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## NEW YORK GANGSTERS

WHO CONDUCTED CRIME RING HAVE BEEN WIPED OUT.

Clearing House For Extortion and Murder Unearthed, Resulting in Indictment Of Thirty-Four Leaders.

New York, May 14.—The twelve blanket indictments voted yesterday against thirty-four men, charging them with various crimes from rioting and assault to first degree murder, in connection with the garment workers' strike, sound the deathknell of the New York gangster and are the forerunner of other wholesale arrests, according to District-Attorney Perkins.

At the District-Attorney's office it was said to-day that detectives had found a "clearing house for crime, run by gangsters in this city," and that every gang leader operating in New York had been eliminated.

Assistant District-Attorney Beckinridge, who has supervised the investigation, described the system of the gangsters.

"The city was divided into districts, in each of which one gang had the monopoly," he said. "Gangsters were hired for various jobs, and if they were arrested and convicted their pay went on during the time they were in jail. In one case, 'Dopey Benny' and three gangsters were sent to the workhouse for from fifteen to thirty days each. During all this time each man was paid \$15 a day by a labor union. The prices paid for jobs ranged from \$5 to \$150.

"Every gang leader of consequence has been eliminated. The heads of the 'Little Doggie,' 'Abie' Fisher, 'Parkie' Flaherty, Hudson Dusters and Gopher gangs are no longer in active service. If all the cases mentioned in the confessions of 'Dopey Benny' are prosecuted the courts will be busy for six months."

From "Dopey Benny's" confession, it was said, came the leads which revealed the entire operation of the gangsters. When it became known that detectives were following these leads much assistance was given by victims, some with broken legs and arms, one with an ear missing, and all bearing scars to prove their charges. Many more arrests, possibly 100 in all, are expected to follow.

Nine of the thirty-four indicted men were arraigned to-day on warrants charging assault, attempted extortion, riot, injury to property and first degree murder. With the exception of the one charge of murder, bail was set at from \$7,000 to \$5,000 in each case.

## Gananoque

May 14.—The steamer Missisquoi made a trip to Kingston yesterday and landed a fairly large amount of freight.

The Women's Missionary Society of Grace Church met at the home of Mrs. John Webster, Brock street, yesterday afternoon. Miss Scholefield, on furlough from the mission field at Port Simpson, B. C., and Mrs. J. Arthur Jackson, gave an interesting talk on the work in that field.

Nine soldiers from Kingston, in the battery launch, arrived here about five o'clock yesterday afternoon, and left for home during the early evening.

The Thousand Islands Gun Club held another handicap spoon shoot on Wednesday afternoon. The club is arranging for a big field day on May 24th.

Mrs. Frederick Wills, Sealey's Bay, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wilson, Garden street. Miss Applin, John street, is having her household belongings packed and prepared for removal to the west at an early date. Mrs. E. E. Lewthwaite, Newbury, Middlesex County, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Gordon. Mrs. D. J. Gordon is confined to her home, Princess street, quite seriously ill.

## FEVER IN PRISON CAMPS.

Where British Captives Are Held In Germany

London, May 14.—Sir Edward Grey, the British Foreign Secretary, has received through Walter Hines Page, the American ambassador at London, and James W. Gerard, the American ambassador to Germany, a despatch which says that typhus fever is present in the following German prison camps where there are British prisoners of war: Zossen, Altdamm, Schneidemuhl, Cardlegen, Wittensberg, Zerbst, Segean, Cassel, Langensalza and Chemnitz. The cases at Zossen are said to be confined to Russian prisoners and a few of the Indian troops.

Mrs. Madison Smith, Norwood, N.Y., is dead from burns. She had put a can of paint on the stove and the bottom melted away. The flames shot up, enveloping her. She ran into a yard, where a neighbor placed blanket over her. She was aged seventy.

Thomas Hilliard, of St. Catharines, Ont., has been appointed Secretary of the Government Purchasing Commission.

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## INSULT ANGERED CHILE.

Sent Ultimatum to Kaiser, Giving Five Days For Answer.

New York, May 14.—A London cable to the Times says:

"German diplomacy has blundered into a situation which may provoke in South America a crisis almost as acute as, though different in kind from, that caused in the United States by the sinking of the Lusitania. Diplomatic secrecy is being strictly maintained pending the exchange of communications, but it is learned on excellent authority that these latter have taken such a tone that the severance of diplomatic relations between the two countries concerned is considered highly probable.

"The incident began with Chile's acceptance of the British apology for the violation of her neutrality by the sinking of the Dresden in territorial waters. Berlin resented this acceptance and conveyed its dissatisfaction to Santiago in terms which the Chilean Government considered insulting and constituting an unwarrantable interference with the sovereign rights of the country.

"Chile responded by what was practically an ultimatum, to the effect that Germany must withdraw her expressions and apologize for her flagrant breach of international amenities or Chile would take such action as best appeared to fit the circumstances.

"There is ground for believing that Germany has received an allowance of five days in which to decide upon the course she will pursue."

## THE SPORT REVIEW

Gananoque has decided not to challenge for the international sailing canoe trophy this year.

Hon. George P. Graham will officiate at the International Baseball League opening ceremonies at Montreal, and throw the first ball out of the stand.

A fan has been arrested and fined \$3 in New York for refusing to give up a ball hit into the grand-stand at the Polo grounds.

Officers of the Ottawa University Athletic Association have announced their intentions of holding a big athletic meet on May 24th.

Montreal Herald:—We saw a wagon load of amber brew crossing toward the river front yesterday, from which we deduce that the yachting season will soon be among us.

Ernie Paisley, the McGill football star, is back in Montreal and will likely play baseball with one of the city league teams.

The revival of racing in New York State is not expected to affect the Canadian tracks.

With Newark and Buffalo international fighting the Fe'erals this season, changes in the make-up of the Barrow circuit may be expected.

Tamm, Worcester and Hartford are mentioned in the event of any of the teams being transferred.

The annual report of the Scottish Football Association, just issued, shows that 1,500 active professionals have enlisted while well over 2,000 old players have gone on active service.

Almedia, the Cuban, who Montreal got from Cincinnati, after being a holdout has also come to terms with the Royals, and will report at Montreal. Tamm, the third baseman who the Royals got from New York Highlanders, has been sent back to that club, while Allen has been released.

Because of a row with Umpire Silk O'Leigh in St. Louis Sunday afternoon, Ray Schalk, star catcher of the Chicago White Sox, has been indefinitely suspended by President Johnson.

Whether "Bill" O'Hara will be with the Toronto Leafs or not on opening day is a question. "Bill" has not been feeling well all spring, and he knows that his playing has been bad, so he has asked the Toronto Club for his release. Both President McCaffery and Manager Clymont are loath to give it to him, as they think he will round into form after the team arrives home.

To Adam, paradise was home; to the good among his descendants, home is paradise.

## OFFER OF GOVERNMENT

TO BUILD CROSS LAKE BRIDGE IN FRONTENAC COUNTY.

If the County Council Will Pay \$7,500 or Half the Cost—Special Meeting Of the Council May Be Called.

The Provincial Government has at last been interested in the building of Cross Lake Bridge and will take over the construction. This information was given out by W. D. Black, M.P.P. on Thursday afternoon and should prove of interest to every resident of Frontenac county.

Cross Lake bridge which is in Kennebec County is one of the most important highways the north and south of the county, owing to the peculiar conditions the problem of bridging is a serious one. Up to the present a floating bridge has been in use but the heavy ground-swell down the lake breaks this bridge and the county has been put to a deal of expense in keeping it in repair. For some time efforts have been made to get a permanent bridge constructed. Upon examination it was found that the water averages from sixteen to twenty feet deep and below is about sixteen feet of mud. The width to be spanned by the bridge is about 425 feet. About two-thirds of the way across is a small island.

The county have had the matter of constructing a bridge under consideration for some time, but the expense would be too heavy and the old bridge though very inadequate and often closed for repairs was made to do.

W. D. Black, M.P.P., took the matter up with the Minister of Public Works, and though it is contrary to precedent, he ordered an engineer to make a report. The engineer, Mr. Black and several of the County Council made an inspection and on Monday Mr. Black received a wire to go to Toronto as the report was ready.

The engineers suggested these solutions of the difficulty. The first was to fill in the distance with stone at a cost of \$23,000. A forty foot span would also be necessary and this would cost another \$2,000, making the cost of \$25,000 at least.

The second deal was to build a No. 1 wooden trestle of preferred British Columbia timber at a cost of \$11,250, exclusive of freight, pile driving, labor, etc., which could bring the total to about \$15,000.

The third plan was to have two steel spans for the 400 feet and trestle would cost \$20,750.

Owing to the falling off of the provincial revenues, the minister said the only thing he could consider would be the second proposal. If the county will pay \$7,500 as part of the cost, the Government will build the bridge.

The township residents are so enthusiastic about the idea that Reeve Parks has authority to offer to pay the expenses of a special meeting of the council to consider the matter. The Township of Kingston will pay the \$300. expenses for the special meeting.

Warden W. J. Donaldson received the proposition tentatively and will likely call a meeting to discuss the matter.

Mr. Black pointed out that the offer must be accepted immediately. It will take two months to make preparations for the building of the bridge.



KING VICTOR EMMANUEL.

The Italian monarch, whose cabinet has resigned, and who must decide himself whether Italy will enter the war.

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## ENEMY'S PROGRESS IN GALICIA IS CHECKED.



The Russian army has checked, though it may not have stopped, the Austro-German advances in West Galicia. The shaded portion of the map shows the extent of ground the enemy has gained.

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