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WOMAN IS BETRAYED BY JEWEL BOX

Society Woman Held At New York for Smuggling

HAD MUCH JEWELRY

Declared Only \$100, But Had Gold Watch in Her Stocking; Bracelet, Pin and Rings in Bag—Empty Jewel Box Made Officer Suspicious

New York, Sept. 27.—Mrs. Philip N. Aronson, well known in Philadelphia society, is the latest victim of the vigilante customs officials.

The Canadian "Who's Who," sketches his career as follows: The Hon. Duncan Cameron Fraser, B. A., D. C. L., Lieut. Governor of Nova Scotia, was born on

October 1, 1845, in New Glasgow, N. S., son of Alex. and Ann Fraser, of New Glasgow. In 1875 he married Bessie G., daughter of Wm. Graham of his home town.

He received his education at the public schools and later at the Normal school, Truro, and after graduating with a B. A. degree from Dalhousie, in 1872, taught school for a while before being called to the bar in 1873.

He was elected to two sessions mayor of New Glasgow, and was elected to the provincial legislature in 1878, but resigned to run for the assembly.

The following year he was called to the legislative and executive councils, and acted as party leader in the former. In the general elections of 1881 he was elected to the House of Commons for Guysboro, N. S., and was re-elected in 1886 and 1890.

In 1894 he resigned his seat, and was appointed to the bench of the supreme court of his native province. He received his title of L. L. D. from Dalhousie and D. C. L. from St. Francis Xavier and King's College.

He was governor of Dalhousie College, besides being the author of "The History of Nova Scotia" (Continued on page 8, fifth column)

LIEUT. GOVERNOR OF NOVA SCOTIA IS DEAD

Hon. D. C. Fraser Passed Away This Morning At Guysboro—Was a Brilliant and Popular Orator and Highly Esteemed by All Who Knew Him

Guyboro, N. S., Sept. 27.—(Special)—Hon. D. C. Fraser, lieutenant governor of Nova Scotia, died here this morning at 7.40 this morning at his home in Guysboro, where he spent the summer. It was his intention to return to Halifax this week, and arrangements had been made to have the government steamer Lady Laurier go to Guysboro for him.

His honor was then unconscious. Although arrangements for the funeral had not yet been made, it is understood that a state funeral will take place from government house here, and that interment be in Pictou, his native place. The Lady Laurier, which went to sea yesterday, was communicated with by wireless this morning and will proceed to Guysboro to bring the body to Halifax.

HEAD OF LARGEST MASONIC LODGE

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First, a gold watch was discovered in her stockings. Then a bag containing several thousand dollars worth of jewelry of all kinds was found. Also included a bracelet set with rubies, five set with small diamonds worth \$800, many rings and other pieces of jewelry.

Mrs. Aronson declared the bracelet and set were in her possession four years, and was purchased in Rome. Everything was seized and sent to the Appraisers Stores with the trunk.

"And to think," remarked Clowery, "if the little jewelry box had not been there, or if it had been filled instead of empty, I might not have become suspicious."

EATMAN WINS \$100 IN RACE

Carleton Colored Man Beat Tasmanian by a Foot in 130 Yards Dash

(Times Special Cable) London, Sept. 27.—Ebridge Eatman beat Major Taylor of Tasmania in a race of 130 yards at Pontypriod for £100, by a foot. The time returned was 12.43 seconds.

PROMINENT CHURCHMAN

Archbishop of Salisbury, Anglican, who will be a leading figure in the coming triennial conference of the Episcopal churches in the United States.

"It is the purpose of the French government to get all his land under cultivation by the latest approved agricultural methods during the next decade. This is a big undertaking, in fact, the largest outside of India, where dry farming has been introduced, and its successful completion will revolutionize the world's supply of grain, also ward against famine and distress."

Rome, Sept. 27.—With the removal of the censorship starting details of the cholera epidemic at Naples are being received. A number of persons have died in the streets and excitement is such that the police have great difficulty in maintaining public order. It is reported that 10,000 persons of the better classes have already fled from Naples.

MAN INJURED BY MOTOR CYCLE MAY DIE

Thomas Rowan of Fredericton in a Critical Condition—About 200 Excursionists Leave for Aroostook Falls

Fredericton, N. B., Sept. 27.—(Special)—The condition of Thomas M. Rowan, who was injured in a collision with a motor cycle some days ago is critical and his recovery is not expected.

At the annual meeting of the Y. M. C. A., the directors were re-elected. A campaign for increased membership will be begun shortly.

The special excursion run by the Maine and New Brunswick Electrical Power Co. from Fredericton to Aroostook Falls left via the Gibson branch railway at six o'clock. About two hundred persons went on the excursion, including a large number from St. John.

HON. MR. FIELDING GOING TO MONTREAL FOR TREATMENT

Talifax, N. S., Sept. 27.—(Special)—Hon. W. S. Fielding, minister of finance, came up from Chester last night in special train and left immediately for Montreal. He has a slight attack of facial paralysis and is hurrying to Montreal for treatment.

FARMING METHODS USED IN ALGERIA

Representative of the French Government There to Attend Dry Farming Congress at Spokane, Washington

Spokane, Wash., Sept. 27.—Colonel M. Malcor, of the 17th regiment of artillery, stationed at Tlemcen, Algeria, where he has charge of investigating work under the direction of the federal department of agriculture of France, is on the way to America as an accredited representative of the French government to the fifth Dry Farming Congress in Spokane, October 3 to 7.

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IMPERIAL FEDERATION SUGGESTED

Premier Ward, of New Zealand Favors the Project

LORD STRATHGONA

Will Attend Centenary of Berlin University As Representative of McGill—Coming to Take Part in Development of Newfoundland

London, N. Z., Sept. 26.—Dominion Day was widely celebrated here. Premier Ward suggested that the self-governing states of the empire should consider how far, in external affairs, of common interest, some organic unity can be established.

London, Sept. 27.—Lord Strathcona will attend the centenary of Berlin University October 10 as a representative of McGill. Sir C. and Lady Robinson will for Newfoundland, Friday. Sir Charles represents a powerful financial group who contemplate taking an active interest in the development of the colony.

Glasgow, Sept. 27.—Edward Watson and Ritchie report 823 cattle on offer. For cattle of top quality trade was sharp and prices as follows: 14 1/2 to 15 cents; middle, 12 1/2 to 13 1/4 cents; bulls, top quality, 12 1/2 to 13 cents; secondary 11 to 12 cents.

THE FIGHT FOR CONTROL IN NEW YORK

Progressives and the Old Guard Ready for the Fray

ROOSEVELT CONFIDENT

He Authorizes a Statement This Morning Charging Trickery—Cleanliness and Honesty vs. Baseness in Political Management, the Issues He Says

Saratoga, N. Y., Sept. 27.—Col. Theodore Roosevelt will be elected temporary chairman of the republican state convention which is scheduled to meet at noon today, according to the admission of Wm. Barnes, Jr., leader of the old guard. In a statement to the Associated Press, shortly before 10 o'clock today, Mr. Barnes said:

"Vice-President Sherman may have 400 votes out of 1,000 which will be cast on the floor. That is my guess. It may be that a few of the last counties in the roll are seeing the way things are going, will switch over to the progressive side."

Though Mr. Barnes concedes the defeat of Sherman for temporary chairman he indicated that it would be a warm fight on the floor of the convention. State Chairman Woodruff will make a statement defining the position of the old guard with respect to the selection by the state committee of Vice-president Sherman and it is not unlikely that Barnes will also have something to say. Former state Senator, Elsbury and Comptroller Prendergast of New York, are slated to speak for Col. Roosevelt.

Saratoga, N. Y., Sept. 27.—This, the opening day of the Republican state convention, which was to determine whether the progressives under Theodore Roosevelt or the old guard should control, found leaders and delegates early in evidence. The former expressed the most absolute confidence in their supremacy, claiming that Col. Roosevelt, on the vote for temporary chairman would receive more than a hundred majority over Vice-President Sherman, candidate of the old guard. (Continued on page 3, sixth column)

MAY LAY PIPE LINE AND BULD REFINERY HERE

Immense Development of Oil Shales Property in Albert County Under Consideration by British and American Capitalists

There is every prospect of an early development of the oil shale properties of Albert County. For many years these valuable deposits have been explored by different parties and at one time were operated with some success.

An investigation made by authority of the dominion department of mines, which included a practical test of Albert county shales in a Scotch refinery, revealed the fact that the New Brunswick shales were richer in oil than the Scottish shales. Other tests independently made have had the same results as those made in Scotland.

There are at least two large companies in which prominent local men are interested and within the past four months representatives of outside capital have visited Albert with a view of seeing for themselves the extent of the deposits.

INDIANS TO HOLD A BIG POW-WOW IN WASHINGTON STATE

Four Thousand Redmen Including the Tribes From British Columbia Will Gather in Convention, October 3 to 12

Spokane, Wash., Sept. 27.—Four thousand Indians, representing all the tribes in the Northwest, west of the Mississippi river, will gather in a national convention on Spokane's farm and race course at Toppenish, Wash., south of here, October 3 to 12. The federal government has sanctioned the pow-wow, at which the spectacular features will be the sun and religious dances of the frontier days and a series of races with Indian riders on Indian ponies.

GUELPH VOTES TO TAKE RAILWAY STOCK

Guelph, Ont., Sept. 27.—By-laws voted here yesterday to take \$50,000 reference vote in the People's Railway and to grant the railway running rights over city streets, was carried by a substantial majority. The People's Railway will connect Guelph, Berlin, Stratford and all intermediate points.

MADE THEM RAISE THE UNION JACK

J. W. Bruce, the "hero" of the latest "flag incident," which occurred on Monday last at the opening of the Journeymen "Lumber and Stenographers" annual convention at Minneapolis, when Delegate Bruce of Toronto dramatically waved the Union Jack before the convention and demanded that it be prominently placed along with the Stars and Stripes among the patriotic decorations of the hall of meeting.

The action of Mr. Bruce evoked great enthusiasm among the delegates and the flag was promptly hoisted.

REDMOND AND THE POWERS OF THE LORDS

Irish Nationalist in New York Sees Lords' Downfall

QUARTETTE ARRIVES

T. P. O'Connor, Joseph Devlin and John Boyle Accompanying Redmond—Going to Convention at Buffalo—Interview on Affairs in the Old Country

New York, Sept. 27.—The House of Lords has got to vote to curtail its own powers. When they refused once before here Sunday on the White Star liner Baltic, made this statement at the Hoffman House. With him at the time were three other Irish members of Parliament, T. P. O'Connor, Joseph Devlin and John Boyle, and they all acquiesced in Mr. Redmond's words.

The four men are delegates from the Irish Nationalist party to the convention of the United Irish League which will be held in Buffalo this week. They have been the leaders in the Irish home rule fight, and their object in coming to this country is to collect funds to continue the fight after the opening of Parliament on Nov. 15. Two years ago they took back \$100,000 with them, but they expect a much larger sum this year.

Meetings Throughout the Country. At the conclusion of the Buffalo convention Mr. O'Connor will go to Canada for a series of speeches, while the other will return to this city to address a big meeting at Carnegie Hall next Sunday night. Messrs. Redmond, Devlin and Boyle will also speak in Philadelphia, Boston, Pittsburgh, Chicago and St. Louis. They will then meet Mr. O'Connor on their return from Canada, and the rest of the country, as much of it as can be covered in the limited time the Irishmen have, will be visited.

Mr. Redmond was selected as spokesman for the party when an interview was asked for and throughout his talk Mr. Redmond made it clear that he and his associates fully expect violence if the House of Lords does not yield to the Home Rulers. Mr. Redmond said:

"The object of our coming to this country is to put the exact question of the Irish movement before our countrymen here. We are the delegates of the National Party in Ireland, and the prospects were never more favorable than now to curtail the power of the House of Lords. This power is rapidly decreasing. It is the only obstacle to home rule. The House of Commons favors home rule, and there is a contest going on between the House of Lords and the people of England, through their representatives in the House of Commons for popular legislation. The one question before the public is the question of home rule for Ireland. Looking Forward to Election.

"There is a conference now sitting in England which is arranging matters of which home rule for Ireland is one, but if this leads to nothing there will probably be an election in January which will lead to something. The curtailment of the House of Lords is in the hands of both the Liberal and Unionist parties. This conference I speak of is one which started before the death of King Edward, but which will be renewed this fall.

"The power of the House of Lords is the question under discussion, and it involves progressive methods. Home rule for Ireland is one question, the disestablishment of the Church of England in Wales—a great question in that part of the empire—is another, the extension of suffrage is a third.

"The last convention held in America resulted in our obtaining sufficient financial and moral support to bring about the granting of the great land grant to obtain large sums for the development of the West of Ireland, and the obtaining of \$3,000,000 to build laborers' cottages. The whole movement now is for Home Rule.

"We will achieve the curtailment of the House of Lords very soon, indeed. The great bulk of the English people has been on record for some time as in favor of this. The House of Lords is made up of the great landed class. They hate to give up their powers but this question in debate will, I feel, cause them to commit suicide to save themselves from slaughter.

Want Return of Irishmen. "We have no objections of their continuing to occupy themselves with social functions, but the House of Lords, in its present condition, is as dead as a herring. I will say a red herring, because stinks in the nostrils of the British people.

"What we want is men to come back to Ireland. Irishmen will come back if their country is free, and it will practically be free if we have home rule. We realize that our people are among your best citizens, but we feel that you ought to be able to spare some of them. We want a few who have made their pile in the United States to come back to us, live in peace and bury their bones in the land of their ancestry. The population of Ireland is one-half of what it was six years ago. Something must be done to remedy this evil.

"The failure of the House of Lords to pass the budget last year threw the country into confusion and raised a frightful storm against that body. It was finally passed in spite of them." Mr. Redmond would not discuss the growth of the woman's suffrage movement in England.



Roman-Catholic Bishop Fallon, of London, Ont., who has called down the scathing rebukes of several French Canadian journals because he objected to the bilingual system of education in the separate schools of his diocese, and ordered that the French language be discarded. He recently came from Buffalo.

THE TIMES' NEW REPORTER

HIRAM BECOMES A BOOSTER

"Say," said Mr. Hiram Hornbush to the Times reporter this morning, "I wish I was about forty or fifty years younger. It ain't that I'm going back on what I've been or done, but I'd like to have the chance the young fellows of today has got in this country. An' I ain't talkin' about the west, neither. It makes a feller proud to read

about the new country they're openin' up about north of Alberta; an' about Earl Grey findin' such a climate an' country they told Hudson Bay, an' all the stories they round about the riches 'o' the west an' the north—but I'm talkin' now about New Brunswick. There's that iron up in Gloucester county, an' that coal in Queens an' Sunbury; an' the oil an' gas an' them oil shales in Albert county, an' that copper in a hull lot o' places—all been found out in the last few years. Then there's the railroads. There's the G. T. P. an' the International, an' the Valley Road, openin' up new territory for farmers an' lumbermen—why it ain't no more like it was twenty years ago than I am like it was then. Talk about young fellows goin'

out west—I wouldn't do no such thing. This old province of New Brunswick is good enough for Hiram. I s'pose they'll be pipin' oil right into my farm to St. John some day soon—an' gas too. I call late times is just gone jump around here afore we're much older. Hey, what? Hiram said that he had made a successful experiment with alfalfa on his farm this year, and that in his opinion the farmers in New Brunswick were waking up all along the line.

"Why," he said, "I know a man out our way bought a farm for about fifteen hundred dollars a few years ago, an' he's done nearly three times as much for it last week. We're a comin', young man, we're a comin' all the time."



Moderate to fresh easterly winds, fair today showers tonight, and on Wednesday.