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TELEGRAPHIC.

The News Condensed and Interpreted for Busy People.

The Duke of Orleans to Visit Canada in the Fall.

Kansas' Long Drought Broken by Rain —More Bodies Found in Lake Pepin.

FOREIGN.

Gottfried Keller, the Swiss poet, died yesterday.

The Duke of Orleans will visit Canada next autumn. Paris reports say that he expects a warm welcome in Quebec and Montreal.

A semi-official note published at Paris denies the reports received from Senegal. The note says everything in that vicinity is tranquil.

There is no truth in the rumor flying about London (Eng.) that the Canadian Government is paying the passages of Hollanders to Canada.

The clerical newspapers of Rome deny that the Pope drove outside the Vatican yesterday. The Reforma maintains the truth of the statement.

Intense heat prevails in Central Austria and in the Alps from Graubenden to Lower Austria. The melting of the snow on the mountains has caused the affluents of the Danube to rise.

Premier Whiteway, of Newfoundland, says the whole case of the colony is now fairly before Lord Knutsford. Sir William does not think the attitude of the imperial authorities is hostile to the colonial claims.

CANADIAN.

James Morrison, of Aurelia, Simcoe county, was victimized by a sharper at Montreal when about to sail on the Sardinian.

Mrs. Thomas Hogan, of Hungerford, Hastings county, poisoned herself with paris green on Saturday last. She was partially deranged.

The estate of the Montreal absconder, Louis Myer, to the amount of $22,000, was sold yesterday. A reward of $500 has been offered for his capture.

Mr. McFarlane, chief Government analyst, reports that while much of the butter he has tested was of a very inferior character, he found no oleomargarine.

"Going to ——," was the final remark of an unknown man to the bystanders, as he leaped into the river at Montreal yesterday and committed suicide by drowning.

Hon. Premier Mercier's health is far from good. He is under the constant care of Dr. Brodeur, who is treating him for a progressive case of corrhosis of the liver.

The Waterous Engine Works Company, of Brantford, have received the gold medal and two certificates of merit from the Melbourne Exhibition for their sawmill exhibit.

Miles Robinson, of Chicago, wheelsman on the steamer S. L. Tilley, was found dead at the bottom of the dry dock at Port Dalhousie yesterday morning. Foul play is suspected.

A 7-year-old Ottawa boy named Severin was sent for a pail of water Tuesday evening and is supposed to have fallen in and been swept over the big kettle of the Chaudiere Falls.

The telegraphed statement that the Plattsburg, N. Y., murderer, Joseph Chapleau, is a cousin of the Secretary of State for Canada is discredited by Dr. Chapleau, the Minister's brother.

John, aged 4 years, eldest son of Mr. Conrad Schneider, of New Hamburg, was attempting to cross over from the mainland to an island in the River Nith in a skiff, which upset when about midway in the stream, and he was drowned.

Reports from Manitoba and the Northwest state that the outlook for the crops is very promising. Manitoba alone, it is stated, will raise not far from 20,000,000 bushels this year. Gratifying reports have also been received from Ontario and Quebec.

AMERICAN.

The report that Mr. W. C. Smilie, president of the Canada Bank Note Company, had withdrawn from the engraving business through his ill-success in Toronto and Montreal, and that all the skilled workmen had returned to New York, is denied by Mr. Smilie, who has gone to New York to reside.

A heavy rain on Tuesday broke the long drought in Kansas.

Nineteen additional bodies were taken out of Lake Pepin, Minn., Wednesday morning.

A searcher found the three missing bodies of the victims of the Lake Gervais (Minn.) cyclone yesterday morning.

A bill has been introduced in the United States Senate to give Mrs. (Gen.) Jessie Fremont an annual pension of $2,000.

A tornado struck Marine, a small town six miles northeast of Stillwater, Minn., Clear Lake, Wis., and New Richmond. The wires are all down.

Governor Hill has commuted to imprisonment for life the sentence of Joseph Chapleau, convicted in Clinton county, N. Y., of murder and sentenced to be executed during the week commencing July 21.

Oscar Hoffman, aged 15, and James Allen, aged 20, were drowned in Green Brier River, Summers county, Virginia. Hoffman got beyond his depth, Allen jumped in to aid, and both were drowned.

Coming Back.

MONTREAL, July 17.—The vigorous colonization policy of the Quebec Government receives daily exemplification on the return of French Canadians long resident in the States. Yesterday morning a party of about 50 from Lowell, Mass., passed through here on the way to their old homes in St. Felix and Batiscan.

Lightning's Terrible Work.

WINNIPEG, July 16.—Henry Battal, one of the oldest families of the Moosejaw district, his 10-year-old daughter, and Herbert McLean, about 12 years of age, eldest son of Rev. Dr. McLean, were instantly killed by lightning while eating their supper at Battell's homestead, near Moosejaw.

Fire in Strathroy.

STRATHROY, July 16.—About 1 a.m. yesterday fire was discovered in the barns of Mr. John Douglas, lot 22, con. 2, S. E. R., Adelaide, a little over a mile from town. Three horses, a buggy and some harness were saved, but two barns and a brick granary were entirely consumed. Loss on buildings, $1,100; insured in the London Mutual for $650. The contents were also covered by insurance. Considerable exertion was required to save the house, a short distance from the barn. The cause of the fire is a mystery.

FIRED ON!

Trouble at Newfoundland—A French Vessel Fired on by a Cruiser.

HALIFAX, July 16.—Evening papers stated a private cablegram from St. Johns, Nfld., to a gentleman in this city says: "Newfoundland bait cruiser Fiona fired on a French vessel which was taking bait." No further particulars have been received.

NEW YORK, July 16.—A special to the Journal from Halifax says there are rumors there that fresh trouble of a most serious character has broken out between the French and English on the Newfoundland coast. It is said that the Newfoundland cruiser Fiona fired a shot across the bows of a French fishing brig which had refused to obey the cruiser's signals to lay to, the French vessel having been discovered taking bait on the south coast. The story has not been confirmed, but color is given to it by the hurried departure yesterday of H. M. S. Bellerophon and two other men-of-war.

THE CLAREMONT DISASTER.

Section Foreman Michael Roche Held Guilty of Manslaughter.

LOCUST HILL, July 17.—The evidence in the Claremont disaster inquest was concluded yesterday, and the jury, after deliberating for three hours, returned the following verdict:

That Jeremiah Moriarity came to his death on the 17th day of June, 1890, while riding on engine 188, through said engine falling through stone arch culvert No. 262 on the Ontario and Quebec division of the C. P. R. That said engine was proceeding eastward from Locust Hill by orders of R. Cardiff, assistant superintendent C. P. R., and that the orders were reasonable and prudent. That the condition of the track between Locust Hill and mileage 27½ was dangerous at the time of the accident. That culvert 262 was dangerous and unsafe.

That previous to the accident notice had been given to Michael Roche, section foreman, of the unsafe condition of culvert 262. That Roche did not take the precautions to protect the culvert which it was his duty to do. That Roche received the notice in time to have taken such precautions as would have prevented the accident at culvert 262.

That Michael Roche was guilty of neglect of his duty on the 17th day of June, 1890. That the said neglect was the cause that led to the death of Jeremiah Moriarty, and that Michael Roche, foreman, was guilty of manslaughter.

HOLOCAUST IN QUEBEC.

A Family of Five Persons Roasted to Death—Possibly Other Victims.

QUEBEC, Que., July 17.—At 2 o'clock this morning a fire broke out in a barroom on St. Joseph street owned by Delamare & Oulette. The flames made such rapid headway that the whole house was soon in a blaze. The fire brigade promptly answered the alarm which, however, was a little late. On arriving at the scene they worked with energy at preserving the surrounding property unaware that the occupants of the upper part of the burning house were

ROASTING TO DEATH.

It was only when the flames had been extinguished that they came in sight of the bodies of a family of five persons who had been burned to death. The family consisted of Pierre E. Miranda, his wife and three children who had moved here from the United States intending to settle in their native city where they had found situations.

POSSIBLY MORE VICTIMS.

It is thought that more people have perished in the flames as the Mirandas were lodging several persons from the city.

Mother and Four Children Burned to Death.

VALPARAISO, Ind., July 16.—The residence of John Hamlet, near here, was burned this morning. Mrs. Hamlet and four children, the eldest about 8 years old, were burned to death.

Two Yachts Wrecked.

ITHACA, N. Y., July 17.—Captain Stein, of the steamer Puritan, reports the wreck of two yachts seen by him in the middle of the lake. It appears that five persons, presumed to be from Chicago, were lost with these yachts. The names are unknown.

Seven Negroes Killed.

VICKSBURG, Miss., July 17.—Reliable persons from Bartrop, La., say seven negroes were killed and six wounded in the affray with a white posse near Merrouge Tuesday. There were 36 negroes in the party, part of whom came here a short time ago from North Carolina. The survivors returned home with the whites.

Launch at Owen Sound.

OWEN SOUND, Ont., July 17.—The Polson Company yesterday launched the steel steamer Seguin, built for the Parry Sound Lumber Company. The Seguin will be one of the finest and most powerful craft on inland waters. Her length is 224 feet over all, with a 34-foot beam and 12-foot hold. The Seguin is built of steel throughout.

The Teutonic Breaks the Record.

NEW YORK, July 16.—The steamer Teutonic, of the White Star Line, reached the bar at New York at 8:20 a.m. to-day, her time of passage being 5 days, 21 hours and 55 minutes. This was from harbor to harbor, and not from land to land, and is held to be considerably the fastest passage yet made, considering that the steamers of this line invariably take a southerly passage. Her sister ship, the Majestic, reached Queenstown at 6:30 a.m. to-day. The fast trip of the City of Paris was made in 5 days, 19 hours, 18 minutes, but that was by the "short route."

A Horse Stung to Death by Bees.

SCRANTON, Pa., July 17.—James M. Whipple, of Lehigh township, rode one of his horses over to the brier patch a few days ago, hitching it to a tree, close to a stone wall on Darius Edwin Slater's place. Just over the wall there were five hives of bees. While stamping and fighting flies the horse knocked a stone from the top of the wall. It struck one of the beehives, and the disturbed bees swarmed out in great numbers and pitched at the horse's head and neck. The horse began to scream terribly and pull at the strap. Whipple was in Slater's house at the time, but when he ran out the horse had yanked itself loose, and was dashing down the road at a breakneck gait. The angry bees had stung it so severely that it tumbled into a ditch by the roadside, and when Whipple had got there the poor animal was in the agonies of death. The horse was worth $175.

UNDER THE TRICOLOR.

France Secures Control of the Upper Niger District.

A Large Section of India Deluged by Heavy Rains.

The Question of Jurisdiction Over Behring Sea—The Negotiator of the Vatican.

Floods in India.

CALCUTTA, July 17.—Heavy rains prevail in the Darjeeling district and part of the country is flooded. Bridges have been carried away in many places, and the only means of communication between the planters is by boats.

Agreed to a French Protectorate.

PARIS, July 17.—M. Ribot, Miniater of Foreign Affairs, has notified the powers that treaties have been concluded whereby the native chiefs on the Upper Niger agree to a French protectorate.

A "Federation Milestone."

LONDON, July 17.—A tablet in memory of the late Mr. Daley, an Australian statesman, was unveiled in St. Paul's Cathedral to-day by Lord Rosebery, who called attention to the fact that the tablet was the first memorial erected in the Cathedral to a colonist, and said it was therefore a milestone in the path of those having faith in the federation of the empire.

Behring Sea.

LONDON, July 17.—The Times says: "The United States Government displays the dignity and good sense to be expected from it by reverting to its Behring Sea policy of 1888. It would be absurd to involve two great and friendly nations in a course of petty reprisals in a sordid dispute. It may now be hoped that America will tacitly recognize that no nation possesses the right to extend its jurisdiction by municipal enactment over hundreds of miles of open sea."

Negotiator of the Vatican.

LONDON, July 17.—The mantle of Sir L. Simmons as negotiator of the Vatican is supposed to have descended on the shoulders of Sir Adrian Dingli, who as crown advocate of Malta was for many years of great influence. Sir Adrian is a strong Catholic, and although the ostensible object of his visit to Rome is to see his only son, who is a pupil in the Jesuit School of Mondragone, it is an open secret that he is charged semi-officially to discuss several matters of great importance with Leo XIII. and his advisers.

LAST MOMENT DISPATCHES.

Samuel Emerson, one of the best known turf men in New England, died Wednesday, aged 65.

Hon. Jas. Young, of Galt, makes an encouraging report of the crop prospects in the Waterloos.

The latest from Chicago makes that city's population 1,101,263. This puts Chicago ahead of Philadelphia.

E. H. Elwell, editor of the Portland, Me., Transcript, died at Barr Harbor of heart disease Tuesday morning.

Cornelia Ward Whipple, wife of Bishop Whipple, of Minnesota, died Wednesday morning at Faribault, Minn.

A cyclone at North St. Paul, Minn., Wednesday night leveled a five-story brick furniture factory, but did no other damage.

The Apollo House, at Apollo, Pa., was burned Tuesday night. Loss, $30,000. The guests barely escaped with their lives.

The burning of 525 tons of binding twine in Minneapolis, Minn., Tuesday, may cause a sharp advance in the price of that article.

A new vein, yielding 700 ounces of silver per ton, has been discovered 150 miles east of Port Arthur. This opens an entirely new silver belt.

Thomas Truxton, a 13-year-old son of the late Commodore W. T. Truxton, U. S. navy, was drowned Wednesday while bathing at Fort Norfolk.

While J. S. Jacobson and Mrs. John J. Hubbard were rowing on Berley Lake, Col., Tuesday night, their boat overturned and both were drowned.

Count Sourad Stolberg, heir to one of the richest land owners in Germany, was accidently shot and killed to-day (Thursday) while duck shooting.

The scheme whereby all the soda water and beer apparatus interests in the United States were to be amalgamated and sold to English capitalists has fallen through.

The hay crop in New England is placed at 16 per cent. above the average in amount and 30 per cent. above the average in feeding value as the crop is of extra quality.

A fire which started in the Congregational Church at Rockland, Mass., Wednesday afternoon caused a loss of nearly $100,000. It was the worst fire the town ever experienced.

William Griffin, a man of 80 years of age, was drowned at Bolton, Ont., Wednesday while trying to rescue his 9-year-old grandson, a Toronto lad, who was spending the school holidays with him.

The ordinance granting the use of 150 acres of the lake front, Chicago, as part of the site for the World's Fair, was passed Wednesday night by the City Council. This involves filling in 100 acres.

Fire broke out in Patience's restaurant, Grand Ledge, Mich., Wednesday night, burning out the entire corner, Fowler's restaurant, Bazar, Hixson's saloon, drug store and Dr. A. Brown's residence. Loss, $20,000.

At Marshallville, Cal., on Wednesday, the remains of George Ball, manager of the Belding Soda Works, were found in the ruins of his factory. The body and the safe had been robbed, Ball having been murdered and the building fired.

The attempt of Frederick Prentice, the well-known speculator of Ashland, Wis., to obtain land in the center of Duluth valued at $2,000,000 is again unsuccessful, decision in favor of the defendants—the Northern Pacific Railroad Company, the Duluth Street Railway Company and others—having been rendered.

At the special meeting of the Farmers' Alliance, held Wednesday at St. Paul, Minn., there were between 500 and 600 delegates present. A motion to take independent political action carried 394 to 24. A recess was taken for the purpose of entering into a joint convention with labor delegates to place a joint ticket in the field.

A Widow Only Nine Days.

DENVER, July 17.—A coroner's jury held an inquest to ascertain the cause of the death of one of Fort Collins' most prominent and wealthiest citizens, who died over six weeks ago. He was W. H. Avery, and he left an estate of $100,000 and a widow, who, nine days after the burial of her husband, secretly married F. W. Milliugton, her junior in years. There were rumors that Mr. Avery was poisoned. The evidence, while very weak, made an impression upon the jury, which found the newly-married couple guilty of poisoning the deceased man, and both were placed under arrest. They protest their innocence.

A WOMAN IN TROUSERS.

The Farm Hands Struck When She Mounted the Reaper.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., July 17.—On a farm near Emans, this county, a corps of harvest hands threw down their rakes, scythes and forks and quit work, all because a buxom woman had undertaken to drive a reaping machine in the attire of a man. In this part of Pennsylvania it is a common thing to see farmers' wives and daughters in the hay and grain fields participating in the lighter portion of the harvest work. Driving a mower or reaper is generally considered easy work, but it is done exclusively by men on account of the danger a woman would incur in getting her skirts caught in the wheels or knives of the machine while intent in handling the reins. This particular farmer's wife, however, is plucky and original as well as buxom, and yesterday she determined to show "the boys" that she could master the problem of woman's proper work. So she rigged herself up in a snug-fitting blazer and a pair of her husband's trousers, with a broad-brimmed harvest hat shading her brown ringlets and lightly mounted the reaping machine. Having mapped out her course she proceeded to drive across the field and mow a broad swath of grain. At first the harvesters, farm hands, men, boys and girls were astonished at the sight and then they thought it was funny. The male contingent of the harvest hands, however, began to feel jealous as they watched the smart little women drive around the grain field so neatly, and thought she was infringing upon their own particular prerogatives. Besided this, the sun beat down upon them oppressively, engaged as they were in hard labor, and finally they decided to strike. Fifteen men accordingly threw down their implements where they stood, and walked off the field, shaking their fists ungallantly at the fair driver of the reaping machine. They have not yet been prevailed upon to return to work, and the grain in the field remains uncut.

TORONTO LETTER.

TORONTO, Thursday, July 17.

Kate Robinson, aged 20, a dark complexioned girl, has been missing from the House of Providence since Monday.

The Attorney-General and Mrs. Mowat, the Sheriff and Miss Mowat, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Langton will leave for the White Mountains to-day, where they intend to spend a few weeks. The Hon. A. S. Hardy will be acting attorney-general during Mr. Mowat's absense.

The water in the reservoir has reached the lowest point this season, being now about 16 feet 8 inches.

At an investiture held by the Queen at Windsor Castle on July 13, Col. Sir Casimir Stanislaus Gzowski, of this city, aide-de-camp to the Queen, was one of the several gentleman who received the rank of Knight Commander of St. Michael and St. George and were invested with the riband and badge of the second class of the order. The ceremony took place in the green drawing-room, the Duke and Duchess of Connaught and Prince and Princess Henry of Battenberg being with her Majesty.

Killed Herself at 96 Years of Age.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 17.—Mrs. Ellen Pearson, 96 years old, committed suicide in Wilcox county on Sunday night by taking morphine. She lived alone in a little cabin and was not discovered until the following afternoon. Mrs. Pearson had no relations, and being unable to work she had for several month lived by the charity of her neighbors. She grew despondent and ended her life. She had lived in the house where she died for 40 years.

British War Ships in Esquimalt Harbor.

VICTORIA, B. C., July 17.—The statement that two Canadian vessels which recently sailed out of Maple Bay were armed with guns and would resist the American revenue cutters is said to be without foundation. The following British war ships are in Esquimault harbor: Champion, Espeigle, Daphne and Nymph. Capt. St. Clair, of the Champion, said: "The reason of the gathering here in such force is to welcome Admiral Hotham, who succeeds Admiral Henage in command of the fleet. We have received no orders regarding the Behring Sea."

Murdered Both His Parents.

ANNA, Ill., July 17.—Monday night, when everyone was asleep, a man supposed to be a burglar broke into the house of a farmer named Morris Sullivan at Goreville, Johnson county. On being spoken to he fired, fatally wounding Sullivan. Mrs. Sullivan threw herself upon the murderer, and the pistol was discharged in her left breast. Her injuries are pronounced fatal. The murderer was found to be Sullivan's 16-year-old son. He is now in jail. He gives as his reason for committing the crime that he was tired of waiting for the old folks' property.

Royal and Oriental Masons.

KINGSTON, July 17.—The annual convocation of Royal and Oriental Freemasonry, 33, 96, 96, was held in the Masonic Hall last evening. Most Illustrious Brother Daniel Rose, 96, grand master general, delivered an address of welcome. He reported the rite as still holding its own in Canada. In the United States the rite was steadily advancing, both in numbers and influence. He recommended the recognition of the Sovereign Sanctuary of Spain, and of nominated Right Illustrious Rev. E. W. D. Butler to represent that body near the Sovereign Sanctuary of Canada. Officers elected — Daniel Rose, Toronto; 96, G. M. General; Dr. Oronhyatekha, Toronto, 96, P. G. M. G.; L. H. Henderson, Belleville, 96, P. G. M. G.; W. C. Wilkinson, Toronto, 96, P. G. M. G.; J. Parker Thomas, Belleville, 96, D. G. M. G.; A. McInnes, Belleville, 95, G. R.; Geo. Tait, 95, Toronto, G. O.; Geo. Clark, 95, Toronto, G. P.; A. L. Rundle, 95, Oshawa, G. S. W.; M. L. Nutting, 95, G. J. W.; Robt. Gilray, 95, Toronto, G. T.; E. W. D. Butler, 95, Toronto, G. S.

Among the R. W. grand masters appointed are Col. M. D. Dawson, 95, London, St. Clair district.

THE CITY LIGHTS.

Number Three Inspection Committee Present Their Report—Sites for New Fire Hall Offered.

No. 3 Committee met last night, there being present Ald. Boyd (chairman), Mayor Taylor, Ald. Wallace, Fitzgerald, Bartlett, Shaw, Heaman, Secretary Graydon, City Engineer Tracy and Chief Roe, Electrician Crawford and Market Clerk Wilson.

A petition was received asking that York street be watered from Waterloo to William streets. Granted.

Electrician Crawford reported in favor of painting the telephone and other poles in accordance with the pole-painting bylaw.

Market Clerk Wilson's report was read. It showed that in March fifteen spaces were rented for $28 75 and in July 58 spaces at $84. The report further stated that if a place were provided for the sale of hay and straw during the busy season a revenue of $1,000 could be obtained.

Tenders for the site of the proposed new fire hall were received.

Mr. Strathy offered his lot at the corner of King and Clarence street having a frontage of 110 feet on King street and 100 feet on Clarence street for $5,000, conditionally that six or eight feet of the south end be left off for a right of way.

Jas. H. Belton submitted a lot for sale at the northwest corner of King and Wellington streets with ten feet as right of way.

The other site was offered for sale some time ago, consisting of a frontage of 21 feet adjoining the present fire station. The price asked is $1,750 with a dower of $15 a month attached to it.

Ald. Boyd said they could sell the old site for $3,000.

Ald. Wallace—You could not get $1,600 for it.

Ald. Fitzgerald moved the committee report the three sites and prices of the same. Carried.

Secretary Graydon then read the following report:

Your Committee, as instructed, visited Hamilton, Toronto, Buffalo, St. Thomas and St. Marys, for the purpose of gaining information in reference to electric lighting, and beg to report as follows:

At Hamilton we found the Thompson-Houston system of arc light, 2,000 candle power, and Westinghouse incandescent system for private lighting. The city contract in Hamilton for every night in the year, for 2,000 candle power arc lights, is 28 cents per night, from dusk to day-light; no exceptions for moonlight.

In Toronto we found the Excelsior system of arc lighting, and two Royal arc dynamos. Also Edison incandescent for private lighting. The contract price in Toronto is 250 lights at 55 cents and 350 at 24½ cents. The 55 cent rate is an old contract, and will soon expire. The 24½ cent contract has about two years yet to run.

In Buffalo the Brush arc lamps light the streets, and the Westinghouse arc and incandescent lamps are used for private lighting. The contract price in Buffalo for arc lights, 2,000 candle power is — per night.

In St. Thomas we found the Reliance system of arc lighting, 1,200 candle power, with Westinghouse incandescent system for private lighting. The contract price for arc lights is 28 cents per night.

In St. Marys we found the Ball system, 1,000 candle power arc lights, and also incandescent. Twelve and a half cents per night for arc lamps, and 50 for sixteen candle power incandescent. The arc lights burn till 12 o'clock.

We found the systems in Hamilton, Toronto and Buffalo, all of 2,000 candle power, working satisfactorily, but in no respect better than our lights in the city of London.

The 1,200 candle power lamp used in St. Thomas and the 1,000 candle power used in St. Marys for street lighting appear to your committee to be valuable from an economical standpoint, as more lights can be supplied for the same amount of money, thus giving an opportunity of a greater distribution of lights without increasing the cost. From the information which your committee have collected in reference to the cost of lighting and of plant, your committee are led to believe that the city:

1. Can be lighted to best advantage by introducing a 1,000 candle and 2,000 candle power system of arc lighting.

2. And we recommend that the Engineer be instructed to prepare plans for lighting the city on the double system and plan for 2,000 C. P. system.

3. That the existing companies now in the city be asked to tender for lighting Ward No. 6 with 1,000 and 2,000 candle power lights to be put up at once, the tenders to be put in both ways, a condition of the contract being that if the city purchases a plant, that part of the circuit of the company shall be taken by the city at the cost price, in that event the city to have the privilege of canceling the contract, and that the City Engineer be instructed to prepare plans locating the lights. Either 40 or 1,000 candle power or 20 of 2,000 candle power.

Your committee further recommend that they be authorized to advertise for a plant capable of lighting the city either with a 1,000 candle power or 2,000 candle power of both combined.

4. Also to advertise for tenders for contracts for lighting the city, as a whole or in sections, with 1,000 or 2,000 candle power, for a term of years.

JOHN BOYD, chairman.

Mayor Taylor said the recommendation for 1,000 candle power lights was favoring the Ball Company.

Ald. Heaman objected to the paragraph referring to South London. He wanted tenders to be called from all the different companies.

Ald. Fitzgerald moved that the South London clause be sustained.

Ald. Bartlett moved in amendment that it be struck out. Amendment lost.

The report without amendment was then adopted, to be submitted to the Council.

Adjourned.

The Late Rev. Dr. Rose.

TORONTO, July 17.—The Rev. Dr. Rose, who died on Tuesday, was one of the striking characters of pioneer Canadian Methodism. He was the active contemporary of Dr. Ryerson, Dr. Rice, Dr. Williams, Dr. Carroll, Dr. Richardson and other men of pluck and patriotism, whose hands were on the cradle of the Methodist Church in the Canadas. He was born at Marysburg, near Picton, on Sept. 13, 1806, and in the 12th year was converted and joined the Methodist Church. He did not enter the ministerial work of the church until 1830, when he was employed on an Indian mission about where Orillia stands. Two years later the unusual talents of the young preacher were recognized and he was given charge of the new station at Albion. Subsequently he went to Westminster, Hamilton, Stamford, St. Catharines, London, Brantford, Toronto and Dundas. In 1850 he was taken from the work of the regular ministry and put in charge of the Mount Elgin Industrial School for the Muncey Indians. During six months he labored successfully in this institute, when he was recalled to the pastoral work again. He went a second time to Dundas, to Thoroid, a second time to St. Catharines and then to his last station at Belleville. From 1865 to 1879 he was book steward of the Methodist Church, having to retire on account of ill-health. During his career Dr. Rose occupied a great many responsible positions within the gift of the church. Since his retirement from active service his presence had been a constant inspiration to several local charities. A year ago last December he buried his dearly loved wife. Now he leaves four children in like bereavement—Miss Sarah Rose, Mrs. Frank Byrne, Mr. Justice Rose and Rev. S. P. Rose, of Montreal.

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THE SEVENTH CAMP.

Interesting Notes From the "Advertiser's" War Correspondent.

SEVENTH FUSILIER CAMP OF INSTRUCTION, PORT STANLEY, July 16.

The men are getting along finely. Our strength up to date is 51 officers, non-commissioned officers and men.

Captain Ashplant arrived last night and will remain for one week. The Captain spent a restless night endeavoring to pick out a soft place to rest in, and was only successful when "reveille" sounded.

This morning's bathing parade was canceled on account of the cold wind that was blowing at that hour.

Lieut. W. C. Coo went fishing yesterday evening in company with Corporal Allen, Jack Gauld, Bugler Jones and "Bull" Brennan, the mascot, accompanying him. The fishing was good, Mr. Coo, J. Gauld and Corporal Allen being very successful. Bugler Jones deserves great credit for the manner in which he hooked "Bull." "Bull" was leaning over the wharf at the time, and in his anxiety to get hold of the fish he fell in. Bugler Jones' hook at this moment caught in the seat of "Bull's" trousers, and the "Bull-fish" was landed safely, none the worse for his ducking. "Bull" says he can't stand it much longer. Two baths in two days he says is enough to kill any man.

Next to fishing, mosquitoes are Lieut. Coo's hobby. Every night he is seen prowling along the cliffs looking for this bird. He succeeded in bagging a few last night, which he says are large enough to roast.

Our Adjutant is quite a "Churchman." He was seen yesterday afternoon at the picnic grounds training a Sunday school class from London West.

Quite a number of picnickers visited the camp yesterday afternoon, and were highly pleased with the cleanliness of everything.

The rations we are getting are of the highest quality, and very little kicking is in order. Of course a few wasteful ones grumble, but by a week or so they will understand that the rations are issued daily for three meals instead of one.

Private Ralph Ferguson, of "B" Company, is the pet of all the young ladies in the port, his fine open countenance attracting everybody. He is without exception the handsomest man in the company and a good eater.

Sergeant-Major Cox, of the Tenth Royal Grenadiers, Toronto, visited the camp yesterday.

Field cookery is being taught to the men, two men being detailed daily for instructions under Cook Bide. This is one of the most essential features of a campaign, and if ever the Seventh should be called out they will not be short-handed in the cook line.

Bull's brother, "Skin," is the vocalist of the camp.

The health of the men is all that can be desired. The heat affected a couple at first, but they are all right now.

Assistant-Surgeon Mitchell arrived today.

We expect to have over 150 of the men in camp over Sunday. The band will come down from the city Saturday along with the remainder of the battalion, as will also Col. Tracy.

KANTEEN.

Now It's Twenty.

TORONTO, July 17.—A petition was lodged this morning against the return of J. H. Metzalfe for Kingston. S. W. Day is the petitioner and Johnston and Ross agents. This makes 20 protests.

Eighty Miles an Hour.

WASHINGTON, July 17.—A special train bearing 150 Pennsylvania editors was whirled into this city from Baltimore at an extraordinary fast gait. It left Baltimore at noon, and 35 minutes later had traveled 42 miles and was in the Pennsylvania Railroad station here. The speed averaged 72 miles an hour, or allowing for starting and stopping, at least 80 miles for the greater part of the run.

Steamship Arrivals.

July 16.	At	From.
Grasbrook	Father Point	Hamburg
Buevia	Hamburg	New York
Westernland	New York	Antwerp
Caspian	St. Johns	Liverpool
Brazilian	London	Montreal
Majestic	Queenstown	New York
Rotterdam	London	New York
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Aller	London	New York

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