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## ATTEMPTED TO LYNCH HIM

### Negro in Jail on Murder Charge Narrowly Escaped Being Strung Up

Angry Mob Surrounded the Jail and Were Beaten Off by Police—Prisoner May be Innocent.

Asbury Park, N. J., Nov. 15.—Following an abortive attempt by a mob to lynch Thomas Williams, the negro suspected of the murder of nine year old Marie Smith, the prisoner, trembling with fear and on the verge of collapse, was quietly removed early today from the local jail and whisked away in an automobile to the country jail in Freehold. The mob had been scattered, and the streets were comparatively clear, so that the officers in charge of the prisoner had little difficulty in getting him out of town.

Williams, whimpering and covering presented a pitiable spectacle as he was brought from the jail which a short time before had been surrounded by a howling mob. The police had been able to drive the crowd back with their clubs, capturing a sledge hammer and several crowbars. Williams denies all knowledge of the crime, and from official sources it was learned that he had apparently established a good alibi. He is being held without bail for further examination and to await the inquest.

The mutilated body of the Smith child was found in the woods near her home on Sunday and Williams, who had been missing since Wednesday last, the day the girl disappeared, was arrested Sunday evening.

Freehold, N. J. Nov. 15.—Thomas Williams the negro suspect in the Marie Smith child murder and assault case was brought from Asbury Park today in an automobile and safely lodged in the county jail here. The guard accompanying him was heavily armed and it was reported that every road leading to Freehold was being watched by a crowd of would-be lynchers. The journey, however, was made without interruption. At the Freehold station a crowd of two hundred men was waiting in the belief that Williams would be brought here by train. Loud threats were made that he would never enter the jail alive but the use of the automobile foiled the mob.

### U. N. B. ENGINEERS' DINNER TONIGHT

The annual dinner of the Engineering Society of the U. N. B. will be held at Windsor Hall at 9.30 to-night. The guests will include the Engineering Faculty, Mayor Thomas and several graduates.

Mr. P. A. Edington will occupy the chair and will propose the following toasts:

The King, to be replied to with musical honors.

Canada, Dr. Jones.

Educational Institutions, Dr. Carson.

The City of Fredericton, Mayor Thomas.

Alma Mater, G. F. Baird.

The Engineering Profession, City Engineer Feeney.

The Engineering Society, Professors Stone and Cartmell.

The Forestry Department, Professor Miller.

Arts Department, J. B. McNair.

Graduate, A. R. Babbitt, '10.

Athletics, Professor Stephens and H. C. Kington.

The Ladies, W. H. Hoyt and A. A. Brown.

The Press, H. C. Belyea.

Senior Class, F. G. Deedes, '11.

Junior Class, H. F. Barnes, '12.

Sophomore Class, G. T. Feeney, '13.

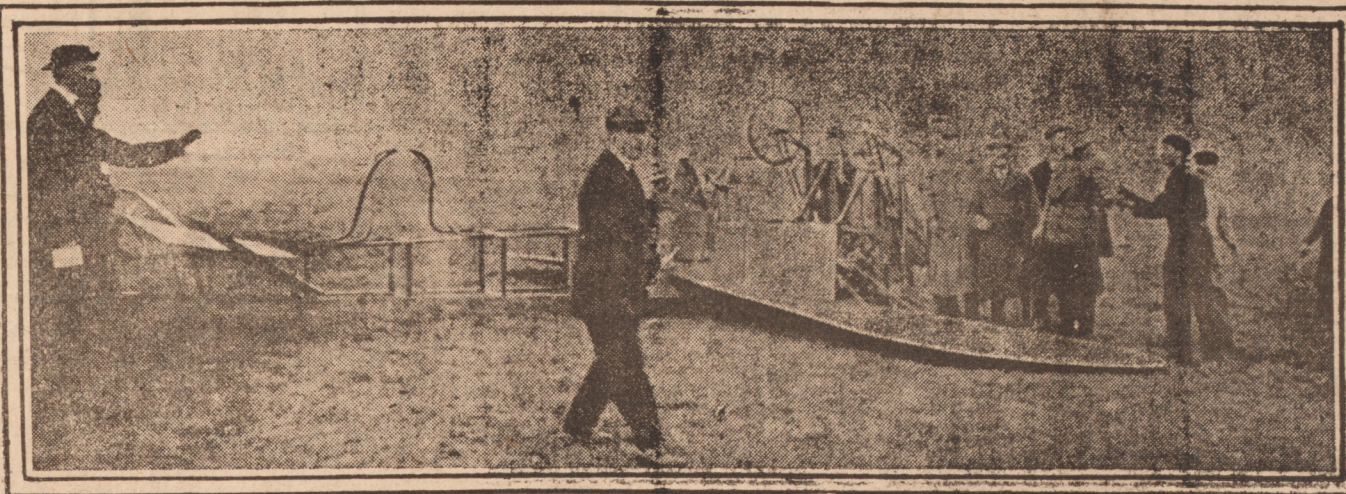
Freshman Class, D. VanWart, '14.

Mr. Bernard Allen is the secretary and has charge of the arrangements.

REPAIR SHOP ERECTED.

A machine shop has been erected at McGivney and will be used during the winter to do all repairing on that portion of the N. T. C. Ry. near McGivney. It is expected that sixty or seventy men will be employed in the repair shop.

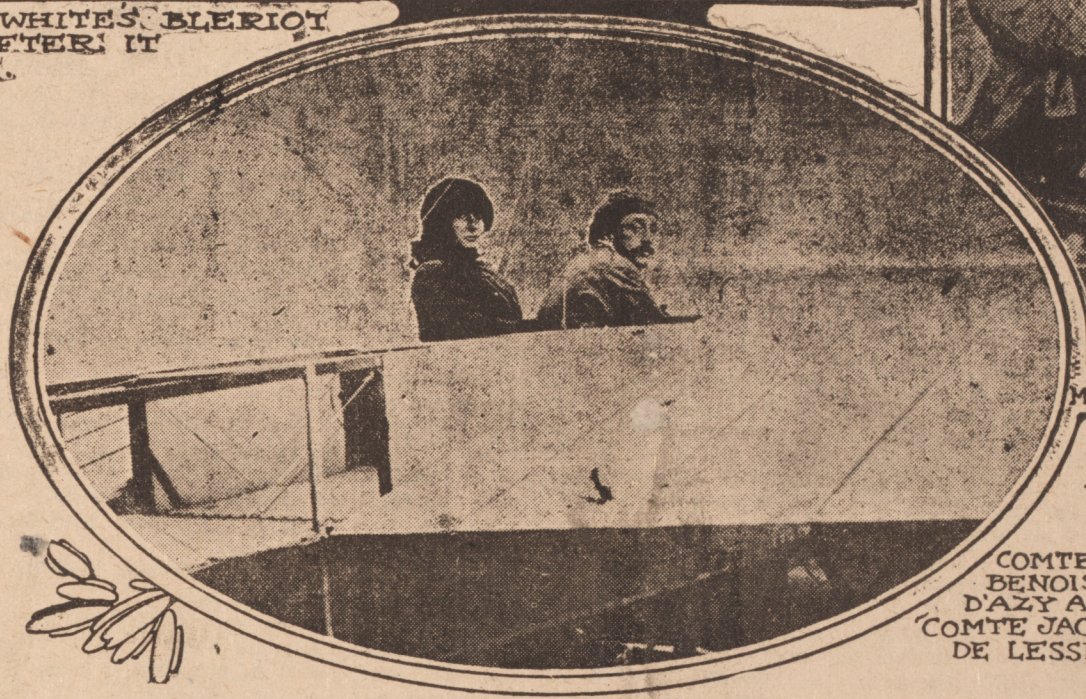
## THE WORLD'S GREATEST AVIATION MEET



MR. CLAUDE GRAHAME-WHITE'S BLERIOT PHOTOGRAPHED JUST AFTER IT TURNED TURTLE.



MR. JOHNSTONE READY FOR FLIGHT.



COMTESSE BENOIST D'AZY AND COMTE JACQUES DE LESSEPS.

New York, Nov. 15.—Mr. Ralph Johnstone, on the last day of the aviation meet at Belmont Park, crowned with the world's record for altitude the greatest aviation meeting the world has ever known.

The wonderful cloud climbing of Mr. Johnstone, reaching into the thin high strata of winds that lay 9,714 feet above the field from which he ascended formed a fitting climax to an aviation tournament that has set a pace that will be as hard to follow as Mons. Lebranc's frightful flight through the air during his record smashing flight for the international trophy, and as hard to beat as Mr. Johnstone's altitude record.

Mr. Grahame-White trying to land in the field after winning the grand race struck the ground with so much force that his machine turned turtle, and for a second he was buried underneath it. When the machine was lifted he stepped out and showed that he had escaped without injury.

Mr. Mars failed to appear for the contest for third money and Mon-s Abron went the distance without competition.

Comte de Lesseps carried a woman passenger around the course for several laps, the passenger being Comtesse d'Azy, wife of Lieutenant Commander d'Azy, naval attaché of the French Embassy at Washington.

### SETTLEMENT OF CHICAGO STRIKE NOT IN SIGHT

Chicago, Nov. 15.—Settlement in the strike of the 40,000 garment workers does not appear to be in sight. The employers say they will not listen to any proposition for settlement of the strike on any basis except that of an open shop agreement.

General Auditors Haskins of the United Garment Workers of America, said last night that after the convention of the American Federation of Labor, now in session at St. Louis, closes, 1,000 union workers will be brought from St. Louis to Chicago to aid the strikers.

They intend to assist the garment workers by soliciting funds, speaking at mass meetings and securing employment in other cities for the single men who are out of work as a result of the strike.

### SENSATION PROMISED IN WESTERN CANADA

Regina, Nov. 15.—(Special).—War-rants have been issued on the complaint of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police against three men, charged with being implicated in land grant frauds in the Tisdale district. Startling developments are looked for.

### OLD TIME TURFMAN GONE TO HIS REWARD

New York, Nov. 15.—David Tenny Pulsifer, at one time widely known in sporting circles, is dead at his home here, at the age of 80 years. He at one time owned a fine stable of horses and was a close follower of the turf. He is credited with discovering the late Jake Schaefer, the tillard champion, and in his younger days was an amateur champion himself.

### RIVER SEINE STILL RISING QUITE RAPIDLY

Paris, Nov. 15.—The River Seine raised at the rate of four-tenths of an inch an hour today. The official statement that the Maximum flood would be reached on Thursday next has not reassured the riverside dwellers in the city and suburbs, who see the water advancing slowly in the streets and fear another disaster.

The return of flood conditions has convinced the government that the raising of the parapets is but a makeshift measure and accordingly it will push the big project of a canal to divert the waters in times of flood. The building of this canal will be a matter of years.

### THEFT CASE BEFORE CHATHAM POLICE COURT

Chatham, Nov. 15.—(Special).—The preliminary hearing of the case of Patrick Anderson charged with stealing eighty-five dollars from Francis O'Connor, commenced this morning before Magistrate Connors.

### LITTLE BUSINESS AT KING'S CIRCUIT COURT

Hampton, Nov. 15.—(Special).—His Honor Judge Barry presided at the Circuit Court here this morning, and required just ten minutes to dispose of the business. Two cases on the docket were stood over until April.

### VERDICT OF ACQUITTAL IN MURDER CASE

Ashville, Tenn., Nov. 15.—Robin Cooper, charged with the murder of Senator E. W. Carman was today awarded a verdict of not guilty.

### MEXICAN GOV. DEFAUDED BY SMUGGLERS

El Paso, Tex., Nov. 15.—Juarez, Mexico, is torn by disclosures of wholesale smuggling, in which government officers are implicated. Special inspectors from Mexico have caused the arrest of Chief Inspector Pa'nes, who has been in charge of the customs service there for several years. Simultaneously, twelve inspectors disappeared and cannot be found. The Mexican government had been defrauded out of thousands of dollars monthly by dishonest inspectors, it is said.

### HALIFAX EXHIBITION HAD \$1400 DEFICIT

Halifax, Nov. 15.—(Special).—The deficit in connection with the recent Provincial Exhibition amounts to \$14,000. Last year there was a deficit of \$10,000.

### COPPER MAGNATE DIES IN ITALY

Houghton, Mich., Nov. 15.—Edwin H. Hurlburt, discoverer of the Calumet and Hecla mine, one of the most profitable copper producers in the world, is dead in Rome, Italy, according to advices received here. Mr. Hurlburt was 81 years old.

### WILL DISPOSE OF HORSE

The Fire Committee this morning decided to dispose of the mare which was purchased some months ago for the purpose of hauling the ladder-truck. The animal has been found to be too light for the work. A. M. Walger, Chairman of the Fire Committee will take steps to procure a more suitable horse. The horse now owned by the city will then be disposed of by auction or tender.

## IN A CRITICAL CONDITION

### The Great Russian Novelist and His Wife Reported to be Dying

Count Tolstoi was Stricken Down While on a Pilgrimage—Countess is Heart Broken.

Tula, Russia, Nov. 15.—The condition of both Count Leo Tolstoi and the Countess are reported today as critical. The count appears to be succumbing to a fever brought on by mental distress and exposure, incident to his voluntary exile from home, while his deserted wife is believed to be dying of a broken heart.

The imaginative mind of the great novelist scarcely could have conceived a more tragic ending of two lives than have been interwoven for half a century.

Tolstoi, overcome with fatigue, while attempting yesterday to continue his pilgrimage from the monastery at Shamardino, to the Caucasus where he had hoped to spend his last days in the Tolstolian Colony on the shores of the Black Sea, lies in a miserable hut at the railroad flag station at Astapova, at which point he was removed from the train when his physician and companion, Dr. Makovetzky, realized that a continuation of the journey would result in his death. Today Dr. Makovetzky and consulting physicians declared that the state of the aged man was most serious. On the Tolstoi estate at Yasnaya Poliana, less than eighty miles from Astapova, the Countess today received the last sacraments. When her husband disappeared last Thursday she attempted suicide.

Since then one nervous crisis after another has followed. For four days she has not touched food. The two physicians who have remained in constant attendance, say that their patient is prostrated mentally and physically and that her illness has reached a critical stage.

Those in close touch with the novelist say that Tolstoi felt the approach of death and that his disappearance from home was influenced by a desire to spare his family pain and the complications that might ensue regarding his funeral because of his ex-communication from the Greek church.

### REARRANGED HOURS OF DUTY.

The Police Commission met yesterday afternoon for the purpose of arranging for a substitute for Policeman Boulter, who has been called to Carleton County by the serious illness of his wife. The commission decided on a rearrangement of the hours of duty of the other policemen, which makes unnecessary the appointment of a substitute.

## MEAT PACKERS LOWER PRICES

### Pork Has Declined Three Cents a Pound During Past Week

A Decided Drop in the Price of Beef and Mutton Has Also Taken Place.

Chicago, Nov. 15.—The prices of beef and pork are falling. Within the last week, the price of beef has been reduced between 4 and 5 cents a pound by the meat packers. The price of pork has declined about three cents from the price of 18 and 20 cents a week ago and wholesale meat dealers say that mutton and veal and other products of the packing houses will take a downward turn within the next few days.

"Prices of the first grades of beef has been falling for about a week," said Frank A. Froehling, "they did not go off all at once, but the packing houses have been coming down about half a cent at a time until now the price of prime beef is between four or five cents lower than it was last week at this time, and that of the best grades of pork is from 2 to 3 cents lower. This applies, of course, to the fine roast beef and steaks for the ordinary quality has not fallen off and I do not think it will."

New York, Nov. 15.—Reports from various parts of the country, indicating a fall in the price of meats, are reflected by similar reports from local dealers. They say the decline has already begun the wholesale price of beef having gone off from 3 to 4 cts. the last week. This is regarded as significant by them, since no such prices had been experienced in the past year.

The marketmen attributed the relief from high prices to the enormous corn crop.

## LOS ANGELES TO HAVE SIXTY DAYS OF RACING

San Francisco, Nov. 15.—The news from Los Angeles that sixty days' meeting will be held at the Santa Anita track this winter is the topic of conversation among the horsemen at the Emeryville track. Many look forward to trouble as it is known that Tom Williams, head of the Jockey Club does not intend to let anybody interfere with the success of the meeting here. Racing on the coast has been in rather a precarious state for the last two years and turfmen say that strife among the tracks will not help the sport.

It is figured that the results of the election will help the turf interests, but how has not yet been made clear. The business men of Los Angeles have felt that lack of entertainment in the way of racing has diverted hundreds of tourists to other points on the coast and it is claimed that the Santa Anita owners have the backing of the business interests in and around Los Angeles. Whether the Los Angeles promoters will get a sanction is an open question. Even if no sanction could be secured, it is believed that southern owners will start any way and take a chance of having their horses race over again next year.

## DRUNKEN MAN SHOTS TWO WOMEN

Toronto, Nov. 14.—Infuriated by drink and by fancied insult, James Shaw, a laborer, aged 25, shot and seriously wounded two waitresses in the American restaurant, 233 King Street east, shortly before 2 o'clock today. The younger, Georgina Carr, a granddaughter of Mrs. Greenslade, proprietress of the place, is in a serious condition at the general hospital, while the other, Bessie Brooks, is at St. Michael's, not so badly injured.

Shaw is at the police station charged with shooting with intent to kill. The motive is said to have been jealousy, through both women are married.