U. S. GANGSTERS RUMORED AFTER THE CROWN JEWELS

Royal Symbols Are Removed from Tower of London for Polishing--Program for Big Parade Nears Completion.

American gangsters were plotting to sational London papers. steal the British Crown jewels caused extraordinary precautions to be taken by the police yesterday, when the jewels were transferred from the Tower of London to a Mayfair shop where they will be polished for use at the Corcnation in Westminster Alabey on May 12th.

As the thick-sided van reached the street, a police car with four the precious symbols. men inside came out of a side street and followed it. A fast 15-minute drive brought the two automobiles to Garrard and Company, the Crown jewelers in Albemarle street, off plain clothesmen were on duty, scrutinizing every passenby and peering into motor cars. They discovered no gangsters, no machine guns, nothing to disturb the peace of the teatime hour.

However, special police will be on watch day and night at Garrard's while the jewels remain there. The night before the Coronation the jewels will be moved to the Abbey in one of the Royal coaches, escorted by a guard of cavalry, with Scotland Yard men again in the offing.

The treasures moved today in cluded the Crown of England (St. Edward's crown), the Sword of State the Orb, the Golden Spurs, the four sceptres with doves and crosses two maces, the ampulla and anointing spoon, the King's gold walking staff, the state silver trumpets and a set of gold Communion plate.

Garrard's previously had received for furbishing the Imperial State Crown, the Queen's Crown, the Coronation rings, the jewelled Sword of State, and the Swords of Mercy, and Temporal and Spiritual Justice,

The idea that American gangsters were plotting to steal the Crown jewels, is believed to have originated in the mind of a practical joker or a hard-pressed space writer. Anyway it found credence in bold black, Ltd.

CONDON. April 29-Fears that headlines in several of the more sen-

The leader of the gang was said to be a Chicago gangster, who had specialized in big jewelry hauls in America. This particular plot, it was said, had been hatched in New York after which the conspirators headed for London by way of Paris, in the hopes that police surveillance of Right plain clothesmen were con aliens would be relaxed during the cealed inside the automobile truck in Coronation rush and gangsters would which the priceless load was remov- manage to slip through the Channel ed from the Jewel Rouse at the Tow- ports and make straight for the golden spurs, the crowns and the rest of

Millions of visitors to the Tower have viewed the crown jewels in their glass display case. The jewel house has now been closed to the Bond street. Here, over 30 additional public until ten days after the Cor-



D. H. ANGUS

who has been appointed Managing Director of Dumico Gold Corporation. This Company has started to open up the old Duparquet property next to the Beattie Gold Mines Ltd. Mr. Angus is also a director of Beattie Gold Mines Ltd. and McWatters Gold Mines

CANADIAN CLAIMS ESTATE OF GEORGE IV'S FIRST WIFE

Extraordinary Precautions Taken by Police as Moose Jaw, Sask., Man Says His Great-Grandfather Was Son of Morganatic Union With Mrs. Fitzherbert

The Prince fell in love and went

through a form of marriage with

her in 1785 in her drawing room.

received at Court, but Royal approv-

was a Roman Catholic. Later George

he refused to admit to his corona-

ONE HAM PAID FOR

57 TIMES BY SCOTS

OF THE SAME NAME

LONDON, Ont., April 29-The

small town storekeeper's worry about

who was going to pay for the ham has

All but one of 58 Scots in the dis-

trict paid for the ham and only one

ot it, according to a story related

Living in the town or near by are

elimination he would arrive at the

When he added up his accounts

8 adult men of the same name.

been settled.

n London today.

other claimant to the estate of Mrs. was Prince of Wales, She had then Marla Anne Fitzherbert, morganatic been twice married and was a widow. wife of King George IV, was found here today.

He is John G. Wyatt, an interior They lived together at the Dome, decorator, who claims he is a great- Brighton, Carlton House Terrace and grandson of the Royal couple. Mrs. at Richmond, Mrs. Fitzherbert was Wyatt plans to leave for England on May 21 to present her husband's al was not given to the match. She claims as a Fitzherbert descendant. Mrs. Wyatt expects to have no dif- IV married Princess Caroline, whom ficulty in establishing her husband's lineage. She declares she can remem- tion. The name of Mrs. Fitzherbert ber his grandfather telling her the was on his lips when he died. story of his Royal descent.

On the death of Mrs. Fitzherbert Mrs. Wyatt maintains ,her children took the name of Wyatt. Surviving members of the family are John Wyatt, who moved to Canada in 1911, and a sister, Mrs. J. H. Simple, formerly Isabel Annie Wyatt of Bickey, near Bromley, England.

Mrs. Simple's father, J. G. Wyatt an auctioneer of Erith, Kent, died in October, 1926, at the age of 80. The executors of his estate believe that Mrs. Simple and John Wyatt will have no difficulty in establishing their right to the fortune.

A claimant to the Fitzherbert estate has also been found in England. William Matthew O'Leary, a customs and excise preventive officer, has announced that he will shortly make egal claim to the estate, because he is convinced that he is a great-greatgrandson of King George IV and Mrs Fitzherbert, O'Leary said his investigations, showed that Mrs. Fitzherbert had three children, and that his great-great-grandfather was one of

ned at more than \$1,250,000. It con- r and got it. It was one of the 5 sists of land in Bermondsey, Wap- but which one the grocer couldn ping, Rotherhithe, Shadwell and the find out Old Kent Road, and was given by George IV to Mrs. Fitzherbert to pro- length, the grocer finally charged the vide her with an income of \$30,000 a ham to all the 58 families, reasoning year. It was then mainly arable, hat those who hadn't got it would but is now build over with ware- dispute the bill and by process of houses, factories and docks. Many of these buildings are at present disused because the owners cannot prove legal title to them.

some weeks later, he discovered Mrs. Maria Anne Fitzherbert was every one of the 58 except one had born in 1756, was brought up in paid, for the ham.

COW-CONSCIOUS ONTARIO COUNTY PLANS MEMORIAL

WOODSTOCK, April 29-Canada's irst permanent memorial to a record-MOOSE JAW, Sask., April 29-An | Paris, and met George IV when he breaking cow will be unveiled in August on the farm of T. R. Dent, Woodtock Holstein breeder.

> A life-sized metal statue of Springbank Snow Countess, the world's greatest lifetime producer of butterfat, which died Aug. 9, 1936, at Springbank Farm, will be erected at a cost approaching \$4,000. The life-sized model will rest on a base of granite and the structure will be over ten feet in height. The metal cow will weigh more than five tons.

Preliminary work has begun on a park area planned to surround the nonument. It will be located on a nillside fronting on the junction of he double lanes of Highway No. 2 ast of the city, and there will be a parking space for visitors. The layout for the plot includes a semicircuar walk from each side of the parkng space up to the monument, a crassy sward decorated with shrubs erwise, will be used for repairs. Sir and hedges, the whole to be flood- John has additionally placed a sum ighted at night.

Construction of the monument is being sponsored by the Holstein-Friesian Association, and contracts already have been signed for the staue base and shrubbery.

Canada's Favourite Tea

HISTORIC KENILWORTH CASTLE PRESENTED TO BRITISH PEOPLE

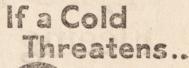
of the castle, has been made.

The castle will immediately come under the control of the Office of Works for guardianship and management under a national trust scheme. The revenues, from tourists and othat the disposal of the Office of Works to permit urgent repairs to be made

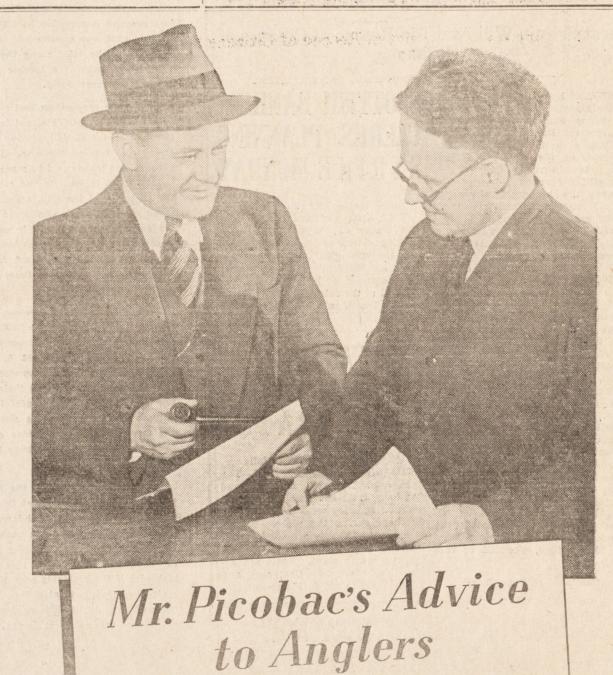
Large sums were spent in restoring Kenilworth Castle in the 16th Century, when it had its last extensive

without delay.

LONDON, April 29-Historic Kenil- renovation. The Earl of Leicester worth Castle has been purchased by made them in preparation for the ris Sir John Siddeley, automobile and it of Queen Elizabeth, whom he enaircraft magnate, it was announced tertained with great lavishness. "Cab yesterday. No mention of the price sar's Tower" has walls 16 feet thick paid to the Earl of Clarendon, owner and has withstood all ravages of time.







WANT you to put a piece in the paper where everybody will see it," said Mr. Picobac to his friend, Herb Smith, editor of the Essex Centre Gazette and County Advertiser (circulation guaranteed). "It'll save me a lot of time writing letters in answer to correspondents." "Sure," said Herb, feeling for the pencil behind his ear. "It's poetry," confessed Mr. Picobac, handing it over. The editor read it aloud:

"Angler's Calendar for April"

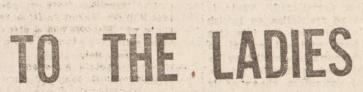
"Give your good trout rod a coat of shellac, "Glue up the ferrules if any be slack;

"Test all your tapers, silk, linen or cotton,
"Cut off the ends of all such as be rotten;
"Take last summer's leaders now frazzled and worn,
"All moth-eaten trout flies, tattered and torn,
"Make one last cast with them—throw them away,
"Stock up with new stuff for Trout Opening Day."

"Sounds like an ad," said the editor. "What about the smokes?" 'Picobac, of course," said Mr. Picobac briefly. "In handy seal-tight pouches."





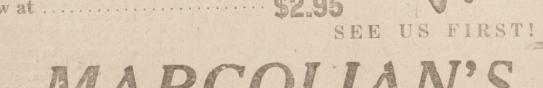


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