon.

THREE BRITISH WARSHIPS DUE IN SAINT JOHN DURING SUMMER

Wistaria and Valerian Coming Here on July 16, Says Message to Lieutenant-Governor—Capetown Sails Today

FREDERICTON, N. B., June 11.—Two more British warships, H. M. S. Wistaria and H. M. S. Valerian, in addition to H. M. S. Capetown, which is sailing today, are to visit ports of the Maritime Provinces and the St. Lawrence this summer, according to Vice-Admiral J. A. Ferguson, commander-in-chief of the North America and West Indies station at Bermuda.

Woman Gave Money To Help Abd-el-Krim

PARIS, June 11.—The charge that a wealthy American woman who is now dead and who was known as "Miss Z. K." contributed large sums of money to the cause of Abd-el-Krim in Morocco is made in Thursday's edition of the newspaper El Temps. "Miss Z. K." is alleged to have been a daughter of a former president of an American bank. El Temps says that she drove an ambulance for the M'Elhans and organized a hospital service for them. Her death followed an operation in London in 1924, the newspaper story says.

Two Attorneys Admitted to Bar

R. D. Taylor, Montreal, and G. F. Nicholson, St. Stephen, New Barristers

Four Men Killed in Mine Explosion

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., June 11.—Four men were killed yesterday in a gas explosion in a worked out entrance of a mine owned by the Alabama By-products Company at Maize, 23 miles from here.

Doisy Starts Another Paris-Tokio Flight

VILLA COUBAY, France, June 11.—Captain Georges Pelletier Doisy has started on another attempt at a flight from Paris to Tokio. The aviator, whose previous attempt ended with an accident to his plane in Warsaw, took off again here this morning.

BRITAIN PROTESTS

Government Sends Sharp Note to Russia re Contributions to Strike

LONDON, June 11.—The British government has sent a sharp note to Moscow protesting against the endeavors of the Soviets to send money to Great Britain during the recent general strike. The note sets forth the belief that this money was intended to foster a movement to bring about a change of government in Great Britain.

Ferguson Says Premiers' Meet To Be Held Yearly Hereafter

discuss questions from a Dominion-wide viewpoint, rather than from that of a provincialism. So profitably spent was the three day conference, according to Mr. Ferguson, that it is to become an annual affair. The Ontario representatives were unanimous in their advocacy of a yearly round table discussion of the country's problems.

BUILDINGS IN VICINITY ALSO ARE DAMAGED

Intense Heat Causes House Across Street to Ignite

HORSES RESCUED

Gasoline in Blazing Structure Explodes; Walls Fall Soon Afterwards

A MOST spectacular fire shortly after eleven o'clock this morning completely destroyed the plant of the American Dye Works at 27 Elm street, and did considerable damage to adjoining buildings before it was subdued. Owing to the large amount of gasoline on the premises the building was a mass of flames on the arrival of the firemen, who quickly responded to the first alarm. It was thought at first that the fire would spread rapidly and assume the proportions of a conflagration, but it burnt itself out so rapidly that this danger was soon over, and the fire was quickly extinguished half an hour after the sounding of the first alarm. The loss is estimated at more than \$10,000. Fire Chief Vaughan was soon on the scene and caused a second alarm to be sounded as well as a third, which attracted a large crowd to the locality. The firemen fought the blaze with more than the ordinary danger themselves owing to the fact that two tanks, filled with gasoline, were in the basement of the building and also the danger from coming in contact with falling live wires.

THEFT OF EXAM. PAPERS BEING INVESTIGATED

Candidates Writing Normal School Tests Questioned at Fredericton

Gasoline Explodes

When the firemen arrived on the scene the burning building was a mass of flames and in a few minutes a gasoline explosion, causing the street and black smoke to arise. Chief Vaughan and his men worked hard and soon 12 nine streams of water playing on the fire which burned with exceeding rapidly, the walls falling in about 20

RED CROSS MEETS AT FREDERICTON

Dr. Robertson and Col. J. L. Biggar to be Speakers at Quarterly Session

The Weather

SYNOPSIS—The high pressure now over the lower lakes is moving southeastward, and a depression which has been over the northwest States for two days, is approaching the Great Lakes. Rain has been almost general in the Western Provinces, while from eastward, it has been fine and moderately warm.

TEMPERATURES

Table with columns for location, highest during 8 a.m., and lowest during 8 p.m. Locations include Victoria, Calgary, Edmonton, Winnipeg, Toronto, Montreal, Saint John, Halifax, and New York.