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MURKEL TRIAL IS ON THIS EVENING

Will Vote in December On Commission Government

TRIAL OF MURRELL AND SLIM WILLIAMS OPENS AT ASSIZES

Courtroom Crowded as Opposing Counsel Prepare For Battle With Human Lives as the Stake—Sixty-One Jurors Summoned From Which to Pick Trial Jury.

JUSTICE WRIGHT'S FIRST MURDER CASE

Sid Murrell and Slim Williams were brought into the prisoners' box at 2:45.

Murder Trial In a Nutshell

Sidney Ernest (Curly) Murrell and Henry Jack (Slim) Williams, alias William Henry Baughan, are on trial for their lives at the court house this afternoon, facing charges of murdering Russell Campbell Melbourn was a veteran, at Melbourn, on April 10, 1921.

On Trial—Sidney E. (Curly) Murrell and Henry Jack (Slim) Williams. Trial Judge—Hon. Mr. Justice Wright. Crown Counsel—T. J. Rigney, K. C., Kingston. Defense Counsel—J. M. Donahue, Kingston.

Four of the important witnesses in the trial of Sid Murrell and Slim Williams at the courthouse today, upon whom crown depends much for its case are left to right: Erna Bank at the time it was robbed; Stuart Campbell, manager of the bank; Stuart Campbell, and Burley Robinson, two Melbourn villagers, who rushed to the assistance of the bank staff when the robbery took place.

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TO VOTE ON URGENT POLICY FOR EMPIRE GOVERNMENT BE BACKED BY LEAGUE

Mayor Now Certain Proposal Will Be Referred to the People. British Government Desires That Conference Evolve Satisfactory Plan.

WILL WORK FOR IT

CECIL HAD OBJECT Report On World League Before Premier Has Definite Purpose.

The ratepayers of London will vote in December upon commission form of municipal administration, Mayor Wenig announced today.

By HENRY SOMERVILLE. Special Cable to The London Advertiser by a Staff Correspondent. Copyright, London, Oct. 15.—The British government is most anxious that the Imperial Conference evolve a foreign policy which will really have the empire behind it.

SIX BURN TO DEATH AS FIRE DESTROYS HOME IN BROOKLYN

Occupants of Attic Apartment Are Unable To Make Their Escape.

Associated Press Despatch. New York, Oct. 15.—Six persons were trapped in an attic and burned to death, and a seventh, a woman, suffered grave injuries in leaping from the flames in a fire which early today destroyed a frame three-story dwelling in the Bensonhurst section of Brooklyn.

STEAMER CRASHES INTO SMALL CRAFT, SIX PEOPLE PERISH

Fatal Accident Occurs Early This Morning on Detroit River. BEING SMUGGLED

Associated Press Despatch. Detroit, Oct. 15.—Six persons, five of these Armenians, in a rowboat, piloted by a Canadian whose identity is not known, were drowned in the Detroit river between River Rouge and Ecorse, Mich., early today when an unidentified steamer struck the small craft and precipitated its human cargo into the water.

London's Traffic Cops Say Girls Can't 'Vamp' Em

City's Bluecoats Are Adamant Against "Goo-Goo" Eyes at Busy Corners. MOSTLY MARRIED

Robb Medal Winner. Margaret Gilmore, winner of the Robb medal for highest standing in entrance examinations, Miss Gilmore was a pupil of Alexandra School, and is a daughter of Rev. John Gilmore of Toronto, formerly in succession the second time in succession the medal has been won by a scholar of Alexandra School.

PROBE IS ORDERED

Associated Press Despatch. New York, Oct. 15.—A probe into the death of a woman who was burned to death in a fire which early today destroyed a frame three-story dwelling in the Bensonhurst section of Brooklyn.

POST REVISED LIST THIS WEEK

City Clerk Baker expects that the revised voters' list for the December election will be posted this week in the usual places in the city hall and elsewhere.

RIVAL THOROUGHBREDS GET LIGHT WORKOUTS

Papyrus and Zev Given Moderate Exercise For Race Classic.

GASPER TRAVELS HOME IN FIRST CLASS STYLE

Friends of Chatham Negro Came to His Assistance With Railway Fare.

THINKS FIRE CHIEF SHOULD JOIN UNION

Ald. Colbert Says Chief Aitken Should Be in Organization With His Men.

MILITARY ORGANIZATIONS FORBIDDEN IN SAXONY

Associated Press Despatch. Berlin, Oct. 15.—General Mueller, commander of the Reichswehr in Saxony, has forbidden the formation of proletarian organizations of a military character under pain of a fine of 15,000 gold marks.

TO RUN ELECTION ON PARLIAMENTARY LINE

London East Collegiate Officers Will Wage Vigorous Campaign.

CITIZENS WORKING AT TOP SPEED IN EFFORT TO PUT UP EMBANKMENTS.

Associated Press Despatch. Oklahoma City, Okla., Oct. 15.—This city's fifth flood of the year already has inundated the city and some territory covered last June, and the swift moving North Canadian river is rushing onward to the inevitable record flood crest.

NEW ZEALAND PEOPLE SEND \$125,000 TO THE JAPANESE

Associated Press Despatch. Wellington, N. Z., Oct. 15.—The New Zealand Government has announced \$250,000 to the Japanese Government for the relief of the earthquake sufferers in compliance with the wish of the people of the dominion to give practical proof of sympathy with the Japanese nation and to show their grateful memory of the alliance with Japan in the war.

MISS AGNES M'PHAIL AIDS IN CAMPAIGN

Canadian Press Despatch. Winnipeg, Man., Oct. 15.—Miss Agnes M'Phail, Progressive member of parliament for South Grey, has arrived in Winnipeg to assist A. A. Heaps, Labor candidate in the North Winnipeg by-election campaign. She announces her intention of speaking on Tuesday and Wednesday nights.

HIS SON DEAD, AGED MAN STARTS LIFE OVER AGAIN

John Osborne, After Futile Search For Son, Scours City For Job To Keep From Starving.

John Osborne, veteran prospector, who came to London in quest of his son Jim, only to discover that the latter was dead, is making valiant efforts to secure a job, in spite of his 77 years.

THE WEATHER

Today—Light to moderate winds; fair. Tuesday—Winds, mostly easterly; fair, not much change in temperature.

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