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London, Aug. 27.—A serious situation has again arisen, according to reports from Marseilles and Toulon, on the Franco-Moroccan frontier, Moorish troops are said to be massing in great numbers in dangerous proximity to the Algerian hinterland and Moroccan tribesmen, it is asserted, are raiding French territory. Instructions are said to have been received at the Mediterranean naval stations directing the French naval authorities to prepare to dispatch auxiliary and scout vessels to Algeria, while orders for contingents of troops from Algeria and Tunis for the far East have been countermanded. In official circles in Paris, although it is asserted that the situation needs watching, it is thought decidedly improbable that the Moroccan Government intends to conduct hostile operations against Algeria.

TO WATCH THE COREANS.

The Japanese troops upon the sending of troops to Korea. The cabinet hesitates, but a Japanese cruiser has been sent to the vicinity of Gensan.

STEAMER LOST.

Manila, Aug. 27.—The Japanese liner Futaba Maru (Capt. Tom), bound from Australia to Manila with a cargo of stores for the American Government, went aground and broke in twain on the island of Mindanao. There were no casualties, but the cargo, baggage and vessel will probably prove a total loss.

BUTCHERED BY BLACKS.

An outbreak of latent savagery in two aboriginal blacks who had lived for years in close association with whites is reported from Sydney, N. S. W. The outbreak resulted in the slaughter of eleven persons.

At Brecon, in New South Wales, the Mawby family offended two natives known as Governor and Underwood, who in revenge broke into the Mawby house, armed with tomahawks and war clubs. In the house were Mrs. Mawby, her two daughters, Grace and Hilda; her niece, Elsie Clark; Miss Kerse, a school teacher, and three boys, Percy, aged 13; George, 12; and Albert, 9. Of these only the two youngest boys escaped by hiding. After butchering these defenseless people the blacks fled across the country to the Queensland mountains. At Gulong they killed Alex. McKay and his wife, Mrs. O'Brien, and her young child at Meruwa, and Kerin Fitzpatrick, an old man, at Mudgee. The mounted police were unable to effect their capture.

CABLE NOTES.

The British admiralty, according to the Daily Mail, is buying large quantities of American coal for the use of the fleet in home waters and the Mediterranean.

A United States warship has arrived at Tangier to support the claim arising out of the murder of June of Marcos Esagun, a naturalized American citizen, who was the manager of the Fez branch of the French firm of Braunsweig & Co.

From Near-By Places.

There was a large gathering at Mr. Tysdal Doan's, Riverview, from Lobo, on Saturday afternoon, and an enjoyable time was spent, it being a picnic for the brothers and sisters and their children of Mr. Wm. Doan's. There were from 45 to 50 guests, and among them were Mr. and Mrs. D. George Doan and their two sons and daughter, Miss Seb. Wilson, Mrs. Wm. Hamlin and son, and James Barclay, all of London.

WARDSVILLE.

Wardsville, Aug. 25.—Miss Blinn, of Detroit, is spending the summer with her sister, Mrs. G. Dykes.

Mrs. McDonald, of Hamilton, is visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. Gill.

The many friends of Isaac Watterworth will be pleased to hear that he is recovering from his late illness.

Miss Addie Dykes is seriously ill.

Mrs. (Rev.) McKee, of Bridgen, is spending some weeks at her old home, Martha Watterworth, daughter of John Watterworth, ex-M.P.P., who has been a patient of Dr. McKee's at Victoria Hospital, where she underwent a serious operation, returned home some days ago.

George Cornelle spent several days in London last week on official business.

STRATHROY.

[Advertiser Agent, J. D. Meekison.] Strathroy, Aug. 27.—Mrs. Elliot Fraser and children are visiting at Niagara.

Mr. Arch Smith, superintendent of the Western Dairy School, was in town the past week.

Mr. Grigg and daughter, Alma, of London, are visiting at Police Magistrate Noble's.

The regular monthly meeting of the Collegiate Institute board, will be held this (Monday) evening.

Miss Edith Bogue has been engaged to teach the public school at Springbank.

Mrs. W. H. Stepler is visiting relatives in Toronto.

Mr. Harkness, decorator, of London, is making improvements in the interior of the Catholic Church, Strathroy.

Wm. Whitehead, of T. B. Welch's drug store will leave in a few days

"THE ACADEMIE DE MEDECINE OF FRANCE HAS PLACED

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to attend the College of Pharmacy at Toronto.

The committee of the school board has decided to recommend the appointment of Walter Scott to teach Mr. Dunscombe's room during the Model School term.

Mr. Arch Campbell, formerly teacher at Paine's school, is attending London Normal School.

Rev. John Kay and wife, of Thorold, are the guests of Rev. J. R. Gundy and family at the Front Street parsonage.

The new calendar of the Collegiate Institute will be issued at the beginning of next month. It contains the records for the past year and the courses of study for the next school year.

The young people of the Frank Street League will give a basket social in the basement of the church on Wednesday evening, Sept. 5. A good musical and literary programme will be provided.

TELEGRAPH BRIEFS

Exports of the United States in July, 1900, \$100,447,470; a year ago, \$94,955,170.

Mr. John Clarke, proprietor of the St. Nicholas Hotel, Hamilton, died suddenly.

It is reported that the Southern Cross, of Ottawa, have purchased the Winnipeg Telegram.

James Durrant and Thomas Medwin, who were drowned, while bathing at Cockburn's dam, Norwich.

The Manitoba board of underwriters has offered \$500 reward for the apprehension of any incendiary in that city.

A special from El Paso, Tex., says the Yaqui Indians, who have been fighting the Mexican troops in Sonora, have sued for peace.

United States transports Crook, McPherson, Rawlins and Sedgwick, having on board 1,200 Cuban school teachers, sailed from Philadelphia for Havana on Saturday.

Their excellencies won the hearts of the people of Dawson during their recent visit, and Lady Minto was presented with a gold box filled with choice nuggets by the miners.

The biggest gun ever built in the United States was tested in South Bethlehem, Pa., Saturday, before Lieut.-Gen. Miles and army officers.

The gun's reach is said to be fifteen miles.

While John Cole, of Georgetown, was taking out gravel at Glen Williams, the top of the pit slid down, burying Mr. Cole and one of his horses. The mill men turned out promptly and rescued them in the nick of time. About 50 tons of gravel was upon them.

Professor Robertson has decided to change the size of the seed grain plot in connection with the grain competition, from one acre to one-quarter acre.

Competitors may select seeds from large heads, and prepare a quarter-acre seed plot for 1901.

Eleven square miles of coal area outside the Dominion Coal Company's properties, between Bridgeport and Sydney, C. B., were bonded Friday by Ira Taylor, of New York. The option is a 60-day one, and the price to be paid is in the neighborhood of \$100,000.

The Dominion trade and commerce department has been notified that heretofore the general tariff of duty will apply to all products and manufactures of Canadian origin, and that Canadian shipping will be excluded from the privileges granted to other states in matters of navigation.

A DOG'S BARK

Saved a Family From Death in a Burning Building.

New York, Aug. 25.—James Lane, editor and publisher of the Westchester Independent in the borough of The Bronx, and his wife and two children, William, aged 21, and Emma, 18, were saved from being burned to death at 4:30 o'clock yesterday morning by the barking of a pet terrier.

The dog, whose name is Tiny, is owned by Mrs. John Morris, who keeps a newsstand near Mr. Lane's large residence. Mrs. Morris was aroused in the morning by the barking of the dog. She looked out and saw that the Lane building was on fire. She aroused Mr. Lane and he dragged out his wife and children almost suffocated by smoke.

Mr. Lane's paper outfit was ruined and his household goods were damaged by water.

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If you are suffering from headache, indigestion, disease or ills resulting from impure blood, we strongly advise you to use Paine's Celery Compound. It is the great banisher of disease, the only medicine that can truly bring you health and strength. Try a bottle of Paine's Celery Compound if you feel weak and run-down; it is a marvelous strengthener.

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EDDY WORKS—RAPID PROGRESS.

Ottawa, Aug. 25.—Remarkable progress is being made in rebuilding and equipping the pulp, fiber, paper, bag, indurated ware, woodenware and saw-mills of the Eddy Company at Hull. The large machine shop, smithy and night running order. The match factory is complete, the machines arriving so that the oldest branch of the Eddy industries is ready to start in full swing in a short time, while the other buildings are all in an advanced stage of construction.

GOOD SHOOTING

Scores of Final Matches in the O. R. A. Annual Tournament.

Long Branch, Aug. 27.—The following are the winners in the concluding matches of the O. R. A. meet, and scores made by members of Western Ontario organizations:

EL PADRE NEEDLES.

Extra series, No. 2, 500 yards—

500 El Padre Needle cigars—Lieut. 50

2 65—Pte. D. Mitchell, 13th 25

2 65—Pte. Robertson, 21st 25

2 65—Lieut. D. L. Ross, 13th 25

2 65—Pte. E. S. Sales, 21st 25

2 65—Pte. J. W. Smith, 21st 25

2 65—Sergt. T. E. Parkhill, 13th 25

2 65—Lieut. J. T. Murphy, 7th 25

2 65—Pte. W. Gould, 20th 25

2 65—Pte. A. Atkinson, 7th 25

N.B.—For the first prize only in this match the aggregate of two scores to count; the remaining 83 were absolute ties.

REVOLVER MATCH, 25 YARDS.

Number of rounds, 6; position, standing, off-hand—

57—Lieut. T. G. Margetts, 25th 32

6—Sergt.-Major Huggins, 13th 32

3—Sergt. Parkhill, 13th 25

3—Corp. H. Atkinson, 20th 25

3—Pte. A. E. Macdonald, 7th 25

3—Pte. E. S. Sales, 21st 20

THE RAPID FIRING COMPETITION MATCH.

500 Yards—

510—Q. M. Sergt. Collins, 39th 25

26 25—Sergt. W. Hill, 13th 24

24 20—Pte. E. N. Allan, 7th 23

24 20—Staff-Sergt. T. Mitchell, 13th 23

24 20—Lieut. R. A. Robertson, 13th 23

23 35—Pte. G. Robertson, 21st 23

23 30—Sergt. Fessenden, 13th 22

23 30—Pte. E. S. Sales, 21st 21

23 30—Lieut. W. L. Ross, 13th 21

N.B.—In the above match the target is exposed for 45 seconds, in which time the five shots must be fired.

THE MULLOCK (AGGREGATE) MATCH.

Pte. P. Armstrong, Grenadiers, the Elkhington cup, N. R. A., silver medal and badge and \$15 285

Capt. A. Elliott, 12th, Governor-General's silver medal and badge and \$10 283

Pte. W. F. Graham, 7th, Governor-General's silver medal and badge and \$10 282

Color-Sergt. E. Skedden, 13th, D. R. A., silver medal and badge, and \$8 281

Pte. R. McLaren, Highlanders, D. R. A., silver medal and badge and \$7 279

55—Lieut. W. L. Ross, 13th 276

54—Lieut. T. J. Murphy, 7th 276

54—Lieut. P. A. Robertson, 13th 275

54—Corp. S. F. Morrison, 13th 273

54—Pte. W. Gould, 20th 272

54—Sergt.-Major Huggins, 13th 271

54—Pte. J. W. Smith, 21st 271

THE TAIT-BRISSET REGIMENTAL TEAM PRIZES.

The Tait challenge cup (value \$250), presented by Sir Peter Tait, of London, England, and \$18; won by 48th Highlanders 572

42—Royal Grenadiers 568

38—12th Regiment 559

33—Royal Grenadiers 557

34—Royal Grenadiers 549

COMPANY TEAM PRIZES.

The Brassey Cup (value \$125), presented by the late Mr. Thos. Brassey, of England, and \$20; B Co., Royal Grenadiers 385

15—A Co. 1st P. W. R. F. 378

10—A Co. P. W. R. F. 377

ALMOST A MIRACLE.

Strange Case of Kidney Disease Reported in Smith's Falls.

Smith's Falls, Aug. 27.—One of the most remarkable cures ever performed by Dodd's Kidney Pills was that of Mrs. George Barnes, of this town. Mrs. Barnes was afflicted with Extreme Weakness and Urinal Trouble resulting from Kidney Disease. The disease had also a serious effect on her senses of sight and hearing, for at times Mrs. Barnes would be exceedingly deaf and short-sighted.

Mrs. Barnes gives an account of her case for publication: "I have consulted a doctor," she writes, "who gave me medicine that seemed to make me worse at times. I was told of Dodd's Kidney Pills, and I got one box. I have used part of the box and am completely cured, and strange to say both my hearing and eyesight are now unaffected."

IN THE FIELD

Patron Speakers Support the Member for Frontenac County—Political Notes.

Kingston, Aug. 26.—A meeting in the interest of Mr. D. D. Rogers, M.P., Independent (Patron) candidate in Frontenac, was held at the courthouse yesterday afternoon. There was a good attendance of farmers. The principal speakers at the meeting were: Patron President Mallory, of Cobourg, and Mr. Rogers. The chair was occupied by Mr. Edward Milton, of Pittsburg township, who announced that the meeting was called to ratify the nomination of Mr. Rogers as the Independent candidate in Frontenac. He claimed that the farmers had been hewers of wood and drawers of water for others for 21 years. "One party is just as bad as the other; it's party, party, party everywhere with them. We, as farmers, want some of the plunder, too, if there is any." The nomination of Mr. Rogers was ratified.

NOTES.

At a Conservative convention at Kentville, N. S., on Saturday, Barclay Webster, ex-M.P.P., was unanimously nominated to oppose Hon. Dr. Borden. Mr. C. Wallace returned on Saturday from Muskoka, where he has been since the end of the session to recuperate his health. He will at once commence campaign work in the riding of West York.

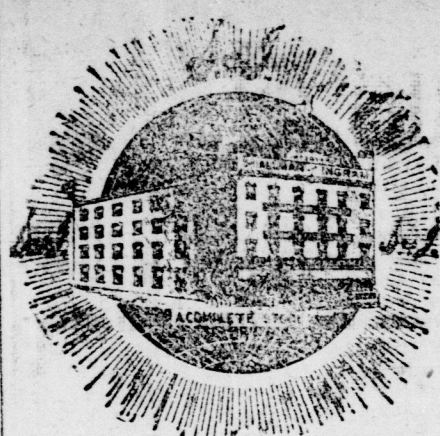
The people's convention, summoned by the Toronto Trades and Labor Council, will be held in Richmond Hall, Toronto, on Wednesday evening, Aug. 29, for the purpose of considering the advisability of bringing out independent candidates at the general election.

The committee appointed at the farmers' picnic in Prince Edward county on June 18 has arranged for a provincial convention at Richmond Hall, Toronto, on Sept. 5, at 9 a.m.

SIR CHARLES TUPPER'S ACCIDENT.

Halifax, Aug. 27.—Sir Charles and Lady Tupper arrived at Halifax on Saturday evening. Sir Charles is still suffering from the accident at Amherst, and is obliged to use a crutch. He consulted physicians on his arrival.

There is only one sudden death among women to eight among men.



THE WEATHER TODAY—Fair and decidedly warm; thunderstorms.

EARLY CLOSING—Customers will kindly bear in mind that this store closes at 7 o'clock every Saturday evening to permit employees to enjoy a well earned rest.

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London ladies are well aware by this time that the greatest attention is paid to their Corset needs here. This department is not the chief here, but it stands as high as any of the many others in this huge and satisfactory establishment. By paying special care to buying the best makes we can guarantee to fit any figure satisfactorily and make it graceful. We aim to protect the interests of our customers in such matters. To further insure satisfaction, corsets are fitted on before leaving by experienced salesladies. The following are worthy special attention:

French P. D. Corsets

Style 560—Of French Coutil, good filling, two side steels on each side, lace and ribbon trim, suitable for medium figure. Price.....\$1 00

Style 769—A very popular make, 11-inch, 4 hook clasps, two side steels on each side. This corset is made of French Coutil and trimmed with lace and ribbon top and bottom. Price.....\$1 50

Sapho E.—Medium Short Corset, 12-inch, 4 hook clasps, gussets over hips, Venus back, lace and ribbon trim. A perfect tailor-made corset, black, of French Sateen lined with fine Jean, for \$3.50; white, of French Coutil, for.....\$2 25

Style 600—Of American Jean, 5 hook cork protected clasps, good steel filling, strapped and corded bust, embroidery trim. This excellent wearing corset is sold here for.....\$1 00

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Jap Silks, 23-inch, at.....35c and 50c

Taft Silks, 27-inch, at.....65c and 75c

Taffeta Silk, 22-inch, at.....65c

Taffeta Silk, 23-inch, at.....75c, 85c and \$1 00

Taffeta Silk, 25-inch, at.....\$1 10

Peau de Soie, 21-inch, at.....75c

Peau de Soie, 22-inch, at.....\$1 00, \$1 25 and \$1 50

Satin Duchesse, 21-inch, at.....\$1 00

Satin Duchesse, 24-inch, at.....\$1 35

Gross Grain, 21-inch, at.....75c, 85c and \$1 00

Satin, 24-inch, at.....49c, 65c, 85c and 95c

Bengaline, 21-inch, at.....\$1 00

Armure, for mourning, 21-inch, at.....\$1 25 and \$1 50

Merveilleux, 20-inch, at.....75c

Figured Taffeta, 21-inch, at.....85c

Figured Satin, 21-inch, at.....\$1 00

Figured Satin, 22-inch, at.....\$1 25

Moirette, for underskirts, 24-inch, at.....40c

Reductions in Ladies' Underwear.

We ask those interested to see our special line of 12½c Summer Undervests, quarter sleeve, ladies' sizes, now selling at.....10c

Ladies' Knitted Corset Covers, silk trimmed, selling at.....25c and 35c

Splendid line of Ladies' Long Sleeve White Cotton Vests, at.....25c

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A choice lot of Red and Black Wrapperettes in large and small checks, also black and white checks, reversible, selling at per yard.....12½c

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