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MAY AVERT THE BIG COAL STRIKE

English Miners and Mine Owners Are in Conference in Hope of Peace

(Canadian Press) London, Feb. 19.—While all the preparations that have been made in the coal field of the United Kingdom are for rather than for peace, there is just a gleam of hope that the threatened strike of nearly a million of men at the end of this month will be averted.

The authorities look upon Wales as the most dangerous spot, and, having regard to the disturbances which occurred last year, the chief constable of Glamorgan-shire has suggested to the magistrates that an application should be made for the drafting of a body of 1800 infantry and 1,100 cavalry into the affected areas.

SAYS SIR EDWARD GREY WILL BE THE NEXT PREMIER

London Standard Writer Says This is the Real Inside Information

London, Feb. 19.—While the fact that no official denial has been given to the persistent report of the impending retirement of Premier Asquith and the succession of David Lloyd George, or Sir Edward Grey to the premiership, is itself fully significant, it is well known parliamentary correspondence of the Standard, John Foster Fraser, says he has definite knowledge on the subject.

NEW ZEALAND POLITICS

London Paper's Views on the Situation And the Future

London, Feb. 19.—The Pall Mall Gazette, discussing New Zealand's radical legislative programme—which includes nationalization of all lands and oil industries, increased graduated land tax, reduction of the duties on tobacco and other articles used by farmers and workers, extension of the system of state owned coal mines, establishment of a co-operative miners' bank and establishment of a state gas supply—says everybody recognizes that these big bids are inspired by the preponderance of the labor party.

WEATHER BULLETIN

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

Table with 4 columns: Location, Max, Min, Dir. Rows include St. John, Miramichi, Moncton, etc.

Local Weather Report at Noon. Monday, Feb. 19, 1912. Highest temperature during last 24 hrs 32.

CARUSO SUED FOR BREACH OF PROMISE

Italian Girl Brings Action in Milan and Asks Heavy Damages — Defence is Blackmail

(Canadian Press) Milan, Feb. 19.—The breach of promise suit of a sales girl, Anelli, against Enrico Caruso, the operatic tenor, has been occupying the court here. Counsel for the young woman gave the details of this alleged courtship of the girl by the singer and told how the promise of marriage was alleged to have been made.

MINISTER'S LETTER VEXES UNCLE SAM

Grave Diplomatic Situation Declared to Have Been Precipitated

Washington, Feb. 19.—A grave diplomatic situation between the United States and Colombia has been precipitated by the publication of a letter which Senator Pedro Neopatia, the Colombian minister, has written to Acting Secretary Huntington Wilson of the state department suggesting that it might be "inopportune" for Secretary Knox to visit Colombia during his projected tour of Central America.

THE ONE-ARMED WONDER

O. B. Beach, the one-armed skater from Vancouver, who is cleaning things up in the skating meets in the United States.

LAW DOES NOT TOUCH THEM

Washington, Feb. 19.—Canadian vessels carrying round trip excursionists from United States ports on the great lakes and St. Lawrence river, are not subject to the navigation statute which prohibits, under severe penalties, the participation of foreign ships in the coastwise trade of this country, according to an opinion rendered by Attorney General Wickham.

SAVED AT BRINK OF GRAVE

Three Year Old Girl Found Alive as Burial Service Was Being Read

Duluth, Minn., Feb. 19.—After being prepared for burial and apparently dead two days, the three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Maholich, who lives near here, was discovered to be alive as the burial was being held.

WOMEN STRIKERS DEFEY THE POLICE

Assemble in Lawrence Church and Are Dispersed With Some Difficulty

(Canadian Press) Lawrence, Mass., Feb. 19.—A band of Polish women operatives, who are participating in the great textile strike, assembled in St. Anthony's Syrian church early today and defied the police and militia authorities to disperse them. They were engaged in picketing the vicinity of the mills. They did not scatter until a squad of about thirty police, a small detachment of infantry and a troop of cavalry were sent to the scene. Three of the women were arrested, charged with disorderly conduct.

SIX COURTS IN TWELVE DAYS

Royal Functions in London to Follow Quickly After Mourning Period—The King's Plans

(Canadian Press) London, Feb. 19.—Court functions, which were deferred until after the beginning of the half mourning period, are to be run together with astonishing rapidity. The king and queen have little taste for ceremonial and by having six funerals in twelve days seem anxious to dispose of the necessary but unpalatable business as soon as possible. George V. is not a mere sailor king, but an imperial sovereign, with a genius for great affairs, and a courage to act upon his own initiative.

BOXER DYING

Joe Ketchel Fatally Hurt in Bout at Naval Training Station

Chicago, Feb. 19.—Joe Ketchel, a Chicago pugilist, is reported to be dying as a result of a boxing exhibition with "Big" Malley at the naval training station in Annapolis, Md., yesterday.

GENERAL OTTER IS IN FREDERICTON TODAY

Temperance Federation's Meeting With Government — News of the Capital

Fredericton, Feb. 19.—(Special)—General W. D. Otter, commanding the Canadian militia, arrived here from Halifax this morning to inspect No. 3 Regiment depot. Tomorrow will be the last on which city taxes can be paid in order to qualify for the civic elections. There was quite a rush at the city treasurer's office this morning.

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LATEST PICTURE OF THE KAISER



Kaiser Wilhelm and the god-daughter and motherly looking Kaiserin, from a photograph taken on the emperor's birthday, January 27 when he celebrated his fifty-third birthday.

KING'S PHYSICIAN TO VISIT UNITED STATES

Pays Tribute to Advance Made There in Surgical Science

New York, Feb. 19.—Sir Bertrand Dawson, London, physician to King George, will call for the United States within a fortnight, to spend several months in surgical studies on this side. Most of his time will be spent in Rochester, Minn., and in the Johns Hopkins hospital in Baltimore.

C. N. BEAL ESTATE

Inventory Shows Total of \$18,250 — The J. J. Rippey Property

In the probate court today the matter of the estate of Charles N. Beal, liquor merchant, came up. Probate of the will in this case having been issued without the usual valuation of the estate, pending inquiries, the Eastern Trust Company, the executor, filed an inventory giving the valuation of the estate as follows: Real estate, \$2,200; personal estate \$18,250; total \$18,250. Dr. R. F. Quigley, K. C., is proctor.

THOUSAND DELEGATES THERE

E. N. Stockford, who with Rev. R. H. Stavert, of Hartland, was a New Brunswick delegate to the Dominion Alliance Temperance Convention in Toronto last week, returned on Saturday and speaks highly of the success of the congress and the manner in which every detail was carried out. There were upwards of 1,300 delegates at the convention, and some excellent addresses were delivered on temperance work.

SOCIETY GIRLS MUST NOT WED

Misses Morgan, Society Belles of Wilkesbarre, Lose Fortune if They Marry

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Feb. 19.—In order to share in the estate of their father, the Misses Ruth and Tacie Morgan, daughters of William P. Morgan, a wealthy real estate administrator, Real estate is \$700; leasehold \$300. Baxter & Logan are proctors.

SITUATION IS NONE TOO GOOD

Manchuria's Rebellious Against New Order of Things — Yuan Shi Kai Needed in Nanking

(Canadian Press) Tien Tsin, Feb. 19.—The situation in Manchuria is daily becoming more desperate. Kang Yu Wei, who led the reform movement in 1898, has thrown his influence in with that of Chao Hsun, the viceroys, and together they will make a determined fight to resist the new order of things. Chao Ehr Hsun still refuses to meet the demands that he give up his office, and, with the aid of Kang Yu Wei purposes to rebel. It is said that the subject of the coalition of the two leaders is to establish a constitutional monarchy in Manchuria.

DIES ON GALLOWS, UNREPENTANT, FOR TRIPLE MURDER

Melville, Ont., Feb. 19.—Lawrence Odum, convicted of the murder of three persons, was hanged here today. He repudiated the ministrations of a clergyman, who labored with him all night, and those of his own son, a Catholic priest. He mounted the gallows stoically, and laughingly asked to see his wife.

ENGINEER ARRAIGNED ON MANSLAUGHTER CHARGE

Montreal, Feb. 19.—James C. Hamilton, engineer of the Quebec train which crashed into a waiting Montreal express at St. Vincent de Paul, last month, was arraigned this morning before Judge Lafontaine, on a charge of manslaughter. The hearing was postponed until Feb. 27. Hamilton was allowed out on \$1,000 bail. He had both legs broken in the wreck, which caused the death of five people. He was held responsible by the coroner's jury.

GOING AHEAD

"Construction," Toronto, says: St. John's new buildings in 1911 were valued at \$672,700, as compared with \$500,425 in 1910. It adds: "In the maritime district, Sydney and St. John are ahead by a margin of 42 and 10 per cent, in order named. Halifax, however, is behind, the loss noted being 19 per cent. It is regrettable that so few eastern cities are represented in the list as it is definitely known that Campbellton and a large number of other places witness the heaviest operations in their career."

GOVERNMENT IS PROSECUTING

New York, Feb. 19.—Preliminary proceedings instituted by the government to obtain the punishment of those concerned in the destruction of a trunkful of documentary evidence intended to be used in the prosecution in the equity suit for the dissolution of the United States Steel Corporation, at Trenton, N. J., are under way today before the federal grand jury here.

THE LATE A. P. DELANEY.

Keen regret was expressed about the city yesterday when it became known that one of the North End's most popular young men, Arthur P. Delaney, had passed away, after an illness of a few weeks, at his home 24 Adelaide street. News of his death was heard with deep regret among a wide circle of acquaintances, with whom he was decidedly popular and esteemed. Particularly among the members of the Y. M. C. A. of St. Peter's the news of his death brought sadness, for he had long been actively interested in the welfare of that body, and had the honor of being its president during last year, a position which he filled capably. He was also a member of the C. M. B. A. Branch 134, and of the single men's Holy Family of St. Peter's. His father, Arthur Delaney, of the North End fire department, survives, with one brother, Maurice T. of Jones & Schofield, and four sisters, Mrs. Katherine Sweeney, Mrs. Edward Emery, Mrs. John D. Hurdley, and Miss Ethel Delaney, all of this city. The funeral is to be held tomorrow morning at St. Peter's church. The members of the Y. M. C. A. will attend in a body.

ILL IN HOSPITAL.

Friends of Arthur Hamms of the customs house staff will regret to learn that he is quite ill in the hospital. He was operated on a few days ago.