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R.M.C. GRADUATE WAS FOUND DEAD IN HOME

Friend Discovered His Body When Calling to Invite Him to Dinner.

Montreal Gazette. Under tragic circumstances the death occurred late Saturday afternoon of R. A. S. Adair, eldest son of Robert Adair, president of the Hart & Adair Coal Company Limited, Montreal, a graduate of the Royal Military College, who had seen service in Europe and India during the great war. Mr. Adair was found in the bedroom of his home, 966 Comte street, with a revolver wound in the right side of his head.

The discovery was made by C. E. F. Dumaresq, vice-president of The Hart & Adair Coal Company, Limited, who, during the absence of his family for the summer, had been living with Mr. Adair, whose wife and young son are in Halifax.

Sunday morning Mr. Dumaresq suggested to Mr. Adair that they go to Beaconfield for a game of golf. Mr. Adair stated that he did not feel like playing, so Mr. Dumaresq departed with A. H. Elder and spent the afternoon away. On their return to the city they called on Mr. Adair, with the intention of taking him out to dinner. Their calls to Mr. Adair not being answered, Mr. Dumaresq went upstairs to investigate, and found Mr. Adair lying on the floor of his bedroom. A doctor was called, and he pronounced life extinct.

While a maid was in the house, it was stated that she had not heard any report. Mr. Adair, it was reported, was in good health and was not apparently worrying about anything. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Adair, who were at the Aulsebrook Chasm Club, were notified by telegraph and arrived home late last night.

Mr. Adair was born in Montreal, twenty-nine years ago, and was educated here and entered the Royal Military College, and on graduating joined an imperial regiment. With the rank of captain he saw active service in Europe and India, and after the war, was invalided home from India in 1918. Since his return to Montreal he had been associated with his father in business, being a director of the coal company.

Besides his wife and young son, Mr. Adair is survived by his parents and one brother, Ian Adair.

Grateful to Contributors.

Rev. Father McKiernan, pastor of the Sacred Heart church, Wolfe Island, is very grateful to the following contributors of his recent picnic: Hon. William Harty, Frank Burke, Seward's Coal Company, Allan Bros., Charles Donoghue, McKelvey & Birch, Kingston Milling Co., Davis' Drydock Co., Elliott Bros., W. M. Nichol, W. F. Goudier, Hanley's Ticket Office, J. B. Bunt, D. G. Laidlaw, N. O'Connor, Walsh Coal Yard, Macnee and Minnes Keyes Undertaker, Lemmon and Son, Abernethy Shoe Store, E. P. Jenkins, Ross Bros., T. Berrigan, W. P. Peters, James Richardson and Sons, S. J. Martin, J. Sutherland, Graves Bros., James Redden and Company, Simmons Bros., Mahood Drug Store, Standard Publishing Company, McFarland and Wood, Daily British Whig, Freeman McIntosh Store, D. Milne, Driscoll Store, S. Rougaton, Freyrot, Wartell, Woolworth Store, Jackson and McAtwee, Campbell Bros., J. S. McCall, C. Livingston, Parkhill, W. W. Linton, J. Johnston, J. Swales, Bibby's Ltd., Crothers' Wholesale, Smith Bros., J. F. Forrest, Lion Clothing House, Treadgold, Stevenson and Hunter, McLean's, McLeod, E. J. Metcalf, I. F. McBroom, Craig's Wholesale, Anstia Drug Store, Best Drug Store.

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GANANOQUE

Aug. 14.—Assistance was asked of the town fire brigade yesterday afternoon in connection with quite a serious bush fire on Onion Island just off Sugar. The fire was smouldering from Sunday evening, but gained such proportions by Monday afternoon that the above action was taken with the result that it was overcome in a short time. The close proximity to the A. C. A. camp at Sugar Island caused some excitement in that quarter.

Michael McDonald, Kingston, is visiting friends in town. Clifford Rhodes, New York, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Beatty, Garden street, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. John Phillips is the guest of Mrs. Michael Higgins, Brockville, for a few days.

Miss Laura Bates, Montreal, is visiting her parents here. Miss Gladys Lennon, Kingston, is the guest of Miss Anna Kelly.

Miss Katie Henderson, Albany, N.Y., is visiting friends in town. Mrs. Lahey and Edward McCahey, Montreal, who have been the guests of Neil McCahey at the Provincial for the past ten days, returned home to-day.

Dr. Royal Lee and Fred Hickey, New York City, are spending a few days on the river. Dr. Lee has recently acquired a very fine motor launch.

Miss Ethel Henderson and Mrs. Taylor, Toronto, who have been the guests of Mrs. Robert Henderson for the past few weeks, returned home Sunday.

Miss Audrey Warwick is visiting friends in Kingston. Miss May Barry, Kingston, visited friends here at the week-end.

The Dixie Five orchestra played for a dance at the American Canoe Association Camp at Sugar Island last evening.

Miss Thelma Marshall, Kingston, who has been the guest of Miss Doris Hawke for the past week has returned home.

Mrs. John Gibson and her sister, Mrs. Scott, spent the week-end with friends in Kingston.

Miss Ethel Bradley, R.N., is spending a few days with Mrs. F. B. Thomson at Lancaster Island.

Much interest was shown in the first golf flight in the men's approach and putting competition for the Mullin cup, which took place on the 12th instant. L. S. Barr is leading with a low score of 8 for three balls, which were sunk from 35, 65 and 100 yards. Edward Taylor and J. A. Bulloch are close seconds with a score of 9 each, while S. C. Taylor is third with 10. The second and final flight will take place on the 19th instant.

Dr. J. T. Rogers has offered two prizes for a mixed two-ball foursome. This promises to be the most popular match of the season, and there is much activity among the gentlemen members in arranging for their lady partners. This interesting match will take place on the 22nd August.

John Lashay, Pontiac, Michigan, joined his family here on Saturday, and will spend the next few weeks on the river.

Mrs. A. C. Hudspeath and children have returned from a holiday with friends up the Saguenay, visiting Tadoussac and other points.

Alex. Latimer returned to New York on Sunday after a vacation with friends here. Mrs. Latimer and son will remain on for a few days longer.

Clifford Kidd returned to Toronto on Sunday, after a few weeks' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Kidd, King street east.

Jack Conner, Toronto, motored down and spent the week-end the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Henderson.

Lyndhurst played a game with a Gananoque team here at the baseball diamond on Saturday afternoon winning by a score of 11-6.

Miss Marcella Phillips spent today with friends in Brockville.

CANADIAN EXHIBITS ATTRACTING ATTENTION

In Cities and Towns of France —A. D. McConnell Viewed Them.

A. D. McConnell, Nelson street, home from France, says the Canadian Exhibits, being shown in the cities and towns there are attracting great attention. The crowds to see the displays are very large. The exhibits mounted on large lorries are motored from one place to another. They are formed up as a hollow square where exhibited, one side lifted to make a covering. The goods are displayed attractively. The farm implements are greatly admired, and Canada will reap much business as a result of their display. The Mineral Exhibit is rare and enlightening. The Northwest is set forth in all its attractiveness. Pamphlets are circulated.

The receptions given the Canadians in the towns visited are hearty and spontaneous. The staff is surfeited with attention; while at Armentieres, Mr. McConnell was invited by the mayor and invited to the varied entertainments given the Canadians which culminated with a splendid banquet at night. Col. Barrow and Senator Beaubien made captivating addresses. This form of advertising Canada is sure to bring about splendid results in trade and probable emigration.

Mr. McConnell was surprised at the way reconstruction had gone ahead since he left France desolate and disrupted. The French have certainly been aggressive in re-establishing themselves. The grain crop this year is enormous and will do much to bring about wider prosperity. Flour has been rather short during the past year and rye has been mixed with wheat. Much bran was retained to help out conditions.

The French, Mr. McConnell says, are very hopeful of bringing the Germans to time through the occupation of the Ruhr. The Germans are regarded as tricky financiers. They keep their money in foreign bonds so that it cannot be reached. The French will hang on until they get some substantial amount of reparations.

Mr. and Mrs. McConnell had good voyages across the Atlantic although the last few days of the homeward trip was decidedly stormy. Going over their vessel went to St. John's, Newfoundland, to pick up shipwrecked passengers from the S.S. Malvern. The unexpected trip to Newfoundland was extremely interesting.

To Make Harbor Safe. H. H. Horsey has succeeded in getting the department to dredge the bar at the mouth of the inlet at Pointe Travoire in order to make navigation safe for boats entering that harbor. A large tonnage of fish is shipped from this point and at times it is impossible for a tug to get in for a cargo. When the dredging is completed shipping will be greatly facilitated. Last year Mr. Horsey succeeded in getting permission for the fishermen to land on the lighthouse property.

Died Suddenly. John Countryman, father of Mrs. Charles Clark, Tweed, died suddenly at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Charles Thompson, Queensboro, on Thursday.

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