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LEOPOLD AND LOEB REPEAT PLEA OF "GUILTY"

of Highland Games Urged For Western Fair

STATE OPENS ITS FIGHT TO SEND YOUTHS TO GALLOWS

Leopold and Loeb Repeat Plea of Guilty to Murder Charge.

PRISONERS CALM

Letter to the Victim's Father Showed Kidnapping Was "Commercial Proposition.

Chicago, June 23 .- The kidnapping of 14-year-old Robert Franks by Nathan Leopold, Jun., and Richard Loeb was a strictly "commercial proposition." the abductors wrote in their first letter to the father of the

The letter was read today in the opening of the hearing before Chief Justice Caverly to determine the penalty the two college youths shall bay for the death of young Franks. to which for the second time they affirmed today their lawyer's plea of

State's Attorney Robert E. Crowe State's Attorney Robert E. Crowe, in an opening statement, recited the etory of the boys planning of the "little fellow's murder" from what he said was the inception of the plot in the minds of the two brilliant sons of prominent families here last fall. Every details of the planning, preparation, foreseen by the young kidnappers, was reviewed by the prosenappers, was reviewed by the prose-

He told of the perfection of the details for their plot on May 21, and of a careful deliberation afterward on the question of who should be their victim.

The temperature this morning commenced with an excellent lead of 70, just 18 degrees behind the high figure of 88 degrees yesterday. their victim.

The sons of numerous wealthy families were considered before young at 2 o'clock had reached 88.5 degrees.

families were considered before young Franks was agreed upon.

The defendants were styled "coid. calculating murderers."

Listening to the state recital of the details of the boy's death with apparent equanimity of spirit, the two defendants sat calmly in their chairs behind their counsel.

Frequently one would whisper to been most decidal, "de tron".

How Youths Confessed

Coming to a recital of the first

then offered to tell the whole story at 92.
The same strategy applied later to Leopold, Mr. Crowe said, produced :

like reaction. "Each accused the other of being Hussein's Claim the actual murderer and sought to save his own neck," the prosecutor

shouted.
A safe containing exhibits which A safe containing exhibits which the state will offer "for the informa-tion of the court" was wheeled into the room. A top it were a number of boards, the bloodstained flooring the automobile in which young Franks was killed. What remained the boy's clothing, a belt, and a few other bits of equally gruesome evi-dence were in the metal container.

Repeat Guilty Plea. As soo nas court was called, th defendants were summoned at once. been Hedjaz was the most fit candidate Hed with Monday when the boys for the caliphate, because of the fact changed their pleas to "guilty." He that the Hedjaz is the only Moslem summoned the mto the bar and in country which enjoys full independlong, legal phraseology, asked them ence, and which properly observes, again separately if they realized the the laws of Allah and his prophet.

consequence of their action.
"I do, your honor," said Leop
and Loeb replied in like manner.

clear, firm voice. Leopold looked about occasionally, but most of the time fastened his eyes or the judge. Loeb stood statue-like.

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"The state is ready to proceed with the murder hearing, but asks continuance of the kidnapping case,

said Mr. Crowe.
"Object," said Mr. Bachrach. "This is not a real trial, and there should be no separation of the two cases.
"If this is not a trial, what is it? commented Crowe.

Retrograded to Criminals.

A wrangle finally brought an agree-ment to proceed with the murder in-ing statement. He dealt upon the identity and upbringing of the defend-

that they developed a mania for gambling for high stakes," said Mr.

The evidence will show that from this they retrograded to the point could commit a com

ded murder. Leopold frequently sat virtually Please See Page 11, Column 3.



HERE'S A CROWD OLD SOL CAN'T DISMAY.

Becher's bathing beach, the northend Ferguson, one of the life guards,

Today Is Second Hottest in

Year-No Sign of

Heat, toward which many affected

Is Supported

For Caliphate.

Jerusalem. July 23.-King Husseit

of the Hedjaz has received new sup-

a conference of Arab notables held

n Mecca.
The conference issued a proclama-

tion to the Moslem world declaring that King Hussein as the ruler of the

PROBATE IS GRANTED.

Canadian Press Despatch.

MacKenzie and Douglas Graham Joy,

son and son-in-law, have been gran ed probate of the will executed May

Toronto, July 23 .- Henry Gordon

port for his claim to the caliphate a

a jocular attitude, assumed yester-

day and today more serious persist-

Drop.

Here they are, big and little, lean and I from the east bank of the River West London who want to come Stout, a few of the many patrons of Thames. In the foreground is Bob across to the beach, is seen in the background, with youngsters lined up Excher's bathing beach the northead lerguson, one of the life guards, all along it. The life saving boat, clvic supervised swimming camp along with some of the boys and used to assist the supervisors in case snapped by an Advertiser photo-girls. The new pontoon bridge, of accident is seen in the lower right

MEKCURY VICTIM Thornton Sees Bumper Crop OF CLIMBING HABIT

Saskatoon, July 23. — "Nothing be discouraged about," was the ceply of Sir Henry Thornton, pre-sident of the Canadian National Railways, when asked yesterday in regard to crop prospects in the west. Sir Henry said he would wager the crop would "at least reach 275,000,000 bushels."

TRAINMAN IS KILLED

Robert Gray of West Toronto Meets Death Near Mc-

Naught Station.

his first questioning by State's Attorney Crowe, the prosecutor raised his voice and paced nervously before the bench. He told of Loeb's excited cryfor a glass of water after he was told that his companion had revealed their secret.

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"My God!" the prior of the year, the record standing at 92.

There had been a wreck on the road Sunday and the auxiliary crew were clearing up the debris this morning. Ashdown, who was foreman of the crew, had been standing on the platform of a car, with Gray beside him, directing the operations, when the derrick boom, swinging a great lead of iron struck them with Arabs Back King of Hedjaz great load of iron, struck them with considerable force on their heads, Gray being killed instantly. The body of Mr. Gray is being forwarded to Toronto today.

PASSENGER STEAMER GROUNDS DURING FOG

which left here early today for Bar Harbor, struck on Crotch Island, the fact that there were better near the entrance to Stonington Har-bor, shortly after 8 o'clock, in a thick new crops could not be considered,

YOUTH INSTANTLY KILLED.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Three Rivers, Que., July 23.—Maurice Brousseau, 16, of Grandmere, was instantly killed on Saturday at Flamand, on the St. Maurice River, decided effect." Toronto, October 13, disposed of his estate, consisting of \$203,713 in real stepping out of a small boat, the bullet striking him in the head, ac-

Chicago Paper Says Justice Injured By Undue Publicity

ants.

"They behaved in accord with standards of their social sets, except says the editorial." It is an aggratic, stimulated public appetite for more.

gerous initiative that newspapers the trial."

have taken in judging and convicting Chicago, July 23.—"Criminal jus-tice in the United States is now on to the papers with their theories and a Roman holiday and the courts are to the Paper's with their theories and confessions. Defence attorneys do the Coliseum," the Chicago Tribune to the paper's with their theories and the courts are to the paper's with their theories and the courts are to the paper's with their theories and the courts are to the paper's with their theories and the courts are to the paper's with their theories and the courts are to the paper's with their theories and the courts are to the paper's with their theories and the courts are to the paper's with their theories and the courts are to the paper's with their theories and the courts are to the paper's with their theories and the courts are to the paper's with the paper's wi

gard to the conducting of trials.

"The Franks case has been a three months moral pestilence imposed no newspaper can escape it. They

says the editorial. "It is an aggravated instance of what has happened with increasing frequency for two decades since the Thaw trial and bedecades since the Thaw trial and tri

Stuart MacLaren and Party On Way Through

Kuriles. Associated Press Despatch. Tokio, July 23 .- The MacLarei party of British round-the-world aviators was winging its way north ward through the Kuriles today Forced down a week ago on Uruppu sland, near the southern end of the Curiles, by a fog, and for a time leared to have perished, the fliers arly today left Tokotan Bay on uppu for Murakami Bay, on Para

BRITISH FLIERS

of an unsuspected reason for their

Toronto Bakers Do Not Expect WOMAN SERIOUSLY HURT Immediate Jump in Product.

Canadian Press Despatch. Toronto, July 23.—The increase of is Toronto, July 23.—The increase of \$1.80 per barrel of bread flour will not have an immediate effect on the price of loaves, according to an official of one of Toronto's largest bakeries today. A barrel of flour produces on an average of 180 loaves. Rockland, Maine, July 23.—The so that the increase means a cent uninjured parsenger steamer James T. Morse, per loaf, he said, but he did not think of the Eastern Steamship Lines, Inc., the increase would tend to raise t fog. Some of the passengers were as 'many things might happen belanded in boats. None was in danger.

Pastry bakers hold different views regarding the \$1.10 increase in the

WHEN HIT BY U. S. CAR

Canadian Press Despatch.
Niagara Falls, Ont. July 23.—
George Abbott, 111 Bainsdale avenue, Hamilton, and Roy Foster, 115
Bainsdale avenue, Hamilton, are in hospital here in a serious con-on as a result of being struck by an American automobile in Stamford this morning. The two men were picked up in an unconscious condition and when they regained conswiped by a car bearing an American looked back and kept on going.

its U. S. AVIATORS' HOP-OFF TIME NOT YET SET

Associated Press Despatch. Brough, Eng., July 23.—No has yet been received from Wash-ington as to the exact date the United States world fliers are to hop two weeks.

SMALLMAN PURCHASES DUNDAS ST. BUILDING

Old Advertiser Office Is Sold to Londoner For Sum of \$80,000.

USED FOR OFFICES

Ground Floor of Site Will Be Altered For Stores in

It was announced shortly after 2 able lakes and rivers. beach, is seen in the vith youngsters lined up o'clock this afternoon that deed of The life saving boat, the supervisors in case the sale had just been completed which the supervisors in case the sale had just been completed which he was going to spend his vacation. transfers the old Advertiser office It was on the morning after building on Dundas street to John all-night session of parliament. E. Smallman of this city. The sale E. Smallman of this city. The sale in succession. He replied: "I was made by the London and West-going to sleep till I catch up."

district.

price of The Advertiser building was a speratingly far. a consolation, be over \$80,000. The deal was completed at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

who for five months has been offered up a national victim on an alternoon.

Montreal Bandit Exonerates Pal

Louis Morel Declares Leo Davis Innocent of Crime.

twenty pages and exonerating Leo been most decidedly "de trop."

West Toronto, was instantly slied, and Thomas Ashdown, also of West Toronto, was instantly slied, and Thomas Ashdown, also of West Toronto, was instantly slied, and Thomas Ashdown, also of West Toronto, was instantly slied, and Thomas Ashdown, also of West Toronto, was instantly slied, and Thomas Ashdown, also of West Toronto, was instantly slied, and Thomas Ashdown, also of West Toronto, was instantly slied, and Thomas Ashdown, also of West Toronto, was instantly slied, and Thomas Ashdown, also of West Toronto, was instantly slied, and Thomas Ashdown, also of West Toronto, was instantly slied, and Thomas Ashdown, also of West Toronto, was instantly slied, and Thomas Ashdown, also of West Toronto, was instantly slied, street east dares who and the death for complicity in the Hochelaga Bank collection car the Hochelaga Bank collection can the Hoch

produces on an average of 180 loaves, jury is remarkable. The horse was self-

Premier King on Vacation Chops Down Trees and Tries To Catch Up On Lost Sleep

Seeks Change at Gatineau Estate.

WIELDS AXE WELL

Has Been Gradually Clearing Up Forest Retreat For Fifteen Years.

Special to The Advertiser,

Ottawa, July 23 .- This is the hold day season of the year, when al from high to low, from prime ministers to postmen, are thinking of some place where cool breezes blow on the shores of Canada's innumer

ern Trusts Company.

It is understood that Mr. Smallman "soft nature's bath" as Shakespeare calls it, not in the old Laurier

intends having extensive alterations mansion on Laurier avenue, but up the Gatineau River, where he has a ing the first floor of the building into summer home.

It is not by the blue Sicilian Sea. but amid the blue Laurentian Hills offices. He is also named as purtamed the finds respite from the carchaser of additional property in the of office. All winter long from the of office. All winter long from windows of his office on Parl It is understood that the purchase Hill he can see that blue haze wonderland temptingly near, but

Knows How to Chop.

The Emperor Diocletian when he took his vacation used to grow cabbages. Clemenceau went to the shores of Brittany and are cabbage soup. Lloyd George and Ramsay MacDonald are alike in this that they past their nerves by the most they rest their nerves by the mos nerve-racking of games, which

Mashiru, the most northerly of the larger Kuriles, and their last stop in the Japanese Empire.

Despatches telling of the fliers take-off today brought the first news states that a document covering to the larger to the larger than the la ing to cut down trees.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Hamilton, July 23.—Mrs. F. Blanchard of Freeman, near Burlington, is in the General Hospital here suffering from shock and bruises as a result of the buggy in which she was riding this morning being struck by a c. N. R. train near Burling ton.

YOUTHFUL GROOM IS CHARGED WITH DESERTING HIS FAMILY

John O'Neil of Toronto Is Alleged To Have Left Toy-Pistol Bride.

BAIL IS GRANTED

Remanded Until 29th, When He Appears in Women's Court.

Canadian Press Despatch. Toronto, July 23.—John O'Neil was rrested today charged with deserttoy-pistol bride, formerly The youthful groom, whose wedding in a house out on the Kingston road was a sensation that lasted some time, was apprehended on Queen street by Detective Harry Clarke,

who has been on the lookout for him since July 8, when a warrant was issued. O'Neil is charged with failing to support his wife "and family"— the latter consisting of a baby born few days after the wedding - and with deserting them.

G'Neil, it is said, has been across financier, who will ask parliament the border on a holiday for the past why British material was not used

fore.

"The injury to justice is in publicity before the trial. Newspaper trials before the case is called have become an abomination, gerous initiative that newspapers and solution of publicity before the trial must be imposed by the fore the trial must be imposed by the before the trial must be imposed by the foreign and several foreign tion in place of a certain amount of the past two weeks.

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Barometric Reading.

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British M.P. and former Canadian



Reginald Moore Contracted Smallpox, But Courts Must Decide Where.

sperienced, blankets and quilts have en most decidedly "de trop."

A brilliant July sun was counteral alanced this morning by a series of

For Speeding

New York Motorcycle Officer Runs Foul of Law.

Associated Press Despatch. en performing his duty. George H charge of speeding by Recorder ocker in Newburgh. When riding

of Milton, on a charge of reckless rence valley. The weather is now showery in the gulf and Maritime decause he drove his motorcycle Provinces and fine in Ontario and west-

WOMAN RESCUED AFTER BURGLARS FIRE HOME

Associated Fress Despatch.
Syracuse, N.Y., Sept. 23.—Burglars
early this morning forced an entrance early this morning forced an entrance of this part of the second secon to the Ledox apartment house, this ity, bound and gagged Mrs. Florence Stebbs, the landlady, and then set fire to the house. She was rescued

CARDINAL INAUGURATES

Van Rossum, the papal legate, inaug-urated the eucharistic congress here Highest, 88; lowest, 70.

SCOTS PLAN TO REVIVE HIGHLAND CONTESTS

Would Be Made Feature of One Day at Western Fair.

PICNIC TODAY

Hundreds Join in Games Being Held at Port Stanley.

London is given an opportunity of naving an annual Caledonian meet at the Western Fair. There is a decided movement on foot to revive again the Scottish games, the high

uvenating. an international meet with trophies from London, England and the North nd Free Press trophies, the Wattend M. MacDonald trophies, and the rovincial medals would be a means.

a to carry on the work. Western tario is the center of the hope, Please See Page 11, Column 4.

The Weather



erly winds; fine and warm.
Thursday—
Moderate winds,
mostly fair and

eral yesterday in the western provinces. The highest and lowest temperatures

Kingston ..

Father Point EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS Halifax 72 56 R. LOCAL TEMPERATURES. The highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours