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SIXTEEN PAGES—ONE CENT

SHOOTS HIMSELF
RUNNING CAR

Man With Three Bullets in Body Drives for Doctor.

Centre Moriches, N. Y., April 6.—Joseph Furlong, 45, who is said to be the head of a corporation owning several restaurants in New York, tried to kill himself by shooting himself in the breast in his automobile as he was approaching here. Three of four bullets which he fired at his chest passed through the body. The fourth went wild.

Despite his wounds Furlong, who is a muscular man, drove his car to the garage of George L. Fick here and asked him to send for a doctor. Dr. Lewis A. Twining came and, after examining Furlong, advised that he be hurried to a hospital. The nearest hospital is at Southampton, 22 miles south, but Furlong, who did not lose consciousness at any time, consented to make the journey in his own car. He was about to be lifted into the car when he turned to the doctor and said:

"Doctor, are my wounds serious?" Being told it was not possible at that time to say, he insisted on telephoning to his wife in New York.

Furlong wept as he told his wife that he had shot himself and was about to be taken to the hospital. When Peck and others started to carry him to his car, he protested that he was able to walk and declared he would undertake to drive to the hospital. Dr. Twining said it would be dangerous to allow him to make the journey alone, and a chauffeur in the car volunteered to drive.

The wounded man's brother arrived at the hospital. It was said that because of Furlong's vitality, he would probably recover.

SCHOOL CHILDREN
MET A SAD FATE

Two Bodies Were Found—One Still Missing—Were Returning from School.

Bay City, Mich., April 6.—The bodies of two children, aged five and six, were found in a wooded area near the shore of Lake St. Clair. The children were returning from school and were seen to enter the woods. The bodies were found by a fisherman who was out on the lake. The children were wearing winter clothing and were apparently frozen to death.

TO PROBE DEATH
IN CONVICT CAMP

Tallahassee, Fla., April 6.—The Florida Senate yesterday authorized a joint legislative investigation of the death of Martin Armstrong, a convict who died in a Florida convict camp more than a year ago, the victim of alleged brutal treatment.

UNIONS ACCEPT
COMPROMISE

Fall River, Mass., April 6.—The six unions affiliated with the Textile Council rejected last night to accept the increase of 12 1/2 per cent, effective April 30, offered on Monday by the Fall River Cotton Manufacturers' Association. The council had demanded an increase of fifteen per cent.

BRITISH EDUCATIONISTS IN CANADA



Notable figures from the Motherland are visiting Canada just now attending the National Council of Education meetings at the University of Toronto. Three of the visitors are shown, Sir Henry Newbolt, lecturer and poet, who has just completed a tour of Canada; Miss Gilpin (centre), headmistress of Hall School, Weybridge, a notable Englishwoman; and Sir Michael Sadler (right), vice-Chancellor of the University of Leeds and one of the leading figures in the world of education.

SEES OCCULT IN
DEATH OF LORD
CARNARVON

Conan Doyle, in New York, Speaks of Elementals.

Egyptians Know Lot About Spiritism, He Says—Believes, However, that King Tut's Spirit is Not Concerned With His Bones.

(Canadian Press.) New York, April 6.—Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, who arrived in this country yesterday for a second series of lectures on spiritualism, today expressed belief that an "evil elemental" brought into being by Egyptian occultism or the spirit of Tutankhamen might have caused the death of Lord Carnarvon, who opened the tomb of the Egyptian Pharaoh.

Sir Arthur was asked if he agreed with Miss Marie Corelli, the English novelist, who warned the explorer that he was courting disaster because of the spirit of the Egyptian King might be angered.

"An elemental is a built-up, artificial thing, an imbued force which may be brought into being by a spirit mind or by nature. It exists of itself for a specific purpose and is not pre-created. We know very little about them, but we have had evidence of their existence, especially in regard to the Egyptians."

"The Egyptians knew a great deal about these things that we do. If they could put these elementals on guard over their dead bodies, they certainly would have done so."

Continuing, Sir Arthur said: "An elemental is a built-up, artificial thing, an imbued force which may be brought into being by a spirit mind or by nature. It exists of itself for a specific purpose and is not pre-created. We know very little about them, but we have had evidence of their existence, especially in regard to the Egyptians."

"There was a mummy once in the British Museum which we believe was guarded by one of these elementals. For everyone who came in contact with it came to grief. This was the mummy of a queen, and even one of my dear friends, a journalist, who investigated the circumstances surrounding the happenings that befell the person who handled the mummy, was himself stricken immediately with typhoid and died."

"The son of a friend of mine, Sir William Ingram, found a mummy while hunting in Somaliland. Inscribed on the mummy's breast were the words, 'May the person who unwraps me die rapidly and may his bones not be buried.'"

"This young man in a few days was drowned in a water course, which rose with the spring freshets, and his body never was found."

"Therefore, I think it quite possible that Lord Carnarvon was killed by his death through one of these elementals."

"I know the Egyptians know a lot about spiritism; all the easterners do. We are in communication with them quite often. Wise old eastern spirits are our spiritual guides."

"In fact, I have such a spiritual guide myself. Through my wife, who is a medium, I often get advice from him on spiritual matters. I never consult him on material things. He says he often helps me without my knowing it. He lived 3,000 or 4,000 years ago in Arabia and was a man high in his country, and, like most eastern spirits, is highly developed."

"Still, we don't know whether the occult power of the Egyptians extended far enough to bring into being an elemental which could exist for several thousand years, although it is possible, since a spirit is eternal."

"The Sir Arthur, smiling, added: 'You know, a great many people have dug into graves without anything happening to them, and I'm inclined to believe that by now old King Tut's spirit is far enough along not to care a tuppence what happens to his old bones.'"

STATUE FIFTY-TWO CENTURIES OLD
FOUND IN MESOPOTAMIA

Philadelphia, April 6.—A statue 5,200 years old has been unearthed in Mesopotamia by the joint expedition of the University of Pennsylvania and the British Museum, according to a report received yesterday by Dr. George B. Gordon, director of the expedition. The report, from C. L. Woolley, head of the university, said the statue was found while unearthing the Ziggurat Gate, on the site of Ur, of the Chaldees.

It is a statue of Enannatum, King of Lagash, who reigned in 3200 B. C., and was said to be one of the oldest in existence. The statue is covered with historic inscriptions.

CANADA HAS RICH
LITERARY FUTURE

Fine Outlook is Opinion of Sir Arthur Currie at Toronto Meeting—Sir Henry Newbolt Speaks.

(Canadian Press.) Toronto, April 6.—Oratory of a brilliant and arresting character marked the second evening meeting in Massey Hall of the convention of the National Council of Education. "Literature and Education," was the subject of the evening, and was dealt with by Sir Henry Newbolt, an address which was an earnest appeal for a return to Bible reading.

As the greatest thing that a human literature, Sir Henry said, it could be expected that it would take the very highest place in education, instead of which, he said, the reading of the Bible was becoming less instead of more of a habit.

A statement to the effect that in the United States of the National Bureau of French Literature, proved a fascinating speaker on the subject of "Literature and International Understanding." Rev. Elmer Gurney, former principal of Wesley College, Winnipeg, spoke on "Bibliography in Education."

Canada's Future. Sir Arthur Currie, President of McGill University, chairman of the evening said he could not but regard Canada's literary future as rich with promise. Formed of two great races, rich with traditions, a fine Canadian literature was certain to be ultimately realized.

Literature, said Sir Arthur, was not something reserved for the cultured few. Every great writer, he said, had written for the many. Great literature had always gone in search of the humblest child who could read.

SAYS CHURCH HAS
LOST ITS POSITION

Bishop of Gloucester's Declaration Creates Stir in England.

London, March 20.—(By mail)—The Church of England has failed to keep its position as the leading church of the country through its refusal to adapt itself to modern ideas as they concern industrial and social life, according to a declaration made by the Bishop of Gloucester.

This group unsuccessfully sought formation of an industrial and social reform committee, during the recent church assembly.

The proposal to form the committee was fought by the high church advocates during the assembly, and they succeeded in having the matter postponed. This has the effect of killing it.

The Bishop said he believed this condition was the fault not only of the parish clergy, but of all ranks and classes in the church. The bishops, he declared, did not seem able to speak with real intellectual authority, and the great mass of intellectual thought was on its way without regarding them.

The human mind has been remarkably fertile during these years, the Bishop continued, but the church has not cared enough for the things of the intellect. It must persuade the intellectuals that its message is true. It is the duty of the clergy to do this.

WEATHER
REPORT

Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, St. John, N. B.

Synopsis.—The depression which was in the Ohio Valley yesterday now covers the Maritime Provinces and pressure is high over the central states and western provinces. Snow and rain have occurred in southern and eastern Ontario and Quebec and rain in the Maritime Provinces.

Forecast: Maritime—Fresh to strong south and southwest winds, clearing. Saturday fair with not much change in temperature. Gulf and North Shore—Clearing to light. Saturday fair, not much change in temperature.

New England—Fair tonight and Saturday. Somewhat colder tonight, fresh westerly winds.

Toronto, April 6.—Temperatures: Lowest during night. Stations. 8 a.m. yesterday. Prince Rupert . . . 36 54 36 Victoria . . . 42 42 42 Kamloops . . . 32 50 30 Calgary . . . 2 28 22 Edmonton . . . 4 18 4 Prince Albert . . . 10 14 10 Winnipeg . . . 8 24 6 St. John, N. B. . . 36 28 28 Toronto . . . 36 38 32 Kingston . . . 38 44 38 Ottawa . . . 38 44 38 Quebec . . . 36 42 34 Montreal . . . 36 42 34 St. John, N. B. . . 36 42 34 Halifax . . . 34 38 32 St. John's, Nfld. . . 31 34 28 Detroit . . . 32 38 28 New York . . . 48 60 46

SENTENCED TO DEATH

Sebatopol, April 6.—After a lapse of 18 years, Lieutenant Stevrik, who took part in the execution of Lieutenant Commander of the Russian cruiser Otkhakov, and who in 1905 headed the mutiny of the Russian Black Sea fleet, has been convicted by a Soviet court and sentenced to death.

Death Sentence

Verdict of Guilty in 30 Minutes Trial. Gravelbourg, Sask., April 6.—At Regina Jail, July 6th, Henry Stammann will be hanged to execute the murder of Fred Barsanyi, at Hodgeville, November 28, last.

This was the sentence of Mr. Justice Biplow in the King's Bench Court yesterday after the jury had adjudged the accused guilty of the crime, in less than thirty minutes deliberation.

MORE FOR TRIAL IN
RUSSIAN COURT

Two Archbishops Among Those Accused by Soviet—Same Judge as at Last Trial.

(Canadian Pacific Cable.) Moscow, April 6.—It is announced that Justice Galkin, who presided over the Soviet Court which recently tried Archbishop Zepikin, Vice-Governor Butchavich and the other Catholic priests, and Nikolai Kravchenko, who was the prosecuting attorney, will officiate in the trial of the Most Rev. Dr. Tikhon, former patriarch of All-Russia, which is set for April 11.

With Dr. Tikhon will be tried Archbishop Alexander of Moscow, Archbishop Arseny of Novgorod, and M. Gourief, secretary of the Holy Synod, who will be accused of having written articles of the criminal code, including the counter-revolutionary article, which permits of the death penalty, if the court so wills.

Poles Executed. Warsaw, April 6.—The excitement among the Polish population due to the execution of Mr. Butchavich, apparently is growing. Poles yesterday attacked the Jewish funerals and dispersed the mourners and students belonging to the anti-Semitic organization "Rozwog," and maltreated a number of Jewish passers-by.

The newspaper Dwa Groshy, in an editorial yesterday declared the murder of Mr. Butchavich was a crime committed by "the Red Jewish tyrants," in order to destroy the Christian faith.

SHOOTS GIRL AS
HUNDREDS WATCH

Spurned Lover's Bullet Deflected by Corset Steel.

New York, April 6.—Hundreds of shop girls who work in the exclusive Fifth Avenue district, yesterday gathered in front of the Michigan law against criminal syndicalism was discharged by Judge Charles White last night. The jurors stood six to six on all of their thirty-eight ballots.

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JURY DIVIDES
IN FOSTER TRIAL

Vote 6 to 6 on 38 Ballots and are Discharged—One Woman Among the 12.

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When the wounded girl was attended by Ambulance Surgeon Lindendorf of Flower Hospital it was found that deflection of the bullet by a corset steel had probably saved her life.

Borak told the police that he was married and had a girl six years old. He said that his wife had left him two months after their wedding and that he was suing for divorce in Philadelphia on the ground of desertion. He said that he had met Miss Greenstein in a dance hall. A sealed letter was taken from his pocket addressed to William Z. Foster, and the letter was read to the jury.

She made a fool of me for over a year. She told me she loved me. Now I see she was false and untrue. While I am going to die she is going to die with my daughter Pauline in St. Charles, N. Y. Hamilton place, I am going to die for her. Her mother is alive. She has been away two years. Nobody will cry over me. When I die she will be in the West Forty-seventh street station upon the steel elevator it was found to contain six love letters the girl had written to him.

IN THE RUHR

Berlin, April 6.—The amount of coal shipped to France from the Ruhr during February and March totaled only 19,000 tons at the most, a semi-official statement issued today in contradiction of figures recently announced by the French Minister of Transportation. The latter's statement, it is declared, greatly exaggerated the facts. Whereas he asserted seven coal exporting deposits were now functioning, there are actually only three in operation, according to the German statement.

Dueseldorf, April 6.—Articles of daily necessity ranging all the way from tea to automobiles were confiscated in large quantities by the French at Bochum yesterday, according to reports from German quarters.

Berlin, April 6.—Josef Zander, who was killed while acting as spokesman for the laborers in the Krupp plant shooting of last Saturday, was identified yesterday as a communist in a letter against the incident made public by the signatures of the members of the Communist International and the Red Trades Union International Executive Boards.

LOBSTER FISHING. Chatham World.—Preparations are being made on a large scale for lobster fishing. The W. S. Loggie Co. have started men on the road to look after their extensive business at Ecumacine and Ft. Spain, Messrs. Jas. Burbridge and Jerome Sackland left today for the above posts.

THE DOLLAR TODAY

New York, April 6.—Sterling exchange steady. Great Britain 4/6 1/2-8. France 6.62. Italy 4.98. Germany, 1047 1-2. Canadian dollars 127-3/4 per cent discount.

FIREMAN KILLED
IN HOTEL BLAZE

The Arlington, Hot Springs, Destroyed With Loss of More Than a Million—50 Guests Rescued.

Hot Springs, Ark., April 6.—The Arlington Hotel, oldest hostelry in Hot Springs, and one of the most noted in the south, was destroyed by fire yesterday. All guests, numbering more than 800, escaped without serious injury.

The loss was estimated at more than \$1,000,000. Fifty persons, caught in the smoke-filled halls, were rescued by firemen.

One fireman was killed and two others seriously injured when a wall of the building fell.

2 WOMEN ARE
FOUND KILLED

Bodies With Throats Cut Discovered in an Isolated Road Near Staten Island.

New York, April 6.—Miss Beanie McMahon, of Buffalo, and Mrs. Irene Blaindino, of Jersey City, N. J., were found murdered, their bodies had been thrown from an automobile.

The bodies were found in a field near the shore of the Hudson River. The bodies were found with their throats cut. The bodies were found in a field near the shore of the Hudson River.

The receipt was issued by John N. Escher, New York artificial limb manufacturer. Mrs. Blaindino had visited his shop last Saturday to have her leg adjusted.

Mrs. Escher said Mrs. Blaindino first came to his place of business about a year ago. She always was accompanied by her husband, who died last Saturday, however, she came alone, saying she was in a hurry to meet a friend, and she still wearing her bridal costume, received the guests as they returned from the church while her husband fought the blaze.

Two truckmen discovered the fire just as the bride and bridegroom were leaving the church. Mr. Dexter leaped from the motor and ran to the roof. He was joined later by the others of the wedding party. Through their efforts the blaze was held in check until the firemen arrived.

The servants' quarters were damaged, but the loss was not extensive. Mrs. Dexter's self-control and calmness during the fire was raging kept many of the guests from learning of it.

WORK TO RELEASE
IMPRISONED SHIP

Mile-Long Channel Being Cut Through Thick River Ice Near Sorel.

Montreal, April 6.—Efforts to release the steam barge John S. Thon from her dangerous position in the ship channel near Sorel have been commenced by Albert Beauchemin, working under the supervision of Captain G. L. Hayes, marine surveyor for Dale & Co., limited, the vessel's underwriters. The intention is to cut a mile long channel in the ice from the steam barge's present position, abreast of Ile aux Pins, or Hay Island, some three miles above Sorel, to a place near shore where she will escape the mass of ice that will sweep down stream when the spring break-up comes. For this purpose dynamite will be used in addition to saws, and the ordinary ice cutting equipment. The operation, which is expected to take a week to conclude, is unique in local marine annals and its progress will be watched with interest by shipping men here.

The John S. Thon is loaded with 800 tons of coal, part of which has served to provide her crew with fuel during the long winter months. The vessel sailed from Cleveland, fully loaded, on December 2 last, bound for Quebec, which her captain hoped to reach before the river froze. The vessel reached Montreal in good time, and continued down stream in spite of increasingly severe weather. Her progress through the rapidly forming ice became more and more difficult, and when near Sorel she found it impossible to move farther. It was at once recognized that she lay in an extremely dangerous position, and plans were devised for her release.

With this object in view the Government icebreaker Mikula, formerly the John D. Hazen, was despatched from Quebec just a month ago, and made good progress towards her objective until she ran ashore and was forced to return to drydock at Quebec for repairs. Efforts to continue her work by the smaller ice-breakers Montcalm and Lady Grey proved ineffective to cope with the heavy ice above Three Rivers. Both vessels were themselves frozen in at the latter port following the recent cold wave.

FORMER MAYOR
OF AMHERST DEAD

Amherst, N. S., April 6.—Harvey Pipe, ex-Mayor of Amherst, president of the Board of Trade, for the greater part of the last thirty years, president, manager and chief owner of Dunlap Bros. and Company, Limited, wholesale and retail hardware merchants, a native of Berlin, now Kitchener, Ont., died at his home this morning. Mr. Pipe who has always enjoyed good health, fell a physical weakness about three months ago, when on his way home during one of the worst storms of the winter. The next day, though still weak, he turned out and hoped to remove the snow from the town streets and received a strain from which he never recovered.

February Fish
Haul Increased

More Than Fifty-Per Cent. Better This Year in Quantity and Value.

Ottawa, April 6.—(Canadian Press.)—A total of 237,571 cwts of fish, valued at \$740,185, was landed during the month of February of the present year, on both coasts of Canada. During February, 1922, the total catch was 121,285 cwts, valued at \$423,218.