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DEATH CLAIMS WINTER PORT PIONEER

D. W. CAMPBELL OF MONTREAL'S DEATH AT AGE OF 64 Beaver Line Advent To Saint John Is Recalled

29 YEARS AGO Prominent City Men Speak Of Mr. Campbell And Winter Port Start

A pioneer of the Saint John winter port work died this morning at his home in Montreal in the person of David W. Campbell, general superintendent for Canada for the Elder Dempster Steamship Company...

WINTER PORT. This was the genesis of the winter port, and to Mr. Campbell's activity and his far-sightedness in selecting Saint John as a point of entry and departure for the Beaver Line, then Canadian-owned...

THE EARLY DAYS. Thirty years is not so long a time but that even younger citizens recall the days of the old pioneer Captain Stewart...

SAINT JOHN GOT BUSY. Then there were the other "take" boats, the "Lake Ontario" "Lake Winnipeg" and others...

HERE LAST FALL. D. W. Campbell was in Saint John as late as last October, according to H. C. Schofield of the Prince William street shipping firm...

TO CLOSE PLANT. The Borden Milk Company has found it impossible to continue to operate its factory here and the plant will be closed on April 30.

Moroccan Bandit Reveals To Captor Hiding Place of Loot

ATLAN, Morocco, April 3.—The prisoner of Abd-el-Krim at Axdir, Natives arriving here from the headquarters of Abd-el-Krim, say that Raisuli informed the Moroccan rebel leader that his booty lies in subterranean chambers in the Babouren mountains...

Saint John Legislators Plead For Protection of Salmon Fisheries

HERRIOT CARRIES HOUSE

British Industry, Alarmed Over Foreign Competition, Takes Steps To Stem Tide

LONDON, April 3.—A serious effort to find out what is wrong with British industry, why Britain is finding it increasingly difficult to compete in the markets of the world with other nations has begun with the bringing together of employers and men on the four leading industries of the country, cotton spinning, coal mining, shipbuilding and engineering...

Are Not Anxious Over Wheat Market Chaos

WINNIPEG, April 3.—Following the meeting of the Board of the Canadian Co-operative Wheat Producers, Ltd., here yesterday, a statement was issued which said that while "deploring the condition of chaos in the market for wheat, the board sees no cause for anxiety on the part of its members, in view of the strong position of the pool."

DIED OF POISONING

Jury Returns Verdict in Case of Couple Found Dead Near Peterboro.

RIDGEWAY, Ont., April 3.—Promising poisoning caused the death of Nathan McMillan, of Fonthill, formerly of Peterboro, Ont., and Mrs. Rose Kahn, wife of a Buffalo business man, whose bodies were found in McMillan's cottage, near here, on March 11, according to the verdict underwritten by the jury...

EARTH IS DROPPING

Scientists Blame Underground Chambers For Cave-in at Brook Haven, Miss.

BROOK HAVEN, Miss., April 3.—The earth is dropping at an estimated rate of a foot a day near the village of Union Church, just west of here, according to scientists. Within an area a quarter mile long and 40 feet wide, the earth is cracking and sinking, leaving deep chasms behind it. Underground chambers are blamed.

TO BE GIVEN CHOICE

Former Home Bank President May Elect Trial With or Without Jury.

TORONTO, April 3.—Michael J. Haney, one-time president of the Home Bank of Canada, indicted on charges of fraud, will be arraigned in the criminal sessions court, with the object of affording him an opportunity to elect whether to be tried by a sessions jury or prefers a non-jury trial.

Negro Steamer Seized at Panama

BALBOA, Panama, April 3.—The Negro steamer, Marcus Graves's "Black Cross" ship, the Goethals, was seized here recently by a United States marshal after it was libelled for wages by its former master and other officers. When officials boarded the vessel, they found it empty of all cargo but coal and passengers on a joy ride. The officers of the ship declared the voyage of the Goethals has been but one libel after another, as they saw it go into internment in Limon Bay.

Toronto Girl Wins \$50 Prize For Play

MONTREAL, April 3.—Miss Maso De La Roche, of Toronto, is the winner of the \$50 prize for a one act play in a competition organized by the Canadian Authors Association. The title of the winning play, is "Low Life."

ESTABLISHES RECORD

VICTORIA, B. C., April 3.—Establishing a new record for distance, the big new motor liner Avonard arrived here last night from Sydney on her maiden northbound voyage in the Canadian-Australian service. Her time was roughly 29 days, at an average speed of 17 knots an hour.

FRANCE WILL CHANGE POLICY TOWARDS ROME

New Finance Minister Takes Office on That Understanding

PARIS, April 3.—The Chamber of Deputies today voted confidence in Premier Herriot, 530 to 26. The Chamber of Deputies today voted confidence in Premier Herriot, 530 to 26. The Chamber of Deputies today voted confidence in Premier Herriot, 530 to 26.

Belief Is Alsace Representative At Vatican Will Act For French

PARIS, April 3.—Senator De Monzie, the newly-appointed Finance Minister, to succeed M. Clementel, said today that he had accepted the office conditionally on the Government's agreement to compromise on the question of the Vatican embassy. The compromise is believed to be along the lines of extending the powers of Alsace-Lorraine's representative at the Vatican to cover France. The Government, while opposing the retention of the French ambassador there, had already expressed willingness for the redeemed provinces to have a representative with the Holy See.

FREE STATE PLANS TO DEVELOP HYDRO

Scheme of Operations, Prepared by German Firm, Would Cost \$2,000,000.

DUBLIN, April 3.—The scheme prepared by the German firm of Siemens-Schubert for the harnessing of the Shannon River, to supply electricity for Ireland, was submitted to the Dail yesterday by Minister of Industry and Commerce MacGilligan. The scheme of partial development which the Government had adopted, would cost \$2,000,000, plus \$200,000 interest on capital during construction. It would be conducted as a governmental enterprise, he said, and a bill would be introduced in the Dail immediately.

AWARDED \$680,000

Massy Harris Co. Gets Full Amount of War Claim Against Hungary.

TORONTO, April 3.—The Massey Harris Company, of Toronto, has been awarded the full amount of its claims against Hungary, \$680,000. The award was made by a tribunal of judges representing Holland, Hungary, and Britain. The amount, including interest, will reach \$800,000. In 1921 the Massey Harris Company obtained \$1,500,000 in satisfaction of its war claims against Germany.

CHEAPER BREAD

Amalgamation of Canadian Baking Houses Expected to Lower Production Costs.

MONTREAL, April 3.—Concerning the big bakery merger, by which six prominent Canadian baking houses have amalgamated with United States interests, James Strachan, head of one of the largest Montreal firms, stated: "We will be able to buy a great deal of flour as before, for 10 or 12 cents a bushel. Some reduction in the price of bread as a result of the merger is forecast here."

PROTEST IS LODGED

British Industries Opposed to South Africa Giving Preferential Tariff.

LONDON, April 3.—The rumors that South Africa will abolish the British preferential tariff in the budget to be brought down on April 8th, have brought forth a protest from the Federation of British Industries, which was published in the House of Commons yesterday. The Federation, premier of South Africa, yesterday.

Relief Vote Barred By Sydney Council

SYDNEY, April 3.—On the ground that Sydney had been too hard hit itself by the just concluded eight months' shutdown of the steel plant and the resultant hard times, the City Council at last night's meeting by a vote of 10 to 4 turned down a motion asking that the city contribute \$500 towards the carrying on of relief work in Cape Breton.

PLEADS NOT GUILTY

OTTAWA, April 3.—Sidney E. Smith of the accounting branch of the Public Works Department, in court yesterday on four charges of forgery, pleaded not guilty.

NO TREATY SIGNED

WARSAW, April 3.—The Medus Vivendi governing trade relations between Germany and Poland has expired, and no steps have been taken thus far for its extension.

TOMORROW the first installment of Captain Dingle's great sea story, "Wide Waters," will appear in the Telegraph-Journal.

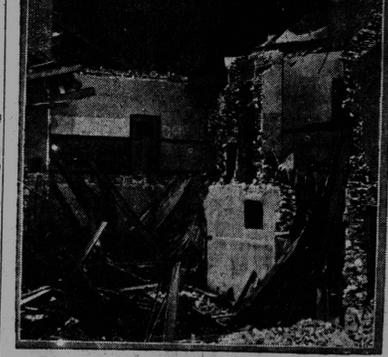
All the romance, the adventure, the thrills of life on the broad oceans are crowded into this swift-moving tale. There's action galore in Captain Dingle's remarkable serial, and once you start reading it you will want to go right on to the end. In addition there will be the usual splendid features, four-page section of comics, and a plethora of news that makes The Telegraph-Journal a worth-while newspaper. Be sure you get your copy.

Children Vote At Irish Poll

BELFAST, April 3.—Polling for the election of Ulster's new Parliament opened today. The first results are not expected to be known before tomorrow night. There was the usual crop of child voters. The children's names get on the lists through errors and are never challenged, provided the youngsters are able to express their intentions, clearly—and they are always able to do that, thanks to careful tutoring.

SCHOOL WRECKED BY BOMB

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DOHENYS CLEARED BY SUPREME COURT

WASHINGTON, April 3.—Indictments returned by a grand jury here against Albert Fall, former Secretary of the Interior, Edward L. Doheny and Edward L. Doheny, Jr., were quashed today by Chief Justice Mc Coy in the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia. The indictments had to do with the revelations in the Senate oil inquiry.

JAPAN PLANNING 22 NEW WAR VESSELS

TOKYO, April 3.—The Japanese Navy Department today announced plans for the construction of 22 warships, with a total tonnage of 124,500, to include eight first class cruisers, 10 destroyers and an airplane motor ship. The Ministry of War is sending experts to France, the U. S., Great Britain and Germany, during the next three years.

DIES IN LUBEC, ME.

Special to The Times-Star. MONCTON, April 3.—H. N. Grass and Mrs. D. Brace of this city have died of the death of their brother, John Grass of Lubec, Maine. Mrs. Brace is seriously ill at her home. The late Mr. Grass lived here some years ago at the home of his parents, the late Rev. Z. B. and Mrs. Grass, afterwards going to Lubec. He is survived by his wife, two sisters, Mrs. C. F. Allen and Mrs. D. Brace of Moncton, and two brothers, S. N. Grass of the C. N. R. office, Moncton, and Phillip Grass of East Jeffrey, N. H.

LIQUOR TO BE HELD

\$300,000 Cargo on Schooner on Ellice B. Sent to Halifax.

LUNenburg, N. S., April 3.—The schooner Ellice B., recently purchased here at sheriff's sale by Newfoundland parties, left Lunenburg yesterday in tow for Halifax with her \$300,000 unclaimed cargo of liquor, alleged to have been hi-jacked from the four-masted steel ship Yvernia some months ago. The liquor will remain in customs at Halifax until its ownership is established. The Ellice B. will be taken to Newfoundland.

The Weather

SYNOPSIS—Pressure continues low off the Atlantic coast and the southwestward depression has moved eastward with diminishing intensity, while to the northward over Canada pressure is quite high. The weather has been unsettled with showers from the Ottawa Valley eastward and mostly fair in the western provinces.

FORECASTS—Cloudy; Showers. MARTIME—Fresh northeast winds, mostly cloudy today and Saturday, occasional showers, not much change in temperature. NEW ENGLAND—Fair tonight and Saturday. Continued cool. Moderate to fresh northerly winds. Temperatures.

TORONTO, April 3, 1925. Lowest 8 a.m. yesterday, night.

Table with 2 columns: Location and Temperature. Locations include Victoria, Calgary, Edmonton, Winnipeg, Toronto, Montreal, Saint John, Halifax, and New York.

TOBIQUE DAM ERECTION IS UP IN COMMITTEE

Importance of Providing For Fish Spawning Stressed ACTION DEFERRED

Saint John Harbor Salmon Are Called Best in World By Club Member

By D. LEO DOLAN. Special Correspondent of The Times-Star. FREDERICTON, April 3.—After a lengthy discussion the Corporations Committee of the House this morning postponed final action on the bill to empower the Fraser Companies Limited, to erect and maintain a dam, piers, booms and sorting works, on the Tobique river, between Plaster Rock and Red Rapids.

The Allen of the Tobique Fishing Club asked that every effort be made to protect the salmon fishing in the Tobique which might possibly be seriously affected if the construction would prevent the free ascent of salmon to the spawning grounds.

BEST IN WORLD. He declared that the Atlantic salmon in Saint John harbor and Bay of Fundy were recognized by fishing authorities as the greatest in the world and in his remarks to the committee cautioned the members to make haste slowly before they would permit the erection of obstructions on the Tobique river which might for all time ruin this great industry.

LOCAL MEMBERS SPEAK. Hon. Dr. W. E. Foster and W. E. Scully, M. L. A., for Saint John, both declared that the erection of the proposed dam must be carried out in such a way that the salmon fishing industry in Saint John harbor and at Lorneville would be amply safeguarded.

A. F. Bentley, M. L. A., of Saint John, referred to the opposition which he had made investigation of construction of fishways in Scotland and he had become convinced that dams could be constructed, with fishways, so as to not hinder the salmon fishing industry.

FEDERAL SUPERVISION. At today's session the committee was pointed out that the federal department would supervise the construction of the fishway at the proposed dam. H. E. Harrison, fishery overseer, informed the members that he had endeavored to have an engineer of the department here but owing to pressure of business he had been unable to come to Fredericton.

SCHOOL BILL. A bill to amend the Schools Act, which provided an increase in the limit of school assessment because of increased demands, was agreed to.

A bill to fix the valuation for assessment purposes of Connors Bros., Limited, in the Parish of Penfield, was taken up.

Mr. Taylor presented a petition against the bill. Consideration was deferred until Tuesday.

OTHER MATTERS UP. Consideration of the bill to authorize School District No. 1, Parish of Madawaska, to issue debentures was also deferred.

The committee considered the bill relating to the supplying of electric light, heat and power in the Parish of Madawaska and agreed to it, with amendments.

The bill to authorize the Roman Catholic Bishop of Chatham to sell, convey and mortgage certain lands was agreed to.

Refused 18-Months Old Baby, Father Shoots Child and Self

DANBURY, Conn., April 3.—Millard B. Berry, 21, an electrician, shot and killed his 18-months-old son, Harold, in the arms of his mother here last night, and then fired a bullet into his own head, dying two hours later in the hospital. The shooting occurred at the home of Mrs. Berry's mother. Mr. and Mrs. Berry had separated on Wednesday, Mrs. Berry returning to her mother's residence. Berry, according to the police, went to the Millard home and demanded his child, which the mother had taken with her, but Mrs. Berry refused.

\$1,750,000 In Furs Are Disposed Of

MONTREAL, April 3.—Approximately one million and three quarters worth of furs changed hands during the four day sale of the Canadian Fur Auction Sales Company, which closed today.

Today 16,640 mink skins were disposed of. Prices were about 10 per cent. below recent market sales.