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POLICE CHIEF AND FIRE CHIEF KILLED

Another Fireman's Life Lost in Stratford Blaze

CRUSHED BY STEEPLE

Knox Presbyterian Church Struck by Lightning Storm's Only Flash, Takes Fire and Men are Crushed at Steeple Falls

(Canadian Press)
Stratford, Ont., May 13—At their post of duty during a fine which gutted the handsome Knox Presbyterian church in this city early this morning, Police Chief A. A. McCarthy, Police Constable Matthew Hamilton and Fire Chief Hugh Durkin were instantly killed when the huge burning belfry crashed from a height of 160 feet, catching the unfortunate men before they could rush to safety.

Fireman Sydney Vanstone was struck by a flying timber and badly cut about the face and head, but will recover. During the progress of a light electrical storm about midnight, the one sharp flash struck the high steeple about half way up and it immediately took fire. The brigade was at the scene within a minute or so, but as they had no water lower, the men were helpless as the flames did not approach the burning spot. The fire ate its way through the steeples and the burning embers set the roof alight.

Chief Durkin, who was standing by his ladder, placed against the building to enable the men to reach the roof, noticed the top of the ladder burning. He called for assistance to move the ladder and Hamilton and McCarthy jumped into the air, but the ladder was still burning. Durkin died on the way to the hospital after being taken from the debris which half covered his body.

The blaze burned itself out, but at noon today the ruins are still smoking. The loss will be very heavy, but cannot now be estimated.

The insurance on the church is \$24,000. A splendid new organ which cost \$10,000 and which was to be finished in a few days before the disaster, was destroyed. If the standing walls are solid work on rebuilding will be commenced as soon as possible.

DEATH ENDS WATCH FOR SOLDIER LOVER WHO NE'ER RETURNED

For Forty-two Years, Every Day, Woman Took up Post in Berlin Street, Watching

Berlin, May 13—Lillian Jule, who took her name from the Unter den Linden thoroughfare, in which she kept a vain watch daily for forty-two years for the return of her soldier lover, is dead.

A mild insanity seized Jule when her sweetheart failed to return from the Franco-German war in 1871. She never lost faith that he would come day by day, rain or shine, huddled up in a shawl, kept watch in the streets each year growing more ragged and white-haired. The police made an exception in her case in the rule which does not allow loiterers in the street, as they had compassion upon the faithful Jule.

A little more than a year ago she was so worn with age that she was taken to the Charity Hospital, where she has just died.

Fortifying The Canal

Panama, May 13—For some days work on the fortifications at the Pacific entrance of the Panama Canal has been going on night and day. The number of workmen engaged on the fortifications has increased.

Steamer Was Afire

Toronto, May 13—The steamer Coron of the Niagara River Line division of the R. & O. system, was damaged to the extent of \$1,000 or more by fire this morning.

The Japanese Matter

Sacramento, Calif., May 13—Governor Johnson has not yet replied to the message of President Wilson and Secretary of State Bryan asking that he veto the Webb anti-lantern bill. The governor has until June 11 to sign the measure.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, E. F. Sibley, director of meteorological service.

Synopsis—A shallow depression is approaching the maritimes provinces attended by showers, white another cool wave covers the west; to the Grand Banks and American ports, moderate to fresh west to north wind.

Fine.

Moderate to fresh west to north wind; fine today, showers tonight; Wednesday, fresh west to north wind; mostly fair.

NEW MANAGER OF I. C. R. HERE TODAY

Mr. Gutelius to Make Two Weeks' Inspection Trip—Stealing Children's Banks Charge Against Woodstock Man

(Special To Times)
Moncton, N. B., May 13—P. P. Gutelius, new manager of the I. C. R., arrived here this morning. He will leave this afternoon accompanied by other officials on a two week inspection trip.

Harry Hartland, about nineteen years old, formerly of Woodstock, was arrested here this morning charged with stealing children's banks from Moncton children. It is said he is a ticket of leave man. Moncton people do not want to prosecute, and it is thought he will be sent back to Dorchester.

Professor Porter, of McGill, accompanied by his class in mining and engineering, left today in automobiles on a trip through Albert county.

Prof. Porter, before the Canadian Club last evening, said that the Canada had coal enough to last 10,000 years. Referring to the natural gas and oil discoveries near

MORE THAN 500 DEAD ON THE BATTLEFIELD IN MEXICO

(Canadian Press)
Nogales, Ariz., May 13—More than five hundred dead are lying on the field about Guaymas, resulting from three days of desperate fighting last week. Colonel Juan Cabral, who arrived today at Hermosillo from the front, reported that he had estimated the killed to exceed 500. A train load of oil and fire wood with which to cremate the bodies was rained south.

The official report of General Alberto Obregon, insurgent commander, is that the dead here alone numbered 560 with 260 Huerta soldiers taken prisoners. Both sides have been executing all commissioned officers captured.

DESIGN SEAL FOR K. OF C. BOSTON CONVENTION

Boston, May 13—Plans for the supreme convention of the Knights of Columbus in Boston in the first week in August, are rapidly maturing. Many distinctive features have been developed by the committees having details in charge. One of the most striking of these is the official seal of the supreme convention which has been adopted by the executive committee.

This design originated with the committee on decorations, of which Henry F. Blaufer is chairman, and Hugh Cairns is the sculptor. It is intended that these plaques, which are oval in shape and will measure three feet, three inches by two feet, three inches, be used chiefly for decorative purposes during the week of the convention or be utilized for window display.

They are made of plaster, and the likeness of Columbus is considered to be one of the best obtainable. The figure of the great discoverer, as well as his ship, which form a background, stand out in bold relief, and the whole is surrounded by a rosette effect, in relief, which gives the appearance of its being framed. The seal bears an inscription reading its purpose.

Plans Maturing For Large Gathering of Knights in August

Berlin, May 13—A Dutch airman, Bernd De Waal, accompanied by a German aviator named Kuntner, started on a monoplane this morning to fly to Amsterdam.

GOES TO P. E. ISLAND
Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., May 13—On the departure of F. S. Tripp, for fifteen years government engineer here for P. E. I., on his transfer by the government, he was made guest of honor at a public function last night and a handsome case of silver and other plates was presented, along with an address from the boat club of which he was president, the rink company of which he also was president, the parks commission, the water and light commission, the Sax club and the board of trade, with all of which he was officially connected.

AT COURTNEYAY BAY

The Y. M. C. A. Intercollegiate basketball team will meet the High School quintet in a match game in the gymnasium of the new hall at Courtneyay Bay this evening. The teams will line up as follows:

Y. M. C. A. High School
Mylen McPherson
Peacock (Capt.) McAndrews
Centre
Holder Langley
Denise
Kein Gibson (Capt.)
McChechem Markham
Millidge will go as substitute for the High School team.

PROPERTY CASE IN CHANCERY COURT TODAY

Two Claims to Parcel at Erie and Brunswick Streets—A Carleton Ejectment Suit

In the case of Simin/Moses vs. Thomas French and Charles Simon, hearing was held before Mr. Justice McLeod this morning in the Chancery Division. This was a suit brought to have a declaration of title with respect to the property at the corner of Erie and Brunswick streets, claimed by both parties.

The property originally belonged to Mrs. Leslie Moses, the plaintiff's mother, and she made an agreement to sell with the defendants who made a part payment of \$800. The property was later assigned by Mrs. Moses to the plaintiff. The defence contended that the property should be conveyed to them as they have made a part payment and have taken into possession and made improvements on the strength of the agreement. (The plaintiff's content that the agreement was only to sell if good title could be given and since the making of the agreement it was learned that the mortgage was unwilling to release a certain mortgage on the property and therefore a clear title could not be given.)

The plaintiff, Mrs. Moses and Thomas X. Gibbons were examined this morning, closing the plaintiff's case. The defence called Charles Simon and at one o'clock adjournment was made until this afternoon. D. Mullin, R. C. and E. P. Raymond are for the plaintiff and Mrs. B. Bustin and E. S. Ritchie for the defence.

County Court
The ejectment suit of Rebecca Sands vs. Sarah Kieher was heard before Judge Forbes this morning. The suit was brought for the possession of a certain flat at 159 King street, West Side, on the grounds that the defendant gave notice to quit on Feb. 1, and the tenant stated only a few days before May 1, that she intended to remain. An order for ejectment was made and the defendant appeared for the plaintiff and E. S. Ritchie for the defence.

"GENERAL" DRUMMOND TOO ILL TO ATTEND AT COURT FOR HER TRIAL

(Canadian Press)
London, May 13—General Mrs. Flora Drummond, militant suffragette leader, was unable to appear at the resumed hearing in Bow street police court today on charges of conspiracy under the malicious damage to property act, which has been brought against her. A doctor testified in court that owing to her illness she had been moved to a nursing home.

London, May 13—Discussing the problem of the whereabouts of the suffragette militant fund, the London Daily Mail says that it is apparent, from the fact that the work of militancy continues in the streets, that the organization of the militant must have many thousands of pounds in reserve somewhere.

"General" Drummond, the organ of the militant, announced in March, 1912, that contributions to the "£250,000 fund" amounted to £117,019. The balance sheet for 1912 shows a total income of £28,002. Apparently the £117,019 is considered as capital. Whether the interest on it is included in that income no more than £27,000 was spent.

"Evidently," says the Mail, "their reserves are still untouched, the bulging war chest is being jealously guarded some where."

"Notes for Women," in March, 1912, said: "We have received some inquiries as to whether the government is going to attack these funds. We can assure any would-be subscribers that should the imp be attempted by the government, they have the Women's Social and Political Union to reckon with, a body of alert women, armed with the business wit and resource acquired by five years of successful conflict and centuries of repression."

London, May 13—Containing that it is illegal to suppress newspapers in advance, James Ramsay MacDonald and James Kerr Herdrie, M. P's, announced last night their readiness to undertake the responsibility of printing The Suffragette. Mr. MacDonald is opposed to militancy, but is fighting for free speech.

NATIONAL DRUG CO. TO INCREASE CAPITAL STOCK

Special Meeting of Shareholders Is Called For on June 3

Montreal, May 13—The board of directors of the National Drug & Chemical Co. have decided to call a special meeting of the shareholders on June 3 to sanction a by-law increasing the capital stock by \$2,000,000. It is the intention to offer the first preference shares in England (where all of the present first preference shares are held) some time in June, at a price equivalent to 105. The president, D. W. Bole, and the vice-president and general manager, C. W. Talbot, have just returned from England, where during a stay of one week they made all arrangements for the placing of the stock in that country.

The financial report showed net trading profits of \$292,608.85.

STARRING AND ALMOST FROZEN ON ICE FLOE

Vancouver, May 13—Starving and almost frozen to death, prisoners on an ice floe which had broken away and floated down the Fraser River until it had lodged against a rock in midstream, five men who had been engaged on the construction of the Fraser River until it had given up all hope. They were brought to Fort George, where they are now being cared for and will probably recover.

COLD IN NEW YORK; SNOW STORM AT SEA

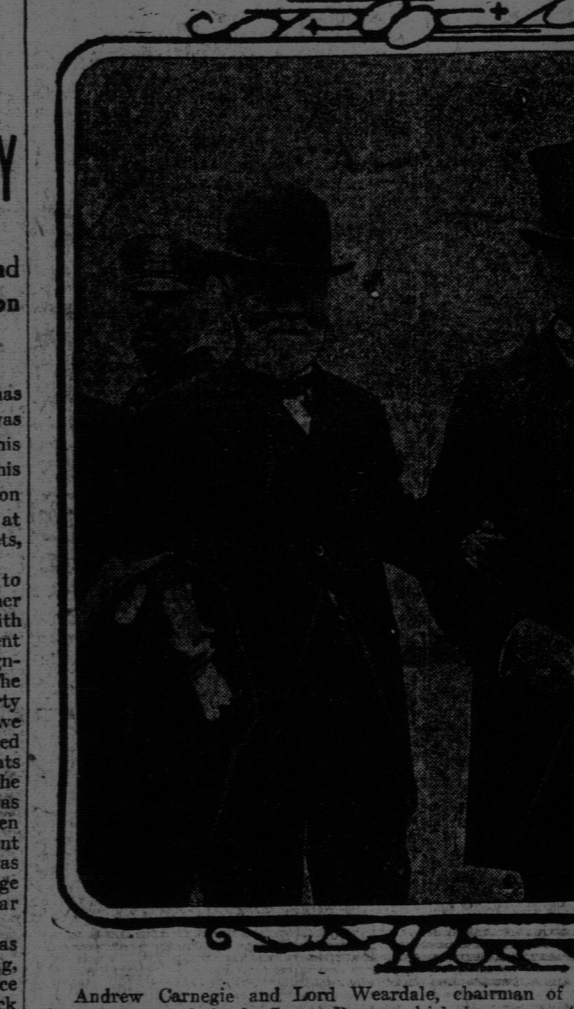
New York, May 13—The steamer George Washington, which arrived from Bremen yesterday, ran into a snow-storm on Sunday. It lasted for fifteen minutes and covered her decks. The mercury fell to 33 degrees here on Sunday, and was at 42 yesterday morning.

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TWO PEACEMAKERS



Andrew Carnegie and Lord Weardale, chairman of the English delegation to the centenary of Anglo-Saxon Peace, which is now meeting in New York City.

MISSING VERSES OF GOSPEL FOUND

London Times' Announcement After Study of The Manuscripts Discovered in Egypt

(Canadian Press)
London, May 13—Some long missing verses of the New Testament are included in the manuscripts of the Gospels discovered in Egypt six years ago and purchased by Charles L. Freer, of Detroit, Mich., according to a study of the Freer manuscript by the Times.

A facsimile of the manuscripts has been presented to the British Museum by the University of Michigan, to which Mr. Freer assigned the task of publication and, according to the Times' study, these have been found in the Gospel of St. Mark, several verses which occur in no other known manuscript of the New Testament, although they were known to St. Jerome in the 4th century.

In the Freer manuscript, after the passage in which it is said that Jesus

OFFICERS OF CANADIAN CLUB OF BOSTON, NEARLY ALL FROM PROVINCES

French Canadians in Club Forming a State Progressive Club

(Special To Times)
Boston, May 13—The Canadian Club of Boston has elected the following officers: the majority of whom formerly resided in the maritime provinces—President, H. Denton White; first-vice president, Guilford M. Stuart; second-vice president, Ernest Mills; third-vice president, H. Patterson; Colonel A. P. Graham; James Bewick; F. D. Stieritz and A. O. Morton.

Prominent French-Canadians at a meeting here yesterday decided to form a state progressive club. Many in the movement formerly were Republicans.

TO SETTLE BULGARIA'S DISPUTES WITH GREECE

Sofia, Bulgaria, May 13—The Bulgarian government has appointed M. Sarafoff, former minister to Turkey as special envoy to Athens to endeavor by direct negotiation, to settle all territorial and frontier disputes between Bulgaria and Greece. It is understood that in the event of failure of his mission recourse will be had to arbitration.

MANY WILL REGRET HIS DEATH

Duluth, Minn., May 13—Cutting of ore prices by "independents" companies was reported yesterday. The prevailing price for Bessemer ore of 61 per cent. is about \$1 a ton, subject to certain conditions such as the amount of phosphorus. The "independents" mines in Northern Minnesota and Michigan are said to be making contracts at \$3.75, because they were not disposing of their stocks as rapidly as they wished.

BIG LINES ORGANIZE MARINE INSURANCE

(Canadian Press)
New York, May 13—A cable to the Herald from London says: Owing to difficulties experienced in connection with insurance on large steamships, the underwriters refusing to accept the whole risk except at almost prohibitive rates, the Canadian White Star and Hamburg American companies have completed the combination for the protection of their interests.

This has been registered under the title of the Excess Values and Total Loss Mutual Insurance Association Limited. It is not expected that Lloyd's will be affected seriously, because the lines retained by the owners of big vessels such as the Olympic, the Imperator and the Aquatona amount only to a total which they cannot cover in the ordinary market.

PEACE DELEGATES AT BANQUET BOARD

Distinguished Speakers at Dinner in Washington

THREE THOUGHTS BY BRYAN

(Canadian Press)
Washington, May 13—"We are here to substitute the spirit of peace for the spirit of war. The ideals of peace are greater than the ideals of war. We know of no cause that cannot be settled better by reason than by war."

These were some of the sentiments expressed last night by Secretary Bryan, who said he spoke for the population and for the administration under which he held office. He was addressing a gathering at a banquet given by the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace for the delegates from Great Britain who are here to prepare plans for the celebration of 100th anniversary of peace among English speaking nations and the signing of the Treaty of Ghent.

Mr. Bryan said he wished to present three thoughts on the subject to peace between Great Britain and the United States.

That proposed monuments along the Canadian border would testify to the merits of the living and the worth of the dead of a century ago;

That these monuments would give the lie to the thought that man must have war to be strong, and

That the two nations would rise in the days to come to be the world's highest ideal than the ideal of war.

Senator Root, who presided, said that this peace of a hundred years should be the occasion for such a celebration as the world has never seen.

Canadian Delegate's Reply

Lord Weardale, head of the British delegation, replied on behalf of his countrymen and country, as also did the British ambassador, Sir Arthur Cecil Spring-Rice.

Charles A. Magrath, delegate from Canada, said that it was not the purpose of the conference just closed in New York as some had supposed, to bring about an alliance both offensive and defensive between the two great English speaking nations.

Andrew Carnegie, the last speaker, declared that the United States ought to build fewer battleships and more embassies abroad for the housing of its diplomatic representatives. The giving up of one battleship, he said, might mean the construction of sixty embassies at a cost of \$250,000 each. Mr. Carnegie argued that this would save the United States from the necessity of sending millions abroad as ambassadors. "Beware of millionaires," he humorously remarked.

FRIEDMANN'S FORMER AIDE SAYS HE HAS FOUND CURE SECRET

London Comment
London, May 13—The Daily Mail comments in a cynical vein on Mr. Bryan's peace policy and describes Mr. Bryan as a highly experienced diplomatist. Referring to the Panama canal dispute, the difficulties with European nations arising out of the tariff, and the California trouble, concerning which it says international arbitration as Mr. Bryan's proposal, it says that he has turned to the Hague ought to be "accepted with enthusiasm by such an enthusiast for international arbitration as Mr. Bryan. The Mail concludes, "With so many hard nuts to crack in his own particular department it seems unnecessary for this eminent idealist to dissipate his energies in preparing for the millennium."

The other London papers warmly welcome and applaud the aspirations of President Wilson and Secretary Bryan, although in some cases with reservations. In regard to the Panama dispute, the Chronicle says, "Mr. Bryan always has been a great apostle of peace, and now has a magnificent opportunity to do practical work and his striking declaration of eagerness to sign arbitration treaties should have a world-wide welcome."

The Daily News in an editorial predicting that the United States Senate will adopt the tariff bill, says that "President Wilson's strength lies in the force of popular opinion behind him."

MARRIAGE "BY PROXY"

Salesman in Toronto; Bride Thousands of Miles Away in Holland

Toronto, May 13—Benjamin Vaa Hesen, of 297 High Park avenue, salesman for the Harris Abarthour Company, will be married in Holland tonight by proxy, while he sleeps in Toronto. It will probably mark the first time that a man residing in Toronto has been married to a girl thousands of miles across the sea, without himself being present at the ceremony.

The bride is Dana Sarlowe, of Amsterdam. Captain Ledman, a life-long friend of the groom, will be his proxy at the altar.

CUTTING OF ORE PRICES BY "INDEPENDENTS" FEARED

Winnipeg Gov Killed BY AUTOMOBILE DRIVEN BY SON OF MILLIONAIRE

Winnipeg, Man., May 13—Alexander Stewart, aged nine, son of A. M. Stewart, financial agent of Winnipeg, was almost instantly killed by an automobile driven by Charles McDonald, son of a millionaire merchant. Alexander McDonald, Young Stewart was playing in the street when McDonald's car struck the lad, mangle him almost beyond recognition. McDonald is held at Fort Rouge station and is refused.

SPAIN'S OFFER TO FRANCE

Madrid, May 13—It is said positively that during his visit to Paris, King Alfonso made to President Poincaré a definite offer of a Franco-Spanish entente cordiale.

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FIFTY THOUSAND SHRINERS AND GUESTS IN DALLAS

Dallas, Texas, May 13—Thousands of Shriners and their guests from many sections of the country, a throng of 50,000 had reached Dallas this morning for the second day of the convention.