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GREAT FIRE IN CHICAGO

Whole Square of Business Buildings Burned—Loss Over Ten Million.

Chicago, March 15.—A spectacular early morning fire today destroyed a full square of business buildings just outside Chicago's "loop" or downtown district with a loss estimated at from ten to fifteen million dollars.

APPEARANCE DUE TO HABITS OF LIFE

Duchess of Portland Attributes Youthful Looks to Being Vegetarian.

London, March 15.—The Duchess of Portland, one of the youngest looking women in England for her age, attributes it entirely to the fact that she is a vegetarian.

CANADIANS IN AUDIENCE

Presented to Pope Pius by Cardinal Beign.

London, March 15.—Cardinal Beign, of Quebec, who in spite of his advanced age, left Canada for Rome immediately upon receipt of the news of the death of Pope Benedict was granted an audience yesterday by Pope Pius XI.

HUSBAND AND WIFE ARE ASPHYXIATED

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Carey, 211 Charlton Avenue, Are Found Dead.

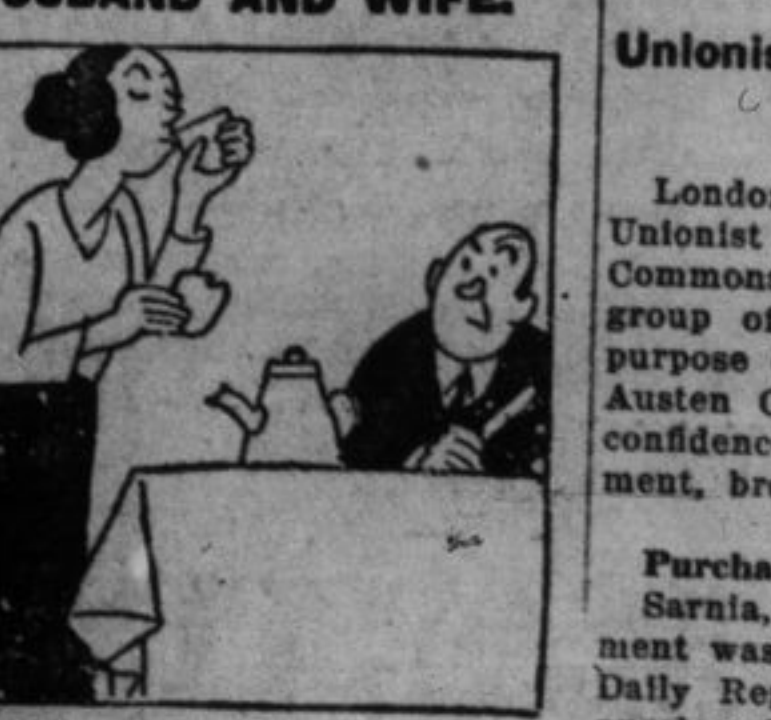
Hamilton, March 15.—George W. and Mrs. Carey, 211 Charlton avenue west, were found dead late last night in their home. They had been suffocated by the fumes of illuminating gas and had apparently been dead some time when their son, Bruce A. Carey, broke into the house.

100 PER CENT MAN LEAVES HIS WIFE

Delmonte, Calif., March 15.—Married by the noted singer, Margarete Matesauer, because she considered him one hundred per cent man, Floyd Glotzbach is separated from his wife because she wanted him to have breakfast in bed, not to drive his own car or enjoy jazz music, and is today behind the wheel of another man's automobile.

HUSBAND AND WIFE

My wife eat her lunch standing up.—I. F. M. What does your wife do?



GRACE LINK REFUSES TO GO WITH FATHER

Has a Meeting With Him in St. Joseph's Hospital, Hamilton.

Hamilton, March 15.—Shortly after 2.30 yesterday afternoon the reunion between Grace Link and her father took place in St. Joseph's hospital, where she had come to meet him. The daughter did not look much like her father.

Ghost, Not Wireless, Says Signor Marconi

Halifax, N.S., March 15.—In pursuit of investigations in connection with the mysterious fires at the MacDonald homestead at Caledonia Mills, near Antigonish, the Halifax Herald called Signor Marconi, inventor of wireless telegraphy, asking him whether the fires might be attributed to the fact that the MacDonald house was in a direct line between the two great wireless stations of Grace Bay and Wellfleet, Mass.

Thought That Burglar Fractured Her Skull

London, March 15.—Lady Alice White, who was found unconscious in her room at an hotel yesterday, with a fractured skull, died this morning. A burglar is believed to have inflicted the injury.

NORRIS MEETS WITH DEFEAT

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The Labor and Independent Farmer groups have voted against each other consistently during the session. The Labor group has 11 members, the Conservatives 7. The Norris group consisted of 21 members.

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MR. CRERAR HEARD FROM

Progressives Stand For One Railway Management Under Public Ownership.

Ottawa, March 15.—Hon. T. A. Crerar, Chief of the Progressive party, stated his position in parliament yesterday. The second largest phalanx in the new House of Commons will preserve its independence. It will support principles and policies which it believes to be for the welfare of the country without consideration as to partisan exigencies.

Vigorous on Railway Policy.

Mr. Crerar reiterated with vigor his belief in the public ownership and operation of the railways which Canada now controlled. He emphatically declared that his group would support any measure by the government which would "give public ownership a full and fair trial."

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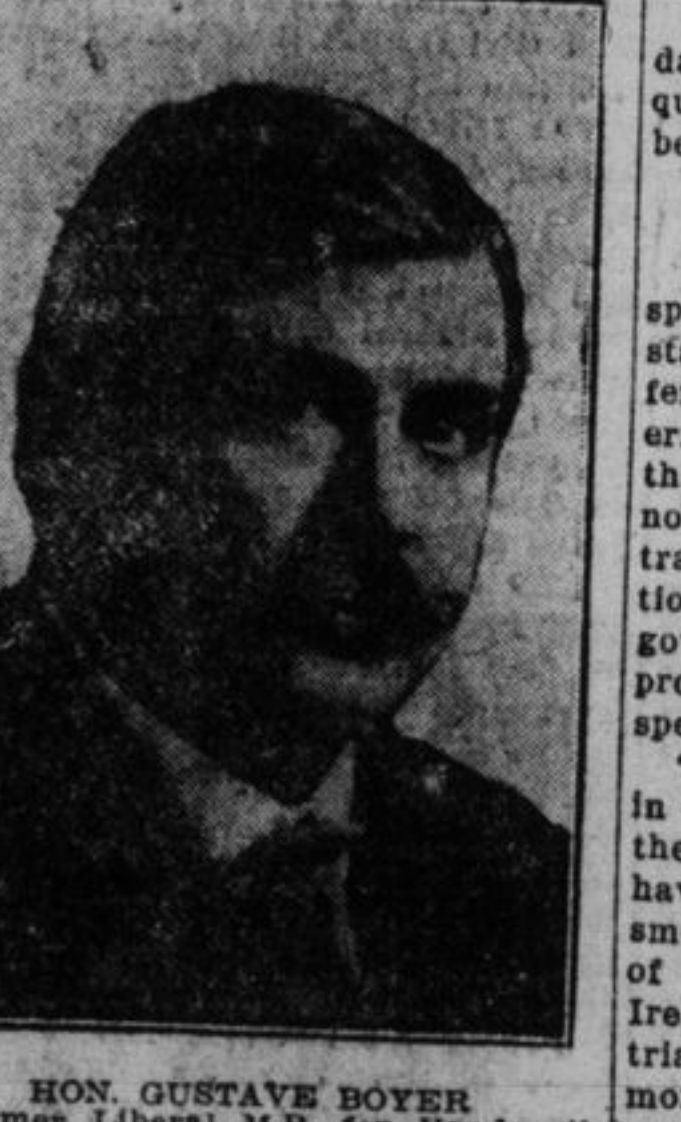
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JEWISH FUND REACHES GOAL OF \$14,000,000

Relief Chest Now Expected to Total \$17,310,000 at Close of Month.

New York, March 15.—The Jews of America have oversubscribed the \$14,000,000 fund for the relief of Eastern European Jews suffering from war, pogroms and famine. It was announced yesterday at the final rally of the New York city drive by David A. Brown of Detroit, national chairman.

Cash and pledges in hand total \$14,009,624.19. Mr. Brown said, with assurances that the sum will reach \$17,310,000 by April 1st. More than \$1,000,000 was given by persons of other races. In eight of the states the campaign has yet to be driven to a conclusion.



HON. GUSTAVE BOYER Former Liberal M.P. for Verdun, Que., who has been appointed a senator. He was Mayor of Rigaud, Que., many years, and a major in the 33rd Hussars.

HAD ELEVEN WIVES.

Bigamist Aged 33 Cannot Remember Their Names.

Indianapolis, March 15.—Confessing that he has eleven wives, some of whom he does not even remember by name, Isaiah Moore, 32, alias George S. Melrose, is held here charged with bigamy and embezzlement. Local police announced, Moore admitted defrauding several women of sums of money the police say.

First Motor Lifeboats With Heated Cabins

London, March 15.—New Brighton, near Liverpool, is to have the first of a new type of 60-foot motor lifeboats designed by the British Lifeboat Institution. The boats will be capable of carrying 150 passengers, fifty of whom can find refuge in a heated cabin.

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NEW POWERS FOR ULSTER

Are Forecast In the King's Proclamation at Parliament Opening.

Belfast, March 15.—The Ulster Parliament was opened here yesterday with the reading of the speech from the Throne.

King George's proclamation stated that measures, conferring additional powers upon the Ulster government, necessary for prevention of crime and preservation of peace, will be introduced in the Parliament.

Further outrages, including the throwing of a bomb which injured twelve persons, among them women and children, and the murder of a police sergeant by an armed bandit, have stirred the populace to demand strong measures.

It is understood the proposed bill will give the authorities the right to seize and, if necessary, destroy buildings from which sniping takes place. Police powers will be widened, and danger spots in the city where frequent ambushes take place may be boarded up.

Services Transferred.

Belfast, March 15.—The King's speech formally opening parliament stated that the legal process of transferring the various services in Northern Ireland from British control to that of the Ulster government was now complete, but regretted that the transfer of the staff and the allocation of property and records to the government departments had not proceeded as expeditiously.

PROVINCIAL BANK HINDERS FARMERS

Bankers Say New Scheme is Likely to Prove Menace to Rural Credits.

Toronto, March 15.—The Canadian Bankers' Association has sent out a circular letter to every branch bank manager in Ontario in which it is alleged that the provincial bank system will hinder rather than help the farmers of Ontario, because it will withdraw considerable funds from established banks now used for loans to farmers.

SUNDAY NIGHT NURSERY.

Innovation Not Popular on Fifth Avenue, N.Y.

New York, March 15.—Only five children enjoyed themselves playing games in the Sunday night nursery opened in the basement of the church of the Heavenly Rest, Fifth avenue, above Forty-fifth street.

The Ratepayers Petition For An Investigation

Cobourg, March 15.—A petition, signed by a number of ratepayers of Cobourg, has been forwarded to the Lieutenant-governor of Ontario making application for the issue of a commission as provided by section 315 of the Municipal Act to inquire into the financial affairs of the corporation of the town of Cobourg for the years 1920 and 1921.

Man at 103 Wants To Start Life Anew

London, March 15.—William Gallop, 103 years old, for many years an inmate of the Park Royal Institution, has made application to the governors for permission to leave because he says he wants to seek a job and start life anew.

ROCHESTER TO SPEND \$5,000,000 ON CANAL

To Have Four-Track Railroad in Bed and Street Above.

Rochester, N.Y., March 15.—Bids have been advertised for and contracts will be let next week on the most ambitious project ever undertaken by the city of Rochester: transformation of the abandoned Erie canal bed through the city into an industrial railroad with a street overhead. Total cost of the undertaking will be in the neighborhood of \$5,000,000.

This \$5,000,000 will include the cost of the canal lands which the city has purchased from the state, cost of patents and appraisals, deepening the canal where necessary, laying track in the bed of the old canal, erecting a structure to carry the new street above the track from South avenue to Oak street—a distance of about two miles—and building switchings, sidings to plants along the bank of the canal-railroad, and building passenger and freight stations.

The city has acquired from the state 8.4 miles of canal bed, beginning on the eastern end in the town of Brighton, and extending into the town of Greece on the western end. For that land the city paid the state \$1,500,000 in round figures. Negotiations for the purchase were completed in January. All of this eventually will be converted into a railroad.

Estimated cost of the subway and overhead street, through the heart of the city, is \$1,800,000 and the contract will call for completion of the work by November 1st, 1923. For years Rochester has felt the need of a thoroughfare parallel to Main street, and this new street will give the city the thoroughfare it has so long needed.

HUSBAND FINDS HIS WIFE DEAD

Mrs. R. B. Murdoch, of Bostwick Island—Stricken Outside the House.

Missed by her husband, Mrs. R. B. Murdoch, Bostwick Island, aged about sixty-five years, was found lying dead on the ground Wednesday morning between the house and the barn. She had been in ill health since last fall. Heart failure is given as the cause of death. Mrs. Murdoch had often expressed a wish that in event of death she be buried in Lakeport, Ont., and this request will be carried out.

Mr. and Mrs. Murdoch moved to the island, located above Gananoque in the St. Lawrence river, two years ago. A sister of Mrs. Murdoch, a Mrs. Turcott, and her husband, have lived on the island for several years. Living with Mr. and Mrs. Turcott are their daughter, Miss Alice Turcott, and Mrs. Turcott's brother, John. Communication with Gananoque is made by means of a horse and sleigh.

Mrs. Murdoch had been unable to sleep nights and therefore read a great deal. Her husband is a heavy sleeper and did not hear her get up in the morning. When he finally arose and went down stairs he could not find her and began a search, finally discovering her body on the ground between the house and barn. He summoned help but Mrs. Murdoch had evidently been dead for some time.

She was born at Lakeport, Ont. Her marriage took place fifteen years ago. She is survived by her husband, by three brothers, Robert Keith of Soo, Mich., Parker Keith of Chicago, Ill., and John Keith of Bostwick Island; one sister, Mrs. Turcott of Bostwick Island; one niece, Miss Alice Turcott of Bostwick.

Urge Need of Free Ferry At Trade Board Meeting

Pictou, Mar. 15.—At a largely attended meeting of the Board of Trade, Mayor Newman, presiding, it was decided to send a delegation to wait on the minister of highways on the 16th inst. to urge the necessity of a free ferry between Glenora and Adolphustown.

Representatives from the last-named community brought a fully-signed petition from the large farming community affected, and, addressing the meeting, pointed out the mutual service this project would render. Farm produce would be marketed more conveniently in Pictou if this "free trade" channel were opened.

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He is hale and hearty, reads without glasses, writes a strong, legible hand and retains all his faculties. He says that he never smoked or drank. He has traveled widely and thinks he should be given another chance.

SMITH GIVES THE FIGURES

Shows That Ontario Has Surplus of \$681,789.41 For Year.

Toronto, March 15.—The prediction that the finances of the province would show a substantial surplus, was borne out yesterday afternoon, when the public accounts were presented in the legislature by Hon. Peter Smith. The ordinary receipts for the year ended October 31, 1921, totalled \$29,261,477.39 and the ordinary expenditures \$28,579,687.98, thus showing a credit balance of \$681,789.41. The summary on the receipts side gives cash on hand, October 31, 1920, as \$5,671,393. The ordinary receipts for the year ended October 31, 1921, as \$29,261,477.39, and extra-ordinary receipts \$6,364,979, and net receipts from loans, \$70,015,712. The summary on the payments side shows ordinary expenditure of \$28,579,687, capital and extra-ordinary expenditures of \$63,949,409, with cash on hand October 31, 1921, of \$18,784,466.

Of the capital and extra-ordinary expenditure, advances to Hydro Electric Power Commission amount to \$39,237,238, the largest slice of this (\$39,680,874) being for the Queenston-Chippawa development, \$4,549,352, being for the Niagara system and among the other items \$2,263,459 for the Port Arthur, Detroit Bay and Superior system. Another large sum for capital and extra-ordinary expenditure is that for statutory purposes, \$18,259,381.

About \$1,000,000 more was received from motor vehicles branch for the last year, over \$335,000 additional from succession duties, over \$1,676,000 more from Hydro Electric interest and over \$800,000 more from Lands and Forests. On the expenditure side education shows a jump of over \$1,000,000, and statutory expenditure is over \$3,000,000 higher.

As regards ordinary receipts the chief figures were: Succession duties \$4,727,657; Hydro-Electric Power Commission (Interest) \$4,463,345; corporation taxes, \$3,024,680; motor vehicles branch, \$2,945,360; lands and forests department, \$2,886,829; provincial secretary's department, \$2,530,919,055; public institutions, maintenance \$2,395,378; casual revenues, \$2,071,300. In the ordinary expenditure column the leading items are: Statutory expenditure, \$9,429,935; education, \$5,919,055; public institutions, maintenance, \$3,763,329; civil government, \$1,698,232; agriculture, \$1,253,043; administration of justice, \$1,058,791.

THE DELORME WILL PROVES AUTHENTIC

An Ottawa Priest Identifies the Signature of the Murdered Student.

Montreal, March 15.—The will made by Raoul Delorme, whereby practically all of his estate in Montreal was left to his half brother, the Rev. J. A. Delorme, now on trial for murder of Raoul, is an authentic document, according to evidence given yesterday afternoon at the resumed hearing of the case, by the Rev. Father Rheame, O.M.I., of Ottawa College. The Ottawa priest identified the signature on the will as the one he wrote when Raoul made his will in an Ottawa hospital.

When the trial was resumed Theophile Marotte of Sauvagesse Life Insurance Company told of Father Delorme bringing Raoul to his company when a \$25,000 policy was taken out. The accused said he wanted to do this would be to oblige him to take out a life insurance policy. Father Delorme had telephoned on the morning of December 24th asking for an appointment. They went on that day and the boy arranged for the policy. The question of the beneficiaries to the insurance was raised at the meeting, and witness had counseled Raoul to make it payable to his heirs. The policy was finally issued on December 21st, six days before Raoul was murdered.

Rev. Father Rheame of Ottawa College, who was a witness to it, as well as J. Raoul Delorme, was then called to testify as to the authenticity of his signature on the will. He examined the signature and declared it to be authentic. He told of having been asked by Raoul in February, 1921, to come to a hospital in which he was confined awaiting an operation for appendicitis to witness the boy's will.