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SHERRING OF THE MARATHON RACE
 WORLD'S BEST LONG DISTANCE RUNNER
WINS IN MARATHON RACE

Victor in the Most Prized Event of Olympic Games at Athens—An Easy Winner in Field of 26 Picked Athletes of All Nations.
 Athens, May 1.—Before 150,000 people today, Sherring of Hamilton, Ont., won the Marathon race, the big event of the Olympian sports. There was great excitement at the finish. Prince George ran with him up the cinder path. Sherring smilingly waved a flag. The crown prince congratulated him as he bowed to king George, by whom he was presented with a bouquet.
 The race was over a 26-mile course, and 53 competed, including 26 Greeks, 7 Britons, 5 Americans, 2 French, 3 Germans, 2 Italians, 2 Swedes, 2 Belgians, a Bohemian, Belgian and Dane. There were ambulance stations every kilometre along the route, also men with peated oranges and lemons for runners.
 Sherring's time was 2 hours 51 minutes 23 seconds, being seven minutes ahead of the Swede who was second, nine minutes ahead of the American, third.
 All shops were closed and business was completely suspended. The whole population of Athens and its suburbs and the villages in the vicinity, altogether some 150,000 persons, filled and overflowed the stadium and spread along the Marathon road, and surrounded hills, forming a tumultuous, swaying human barrier on each side the entire length of the course, behind the military cordon lining the road. The competitors spent the night as the guests of Foreign Minister Skouzes at Marathon.
 The favorites were Petrli, Italy; Bonheure, French; and Coulouso, Greek; the British and Americans also having numerous supporters.
 The contestants started in three lines, one metre apart, exactly at 3 o'clock. The weather was splendid, the thermometer showing 80.12 degrees in the shade. A mounted officer riding from front with a chronometer acted as time-keeper. Hundreds of vehicles of all kinds followed the fortunes of the contestants, outside the cordon holding the course.
A Hot Pace.
 The race started at a hot pace. At the tenth kilometre, W. G. Frank (American) was leading, followed by Bohemian Rechenksky. At the 15th kilometre Frank was ahead, but Daly (Ireland) had taken second place, with Blake slowly creeping up. At 20 kilometres, which was reached at 4:10 p.m., Blake was leading, gradually running a magnificent race, followed by Frank and Sherring. The latter was now being urged to show himself in his true colors, was slowly gaining on his opponent.
 At the 25th kilometre uphill work was being done. Beginning the last ten kilometres of the race Frank was still leading, but obviously pumped and distressed. Sherring was ahead at this point, Blake third, and time at this point was 4:40 o'clock. Sherring was running magnificently, but Daly had stopped to rest. Petrli had dropped out on account of stomach trouble.
Ahead!
 Sherring now speedily took the lead, followed by Svamberg, Swede, and Frank. When the fourth mile was reached, Sherring dropped into a walk, giving himself great reserve for the final spurt. Whenever he resumed running and in this manner tried them all out except Svamberg and Frank, who always were a good distance behind. Sherring looked as if he were laughing with Greek attendant and returned the salutes of the cheering crowds.
 A cannon shot announced the arrival of the first runner within four kilometres of the stadium.
 The presence of cheers along the road grew into roars at 5:30 p.m., and the runner was being approached. At the gates of the stadium, Sherring, smiling, and looking fresh and not at all distressed, was greeted by Crown Prince Constantine, who accompanied him to the line.
London Comment.
 London, May 1.—(C.A.P.)—Comment on the fact that a Canadian winning the Marathon gives the empire, the greatest race of all. The Tribune says the disappointment of the Greeks will no doubt be acute, but they may find some consolation in the thought that the very presence of Canadian athletes on Attic soil is itself in some sort an Athenian victory.

CARNEGIE ON CONSCIENCE ONLY JUDGE MAN NEED FEAR
 In Hope of Hereafter, Catholics and Protestants Are Alike to Him, He Says.

Montreal, May 1.—(Special.)—Andrew Carnegie came out as a humorist today in addressing the Canadian Club luncheon, and gave the lie to his former assertions that millionaires rarely smile.
 He towards the close of his address, which was a variation of his plea for international tolerance, with a local application so as to take in French, British and Americans in an ideal vantage, he lapsed into a serious mood and even ventured to give advice regarding religious views.
 He advised his hearers to think less of heaven as a home and more of making home a heaven. Catholics and Protestants were alike to him as regards a hope for the hereafter, but he advised first to seek honor and decency and the hereafter would be all right. The inner conscience was the only judge that a man need fear either here or hereafter.
 Mr. Carnegie received an ovation, the St. Lawrence Hall Cafe being crowded with an enthusiastic audience.
 In the afternoon the Laird of Skibo had the degree of L.D. conferred on him at a special convocation at McGill University.

HOW WARD ONE IS GROWING BIG RISE IN ASSESSMENT
 Increase Approaches \$2,000,000 Over 1906—Indicates Very Substantial Rise Thruout City.

The figures of the 1907 assessment of ward one indicate a great growth of the city and forecast an enormous increase in the total assessment. The ward one rolls were handed over to the city clerk by Assessment Commissioner Forman yesterday afternoon.
 The 1907 gross assessment of \$11,263,041, which, after deducting \$1,285,005 of exemptions, leaves a net total assessment of \$9,978,036, against \$7,968,470 for 1906, an increase of \$2,009,566. The population is given at 27,597, against 24,200 in the previous assessment, an increase of 3,397.
 The 1907 assessment is made up as follows: Real property, \$10,123,374; business tax, \$745,238; income tax, \$17,429; and other assessments, \$1,002,000. The total assessment was \$11,263,041. The business tax, \$745,238; income tax, \$17,429; and other assessments, \$1,002,000.
 It is figured that the 1907 assessment will be in the neighborhood of twenty million dollars more than that for this year.

VEEDIE IN DEATH OF LITTLE GIRL
 Elliott at Brock Ave. Crossing.

"Gertrude Elliott came to her death at the Brock-avenue crossing by being struck by a C.P.R. train. The north gate was not lowered in time to avert the fatality. The need of a subway at this crossing is obvious."
 This is the verdict of the coroner's jury held in an inquest this morning at a session held in No. 6 Police Station.
WAS THIS INFANT KILLED?
 The badly decomposed body of an infant about seven months old was found in a ravine near High Park yesterday afternoon by two boys. The body was in a wooden box, which had been used previously for a coroner's inquest.
CHEAP CARBIDE COMING.
 A Cut of Two-Sevenths Assured—Drop From \$70 to \$50 per Ton.
 The sale of three-fifths of the offerings of the Canadian Ethnole Company, Limited, in less than two weeks, has assured for Canada a supply of cheap carbide of the highest grade to be on the market by September next. Ethnole owes its name to the fact that it produces in reaction with water Ethine, the purest form of bicarbonate of hydrogen known commercially as Siche Gas. Incidentally the prompt floating of this large new company proves that money is still easy for a sound undertaking backed by responsible men.

MR. BROUGH IMPROVES.
 London, May 1.—(C.A.P.)—The doctors of the Canadian Club are in an improvement in the condition of Mr. T. G. Brough. They are now more hopeful.

FISHERMAN'S LUCK.
 Halifax, N.S., May 1.—(Special.)—Prince Arthur left Port Medway to night, en route to St. John, N.B.
 He is expected to arrive at Medway River for salmon Monday and Tuesday, but owing to the water being high failed to land any fish.

Moving to 5 King St. West.
 Great bargains for smokers. Everything in pipes, fancy goods and walking sticks reduced in price. A. Clubb & Sons, 49 King West.

At Every Mile of the Course a Squad
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LOST ON DIVISION 61-115 PREMIER VERY HOLY DEFENDS CONTRACT

Before House Divides on Foster Resolution, Sir Wilfrid Laurier Delivers Himself of Some Personalities and Denials.

Ottawa, May 2.—(Special.)—Upon division early this morning, Mr. Foster's resolution was lost yeas 61, nays 115. Bourassa and Verreille voted with the Conservatives.
 Ottawa, May 1.—(Special.)—Mr. Miller (Liberal, South Grey) resumed the debate upon the North Atlantic Trading Company, in the house today. He characterized the speech by the member from North Toronto "rather a gaunt misbegotten and ill-nourished child of a foster-father." He protested that the company's contract was entirely proper and denied that there was any graft. There was no evidence to show that Sifton, Preston and Smart, or any of them, were interested in the company. His speech was met with a vindictive attack upon the member from North Toronto, quoting from speeches by Senator Miller and Sir Mackenzie Bowell.
 Mr. Lake (Conservative, Qu'Appelle) made an excellent speech. Prosperity had come to the west, he said, through the beneficence of Providence and the efforts of the people, not through the trading company.
 Mr. Oliver defended the contract, but cancelled it on the ground that the company was not carrying out its conditions. "Then, why," demanded Lake, "do you propose paying this bonus of \$5 per head until Nov. 30?"
 Hon. George E. Foster was detained at his home by illness. The premier expressed regret at his indisposition, and after quoting some personal references from the speech of the member from North Toronto, said he still more regretted his absence, because he had a few things to say that should not be said in his absence. "They will say for another time," he said abruptly, and took his seat.
 Sir Wilfrid Laurier denounced the charges made by Mr. Foster as "infringing on the sacred rights of the government. He had not scrupled to make statements that the house knew to be untrue, and while the truth and foundation. Mr. Sifton, as minister of the interior, had not materially changed the methods employed by Canada to acquire the railway. He had merely brought to methods in vogue his personal qualities of push, energy and enthusiasm. The government had maintained all its obligations and gratified agents in Great Britain, the United States and certain countries of continental Europe. In certain other countries no agencies had been maintained, because of the opposition on the part of their governments towards such a propaganda.
 It had long been the custom for the Dominion to pay bonuses to bookkeeping agents in Germany and elsewhere. That was done for many years while the Conservative party was in power, and while Mr. Foster was in the cabinet. Mr. Sifton had dealt with these agents assembled into an organization, that was all there was to it. "Absolutely untrue," he said.
 Mr. Foster had openly charged that these dealings had been concealed from parliament, and that they had leaked out to the public in a most disgraceful manner during the summer of 1906. "Mark my word, Mr. Speaker," the premier exclaimed dramatically, "that statement is absolutely untrue, there is not one word of truth in it." He then read from the report of James A. Smart, deputy minister of the interior, published in 1902, which referred to and substantially recited the contract with the company. He ridiculed the charge of secrecy. The contract was signed by the company, its president and its secretary. What necessity was there for knowing the names of all the stockholders? Who does anyone ask that question in dealing with that corporation? This company is merely a combination of bookkeeping agents; it was immaterial what they receive money only upon immigrants who arrive in Canada. Our only concern was that immigrants did not arrive by means of the newspapers, the impression was given that members or friends of the government were behind this contract, that there was a raffle-off for somebody.
 "Make your charges," exclaimed Sir Wilfrid, "and I will see that the guilty man is punished to the utmost."
 "Name the members of the company."
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DAY OF DISORDER IN PARIS BUT LABOR DEMONSTRATION A FAILURE CAVALRY CLEAR STREETS

Over 1000 Arrests Made—In a Leaderless Tumult the May Day Agitators Were Swallowed Up in Rougher Mob—Workingmen Still Ugly and Threatening—The Day Elsewhere.

PARIS, May 1.—The long-dreaded labor day failed to bring the revolution which inflammatory journals predicted, and while the day brought scenes of extreme violence, the labor districts, which thousands of troops controlled with difficulty, and even central portions of Paris, have taken on the appearance of a siege, with regiments of infantry and cavalry camped about the Arc de Triomphe, the boulevards, the Bank of France and the great railway station, while military sentinels were placed before banks and private establishments.

The military choruses in the residential portion of Paris remain tranquil. In the west end, for removed from riotous scenes, people were disposed to refer to the day as a harmless farce, it was, however, much more than that. Throughout the afternoon, dragoons, republican guards and cuirassiers charged disorganised masses, sweeping the Place de la Republique and the broad Boulevard de Magenta. Toward midnight cavalry charged with drawn swords and bayonets, which the soldiers on both sides. The manifestos overturned omnibuses and threw up hasty barricades. Over 1000 arrests were made during the day.

AT NO TIME DID THE DEMONSTRATION
 reach the magnitude of a revolt, but was rather a leaderless tumult, in which the serious labor element, struggling for a principle, was hopelessly confused with violent agitators, anarchists, revolutionists, ruffians and many of the curious. The workers never succeeded in forming a procession or even in assembling more than scattered bands. Their chief action was a reunion of several thousands in the labor exchange, at which a resolution was adopted not to return to work until the eight-hour day shall have been accorded.

The worst hour of the day was towards 5 o'clock in the evening, when the police practically lost control and were compelled to rely on the mounted troops. The latter forming in lines 20 yards across and 15 yards apart, driving the disorderly crowds into the surrounding streets. Most of the mob sought refuge in the Boulevard de Magenta and the Quai de Valmy, which became centres of disorder. Here trumpets sounded repeated commands to disperse, and the cavalry galloped into the crowds, trampling and injuring many. A body of foot guards became surrounded by manifestos and was rescued with difficulty by cavalry with drawn swords. Here a considerable number were wounded. By 10 o'clock calm had been measurably restored and most of the troops returned to their barracks.

THROUGHOUT THE DAY THE AUTHORITIES
 succeeded in executing their original plan of holding the disturbers strictly within the limits of the labor district, and not permitting them to press towards the wealthy commercial and residential sections.

To-night vehicular traffic is completely suspended. Cabs, omnibuses and

MARRIAGES.
 WILSON-BELL—At the residence of the bride's father, Kew Beach, on Tuesday, May 1st, Richard Steele Wilson, of the late Thomas Bell, and Miss Mabel, daughter of the Rev. T. W. Bell.

DEATHS.
 BENNETT—On May 1st, 1906, at her late residence, 105 Lisgar-street, Christina Bennett, aged 47 years, widow of the late Thomas Bennett.

CAREY—At 88 Honour-street, Chicago, the residence of his daughter, on Monday, April 30, Michael Carey, formerly of 1906, Sara Rosner, widow of the late Patrick Carey.

FUNERAL AT PEKING ON ARRIVAL OF
 train from the west this morning, as the COLLINS—At 97, 7th line, Toronto, Geo. Collins, in his 67th year.

FUNERAL WILL TAKE PLACE FROM
 his late residence on Wednesday, at 9:30 a.m., service at R. C. Church, Wildfield, interment at R. C. Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

GIFFITH—At his late residence, 644 Church-street, on Tuesday, May 1st, 1906, Robert J. Griffith, in his 77th year; brother of William Griffith, H.M. Customs, Toronto.

FUNERAL PRIVATE, THURSDAY, AT 3 O'CLOCK,
 to St. James' Cemetery.

HOFFMAN—On May 1st, 1906, Emma, wife of J. S. Hoffman, and mother of Mrs. J. S. Mills of this city, in her 67th year.

FUNERAL THURSDAY, MAY 3RD, AT 2 P.M.,
 KEARNS—At her late residence, 429 St. Clarens-avenue, on Tuesday, May 1st, 1906, Sara Rosner, widow of the late Patrick Kearns.

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AND HOW "THE GAME" IS PLAYED.

ARREST A WOMAN AND MAN TILL HUSBAND'S DEATH IS INQUIRED INTO

Poisoning is Suspected and Harry Allen's Widow and Hired Man Are Detained Until Analysis is Completed.

Brookville, May 1.—(Special.)—Mrs. Margaret Allen, a good looking widow, slightly over thirty, is under arrest at Lansdowne, a small village in Leeds County, charged with the death of her husband, Harry Allen, by administering poison, and William Connor, a young unmarried man of the neighborhood, is also held as her companion in the alleged crime.
 Allen, who was a farmer, living at a rented place called Lanesdowne, died some five months ago under some what strange circumstances, which have been the talk of the neighborhood since that time.
 Those directly interested in the matter have had their suspicions strengthened by recent developments and on Sunday definite action before H. C. Mulvaugh, J.P. was taken, when information was sworn out charging Mrs. Allen and her alleged paramour with the crime.
 Crown Attorney Brown of Brookville, on being notified, sanctioned the examining of the body, which was done under the direction of Dr. Shaw in the Union Cemetery. He removed the stomach, and the coroner's jury which was afterwards empaneled, authorized Dr. Shaw to proceed to Toronto with the stomach to have the contents analyzed. He did so last night and the case hangs for the present until the analytical test is made.
 Constables gathered in the prison shortly after the warrants were placed in their hands for execution, and the both expressed great surprise they displayed some nervousness. They are in charge of village constables at the Stewart Hotel and will be held at least until the coroner's jury reassembles.

Allen had lived in Leeds County for 15 years and was regarded as a hard-working, respectable fellow. His wife was an orphan, who was adopted into the family of David Copeland. Allen was their hired man and in time the couple married, following which Copeland vacated the farm and rented it to Allen and his wife. They had been married about 10 years when the death occurred.

Connor, who, it is alleged, was on friendly terms with Mrs. Allen, was her husband's hired man. He worked there for two years previously.

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TO-DAY IN TORONTO.
 May 2.—At Insurance Commission, city hall, 10:30.
 Anglican Women's Auxiliary, Guild Hall, 10:30.
 Queen's Own parade, armories, 8.

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Mr. Junkin Tells How Company Got into His Debt—Practice of Giving Rebates—Stock Transactions Detailed.

Yet another day did J. F. Junkin, manager of the Manufacturers' Life Insurance Company, spend in the witness box yesterday, when the royal insurance commission investigation was resumed.
 Notwithstanding his respite from the inquisition, Mr. Junkin did not appear to respond to the renewed attack with any great show of revived interest. He answered rather listlessly at the outset, but by and by he smiled somewhat in answering certain questions, and at times came to advocate the elimination of section 50 of the Insurance Act so that Canadian companies could enjoy a little more freedom concerning their choice of investments, an expression of opinion that brought smiles on the faces of some of the members of the audience.

Sturdy and persistent as is Mr. Tilley, junior counsel for the commission, he is sweetest personage I have ever seen. Mr. Shepley, whose style as a questioner is dry and caustic.
 "The feature of yesterday morning's session was Mr. Junkin's recital of the endeavor of the company to underwrite \$100,000 of Electrical Development bonds. Mr. Junkin testified that he had bought bonds of a number of companies with which common stock had been given as a bonus, having neglected to report the possession of the bonus stock to the government until last year.
 Mr. Tilley questioned Mr. Junkin concerning bonus stocks held by the Manufacturers' Life, received in the purchase of bonds. Witness said: "On Sept. 5 we purchased \$14,000 of Quebec Railway Light and Power Company bonds, with which we received a bonus of 10 per cent. of common stock. That was purchased thru the Central Canadian Loan and Savings Company. We had the bonds at 107 1/2. We have both the bonds and the stock yet. The bonds were shown in our annual statement to the government as the stock was never mentioned until this last year."
 "How was it the stock came to be then mentioned?"
 Witness replied that they thought it better to do so. He supposed that the Central Canada had purchased a large block of these bonds, say in the years before.
 Mr. Tilley asked if he had gone into the question as to whether the stock purporting to be issued as a paid-up stock was paid-up stock.
 Always Assured Himself.
 "I have always satisfied myself that there was no liability of any stock," he said. "I considered myself cap-sic."

Bar Room Prices Raised.
 The prices on drinks at all bars in the City of Toronto have been raised, owing to the increase in license charges. The new prices are as follows: For beer, 10c for pints of imported aerated waters, but the good old Canadian water remains the same, namely 10c for pints, and 15c for pints. So that those who drink radiator water will not find the price of their mixed drinks excessively increased.
 Considering the fact that most consumers admit radiator to be equal in price to most foreign imported waters, it is naturally to be assumed that a very much greater quantity of this excellent Canadian product will be used in Toronto.

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