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Visitors always welcome, but Saturday Chicago, Aug. 17.—Five persons were killed and 11 others injured, three seriously, yesterday by the collapse of a two-storey building at 55 Fry street.

The bodies were taken from the ruins by policemen and firemen, who risked their lives when compelled to crawl under the building to reach the victims. Come and see how the work is done at

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Another Freight Train Wrecked on Lower Steel Arch Bridge-All Traffic Stopped-Quarters of Beef and Blocks of Ice Circling Round In Whirlpool - The Bridge Is Much

Whirlpool — The Bridge Is Much Damaged.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Aug. 17.—A Grand Trunk freight train was wrecked early yesterday on the lower steel arch bridge over the Niagara Gorge. The bridge was damaged and four cars dropped into the Whirlpool Rapids. Traffic over the bridge was blocked until 11 a. m.

A heavy train of 35 loaded refrigerator cars was going from the G.T.R. yards on the Canadian side to the Lenigh Valley yards on the American side. There was an engine at each end of the train, as there is an upgrade from the bridge to the Lehigh Valley yards. About the middle of the train a car mounted the rails at the switch near the Canadian side.

The heavily loaded cars tore along over the ties for a short distance, cutting them badly, and, in fact, for probably 25 yards breaking them through between the two tracks. Four cars rolled to the north side of the bridge, and, leaving the tracks, shot into the chasm below. Three struck the water and was smashed into kinding wood. The cars were all Swift's, loaded with fresh meat.

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The front engine pulled away from the wreck with 13 cars attached, but left one disabled at the American side of the bridge. The local wrecking crew was at once called out and the Hamilton derrick was sent for.

It seems a very peculiar thing that two wrecks have occurred on this bridge within a few months, when it is remembered that the first that ever occurred was this spring. Only on Wednesday of this week was a new railing put up to replace the sections carried away in the last wreck.

POACHERS AFTER BUFFALO. Rangers May Be Employed to Safe-Keep Them.

Keep Them.

Ottawa, Aug. 17.—Inspector A. M. Jarvis, who was sent north in June into the Mackenzie River country, reports that the destruction of buffalo is done by poachers, who have headquarters at Smith Landing, about 400 miles north of Athahaska Landing, and recommends that the whole Mackenzie River district be patrolled in order to prevent this slaughter.

Col. Fred White is of opinion that the best method would be to set aside a reserve and employ trained rangers to gradually drive the buffalo from the north down into this reserve, where they could be easily protected. The total number of buffalo in the district is estimated at 300. They are of the long-haired kind, known as wood buffalo, and their skins are very valuable, while a buffalo head is now worth upwards of \$250.

ELOPERS CAUGHT.

Must Stand Trial for Stealing Rig at Guelph.

Guelph.

Guelph, Aug. 17.—Edward Hornbostle and Mrs. Streeter, who eloped several days ago in a livery rig, were arrested at Aberfoyle and pleaded guilty before Magistrate Saunders to theft- of the horse and buggy. Both were committed for trial in the fall.

Thursday High Constable Boyle and Chief Parnell of St. Catharines covered 125 miles in an automobile in a wild-goose chase after the couple.

APPRECIATES THE KING.

G. B. Shaw Has Close Call. G. B. Shaw Has Close Call.

London, Aug. 17.—(C. A. P.)—Accreding to The Daily Mail, George Bernard Shaw has had a narrow escape from drowning.

He was swimming off Llanbord, Merionethshire, with a friend, when the current carried them away and prevented them from returning to the shore.

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After a long time they were landed on a distant sand bank, whence they were rescued.

Mr. Shaw was utterly exhausted, and had given up hope of returning to the mainland alive.

He says he only kept swimming to postpone the unpleasantness of drowning as long as possible.

Irish Tenants' Bill. Irish Tenants' Bill.

London, Aug. 17.—The Irish evicted tenants' bill passed its third reading in the House of Lords yesterday, but the amendments of the Upper House, restricting compulsory powers, are so radical that the Earl of Crewe, Lord President of the Council, said in winding up the debate that the Government could not accept them. He did not despair, however, of arriving at a compromise, and he was still hopeful that the bill would pass in a shape fair to all parties.

Fire at Neustadt.

Toronto, Aug. 17.—A long-distance telephone message last night stated that fire had damaged the brewery and half a dozen houses at Neustadt.

Cholera Outbreak.

Brest, Litouvsk, Poland, Aug. 17.—
An epidemic, supposed to be cholera, has broken out in the Jewish quarter of this town.

CARS FALL INTO GORGE ABSO

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LIMITATION OF ARMAMENT.

Sir Edward Fry, British Delegate, Is Against the Proposal.

The Hague, Aug. 17.—Sir Edward Fry, head of the British delegation, has communicated the text of the speech which he is to deliver before the Peace Conference, on the question of the advisability of the limitation of armaments, to Baron Marsehall Von Biebenstein, head of the German delegation, in order to avoid a misonderstanding on the subject.

For the same reason strong pressure is being exercised on some of the Latin-American delegates, in order to prevent them from presenting, as they have announced their intention of doing, propositions regarding the limitation of armaments. It is reported that Baron Marschall Von Biebenstein is ready to leave the hall of the conference if the Latin-American delegates carry out their purpose.

In his speech, which will be delivered today, Sir Edward Fry will announce that Great Britain is ready to communicate yearly her program for the construction of warships, and the expenses involved, to all the powers agreeing to furnish Great Britain with similar information. This exchange of news, Sir Edward thinks, will facilitate a further exchange of riews regarding the limitation of armaments.

Conference Ends Soon.

The Hague, Aug. 17.—It is now regarded as assured that the Peace Conference will end between Sept. 10 and Sept. 15.

PURE FOOD BILL ADOPTED.

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London, Aug. 17.—The pure food bill introduced by John Burns, president of the Local Government Board, was adopted in the House of Commons yesterday. This bill he nables the Board of Trade to institute stringent regulations for the "prevention of the danger, arising to the public health from the importation, preparation, storage and distribution of impure articles of food."

In the course of the final discussion on the measure, Mr. Burns promised that the Local Government Board would see that no partiality was shown any interests, home, foreign or cotonial, in the enforcement of the measure.

eign or colonial, in the enforcement of the measure. The bill, he said, was absolutel Diamond.

Pretoria, Aug. 17.—Premier Botha yesterday announced that he would introduce a resolution in Parliament providing for the purchase by the Government of the Transvaal of the \$1.000,000 Cullinan diamond, the largest in the world, as a present to King Edward in token of the loyalty and appreciation of the people of the Transvaal of the best beat of the people of the Transvaal of the best own of a constitution on the colony.

The bill, he said, was absolutely necessary, especially as some of the colonies which had made such a fuss about sending Great Britain only the best food were already withdrawing the regulations which ensure whole-someness. He heard also, Mr. Burns continued, "from countries not colonies," that the "so-called vigorous regulations already had been relaxed, and that things were drifting to the lax conditions, the revelations of which a year ago had shown that Great Britain was in deports.

Ottawa Appointments.

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Ottawa, Aug. 17.—Appointments gazetted this week include George Tait, to be port warden at Chatham, and Arthur Monteith, to be wharfinger of the Government wharf at Rosseau, Ont.

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WILL NOW ARBITRATE

Telegraphers' Union Change Front and Submit Questions.

Railway Operators Will Not Obey Order-Strike Must Be Selected in New York, Not Chicago-Fund of \$60,000 to Be Raised-Public Utilities Worked by Government In

Chicago, Aug. 17.—The officials of the Telegraphers' Union late yesterday changed front on the proposition to arbitrate and announced that they would accept the offices of the general board of arbitrators of the American Federation of Labor in settling the differences. This board consists of John Mitchell of the Mine Workers, Daniel J. Keen of the Longshoremen, and Samuel Gompers. It was Mr. Gompers who made the above announcement.

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U. S. Labor Commissioner Neill left yesterday for Washington. Just before taking his train, he said that the telegraphers' strike could not be settled in Chicago, and that the only place where an adjustment could be reached was in New York.

At the conference held here Thursday might between President Small and Secretary Russell of the Commercial Telegraphers' Union of America, President Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor, and several other labor leaders, it was decided definitely that there should be no strike of the 47,000 railroad telegraphers of the United States. The operators will be called upon shortly to contribute a strike fund of \$60,000. Two of their general officers attended the conference.

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Interest In England.
London, Aug. 17.—The strike of the American telegraphers dominates public interest in England, especially in the midlands, where it delays market reports. Englishmen find it difficult to understand why private corporations in America are permitted to own such vital public utilities as the telegraph and telephone systems, and to charge extortionate rates.

Here the Government owns the telegraph system and charges a moderate rate. It pays its operators good wages and pensions them when superannuated.

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In Great Brtain there is a flat rate of a cent a word, no matter what distance. This applies even on messages from Penzance to Dundee, a distance of 1,100 miles. The newspapers pay 24 cents a hundred on press messages no matter what distance.

TELEGRAMS BY MAIL

C. P. R. Operators Refused to Forward G. N. W. Despatches.

North Bay, Ont., Aug. 17.—The effects of the telegraph operators' strike is felt very keenly in Northern Ontario by business men and others. C. P. R. operators at North Bay have refused to transmit any messages handled by operators taking the places of G.N.W. strikers, and as a large part of the Cobalt telegraph business goes over the G. N. W. wires the situation is embarrassing. The C. P. R. Telegraph Co. is taking messages for points reached by the G. N. W., subject to indefinite delay. Messages from G. N. W. points for delivery west of North Bay, formerly transferred to the C. P. R. company, are held up now, as the operators will not send a word of G. N. W. business.

Sudbury and other points west report C. P. R. operators as absolutely refusing to handle any G. N. W. business, and the company is not inviting trouble by insisting on the business being handled.

The North Bay office of the G. N. W. is sending Cobalt despatches by mail.

OTTAWANS HAD LESSON.

Refuse to Go Out on Sympathetic Strike New.

Strike New.

Ottawa, Aug. 17.—Delegates from the Telegraphers' Union from Montreal were in Ottawa yesterday to endeaver to bring about a strike of local operators, but they met with a very cold reception. They were informed that there was absolutely no chance of such occurring here, that there were no grievances to adjust; and as the only reason for a strike would be "sympathy," the experience of the older hands in the strike of 1883 precluded all possibility of one now.

The Ottawa men struck in 1883 out of sympathy with United States operators; they were promised substantial remuneration all the time they were out, but did not receive a cent, and, worse than that, were not even informed of the end of the strike when it had been declared over, with the result that the operators were working across the border for over a week while here they were still out.

To add to the discomfiture, the Ottawa operators had agreed to bear the expense of the female operators, and this they had to do out of their own pockets.

So little interest was taken in the visit of the delegates yesterday that their names and credentials were not even asked.

Pacific Rates Increase.

London, Aug. 17.—(C. A. P.)—Steamship lines engaged in passenger traffic in the Far East, including the Canadian Pacific Canadian-Australian line, have decided on an increase of 10 per cent. by reason of the increase in prices of coal, food and stores.

Bush Fire Burns Hotel. Wiarton, Aug. 17.—A bush fire yesterday destroyed the Waverley Hotel, situated about 30 miles to the north of this place.

The hotel was owned by George Court, and the loss is about \$5,000.

Lightning Strikes Hospital. Kenora, Aug. 17.—During a sev storm lightning struck the tower St. Joseph's Hospital and broke s eral windows. The patients were b ly frightened.

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Miss Nettie Leak, of the Central School staff, Chatham, with her sister, Miss Ethel, who have been visiting relatives at Dresden, Florence and Thamesville, have returned to their home in Chatham.

Miss Taylor, of Clachan, has retuned home after spending a week with her friend, Mrs. Dan Reavie, of this place. Master Earl Manning, of Thames-ville, is visiting his grandparents

here.
Miss Estella Terhune, of Dawn
Mills, is the guest of Miss Tillie

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Mr. H. J. McGregor, of Datroit, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Healy.

A lawn social will be held at the home of J. H. Snary this Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Elsom, of Dawn, is visiting at Chatham and Leamington.

Viola and Alva Childs spent last wesk with their aunt, Mrs. Ashton, Bothwell.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Bloom visited their daughter in Alvinston last we k.

Mrs. Ohikls, Sr., is very ill.

Mills, is the guest of Miss Tillie Hall.

The Misses McDowell, of Thames-ville, are visiting the Misses Manning, of this place.

Miss Katie Willison spent Sunday in Highgate the guest of Miss Mc-Claine.

Miss. Simpkin, of Thamesville, spent last Sunday with Mrs. Davidson.

Mrs. Manning and Mrs. Jos. Hall spent last Friday in Thamesville, spent last Friday in Thamesville, spent last Friday in Thamesville, spent last Wednesday.

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