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SYDNEY.

Bricklayers From Pennsylvania—The Peary Steamer Erik.

HALIFAX, N. S., July 12.—Thirty-three bricklayers and masons have arrived in Sydney at the instance of the Steel company from Johnstown, Penna., to take the place of strikers. The men are offered fifty cents an hour and one dollar per hour on Sundays. Unlucky men here are endeavoring to dissuade them from going to work. No trouble is as yet anticipated. The Peary steamer Erik, at North Sydney, was being cleaned up today, and the work of putting her in order for her northern trip begun. She will likely sail Saturday night or early Sunday morning.

SENATOR DEPEW

Says Industrial Alliance Against United States is Impossible.

NEW YORK, July 12.—Senator Chauncey M. Depew, who is in Paris, is quoted in a Journal and Advertiser despatch as saying:

"The basis of future wars is commercial. Commercial competition excites the passions as competitive process in other departments. Germany is now our most hostile competitor. The conclusion is obvious. The issue is to be fought out on the sea; hence the newspapers that are advocating a mighty navy are doing most patriotic work."

"Continental Europe entertains hostility against the United States. England does not, but we do not reciprocate her sympathetic feeling. Notwithstanding commercial competition all classes there believe that if the country were in jeopardy we would come to its assistance."

"France will not become very hostile, for most of her products are consumed by her own people. Austria seeks a market for her surplus, and is influenced by Germany. Italy will stand with her allies. The difficulty with Russia will be settled by our administration. The hostilities against us in the various countries of continental Europe differ only in degree. Nevertheless an industrial alliance against us is impossible. The countries could not agree to percentages. We are their best customers and could retaliate."

BRIEFS BY WIRE.

United States Senator Lodge has arrived in London, but will stay here only a few days, then proceeding to Bayreuth, and returning to London in September. He is on a holiday trip. Queen Marie Henriette fell a victim to the extreme heat which prevailed in Brussels yesterday. Her majesty was playing croquet in the grounds of her villa at Spa, when she was overcome and fell. She was carried indoors and soon recovered consciousness. The special cable announcing that the Nicaraguan negotiations had reached a definite phase and that United States Ambassador Choate was conferring with Lord Pauncefote and the Marquis of Lansdowne, is utterly without foundation. The only stage reached is that of consultation between the Marquis of Lansdowne and Lord Pauncefote.

Col. Sutor, with 40 men and 30 rifles, has surrendered at Lirio, in Albay province, in the Philippines. The insurrection in North Camarines province is practically ended.

WANT TO LYNCH NEGROES.

KANSAS CITY, July 12.—The mob which made a demonstration last night against the county jail, where Frank Holland and Joe Robertson, negroes, charged with an assault upon Miss Grace Davis, are confined, broke up at 3 o'clock this morning into disorderly groups which chased and assaulted dozens of negroes who had given no offense. At an early hour on Sunday, many were still hanging about the north end of the town threatening the negroes. An attack on the jail, if attempted, would have been repulsed, the police say.

BALLOON EXPERIMENT.

PARIS, July 12.—M. Santos Dumont, the Brazilian aeronaut, made the official trial of his balloon in the attempt to win the prize of 100,000 francs offered by Henry Deutsch, for a managable balloon before a committee of the Aero Club this morning. Starting from the Parc de Meudon he reached the rifle tower in a quarter hour and after sailing round the tower started to return to the Parc de Meudon, but lack of motor power necessitated a descent at Boulogne Sur Seine. The trials will be resumed later.

SNOW IN NEW JERSEY.

NEW YORK, July 12.—A despatch to the World from Trenton, N. J., says that there has been a comparatively heavy fall of snow in that city. The snow was plainly visible during heavy rain storm. The flakes were large.

THE WEATHER.

TORONTO, July 12.—West and east light, to moderate variable winds, fine and warm today and on Sunday. WASHINGTON, July 12.—Eastern states and northern New York—Partly cloudy tonight, warmer except in extreme south portions; Sunday, fair, warmer, fresh easterly winds.

BRITISH NAVY.

LONDON, July 12.—Lord Selborne, outlining in the house of lords tonight the plans of the government for improving the navy, said it was proposed to establish a school of naval strategy, such as existed in the United States.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Will Protect Every Beneficiary Certificate in the Endowment Rank.

CHICAGO, July 12.—Under a resolution adopted by the supreme lodge of the P. directing the supreme chancellor, supreme vice chancellor and the president of the board of control of the endowment rank to prepare an address to the order, an address has been issued to the members, reciting the proceedings of the special conference of the supreme lodge, which has just been held in this city. The address covers substantially the same facts that were made public last night. The official figures of the result of examination by the insurance departments of Illinois and Connecticut, as given in the address, show that on June 1, 1901, the gross assets upon the books were \$25,204, of which the sum of \$20,383, not admitted, leaving net assets of \$34,886. The actual liabilities for the same date were \$60,143, thus leaving a deficit of \$25,257. The address formally pledges the order to protect every beneficiary certificate issued by and in force in the endowment rank and full and prompt payment of all claims due thereon.

A NAVAL PAGEANT.

ST. JOHN, N. F., July 12.—Commodore Giffard and Commodore Montford, commanders of the British and French squadrons in these waters, have arranged in a conference here for a naval pageant on the occasion of the visit to St. John, Oct. 21, of the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York. Four British and three French warships, including the fishery squadrons, will participate. Vice Admiral Bedford, commander in chief of the British North America and West Indies station, with a British squadron of seven warships, will also attend the Royal Yacht Osiris and her consort. The United States government will be invited to send a warship to take part in the pageant, and it is hoped to assemble altogether eighteen warships.

WHAT BOOKWATER THINKS.

LONDON, July 12.—John W. Bookwater, of Ohio, who sailed for the U. S. on the Hamburg-American line steamer Columbia yesterday, spent a few days in London. This week after a 2,000 mile bicycle trip through Southern Europe, during which he traversed Italy almost from end to end, and crossed the Apennines, went over the mountainous roads of Switzerland. Mr. Bookwater spent the greater part of his time living among and closely studying the peasantry, and he is thoroughly convinced that a crisis is imminent between the German and Russian populations of the world. In the rise in the price of grain he sees the beginning of a struggle of the agricultural element against the concentration of capital in cities. This movement, he believes, will commence in America, where, he declares, the economic conditions are inferior to those of Germany and France, especially the latter, which he maintains is the soundest country in the world, owing to the distribution of wealth between the agrarian and metropolitan classes.

AS TO LORD ROSEBERY.

NEW YORK, July 12.—According to the Tribune's London correspondent the reported engagement of Lord Rosebery and the Duchess of Albany is not credited by his intimate friends, and is dismissed in British diplomatic circles as an idle tale.

Another rumor which needs corroborative evidence, assigns to Lord Rosebery the role of peacemaker in South Africa. It is asserted that Mr. Kruger, and the advisers in touch with him in Holland, have offered to negotiate peace with Lord Rosebery, but not with other Mr. Chamberlain or Lord Milner. It is hardly credible that Lord Salisbury will seriously entertain proposals derogatory to the dignity of his own government. Mr. Chamberlain and Lord Milner are the only possible peacemakers on the British side.

THE HOT WAVE.

OMAHA, Neb., July 12.—Today opened hot with the mercury at 84 at 8 a. m. There was barely a breath of air stirring, and indications were for higher temperature than yesterday. The humidity percentage was 62. Western Nebraska reports equally high temperature. There was one prostration at Vermillion, S. D., last night.

KING EDWARD'S MOVEMENTS.

NEW YORK, July 12.—King Edward has gone to Staffordshire to visit the Grand Duke Michael and the Countess Torby at Keele hall, says the Tribune's London correspondent. This is the first country house visit made by him since he ascended the throne. He has accepted engagements for several other visits.

WANTED TO BE STRUCK.

Farmer Put a Rod on His Head and Defied the Lightning. Piece of Wood Hit Him.

While a thunder storm prevailed on Monday at Crisfield, Md., Philip Wallis, a farmer, secured a lightning rod and attaching it to his head went forth saying that he desired of all things to be struck by lightning. He wandered about a field calling aloud for the lightning to strike him if it dared. He was not disappointed. Just as he was passing a great oak tree for the third or fourth time a lightning bolt struck the tree, shattering it to pieces. One of the splinters hit Wallis on the head, rendering him unconscious. He was once conveyed indoors, where it was ascertained that he had been wounded seriously, but he will recover.

CANADA AND GERMANY.

Application of the General Tariff to Goods From This Country.

NEW YORK, July 12.—The resolution of the Montreal Corn Exchange, by which the Canadian government should be asked to make commercial reprisals against Germany has greatly excited German protectionists, says the Tribune's London correspondent. They characterize the resolution as an example of extraordinary frankness on the part of the commercial body. The present state of things, by which Canada is excluded from the most favored nation clause, was brought about, they say, by Canada showing preferential duties on English goods since that time. There exists between Germany and England only the most favored nation clause on a basis of reciprocity. Since Canada offers no such reciprocity she is regarded as having no claim whatever to participate in the German most favored nation clause. The application of the German general tariff to Canadian goods is Germany's reply to Canada's action, and if the Canadian government yields the result, the Germans say, will be an increase of 50 per cent. for the German general tariff on Canadian goods.

ITALIAN AFFAIRS.

United States Ambassador Talks of Current Conditions.

LONDON, July 12.—George V. L. Meyer, U. S. ambassador to Italy, is staying a few days in London, en route for Boston. To a representative of the Associated Press, Mr. Meyer said: "Before leaving Rome I had an hour's audience with the king. Not only did he express the most cordial friendship toward the United States, but he surprised me by his intimate knowledge of our institutions. The conversation happened to turn to a comparison of the United States constitution with those of other countries, and I soon found that the king knew almost as much about our business as I did myself. He is a wonderfully intelligent sovereign. Naturally, I cannot say much about the potentiality or the likelihood of the continuation of the triple alliance. I believe the treaty expires in 1902, and then it will be time enough to talk. Signor Xarnardilli (the premier) has certainly surprised everyone by his outspoken utterances. He appears to have met the political crisis with remarkable ability. The relations between the vatican and the papal states are still in a state of quilibrium, but they have done for thirty years. The last time I saw the pope he was looking well."

The question of the Philippines excited keen interest in Rome. Archbishop Chapelle, who, I believe, is still there, has given the vatican the benefit of his extended experience in those islands, and, doubtless, has done much to explain the religious questions which puzzle the Catholic authorities. Archbishop Chapelle will return to New Orleans in about a month."

Referring to business prospects, Mr. Meyer said: "The home coal interests are making strenuous efforts to get their product into Italian ports, with fair chances of success, which are not a little improved by Great Britain's imposition of a coal tax, though American coal is still greatly handicapped by a lack of merchant marine."

MUST DECIDE TODAY.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., July 12.—The joint conference of representatives of the steel combinations and the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin workers, was resumed at the hotel Lincoln at 10 o'clock this morning. Both sides were cheerful and a strong effort will be made today to bring the conference to a satisfactory close. While no date has been set for a final adjournment, several of the conferees are arranging to leave the city this evening, and as President Shaffer has declared that he will not consent to any further postponement of the conference, it is believed that a settlement or disagreement will be reached before night-fall. President Shaffer made the announcement before entering the conference this morning that he regarded further delay as useless and harmful for both sides. The issue has to be met, he said, and there is no use in dodging it.

AN ARISTOCRATIC DRUMMER.

LONDON, July 12.—The Earl of Roslyn appeared today in a new role, that of a drummer. His lordship has been filling in the time between his recent employment as a correspondent in South Africa and his approaching return to the stage as a member of Mrs. Langtry's company, by travelling for a cattle cake firm. It appears that he was so unsuccessful that his employment was terminated, and his lordship sued them for six months' wages. The earl, attired in the pink of fashion, entered the witness box and got a verdict in his favor.

THE FRENCH SHORE.

LONDON, July 12.—It now seems that there is small probability of an agreement being reached between France and Great Britain over the Newfoundland question. The negotiations have not been broken off, but they have progressed so little that Downing street is inclined to regard them as almost hopeless.

THAT BOILED CHINAMAN.

SAN JOSE, Cal., July 12.—Boiling of the remains of Lee Wing, a murdered Chinese, to ascertain if a bullet from Lee Look's pistol had entered his body, had completed, after 24 hours. Fourteen large buckets and one 44 calibre bullet were found when the mass was strained. This bullet is said to fit Look's revolver.

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BARMEN BARRED.

Hoboken Passes Ordinance Forbidding Saloonkeepers to Employ Them.

At the meeting of the Hoboken board of council yesterday afternoon an ordinance was passed prohibiting the employment of women in saloons. There were 32 saloons in Hoboken, thirty-four of which have barmen. A movement was started some time ago against the employment of barmen, and Chief of Police Danovals sent in a report of the saloons where they were employed. As a result the license of twelve of these saloons was revoked. This leaves 32 saloons, which is one to every 171 of the inhabitants.