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HAS SAVED THOUSANDS OF GIRLS

Crittendon, Famed Evangelist, Dead in San Francisco—His Work Begun at Dying Daughter's Request

San Francisco, Nov. 18.—Charles N. Crittendon, of New York, the most widely known evangelist since Moody and Sankey, whose "Florence Crittendon Missions" rescued more than half a million girls in all parts of the world, is dead of pneumonia. He had been ill less than a week.

UNIVERSITY FIRE DESTROYS LIBRARY

Outbreak in Georgetown Institution—Dormitory Ablaze, All Escape

Washington, Nov. 19.—Fire broke out in the buildings of the Georgetown University a little before 8 o'clock this morning. The old north building, one of the dormitories, which was occupied by students, caught fire but all the occupants got out safely.

STEAMER ABANDONED CREW WILL NOT LEAVE

Duluth, Minn., Nov. 19.—The steamer James M. Hoyt, ashore on Outer Island reef, has been abandoned by the owners to the underwriters.

IRISHMAN AT HALIFAX TODAY

Halifax, N. S., Nov. 19.—(Special)—The Allan liner Virginia arrived at 8:45 this morning from Liverpool. She had an uneventful trip. She will sail this evening for St. John.

INVESTIGATE DEATHS OF TWENTY-THREE BABIES

Doctor Says He Can Trace Them to a Case of Condensed Milk

Providence, Nov. 19.—Dr. Gardner T. Swarts, state superintendent of health, is making an investigation into the cause of the deaths of twenty-three infants at the Myrtle baby home, east Providence, since June last.

CORONET DRIVEN INTO PORT BY GALE

Sanford and Forty Shilohites Bound For Palestine

Boston, Nov. 19.—The schooner yacht Coronet, bearing some forty Shilohites bound for the Shiloh colony in Palestine, was driven into port here yesterday by a gale encountered at the start of the trip for the Mediterranean.

TEAMSTER KILLED

Portland, Me., Nov. 19.—Late yesterday afternoon while work at Fort Williams, Fred J. Jewett, 37 years old, a truckman, was killed by the falling of a piece of timber from a staging.

FRANCE TRIES ANGLLO-SAXON PROCEDURE IN COURT

Paris, Nov. 19.—For the first time in a French assize court, a trial was conducted today after the Anglo-Saxon fashion. This was in fulfillment of the wish of Minister of Justice Barthou, that certain reforms be instituted including the doing away

SAYS THE CANADIAN NORTHERN AND C. P. R. WORK HAND IN HAND

Sensational Charge That Mann Dictated McBride's Policy in British Columbia is Made—C. P. R. Declared to Be Bluffing—Big Receipts From Sale of Lands

Toronto, Nov. 19.—(Special)—The Globe's Victoria, B. C., special says—"T. W. Patterson, a prominent Liberal, makes a sensational charge in the Times tonight that the Canadian Northern dictated Mr. McBride's railway policy. He declares that E. P. Davis, K. C., Canadian Pacific Railway counsel at Vancouver, drew the agreement between D. D. Mann and the government.

FIFTEEN MILLIONS IN COTTON YARN DEAL

New England Cotton Yarn Company Merger With Union Mills

Boston, Nov. 19.—A lease of the property controlled by the New England Cotton Yarn Company to the Union Mills of Mechanicville, N. Y., has been voted by the stockholders of the former company. The Cotton Yarn property was handed over to the Union Mills for a term of 99 years at a fixed rental of 6 per cent on the preferred and 7 1/2 per cent on the common stock.

AT ESQUIMAULT?

Victoria, B. C., Nov. 19.—A report is current that debentures are being floated to the extent of \$2,000,000 in England for extensive shipbuilding yards, and the establishment of a floating dock at Esquimault.

NO WORD OF THE ASTOR YACHT YET RECEIVED

New York, Nov. 19.—The waters of the Caribbean Sea are dotted with vessels on the lookout for Col. John Jacob Astor's steam yacht, Noumabal, with her owner and his son, Vincent, on board, which has not been heard from since she was reported sailing from Kingston, (Jamaica), presumably for Porto Rico, two weeks ago.

INCREASE IN ACCOMMODATION AT KING'S COLLEGE NEEDED

Bishop Richardson and Other New Brunswickers at Semi-Annual Meeting—Affairs of College and Collegiate School are in Encouraging Condition

Halifax, N. S., Nov. 19.—(Special)—The semi-annual meeting of the board of governors of Kings College yesterday, with Bishop Worrill in the chair, revealed a most encouraging state of affairs both as regards the college and the collegiate school. Among those present were Bishop Richardson, Canon Smithers of Fredericton; A. C. Fairweather of St. John, C.

NEW GLASGOW JAIL SCENE OF SUICIDE

Joseph Morrell Hangs Himself With Braces—Leaves Note Declaring Himself Innocent of Assault on Child

New Glasgow, N. S., Nov. 19.—(Special)—Joseph Morrell, a native of the Magdalen Islands, but who had been located in New Glasgow off and on for the past year or so, killed himself during last night in the town jail by hanging himself with his braces. Morrell was arrested between 3 and 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon in McKenzie's beer shop, on the charge of indecent assault on a very small child. The jailer, Archie Nicholson, last saw him alive at 7 o'clock last night, and he seemed to feel very keenly his arrest, and claimed his innocence.

CITY HALL IS IN GRAVE TROUBLE

Letter to the Mayor From Germany Has the Official Bothered

The mayor is looking around for a student of the German language who will translate a communication which arrived at City Hall today from Hermann Hermes, A. D. McDermick thought he detected a reference to appendicitis and other internal troubles, but was not prepared to swear that his translation was perfect, so the letter is still being held for a competent interpreter.

"TO ATONE FOR SINS"

Prisoner in Ontario Jail Probably Fatally Wounds Himself With Scissors

London, Ont., Nov. 19.—(Special)—Philip Harding, aged 33 years, a prisoner in the county jail inflicted on himself with a pair of scissors yesterday, wounds which may cause his death, the wounds being inflicted in the chest. The man, who is believed to have been temporarily insane, when asked why he had wounded himself said: "I did it to atone for my sins."

PEOPLE IN STATES ARE LIVING TOO EXTRAVAGANTLY

Time to Call a Halt Says James J. Hill in Warning

Washington, Nov. 19.—James J. Hill, the railway magnate, says the high cost and the extravagant manner of living is the greatest problem that faces the American people. Economy on the part of the government and individual as well, he said, was the only method he could suggest for remedying matters.

WANT CANADIAN COAL FOR AUSTRALIA

Victoria, B. C., Nov. 19.—Cable advices have been received by the captain of the Makara, from Sydney, Australia, instructing the carriage of all the bunker coal that can be carried on the return voyage, owing to the coal strike in Australia. The message stated that the price of coal had risen from six shillings a ton to sixty shillings.

FULL BENCH DECIDE CONVICTION AGAINST McDOUGALL PROPER

"Free Speech" Case Before Supreme Court Today and Judges Unanimous in Declaring Against His Counsel's Contentions—Other Cases—Marshall is Dead

Fredricton, N. B., Nov. 19.—(Special)—The supreme court this morning, in the reversed case of the King vs Bruce McDougall, convicted in St. John, of defamatory libel in re Free Speech, unanimously decided against the contention of his counsel and upheld the conviction. The court met at 11 o'clock with all the members present. The judgment in the McDougall case, which was first taken up and read by Mr. Justice White. He dealt with the points on which he had, at the request of the prisoner's counsel, J. J. Ritchie, K. C., of Halifax, reserved a case for the full bench.

SEVEN YEARS IN PRISON FOR HILL

Sentence For Manslaughter in the Death of Amelia St. Jean

Taunton, Nov. 19.—"Prof" Frank L. Hill, of Fall River, who pleaded guilty last week to manslaughter in being concerned in the death of Amelia St. Jean, was sentenced by Judge Stevens in the superior court to not more than ten nor less than seven years in the state prison at Charlestown, one day to be in solitary confinement and the remainder at hard labor. Hill was told to stand up. He received the sentence stolidly, a slight twitching of the hands being the only sign of nervousness he displayed.

FRANCE TAXES PEOPLE FORTY MILLIONS MORE

Paris, Nov. 19.—France is having her budgetary crisis. More than \$40,000,000 additional taxation is carried in the present budget; the new taxes being principally levied on automobiles, tobacco, wines and inheritances.

BODIES OF MEN FOUND IN PILES IN BURNING MINE

Firemen and Others Get Into St. Paul Colliery and a Number of the Dead are Brought to the Surface—Conditions for Fighting Fire Not So Bad

Cherry, Ill., Nov. 19.—The St. Paul mine has been almost conquered. Mine inspectors and geological experts succeeded, after an all day and all night battle, in clearing out the shaft of the burning mine and early today Chicago firemen and a group of miners penetrated the dismal depths of the galleries and for two hours and a half fought the smoldering fire in the coal veins without trouble. At 6 o'clock a second group of miners and railroad men entered the mine. All were working without oxygen helmets or apparatus, and they suffered no ill effects from gases or smoke. The firemen discovered in the second vein a pile of bodies, but how soon these bodies can be recovered is uncertain, because the east portion of the gallery in which the fire originated, is badly caved in and debris will have to be taken out and timbers erected to ensure safety to the workmen.

THREE TIMES ESCAPES THE HANGMAN'S NOOSE

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 19.—Governor Brown has commuted to life imprisonment the death sentence of Dr. J. M. Elliott of Lagrange, who was to be hanged today for the murder of G. L. Rivers, on August 6, 1908.

SIXTEEN INCHES OF SNOW FELL

London, Ont. Has Early Winter—\$17,000 Loss Caused By Firebug—Boy's Leg Crushed, Death Ensues

London, Ont., Nov. 19.—(Special)—Sixteen inches of snow fell here between four o'clock Wednesday afternoon and eight o'clock yesterday morning, establishing an early season record for a period of years extending beyond the memory of most of the oldest inhabitants. Kingston, Ont., Nov. 19.—(Special)—Fire of incendiary origin wiped out the store of George Monds and the barn and carriage store house of W. D. Blaw last night. The total loss is put at \$17,000 with \$8,000 insurance. Wet snow helped to prevent the fire spreading to adjacent buildings. Monds was in his store when the roof fell in and he had a narrow escape.

BELIEVE THEY HAVE PETROSINO'S SLAYER

"The Wolf" Under Arrest in New York on Extortion Charge, Suspected as Murderer of Detective

New York, Nov. 19.—Ignazio Lupo, known as "The Wolf" for years suspected of being the leader of a "Black Hand" and counterfeiting band, is under arrest and the police declare that he is in all probability the slayer of Detective Joseph Petrosino, who was shot to death in Palermo nine months ago.

GIRL EXECUTRIX OF \$20,000,000 ESTATE

Miss Havermeyer Comes of Age and is Appointed One of the Administrators

New York, Nov. 20.—Miss Electra Havermeyer, daughter of the late Henry O. Havermeyer, has been appointed one of the executors of her father's \$20,000,000 estate. This fortune was made by him principally as head of the American Sugar Refining Company.

ORE STEAMER ASHORE

Duluth, Minn., Nov. 19.—The ore steamer Bransford, of the Hawgood Line is ashore at Siskiwit Bay, Isle Royale, and is reported as in bad shape last night. A wrecking tug and a barge have gone to her from Port Arthur. The crew is in no danger.