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UNIONISTS NEAR TO SHIPWRECK

Just Narrowly Missed Disaster—Marconi Matter Said to Have Caused Anti-Jew Sentiment in London

(Times Special Cable) London, April 19.—The Unionist party has once more narrowly missed an open schism. The tariff reformers have been working hard behind the scenes to recover their way, and have recently centred their campaign in demanding the withdrawal of the candidature of Hon. Sydney Peel for St. Alban's division. It is understood that a virtual ultimatum was presented to the Unionist leaders that Peel must go if the party were to keep together. Last night the local executive committee was officially informed that the party leaders had decided to withdraw Peel.

Peel is prominent Unionist free-trader. George Peel recently having issued a book in which he declares tariff reform to be most dangerous in its imperial, its domestic and its international aspect, and that he would do everything in his power to prevent the return of protection in any shape or on any pretence whatever. Lord Hugh Cecil last night openly denounced one section of the party, describing them as a danger and declaring that many Unionists will be inclined to say, if unity cannot be attained by tolerance and patience, they would rather get rid of the tariff reform altogether and start the fortunes of the party afresh on a new basis. The special significance of the withdrawal lies in that fact that Peel was openly supported by the Cecil family, hitherto supreme in Unionist affairs.

NO NONSENSE ON BALL FIELD THIS YEAR

President Lynch Suspends or Fines Four Players

New York, April 19.—President Lynch is determined to have strict order on the playing fields of the National league, and today metted out punishment to offending players. Second baseman Doyle, of the New Yorks was sent down for three days for kicking in the game with Boston yesterday. With Hottel, who was fined \$50 and suspended for three days for using abusive language in a Chicago game. Second baseman Doyle, of the New Yorks was sent down for three days for kicking in the game with Boston yesterday. With Hottel, who was fined \$50 and suspended for three days for using abusive language in a Chicago game.

REFUSES \$2,000,000 FOR PROPERTY THAT COST HIM \$53,000

Toronto, April 19.—Sixteen years ago Robert Davis secured 150 acres of land at Tomdrowns for \$53,000. Yesterday he was offered \$2,000,000 for it by a Toronto syndicate, but Mr. Davis refused.

FATHER HOWLAND TO CATHEDRAL

Some changes have been made by His Lordship Bishop Ledland amongst the curates of the diocese. Rev. Charles McLaughlin, who has been stationed at Milltown as curate has been transferred to Fredericton to succeed the late Rev. Charles McLaughlin in St. Dunstan's; Rev. Joseph Hayes, who came only recently to the Cathedral from Nova Scotia, has been transferred to Milltown in place of Father Doyle there, and the change of most importance to St. John's is the transfer of Rev. Miles Howland to the Cathedral from Fredericton. This change was reported some weeks ago but only now confirmed. He will be heartily welcomed by many friends in this city.

Quebec Shoe Factory Fire

Quebec, April 19.—Last night at 11:30 o'clock fire broke out in the boot and shoe factory operated by Benjamin Crepeau in King street. The loss is estimated at about \$2,000 with \$1,500 insurance.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Stuart, director of meteorological service. Synopsis.—The depression which was over northern Ontario yesterday now covers the lower St. Lawrence valley. It has caused showers and local thunderstorms in Ontario and Quebec. Elsewhere in Canada the weather has been fine.

BRITISH COMMONS TO DISCUSS VOTES FOR WOMEN

London, April 19.—The Chancellor of the exchequer, Right Hon. Lloyd George, announced in the House of Commons that the government had set aside May 5 and 6 for debate upon the women's enfranchisement bill.

POPE'S BROTHER AT HIS BEDSIDE

Affecting Scene as Pontiff Greets Him BOTH MEN IN TEARS

Pius X Continues to Improve and Doctors Decide That Only One Bulletin a Day Will Be Given Out

(Canadian Press) Rome, April 19.—Professor Marchisavia and Doctor Amici, the papal physicians, announced today that, owing to the continued improvement in the Pope's condition, only one bulletin a day would now be issued from the sick room. This morning's bulletin read as follows: "His Holiness passed a very tranquil night, with his temperature standing this morning at 97.1. His coughing spells and expectoration have further diminished and his general condition is stronger and better."

MAN DROWNED NEAR BREAKWATER; ANOTHER WINS AN HOUR'S BATTLE

Funeral of Fire Chief One of Largest Seen in St. John in Years

Many Organizations Plan to Attend—Wealth of Floral Tributes Received at Home—The Burial Arrangements

The body of Chief Kerr, K. C. barrie, was laid out at the St. John fire department, where it will be held until Sunday afternoon. The funeral will be held at 2:45 o'clock, at his late residence in Queen street. The funeral will be held at 2:45 o'clock, at his late residence in Queen street. The funeral will be held at 2:45 o'clock, at his late residence in Queen street.

Norton Griffiths Scow Dashed Against Sea Wall in Strong Wind

Charles Johnson and Patrick Henderson Tossed into Waters—Latter Helps Comrade But Seas Rob Him of Man He Tries to Save—Body Washed Ashore

Charles Johnson, a Swede, employed on one of the mud scows belonging to the Norton Griffiths Dredging Company, lost his life this morning in the sea. The scow was being taken to sea by the Norton Griffiths tug Dunbar, in charge of Captain Irving. The scow was dashed against the sea wall in the icy waters of the outer harbor. The scow was dashed against the sea wall in the icy waters of the outer harbor.

SOME OF MORGAN MILLIONS TO EACH OF HIS CHILDREN

Bulk to Son—Financier Also Said to Have Remembered Home Employes

New York, April 19.—According to the American, the late J. P. Morgan in his will bequeathed three millions, his two residences and his country home at Highland Falls to his wife, three millions to each of his three daughters, Mrs. Herbert Satterlee, Mrs. W. Pierson Hamilton and Miss Anna Morgan; \$15,000 each to Miss Bella De Costa Green and Mrs. Ada Thurston, his librarians, a like sum to Phillips, his valet, \$1,000 to each of the servants in the family for five years, and the balance, including his yacht and the Adirondack camp, to his son, J. P. Morgan. The disposition of the art treasures is not made known so far.

WINNIPEG PEOPLE ARE PAYING HIGH PRICE FOR THEIR MEAT

This Spring Sees Figures Soar Beyond Those of Any Other Time

Winnipeg, April 19.—With porter, horse, and pig, the price of meat is higher here than in any other city in the West. The price of meat is higher here than in any other city in the West. The price of meat is higher here than in any other city in the West.

LOADING POTATOES FOR CUBA; PAYING 70 CENTS FOR THEM

News of Fredericton—Two Fines For Scott Act Violation—Mail Delivery

Fredericton, N. B., April 19.—Ald. W. W. Boyce of this city is loading a steamer with 10,000 barrels of potatoes for the Cuban market. He is paying seventy cents a barrel for them.

SENSATIONAL CHARGE

German Socialist Leader Says Makers of War Munitions Purposely Stirred up, Feeling in France

Berlin, April 19.—Amazing allegations in regard to the underlying cause of all German agitations in France were made at the close of last night's session of the Reichstag, when the socialist leader, Liebknecht, delivered a strong indictment of the German armament manufacturers and agents.

TORONTO AND STREET RAILWAY MATTER

Toronto, April 19.—At a special meeting of the city council last night, to reconsider the project of purchasing the Toronto Street Railway and the Toronto Electric Light Company, the city fathers again voted in favor of proceeding with the negotiations.

MAKE AN ADVANCE IN PNEUMONIA COMBATING

New York, April 19.—A new method aimed to cure pneumonia is under experiment at the Rockefeller Institute. The announcement of a positive cure is not yet warranted, but improvement in pneumonia cases has been noted.

SIFTON'S MAJORITY GROWS

Calgary, Alb., April 19.—Dr. Blow, Conservative, elected for Calgary, leads all the candidates in the size of his majority. It is 2,148. Smith (Liberal), in Camrose, apparently came second with 1,900.

POLICE COURT

Travis Brought to Head of Stairs And Remanded The case against William Morrison, arrested yesterday afternoon on the charge of being drunk on Rodney wharf, and who tried to take his life in the cell last night, was unable to be brought into court, but was brought as far as the head of the stairs in the guard room and remanded.

MONTREAL PETITION FOR THE RELEASE OF MILLER

Montreal, April 19.—The release of Richard C. Miller, of Montreal, from the Ottawa jail, where he has been confined for two months, following his defence of parliament, is the object of a petition put into circulation here today. The petition is being very readily signed.

YOUNG MAN DROWNS IN POND AT THE BAY VERTE ROAD

Sackville, N. B., April 19.—Yesterday, while attempting to repair a broken boom in a pond at Bay Verte road, Robert (aged 2), son of George Townshend, of Jolicoeur, was drowned. His body floated with water and he tried to swim ashore, 150 yards. Although men near at hand did everything they could to rescue him, he sank in a few minutes after starting for the shore.

PRIEST RESCUES BOY FROM BURNING QUEBEC COLLEGE

Quebec, April 19.—Carrying in his arms the body of a sick pupil, Rev. Father Lucien Pinaut went through flames that were eating their way through the halls and rooms of the college at the Assomption last night, and succeeded in making good his escape although he suffered terribly from the shock and was in danger of losing his own life.

THE U. S. TARIFF

Washington, April 19.—Democrats continued their caucus on tariff revision today with the expectation of completing by midnight the administrative provisions of the bill and of disposing of numerous ways and means committee amendments. The only substantial change made in the bill has been the transfer of shoe machinery to the free list. The republicans today conferred over amendments which they propose to offer as substitutes for the democratic tariff and cotton schedules.

BELGIAN STRIKE IS AFFECTING WORK IN ANTWERP HARBOR

Brussels, April 19.—Twelve million dollars is the figure compiled in trustworthy circles of Belgium's loss in the first six days of the strike for equal tonnage political rights, which has been joined by about 400,000 men or half the male working population of the country.

CONDENSED DESPATCHES

Hamilton, Ont., April 19.—Captain Robert Cooney, St. Catharines, one of the best known captains on the lakes, dropped dead last night as he was leaving Dr. James White's office.

Do You Like Chicken Dinners and Fresh Eggs?

There are many families in this city who are enjoying all the fresh eggs and chicken dinners they want at little cost, by simply keeping a few chickens in a part of the backyard.

WINEYARDERS AGREE TO PEACE PROPOSALS

Sofia, April 19.—Premier Guecheff yesterday informed the Sobranie that the Bulgarian government had accepted the terms of the last note of the powers. The French and English acceptance contained reservations, but that these would not hinder the conclusion of peace.

LAST OF TRIPLETS; FAITH, HOPE AND CHARITY, DEAD

Greenwich, Conn., April 19.—The death of Mrs. Hope Fowler Allcorn, the last of triplets born in England eighty years ago, and named Faith, Hope and Charity, was announced today. Charity lived to be only fifty years old. Faith died at the age of seventy-four.

MONKTON WEDDING

At Monkton on Wednesday evening, Robert Brooks and Miss Catherine MacLeod, both of Monkton, were united in marriage by Rev. D. MacDorm.

Use "The Want Ad Way"

There are many families in this city who are enjoying all the fresh eggs and chicken dinners they want at little cost, by simply keeping a few chickens in a part of the backyard. Why not cut down your cost of living in this practical way? A little Want Ad in this paper will find the chickens for you cheaply and quickly. Care for chickens is light, pleasant work that pays well. You may find on our Classified page today the Want Ad of someone with chickens to sell. Turn to it and see.