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CONDEMNED MAN ESCAPES JAIL

FRANK McCULLOUGH HAS ESCAPED FROM PRISON

Doped His Guard and Made a Getaway.

WAS AWAITING EXECUTION FOR MURDER
(Special To The Record)
TORONTO, April 16.—Frank McCullough, an American youth, awaiting execution for the murder of a detective, escaped from the jail here during the night. He has not yet been apprehended.

MCCULLOUGH SAWED TWO IRON BARS
(Special To The Record)
TORONTO, Ont., April 16.—Doping his guard, Frank McCullough, the young American who was under sentence of death, and who was to be hanged on May 2, for the killing of a Detective Frank Williams, escaped from his death cell in the Toronto jail some time between eleven last night and five o'clock this morning.

McCullough's escape is the most sensational in the history of the police. He cut away two heavy iron bars in the window while his guard, Curral, a returned soldier, slept in McCullough's cell. The prisoner cut his way through the bars with a sharp saw, pulled himself through the opening, dropped down on the wall which skirts the jail and jumped to freedom. On the floor in the cell McCullough left a note written in a poor hand, stating that he had doped Curral's coffee.

Curral was arrested by Detective Bart Cronin, who was assigned to the case by Inspector Kennedy, and taken to police headquarters. Curral's story is that he came on duty at ten o'clock, relieving Sam Folles, the day guard, and at eleven he fell asleep after having something to eat with McCullough. He did not wake up till five this morning. Finding McCullough gone and the bars cut, Curral rang the alarm bell at five o'clock, and the other guards ran to the death cell. Chief Turnkey Henry Adley was notified and hurried to the jail.

A search about the place failed to show where McCullough jumped from the wall. It is about twenty feet high. Marks were on the wall where he climbed through the window and let himself down, his boots scraping the wall. McCullough must have worked fast while cutting the bars away. He used chewing gum, butter and soap to smother the noise of the saw. That he did the job from the inside and during the operation got no outside help is evident by the fact that he left the two pieces of the bar on the window sill inside the window.

\$1,000 REWARD IS OFFERED
(Special To The Record)
TORONTO, April 16.—At 2 p.m. it was announced at the parliament buildings that a reward of \$1,000 had been offered for the arrest of the murderer, Frank McCullough.

ANOTHER REPORT OF ESCAPE
TORONTO, April 16.—Drugging his guard, Frank McCullough, an American youth under sentence of death for the murder of acting detective Frank Williams, escaped from his death cell at Toronto jail some time between midnight and five a.m. He cut through the two heavy iron bars in the window while his guard, a returned soldier was asleep. He then dropped on the wall which skirts the jail and jumped to freedom.

He left hastily a written note in the cell stating that he drugged the guard's coffee. It is a mystery how McCullough obtained the saw with which he cut the bars and the drug, the only visitor, being a young girl, who was admitted some time ago after being searched. The prisoner often boasted that he would "beat the fella's."



STILL IN SUSPENSE. —Chicago News.

Manual Training and Domestic Science for Victoria School

An Addition to Victoria School Will Be Built.
Several Extra Class Rooms Besides Two Departments Will Be Provided, But Permanent Accommodation at School Will Not Be Increased.

The public school board has decided to provide better accommodation for the manual training and domestic science classes of the public schools. For this purpose an addition will be built to Victoria School. By the erection of this addition the needs for more accommodation for all classes in the schools will be temporarily solved, for with the new department to be established at this school several other rooms will be provided which will be used until the new school which the Board thinks will have to be erected, has been completed, the location of which may be in the west ward. The question of a new school, however, has not been finally decided by the Board and it is not known when it will be put so much appears to be agreed on, namely that it will be a necessity in the course of a year or two.

Needs of Manual Training Department
For some time the Board has realized the necessity of taking up the question of providing more accommodation in the public schools in the manual training and domestic science departments. Up to the present the pupils have been receiving only about a half hour instruction every two weeks in the collegiate institute and it is only the senior fourth classes that receive this instruction. It is proposed to provide accommodation for the pupils of the senior third and junior fourth as well as the senior fourth can attend the department classes. This will mean there will be at least ten to twelve classes who will receive instruction in manual training. A special teacher will, therefore, have to be provided at the school for manual training purposes, who will be kept busy all the time.

It is not likely that the annual report of the Department of Agriculture will be ready before the close of the present session, stated Hon. George Henry, Minister of Agriculture, this morning. "It is being held up on account of the field crops report from Guelph not being ready," he said.

Delegates are to Get 8 or 10 Days to Sign Pact

Emissary is to be Sent to Weimar.

SAYS A DISPATCH FROM PARIS
(Special To The Record)
PARIS, April 16.—The Echo de Paris says it understands the German delegates will be given eight or ten days to sign the peace pact and that in meantime an emissary will be sent to Weimar.

NOT PRESENTLY TO CONSIDER PROHIBITION
PARIS, April 16.—President Wilson is not expected to consider the subject of wartime prohibition until after peace is signed and "something is done regarding demobilization," it was learned today.

The question has not arisen at the "White House," it was said, but it was pointed out that the law depends upon actual demobilization.

WILSON TO REMAIN UNTIL TREATY IS MADE
PARIS, April 16.—President Wilson will remain in Paris until the German treaty is disposed of, it was stated authoritatively today.

The statement was brought out by the claims of French newspapers that he would depart on April 20th or 28th.

Striking Expressmen Stand Firmly Together

BROTHERHOOD OF OTHER LINES MAY BE CALLED.
(Special To The Record)
TORONTO, Ont., April 16.—There has not been one desertion from our ranks, and the strikers are solid and determined," stated W. J. McPherson, general organizer of the Canadian Express employees today. "All our pickets are on duty this morning in the rain and the determination to win exists on every side. I have never seen a General President A. Mosher that the time is opportune to extend the strike to the other members of the brotherhood and this is now likely being taken into consideration. Should this be decided upon it will involve over seven thousand employees of the express and railway companies."

Telephone Strike in U.S. is Not Yet Settled

INSIDE TELEPHONE WORKERS MAY JOIN
(Special To The Record)
BOSTON, April 16.—The second day of New England's strike of telephone operators began without any indication of an early settlement. In addition to approximately 8,000 operators on strike, leaders of Union 142, International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, announced, that unless a settlement was reached at once 12,000 "inside" workers, including wiremen and instrument attendants, will walk out at noon today. This would bring the total on strike to 20,000.

Reports of Killing in Budapest Denied

VIENNA SAYS EX-MINISTERS WERE NOT ASSASSINATED
COPENHAGEN, April 16.—A Vienna dispatch says Herr Boehm, member of the Soviet ministry of Budapest, has arrived there and has declared that Archduke Joseph, Dr. Alexander Weakerle, former Premier, and Baron Joseph Seteprenyi, Minister of Commerce, have not been executed as reported yesterday at Berlin.

London housewives having by almost common consent discontinued using butter the price dropped.

SURVEY OF FEDERAL HOUSE ON EVE OF ADJOURNING

Many Important Questions Untouched

TARIFF PROHIBITION, FRANCHISE ETC., TO COME
(Special To The Record)
OTTAWA, April 16.—After nearly two months' sittings, parliament will adjourn over the Easter vacation, and members will go home to test the atmosphere of their constituencies, and secure a new perspective for the busy days still ahead.

The two months' business has to all intents and purposes been barren of many practical results but the discussion have filled a volume of Hansard nearly a foot thick. Very little legislation has been actually passed, but a multitude of opinions have been expressed and it may be that the government is now in a better position to proceed with its legislative program once the house does get down to real business.

All the controversial matters are still ahead. They include the Tariff, Prohibition, the Franchise, Good Roads and Housing legislation, etc. The political views of the house is just about as it was when it opened two months ago. Hon. W. S. Fielding, M.P. for Queen's Shelburne more or less declared his independence but continues to give support to the government and is not yet attending Opposition caucuses. The tariff resolution of the opposition created no cleavage in the government ranks. Titles did, but titles were not considered a party question.

In the case of Fred Pardee, M.P. for West Lambton and former chief Liberal whip, however, there is little doubt that the Opposition has gained a recruit. Pardee was probably one of the most loyal supporters of the late Sir Wilfrid Laurier, and it was with a wrench that he was finally compelled to sever with him on the conscription issue. It is natural that he would be one of the first to come back to his former friends and colleagues when that issue had ceased to be an issue. He will, it is firmly believed, be at the next Opposition caucuses. As any rate he is now receiving a welcome from those with whom he formerly differed, though he still sits on the government side.

In fact Unionists are to all intents and purposes, intact. The budget will test its solidarity but there are even strong hopes that the budget will please the majority of Union followers.

The Franchise Act will constitute another test. It is fully expected that Sir Robert Borden and his colleagues overseas will be back in time to assist in framing the government's policy on the controversial issues still to be decided. It is probable in fact that the intelligence which they will bring back may go far toward modifying present views held by cabinet, council and caucuses.

NUPTIAL EVENTS

CRESS—BECKER.
A pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Becker at high noon when their daughter Erna Luella, was happily married to Mr. Clarence Cress of Elmira, the Rev. Mr. McBain officiating.

The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a white satin dress trimmed with silver lace and the customary bridal veil and carried a bouquet of Easter lilies and carnations. She was attended by Miss Gertrude Kraft of Toronto, who wore a pink silk dress and carried a bouquet of pink carnations. The room was supported by his brother, Mr. Herbert Becker of Elmira. The wedding march was played by Miss Marion Cress, sister of the groom. Little Miss Alice Becker acted as flower girl.

After a sumptuous dinner, the happy couple left on the 3.15 train for Detroit and other points.

The bride's travelling suit was grey silk poplin with shoes to match and a becoming hat.

On their return they will reside at 15 John St., Kitchener.

Maeder-Schiedel
Mr. Orville Harold Maeder and Miss Florence May Schiedel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Schiedel, of Breslau, were quietly married at 3 o'clock this afternoon, by Rev. Harvey Frey. The bride couple will leave on the evening train for Toronto, and points east. Miss Nora Schiedel, niece of the bride, was the flower girl.

Munich is Again Under Control of a Soviet

Dr. Dernberg Becomes Minister of Finance.
"WAS DIRECTOR OF PROPAGANDA IN U.S."
(Special To The Record)
BERNE, April 16.—Doctor Dernberg has accepted the portfolio of Finance in Chancellor Scheideemann's cabinet, made vacant through the resignation of Dr. Shiffer, so a Berlin dispatch reported today.

The Dr. Dernberg referred to is probably Dr. Bernard Dernberg, who was director propaganda in the United States.

MUNICH PASSES OUT OF GOVERNMENT'S CONTROL.
BERNE, April 16.—Munich is again entirely in the Soviet's hands, according to the latest reports from that city. Fighting was said to have lasted all night. Railway communication has been entirely broken.

RADICALS BOLTED FROM SOVIET CONGRESS.
(Special To The Record)
BERLIN, April 16.—(By Frank J. Taylor)—The radicals bolted from the national soviet congress tonight, declaring they will join the Spartacists and "fight the government relentlessly."

The action of the radicals, which is expected to put an end to the congress, resulted from a fight for control with the Majority Socialists. After the latter showed themselves in power, the radicals refused to accept a compromise and elect some of their members to the executive committee.

The general strike seems to have passed its crisis, with the government winning control.

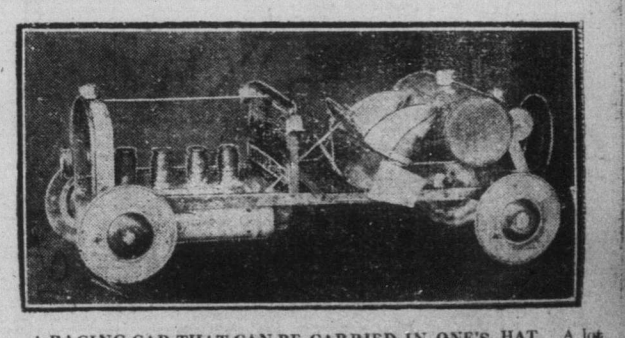
COMPLETE ANARCHY SAID TO REIGN
LONDON, April 16.—Complete anarchy reigns in Munich according to a Copenhagen dispatch to the Exchange Telegram Co. All work has ceased, trains are not running and robbers are looting houses and threatening the banks.

ACCIDENT CASE SETTLED
The suit of Mrs. Appel versus Kingsley and Mattusch involving a St. Jacobs auto accident was the last case before Justice Logie at the Supreme Court. The point at issue before the Court was merely which of the two defendants should pay the costs. The judge decided that Mattusch was the one who should assume payment.

The plaintiff secures about \$750 payment in addition to law costs. Mr. E. W. Clement appeared for the plaintiff and Mr. R. Jones K.C. of Toronto for Kingsley and Mr. Grant for Mattusch.

Filing a will sometimes raps the feelings of the heirs.

Woodstock has named a Housing Commission.



A RACING CAR THAT CAN BE CARRIED IN ONE'S HAT. A lot of fun, a real, some wire and presto you have the latest type of racing car. An empty cigar box will serve the purpose of a garage, for this racing car, which was constructed by one of the soldier patients at Colonia Reconstruction Hospital while he was recuperating on his cot.

War Situation is Still Full of Perils

Let Delegates Alone, Says Lloyd George

IN REPLY TO CRITICS IN COMMONS.
LONDON, April 16.—Replying in the House of Commons today to criticisms of his activities at the peace conference, Lloyd George said the situation was "still full of perils for allied countries."

He pleaded that "those who were trying to do their best be let alone."

THERE IS COMPLETE UNDERSTANDING
(Special To The Record)
LONDON, April 16.—There is a complete understanding on fundamental questions of the peace settlement, Premier Lloyd George declared in addressing parliament this afternoon. He said it is not true that America and Europe are at variance.

Pointing out the difficulties of effecting peace, the Premier said a complete breaking up is threatened in Russia, Austria and Turkey. "There is no authority throughout Russia," he said. "The question of recognition of the Soviet government has never been proposed or discussed."

Lloyd George declared, amidst an outburst of cheering, that the indemnity "will be no easy one." He asked that the delegates "who are trying to do their best" be left in peace, "because their work is not over and still full of perils to all."

"A stern and just peace, but not a vindictive peace, is wanted," declared

ADAMSON CRITICIZES SPEECH

LONDON, April 16.—William Adamson, leader of the Labor Opposition following Premier Lloyd George said in regard to the latter's address: "The speech was eloquent but not entirely satisfactory."

Canada Has 33,371 Men on Pensions

UP TO APRIL, \$1,851,700 PAID OVER
(Special To The Record)
TORONTO, April 16.—The total number of veterans now being paid pensions throughout the Dominion totals 33,371 and the total amount being paid out for various grades of disability up to April 1 was \$1,851,700.

It will be noted the largest number of pensioners are found among those who have been disabled twenty to thirty-nine per cent., while the smallest class are those who have been incapacitated from ninety to ninety-nine per cent.

Sir Augustus Angers, former Lieutenant Governor of Quebec, Federal Cabinet member, and Senator, is dead.

A memorial drive of English oaks, with bronze name-plates on the trees, will honor Woodstock's 150 dead heroes.

Soldiers' Vote Wiped Out Dry Majority

IN NEW ZEALAND ELECTION OF APRIL 11
LONDON, April 16.—The vote of New Zealand soldiers has wiped out the majority for Prohibition which was rolled up in that commonwealth on April eleventh, according to dispatch to the Central News agency.

Snowstorm is Raging in Newfoundland

NO FLYING LIKELY TO BE ATTEMPTED
ST. JOHNS, Nfld., April 16.—Heavy snowstorm is raging this morning. It is doubtful if flying will be attempted today.

MACHINES MAY GET AWAY TOGETHER

(Special To The Record)
ST. JOHNS, Nfld., April 16.—With both the Sopwith and Martinsyde planes ready for their transatlantic flight to-day, indications are that the rival crews would "jump off" at the same time when weather conditions become favorable.

Pilots Harry Hawker and Lieutenant Commander Mackenzie Greve, whose Sopwith plane has been ready for several days, are impatient at the delay occasioned by extremely bad weather and cyclonic conditions over the mid-Atlantic. Pilot Raynham and Captain Morgan, although arriving here weeks before the Sopwith flyers

now believe they have better than an even break. "As matters now stand, Captain Morgan declared, "the Sopwith plane cannot get away more than two or three hours ahead of us. Our machine has greater speed and can easily overcome that lead in a 18 or 19-hour flight, notwithstanding the fact that we have ninety horse power."

Legislative Notes From Toronto House

PENSIONS FOR WIDOWS AND ORPHANS
(Special To The Record)
TORONTO, April 16.—Dr. W. A. Riddell, who was appointed by the government some months ago to investigate the question of pensions for mothers and widows, has nearly completed his considerations on that subject, and will submit a report of the government in the near future.

While no official announcement is forthcoming, it is understood that he will make recommendations in favor of a graded scale of such pensions. These may be made in the form of an interim report, or may come in the main report.

It is understood that the present Gas Commissioner Eslin, who was appointed to the office a year ago, under the jurisdiction of the Railway Board, will continue to hold office until the bill introduced in the legislature, which provides that the Department of Lands and Mines will have charge of this work. His duties include the conservation of gas in Ontario.



CANADIANS' FAREWELL TO LIVERPOOL. High up on the rigging of the masts, on the steamer Empress of India, Canadian soldiers are here seen as the vessel was leaving the dock at Liverpool on her latest trip to Canada.



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Thames during the coming
They are Col. "Jim" Mc-
pt. "Edie" Phillips, Cap-
en, and Lieut. "Bob" Tapley.

CALENDAR OF SPORTS

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