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ELEVEN KOREANS FORM SUICIDE PACT Tie Themselves Together With Rope and Jump Into Sea Without Fear.

Seoul, Korea, Aug. 4.—An extraordinary attempt of eleven Koreans to commit suicide by tying themselves together with a rope, and then jumping overboard, is reported from the treaty port of Chemulpo, about twenty-five miles southwest of Seoul. The incident occurred on a ferry-boat running between Chemulpo and a nearby island. The boat was stopped until all were picked up, but three were dead. The act is believed to have been inspired by Buddhist superstitions.

A NAVAL PAGEANT. Was a Spectacle in The Thames in London. (Canadian Press Despatch). London, Aug. 4.—The important role played by the British sea services in the great war was commemorated by a naval pageant on the Thames today, the fifth anniversary of the historic mobilization of the British fleet. Plans for the event, while giving recognition to the Allied powers, laid stress on the fact that this was purely a British occasion and British flags predominated in the decoration along the riverside. An ounce of help is worth several pounds of talk about it. A man may be dead easy all his life and yet die hard.

BLOODSHED IN SHANTUNG AS CRISIS GROWS

China Swept by Wave of Patriotic Sentiment Against Japan.

Washington, Aug. 4.—Diplomatic advices received here from the Far East indicate a real and increasing danger of war between China and Japan. The sacrifice of Chinese sovereignty rights in Shantung province in obedience to Japan's threats to desert the League of Nations apparently is not going to precipitate mere protests on the part of the Chinese. Reports by cable from Peking are delayed, but it is known that fighting has begun in Shantung and the possibility already looms up that a new conflict of unfathomable scope may be forced on the world before the ink is dry on the Paris peace treaty. The serious aspects of the situation in the light of fresh reports of authoritative character, are the following: There has already been bloodshed between the Chinese and Japanese in Shantung, Province of Manchuria and elsewhere, and Japanese troops, marines and warships directly or indirectly have participated. Gen. Wu Pei-Fu, commander in chief of the Chinese government troops in Hunan, and the Chinese military commanders of both northern and southern troops, are appealing to the government to permit the Chinese armed forces to resist foreign aggression. Five Japanese gunboats, and destroyers at Poochow and Amoy are preparing to intimidate the Chinese natives and break the anti-Japanese boycott there, while Japanese marines are about to land at both Amoy and Poochow under the pretext of protecting the Japanese consul-general. Anti-Japanese sentiment is seething throughout China, and the Chinese boycott is now causing such monetary loss to the Japanese that the Japanese people are beginning to bring pressure to bear on Tokio for drastic action. The wave of Chinese patriotic sentiment is getting beyond control of the authorities.

WOMAN CANDIDATE FOR LEGISLATURE

Toronto Newspaper Woman Will Seek Election in Local Riding.

Toronto, Aug. 4.—The first woman to be a candidate for the Provincial Legislature in Ontario has announced her intention of seeking election in one of the Toronto ridings. She is Mrs. Charles George, widely known as a newspaper writer in this city under the name of Ida L. Webster. She made the announcement last week, but said that she had not decided yet in which riding she will seek election.

STEVENS MAY BE NEXT. British Columbia to Have a Second Cabinet Minister.



H. H. STEVENS, M.P., VANCOUVER. Ottawa, Aug. 4.—Sir Robert Borden's announcement today that British Columbia will have two Cabinet Ministers, Dr. Tolmie and a successor to Hon. Martin Burrell, is taken here to indicate the selection of H. H. Stevens, M.P., for Vancouver.

TO RUN GAUNTLET

Senate Passes Bill to Repeal Daylight Saving. Washington, Aug. 4.—The Senate decided to have proposal for repeal of the daylight saving law again run the gauntlet of President Wilson's veto, by a vote of 41 to 12, the Senate passed and sent to the president the separate house bill repealing the daylight saving measure. During brief discussion of the house bill, several senators predicted that the measure, like the daylight rider on the agricultural appropriation bill would be vetoed by the president.

PLEA FOR FOODSTUFFS

Demand Made That Packers Release Huge Stores. Washington, Aug. 4.—Demands that the packers immediately release millions of pounds of foodstuffs to bring down the high cost of living, were made by the National Consumers' League. These stocks have been officially declared the largest in years.

DELEGATES ARRIVING FOR LIBERAL POW-WOW

Vote For Selection of Leader Will Be Made On Wednesday. (Canadian Press Despatch). Ottawa, Aug. 4.—Hundreds of delegates to the Liberal convention arrived today and the billeting committee has been kept busy. It is probable that the vote for the selection of a leader will not take place until Wednesday because a number of delegates are en route to Ottawa who cannot arrive before that day. The National Liberal committee which has made all arrangements for the convention held its last meeting this morning. Hereafter all business will be dealt with by committees of the convention which will be nominated tomorrow.

STRUCK A BRIDGE AND TURNED TURTLE

Two Ladies Were Killed, Six Badly Hurt and Others Injured. (Canadian Press Despatch). Montreal, Aug. 4.—Mrs. Loyer and Mrs. Beaulieu were killed, six others badly hurt and twenty slightly injured last night when a picnic automobile, carrying thirty persons on a family outing, struck a bridge over a dry brook, near St. Sulpice and turned turtle into the ditch.

WANTS BRITISH THERE

Provisional President of Northern Russia Will Make Appeal. Paris, Aug. 4.—Nicholas Tschalkovsky, President of the provisional Government of North Russia, left yesterday for London. He will endeavor to induce the British Government not to withdraw its troops from Archangel.

ASKED FOR ARMISTICE

So Advice From Italian Military Mission Says. (Canadian Press Despatch). London, Aug. 4.—The New Hungarian government has asked the Allies for an armistice, according to advices from the Italian military mission.

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Went There to Escape the Flies and Could Not Get Out.

To be shut up in an outhouse for a week without food or water was the fate of eight cows belonging to Howard Buck, in Loughboro township. When Mr. Buck located the herd, four of them were dead. The cows went into the outhouse to escape the flies. After they got in it appears that the wind blew the door shut, and the animals were unable to get out. They were all young and valued at \$85 each. The other four were exhausted, but it is believed they will come around all right.

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY

Local Notes and Items of General Interest. The many friends of T. McKeon Robertson will be sorry to learn that he is laid up with an attack of pneumonia. At a meeting of the shareholders of the Cataract Cemetery Company on Friday Lieut.-Col. R. E. Kent was elected president. There were a number of visitors in the city on Monday from Toronto and Ottawa, where civic holidays were being celebrated. Thomas S. Evans, a returned soldier, was successful at a general competitive examination for lay inspectors held in Kingston in the latter part of June. Rev. W. G. Jordan is at Strathroy, Ont., attending an old boys' reunion there. On Sunday he preached the sermon for the old boys at St. Andrew's Church, his former charge. Justice of the Peace George Hunter has received complaints about a dog at Portsmouth which is alleged to have been killing off some of the poultry. The owner of the canine has been warned.

A CHURCH SERVICE

There Are Visitors in the Neighborhood of Bongard's. Bongard's, Aug. 1.—Quarterly sacramental service will be held at the church here August 10th. The official board will meet the following Monday, A. M. Terrill, Calgary, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Orser, Picton, were recent guests at J. D. Bongard's. W. J. Bradley and two children, New Hamburg, are visitors at W. H. Carnahan's. Allan Harrison has taken a position in Picton. Mr. and Mrs. Turner, also Mr. and Mrs. Holmes, motored to Madoc last week and spent a few days. The Ladies' Aid will meet at the parsonage on Friday evening. J. J. Blackburn and wife have returned to Bancroft after a short visit with their son, A. C. Blackburn. L. Pierce, accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Christy and children, Virginia, were guests at A. Pierce's in Greenbush on Sunday. Mrs. J. B. Bongard and son returned to Toronto on Thursday after visiting at J. D. Bongard's and other friends. A meeting was held here on Wednesday evening to appoint a committee for each division to act in the interests of prohibition. A number from here attended the dance at the Sandbanks on Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. R. Harrison and son, accompanied by their guests, Mrs. Bongard and son, Toronto, were guests at B. E. Harrison's in Picton on Saturday. W. Smith, Fredericksburg, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Lucas, and Mr. Lucas.

Brockville Won Contest

An interesting contest took place at the Brockville golf links between Kingston and Brockville on Saturday, which resulted in a score of 13 to 7 in favor of Brockville. The individual scores were as follows: Kingston. 2 Gardiner . . . 6 McKee . . . 2 Russell . . . 0 Ross . . . 0 Ogilvie . . . 2 Hague . . . 0 Publow . . . 0 Rigney . . . 0 Ritchie . . . 2 Carruthers . . . 3 Cossitt . . . 0 Harty . . . 0 White . . . 0 Ryan . . . 0 Lane . . . 0 Givens . . . 0 Gilmour . . . 3 Shannon . . . 0 Carling . . . 3 Ellis . . . 0 Mainwaring . . . 3

TO EXECUTE WARRANTS

Alleged Disturbers at Quebec Plant to be Arrested. Quebec, Aug. 4.—The forty-six warrants taken out in the police court here for the arrest of members of the international union who prevented National Union men from going to work at the Davie plant on Thursday will, it is expected, be executed today.

24,000 Canadian Soldiers Overseas

Ottawa, Aug. 4.—General Newburn, minister of militia, said today that only 24,000 soldiers are still overseas. They would all have been landed in Canada by this time except for the interruptions caused by strikers at British seaports, which have tied up shipping. Ratifies Woman Suffrage Bill. Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 4.—Nebraska has ratified the federal woman suffrage amendment when the house by a vote of 94 to 0, passed a joint resolution providing ratification. The senate voted for ratification on Thursday of this week. Nebraska is the fourteenth state to ratify.

Who will again be Chairman of the Executive Board of the Dominion Peace Loan.

Sawmills Destroyed By Fire. Cobalt, Aug. 4.—The sawmills owned by Col. Clark and Francis were destroyed by fire on Friday night, but the local brigade saved the saw and door factory, Sparks Bying made by the National Consumers' League, were made by the National Consumers' League. These stocks have been officially declared the largest in years.

Ivens For Alderman

Winnipeg, Aug. 4.—If reports are correct William Ivens, editor of the Western Labor News, and one of the prominent leaders in the recent strike, who is now facing charges of seditious conspiracy, will run for alderman in Ward Four at next civic elections.

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To Delay Appointment. Ottawa, Aug. 4.—It is understood that an appointment to the governorship of Prince Edward Island will be made until after the approaching visit of the Prince of Wales. In the meantime, Chief Justice the Hon. J. A. Matheson will act as administrator. Assistant Superintendent of Hospital. Brockville, Aug. 4.—Miss Maude G. Arnold, daughter of R. S. Arnold, Victoria avenue, has been appointed Assistant Superintendent of Brockville General Hospital. She formerly occupied a similar position on the staff of Smith's Falls Public Hospital. Drops Dead Picking Berries. Cobourg, Aug. 4.—David Davidson, Trent River, dropped dead while picking berries. Mr. Davidson was in his sixty-fourth year, and a man who was esteemed and respected.

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