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Opportunity Is Seen For New Way To Boost City's Welfare

GERMANS AGREE TO THE FRENCH PLAN

ST. JOHN IN FINE POSITION AS A CONVENTION CITY

Suggestion Made That 1925 Be Boomed as Convention Year Here.

LOTS TO OFFER

Present Attractions Will Be Greatly Augmented By New Hotel.

Word that the Independent Order of Oddfellows plan to hold their Maritime convention in St. John next summer again suggests the idea of concentrating local effort on 1925 as Convention Year in this cool and hospitable city.

The opening of the new hotel and the undoubted enlivening of other hotel enterprises might justifiably be accepted as sufficient incentive to make a bold bid for this convention business.

Many Attractions.

St. John has always been a popular centre for convention purposes without any particular energy being displayed by the citizens in general to make it so.

Now the city is to have a modern chain hotel, river transportation conditions are improving, golf and tennis clubs are keeping pace with the bigger places and in general sight-seeing and recreational equipment of the local landing-place is just as much entitled to the benefits and attention of large gatherings of Canadians and U. S. bodies as Victoria or mid-western locations.

Meetings This Year.

Next week the Pythians, male and female, of the Maritime Provinces, will forgo their regular meetings to meet here for three days, the Medical Society of the province will meet here also.

How Toronto Does It.

As an indication of how other cities cater to the visitor within its gates on convention occasions the Toronto City Council has erected a large permanent welcoming day-and-night sign in a central place.

The great trek east this summer has been to Halifax. It's Old Home Week has been a great success. Thousands of automobiles from all over the continent have taken vast armies of people to the sister city.

Urchins With Lemons Spoil Sweet Music

New York, Aug. 16.—The sight of children sucking lemons and picking out sour thoughts in their minds, caused their lips to suckle and rendered them entirely unable to play sweet music.

DeVALERA SAYS HE HAS NO NEW POLICY

Declares Irish Treaty Not Accepted by The Irish People.

Dublin, Aug. 16.—Eamon de Valera, speaking at Ennis yesterday, declared he had no new policy to announce. He declared:— "We need no new policy. Our policy of 1917 and 1921 stands. Kings may be forced upon us. We may be temporarily forced to submit to certain things but our assent they can never gain."

Continuing, the speaker accused the British Government of propagandizing throughout the world with the view of persuading the world that the Irish national demands have been conceded. "To illustrate the effectiveness of this propaganda, I need only cite the speech of John W. Davis, Democratic candidate for the U. S. Presidency, as briefly summarized in the press a few days ago."

TENNIS MATCHES TO FINISH TODAY

Semi-Finals on This Morning—To Play Finals This Afternoon.

(Special to The Times-Star.) Sackville, Aug. 16.—Semi-finals in all events will be completed in the N. B. tennis championships here this morning, beginning at two o'clock this afternoon in all events will be played, finishing the tournament this afternoon. Glorious weather conditions prevail.

Wire Briefs

Boston, Aug. 16.—Paul Herlenbach of New York knocked out "Hambone" Kelly of Boston in the fourth round of a scheduled 10 round bout at Braves field last night.

Buenos Aires, Aug. 16.—A despatch received from Major Zanni, Argentine aviator, says he was forced to land yesterday at Tavoy Burman, because his gasoline supply became exhausted. Zanni left at 7.35 o'clock this morning for Bangkok, Siam.

Fort Moller, Alaska, Aug. 16.—William Sullivan, fireman at a fish hatchery, reported yesterday to the Pacific-American Fisheries Company station here that he had found an airplane wrecked April 30 by Major Frederick L. Martin, the commander of a flight around the world.

POSSIBILITIES OF TUCKER PARK ARE DETAILED

Town Planning Committee Chairman Writes of New Recreation Place.

IS BEAUTY SPOT

Street Railway Extension, Golf Course and Other Features Discussed.

In Tucker Park the city of St. John possesses a recreation area of over 200 acres, which in the years to come will be a great playground for the people. A survey is now being made for a better road into this park, and when the road is constructed the first step toward development will have been taken.

Tucker Park is an oblong block of land a little more than three-quarters of a mile long and three-eighths of a mile wide, containing about 200 acres, its longer boundaries lying in a direction from southeast to northwest.

The farm buildings are on this highest ground near the northeast boundary, from which point the land slopes more or less gradually in undulating steps toward the west and northwest until it reaches the 100 foot contour, from which it falls quite rapidly, making a steep descent to the lowland beyond the northwest boundary, touching an inlet of the Kennebec river at the northwest corner of the property.

The high land forms an irregular quadrangle of varying width but averaging about a quarter of a mile wide and half a mile long and containing approximately from 80 to 100 acres.

Beautiful scenery in abounding variety engages the attention of the traveler wherever he goes throughout the Maritime Provinces, but it is safe to say that nowhere in Eastern Canada are to be found panoramic views more charming, if even more extensive, than those which greet the eye from the high ground of Tucker Park.

To the northwest the view takes in the broad expanse of Grand Bay, the lower stretches of the St. John river, its borders dotted with summer cottages; the Kennebecis, with its varied coastline, bays and inlets and islands, and beyond, the farm settlements of Kings county with the range of blue hills in Queens county closing the distance.

To the west and southwest are wooded hills and valleys in the foreground with the Lancaster Heights in the distance, the towers of its buildings cutting the horizon.

One of the Glorious Views From Tucker Park



Girl Bandit Used Wig For Disguise

Camden, N. J., Aug. 16.—Margaret Treadway, who is not yet 18 years old and lives in Atlantic City, was of her career as a member of a hold-up gang here in police headquarters as she smoked a cigarette.

McCoy Jury Hands IN OPEN VERDICT

Nobody Named in Inquest Verdict—Pugilist's Statement Repeated.

Los Angeles, Calif., Aug. 16.—Without expressing an opinion as to whether it was a case of suicide or homicide, a coroner's jury investigating the death of Mrs. Theresa Mors, in connection with which Kid McCoy, former idol of the prize ring, is being held on a charge of suspicion of murder, decided late yesterday that the woman died as a result of a gunshot wound inflicted by a person or persons unknown.

The first evidence of any one having heard the shot that ended Mrs. Mors' life came when Mrs. A. B. Avery, a tenant in the apartment where the killing took place, went on the witness stand. She said she had retired about 10.30 o'clock on Tuesday night, had fallen asleep and awakened to hear two screams, apparently a woman's, a shot and then silence.

The Duke of Connaught opened the Boy Scouts' Imperial Jamboree in the Stadium at Wembley on August 15. Nearly 300,000 scouts from all parts of the Empire were present at the festival, which lasted for a week.

LABORERS START RIOT IN KHARTUM

Unrest in Sudan Grows—Leave For British Troops is Cancelled.

London, Aug. 16.—An Evening News despatch from Khartum states that a party of laborers, armed with hammers and sticks, attempted a demonstration yesterday, but it was dispersed upon the arrival of British troops. It was added that the British cruiser Weymouth is standing by at Port Sudan to assure the public of security.

The despatch stated that a fight occurred at Port Sudan upon the arrival of British troops. It was said that the leave of officials and British officers has been cancelled and certain responsible officials recalled.

New and disquieting features in the Sudan, Khartum advises, include the posting of anonymous proclamations and the exchange of telegrams among the natives containing verses from the Koran, referring to the overthrow of unbelievers, and an organized system of speeches.

No Failures In New Brunswick

Toronto, Aug. 16.—Twenty-seven failures in the Dominion were reported for the last week by R. G. Dun & Company, as compared with 30 for the same period last year.

Penny Lodges In Throat, Child Dies

Cleveland, Aug. 16.—Death won over medical science in a battle to save the life of Helen Batcha, 22 months old, who several days ago tried to swallow a penny that lodged in her throat. An operation to remove the coin that slowly shut off the child's breathing was impossible because of swelling.

TORONTO TYPOS TO CALL OFF STRIKE, ON SINCE MAY OF 1921

Final Decision is Reached at Convention Held Last Evening.

TO END AUGUST 31

1,000 Men, Still Out, Will Continue to Receive Strike Pay.

(By Canadian Press.)

Toronto, Aug. 16.—Decision by the International Typographical Union to call off as from August 31 the strike for a 44-hour week which has been in progress since May, 1921, was reached at a session of the convention in Massey Hall which lasted until midnight last night.

In connection with the motion the question of the men who are still on strike, numbering about 1,000 was to the fore and there was considerable controversy whether strike pay should be continued or not.

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New York, Aug. 16.—Etienne Chevenet, 42 years old, recently arrived from Paris, was captured by three of the largest patrolmen on the force as he knelt unclad on the roof of a four-story apartment house praying to the sun.

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FLY TO DANCE

Officers Take Giant Dirigible to Function Forty-Five Miles Away.

St. Louis, Aug. 16.—Dirigible balloons have uses other than those of war. Lieutenant Colonel John A. Paegelow, commandant of Scott Field, Belleville, Ill., the army's chief lighter-than-air station, demonstrated when he flew to a dinner dance at the Sun Hill Country Club, near St. Louis, in the giant airship TC-3.

USES UNIQUE PLAN TO SERVE PAPERS

Bert Green, Cartoonist, Sues N. Y. Follies Producer For \$25,000.

New York, N. Y., Aug. 16.—When Pin Ziegfeld refused to be found in order that Bert Green, cartoonist, might serve him with papers in \$25,000 suit, which Green has brought against the follies producer, Bert introduced to Plo a new process of serving papers.

Large Counterfeit Dollar is Seized

New York, Aug. 16.—The largest counterfeit United States dollar in the world was seized here. The dollar, a rug reproducing a silver certificate, with finely woven portraits of Lincoln and Grant, was brought in on the liner King Alexander by a Greek merchant who refused to reproduce currency in any manner. The dollar is six feet by four.

C. N. R. LOSES MONEY

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Calgary, Alta., Aug. 16.—The people of Canada must face the unpleasant possibility that the loss on operation of the Canadian National Lines will be from \$13,000,000 to \$15,000,000 for 1924, much of which is due to bad business in the United States, where the Canadian National has a large and productive mileage.

\$8,000 Liquor Cargo is Seized on Boat

New Bedford, Mass., Aug. 16.—The power boat G-408, laden with a cargo of champagne and cordials, said to be worth \$8,000, was brought into port here by the coast guard cutter Acushnet.

Smallest Airplane Flies 1,300 Miles

Dayton, Ohio, Aug. 16.—The world's smallest airplane, the Alouette, landed at McCook Field after a flight of 1,300 miles from Kelly Field, Texas. Lieutenant Donald Phillips, Kelly Field pilot, was stationed at McCook Field, where he also was the engineer who had charge of its construction.

The plane has a wing spread of eighteen feet and weighs 450 pounds with the motor. It has a speed capacity of 105 miles an hour and carries a fuel supply for four hours, flying at full speed. It is able to cover twenty miles on a gallon of fuel. The ship is an original model. The flight to Dayton was started a week ago.

Weather Report

MORNING PAPER REPORT. Probabilities—Moderate winds, fair, not much change in temperature.

Second Attempt to Enter Canada Proves Successful



John Cassidy of Glasgow and his family, who have arrived in Canada with the third Hebridean party of settlers, destined for Alberta. Cassidy's second attempt to get into Canada was more successful than his first.

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AGREEMENT AS TO RUHR EVACUATION IN YEAR REACHED

Settlement Comes After All Night Parley of French and Germans.

ARE DISAPPOINTED

Teutons Hope For Earlier Evacuation When Loan Question is Raised.

(By LLOYD ALLEN (United States Staff Cor.) London, Aug. 16.—Once more the Germans are ready to "sign and go back to face the folk."

After all night conferences between representatives of France and the Reich, the Germans notified the secretary of the conference on application of the Dawes report that they had decided to accede to the French proposal to conclude Franco-Belgian evacuation of the Ruhr within a year.

This was the most serious of all the problems involved in putting into effect the provisions of the Dawes reparations programme. Satisfactory solution means that the conference, held by many authorities to be equal in importance to the Peace Conference of 1918-1919, has reached its final stage a success, after many previous futile attempts.

RE-SEEDING OF N. B. LANDS IS SUCCESS

Tests Made on Trial Plots Show Very Favorable Results.

Fredrickton, N. B., Aug. 16.—G. A. Malloy and C. Y. Jones of the Federal Forest Service, Ottawa, were in the Department of Lands and Mines in connection with the experimental re-seeding operations which were instituted in this province last year.

Measurements which have been made of the production on the two experimental plots at Gros Brook and Tabusintac, burned areas which were destroyed last season and on which re-seeding operations were commenced to determine the production from a re-seeded first year burn, show that spruce seed is producing between 2,000 and 4,000 trees per acre. This result is said to be one of the most favorable which has been shown from the initial experiment. The experiments, which were provided for by a Federal grant extending over a period of three years, will be conducted on these areas this year in order to determine the production from areas seeded during the second year following destruction.

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