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FOR DURRANT. Proceedings Put Off June 30.

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SITUATION IN ST. LOUIS

The Numbers of the Dead and Dying Known and Unknown are High in Hundreds.

Property Loss Will Mount up in the Millions—Chaos Reigns Everywhere.

As in Victoria, There are Ghasts in St. Louis Who Will Rob Defenceless Dead.

St. Louis, May 30.—The situation in St. Louis this morning, viewed from the St. Republic's standpoint, is as follows: St. Republics identified dead, 136; unknown

Louis identified dead, 136; unknown Louis missing, 32; fatally injured, 10; seriously injured, in the hospitals, 10; seriously injured, outside of the hospitals, 1000; property loss, estimated at \$5,000,000.

East St. Louis, identified dead, 110; unknown dead, 6; dying, 6; missing, 200; seriously injured, in the hospitals, 200; estimated injured, outside of the hospitals, 2000; property loss, \$5,000,000; total dead and dying, 266.

It is expected that workmen, linemen, electricians, ground men, and even laborers will have to be imported from the neighboring cities in large numbers to reconstruct the broken telegraph, telephone and electric light lines.

Cardinals and various electrical apparatus are arriving and with the stocks constantly falling the various companies, will furnish material for thousands of work-

men. The Bell company's wires along the course of the storm are a total loss. The company carries a heavy supply, however, and were enabled to start 500 men to work yesterday morning.

Conservative estimates of the Bell Telephone Company's loss place it at \$75,000,000. The Western Union telegraph company has a loss of \$400, their loss being of such a nature as to be easily repaired.

The Western Union telegraph company has 300 men in East St. Louis untangling the wreckage preparatory to repairing the lines, the extent of which they cannot estimate. Another gang of workmen are on the line of the Missouri Pacific, where the loss is great.

The company had some temporary circuits working last night, but these were not permanent. Two companies of the Illinois state militia from Greenville and Belleville, in all about 100 men, patrolled the

district of East St. Louis last night, and the lines were established, which was allowed to pass without permit. The effect of these stringent measures was soon seen to-day in the

greatly decreased numbers of people in the devastated districts. Over sixty suicides have already been arrested and set out of town or locked up. Several pickpockets and confidence-men have also been arrested.

The railroad yards are gradually being cleared of debris, rendering the moving of trains once more possible, though it will be weeks before anything like order will be restored. At least 400 freight cars were overturned and either wholly or partially demol-

ished. Isolation still reigns supreme in the torn-stricken districts of East St. Louis and this city. To-day opened clear and calm, with everywhere gangs of men delving in the rubbish for buried valuables, clearing the streets of dis-

mantled piles, and general debris, repairing damage done to the thousands of buildings, and relieving the injured and homeless. As time goes on it becomes more and more evident that the heaviest loss was the loss of the United States. The horrors multiply every hour and the list of dead is appalling.

More than 130 bodies have been recovered in St. Louis, and over 400 persons are known to have been injured. The mangled bodies found in innumerable places along the path of the storm are being taken to improvised morgues in different portions of the destroyed districts. It will be weeks before a complete list of those dead can be made.

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SCOTT JACKSON WILL HANG.

Pearl Bryan's Behander Sentenced to Pay the Penalty.

Newport, Ky., June 1.—Judge Helm today overruled the motion for a new trial for Scott Jackson, the convicted murderer of Pearl Bryan, and sentenced Jackson to be hanged June 30. Subsequently the court granted a motion for a stay of execution for sixty days to enable the defence to take the case before the court of appeals.

PRINCESS ANGELINE DEAD.

Seattle's Picturesque Personage Has Joined the Majority.

Seattle, June 1.—In the death of Princess Angeline, on Sunday, of pneumonia, Seattle loses one of the most picturesque figures of pioneer days. She was the daughter of old Chief Seattle, after whom the town is named, and on account of the friendship of her powerful father for the whites during the famous battle at Seattle in 1856, Angeline, in her declining years, has been looked after by the old settlers.

THIS IS VERY ORIGINAL.

Not Hard to Tell Which Side Bishop Gravel Works For.

Montreal, June 1.—Bishop Gravel, of Nicolet, now on his pastoral tour, spoke from the pulpit on Sunday at Douce's Landing on the school question. He said he did not wish to interfere in any way with the present contest, and he did not come to tell the electors to vote in favor of one party rather than the other; they were free in that connection. The only request he had to make was that the electors would exact from every candidate a promise to work for the re-establishment of separate schools. He made no allusion to the remedial bill.

GOMEZ MOVING WESTWARD.

With Reinforcements—Another Denial of Weyler's Resignation.

Havana, June 1.—A letter from Placencia indicates that Maximo Gomez is marching toward the Puerto Principe border to meet and hurry westward additional reinforcements.

Batabano reports that the rebels burned a sugar mill and two big tobacco warehouses in the suburbs of the town yesterday.

William Leavitt, one of the prisoners taken in the capture of the Competitor expedition, has been transferred to the hospital, suffering from yellow fever.

La Discussion, an autonomist journal, gives great prominence to an editorial in the Madrid Herald headed "One Way or the Other," commenting on Cuban affairs. "It is true," says the Herald, "that Spain should abandon the middle road and half measures and either grant autonomy to Cuba, with an understanding with the United States, or abandon diplomacy and depend wholly on Spain's military powers to end the war."

La Discussion expresses surprise, saying the right of a nation to control its domestic affairs ought not to be challenged.

Speaking of the protest of the United States government against Gen. Weyler's decree relative to the collection of debts, it maintains that the decree favors the American creditors, whose principal claims, it says, are not secured by Cuban land, but against contractors who sell land now would cripple those who own American and deplete the American claims. The largest claim of an American, it says, is \$800,000, held by Perkins, of New York, and secured by a sugar plantation in the Cienfuegos district. The Havana press demands that Madrid shall sustain Capt. Gen. Weyler's decree suspending the foreclosure of mortgages and liens upon property to avert widespread failures in business circles.

A story is current in Havana that the captain general has resigned and was to be succeeded as governor general by Primo-Yvea, and as general in chief by Polavieja. This was flatly denied at the palace of Palermo, the secretary general to the governor general, who denounced the report as a canard maliciously set afloat by personal enemies of the captain general.

Capt. Gen. Weyler, the marquis said, "has not resigned." Only today he received telegrams from the government expressing its satisfaction and confidence in his management of affairs and congratulating him upon recent victories. He has, as you will thus see, no reason to resign.

Madrid, June 1.—Premier Canovas del Castillo authorizes a categorical denial of the report that Capt. Gen. Weyler has resigned, and says the latter has cabled that the conforms of the government instructions in all matters relating to the administration of Cuba and the conduct of the campaign against the insurgents.

THE MURDERING PARSON.

Closely Pursued by the Sleuth Hounds of the Law.

Salt Lake City, Utah, June 1.—It is believed that the Rev. Francis Hermann has been located. G. M. Nolan, an employe of the California Wire Co., declares that he met Hermann in his recent travels and was on a train with him for two days. From the description given he is certain that he made no mistake in the man. For the purpose of recovering the reward Nolan left the city last night accompanied by two officials to make the arrest. He will not say positively to what point he is going, but it is believed to be at some place in the wilds of Idaho. He says that Hermann can be found at a point seventy miles from railroad or telegraph communication.

THE CREE INDIANS OBJECT

To Being Deported Unless Pardoned for the Riel Rebellion.

Minneapolis, Minn., May 29.—A special order from Great Falls, Mont., to the Journal says two troops of cavalry have been ordered from Fort Custer to round up the Cree Indians so that they may be deported to Canada in accordance with recent federal legislation. The Cree Indians object to this unless Canada proclaims an amnesty for their participation in the Riel rebellion. They demand that sentences if they return to Canada, and prefer the alternative of "going to the mountains and becoming 'bad Indians'."

IT HURTS THE CHURCH

To Be Used as a Political Instrument by a Trickster Like Sir Charles Tupper.

On Which to Work His Way Into Power—J. A. Macdonnell Gets His Little Reward.

What Little Things Bring Quantities of Cold Comfort to Conservatives.

Ottawa, June 1.—Rev. F. Taylor, superintendent of French missions in the province of Quebec, preached in Grace church last evening. He said the Roman Catholic faith was losing many adherents in the Province of Quebec. This, he said, was principally due to the present time to the action of the hierarchy in its inordinate desire to extend its power in political matters in the interests of the present government. Within the past four weeks he said that no less than four French priests had asked for admission into the English church.

J. A. Macdonnell, who came to Sir Charles Tupper's defence when charged with having said that he had "no confidence in the breed," has been appointed by the premier to defend the claim of George Goodwin for \$78,000 in the Soutanges case in the exchequer court. This was the claim the Liberals prevented being paid last session.

Tory heilers are giving currency to rumors of what they say is a big scandal which will shortly be exposed and in which leading Liberals are said to be implicated. This is so purely an election dodge that it needs no explanation.

In their desperation at the desertion of leading manufacturers and prominent men all over the country from the Conservative ranks, the managers of the party cling eagerly to the smallest hope. It is now said that "James Yeo, a former Prince Edward Island member, has seceded from the Liberals, and will run as an Independent." The truth is that James Yeo, the former member for Prince Edward Island, is now running as a Liberal candidate in East Prince, P. E. I. The other James Yeo, whom the Tories parade, is a Conservative, and always has been, who has come out to support the Tory vote with the "straight" Tory candidate in West Prince.

Winnipeg, June 1.—J. Macdonnell, Liberal, has decided to remain in the field at Selkirk. Mr. McCarthy passed through for Toronto last night.

Moosomin, June 1.—Mr. McDonald will fight to a finish in Eastern Assiniboia. A public meeting will be held here next Tuesday, when the speakers will be Mr. McDonald, Senator Perley, Mr. J. Hawkes and ex-Adm. Moore, of Toronto.

Killarney, June 1.—The Patrons of Industry held a meeting here to-day and decided to advise James Morrow, Patron candidate for Lisgar, to withdraw from the field.

London, Eng., June 1.—The St. James' Gazette this afternoon publishes a long interview with Sir Mackenzie Bowell on the Pacific cable conference and Canadian politics. He is quoted as saying that he had no doubt that the Conservatives will be successful in the elections, unless the school question takes a stronger hold on the people than the premier thinks it will. Sir Mackenzie Bowell is also quoted as saying that the Liberals were willing to accept reciprocity with the United States, coupled with discrimination against England, but the Conservatives refused to accept that proposition.

WIN FOUR STRAIGHT

The Victoria Ball Players Take Two More Games From Count Campau's Nine.

Lenesty Leads in the Match for the Short Cup—Other Sporting Events.

THE WHEEL. VANCOUVER MEET. Vancouver's bicycle meet on Saturday was from a wheelman's point of view a complete success, but owing to the disagreeable weather the attendance was small. Mr. J. A. Fullerton was starter and referee.

In the first race, half-mile handicap for boys under 16 years, Robt. Hadden was first in 1:17 and Ross A. Fullerton second. J. H. Gardner won the one-mile novice in three minutes, V. Laurson being second. In the half-mile amateur, T. Spain made a new provincial record in 1:04-4-5. S. P. Moody of Victoria was second.

The quarter-mile professional was one of the most hotly contested races of the day. W. W. Gray of Nanaimo won from the Deemings in 3:25. James Deemings was second. On account of the bad banking of the track on the outside stretches, Albert Deemings met with an accident in this race, and was rather seriously injured. In the next race, one mile, amateurs, there was another spill and two bicycles were smashed, but no one was seriously injured. Spain won again in 2:25. J. H. Gardner was second. In the mile professional only W. W. Gray and T. G. Moody rode, and Moody won in 2:51. In the three-mile amateur, Spain was first in 8:32-3-5, with George Gray second. J. Deemings won first in the three mile professional and his brother Albert second. Time, 7:35-1-5. The consolation one

mile race was won by Fred Blackmore in 2:21; Nelson Dunn second.

Victoria has won four straight games from Seattle and that too on Seattle's own grounds. Hughes, King and Darby have all been pitching well, and in fact the whole team have had their ball-playing clothes on. On Friday King pitched, Saturday morning Hughes was in the box and in the afternoon Darby did the twirling. Yesterday King again pitched for Victoria.

Saturday morning a good holding through hard hitting and good pitching by Victoria, good pitching by Hughes and bad fielding on the part of Seattle. Whaling and Downs each rapped out a three-bagger, Pequeigny hit the ball for three bases and with the exception of Gates every man on the team got in one or more hits. The score follows:

Table with columns: SEATTLE, R. 1B. PO. A. E. Egan, 2b., 0 0 3 4 0; Ireland, 3b., 0 1 1 3 0; Sings, ss., 1 2 1 0 3; Campau, rf., 2 2 1 0 0; Blanford, lb., 0 1 1 0 0; Robinson, cf., 0 1 3 0 0; Lutz, lf., 0 0 2 0 2; Hughes, p., 2 2 1 1 0; Butler, p., 1 3 0 0 0; Totals, 9 14 23 10 7.

Table with columns: VICTORIA, R. 1B. PO. A. E. Patton, rf., 1 2 0 0 0; Pequeigny, 2b., 0 1 5 0 0; Klopf, 3b., 1 1 1 3 0; Whaling, lb., 2 2 12 0 0; Babbitt, ss., 2 2 5 3 3; Gates, lf., 1 0 3 0 1; Dowas, cf., 3 2 5 1 2; Hughes, p., 1 1 1 0 1; Gadke, c., 1 0 1 0 0; Totals, 12 12 27 14 7.

Babbitt was hit by a batted ball. Pequeigny hit by the batted ball. Score by innings: Seattle, 4 0 2 3 1 0 1-9; Victoria, 0 1 2 3 4 2 0 0-12.

Encouraged by their victory of the morning and the fact that the old reliable Darby was in the box, the Victoria boys got in and gave the home team even a worse drubbing in the afternoon. Darby struck out five men and only allowed one man to go to first on balls. Klopf, Whaling, Darby and Kossuck all got in two-base hits and Patton is credited with a three-bagger, and as usual a couple of the stolen bases. The P.-I. says: "The score shows the game without any ifs or ands." Victoria outfielded and outbatted the home team, winning by superior play. Darby was not in the best of condition, owing to a sore foot, but he went into the box and pitched a splendid game, only six of his opponents' twelve hits figuring in the scoring of runs. As usual he was speedy and had good control, striking out five men. Kossuck did the catching and assisted materially in putting a big black cloud over the home team. Pequeigny played a beautiful second, and took part with Klopf in the prettiest double play of the season. Gates did some clever work in left.

Babbitt was retired from the game in the third inning for talking to the umpire. Gadke was put on in his place. The score follows:

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Score by Innings: Seattle, 4 0 0 2 0 0 2-8; Victoria, 2 7 5 3 0 0 *-17.

YESTERDAY'S GAME.

Seattle, June 1.—Victoria won her fourth straight victory from Seattle yesterday by a score of 15 to 4. Heavy batting and splendid fielding on the part of the visitors were the features of the game, the work of Whaling, Klopf, Babbitt and Pequeigny being especially fine. Campau, Egan, Blanford and Frary, for Seattle, did good work, but their efforts were handicapped by the loose plays of other players. Perrin, the new umpire from Detroit, officiated satisfactorily. Aue scored by innings follows:

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THE RIFLE.

SECOND LEAGUE SHOOT.

On Saturday the second of the four matches of the Canadian Military Rifle League, in which 140 teams of ten men each competed, took place in the different cities and towns of the Dominion. Owing to lack of target accommodation the Victoria team was to proceed with the firing during the past week, but because of the bridge disaster this could not be done. Major Williams, however, received a dispatch from Captain Andrews, of Montreal, secretary of the league, in which he forwarded his sympathy with Victoria, and asks Major Williams to use his own judgment as to the time necessary to complete the scores. All members of the battalion who have not yet shot are requested to do so at 2 p.m. to-morrow. The following are the scores of the three teams completed, and also the scores of the Mainland teams of the Fifth regiment:

Table with columns: Victoria—1st team, 889; 2nd team, 675; 3rd team, 459; Vancouver—1st team, 682; 2nd team, 694; Westminster—1st team, 713.

The detailed scores of the Victoria team were: 1st—Corp. Hunter 94, Corp. McDougall 94, Gr. Winsby 91, Gr. Goodwin 90, Gr. Butler 86, Gr. Dunne 85, Major Williams 83, Gr. Morhill 83, Gr. Bailey 82, Gr. Lawrie 81—total 809.

2nd—Lieut. Hibben 78, Stf. Sgt. Newbury 78, Surgeon Duncan 75, Bom. Lettice 67, Gr. McTavish 67, Gr. Schofield 67, Gr. Cartmel 64, Gr. Scarlet 64, Bom. Ross 60, Gr. Austin 56—total 670.

3rd—Sgt. Russell 52, Gr. Gaudin 50, Gr. Spec 50, Gr. Wilson 48, Gr. Koskamp 48, Corp. McLean 47, Gr. Godson 44, Gr. Robinson 42, Gr. Lorimer 49, Gr. Trimen 38—total 459.

In the scores so far reported from the different parts of the Dominion the 13th Battalion, Hamilton, is first with 888, the Fifth Regiment, Victoria takes fifth place with a score of 869.

CRICKET.

ALBIONS V. FIFTH REGIMENT.

The Albions' and the Fifth Regiment cricket clubs met at Beacon Hill Saturday afternoon and after a close and

SEARCHING THE DEBRIS

St. Louis Knows Not Yet the Number of Her Dead That are Buried in the Ruins.

Gangs of Workmen Organized for Systematic Search—Food Badly Needed.

Call for Outside Relief—Johnstown Commemorates the Date of Her Disaster.

St. Louis, Mo., June 1.—Although four days have come and gone since the tornado labor of the city officials in clearing away the debris is scarcely perceptible. The city at night goes without street lamps, either gas or electric lights, the only light afforded being that furnished by private electric plants. The telephone service is practically paralyzed although the telephone company has hundreds of men repairing the damaged wires. Hundreds of demolished buildings have not been touched. No one can tell yet if the ruins conceal bodies of victims of the storm, and in many localities a foodstitch crisis from the drains, but whether this is due to the fact that the ruins conceal dead bodies or dead animals, time alone can tell.

The work of searching the ruins of the old city hospital for victims was begun Sunday with a force of laborers. The superintendent of the workhouse with a gang of negro prisoners, handled the search, and besides the force of working laborers thirty laborers from the sewer department were also placed to work in the ruins. Armed guards kept watch over the work and prisoners. The whole of the acute surgical ward, the consumptive ward and other wards, which were never without disclosing a trace of human bodies. The authorities at Jefferson barracks have notified the central relief committee that a force of troops will bring up to the wrecked district a large number of tents to-day and establish a commissary department and establish a commissary for the purpose of furnishing cooked food for the needy. The cavalry cooks, stewards and campmen will do the work. A number of persons and families are still without homes, and without means of getting them. There are also a great many wagons in use distributing food to the hungry, and over a hundred teams were kept busy yesterday moving material from the wrecked buildings for those who are not able to pay for the work. The hundreds of people who need everything, need it badly, and the supply on hand is meagre.

A mass meeting of citizens has been called for Tuesday afternoon to consider the advisability of appealing for outside aid for the relief of the storm sufferers. The call is signed by a number of prominent Germans, South Broadway merchants, and citizens of the devastated portions of South St. Louis.

The state's loss of property is greater than at \$20,000,000. For this reason, the call continues, assistance is surely needed, and the generous offers of numerous states of this and foreign countries should not be declined.

Johnstown, Pa., June 1.—The people of Johnstown observed the seventh memorial day here yesterday in memory of the departed ones who lost their lives in the great flood which occurred seven years ago, Friday May 31st, 1889. Over 3000 souls perished that day. Thousands of people, accompanied by bands, visited the cemeteries. According to the annual custom services were held and each of the graves decked with flowers.

The San Francisco Chronicle says: "The English whaleback Progressist is not long for the coast. When her charter expires, about two months hence, it is said the Dunsmuir will be glad they have the home looking coal carrier of their hands. When the vessel was chartered to run between here and Nanaimo the Dunsmuir's latter reserved the privilege of purchasing her a new figure at the end of the year. Their experience with the whaleback, however, has been such as to convince them that they do not wish to own her at the price asked. The owners of the Progressist guaranteed when the charter was entered into that she would carry 4200 tons. A trial showed that on the return trip light she required 1000 tons of rock ballast, and as the cost of lifting that amount of ballast out of the ship at Nanaimo each trip was greater than would be the freight charges on the increased amount of coal she would be enabled to carry by the removal of the ballast, it was found necessary to reduce the weight of her coal cargo and carry the ballast both ways."

An Indian brought to the provincial police yesterday a paper containing the following startling message, found by him in a bottle between Race-Rocks and Cape Flattery: "Schooner Eliza Ann going down. Have lost all sails and deck swept clean. Boat washed from davits. No hope. Signed Capt. George." As no such schooner as the Eliza Ann appears on any of the shipping lists, the bottle message is probably the work of some practical joker.

The Royal Mail steamer Warrimoo left the Outer wharf at midnight Saturday for Honolulu, Suva and Australia. At Victoria she took in as cargo 1000 barrels of lime, 10 tons of frozen Salmon, forwarded to Sydney by F. J. Davidge; 15 tons of flour from Hall, Ross & Co. for Suva, and a quantity of household effects from Portland.

BICYCLE GETS A BLACK EYE

It Keeps Young Men and Women Away From Church.

Birmingham, Ala., June 1.—The general assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian church finally concluded its labors on Saturday, and adjourned to meet on the third Tuesday in May, 1897, in Chicago. At today's session the report of the Pan-Presbyterian alliance of the reformed church, recommending general conference co-operation and the appointment of Dr. Peters, of Marshall, Mo., as a delegate to the Pan-Presbyterian alliance, was adopted.

The committee on Sabbath observance gave bicycles a black eye by declaring that "the bicycle is becoming a foe to observance. We deplore the misuse of a good thing." This part of the report caused considerable debate, but it was adopted.

The officers and delegates of the grand lodge K. of P. leave in the morning for Nanaimo. The session of the grand lodge opens at two o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

EGYPTIAN EXPEDITION.

Decision of the Mixed Tribunal Will be Against the Undertaking.

London, June 1.—A Cairo dispatch to the Times says: The decision of the mixed tribunal is an open secret, although it will not be delivered until next week. It will support the French contention, and thus virtually decide that the Egyptian government cannot make war against the Khalifa without the consent of each member of the debt commission. The case before the mixed tribunal was a suit by the French and Russian members of the committee of the Cause of the Egypt debt, against a decision of a