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JIM HILL GETS A CHARTER FOR ANOTHER BRANCH

GERMAN AVIATORS FALL SIX THOUSAND FEET

Herr Schendal Had Just Broken German Record for Altitude When He Lost Control of Monoplane—Swiss Aviator Falls, but Escapes

(Canadian Press Despatch)
Johanneshal, Germany, June 10.—Before the horrified gaze of thousands of sightseers, two aviators, Herr Schendal and his mechanic Herr Moss, fell from the clouds a distance of nearly seven thousand feet and were dashed into almost unrecognisable pulp, last night.

An Altitude Record
Herr Schendal on Tuesday last won fame by breaking the German record for altitude. In his monoplane he rose to a height of 6,594 feet. Last evening he set out to go even higher. His machine rose in the air and circled about rising higher and higher, until the scientific observers proclaimed that their instruments showed he had broken his previous record.

In Moment of Victory
Still higher the tiny machine climbed the clouds. As the watchers tense with excitement looked, they saw the little machine flutter, and turn over. Its tail sank till the machine took a verticle position, and then it started to fall.

CANADA'S BOYS REACH ENGLAND

Coronation Detachment Was Given a Great Reception on Arrival at Liverpool.

(Canadian Press Despatch)
London, June 10.—The Canadian contingent of soldiers for the Coronation arrived at Liverpool today and were received with an enthusiastic reception. The Lord Mayor and City Council of Liverpool met the Canadians at the landing stage. The streets through which they marched were thronged with citizens who gave a great welcome to the Canadians.

In the police court this morning Nick Veukitch was fined \$10 and costs for being drunk and disorderly.

BASEBALL SCORES

Northwestern League
Vancouver 5, Portland 4.
Tacoma 3, Victoria 2.
Spokane 3, Seattle 4; eleven innings.

National League
St. Louis 2, Boston 1.
Chicago 1, Brooklyn 4.
Philadelphia 4, Cincinnati 1.
Pittsburg 3, New York 6.

American League
Chicago 2, New York 9.
Detroit 4, Philadelphia 5.
Boston 4, St. Louis 5.
Washington 2, Cleveland 1.

Pacific Coast League
Los Angeles 6, Portland 0.
Sacramento 0, Frisco 1.
Vernon 6, Oakland 3.

TO BE CHARGED WITH MURDER

Alleged Wife-murderer from New Westminster is Captured

(Canadian Press Despatch)
New Westminster, June 10.—Henry Jobs whom a coroner's jury has charged with the murder of his wife last Friday, was captured yesterday afternoon on a tug in the Fraser river near the St. Mungo Cannery.

\$2,000,000 CITY HALL

(Canadian Press Despatch)
Winnipeg, June 10.—The City Council last night ordered plans to be prepared for a new city hall to cost two million dollars. It will be built on the present site extending back to Princess street.

WILL START A FUND TO PURCHASE AMBULANCE

Dr. Eggert Hands Over to Hospital Board the Grand Trunk Co's \$500 Cheque—Cost of Auto Ambulance Considered

Agreeing that an ambulance is most certainly necessary now to perfect the efficiency of Prince Rupert's General Hospital, the Hospital Board last night decided to refer the matter to the Executive Committee who will consider the cost of the vehicle, and upkeep. Meanwhile the cheque for \$500 donated by the G. T. P. Railway Co. has been handed over by Dr. Eggert, and it is now up to the citizens to subscribe the further amount necessary, about \$500.

Auto-ambulance Favored
President D. G. Stewart is inclined to favor the purchase of an auto-ambulance. Mayor Manson has been considering a system by which the city will employ an understudy for the fire department's chauffeur, who will be available for ambulance service at any time. Probably the auto-ambulance will be housed beside the fire brigade auto.

Some little time has elapsed since Mr. Arthur Cuthbert tendered his resignation as Secretary of the Hospital Association. Formal acceptance of the resignation was recorded last night, and Mr. William Wright, Assistant Secretary was appointed Managing Secretary under the new By-laws.

Hon. President's Powers
Nothing further was done in connection with the idea that voting power should be given the Honorary President. While it has been felt by the Board that Mr. Manson who has taken great interest in the Hospital, might fitly have voting power, it was not thought advisable to make voting power a prerogative of all Hon. Presidents of the Board.

A cheque for \$40, the balance of the Laurier Fund was handed over to the Board by T. D. Pattullo, and amongst other minor matters the pricing and purchase of a Taylor Safe was left in the hands of the House Committee.

BAD SHOOTING AFFRAY AT COLD STORAGE WORKS

Homer Wood, while Crazy with Drink, used a Gun on Alexander Mathieson--When He Saw Mathieson Fall, He Tried To Blow His Own Brains out--Mathieson Escaped Volley, but Wood is Seriously Injured--Will Be Charged With Attempted Murder

With a desperate bullet wound in his head from the right ear to below his eye, Homer Wood, a plumber, late of the firm of Mathieson & Wood, is lying in the hospital in a serious condition, after attempting to commit suicide. If he recovers he will be charged with attempting to murder Alexander Mathieson, a brother of his former partner. The engine house of the Atlin Construction Co., at the Cold Storage plant is riddled with bullets, telling their tale of the man's desperate attempts.

The tragic affair happened at noon today, just as the men were about to quit work. Alex Mathieson was working as fireman on the hoist. Wood, who is said to have been drinking heavily, and to have had a private grudge against Mathieson came up to him as he worked.

"Are you going up town tonight, Allick?" he asked.

"Yes," replied Mathieson, unsuspecting.

Drew a Revolver

Suddenly pulling out a revolver, Wood said, "I'll shoot you, you—"

He pulled the trigger three or four times at Mathieson who was quite unarmed and turned to run for safety. In running away, Mathieson tripped over a piece of machinery, and lay stunned for a few seconds.

Tried to Kill Himself

Thinking he had killed Mathieson, the crazed man suddenly turned the weapon on himself. He was seen by Engineer Ralph Fisher to place the gun to his ear and pull the trigger. As he fell Fisher ran to him and saved him from falling from the platform of the hoist.

Wound Not Serious

It was found that the bullet instead of entering the brain had come out through the forehead.

Dr. Tremayne was at once telephoned for and came in his launch, along with Chief Vickers. The doctor attended to the man's injuries, and conveyed him in custody of the police to the wharf. Mathieson, except for the fall is unhurt.

Will be Charged

If he recovers as is very likely, Wood will be charged by the police, says Chief Vickers, with attempting to murder Mathieson, and also with attempted suicide.

There is no doubt that drink played a strong part in the crime. Not only was Mr. Wood partially intoxicated at the time, but he was brandishing a bottle of whisky a minute or two before the shooting started.

The affair caused a great deal of excitement among the hundred or more men at the works, who were just leaving work when the shooting affray began.

M. HAYS SIGNS THE AGREEMENT

Final Discussion Was Held in City Hall. City Seal Attached. Grand Trunk Co.'s Seal to be Affixed at Montreal.

Well satisfied with the settlement of the great G. T. P. assessment problem, the city council met later to ratify the agreement. Each alderman was supplied with a copy of the terms and with Mr. D'Arcy Tate representing the company the details were gone over.

During the discussion it was announced by 'phone that Mr. Hays and Mr. Chamberlin would attend for final discussion and arrangements. On their arrival several points were brought up and settled, and the signing of the agreement was then carried out. The City Seal was affixed at night but the seal of the G. T. P. cannot be attached until Mr. Hays reaches Montreal.

Though signed and sealed, the agreement has yet to be approved by the citizens of Prince Rupert and ratified by the Legislature. It is set down that the improvements proposed are not to start until three months after the next session of the Legislature, but the aldermen believe from verbal statements made by Mr. Hays and Mr. Chamberlin that the work is to go on at once. The dry dock must go on in terms of agreement with the Government.

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Make a Change

If you have tried wearing the various brands of ready made clothing, try wearing a custom made suit, cut to the atest fashion with snap to it and guaranteed to fit. A we-fitting suit adds matteria y to a man's appearance; and appearance does count these days.

Clothes made by Rudnick and Sweder are made on the premises by hand in their store. He gerson B ock, Basement, 'Phone 38.

Pantorium Pioneer Cleaners, 'Phone 4

JIM HILL GETS CHARTER FOR PRAIRIE RAILROAD

Gets \$250,000.00 for Charter of Proposed Line from Pincher Creek to Red Deer--Will Use it as a Feeder for his Transcontinental

(Canadian Press Despatch)
Winnipeg, June 10.—James J. Hill will now invade Canada by another route. Today it was announced that the Great Northern had purchased the charter for the proposed line from Pincher Creek to the Brazeau mines, by way of Red Deer.

Will Feed Transcontinental
This line, Mr. Hill will use as a feeder for his Transcontinental between Winnipeg and Vancouver and is the fourth line which he has secured with that object in view.

Gave \$250,000
The charter was obtained some time ago by a company of Winnipeg and Calgary business men, who thought of opening up the

ORDER ARRIVES TO RENEW SAVOY LICENSE

By this morning's mail there arrived the judgment of the court and the mandamus to the License Commissioners instructing them to issue to Mr. A. J. Prudhomme a renewal of the license for the Savoy Hotel, and to report to the Supreme Court that they have obeyed the order.

The mandamus reads as follows: To William Manson, Vernor W. Smith and Joseph E. Merryfield, of the Board of License Commissioners in and for the City of Prince Rupert in the Province of British Columbia, and every of them, greeting:

Whereas this Honourable Court has been given to understand and is informed upon the complaint of Alexander James Prudhomme, licensed hotel-keeper of the City of Prince Rupert aforesaid, that he, a person claiming to be entitled under and by virtue of the "Municipal Clauses Act" and the By-laws of the City of Prince Rupert to have granted to him a renewal of the liquor license held by him for the Savoy Hotel from the 17th day of October 1910 until midnight

of the 15th day of January 1911, did apply at a general meeting of the Board of License Commissioners in and for the said City of Prince Rupert, to such of you, the said Commissioners, as were then and there assembled, to hear an application by him for a renewal grant of such license in respect of said premises at Prince Rupert aforesaid, and to determine the said application according to law, but that you, the said Board of License Commissioners in and for the said City of Prince Rupert, well knowing the premises, but not regarding your duty in that behalf, then and there wholly neglected and refused to grant said renewal of said license, without cause for so refusing, to the great damage and grievance of the said Alexander James Prudhomme, as we have been informed by his complaint made to us; Whereupon we, being willing that due and speedy justice should be done in the premises, as is reasonable, do peremptorily command you, the said Board of License Commissioners in and for the said

City of Prince Rupert, and every of you, to grant said Alexander James Prudhomme for the said Savoy Hotel, a license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors in renewal of the license previously held by said Prudhomme for the said Savoy Hotel, between the 17th day of October 1910 and the 15th day of January 1911, without the insertion in such license of any condition, lest by your default the same complaint should be repeated to us; And how you shall have executed this Our Writ make known to us in our said Court at the City of Vancouver forthwith, then return to us this Our said Writ, and this you are not to omit.

WITNESS the Honourable Gordon Hunter, Chief Justice, at Vancouver, B. C., the 8th day of June, A. D. 1911.

"W.H.P.C." J.

(SUPREME COURT SEAL)
VANCOUVER REGISTRY
June 8th, 1911.

Earl Grey's Rifles will shoot at the range tomorrow meeting at the usual time.

COLONIAL CONFERENCE DISCUSSES IMMIGRATION

They Re-affirm Resolution of Four Years Ago, Whereby the Home Authorities Pledge Themselves to Aid in Selecting Suitable Persons

(Canadian Press Despatch)
London, June 10.—At the Imperial Conference today Premier Fisher moved for the reaffirmation of the resolution of 1907 pointing out the desirability of encouraging British emigrants to proceed to British Colonies rather than to foreign countries and that the Imperial Government co-operate with any colonies desiring emigrants, to assist in selecting suitable persons.

John Burns said that since the last conference the object of the resolution had been to a great extent secured. If the rate for the first four months of 1911 continued for the whole year the total emigrants from Great Britain

to all countries would amount to 300,000 of whom eighty per cent would go to different parts of the Empire.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that Mr. Burns's statement appeared to him to be quite satisfactory. The resolution slightly amended, unanimously passed the Conference.

Where to Go

EMPRESS THEATRE, Second Ave. Pictures and Music, 7.30 p.m.
MAJESTIC THEATRE, Third Ave; Pictures and songs, 7.30 p.m.
PHENIX THEATRE, Second Avenue; Pictures and music, 7.30 p.m.
AUDITORIUM, Sixth Avenue; Roller Skating, 8 p.m.