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Memory of Soldier Dead Is Revered Today In Many Countries

WILL THE C.N.R. CUT OUT PORTLAND?

CEREMONY AT ST. JOHN POST OFFICE IMPRESSIVE ONE

Many Gather at Exercises at Tablet Erected in Soldier Honor.

IN OTHER COUNTRIES

Armistice Day is Fittingly Observed by People of Allied Nations.

Thanksgiving to God for a glorious victory and a high resolve to hold in deathless remembrance the sacrifice made by Canadian manhood to make that victory possible, were the keynotes of a pulse-stirring patriotic memorial service at the Post Office this morning, when Mrs. E. Atherton Smith, president of the women's Canadian Club, laid a wreath on the club's beautiful tablet. Brief and impressive addresses were given by Mrs. Smith, His Worship Mayor Potts and Col. W. B. Anderson, C. M. G., D. S. O., officer commanding M. D. No. 7. Rev. C. Gordon Lawrence, of Hampton, himself, a chaplain, offered the closing prayer. There was a large attendance, the singing being led by overseas men, members of the Post Office staff.

Recalls Six Years Ago.

"Six years ago today," said Mrs. Smith, "the joyful ringing of church bells and the screaming of whistles announced to a war weary world that the frightful carnage had ceased. We can never forget the varied emotions that thrilled our very beings on that memorable morning as we listened to the joyful sounds and the prayer of thanksgiving that rose from our hearts for the victory to British arms and to the allied cause.

"But mingled with our rejoicing was a great wave of sympathy, love and sorrow that caused the tears to course slowly down our cheeks for the many homes throughout our loved Canada that would have no part in the wonderful home-coming of our soldier heroes. Their dear ones had made the supreme sacrifice and were sleeping beneath the poppies in Flanders and in France.

"Yes, Armistice Day is and must ever be a day of remembrance, not only of our fallen heroes but also of those who came back, many of them bearing the scars of many a hard fought battle—maimed, crippled, blinded, handicapped for life, to say nothing of those stricken with incurable disease, who are awaiting death in our hospitals and sanitariums.

"The tablet on the wall, whose purpose we are here to emphasize, this morning, was placed there by the Women's Canadian Club of St. John and it bears this inscription:

"'To commemorate the valour of the men who went out with His Majesty's forces of land and sea and air to fight in the Great War for honor and freedom and to perpetuate the memory of the batteries and battalions going out from New Brunswick.'

"The names of the batteries and regiments are also on the tablet. These are the men who by their supreme sacrifice and heroic deeds on the field of France and Flanders helped in winning for Canadians the esteem and plaudits of half a world and upon the fair name of Canada shed a lustre that shall ever brightly illumine the pages of our history."

Col. Anderson Speaks of Mons.

Col. Anderson said it was very fitting that the war which had commenced in August, 1914, in the little Belgian town of Mons should terminate in Mons and it was also fitting that it was the Canadian Corps that captured Mons as the final fighting act of the war. He recalled he had the good fortune to enter Mons on the morning of November 11, 1918. During the night the Germans had retired and many of the inhabitants were not aware that an armistice had been signed until the news was told by the Canadians.

It was an inspiring sight, Col. Anderson said, as the Canadian Corps was reviewed in the Grande Place by General Clark with Sir Arthur Currie taking the salute. He noticed there an old man with tears streaming down his cheeks as the massed bands played the Belgian national anthem. In his best French, Col. An-

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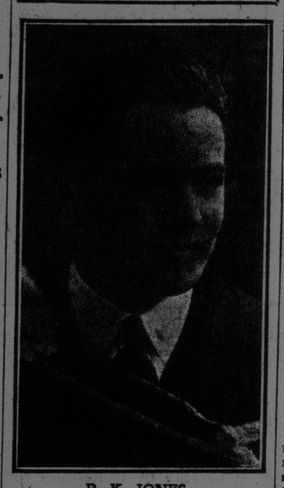
Is Badly Injured In Auto Accident



R. K. JONES.

$225,000 CHRISTMAS CHEER IS DESTROYED

24,000 Quarts of Liquor Seized by Prohibition Officers at Atlanta.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 11—(United Press)—Twenty-four thousand quarts of choice liquors valued at $225,000 and consigned to thirsty northerners for holiday consumption were seized and destroyed Monday by federal prohibition officers here.

An entire carload of Scotch, rye, rum and other rare vintages en route from the southern coast to Chicago, fell into the hands of the dry sleuths, when a case smashed in the switching yards and some one sniffed the overflow dripping from the box car.

The contraband cargo was marked "lumber" but only a few planks were found in the car which was loaded to the brim with the expensive "Christmas cheer."

WOMAN SENTENCED

Gets Same Prison Term as Man Who Shot Husband at Her Urging.

Middleburg, Pa., Nov. 11.—The maximum sentence of 10 to 20 years in the penitentiary at Philadelphia was imposed on Mrs. Annie S. Willow, recently convicted of murder in the second degree in slaying of Harvey C. Willow, her husband. The sentence is the same as was imposed upon Ralph H. Shadle, 18 years old, employed by Willow as a farm hand. Shadle had confessed that he shot Willow while on a hunting trip at the urging of Willow's wife, who was in love with Shadle.

Warsaw Celebrates Jewish Anniversary

Warsaw, Nov. 11.—The seventh anniversary of Lord Balfour's declaration for a Jewish homeland in Palestine was celebrated yesterday by all the local Zionist organizations. The Jewish quarters of the city were decked with Polish and Zionist flags and a parade was held, headed by Jewish Senators and Deputies.

The Jewish youth association displayed transparencies demanding freedom of emigration to Palestine.

Dail Reported To Plan Higher Tariff

London, Nov. 11.—A comprehensive scheme of high protective tariffs is about to be announced in the Dail Eireann, according to the Dublin correspondent of the Morning Post. He understands that the Free States government intends to tax all imported clothes about 25 per cent., raise the present export duty on shoes and tax furniture and prepared foodstuffs.

ALL WELL IN ITALY SAYS MUSSOLINI TO FASCIST DEPUTIES

Assures Confederates That Move to Censure Government Will Fail.

DUELS LOOM UP

Premier Forbids Gathering of Opposition, Quoting Armistice Day Melee.

By THOS. B. MORGAN
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

Rome, Nov. 11.—Faced with what many believe to be a serious governmental crisis on the eve of the assembling of parliamnet which meets tomorrow, Premier Mussolini today, addressing a gathering of Fascist and pro-Fascist deputies, declared that all was well.

"Despite unrest among the working classes and the sporadic incidents of November 4 (Italian Armistice Day) the fact is that order has not been seriously disturbed" the Fascist Premier declared. "The nation continues working in accelerated rhythm."

Mussolini admitted that his political opponents had organized to force a vote of lack of confidence in the government when the chambers should be convened.

"According to Centrist fantasies, the government will be voted out of office by unity of extreme forces, who expect to recruit a fraction of our majority" he said. "I have too much respect for all majority deputies to believe this hideous play will succeed. It is absurd to think that the opposition will be invited to return to the chamber."

Bans Opposition Meeting.

While he was addressing the majority deputies in this fashion, Mussolini had taken the precaution to forbid his opponents to hold political meetings of any sort. Opposition deputies had planned to hold a mass meeting and issue an appeal to the Italian people.

The events leading up to the present political situation had their inception in the celebration of Italian Armistice Day last Tuesday.

The Itala Libera association, with which General Garibaldi, grandson of the famous patriot, is associated, decided to join a parade commerative of the victory over Austria. The association includes many war veterans and cripples.

The members had just started assembling in Popolo Square when black shirted Fascisti rushed up from adjoining streets, set upon their opponents (politically) and melee ensued in which many were wounded by blows from clubs and revolver shots.

The Fascisti contended the Itala Libera Association had been on the point of holding a hostile demonstration.

Other incidents of a similar nature ensued, the Fascisti preventing their opponents from placing a wreath on the tomb of the Italian unknown soldier.

Duels In Prospect.

Garabaldi addressed a bitter manifesto on the subject to the Italian people. He was challenged to a duel by General Varini of the local militia. He declined the challenge intimating he would fight Mussolini. The latter, quite a duellist in his day, ignored the challenge, and General Balbao, head of the militia in his turn challenged Garabaldi. Following these incidents, excombatants and war cripples convened their national committees to decide what should be their attitude toward the Government and opposition deputies took advantage of the occasion to test their strength against Mussolini.

Cures at Services of J. M. Hickson Reported

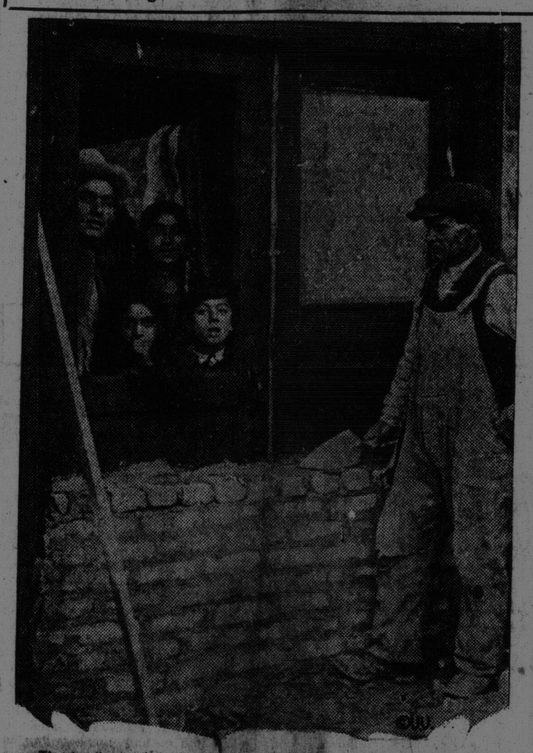
London, Nov. 11—Some remarkable cases of spiritual healing have been reported in connection with missions held by Mr. J. Moore Hickson, an Anglican layman, well known in Canada.

Woman Chops Down Tenant's Aerial; Court Sees Tangled Question in Case

New York, Nov. 11—Mrs. Grace W. Parks, owner of an apartment house, was arraigned in the Flatbush Court on a complaint by one of her tenants, Maurice B. Lieberman, who charged her with destroying his radio aerial, which he had erected on the roof of the house. Mrs. Parks, who was technically charged with disorderly conduct, had announced to Lieberman that she would remove any other aerial fixture he may put up on the roof of her property.

The question of the right of tenants to put up aerials against the wishes of landlords may carry this case to the higher courts for a final decision, as Magistrate O'Neill pronounced it a novel one without precedent in legal practice. The magistrate adjourned the hearing to Nov. 20.

They Wouldn't Move



The landlord tried to oust them, but the Gypsies who had leased this Chicago place refused to move. So the landlord engaged bricklayers to close up the doors and windows in an attempt to scare the Gypsies out. The din from within, however, brought police to the scene. The bricklayers were ordered to leave.

LITTLE HOPE FOR LIFE OF WOODSTOCK YOUTH INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Son of Hon. W. P. Jones, and Companion Severely Hurt; Car Upsets.

(Special to The Times-Star.)

Woodstock, Nov. 11—Reports from the hospital concerning the condition of R. K. Jones, son of Hon. W. P. Jones K. C., and Peter Griffith, of London, England, who were so terribly injured in an automobile accident yesterday, are not reassuring, especially, Mr. Jones, for whom the doctors hold out very slight hopes of recovery. Mr. Griffiths has a broken shoulder, a slight fracture of the skull, and general condition bad, but if nothing more serious develops, he will likely recover.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Ritchie, of Newcastle, are expected today, also Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morrell, of Minto. The ladies are sisters of Mr. Jones.

Young Jones is suffering from a fracture of both legs, an injured spine and internal injuries.

Both young men were on their way to Fredericton when the car struck a rock near a culvert about three miles below town, turning the car over twice. Griffiths was driving when the accident occurred. Mr. Griffiths was the guest of R. K. Jones and had been here only three days.

It will be recalled that young Jones is the brilliant young man who took part in the British elections about a year ago, having been sent there from McGill College, where he was a student. Recently he has contributed several articles to the newspapers concerning the relations between Canada and United States.

ONE CASE SETTLED, ONE WITHDRAWN

(Special to The Times-Star.)

Fredericton, Nov. 11.—The St. John appeal of Melliday, administrator, etc., vs. Raymond and Doherty Co. Ltd., has been withdrawn. This was an appeal from the judgment of Chief Justice Barry dismissing with costs an action on behalf of Daniel McCarthy as a dependent of Thomas McCarthy who was killed by accident in the Royal Hotel.

Another St. John case, Bank of Nova Scotia vs. H. J. Fleming, has been settled.

The Victoria county appeal Demmings et al, vs. Bedell et al, arising out of the produce transaction is off for the present term of the court.

In the Chancery Paper, the York County case McGuire vs. Prosser et al, will go over until the next term. W. P. Jones, K. C., was to appear in this case.

The appeal division of the Supreme Court did not sit for business this morning because of the absence of W. P. Jones, K. C., of Woodstock.

FORESTAL TROUBLE

I. W. W. Suspects Are Loaded Into Trucks and Taken Outside Strike Area.

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 11.—About 225 alleged members of the I. W. W. were loaded into six automobile trucks near Concrete, Wash., yesterday by Sheriff Conn, of Skagit County, and a force of deputies, taken to the Snohomish County line, unloaded there and told to keep going, said a despatch from Concrete to the Seattle Times.

The despatch said Sheriff Conn and 22 deputies marched upon a bridge leading from Concrete to a hydro electric plant where a strike was called about three weeks ago and seized 150 of the men. The men are accused of having obstructed traffic by stopping all persons crossing the bridge who were suspected of being en route to the hydro electric plant.

Count Salm In Paris Silent As To Plans

Paris, Nov. 11—Count Salm Von Hoogstraeten, husband of Milicent Rogers, New York heiress, arrived here today. He refused to reply to questions as to whether he was on his way to America, and whether a reconciliation with Milicent and her parents, Colonel and Mrs. S. R. Rogers, is imminent. Countess Salm gave birth to a baby boy in New York last month.

Weather Report

Synopsis—A moderate depression now centred in Wisconsin is likely to move slowly across the Great Lakes. Rain is falling in northwestern Ontario, while from Lake Huron eastward to the Maritime Provinces the weather is fine. The temperature continues unusually low in the Western Provinces.

Forecasts:—

Fine and Mild.

Maritime — Light to moderate winds; fine and mild today and Wednesday.

Northern New England—Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday; not much change in temperature; moderate northeast and east winds.

Toronto, Nov. 11. — Temperatures:—

	8 a. m.	Highest yesterday.	Lowest during night.
Victoria	36	44	36
Calgary	6	18	4
Edmonton ..	*2	2	*4
Prince Albert	*6	8	*6
Winnipeg ...	20	34	20
Toronto	42	50	36
Montreal ...	40	48	38
St. John ...	36	46	32
Halifax	36	48	32
New York...	48	54	44

*Below zero.

BRAZILIAN REBEL BATTLESHIP ENDS MUTINOUS CAREER

Out of Fuel and Food, Youthful Commander Brings Her to Port.

REBELS CHEERED

Vessel is Left at Montevideo in Charge of Men Who Were Loyal.

(By Canadian Press.)

Montevideo, Uruguay, Nov. 11.—The mutinous Brazilian battleship Sao Paulo, commanded by a 25-year-old lieutenant ended her adventure yesterday by putting into Montevideo. The warship sailed out of the harbor of Rio Janeiro last Tuesday.

With both fuel and provisions nearly exhausted and with a portion of her crew still loyal to the Brazilian government, and realizing that the vessel eventually would be run down by pursuing contingents of the Brazilian navy, the commander of the Sao Paulo decided to enter port here and abandon the ship. He brought the Sao Paulo to dock shortly after seven o'clock last evening.

Lieut. Herculino Cascardo, the chief mutineer, was in charge of the ship. The Sao Paulo's official second in command and four other officers and seven seamen who had refused to join the mutineers were brought in the harbor under arrest. The battleship was flying the Brazilian flag.

Rebels Cheered.

A large crowd which witnessed the docking of the warship lustily applauded the mutineers.

Lieut. Cascardo told the Uruguayan authorities that it was his purpose to turn over the Sao Paulo to the Uruguayan government. The Uruguayan authorities informed the crew that they were free to land if they so desired and that quarters would be given them ashore. The commander and six officers and 250 men disembarked. The officers went to a hotel and the crew to the military barracks. The remainder of the ship's personnel remained on board under command of Captain Bosicho, second in command, who had been released from custody by the mutineers.

Shows Shell Marks.

It was announced last evening that the Uruguayan government considered the mutineers as political offenders and therefore not subject to extradition. The warship did not bring into port

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3 COLLEGES TIED

Decision Against Use of Total Scores in Football Causes Deadlock.

(Special To The Times-Star.)

Fredericton, Nov. 11—The U. N. B. rugby team, returning from a tour Monday night, announced that it had been decided after a conference at Sackville that total score does not hold in foot-ball but only in hockey, in the case of a three-cornered tie in the Western Section. Under this ruling a tie exists among U. N. B., Acadia and Mt. Allison.

Prof. McKnight, secretary of the Inter-Collegiate League is taking a vote on the colleges as to what action will be taken to declare a representative of the western section to enter a possible play-off with the eastern section.

Derelict Resembling Ericsson Sighted

Washington, Nov. 11.—Reports have reached the cruiser Trenton in the North Atlantic, that a derelict corresponding in dimensions to the missing Leif Ericsson was sighted recently at sea in that vicinity.

Dies In Court; Prayer Said By Opponent

Mitchell, Ont., Nov. 11—Petty earthly strife was subdued by the all-powerful mystery of death and the consolations of religious faith when John Walsh died suddenly while giving evidence as plaintiff in a divisional court action against H. L. Kenny, a fellow Roman Catholic. When Mr. Walsh collapsed in the witness box James Harron suggested someone migh recite the prayers for the dying. Immediately from out of the crowd assembled in court, arose the defendant in the case, who, with his sisters, advanced to where the man lay and recited the prayers. The priest arrived soon after and annointed the body.

TRAFFIC BLOCKED; MURDERER ESCAPES

Chicago Police Search for Gangsters Who Killed Notorious Gunman.

Chicago, Nov. 11—Gang rivalry, beer runner's feuds, gambling troubles and a fight of lieutenants of rival gangs over a woman, were theories followed by police today in their search for three men who yesterday shot and killed Dion O'Bannion, notorious gunman and gangster, in his flower shop.

While they sought Mike Carrozo, labor leader, and Margaret Collins, pretty blonde, involved in a fight eight months ago with Louis Altiere and John Bates, alleged lieutenants of O'Bannion, the police took precautions to prevent more killings in reprisal.

A theory that possibly 28 men, using nine automobiles, effectively blocked traffic in the vicinity of the florist shop while the slayers escaped in their automobiles, was evolved after witnesses were questioned. The blockading automobiles, given scant attention at the time, paused at street intersections only long enough to permit the three men to speed away, the hypothesis held.

Through the night detectives and state's attorneys questioned suspects later releasing them. Among these were Herschie, Max and Davie Miller, all sworn enemies of O'Bannion. While they expressed satisfaction at his death, they denied connection with it. O'Bannion had been accused of bombing Herschie Miller's dry cleaning plant and of attempting to shoot to death Herschine and Davie in front of a downtown theatre.

Taxi Man Is Out $125 On Trip

New York, Nov. 11—(United News)—It is not always the long hauls that are profitable to taxi drivers.

An Albany chauffeur learned this when he arrived in New York with a "fare" from that city and with the meter registering $125.

"Just a minute," said the "fare," while I step into a hotel and cash this check for $750."

The chauffeur waited considerably more than a minute and then went in to get his man. Taking him to a police station he asked officers to help him collect his money.

The police looked at the uncashed check and then at the man. "Why this is Edward O'Connor," the chief said. "We've been looking for him. That check is a fraud. Thanks for bringing him in."

"You're welcome," replied the chauffeur, and started on his long trip back.

8 DEAD OF POISON

Veteran Elks Believed to Have Drunk Cider From Tainted Barrel.

Lynchburg, Va., Nov. 11.—Eight veteran members of the Elks organization, residents fo the Elks National Home at Bedford, Va., died late yesterday at the Home, from what is thought to have been fresh cider poisoned by a compound used for tree spraying.

The cider, it was said, was bought from a farmer. The barrel is believed to have been used last spring in connection with the spraying. Several other residents of the Home are ill.

London Express, Sued For Libel By Lady Torrington, Cleared By Jury

London, Nov. 11—(United Press)—A jury today acquitted the London Daily Express which was sued by Lady Torrington for libel because of an alleged interview with her ladyship printed a year ago and widely reprinted since. In the interview which was published on the eve of the 1923 election, Lady Torrington was quoted as saying that if elected to parliament she would wear her best furs, jewels and gowns.

Lady Torrington says she didn't say it and anyway her furcoat was five years old and only a small string of pearls were genuine, the others being paste.

Successful at the polls and returned to commons in 1923, after the alleged interview, Lady Torrington stood for re-election last month and was beaten. She blamed the Daily Express interview for interfering with her political career. The jury found otherwise.

MONTREAL GAZETTE COMMENTS ON NEW HALIFAX ELEVATOR

Discusses Political and Economic Aspects of Line to U. S. Port.

SAY NO NECESSITY

Declares Halifax Now Has Elevators Which are Not Used.

Montreal, Nov. 11.—Under the caption "That Halifax Elevator," the Montreal Gazette this morning devotes a long editorial, commenting on the declaration of Hon. R. E. Finn, M. P. for Halifax, that tenders will shortly be asked for a new million dollar elevator at Halifax. The Gazette reviews the anomalous situation brought about by the Canadian Government's ownership of railroads in the United States, and particularly that portion of the Grand Trunk which runs from the Vermont border to Portland, Maine. The newspaper says:

Politics vs. Economy.

"A proposal is now made to sell what never should have been bought—the line from Island Pond to Portland, as well as other unprofitable pieces of our railway in the United States. Whether that would be good business is for transportation experts like Sir Henry Thornton to determine; it might be good party politics, but party politics and sound business do not always coincide. In the matter of business, cost of carriage will be the dominant factor, while votes will govern the political view. The fact that Canada keeps Portland on its feet as an ocean port obviously means that this is the cheaper route, cheaper from a railway operating standpoint than the longer haul over the Intercolonial to Maritime ports, but in the lexicon of politicans there's no such word as economy and, cost what it may, St. John and Halifax want the winter traffic of the National Railways.

"In this connection we have just been given a shining example of the ineptness of the government in matters of business. Plans have been completed and tenders are shortly to be called for a new 1,000,000 bushel elevator at Halifax. So states Mr.

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HANSON CASE MAY BE BEFORE BARRISTERS

Session, Scheduled for Tonight, is Expected to Be Postponed.

(Special to The Times-Star.)

Fredericton, Nov. 11—The council of the Barristers Society of N. B. was to meet this evening but the session is expected to be postponed because of the absence of some members. C. F. Inches of St. John is unable to attend because of the death of a relative and the serious accident to R. K. Jones, son of W. P. Jones, K. C., of Woodstock, has prevented Mr. Jones from attending.

The application of Dr. T. C. Allen, K. C., deputy registrar of the Supreme Court for an investigation of the alleged altering of a decree of the Chancery Court, in the Nevers estate was expected to be before the council. The Nevers decree received much publicity at the time of the Hanson Gleaner libel action, the statement that R. B. Hanson, K. C., M. P., altered the decree being one of the counts on which a verdict was returned for Mr. Hanson, the plaintiff.

The personnel of the council of the Barristers Society is as follows: W. P. Jones, K. C., president; F. R. Taylor, K. C., vice-president, Hon. I. C. Rand, Attorney-General, ex officio, J. J. F. Winslow, K. C., J. B. M. Baxter, K. C., P. J. Hughes, K. C., C. D. Richards, C. F. Inches. One vacancy exists because of the death of M. G. Teed, K. C.

Through connection with the libel suit as counsel all the members of the council are concerned with the matter except the Attorney-General, Mr. Richards and Mr. Inches. What bearing this would have on the case must be decided by the council together with the time at which a meeting can be held.