

# THE MORNING ALBERTAN

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## YOUNG GERMAN CHILD EIGHT YEARS OLD FOULY MURDERED BY FRENCHMAN IN HIS SOLITARY SHACK

Deliberate and Cold-blooded Crime Perpetrated Almost  
Under the Eyes of the Victim's Parents, Who  
Came to Canada Three Months Ago

### ENTICED LITTLE GIRL FROM HER PLAY AND CUT HER THROAT IN DARK CELLAR

Man Had Been Deserted by His Wife and Children Two  
Weeks Ago—Is Native of Montreal and Has Been in  
Calgary Two Years Working as a Laborer

**THE VICTIM.**  
YOSEMA FRICK—8 years old, residing with her parents at 821 Centre Avenue, Riverside.

**THE MURDERER.**  
JOSEPH DIONNE—32 years of age, laborer, residing in shack in rear of 647 Centre Avenue, Riverside.

A most ghastly murder startled the peaceful foreign settlement across the river in Northeast Calgary last evening. A German girl, barely six years of age, was the victim while her assailant, a Frenchman, barely six years of age, was the murderer. The crime took place in a dark cellar, the floor of which was the body of the little girl, her throat cut from ear to ear, is at Shaw's undertaking parlors. An inquest has been ordered and will take place this afternoon under the conduct of Dr. Rose.

**Missed His Daughter.**  
It was about 5:30 that George Frick, laborer, residing at 821 Centre Avenue, returned from his day's work. Going upstairs to his room he met his wife and his younger girl, who is but three years of age. He noticed the absence of Yosema, his older girl, and told the mother to call her in as it was time for her to be in bed. The mother went out thinking the girl would be playing with some companions on the vacant lot to the east of the house.

On going out, she noticed none of the children about, but after looking about a time or two she saw the new Frenchman, who lives in a small shack on the eastern side of the vacant lot. He was standing at his door and she thought she saw her girl standing there too. She ran across to the shack and found that the door was locked. She beat against the door until all her hands were raw, but she could not get the door open. She ran back to get her husband, thinking something was the matter, but they were known to be in the house. She heard loud shrieks from the interior of the shack.

The two were unable to get into the window they saw the man standing in the middle of the room, his hands covered with blood. He was dressed and had only a shirt on. The father immediately burst the window open and was making to jump into the house when the man ordered the door and ran out into the open.

The father gave chase but was some distance behind when he was joined in the pursuit. Among them was Detective Schoppe, who also ran to the scene. The father and Detective Schoppe were making a savage attack on the man. Detective Schoppe at once telephoned to headquarters for the patrol wagon and kept hold of Dionne in the meantime.

**Great Crowd Follows.**  
By this time the chase had attracted a great crowd and many laborers who were their way to work had joined in the pursuit. Among them was Detective Schoppe, who also ran to the scene. The father and Detective Schoppe were making a savage attack on the man. Detective Schoppe at once telephoned to headquarters for the patrol wagon and kept hold of Dionne in the meantime.

**Deserted by Wife.**  
Dionne is not known at police headquarters. He had left his wife and child in the care of a neighbor. He was perfectly rational at the time but from all appearance there was no sympathy for his position and he judged that on all accounts his wife had done right in leaving him. The matter, Dionne was employed as a laborer in the Calgary Wholesale Spirit company in the wholesale warehouse.

**Thomas Dawson Celebrated Planner of  
Townships, Sees Glorious Opportunity**

Says Montreal, Which Might Be One of the Most Magnificent Cities for Natural Beauty in World, Is Being Developed on Utterly Wrong Lines

Montreal, May 5.—Thomas W. Dawson who arrived in the city a few days ago from abroad, and who is on his way to Calgary, whether he is under contract for a comprehensive scheme of town planning, is of the opinion that Montreal, with magnificent birthright, is sleeping on her opportunities. "Montreal today is in an extremely critical period of growth. It depends upon the actions of the next year or so whether the city will develop into an ugly city of stumps, or into one of the most beautiful cities in the world. It is not too late to alter this now. The city's sites are not lost for all time. The experience of Hamburg, Berlin, London, Newcastle, Hull, and many other places prove that a city arrives at a certain period in its progress when it must adapt itself to the new needs or lose its predominance."

**Great Natural Amphitheatre**  
"I have been in Montreal many times," said Mr. Dawson, "and I have always been struck with the magnificent opportunities which have been lost here. The city has been laid out on the most unimaginative lines, and to enhance whatever has been taken of its natural resources (view) of its natural contours. This great natural amphitheatre overlooking the



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"I PROPOSE TO WITHDRAW FROM THIS CASE."—Sensational incident because the privileges and elections committee of the Ontario legislature, when H. H. Dewart, K.C., counsel for William Proudfoot, M. P., announced his intention of withdrawing because the chairman of the committee, which is predominantly Conservative and government supporting, declined to allow him to delve deeper into the admission of the Hon. Mr. Hanna, provincial secretary, that he had accepted five hundred dollars for Conservative party funds from one G. S. Taylor, who was mixed up in government contracts. When Mr. Dewart withdrew, too, followed by the five Liberal members of the committee. The investigation then proceeded before the Conservative members who "stuck."

## POSTMASTER GENERAL OUTLINES TO HOUSE A PLAN OF AN UP-TO-DATE WIRELESS SERVICE BETWEEN CANADA AND MOTHER COUNTRY

Contract Has Been Entered Into With the Universal  
Radio Wireless, Which Guarantees to  
Establish the System

GUARANTEE TO GIVE A SERVICE  
OF 400 WORDS TO THE MINUTE

Will Build and Operate All Stations at Their Own Risk  
and Will Put Up \$50,000 as an Evidence  
of Good Faith

Ottawa, May 5.—Hon. L. P. Pelletier, postmaster general, gave to the house this afternoon the details of a new arrangement which has been effected with a British syndicate to provide a thoroughly up-to-date wireless service between this country and Great Britain. The arrangement brings with it a considerable reduction in rates, and is to be in working order within a year after the contract is ratified.

**Contract With Radio Company**  
Such negotiations were accordingly begun, but were comparatively unsuccessful, as far as securing any reduction in rates was concerned. Mr. Pelletier said that he began negotiations in another quarter, and the arrangement which he would now announce to the house was the result of these negotiations. A contract was signed with the Universal Radio Company, and while there was a

**MILITIA OFFICERS WILL MAKE EFFORTS TO  
HAVE COMPENSATION OF RANKS INCREASED**

That a determined attempt will be made by militia officers in the west to have the rates of pay of all ranks in the annual camp increased this year, and also to have the allowance for horses increased was the statement made by several Calgary militia officers.

## WHAT THE GREAT WEST DID YESTERDAY

VANCOUVER, B.C.  
It is stated that the Pacific Great Eastern railway will start construction on its line along the north shore of Burrard Inlet within 30 days, and will operate its first passenger trains between North Vancouver and Point Atkinson on June 1st.

**FORT WILLIAM, ONT.**  
Building permits for April totaled \$38,549, last year it was \$28,225, an increase of 35 per cent. A big program of dredging operations in the harbor has begun. It includes 25 acres of earth to be removed to provide a turning basin for the harbor.

**WINNIPEG.**  
Seven new companies have just been incorporated with a combined capital of three quarters of a million.

**EDMONTON.**  
Work commenced today on the excavation of the B. N. A. bank building, it will have a frontage of 57 feet and be six stories in height. The plans show a handsome and costly building which will be a credit to the city and bank.

**CALGARY.**  
A flour milling company from Winnipeg purchased a site here for 15 residences were issued Saturday totaling \$25,000. A bylaw for the expenditure of a quarter of a million in street lighting improvements is being submitted Wednesday.

**VICTORIA, B.C.**  
Estimated number of immigrants who came into British Columbia during 1912 was nearly 70,000.

**KELOWNA, B.C.**  
A central selling agency for Okanagan valley fruit is to be formed, and obtaining the best prices.

**WARDNER, B.C.**  
Moving Picture Operator London commissioned by the C.P.R. went to the city yesterday to take pictures of the lumber industry from beginning to finish.

**TURKEY'S DELEGATES NAMED**  
Constantinople, May 5.—Osman Nizam Pasha, the ambassador to Germany, and Betsar Efendi, minister of public works, have been appointed delegates to represent Turkey at the peace conference. They will proceed to London on Tuesday.

## PRESIDENT FALCONER MAKES PLEA FOR UNITY THOROUGHNESS AND A HIGHER STANDARD OF PROFESSIONAL EFFICIENCY IN THE WEST

Advocates a Fuller Life for the People of the West in  
Addressing the Students of the University of  
Calgary Yesterday.

ADDRESS IS FOCUSED ON PROBLEMS  
WHICH CONFRONT LOCAL INSTITUTIONS

Eminent Educator Is Impressed With the Line of Universities  
Which is Springing Up From the East  
to the West; Favours Unification

A fuller life for the people of the west, was the aim outlined for west-ern universities, by President Falconer of the University of Toronto who addressed the University of Calgary at the first closing exercises held in First Baptist church yesterday afternoon. His address will serve you well, but there will be obstacles.

**Favors Unification.**  
"The setting forth of the best possible education for the largest number of people requires foresight and vision and enthusiasm. You have enthusiasm and you have the long vision, and as you all work together, you will solve your problem. It is not far from me to say how, but you must have the greatest educational facilities not governed by sectional desires but by a sense of unity, so that the whole province may be developed as if one man were doing it."

**Tracing the history of the university from its beginning about 1209, President Falconer laid special stress on the importance of the student body. The state he said was only at most one-half and in many ways the least important part of the university.**

**Delegates Who Will Arrange for Peace Centenary are Arriving in New York**

New York, May 5.—Representatives of Great Britain, Canada, Newfoundland and Australia reached New York last night to open a conference today with fifty delegates from the United States for framing plans to celebrate the one hundredth anniversary of peace among English speaking people. With them were two representatives of the city of Ghent, where was signed the treaty ending the war of 1813 between the United States and Great Britain. The celebration will be two years hence.

**ALBERTA BOX CO.'S  
PLANT IS BURNING  
THIS MORNING**

A fire alarm was rung in at about 10 this morning from the box factory near the Main Station in East Calgary which was on fire. Two stations responded immediately and the blaze on the first floor was partially extinguished. At the time of going to press the fire department was still fighting and the fire appeared to be centered around or in the boiler room. The fire was a spectacular one, apparently it originated on the ground floor. When the fire department appeared the blaze was making rapid headway and illuminated the whole street.

**FRIDAY IS CLEAN-UP DAY**  
Friday, May 9th, Arbor Day, has been chosen as a civic clean-up day. All citizens are urged to help in the work of cleaning up the city and raking and collecting all stumps, garbage and inflammable material in three separate piles at the rear of their lots, ready for the teams on Friday morning. By so doing, the citizens will greatly assist in this work.

## STRIKE BREAKERS ARE NOW EMPLOYED IN NELSON SCHOOLS

Board Has Recovered from  
Trouble Caused When the  
Teaching Staff Quit

(Special to The Albertan).  
Nelson, B. C., May 4.—Seven certificated teachers have been secured to replace those who walked out on April 3, and are now commencing their duties at the public school, while an eighth teacher, who holds an academic certificate, will arrive here tomorrow, according to reports presented at last night's special meeting of the trustees. New teachers are: Harold Martin, W. H. Weber, B. G. L. Parker, Mrs. W. McMillan, Mrs. B. Williams, Miss A. M. Hunter, Miss A. E. Maudford and Mrs. E. W. Day. Messrs. Martin and De-ber and Miss Hunter are teaching under second class certificates, and Mrs. Williams has a third class certificate.

There are two substitutes at the school, Mrs. H. Higginbottom and Miss E. J. Poole. G. L. Parker, who is to arrive tomorrow, is a graduate of Acadia college, and will replace one of those, and the other is substituting for Robert Thompson, principal, who is unable to teach owing to sickness. When Mr. Parker arrives the board will have been successful in securing a replacement of all the eight who quit work with certificated teachers. Substitutes employed during the month to carry on the classes left without teachers at the time of the walk-out, were \$151.50, stated the finance committee.

**Withdrawn Grain Charge.**  
Montreal, May 5.—A decision to withdraw the transfer charge of 2-10 per bushel on grain for the remainder of the season was reached at a meeting of the harbor commissioners and to delegation from the Corn Exchange association, held at noon today.

**Tragic Double Drowning.**  
Frederick, N. B., May 5.—A tragic double drowning accident occurred on Tuesday evening at the headwaters of the headwaters of the St. John river, in which two Nashwaak men, Charles Cameron, of the Nashwaak mill, and Bernathy of Durham Bridge, lost their lives. They were crossing the river in a canvas canoe about noon when the craft upset and the current carried down the river by the current to a whirlpool, where they sank and were drowned. They were both strong swimmers, but the current and the whirlpool were too big for them to make a successful battle for life.

## G.P.R. WILL BUILD 374 MILES TRACK IN ALBERTA

Supt. Price, Returning from  
Tour of Inspection, Makes  
This Announcement

That close on to 374 miles of new road will be completed by the C.P.R. in Alberta during the coming year, is the statement of General Superintendent A. Price, who has just returned from a trip of inspection over the various new lines being undertaken by that company this year. The lines include the line from Corson to Sedgewick, a distance of 25 miles; the line between Bassano and Corson, 113 miles long, and the cut-off on the Calgary-Bassano line which will be 40 miles in length and which shortens the distance between Calgary and Bassano and gives the C.P.R. many better grades than those now held by that road.

**Credit for the Immigrant**  
London, Ont., May 5.—The Welfare League has been formed in this city as an auxiliary to the charitably organized society which will furnish credit for necessities for the immigrant arriving almost daily in the city. Sheriff Cameron, Col. Green and Mayor Graham are among the members who will look out for the new arrivals.

**Militant Firebugs**  
London, May 5.—Suffragettes set fire to the residence of the editor of The Light at Finchley Saturday night. The fire was quenched before serious damage was done.

**California Stands Pat.**  
Sacramento, Cal., May 5.—The alien land ownership bill, previously passed by the senate, was passed by the assembly late Saturday night, and awaits the signature of the governor before becoming law.

**Prominent Winnipegger Here**  
H. J. Hickey of the wholesale commissioning up the city and raking and collecting all stumps, garbage and inflammable material in three separate piles at the rear of their lots, ready for the teams on Friday morning. By so doing, the citizens will greatly assist in this work.

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**At 12:30 p. m. Sharp**  
All sell one-half above date, reserve the following:

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above will comprise 2 of Heavy Work Horses, single Drivers, 3 Saddle Horses, etc.

**79 HEAD OF PIGS**  
sows, 27 Sows in pig or young pigs at foot, 32 castrated pigs. These pigs sold in lots to suit purchaser and to which the attention of buyers of the best is specially directed.

**HEAD OF MIXED CATTLE**  
sows, fresh and close in, cows can be seen at the store below on the previous to sale.

**SHEEP**  
registered Leicester Ram, 2, old; 37 Ewes and Wethers, etc.

**IMPLEMENTS**  
over Disc, Wagon, Buggies, traps, Harness, etc., etc.

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