

## BANDITS HOLD UP ANOTHER TORONTO BANK

### London Diamond Hunters Stranded In British Guiana

### HAZING'S BANNED AT UNIVERSITY; OFFICIALS FEAR NO VIOLATIONS

Wild Initiation of Freshmen Will Replace Former Rough-house Methods.

### DEAN IS CONFIDENT

First Year Men Gave Seniors Real Battle at Last Opening.

There will be no hazing at the University of Western Ontario this year.

Freshmen who are making their first appearance in the circles of higher education can attend the first lectures at the "U" with no fear of being rushed off their feet by a crowd of second-year men and tossed around like a football.

The edict against hazing has gone forth from the powers that be and the only ritual that newcomers will have to go through will be a mild initiation, extremely mild indeed, as compared with the hazing of former years.

Certain limits on the ordeal to be gone through by freshmen have been imposed by the faculty, and no more fond parents bemoan the fact that their offspring have to suffer the tortures of the damned through the too-enthusiastic welcome of their seniors at university.

In past years the new student was wise if he wore his oldest clothes and visited the campus the first day imbued with the idea that discretion is the better part of valor, for the more resistance shown to the peculiar fancies of the second-year men, the worse the predicament which the fresher found himself in. He never knew whether he was going to be sent home in a S. V. D.'s or whether he would be sent in a fur coat and a straw hat. Some of them doubtless wondered whether they would ever get home.

Wore Old Clothes.

One initiation at a university far from London was unique, in that the freshmen were made to feel the value of their position, and for a long time were teased about it. On this occasion the freshmen were made to provide themselves with a motor car, consisting of an engine and string of cars, and in the middle of the day they paraded along the main street of the city, pulling those toys after them, shouting as they went, "Choo-choo" or "Ding-dong."

The freshmen were lined up to receive them, and they did with open arms and fists. A real rough-house ensued, in which the freshmen nearly won, but due to lack of organization the effort failed and ended in ignominious surrender.

### Sorted Out Shoes.

Then, with their faces painted, minus shoes and their clothes torn to ribbons, the freshmen were taken into waiting motor cars and taken to the market square. Here they were formed up into single file and, performing the lock-step, marched to the federal square.

Here their shoes were thrown in a huge pile and they were told to sort them out and go home. They did, and doubtless parents had many shocks when they saw the son who started out clad in fine raiment come home in rags and tatters.

But this year the story will be of that. No rough house will be tolerated, and according to Dean Fox, the students understand this and will carry out the order.

### POLICE MAGISTRATE HAS LENGTHY COURT SESSION

Magistrate Graydon disposed of one of the heaviest police court dockets in weeks today. Thirty-one names were on the blotter when the magistrate mounted the bench. The session lasted one and three-quarter hours.

Frank Hunter pleaded guilty to selling cigarettes to a minor. He was fined \$10 and costs.

Four citizens paid \$5 and costs for breaches of the motor vehicle act.

### BRITISH SEAPLANE SINKS DURING TEST AT COWES

Associated Press Despatch.

Cowes, Isle of Wight, Sept. 27.—One of the two British seaplanes entered for the international races for the Schneider seaplane trophy tomorrow, sank and sank in deep water during a seaworthiness test for entrants this morning.

Kenworthy, the pilot, narrowly escaped death, being carried under by the machine, but rose to the surface and was rescued.

RIDING STOLEN BICYCLE.

A youngster of fifteen was summoned to police court today, charged with riding a bicycle after dark without a light. It developed that the "bike" had been stolen, the magistrate transferring the case of the juvenile court.



STUDENTS OF LONDON'S NEW COLLEGE.

Here we have the young men attending the Catholic College of Philosophy on Queen's avenue east, with two of their teachers.

Those in the picture are: Back row, left to right—John Gibbons, Patrick Gleason, Rev. W. Flannery, S.D.P., Rev. F. T. Brennan, S.T.L., principal of the school; Thomas McCarthy, T. J. O'Neill, Frank McCaughey and Cyril Doyle. Second row—Ignatius O'Neill, James Mascari, William Phelan, Leo Kenny, Leo Flynn, S. McDonald, James Fallon and James Byrne. Bottom row—Remi Durand, Philip Pocock, Aubrey Lucier, Patrick Brown, T. J. Maloney and L. Wemple.

## BANDITS HOLD UP BANK IN TORONTO, SCOOP UP MONEY, MAKE GETAWAY

Manager of Branch of Bank of Nova Scotia Felled by Robbers.

### ESCAPE IN CAR

Special to The Advertiser.

Toronto, Sept. 27.—Three men entered the St. Clair avenue west branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia this afternoon, held up the manager, teller and two lady customers, who were in the office, scooped all available money from the teller's counter into a big black bag and got clear away.

The amount taken by the bandits is at present unknown. LeRoy Oke, manager of the branch, was hit on the head with a revolver when he attempted to resist. He recovered as the bandits were going out, and with blood streaming from his wounds he chased the fleeing men down the street. A few blocks away, however, they mounted a standing automobile and sped off.

The staff were able to close the vault door and save most of the cash, while Manager Oke was attacked and knocked out. The bandits escaped in a motor car.

Besides Mr. Oke, there were two young women employees of the bank in the office, Miss Gertrude Armstrong of 22 Glenholme avenue, and Miss Margaret Switzer of 238 Arlington avenue.

## Will Give Prize For Best Colors

A competition productive of much interest among collegiate students is being held at the London East Collegiate, where the question of school colors is being decided.

I. Goldstick has offered a cash prize for the student who turns in the winning combinations of colors, the final decision to rest with a committee who will make the results known tomorrow night, and on Monday the school will blossom forth with the colors that will be borne by its athletes and scholars.

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SUPREME PHYSICIAN DIES

Associated Press Despatch.

St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 27.—Dr. Edward W. Buckley, 63, supreme physician of the Knights of Columbus, died last night. Dr. Buckley was an international figure in the affairs of the order. His last re-election as supreme physician of the Knights of Columbus took place Aug. 8 at Montreal.

## ANGRY MOB OF UNEMPLOYED DEMAND INCREASED DOLES

Poplar, Suburb of British Capital, Is Scene of First Instance of Violence On Part of England's Jobless Men.

By HAL O'FLAHERTY.

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London, Sept. 27.—The first signs of violence on the part of English unemployed appeared yesterday night, when an angry mob captured the town hall of Poplar, one of London's poorest suburbs.

The jobless is considered of grave significance of what is in store for the country during the coming winter.

Flocks to the town hall when the rumor spread that the board of guardians, which corresponds to the county board of supervisors in the United States, had threatened to reduce the weekly dole for the district.

## LONDON SCIENTIST IS HOME AFTER TRIP TO CALIFORNIA VIEWING ECLIPSE OF SUN

Prof. H. R. Kingston Says Though the Expedition Partly Failed, It Had Much Value.

### NOTABLE ASSEMBLY

Scientists From All Parts of World Gathered at Catalina Island to Study Phenomenon.

Professor H. R. Kingston of Western University and Mrs. Kingston arrived back in London at 5 a.m. today after having been members of the Yerkes Observatory expedition which traveled to Catalina Island, off the coast of California, to view the recent eclipse of the sun and to take photographs of the sun's corona.

Talking to The Advertiser, Professor Kingston stated that, although they had failed in the object of their expedition owing to clouds obscuring the sun, nevertheless the trip had been worthwhile in other ways.

The London savant was a member of a party of 30 prominent scientific men and women, sent to the island by the observatory, and he stated that among the group were those which later joined it were many names known the world over in science, among them being Miss Cannon, world famous astronomer of Harvard; Professor Rodes of Spain; several professors from Kyoto, Japan; and a group from the Ohio Wesleyan College.

Many of the instruments and observations, Mrs. Kingston acted as assistant to Miss Cannon.

Leaving Catalina, Professor and Mrs. Kingston spent some time in Pasadena and Los Angeles, where they attended the meetings of the American Astronomical Society, at both of which meetings they were made welcome and met many famous personages in the world of science.

Visits were also paid to Mount Wilson Observatory and the one at Mount Lick. While at the meeting of the astronomical society, Professor Kingston saw photographs of the eclipse taken by a party in Mexico, and he stated that they were remarkably distinct in every particular.

Asked whether the party had felt any of the tremors that might have accompanied the disastrous earthquake in Japan, he said that they had not, but that instruments at the island had registered them as being very intense.

"It was really too bad," he concluded, "that after all our preparations, that the earthquake of the day should have been so disastrous. It is all of all should have been a disaster. The weather forecasts were for excellent weather, but it was just one of those things which sometimes happen. We had wonderful instruments and a learned body of people, but to no avail. However, we will have better luck next time. Out of the 42 days which the party was camped on the island, only six days were unfavorable, and one of them had to be the day of the eclipse."

There will be no eclipse visible on the continent until 1925, according to the professor, but at that time it will start near Toronto and finish in the eastern states.

For the past few days, Professor and Mrs. Kingston have been visiting his brother, Dr. E. A. Kingston, Lockport, Illinois.

## BELIEVE BANK ROBBERS ARE HIDING IN CHICAGO

Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto, Sept. 27.—That the gang who on August 24 last shot and robbed the Toronto bank messengers have long since left the city is the belief of those engaged in the hunt, says the Evening Telegram today.

Recent happenings have made it almost certain that they are in or about Chicago. No credence is given to "warnings" of a renewed attempt at robbery here. The note received by the manager of the clearing house on Tuesday was a piece of coarse paper with a "tip" in printed letters that the Dominion automobile was to be held up.

These informal gatherings have been started at his instigation in order, he said, to inculcate a better feeling of co-operation between the different officials and departments.

What transpired at the last city officials' gathering. The salary question was heralded abroad as one of the chief items for consideration, with the result that Mayor Wenig and seven or eight of his aldermen showed up and practically wrested the control of the meeting from the hands of the officials.

Certain salary recommendations were made after an exhaustive and wordy session, and when the greater number of the aldermen had become disgusted and left. These recommendations are still on file pending the arrival of the Bunnell report.

AMERICANS OPERATE MINES.

Associated Press Despatch.

Moscow, Sept. 27.—Twenty-eight skilled United States miners, with more than 100 tons of machinery and implements, have gone to the Tomsk district to operate the Ousneizk mines.

## CITY TREASURER EXPECTS DEFICIT BY UNESTIMATED EXPENDITURES

Several Thousands of Dollars Must Be Raised If Overdraft Is To Be Avoided.

### FAIR DEFICIT

Proposed Gift to Japan Likely To Hit Civic Treasury To Extent of \$12,000.

"If all the proposed expenditures, not provided for in the 1923 estimates, are to be met, several thousands of dollars must be discovered somewhere to avoid an overdraft," City Treasurer James Bell announced today.

Just where the aldermen are going to secure this money he is at a loss to know. The 1923 estimates of the several municipal departments, governed by the city council, were slashed "to the bone," as he reminds, and while none of these branches of city activity anticipate overdrafts, they likewise do not expect a great surplus, if any.

In the first instance the council must provide for its share of the cost of the British survey—a matter of roughly \$2,500. The remainder of this was to be provided by donations from representative citizens who as well as aldermen, desired several investigations clear the air.

Fair and Juvenile Court.

Then there is the request from the Western Fair directorate for the sum of nearly \$10,000. But half of this sum was placed in the estimates, Mr. Bell points out, and the remainder—a matter of about \$4,000—must be found somewhere if the aldermen are to keep their word with the Western Fair directors and management.

The establishment and maintenance of the newly created juvenile court was not included in the 1923 estimated expenditures, meaning another outlay of probably more than \$2,000. Mr. Wenig believes that the city police department will yield a comfortable surplus from which can be taken a sum to cover the juvenile court payments. Others in touch with the police department differ in this stand, however.

Gift to Japan.

The Old Boys' Association is asking for another grant of from \$1,000 to \$1,500, and the Leon reward of \$500 was not incorporated in the estimates. And in addition to this has come the request for a grant in aid of the stricken Japanese.

While no action can be taken in this instance until Monday's session of the city council, City Treasurer Bell says that the city will consider the matter among the members of the finance committee and others about a donation in the neighborhood of one-fifth of a mill, or \$12,000. This would be another extraordinary expenditure.

And there is no special fund available for the account yet to be provided for, the city treasurer reminds, and he is puzzled today to see how an overdraft is to be avoided.



HEADS THE G. W. V. A.

Harry Wray, who was elected president of the local G. W. V. A. last night, also the president of the Western Ontario Regional Command of the Provincial Veterans' Alliance, and on executive of the Provincial Alliance. He has always been a keen worker and organizer on behalf of the G. W. V. A.

## UNFAVORABLE WEATHER RETARDS GRAIN SHIPMENT

Canadian Press Despatch.

Winnipeg, Sept. 27.—Unfavorable weather conditions during the last few days were reflected in the number of cars of grain handled by the inspection bureau here yesterday. Inspections showed a decrease of 432 cars as compared with the same date last year. The total for Wednesday was 1,770 cars, of which 1,459 were contract grades. On the same date last year 2,202 cars were inspected.

Coarse grains handled by the bureau yesterday aggregated 237 cars, making the total inspection of all grains 2,007 cars.

## BAVARIA FACES CIVIL UPRISING WHEN FACTIONS FAIL TO AGREE

Adolph Hitler, Socialist, Refuses To Declare Allegiance to New Regime.

### VON KAHR REGENT

German States Placed Under State of Siege by Proclamation.

By HIRAM K. MODERWELL.

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Berlin, Sept. 27.—A virtual state of war was declared in Bavaria today between Adolph Hitler, National Socialist leader, and Dr. Von Kahr, general commissioner of the state for Bavaria.

An uprising by the Hitler troops is feared at any time.

The Berlin government has issued an order placing the Prussian police under the authority of the national minister of war.

Stresemann Surprised.

Chancellor Stresemann, surprised and indignant at a state of siege, issued without previous notice to him, considers the proclamation illegal and today insisted that it be altered to legal form, acknowledging the authority of the national government.

Some means is being sought without hurting Bavarian susceptibilities. It is feared that the Bavarians intend to make the present conditions permanent, with Von Kahr as regent, until the throne can be formally cancelled tonight.

Defence Minister, Frick Rupprecht, is feared that the Bavarian action will cause Saxony and Thuringia to become still redder, thus hastening an attack by Adolph Hitler's forces favoring secession of the Rhineland from the Reich.

The passive resistance ordinance will be formally cancelled tonight, after that time, Dr. Von Kahr has forbidden meetings of Hitler Socialist adherents. Reports from Munich state that the Hitler forces are organized for a speedy attack.

Under State of Siege.

Germany is under a limited state of siege today, under proclamations issued by President Ebert early this morning.

The proclamation followed news from Bavaria that Gustav Von Kahr had been named dictator, and had declared limited martial law in that state.

There was every indication the government is prepared to deal severely with any attempt at Bavarian opposition to its action yesterday in proclaiming the end of resistance in the Ruhr.

Defence Minister, Gessler, under given wide executive powers, becoming virtually dictator of the German Reich. Constitutional guarantees are partly suspended.

The proclamation cancels temporarily laws concerning the freedom of speech and the press and freedom of assembly. Existing laws against treason, demonstrations and activities dangerous to the nation are stiffened.



HONOR FOR COL. COLES.

Colonel W. Coles, president of the G. W. V. A. for the past year, was elected honorary president for life with executive powers, at last night's meeting of the association. This exceptional honor is the reflection of the work that Colonel Coles has performed during his term of office for the G. W. V. A.

## BALDWIN STATES GREAT BRITAIN AND FRANCE ARE AGAIN FRIENDLY

British Premier Says Conference With Poincare Restored Confidence.

### ENTENTE ESSENTIAL

Associated Press Despatch.

Northampton, Eng., Sept. 27.—Prime Minister Stanley Baldwin, speaking here today, declared that his conference with Premier Poincare in Paris last week had had the effect of restoring the former good relations between France and Great Britain.

The atmosphere of restraint and almost of distrust that prevailed between the two countries when the office had been changed, he said, into one of mutual confidence.

"I think," said the prime minister, "that there is now, both in Paris and London, recognition of the importance of the entente in this way—that without it a European settlement would be far more difficult."

"The best hope of settlement lies in the intimate relationship between France and this country."

Poincare added was necessary for solution of the situation confronting Europe.

## Ferguson Says Trip 'Wonderful'

Toronto, Sept. 27.—"It has been the most wonderful experience of my life," said Premier Ferguson on his return this morning from the James Bay trip, "I had breakfast yesterday morning at Moose Factory—and this morning I had breakfast in Toronto. How's that?"

Moose Factory is 700 miles north of Toronto. The premier, lieutenant-governor and Hon. Dr. Cochrane made their return trip by aeroplane from Moose Factory to Moonbeam, on the Transcontinental, west of Cochrane, covering the 180 miles or so in two and a half hours.

## YOUTHS ADMIT STAGING PRACTICE WITH RIFLE

William Dobson, George Kent, Cecil McKenzie, Gordon Fleming and Clarence Henshaw all admitted in police court today that they had indulged in a little rifle practice last Saturday afternoon in the vicinity of the Ontario Hospital side road.

They claimed that the shooting was done outside the city limits, but J. Lavender, the complainant, stated they were within the city proper. He stated they had shot a hole through a mail box.

After lecturing the boys, the magistrate discharged them with a warning not to repeat the offence.

## MAYOR THINKS FORECASTED RAILWAY VALUE REASONABLE

Expresses Opinion That \$900,000 About Represents the Figure Beck Will Recommend.

"It sounds reasonable to me," that is what Mayor Wenig has to say about the prediction in railway engineering circles that the London Street Railway corporation is worth in the neighborhood of \$900,000.

And his worship is impressed with other figures predicted—that the Street Railway authorities in turn will ask about \$1,700,000 for their holdings or about double the maxi-

## YOUNG EXPLORER MAY HAVE DIED ON DIAMOND HUNT IN GUIANA WILDS

George A. MacGillivray Credits Story of Party's Having Financial Difficulties.

### ATTENDANTS DESERT

Received Letter From Son Stating Prospects of Expedition Were Good.

Word reached London today that the expedition of young Canadians who went to British Guiana, South America, in search of diamonds is stranded in the interior without funds. The report stated one of the party was dead, two in hospital, and the remainder deserted by their black guides. Lester MacGillivray, a young Londoner, was in the party.

George A. MacGillivray, Bellevue Heights, his father scarcely could place credence in the report that the expedition had failed, "for," he said, "I received a very hopeful letter from him only a few days ago, dated August 12."

This letter was brought out of the interior by a native who brought out the news of the death of young Stokes of Sarnia at the same time, to be called to his family.

They had some trouble with the second party of natives they took with them, my son said, having much difficulty in trying to induce them to go with them.

Fortune in Gold.

"They reported they had commenced to find diamonds, but didn't say of what quality they were. They saw gold in great quantities and they say the natives could make a fortune in gold alone. They didn't bother with it. They were seeking the diamonds."

"I believe this story about their being out of funds was given by the men who deserted the party. They got 'cold feet,' and would not go into the interior."

"They had enough money to last them two years. I don't think they are out of funds."

"The last I heard from my son he was going on a month's trip with one attendant, and was taking a month's supplies with him."

Their doctor deserted them at Georgetown, and that was quite a handicap, for there was a lot of fever in that country.

"No," I can hardly believe the story about their being out of funds is right. My son would have said something in his letter if anything had been wrong."

The party of young Canadian adventurers with whom MacGillivray left was in good financial condition when it left Canada. Each member of the party was required to furnish \$4,000.

According to the young Londoner's last letter, one set of apparatus for their work had been set up, and they were planning to set up four more similar sets.

## INCURS SERIOUS BURNS FROM LIVE HYDRO WIRE

Francis McMillan Lies in St. Joseph's Hospital in Critical Condition.

Francis McMillan, a lineman employed by the Hydro Electric, was badly burned when he was in contact with a live wire on concession four of home of Frank White, M.P. A telephone call to Oatman's Funeral Parlors resulted in a speedy run by the injured man was brought into the hospital in twelve minutes, and St. John was brought into the hospital, where Dr. Robert Ferguson attended him. He was removed to St. Joseph's Hospital, and was reported to be in a serious condition at noon today.

## THE WEATHER

FORECASTS.

Moderate southerly winds; fair and warm today and most of Friday. Pressure is high from the Great Lakes eastward and in the far northwest, where the weather is a trough of low pressure extending from Hudson Bay to the southwest.

The weather is fine throughout the Dominion.

Stations—High Low Weather

Victoria ..... 64 46 Clear

Winnipeg ..... 68 56 Cloudy

Port Arthur ..... 68 50 Clear

Parry Sound ..... 74 53 Fair

Toronto ..... 72 60 Fair

Kingston ..... 80 66 Rain

Ottawa ..... 80 58 Rain

Montreal ..... 70 56 Cloudy

Quebec ..... 64 48 Cloudy

Father Point ..... 46 30 Fair

St. John ..... 58 46 Fog

Halifax ..... 58 34 Fog

LOCAL TEMPERATURE

The highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. night were: Highest, 88°; lowest, 68°.

The official temperature 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. night was: Highest, 88°; lowest, 68°.

Barometric Reading—Wednesday—8 p.m.—Today—8 a.m.—23.34.