

MORE MEN STRIKE IN PENNSYLVANIA

SHERIFF SENDS REQUEST FOR CONSTABULARY

Three Thousand Employees of Butler Car Company Are Idle.

Butler, Pa., July 17.—Three thousand employees of the Standard Steel Car Company are on strike to-day and riots are threatened.

A small riot occurred to-day when a big Hungarian defied the strikers' pickets and declared he intended to return to work.

Five hundred workmen quit work at the plant yesterday and 2,500 others followed the example to-day.

After a mass meeting this morning a committee of four strikers was appointed to present the workmen's grievance to the company.

Situation at McKee's Rocks.

Pittsburg, Pa., July 17.—Ten thousand dollars to assist in paying the expenses of the striking steel workers, who are fighting the Pressed Steel Car Company, was raised at a mass meeting held at McKee's Rocks to-day.

No disorders have been reported in the vicinity of the car company plant to-day, the strikers declaring their intention to maintain peace.

PERISH IN SQUALL. Two Men Drown When Boat Capsizes on Straits of Canso.

Sydney, N. S., July 17.—Two men lost their lives in a boating accident which occurred on the Strait of Canso Thursday.

Four men, named McEachran, Moore, Ryan and Peoples, left Port Mulgrave in a small motor boat and crossed over to Point Tupper.

On the Cape Breton side some hours later, a somewhat heavier breeze was blowing, and a strong tide setting in.

THE BODIES WERE DISCOVERED BY THE WOMAN'S HUSBAND, JOSEPH.

HILL'S PLANS. Helena, Mont., July 17.—The Great Northern railroad has filed papers in this state, declaring its intention to build a line from Hinsdale, Mont., to the Canadian line.

LEON LING REPORTED TO BE IN LONDON

Scotland Yard Detectives Are Now Making an Investigation.

London, July 17.—Scotland Yard authorities are to-day investigating a report made by an American, who is visiting in London, to the effect that Leon Ling, the Chinaman suspected of the murder of Elsie Sigel in New York, has been seen in this city.

Washington, July 17.—Ambassador Reid at London has cabled the state department that the British government wished to know whether any request would be made for the extradition of Leon Ling should the Chinaman be apprehended in England.

PROTECTING CHRISTIANS. Constantinople, July 17.—The grand vizier has ordered the Shiek U Islam to prepare a manifesto for general distribution demonstrating by the text of the Koran that it is the duty of all good Moslems to treat Christians with justice and to regard them as fellow citizens with equal rights.

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WOMEN STEAL FROM VAULTS IN CEMETERY

Several Are Arrested When Carrying Away Stolen Articles.

Puebla, Mexico, July 17.—Charged with being ghouls, several young women prominent in society are under arrest here to-day, and society is shocked at the stealing operations.

TELEPHONE TRUST IS APPARENTLY COMING

Gigantic Merger of Bell Company With Others Forecasts That.

New York, July 17.—The merging of the Bell Telephone Company into a gigantic corporation representing a capitalization of \$70,000,000, is believed to be foreshadowed by the action taken by the American Telegraph and Telephone Company, providing for the absorption of the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company.

STEAMER BEACHED TO PREVENT SINKING

Passengers on St. Lawrence River Craft Have Narrow Escape.

Sorel, Que., July 17.—With water pouring in steady stream into the hold, the river steamer Frontenac, of the Canadian St. Lawrence Navigation Company's line, Thursday night ran a stern race with disaster in Lake St. Peter.

DROWN IN SIGHT OF SCORES OF PEOPLE

Two Girls Lose Their Lives by the Capsizing of Boat.

Cincinnati, Ohio, July 17.—Within sight of scores of people who were unable to give assistance, Maria Friesland, a young charity worker, and Ogilvie Frisler, 14 years old, were drowned yesterday when the boat in which they were rowing, capsized on the Miami river.

BIG TIMBER DEAL. Mill to Cost \$400,000 Will Be Erected in Skagit County, Washington.

Bellingham, Wash., July 17.—A deal in Northwest Washington timber lands involving \$500,000 directly and several millions indirectly, has been closed by the purchase by Stie Bros., prominent loggers of Bremerton, of a mile and a half of land lying north of the Skagit river, between Lyman and Minkler, Skagit county.

TUCSON, ARIZ., July 17.—A tornado which suddenly swooped down upon this place last evening, ripped the roof off the Hotel Hidel and damaged the building to the extent of \$25,000.

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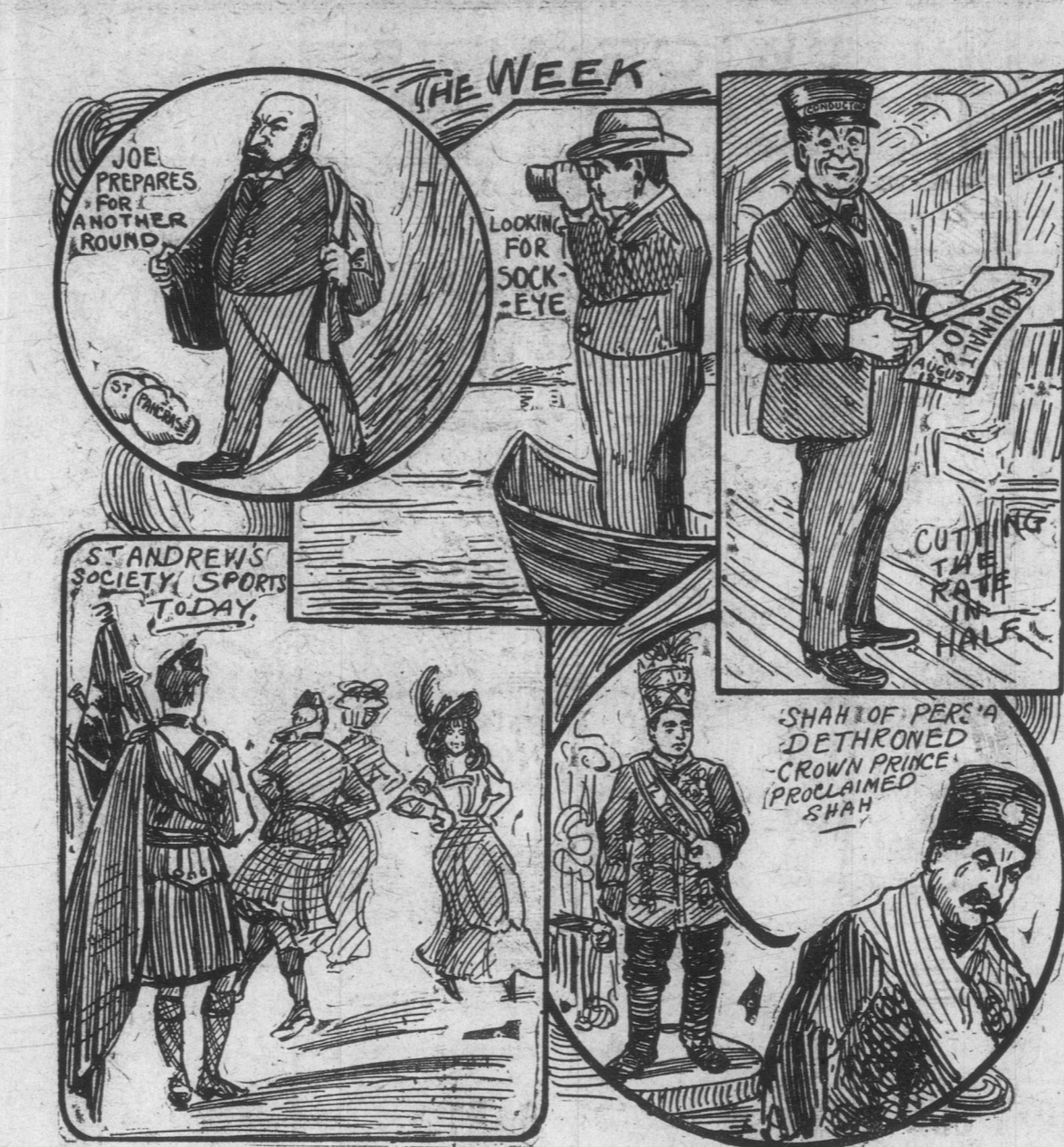
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RESUME HUNT FOR TRAIN ROBBERS

TWO OF THE BANDITS SEEN NEAR LYTTON

Posse is Now on Trail of Men Who Disappeared in Woods.

Vancouver, B. C., July 17.—The chase after the remaining train robbers who held up the C. P. R. express recently at Ducks, B. C., is again active.

YESTERDAY TWO OF THE MEN WERE SEEN in the neighborhood of Lytton. Late in the afternoon two armed men were seen by Carpenter Smith about four miles from the town near Seward's clearing.

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PREFERS DEATH TO DISGRACE

FORMER TELLER OF BANK SHOTS HIMSELF

Suicide Follows Discovery of Shortage—San Francisco Institution Closed

San Francisco, Cal., July 17.—Discovery of a shortage in the accounts of Wm. Von Meyerinck, until recently paying teller of the Union State Bank at Third and Market streets, caused him to commit suicide by blowing out his brains with a revolver shot at his home in Larkspur last night, according to a statement made to-day by T. A. Bechtel, secretary and general manager of the institution.

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