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THE CANADA TRUST

Will Likely Come to Canada to Evade Tariff.

American Can Company Will Build a \$250,000 Plant on This Side of the Border--- Will Employ 500 Workmen.

New York, March 23.—The Canadian Trust is the latest Yankee monopoly which is to enter the Dominion of Canada with a view to evading tariff.

The proposed Canadian plant will be extensive and will entail a heavy outlay of \$250,000, and 500 hands will be employed when it is completed. Just where it will be erected has not been decided upon. The officers who trust have several cities in view, and one of these will be chosen within the next ten days.

The American Can company was incorporated in New Jersey in 1901, and operates 100 can making plants in

terred all over the States, and the capital of the companies is \$82,579,000. Half of this is seven per cent cumulative preferred stock.

Among the big manufacturing concerns which are already operating in Canada are the International Harvester company of America (the Harvester Trust), the American Locomotive company (the Locomotive Trust), the Westinghouse, the Pressed Steel Car, the American Steel Foundries interests. According to conservative estimates fully \$250,000,000 of American capital are invested in various United States manufacturing enterprises in the dominion.

TEN YEARS FOR BANKER.

German Sentenced For Hypothecating Securities.

Marienburg, Prussia, March 23.—Rudolf Woelke, the banker, who was involved in the failure of the Marienburg Bank; last fall, was found guilty by a jury of hypothecating the securities of customers and of other offences and sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary and ten years' loss of civil rights. His assistant, Julius Schneider, also was convicted and was sentenced to five years in jail and to five years' loss of civil rights.

DAILY MEMORANDA.

Y.M.C.A. Athletic Events, 8 p.m. Social Five Dance, Monday evening. Light and Power Committee, 4 p.m. Tuesday.

Special Meeting of Orangemen and Prentice Boys, Orange Hall, 8 p.m. Spring Millinery Opening, at M. and E. Jackson's, Wednesday, March 25th, 113 Brock street.

Holiday Pantomime, "The Black Witch of Abyssinia," Picturesque, Scenic and Educational, "Wild Scenes in Australia," John Robert Davis Singes. "The Birds shall soon sing sweetly." The new Spring fads are ready. In George Mills & Co.'s, firestore. Princess—"The Ship-Owner's Daughter," The Queen—"Doctor," "The Days of Sixty-One," "Patriots," "A Meshy Catastrophe," Song, "When It's Moonlight On The Prairie Darling Mary." Remember We change three times a week.

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PATIENT'S PECCULAR DEATH.

Tied By Sheets, Struggles Break Her Neck.

New York, March 23.—Mrs. Mary McCue, a patient in the observation ward of the King's County Hospital, Brooklyn, met her death in an unusual way on Saturday. She had been in the ward two days. According to a story told by a nurse who was on duty in the ward, she became violent and it was found necessary to strap her to her cot. For this purpose two sheets were used and after she had been apparently securely bound, the attendant left the ward and did not return for an hour. When she came back Mrs. McCue's body was lying partly on the floor, suspended by one of the twisted sheets. She was dead and an investigation disclosed that her neck had been broken.

Strange Death Compact.
Chicago, March 23.—Although deeply devoted to each other during the eight years of their married life, Louis and Mary Larson are said to be united in death to their first loves. Mrs. Larson, who was forty-nine years old, died, Monday, and her husband, who was seventy-nine years old, overcome by grief and worry, succumbed Tuesday. In accordance with a compact between the couple, Mrs. Larson's body will be buried beside that of her first husband while the body of Mr. Larson will be interred beside that of his first wife, James A. Larson, St. Paul, assistant secretary of state of Minnesota, oldest son of Louis Larson, has arranged for the separate funerals.

Picked Up The Captain.
St. Thomas, D.W.L., March 23.—The British cruiser Scylla has picked up thirty miles off-shore, the small boat which the warship's captain put to his ship while that vessel was stationed at Granada, S.W.L., on March 18th. The captain was in an exhausted condition, when found, and the boat was water-logged.

WANTS TO GET THE PRICE.

Ottawa, March 23.—The government expresses the hope that before the Prince of Wales arrives at Quebec on May 22nd, a sufficient sum may have been contributed in small sums by the sons and daughters from all parts of the empire to enable the prince to hand to the prime minister a wherewithal to nationalize the important parts of the Plains of Abraham, so that they may be preserved as a permanent shrine of Canadian and imperial patriotism.

LIEUT. FRANK P. LAHM.

Lieut. Frank P. Lahm is a soft-spoken, modest-mannered young American, who ranks as one of the most daring aeronauts in the world. He was the winner of the first great international balloon race, sailing his sky-craft from Paris to England, and has won fame on two continents as an aeronautical expert. Lieut. Lahm is an officer in the United States regular army, and for several years past he has been busy in Europe observing the progress made by foreign nations, particularly Germany and France, in the utilization of balloons for military purposes. Now the young officer comes to direct the balloon and airship experiments that are to be conducted this summer by the American army, and he expresses confidence that this nation will long lead the world in everything appertaining to aerial navigation.

DECLINED THE PROPOSAL.

Berlin, March 23.—Cont. Stollberg, president of the reichstag, yesterday, proposed to the striking parliamentary reporters the following solution of the trouble arising out of the objectionable remarks applied to them by Herr Groeber, a member of the centrum: "The journalists shall express regret at what has occurred and Herr Groeber shall withdraw his insulting expression with regrets." The journalists held a meeting and declined the proposal by a vote of eighty-four to two.

BANKER ARRESTED.

Chicago, March 23.—Unable to furnish a bond of \$9,000, A. C. Tisdelle, proprietor of a private bank that was forced to close a few weeks ago, was lodged in the county jail. The judge turned into court five indictments against him. They charged that he had received money knowing that the bank was insolvent. Two indictments charged embezzlement.

AUDACIOUS THEFT.

Rome, March 23.—A most audacious theft has been committed at Prascati. Thieves broke into the magnificent Villa Aldobrandini, which dates from the sixteenth century, and carried off a valuable bust in Corinthian bronze, weighing 500 pounds, of Pope Clement VIII. The robbers entered through a window.

FIFTH OF THE NEWS.

Dr. A. T. Thompson, M.P., for the Yukon, will hereafter be an out-and-out supporter of R. L. Borden.

Ernest Shouldine, convicted at Brandon of assaulting a five-year-old girl, was sentenced to four months and ten lashes.

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CAMPBELL.—In Kingston, on March 21st, 1908, to Mr. and Mrs. David Campbell, Clergy St. West, a son.

DIED.

HENDRY.—At Spokane Wash., on 17th March, 1908, Mrs. John Hendry, beloved wife of John Hendry.

Funeral private, from Outer Station, today.

CLUGSTON.—In Kingston, on March 21st, 1908, at 399 Brock street, Ruth Clugston, aged seventeen years.

Service, at home, Wednesday, at 2 p.m. Friends and acquaintances respectfully invited to attend. No flowers.

GASKIN.—In Kingston, March 21st, 1908, at 100 Brock street, John Gaskin, aged sixty years.

Funeral from his late residence, Ontario St., Tuesday, at 2 p.m., to St. Peter's Church. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

MCDONALD.—In Kingston, on March 21st, 1908, Edna, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John A. McDonald, aged eleven years and seven months.

Funeral will leave the family residence, 211 University Avenue, at 2 p.m., Saturday. It had been weakened by recent floods. The dam was 500 feet long.

The large power dam at Buchanan, Mich., erected in the St. Joseph river fourteen years ago, at a cost of \$250,000, was carried away, on Saturday. It had been weakened by recent floods. The dam was 500 feet long.

President Roosevelt will send a special message to congress this week advocating a tariff revision and a number of other reforms.

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GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC

Protest Against Supplies Being Shipped in Via Seattle.

Vancouver, March 23.—That the coasting laws of Canada as at present worded are no bar to American or other foreign vessels handling Canadian bonded freight so long as they transport it from an American to a Canadian port.

For years American vessels have been handling this freight from Victoria to Skagway, but it was thought they were doing so only under privilege granted by order-in-council. It has now turned out that it was no privilege, but a right.

The result is that strong attempts will be made to have the laws amended so that the interests of Canadian shipping may be preserved.

VANCOUVER'S RICH CONVICT.

Hendricks in Dark Cell on Bread and Water.

Vancouver, March 23.—Charles Hendricks, who owns \$100,000 worth of property in Vancouver, was sentenced to six months' hard labor without the option of a fine, for renting a building.

Hendricks tried to start a new restricted section in the centre east end residence district, and told women formerly of Shanghai and Canton streets that he had squared everything with the mayor and chief of police for opening the new immoral quarter.

He turned out regular tenants and trebled rents to women. Saturday Hendricks refused to work in a chain gang breaking stone. He is now in a dark cell on bread and water diet.

Investigation developed the astonishing fact that the laws do not prevent foreign vessels handling Canadian bonded freight so long as they transport it from an American to a Canadian port.

Following the certainty that an immense tonnage of Grand Trunk supplies will be shipped from Eastern Canada via the Grand Trunk to Chicago and thence west in the Great Northern will soon be routed and will be probably transhipped at Seattle for Prince Rupert, an agitation to have coasting laws enforced arose.

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