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HAULED BY HIS DOGS FROM NOME, ALASKA, TO NEW YORK

Eli Smith, an Alaskan Preacher and Mail Driver Makes Longest Trip on Record and Wins \$10,000 Wager

MAY PATTERN AFTER CANADA

Canada's Anti-Strike Legislation May Be Adopted by Great Britain

Montreal, April 3.—A special London cable says: W. L. Mackenzie King has directed special attention among members of parliament to Canada's legislation for the prevention of strikes.

SENATE SHOWS SIGNS OF REALLY WORKING UP

New Standing Committees to Deal with Matters of Much Importance

Ottawa, Ont., April 3.—(Special)—The senate has decided to reorganize its committees to those already existing.

MAKING A WONDERFUL FIGHT AGAINST DEATH

British Premier's Condition Reported Unchanged This Morning

London, April 3.—Premier Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman's condition remains unchanged, and he has neither lost nor gained strength.

TO MAKE LEPREUX A RIVAL OF ST. JOHN

Calais, Me., April 3.—It is reported that a syndicate of moneyed men, some of whom live in the states and some in the province, has a scheme on foot for the construction of a new railway line.

AMNESTY BILL PASSES THE FRENCH SENATE

Paris, April 3.—The chamber of deputies yesterday adopted the amnesty bill by a vote of 495 to 5.

TO PROTECT UNION LABEL

Ottawa, Ont., April 3.—(Special)—Mr. Ralph Smith of Manitoba, has given notice in the house of commons of the following resolution: "That it is expedient to provide for the registration of the union label and also to provide pecuniary penalties for the unlawful use of such labels when so required."

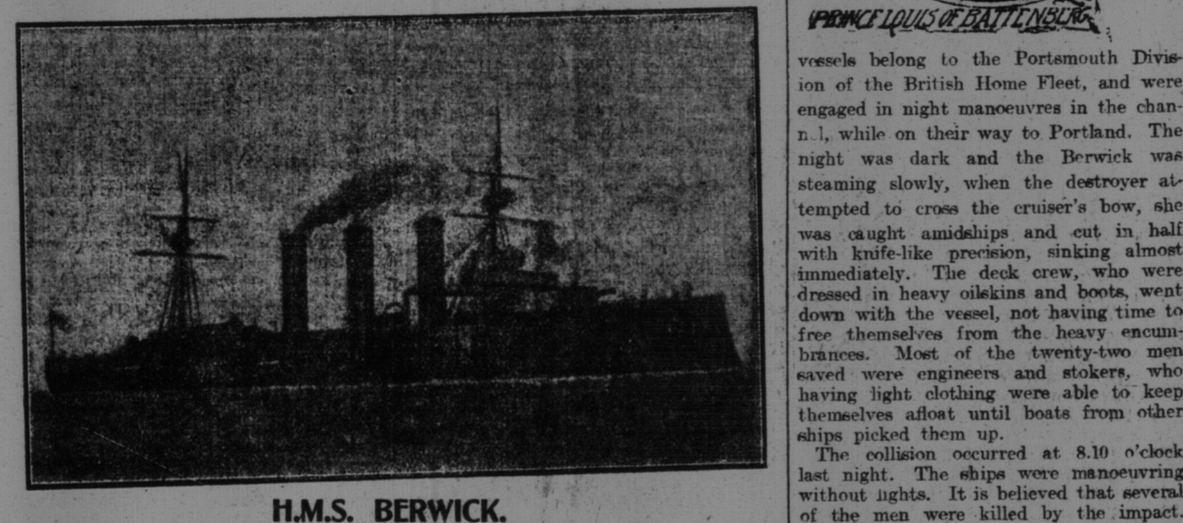
At a meeting of the Champlain steamship committee held yesterday afternoon, it was decided to authorize Hamilton McCarty, the captain of the Champlain, to go ahead with the work at once, and to pay over to Mr. McCarty the money now in the hands of the committee.

Mrs. William Bostwick desires to thank Marlborough Lodge, Sons of England, the longshoremen, and the many friends for their kindness in her recent bereavement.

CRUISER BERWICK WHICH WAS IN ST. JOHN WITH PRINCE LOUIS FIGURES IN MARINE DISASTER

She Rammed a Tordeno Boat Destroyer in the British Channel Last Night

Accident Occurred During Night Manoeuvres Off Portsmouth—Thirty-Two Men Lost and the Torpedo Destroyer Was Sunk—The Berwick Slightly Damaged



H.M.S. BERWICK.

Portsmouth, April 3.—A wireless report received here says that during night manoeuvres in the channel, the cruiser Berwick ran down the torpedo boat destroyer Tiger and it is feared that several men were drowned.

MR. HAZEN HAS KEPT HIS WORD

Attorney General Notifies Chairman of License Commission That Law Must Be Enforced

Premier Hazen this morning said that as attorney general he had informed Col. Blaine, chairman of the Liquor License Commission, that they were issuing more licenses than the law allowed.

MURDERERS MADE SURE OF THE JOB

Body of Murdered Man Found Near Fushing, L. I. Almost Hacked to Pieces

New York, N. Y., April 2.—A murder of extraordinary brutality was uncovered today in a field near Fushing, L. I., when the body of an unidentified Italian was found literally cut to pieces.

THREATENED TO POISON HERSELF

Alice Evans was Apparently Sincere in Her Desire to Die

The case against Leo Blizard, who was yesterday arrested on a warrant at the instance of nineteen-year-old Alice Evans, who attempted suicide last Tuesday night, was heard in the police court this morning behind closed doors.

A GOOD CANDIDATE

Mr. Peter Binks has strenuously resisted the appeal of his many friends to accept nomination as a candidate for a seat in the city council.

When the Times' new reporter sallied forth this morning and mistook the sidewalk with the back of his head, as a result of over-confidence in the grip of his rubber on a slippery surface, he said things about the snow and the climate generally. But when the buzzing stopped and his ears were once more open to sweet sounds he heard on every hand the chirping of the sparrows, and from a sunny open space the clear notes of a robin.

GENERAL STRIKE FOLLOWS STREET RIOTING IN ROME

Soldiers Fired on Rioters and Strike Comes as a Protest—Shops Are Doing Business With Drawn Blinds

Rome, April 3.—A general strike has been proclaimed as a protest against the fatalities in connection with the disorders on the streets here yesterday when troops fired on and killed three rioters and wounded fifteen others, four of whom were mortally wounded.

WHARF PLANS GO TO COUNCIL

It is Expected That the Changes Suggested by Minister of Public Works Will be Agreed to

A meeting of the west side improvements committee was held this morning to consider the amended wharf plan sent from Ottawa by the minister of public works.

JUDGE RITCHIE ROASTS DRUNKS

William Swanton Comes in for a Lecture and May Get Heavy Fine

William Swanton, who was last night arrested by Patrolman Chas. H. Marshall on charges of drunkenness, disorderly conduct and violating the police regulations, was arraigned before Judge Ritchie this morning when he pleaded not guilty.

LET THEM SLEEP WHERE THEY ARE

Application From City of Three Rivers to Remove Bones From Old Cemetery Defeated in Quebec House

Quebec, April 3.—(Special)—What looked like a desire to get legislative authority to remove the remains of a Franciscan friar from under an Anglican church in Three Rivers, was defeated yesterday by the private bills committee.

GAMBLERS ON OCEAN LINER

The Lusitania Filled with Card Sharps on a Recent Voyage

Liverpool, April 1.—Apart from the presence of the Duke of the Abruzzi as a feature of the eastward voyage of the Lusitania was the prevalence of card sharps.

BUTTER CLIMBS TO FORTY CENTS

This is the Price Asked for the Best Article in the Country Market This Morning

The country market will be well supplied for tomorrow's trade. Beef is fairly plentiful but lamb is scarce.

PROBATE COURT

Estate of Sarah Corbett. Application for administration limited to calling a mortgage under the following circumstances.

The funeral of Mrs. Richard R. Page, who died at Truro, N. S., on Wednesday last, was held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon, from St. Stephen's Presbyterian church.

The funeral of Miss Christiana Greig was held from her late residence, 89 Mecklenburg street this morning when the body was taken to Frederick for interment.

Services were conducted at the house at 8 o'clock last evening by Rev. R. A. Armstrong, rector of Trinity.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Raymond are among the passengers sailing today on the C. F. R. liner Empress of Ireland.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

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