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ALLEGES USE OF DUM-DUM BULLETS

Lord Parmoor, in Upper House, Moves for Inquiry

Quotes Letters From Brother and Sister-in-Law About Attack at Castle Connell—More Disorders Reported.

London, April 27.—It was alleged by Lord Parmoor in the House of Lords last night that the auxiliary forces in Ireland were using dum-dum bullets...

He also received another letter from his brother, saying he had picked up an unexploded bullet that had been converted into an expanding bullet of the most deadly character.

IN PARLIAMENT

Government Majority of Ten on Item of Estimates—Budget Day Soon.

Ottawa, April 27.—(Canadian Press.)—Yesterday in the House of Commons first reading was given a bill amending the research council act to provide for a national research council...

Estimates of the department of railways and canals were before the committee and several votes for repairs to the canals along the St. Lawrence River were passed.

Second reading was given a bill to amend the currency act.

Close Abitibi Plant at Troquois Falls for Month From May 10

Halifax Man Killed at Imperial Oil Works

Exchange Today

France Says New German Offer Will Not Satisfy Her

That is the Feeling in Political Circles—Some London Newspaper Views—Simons' Speech in Reichstag.

Paris, April 27.—Germany's reparations proposals are entirely insufficient, it is declared in authoritative circles here, being at least 100,000,000,000 marks below the terms fixed by the Supreme Allied Council in last January.

Germany's proposals are still being considered by Premier Briand, and it is probable a decision will not be reached before this evening.

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As Hiram Sees It

"Hiram," said the Times reporter to Mr. Hiram Hornbeam, "Some people are sneering at this public health campaign."

"You orto see a hog I had last summer," said Hiram. "You never see such a mess as his pen was in. You'd git mired in it. An' the way it got the more he woller'd in it. When I couldn't stand it no longer I started in to clean it up an' put in some clean straw. Well, sir, that was the maddest hog you ever seen, aequal'n as if he'd been stuck, scatter'n the straw an' diggin' into the bottom agin to make more dirt."

"I was," said the reporter. "I was not speaking about hogs," said Hiram. "I was talking of people."

"I don't get your point," said the reporter. "Think it over," said Hiram. "You'll see the pint after a while—yes, sir."

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M. P. P. CRITICIZES HON. F. B. CARVELL

Labor Member Says He Should Prove Statement or Else Withdraw It.

Toronto, April 27.—Peter Heenan, labor member of the Ontario legislature for Kenora, does not like recently published utterances of Hon. Frank B. Carvell, in which the latter is reported to have said that high wages and overtime were to a large extent responsible for high freight rates.

Speaking in the Ontario legislature yesterday he expressed the opinion that the chairman of the dominion board of railway commissioners should either prove his statement or withdraw it.

"The mind of the workers at the present time," he said, "is in such a condition that it is in the best interests of the country for a paid servant of the people to go running around misrepresenting the facts and trying to bring about a state of feeling with such misrepresentations as these."

"If he wishes to cover up high freight rates with smoke such as this, he will find before very long, that the railway organizations will take steps to show by expert accounting that he is misleading the public."

Winnipeg, April 27.—A bill introduced by A. E. Smith, labor member for Brandon, giving executive recognition to the eight-hour day and the forty-eight hour week, was defeated on second reading by the legislature last night by 29 votes to 12.

The stand taken by Attorney-General Johnson in opposing the bill, although he favored the principle, was that it was premature, that there was no pressing need for it, that Manitoba was in a financial straits, and that the international labor conference at Washington recommended many trades having less than the forty-eight hour week, and that a amendment to the agricultural industry indirectly, he announced that he intended to bring about a conference and discussion by the present time press for regard to the regulation of hours in order to get something like uniformity of legislation in Canada.

A resolution by Joseph Bernier, independent, urging the lieutenant-governor to call upon some one to form a government that can command a majority in the house, did not come up.

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DEVLIN ON THE IRISH SITUATION

Returns to Direct Ulster Nationalist Campaign

Belfast, April 27.—Joseph Devlin, who has returned to Ulster to direct the Nationalist campaign, in an interview yesterday, termed a recent proclamation issued by Sir James Craig, Ulster Unionist leader, as "the greatest example of political bankruptcy I ever saw."

He characterizes it as "the statement of a man groping in the dark, not knowing where he is or what he is there for. It is not a statement of policy, only an evasion. He talks about the Unionist's 'great cause.' It is the first duty of a leader to state his cause. Craig does not tell us what his cause is unless it is to cut off six counties from Ireland."

Discussing the proclamations in reference to stabilizing Ulster's agriculture and amending the licensing laws, Mr. Devlin said: "Sir James Craig, on the one hand, represents the liquor business and his staunch supporters, on the other hand, are prohibitionists. The difficulty in regulating license than stabilizing agriculture."

The Ulster proclamation, in Mr. Devlin's opinion, will be a fiasco. It will be faced at the outset, he said, with the necessity of taxing the people for the maintenance of Belfast's 25,000 unemployed, who are steadily increasing through the dismissal of a thousand workers weekly from the shipyards.

Regarding the possibility of a settlement of the Irish question by negotiation, Mr. Devlin was extremely pessimistic. He did not doubt that Lord Derby had come to Ireland with credentials from Lloyd George, but he added, it is apparent from Lord Derby's own statement of his visit that he accomplished nothing. Representatives of the government come over and palaver abstracts, trying to 'exploit' the Irish people's mind."

The efforts of Sir Horace Plunkett and the Irish Dominion League to bring Ulster and southern Ireland into accord he dismissed as futile.

Annual Meeting Yesterday—Mrs. Geoffrey Morrow President.

Halifax, N. S., April 27.—Upwards of 200 were in attendance at the annual meeting of the Nova Scotia chapter of the Imperial Order of Daughters of the Empire here yesterday.

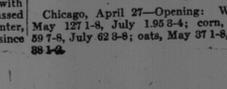
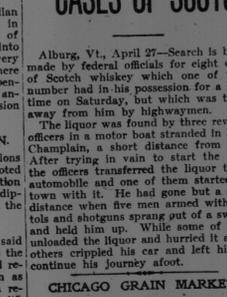
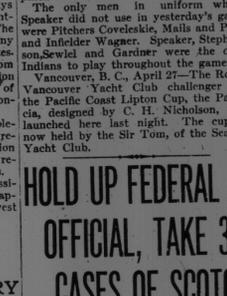
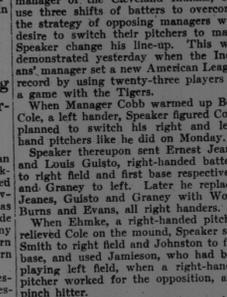
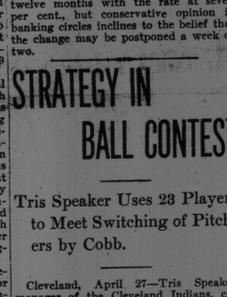
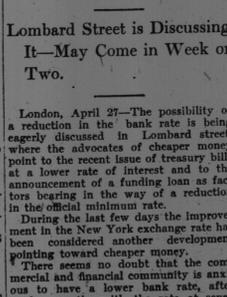
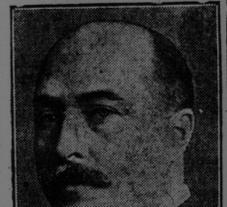
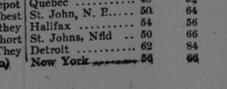
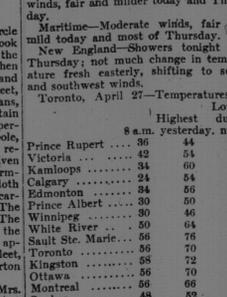
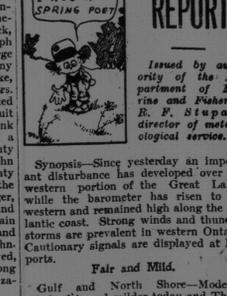
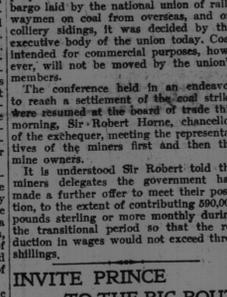
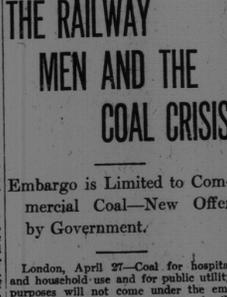
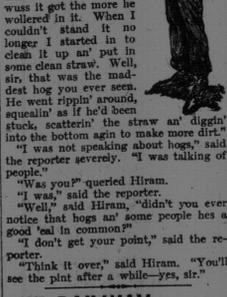
Officers were elected as follows:—Hon. President, Mrs. MacCallum Grant, Halifax; president, Mrs. Geoffrey Morrow, Halifax; second vice president, Mrs. C. H. Cover, Dartmouth; third vice president, Mrs. Helen Lunenburg; secretary, Miss Leverman, Halifax; educational secretary, Miss Georgina Faulkner, Halifax; treasurer, Mrs. Allan Duffus, Halifax; standard bearer, Miss Lonsdale, Halifax; organizing secretary, Mrs. Whitman, Canada.

METHODIST MISSIONS General Board Meeting in Toronto—Financial Problem.

Toronto, April 27.—The general board of missions of the Methodist church of Canada met here yesterday to consider the financial policy of the board for the immediate future, and to decide as to the best means of carrying out the programme of work adopted by the general conference three years ago.

NO AMNESTY FOR MEXICAN REBEL CHIEFS HEREAFTER

Mexico City, April 27.—Rebel chiefs will in future receive no promises of amnesty from the Mexican government. Personal orders were sent yesterday to military commanders in all districts by President Obregon that all rebels holding ranks higher than captain must surrender unconditionally.



APRIL BRIDES IN SAINT JOHN

A pretty wedding was solemnized at 4:45 this afternoon in the basement of the Baptist church when the pastor, Rev. S. S. Poole, united in marriage Miss Audrey Frances Cross, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cross, 218 Germania street, and Miss Evelyn McLean, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McLean of Milltown, N. B. The bride looked very daintily in a dress of white charmeuse with satin trimmed with silk lace and wearing a long train lined with lavender georgette crepe. A panel on one side of the skirt was also lined with lavender crepe and the train fell from a large bow in the back lined with crepe. A bridal veil of net was pointed at the back and had pearl trimmings and a wreath of orange blossoms. She carried a beautiful shower bouquet of Opelia roses. She was attended by Miss Florie B. Peck of Hillsboro, N. B., who wore a dress of yellow georgette crepe over yellow satin with a scalloped skirt. There was a profusion of rosebuds and the dress was embroidered with pastel ribbons and carried a shower bouquet of snapdragons.

The groom was groomsmen Little Miss Ruth Frances Kitchen of Grand Falls, N. B., niece of the bride, was flower girl and wore a dress of lavender georgette with real lace and narrow lavender ribbons, and petal skirt. She wore a wreath of sweetbush roses in her hair and carried a basket of the same. The ushers were Miss Marjorie G. Staples and Miss Katherine G. McLean, sister of the groom. Miss Staples wore lavender organza trimmed with lace and rosettes and an embroidered lavender organza hat with yellow streamers. She carried an old fashioned bouquet of daffodils and purple iris. Miss McLean wore yellow organza with lace and rosette trimmings and a hat embroidered with silk and having lavender streamers. She carried a bouquet of white and pink flowers. The bridesmaids were Misses J. L. Peck of Hillsboro, N. B.; Mrs. D. G. Kitchen of Grand Falls, N. B.; Miss Lillian F. King of Grand Falls, N. B.; and Mrs. M. M. Grandfield of Sussex.

Mr. and Mrs. McLean will leave on the Montreal train for the evening of the 28th for Toronto and Upper Canadian cities and on their return will reside at 188 Sydney street. Going away the bride will wear a suit of navy tulle with white lace and a touch of gray. She wore a gray squirrel scarf and navy hat trimmed with flowers of a tomato shade. A beautiful array of gifts, including the esteem in which Mr. and Mrs. McLean are held by a large circle of friends.

Among the out-of-town guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McLean, Miss Bessie McLean, Mr. and Mrs. Fred McAllister, Albert McAllister, Mrs. J. L. Peck of Hillsboro, N. B.; Mrs. D. G. Kitchen of Grand Falls, N. B.; Miss Lillian F. King of Grand Falls, N. B.; and Mrs. M. M. Grandfield of Sussex.

Cusack-Brophy A quiet wedding was solemnized with nuptial mass in the Cathedral this morning at seven o'clock, when Miss Genevieve Brophy, formerly of Woodstock, was united in marriage to John Joseph Cusack, son of Mrs. and the late George Cusack, 29 March road. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. M. Duke, Thomas Cogger. The bride looked charming in a navy blue traveling suit with picture hat, wore a beautiful white cape, gift of the groom, and carried a corsage bouquet of American Beauty roses. She was given away by John Brophy. After the ceremony, a dainty wedding breakfast was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Cogger, 865 Haymarket Square, and Mr. and Mrs. Cusack left on the afternoon train for a honeymoon trip to Montreal, and on their return will reside in St. John. Many beautiful presents were received, testifying to their popularity. Among the out-of-town guests was Miss Elizabeth McCartin of Woodstock.

Evans-Fleet A wedding of interest to a large circle of friends in the city and elsewhere took place this afternoon at 5:30 o'clock in the German street Baptist church, when Miss Eva M. Fleet, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Fleet of Broad street, and Mrs. A. M. Fleet of Broad street, were united in marriage to Walter Evans, son of the late Captain George Evans. The ceremony was performed by the pastor, Rev. S. S. Poole, in the presence of many friends and relatives. The bride, who was given away by her father, looked charming in a suit of navy blue broad cloth with grey hat and mink scarf and carried a bouquet of Opelia roses. The bride and groom were unattended. The church was decorated with other appropriate decorations. Robert Fleet, brother of the bride, and Harry Barton, acted as ushers. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Evans motored to the Union Depot where, amid showers of confetti and best wishes for much future happiness, they left on the Montreal train for a short honeymoon trip to upper Canada. They will reside in St. John.

Winnipeg, April 27.—Sterling exchange easy. Demand 394; cables, 394 1/2; Canadian dollars, 10 1/2 per cent discount.

Embargo is Limited to Commercial Coal—New Offer by Government.

London, April 27.—Coal for hospital and household use and for public utility purposes will not come under the embargo laid by the national union of railwaymen on coal from overseas, and on colliery sidings, it was decided by the executive body of the union today. Coal intended for commercial purposes, however, will not be moved by the union's members.

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LOWER BANK OF ENGLAND RATE

Lombard Street is Discussing It—May Come in Week or Two.

London, April 27.—The possibility of a reduction in the bank rate is being eagerly discussed in Lombard street, where the advocates of cheaper money point to the recent issue of treasury bills at a lower rate of interest and to the announcement of a funding loan as factors bearing in the way of a reduction in the official minimum rate.

There seems no doubt that the commercial and financial community is anxious to have a lower bank rate, after twelve months with the rate at seven per cent, but conservative opinion in banking circles inclines to the belief that the change may be postponed a week or two.

STRATEGY IN BALL CONTEST

Tris Speaker Uses 23 Players to Meet Switching of Pitchers by Cobb.

Cleveland, April 27.—Tris Speaker, manager of the Cleveland Indians, can use three times as many pitchers to overcome the strategy of opposing managers who desire to switch their pitchers to make Speaker change his line-up. This was demonstrated yesterday when the Indians' manager set a new American League record by using twenty-three players in a game with the Tigers.

When Manager Cobb warmed up Bert Cole, a left hander, Speaker figured Cobb planned to switch his right and left hand pitchers like he did on Monday. Speaker thereupon sent Ernest Jones and Louis Guisto, right-handed batters, to right field and first base respectively. Jones and Guisto were replaced by Jeanes, Guisto and Graney with Wood, Burns and Evans, all right handers.

WESTERN RATES

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Under the present railway act, wholesalers and jobbers in western Canada receive a certain measure of protection against eastern competition, through restrictions against "mixed" shipments.

Rule ten of the proposed new classification provides for the application of the "mixing" privilege west of the Great Lakes.

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WEATHER REPORT

Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Stapp, director of meteorological service.

Synopsis—Since yesterday an important disturbance has developed over the western portion of the Great Lakes, while the barometer has risen to the west and remained high along the Atlantic coast. Strong winds and thunderstorms are prevalent in western Ontario. Cautionary signals are displayed at lake ports.

Fair and Mild.

Gulf and North Shore—Moderate winds, fair and milder today and Thursday.

Maritime—Moderate winds, fair and mild today and most of Thursday.

New England—Showers tonight and Thursday; not much change in temperature fresh easterly shifting to south and southwest winds.

Toronto, April 27.—Temperatures: Highest 54; lowest 44. Prince Rupert 36 44 86; Victoria 42 54 82; Kamloops 24 54 84; Calgary 40 60 82; Edmonton 34 56 84; Winnipeg 30 50 82; White River 30 46 82; Sault Ste. Marie 56 76 84; Toronto 48 52 84; Kingston 56 76 84; Ottawa 56 76 84; Montreal 56 66 84; St. John, N. E. 48 52 84; Halifax 48 56 84; St. John's, Nfld. 50 66 84; Detroit 62 84 86; New York 64 80 86.