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Williams asked the question whether the city would be responsible for the agricultural show, if it were this year.

Mr. Cameron of the finance committee said the city was only liable for appropriated in the estimates, and he was going to take up the by-law but notice of motion was postponed and the introduction of law was continued till next week.

OF TRADE COUNCIL

ent "Acknowledges" the "Request for Railway Subsidy."

to be Appointed to the "Chambers of Commerce."

ing of the council of the British Board of Trade was held, a number of important resolutions were considered.

aging editor of the Journal of Commerce wrote asking the opinion of the council respecting the question of taking land into the Dominion.

It was decided that with the permission of the board of directors the board prefer not to come to an expression of opinion on endorsing the scheme for the whole of the British-American possessions.

de Knevet, agent general for the board, forwarded a number of books for the reading of the council.

an Irving, of the committee on navigation, to whom was referred from Capt. Clarke, had recommended a light on Fiddle Island and Fiddle reef lights.

the board's recommendation to which they prefer for the city. Tabled.

ary of the third congress of the board of commerce of the city that the congress would meet in June, 1896, and setting out that previous sessions had

etary was instructed to acknowledge the letter, stating that the delegate appointed by the board had declined the appointment of the board and J. H. Todd was in place.

of letters were received requesting the board to assist in the construction of a railway to Comox. The board of directors and canal authorities of the board's telegraph.

the secretary of the minister board wrote stating that the board had taken no action regarding the resolution asking aid, not being sufficiently acquainted with the circumstances. The board endorsed the resolution.

a rider that if the subsidy for the E. & N. railway should be their lands to actual settlers. The Nanaimo board of directors to endorse the Vancouver board did not endorse on account of the "any definite information."

and died.

or De Cosmos was thanked for a letter regarding a ferry to and, which was received last week.

adjourned to meet again on Monday, when by-laws will be considered.

RAMWAY COMPANY.

appointed by the Court—Garnishee Orders.

list last the Union Colliery and R. Dunsmuir & Sons' agreement aggregating about \$100,000 for the Victoria Electric R. Co. The plaintiffs applied for a receiver, which is a receiver for the company.

Justice Walker this morning in order appointing Henry John Black McKillop as receiver effects and assets of the company. The receivers are to take possession of the property.

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IN THE EASTERN PROVINCES

Heat Parching Crops in Ontario—Deaths From Sunstroke at Hamilton.

Hendershott's Application for a New Trial Refused—C. P. R. Traffic.

Toronto, June 3.—For the past week the thermometer has averaged 94 in the shade and many cases of prostration have been reported. Three deaths due to heat have occurred in Hamilton since Saturday.

Reports from all over southern Ontario tell of the great damage done to crops, and if the rain does not come soon serious results may follow.

Toronto, June 3.—The city property owners on Saturday voted down by-laws to expend \$300,000 on water works improvements and \$277,000 for a civic electric light plant. The majority against both by-laws was more than 9 to 1.

Peterboro, June 3.—An inquiry has been instituted into the cause of the death of David Schollie, an old bachelor who farmed near here and met his death 25 months ago. Living with him on the farm were Thomas Gray, his wife and children, who had an arrangement that for taking care of him till he died he should leave them his property. One night in 1893 while Gray was away a fire broke out in the house.

She said she got out with the children scantly clad and called to Schollie, but he did not come out. His headless body was subsequently found in the rear part of the house not far from where his room was. After the fire Gray claimed the property, sold the farm and left the country.

Toronto, June 3.—Hon. Thomas Greenway is here. In an interview he said he intended making a statement to the legislature on the day it opened, relative to the Manitoba school question. This matter was the first order of business and would be taken up without delay. As to what decision was arrived at or what would be the purport of his announcement, Mr. Greenway refused to give any information.

Montreal, June 3.—Judge Doherty has again rejected the petition for an order to restrain the city council from passing a resolution awarding the Montreal Gas Company a ten years' limit.

In the Queen's bench to-day the jury in the case of Edwards, who killed his sister at Outremont with a hammer in March, returned a verdict that Edwards was insane.

The C. P. R. traffic for the week ending May 31 was \$465,000; for the same week last year it was \$473,000.

Quebec, June 3.—James Sullivan has been appointed harbor master here.

Millbrook, June 3.—Ephraim Clark was drowned in the mill pond near here while bathing with a companion.

Hamilton, June 3.—Thomas Downs and Cornelius Green have died from sunstroke.

Toronto, June 3.—Deputy Attorney-General Cartwright has carefully gone over the evidence taken at the trial of Duncan Hendershott and W. D. Welton, sentenced to be executed on June 18 for the murder of the former's nephew, and has decided to refuse an application for a new trial.

Four citizens of Toronto have been fined \$5 each and costs for playing golf on the ground of the Toronto Golf club on Sunday. The case will be appealed.

W. B. Wood has been appointed registrar of deeds for Brant, vice Shennstone, deceased.

Winnipeg, June 3.—A small cyclone struck the Broken Head district on Friday evening last, tearing the roof from several buildings. There were no fatalities.

Rev. Canon Pentecost, rector of Christ church, was tendered a farewell and presented with a purse by the citizens of Winnipeg to-night.

Halifax, N. S., June 4.—Word has been received here to the effect that sealers have been spreading trawls near Sable Island, not far from the northeast corner, which is a rendezvous for seals while yet young, and which is, in fact, the only available place for the animals in this part of the Atlantic. Complaint is also made that the foxes which were placed on the island some three years ago for the extermination of pestiferous cats, have failed in this object, and have made serious ravages upon the black and shell ducks, of which the island is a favorite resort. These matters will be brought to the attention of the government.

Montreal, June 4.—While laborers were excavating the site of the new Dalhousie Square station of the C. P. R. this afternoon a landslide occurred, killing one man and injuring several others.

The grand jury has returned a true bill against two Grand Trunk conductors, William Lewis and Frederick Penneville, for conspiring to defraud.

Woodstock, June 4.—A two-story frame house on Dundas street, owned by J. and T. Grant, and occupied by Thomas Cole, where he carried a \$15,000 stock of dry goods, was destroyed by fire this evening. The stock is a total loss. It was insured for \$4000 in the Commercial Union and London and Lancashire companies. The building was insured for \$1000 in the Waterloo Mutual.

Toronto, June 4.—It is stated here that the crown has secured evidence in the Otonabee tragedy to prove that the head of David Schollie was seen from the body with a buck saw and that the operator was a woman.

The remains of Willie Wells, with whose murder the Hyamses are charged, are still at the undertaker's here, and are not likely to be buried until after the next trial.

Godwin Smith writes to the press opposing women's suffrage.

The name of ex-Ald. Hall, of this city, who was mixed up in the recent boodling investigation, has been removed from the roll of barristers for Ontario.

Mary Atkinson, aged seventy-six, died in the country last yesterday from the effects of a criminal assault committed on her on Wednesday night by William Broom and Frank Smith. Broom and Smith, who have each served terms in the penitentiary, are under arrest.

Winnipeg, June 4.—The Archbishop of Athabaska writes in the city press calling attention to the rapid devastation of the northern forests by fires. He says many parts of his diocese formerly thick with timber are now but blackened wastes.

Extensive reductions are proposed in the salaries of Winnipeg's city officials. All the members of the Winnipeg city police force have been appointed provincial constables by the local government, so as to provide better police protection in the suburbs of the city.

A big beaver dam has been discovered on the line of the projected Hudson's Bay road, north of Gladstone.

John Goldstaub, merchant, of Plum Coulee, has been sentenced to three months imprisonment for concealing goods with intent to defraud the insurance companies.

Winnipeg capitalists are reported to have discovered a good bed of coal at Buffalo point, adjacent to the Lake of the Woods, and near the United States boundary. It is now being surveyed.

Several Hungarians from North Dakota arrived here to-day en route to the Bella Coola, B.C., district, where they take up land. They are in charge of C. P. R. Passenger Agent Farrel.

Toronto, June 4.—There was a very fashionable marriage this evening at 8 o'clock in the Church of the Redeemer, when Albert Johnson, of New York, was wedded to Louise Victoria MacFarlane, daughter of J. P. M. MacFarlane, of this city. There were three hundred and fifty guests, many of whom were from New York, Cleveland, Boston and other American cities.

Winnipeg, June 5.—The Lake of the Woods Milling Co. have decided to increase their elevator capacity in this province by 750,000 bushels.

Belleville, June 5.—A big storm is passing over here. Pieces of ice a half inch thick by two inches square fell, breaking the windows in many places. Barns were blown down and four cottages on Big Island were also demolished.

Smith's Falls, June 5.—At yesterday's session of the Montreal Methodist conference there was a spirited discussion on the Manitoba school question. Dr. Shaw endeavored by various means to shelve the subject, but the conference was almost unanimous in declaring against federal interference.

Toronto, Ont., June 5.—R. K. Oliver, barrister, of this city, died at Rochester yesterday.

NEWFOUNDLAND.

So Far the Fisheries Have Been About the Average.

St. John, Nfld., June 4.—An adjournment of the legislature occasions uneasiness, especially as the newspapers publish press clippings tending to show that certain legal points require to be proven before the loan negotiations can be concluded. The legislature may not proceed to business until after Colonial Secretary Bond's return from England, if he can get back before the end of June. If not the retrenchment proposals will be introduced, as it is essential that all changes of salaries and reductions of grants begin before the next quarter.

The fisheries reports show an average catch so far this year. Sir Herbert Murray, British commissioner, who was sent here by the Imperial government to aid in the relief of the poor, is arranging to conclude his work by June 15.

St. John's, Nfld., June 3.—There was no meeting of the legislature again to-day. The executive is preparing a retrenchment scheme and also arranging the budget and the tariff revision. The clergy of all denominations are unanimously opposing the reductions in the educational grant of twenty five per cent.

As contemplated by the government. It is stated by the opposition press that Premier Whiteaway is to be elected from the premiership and succeeded by Colonial Secretary Bond. There seems to be considerable probability in the report. The work on the railway begins at the end of the week. About 1,500 men will be employed.

METHODIST MISSIONS.

At Chen Tu, China. Destroyed by Rioters—No Lives Lost.

New York, June 3.—Dr. L. L. Baldwin, recording secretary of the Methodist Episcopal board of missions, was seen to-day at the board room in regard to the reported destruction of the society's mission homes at Chen Tu, the capital of the province of Ezechuen. "The destruction was reported to have been the work of Chinese rioters. We received a cablegram this morning from Chung King, the board's headquarters in Western China," said Dr. Baldwin. "The cablegram stated that on May 31st Chinese rioters had destroyed the mission buildings at Chen Tu, but no one connected with the mission had been injured. Our board has mission houses, chapel and a hospital, which latter is in course of erection at Chen Tu. Our missionaries include Rev. H. Olin Cad, and wife, Rev. J. F. Port and wife, Dr. H. L. Canright and wife, and Rev. J. O. Curnow and wife. The Canadian Methodist board of missions has a branch at Chen Tu, as has also the Inland China Missionary society of England. Chen Tu is the western missionary locality in China. It is situated near the border of Tibet and is the most populous city in Western China, and the political and literary centre of the province. We expect to receive full particulars as to the uprising and the damage done by the next mail steamer to reach this country from China."

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

The Jubilee Regatta a Harwich—Ailsa Kins Ashore When in the Lead.

The Fitzsimmons-Corbett Mill to be Pulled Off in Texas—Local Sports.

YACHTING.

HARWICH REGATTA.

Harwich, Eng., June 3.—The Stephanie has lodged a protest against the Niagara, claiming that the latter fouled her.

The Times says of yesterday's race that the Niagara was improved greatly over her Lowestoft form, but it was entirely through the state of the weather that she got a forward place at the finish.

"The most meritorious performers of the day," says the Times, "were unquestionably the Stephanie and the Audrey. The finish was thoroughly diverting, and well he said that May 17, 1895, will long remain a red-letter day, not only in the history of Gloucestershire cricket, but of the game itself. As may be imagined, the great player was the recipient of hearty congratulations, the crowd giving full vent to their feelings of admiration and delight."

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GRESHAM BURIED.

The Remains of the Secretary Committed to the Tomb.

Chicago, May 31.—The remains of Walter Q. Gresham were laid in the vault in Oakwood cemetery yesterday afternoon, there to remain until the members of his family have decided upon a place of final interment, either in Oakwood or in some other cemetery in Chicago. Gen. Gresham loved Chicago and it loved him.

New in the city's history, save the day when the dead body of Abraham Lincoln was carried through its streets, has Chicago testified as fully her grief at the death of any one man. The streets through which the funeral cortege passed and the cemetery were packed with a crowd so dense that they could be packed no closer. For hours before the time set for the arrival of the funeral train thousands of people stood waiting in the sun, which beat down on them with tropical fervor. As the hearse passed slowly along every head was uncovered in respect to the illustrious dead, and during the short services before the body was finally placed in the vault, the cemetery for a distance of several hundred feet around the vault was filled with a throng of people.

The men who walked before the casket as honorary pallbearers were men who sat beside him when he graced the Federal bench and upheld the nation's laws with the same frank and fearless spirit in which he had upheld his honor on the battlefield. They were the floor of the open vault stood Grover Cleveland, the man who holds the highest office in the gift of the American people, and there stood other men—the old Grand Army, whose hearts were full of love and the spirit of brotherhood for Walter Q. Gresham, because he, as well as they, had in the dark days of the nation's life held firm his faith and kept pace with a full, free step to the music of the Union.

At one side of the vault were drawn up squadrons of the famous "fighting" Seventh cavalry, and in the background was the dark blue of the Fifteenth infantry. They stood motionless at present arms, and when the last of the commitment services were over the buglers of the Seventh stepped forward, raised their bugles and in clear notes sounded "taps." No other military honors were given, and the tributes to which the exalted rank and eminent services of the dead man so justly entitled him were, at the wish of his family, dispensed with. In fact, none were needed, for the fame of the man who had shone as a soldier, a jurist and cabinet minister is secure with the people who loved him so well.

STODDART IS ELECTED.

He Secures a Majority of Twelve Over J. D. Prentice.

Mr. D. A. Stoddart, the government candidate, was elected a member of the provincial legislature for East Lillooet by the bye-election held on Saturday by a majority of 12 over Mr. J. D. Prentice, the opposition candidate. At the general election Mr. Prentice secured a majority of one. The election was protested, but the matter was compromised by both candidates agreeing to another election on being passed in the house to make it possible. Both candidates were very popular in the district. As far as heard from the details of the voting are: Clinton, Stoddart, 47; Prentice, 36; Lac La Hache, Stoddart, 17; Prentice, 13.

Mr. Stoddart was a member of the sixth parliament, being elected at the general election in 1891.

Napanee, Ont., June 5.—Fred Neilson, aged 15, attending the collegiate institute here, while swimming in the Napanee river yesterday was seized with a cramp and was drowned.

his batting at that stage being of a brilliant description. Perhaps the most remarkable fact in connection with his innings was that so far as could be seen he did not give an actual chance until the one that brought about his dismissal. When at 245 he had a narrow escape of being caught at mid-wicket, only just touching, and not quite reaching the ball, but this was the only serious blemish in a wonderful display that will not be forgotten by those who had the good fortune to be present. Another very remarkable feature was the pace at which Grace obtained his runs. His first 50 runs only occupied an hour, the total then being 91, and he scored 102 out of 183 in two hours. As was only to be expected, he was unable to maintain this great rate of scoring, but his second hundred only took him as many minutes, the score then being 340, while altogether he was at the wickets for five hours and twenty minutes, having gone in first, and being ninth out at 463. His innings consisted of 38 fours, 11 threes, 29 twos, and only 45 singles. The occasion was further rendered memorable by the fact that with his score of 288 runs Dr. Grace completed the unparalleled feat of obtaining one hundred innings of three figures in first class cricket, and it may well be said that May 17, 1895, will long remain a red-letter day, not only in the history of Gloucestershire cricket, but of the game itself. As may be imagined, the great player was the recipient of hearty congratulations, the crowd giving full vent to their feelings of admiration and delight."

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THE OIL DISTRICT IN FLAMES

The Pennsylvania Oil Section a Mass of Flames—Scorching Weather.

The Alliance Affair Settled—Lady Sholto Douglas Still on the Boards.

Buffalo, N. Y., June 4.—To-day's weather is a record breaker. The thermometer registered 92. The wind has veered around to the south from the southwest, giving the city a radiated heat from the land instead of a cooler lake breeze.

Detroit, Mich., June 4.—The jury in the case of Mrs. Nellie Pope, charged with the murder of her husband, returned a verdict of guilty at 2 p.m. She was immediately sentenced to life imprisonment.

Baltimore, Md., June 4.—A special to the News from Wheeling, W. Va., says 500 striking miners from Dillonville attacked non-union men at the Graycliff Coal Company's works, which resumed this morning, and beat 20 of them in a terrible manner. One man will die.

San Francisco, June 4.—Loretta Addis, Lady Douglas, is still performing at the local theatre while Lord Sholto is away at Burlingame for a short season. She does not consider herself fully married as no religious ceremony has been performed, only a legal tie by a justice of the peace.

New York, June 4.—Stocks closed steady.

At the regular board meeting of the Commercial Cable Company, held to-day, the usual quarterly dividend of 1 1/2 per cent. was declared, payable July 1. The transfer books will be closed on the 21st of June and re-opened on the 2nd of July.

Washington, June 4.—The state department to-day received from the States Minister Taylor at Madrid the complete and final answer of Spain to the demand of Secretary Gresham for the disavowal of firing on the United States merchant ship Alliance. The document has been awaited for some time with interest and it was undoubtedly one of the main subjects which acting Secretary of State Uhl brought to the attention of the cabinet at the meeting to-day. The answer is most cordial in tone, and is expressive of the fullest disavowal of the firing on the Alliance of the Spanish gunboat which fired on the Alliance. It is said to be entirely satisfactory to the government as it fully meets in letter and spirit the demands made.

There is no longer any reasonable doubt that the President has determined to ask Attorney-General Olney to accept the state department portfolio.

Newark, N. J., June 4.—The fire which broke out in the grain elevator attached to the Ballantyne brewery at 12:45 o'clock this morning is under control. The loss is roughly estimated at \$250,000; partly covered by insurance. Cause of fire unknown.

Bradford, Pa., June 4.—Coon Run, three miles from Russell City, which was wiped out yesterday afternoon, is entirely obliterated from the face of the earth. The place consisted of 27 buildings, pump station, school house, and a saw mill. A. B. Fowler, superintendent of the Northern Oil Co., says while he and his men were at work "building a fire," a stiffening breeze came up as if by magic and in less time than it takes to tell it the fire was upon them. They ran to the town and aroused the people. Men, women and children made a wild race for the railroad track, a distance of five miles, while the flames played havoc with their belongings. The Northern Oil Co. lost forty oil wells at their place and a large number of new rigs that had been built for the new wells. About 25 tanks of oil were consumed and lent energy to the flames. The Elk Oil Co. is also a heavy loser. The fire reported at Knappe Creek is still raging, and has done a large amount of damage. The fire has spread to Bell's camp, and 35 oil wells are now on fire. Reports from Duke Centre state that the entire valley is on fire, and the loss to oil and lumber men will be enormous. Kansas Branch, Davis City, Summit City, Dallas City, Oil Water, Limestone, State Line, Derrick City and Red Rock are all in it, and unless rain falls soon there is no telling what the result will be. The sky is black with smoke, and the mountains are invisible on all sides. The heat is intense. The fire has reached the oil field at West Branch. A dense cloud of smoke has burst forth. It is reported several wells and tanks are on fire.

Jamestown, N.Y., June 4.—At noon the thermometer registered 98 in the shade and at 2 p.m. 96, the humidity increasing during the afternoon.

Last evening Mrs. Smith, of North Park street, met with a painful accident as a result of a horse being tied across the sidewalk to allow him to graze. She was walking up Herald street, opposite Calvary church, when she tripped across the rope and was thrown to the ground. The horse was taken to the pound.

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