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THE WEATHER

Meteorological Office, Toronto, March 13.—Showers have occurred in the Maritime Provinces, and a few snow flurries in Saskatchewan and Alberta. A shallow depression is situated to-night in the Ohio Valley, causing rain over Lake Erie. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson, 13 below—14; Atlin, 14 below—14; Port Simpson, 34—38; Victoria, 34—50; Calgary, 6—36; Battleford, 4—26; Qu'Appelle, 14—19; Winnipeg, 10 below—22; Port Arthur, 6—26; Parry Sound, 30—40; Toronto, 30—40; Ottawa, 34—40; Montreal, 32—38; Quebec, 30—38; St. John, 30—38; Halifax, 20—26.

Probabilities. Lakes—Light snow or rain in some localities at first, then fair, stationary or slightly lower temperatures. Georgian Bay—Mostly fair; stationary or a little lower temperatures. Ontario—Mostly fair; stationary or slightly lower temperatures. Maritime—Variable winds; fair and mild at first, then showers again by night. Lake Superior—Fair; not much change. Manitoba—Mostly fair; local snow flurries; stationary or a little higher temperatures. Saskatchewan and Alberta—Mostly fair; a few light snow flurries; not much change in temperatures.

THIS BAROMETER.
Time. Ther. Bar. Wind.
8 a.m. 37 29.34 14 N.W.
Noon 39 29.36 14 S.
2 p.m. 41 29.38 14 S.
4 p.m. 40 29.38 8 S.
6 p.m. 39 29.38 8 S.
10 p.m. 38 29.43 8 S.
Mean of day, 38; difference from average 10 above; highest, 41; lowest, 35.

TO-DAY IN TORONTO.

March 14. Service—St. James' Cathedral, 12.30. Empire Club—Prof. G. Oswald Smith on "The Roman Occupation of Britain." The legislature, 3. Children's Aid Society, annual meeting, 220 Simcoe-st. Women's Canadian Historical Society, Canadian Institute, 5. Canadian Club—Address by General Booth, 6.15. Harness, Hunter and Saddle Horse Society, annual meeting, King Edward, 8 p.m. Toronto Boys' Workers' Union, annual meeting, Y.M.C.A., 8. Attorney Hall—The Hall rental, 8. United Empire Loyalists, annual meeting, Canadian Institute, 8.

STEAMSHIP MOVEMENTS.

March 13. At. From. Parnassia, N.Y. Glasgow. Antwerp, N.Y. Liverpool. Trenton, N.Y. New York. Corbiathian, N.Y. Boston. Lake Michigan, N.Y. St. John, N.B. Lake Michigan, N.Y. St. John, N.B. K.W. de Grosse, Bremen. New York. Gregory Merch, St. Michael's. New York. Neustria, N.Y. New York.

DEATHS.

BURGESS—At the Toronto General Hospital, on March 13th, Annie Hunt, widow of John I. Burgess, in her 86th year. Interment at Greenwood, March 14th, on arrival of G.T. train, leaving Toronto at 1 p.m. FENSON—At 42 Mercer-st., March 13th, Frederick H. Fenson. Funeral Friday, private. MCHILL—On Sunday, March 10th, 1907, at New Richmond, Ont., suddenly, of heart failure, Mary Mitchell, dearly beloved daughter of James and Margaret Chisholm.

BRIDE DEAD FROM POISON.

Young Wife Succeeds in Second Attempt at Suicide.
Frederick, N.B., March 13.—(Special.)—Mrs. R. L. Black, formerly Miss Blackmer, a bride three weeks, and a member of a prominent family, took carbolic acid to-day and died two hours later.

She had been engaged with R. L. Black in conducting a women's furnishing store for nine years and was married to him less than a month ago. Black had tried to break off the engagement, but was forced to marry Miss Blackmer by her brothers.

The ceremony was followed by an attempt on the part of the young woman to commit suicide by taking carbolic acid. A doctor saved her life. The leading members of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church and her death has caused a sensation.

DROPS DEAD CHASING FUGITIVE.

Woodstock Policeman Upset in Rig and Expires From Heart Disease.

Woodstock, March 12.—Archibald Pow, a member of the police force here, dropped dead early to-day. In company with Turnkey Forbes, he had gone to Beachville in quest of an escaped prisoner, when, owing to the darkness, the rig partly upset, throwing Pow out. He got up and went to the horses' heads, but almost immediately after dropped dead.

His heart had been troubling him for some months.

STEPHENS FOR SENATE.

Chatham, March 12.—(Special.)—N. A. Stephens, miller of Chatham, is said to be almost certain to take the vacancy in the senate caused by the death of Senator Casgrain.

He is said to have stepped aside not long ago in favor of Hon. George W. Ross, but will insist on getting the honor now.

FOILED BY POLICEMAN.

An attempt to commit suicide on the part of Edward Hill, 37 years of age, of Beachville, was frustrated by a policeman, who arrived on the scene at 10:45 p.m. to intercept a dose of carbolic acid as the man was traveling to the world below.

TO CONTINUE THE CONFERENCE.

(Canadian Associated Press Cable.) London, March 13.—Sir Frederick Pollock has issued a memorandum on Imperial organization, signed by many distinguished men of various parties, which strongly suggests that the colonial conference should be given continuity by means of a permanent secretariat.

JEROME ATTACKS THAW AND HIS YOUNG WIFE BITTERLY

District Attorney Now Eager to Prove Evelyn Nesbit Did Swear to the Hummel Affidavit.

New York, March 13.—After a forenoon session occupied almost entirely by District Attorney Jerome in a bitter denunciation of the defendant and his wife, the trial of Harry K. Thaw was adjourned until to-morrow morning.

The prosecuting attorney found his opportunity to attack Thaw and Evelyn Nesbit in arguing on the question of the admissibility of the testimony which Abraham Hummel, the lawyer, who is under indictment for subornation of perjury in the Dodge-Morse divorce case, has to offer.

It was to enable Delphin M. Delmas, leading counsel for the defense, to consult authorities and frame a reply to Mr. Jerome, who also allowed the latter an opportunity of completing the hypothetical question which he is to put to his experts, that the early adjournment was ordered.

Mr. Jerome declared that the people have to close their rebuttal case to-morrow evening.

During his argument the district attorney took on for the first time since the case began a sustained oratorical tone. He asserted that Hummel would swear Evelyn Nesbit told him three days after her return from Europe in 1906 that Thaw had beaten her, and that she had refused to sign and swear to the papers containing "lies against Stanford White."

Mr. Jerome contended that she had told much more than that. Thaw, he said, had put her in the penitentiary, that Stanford White had never harmed her, and that Thaw was consumed with rage when she refused to sign and swear to the papers containing "lies against Stanford White."

"I think," declared Mr. Jerome, "and that affidavit was subscribed to by Evelyn Nesbit when she knew what she was doing and what the paper contained."

120 STILL UNACCOUNTED FOR IN TOULON DISASTER

Fifty Bodies Recovered From the Iena, Workers Being Driven Back by Deadly Fumes.

Toulon, March 13.—The efforts to recover the bodies of those killed by the explosion on board the French battleship Iena here yesterday, which have been conducted with energy for 24 hours, have not yet resulted in fixing definitely the number of casualties. But after the last roll call to-night there were still unaccounted for eight officers and 110 men.

There is little doubt that all the missing men perished. The roll call was applied only to the crew of the Iena, but it is believed that some twelve or fifteen arsenal hands were engaged on board the battleship at the time of the explosion. It is feared that the total number of dead will reach 120.

All day long weeping mothers, wives and other relatives of the missing men thronged the approaches to the hospital, hoping against hope that their loved ones were still alive and eagerly awaiting the news of their recovery.

Fifty bodies were recovered during the day, but only twelve of them could be recognized.

Deadly fumes drove the workers back time and again.

SENATE WILL NOT INQUIRE INTO THE GIRARD AFFAIR

Absurd, Says Scott, But Sir Mackenzie Bowell Recalls History and Tenders Condolence.

Ottawa, March 13.—(Special.)—In the senate this afternoon, Senator Landry called attention to an interview alleged to have been given by Mr. Girard, M.L.A. for Rouville, Quebec, in which he said he had been nominated by his constituents for the seat of the late Sir William Mackenzie Bowell, but had been appointed Mr. Desaulles with the understanding that he would resign the day of the election, and he (Browder) would take the seat and become leader of the senate.

Hon. Mr. Scott said that the statement showed its absurdity on its face. Mr. Desaulles had been appointed in the ordinary way by the recommendation of his excellency.

Sir Mackenzie Bowell: When I read the article I could not help congratulating myself on the fact that history repeats itself. It is quite evident that my hon. friend has some traitors in his camp, and he is doing them wrong. Every loves company. Under such circumstances I can, from the bottom of my heart, sympathize with my hon. friend.

The only difference between the event to which I have referred and the present occasion is that the hon. gentleman was forewarned and I was not. He can sit in the senate until the next general election, when his place will be usurped by one of his colleagues.

Senator Sullivan thought there was something wrong when Sir William Mackenzie Bowell's place had been so promptly filled, and he regretted that the place had not been filled by the appointment of a man of Sir William's race and religion.

Sir Richard Cartwright said that Sir Mackenzie Bowell or Senator Landry was willing to rise in his place and say that he believed the charges to be true, and that he would undertake to prove them, the house would be bound to make an investigation.

Senator Belue said that the statements in the despatch were, to his mind, absurd. He stood in intimate relation with Mr. Desaulles, and he would say with the greatest assurance that Mr. Desaulles had not even solicited the position and had entered the upper house in the most honorable manner.

Hon. Mr. Scott, replying to Senator Sullivan, said that the senatorial division of Rougemont had been first presented by Mr. Chapleau, a French-Canadian. Sir William Mackenzie Bowell had been appointed in special recognition of his personal and professional position and not merely as a representative of the Irish Catholics. It had been a compliment to the French-Canadians.

Recognizing Minority. Senator Cloran said he would not object to a bill to abolish majority rule in Canada, but as long as the principle of recognizing the minority existed it should be properly maintained. If it were an English-speaking Catholics would be much more largely represented.

Senator David said he thought that the English-speaking Catholics should urge their claims in some district other than Rougemont, where the French-Canadian majority was so large. Sir William on the distinct understanding that it should not perpetually give the seat to English-speaking Catholics. When Baldwin was rejected by Upper Canada he had been given a place by the constituency of Rimouski. What would have been thought if the English had held this as a precedent, which meant that forever after Rimouski should elect an Englishman?

WORST SCARE IN YEARS

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the stock exchange houses were in immediate trouble.

At the low prices of the day, the more important declines from the last night's close were as follows:

Reading, 12 1/4; Union Pacific, 11 1/4; Great Northern, 12; Northern Pacific, 11; Amalgamated Copper, 7 1/4; Chicago and Northwestern, 7 1/4; Canadian Pacific, 7 1/4; St. Paul, 7 1/4; Sugar, 6; Baltimore and Ohio, 5 3/4; Atchafalpa, 5 1/4; Southern Pacific, 5 1/4; Colorado Southern, 4 3/4; Pennsylvania, 4 5/8.

The Canadian markets appear not to have fully appreciated yet the stress which has been met at other financial points, but yesterday's Toronto and Montreal markets were in a highly nervous condition, and in many cases it was reported that stocks were exceedingly difficult of sale, instances being mentioned where it was almost impossible to get a bid for some of the standard securities.

Sir Henry M. Pellatt, who is supposed to be in close touch with Canadian finance, was approached yesterday by The World in his office in the new Bank Building. He evidently was troubled over the pervasiveness of the markets.

"How much lower do you expect prices to go?" Sir Henry was asked. "I don't know," he replied, pointing to the list of quotations which were then being recorded from New York tickers. "They surely cannot fall much more."

"I can only account for this terrible onslaught from the actions of the newspapers and the legislators. They have actually frightened investors altogether out of the markets and everyone feels scared to buy stocks."

"You don't think the money question has anything to do with this?"

"Oh, yes, money is tight, but I don't think that is the entire reason for the break-up in the markets."

Around the various brokers' offices the most nervous kind of feeling existed, and it would have taken little to have made the whole situation as panicky here as it evidently was in New York.

At all the financial centres there is a struggle on for whatever free gold may be had. Some New York financiers on Tuesday secured \$1,000,000 from Holland, and the bank rate was immediately raised to prevent the possibility of any further outlet of the yellow metal.

Local brokers say there is no money to be had. It is not a question of rates, it is purely a matter that relates to the banks' loan companies have a dollar which is not already hypothecated or appropriated in some way.

The chief declines in the Canadian markets yesterday were concentrated in the speculative markets. The Toronto, Mackay, Toronto Railway and Canadian Amalgamated.

Drop Still Lower. Notwithstanding that the stock prices already had suffered heavy declines, they went considerably lower in yesterday's sales, and much apprehension was felt as to the ultimate effect of the large blocks of South American stocks which have been brought into the Canadian markets.

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Locally the interest in the New York market is nothing nearly as heavy as it was some years ago, but the line of accounts still outstanding in that market is of considerable dimensions, and several severe losses were mentioned on the street yesterday.

Among them was one of no less an amount than \$2,000,000, who had taken a strong liking to Missouri Pacific 40 points higher than its present price and had let go within the last few days.

It is estimated that the shrinkage in New York securities during the last week has totaled the enormous sum of \$2,000,000,000, and of this amount the loss to Canadian speculators in January alone is estimated at upwards of \$10,000,000.

Below follows a comparison of yesterday's closing prices of the leading stocks of the leading listed issues:

1906	1907	1908	1909	1910	1911	1912	1913	1914	1915	1916	1917	1918	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032	2033	2034	2035	2036	2037	2038	2039	2040	2041	2042	2043	2044	2045	2046	2047	2048	2049	2050	2051	2052	2053	2054	2055	2056	2057	2058	2059	2060	2061	2062	2063	2064	2065	2066	2067	2068	2069	2070	2071	2072	2073	2074	2075	2076	2077	2078	2079	2080	2081	2082	2083	2084	2
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