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TARTE BRINGS A MESSAGE

Says All Must Live in Peace if Canada is to Become a Great Country.

TALK TO WEST DURHAM LIBERALS.

Celebration of Their Victory in the Recent Election—Hon. J. R. Stratton Also Present.

Bowmanville, Aug. 27.—That the picnic given by the West Durham Liberal Association in a pretty grove about five miles northeast of Bowmanville, and known in the neighborhood as Pollard's Grove, Wednesday afternoon, proved at all a success was due to a series of fortunate circumstances for which the management have every reason to feel grateful. Early in the day word was received that J. I. Tarte, Minister of Public Works, who was looked forward to as the leading speaker of the occasion, had missed his train. In addition to this discouraging information the skies assumed a threatening appearance, and the chance of the affair being a fizzle was not out of the question. A telegram later on, however, stated that Hon. Mr. Tarte would arrive in time to speak. The heavy cumulus clouds shortly afterwards rolled away, and the proceedings then went merrily on. Over fifteen hundred people were in attendance. Besides the speeches there were lacrosse and baseball matches between teams of neighboring towns, and music was dispensed during the day by no less than three bands. A stand was erected for the speakers on the side of a pretty ravine, and above and around it miniature flags and bunting were arranged.

Among the Picknickers.

Among the gentlemen noticed on the grounds were the following: Hon. J. I. Tarte, Hon. J. R. Stratton, Senator Kerr, Cobourg; William Ross, M.P., Port Perry; Samuel Clark, M.L.A., Cobourg; William Rickard, M.L.A.; Newcastle; J. D. Hayden, Cobourg; Dr. Powers, Port Hope; F. L. Fowke, Mayor of Oshawa; Lieut.-Col. Farwell, Whitby; E. Mundy, Oshawa; Prof. W. Squair, Toronto; R. Z. Hall, Horace Moulton, T. Underwood, Orono; D. Cameron, London; Mr. Joliffe, Ottawa; Dr. Montgomery, Oshawa; George Wilson, J.P.; John Curtis, H. H. Walker, E. A. Powers, H. Sing, E. V. Dyer, H. B. Rosevear, Port Hope, and D. B. Simpson, K.C., honorary president of the association.

Met to Celebrate Victory.

Mr. Simpson presided, and opened the proceedings with an address explanatory of the object of the picnic. He said they had met together under pleasant circumstances to celebrate their victory attained in West Durham in the last elections. Of their opponents, he would say they made a gallant fight, and proved a worthy foe, and for this reason the Liberal gloried all the more in what they had accomplished. Continuing, Mr. Simpson spoke of the loyalty of the people of West Durham to the empire, as evidenced by the action of some of their sons in South Africa; paid a tribute to the energy and activity of Hon. Mr. Tarte and Hon. Mr. Stratton, and in conclusion congratulated the people of West Durham on the progress and prosperity which they enjoyed.

William Rickard, M.L.A., Newcastle, being then called upon, extended a warm welcome to the visitors, and expatiated upon the grand heritage which Canadians had in unlimited agricultural and inexhaustible mineral resources, and a magnificent climate.

Ex-President Mitchell Honored.

On behalf of the Liberals of West Durham, Mr. Rickard then presented a beautiful cabinet of silver to J. C. Mitchell, ex-president of the West Durham Liberal Association and now assistant superintendent of the Toronto Asylum, as a token of esteem, and appreciation of his services in the interests of Liberalism.

Mr. Mitchell returned thanks to the donors in a happy speech. He assured them that he and Mrs. Mitchell would never forget their kindness to them.

Telegrams expressing regret at being unable to attend were afterwards read from Hon. Thomas Greenway, who is an old Durham boy, and Hon. J. M. Gibson, Attorney-General.

The Provincial Secretary.

Hon. Mr. Stratton was then introduced, and was greeted with applause. Touching upon the present political situation, Mr. Stratton said he had good reason for saying that the opposition would remain in opposition for the next four years.

As for the government, they were satisfied that their position would be sustained when the House met. If their majority was small, it would grow as had been the case before. This was the growing time. The election courts would undo much which the Conservatives had accomplished by those corrupt and unworthy methods, which, he regretted to say, had been largely resorted to by that party in pursuance of their usual tactics. When a number of constituencies had been thrown open, he was confident that the practical business sense of the electors would assert itself, and that many who had from motives of pique or resentment, rather than from political feeling, voted against the government would realize their mistake.

The bounteous harvest was a guarantee for the continuance of prosperity, which the country had fortunately been enjoying for some years, and towards which the judicious policy and legislation of the Liberal party had largely contributed.

A Reliable Barometer.

There was no better or more reliable barometer of the general financial condition than the banking business of the country. When times were good there was an increase in the deposits in the banks, in the loans made to customers and in the circulation of notes. More people were induced to invest in banks and their capital, while their operations were also increased. Taking the month of June last, and comparing its banking business with that of June, 1901, he found that the subscribed capital stock of Ontario banks had increased from $23,246,400 to $25,050,000, their deposits had risen from $137,803,308 to $152,994,261, and their loans in Canada from $135,744,791 to $151,529,402. The note circulation of Ontario banks had increased from $19,349,053 to $21,633,487. There was no mistaking this evidence of the general prosperity and business activity which everywhere prevailed, of which the farmer was receiving his full share, as evidenced by the great

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HOTEL GLADSTONE.

Exhibition visitors can get best accommodation at the "Hotel Gladstone." Nearest hotel to Exhibition, C.P.R. and G. T. R. Parkdale stations. Street cars pass the door every six minutes.

Gibbons' Toothache Gum—Price 10c. 24

BANK FORCED TO EXPAND.

Spain to Start a Branch in London Thru Captain's Pressure.

Madrid, Aug. 27.—The Bank of Spain will shortly open a branch in London. Four large banks, including the Rothschilds, are now handling Spain's finances in England.

The change has been caused directly by the experience of a Spanish vessel captain in England. The captain arrived at a west England port and tried thru the Spanish officials there to cash a draft for £1000 on the Spanish Ministry of Marine. The four banks having charge of Spain's English finances declined to cash the draft.

The captain returned to Spain and raised trouble because of his experience. This brought matters to a head, and the Bank of Spain finally decided to be directly represented and take away from the four banks their Spanish business. This business amounts to £500,000 yearly.

CANADA TO GET SPECKELS

Will Form a Six Million Dollar Company to Refine Sugar, it is Said.

PAPERS FORWARDED TO OTTAWA.

New Process Invented By the Sugar Magnate to Be Put Into Use.

Montreal, Aug. 27.—Claus A. Spreckels of New York, president of the Federal Sugar Refining Company, accompanied by his counsel, W. W. Cook of New York, arrived here yesterday.

It is understood they contemplate the organization of a Canada company, with a capital of $6,000,000, to exploit the new process of sugar refining, invented by Mr. Spreckels, now in successful operation in the United States.

Messrs. Spreckels and Cook were in consultation with Mr. McGibbon, K.C., during the day, but beyond the fact that the papers for the incorporation of a Canadian company were signed and forwarded to Ottawa, no further details could be learned.

RAILROAD MANAGER RESIGNS.

Russell of Intercolonial Explains That He Leaves in Friendly Mood.

Montreal, Aug. 27.—"I leave the road with the best possible feeling towards all connected with it," was the statement made last evening by ex-Manager Russell of the I.C.R. The official car of the I.C.R. was attached to the Maritime express this evening, Mr. Russell being sent thru to Buffalo by the management of the government railway. He further said he had resigned, altho Hon. Mr. Blair had reconsidered his decision to leave railway work for a while. Mr. Russell added that he would take a year's rest before accepting another position.

NOT AFTER THE CLOVER LEAF.

Grand Trunk Official Denies That His Company is Interested There.

Montreal, Aug. 27.—"There is nothing whatever in the story," was General Manager Hays' answer last evening to the question as to the Grand Trunk's alleged intention to purchase the Clover Leaf. "We have no present desire to extend our lines further into the United States," added Mr. Hays. He said, however, that the Grand Trunk traffic relations with the road were quite pleasant.

POCKETS FILLED WITH STONES.

Lawyer McMurchy of Lindsay Found Dead in River.

Lindsay, Aug. 27.—Norman McMurchy, a lawyer here for some years past, has been missing from town since last Friday, and his friends, fearing something had happened him, were becoming very anxious. This afternoon a small boy found his body floating in the river near the pumphouse. His pockets were filled with stones. Suicide is thought to be the cause of his untimely end.

CUT CORDS OF HAND.

Feeder of Threshing Machine Meets With Serious Accident.

Brussels, Aug. 27.—Samuel Shines, a farmer, residing about five miles from Brussels, met with a painful accident to-day. His right hand was badly lacerated, while assisting in feeding a threshing machine. He was receiving the sheaves. While the binding cords were being cut, the knife was drawn across the back of his right hand, severing the cords, which will in all probability render his hand useless.

MINNICOGANASHENE

Is Now a Postoffice.

Word has come down from some recent arrivals at this delightful Georgian Bay resort to friends here informing them of vacancies in the main house and cottage annexes, and urging them to write at once for accommodation.

"Minnicog" has acquired an enviable reputation in two short seasons, and doubtless there are many ready to take the opportunity of a holiday there.

MRS. NATION THROWN OUT.

Mansfield, Ohio, Aug. 27.—Carrie Nation stirred up considerable excitement yesterday during a short stay here. She went into a saloon and harangued the bartender until he forcibly ejected her.

Edwards & Company, Chartered Accountants, 26 Wellington St. East.—Geo Edwards, F. C. A., A. H. Edwards.

Briar Pipes at Half-Price.

Fifty and 75 cent briars selling for 25 cents. Sterling-mounted dollar lines at 50 cents. One-fifty and two-dollar briars with sterling mounts and amber mouthpieces, in cases, for $1. Two-fifty French briars, in cases, for $1.50. The greatest value in pipes you ever saw, at A. Clubb & Sons', "Only address," 49 West King-street.

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WHEAT OF FINEST QUALITY

From Samples Cut it Looks as if 80 Per Cent. Will Grade No. 1 Hard.

NO LARGE TRACTS FOR SYNDICATES.

Railways Will Handle Their Land By System of Agencies—Threshing Under Way.

Winnipeg, Aug. 27.—From the appearance of the samples of wheat already cut it looks as if about 80 per cent. will grade No. 1 hard.

It is understood that the railway companies have decided not to sell any more large tracts of land to syndicates. Their intention is to handle their land by an extended system of agencies, and thus reap the benefit of increasing values.

The weather will keep fine, and farmers are taking full advantage of it in gathering the harvest.

By Saturday night half of Manitoba wheat crop will be cut. Wheat threshing commenced on the farm of Peter Herbert in Gretna district to-day. Yield was 27 bushels of fine quality.

Threshers to Start.

A dozen machines will start in Mennonite district to-morrow, where cutting has finished.

Special train of harvesters arrived from Quebec to-day with 600 on board, making 12,000 who have arried to date.

The present demand for help is so great that it is now felt that the requirements were under rather than overestimated when the number of men was placed at 20,000. J. Obed Smith, Immigration Commissioner, stated yesterday that he continues to receive the most favorable crop reports from his agents thruout the country. He is now anxious to hear from anyone who may have an exceptionally good yield, or an exceptionally good sample of grain.

In conversation with The World Wednesday James Hartney, Manitoba Immigration agent, discussed the prospects of a shortage of farm help for the threshing operations, which will soon begin. The excursions are to leave Toronto on Saturday, Monday and Tuesday. It is not expected that the full quota will be obtained, but 5000 at any rate of the 9000 asked for will likely go out to the golden land.

The farmers are having ideal weather for their work. Already threshing has been begun at Morden, Man. It is estimated that the wheat crop in Manitoba alone will total 60,000,000 bushels, while the total crop of wheat, oats and barley will run up to about 100,000,000 bushels. Last year Manitoba's yield was 85,000,000, of which 50,000,000 were wheat. Of the increase this year a large proportion will be oats and barley

How to Handle Crop.

It would be interesting to know just how the transportation companies propose to handle this immense yield. The C.N.R. has doubled its elevator capacity at Port Arthur, and the C.P.R. has increased its capacity another 50 per cent. at Fort William. About 157 elevators have been erected west of Winnipeg, and they have a capacity of about 4,500,000 bushels. The railways have also largely increased their facilities for hauling. The C.N.R. last year handled 7,000,000 bushels. This year the same railway can haul about 14,000,000 bushels.

Mr. Hartney does not think there will be any blockade, unless very unfavorable weather sets in. The C.P.R. claims to have put forth such efforts that it will have 27,000 cars west of Fort William to handle the crops. It has increased its motor power by 100 engines. None of the cars which have been constructed for this trade have a less capacity than 1000 bushels. The engines are capable of hauling 50 cars of 1000 bushels each, whereas last year 30 cars of 666 bushels was the average haul.

Distributing the Army.

The system, which has been adopted for distributing the vast army of harvesters seems to be working like a charm. An instance of this: Friday's excursion party from Toronto reached Winnipeg on Monday morning, and on the afternoon of that day all of the workers had been disposed of. Mr. Hartney does not take any stock in the report that some of the harvesters had been induced to cross the border into Dakota. The wages offered have been an inducement for them to remain on the Canadian side of the line. There has been no promise of wages, but the demand, which always fixes such rates, has been so large that the Manitoba farmers can be relied on to offer large figures for the work.

PRODIGAL TO RETURN.

Woodstock, Aug. 27.—Wilbur Roberts, the 16-year-old Innerkip boy, who disappeared from his home very suddenly in March last, has been located on a farm in the vicinity of Aylmer, Elgin County. The lad is employed by a farmer for the sum of $5 a month, and apparently he is not satisfied with the small remuneration, as he has expressed his willingness to return home.

KILLED BY AN ELEVATOR.

Winnipeg, Aug. 27.—George Mabee, an employe in the wholesale hardware house of James Robertson, was accidentally killed in the elevator at 2.30 o'clock this afternoon. He was on an upper flat, and shouted down to the basement to send elevator up. While at the shaft the elevator weight caught him, and killed him instantly.

FELL 70 FEET AND LIVES.

Halifax, Aug. 27.—George Jacques, a seaman on the schooner F. B. Wade, fell from the topmast to the deck, a distance of 70 feet, this afternoon, and the only injury he sustained was a broken nose.

Try the Decanter at Thomas.

ONTARIO BOY DROWNED.

Winnipeg, Aug. 27.—Henry Hall, Emo, Ont., deckhand on D. L. Mathews' tug, was drowned off Coney Island, Rat Portage, this afternoon. He was 19.

Guns—Breach-loaders, Greener patent, $17. Franklin's, 25 Queen W.

The Labor Day World.

The Labor Editor of The World has been working for months on a special edition of The Sunday World for Labor Day. Prominent workers in labor circles have aided The World's Labor Editor. So much interest is being taken in this edition that several thousand extra copies will be printed.

There is no evening paper on Labor Day, so that this paper is bound to be more thoroly read than even the usual Sunday World is read.

The boys will have The Sunday World on sale Saturday evening. It is finely illustrated with photo-engravings and pen and ink sketches.

The Chief Editor says: "This will be one of the best numbers we have ever prepared.

Guns—Breach-loaders, latest improved, $7, $8 and $9. Franklin's, 25 Queen W.

KAISER EMBRACES KING.

Victor Emmanuel Given a Great Welcome in Berlin.

Potsdam, Aug. 27.—King Victor Emmanuel of Italy arrived here to-day and was met by the Emperor, Imperial Princes, Count Von Buelow, the Imperial Chancellor, and others. The two monarchs repeatedly em-

KING VICTOR.

braced each other and drove to the new palace amid the cheers of the assembled crowds.

GUARDED BY AN ARREST.

London, Aug. 27.—A despatch from Nice says Lopez Garcia was arrested there to-day after a violent struggle with the police. He arrived at Nice recently from Spain. The police received warning that he was a dangerous Anarchist, who had been selected to kill some European ruler, supposed to be Emperor William.

WHITE AGAIN HEARD FROM.

Missing Employe Tramped With George Kendrick to Detroit.

Arnott White, the missing Evans warehouse employe, has been heard from again. George Kendrick, who resides in the rear of 124 Portland-street, reported to the police Wednesday that he had been with White at Toronto Junction several days after he disappeared from his Toronto home. Together they went to Detroit, as tramps, and from there returned to Glencoe, Ont. They were sleeping in the suburbs of that place, and when Kendrick was awakened, he found that young White had gone away. He does not know where he went or why he should have gone away in such an abrupt manner. Kendrick asserts that White thought the Toronto police wanted to arrest him. He refused at all times to talk of the warehouse case. The police, however, say they do not wish to arrest White, and there is no charge against him. His parents have not yet heard from him, and his mother is very anxious to have him return. It is generally believed Arnott White can cast much light on the warehouse mystery if he desires. While it is improbable that he knows aught of the deaths of Whalley and Geen, he is suspected of knowing the author of some of the other things that have disturbed the employes of Evans & Sons during the past two months.

GERMAN NON-COMS. IMPRISONED.

Visited a Russian Beer Garden and Were Arrested.

Berlin, Aug. 27.—It is officially confirmed that two non-commissioned officers of the warship Loremy, during the Kaiser's visit to Russia, were imprisoned at Nikolaieff, on the order of the commander of the town, because they visited a beer garden.

The officers were not aware that the beer gardens were interdicted to soldiers. The commander, learning on their ignorance, caused their release the next morning.

The Russian governor apologized to the officers and the incident was closed.

TO SAVE KIN OF WANAMAKER.

Tacoma, Wash., Aug. 27.—A desperate effort is being made by his friends to save Fred Hardy, who is sentenced to be hanged at Nome, Sept. 9, for the murder of three men on Unimak Island in the Behring Sea.

Hardy claims to be a relative of John Wanamaker of Philadelphia. He served in the Philippines in a Tennessee regiment.

A petition for a reprieve has been sent to President Roosevelt.

ADJOURNED TILL SEPT. 8.

Sydney, N. S., Aug. 27.—The suit of the Dominion Iron and Steel Company was resumed to-day. Judge Burbidge and the counsel interested visited the works, and then heard the evidence of A. J. Moxham, the former manager of the Steel Company, and Mr. Means, the manager of the blast furnaces. The court then adjourned to meet on Sept. 8 at Ottawa.

ROYAL QUARREL DENIED.

Berlin, Aug. 27.—The National Zeitung to-day denies the statement emanating from Paris to the effect that the Kaiser and the Czar disagreed during their conference at Reval, Russia. The paper says:

"Such confidential relations as exist between the Kaiser and the Czar do not exist between the Czar and any other monarch."

KNOWN IN BRANTFORD.

Brantford, Aug. 27.—Mr. Frank Mathews, who was killed at Long Branch, N.J., yesterday, was known in this city, being a near relative of Rev. and Mrs. Pickering, Wellington-street parsonage, and also intimate with the late Rev. D. Cochrane and James Sutherland, of J. & J. Sutherland, Colborne-street.

COMPETING FOR PARCEL POST.

London, Aug. 27.—A letter appears in the London papers this morning, signed jointly by several London shipping agents, announcing their readiness to transmit parcels to the United States at equally advantageous rates as the postoffice.

TO-DAY IN TORONTO.

Trades and Labor Council, Richmond Hall, 8 p.m.

Lawn musicale, Broadview Boys' Institute, Broadview-avenue, 8 p.m.

Executive Council, Canadian Manufacturers' Association, 2 p.m.

Management Committee, Public School Board, 4 p.m.

Banquet to Trooper Soady, by Duke of Cornwall Lodge, L.O.Y.B., Oriental Gardens, 510 West Queen-street, 8 p.m.

O.R.A. matches, Long Branch, second day.

Baseball, Toronto v. Montreal, Diamond Park, 4 p.m.

Grand Opera House, "Shooting the Chutes," 8 p.m.

Toronto Opera House, "Not Guilty," 2 and 8 p.m.

Shea's Theatre, vaudeville, 2 and 8 p.m.

Star Theatre, "Wine, Women and Song," 2 and 8 p.m.

Hanlan's Point, vaudeville, 3 and 8 p.m.

Munro Park, vaudeville, 3 and 8 p.m.

FRANCE CANNOT GET A PORT

Portugal Refuses to Sell Part of Island of Macao to Foreign Firm.

DEFERENCE TO GREAT BRITAIN.

Might Become a Menace to the Trade or the Safety of Hong Kong.

London, Aug. 27.—A despatch from Hongkong to the Reuter Telegram Co. states that the Portuguese government refused the application of a French firm for land on the island of Macao.

It is possible that Portugal's refusal is in deference to the expressed wish of Great Britain. A despatch from Hongkong on May 14 last stated that the Chinese owner of a valuable site on the promontory of Catai, near the city of Macao, had sold it to the French for a naval hospital, and that there was a deep anchorage at the place, enabling it to become a menace to Hongkong. The British authorities were communicating with Pekin and Lisbon on the matter.

The French consul subsequently made it clear that the sale of land was to a private Frenchman and not to the French government, but it is obvious that the British authorities would not welcome the establishment of any French depot on Macao which might become a menace either to the trade or the safety of Hongkong.

MORE TROOPS CALLED OUT.

Serious Disturbances Feared in the Coal Strike Regions.

Harrisburg, Pa., Aug. 27.—The second troop, Philadelphia City Cavalry, was this evening ordered by Governor Stone to report to General Gobin at Shenandoah for duty in the anthracite coal regions. The troop will take the place of the Governor's troop of Harrisburg, which was sent by General Gobin from Shenandoah to Lansford, where there had been serious disturbances. The request for the city troop was made by General Gobin to-day, and the Governor directed that the troop start for Shenandoah and assist the militia now in the field to protect life and property. No additional troops will be sent to the strike region unless there is another serious outbreak and General Gobin is unable to maintain order with the troops already in the field.

BUYS BRIDE FOR $2000.

Young Greek Marries a 17-Year-Old Girl at Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Aug. 27.—In compliance with an agreement made in Greece by her father and the father of the groom, Sophie Nawosch, 17 years old, to-day became the bride of Zanko Vlassic and thereby became the possessor of $2000. The couple were sweethearts and schoolmates before Vlassic came to this country six years ago. Six months ago he wrote and asked her to marry him. She refused to come, but Vlassic, thru his father, offered her $2000 to become his wife. At the conclusion of the ceremony to-day the money was paid over.

BISHOP NEWNHAM ILL.

Suffering From Injured Knee in the General Hospital.

Bishop Newham of Moonsomin, who is visiting in the city on his way to the General Synod meeting at Montreal, was removed to the General Hospital on Wednesday afternoon from a painful injury to his right knee. While bathing at Chapleau his knee was cut by a piece of glass. The wound was dressed by a local doctor, but afterwards became inflamed. On arriving here the bishop went to the home of R. B. Henderson, 76 Gloucester-street, where he was being attended by Dr. Arthur Small. On advice of Dr. Small he went to the hospital.

WILL NOT REDUCE SPEED.

New York Steamship Agent Says Latest Report Absurd.

New York, Aug. 27.—John Lee, agent of the White Star Line, to-day characterized as absurd the story emanating from the other side of the Atlantic that a saving of expenses would be effected by reducing the speed of the fast steamships belonging to steamship lines in the combine. "It may be possible that in the future slower ships may be built, but you may be quite sure there will be no reduction in the speed of those now engaged in the passenger traffic between this port and Europe," he said.

ONE SCHOOL REOPENS.

A Decree of 1828 Relieves Them From Premier Combes' Law.

Brest, France, Aug. 27.—The sisters who were recently expelled from Landerneau discovered a decree dated 1828, which moves them from the scope of the association law, and they have resumed possession of their school. A crowd of people accorded them an ovation when they returned.

SAILORS' WAGES RAISED.

Cleveland, Aug. 27.—At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Lake Carriers' Association, held here to-day, the wages of wheelmen, firemen, oilers and watchmen were increased from $45 per month to $52.50 per month.

KILLED BY A BINDER.

Virden, Man., Aug. 27.—The four-year-old son of Thomas Bryson got in front of a binder his father was driving, and the knives cut his leg off at the knee. His father drove him eight miles to a doctor, but the child died.

FOUR PERSONS DROWNED.

London, Aug. 27.—Four persons who were spending a holiday at Kirtons keldyke, Lincolnshire, to-day were drowned. The party were strolling on the sand and before they were aware of their dangerous position were cut off by the tide.

WATFORD HOTELKEEPER DEAD.

London, Aug. 27.—Richard F. Rogers, proprietor of Rogers' Hotel, Watford, died very suddenly at his home this morning. Deceased was a resident of Watford all his life. A widow and two children survive.

A MINE JUMPED.

A despatch received this morning from Spokane, says: Waterloo Company's mine in Camp McKinney jumped.

TO STUDY STEEL TRUST.

German Count, With Experts, About to Take a Trip.

Berlin, Aug. 27.—The object of the journey of Count von Tiele-Winckler, a mine owner and prominent German financier, to the United States in September is specifically to study the United States Steel Corporation. The count takes with him two or three experts, and he may be regarded himself as an expert, since he is a practical iron man, tho no "Chimney Baron," as the German nobility sneeringly characterizes the newly ennobled business men.

Count von Tiele-Winckler, who is one of the richest men in Germany, is said to have undertaken the trip as an unofficial commissioner of his government. His earnestness and the fact that he takes technical experts with him, give color to the idea that he contemplates forming a combination here like the United States Steel Corporation.

WHY DR. LEYDS WAS DEPOSED

Refused to Account for a Large Sum Missing From the Boer Exchequer.

BOER GENERALS TO LEAD AGITATION

In South Africa on the Model of the Home Rule Campaign.

London, Aug. 27.—In a despatch from The Hague, the correspondent of The Daily Mail declares that Dr. Leyds, who was the European representative of the former Transvaal Republic, has been deposed because he refused to account for a large sum of money missing from the Boer exchequer.

The Boer cause, continues the correspondent, will now be agitated thru the length and breadth of South Africa on the model of the Home Rule campaign in Ireland, and this agitation will call for all the foresight and firmness of which British statesmanship is capable. The first move in the game will be the proposals the Boer generals will make to the British government as the price of their assistance in the conciliation and resettlement of South Africa.

GRADUATE OF VARSITY DEAD.

Dr. A. W. Stratton of the Class of '87 Passes Away in India.

Chicago, Aug. 27.—Dr. A. W. Stratton passed away at Gulmarg, Kashir, India. He was registrar of the University of the Punjaub, located at Lahore. He also filled the chair in Sanskrit in Oriental College. Dr. Stratton was called to his position in India in 1899. At that time he was associate in Sanskrit at the University of Chicago. Graduating from the University of Toronto in 1887, he was appointed in 1888 to a fellowship in Sanskrit at Johns Hopkins University, which position he held until 1895. In that year he received his Ph.D. from Johns Hopkins, and came to the University of Chicago as docent in Sanskrit. From 1896 to 1898 he acted as assistant in Sanskrit, until, during the latter year, he was promoted to the rank of associate.

At the time of his death Dr. Stratton was 38 years of age.

PRINCE SAVES A MAN.

Rescues From Certain Death Dizzy Tourist in Alps.

Paris, Aug. 27.—A few days ago, says The Figaro, the Duc de Vendome made an ascent of the Waldrast Spitz, one of the highest peaks of the Tyrolean Alps.

While making the difficult climb he came across a tourist suffering from an attack of vertigo, who had for more than four hours been clinging to a rock overhanging an abyss.

The Prince at once went to the man's assistance without heeding the danger to which he was exposing himself, and succeeded in rescuing him from certain death, which must soon have happened, owing to the man's strength giving out.

JUMPED FROM DYNAMITE.

Three Tons Blown Up at Dinorwic With Terrific Force.

Dinorwic, Aug. 27.—The dynamite house at Dinorwic, containing three tons of dynamite, was blown up at 8.30. The explosion was terrific. Doors were blown off their hinges and plaster badly damaged, and almost all the windows in the town were shattered. Two men, who were near the magazine, noticed it was on fire and escaped by jumping into the river.

OVERCOME BY GAS

Thomas Roney Went Into His Well and to His Death.

Strathcona, N.W.T., Aug. 27.—Thos. Roney of this place was overcome by gas in his well to-day. He went down to repair a leak in the piping, and shortly after fell helpless against the curbing. The gas was so powerful that it was impossible to render assistance for almost an hour, when life was extinct.

Did you ever try the Top Barrel?

Where is My Boy To-Night?

Out on the verandah, enjoying a "Statesman" ten cent cigar, the brand now having such a large sale in Toronto and other cities. This grand smoke cures that "tired feeling" and has no equal in the market to-day. Sold everywhere and made only by the Parkdale Cigar Company, Toronto.

Clear Havana Cigar La Arrow 10c, for 5c straight. Alive Bollard Yonge St.

Monuments.

The McIntosh Granite & Marble Company, Limited, 1119 and 1121 Yonge-street. Tel. 4249. Terminal Yonge-street car route.

MARRIAGES.

WHELAN—STONEHAM—Joseph Whelan of Sault Ste. Marie to Ella, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Stoneham, by the Rev. J. J. McCann, at 2 p.m., at the residence of Rev. J. J. McCann, Toronto.

DEATHS.

MACDONALD—Fell asleep and entered into her rest, at her late residence, Cona Lodge, Charles-street, Toronto, on the afternoon of Tuesday, the 26th inst., Charlotte Emily Perley, the beloved wife of John K. Macdonald.

Funeral on Thursday, the 28th, at 3 p.m.

WILLMOT—At his late residence, Lee-avenue, on Wednesday, Aug. 27, at 6.30 p.m., William Willmot.

Funeral notice later.

Patents — Fetherstonhaugh & Co., King-street West, Toronto, also Montreal, Ottawa and Washington.

FRENCH INVITED TO CANADA

Sir Wilfrid Laurier Tendered a Banquet at Lille Exhibition Wednesday Night.

HOPES FOR OPEN FRENCH MARKET.

In Industry There is No Sentiment Other Than That Inspired By Best Business.

Lille, France, Aug. 27.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Premier of Canada, inspected the exposition here to-day. A banquet was given him this evening, and, in responding to a toast to his health, Sir Wilfrid referred to the sympathies existing between France and Canada, and expressed a hope for freer commercial relations between the two countries, and that France would become an open market for Canadian products, which, the speaker continued, could be supplied under exceptional conditions.

"In industry there is no sentiment other than that inspired by the best market," said the Prime Minister, and, in conclusion, he invited Frenchmen to settle in Canada, where, he said, they would be heartily welcomed.

BLOW FOR UNITED STATES.

Sir Wilfrid's Negotiating for Reciprocity With France Alarms.

Chicago, Aug. 27.—William E. Curtis, wiring The Herald from New York, says: Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the Prime Minister of Canada, accompanied by Mr. W. S. Fielding, the Minister of Finance, and Mr. William Paterson, the Minister of Customs of the Dominion, are in Paris, supposed to be negotiating a reciprocal treaty between Canada and France. The cable despatches say that Sir Wilfrid has offered a reduction of 15 per cent. from the regular duties upon all French goods, provided Canadian merchandise is admitted into France at the minimum rates, which are from 12 to 25 per cent. better than the maximum rates imposed upon the products of the United States. If France is willing to make greater concessions, Sir Wilfrid is said to be willing to place French imports upon the same basis as those from England.

It is also proposed to have a steamship line direct between the French and Canadian ports, with an annual subsidy of $120,000, one-half to be paid by Canada and the other half by France.

The attention of United States senators from Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, New Jersey and Massachusetts, who have prevented the ratification of reciprocity treaties between the United States and both Canada and France, is respectfully called to this intelligence.

We might have a much larger market in France for our flour, cornmeal, cotton seed oil, bacon, lard and other pork products, lumber, agricultural implements and machinery, electrical appliances, coal and various other products of the farm, forest and factories of the United States if the manufacturers of gilt jewelry in Rhode Island and Massachusetts and the manufacturers of edgings and knitted goods in the latter State and New Jersey had been willing to have the duties now imposed upon such unimportant merchandise reduced about 20 per cent. from the present rates. But the interests of all the rest of the country, amounting to millions upon millions, were sacrificed because of their selfishness.

What They Missed in Lumber.

We might have a monopoly of the trade of Canada to-day, but for the stubbornness of the lumbermen of the Northwestern States, who refused to consent to a reduction in the duties imposed upon Canadian lumber. It was only a difference of $1 a thousand feet, or something like that, but they would not consent to it, and thus all the rest of the industries having

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Just at Fair time, and only at Fair time each year, the Dineen Company have their big fall hat opening. It starts to-morrow, and runs till Saturday night. Big preparations have been made for it, and the best hats made anywhere on earth have been selected by the company. No old or old style hats will be offered—only the best, at an ordinary price. Remember Friday and Saturday.

FINE AND WARM.

Meteorological Office, Toronto, Aug. 27.—(8 p.m.)—Fine weather everywhere prevails. In the Territories and Manitoba great heat has been generally experienced, but thunderstorms are now likely to become fairly general there, followed by cooler conditions.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 54—62; Calgary, 42—78; Qu'Appelle, 49—88; Battleford, 52—86; Winnipeg, 52—90; Port Arthur, 42—70; Parry Sound, 56—78; Toronto 62—75; Ottawa, 56—74; Montreal, 58—70; Quebec, 52—66; Halifax, 56—80.

Probabilities.

Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Light to moderate winds, fine and warm.

Ottawa Valley, Upper and Lower St. Lawrence—Light to moderate winds, mostly west and northwest; fine and moderately warm.

Maritime—Light to moderate winds; fine and warm.

Lake Superior—Fine and decidedly warm.

Manitoba—Decidedly warm to-day, thunderstorms at many places, more especially at night; Friday, becoming cooler.

Special Carriage Exhibit.

At the Ottawa Fair being held in the Capital City this week, the Dunlop Tire Company have a particularly fine exhibit. At the end of the week nearly all their exhibits of Dunlop carriage tires, automobile tires, rubber door mats, horseshoe pads, rubber heels, etc. will be shipped by fast express to Toronto for display in the carriage building here.

STEAMSHIP MOVEMENTS.

Aug. 27.	At.	From.
Sicilian	Montreal	Glasgow
Montevidian	Montreal	London
Monterey	Montreal	Bristol
Nederland	Antwerp	Philadelphia
Anchoria	Glasgow	New York
Mongolian	Liverpool	Montreal
Ivernia	Liverpool	Boston
Lancastrian	Liverpool	New York
Haverford	Queenstown	Philadelphia
Teutonic	Queenstown	New York
Belgian	London	Montreal
K. M. Theresa	Bremen	New York
Moltke	Plymouth	New York