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HER BOILERS LEAKED

Why Steamer Bulgaria Was Delayed
—Her Record Cargo.

Halifax, N. S., May 29.—The Hamburg-American Line steamship Bulgarian arrived Wednesday with 2,899 passengers, the largest number that ever landed from a single steamer in Canada. Considerable anxiety was felt for her on account of the report that she had broken down in mid-ocean. The immigrants, most of whom are destined for Canadian points, consisted of Austrians, Hungarians, Prussians, and Armenians. Three hundred and eighteen go to Baltimore on the steamship. The Bulgarian left Hamburg May 12, and Boulogne May 18. On May 20 the boilers began leaking, and the steamer was obliged to lay to while repairs were being effected. On that day, while engaged in this work, she sighted the steamer Minnetonka, bound for New York, which offered assistance, which was declined. After four hours' work the engineers got things to rights, and the steamship proceeded.

A Clear Course.

London, May 29.—Mr. George Wyndham, Chief Secretary for Ireland, stated in the House of Commons Wednesday afternoon that the international automobile race in Ireland, in July, would be run over a course to which nobody would be admitted except the stewards and officials. A large contingent of police and militia would be present.

THE POWER BILL WAS DISCUSSED

Legislature Adopts Several Important Amendments.

THE NEW ONTARIO TAXATION

"Cap" Sullivan's Absence Discussed—
House Orders His Attendance at the Committee.

Toronto, May 28.—"Cap" Sullivan's protracted absence from the Committee on Public Accounts was discussed in the Legislature this afternoon, and an order of the House made compelling his attendance. Col. Matheson moved a resolution to the effect that, inasmuch as "Cap" John Sullivan had been notified to appear before the Public Accounts Committee, and had refused, an order of the House be issued compelling his attendance on Tuesday next.

The Attorney-General objected to the preamble, as citing what were not proven to be facts. He thought the same result might be attained by a simple order of the House. To commence a motion with "inasmuch" was against the rules of the House. On the suggestion of the Premier the motion was amended to read "in accordance with the report of the Committee of Public Accounts," and was adopted.

MUNICIPAL POWER BILL.

The Municipal Power Bill was again taken up in committee by the Legislature this afternoon. Several amendments were incorporated.

One amendment was that where electricity is developed as well as transmitted, the works shall be of a permanent nature, and the debtures for the payment for them shall be issued for forty years, instead of twenty years, as was originally provided in the bill. This makes it easier on the municipality engaging in the enterprise in the matter of sinking fund.

Another amendment made was that where a municipality engages in a scheme to develop its own electrical energy, it may determine the number of commissioners to be appointed to supervise the construction of the works, instead of that duty being placed in the hands of the chief justice. It is also provided that commissioners shall be removed from office by the chief justice when the municipalities so request. An important change made was in

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clause 12, which, as amended, stipulated that commissioners, after deciding on the erection of a power plant, shall, before making any contracts for the supply of electrical energy, call for tenders, and no contract shall be made for a longer period than five years.

NEW ONTARIO TAXATION BILL.

In committee on the bill respecting the taxation of lands in New Ontario, the Premier proposed to amend the clause, vesting power to remit taxes in the provincial treasury by adding "on receipt of a certificate from the sheriff of the district." This, he thought, would obviate the complaint that the power might be abused at election time. The bill was reported as amended.

SUPPLY.

The House then went into supply on the public works estimates.

Mr. Whitney drew attention to the number of revotes.

Mr. Latchford explained that it was principally in connection with drainage schemes, which could not be carried out last year. The estimates were then adopted without further discussion.

The items of \$50,000 to meet unforeseen expenses and \$80,000 to defray the expenses for January, 1904, were passed before the House rose.

THE ROADS ACT.

Mr. Sutherland's bill to amend the general roads act, empowering the county engineer to report on toll roads, and where not up to the proper standard, notify the keepers of toll gates, came up for a second reading. The Premier wanted it left over until another bill on somewhat the same lines was before the House, but the bill was read a second time and referred to the legal committee.

Mr. Matheson's bill to give a majority of stockholders in a toll road the right to accept a price and do away with the necessity of an arbitration award was read a second time.

Mr. Gallagher asked: Did the county council of the County of Frontenac ask for the removal from office of Thomas Dawson, sheriff of the County of Frontenac? 2. If so, was the request expressed unanimously by the councilors? 3. What action was taken by the Government?

In reply, Mr. Gibson said the dispute arose over stationery. The Government has received a request for the removal of the sheriff, but the nature of the case, on investigation, did not seem to warrant Government action.

In reply to Mr. Duff, Mr. Stratton said that W. P. Baird was appointed bursar of the Reformatory for Boys in 1877. He was 88 years of age. He had lately been indisposed, and the work was being done by a Mr. Stetson.

BROWNING'S IMPRISONMENT.

Mr. Smyth (Algoma) moved for a return of correspondence relating to the imprisonment of G. A. Browning, of Buckingham, on charge of obtaining money under false pretenses. He claimed that Browning had made proper payments for location of land in Parkinison, and had obtained a carload of flour on credit on the strength of the representation that he owed the land. Through the negligence of the crown lands agent the transaction had not been placed on the records. He had suffered 23 months' imprisonment on account of this negligence.

Mr. Davis said the trouble originated in 1888 under Mr. Hardy's regime. Browning represented himself as being the owner of 900 acres in Parkinison, which was incorrect. It was not till after the flour had been sold he paid the agent \$127, but he claimed \$150. Mr. Hardy looked into the matter and the money had been refunded with a view to an amicable settlement of the dispute.

The House adjourned at 5 o'clock. Mr. Ross will move on Tuesday next that on and after Wednesday next there shall be a sitting of the House at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Speaker to leave the chair at 1 o'clock p.m. without the question being put. Mr. Jessop will move on Tuesday next for a return of copies of the present registry by order in council respecting the exportation of natural gas into the United States.

Fever Blankets for Montreal.

London, May 29.—Dr. Thomas, health officer of Stepeny, officially stated Wednesday that some of the diseased army blankets reeking with typhoid and enteric germs, recently smuggled from South Africa, had gone to Montreal. He had cabled there to have them destroyed.

Big Quebec Fire.

Montreal, Que., May 29.—A message just received from Mariville, in Rouville County, 20 miles from here, states that fire broke out about midnight, and spread rapidly. At 1:30 50 houses were reported to have been destroyed, and the fire is still spreading.

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A GRUESOME FIND

Man Uncovers Bag Containing Skeleton of Girl.

Montreal, May 29.—Ernest Beauchamp, proprietor of the Union Pool Room, St. Antoine street, while preparing a dog kennel in the stable in the rear of his premises, found beneath the floor a bag, which on being opened was found to contain the skeleton of a girl, apparently about 16 years old. The skull and some of the bones of the upper portion of the skeleton were missing, but the thigh, leg and feet bones were intact. There is no clue to the mystery.

ON BETTER TERMS

France and the Vatican Have Reached an Understanding.

Rome, May 29.—Mgr. Lorenzelli, papal nuncio at Paris, reports improved relations between France and the Holy See. Premier Loubet is coming to Rome to pay a ceremonial visit to the Pope, in order to bring about a better understanding concerning the nomination of bishops and the treatment of the friars. This change of attitude on the part of the republic is believed to have resulted from the threat of hostile reference to France in the bull which Pope Leo is preparing for the consistory to be held June 15. It is now stated that such reference will be greatly modified or even suppressed.

CLARK MAY BE CONNORS

Man Arrested at Stratford in Connection With Murder Case.

Stratford, Ont., May 29.—The man arrested here on suspicion of being Charles Connors, alias Clark, wanted for a murder in Detroit in October last, was seen yesterday by Detective Palma, of Detroit. Palma says that the man, who gives the name of William Clark, bears a very striking resemblance to the description given of Connors, and to a photograph taken of Connors five years ago, except that the photo shows a heavy growth of hair on the head, while Clark is bald. Clark denies all knowledge of the affair, though he acknowledges being in Detroit about the end of October last. Clark expresses willingness to go back to Detroit with the officer to prove his innocence of the crime.

BRIGANDS TAKE TOLL

Italian Provinces Are Terrorized by Desperadoes.

Rome, May 29.—Since the capture of the notorious brigand, Musolino, burglary and other thefts have increased in an extraordinary manner in the Province of Calabria. When Musolino was free he levied tolls upon the populace of the province, in return for which he protected them from other robbers, none of whom dared to encroach upon his preserves. The inhabitants are now worse off than they were under Musolino's protection. The inability of the police to capture a brigand of the name of Varsalona, who dominates another district, is due to the fear of the inhabitants that worse will befall them if he is taken. They accordingly shield him. The people also shielded Musolino for a very long time, and it was due to this fact that he was enabled to defy for many months the police and a military force under command of a general, who were sent against him.

WILD SHOOTING AFFAIR

Two Men at Cardinal Shoot One Another in Fierce Duel.

Brookville, Ont., May 29.—There was a fight for blood in the village of Cardinal a few nights ago, and as a result Michael Monett, an Italian, is in Brookville jail to await trial on a charge of attempted murder, and his victim, Alex. Drake, is a patient in the hospital, with four 41-calibre bullet wounds in his body. It is stated that Drake has for some time been an unwelcome visitor at Monett's home, and has been warned a number of times to keep away and cease having anything to do with the prisoner's wife. Despite these warnings Drake made another visit, and his appearance was the signal for a fight. Both men were armed with revolvers, and a number of shots were exchanged at short range. When the smoke cleared away it was found that Drake, who is a one-armed man, had been shot four times, while Monett is suffering from a bullet wound on the head, which glanced without penetrating the skull, and another grazing wound a few inches above the hip. He is under the care of the jail surgeon. The bullets in Drake's body were all successfully removed.

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Another Lace Curtain bargain, size 50 inches wide, 3½ yards long. SALE PRICE, the pair 69c
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| Men's Union Socks, 10c.
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Slept Twenty Years.
Paris, May 29.—The afternoon papers Wednesday contain long stories of the remarkable case of a young woman living near St. Quentin, who, after living in a trance for 20 years, awoke Tuesday night.

Change of Editors.
Toronto, May 29.—Mr. W. A. Buchanan, for some years city editor of the Telegram, is about to leave to become managing director of the St. Thomas Journal. Mr. H. C. Hocken, who resigned the editorship of the News to take charge of the Journal, will return to the city.

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