

FORTY-FOURTH YEAR

BRANTFORD, CANADA, FRIDAY, JULY 25, 1913

ONE CENT

SIXTY CONVICTS TAKEN FROM SING SING

Authorities Feared Conspiracy Among Them After Recent Disorder.

DREDS OF N. Y. SOCIETY Handcuffed and Shackled They Were Taken to Albany.

(Canadian Press Despatch) ALBANY, N.Y., July 25.—Sixty of the dregs of the New York penitentiary class were taken from their cells in Sing Sing yesterday and placed aboard a train for the state prison at Auburn. The move was caused by the fact that the convicts were heavily handicapped and chained to their seats in the railroad car, which had been brought inside the prison enclosure. A hundred prison guards were on duty while in the state prison. A company of the militia waited for a call to proceed to the town in case the transfer of the convicts resulted in a prison mutiny. The convicts, which included many of the past two days leading convicts, were expected at Sing Sing to-day because the second term men who are being transferred to Auburn have left the prison. They were handcuffed and shackled because so many of them were armed. The convicts were taken from their cells and relatives in New York City.

BAD RUNAWAY THIS MORNING

George Eddy, a young man, had his right leg broken and badly crushed in a runaway which occurred about 10 o'clock this morning. Mr. Eddy, who is employed by a farmer named Nelson Franklin, who resides on the McGill Tract, came to the city this morning to get a load of lumber. When at a point on the Cockshutt road past the Bellview School the horses became frightened and ran away. The unfortunate man was thrown off the wagon and fell heavily to the ground. The wagon passed over his right leg, breaking it and at the same time crushing it severely. The ambulance was sent for, and he was conveyed to the hospital, where his injuries were attended to. The horses were stopped after running a short distance. The wagon was slightly damaged, but the horses were not injured.

BANK ROBBERY IS PARTIALLY CLEARED

"Australian Mack" is Convicted by Jury in British Columbia.

THIEVES USED AN AUTO It Was on Charge of Stealing Car That the Jury Convicted.

(Canadian Press Despatch) NEW WESTMINSTER, July 25.—John McNamara, better known as "Australian Mack," who was arrested in New York City January 8, 1912, as one of the men implicated in the robbery of the New Westminster branch of the Bank of Montreal, September 15, 1911, when \$37,000 was taken, was found guilty by a jury in the Assizes Court, last night, of having stolen an automobile in which the burglars are supposed to have attempted to effect their escape. This is the first conviction in connection with the robbery itself, but is a long way from proving that "Australian Mack" was one of the bank robbers. He may yet be tried on the more serious charge. Counsel for McNamara gave notice of an appeal from the conviction. Sentence was reserved until the conclusion of the Assizes.

SEVEN KILLED IN NITRO EXPLOSION

Terrible Fatality in a Powder Factory in Quebec—The Details.

(Canadian Press Despatch) MONTREAL, July 25.—Seven lives were lost at Beloeil yesterday when an explosion of nitro-glycerine blew one of the isolated buildings of the Canadian Explosives Company to pieces and scattered the dismembered bodies of four men and three girls in every direction. An instant after the explosion the space for a hundred and fifty feet around was strewn with wreckage intermingled with pieces of human bodies. The victims were the only persons employed in the destroyed building, and all were instantly killed. The detonation brought workers in the other house rushing out of doors with great haste between the houses was great enough to prevent the shock from producing other explosions. The search for the bodies was started at once, and it is expected that as many as can be found will be identified without difficulty. The head and half the body of Miss Eli were found covered with wood, but the bodies of the other victims were too hopelessly torn into fragments to permit of identification. Evidence of a sensational nature is prominent at the request of villagers to be taken. It is alleged that machines were used for packing cartridges, which had been condemned by Government inspectors only a few days ago. However, it will be difficult to prove these facts, as every one of the employees in the building was killed.

The official statement in regard to the accident is that the explosion occurred yesterday morning at 11.20 o'clock in what is known as the gelatine carting house. As to the cause of the explosion it is quite impossible to determine, and no theory can be offered. Five minutes before the explosion the foreman of that department had gone through the house and examined it, as well as all the machinery, and he found everything in order. Work only started at ten minutes before the explosion, and the visit was the daily opening inspection. The factory is located about a mile away from Beloeil station, and Beloeil village is on the other side of the station. The works covers several hundred acres, and the various operations in the manufacture of explosives are carried on in separate and detached houses or huts, one storey buildings, which are hedged off from each other by a protective wall.

LAUNDRY CELESTIALS STRIKE AT HOSPITAL

No Washee for the Present at Victoria Institution in London. LONDON, Ont., July 25.—A dozen Chinamen employed in the laundry at Victoria Hospital went out on strike yesterday, declaring that Charlie For, the boss of the squad, does not pay them enough, and that, further, they are insufficiently fed. The hospital, as a consequence left without a laundry service for the time being, but it is expected that the trouble will be speedily patched up. It is said that the men are comparatively new arrivals in America, and that they went to work for ridiculously low money before they knew better.

In Serious Condition

LONDON, July 25.—Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, who was released last evening from Holloway jail, after an imprisonment lasting only since Monday, is reported to be in a very critical condition. Three consultant physicians have been called by the regular attending physician.

Nineteen Horses Lost

SANFORD, Man., July 25.—G. M. Vail's stable was burned, nineteen horses being destroyed. The loss is \$7,000.

DISGRACE PROVES PERPETUAL ONE

His Worship Mayor Hartman, who in the city hall this morning, remarked that it is now over a month since the city solicitor had been advised to instruct the Westminster Paving Company to fix up the pavement on Brant Ave. As yet no attempt has been made to repair the pavement, and the Mayor is anxious that the work should be started at once. The pavement is full of holes and a disgrace to the city.

NATIONAL GUARD IS CALLED TO THE MINES

Governor of Michigan Issued Orders Yesterday Afternoon.

A SERIOUS SITUATION More Than 2000 State Militiamen Will Parole Mine Region.

(Canadian Press Despatch) LANSING, Mich., July 25.—It was announced in the adjutant-general's office here this morning that practically every company in the Michigan national guard was either on its way to the copper mine strike district or would entrain as soon as cars are available, in response to the governor's orders late yesterday afternoon. It was expected that more than 2,000 state militiamen would be in the strike zone before to-morrow night. Several companies are already reported there.

POLICE CALANTRY FOR SUFFRAGETTES

Stopped Traffic to Permit Mrs. Lawrence to Call on the Premier.

THEN THE ROW STARTED "Sightseers" Were Ejected From Lobby and Two Leaders Arrested.

(Canadian Press Despatch) LONDON, July 25.—The Suffragettes caught the police napping yesterday when a deputation, headed by Sir Edward Burt and Mrs. Petrick Lawrence penetrated as far as the central lobby of the House and attempted to hold a meeting in St. Stephen's Hall. There had been a meeting to protest against the "Cat and Mouse" Law, in Caxton Hall, after which a deputation of 13 members went towards the House of Commons. They were unable to see the Prime Minister and refused to see Home Secretary McKenna. Suddenly Mrs. Lawrence was struck with a bright idea. "This is a grand opportunity to hold a meeting," said she, and the women proceeded to do so. The police interfered and ejected all the women. Mrs. Lawrence and Lady Sybil Smith, who offered a strenuous resistance to the police were arrested.

TOWNSHIP AND CITY RACE ENTRIES IN A REAL SPLIT

After Last Night's Session Representatives Decide to Secure a Divorce. After spending two and a half hours last night thinking it over, within the four walls of Township Clerk Smith's office in the Court House, the Township Council and the board of works decided to sever relations, as far as the work on West street is concerned. The Township Council and the Board of Works had verbally agreed to construct a cement sidewalk from the city limits to Mt. Hope cemetery, and to grade portions of the road from the city limits to Mt. Hope cemetery, each corporation to bear half the cost. An agreement was to have been drawn by the city and presented to the Township Council for approval. This was not done. However, the work was gone ahead with, Messrs E. W. Jones and Harry Hull of the Township objected to the work on the grounds that it was damaging their properties, and Mr. Hull, it is stated, threatened to issue an injunction. Owing to the agreement not having been signed, and the objections, Reeve Kendrick ceased work stopped Wednesday. At the request of the city solicitor, Reeve Kendrick called the meeting last night. Those present were the Township Councillors, Reeve Kendrick, Mayor Hartman, Ald. Minshall, Ald. Suddaby, City Engineer Jones, City Overseer Howie, Assistant Overseer Unger, City Solicitor Henderson, and Messrs E. W. Jones, Chas. Mayled and Harry Hull, and Township Clerk Smith. Reeve Kendrick, who occupied the chair, explained his action in the matter.

WERE CREMATED IN FACTORY FIRE

Only a Few Bodies Can be Found in Ruins at Binghamton.

(Canadian Press Despatch) BINGHAMTON, N.Y., July 25.—Yesterday the first of the Binghamton clothing factory victims were laid to rest. The body of Mrs. Alvin White was taken to Wauyarn, Pa., for interment. The body of Mrs. Hattie Freeman will be buried in Cooperstown cemetery, all that remains of John Schermerhorn, the engineer of the building, will be laid to rest in Floral Park cemetery this afternoon. The funeral of Mrs. Cassie Felder, who died at the hospital, was held yesterday, burial at Newark Valley, while the body of Miss Ida Prentiss was placed in Glenwood cemetery. Early this morning the work of recovering bodies was resumed, but the discovery of only two corpses yesterday leads to the fear that other victims have been completely cremated. Catherine Sullivan, who was among the missing, has been located in Canada, where she was spending her vacation. The only list of employees available is two weeks old, and as there were daily changes, it is practically worthless. There was a clash between the deputy state fire marshal and the manager of the Binghamton Clothing Company, because the clothing company refused to allow its safe to be opened to secure the payroll. It was feared that to open the safe at this time would damage the contents. The Italian Government, through its consul, is to investigate the fire, which cost the lives of several Italian subjects.

RACE ENTRIES AT HAMILTON

HAMILTON, Ont., July 25.—Entries for the SATURDAY RACE—Purse \$600, for 2-year-olds, 5 1/2 furlongs: Emerald Gem...107 Perpetual...104 Hodje...107 Centaur...101 Blaine Gables...108 Wm. W. Middle...104 SECOND RACE—Royal Canadian handicap, purse \$300, 3-year-olds and up, foaled in Canada, 1-16 miles: Crystalline...95 Cape Sance...105 Bayview...92 Chilton Queen...100 Rockspring...108 Sarolta...103 Ondramon...102 THIRD RACE—Purse \$600, July selling, stepplechase, 4-year-olds and up, about two miles: The African...135 Dissenter...139 Nottingham...135 Gun Cotton...150 FOURTH RACE—Purse \$600, 3-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs: T. M. Green...107 Ten Point...112 Panzaretta...94 Leochaires...104 Calgary...103 Noble Grand...107 Lochiel...107 Sam R. Meyer...114 Blaine Gables...108 E. P. S...100 Edward Sellings...3-year-olds and up, 1 1/4 miles: Tecumseh...86 Fountain Fay...102 White Wool...106 Paron...101 Blaine Gables...108 Blackford...103 aBartende...104 aWatkins entry. SIXTH RACE—Purse \$500, 3-year-olds and up, selling, 5 1/2 furlongs: Brawny...92 Chilton Queen...101 Big Chief...102 J. H. Houghton...106 Joe Knight...108 Flex...108 Tankard...101 Clem Beachy...101 Spring Maid...103 U See It...107 Jester...108 Double Five...108 Also eligible: Kamchatka...108 Tom Sayers...112 Henry Rittie...101 Marjorie A...111 Chucky...106 RACE—Purse \$600, 3-year-olds and up, selling, 1 1/4 miles on the turf: xFox Craft...98 Master Jim...100 Husky Lad...106 Eflendi...117 Mycene...100 Lucky George...105 xMy Fellow...107 xFive pounds apprentice allowance claimed. Weather, clear; track, fast.

TURKS START AN INVASION OF BULGARIA

Concert of Europe is Seriously Threatened by Latest Development.

RUSSIA MAY ACT ALONE Powers Split by Jealousy and Situation is One of Alarm.

(Canadian Press Despatch) MONTREAL, July 25.—Shots were fired and newspaper reporters chased following a meeting held by the Rev. Jean Vuillumier, an Adventist missionary, in his tent on St. Hubert street, in the northeast end of the city last night. While the meeting was in progress there was no disturbance, except for the noisy shouting of the big crowd that had collected along the street and in a lane in the rear of the tent. This became so insistent that the meeting had to be stopped, and the police conducted Mr. Vuillumier and his wife through the crowd. Reporters who helped a man escape after the crowd had started to chase him were themselves chased and rescued by the police. Two shots were fired from a lane, but the police were unable to find the perpetrator.

BRITISH MEMBERS VISITING CANADA

They Have Arrived at Quebec and Will Go to the Coast.

(Canadian Press Despatch) MONTREAL, July 25.—The Allan liner Victorian arrived last night, having on board the British Parliamentary party, with Lord Emmott, Under Secretary of State for the Colonies, at its head. The party includes the Right Hon. Lord and Lady Emmott, Col. Sir Edward, Lady and Miss Carle, Sir Stephen Collins, the Right Hon. Stuart Wortley, Mr. Donald MacMaster, K.C., Mr. Hamar Greenwood, Mrs. Greenwood, Mr. Arthur Sherwell and Mrs. Sherwell, Mr. Will Crooks, Mr. D. V. Pirie, Mr. Edgar Jones and Mr. Arthur Black.

Invitation from Australia

At the first annual meeting of the United Kingdom Branch of the Empire Association in London on April 30 of this year a cable from the Australian branch was read, inviting twenty members of the British Parliament to visit Australia, and indicating that round-the-world passages would be provided and that the Commonwealth Prime Minister and the State Premiers would extend official welcomes and courtesies. The present tour is the outcome.

Official Welcome

When the party landed at 9 o'clock last night they were received by Mayor E. J. Chambers, Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, on behalf of the Dominion Government. Writs indignantly to Ottawa because City would contribute. OTTAWA, July 25.—The Carter Centenary Committee handed out a decided "knock" to the city in a communication received to-day in regard to the city's refusal to contribute to a fund being raised. Part of the letter read as follows: "Small villages of practically no importance have gladly denied themselves to the extent of \$10 and upwards. It remains for the seat of Government to distinguish itself by being the first city of any importance which has stood aloof and refused to contribute. Evidently its sense of gratitude is as short-lived as its memory."

LORDS REJECT BILL AGAINST PLURAL VOTING

LONDON, July 24.—The House of Lords rejected to-night the bill to abolish plural voting at elections in the British Isles. The vote was 166 to 42. On July 14 this bill passed its third reading in the House of Commons after a motion to reject it had been defeated by 293 to 223.

HERE ON MONDAY

Big Ben likes brisk business. Big Ben here Monday.



Want to be an actor? What was your play always been a gentleman up till now. —Modern Life.

"Perhaps you drink too much coffee," suggested the doctor. "I should advise you to try a substitute." "Sir, your advice is superfluous," replied the patient. "I have lived in boarding-houses for twenty-five years, and I always was unlucky!" The speaker heaved a weary sigh. "What's the matter now, old man?" he was asked. "I have spent over £100 in having my boy taught to play the fiddle, and now his hair is all coming out!" Teacher: "For what did your father whip you for while you did in school yesterday?" Willie: "No, ma'am, he said the ticks would hurt him more than me." Teacher: "What nonsense you father is too absurd!" Willie: "No, ma'am, but he's got rheumatism in both arms."

A man was being shown over a trout farm. "Ah!" he said, thoughtfully. "Providence knew what it was doing when it made fishes voracious." "How do you mean?" he was asked. "Well, I understand that fishes lay millions of eggs every year. What if they chafed their fins over every egg they laid?" Architect: "Now where would you prefer the drawing-room, sir?" Mr. Student: "Look here, young man, I've let you put up a smokin'-room, when I don't smoke; a music-room, when I couldn't play a mouthorgan; a nursery, when I don't want to nurse; and a study, when I don't want. But I'm going to draw the line at a drawing-room, when I couldn't even draw a straight line!"



Band Concert To-night. Instrumental band of the 25th Regiment, under the command of J. H. Pearce, Mus. Doc., will give a concert at 8 o'clock in the evening at 8 o'clock. "Opera Bouquet" (Arr. by the band); "Valse fantastique" (V. von Appella); calvary march "My Baby Lou" (Hartz); "Marrina" (Wallace); "Caprice" ("Bolero" (Brancisi); "Tivoli fantasia" ("A Cat Astrophe" (Hartz); march, "United Empire" (Hartz); euphonium solo, "Asleep in Death" by request (Petri); melody, "Orion" (C. Duval); ragtime, "Humoresque" (Dvorak); military, "Amour Di Patrie" (Gode); God Save the King.

No Hedger. "Boss, can I get off this afternoon about half past two?" "Whose funeral is it to be this time, Ned?" "Well, to be honest, boss, the way the morning papers have it doped out looks like it's going to be the home team's again."