

AVES ENGLAND

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THREE HUNDRED DIE IN TYPHOON

ONLY TWELVE RESCUED WHEN STEAMER FOUNDERS

Widespread Damage on Chinese Coast—Houses Blown Down.

Canton, July 28.—The Chinese steamer Ying King, engaged in the local passenger trade, foundered yesterday during the typhoon. Three hundred Chinese are known to be drowned. Only 12 of those on board were rescued.

The Yink King was of 798 tons, 200 feet long and owned in Hongkong.

Hongkong Houses Collapsed.

Hongkong, July 28.—As the result of the typhoon last night, which lasted two hours, the steamers Schuylik, Persia, Powhattan, Lasang, Charles Hardouin and the British torpedo boat Whiting are ashore. An unknown steamer and several lighters foundered.

Fifteen houses in the town collapsed. There were casualties ashore and afloat, but few among the shipping as the ships had been forward of the storm.

The public gardens, the chief attractions of the city, were wrecked. The streets are blocked.

FIRST WHITE BABY IN B. C.

Nanaimo, July 27.—Some controversy has arisen in British Columbia as to who was the first child in the province born of white parents.

The following, which has been received by the Free Press from Nanaimo, may throw some light on the matter: Cumberland, July 20th. I, Samuel Stockand, of Cumberland, B. C. miner, make oath and say: That William Hunter, deceased, in my presence, claimed that he was the first white child of white parents born on Vancouver Island.

That I assert the fact to be that William Irving of Cedar Hill, B. C., was the first boy born of white parents on Vancouver Island, in the year 1851.

S. STOCKAND.

FIRE THREATENS MINE.

Blaze in Brechin Tunnel is Extinguished Without Serious Damage.

Nanaimo, July 28.—Fire for a time last night threatened serious damage to the Brechin mine. The blaze started in the Pan drift, about 100 yards from the mouth of the tunnel. A long alarm was sounded. The fire department with a large number of miners soon got it under control. The mine worked as usual to-day.

HAY FEVER POSITIVELY CURED.

Beyond any liability to relapse, it is guaranteed that Catarrhosis will at once relieve and cure Hay Fever. All druggists sell Catarrhosis. Two months' treatment \$1.00.

DISASTROUS WRECK ON C. P. R. MAIN LINE

Sections of Train Crash Together—One is Dead and Many Injured.

Montreal, July 28.—A wreck occurred this morning on the C. P. R. a short distance east of Fort William. Two sections of train No. 97 known as 3 and 4 came together and as a result one passenger named James McCormick, is dead, and several other passengers are slightly injured. The accident was caused by one of the engineers disregarding signals. His train crashed into the one ahead throwing the coach into the ditch. Both trains were of the tourist class and all those killed and injured were Old Country-men.

ELECTRICALLY TREATED CROPS.

Ottawa, July 28.—Among the letters which reached the trade and commerce department yesterday was one from Peter Ball, trade commissioner at Birmingham. Mr. Ball's last report deals with some interesting experiments which have been made in England on the remarkable beneficial results of electricity as applied to the growth of farm crops. In the case of Canadian rye feed wheat the yield per acre was increased from 25 to 35 bushels, whilst the quality was also much improved as to bring 7½ cents per bushel more in price.

LIPTON ENTERTAINS ATHLETES.

London, July 28.—Sir Thomas Lipton entertained a party of sixty-five visiting athletes, among them many Americans, on his steam yacht Erin. The party left London this morning and boarded the yacht at Southampton for a trip around the Isle of Wight, and to view the yacht races going on there. The party will dine aboard the yacht and return to London to-night.

DELAY ON C. P. R.

Wreck of Freight Train Causes Considerable Damage to Rolling Stock.

Port Arthur, July 28.—A delay of 24 hours to the train service was caused by the derailment of fourteen freight cars east of Schreiber on Sunday forenoon. There was considerable damage to rolling stock, but no lives were lost. Sunday's delayed trains passed through yesterday morning.

QUICKSAND-DEATH.

Italian Girl Loses Her Life After Prolonged Struggle.

New York, July 28.—Entrapped in quicksands in a hole into which she had fallen in her back yard, Angelina Evangelista, an Italian girl, living on Coney Island avenue, lost her life yesterday after a long struggle in the treacherous sand, in which she was found by three policemen. One of the patrolmen, Oscar Rothman, was taken to the hospital suffering from exhaustion in fighting the sinking sand to save the girl's life. The girl died shortly after being drawn from the pit.

ENGLAND'S HOP INDUSTRY.

British Government to Pass Measure to Assist Local Growers.

London, July 28.—With the view of assisting the local hop industry, the British government intends to prohibit the use of hop substitutes in all beer brewed in the United Kingdom. A bill to this end will be introduced and pushed through parliament by the government at the autumn session.

PRINCE TO SAIL FROM QUEBEC

H. M. S. INDOMITABLE MAY BE GIVEN SPEED TRIAL

Closing Ceremonies of Tercenary Celebration—Warship Boat Race.

Quebec, July 28.—To-day will witness the final ceremonies in connection with the visit of the Prince of Wales to Canada. His Royal Highness will go on board the Exmouth in the evening, where he will be present at a state dinner. From the Exmouth he will cross to the Indomitable, before midnight, and at 4 o'clock in the morning the "Mystery Ship," escorted by the British warships, will up anchor and start down the river.

The early hour of the Prince's departure is due to the fact that the warships must take advantage of the tide. It is said that the speed powers of the new wonder of the British navy will be given a thorough trial on the homeward voyage. It is fully expected that she will beat all trans-Atlantic records for speed, including those of the new giant Cunarders. Since coming into port, the Indomitable has taken on board the cargoes of two colliers, about 3,000 tons, and it is the wonder of the fleet where she has stored it all.

Hard work and dirty work, and not much holiday to it, the tercentenary trip has been for the crew of the cruiser.

With the departure of the Prince the tercentenary celebration is now on the wane. There remain two performances of the pageants, and some incidental features for the closing of the festival. The crowds of visitors are thinning out, and the soldiers are departing daily.

A magnificent display in the evening by the combined vessels of the British fleet was the big feature yesterday. Quebec has seen some splendid efforts of this kind before, but this eclipsed anything of the kind ever witnessed here. For an hour and a half the warships held the thousands and thousands of people gathered on the shore, terrace, fields and waterfront on both sides of the river enthralled in the ever-changing scene, marked by beauty and originality.

The British fleet scored a victory over their friends of the French and U. S. navies in the international race for boats representing the three fleets in the regatta held on the harbor yesterday. This was the big feature of the programme of aquatic sports which drew thousands to the terrace and battery, and aroused the greatest interest and rivalry among the sailors of the warships now in port.

Three crews started, one representing each of the three nations. For half a mile from the starting point there was a pretty even struggle between Britishers and Yankees, with the Frenchmen dropping behind. Then the Britishers, rowing on the Levis side, began to draw away, and steadily increasing their lead, completed the three-mile course, which finished at the Arrogant, a minute ahead of the U. S. boat, with the Frenchman a close third, twenty seconds behind the second boat.

Every vessel in the fleet was lined up with sails set, and when the boats in the race made their way through to the finishing point, and cheer after cheer went up from the British spectators when their crew, rowing steadily, 23 to the minute, went by in an easy manner and won.

EUROPE'S "SICK MAN"

BURST INTO TEARS

Turkish Opinion Now Demanding Clean Sweep of Palace Officials.

Constantinople, July 28.—Though the first rejoicings over the constitution granted to Turkey by the Sultan last week are at an end the people are beginning to discuss the future. They are clamoring against those big officials who were responsible for the abuses and injustices of the old regime. Public opinion is demanding a clean sweep especially of the Palace officials who are identified with the days of "personal rule."

The Sultan, it is now known, broke into tears at the conference on Friday, at which it was decided to grant a constitution. The situation is calmer but disturbances are still feared.

PRAIRIE CROPS ARE BEING CUT

HEAVY YIELD OF BARLEY IS EXPECTED

Wheat Ear Unusually Long and Full—Prospect of Rapid Harvest.

Winnipeg, July 28.—Barley cutting is reported starting yesterday in many parts of Manitoba and Saskatchewan. Although the acreage in this cereal is restricted, the yield promises to be heavy. Indications are that wheat cutting will be well under way in the earlier districts of the prairie provinces by the middle of August, and will be general by the 20th, with prospects that very little wheat will be left standing by the end of the first week in September.

The recent weather has been everything required to bring along the grain rapidly, and a satisfactory feature of recent reports is that the wheat ear is unusually long and full this season.

Some bad thunder storms, one or two accompanied by hail, took place on Saturday, costing at least three lives and some loss to stock. But so far as known the damage to standing grain was inconsiderable, and the total loss by hail from this cause to date is probably not fifteen per cent. of the loss to the same period a year ago.

Representative farmers are now in the city arranging for the number of harvesters for their particular district.

Binders at Work.

Winnipeg, July 28.—Forty binders are at work in the fall wheat fields around MacLeod, starting yesterday.

TO DEATH BY AUTO.

Machine Collides With Telegraph Pole—Impact Kills Girl.

Philadelphia, Pa., July 28.—While speeding in an auto, southwest of the city, a young woman, Catherine Seeler, 19 years old, was thrown out and killed by striking a telegraph pole and the other occupants of the machine were slightly injured. The auto was running along in a dark portion of the road when it crashed into a telegraph pole.

PLAYING WITH MATCHES.

Three-Year-Old Infant Burns to Death Through Clothing Catching Fire.

Estevan, Sask., July 28.—Mary La-brosse, aged 3 years, was burned to death yesterday while playing with matches. Her clothing caught fire.

ALLEGED MURDERERS FLEE INTO CANADA

Witness Who Saw Crime Committed is Threatened With Death.

Regina, Sask., July 28.—A couple of alleged murderers from the States have been followed into Canada. With the co-operation of the mounted police, the deputy sheriffs from North Dakota hope to arrest the two men, now known to be in the Willow Bush district. They have located the men all right, but they have not yet got a clear case against them.

A Roumanian supposed to be a star witness resides in the Willow Bush district, and efforts to get information out of him are now being made. The man, however, will not tell what he knows because he is in fear of revenge on the part of the murderers. They have threatened to take his life if he ever discloses what he knows.

The murder is supposed to have taken place near Minot, North Dakota, about Christmas. Teodor Pauluc and Vasili Pauluc, father and son, had a quarrel with one Nik Emunteau over the payment for a yoke of oxen. The two men went to the home of the third, and it is believed they committed the murder there.

Pintili Istrati, the star witness, was near the place at the time, and while reports say he saw the murder done and the body disposed of, he himself states that he only saw the two men enter the house. He at any rate was present at the time of the murder somewhere in the vicinity, and he was threatened with death if he did not flee the country and forget what he had seen.

INDECENT ACTIONS.

Winnipeg Magistrate Regrets There Are Not Heavier Sentences For Such Crimes.

Winnipeg, Man., July 28.—James Anderson, the first man convicted of indecent actions committed in a respectable residential district of Winnipeg since the police were made aware of the prevalence of such crimes, was sent to jail for six months with hard labor by Magistrate Daly yesterday after incriminating evidence had been offered by a young married woman and Detective Henry Green, who caught the man in the act and arrested him after a stiff fight.

In imposing the sentence Magistrate Daly said that he regretted deeply the law limitation in the matter of sentences for such crimes. He wished that he had been able to sentence Anderson to a longer term, with the added punishment of the lash.

MURDER OF PARIS BANKER.

Paris, July 28.—The three men, Renard, Courtois and Retingo, arrested charged with the murder of August Remy, the banker, last June, confronted each other on Saturday. Renard broke down and wept when he saw a photograph of Mr. Remy, but concluded to deny that he was in any way involved in the murder of the banker.

\$120,000 HOTEL FOR VANCOUVER.

Vancouver, July 27.—Interests identified with the principal owners of the new Washington hotel in Seattle are, it is understood, planning to erect a palatial hotel in Vancouver. James A. Moore is credited with being the leading spirit behind the proposition. There has been no little mystery connected with his recent frequent visits to this city. Mr. Moore, it has now transpired, has been looking over the city for a suitable site, half a dozen of which have been carefully inspected. It is understood Mr. Moore favors an up-town location. The proposed hotel will be up to date in every particular, its cost being estimated at \$750,000. Two years will be occupied in its construction.

C. P. R. MECHANICS FAVOR IMMEDIATE STRIKE

(Special to the Times.) Winnipeg, July 28.—At a meeting last night of the C. P. R. mechanics' labor council, the returns received from all parts of the system on the recent report of the conciliation board unanimously decided not to accept the majority report, the feeling being in favor of an immediate strike. The leaders counseled a delay. The executive is in session this morning.

HONDURAN REVOLUTION.

San Salvador, July 28.—No further news has been received here recently with regard to the Honduran revolution. Refugees are being captured daily and brought to this city. Already there are about one hundred prisoners concentrated in San Salvador.

WALKER CASE.

Vancouver, July 28.—A cable was received yesterday stating that the application of the British Columbia government for leave to appeal in the Walker case was dismissed. The result of the full court for a new trial will stand.

JUSTICE PARAMOUNT, THEN WARS WILL CEASE

Universal Peace Conference Sitting in London—Lord Courtney's Plea.

London, July 28.—The business session of the Seventeenth Universal Peace conference, the regular session of which opened in this city yesterday, was inaugurated to-day with a speech by Lord Courtney, who emphasized the close connection between justice and peace.

He declared that there would be no more wars if justice were paramount in the world and that the first step in this direction was to develop the strength, scope and purity of international law which rose above industrial nations just as the national law was above individual citizens.

NO ELECTION IN ALBERTA THIS YEAR

(Special to the Times.) Calgary, July 28.—Premier Rutherford states there will be no elections in Alberta this year, no matter what the result might be in Saskatchewan.

BUILDING DISAPPEARS.

Explosion Wrecks Structure Belonging to Hamilton Powder Works.

Nanaimo, July 28.—The acid recovery building, a small building in connection with the Hamilton powder works of that city, disappeared last night in an explosion. No one was hurt and the damage was slight. The works will not be inconvenienced to any degree.

PROSPECTORS VISIT CLAYOQUOT DISTRICT

Tyee Copper Company Commences Work at Sidney Inlet Mine.

Clayoquot, July 28.—The Tyee brought up quite a number of prospectors and timber men this trip. The prospects look brighter for quite a boom in mining and lumber industries in the near future.

The Tyee Copper Company having taken over the Sidney Inlet mine, sent up a party of men to begin work.

Mrs. Captain Townsend and daughter are spending a few days as the guests of Mrs. Brewster at the cannery.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Dawley returned from Victoria this week. Mr. Dawley brought up materials to start the building of the new hotel.

Miss F. Garrard, of Vancouver, is visiting her brothers, E. B. and F. S. Garrard.

Mr. Horner, a retired merchant of Vancouver, is spending a few weeks as the guest of Mr. J. S. Stone. On Saturday, July 18th, the stork visited the home of Mr. B. Cruseth with a son.

Haying is the order of the day. All who have cows are busy collecting fodder. It is quite a novel sight to see haying done with gasoline launches. Mr. Brevess's tugboat, the Edna Grace, came up on Saturday with gasoline for the launch. Yesterday she towed the house-boat up to Shelter Arm, where it will be used by the fishermen.

One day last week 1,800 fish were taken.

BRITAIN'S PLACE IN EUROPE

POLICY DOES NOT AIM AT ISOLATION OF GERMANY

Sir Edward Grey Discusses Relations in Macedonia and Persia.

London, July 28.—The Macedonian question was raised in the House of Commons last night, Sir Edward Grey, secretary for foreign affairs, said that the situation had changed suddenly and greatly in the last few days. If Turkey herself was going to improve the whole government of the country to benefit Mussulmans and Christians alike, it was better, he said, that the Macedonian question should thus be settled by the Turks themselves than that partial reforms should be pressed upon reluctant and obstructive authorities.

"We ought for the present," added the secretary, "to preserve an expectant and sympathetic attitude toward these changes."

He deprecated the idea of intervention in Persia unless the Persian subjects became disaffected.

Sir Edward took occasion to repudiate in warm terms the idea that Great Britain's policy was aimed at the isolation of Germany, or that she had any reluctance to be on good terms with Germany.

He said while Great Britain must be free to make agreements like those with Russia and France in order to remove the causes of friction, such policy implied no enmity toward other powers.

The foreign secretary's reference to Germany, which was drawn out by a discreet speech by Sir Charles Dilke, was rather unexpected, and was much canvassed afterwards in the lobbies, where it is regarded by many of the members as intended to counteract the bad impression likely to be produced in Germany by Lord Cromer's speech in the House last Monday, when he declared that it was the first duty of the government to prepare for the European conflict which probably would be forced upon Great Britain before many years.

PATRIOTIC INSANITY.

Unusual Plea for Assassins of Durham White Stevens.

San Francisco, July 28.—The trial of Inahan Chang for the murder of Durham White Stevens, adviser to the Korean government, was yesterday postponed to August 17th. It is understood that Chang's attorneys will make a plea of patriotic insanity for their client.

CANADIAN GOES NEAR WINNING KING'S PRIZE

Ties With Pte. Grey Up to Last Range, Then Shoots Badly.

Bisley, July 28.—Lieut. Spittal, of Ottawa, was tied with Private Grey, winner of the King's prize up to last range, then he went to pieces and finished in thirteenth place.

The following sums were won for the team: Brown, £24; Crowe, £25; Eastcott, £2; Elmitt, £5; Freeborn, £12; Haystead, £1; MacInnes, £16; Jones, £27; Martin, £10; Morris, £10; Pope, £4; Rowe, £14; Smith, £28; Shearing, £3; Spittal, £25; Steele, £23; Utton, £7; Williams, £17.

The following are the individual winnings of the team: Crowe, £15 10s; Eastcott, £12; Elmitt, £2 8s; Freeborn, £1; Haystead, £1; MacInnes, £6 15s; Jones, £18 18s; Kerr, £8 18s; Leask, £3; Martin, £2; Morris, £2; Rowe, £3; Smith, £2; Spittal, £2; Steele, £3; Smith, £12; Sclater, £27 10s; Mortimer, £54; Bayles, £31 5s.

Morris, Jones and Bayles each get a bronze jewel in the service rifle competition.

Col. Labelle, commander, and Adjutant King are both greatly pleased at the success the team met with, their winnings making a record.

NO LONGER WANTED.

Phillipe Roy is Turned Back From His Former Quarters in Quebec Legislature.

Montreal, July 28.—A dispatch from Quebec to the Patrie says that Phillippe Roy, former speaker of the legislative assembly, and ex-president of the Bank of St. John's, arrived at the parliament buildings with all his family and baggage with a view to taking up his residence in his old official quarters. His presence, in view of what has recently taken place, created intense excitement. Sir Lomer Gouin, the premier, sent the deputy attorney-general to Mr. Roy and gave him to understand that he would not be allowed to remain in the parliament buildings. Mr. Roy then took his departure.

BODY IN WINNIPEG RIVER.

Believed to Be That of Englishman Who Disappeared Last January.

Kenora, Ont., July 28.—The body of a man was discovered this morning in the Winnipeg river near here. It is thought to be that of Thomas Slavery, an Englishman, and a former employee of Wall & Creelman, contractors, who disappeared last January. He left camp to get a pall of water and is supposed to have slipped through a hole in the ice.

CALGARY RANCHER KILLED.

Calgary, July 28.—Felix McHugh, a rancher of Calgary, has fallen from his horse, sustaining such injuries that he is dead.

ANTI-GAMBLING LAWS.

Prominent "Bookies" of Kings County, New York, Are Indicted.

New York, July 28.—Thirty-six men were indicted by the King's County grand jury to-day on charges of violation of the new anti-gambling laws at the race tracks. These indicted include some of the most prominent men who formerly occupied stools in the betting rings among the men named in the indictment are: Joe Vendig, Chas. Kiesel, Adam Kissel, Edward Ellis, H. Meyers, H. Fleischman, and Michael Cassel. They are all charged with misdemeanor under the new law for which a penalty of one year's imprisonment without the alternative of a fine is fixed by the Agnew Hart laws.

FREIGHT RATE QUESTION.

Washington, July 28.—The interstate commerce commission issued a statement that without waiting for the filing of formal complaints it will institute an investigation of its own motion to determine whether advances in freight rates are justified.

FRANCO-RUSSIAN RAPPROCHEMENT

CZAR AND PRESIDENT EXCHANGE GREETINGS

Imposing Naval Spectacle at Reval—Marsellaise is No Longer Barred.

Reval, July 28.—The harbor of Reval was bathed in sunshine for the meeting between Emperor Nicholas of Russia and President Fallieres of France, which occurred yesterday afternoon.

The ceremony was similar to that of the former interview between King Edward and the Emperor, held some time ago. President Fallieres arrived at 3 o'clock in the afternoon on the French battleship Verite, which was escorted by the armored cruiser Du Feit Thouars and the gunboat Casini, and found awaiting him the principal part of Russia's fleet, including the battleships Slava and Tsarevitch, drawn up in two lines.

The French squadron, by making a sweeping manoeuvre around the end of the Russian line, took up an assigned position between the lines, the Verite dropping anchor midway between the Emperor's yacht Standart, and the Dowager Empress's yacht, Polar Star, which by a special mark of favor was assigned to Admiral Touchard, the French Ambassador to Russia, to be used as his residence during the interview.

As the French ships swung into place, a series of salutes were fired, which covered the bay with a pall of smoke, and the crews of both nations exchanged hearty and repeated cheers. The strains of the Marsellaise, so long excluded from Russia on account of its revolutionary connections, were heard on the quarter-deck of the Imperial yacht Standart, and on the Russian warships.

The Emperor immediately sent Admiral Dickoff, minister of marine, to bid President Fallieres welcome to Russia, and after a short interval, accompanied by his suite, the French president proceeded to the Standart. The Emperor later returned the President's visit on board the Verite, and spent an hour inspecting the modern French warship.

A dinner was served last night on the Imperial yacht Standart.

Reval, July 28.—President Fallieres, of France, and the official suit which arrived here to visit the Emperor of Russia were guests of His Majesty at luncheon to-day on board the Imperial yacht Standart. M. Pichon, the French finance minister, and M. Iwolsky, the Russian minister of foreign affairs, had a long conference this afternoon. It is understood that the principal subject discussed was the general European situation, particularly the position of Germany. To-night M. Fallieres will give an official dinner on board the French battleship Verite, at the conclusion of which he will sail for Christiania.

"OUT OF WORK" CRIME.

Man Kills