

U. S. WARSHIP SENT TO TIEN TSIN

ROMANCE OF
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GOT NEWS FROM
HIS FATHER

Had Kept His First Mar-
riage a Secret From
His Son.

(Special to the Daily Mail by British
United Press)

New York, N. Y., March 4—The romance of Herbert Clark, actor, was blasted today for he had learned that the girl he was planning to marry was his sister.

Clark met Katharine Clark who came here from Lebanon, Pa., to work as a stenographer, a few months ago. They commented on the similarity of names and each said there were no brothers or sisters.

When Clark wrote to his parents, who live in Pittsburgh, of the coming marriage, he received a telegram from his father saying: "Katharine Clark is your sister. Am mailing letter containing full description".

Today Clark learned the whole truth. His father had divorced his first wife and as the marriage was an unhappy one, never told his son about it. He had, however, corresponded with his daughter and they had always exchanged presents.

DUNNING NOT
TO BE OPPOSED
IN REGINA

Regina, March 3—Conservatives of Regina will not offer opposition to the candidacy of Hon. Charles Dunning, Federal Minister of Railways and Canals, at the by-election March 23, according to an official statement issued tonight over the signature of Fred. Somerville, president of the Conservative Association of Regina.

The official statement issued tonight following a meeting of members of the Conservative executive read as follows:

Official Statement.

"To the electors of Regina constituency:

"The executive of the Conservative association of this constituency have thoroughly discussed the advisability of placing a candidate in the field in opposition to the Hon. Charles Dunning and have decided not to oppose the Minister of Railways at the present time.

General Election Seen.

"Canada is today without stable government, and only a general election can alter this situation, and had the Hon. Charles Dunning been equally concerned for the welfare of Canada as he is for party advantage and personal elevation, he would inform Mr. King that his duty is to place his resignation in the hand of the Governor-General and precipitate a general election.

"This must come within a few months and then Mr. Dunning will be opposed.

"Fred Somerville, president Conservative Association."

C. N. R. EARNINGS
SHOW INCREASE

Montreal, March 3—The gross earnings of the Canadian National Railways for the week ended February 21, 1926 were \$4,535,270 as compared with \$4,125,858 for the corresponding period of 1925, an increase of ten per cent. N. E. earnings of \$409,412 or ten per cent.

SALE OF WIVES
IS PRACTICED
IN ENGLAND

Unwritten Laws Have to
Be Followed in
Yorkshire.

MINIMUM
PRICE 25 CENTS

The Wives are Usually
Agreeable to Change
of Homes.

Special cable to the Daily Mail by the
British United Press)

London, March 4—The sale of wives is a common practice in some parts of England. In Yorkshire, where the practice is followed there are three unwritten laws:

1—A wife shall not be sold more than once.

2—She must not change hands for less than 25 cents.

3—She must be taken away immediately.

A husband in Leeds Police Court recently told the judge he had sold his wife for \$50 a large price. The wives are usually agreeable to the change.

MAY IMPOSE
A TAX ON MAIL
ORDER HOUSES

St. John, March 4—An act to levy a sales tax of five per cent. on all goods sold to customers through mail order houses is being prepared under the auspices of the Retail Merchants' Association and will be presented to the legislature of New Brunswick at the coming session.

The proposed act will provide that if such sales tax is not paid after certain notice in the Royal Gazette, that each person purchasing from the house neglecting to do so will be fined \$25.

Premier J. B. M. Baxter said last evening that he understood such an act was being prepared and that a deputation would wait on the government in support of the measure during the session. The government had not been interviewed as yet, he added.

Sponsors of the proposed act said last night that efforts would be made to have it introduced as a government measure.

It is said that there is no similar act in any province in Canada.

THE CABINET
HELD A FOUR
HOUR SITTING

Ottawa, March 3—The cabinet council concluded its first meeting of the present recess, shortly after 6 o'clock this evening, after a sitting which extended over four hours.

While it was officially stated that there was no official announcement to make, it is understood that the legislative program of the Government for presentation to Parliament, when the House reopens on March 15 was under discussion. A number of routine matters, it is stated, also received attention.

A further session of the cabinet will begin tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

In addition to Premier King, those present included Hon. Ernest Lapointe, minister of justice; Hon. P. J. A. Carlin, minister of marine and fisheries; Hon. Dr. J. H. King, minister of public works; Hon. E. M. MacDonald, minister of national defence; Hon. G. H. Boivin, minister of customs and excise; Hon. George P. Graham, minister without portfolio; Hon. J. A. Motherwell, minister of agriculture, and Hon. Charles Murphy, postmaster general.

Leon Trotsky's Heir
Sees Another War
Coming in Europe

Voroshilov Observes the Anniversary of the Red
Army by Prophecy Another Big Struggle
in Europe—Disarmament Talk Brings Sug-
gestion That Guns and Powder be Examined.

(Special to the Daily Mail by the British United Press)

MOSCOW, March 4—War Commissioner Voroshilov observed the anniversary of the creation of the Red Army today with a prophecy of European war.

"When the European Bourgeoisie talks disarmament" said Trotsky's heir, "I say examine your guns and powder."

"Their disarmament is a sharp warning of the coming of bloody clashes."

Voroshilov predicted that in two years the Soviet unions air fleet would be a force with which its neighbors would have to reckon. Among other things he advocated military training in the schools.

CONSERVATIVE
CHIEF GIVEN
AN OVATION

Ottawa, March 3—Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, Conservative leader, was accorded a rousing reception by his followers after the adjournment of the House this morning.

Members of the Conservative party, following the vote, gathered in their private lobby prepared to meet the Conservative chieftain as he emerged from the chamber. As soon as he put in an appearance, Mr. Meighen was serenaded and lifted on a table amid cries for a speech.

The Conservative leader briefly thanked the members for their "assiduous and loyal support" since the opening of parliament. Their co-operation had been of great assistance and success would soon be achieved by the party.

HINDENBURG
BOOT IS VERY
LARGE ONE

Leipzig, March 4—When President von Hindenburg pays his official visit to the spring Sample Fair here one of the first things he will see is a monster boot named after him and built to commemorate the six hundredth anniversary of the Doeblin Cobblers' Guild founding.

The boot stands 17 feet high, has a sole 6 feet long and 2½ feet wide and is equipped with a spur 2½ feet in diameter. It took six Doeblin shoemakers seven months to construct it, using the hides of ten oxen.

An edict was issued not long ago forbidding the use of the President's name for advertising purposes, but it is not believed he will object to this "Hindenburg boot."

SCOTT TO FACE
MURDER CHARGE

Chicago, March 3—Robert Scott, trembling with apparent fear, was brought from California today to face murder charges arising out of the killing of a drug clerk in a hold-up two years ago. His brother, Russell, convicted of the same murder escaped the gallows only through an eleventh hour insanity plea.

TROUT CAME
TO LIFE IN A
SUBWAY TRAIN

Special cable to the Daily Mail by the
British United Press)

London, March 4—A trout came to life in a subway train underneath Piccadilly Circus, Wednesday while women screamed and fainted.

Passengers on the train saw a small bundle in a man's lap begin to wiggle and finally to leap. When it jumped from the man's lap into the lap of a woman opposite, the head of a trout emerged from the paper. The woman swooned, but the trout continued leaping, making its way toward the door, encumbered by its wrapping. It was learned that the trout was caught early in the morning and presumably was revived by the unusually fine spring-like weather.

N. Y. STATE MAY
PROBE CRIME
CONDITIONS

Albany, March 3—Calling attention to the wide prevalence of crimes of violence in the State, Governor Smith in a special message submitted to the Legislature at its session tonight urged enactment of a law to authorize an investigation of their causes and devise preventives.

A temporary commission, to be composed of four legislators and five additional members appointed by the Governor, is urged as the proper agency to conduct such an inquiry. The Governor asks that an appropriation be made to defray the cost of the inquiry.

The Governor cites criminal statistics to show that Chicago in 1921 had more homicides within its boundaries than were committed inside same period in all England and Wales, with more than ten times the population. In 1923, the Governor points out, there were 42 murders committed in London, while in the City of New York the murders in that one year numbered 262.

At Upset Price.

Fifty acres. Lot No. 8, Tier 3, Coffin Block, Victoria County were sold at Department of Lands and Mines today for \$3.50 per acre to Roy Elmer Flewelling. There was no competition.

U. S. DENTIST
WAS MURDERED
BY A SERVANT

Cut Master's Throat and
Confessed the
Crime.

RESENTMENT
THE MOTIVE

Murderer Was in Love
With the Office Sec-
retary.

(Special to the Daily Mail by the
British United Press)

Beirut, March 4—Dr. Arthur Dray, principal of the dental school of the American University was murdered today by his Armenian servant.

Dr. Dray formerly lived in Philadelphia, Pa. The servant entered the doctor's quarters, cut his master's throat and immediately sought President Dodge of the American college to confess the crime. For some time the Armenian had been in love with the office secretary and Dr. Dray allegedly interfered. Resentment is believed to have prompted the servant to kill.

BIG INCREASE
IN MINERAL
PRODUCTION

Montreal, March 3—Many of the leading lights of the mining and engineering profession of Canada and the United States are gathered here for the twenty-eighth general meeting of the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy will be held in the Windsor Hotel.

Forty years ago Canada's annual mineral production had a value of about \$10,000,000. Since then expansion of the industry has been remarkable and continuous. The value of the output has increased at an average rate of more than \$6,000,000 per year and for 1925 amounted to some \$225,000,000 representing about \$25 per head for the entire population the highest per capita production of any country in the world.

The mining industry has a present capital investment of more than \$500,000,000 and employs directly about 60,000 men.

JAIL BREAKERS
RECAPTURED

Newcastle, March 3—Edward Martin and Simon Mauzerall, two of the five prisoners who escaped from the Newcastle jail early Monday morning, were caught last night by Constable Johnson of Richibucto in the village of Kouchibouguac. Johnson was assisting High Sheriff Skidd and Deputy Sheriff Doran.

The officers feel sure that the other three will be located within 24 hours. A store had been burglarized at St. Louis De Kent and Martin and Mauzerall are suspected of the robbery. Some money was found on them. The captives are being held in the jail at Richibucto.

EARL CRAVEN
AT BERMUDA

Hamilton, Bermuda, March 3—The Earl and Countess of Craven arrived here this afternoon on the steamer Canadian Fisher from Halifax.

They went to their home, Tumble Inn, in Fairlyland where they will spend the remainder of the season. The Earl is somewhat incapacitated because of an accident he suffered while boarding ship at Halifax, his artificial leg which replaced the leg he lost in the war, having been broken.

AMERICAN
DESTROYERS
TO TIEN TSIN

Labor Troubles Threat-
en to Develop a Gen-
eral Strike.

ANTI FOREIGN
ACTIVITIES

Japanese Foreman Was
Killed During the
Rioting.

Special cable to the Daily Mail by the
British United Press)

Peking, March 4—The American legation today ordered an American destroyer to Tien Tsin where labor troubles threatened to develop into a general strike with the possibility of anti-foreign activities.

Chinese laborers in Tien Tsin struck Monday and killed a Japanese foreman during rioting. The American destroyer ordered to Tien Tsin is the second such vessel sent on this errand in China this week.

The other was sent to the island of Hainan.

CUT HOLE IN
DECK AND STOLE
WET GOODS

Halifax, March 3—There was a near-riot on board the three-masted schooner Tilli, formerly rigged as a barquentine, last night when Captain Champion, the master of the vessel, which is lying in the stream, discovered that members of the crew had cut a hole in the deck and removed several cases of liquor from the cargo below, it was revealed here today.

The men were caught in the act, one below passing the goods up through the hole to another sailor. The deck, which is four inches thick, was first bored with an auger and then a block cut out large enough for a man to go through with ease.

It happened in the men's quarters, out of sight of the customs watchman and the officers of the ship who were on deck. It is understood that instead of prosecuting those implicated the whole crew will be paid off and a new crew signed on.

The customs watchman on board summoned assistance from the shore and the customs patrol boat Violetta G., put off to the Tilli. All the stolen goods were recovered intact.

HEALY SAYS
HE HAS TRUMP
CARD TO PLAY

Windsor, March 4—A statement today by Albert F. Healy, former member of Parliament for North Essex, that "the legitimate liquor ring and some of their legal advisers had offered from \$50,000 to \$150,000 to get him," as caused a sensation here.

It is inferred from Mr. Healy's very emphatic declaration to "finish what others have started" that he has a trump card to play against his accusers.

"I will give the Customs Probe Committee full co-operation," Mr. Healy said tonight.

"From what I can learn, I believe a deal has been made between a Conservative politician and representatives of the ring, whereby the ring is not to be disturbed by the Conservatives, provided I can be discredited," Mr. Healy stated.