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4 DEAD, 2 INJURED IN N. B. TRAIN SMASH

FLAT CAR LOADED WITH MEN AND RAILS STRUCK BY ENGINE

Tragedy Occurred Near Edmundston This Morning on Transcontinental Division of Canadian National Railways; Inquiry to be Held

Special to The Times-Star EDMUNDSTON, N. B., Oct. 28.—One of the worst railway accidents in the history of New Brunswick occurred at Belanger, 31 miles west of Edmundston, at 8 o'clock this morning, when four laborers were killed and two badly injured, following a collision between a freight train and a working train. Pending an exact check of the men, it is learned the following were killed: Isadore Ouelette, T. Parent, Philippe Ouelette, all of St. Alexandre, P. Q., and Simon Caron, St. Aubert, P. Q., while Joseph Pelletier and Joseph LeBoeuf, both of Monk, P. Q., lie in the hospital here with broken legs.

CRASH HEAD ON The engine of the freight train, out of this place, crashed head-on into a flat car filled with heavy rails, hurling them off the car, with tragic results for workmen on the car and nearby, according to reports received here. The exact cause of the accident is not known, but an official inquiry by the Canadian National authorities will be undertaken. It is estimated that the work of clearing the track, which is part of the Transcontinental division, will be completed by midnight tonight.

SAYS FERGUSON BROKE PLEDGES

Liberal Leader Opens Campaign With Policy Announcement

Canadian Press TORONTO, Ont., Oct. 28.—Marshaling charges of broken pledges, jerry-mandering in the re-distribution of constituencies, utter contempt for the will of the people and wasteful expenditure of public money under the heading of mal-administration against the Conservative government of Ontario, W. E. N. Sinclair, Liberal leader of Ontario, opened the Liberal campaign here last night, at which he announced the policy of his party and declared that the Liberals of the province stood for the maintenance and enforcement of the Ontario Temperance Act. Mr. Sinclair's speech was an amplification of his campaign slogan that "the Ferguson government cannot be trusted."

ADMITS DIFFERENCES

Hon. A. C. Hardy was the chairman of the evening and in a speech readily admitted that there were differences between the two parties on the temperance question. These differences had found expression in the conferences during the day, Senator Hardy said, but he was glad to say there had not been an unkind word spoken and from one end of the province to the other they had been but one feeling to work for the benefit of the Liberal party. There would be those who would dissent from the attitude to the temperance question as laid down by Mr. Sinclair, he continued, but he appealed to all Liberals to have a kindly feeling toward each other when the time came to work for the principles they represented.

SHIP SUNK IN CRASH

Louisiana Goes Down Off New Orleans; One Missing

NEW ORLEANS, La., Oct. 28.—The steamship Louisiana sank outside South Pass early today after colliding with the steamship Madison, officials of the Gulf and Southern Steamship Company are informed. One unidentified member of the crew of the Louisiana, outbound for Miami and Key West, was reported missing. The Louisiana sank in a few minutes. First Mate Adams of the Louisiana suffered a broken leg.

Overseas Premiers At Automobile Exhibit

LONDON, Oct. 28.—Premiers Bruce and Coates are visiting the motor show here today paying special attention to the cars of British manufacturers who are seeking to capture the Australian market with their special type of machine. These manufacturers are demanding that Australian premiers should give them a higher tariff for British cars because they say the thirty-three and a third tariff under the McKenna scheme is insufficient to compete with American cars.

Water Route to Western Markets Visioned By Sask. Premier

Files Message To War Lord of The Skies

Canadian Press LONDON, Oct. 28.—Due professional gravity was maintained by the officials of the Central Radio office here late last night when Dr. Mansfield Robinson handed in, with business-like seriousness, a message for Mars, some 42,600,000 miles distant and asked the rate. The message was prefaced with three M's, which Dr. Robinson said was the call sign for Mars. It was composed of two words, "Opastipitia Scoomba." The receiving clerk asked what the language was, and Dr. Robinson said, "No known language."

WESTERN CANADA WANTS INDUSTRIES

Canadian Press TORONTO, Ont., Oct. 28.—If western Canada does not get the support she is seeking for her industries from the east, then she will appeal to England or the United States for it is a country abundant and rich in natural resources, which have yet to be mined and manufactured," said Lieut. Col. Ralph H. Webb of Winnipeg here today. Mayor Webb stopped in Toronto for a short visit while on his way home from Saint John, N. B., where he attended the meeting of Canadian Boards of Trade.

BISHOP OF LONDON ANSWERS QUERIES

English Divine Declares There is no Conflict Between Service and Religion

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 28.—There is no conflict between science and religion, the Right Rev. Arthur Edwin Winchell-Ingram, Lord Bishop of London, told students of the University of Pennsylvania yesterday. He also said he believed there was hope of a re-union of all Christian denominations.

Six Men Held In Chicago Robberies

CHICAGO, Oct. 28.—Six men, alleged to have stolen jewels valued at upwards of \$100,000 in a series of robberies, were reported named in two bills voted by the county grand jury here today. The men had testified before the body. Lawrence Charles Lloyd, and Arthur McClelland alias Roy Horton, recently arrested in Englewood, N. J., were the first named. They were reported named on robbery charges, and charges of receiving stolen property.

DEFENCE ENDS TODAY

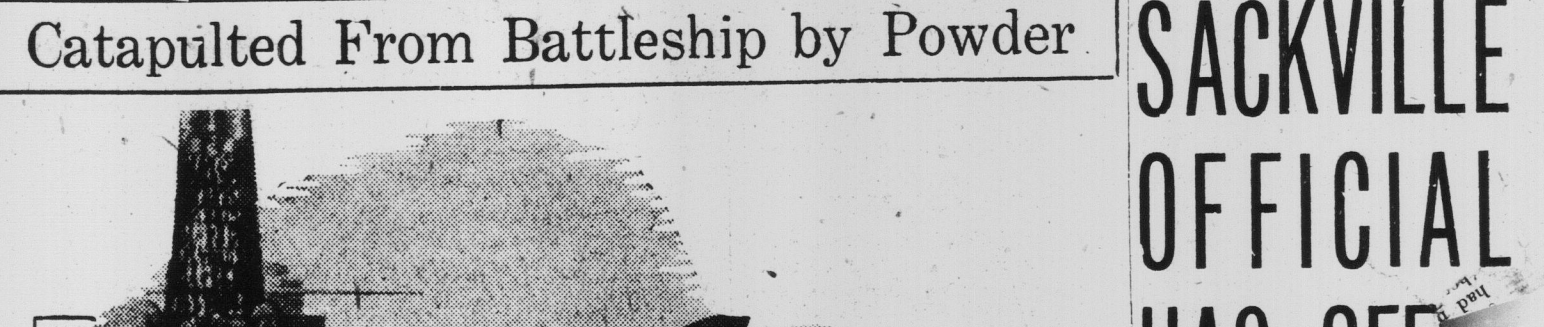
LOS ANGELES, Oct. 28.—Almea Temple McPherson and her mother, Mrs. Minnie Kennedy, will not testify in their own defence at their preliminary hearing on charges of criminal conspiracy, their attorneys disclosed last night with the announcement that defence testimony will be completed today. Prosecution attorneys said they did not anticipate calling any witnesses for rebuttal testimony.

Reporters Covering Imperial Parley Find News Scarce

By Cable from GEORGE HAMBLETON Staff Correspondent of The Canadian Press LONDON, Oct. 28.—An air of extraordinary mystery now surrounds the Imperial conference. All the delegates are warm in their contention that it is a conference, not a cabinet, but no Downing Street cabinet ever guarded its secret more jealously. Twice a day, a dwindling crowd of newspapermen gather in the office of the Secretary of State for Dominion Affairs and solemnly admire a Rubens hanging on the wall. With poised pencil and bated breath they listen while the official spokesman of the conference gives what purports to be a story of the conference doings. But it is not very illuminating.

JOINT SESSION WITH N.S. ASKED

Catapulted From Battleship by Powder



"HISTORY in the making" may be the term applied to the shooting of a 5,100-pound amphibian plane from the top of the turret of the U. S. S. "West Virginia" in Los Angeles harbor. It never had been done before. A charge of powder equivalent to that used in an eight-inch shell was exploded. Lieut. D. S. Fahney piloted the plane in the experimental take-off.

Empire Leaders Discuss Air Defense Question at Today's Session of Imperial Parley

By GEORGE HAMBLETON Staff Correspondent of The Canadian Press LONDON, Oct. 28.—The Imperial Conference had a full dress discussion this morning on Empire Air Defence. Sir Samuel Hoare, Secretary of State for Air, opened the discussion. He was followed by Lt.-Col. L. C. Amery, Secretary of State for Dominion Affairs, G. G. Coates of New Zealand, Col. Amery brought up the question of air developments in the Crown Colonies and Protectorates.

GOVT. WANTS TIME

Plan of Bond Exchange For Canadian Northern Held up LONDON, Oct. 28.—A meeting called for November 4 by the builders of Canadian Northern five per cent income bonds to consider their position with regard to the recently reported agreement for an exchange of each Canadian Northern bond maturing in 1930, for a new 40 year 4 1/2 per cent fully guaranteed Canadian National Railway bond, has been postponed.

EMIGRANT RATE IS LIKELY TO REMAIN

NEW AGREEMENT REACHED REGARDING SETTLERS FROM GREAT BRITAIN TO CANADA LONDON, Oct. 28.—A new agreement continuing the £3 (about \$15) fare for British emigrants to Canada is being entered into and it is expected the agreement will be concluded this week.

FINANCIAL INTERESTS INTERVENE IN STRIKE

LONDON, Oct. 28.—Labor has finally succeeded in securing at least tentative intervention of the leading business and financial interests of Britain in the coal mining dispute and hopes are naturally reviving that there will be a settlement. Lord Derby, Lord Ashfield, Montagu Norman, Governor of the Bank of England and the Lord Mayor of London have been appointed members of a committee which will investigate the possibilities of preparing some draft scheme that will lay the foundations of a settlement. They have already been in touch with the leaders of labor and are now seeking the opinions of the miners.

ANOTHER VESSEL WRECKED

ST. JOHN'S, Newfoundland, Oct. 28.—The schooner Golden Hind, bound to Sydney, N. S., from Belleoram in ballast was blown ashore and wrecked at Bay Lemoine yesterday. The master Captain William Prosper and his crew escaped in a dory and managed to gain safety on Isle Au Mort.

DOCKET IS HEAVY FOR ENGLISH DIVORCE COURT THIS YEAR

British United Press. LONDON, Oct. 28.—More than 1,000 husbands and wives, tired of marital discord, are digging away the coverings of family scandals in preparation for England's autumn divorce court season. The docket of the Earl of Cowley's suit for divorce from his wife, the former Mrs. Pickard, a New York chorus girl, on Tuesday, brought to the attention of society the fact that there were at present 876 petitioners for absolute divorce. The pittance, the stage and high society generally, both British and American, are represented in these pleas. The High Court judges already have started the task of deciding whether or not the irksome shackles of matrimony shall be moved.

SACKVILLE OFFICIAL HAS OFFER

Address on Tuberculosis Given by County Hospital Supt.

LAND VALUATION

Resolutions Adopted at Morning Session of Municipalities

"Movieized" Lectures Now Considered

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—Professors may soon be able to lecture once and then on a continuous holiday, the New York Electrical Society learned yesterday. The happy professors would be "movieized" by means of the machine which synchronizes a picture of the figure and the reproduction of the voice. It was pointed out that these professors would be "immortal," since after their death their lectures would continue indefinitely and generations upon generations of freshmen would be able to hear the same master's voice.

BONGRACE WINS CUP

Lord Rosebery's Colt Captures Newmarket Feature

NEWMARKET, England, Oct. 28.—Bonrace, three-year-old filly, owned by Lord Rosebery, won the Jockey Club Cup this afternoon. Sol Jock's four-year-old colt, Glommen, was second, a neck behind, and A. R. McComber's four-year-old colt, The Wolf, was third, two lengths back. Only five ran. Bonrace started at 7 to 1 against Glommen at 13 to 8, and The Wolf 7 to 1.

DEEPEST SPOT IN OCEAN

TOKIO, Oct. 28.—The Japanese navy survey ship Manzur, returned to Yokosuka yesterday after a six months' trip and reported it had discovered the deepest spot in the ocean to be the Izu Peninsula between Izu and Bonin Island. The depth is 9,433 metres. The deepest spot previously found was off the Kurile Islands, where the depth is 8,500 metres.

The Weather

SYNOPSIS: The depression which was over Manitoba yesterday is now passing eastward over the Great Lakes. The weather is showery in Western Ontario; elsewhere it is fair. The temperature remains fairly high throughout the Dominion.

FORECASTS

MARITIME: Fresh to strong north and northeast winds, with rain in Nova Scotia. Friday, moderate winds, fair. NEW ENGLAND: Increasing clouds, not quite so cold tonight. Friday, showers and warmer, fresh possibly strong south winds.