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FAN SPOILS A HOMER FOR RUTH

Tries to Catch Ball, But Sends it Into Field.

Other Features in Big League Games Yesterday — Jack Johnson and Wills on Aug. 22—Late Sport News.

New York, July 6.—Babe Ruth would have been credited with two home runs instead of one yesterday had not an enthusiastic fan tried to catch the ball. Ruth's high drive mingled with the clouds and was descending just on the edge of the right field stands when the fan jumped up and batted the ball into the field. Ruth was on third base, but Umpire Conolly sent him back to second under the ground rules.

New York, July 6.—Purchase of outfielder Wm. Cunningham of the Seattle Club, was announced today by the New York Nationals.

Features of Yesterday. New York, July 6.—Thirteen hits for a team total occurred seven times in major league games yesterday and in four cases the team making the batsmen down, was victorious.

Important London Conference on Ireland. Lloyd George Presides at a Meeting at Which General Smuts Makes Report After Return from Dublin—More Shootings.

London, July 6.—Conversations between government leaders and prominent Irishmen relative to some plan by which peace may be obtained in Ireland continued here today.

Southampton, July 6.—The White Star liner Olympic sailed noon today for New York with seventeen Olympic and Cambridge university athletes going to the U. S. for a return competition in track and field events with Harvard and Yale and Cornell and Princeton respectively.

Paris, July 6.—"Sing yourself better," may become a doctor's prescription if the profession accepts the theory of Mr. Frossart, of the Sorbonne.

Paris, July 6.—The negotiations under way for peace in Ireland have not as yet brought about an armistice, and today soldiers were searching pedicelians believed likely to be carrying concealed weapons in the street of Dublin.

More Shootings. Belfast, July 6.—Five men were taken from their homes in the district of Newry, forty-four miles south of here, this morning and were shot. Their bodies were left in a heap by the roadside.

Police Chief's Plan in Cases of Home Trouble. Toronto's Inspector Suggests "Get Together" Office in Each Municipality.

Montreal, July 6.—At the convention of chief constables last night Inspector McKelvey of Toronto urged effort toward prevention of strife in families, and believed each municipality should have an office to which an aggrieved wife or husband could go with her or his troubles and discuss them in secret.

Street Car Men of Dayton Strike. Dayton, Ohio, July 6.—Dayton today was held in the grip of its third street car strike in four years.

CANADIAN HEADS ROTARIANS

Both Train and Trolley Service in a Few Days

Plans Announced This Morning by Both Sides in Dispute. Endeavor Made by City to Have Work Continued on Tracks in Streets Being Paved—Union Members to Receive Union Benefits—Another Parade.

Within a few days the traveling public in the city, who for the past week have been deprived of street car services, will be well supplied with transportation. If plans which were made this morning are carried out, Percy W. Thomson, manager of the New Brunswick Power Company, said that he was organizing with a view to resuming the street car service in a few days and the former employees of the city, who have been out for a week they will start tomorrow receiving a "lock-out benefit," so Ira D. Farris, president of the union, said.

An effort was made by the city this morning to have the power company go ahead with the work on its tracks in Douglas avenue and Brussels street, so that the pavement work will not be delayed. Mayor Schofield, accompanied by G. N. Hatfield, road engineer, and Mr. Stephen, of the Stephen Construction Company, the contractors on the job, waited on Mr. Thomson, the company's manager, and later visited the work.

The mayor said after the meeting that the power company had agreed to resume work on the rails soon and in the meantime the paving work has been re-arranged so that there should be no delay. In Brussels street the concrete foundation under the sides of the street is being laid to the track section.

It was reported that seven new members were initiated at this morning's meeting of the men's union, bringing the total up to between 275 and 280. The meeting will tomorrow start receiving the benefits, amounting on an average to about one-half of the regular pay of the men.

It was announced that all the members of the local union who had gas or electric service in their homes, have ordered their meters removed and some last night burned the old fashioned oil lamps in their homes.

Arrangements were started at this morning's meeting for another parade tomorrow evening. It was said that two bands at least are available.

The company manager said this morning that there was no plan to resume work so far as the company was concerned.

Rotarians at Grave of France's Unknown Hero. Paris, July 6.—More than 500 of the visiting Canadian and U. S. Rotary Club delegates and their wives went to the grave of the unknown soldier in the Place d'Etiole yesterday and stood by silently while Dr. Crawford McCullough of Port William, Ont., president of the International Rotarian organization, laid a wreath on the tomb.

The visiting international officers of the organization were later received by Marshal Joffre in his office. In the afternoon the visitors were tendered a reception by the municipality of Paris.

Death in Moncton. Moncton, N. B., July 6.—Mrs. Mary Ann Binkley, who has been bedfast for several months, died this morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Cuthbertson, in the suburb of St. Charles. She was 71 years of age, was a native of Scotland and the widow of Thomas Binkley, Moncton. Five sons and two daughters survive.

Reported Laurentide Gets Control of Wayagamac Pulp and Paper Co. Three Rivers, Que., July 6.—It is rumored here that the Laurentide Pulp and Paper Co. has secured control of the Wayagamac Pulp and Paper Co. in the district of the Laurentides.

Montreal, July 6.—George Cahoon, Jr., president of the Laurentide Pulp and Paper Company, this morning denied the rumor that his concern had secured control of Wayagamac Pulp and Paper Company.

As Hiram Sees It

"Hiram" said the Times reporter to Mr. Hiram Hornbeam, "how do you handle affairs of public importance in the Settlement? I hear you do it very well."

"So we do," said Hiram. "We get it down line—yes, sir."

"I would like to learn about your system," said the reporter. "Well," said Hiram, "whenever we choose a committee, or anything like that, we look round for the meekest critter we can find and 'elect' 'em to do the job."

"But that is absurd," said the reporter. "No it ain't," said Hiram. "You come out yourself and you'll find a place for 'em, we make sure 'em has 'em fust thing."

The reporter is still exploring the nature and meaning of Hiram's complaint.

Ontario Burned Under Sun's Rays

People of Toronto Driven to Midnight Baths. Deaths of People and Animals as Mercury Goes Above 100—Whole Northland in Danger of Destruction by Fire.

Toronto, July 6.—The hot spell is driving Toronto people to midnight bathing. The official temperature ranging between ninety-five and 101, central and western Ontario is again suffering miserably at the hands of "old King Sol."

Suburbs reports unofficially a temperature of 103, while official records show 101 in Chatham, 100 in St. Thomas and ninety-eight in Toronto.

Latest reports from northern Ontario indicate that only the absence of wind prevents great tracts of forest land from being swept by fires, which at present are confined to comparatively small regions.

These fires, however, are declared to be numerous, and already two young men have lost their lives after attempting to escape the flames by seeking refuge in a dug-out, while millions of dollars have been lost by the destruction of valuable timber areas.

The northland is in such a condition that a slight breeze would result in the entire district being developed in a conflagration similar to that which caused enormous loss of life in 1911.

It will be at least a week before the foot of Waterloo street will be open for traffic. The concrete, which was poured three days ago, and is usually left for a week to set before allowing traffic on it.

Three carloads of granite blocks have arrived for the Brussels street work, but it will be a few days before any of the special blocks required for the track sections will be delivered.

The city has made arrangement for the employment of twenty-five returned men with families on the paving work. Fifteen of these were put on today and the others will be employed within the next day or two.

DEFY THE GOVERNMENT. Vienna, July 6.—The Bakers' Association, defying the government, has announced that it will resume next week the sale of the old-time Viennese dough with privately bought imported white flour.

ROSS DISCHARGED. Yarmouth, N. S., July 6.—Mansfield Ross, fiancé of Eleanor Perry, daughter of Capt. George H. Perry, who was discharged in the supreme court, after the grand jury, acting on the instructions of Mr. Justice Mellich, had brought in a "no bill" against him on the charge of being an accomplice in the murder of Capt. Perry, after the fact.

BASEBALL. The Carltons of the Intermediate league will play the Courtneys on the Queen square diamond, West Side this evening.

WEST AND NATURAL RESOURCES. Synopsis: Pressure is about the normal or a little above the greater portion of the continent. Showers have occurred locally again in the western provinces. Elsewhere in the Dominion the weather has been fair and in Ontario the excessive heat continues.

Fair and Warm. Maritime: Moderate to fresh westerly to southerly winds, fair and warm today and on Thursday.

HISTORIC HOUSE HAS BEEN SOLD

Building in Fredericton in Which Legislature First Met.

Fredricton, N. B., July 6.—The frame building in Queen street in which the New Brunswick legislature first met has been sold, being included in a block of real estate which changed ownership a few days ago.

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Fredricton, N. B., July 6.—S. Allan Thomas, Donald W. Armstrong and T. M. Bell, all of St. John, have been incorporated as Thomas, Armstrong & Bell, Limited, to take over the brokerage business carried on by the members individually and carry on a brokerage business in various branches.

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Believe Attack on Constantinople Planned. Situation Causes Anxiety in London—Supposed Bulgarian Intrigue for Recovery of Western Thrac, Lost in War.

London, July 6.—Great Britain, France and Italy may be compelled to adopt extensive and concerted measures against the Turkish Nationalists, it was declared by London newspapers this morning. Reports that the Nationalists have actually penetrated the neutral zone east of Constantinople and along the Sea of Marmara have not been confirmed, but there is reason to believe that they are concentrating forces to attack Constantinople. The situation has given rise to serious anxiety.

Connected with the situation arising from the concentration of Nationalist troops around Ismid and farther north in Asia Minor, is a supposed Bulgarian intrigue to recover western Thrac, which Bulgaria lost as a consequence of the war. It is asserted that Italy, Roumania, Jugoslavia and Czechoslovakia have already signed a convention which would check the Bulgarian plans.

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NO SERIOUS FOREST FIRE IN PROVINCE

Fredricton, N. B., July 6.—New Brunswick has had no serious forest fires. The northern part of the province is apparently exempt, and while there are numerous smaller fires in the central and southern portions none of these has gone beyond an unimportant stage.

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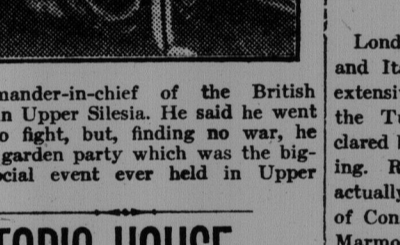
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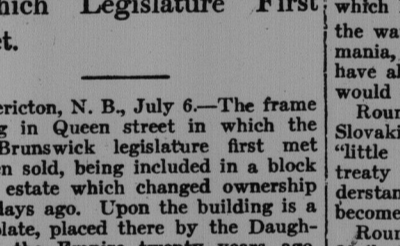
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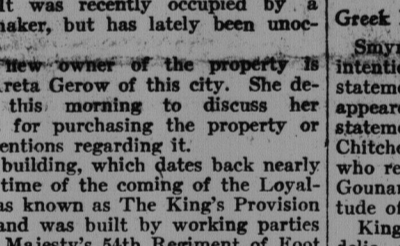
MAJ.-GEN. SIR WM. HENEKER. Commander-in-chief of the British forces in Upper Silesia. He said he went there to fight, but, finding no war, he gave a garden party which was the biggest social event ever held in Upper Silesia.



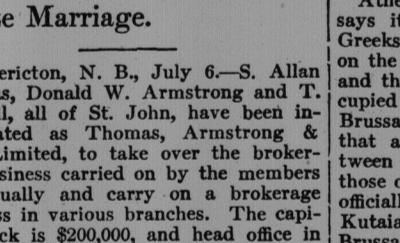
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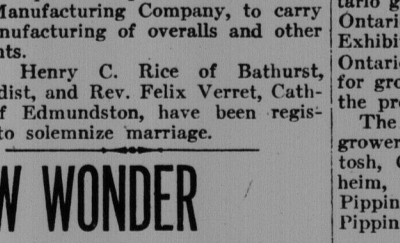
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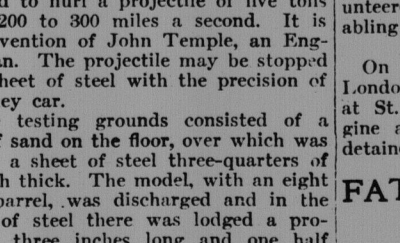
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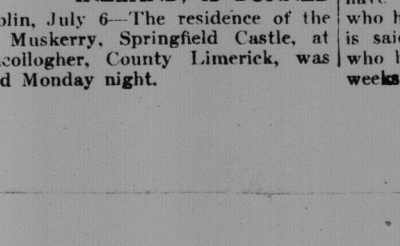
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