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THREE HUNTERS MISSING. His Feared Men Lost Their Lives in the Storm.

Madford, Ore., Nov. 17.—W. Eros, Harry Luskous and C. E. Walker, all of this city, who left here during Octo- ber on a hunting trip to the head of Elk creek, have not returned, and it is feared that they have perished in the mountains. When they left it was their intention to return home about November 1, and when they did not

stays were made by their relatives' friends to determine their where- abouts, a searching party is being or- ganized by O. C. Luskous, a friend of the men, but it is considered doubtful if success meets its efforts

the Elk Creek district for this time of the year.

PORT ROCKEFELLER. Bradford, Ont., Nov. 17.—No small surprise was caused yesterday by the announcement of W. Madison Hicks that he had secured the promise of the Dominion labor temple in Bradford as the home of the newly- formed Independent Labor League.

Twenty-three Pops resigned during the building of St. Peter's Cathedral, Rome.

REBELS PREPARE TO ATTACK PEKIN

VOLUNTEERS ON WAY TO JOIN REVOLUTIONISTS

Manchu Nobles, Deprived of Power, Threaten Trouble for New Cabinet

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 17.—Intelligence threatens the Manchus, according to a cable dispatch received today by the Chinese Free Press of this city. The dispatch said that since the new cabinet had been formed the Manchu nobles had lost much of their power and that much jealousy had resulted.

The situation in the Manchu family is greatly strained and trouble is expected, said the dispatch which was sent from Shanghai.

Another dispatch from Shanghai to the Free Press said that Liang Chi Chiao, the new vice-president of the board of justice, spent \$300,000 in an attempt to gain the premiership. The dispatch said he and Yuen Shi Kai were not friendly.

A Hongkong cable to the Chinese daily paper said that the rebel army from Hu Pei had arrived at Chin General Che Li is in command. An attack on Pekin is expected to take place soon.

Honan has declared independence and the governor, Bo Fan, has fled, according to the dispatch.

Eight thousand volunteers commanded by General Tom Yi have started from Kwang Tung province to aid in the attack on Pekin.

Rebel Leaders. West Point, N. Y., Nov. 17.—When the Chinese rebels now gathered outside Canton moved on that city to commence what is expected to be the decisive battle of the rebellion, two of their most prominent leaders will be Ting Chia Chan and Yuen Tain-ling, graduates of the United States military academy here. Both were members of the class of 1909 and the first two Chinese to learn the military science under the tutelage of the United States.

The two completed the course here and were sent to Germany and France where they spent 18 months. In January of this year they were expected back in Pekin. When the rebellion began both of the young officers obtained commissions in the rebel army.

Protecting Railway. Paris, Nov. 17.—The Temps understands that there have been exchanges between the Powers relative to the recent dispatch of foreign troops along the railroad from Pekin to Tien Tsin and says that American intima- tion in the matter would not be surprising.

LIBERAL WHIPS.

Ottawa, Nov. 17.—Fred Pardee, chief Liberal whip, has named the following as Liberal whips: Ontario, D. C. Ross, Middlesex; Quebec, Mr. Papineau, Bonaventure; New Brunswick, E. B. Carve, Carleton; Nova Scotia, George King, Richmond; Manitoba, Dr. Mol- ton, Provencher; Saskatchewan, J. C. Toriff, East Assiniboia; Alberta, J. D. Douglas, Strathcona.

Manitoba ministers are now confer- ring with a sub-committee of the cabinet consisting of Premier Borden, Hon. W. T. White, Hon. F. Monk and Hon. Robt. Rogers.

MILLIONS ARE IN NEED OF RELIEF

Crops Have Been Failure in Twenty Russian Provinces

St. Petersburg, Nov. 17.—Eight mil- lion persons are in need of immediate relief owing to the failure of the crops in 20 Russian provinces, according to a statement by Premier Kokovoff in the Duma. The necessary measures will require the expenditure of \$50, 000,000, of which the Imperial ex- chequer would have to find \$44,000, 000.

INDICTED FOR MURDER.

Portland, Ore., Nov. 17.—Burt Hicks, a manufacturer and machine shop owner, was today indicted for murder in the first degree in connection with the killing on the night of November 2 of A. W. Wortman, a union picket. Hicks' establishment had been under the labor union ban and he constantly was annoyed by pickets of the organization. On the night in question, it was said by Hicks he was assaulted by Wortman and shot in self-defence. The shooting was unprovoked for said that Wortman was not the aggressor.

SHIPPING ACTION.

London, Nov. 17.—The hearing of cross-actions arising from the collision of the White Star liner Olympic with the British cruiser Hawke, off the north coast of the Isle of Wight, on September 20, was begun in the Admiralty court yesterday. Both plain- tiffs alleged negligence in navigation and the verdict will carry liability for enormous damages.

QUAKES SHAKE CENTRAL EUROPE

WIDESPREAD DAMAGE TO PROPERTY REPORTED

Railway Traffic Interrupted—Many People Spend Night in Streets

Berlin, Nov. 17.—Sharp earth shocks occurred last night at Munich, Strass- burg, Frankfurt, Stuttgart and May- ence. The shocks were felt quite se- verely at Stuttgart and Frankfurt, in Frankfurt, half a million people rushed into the streets. Big cracks appeared in the walls of several buildings. At Stuttgart household furniture was overturned. At Constantino, in the Grand Duchy of Baden, many build- ings, including the post office, were seriously damaged. A railway viaduct near Lantlingen fell in. There was a panic in a theatre at Heidelberg.

The earthquake was felt in a wide area of central Europe. The Castle of Hohenzollern, on the Steep Zollerberg, near Hechingen, was disfigured and great cracks appeared in the towers. At Constantino, in the Grand Duchy of Baden, the spire and cross of the cathedral, an imposing building, fell. A colossal statue of Germania, which crowned the post office building, crumbled into the street.

The kingdom of Wurtemberg was shaken hard; in Ebingen 500 frighten- ed persons spent the night around fires in an open field. Railway communica- tion with that place has been inter- rupted.

Earth shocks are unusual in the dis- tricts affected, and the alarm general- ly was greater than would have been the case in countries where seismic disturbances are a more common occurrence.

Several buildings, including St. Stephen's church, were damaged at Muehausen, and a large stone was shaken from the church steeple. Bricks and tiles from disturbed buildings lit- tered the streets. A theatre audience stampeded from the playhouse.

The shock was felt less severely at Vienna, Austria, according to reports. In Switzerland.

Berne, Switzerland, Nov. 17.—A violent earth shock was felt throughout Switzerland at 10:27 o'clock last night. This was followed by lesser quakes. The movement was especially strong in the cantons of Berne and Zurich, in the district of Interlake, and through- out the region of the Alps.

So far as known, there were no cas- ualties. In Geneva street cars were derailed. In this city and in Zurich theatre audiences were thrown in a panic and rushed into the streets.

At Montevideo, Uruguay, avalanches rushed down Mount Blanc.

SELECTING JURY TO TRY M'NAMARA

Two More Jurors Sworn—Five Men Are Now in the Box

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 17.—Two more jurors, making five in all, were sworn in the McNamara murder trial today. They are J. B. Sexton, a retired farmer, and William J. Andrea, a non-union carpenter.

The state excused Talesmen Arthur Gribling, William Brunner and Clark McLean. The defence excused Brewster C. Kenyon, A. C. Heath, T. H. Elliott and Jacob Lansing. The defence now has eleven and the state five more chal- lenges.

The excusing of McLain by the state and of Kenyon by the defence and the failure of the defence to excuse Andre were the surprises of the situation. McLain is a banker, is of a class sup- ported by the defence to be particularly adverse to unsettled conditions in business, and to people who make them- selves unpopular.

Kenyon was thought to have been marked by the state because of his ex- pressed disapproval of General H. G. Otis, proprietor of the Times. His val- ued estimation in the opinion of the defence, might prove an interference and he was excused for this reason.

Andre, in his examination by the de- fence, said he was favorable to unions, "if they kept within their rights, as they sometimes do," and believed the Times was dynamited.

OUTBREAK FEARED.

Rumors of Revolutionary Movement in Mexico—United States Troops to Remain on Border.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 17.—Danger of another well-organized and for- midable revolutionary movement in Mexico has caused the suspension of the return to their home stations of the American troops sent into the bor- der country during the Madero revolu- tion. The attitude of the United States is one of apprehension of fur- ther trouble, and which this precau- tion is to be taken to insure the strict- est neutrality.

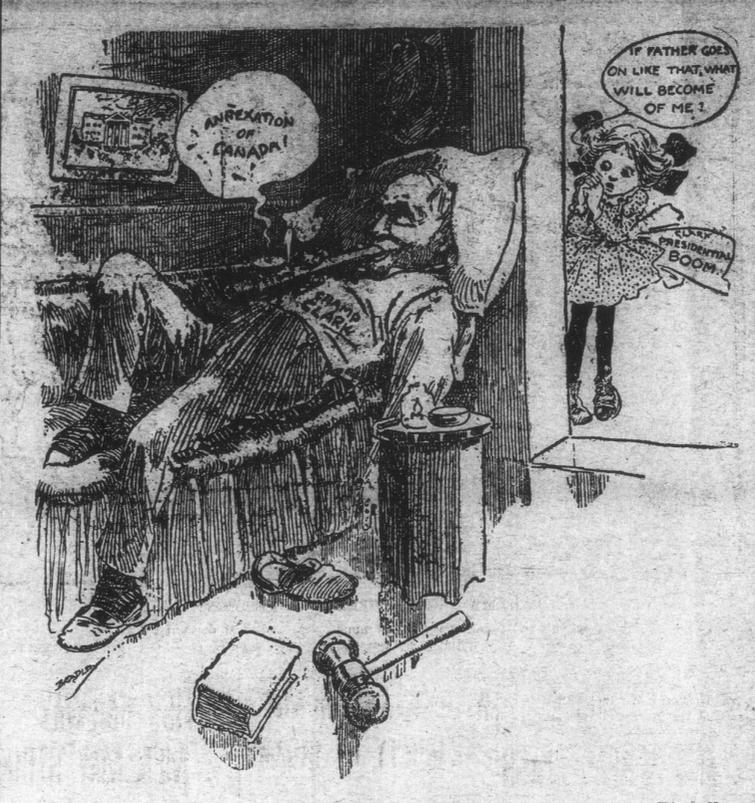
Austin, Tex., Nov. 17.—Two com- panies of Texas Rangers to-day were ordered to the border with instructions to prevent any activity in Texas to- ward starting a revolution in Mexico. These movements were made after a conference between Governor Colquitt and Ranger Captain Hughes, who claims to have evidence that part of the preparations for a Mexican revolu- tion are under way in Texas.

UNREST IN VENEZUELA.

Troops Ready to Take Castro Should He Attempt to Invade Republic.

Williamsport, Nov. 17.—Authoritative advices from Caracas state that serious unrest prevails in Venezuela. The Venezuelan government is enraged at Colombia, because that republic de- clined to arrest ex-President Castro and deliver him to the Venezuelan au- thorities. Castro is said to be on his estate at Cucuta, Colombia, on the Venezuelan frontier.

Venezuela believes that Colombia sympathizes with Castro because of his extreme anti-Americanism. President Gomez has 300 men near the frontier to fall upon Castro if he invades Vene- zuela.



CHAMP'S PIPE DREAM

—Chicago News.

FINDS NEW METAL IN THE KOOTENAY

DISCOVERY REPORTED BY A. GORDEN FRENCH

Found in Platinum-Bearing Ores—Has Been Named Canadium

Nelson, Nov. 17.—An entirely new metal, hitherto unknown to science, but possessing highly valuable com- mercial properties, has been discov- ered by Andrew French, a well known metallurgist, in the platinum-bearing ores of the Kootenay district.

Mr. French made his discovery last May, but made no announcement of it at that time as he wished first to as- certain definitely the properties of the new metal which he has named Canadium.

The new metal belongs to the platini- num group, in which chemists have long recognized that there was a va- cant space. It has a beautiful white color and a brilliant permanent lustre. It will be highly valuable, its dis- coverer claims, for gem settings and for the reflecting surface of concave mirrors.

It occurs in the dyke rocks of the Kootenay district in quantities vary- ing from a few pennyweights to three ounces per ton. The discovery, it is believed, will be of tremendous im- portance to the mining industry of the Kootenay.

SIX KILLED IN RAILWAY WRECK

Bodies of Four Victims Cremated When Fire Destroys Work Cars

Butte, Mont., Nov. 17.—An empty passenger train returning to Living- ston, struck a Northern Pacific work train at Soy's Rock, three miles west of Pipestone, killing six men who were riding in the caboose of a freight train. The passenger was travelling down grade at a good speed when the work train was struck. The freight was stopped as soon as possible, but the light caboose and several of the work cars had been telescoped.

The cars took fire immediately and before the wrecking crew could be sum- moned were burned and four of the bodies were cremated.

REINDER FOR YUKON.

Dawson, Y.T., Nov. 17.—A movement is on foot to introduce reindeer into Yukon territory for the benefit of the natives. The Canadian government has purchased some in Labrador and has sent them to Edmonton to be for- warded to the Mackenzie valley.

Bishop I. O. Stringer, of the Church of England, is in Ottawa working to get a number of the reindeer for this ter- ritory. The suggestion is advanced here that a supply for the Canadian Yukon can be brought from Alaska. The natives of northern Alaska are growing rich in reindeer herds.

The natives of the Canadian Yukon are much in need of occupation and often find it difficult to obtain enough game on which to subsist.

ACCUSED OF SMUGGLING.

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 17.—Denny Gal- lagher, who was arrested Wednesday charged with opium smuggling, was arraigned yesterday and pleaded not guilty. He is said by customs officers to be the most successful importer of opium in America, and is as well known in San Francisco, Honolulu and Port- land as in Seattle. Gallagher is 40- years old. In the hotel where he was arrested 24 tins of opium were found in his valise.

SHOT BY EX-CONVICT.

Big Timber, Mont., Nov. 17.—Joseph Brannin, a deputy sheriff, was shot and instantly killed last night at Melville while attempting to arrest Mel Jewell, an ex-convict.

BOAT CAPSIZES; SEVEN PERISH

LOG DRIVERS DROWNED IN WASHINGTON RIVER

Woodland, Wash., Nov. 17.—When a boat in which thirteen log drivers were employed by the Lewis River Boom company, which gathers the logs brought down in the drives of the different logging camps and makes them into booms under contract. The remaining six of the party had a very narrow escape. Two succeeded in swimming ashore. The others hung to the capsized boat until rescuers could reach them.

Among those drowned was Tom O'Connor, of Ridgefield. He was to have been married in a few days. The stalwart young riverman had braved the perils of the log drivers' lot in order to save more money.

To-day a rescue party is on its way to the place where the drowning oc- curred, carrying provisions for the living and grappling hooks with which to recover the dead.

The dead, Arnold Mark, Ellwood; Eli Lipton, Woodland; Tom O'Connor, Ridgefield; Alexander Taylor, Wood- land, leaves wife and two children; Calloway, Yacolla; Carlo, Yacolla, un- identified man of Yacolla.

MILITIA OFFICERS IN CONFERENCE

GENERAL MACKENZIE DELIVERS ADDRESS

Organization Must Be Kept Up to Standard in Time of Peace

Ottawa, Nov. 17.—The feature of the opening of the second day of the militia conference was an address by General Colin Mackenzie, who dealt with all phases of the military situa- tion in a practical manner. He refer- red to necessity for thorough orga- nization, remarking that it was es- sential that it should be just as effec- tive in time of peace as when there is war.

General Mackenzie pointed out that the Imperial conference held last summer an agreement had been ar- rived at by the various parts of the empire to organize on similar lines, and Canada had done more to give effect to the policy than any other sec- tion of the empire. Since criticism of General French in 1910 a great deal had been done to bring the peace or- ganization in the Dominion up to a war basis in the point of efficiency.

Reference was made to the fact that a number of offers had been received from various parts of Canada to or- ganize new military units. In this con- nection it was important that there should be no duplication of the kind of units already in existence.

A report from sub-committee on military training was presented by Lieut.-Col. Fotheringham. Among other things the establishment of a university and college battalion was recommended, with the object of fur- nishing qualified officers for the mil- itia of the Dominion. Every college would have a military committee nom- inated by president, and the course should include at least 25 instructional parades.

General Mackenzie approved of the proposals contained in the report of the committee.

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CENSORSHIP OF DRAMA WANTED

VANCOUVER DESIRES TO TREAD NEW PATHS

Will Ask Legislature for Power to Try the Experiment Over There

It matters not that the Lord Cham- berlain has brought down on his head time and again the wrath of dramatists and critics, and that the attempts at amateur censorship on this continent have been rather laughable than other- wise, the city of Vancouver is desirous of trying the experiment of civic cen- sorship along with the other civic ex- periments which it is shortly to enter upon.

In the legislation which the city will ask the House to grant it next session in the shape of amendments to that much-amended measure, the Van- couver Incorporation Act, is the fol- lowing provision:

"For appointing a censor or censors, with powers by himself or themselves or with such force and assistance as he or they shall deem necessary, to in- spect, prohibit, stop, put an end to, not to say that plays, shows, not rooms, and performances and exhibitions of any kind whatsoever, and signs, bills, pla- cards, advertisements, pictures, writ- ings, and drawings of any kind whatso- ever, which in the opinion of such censor or censors are lewd, indecent, or immoral."

There is nothing said as to whether this censorship is to extend to any per- formances, farce or comic opera, which may be staged in the municipal council chamber, although, of course, with a commission of business men in charge of the city's affairs, as is proposed from 1913 on, there is not so apt to be any- thing of this sort.

While the working of the commission form of government in the sister city will be watched with interest there will quite likely be a lot of fun to be got out of observing how civic censorship of the drama works out there. This is not to say that the censoring of plays and occasion to censor moving pictures and certain other displays—nor would any critic deny that many a show the the- atre would be better without—but civic or other official oversight of the serious and the like. Private detectives, too, must secure licenses and be regulated. The licensing and regulating of all these establishments and also of junk shops is to be extended to "persons, firms and corporations operating them."

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INDUSTRIALISTS GET IN THE RACE

SOUTHERN PORTS ARE AFTER PANAMA TRADE

The Late Government Planned Works Which Would Have Effected Object

Hardly a day passes without some indication of the efforts being made by all the Pacific coast cities across the line to equip their ports to bid for the immense trade which will follow the opening of the Panama Canal, and the lesson is plain to those who are re- sponsible for the port of Victoria that they must be equally active and as- tive.

Not only are the larger and what might be called the recognized ports in the race for supremacy in this regard down the coast, but smaller ports like Los Angeles are going to make a bid for their share of the ocean by the opening of the Panama Canal, and the lesson is plain to those who are re- sponsible for the port of Victoria that they must be equally active and as- tive.