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MRS. PERRY IN COURT CHARGED WITH MURDER

Former St. John Woman Remanded Till Tomorrow

Daughter's Fiance Accused as Accessory in Slaying of Yarmouth Captain—Witnesses From Montreal to Be Heard.

Yarmouth, N. S., April 20.—Charged with murdering her husband at his home here on the night of Saturday, Feb. 25, Clara Elizabeth Perry was arraigned before Stipendiary Magistrate Pelton in the Yarmouth police court this morning and remanded until tomorrow morning, when the preliminary examination will begin.

When Mrs. Perry entered the prisoner's box and the stipendiary read the charge accusing the widow of the "wilful killing and slaying with malice aforethought" of her husband, she showed no apparent concern, nor did her countenance change in the least.

Mrs. Perry was formerly of West St. John.

TWELVE APPLY

Clergymen of Other Denominations for Presbyterian Ministry.

London, Ont., April 20.—At a meeting of the London Presbytery yesterday, Rev. Dr. Scott of Montreal, editor of the Presbyterian Record, was nominated as moderator of the general assembly.

MOONEY'S LAWYER INVOKES COMMON LAW PRECEDENT 784 YEARS OLD TO SECURE NEW TRIAL

San Francisco, April 20.—A little-known common law process, said to date from 1337 and never before brought forward in California, was invoked in behalf of Thomas J. Mooney, now serving a life sentence for the Prepared Day explosion in which ten lives were lost.

MAY BE NAVAL DISPLAY ON THE PACIFIC COAST

Vancouver, B. C., April 20.—A naval display on this coast may be staged by the Canadian Pacific coast squadron and the Canadian Air Force within the next few weeks.

FINE RALLY OF 1921 CLASS TO THE FRENCH COLONIES

Paris, April 20.—Reports show that the military class of 1921, called to the colors during April has yielded 210,000 men which is more than 75 per cent of youths twenty years of age who are subject to military service.

Young Syrian Is Killed; Part of City Rocked by Explosion

Charles Random, 18 Years Old, Loses Life as Dynamite Wrecks Shack at Newman Brook Work and Shatters Glass in Houses in Large Area.

As a result of frightful injuries received in an accidental explosion of dynamite at Newman Brook this morning, Charles Random, of 30 Albion street, a Syrian, died soon after being taken to the General Public Hospital.

The accident happened between 11 and 11:30 o'clock. What was the exact cause of the explosion is in doubt and will likely remain a mystery. The shack in which the dynamite was stored was erected on the side of the filling on the southern side of Newman Brook. It was also used for a blacksmith shop and Random was engaged in the work of sharpening drills.

Although very little material was blown into the street, the shock shattered every pane of glass in the fronts of the houses from the bridge along Adelaide road and on the other side of the bridge for more than 100 yards.

The detonation of the explosion caused a hole in the ground under the shack about eight feet in diameter. It is estimated that there were about ten pounds of dynamite on hand. Police Sergeant Rankine, who was on the scene soon after the accident, said that there was evidently a fire in the small forge, and the burning embers were scattered about after the explosion.

An alarm was sent in from box 134 by Frank Shannon, and was responded to by the North Main fire department and No. 2 Salvage Corps. It was realized that Random was seriously injured and instead of waiting the arrival of an ambulance, which was called by telephone, he was placed on No. 2 Salvage wagon and hurried to the hospital.

Mr. Moses, who was nearby at the time, went immediately to central police station and returned to the scene of the explosion in the immediate vicinity of the bridge suffered most severely from the shock of explosion.

While nobody in the houses was injured, some of the occupants were quite badly shocked. One lady said that the sensation was as though the house had been lifted two or three feet from the ground and then dropped heavily back again.

SOME UP; SOME DOWN ON THE NEW YORK EXCHANGE

New York, April 20.—Oils asserted their recent leadership at the irregular opening of today's stock exchange, favorite stocks advancing from large fractions to almost two points.

NOON REPORT

Regardless of more reactionary movements elsewhere, oils, including some of the low price speculative issues, continued to strengthen.

TO BE MARRIED SOON

Among the passengers who arrived in the city yesterday on the C. P. O. S. Melita was Miss Flora McKeever of Manchester, who came to Canada to meet her fiancé, Edmund Gallagher of Woodstock.

As Hiram Sees It

"Hiram," said the Times reporter to Miss Hiram Hornbman, "I received another shock yesterday," he hung for breaking the rules down to City Hall."

"They are all my friends," said Hiram, "We love each other even when we make faces. But this other matter is more serious. I read about the passing of a man not a thousand miles away who had lived an active and very useful life, spent in various capacities in a more or less public capacity, to the limit of his three score years and ten—and I had never heard his name mentioned until I read his obituary."

"That is just the point," said the reporter—"and there is the shock. How many other people may there be who never heard of me and my achievements?"

ROUGHLY SPEAKING, said Hiram, "I'd say about a billion an' a half—more or less."

"Dear me," said the reporter. "But they will hear about me—don't you think?"

"Not a chance," said Hiram. "They got a straight row on what you think other folks think about you—it's all right. I don't know them. They're hoarse; their row an' I'm hoarse mine. If I got a straight row on the fence an' wonder what they think of me. If they come an' see my row an' say 'I don't know you'—I'll be glad to see 'em. If they don't see 'em, they don't see 'em."

CASE OF GIRL WIFE AND MOTHER

Chicago, April 20.—Held too young in years to be a wife and mother, although she is actually both, and too old in experience to go back to school with other children so she may progress far enough to go to work under Illinois statutes, the case of Mary Powhowski, aged 18, and her baby were presented to a juvenile court official today by Miss Bess Sullivan, assistant attorney.

COLONIZATION PARTY ON MELITA

On the S. S. Melita at Sand Point today a colonization or land party numbering ninety-eight. Thirty were cabin passengers and the remaining number were members of the C. P. R. colonization department of the C. P. R.

They were met at the wharf by Captain A. MacDuff and D. K. Whitman, who are also members of the C. P. R. colonization department. Among the new settlers were Col. J. H. Grieve and Commander A. D. Barr.

FEAR NEWFOUNDLAND MAN DROWNED AT NORTH SYDNEY, C. B.

North Sydney, N. S., April 20.—Abe Mumford, young Newfoundland, who was here awaiting deportation to Newfoundland, disappeared from his lodge last night and it is feared has gone over the terminus wharf and been drowned. A cap was found this morning on the wharf.

WEATHER REPORT

Forecast:—Fair and cooler. Maritime—Moderate westerly winds, fair. Thursday, fresh northerly, fair becoming cooler again.

BY-ELECTIONS IN MOTHERLAND

London, April 20.—(Canadian Associated Press.)—In the by-election for the Hastings seat, rendered necessary by the resignation of Lawrence Lyons, formerly of Toronto, there will likely be four candidates.

TRAFFIC CASE

Stephen Melliday appeared in the police court this morning charged with exceeding the speed limit in Sydney street and also not sounding his automobile horn.

BRIAND TO HYTHE TO CONFER WITH LLOYD GEORGE

France Said to Hold She Can Occupy Ruhr Region Herself and Bring Germany to Terms.

London, April 20.—Owing to the inability of Premier Lloyd George to leave the country during the industrial crisis, Aristide Briand, French premier, will cross the channel on Saturday, for a preliminary conference with Lloyd George at Hythe, prior to a discussion of the Allied plans on the question of German reparations.

There is an inclination, especially in Liberal and Labor circles in England, to watch closely any new move on the part of France against Germany, not so much, it is said, because they do not desire to see Germany made weak, but on account of what the further occupation of Germany is likely to cost the already over-burdened taxpayer.

With view to overcoming this, a statement from a French source was issued last night to the effect that the occupation of the Ruhr region could be accomplished solely by French troops; that annexation is not anticipated and that the cutting off of Germany from this source of her coal supplies would bring her to terms.

BODY FOUND; MONEY IS GONE; MURDER FEARED

Windsor, Ont., April 20.—The body of William H. Anderson, aged 49, a fireman in England on next Sunday with Premier Briand and Lloyd George, so it is stated by newspapers here.

BONE DRY AFTER JULY 18, SAYS REV. DR. GRANT

Contest Over Liquor Importation.

Toronto, April 20.—With forty-eight electoral districts of fifty-one heard from and returns from these centres only partially completed, prohibition leaders this morning estimated that Ontario has a majority of 113,645 votes on the compilation made to date.

RIORDAN TAKES ANOTHER SLIDE

Montreal, April 20.—A further drop of 18 1/2 points in the feature of the early trading on the local stock market this morning. This issue, closed at 68 last night, which was a low, opened at 68 this morning, after dropping to 44-1/2.

NATIONAL ANTHEM FOR UNITED STATES

Bill in House at Washington in Favor of Star Spangled Banner.

Washington, April 20.—A bill to make the "Star Spangled Banner" the United States national anthem, was introduced in the house today by Representative Litchfield of Maryland.

LIQUOR SEIZED

A case of whiskey addressed to a former resident of the city, who is now in Boston, was seized by the local liquor inspectors at one of the express offices this morning.

COUSIN OF THE PREMIER TO RUN IN ST. ANTOINE?

Ottawa, Ont., April 20.—Your correspondent has good authority for the statement that the candidate of the Meighen government for St. Antoine division of Montreal, left vacant by the resignation of Sir Herbert Ames, will be General F. S. Meighen, a returned soldier, president of the Lake of the Woods Milling Company, and, it is understood, a cousin of Premier Meighen.

PROMINENT SINN FEINER IS SHOT

Timothy Sullivan Disregarded Halt Order—Collins a Candidate for South Armagh.

Cork, April 20.—Timothy Sullivan, a prominent Sinn Fein, was shot and instantly killed by the constabulary last evening. He was called upon to halt, but ran into a house in Douglas street, and was shot as he was endeavoring to escape through the back of the house.

Sullivan was a juror at an inquest held over the body of the late Lord Mayor MacCurtain, which rendered a verdict of wilful murder against Lloyd George, Viscount French, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland; Ian MacPherson, former chief secretary for Ireland, and others.

Belfast, April 20.—Michael Collins, commander in chief of the "Irish Republican Army," is among the Sinn Fein candidates selected to represent South Armagh in the northern parliament.

Dublin, April 20.—A fight which resulted in numerous casualties occurred on Monday evening near Ballymurphy, County Carlow, when a patrol of crown militia drilled, according to an official statement, five of the civilians are believed to have been killed and two wounded, while six of them were captured, together with a quantity of arms.

Dublin, April 20.—Police Constable Kelly and Heberington were taken from a train last evening near Ballyroses, County Sligo, and murdered by armed men, who held up the train for two hours.

Paris, April 20.—British and French military leaders will confer at Hythe, England on next Sunday with Premier Briand and Lloyd George, so it is stated by newspapers here.

Paris, April 20.—Georges Carpentier, champion heavyweight pugilist of Europe will sail for the U. S. on the S. S. La Savoie on May 7. He will be accompanied by Francis DeWacques, his manager. On April 30, Carpentier will referee a fight between two French heavyweights, Paul Journe and Miller. If Journe should win the bout, he will accompany Carpentier to the U. S.

IRISH AND INDIA

Resolution of American Association for Recognition of Irish Republic.

Chicago, April 20.—Immediate recognition of Ireland "as a free and sovereign state," by the United States was asked in resolutions adopted last night at the closing session of the first annual convention of the "American Association for the Recognition of the Irish Republic."

CHILD BURIED IN AFTERNOON; OTHER DIES SAME NIGHT

Particularly sad was the death, late last night, of James T. child of Mr. and Mrs. Hillman C. Matthews, 22 Rock street. Of the two children in the family, Ronald E., an infant son, died on Monday and was buried yesterday afternoon, and the remaining child, James, a boy of five years, died last night.

EXCHANGE TODAY

New York, April 20.—Sterling exchange steady. Demand 3.92 1/2; cables 3.92 1/2; Canadian dollars 11 1/2-16 per cent discount.

COAL DIGGERS REAFFIRM DEMAND FOR NATIONAL WAGE BOARD AND NATIONAL WAGE POOL—SAY LLOYD GEORGE HAS NOT GRASPED ESSENTIAL FEATURES.

London, April 20.—British mine owners, who met here yesterday, announced last night that the meeting had completed proposals which would be submitted in an effort to secure a settlement of the coal strike. These proposals, it was declared, met many of the demands of the miners and would care for men who were inadequately paid.

It is improbable that the mine owners and coal diggers will meet before Friday, and in the meantime the coal shortage is becoming acute in London and other large cities in England.

Men's Demand Reaffirmed

Demands for the establishment of a national wage board and a national wage pool have been reaffirmed by large majorities by district committees of miners throughout the country, so it is said by the Daily Herald, the organ of labor. It says that these meetings, which were held preparatory to a conference of the Miners' Federation of Great Britain here on Friday, stood fourteen to one in favor of the demands of the union.

A statement was issued by the Miners' Federation last night declaring that Premier Lloyd George's address in the House of Commons on Monday did not carry the possibility of a settlement any further than it stood last week.

The statement declares that Lloyd George "has not yet grasped the essential features of the national wage pool, and that he is 'obsessed by the view that the miners demand a pool of profits, whereas their proposal is remote from the averaging of profits."

It is suggested that there shall be levied a certain amount on each ton of coal, this money being used for the purpose of establishing a national wage pool. It is proposed that the sum levied should be figured as one of the elements of the cost of production. The statement asserts that this method of providing funds for the pool is perfectly feasible, but that the mine owners have refused to accept it "on inadequate and mistaken grounds."

CARPENTIER TO SAIL ON MAY 7

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Des Moines, Iowa, April 20.—Pinkie Mitchell, of Milwaukee, won his tenth round bout with the champion of Cleveland, here last night. In the ninth round Mitchell gave Delaney a good beating.

RETIRED TAKE ANOTHER SLIDE

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RUMMAGE SALES

Several rummage sales were held in the city today. The Women's League of St. David's church held a rummage sale at 233 Union street. It will be continued for two more days.

A successful rummage sale was held this morning under the auspices of St. Monica's Catholic Ladies' Benefit Society, at the corner of Brusse and Brunswick streets. Mrs. Richard O'Brien was general convener, with Mrs. Atkinson and Mrs. L. Comeau, as sub-conveners, who were assisted by ladies of the society.

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