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WHY STATE UNIVERSITIES DO NOT SHARE CARNEGIE FUND

President Pritchett Explains Why State Paid Teachers Are Not Granted Carnegie Retiring Allowances.

NEW YORK, April 8.—In response to members of the National Association of State Universities, Maurice Humeon, acting professor of the University of Toronto, and Professor Henry T. Eddy, dean of the graduate school, University of Minnesota, urging that the benefits of the Carnegie foundation be extended to the universities of the states and provinces, President Henry S. Pritchett, in a memorandum submitted to a bulletin just issued on the subject by the Carnegie foundation for the advancement of teaching, gives reasons why the universities should not share in the benefits of the foundation.

He says that while it is clear that the teachers of the state universities have, as teachers, quite as good a claim to a retiring allowance as any other, and that, while it is just as desirable that they should have the benefit of such a system, yet it should not be through a private fund, but through an allowance established by the states themselves.

It is doubtful, he says, whether the establishment of a private agency, even though it be national in its scope, offering the states the retiring allowance for teachers, would not greatly weaken the sense of responsibility of the states for educational support. The real problem of a state university, he says, is that of obtaining the confidence and the appreciation of the whole people of the state.

With this accomplished, he thinks, all things are possible, including retiring allowances. He says that the states have not yet failed to respond to any real demand of the time for higher education and he believes that those who govern the state universities may appeal with certainty to the patriotism and intelligence of their people in this cause as in others which preceded it.

The Carnegie system, he explains, is to develop a system of return allowances in the higher universities in such a manner as best to serve the interests of the general body of teachers.

COLD STORAGE PLANT FOR THE WEST SIDE

The sub-committee of the board of works, which was appointed to look into the matter of a site for a cold storage warehouse on the west side, met this morning and accompanied by R. J. Graham, of Belleville, Ont., who is representing the Dominion Lands and Cold Storage Co., they visited the west side to try and determine the most suitable site. The site occupied at present by the Union Ice Company was inspected but the feeling seems to be that this would not be suitable as the dry dock or future development of the winter port business may interfere with it.

Automobile Turned Into Battleship.



This ingenious decoration of an automobile was seen at a recent gymkhana in the car, which was a Gardner-Serpellet, was turned into a perfect model of M. S. Terrible, and it was a startling picture as it sailed along the road.

PREDICTS DISASTER

United States Engineer Says Pittsburg May be Overwhelmed by Flood as Was Johnstown.

PITTSBURG, April 8.—J. W. Arras, of the United States Engineer Corps, who has charge of building the dams in the Ohio and Allegheny rivers, in this vicinity, has submitted a report to the government, in which he says Pittsburg, like Johnstown, is in danger of devastation some day by a flood which will cause the loss of thousands of lives and destroy millions of dollars worth of property. Mr. Arras reports that when the catastrophe comes it will be just as little warning as did the one in the Conemaugh Valley.

Laurier Saw for Himself

Sir Wilfrid Kept Waiting at Halifax Until Mails Arrived Over the I. C. R.

MONTREAL, Que., April 8.—(Special)—The Empress of Britain which sailed from St. John with her excellency Lady Grey, the premier, Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Lady Laurier, and ministers for the colonial conference on Friday night reached Halifax at noon on Saturday. The steamer should have left Halifax about six p. m., but did not sail until ten o'clock, it being detained awaiting the arrival of the Canadian mails which left Montreal by the I. C. R. at noon on Friday. It seems to be that as much attention is not given to the handling of the British mails eastbound as westbound. We hear occasionally of the mails being run by special train from Halifax to Montreal in from twenty to twenty-two hours, but in this case it took over thirty-two hours from Montreal to Halifax by the ordinary passenger train. It would have been much better to have allowed the steamer and mails to go direct from St. John, rather than delay them by a trip by sea to Halifax and then by a belated passenger train. The distinguished passengers with the other hundreds on board could scarcely have enjoyed the long wait. Surely Canada can afford a fast eastbound mail as well as a fast westbound mail.

The St. John local union of Christian Endeavor intend holding a mass meeting of all the Christian Endeavor societies in the German street Baptist church to be held at 9 o'clock by Rev. Father Borgman, C.S.R. Interment was made in the new Catholic cemetery.

MINISTERS' MEETINGS

The Presbyterian ministers met this morning in regular monthly meeting and four the Sunday previous. Rev. W. W. McMaster reported baptizing 13 yesterday. The weekly meeting of the Methodist ministers was held this morning. Rev. Mr. Combs presiding. After the usual business had been transacted Rev. Prof. Watson of the theological faculty at Mt. Allison gave an address on "The Educational work of the Institutions." Rev. Mr. Watson supplied in Queen Square Methodist church yesterday.

Another case of smallpox was discovered late last night at 97 Brussels street. The patient is James Logue, fifty years of age. He was removed to the isolation hospital about 8.30 o'clock this morning. The house was placed in quarantine last night. There are twelve residents in the apartments occupied by Logue; George Brooks and Henry Kinsdale being boarders.

As some of the children from this family have been attending the Centennial school, the scholars in three rooms were dismissed this morning and the rooms will be thoroughly disinfected this afternoon. Deputy Chief of Police Jenkins occupies the upper flat of the house, and this portion was thoroughly fumigated this morning, and quarantine will be removed from this afternoon. The other portion of the house occupied by the Logue family will be kept under quarantine for some days.

MONTREAL STOCKS

MONTREAL, April 8.—The stock market was only fairly strong today. Some profit-taking, which set in towards the close of last week, was again in evidence, but not in sufficient volume to weaken the market to a striking extent. As soon as this feature has been disposed of the tone will likely strengthen. Trading fell off to a considerable extent. The only issues which figured prominently were Lake of Woods Mining at 77, Dominion Iron, 21; MacKay preferred, 70; Dominion Iron bonds, 75 3/4; Detroit, 75 3/4; Montreal Power, 92.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

BETTER GO ARMED.

Extraordinary precautions have been taken by the civic authorities in the hope to prevent a panic and riot tomorrow when the rush of nominations for the city council begins. Excitement is at fever heat and grave disorders are feared. There is a rumor that an attempt will be made by an organized gang to forcibly prevent the filing of several hundred nominations, and thus obstruct many of the electors out of their right to vote for the man of their choice. It is possible that the militia will be called out, as nine colonels were seen in conference on Prince William street this morning, while seven others were said to be in the vicinity. Never in the history of the city has there been such universal excitement over a civic election.

The city is roused. The determination to inaugurate an era of reform at City Hall has taken hold of the people from Bark Point to Blue Rock and Pokok. There is in the face of every man whom one meets an expression of fierce resolve. The police are on the alert. Nothing else is talked of on the streets and in the market. At last the voice of the people will be heard.

THE WEATHER.

Director Hutchinson, in reply to an enquiry by the Times new reporter this morning, admitted reluctantly that this is a fine day, but he stoutly maintained that it was not the fault of the weather department. He hinted that there might be quite another story to tell tomorrow. Those who are acquainted with the re-

BOTH SIDES REST IN HAWK CASE --- EVIDENCE IS ALL IN



NEW YORK, April 8.—At the opening of the Hawk trial District Attorney Jerome said he could only ask the court formally to confirm the report of the commission in lunacy. Justice Fitzgerald, overruled the motion and ordered the trial to proceed. Dr. Allan MacLachlan Hamilton was called as a witness.

FREDERICTON SEWERAGE BILL PASSES ITS SECOND READING

FREDERICTON, N. B., April 8.—Premier Pugsley said that if Fredericton was given the right to discharge sewage into the St. John River that night ought not to be permanent. He intimated that if the bill should pass the government would make an appropriation to test for water in the sewer parishes of the country by boring artesian wells.

PROBATE COURT

Hearing in the matter of an application in the estate of the late P. G. Jordan was continued in the probate court this morning. The evidence of James Jordan was taken, and adjournment was made in order to ascertain as to an heir whom it was alleged was dead.

THE EVERY DAY CLUB

A treat is in store for the Every Day Club this evening, when Fred Carman will show and explain a fine series of views of the Yukon. Mr. Farren will operate the lantern. Mr. Carman has been in the Yukon country and the talk and pictures will be very interesting.

Mrs. Johanna O'Brien

Mrs. Johanna O'Brien, widow of the late James O'Brien of Fredericton died early this morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. P. Connelly, Baker street, north end. She was in the 83rd year of her age and besides Mrs. Connelly, is survived by a second daughter, Mrs. C. Doherty, of Portland, Me., and one son, Daniel Connelly of Fredericton. The body will be taken to Fredericton this evening and on arrival will be taken to her son's residence from whence the funeral will be held on Wednesday.

HAD A NARROW ESCAPE

HAMILTON, Ont., April 8.—(Special)—Rev. Dr. Nelson, pastor of Knox Presbyterian church, was poisoned on Saturday morning through taking some tablets which he had purchased from a druggist for a cold. He was in a critical condition for a time, but is thought to be out of danger now.

A Montreal dispatch says that city has a terrific snowstorm, the worst in twenty years at this season of the year. Street car traffic is blocked and trains are late.

BRAVE FIREMEN BURIED BY A FALLING BUILDING

CHICAGO, April 8.—In the trial of former Judge Smith before Judge Pinckney in the criminal court, Clarence S. Darro, testified that the Bank of America was "looted" by F. E. Creelman and Abner Smith within ten days from the date the institution was opened for business.

BANK LOOTED BY MANAGER

Bank of America Was Looted Within Ten Days After it Opened for Business.

NEWS FROM P. E. ISLAND

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., April 8.—(Special)—Thomas McQuaid, aged 52, a boot and shoe dealer of Charlottetown was found dead at the house of Michael Power Saturday. He left his own home, saying he could sleep, and wanted to get a smoke. He went to Powers', roused him, later Powers found his companion dead.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE

MAHONEY BAY, N. S., April 8.—Hilbert Ernst, a middle aged man, on the Block House, went temporarily insane and attempted suicide this morning by taking Paris green. Afterwards he went into the nearby woods to hang himself, but when he tried to climb the tree to put a rope around the limb, the limb broke and he fell, and before he could climb again he was seen. Doctors were called and after six hours work brought the man around, but chances of his recovery are small.

NEW YORK, April 8.—Prices of stocks moved irregularly on light dealings on the opening transactions today. Fractional losses were in the majority, a decline of 1 1/2 in Northern Pacific marking the only full figure in the movement on that side.

NEWS OF THE WORLD AS TOLD IN SHORT METRE

Former President Jose Lizandro Barriles of Guatemala, was assassinated in Mexico City last night by a young Guatemalan named Cabrera, 18 years old.

The correspondent of the London morning Post, at Shanghai says that trouble is threatened at Tai Yuen, in the province of Szechuan. A large portion of the population being of the opinion that the Roman Catholic natives are supporting what is known as the Pekin syndicate.

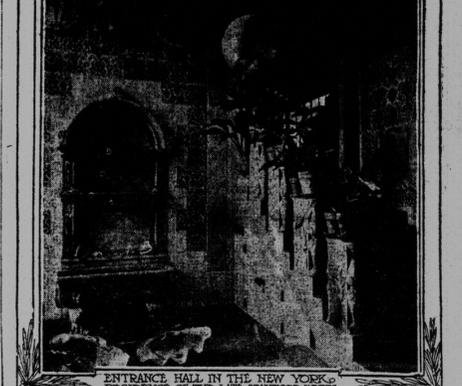
Fights between Christians and non-Christians are frequent. The government has telegraphed the foreign office for advice.

A woman prisoner hanged herself in the St. Peter and St. Paul fortress at St. Petersburg yesterday. She was arrested last November for belonging to the Maximist group and taking part in the plan for the robbery on October 27 of the cashier of the custom house while he was proceeding in a carriage from the treasury with a sum of money estimated at \$250,000 to \$300,000 and in which \$185,000 was secured.

Fire practically gutted the building occupied by the Lagna Tea, Coffee and Spice Company and the Union Pacific Tea Co. at Washington and Light Streets, New York on Saturday. The loss is \$300,000.

President Roosevelt is receiving a great many letters regarding the combination it is asserted has been formed to defeat him in the coming presidential campaign. Much secrecy is being observed, but friends close to the president say the disclosures have caused a stir.

Society Throgs First Day's Sale of Stanford White Art Treasures.



NEW YORK, April 6.—The former home of the late Stanford White was thronged with members of fashionable society at the first day's sale of the art objects contained therein. Persons whose names are almost a household word in this city were eager purchasers, and excellent prices were obtained.