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SEEKING WAY OUT OF THEIR TROUBLE

Unionists' Plans, Now That Balfour Has Resigned

WOULD LIKE HIM TO STAY One Suggestion is to Have Him Retain Leadership, With Working Lieutenant—His Action Regarded as Event of Great National Importance

(Canadian Press) London, Nov. 9.—The resignation of the slight Hon. A. J. Balfour, of the leadership of the Unionist party, which he announced yesterday, is an event of prime importance not only from a party point of view, but as a fact in the national annals.

With the single exception of Pitt, Mr. Balfour has been leader of the House of Commons longer than any other man in parliamentary history, and the qualities he has displayed have won for him the universal tribute of being one of the first parliamentarians of the world. His resignation is to his party, as Viscount Midleton says, an almost irreparable loss, and spokesmen of all parties agree that his withdrawal will leave a great gap. He is not retiring from parliament, at his attendance there will presumably be limited. In the present session, he has only twice been present at debates. There are some passages in the speech of Mr. Balfour yesterday, which are of world-wide interest, because of their human note. "You may say," he said, "I am not yet sixty-four, and that I ought to have, if health be spared me, many years of active life before me. About that no man can say anything. I desire to leave the position of heavy responsibility, which I hold, before I can be suspected of suffering from the most insidious of all diseases—a disease which comes upon those who, without losing their health or their intellect, nevertheless get somewhat retired in the old mansions of the world, and whose authority grows because they have been in the public service or have been great men of science or business, or whatever it may be, but who cannot deal with the great problems which, in this changing world, are gradually arising, with all the freshness and elasticity realizable in those who have the contact of great concerns.

"No man ever knows in himself, when that moment has come. A man knows as in the case of a man whose memory begins to fail, or some other obvious sign of decay is present on his face. But the sort of malady of which I am speaking, may attack people in the prime of life, in the prime of intellectual vigor, as it has done in the case of those who are of less capable, also, but younger.

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LONDON'S NEW LORD MAYOR INAUGURATED

Dr. Crosby Probably Oldest Citizen to Fill the Position

London, Nov. 9.—Sir Thomas Bore Cray, M. D., was today inaugurated lord mayor of London, with the time honored street show. The chief feature was in a pageant and tableaux representative of the naval and military history of Great Britain in the period from Queen Elizabeth to Waterloo.

Sir Thomas is the 723rd mayor of the city and as he is eighty-one years of age, he is one of the oldest if not the oldest citizen to occupy the office.

TRAGEDY OF AN EMPRESS

Charlotte of Mexico Hopelessly Insane For Years Under the Burden of Her Troubles

Paris, Nov. 9.—The tragedy of an empress is recalled by some curious tidings coming from Bouchoat, the residence of the ex-empress Charlotte of Mexico, who became insane on the execution of the Emperor Maximilian by the Mexican rebels in 1867. According to the "Empress," who is regarded as hopelessly insane, she recently pronounced the name of her husband for the first time since she became demented.

The Emperor Maximilian, who was the younger brother of the Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria, in the midst of the growing opposition of the Mexican revolutionaries, sent his empress, who was the sister of the late King of the Belgians, to Paris, to appeal for help to the Emperor Napoleon.

After a most painful interview with the French Emperor, in which the Empress Charlotte pleaded desperately for her husband, she retired—having failed to accomplish anything—to Italy, where her mind gave way beneath the strain of her troubles.

The ex-empress lives in the most complete retirement, seeing only her nurse, her lady-in-waiting, and her physicians. She spends much of her time going long walks in the park of Bouchoat, and is in good bodily health, contrary to unfavorable reports recently in circulation.

SUCCESSOR TO JUDGE MACMAHON IN ONTARIO

Toronto, Nov. 9.—The Mail and Empire says that the seat left vacant in the high court of justice for Ontario by the death of Judge MacMahon, will be filled by the appointment of High T. Kelly, K. C., law partner of Hon. J. F. Poy, M. P., a prominent Conservative and Catholic. He was born in Simcoe county in 1838.

Washington, Nov. 9.—As a step toward putting a systematic check on the rapidly increasing white slave traffic in the United States, representatives of the department of justice are establishing in New York, Baltimore and other large cities bureaus which will devote their entire time to looking after these subjects.

A census of the tenderloin districts of Baltimore has been taken by representatives of the department, who have established a working bureau there. Every person, male and female, connected either directly or indirectly with the house of questionable character has been required to fill out a blank card in which the complete history of the person is given. Copies of this card have been made and will be retained in Baltimore. The originals have been forwarded to Washington, where it is understood, a parent bureau will be established.

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With the opening of the bureau the officials will use the cases in this city to experiment. The occupants of the various houses in Baltimore and other cities are to be compelled to report to the white slave bureau here whenever any of them contemplate either leaving or arriving. On arrival, the bureau will be required immediately to fill out a record card.

The department not only is paying attention to the occupants of the questionable houses, but is getting a line on the owners of the buildings, the persons supplying food, drink, furniture, fixtures. This information also is being compiled, and the officials say it will greatly assist in their work of stamping out the evil.

ITALIAN LEADER AND HIS STAFF IN THE WAR WITH THE TURKS



General Canova and his staff, chief officers of the Italian army in Tripoli, and accused of gross cruelties to Arab and Turk women and children in Tripoli.

FINANCING SOUTHAMPTON BRANCH LINE

Frederton Hears That Rodolphe Forget Has Undertaken to Several Want Vacant Post in Government Service

Frederton, N. B., Nov. 9.—(Special)—It is understood that Rodolphe Forget, M.P., president of the Basque International, has undertaken to finance the construction of the Southampton branch railway. J. R. Pinder, promoter of the route, has a provincial bond guarantee of \$10,000 a mile, and it is said he has promised dominion subsidy.

The names of Lewis H. Bliss, Harry Blair, and F. P. Robinson, are mentioned in connection with the vacant secretaryship in the board of works office. All now hold government jobs of some sort. Mrs. Samuel Cassidy, whose husband died only a short time ago, passed away here last night.

The government dredge which has been operating near Crofton, has arrived here.

CARD INDEX SYSTEM AS CHECK ON WHITE SLAVE WORK IN STATES

Department of Justice Compiling Records of the Underworld—Applies to all Large Cities

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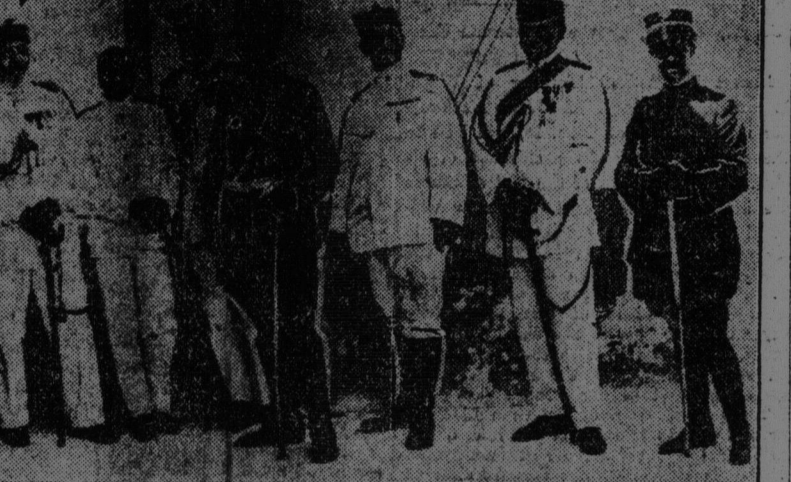
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ANOTHER CHAIN OF MURDERS; CHICAGO POLICE BELIEVE



Like the Vermilya Case Only Pistol is Used, Instead of Poison—Mrs. John M. Quinn Under Arrest as a Suspect

Chicago, Nov. 9.—Detectives made by detectives investigating the death of John M. Quinn in his home at 1108 South Michigan avenue last Saturday lead them to believe that they have encountered a murder mystery similar in its essential aspects to the Vermilya case, except that a pistol instead of poison is alleged to have been used.

When the police arrived, Quinn told them that he had been asleep in bed. They learned also that his mother, who lived with him, had died under circumstances that have never been explained.

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CANTON LOWERS THE DRAGON FLAG



Manchu Section is Devasted—Massacre and Piracy in the News Today—Rebels Set Prisoners Free—Japan Anxious Over the General Situation

Hong Kong, Nov. 9.—Canton, the capital of Kwang Tung province and the largest in China, formally declared its independence at noon today when the dragon flag was lowered and a salute in honor of the new government was fired.

Amoy, Nov. 9.—The city of Fu Chow, capital of this province, is in the hands of the revolutionists today. After taking it, they wiped out the entire Manchu district. The foreign settlements have not been disturbed, but fires have broken out in several sections of the native city, threatening its destruction. Fu Chow is one of the most important cities in the south, having a population of 700,000.

The situation in Amoy is quiet today, but a serious state of affairs is threatened, owing to the scarcity of provisions. Most of the city's supply of junk were captured by pirates in a spectacular raid yesterday. The entire crew of one ship was massacred.

A revolt of troops in the village of Anhai, fifty miles north of this city, is causing trouble there. The soldiers burned the magazines, yamen, and the provincial customs house.

Changsha, Province of Hunan, China, Nov. 1.—Via Shanghai, Nov. 9.—A state bordering on anarchy exists here, owing to the desperate trains of the revolutionist leaders, who took possession of the city a few days ago. The two most prominent rebels are General Chen and General Tang. They had been very jealous of each other's position, but the soldiers had taken up strenuously by their followers.

Foreign women and children have been ordered to leave Shang Tao and a similar order has been sent to Chang Te. Other important cities in the province have joined in this revolt, but in all of them the revolutionists are conducting the government peacefully.

Why Wu Was Killed Tien Tain, Nov. 9.—Details of the murder of General Wu Lu Chong, on November 7, at the military encampment at Shikia Chuang, have been brought in by fugitive railway guards. They say that the Manchu troops suspected General Wu of co-operating with General Chang Shao Tsen in command of the Lanhsan in a plan to attack Peking from the north and south simultaneously. The Manchus who came under a white flag. They believed that he was arranging for the camp at Shikia Chuang was started by the rebels, but they were taken up with these men.

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DRAWS WORD OF CAUTION FROM THE MINISTER



These Rush Marriages Dangerous Says Clergyman in Sensational Ontario Case

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 9.—(Special)—Alfred Jarry, who said he was a Porcupine minister, and who arranged to buy two houses, costly motor cars and diamonds, here, married a girl of a week's acquaintance, has drawn the following from the officiating pastor, to whom he gave a bad check. The clergyman, Rev. J. D. Morrow, said: "A great number of young people come to me to be married and in many cases I give them solemn warning as to the evil of marrying in haste. I have repeatedly advised delay when young people come before me after only two or three days or weeks' acquaintance, telling them that they were running a serious risk."

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MUCH LOOT FROM RICH WIDOW'S HOME



Thieves Get Away in Automobiles After Robbing Brooklyn House

New York, Nov. 9.—Burglars, who employed two automobiles to carry away their loot, robbed the home of Mrs. Frederick Joel Swift, a wealthy widow, of 171 Arlington avenue, Brooklyn, yesterday, worth \$7,000. Mrs. Swift, who lives with two maids, was awakened at 2:30 a.m. when she heard a noise in the room, standing in the doorway. She saw a well-dressed man, carrying a derby hat in one hand and a lighted cigar in the other, standing in the doorway.

"I beg your pardon," he said, "I didn't know anybody was in the room. Then he slipped out of the room, closing the door softly behind him. Mrs. Swift slipped on a rug and fell into the hall. She heard voices on the floor below, followed a few moments later by hurried footsteps and the closing of the rear door in the basement.

Her cries brought the two maids from their rooms and they frightened when they mistook told them burglars had entered the house. Running to the rear door, Mrs. Swift opened the door and saw the rear door just in time to hear the chug chug of an automobile starting on Jerome street. The Swift residence being on a corner.

A hurried search of the house showed that the burglars had removed almost everything of value that could be readily handled. A great quantity of silverware, including two costly candlesticks, a rare bric-a-brac brought from Europe by Mrs. Swift when she returned last spring, and a diamond bracelet, were missing. The reserve from the Liberty avenue station were sent out in response to Mrs. Swift's telephone message. Neighbors of Mrs. Swift told the police that two party affiliations in the beginning, would speeded down Jerome avenue following the robbery. A woman was in one of the cars, it was said.

Detectives found two cigarette butts on a table in the library, and a trail of car-broken organization and joining it would show that a young man had a fine spirit.

FOR CHAMPIONSHIP OF C.P.R. IN FIRST AID TO INJURED Tests in St. John, Also All Over Road—Winners in Divisions Arc Then to Meet

Los Angeles, Nov. 9.—Forty-five words suffered for Martin Costello to dispose of an estate worth \$3,000,000. This was disclosed when his will, written by himself, was ordered for probate. It reads as follows: "The last will and testament of Martin Costello, dated at Los Angeles, Cal., March 20, 1910.

"To my beloved wife, May M. Costello, I give and bequeath all my property, both real and personal, and I appoint her administratrix of same to serve without bond.

"MARTIN COSTELLO," Costello came from Ireland to New York when seven years old. He reached Arizona while still a young man and became a prospector. He later owned stock in or had loaned money to every bank in southern Arizona.

PRISON FOR LIFE Ontario Man in Defence Said Blackhand Threats Were Made Against Him Party Sound, Ont., Nov. 9.—Bruno Valbona, charged with the murder of Frank Manella, was found guilty of manslaughter and sentenced by Sir John Boyd to life imprisonment. The defence was self-defence, the prisoner claiming that Manella had made blackhand threats and demands.

BANK CLEARINGS The St. John bank clearings for the week ended today were \$1,843,273, compared with \$1,718,253 for the corresponding week last year.

WEATHER BULLETIN Issued by authority of the department of Marine and Fisheries. R. F. Stupart, director of meteorological service.

Table with columns: Temperature Past 24 Hours, Max., Min., Dir., Vel., and weather conditions for various locations like Antigonish, St. John's, etc.

Bulletin from Central Office. Ceasts—Moderate winds, fair; Friday, westerly winds, fair at first, showers at night.

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