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QUESTION OF THE EXISTENCE OF HELL IS NOW A LIVE TOPIC FOR DISCUSSION IN LONDON

CAMPAIGN STARTED BY THE UNITARIANS

Noted Clergyman Says That the Popular Notion of a Hell of Roaring Flames and Endless Torment is the Crumbling Point of the Whole System of Theology.

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London, Sept. 20.—The question of the existence of "Hell" has become a live topic of discussion here, co-incidental with the New England Unitarians' anti-Hell campaign. Newspapers are running forums and ministers are preaching on "If Hell really exists or is it a condition of mind." "The popular notion of hell of roaring flames and endless torment has proved for recent generations the crumbling point of the whole system of Christian theology," says the Rev. W. B. Orchard, a prominent London minister. "To man's mind, such an idea is revolting. There's a popular feeling engendered by the war, that people who have made others suffer, ought to suffer themselves. That needn't be mere vindictiveness. It looks as if the human society was preparing a terrible hell for the future with the strikes and anarchy it is generating. If there's no hell in the other world, it is conceivable enough there is one here. Despite the curious optimism of the modern mind, hell is much easier to conceive socially and psychologically than is Heaven."

SUGAR IS GOING DOWN

Toronto, Sept. 18.—"It's probably just the beginning," commented a representative of the Atlantic Sugar Refining Company here today, on yesterday's drop of one cent in the refiners' quotations for all grades of sugar. The price is now \$21.00 per hundred pounds delivered at Montreal or \$21.50 at Toronto.
Refiners' agents in Toronto are at variance in their information regarding the sale of sugar. Some agents, including the Atlantics people claim business in this line "just about as usual" and "practically normal, but not quite as good as last year." On the other hand, the local agents for Acadia sugar admit that there is not much buying of sugar by wholesalers at the present time.

BERNSTORFF TO LECTURE

(By Viggo Toepfer, staff correspondent of the Daily Mail. Copyright, 1920, by C. A. N. S.)
Berlin, Sept. 20.—Count Von Bernstorff, formerly German Ambassador to Washington is assuming a new role and has turned lecturer. He plans to make a tour of the chief German cities starting at Frankfurt in November and to explain the relations between the United States and Germany while he was in Washington. It is expected he will reveal many piquant war time intrigues.

BIG BLAZE AT BAGDAD

London, Sept. 20.—Three outbreaks of fire in different Government offices were quickly extinguished. A huge army auto depot at Bagdad has been burned containing many armoured cars and other vehicles together with petrol and spare parts, etc. The loss is estimated at \$10,000,000. Entry into Government offices and depots is not longer difficult for strangers.

THE CAT AND THE MOUSE ACT NOT TO BE APPLIED TO MACSWINEY

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LONDON, Sept. 20.—The "Cat and Mouse" act will not be applied to the MacSwiney case in spite of rumors to the contrary, according to a high Home Office official. MacSwiney is not regarded by the government as a political offender, but a criminal offender, and the government is not seeking a loophole from the situation. If MacSwiney dies it is because he is an enemy of the government, and there can be no question of relenting. The government has been challenged by MacSwiney and he should know the consequences of resistance, the official said.

BUSINESS PRINCIPLES DILIGENTLY APPLIED TO PROVINCIAL AFFAIRS

St. John Paper Pays a Glowing Tribute to Premier Foster—Entered on a Task of Great Magnitude Without Previous Political Experience, and Has Made Good—Affairs of the Province Have Been Well Administered.

ST. JOHN, Sept. 20.—In commenting on the manifesto issued to the electors of the Province on Saturday by Premier Foster, the Times-Star newspaper of this city pays the Premier the following tribute:
"When a man appeals to his fellow citizens for an expression of confidence, that appeal has much greater force if along with it he can present a good record of work accomplished. It was the habit of the seasoned politicians opposed to Hon. W. E. Foster at the outset of his public career to speak lightly, not to say slightly, of him and his ability to take part in public affairs. He was young and untried, new to the game, and in their opinion not at all formidable. How could this young business man hope to make a success of politics? The thing was absurd.
"But the seasoned politicians were grievously mistaken. As the untried and inexperienced leader of the Government he took his place in the House, and by the application of business principles soon commanded the respect of his critics. He was fortunate at the outset in choosing able colleagues familiar with legislative routine in the House, and quick to cross swords with the opposition critics; but he was also quick to learn, and before the end of the first session it was recognized that those who attempted to belittle the leader of the Government were committing a serious blunder.

APPLIED BUSINESS PRINCIPLES
"When Mr. Foster assumed office it was with the declared intention of applying business principles to the conduct of provincial affairs. Perhaps it was fortunate that he was not aware of the magnitude of the task, after years of most unbusiness-like administration, which had left its mark upon every department. With the former government it had been politics, and not business. Indeed, there is no harm in saying that the Premier confided to a friend not very long after he assumed office that if he had realized how severe was the task before him he would have hesitated long before assuming so great a responsibility. He would probably confess today to a conviction that there is still much to be done before the affairs of the province are conducted in every detail as carefully as those of a purely business establishment; but that there has been a remarkable change for the better in three years the whole province knows, and for that change gives full credit to the Premier and his colleagues. Mr. Foster has not pleased everybody. That would be quite impossible. He has, however, done that which is of vastly more importance. He has convinced everybody of his sincerity, and his earnest desire to do in provincial affairs that which he set out to do and to which he was pledged. To have done that is to have stood the test with honor and success."

CARLETON CO. LIBERALS MET ON THURSDAY

Woodstock, Sept. 19.—A convention of the Liberal party has been called for Thursday next in the Vogue Theatre, commencing at 3.30 p. m. when candidates for the approaching provincial election will be chosen. Carleton county has reason to give the present administration the strongest support for the improvement in all public works, especially the roads, which have been the means of a tourist business through this section that has increased to proportions that are of great importance to both business and pleasure-making lines.
Several names have been mentioned in connection with the Liberal ticket, but the whole situation will be discussed at the convention and a strong ticket formed.
The United Farmers nominated a ticket several months ago, but a prominent member of the organization said today that another convention would be called and some changes likely made in the personnel of the ticket.
No announcement is yet forthcoming from the Conservatives as to their intentions.

WHAT CAUSED EARTHQUAKE

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Berlin, Sept. 20.—The Seismic Observatory at the Jenauni University has discovered the origin of the earthquake in Italy. It was due to a sliding strata, formed in the bed of the Gulf of Genoa, the displacement causing a violent rupture of the earth's surface.

BONAR LAW ON THE IRISH SITUATION

(Special to the Daily Mail. Copyright by C. A. N. S. 1920.)
London, Sept. 20.—Cross-Atlantic Newspaper Service is authorized by Hon. Bonar Law to state the position of the Government on the Irish situation as follows:
"The appointment of an assistant Under-Secretary for the six counties of Ulster in preparation to bring into operation the Government's Home Rule bill, the provisions of which, of course are applicable to southern Ireland on an equality with Ulster.
"There is no idea of arming Ulster volunteers. Every citizen willing to help maintain order when called upon allegiance to the King, can be enrolled irrespective of religious or political creed.
The offer made by the Premier on the eve of his parliamentary vacation to discuss any proposal with any one who claims to represent the Irish people so long as the proposals include separate treatment for Ulster and do not involve the secession of any part of Ireland from the Empire or risk the military security of the islands in war time, is unagitated by this proposal and is still the fixed policy of the Government."

WILL MAKE A STRONG PROTEST

(By "Polonius" staff correspondent of the Daily Mail. Copyright, 1920, by C. A. N. S.)
Copenhagen, Sept. 20.—Scandinavian ministers in conference here have resolved to make a strong protest against the new American shipping law in the form of the Jones' Bill. They are awaiting American notification of the termination of commercial treaties, and will make their protest afterwards.

SHOCKING TRAGEDY IN A NOVA SCOTIA VILLAGE—LUNENBURG MAN SHOTS AND KILLS FIVE

MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES AT MARYSVILLE

Knights of Pythias Decorate Graves and Hear Good Sermon—News of Personal Interest.
Marysville, Sept. 20.—Marysville Lodge No. 18—Knights of Pythias and Marshall Company No. 9 Uniform Rank attended devine worship at the Methodist Church at 2.30 yesterday afternoon, a large delegation of Fredericton Knights were present and assisted in the ceremony of decorating the several graves of the departed brethren, after the church service The boys who turned out strong looked well and marched well, headed by the Knights of Pythias band, they formed up at Castle Hall and marched to the church when the pastor Rev. J. J. Pinkerton himself a K. P. delivered a very able and interesting sermon from the words, "Hold fast to that which you have."
The church was beautifully decorated with cut flowers. The choir was composed of Pythian Sisters, the whole service was of true Pythian nature. Miss Minnie Titus sang a solo in her usual charming manner.
The preacher spoke in glowing terms of the principle of the noted order and said a man was better for having joined it. He himself was glad he was a member, but sorry he had not joined twenty years before as the order stood for all that was upright, clean and honest, therefore "Hold fast to that which you have." The speaker said he was glad that the Knights of Pythias had a helping branch in the Pythian Sisters as they were a great assistance to the Knights and through their efforts and willingness to help, the order was made better by that help. After the impressive ceremony of decorating the graves the procession was formed and marched back to Castle Hall, a vote of thanks was moved and passed by Marysville Lodge to those who so ably assisted in the days services.

Oddfellows Hall was the scene Thursday night of a very enjoyable "At Home" held by the congregation of the Main Street Baptist Church, and there friends. The pastor Rev. J. Daggett made a very interesting address of welcome the following excellent programme was carried out.
Reading—Miss Kennedy, of Fredericton.
Chorus—by class of boys and girls.
Solo—Miss Lois Filmore.
Piano duet—Vinton Peterson and Helen Robinson.
Solo—Miss E. M. Staples.
Reading—Miss Christine Stafford.
Piano duet—Messrs Edith Staples and Annie Walker.
During the evening refreshments were served and a social hour very pleasantly spent.
Mr. Ralph Hanson was the first man in Marysville to get any big game. He shot a fine deer Wednesday afternoon.
Peace Temple No. 12 Pythian Sisters held a special meeting in Castle Hall Friday evening and initiated four candidates two men and two women. In the dark and mysterious secrets of their order. After speeches by the newly made members and others refreshments were served and an enjoyable time spent by all.
Mrs. J. J. Pinkerton and Mrs. Dunbar have returned from the St. Stephen Fair.

A very enjoyable Harvest Supper was served at the Gibson Homestead last Saturday night under the auspices of the Women's Aid of the Methodist Church. Johnston's orchestra provided excellent music throughout the evening. The affair was a grand success at which a large crowd were present. The old homestead is an ideal place for functions of this kind, it is large, well lighted and very suitable, and is a good idea as the building is centrally located and should be the scene of many enjoyable affairs.
The news of the local election on Oct. 9 has caused a flurry of excitement.

THE MURDERER WAS MENTALLY UNBALANCED

Tragedy was the Result of a Long Standing Dispute Over a Millsite—Shot His Father and Three Neighbors, Including a Woman, and Then Committed Suicide.
Halifax, Sept. 19.—In a fit of demented rage resulting from a long standing dispute as to the location of a mill dam on or near his father's property at Hemford, Lunenburg county, Havelock Veinott, this morning at that place shot and killed three men, including his father, and one woman and then suicided.
The victims of the tragedy are Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Ritchie, Abner Snyder and William Veinott, father of the murderer, who was attacked but was not then mortally wounded and tried to give warning to the others. He failed to get warning or protection to them in time and the son, having killed the Ritchies, at their home and Snyder at his, returned to his father's house, shot his father dead and then went out into the barn and put a bullet through his own head.
The villagers of Hemford for some time had considered Havelock Veinott as mentally unbalanced. He had on several occasions, in connection with the dispute over the mill dam site, threatened the lives of the three men who are dead today, but his threats were never taken seriously. The Veinott, Ritchie and Snyder families lived within a short distance of one another and all three owned land bordering on the West River. Some time ago Snyder and Ritchie wished to build the dam and asked the older Veinotts to agree thereto. He refused but a month ago reconsidered and signed the agreement. His son, who had been opposed to the plan from the first, became enraged and quarrelled repeatedly with him.
Veinott was married and lived with his parents and at their home last night, the argument was revived between father and son. This morning, after the family had arisen it was resumed with great heat. The father finally refused to break the contract, whereupon his son secured his rifle and in a frenzy of passion shot his father in the stomach. He then left the house, threatening to kill the other two men.
Fearing for the lives of his neighbors, the elder Veinott, though seriously wounded made his way to the nearest telephone and gave the alarm. Meanwhile the murderer went to the Ritchie home, forced his way into a bedroom and shot Ritchie and his wife both in the head. Leaving the two dying he ran to the Snyder home. Snyder answered his summons and Veinott shot him as soon as he opened the door. Snyder stumbled back to his bedroom, followed by the murderer, who shot Snyder again, his fourth victim, dying almost immediately, in the arms of his wife, who had pleaded with Veinott for mercy for her husband.
Making his way to his home, he found his wounded father returned from his painful trip and retired to bed. He sent a bullet through his father's heart. He said a few words to his mother and then went to the barn, putting a bullet through his head.
A few minutes later a party of men in answer to the elder Veinott's warning, arrived at the Veinott home, just too late to prevent the suicide.

Banns Published
Yesterday at St. Anthony's Church, Devon, Rev. Father Murphy published the banns of marriage of Carl McNeill of Durham Bridge and Mary Brennan of Blackville, also of Douglas McKinnon and Beatrice Gourlay both of Tay Creek.
ment in our midst, small groups of so-called heelers are seen at every corner.

BIG PRICE OFFERED FOR THE MANUSCRIPT OF GOETHE LATELY FOUND

(By Viggo Toepfer, staff correspondent of the Daily Mail; copyright 1920 by Cross-Atlantic Newspaper Service.)
BERLIN, Sept. 20.—European literary circles are excited over the discovery of the manuscript by Goethe, entitled "Josephy," which was written in 1762. It was generally believed that Goethe burned the manuscript when he was studying at Leipzig University. Professor Paul Piper, of Attona, a suburb of Hamburg, discovered the manuscript and it is now in his possession. The work is addressed to Herr Clauer, who lived in the house occupied by Goethe's father. The manuscript contains many additional corrections in Goethe's handwriting. "Josephy" is based on events related in Genesis and is in five parts. It is understood that publishers are offering big prices for it.