

B.C. SALMON CANNERIES IN SPLENDID CONDITION

Report of Commission, Which Made Thorough Inspection, Received at Ottawa -- Canada's Gift to San Francisco's Relief Fund--New Deputy Minister and His Assistant.

OTTAWA, July 28.—The government takes possession on August 1 of property extending along Sussex and McKenzie Avenue for the new departmental block for which half a million was voted.

When the announcement of the Chicago canned meat revelations came the minister of marine and fisheries ordered the British Columbia fishery commission, which was then sitting, to inspect and investigate the salmon canning operations and salmon canneries from hygiene and sanitary standpoint.

The commission has made a thorough inspection of the canneries operating in the Fraser River district. We were accompanied by Dr. Pagan, of the provincial board of health. Without exception we found the sanitary conditions satisfactory.

CANADA'S GRANT TO SAN FRANCISCO FUND

With reference to the Canadian grant of \$100,000 towards the San Francisco relief fund, of which \$50,000 has already been sent to the Red Cross and Relief Association of San Francisco, Mr. Fielding, minister of finance, stated today that the government will send the balance of \$50,000 to the same authority.

Some individual applications were made to the government for assistance and some complaint made as to the administration of the fund by the San Francisco authorities. The government, Mr. Fielding said, held that, as the \$100,000 was granted for the general relief of sufferers without respect to any class they did not feel at liberty to deal with any individual case or with any particular class of sufferers, but felt that the whole amount should go into the general relief fund.

MAINE FARMER WANTED TO SEE AUTOMOBILES PASS

RANGELEY, Me., July 28.—One clear score was spotted in the Glidden automobile tour from Waterville to this place today, a distance of 100 miles, leaving 14 cars still in the hunt for the trophy, with only one more run to be made.

WHOLESALE STEALING FROM AUSTRALIAN MINES

NEW YORK, July 28.—A cable despatch to a morning paper from Sydney, N. S. W., says: In consequence of a circumstantial statement that the Kalgoolie gold mines suffered a loss of \$5,000,000 worth of gold by theft, the mines of the province employed a detective to investigate.

WARSAW, Russian Poland, July 25.

Col. Salamoff, of the Gendarmes was stabbed to death here today. The assassin escaped.

Respondent in Hartje Divorce Case Attacked in Street by Unknown Man.



Augustus Hartje, and his negro groom Hoe.

PITTSBURG, Pa., July 28.—Just after leaving the court house today following the adjournment of the hearing in the Hartje divorce case, Mary Scott-Hartje, the respondent in the case, was attacked by an unknown man on the street. Despite the crowd about the court house at the time, the man made good his escape through an alley in the vicinity of the court house.

Mrs. Hartje left the building accompanied by Mrs. Alexander W. Blouin, who has been Mrs. Hartje's constant companion through the hearing. The women were on their way to the office of John Freeman, Mrs. Hartje's counsel. They had gone but a few steps from the court house, when a man having the appearance of a mill worker, thrust out his arms and grabbing Mrs. Hartje dragged her across the pavement saying, "Mary, come with me."

Scrambling with fright Mrs. Hartje managed to escape from the man and found refuge in Mr. Freeman's office. In the meantime the crowd stood about apparently paralyzed at the incident. The man started to run and was lost to those who took up the chase. Some few minutes later Mrs. Blouin pointed out a man as the assailant and he was arrested, but released when Mrs. Hartje said he was not the man.

SATURDAY MAIL A SURE THING

Little Doubt that Government Will Make Contract Postmaster General Meets Representatives of Montreal Produce Merchants' Association who Made Request

MONTREAL, July 28.—Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, postmaster general, today met the representatives of the Montreal Produce Merchants' Association in reference to granting to the Dominion line the contract whereby this line might carry the mails from the port of Montreal on Saturdays, allowing Montreal merchants to send their documents immediately after large shipments, which are generally put on board Friday.

BUSINESS OF NEW PROVINCES

Premier Scott Looking for Railway Subsidies Looks Upon the Acquisition of Old Prince Albert Road by Canadian Northern as Important Event

OTTAWA, Ont., July 28.—Premier Scott of Saskatchewan completed his business here today and left for Montreal. He goes by way of Owen Sound. Attorney General Lamont proceeded west a week ago, while in Ottawa Messrs. Scott and Lamont obtained agreements for transfer to the province of land titles system and offices and of a list of public institutions and buildings, including jails at Prince Albert and Regina, Government House at Regina, and all court houses in the province. These have been assessed as a whole at \$2,000,000, which sum the province will pay in five equal annual instalments. The necessary order-in-council repealing the old Dominion Lands Titles Act and transferring the land registration system has been passed, but the necessary advertisement of the order in four issues of the Canada Gazette will delay the actual transfer to September 1st.

When leaving today, Mr. Scott said that his main purpose in Ottawa had been in connection with railway subsidies. Mr. Scott looks upon this acquisition of the old Prince Albert road by the Canadian Northern as a very important event of great importance to Saskatchewan. Until now the C. P. R. has had the monopoly of the business of the whole southern portion of the province, and the transaction at once gives a strong competitor access to the very heart of that area, and puts the Northern in position to quickly reach all parts of Saskatchewan with feeder lines.

Mr. Scott says that all the Canadian railways and the Hill lines are strong. "But after all is said and done," declared the premier, "the people of western Canada refuse to take their eyes off the Hudson's Bay route." For twenty years they have been looking that way. In the elections last fall both parties, in both Alberta and Saskatchewan, made distinct pronouncements on that subject, and in May the Saskatchewan legislature adopted a strong memorial urging the project on Sir Wilfrid Laurier's attention for immediate action. But for my determination to leave no stone unturned to bring about action upon this project

NOT A DOLLAR OF SAGE'S MILLIONS FOR CHARITY

With the Exception of a Small Bequest to Sister, the Entire Fortune Goes to Dead Financier's Wife -- Relatives Stunned by the Will and will Contest It -- Counsel Already Engaged.

(Special to the Sun.) NEW YORK, N. Y., July 28.—Not one dollar of the sixty millions, more or less, left by Russell Sage, is willed to charity. The whole of his fortune, with the exception of a small bequest to his only sister, Mrs. Chapin, who died two years ago, is left to his wife unreservedly. The numerous relatives of the dead financier are dazed at the will, and are preparing to contest it on the ground that he was dominated entirely by his wife during the last ten years of his life, and lacked the mental capacity of making a valid will. Already arrangements are being forwarded for the retaining of Charles E. Hughes, the noted insurance lawyer, to contest the will on behalf of the relatives. The will is to be read tomorrow at the residence of the given out by a near relative of the aged millionaire and is authentic. There are less than sixty blood heirs of Russell Sage living, some of whom are in poor circumstances, and all of whom until today did not doubt that they would share in the millions for which they have been for many years anxious.

NEW YORK, July 28.—Mrs. Russell Sage, through her secretary, announced today that the will of Mr. Sage would be filed for probate tomorrow, when its contents will be made public.

SAD REVELATION TO NEWBURGH MYSTERY

Mother Thought Boy Kidnapped; His Body Found in Gas Tank

NEWBURGH, N. Y., July 28.—After mounding for over three years for her son Charles, whom she thought had been kidnapped, Mrs. James Flanagan of Fishkill Landing identified today parts of the clothing of the skeleton of a three and a half year old boy found at the bottom of a gas tank well last night. Employee of the local gas plant were working at one of the three retorts when an iron fitting dropped from the top of the tank to the bottom of the well. While grappling for the fitting they pulled up a child's overcoat. Further investigation revealed the remnants of the body of the Flanagan boy. The child had evidently fallen from the top of the brick wall when the tank was high and the body was crushed by the heavy weight when the tank was lowered.

LOVERS WENT TO DEATH TOGETHER

Parents of Philadelphia Boy and Girl Would Not Allow Them to Marry

PHILADELPHIA, July 28.—Disappointed because their parents would not permit them to marry, Gustave Kathke, aged 19 years, and Ella Miller, a handsome girl of 18, committed suicide together some time Tuesday night by jumping into the Delaware River. Tonight the bodies of the young couple, clasped in each other's arms, came to the surface.

BURN BABE IN MANGER

NEW YORK, July 28.—Startling details of an amazing child murder, fondled and self-confessedly deliberate, but unpunishable because, in the eyes of the law, in infant perpetrators cannot distinguish between right and wrong, came to light yesterday at Riverhead, L. I. The authorities will make no arrests.

The childish motive behind the burning to death of two-year-old Julian Beck by his playmates, Frank and Anthony White, aged four and six years respectively, as admitted by the youngsters themselves, was to determine whether the baby or the hay in the manger of the White barn would burn first. Charred bones of the baby were discovered in the ruins two days after the fire, which occurred two weeks ago, but it was not until yesterday that the awful details of the infanticide were worked out of the frightened children.

Besides the burning to death of the Beck baby the big barn and outhouses on the farm were completely destroyed, and the woodland for a stretch of a mile to the north of the place was eaten away by the flames. For two days and night following the commencement of the fire Mr. and Mrs. John Beck, parents of the victim, together with hundreds of neighbors, searched the thick woods in the neighborhood for the little fellow—the White boys insisting, when the fire was discovered, that the Beck boy was seen hurrying into the thicket.

THE RECEPTION TO WILLIAM J. BRYAN

Democratic Leader Wants as Little Expensed as Possible and That Legitimate

NEW YORK, July 28.—The executive committee which is in charge of arranging the reception to be given to William J. Bryan at the Garden of August 30, made public today a portion of a letter written by Mr. Bryan to Alexander Troup of New Haven, treasurer of the committee, concerning the method of securing funds for the reception. Mr. Bryan wrote in part as follows:

"There will be some expense, and the committee must see to it that no money is accepted from questionable sources. In fact, I think it would be well to announce that the expense would be borne by popular subscription, dollar subscriptions being preferred, but that larger subscriptions would be received up to \$50, none being received over that. Also announce that subscriptions of \$5 or more than \$5 would be entered in a book and the name given to anyone desiring them. Subscriptions of less than \$5 would not be made known without the expressed consent of the subscriber.

"Say that the reception will be made as inexpensive as possible and that any surplus over and above the expenses of the reception will be used to print and circulate the speeches delivered at the reception. I think the publication of the subscriptions is an important thing. The Republicans have failed to pass any effective law in regard to campaign contributions and this will be a good rebuke to them and will foreshadow the adoption of such a policy by our next campaign committee.

"You can say, if you like, that I asked to have this plan adopted." It was also announced that the executive committee has adopted a resolution asking all those who wish to help defray the expenses to send their contributions to Alexander Troup at New Haven, Conn.

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CRUISE HAS ENDED

Service Held At's Point Tuesday Thomson in Happy Address Cruise Ended—Eloquent on by Rev. Dr. Fraser

of the R. K. Y. C. vers at Carter's Point Sunday a very successful cruise service was conducted J. Fraser, LL. D., acting in the absence of Rev. Lind-

m. the bell on the flagged for the members to divine service. About were taken in tow of the launch and made a pretty half way across the river, en port ashore they par-

spoke on the Necessity of Rest. It was a prime man to rest from his he should use his leisure most profitable way.

however, one thing of should be careful and that is a vacation in order to m the troubles of th his time should be in- interval for bolstering up a to fight those troubles. day night the Columbia on the flats below. Oak remained around all the crew succeeded in work- next morning. The boat

unsuccessful incidents of appended at John O's the A party on board one of tied a woodboat passing nd one of the crew yelled the old familiar cry "The man at the wheel

and to break the stillness was his sentimentary, "I'll quick; come up; we're to the other member of

and the wheel about and lering after he had found he why people will make no noise at such early morning. modore Merritt's. Vagab on the river for the sterday and made a very prominent young lawyer. told the girl yesterday become engaged, and was see her begin to weep that the heart had un-

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