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EVOUNG SENT UP ON CHARGE OF MURDER

ISONER NOT ED TO PLEAD PRELIMINARY

Slaying of Policeman Is Told in Police Court

BAXTER APPEARS Premier Conducts Prosecution in His Capacity as Attorney-General

MURDOGH EVOUNG of Cape Breton today was committed for trial at the next session of the Circuit Court on a charge of having, on the morning of January 1, 1926, murdered Policeman Stephen P. McCavour, in the Seaman's Institute, following trouble developing in New Year celebration of 1926.

The Police Court was almost filled with spectators for the preliminary hearing of Evoung, who had been held for investigation in connection with the death of Policeman McCavour.

NOT ASKED TO PLEAD Evoung had no counsel and was not asked to plead when the witnesses for the prosecution were called. He made no statement when informed of the charge placed against him.

The hearing took place in the Police Court before Magistrate G. A. Henderson.

Premier J. B. M. Baxter, in the capacity of Attorney-General, conducted the prosecution. Three witnesses were called, Wallace Steele, Dr. H. L. Abramson, Provincial Pathologist and Police Officer G. A. Henderson.

The evidence taken was a repetition of that given at the coroner's inquest on Saturday evening.

EVIDENCE HEARD. Steele's evidence was to the effect that he saw Evoung's hand go out and the officer disappeared from view as though he had fallen down stairs. Steele insisted that he heard a sound similar to that made by a flat striking steel and then the sound of a body falling. He re-told of his attempt to get out of the building to bring the police and of his meeting with Officer Covay.

On a question by Magistrate Henderson, Dr. Abramson said that in his opinion the injury was too extensive to result in anything other than death. In response to a question by the prisoner, the doctor stated that he had examined the stomach especially to discover if any traces of alcohol were present; there were none.

The case for the prosecution was rested at the evidence of Policeman Henderson, who told how he had been summoned to the Institute and what he found there.

Magistrate Henderson thereupon committed the prisoner for trial at the next session of the Circuit Court.

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14 WORKMEN KILLED IN FLORIDA BLAST Six More Seriously Injured; \$200,000 Damage Done at Pensacola

NEW REDISTRIBUTION IN ALBERTA Planned

QUEBEC CABINET TO MEET

DIES FROM BURNS

Pangalos, Prime Minister, Seizes Reins of Government In Greece

Canadian Women's Societies Plan Building In Ottawa; Will Cost \$275,000 to \$300,000

OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 4.—Women's organizations of Canada are to have a building for their own use, irrespective of creed or other differences. If present plans materialize, the building, situated near the downtown section of the city, is expected to cost between \$275,000 and \$300,000, and will harmonize with the parliament buildings, Dominion archives and other government buildings.

World News In Short Metre

LONDON.—A despatch to the Daily Express from Athens quotes Premier Pangalos as saying: "Our fleet in a few months will be mistress of the Eastern Mediterranean and our army one of the strongest in the Balkans."

BRUSSELS.—The condition of Cardinal Mercier continues to improve.

MONTREAL.—Automobiles claimed the lives of 96 persons in Montreal during the year 1925. This compares with 97 in 1924.

MONTREAL.—From the number of appearances in the reporter's court on Saturday, New Year's Day in Montreal must have been the quietest on record. There were only six cases of drunkenness on the list.

NEW YORK.—A telephone operator today from the hard coal region, posted a record of a week of extended but futile negotiations toward ending the strike, now in its fifth month.

WINNIPEG.—Sir Hugh John Macdonald, Winnipeg pioneer and veteran magistrate, who has been ill for several days, is now reported to be out of danger.

LONDON.—Joop Lett, a Dutch heavyweight boxer, sings from the ring. After forcing Billy Peesage, an Englishman, to quit in two rounds, Joop sang from Pagliacci.

BENNETT PREDICTS RURAL CREDIT BILL

Objects to Speaker's Re-election, But Admits Nobody Better Qualified

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OTTAWA, Jan. 4.—The French Course at the Provincial Normal School opened today for the second term, with 10 students enrolled. Prof. Theodule Lejeune the instructor expects a total of 18.

THE DOLLAR TODAY. NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—Sterling exchange steady. Great Britain, 484 3/4; France, 381 1/2; Italy, 408; Germany, 28.50. Canadian dollars 1-8 of one per cent. discount.

Admiralty Denies Vindictive's Trip To China Due To Unrest

Vindictive has forbidden the circulation of certain seditious leaflets among the crew, said an admiralty official. These leaflets bear no imprint, and are of a high seditious nature. There is no reason to suppose that the crew of the Vindictive paid particular attention to them, but the captain of any ship in the fleet is free to forbid propaganda of any nature which appears to be aimed against discipline.

Blue-Eyed, Red-Haired Jewish Woman Guest at Dinner

CROWN PRINCE OF RUMANIA IS FOUND IN MILAN

Fact Established That Morganatic Wife, Zyzis Lambrino, Has Remarried

LONDON, Jan. 4.—At least three points in the mystery surrounding Crown Prince Carol of Rumania, and his relinquishment of his right to ascend the throne, have been cleared up. Carol is in Milan. Also there is Miss Lupesco, the blue-eyed, red-haired daughter of a Jewish merchant of Jassy, Rumania, with whom Carol is on friendly terms. Zyzis Lambrino, formermorganatic wife of the Prince, has remarried.

MME. LUPESCO THERE. Madame Lupesco, who reports say, by her charm and calm dignity, provoked comment when she is seen in the public room of the hotel, also was a guest. At her place at the table was a huge bouquet of white flowers—of the same kind that she threw into his automobile, enclosing a love note which brought them together in the bonds of matrimony.

Prior to the sensational announcement of abdication, reports from Milan asserted Carol and Mme. Lupesco had been seen motoring together, but when the storm broke, these pleasure rides ceased. Carol remained in seclusion, but Mme. Lupesco occasionally makes her appearance in the foyer and other public parts of the hotel.

FLIES INTO RAGE. To a number of written questions sent in by the correspondent of the Daily Express, Carol replied, also in London.

WORRE BRIGHT CLOTHES. Margherita always wore clothes of a bright hue in contrast to King Humbert, who was noted for his simplicity of apparel.

She kept in touch with the latest developments in the arts, literature and science. She wrote a work on "The Heroines of Shakespeare," that never has been published. She also wrote poetry. She was opposed to divorce. A bill introduced in the Italian parliament in 1902 was withdrawn at her request.

An attempt was made to assassinate her in 1905, while motoring at Little St. Bernard. Two arrests were made. While at Evians Les Bains, she was stoned.

LOVED MOTORING. She loved motoring so much that she was arrested and fined for speeding the oath of parliament for the first time. Eight or ten more will be returning to parliament after years of absence. Of those who sat in the last parliament which had 285 members, about 125 were again returned in the October elections.

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AT LEAST 1,000 PERISH DURING EUROPE FLOODS

PARIS, Jan. 4.—Europe continues to be ravaged in a growing degree from floods, which are complicated by gales. Central Europe remains to be the principal sufferer.

THE NUMBER OF DEAD IN TRANSYLVANIA is now stated to exceed 1,000, and this may prove to be an underestimate, since communications are defective and the full extent of the disaster will not be known for some time.

THE FLOOD WATERS OF THE THEISS, River, near the famous Tokay vineyard region in Eastern Hungary, has caused immense losses.

AUSTRIAN SOLDIER KILLS SELF AT SHOW

VIENNA, Jan. 4.—Just as a moving picture theatre was darkened Sunday afternoon for the filming of a picture, a soldier of the Republican army committed suicide by shooting. He was the one hundred and fifty-third soldier in the army of 16,000 to kill himself within a year.

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Jan. 4.—James A. Stillman, ex-president of the National City Bank of New York, is reported here to have offered his wife a lump sum, well over \$1,000,000 in lieu of alimony in the case of Mrs. Anne Urquhart Stillman's suit for absolute divorce against him.

MOTHER OF ITALIAN KING IS DEAD; HUSBAND WAS MURDERED

Dowager Queen Margherita Passes Away in 75th Year—Was Much Loved on Account of Charity—Attempt Was Made to Assassinate Her in 1905

Genoa, Italy, Jan. 4.—Dowager Queen Margherita, mother of King Victor Emmanuel, died today, in her 75th year. She had been ill of pulmonary pleurisy for several weeks.

Charity throughout her life caused Margherita Maria Teresa Giovanna, widow of King Humbert, to be especially beloved. When a bullet fired by an anarchist killed Humbert, the hearts of the world were filled with sympathy for her. She was ever ready to organize benefits for many philanthropic institutions under her patronage.

Even in her teens she obtained work for women of want, for she did not believe in indiscriminate alms-giving. She was a regular visitor to hospitals and asylums.

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NORFOLK, Va., Jan. 4.—The British bark Maid of England, has been burned at sea and abandoned, said a radio message relayed last night by the coast guard cutter Yamacraw from the German motorship Rio Bravo. The German ship reported she had rescued the bark's crew of nine men and would land them at Havana.

The burning took place several hundred miles southeast of Bermuda. She was last reported at Turks Island, December 16, to load for Baltimore.

THE MAID OF ENGLAND was owned by F. K. Warren and Co., Halifax, Nova Scotia, in 1919, and was 887 tons register. She was engaged in carrying a cargo of salt from Turks Island to Baltimore on her last voyage. The members of her crew were for the most part, Nova Scotians.

BACHELOR FOUND DEAD. QUEBEC, Que., Jan. 4.—Ernest Genois, 89, a bachelor, was found dead by his mother yesterday, with a wound inflicted with a penknife.

SCARLET FEVER OUTBREAK. QUEBEC, Que., Jan. 4.—An outbreak of scarlet fever, of a mild form, is reported from certain sections of this city. Medical officers state that there is no danger of an epidemic.

TORONTO ARCHITECT DEAD. OGDENSBURG, N. Y., Jan. 4.—Francis S. Baker, 55, a prominent architect of Toronto, died here Sunday at the home of a sister. Mr. Baker was a Fellow of the Royal Institute of British Architects and past president of the Royal Architectural Institute of Canada.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Jan. 4.—Frederick had its lowest temperature of the winter this morning. The Dominion Meteorological Station at University of New Brunswick, reported minimum temperature this morning as 21 below zero, five degrees lower than on New Year's eve.

SYNOPSIS—Pressure is high on the Atlantic and Pacific coasts, with a moderate depression is moving slowly eastward across the western states. The weather has been moderately cold from the Ottawa Valley eastward and mild in the lake region and western provinces.

Milder; Snow or Rain. FORECASTS: MARITIME—Moderate winds; winds; mostly cloudy. Tuesday, southeast to south winds; cloudy; milder, with light snow and rain.

NEW ENGLAND—Rain tonight and probably Tuesday; rising temperature Tuesday; fresh southeast and south winds.

Temperatures. TORONTO, Jan. 4, 1926. Highest during 8 a.m. yesterday, night.

Victoria ... 42 42 40  
Calgary ... 24 42 20  
Edmonton ... 22 32 24  
Winnipeg ... 20 34 20  
Toronto ... 37 36 32  
Montreal ... 4 16 0  
Saint John ... 4 18 0  
Halifax ... 20 20 18  
New York ... 42 44 38

COUNTRY IS PUT UNDER MILITARY DICTATORSHIP

Premier Also Postpones Indefinitely Senatorial Elections

IS GIVEN OVATION

Guards Regiments at Complimentary Dinner Cheer as Announcement Ends

By ANTHONY PAPAYAN. United Press Staff Correspondent.

ATHENS, Jan. 4.—Greece today is under the rule of a dictatorship. Premier Pangalos has proclaimed himself dictator and indefinitely postponed the senatorial elections.

LONDON, Jan. 4.—Coincident with the troubled situation in Rumania, due to the resignation of Crown Prince Carol and reports of a conspiracy to overthrow the monarchy, comes the news that two other of the Balkan States are in turmoil.

In Greece, General Pangalos, Premier and Minister of War, the man who deposed King Constantine and placed the crown on the head of King George, has announced that he will assume the reins of the government, thereby instituting a military dictatorship.

TROUBLE IN BULGARIA. Due to failure to bring the members of his cabinet into harmony, the Bulgarian premier, M. Tsankov, has handed his resignation to King Boris.

Andray Lipitcheff, a former finance minister and a Macedonian, will endeavor to form a new ministry. The resignation of the ministry followed a hectic session in the Chamber of Deputies Saturday night, during which lack of harmony between the ministers was extremely evident.

Pangalos is the man who once said that the Greeks went to war with the olive branch in one hand and the sword in the other.

He announced his decision to take over the entire control of the government during a banquet in his honor, given by the Democratic guard regiments.

ARMED FORCE PLANNED. Parliamentary government was the cause of all Greece's troubles, he added, and "I am therefore preparing a program, one based solely on armed force."

He also said the Senate elections has been postponed indefinitely owing to the attitude and statements of certain party leaders who persisted in giving the elections a political aspect which would only tend to inflame political passions and disturb public order.

The heads of the foreign affairs and navy departments did not attend the dinner. The Premier was given an ovation when he concluded his address. Later the guards left the dining hall and paraded the principal streets of the city, cheering for Pangalos.

Father of 13 Killed In Quebec Machine

QUEBEC, Que., Jan. 4.—Louis Beaulieu, one of the oldest pioneers of La Sarre, Abitibi, was instantly killed Saturday when he became entangled in the belt of a wool-cleaning machine. The victim leaves a wife and 13 children.

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