

The Daily British Opinion

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LAST EDITION

WERE CAUGHT

Were Engaged in Making Bogus Coin.

TWO COUNTERFEITERS

IN BUSINESS IN A TENT AT LATCHFORD.

Men Posed As Prospectors—Made Desperate Struggle to Get Away From the Police—Remanded For Trial.

Latchford, May 12.—Two Montreal men, posing as prospectors and giving their names as Adelard Dion and Thomas Gascon, were arrested after one of them had tried to pass a false fifty-cent piece at Duncan McGregor's store.

In a tent they were occupying on the shore of Bay Lake were found moulds, dies, blow pipes, crucibles and a complete counterfeiters' plant. They made a desperate struggle to get away from Constables Jerry and Fred Lafoy, but they were eventually overcome and their goods seized. Only a small quantity of false coins were found, but the camp fire had been lighted, and one of the crucibles was standing over it when the seizure was made. The men were fully equipped for a trip up the river and had in their possession \$500 of gold money. They account for the possession of the moulds, etc., by stating that they were intending to make tests of different ores up the river at the shaft head.

The spurious coins, while excellent in design, could easily be detected as they rang false and were rough to the touch. One man said the other had a mining school in Montreal and that they had chummed together for a prospecting trip. He knew that money was being made but it was for a pastime. The men were remanded for trial at North Bay.

HAINS CONVICTED.

Jury Find Manslaughter in First Degree.

Flushing, N.Y., May 12.—In the case of Captain Peter C. Hains, junior, charged with the murder of William P. Annis, an August last, the jury brought in a verdict of "guilty of manslaughter in the first degree." The defendant was removed in the custody of the sheriff for sentence Monday morning.

Captain Hains' conviction is the sequel to the sensational shooting of W. E. Annis, the chairman, Captain Hains fired the fatal shot, because of Annis' supposed attentions to Mrs. Hains, but as his (Hains) brother, the writer, was there, too, and it was said, kept Annis' friends from interfering, both brothers were charged with murder. The brother was tried first, and an acquittal resulted. Now that the captain has been found guilty, insanity may be again urged, though, so far, his counsel have not said so, expecting, it is believed, an acquittal, or at least, a disagreement. Manslaughter in the first degree means, presumably, imprisonment for life.

A Veteran Tanner.

Southampton, Ont., May 12.—Henry N. Zeinkan, of the firm of H. N. Zeinkan & Sons, and formerly of Bowman & Zeinkan, of Southampton, died at the family residence, yesterday, at the age of seventy-two years, after an illness of two weeks. He was the oldest tanner in Canada, having been engaged in this business for about fifty-five years. He leaves a wife, three sons and six daughters.

Arthur C. Grant-Duff, British minister resident to the republic of Cuba, has been appointed minister to Dresden. He will be succeeded at Havana by Stephen Leech, counselor to the embassy at Pekin.

DAILY MEMORANDA.

- Cheese Board, 1.30 p.m., Thursday.
- Parafal, Grand Opera House, 7.45 p.m.
- Hotel Dieu Liben Showers, to-morrow afternoon.
- Remember Lina Shower, Hotel Dieu Hospital, Thursday, May 13th, 3 to 10. All cordially invited.
- May 13th, In Canadian History. 1846—Sir William G. Falconbridge, Chief Justice of the High Court of Ontario, was born.
- 1875—The Prince Edward Island Railway was opened for traffic.
- 1885—Battle of Batoche, and defeat of the rebels.
- 1887—The Quebec Government incorporated the Society of Jesus.
- 1906—The United States Congress of British arrived at Quebec on her first trip from Liverpool.

JOB DINNER SETS

After stock-taking we find about a dozen dinner sets, short a few small pieces, and for your own use, as goods as a complete set, we offer them all at 30 to 40 per cent. reduction, every set a snap.

From \$4.90 to 11.50

Robertson Bros.

VILLAGE MOURNS FOR HAROLD

Popular Ball Player and Manager of Seed Company Dies.

Cape Vincent, N.Y., May 10.—At about six o'clock Saturday evening, at his home in Real street, occurred the death of Harold Blum, after an illness of several weeks. "Glassy," as he was commonly called, was a young man who had the confidence and respect of all the village. As a member of the local baseball team for years he gained an extensive acquaintance with the fans of Northern New York and along the frontier towns of Canada. He was able to make good at any position on the diamond. He was also well known to the farmers of this section, having been in the employ of the Cleveland Seed company, when it did business in this village, as manager. He was a member of the Cape Vincent Camp, M.W. of A.; St. Vincent's branch, C.M.B.A., and the Cape Vincent fire department. Besides his widow, formerly Miss Estelle Dunlap, and a little daughter, he is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Blum, and six sisters, Mrs. Charles Mance, of East Rochester; Mrs. William Kelly, of Rome; Mrs. Bert J. Kelper and Mrs. Cleveland Stage, of Watertown, and the Misses Rose and Emily Blum, of this village.

SEEKING HER MOTHER.

Daughter Was Kidnapped—Does Not Know Name.

Berlin, May 12.—Mrs. Lucy Hoffman, Wichita, Kan., has arrived in Berlin. She is seeking her mother, whose name she does not know. She has been looking for her mother for twenty-nine years and now asks the aid of the Berlin police. Mrs. Hoffman relates that she was abducted forty years ago by a man and a woman named Barnes, who never allowed her family name to be mentioned, so she finally forgot it. She thinks the name is Worth, Worth or Werth. She says her parents lived in the vicinity of Berlin. Mrs. Hoffman says that a son of the Barnes couple told her last October that his father had brought a lawsuit against her father, and that afterwards, actuated by hatred, had carried her away. When she demanded the reason why, when her father had offered a reward for her recovery, he never found her, the son of the Barnes' said that her father had died a few days after offering the reward.

CLAIM ADMITTED.

An Appeal May Be Taken By Ontario Bank.

Toronto, May 12.—Retiree George Kappel has decided to formally admit the claim of the Bank of Montreal for \$1,576,000 for the purpose of settling a list of contributors of the defunct Ontario Bank. On the application for an order compelling the Royal Trust company, the liquidator, to contest the Bank of Montreal's claim, he reserved judgment. If his judgment is against the shareholders who made the application, an appeal will be entered.

The Manager Murdered.

St. Petersburg, May 12.—Mr. Paradhan, an Englishman, manager of the Phoenix factory, was murdered with an axe in a dark corridor of the factory, yesterday.

A BOAT SWAMPED AND MANY WORKMEN ON IT DROWNED.

Too Big a Crowd Got Upon the Launch and in Crossing the River it Swamped and Sank.

Pittsburg, Pa., May 12.—A small launch used as a ferry for conveying mill workers from the Pressed Steel Car company's works to their homes on the opposite side of the Ohio river, was swamped, near McKee's Rock, last night, and between twenty and twenty-five men were drowned. The launch is a launch about twenty feet long, and six feet beam. It was owned by Charles and Albert Graham, and was used to ferry workmen from the north side to McKee's Rocks, across the Ohio river. The workmen all lived in the Wood's Run district of Allegheny and a majority of them were Americans, owning their own homes.

Albert Graham was in charge of the boat. He permitted thirty or thirty-five men to crowd aboard the launch, although it was intended to carry not over twenty.

CALLED THEM SCABS.

What Moses Brantford Said to Non-Union Crew.

Amherstburg, Ont., May 12.—Moses Brantford, a marine cook, and a staunch union man, received three telegrams, from Cleveland, asking him to join the Princeton's crew when the boat went by here. Will ship, Brantford responded, but he never intended to get foot on the vessel so long as she shipped with a non-union crew. Late last night when the Princeton slowed down in the river, Brantford paddled out in a row boat with two friends. A ladder was lowered for him. Then Brantford and his friends stood off and regarded the crew with remarks as to what they thought of "scabs." Brantford alleges that a member of the crew fired three shots over his head.

Death Of A Postmaster.

Deseronto, May 12.—A. H. McGaughey, postmaster, of Deseronto, since 1903, died last night, after being ill nearly four months. At the age of sixty years, before being appointed postmaster. Mr. McGaughey was for many years head lumber salesman for the Rathbun company. He leaves a widow, three daughters and

STRIKE IS ON

Postal Troubles Break Out in Paris.

THE ORDER TO STRIKE

WAS IMMEDIATELY OBEYED BY THOUSANDS.

A Mass Meeting of Postal Employees Endorsed the Committee's Strike Order—Mail Clerks Deserted Their Offices At Once.

Paris, May 12.—The federal committee of the various postal organizations had determined to await the vote of the Chamber of Deputies on Saturday's interpellation on the postal troubles, but launched an order to strike last evening. The committee's decision was unanimously endorsed by a mass meeting held in the Hippodrome, which was crowded by 3,000 postal employees, whose right to be present was rigorously examined on entry.

The strike order was immediately obeyed, according to messages which kept reaching the meeting, stating that the railway mail sorters had not left the Paris stations with the night's mail, and that various offices had been deserted by their staffs, including most of the letter and printed matter sorters from the head office. The Central Telegraph station was announced as still working, but only to convey strike orders through the provinces. It will stop to-day.

MISS ELLIOTT LOCATED.

She Resides it is Said in Indiana.

Hamilton, Ont., May 12.—The police believe they have located Col. and Mrs. Warburton, the latter being the mysterious Miss Elliott, so often referred to in the Kinrade case. They are said to be living under the names given, in a house on Churchill street, Alexandria, Indiana.

It appears that a man living in Hamilton received a couple of letters from a person living in the same house with the Warburtons. Finally he was sent a photo of Mrs. Warburton, and this, with the letters, is said to be now in the possession of the authorities, who swore the recipient to secrecy.

Curiously enough, Alexandria, which is a town of 8,000 people, is between Anderson and a place named Marion, and Miss Kinrade says Miss Elliott wanted to be called Aunt Marion.

Albert Newport is the man who supplied the police with the information. Three years ago, while in Toronto, he met a girl who now resides in Alexandria. Shortly before the murder he wrote him a letter telling about a Col. Warburton and his wife, who were staying at the house where she boarded. When Newport read Florence Kinrade's evidence, he became curious, and wrote to the girl in Alexandria to find out if Col. Warburton's wife was a Miss Elliott. The reply came back that she was. The letter was accompanied by a photograph. It was a snapshot and a rear view, taken without the Warburtons knowing it.

Newport told friends about these letters. They regarded it as a joke, and bet money that he could not produce them. When he did, someone called the police a tip, and Detective Bleakley secured the letters. He swore Newport and his friends to secrecy. The information was sent to the provincial department and will be investigated.

DRAW COLOR LINE.

One of Imperial Journalists Gives Striking Interview.

Vancouver, B.C., May 12.—The Australian journalists have left for the east. They will spend two days in the Rocky Mountains.

Mark Cohen, editor of the Evening Star, of Dunedin, N.Z., said in an interview: "We draw the color line in the Antipodes. Both Australia and New Zealand exclude the people of the yellow races unless they pay a tax of \$500, which is practically prohibitive, and besides public sentiment is against the settlement of these people amongst us."

"We realize that if England ever lost command of the sea, these people would swoop down upon our coasts. In Western New Zealand we have at least on the northern coast, and the yellow man is well aware of this fact. I cannot understand how you ever allowed Asiatics to obtain so strong a foothold on the Pacific coast. Surely imperial consideration cannot be urged. With us domestic policy comes first, and imperial interests next. Of course, we are loyal to the empire, but we know local conditions better than Downing street. We showed our real sentiments in the recent offer of a Broadnought, and another one or two if needed."

Men McMaster Will Honor.

Toronto, May 12.—To-day McMaster University conferred honorary degrees on the annual convocation in Castle Memorial Hall.

Doctor of laws—Lieut.-Gov. Gibson, Charles John Holman, Frank Sanderson, O. C. S. Wallace.

Doctor of divinity—Rev. Henry Francis Perry, Rev. A. L. Therrien.

Mayor Oliver, Toronto, and City Treasurer Condy, by special invitation, lunched with the lord mayor of London, Eng., at the Mansion house. Mr. Oliver hopes to sail on the Mauretania next Saturday.

Don't lose sight of the fact that you always have help on the road to

GIVEN FIRST RANK.

McGill Medical College is in the Van.

Montreal, May 12.—Canadian and American authorities have united in awarding the first place in standing of universities on this continent in the department of hygiene and science. The Montreal seat of learning is on a par with Harvard and Johns Hopkins in most respects, and their superiority as regards the laboratory of hygiene.

McGill is bracketed with Harvard and Johns Hopkins as having the finest scientific equipment on the American continent. Having examined the hygiene laboratory, the inspectors made the statement that this department was the very finest of its kind in North America.

The object of the recent investigation is to appropriate a donation from Andrew Carnegie for the purpose of inaugurating a pension fund for university professors.

Another Jolt For Castro.

Caracas, Venezuela, May 10, via Willemstad, Curacao, May 12.—Cipriano Castro, the deposed president of the republic, has been condemned by the courts to pay six years' rental and heavy damages for the arbitrary occupation of the Miraflores palace in this city. This building is the property of Senor Joaquim Crespo, widow of a former president.

THE BOARD OF TRADE.



ROBERT CRAWFORD, Chairman of the Entertainment Committee.

He desired to provide that at any crossing where life has been lost or serious injury caused, no train should run over that crossing at a greater speed than ten miles an hour until protection is provided according to the railway commission's plans, and that when the commission has made an order for protection of a crossing, trains should not run over that crossing at a greater speed than ten miles an hour until the board's order has been complied with.

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He also suggested that the country's contribution should be devoted only to the separation of railway and highway, and that in every case industry or commerce should be taken by the railway board.

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The debate was adjourned. The insurance bill as amended by the sub-committee of the banking and commerce committee of the commons was presented to the latter committee by Hon. Mr. Fielding. While more elasticity is given by the amendments in respect to investments and the interior economy of the companies' business, the sub-committee, at the same time believes that the interests of the policyholders are adequately safeguarded. Mr. Fielding stated that while it was doubtful whether both houses would pass the bill this session, it was important that the bill should at least get through the commons.

There is a new clause to allow a Canadian to insure property in a foreign mutual company if the superintendent of insurance is notified and the insured pays to the department a certain per cent of the total net cost, not to exceed fifteen cents an hundred dollars. There is a clause added which declares that this act shall not affect legislation specially enacted respecting the C.M.B.A., Canadian Workmen and supreme court of Foresters.

TO BUILD CANAL

SIR R. PERKS TALKS ON GEORGIAN BAY PROJECT.

Government Must Guarantee Three Per Cent. on Bonds and Half Per Cent. For Sinking Fund.

Montreal, May 12.—Sir Robert Perks, Bart., M.P., is on his way to Ottawa, to lay before the dominion government proposals for the building of the Georgian Bay canal. He said in an interview that if the proposals were accepted work would be started on the canal next spring, and that the canal would be completed in five years. His friends in London had offered to find the whole of the money necessary for the work, on condition that the government guaranteed interest at the rate of three per cent. on the bonds, and an additional half per cent. to provide for the sinking fund. They were prepared to carry out the section from Georgian Bay to North Bay first, or to do this and the section from North Bay to Montreal simultaneously. The company to carry out this work would be a Canadian corporation, and the work would be done by a board on which the government would have representatives. The profits would be divided equally between the government and the company.

DIED IN CHURCH.

Sudden Call to Restrew Woman at Devotions.

Restrew, Ont., May 12.—Tuesday morning, Mrs. Timothy Hanrahan, at devotions in St. Francis Xavier church fell dead while seated in one of the pews. She expired without uttering a word. The cause of death was acute indigestion, from which Mrs. Hanrahan had been a sufferer for some time. Deceased, who was about sixty-five years of age, is survived by a family of sons and daughters. Her husband, who died a number of years ago, had an equally sudden summons.

Cause Of The Fire.

San Francisco, Cal., May 12.—The United States circuit court of appeals, yesterday, decided that the earthquake of April, 1906, was not the cause of the fire that occurred after the earthquake.

The decision affects several hundred suits pending against companies for losses suffered in the great fire.

The czar is to visit President Falgout this summer.

PROTECT LIFE

The Amended Railway Bill Brought In.

MR. GRAHAM EXPLAINS

HOUSE OF COMMONS DISCUSSES PROBLEM.

Proposed to Put Fifteen Cents a \$100 on Foreign Insurance Policy—Bill is Unlikely to Pass Both Houses This Session.

Ottawa, May 12.—The commons considered the protection of life at level crossings, Hon. Mr. Graham's bill to amend the railway act being up for discussion. Mr. Graham explained that he had added an amendment making the provisions of the act apply to railway companies incorporated outside of Canada, but running trains in Canada, and also to railway companies running trains from the United States to any point in Canada.

With respect to the railway crossings section, he proposed to add a section founded on Mr. Lancaster's bill, with one or two stringent provisions.

He desired to provide that at any crossing where life has been lost or serious injury caused, no train should run over that crossing at a greater speed than ten miles an hour until protection is provided according to the railway commission's plans, and that when the commission has made an order for protection of a crossing, trains should not run over that crossing at a greater speed than ten miles an hour until the board's order has been complied with.

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PLANS HIS OWN FUNERAL.

Wealthy Parisian Will Have Most Gorgeous One.

Paris, May 12.—Paul Chaudard, the wealthy Paris merchant, who is lying dangerously ill at his home, has signed a will in which he makes provision for the most magnificent spectacle in the way of a funeral that Paris has ever seen.

M. Chaudard long ago began a mansion which he intends to sleep his last sleep. This sumptuous monument is completed except for a bust of the expected inhabitant, which is not yet in place. The coffin is made. It is a work of art, of amaranthine colored wood, wrought by artistic hands in cunning design. It only remains to put these gorgeous but gloomy receptacles to their use in the ceremony for which M. Chaudard has set apart 200,000 francs and has arranged to the nicest detail. After lying in state two days during which the shop will be closed, the body will be placed in a magnificent car, preceded by 5,000 employees in halts of mourning and a guard of hotemen, and borne to the Madeleine.

The mourning coaches provided for the invited guests, all in the style of Louis XV, and with clean-shaven tuncs in a specially lavish design, and in knee breeches, wigs and cocked hats.

Much attention has been given to the costumes of the pallbearers, which will present almost complete artistic mourning effect. The clergy of two parishes will join in giving adequate solemnity to the service, for which also an orchestra of eminent soloists of the opera has been retained. From the Madeleine, the cortege will proceed to Pere la Chaise, the portal of which will be draped in black.

Cabinet Took No Action.

Toronto, May 12.—Premier Whitney stated last evening that the cabinet had not taken any action in the Kinrade case, which will be a subject for discussion at the next meeting of the cabinet on Thursday.

PITH OF THE NEWS.

The Very Latest Culled From All Over The World.

Premier Stolypin, of Russia, will remain at the head of the cabinet. Sir Edward Morris probably will have a majority of sixteen in the Newfoundland parliament.

The Unitarian church, Montreal, has given a unanimous call to Rev. F. R. Griffin, All Saints' church, Brantree, Mass.

Last night brought the close, for at least a year, of all twenty-five saloons in Lincoln, Neb., for the first time in its history.

The Missouri senate committee on constitutional amendments killed the women's suffrage resolution by reporting it adversely.

Vancouver has refused to vote money to entertain the crews of the Japanese cruisers at present visiting the Pacific coast states.

Messrs. Share and Elisoph, clock manufacturers, of Montreal, who assigned, Saturday, were arrested on a charge of fraud.

J. A. Bilodeau, Sherbrooke, Que., is suing W. H. Wiggett for \$5,000 for the loss of an eye through the bursting of a bottle in a lading establishment.

The trial of M. Lupulkin, a former director of police, on a charge of being a member of a revolutionary organization, has opened in St. Petersburg.

Rain has fallen over a great part of the western provinces, and it is hoped extinguished many of the prairie fires that have been raging in Saskatchewan.

Fifteen hundred students of the commercial high school in Tokio left in a body, because the government refused to raise the school to the rank of a university.

An unrepented but forgotten law in England calls actors "rogues and vagabonds," and by invoking this law in London, an actor was enabled to escape serving on a jury.

The latest international scheme to take charge of international funds subscribed for victims of disasters such as that at Messina.

Sir Richard Cartwright informed Senator Loughheed that Canada would be represented at the imperial defence conference, in London, probably by Sir Frederick Borden and Hon. L. P. Brodeur.

To Evangelize Sydenham.

Sydenham, May 12.—Owing to the very wet weather very few are able to get in their garden seed. Among the visitors last week was Miss E. M. Clow, Odessa, at home over Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Anson Guess, spent Sunday at Moscow. Mrs. J. Clow spent last Saturday with friends at Wilton. Arrangements have been made to have a well-known evangelist of Toronto hold evangelistic services in the Methodist church during June. William Trousdale is hustling his new bake shop along.

Baseball On Tuesday.

Eastern league—Rochester, 8; Newark, 7; Toronto, 4; Jersey City, 2; Buffalo, 4; Baltimore, 3.

American league—Detroit, 16; New York, 5; Boston, 5; Cleveland, 1; St. Louis, 3; Philadelphia, 0; Chicago, 5; Washington, 3.

National league—Cincinnati, 10; Boston, 8; St. Louis, 1; Brooklyn, 2; Philadelphia, 1; Pittsburgh, 7; Chicago, 4; New York, 3.

TRAVELLING ALONE

MINISTER'S DAUGHTER IS VICTIM OF A STRANGER.

Arrest of Man Who Lured Girl at London Will Be Asked—Saved By Immigration Agent.

Port Huron, Mich., May 12.—The local United States immigration office at the Grand Trunk station never afforded more striking evidence of the pitfalls that await inexperienced girls travelling alone than in the case of the sixteen-year-old daughter of a Berlin, Ont., minister, who ran away from home to go to Detroit, where the girl's father is minister.

The girl's father is one of the prominent pastors of Berlin. Because of a trivial matter, the girl decided to leave home. She was sent to London, where she waited until her train was being made up, fearful to leave the vicinity of the station she missed her train. She was approached by a Grand Trunk brakeman, who noticed that she was alone and apparently unacquainted with the city.

The girl's story, as told to the Port Huron immigration officers, was that the young man asked her to accompany him into one of the coaches. She went in, she said, and learning the amount of money she had, the brakeman told her the sum was insufficient to pay her way to Detroit. He promised her one dollar if she would permit him to kiss her ten times. The girl thought she needed the money and consented.

At Port Huron she was questioned closely and detained until her parents arrived. Then the girl told a far more serious story to her mother than she had told the officials, with the result that the young man was compelled to resign his position. A warrant will be issued for the young man.

Afraid Of Kidnappers.

New York, May 12.—According to a despatch from Tacoma, Washington, Mrs. Edna Reed, divorced wife of H. T. Reed, a wealthy real estate man of Denver, created interest when she appeared on the street with her nine-year-old daughter, live, handcuffed to her. Twice since the divorce was obtained, Mrs. Reed says, attempts have been made to kidnap the child. She believes that the silver handcuffs will guarantee the child's safety. Mrs. Reed is on her way to the home of her parents in Quebec.

PROBABILITIES.

Toronto, Ont., May 12.—Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence (10 a.m.)—Fine clear and on Thursday and a little warmer.

Steady's

A SHOWING OF LADIES' TAILORED SUITS UNSURPASSED.

There is no doubt about it. We are offering the most complete display of Ladies' Suits ever shown in this City. Suits that have the New York character and the tailored simplicity that will interest any women who would be well dressed.

Come and See Our Special \$12 Suits

Made of fine English Coat-ing Serge in Plain, Navy and Black. Stylish Coat, well lined throughout, and trimmed with satin buttons and silk satin braid. 9 gored skirt with satin buttons.

Another Great Model

Made of good quality British Suiting Panama, in Brown, Myrtle, Navy and Black, with hair line stripes. Smart Coat, cut on directive lines, 9 gored skirt with bias self folds. Coat and Skirt trimmed with pretty buttons. SPECIAL SALE PRICE, \$17.50.

The values we are giving in HIGH-CLASS FRENCH Suits are the best ever, \$20 to \$37.50.