

HAITIAN GRAFTERS MAKE HARD FIGHT AGAINST REFORM

Attempt on Life of Mayor Mangones, Who Instituted Clean-up.

Port-Au-Prince, Haiti, Aug. 5.—(By mail)—The recent attempt to shoot Edouard Mangones, the mayor of this city of 150,000 people, followed within twenty-four hours by either the suicide or murder of the city receiver, have created a sensation unusual for Haiti.

The resort to firearms, together with tales of a mystery car with three gunmen operating at night, are new symptoms for Haitian politics. In the past crimes of violence were usually accomplished by the secret use of poison or other methods.

Absolutely unknown in a century of Haitian local government is the determined campaign of Mayor Mangones, backed by the influence of President Borno and the American-official general, to prosecute local officials charged with falsification of tax receipts and graft.

Mangones has gone relentlessly on, whatever the truth of the Denise mystery may prove to be, and the Americans and other foreigners are delighted at this evidence of a growing civic responsibility.

Manufacturers of dress ornaments are receiving more orders for certain types than they can turn out at present. Ornaments to hold the draping for the dress at the hip are in especial demand.

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LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Woodford Purdy of Amherst, N. S., celebrated their diamond wedding on Monday. F. S. Purdy, a merchant of Wall street, this city, is son.

The band concert, which was postponed from Monday night, was given by St. Mary's band last night under the direction of Bandmaster Williams. Although the weather was not exactly favorable for the concert, a large number of people were on hand to enjoy the music.

A meeting of the New Brunswick Films Limited, was held yesterday afternoon. E. A. Schofield was elected president, R. T. Hayes, vice-president, and Herbert Schofield, managing director and treasurer.

The total number of children vaccinated previous to being allowed school permits is now 184. After a period the children vaccinated return to the office of the medical inspector, Dr. Mabel Hamilton, and obtain a certificate that the vaccination has been successful.

Passengers on the incoming Boston train last evening told of a drowning fatality near Vancouver on the Maine border. A man named Bishop was endeavoring to save himself and his wife from drowning when their canoe upset.

Yesterday was the last day on which the tax payers of the parish could take advantage of the five per cent. discount and quite a number availed themselves of the opportunity.

Mrs. M. G. Teed of this city was a guest at a dinner given in Vancouver recently at the Hotel Vancouver by Lady Aikens, wife of Sir James Aikens, lieutenant-governor of Manitoba and president of the Canadian Bar Association.

The case of Mrs. Alice Fitzpatrick, charged with arson in connection with the burning of her home in the Black River Road in December last, was continued yesterday afternoon before Judge Armstrong in the county court.

At a meeting of the sub-committee appointed in connection with the choice of a type of war memorial which is to be erected in King square it was decided yesterday to recommend a cenotaph rather than an arch.

The final touches are being put on the new Lorne school in Newman street, and the fine building will be ready for occupancy when the schools open.

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Note—Gypsy Foot Relief, referred to by Mr. McIntyre, may be applied in a minute, without fuss or bother. Sure, quick relief comes three minutes later, or the makers give back the small amount you pay. It is sold in this city by Wassons Drug Stores and other leading druggists.

The old Newman school, next door, is to be removed, and there will be large playgrounds on either side.

At the annual meeting of the Supreme Council, Royal and Select Masons, Cryptic Rite, held last night in West St. John, W. W. Williamson of Montreal, was elected Most Pious and Grand Master, succeeded by Dr. W. L. Ellis, West St. John. Routine business was discussed.

Ten University of Chicago students under the direction of Charles C. Colby, associate professor of geography, arrived in the city last evening on the Digby boat to inspect port facilities.

MORE GRAIN FOR CANADIAN PORTS

Ottawa, Aug. 23.—Following investigation of complaints made to the department of trade and commerce here regarding the grades of grain received in England after shipment from Western Canada via the United States ports, and the taking up of similar questions with the British grain importers during the visit to Britain of Hon. J. A. Robb, minister of trade and commerce, it is expected that steps will be taken to try to secure the shipment of a greater percentage of Canadian wheat through Canadian ports than previously.

Occasional complaints have been received by the department from British importers that grain received by them from Canada was not up to the standard of Canadian grades.

Victoria, B. C., Aug. 24.—Lt. Commander L. Stephens will have charge of the Esquimaux dockyard following the departure of Commander Clark for Halifax, where he has been transferred to the destroyer Patriot.

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