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SAYS SCOTT MAY HAVE BEATEN HIM TO POLE

Amundsen Says Possible But Unlikely

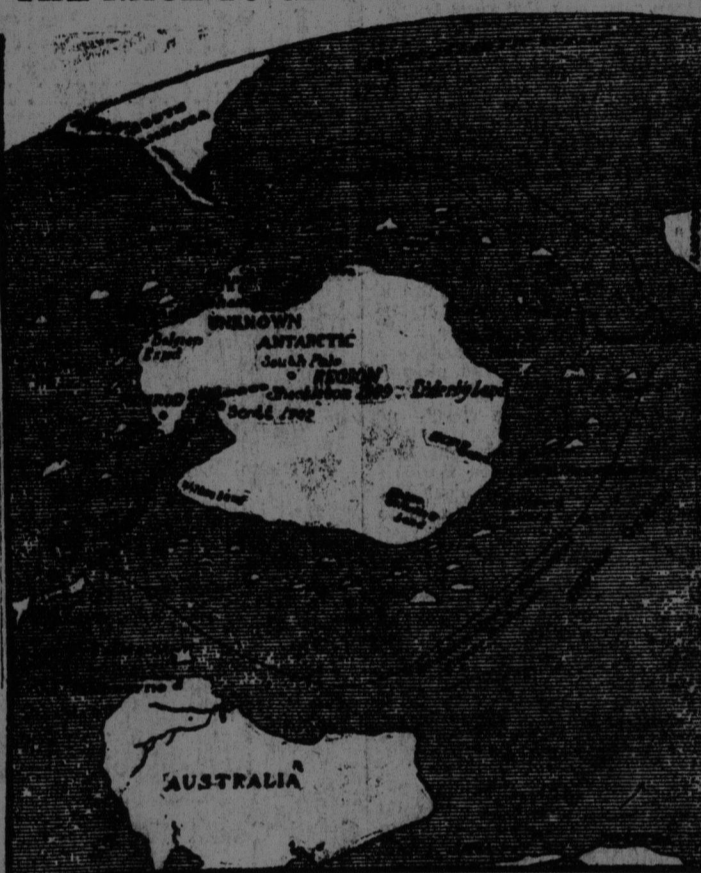
NORWEGIAN GOOD SPORT

New Species of Bird Seen Near Coal — How Norway's Explorer Made Such Good Time — Did Not Suffer Much Hardship

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New York, March 11—A London cable to the Tribune this morning says— "Captain Amundsen admits that it is quite possible that Captain Robert Scott, reached the South Pole before him and left some substantial memorial which was afterward swept away by storms. On the whole, however, he considers this very unlikely, as calm weather prevailed all the time he was there. Like the good sportsman he is, however, Amundsen hopes that Scott has been successful also.

THE RACE TO GET FARTHEST SOUTH



This map shows the route taken by Sir Ernest Shackleton when he came so near winning the laurel of being the first man to reach the south pole. In the main the same route was taken by Captain Scott, R. N., who was formerly with Shackleton, and by Captain Amundsen the Norwegian. Explorers will soon be regretting that there are "no more worlds to conquer."

"The explorer and his party, it appears, had much difficulty in breathing at times during the latter stages of their journey, but otherwise they had no real hardships to endure. Amundsen gives full credit to his comrades and to his dogs, and says that his success was largely due to their magnificent work. The most interesting biological statement Amundsen makes is that the King Edward Land party reported seeing a bird of a new species. Scientific men will eagerly await his full statement as to what bird it was like.

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Ambler, N. S., March 11—(Special)—The death of Thompson Keller occurred at his home, Ambler Point, yesterday. He was seventy-three years old, and is survived by his wife, who was Miss Watson, and two sisters—Mrs. Watson, of Point De Bute, and Mrs. Anderson, of the Diji Islands. The funeral will be held on Tuesday afternoon from the home of Stanley A. Logan. Mr. Keller was one of the oldest members of the First Baptist church of Ambler, and was highly respected in the community.

THINK THERE WAS FOUL PLAY

Hamilton, Ont., March 11—In the death of John Quigley, a laborer, aged twenty-seven years, whose body was found in a locked outhouse at 201 Wellington street, North, on Sunday, the police suspect foul play. There was a large bruise on his arm, and the skin was scraped.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS OF INTEREST; READY TO TAKE OVER GREEN HEAD PROPERTY

The deed for the Greenhead property which is being transferred by the city to R. Max McCarty for use as the site of the new cement plant is being progressed, and Mr. McCarty is prepared to take it over and pay in return the \$25,000 balance on the purchase price. It is understood that the plan for the new industry is going ahead very satisfactorily and that it is expected that operations will be commenced early in the spring.

FREDERICTON HAVING BUSY ELECTION DAY

Fredricton, N. B., March 11—(Special)—The hottest civic battle which Fredericton has experienced in several years is taking place today under favorable weather conditions. The candidates for Mayor are W. S. Hooper and W. J. Osborne are candidates for the mayoralty and there are eighteen candidates for the ten aldermanic seats. Both sides are well organized at the polls, and a big vote is being got out. There is considerable cross firing, and it is scarcely likely that either side will elect its full ticket.

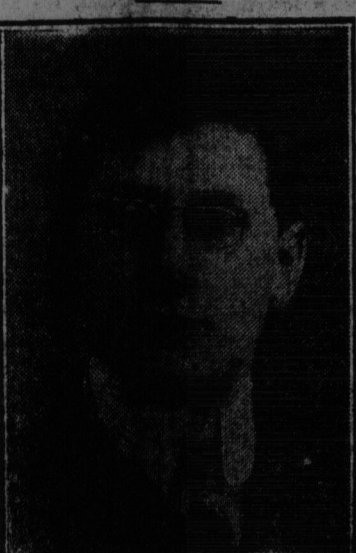
STORM MADE TRAIN EIGHT HOURS LATE

The snowstorm in this city yesterday was quite severe, but east of Moncton it raged more fiercely and the service on the G. N. R. was impeded by the heavy block-ice. In the Folegh mountain section trains were held up for several hours. No report was received from an immigrant special which was detained between Folegh and Londonderry for at least five hours and other immigrant trains passing from Halifax had similar experiences, giving their passengers a genuine touch of a through Canadian snow storm.

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A CANADIAN WITH SCOTT AT SOUTH POLE



Dr. C. S. Wright, the only Canadian with Scott's Antarctic expedition. Doctor Wright went to make the meteorological and magnetic surveys as well as do some special work of the crystalline construction of the great ice barriers that have blocked all former attempts to reach the polar regions.

KING GEORGE HAS PATENT FOR HIS OWN DEVICES

New York, March 11—A special cable to the World from Berlin says: "King George of England has taken out a patent through the German crown prince, his cousin, for a coal saving range, which His Majesty is said to have perfected during the long winter in the highlands and elsewhere following his father's death.

ERIN STREET CASE IS HEARD IN COURT

In the police court today Lydia Brandy, colored, was charged with leaving a heavy liquor without a license. The defendant pleaded not guilty. Ada Jackson, Eva Harris, John Jackson, Bradford Mason and James Lauchner, all colored, were charged with being inmates of the house. All pleaded not guilty.

A FINE OF \$100 ON ONE CHARGE—A Fine for Selling Beer in Another Case

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GIRL AVIATOR KILLED

Nineteen Year Old Suzanne Bernard was Undergoing Examination for Pilot's License

Mumps, France, March 11—A woman aviator, Suzanne Bernard, was killed yesterday while undergoing examination for a pilot's license. She was only nineteen years old.

NEW PRESIDENT WILL NOT HAVE THE SUPREME POWER

Nanking, China, March 11—The constitution of the new Republic of China, as finally approved today, places the supreme power in the hands of the national assembly. A notable feature is that all the acts of the president require the approval of the assembly and this body also has complete control of the cabinet. The assembly elects the president and vice-president and may pass any law over the executive's veto.

RICHESON'S CRIME

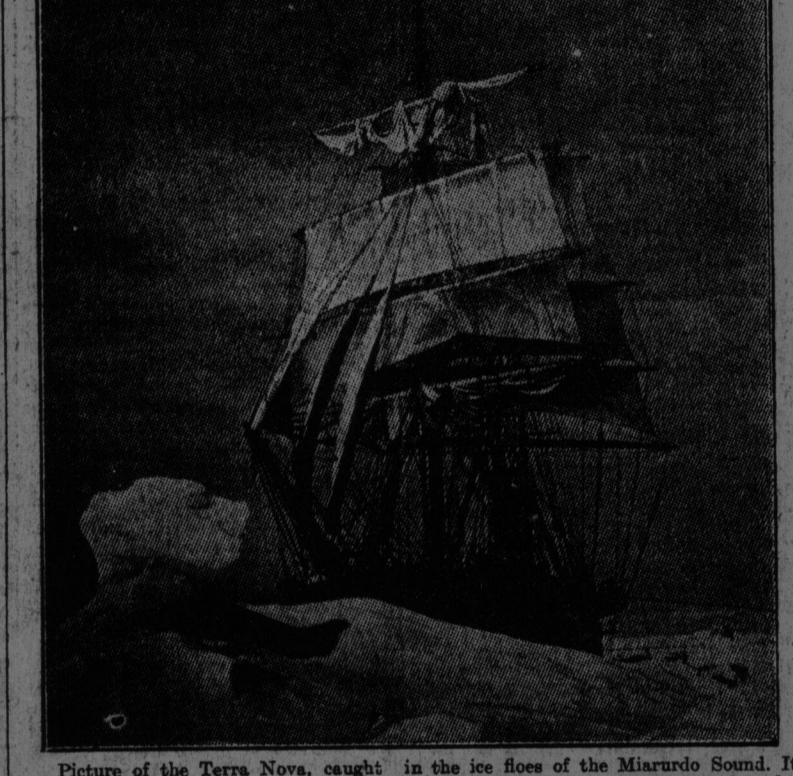
In the main street Baptist church last evening Rev. Dr. Hutchinson delivered an interesting sermon. The service was especially for men. He pointed out a moral from the crime of Rev. Clarence V. T. Richeson. He spoke of the bad effects of evil thought, the cause for many going astray, and in a reference to the sin of impurity, instanced the case of the former minister who he said had fled his native land to escape the consequences of his evil thoughts until evil triumphed in the awful crime of murder of the Sunday school teacher whom he had ill-treated. And the result was that he was now in prison with his life for his awful crime. After the regular service the exercises for men were conducted at a special meeting and the attendance was large.

ANNIVERSARY SUNDAY

In the Peter's church yesterday morning more than 100 members of the Single Men's branch of the Holy Family observed Anniversary Sunday and attended the service. Dr. Hutchinson, baptised three candidates before a large congregation.

LOOTING ATTENDS ON BRITISH COAL STRIKE

CAPTAIN SCOTT'S GOOD SHIP



Picture of the Terra Nova, caught in the ice floes of the Mirarado Sound. It was noticed that the sails are set. The picture was taken by Mr. Poyting, the official photographer of the expedition, and was the first one to get to civilization.

OUTLOOK THOUGHT OMINOUS

World-Wide Strike of Coal Miners Regarded as Possibility by Men in the Trade in The States

ANOTHER STRIKE IS STARTED

Westphalian Miners Are Out, 175,000 Obey Call—One Day Strike in France as Display of Power

INDIANS WANT HALF MILLION AND INTEREST

Will Make Another Call on Dominion Government — Ask Votes in Ontario

DEPUTY SHERIFF IRVING OF NEWCASTLE BEWAEO

Chatham, N. B., March 11—(Special)—Mrs. William Irving, wife of Deputy Sheriff Irving, died at her home in Newcastle on Saturday afternoon. She had been in poor health for a long time, but her illness took a serious turn only a short time ago. She was a daughter of the late John Currie, of Lower Newcastle, and was about fifty years of age.

DEATH IN HOULTON

The death of Mrs. Lydia Currie Cottle, widow of Alfred Cottle, of Houlton, occurred at her home in Houlton on Tuesday evening, at the age of eighty-one years. Mrs. Cottle was born in York County, N. B., about fifty-five years ago. She married Alfred Cottle and lived many years in Houlton. About five years ago she moved to Houlton, Mrs. Cottle was a member of the Baptist church. She leaves three daughters.

Situation is Not Improved As Week Opens

RAILROADS CUT SERVICES

London Shopkeepers Send Up Prices of Food—One District Reports Starvation — Some Hope From Conferences—Canadian Coal to England

(Canadian Press)

New York, March 11—A London cable this morning says— "The beginning of the new week sees the coal strike no nearer settlement. Optimists expect much from this week's conferences, but the overwhelming opinion is that the South Wales strike will continue another month. The miners of Northumberland and Derbyshire are still determined to give in to nothing less than the minimum wage.

U. S. Miners to Canada

Pottsville, Pa., March 11—Agents who are said to represent British interests are travelling through the southern anthracite section offering big wages to miners to accept employment in Canadian mines, the output of which is to be sent to England, where a shortage of coal is expected for half a year after the miners' strike is broken. Because of the likelihood of a strike in this section next month, many miners declare they will accept the offer.

Coal Prices Climbed

For the rapidly dwindling stock of coal on hand in North Wales and advance in price of from 75 to 100 per cent, has necessitated the closing of practically every factory and quarry in that part of the country. In other portions of the United Kingdom, conditions are almost as bad.

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Brantford, Ont., March 11—The six nation Indians have decided to make another effort to secure from the dominion government the principal and interest of the \$500,000 which they invested in the Grand River Navigation Company in the early part of the nineteenth century.

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MUST LIST THE STOCKS

New York, March 11—Unless the so-called subsidiaries of the dissolved Standard Oil and American Tobacco companies make application to have their stocks quoted upon the official list of the New York Curb Market Association and comply with its rules within a reasonable time, quotations of the shares on the list will be discontinued, according to an announcement made here.

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