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MAN DIES AS RESULT OF EATING PANCAKES MADE BY HIMSELF

MONTREAL, May 24.—On Thursday, Wilbert Parent, of St. Elizabeth, in the absence of his wife, undertook to make some pancakes and put a spoonful of what he thought was baking powder into the dough and with the children, sat down to supper. Shortly after, when Mrs. Parent returned, she found the entire family deathly sick. A doctor administered emetics, but the old gentleman, who was the worst, sank and died this morning, the doctor never having any hopes as the deceased had eaten heartily of the cakes. Deceased had used rough-on-rats in place of baking powder. The poison had been in the house three years in an out-of-the-way place.

YOUNG CORBETT RETIRES

Conqueror of Terry McGovern Will Open a Cafe

NEW YORK, May 24—Young Corbett has quit the fighting game for good and will open a cafe here and "settle down." Corbett announced the other day that he had tried his best to "get back" but since his defeat at the hands of "Kid" Sullivan he has become convinced that he is a "has been."

"I have many friends in New York," said Corbett, "and if I once get started I know that I can keep going. I'm too fat to fight any more and I'll never get thinner. I've been sapping my strength by trying to train down, and I find it doesn't pay The only thing I can say about myself is that I have always been on the level and have tried my best."

The very fact that Corbett has always been a "straight" fighter will be a great help to him if he goes into business here.

ACCIDENTALLY DROWNED

Is Verdict in Selkirk Drowning Case —No One to Blame

SELKIRK, Man., May 24.—At the inquest held today on yesterday's victimsc of the drowning fatality, Oliver Spence, aged 10, and John Chastellaine, the verdict found was—"Accidentally drowned, with no blame attached to any of the crew." The men had brought fish aboard and were just leaving for shore when the accident happened.

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BEARS HAVE A SAY IN THE PIT

CHICAGO WHEAT PRICES DROP SLIGHTLY—ANOTHER PESSIMISTIC REPORT

CHICAGO, May 24.—Copious rains all over the winter wheat belt had the effect today of dampening the bull fires of speculation in the pit here and also adding millions to the crop. Acting on the belief that weather conditions had been greatly improved so far as the United States is concerned, recent heavy buyers began unloading early in the session. The selling was general in character and prices began to tumble early.

On the curb there was not much trading. Small speculators who have flooded the curb with buying orders have become alarmed by the fluctuations and the uncertainty of the situation and have closed out their small lines. Acting on the advice of experts and warning from newspapers that the speculators had the situation in hand and proposed to shake out all the small dealers, the little fellows have sought cover.

First trades in December were over the range of $1.00⅝ to $1.01⅛, but within the first hour the price had slumped to $1.00. A brisk and rather unexpected advance at Liverpool, where according to late cables prices were up 1 to 1⅛ had a tendancy to curb any excess of exuberance on the part of the bears. It was declared by some that the foreign market had been "rigged."

July touched 101, but reacted to 99¾. September sold to 102¾, December to 102½. Last prices showed fractional losses. There was generous profi-taking by holders on the bulge. The sentiment was bearish, decidedly so, and to make matters worse some of the largest men in the trade were on the bear side of the market.

Another U. S. Crop Report

Crop expert John Inglis gave out this following report after extended investigation:—

"Summing up the situation at the moment, there has been improved appearance in the wheat fields during the past two weeks, and as the heading, blooming and filling period is yet to come, a definite figure on the year's outcome is difficult to make. We can say, however, that there is an impairment of at least 160,000,000 bushels from the last year's government report. The Ohio valley seems to have been ignored, as eyes have been centered on the southwest. Through the Ohio valley, which last year raised 130,000,000 bushels, I found the bug everywhere, yet weather prevented damage from it. Frequent rains have fallen in these states, and while the stalk is thin in the best sections, color and heavy leaf gives it good appearance in the southern sections. But taking the north half of Indiana and Ohio, conditions could scarcely be worse."

WOMAN CHIEF OF CAMP.

Mrs. Hooker Lives in Camp and Directs Large Gang of Laborers.

AUSTIN, TEXAS, May 24.—Mrs. S. C. Hooker is a prominent railroad contractor in Texas. She took a large grading contract on the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient Railroad, between Sweetwater, Texas, and Knox City, and she came out so well with it that she has enlarged her outfit and is now at work on a large contract on the same road between Sweetwater and San Angelo.

HOSE REEL CRASHES INTO STREET CAR

ON WINNNIPEG STREET OWING TO FAILURE OF CAR TO STOP

WINNIPEG, May 24.—While the hose reel of No. 2. fire station was racing down Smith street this evening, it collided with a Portage Ave. car with terrific force. One of the horses attached to the reel was killed, while several of the firemen were thrown violently to the ground, sustaining severe injuries. The car made no attempt to stop until too late and a collision was unavoidable.

RETURNED COREY'S FEE

Pastor Who Married Corey and Gilman Girl Repents His Act

NEW YORK, May 24.—The Rev. John Lewis Clark, pastor of the Bushwick Avenue Congregational church, admitted tonight to the trustees and deacons of his church that he had committed a wrong in marrying William Ellis Corey and Mabelle Gilman and begged the forgiveness of his church. As one act of atonement he said he had returned Corey's fee, which is stated to have been $1,000.

At a meeting the trustees consented to forgive the minister and share with him, as they put it, the "humiliation and chagrin" he had brought upon the church.

WHISKERS SEVEN FEET LONG.

Man Grew Tired of Shaving and Quit Thirty-Five Years Ago.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Iowa, May 24.—James W. Main, a farmer, residing near Glenwood, was in Council Bluffs today, and attracted attention.

Main has whiskers seven feet long, the result of thirty-seven years of uninterrupted growth. He is now more than seventy years old.

Thirty-five years ago, he grew tired of shaving and swore he would never shave again. In a few years his whiskers reached his waist, and he concealed them under his coat. Then they reached his knees, and he had to button his vest and trousers over them.

When he unfurls the giant growth he looks a picture of old Father Time. Main has never had a sick day since he began to let his whiskers grow.

IMPORTANT STEP BY METHODISTS

CONFERENCE DECIDES TO MAKE THE CALGARY PASTORATE PERMANENT

CALGARY—The recommendation of the stationing committee of the Methodist Conference to make the Calgary pastorate permanent, was endorsed today by the unanimous vote of the conference. This is the first instance in Canada where advantage has been taken of the powers given by general conference to break the three years' rule. The present pastor, Rev. C. W. Kerby, will, by this decision remain in Calgary permanently.

SAILOR KILLED IN A DEATH-TRAP

FREIGHT TRAIN RUNS INTO GROUP ON LEVEL CROSSING NETWORK

TORONTO, May 24.—Soon after 10 o'clock tonight a freight train near the foot of Bay street ran into a group of sailors belonging to the steamer Corunna, lately arrived from Middlesboro, England, with a cargo of iron. One man, Jas. S. Frain, of Leith, was cut in two and three others were hurt. The locality is a network of tracks and people passing to and from the water-front have to cross on the level.

BROWN MURDER VERDICT

Coroner's Jury Find That Girl Came to Her Death at Gowland's Hands

KILLARNEY, May 24.—The following verdict was rendered in the Brown murder case at twelve-fifteen this morning:

"We, the coroner's jury, from evidence given at the trial enquiring into the cause of Georgina Brown's death, have come to this verdict, that she came to her death at the hands of Lawrence Gowland, at her residence on the 22nd day of May, 1907. John Lawrence, foreman."

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WILL INVESTIGATE THE BROKEN RAIL

RAILWAY COMMISSION TO STUDY FRUITFUL CAUSE OF SERIOUS TRAIN WRECKS

OTTAWA, May 24.—While railway wrecks in Canada from broken rails have not been proportionately so numerous as in the United States, still they have been numerous enough to demand a rigid investigation from the railway commission. It is therefore gratifying to know that the broken rail problem is now being considered by that body.

There have been six wrecks in Canada since November 15th last, resulting in the loss of life and directly attributable to broken rails. There was one in November, one in January, one in February and three in the last two months. There were several other accidents from broken rails, but not serious enough to demand the attention of the officials of the commission.

OTTAWA, May 24.—At the investigation as to the causes from which the rail snaps, there is not much information. It was a Dowlais rail, made in 1888, that broke at Guelph; Johnson & Co., Loraine, manufactured the rail that broke at Brunel; an English rail of 1899 that snapped at Sandpoint, so that in these cases it cannot be said that the reasons of the breakage were due to the rails now being made by the United States Steel Corporation. In the West the Grand Trunk Pacific is using American made rails. The price is said to be the same as Canadian. On the trans-continental from Winnipeg to Moncton, Canadian-made rails will be laid. This is the part being built by the Government. So far the Railway Commissioners have not received any complaint of the Canadian-made rails. The Canadian Pacific Company appears to prefer the "Soo" rails to the "Sydney," but just why is not exactly known. The "Soo" and "Sydney" supply the Government.

GHOSTS HAUNT CHAUFFEUR

Visions of Victims Drive Him to Commit Suicide

DRESDEN, May 24.—A motor car, which contained two ladies, got beyond control here, and killed a salesman and his wife who were crossing the street. The chauffeur then ran the car into a stone wall, both ladies being thrown out and severely injured.

After superintending the removal of the wrecked car the chauffeur went back to the garage and hanged himself. He left a note saying that the ghosts of his victims had commenced to haunt him and had driven him to desperation.

ASKS $120,000 A YEAR.

Howard Goulds Wife Wants Enough to Live On.

NEW YORK, May 24.—Mrs. Howard Gould has begun her suit for limited divorce. She seeks a decree of separation on the ground of abandonment, and does not make any sensational allegations in her complaint. It is probable that the main legal contest will be on the question of alimony. She asks that she be allowed $120,000 a year, and asserts that Howard Gould's income is sufficient to justify this amount. At the present time Mr. Gould is giving his wife $5,000 a month.

It is said that a family conference of the Goulds was held recently, and that the question was discussed whether Howard should pay his wife $100,000 a year. The decision was reached that $60,000 was ample.

Mr. and Mrs. Gould were married at the Holland House, in this city, on October 12, 1898. She was an actress and was known by the stage name of Kathrine Clemmons.

Before she met Mr. Gould she had appeared as a star with the financial backing of Colonel William F. Cody ("Buffalo Bill"), who lost a good deal of money in the venture. Mr. Gould's courtship attracted considerable interest, as it was generally believed that his marriage might involve a sacrifice of $5,000,000.

Relatives Oppose Match

Under the terms of Jay Gould's will, if any one of his children married without the approval of the rest of the family, that child was to forfeit one-half of his interest in the estate. At the outset Howard Gould's brothers and sisters were opposed to his union with Miss Clemmons, but they finally gave their consent, and George J. Gould, the elder brother, was one of the guests at the wedding and there was no interference with Howard Guold's fortune, then estimated at $10,000,000.

Mr. and Mrs. Gould passed their honeymoon on their yacht, the Niagara, where they have since entertained many notable persons. Emperor William of Germany visited them on the Niagara at Kiel; King Oscar of Sweden had luncheon on the yacht, and Grand Duke Alexis of Russia was another of their guests.

How They Are Snapped

Probably the most notable faked living picture ever produced was that which purported to give a representation of the actual scene inside Westminster Abbey at the king's coronation.

The production was the work of an inventive Frenchman, who had special scenery of the abbey painted and reproductions of the historical costumes made. Then a number of French actors were "made up" to represent the king, the aged prelate and other central figures—and remarkably lifelike they were.

The mock coronation ceremony took place at a quiet little village in Brittany, and the films were sent to London for reproduction in one of the leading houses of entertainment. The managers, however, made no attempt to impose on the public and openly confessed that the scene was a "fake."—London Chronicle.

WINNIPEG HONORS LATE W. F. LUXTON

EVERY SECTION OF THE COMMUNITY REPRESENTED AT YESTERDAY'S FUNERAL

WINNIPEG, May 24.—The funeral of the late W. F. Luxton, the founder of the Winnipeg Free Press, took place this afternoon, and was attended by the most representative gathering of the community that ever paid the last tribute of respect to a citizen in this country.

Every institution, government, civic and charitable, sent representatives. The pall-bearers were:—Premier R. P. Roblin, Hon. Robert Rogers, Hon. Wm. Hespler, Sheriff Inkster, Jas. Fisher, ex-M.P.P., and Prof. McDermott.

The funeral services were conducted at Holy Trinity church by Ven. Archdeacon Fortin and the committal services by His Grace, the Bishop of Rupert's Land. The floral tributes were numerous and of an exceedingly beautiful character.

The members of the family have received telegrams and letters of condolence from all parts of Canada.

FIRE AT SAWMILL

$35,000 Damage Done by Conflagration in Montreal

MONTREAL, May 24.— Damage to the extent of $35,000 was done this afternoon by a fire which started in the sawmill of B. Grier & Co., at the corner of Canning and Notre Dame streets, and then spread into the establishment of the Booner Leather Co. Only the prompt work of the firemen prevented a heavier loss. The loss is partially covered by insurance. The employees who were working in a sawmill had to run for their lives, as the fire, which is supposed to have started from an overheated bearing, spread with great rapidity.

VICTORIA DAY

MOOSE JAW HAS INTERESTING DAY

ROAD RACE AND LACROSSE AND FOOTBALL GAMES DRAW BIG CROWDS

MOOSE JAW, May 24.—Large numbers of people from Regina and Soo line points and district gathered here to celebrate Victoria Day. The weather was favorable till late in the afternoon, when a light fall of rain interfered slightly with the sports programme.

At ten o'clock the six mile road race was started with eleven entries and was won by Jas. Hawthorn; F. J. Pearse, second; and John Martin, third. Time 43 minutes and three seconds.

The Lacrosse match at one o'clock resulted in a victory for Moose Jaw over Milestone by the score of 8 to 4. Milestone has a good team but lack of practice was manifest.

The football match with Regina also resulted in victory for Moose Jaw. After a very hard fought game, Moose Jaw secured the only goal, scored ten minutes before time was called.

The new Royal Roller Rink was opened for the season today with a good sized attendance both afternoon and evening.

Sports at Ottawa

OTTAWA, May 24.—Ottawa College's big open athletic meet for the city spring championship was a great success today. The college carried off the team prize, with O. A. A. C. a close second and St. Patrick's third. Vaughn, of St. Patrick's, won the individual championship with 23 points. Culver, of the O.A.A.C., was second with 16, and Corbett., of St. Patrick's, third with 12.

Williams won the five mile, the feature event, beating his rival, Nutting, by a yard in 28 minutes, 16 1-5 seconds. Nutting beat him in the mile, but was disqualified for stepping outside the mark.

Sports in Toronto

TORONTO, May 24.—Victoria Day is still the great holiday in Ontario and from one end to the other people turned out to enjoy themselves. The athletic capabilities of younger Canada found ample scope in a host of contests of various kinds, including road races, football, lacrosse and baseball and cricket, and the spectacular military displays, horse races, processions and championship frolics made up a very entertaining budget of fun. An important feature of the day was a number of school parades with flag-raising, patriotic songs and speeches or some other expression of loyalty to Canada and the empire.

Winnipeggers Celebrate

WINNIPEG, May 24.—Victoria Day was loyally celebrated in Winnipeg, and in fact in every part of the province. Crowds attended Winnipeg's pleasure resort, Happyland, while many went to Portage la Prairie and Brandon to take in the races and other athletic sports. Th eday was bright and warm, and the citizens enjoyed the nice weather as much as the contests.

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TORE DOWN THE STARS AND STRIPES

ENGLISHMEN RESENT ENGLISH FLAG TAKING SECOND PLACE ON AMERICAN CONSULATE

WINNIPEG, May 24.—An incident which is likely to assume the proportions of an international difficulty, occurred here today when the American flag was torn down from the United States Consulate on Notre Dame Avenue by two Englishmen. Dr. Jones, formerly of Hong Kong, has just assumed the duties of consul here and in deference to the Victoria Day celebration had the Union Jack run up on the consulate under the American flag. This is the first occasion since Consul Taylor represented the United States here that the Union Jack has been flown from the consulate. Some ignorant individuals seeing the Union Jack under the American flag evidently considered it an insult and climbing up on the roof tore down the American flag. Consul Jones was away at the time and the house was unoccupied. The consul when interviewed said that he regretted the incident very much, but he said that he knew that the sentiment expressed in tearing down the Stars and Stripes did not represent the feelings of Winnipeg citizens towards the Republic.

Regret is expressed by the people of the city and steps will undoubtedly be taken to record an apology to Dr. Jones and the United States. Efforts will be made to discover the identity of the authors of the insult and they will be severely punished.

NO MORE BARE ARMS.

Elbow Sleeves Are Doomed—Covering Must Reach Wrists.

LONDON, May 24.—Elbow sleeves are doomed. All the ultra-smart gowns show a tendency to run to the other extreme, and the fashionable creations for the Ascot races are equipped not only with the full length, but with the extension sleeve. The latest edict of the costumers is that they shall reach the knuckles.

While the women with pretty arms have reveled in the freedom of the last two years which enabled them to display this particular charm to the fullest advantage, with the addition of beautiful bracelets, their less-favored sisters are now having complete revenge.

The sleeve, which covers half the hand and imparts to it a look of delicacy and whiteness, is much more effective over the thin, even somewhat angular, hand.

Some sleeves compromise with a goffered frill of lace or lawn at the wrist; but as the soft material is apt to fall back, an elastic band is hidden in the fullness, through which the thumb is slipped, thus keeping the hand veil in place.

The knuckle sleeve is really the Rejane sleeve, for the French actress was responsible for this innovation. It makes a particularly good setting for handsome rings.

Fashion is the reincarnation of the much-pictured Marie Stuart sleeve. It promises to have an enormous vogue, and thus far has had, at least, one good result. The price of kidskin, which had risen abnormally since the reign of the elbow sleeve, is now reduced to its normal level.

GREAT CROWD SEE WOODBINE RACES

SEAGRAM'S INFERNO WINS TORONTO CUP—A GOOD DAY'S SPORT

TORONTO, May 24.— The programme offered today at Woodbine was the finest racing day ever seen in Canada. There were seven races, three stake events and twelve thousand dollars in prizes. Seagram made another good showing, winning three of the events, including the Toronto cup with Inferno, which has developed into a fine race horse. The crowd was immense.

IN LONGBOAT'S STEPS

Road Race at St. Thomas Brings Out Some Good Running

ST. THOMAS, ONT. May 24.—The Times road race to Yarmouth Centre and return, seven and a quarter miles, was won by Arthur McLally, of Springfield. E .E .Jaggard, of St. Thomas, second and William Ferris, of St. Thomas, third. Time 47 minutes, 53 seconds. It was a close finish and the even attracted thousands of spectators.

Post Office Inspector

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