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PRINCESS MAY BE THE HOSTESS

Duchess of Connaught May Not Come to Canada PLANS OF THE DUKE Will Regard Term in Dominion as Ending His Public Career and Will Devote Himself to Raising Horses for Army

(Canadian Press) London, Aug. 26.—According to the Daily Graphic, it has now been virtually decided that Prince Arthur of Connaught is to succeed his father as governor-general, when the duke relinquishes that office in September of 1914. The Graphic says it has the statement of good authority. Prince Arthur left London yesterday for Balmoral.

Many important official duties await the duke on his return to Canada, where he expects to visit many important centres before the end of the year. He then will stay for some months in Ottawa. Princess Patricia will travel with her father. The party on the journey from Liverpool to the capital will stay a few days in Quebec, Toronto and Montreal.

It is by no means certain that the Duchess of Connaught will accompany the duke and her daughter as the ceremonial of her son's wedding entails a considerable strain. It has been arranged that the duchess will remain seated during the ceremony.

Should the duchess stay in England, it will be necessary for the Princess Patricia to act as hostess at official ceremonies and to accompany her father on his extensive farewell tour throughout the dominion.

On leaving Canada, the Duke of Connaught will regard his public career as ended and will settle at Bagehot Park, devoting his time to the raising of stud horses suitable for army purposes, a project considered after years of close study of stock raising in Canada.

SAYS UNITED STATES BENEFITS BY THE NEW ZEALAND PREFERENCE

London, Aug. 26.—The British trade commissioner for New Zealand, in a report to the government, says that the United States benefits by the preferential treatment accorded to Canadian goods by New Zealand. He says that Canadian manufactures resemble American, in that they are cheaper, lighter and less durable than British, and the appearance of Canadian goods in New Zealand has broken down the prejudice which formerly existed against American manufactures.

He adds that these would now probably still be imported direct from the United States even if the preferential duties were cancelled.

ALL MUM ON THE ROBBERY CASE

Great secrecy is being employed by those most interested in the burglary which was committed recently at the residence of R. D. Paterson in Carleton street. When Chief Clark was asked this morning, he said, "I am saying nothing about the case whatever."

He was refused to say whether or not the reward he is offering at Moncton and other provincial points for the arrest of the thief who stole the articles mentioned in the Times news, was connected with the Paterson robbery or not.

Deputy Chief Jenkins was just as reticent, referring all enquiries to the chief. Mr. Paterson likewise refused to affirm or deny whether the articles mentioned in Chief Clark's circular were those stolen from him. "The matter is wholly in the hands of the police," he said, "I am sorry but I can tell you nothing."

Not Coming to Canada Moncton, N. B., Aug. 26.—Word has been received here to the effect that F. Williams Taylor, a former Monctonian, and now manager of the Bank of Montreal in London, has been obliged to cancel his proposed visit to Canada during September. His son, Travers, has arrived from London and proceeded to Kingston, Ont., where he is attending the Royal Military College.

WEATHER BULLETIN Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Stupart, director of meteorological service. Synopsis—A moderate depression covering the Great Lakes, is causing heavy showers in portions of Ontario, as well as in Quebec. In the west the weather continues fine and warm. Showery Maritime—Fresh south to southwest winds, showery tonight and for a part of Wednesday.

ST. JOHN BOYS ARE AMONG ENGINEERING STUDENTS IN CAMP

Thirty on the Drill Grounds at Sussex—Survey Work on I. C. R. Tracks (Special To Times) Sussex, N. B., Aug. 26.—About thirty of the engineering students of the University of New Brunswick, under the supervision of Prof. J. A. Siles, dean of the annual engineering camp, which opened this morning. They are camped on the drill grounds near the staff lines.

Among the St. John boys present are: J. Chip Morrison, C. W. Brown, Aubrey Murphy, Otis Bender, Fred J. Bowes, John Flood, and John Mooney. Besides Mr. Bowes and Mr. Morrison, the following seniors have charge of instruction—Frank Flett, Clatham; Horace Vanwart, Frederick; Ralph Murray, Sussex; S. R. Weston, and John Brewer. Professor Siles is accompanied by his wife.

Dr. C. S. McGinnis, professor of electrical engineering, is visiting the camp for a few days. The students were given some survey work along the I. C. R. tracks this morning.

WELL WITHIN HIS TIME ALLOWANCE Progress of Aviator Who is Flying Around England and Scotland

Beadnell, Eng., Aug. 26.—Aviator Harry G. Hawker, today resumed his attempt to fly round the coasts of England and Scotland in his hydro aeroplane for a price of \$20,000 for which he is the only contestant.

Hawker, who started yesterday morning from Southampton on his 1,600-mile flight, succeeded on the first day in covering 945 miles in 538 minutes. The time limit for the entire distance is seventy-two hours.

He made descents on the water at the control stations at Ramsgate, Yarmouth, and Scarborough and while on the fourth stage of his long journey, which would take him from Scarborough to Aberdeen, he was compelled to descend at Scarborough Harbor, owing to motor trouble. This he repaired and came on to Deal, where he ascended again at five minutes past six this morning and proceeded on his way north in fine weather.

Although his actual flying time yesterday was 598 minutes, he has, according to the rules of the contest, taken up 628 minutes of flying time. This is owing to the descent near Seaham Harbor in order to refuel his engine, Seaham not being one of the Royal Aero Club controls.

Hawker's British engine behaved excellently throughout the flight, the main object of which is to encourage the development of British engines for air travel. His average speed was more than fifty-three miles an hour. He has 1,108 miles to go, and to win the prize he must arrive back in Southampton by 9.30 a.m. Thursday, allowing for a stopping time of thirty minutes at each of the eight controls.

WEDDINGS IN CITY

Lobb-Philp The wedding of Herbert Lobb to Miss Alice Maud Philp took place last evening at the residence of the bride's father, Frederick Philp, 118 Pitt street. Rev. W. O. Raymond, rector of St. Mary's church, officiated. Only immediate relatives were present. Mr. and Mrs. Lobb will reside in Pitt street.

Smith-McKenzie At the home of Rev. A. J. Archibald, yesterday afternoon, Miss Clara D. McKenzie became the bride of Harry J. Smith. A few intimate friends and close relatives witnessed the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. Mr. Archibald, after which Mr. and Mrs. Smith left on a short trip to Boston. They will make their home in west St. John.

Steamer Floated Quebec, Aug. 26.—The steamer Etouffe, which ran ashore at Cap St. Ignace on Sunday, was floated yesterday and taken to Prince's wharf for repairs, and will then be brought to Quebec. The vessel is reported badly damaged.

How Would You Like a Suburban Home? Look carefully at this picture. It illustrates splendidly what a fine piece of property can be made of a suburban home and how an investment of this kind pays big interest, not only in the money return, but also health and happiness. Bargains in homes like this are constantly being offered in our Want Ad section. If you are interested in a suburban home, turn to our Classified Advertisements now and read the opportunities there. If you have a home or other property you want to sell, a little Want Ad will find a buyer.

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ANOTHER ROYAL ENGAGEMENT SOON



The charming Princess Alexandra (left), Duchess of Fife, is now engaged to Prince Arthur of Connaught. In the center is her mother, the Princess Royal, daughter of the late King Edward VII. On the right is another daughter, Princess Maud, whose engagement will be announced soon.

WILSON HOLDS BACK; HUERTA ASKED FOR DAY

President's Message to Congress Deferred Until Tomorrow THE AMERICAN POSITION

Four Proposals Were Presented to Huerta by Mr. Lind, Including One For an Election With the Provisional President Barred as Candidate

(Canadian Press) Washington, Aug. 26.—At ten o'clock this morning an official message was received from the Huerta government asking President Wilson to delay his message to congress for another twenty-four hours. His action was taken at the request of a conference between the President and Secretary Bryan.

President Wilson later postponed until Wednesday, delivery of his special message to congress on the Mexican situation. His action was taken at the request of Senor Gamboa, Mexican minister of foreign affairs.

It was officially stated that in no case would the United States withdraw from the basic principles of its position, paramount among which is a consistent refusal to recognize Huerta.

President Wilson was ready to deliver his message at 3 o'clock this afternoon. The one last failed, and the officials, in the opinion of administration, are not called for by any existing emergency. The United States therefore will remain aloof, hoping that moral suasion eventually will prevail.

Annals will be denied all warring factions, Americans will be assisted to leave trouble zones, and the United States will patiently await the establishment of a secure, stable and constitutional government before extending recognition.

A Precedent President Wilson's message, it is understood, formally denies recognition to the Huerta government, though protesting sincere friendship for the great mass of Mexican people without voice in their government. (Continued on page 7, seventh column)

BUSINESS CHANGE Messrs. Donahue Brothers have purchased the interest of Thos. Short in the livery business conducted in Coburg street under the name of Donahue & Short by himself and W. J. Donahue. It is understood that Mr. Short will go west. The three Donahue brothers, William J., Harry G. and Kenneth L., have formed a partnership and taken over the business.

BURIED TODAY The funeral of Harry G. Goble was held this afternoon from his former home to the Church of England burying ground. Services were conducted at the house and grave.

Peace Treaty Ratified London, Aug. 26.—The peace treaty was ratified at Bucharest yesterday. The Turks continue to advance into Thrace, according to Sofia advices, and have now occupied Gümüshane and Mastanli.

SCHEME ARRANGED BETWEEN NORWEGIAN AND ASBELL TO CONVICT SUSSEX DOCTORS

This is Told in Scott Act Case Today—Star Witness Former Temperance Lecturer—Dr. Gilchrist Gives Evidence (Special To Times) Sussex, N. B., Aug. 26.—It was brought out in the police court this morning before Magistrate Folkins in the evidence in the case of alleged violation of the Canada Temperance Act against Dr. John B. Gilchrist of this town, who is charged with illegally giving prescriptions for liquor, that Anton Gjerde, the star witness for the prosecution, had travelled through Norway as a temperance lecturer and came to this part of the province to try to convert persons of violations of the act.

He also told the court of a scheme arranged between himself and W. G. Asbell, Scott Act inspector, whereby he was to represent himself to the doctor as a travelling man from Norway, who was here to look for lumber lands, and who was to be given him for the charge. Gjerde was first on the stand and told of going into Dr. Gilchrist's office and asking for a prescription for a bottle of whiskey. "I told him I was here in the lumber business. He said he would have to be careful and not let anyone know that he had given it as it was against the law, except in cases of sickness. I did not tell him I was sick, but he gave me the prescription."

This concluded the evidence in this case. There are some others to come up this afternoon.

DEVLIN LOSES IN THE BATTLE WITH YOUTH

Another Veteran of Major League Ball Goes to International Boston, Aug. 26.—The passing of another veteran ball player from major league baseball, was recorded when President James Gaffney of the Boston Nationals announced that Arthur Devlin, third baseman, had been released to Rochester, of the International league.

Devlin was one of the old New York National League stars, whose great work helped the Giants to win several league championships and one world's championship, that in 1903.

HE DECLARES HIS INNOCENCE Moncton, N. B., Aug. 26.—A. R. McKinnon, of Montreal, a former C. P. R. brakeman, arrested here on Saturday night on a charge of forgery, remained in a cell today awaiting arrival of an official from Montreal. He will leave by C. P. R. tomorrow afternoon for Montreal with McKinnon, accompanied by his young bride, whose visit to her parents here was suddenly interrupted by the husband's arrest.

McKinnon takes his arrest coolly and refuses to say anything further than that he is innocent.

BEAVER AND FISH BUT NO PRECIOUS METALS

Prospectors' Trip in North Quebec Fails in Main Object Toronto, Ont., Aug. 26.—"Plenty of beaver and fish, but no precious metals," was the comment of Alex. Gillies, one of a party of prospectors who left Toronto some three months ago to investigate the mining possibilities of undiscovered areas in Northern Quebec. The party also included Pete McDonald, Sam O'Leary and Ernie Holland.

The purpose was, by way of lakes and rivers, to reach the headwaters of the East Main River, where it was thought the rock formation contained mineral wealth.

The country is sparsely inhabited by Ojibway Indians. The more northerly sections are bare even of trees, which makes it of little value even for hunting. Wherever there is water, there are trees and there the beaver thrives in liberal numbers. The land in southern Allibird through which the Transcontinental is to pass, and a wide belt to the north of the right of way, is excellent for agriculture.

The Panama Canal Panama, Aug. 26.—Contrary to expectations, the blowing up of the Gamboa dike, which would remove the last obstruction to the navigation of the Panama Canal by light draught vessels, was not carried out yesterday.

THIRD DEGREE MATTER TO BE TAKEN UP BY BAR ASSOCIATION

Minority Report Holds That The Method of Gaining Confessions From Prisoners is Wrong St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 26.—The American Bar Association's committee on jurisprudence and law reform, of which former Judge Chas. Clifton Allen of St. Louis is a member, will make a report at the association's annual meeting in Montreal on September 2, on the subject of the "third degree."

His resolutions set forth that confessions of accused persons should not be accepted in evidence unless they had been made voluntarily in the presence of another person, selected by the accused, and after the warning to the accused that there is, may make a minority report. He introduced in the committee a resolution charging that the police departments of many municipalities were disregarding the rights of prisoners and calling on the association to act.

The committee disapproved this resolution on the ground that the present law governing the admissibility of confessions affords safeguard for the accused.

TRUCE UNKNOWN OR EARLY DISREGARDED

Country House and Farm Buildings on Several Estates Burned by Suffragettes London, Aug. 26.—The news of the truce between the militant suffragettes and the British government evidently has not reached the districts outside of London, as a fine country house in the suburban town of Finchley was burned down early this morning by suffragette sympathizers. They left a quantity of suffrage literature among the ruins. The place was occupied only by a caretaker, the family having gone away for the summer.

Thousands of dollars damage was done in Surrey yesterday by incendiary fires set by militant suffragettes. The women set fire to several farm buildings on big estates and all were destroyed with their contents. Constables learned that three women had been in an automobile in the neighborhood of the fires. They are believed to have ridden from London.

"Do not forget that women want to vote," was printed on one placard left at the ruins.

STRANGERS IN HIS BARN CAROUSING

North End Man Makes Discovery at Three O'Clock in Morning It has been noticed at various times during the present summer that what were supposed to have been incendiary fires occurred to a great extent in barns throughout the North End. Undoubtedly some of these fires, judging by facts presented, were deliberately set but a way in which some might have caught was found this morning.

About three o'clock a resident of North End who has a store in Main street not far from Douglas avenue, and who has also a barn in Elm street, in the rear of his house, heard his horse stamping. He decided to investigate. Going into the barn he found three or four men in the hay-loft, but they made a hasty exit upon his approach. Evidence that they had been carousing and smoking was found, and there were some empty bottles lying about. The men had gained an entrance through an opening in the rear. He did not know any of them. It is of the opinion that it may have been in this way that some of the many barn fires in North End arose this year.

LITTLE INTEREST IN THE REFERENDUM, TO JUDGE BY THE VOTE

Very little interest seemed to be manifested in the referendum being held today upon the civic by-law regarding the erection of three-story houses. The polling booths were open at the accustomed hour but there was at no time a rush of voters.

It was expected that in North End there would be a larger vote polled than in the city, speaking proportionately, as it was there that the petition against the by-law had a start. There was but little canvassing, and in one of the largest wards up to noon only seven votes had been cast. The returns will be known very soon after the closing of the polls.

MEMBERSHIP IS MORE THAN 3,300

Masonic Grand Lodge of New Brunswick Meeting Here MATTERS OF INTEREST

Question of Taking Over of Masonic Temple is One—Lecturer to Instruct in Ritual—References to Death of Senator Ellis and Others The annual meeting of the Grand Lodge of New Brunswick, F. and A. M., opened this afternoon at three o'clock in the Masonic Temple, the retiring Grand Master, F. J. G. Knowlton, presiding with representatives present from all parts of the province. The reports presented, which follow, show an increase in the membership of the order in this province and also a satisfactory condition of the financial affairs.

Among the matters of importance which will be discussed will be the purchase by the grand lodge, of the balance of the stock of the Masonic Temple Company, owners of the local temple, which is lodged in the headquarters of all the lodges in the province. The recommendation is also made that a fund be provided for the payment of a lecturer to give instruction to lodges in the ritual. The reports follow.

Brethren of Grand Lodge: I welcome you cordially to this forty-sixth annual communication of grand lodge, and trust that your deliberations will prove of profit to all and make for the strong, firm upbuilding of the craft in this jurisdiction.

Since we met last August, the sickle of the grim reaper has gathered a plentiful harvest. Many have passed from our midst and entered the Celestial Lodge above. (Continued on page 8, first column)

BRITISH SUBJECT AND GERMAN ARE MURDERED

Robbed and Slain in Mexico and British Minister Takes up Matter Mexico City, Aug. 26.—The murder of Arthur Latvort, a British subject, and Eric von Thaden, a German, on Senator Eduardo Lurdes' ranch in Western Michoacan is officially reported. The British minister has sent notifications to his home office.

Lawton was well connected in England. He was a son-in-law of Mrs. Zelia Nattall, a noted archeologist, formerly of San Francisco, and now of Mexico, who holds the honorary professorship in archeology of the National Museum.

The men had in their possession a large amount of money for the payment of the ranch hands. They were robbed by their assailants, who are characterized as bandits, not rebels. The government has promised the British minister that the murderers will be punished.

AMERICAN CONSULAR AGENT STABBED BY CRAZY MAN

Huelva, Spain, Aug. 26.—While working at his desk yesterday, the consular agent of the United States at Huelva, William J. Alcock, was stabbed in the back by a madman, a Spaniard, named Belarmino, who apparently was suffering from the delusion that Americans have stolen patents of an important invention belonging to him.

The consular agent will recover. Belarmino was sent to jail.

REBELS LOSE NANKING

London, Aug. 26.—An Exchange Telegraph Company's despatch from Shanghai announces that Nanking has fallen, depriving the rebels of their last strong hold.

Are Women Smarter Than Men?

It is admitted that a woman knows how to buy more for a dollar than a man does. Let the average married man do the household shopping for a week and see how the cost of living will jump. Women are more constant readers of advertising than men. Women read advertisements because they appeal to their innate sense of values. They take pride in getting the most for their money. They like to shop—and before actually visiting the stores they read the newspapers to see what the stores have to offer. Yet mere man "throws out his chest" and prates of his superiority. Read the advertising in today's Telegraph and Times, and see what an index it is to your immediate needs.