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ARE ILLUSIVE HOPES

Opposes Limitation of German Naval Plans.

German Military Writer Proposes Still Greater Activity In Fleet Building—Hopes Not to Be Realized

Berlin, Aug. 22.—A vigorous attempt to influence German public opinion against the suggestion of an agreement with Great Britain for the limitation of armaments is made by Gen. Von Reichenau, writing in the "Tag." "England knows," he says, "how to raise this project for the mutual restriction of future warship building on the political horizon like some enticing Fata Morgana. On both sides of the North Sea many are gazing as if hypnotized at this seductive picture. They hope in ease and comfort to keep the millions in their pockets that otherwise both countries would have to spend on the building of fleets.

"These hopes are nothing but illusions. Can anyone reasonably suggest that the danger of warlike developments for Germany has decreased so that we need no longer strive with out utmost power to be ready for war? The entente, closely resembling

an alliance between England, France, Russia and Japan scarcely indicates danger of war for us. Rather does it entail upon us the necessity for the most alert foresight and preparation for war.

"Of the reduction of armaments there can be no question. In view of the political situation, Germany cannot abate one man of her future warriors or one ship on the list of those building or to be built. Our whole capacity for war would be questioned if we allowed ourselves to be cast into the status which the British proposal hides. Any agreement on the question of war preparations would paralyze our arm and say to us: 'Here is a will which is not yours, but that of a stronger power, which you must ever obey, and with which you must forbid yourself to enter into free competition.'

"Such fetters we will not, we dare not, bear."

ATTEMPTED TO MURDER.

His Wife and Sister-in-Law in Clayton, N.Y.

Clayton was thrown into a fever of excitement on Saturday afternoon when Joseph Lachance, a young plumber, inspired by liquor, jealousy and suspicion, entered the home of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Dowling, with a loaded revolver, bent on the destruction of that young woman, along with his wife and himself. He fired at his wife but the bullet struck her belt and she escaped uninjured. Mrs. Dowling turned to run and Lachance shot her twice in the hip and back. He then turned the revolver at his head but the bullet struck a hard spot and glanced off. Before he could do further harm a neighbor rushed in and disarmed him. The would-be murderer was immediately placed under arrest. It is not known how the injuries of Mrs. Dowling will result.

GAYNOR OUT OF DANGER.

Crisis Satisfactorily Passed and Mayor on Mend.

New York, Aug. 22.—Mayor Gaynor's condition is excellent, and the danger period has passed. The doctors agree that he will be completely recovered within a short time and will go to the Adirondacks to complete his convalescence. Mayor Gaynor, though, has indicated that he thought he ought to return to his home in St. James, Long Island, after leaving the hospital. The physicians have practically decided not to operate to remove the bullet, as they think the mayor will suffer no inconvenience from it.

LAUSHWAY MURDER

A Man is Said to Have Confessed to Crime.

Implicates Other Persons—Strong Rumors That Dundas County Tragedy is To Be Cleared Up.

Morrisburg, Ont., Aug. 22.—Although they refuse to make any definite statement the authorities of Northern Dundas practically confirm a report, current throughout the countryside, that they are in a position to lay their hands on 'the murderer' of James Laushway, of Mountain.

Laushway was murdered in bed during the night of June 1st, 1907. His murder aroused the whole country and some of the most astute detectives worked on the case, but a clue to the identity of the murderer was not forthcoming. After a time the murder was placed on the list of 'unsolved crimes.'

Just how the present clue was furnished is difficult to say. It is said that the man who killed Laushway has confessed, and that the reason the authorities are reluctant to make known his name is that he involves others whom he declares paid him to commit the crime. The authorities, it is understood, believe they will be able to catch that implicated in a short time.

The Laushway murder is still fresh in the memory of Dundas residents. With a bullet wound in his head the

dead man was discovered on a Sunday morning by Mrs. Alexander Moore, of Mountain, who frequently acted as his housekeeper.

Laushway had been seen the previous evening by Alpheus Crowder, a neighbor. The incident was prominently mentioned in the coroner's notes regarding the location of Laushway's money which was supposed to be buried. A week after the murder, on Saturday, Constable Johnston Boyd found a glass jar containing \$3,110 in bank bills and four promissory notes amounting to \$410, hidden beneath the stairway in the little house where James Laushway had come to his mysterious death. The money was in six 100-dollar bills, 121 twenties, seven tens and four fives. The greenbacks were mouldy and damp, as if they had been packed away a long time.

Mr. Laushway left considerable other property in the form of real estate, bills receivable and cash in bank.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

Toronto, Ont., August 22, 10 a.m.—On Tuesday and Wednesday, St. Lawrence Moderate to fresh south-west to south winds; fine and warm to-day; then showers and thunder storms.



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STEACY'S

BORN.
VEREX—At East Lake, on August 11th, to Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Verex, a daughter.

MARRIED.
HARRISON—WAGGONER—On August 14th, at Pictou, Percy Lawrence Harrison, R.R. contractor, Porto Valia, Brazil, and Miss Manoline Waggoner, Cressy.

DIED.
KILCRAWLEY—In Kingston, on August 22nd, 1910, at his late residence, 211 E. Brock Street, Patrick Kilcrawley. Funeral notice later.

HEFFERTY—In Kingston, on August 20th, 1910, at 27 Arch Street, Charlotte Verender, wife of the late William Hefferty, in the 52nd year of her age. Funeral (private) from the residence, on Tuesday, at 3:30 p.m.

BROWN—In Kingston, on August 20th, 1910, Elizabeth, relict of the late Henry Brown, of Centerville, Ont. Funeral, which was private, took place on Monday morning from the residence of Miss L. McAvoy, 121 Montreal Street, to St. Mary's Cathedral, where a solemn requiem mass was sung by Rev. St. Hadigan for the happy repose of her soul.

IN MEMORIAM.
In loving memory of Florence Kathleen Mills, who died in Calgary, August 12th, 1910.
Only a little coffin, yet it held their baby girl.
The father's little darling, the mother's precious pearl.
Only a tiny baby, but how they miss the hand of death has claimed her, but she's better off, we know.
She has no more of sorrow and of care,
To go to her Heavenly Father, but she'll meet again.
But it's only for a short time till they will meet again.
In the land where there's no parting, no sorrow, or no pain.
By her Auntie,
MRS. THIERESA BYRON.
Kingston, August 22, 1910.

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REAR MARBLE CROSS

TO FAR AFRICA'S WILDS TO HONOR DEAD LOVER.

Young Scotch Lady Will Make Perilous Journey to Place Monument on His Grave.

London, Aug. 22.—A journey from England to Central Africa that she may erect a marble cross on the grave of her dead lover, was begun, to-day, by Miss MacLeod, daughter of Sir Reginald MacLeod, under secretary for Scotland. Miss MacLeod's fiancé was Lieut. Boyd Alexander, who was injured by a native near Abeshe, west April. Alexander's body was recovered and buried at Mafoni, a British post near Lake Tshad.

Miss MacLeod's journey will require seven months, and has never been accomplished by a white woman. She will travel about 300 miles upon the Niger river, and then about 500 miles across one of the wildest sections of Africa. Friends tried to dissuade her from such a perilous, though romantic pilgrimage, but in vain. She is taking the marble cross with her.

CORONATION GIFT FOR QUEEN.

Fanmakers Company Present Her With Beautiful Fan.

London, Aug. 22.—A beautiful coronation fan is to be presented to Queen Mary by the Fanmakers' company. In connection with the gift the manager of the company, Sir Home Wood Crawford, has received a letter from her majesty's private secretary, who wrote: 'I have to say that her majesty is much touched by the proposal, and will accept the fan with pleasure, and gratitude, more especially as you mention that it will be of British manufacture.'

It may be mentioned that Queen Victoria accepted a fan from the company on the occasion of her jubilee, and Queen Alexandra a fan for her coronation.

MARRIED, NOT DROWNED.

Philadelphia Girl Eloped With a Chauffeur.

Philadelphia, Aug. 22.—Mourning as drowned until news came to the parents of her elopement to New York with a chauffeur, Nellie, the twenty-year-old daughter of Frederick Melhuish, a merchant tailor, has returned to her home after two weeks' honeymoon.

The girl eloped with John Mason, a chauffeur in the employ of James Sprear, a stove manufacturer. They were married in New York, August 2nd, where Mason, it is said, told the marriage license clerk that he was a full-blooded Indian and a graduate of Carlisle Indian School. The two have been living in Atlantic City. Two weeks ago, Nellie disappeared from home, and it was thought that she had been drowned while bathing at Atlantic City, but a woman wrote the girl's parents that she was alive and they could find her. The mysterious writer gave an Atlantic City address and Mr. and Mrs. Melhuish went there and found her daughter.

INSPECTOR-GENERAL

THE APPOINTMENT FALLS TO GEN. OTTER.

The First Canadian Officer That Has Ever Held the Position—Queen's Own Men Pleased at the Elevation of Their Old Comrade.

Quebec, Aug. 22.—For the first time in the history of Canada the senior officer in the Canadian militia is to be a Canadian. This honor is to come to Major-General W. D. Otter, now chief of the general staff, soon to be appointed inspector-general of the Canadian militia on the expiration of the term of Major-General Sir Percy Lake. The rank of major-general has been granted to the veteran of many campaigns, and Major-General Otter is the first Canadian officer in the Canadian militia to attain so high a rank, having risen through all the ranks. Members of the Queen's Own feel proud that a former member and commander of their corps should be the first to receive this distinction.

Speaking here the general said modestly: 'Yes, I believe I am to be inspector-general.'

BALLOONIST KILLED.

He Suffered Injuries When Balloon Exploded.

Evansville, Ind., Aug. 22.—Capt. Jack Cassell, an aeronaut of Louisville, Ky., died in a hospital here from injuries suffered at Mount Vernon, Ind., Tuesday, when his balloon exploded at a height of 300 feet. He fell to the ground in front of an amphitheatre where hundreds of persons were watching him.

Italian Aviator Killed.

Rome, Aug. 22.—Lieut. Vivaldi, of the Italian army, was killed Saturday morning by a fall from his aeroplane. He had made a trip in the early morning hours from the military aviation field at Centocelle to Civita Vecchia, in the Mediterranean Sea, thirty-eight miles from Rome, and was returning to Rome when the accident happened.

Was Badly Hurt.

Paris, Aug. 22.—The Cambrai aviation meeting opened Saturday, with a disaster. The aeroplane, used by De Baedecq, when at the height of 100 feet, capsized and fell. De Baedecq fell under the motor and was crushed. His skull and ribs were fractured. It is impossible for him to recover.

Blamed the County.

Bellefonte, Aug. 22.—At Eldorado, Madoc, who had the honor of Herbert Eggleston, who died from a fall off Robinson's Bridge, which gave way while he was crossing it with a traction engine, was held. The jury returned a verdict that the collapse of the bridge was owing to the neglect and general mismanagement of seven men in the spring of that year and has not since been heard of.

Capt. Fendt, of the Pallanza, which arrived here from Hamburg, reports that he ran into the whale on August 11th. The monster was firmly impaled on the prow of the steamer and died at

LAI'D DOWN ON THE TRACK.

George Malboof, of Belleville, Seeking for Death.

Belleville, Ont., Aug. 22.—George Malboof, a former member of the local police force, from which he retired a few months ago, attempted suicide by laying himself across the Grand Trunk line on Pinnacle street, on which a freight train was to pass in a few minutes. When asked to move he refused, saying the British would be along in a few minutes and finish him. The train was stopped and Malboof, who was very drunk and violent, refused to move. As he was armed with a revolver the police were sent for, and he was arrested and placed in the cells. He had been drinking for several days.



CROWN PRINCE FREDERICK, The Crown Prince of Germany is to undertake a journey to India, China, and Japan.

BENEVOLENT ARCHBISHOP.

Will Care for Orphans of Recent Tragedy.

Montreal, Aug. 22.—Six children were made orphans when John O'Keefe, a foreman in the Dominion cotton mills, on Thursday, shot and killed his wife and then put a bullet into his own brain. They are in very poor circumstances, and none of their relatives are sufficiently well off to take care of them. They have been in charge of neighbors since the tragedy. This morning Archbishop Bruchési announced that he would take charge of the children and pay for their education out of his own pocket.

TIMBER LAND AFIRE

MORE THAN FIFTY LIVES LOST IN MONTANA.

There are 5,000 Square Miles Ablaze—As Much More Territory Laid Waste—The Loss Will be \$20,000,000.

Helena, Mont., Aug. 22.—Five thousand square miles of timber land in Western Montana and Eastern Idaho are ablaze, to-day, and as much more territory has been laid waste by the worst forest fires in the history of the United States. The property loss is already \$20,000,000, according to careful estimates, and desperate efforts of an army of 5,000 men to check the flames are futile. It is believed the death list will be large when all is fully in. Fully 200 persons have been reported missing, and the known dead to-day number more than fifty.

At Wallace, Idaho, where a third of the city was destroyed, yesterday, with \$1,000,000 loss and the death of twenty-four persons, a fight was made all night and is being continued, to-day, to save the rest of the city. The forest rangers and the city firemen there are aided by the colored soldiers of the 25th Infantry. Preparations to call out the militia in Montana were made, to-day, by Governor Morris, who has been touring the state.

PARTY AND RESULT

KILLS WOMAN OF 70 ON LAP OF BOARDER.

Enoch Tompkins Surprises Couple After Hard Cider Party and Then Commits Murder.

Poughkeepsie, N.Y., Aug. 22.—Following a hard cider party at the home of Enoch Tompkins, at Little Rest, near Mill Brook, Tompkins entered his house, late at night, and found his housekeeper, Susan Spencer, seventy years of age, sitting on the lap of a boarder, James Ferris, of England. Taking down from the kitchen rafters a double-barrelled shotgun, Tompkins yelled, 'I'll shoot you both,' and pointing the gun at the woman, pulled the trigger. The charge tore away part of her neck and passed through a window. The woman died instantly.

Tompkins then laid the gun on the table, looked about the room and walked out into the night. The county authorities were not notified till next morning, and at noon Tompkins was found and placed under arrest, at Dover's Plains, not far from the scene of the crime. Tompkins is in jail, charged with murder in the first degree. The authorities say Tompkins has confessed.

In his confession, Tompkins says, the authorities 'I made me angry to see her sitting on his lap, so I shot at her.'

Tompkins is fifty-six years old and unmarried. Mrs. Spencer was said to have been Tompkins' aunt, and has a brother, William Tompkins, residing in Philadelphia, Pa.

KING GEORGE III.

New York, Aug. 22.—Plans are on foot, the World says, to erect in Bowling Green, in the lower part of the city, a duplicate of the statue of King George III, of England, which was torn down and cast into bullets by continental patriots in revolutionary days.

VISITING SCOTLAND.

Will Stay on Account of Princess Victoria's Health.

London, Aug. 22.—Queen Alexandra's present plans are to stay in Scotland at her lodge, the residence of her daughter, the Duchess of Fife, for the next few months, instead of going to Denmark. The health of Princess Victoria is mainly responsible for this decision. The princess is taking a cure at Harrogate in the company of the Grand Duchess Michaelovitch of Russia. The two princesses go down to the royal pump room in a motor car every morning at seven o'clock and drink the sulphur waters. They adhere very closely to the rule of the cure and Princess Victoria, who is subject to serious fits of depression, declines to see anyone but the ladies-in-waiting. She will join her in Scotland at the end of the cure and will later on go on a visit to Queen Maud of Norway.

Big Fish Caught.

At Winnikenni Island, St. Lawrence river, on August 17th, Gordon J. Gibson, of Mallorytown, caretaker of the island, succeeded in landing the largest black bass caught here this season. It tipped the scales at four pounds.

Fine muskies are being caught about Thousand Island Park, just now.

SEVEN YEARS MYSTERY

Harpoon Used By Missing Boat Found Imbedded in a Whale.

Philadelphia, Aug. 22.—A seven-year mystery of the sea may be solved through a mishap to the German steamship Pallanza, which struck a whale at sea, nearly cutting the animal in two and disclosing a harpoon imbedded to James T. Dunean, the little whaler James T. Dunean, who was lost in 1903. The Dunean sailed from Halifax with a crew of seven men in the spring of that year and has not since been heard of.

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