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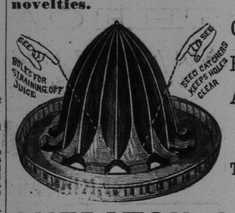

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SECOND EDITION.

THE GREAT STRIKE.

NO GROUNDS FOR HOPE OF SETTLEMENT YET.

Ship Owners urge the Companies to Accept Yesterday's Proposal that Owners Employ their Own Men.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

LONDON, September 3.—There is nothing in the strike situation this morning to inspire the hope of an immediate settlement of the questions at issue between the dockmen and the dock companies. A deputation of ship owners headed by Sir Donald Currie waited upon the officials of the companies again to-day and urged the acceptance of yesterday's proposal to allow the ship owners to employ their own men to load and unload vessels.

The dock companies replied that they could not accede to this proposition, but would be willing to enter into further discussion of all the questions involved with a committee of the ship owners.

Sir Donald said he regretted that a definite answer could not be given to the ship owners, but expressed his willingness to consent to join the conference.

The dock officials will express their views in writing for submission to the ship owners at a meeting later in the day.

The result of this conference destroys all chance of arriving at a settlement of the strike to-day and embitters the feeling of the men.

The chairman of the trade council in congress at Dundee, in his address dwelt upon the seething discontent prevalent among the working classes, owing to the uncertainty of their employment and the unequal distribution of the fruits of their labor. He advocated the adoption of a legislative enactment making eight hours a day's work as a step in the right direction.

Trades Unions, he said, should now demand a larger share in the work of moulding national life. Labor had too long lain under the heel of capital. It must arouse itself and assert its existence.

PORT-AU-PRINCE.

The Army Enters the City and Gen. Monte Cristo Surrenders Possession.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—Late advices from Port-au-Prince say that on the morning of the 23rd the army from the plains of Culdesae marched in under the command of General Monpoint jr Minister of war. It consisted of 2,500 soldiers. The American flag was carried at the head of the column and Minister Thompson and the admiral and staff rode with General Monpoint. General Monte Cristo surrendered the city to him at the portal St. Joseph where Hippolyte's government is now in possession. There will be 7,500 more soldiers brought into the city and the citizens are convinced that such an influx will cause fever to break out.

Sympathy for London Strikers.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Sept. 3.—The United Labor League sent the following cablegram to John Burns chairman of the striking laborers in London. 'The Organized working people of Philadelphia send greeting and sympathy to the striking working men of London. Let no compromise stultify absolute justice."

Wells, Fargo & Co's Stages Robbed.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Sept. 3.—Wells, Fargo & Co. have received information that two of their stages were robbed, one at Bodie and another at Forest Hill, California yesterday, by a single highwayman who escaped with considerable booty.

Barquentine Nicanor Ashore.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J. Sept. 3.—The Barquentine Nicanor from Montevideo for New York, with $180,000 worth of hides, wool, etc. has been ashore on Great Egg Harbor inlet since early on Monday morning.

Figaro Insults Emperor William.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

BERLIN, Sept. 3.—The circulation of Saturday's issue of the Paris Figaro was suppressed throughout Germany on account of an article insulting to Emperor William.

In the Hands of a Receiver.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Sept. 3.—The Bratt Lumber Co., one of the largest in this section, has been placed in the hands of a receiver.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT.—A small number of spectators, chiefly ladies, was in attendance at the lawn tennis tournament this morning. In the ladies' and gentlemen's doubles Mr. B. Smith and Miss M. Smith won against Mr. Drury and Miss Drury by a score of 6.2, 5.7 and 6,0 final. H. Smith and Miss M. Smith won against Mr. Drury and Miss Drury score 6.0; 6.1. M. Grant and Miss Adams won against B. Smith and Miss H. Smith bo a score of 6.3,6.1.

In the gentlemen's singles W D Knowlton won against Sherwood Skinner score 6.4, 7. 5.

Gents finals A Cudlip, W J Starr and B Smith score 7.5., 3.6., 7.5.,

BAND IN CARLETON.—The Fusiliers band will play on King Square, Carleton, from 8.30 this evening. Following is the programme:

1	Quick March "Escort of the color"	Rollinson
2	Waltz "I'l Bacio"	Arditte
3	Fantasia "Forepaugh's Aggregation"	Southwell
4	Waltz "Dreams of Childhood"	F H Jones
5	Overture "Fanaredi"	Rasino
6	Waltz "Clasping Hands"	Hecker
7	Selections "Il Trovatore"	Verdi
8	Schottish "Popular"	Smith
9	Gallop "Amanda"	Faust
	(God Save the Queen.)	

DOG DAYS have begun with the police and they are at work notifying the owners of unlicensed curs that the dog tax must come as usual.

ONE JUROR SELECTED.

Crowds Attend the Opening of the Chonin Trial.

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 30.—The great Cronin trial was begun before Judge McConnell this afternoon. Twenty-six bailiffs were stationed about the doors of the old criminal court building to keep the crowd from rushing into the court room. Many Irishmen were present; some of them were members of camp 20. All the prisoners with the exception of Woodruff, who is to have a separate trial were in the chairs assigned them. Judge McConnell took his seat behind the big desk. The chairs the prisoners have been sitting in were those used by the anarchists. When Detective Coughlin learned this fact he begged that they be given other chairs. He considered the Anarchist seats unlucky. Before the examination of talesmen began, Lawyer Donohue made a motion that Lawyer Hynes, Mills and Ingraham be barred from assisting State's Attorney Longnecker in the prosecution. He claimed that these three lawyers were being paid for their services by persons who were antagonistic to the prisoners. He also declared that Mr. Hynes was a violent opponent of one faction of the Irish party in Chicago, and a bitter enemy of P. O'Sullivan, who is on trial for his life. Attys, Forrest and Kennedy entered the same motion in behalf of their clients, Coughlin and Burke. The court overruled the motion. Fifty talesmen appeared for examination this afternoon. They had been picked with great care. Nearly all the candidates were Americans and business men. The prisoners watched them curiously. The first talesmen to be examined was William E. Cribben, the millionaire stove manufacturer. He was excused for cause. The first 12 men examined gave good reasons why they would not make good jurors in this case. The first man accepted by the prosecutor was J. W. Bridges, a clean shaven young man from Austin. He is a clerk in an insurance agency. It is probable that the defence will also accept Mr. Bridges. R. L. Sellerbridge was detained for examination by the defence. The state has already accepted him. David Dudley Field the New York lawyer, sat beside Judge McConnell while the examination of the talesmen was being made. Another talesman held over for the night was W. J. Bigley, a young Irishman. His examination aroused more interest than anything that had occured in the court room all the afternoon. The prisoner watched Bigley intently Coughlan being especially interested. Bigley was accentable to the state, but the defence will try to oust him in the morning. Amory Forrest made a motion just before court adjourned to have Burke removed from the boys' department to another part of the jail. He claimed that the prisoner was now suffering solitary confinement despite the fact that he had not been convicted of any crime. The court will pass on the motion tomorrow.

In the Line of Progress.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE GAZETTE.

SIR,—I regret to see that the discussion as to the expediency of putting the harbor of St. John under the control of a commission is assuming something of a political aspect. This should not be. Let the political meddlers and office-seekers keep their fingers out of the pie and give the people a chance to settle the question on its merits. As one citizen with considerable interest at stake my only desire in the matter is to vote and act for the best interests of the city and port. I have as yet heard no valid arguments against the commission, but it seems quite evident to me that the harbor would be better managed and its importance increased by being entirely under one management—a management, remember, selected from amongst our best citizens, than whom none could have the welfare of the port more at heart. As to the cry of selling out the harbor to the Ottawa government, it is simply childish. One would almost think to hear such babytalk that there was a danger of our harbor being moved up to Ottawa and located, perhaps, somewhere within the precincts of Parliament House. For my part I should be quite willing to sell out the whole place, harbor and all, to the Central government or any other body who would pay a good price for it and run it in improved shape for the benefit of the inhabitants. To my mind, the question is, whether we shall continue the present mongrel control, keep on squandering money in petty improvements and never have the harbor in good shape, or its importance as a Winter port of Canada recognized, or, whether we shall by a comprehensive scheme like the present, place the harbor under the control of a commission, insure its good management without increased cost, and greatly raise the status of the port by making the harbor virtually a national possession and of national importance instead of a local interest as at present. The Commission seems to me to be in the line of progress. Let us adopt it, get to work on our improvements under it as soon as possible and be prepared for what business the C. P. R. may bring us. Let us not kill the whole thing forever by a "no" vote on the 10th. I have not gone into any details in this but merely wish to express one unprejudiced opinion on the matter after looking into it. In conclusion I would say that I take it for granted that the government rate of interest will be about 3 per cent now instead of 4 per cent which was the rate in 1882. A MERCHANT.

The Shamrock-Moncton Game.

A large crowd is in attendance at the base ball match this afternoon. Abbey and Donovan are the home battery and Robinson and White for the visitors. The score up to time of going to press was, Shamrocks 4, Monctons 0. Six innings had been played.

The Weather.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—Indications, Fair, followed tonight or Wednesday by light rain, warmer southwesterly winds.

GRAHAM WINS AT LAST.

HE GOES SAFELY OVER NIAGARA FALLS IN A BARREL.

About 100 Persons Witness the Perilous Voyage—Fifty Minutes Spent in the Surging Waters Result in a Few Injuries—The Ambition of His Life Now Satisfied.

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Sept 1.—Carlisle D. Graham this morning accomplished the feat of going over Niagara Falls alive, much to the surprise of his friends and the people who are familiar with the force of the torrent. It has been the height of Graham's ambition for over three years to go over the falls. The preparations for today's trip were quickly made, although the experiments of sending torpedoes, floats and barrels over the cataract during the last two months were made with this end in view. The barrel boat in which Graham risked his life was the one used by him last Sunday to make the perilous trip through the Whirlpool and the Devil's Rapids. It is Graham's lucky barrel. His wife refused to consent to today's trip unless he sent the barrel over first. This was done late yesterday afternoon, and the craft made the trip safely in about 35 minutes. Then Mrs. Graham again objected, and she was told that Graham would not go over for several days, anyway. "Women are sometimes too squeamish" said Graham, and he proceeded to make the neccessary arrangements. Telegrams were sent to the Herald correspondent and other newspaper men at Buffalo. The local reporters were notified, and quite a congregation of editors, who came here on the excursion of the National Press Association, which has been in session in Detroit, were among those who received the tip. Altogether about 100 persons were spectators of the voyage over Niagara.

The barrel was loaded into a light wagon at about 8 o'clock this morning. It looked like a very poor coffin, for the paint was dull, and some additional iron bands had been attached without special reference to the beauty of the barrel. It is made of Chinese locust wood, is 4½ feet long, 22 inches diameter at the top, 15 inches at the bottom, and at the bulge near the top, nearly 27 inches. The barrel itself weighs 150 pounds. In it were two 50-pound bags of sand, and a piece of railroad iron weighing 25 pounds was attached to a 50-foot rope as a drag. Inside some canvas straps had been arranged to support Graham while on his perilous voyage. These had not been deemed necessary in his trip through the Whirlpool and Devil's Rapids, but this time it was necessary. The barrel was taken across the new suspension bridge. Graham went over to Canada on foot, for he had been told that the authorities would,

ARREST AND IMPRISON HIM

if he attempted to start on his suicidal journey from the Dominion side. This was the reason why none but newspaper men and acquaintances of Graham were told about the trip. Constable Andrew Horn, who has helped Graham in his experiments, opened up the barrel to the customs officer, who saw that there was nothing dutiable in it, and drove on to Chippewa with Graham, getting on the vehicle at the Clifton House. They went along to a point just north of the mouth of Chippewa creek, where they were joined by Constable Garry K. Staley of La Salle. The three men carried the barrel through a burying ground to the river's edge. Graham divested himself of everything except a pair of black trunks, two shirts and his shoes. He then got into the barrel through the manhole, and crouched down in the bottom, fastening himself with three canvas straps. Then the other men towed the barrel out into the river. Graham had previously given his gold watch and $40 in money to Constable Horn, with an injunction to give it to his family if he failed to come out alive. "I may be tempting God's providence" said Graham "to try to go over the falls, but it is the ambition of my life to do this. I am satisfied to die, if it is necessary. Good-by, boys."

Constable Staley threw the iron drag into the river and the barrel boat started on its journey. Everything was secure. The extra irons had been carefully fastened, the manhole cover had been battened with tarpaulin and Graham was securely fastened. The barrel moved slowly, almost painfully slow, down to the Horseshoe rapids. Suddenly it disappeared and the watchers thought it had gone under for good, but it reappeared in a few minutes and kept dashing on down the upheaved torrent toward the brink of the cataract. The red top of the barrel was seen most of the way, but occasionally there was a dazzling streak of drab, which showed how the barrel was spun around by the waves as they carried the craft onward to the brink of the falls. The two constables solemnly agreed never to divulge the fact that they had started Graham on the trip unless he came out safely. Staley rowed across to the American side, and Horn drove as fast as he could to and across the bridge. Just 25 minutes after Graham had been cast adrift, people on Table rock, who had watched an hour or more and were just ready to go away, saw the barrel come swiftly down about 200 feet from the Canadian shore and well away from the inner Horseshoe. The barrel

SWEPT DOWN OVER THE FALLS

in the water, and did not shoot out as was expected. This saved the shock of a fall of nearly 200 feet. The time was just 7:10. The mist of the morning had cleared away, and the increased crowd on the river banks watched anxiously for the barrel to reappear. In just 1½ minutes it came bobbing up in the foam, circled around in the swirl and went into the Bass Rock eddy, only a few hundred feet from the foot of the falls. Along the banks on both sides friends of the intrepid navigator waited to rescue him as soon as he came to the surface.

It was so early that the steamer Maid of the Mist had not started up for the day, and rowboats cannot be safely taken very far away from the ferry line toward the falls. People watching for the barrel with marine glasses finally descried it, and expected when the barrel came into the comparatively smooth eddy that Graham would reappear. He did not and could not. Almer Jones, who was near this point, hastened to the eddy, and when the barrel was within a few feet of the rocky shore, he swam out to it. He secured it by the drag rope, of which only 10 of the 50 feet was left, and dragged it ashore. Michael Cahill came up in time to help him open the barrel. The irons covering the manhole were so bent that they could hardly be moved. Graham had locked the barrel inside with an iron fastener, which he had not sufficient strength left to release, so the top of the cask had to be broken in to get him out. The two men dragged Graham out more dead than alive. "His neck is broken," shouted a man on Table rock, as he saw the limp body laid on the rocks. Cahill rubbed Graham while Jones forced some whiskey down his throat. They finally revived him and got him down to the Maid of the Mist landing, where a carriage took him over to the Prospect House.

Graham was in the barrel just 50 minutes, and most of the time the little airhole was closed. His injuries were found not to be serious. His arms were skinned his knees were bruised, and in the first fall in the rapids he received a blow in the head which may result seriously. The excitement kept him up at first but afterwards he had to go to bed. His condition was so serious that Williams, the theatrical manager who has been backing Graham, summoned Graham's wife from Buffalo. She is now taking care of him.

Mr. Graham was seen this evening by the Herald correspondent, and asked to

RELATE HIS EXPERIENCES.

"I determined to make the trip this morning," said he, "because I was satisfied that I could do it safely. I notified all the people I could trust and went ahead. They can tell you what they saw."

"But what did you see?"

"Nothing. I was locked up in the barrel. I couldn't have got out to save my neck. The irons on the bottom were all right, but those on the top had to be movable and Constable Horn locked them. That was the only way they could be fixed. I was just as helpless as a dog would have been. I went down to the combing or reef where the Horseshoe rapids start so quickly that I was hardly prepared. The fall must be fifteen or twenty feet. The first thing I knew I seemed to be going into a deep abyss, and then I got a crack on the head like a policeman would give a drunken man. Then I didn't know much. I was tossed about like a feather. I couldn't get much air, and I did not dare to change my position. I had braced myself with the aid of the straps, as I was sure I would not strike my head again. The barrel was built of Chinese locust wood, the strongest kind of stuff. I had given it the benefit of my experience in torpedoes and other craft which were wrecked in the rapids."

"What were your sensations when you went over the falls?"

"I cannot tell just when I did go over the falls," said Graham. "The awful shaking up I got stupefied me. I felt happy. I felt like a man who was passing into a painless death by drowning. There was sense of danger mixed with pleasure and the sensation was pleasanter than I feel now. There were many shocks on the trip, but none so great as the first one, and the mere act of going over the falls did not make itself particularly felt. I was not entirely oblivious, but I felt helpless and voiceless. There was the terrible roar in my ears. I tried to speak aloud in the barrel to break it, but I couldn't. It was simply awful, yet I felt a contented resignation that

I CANNOT NOW UNDERSTAND.

The first I knew that I was really over Niagara Falls was when the barrel went into Brass Rock eddy. I was in almost an insensible condition. They rapped on the barrel and shouted to me. I could hear them talk to me, and I tried to answer, but I couldn't. Finally they broke open the barrel. I didn't faint, but I don't know what happened for a while."

"Will you attempt the trip again?"

"Never! Once is enough. I came to Niagara Falls three years ago to go over the falls. People said all I had to do was to go through the rapids. I did it. The others followed me. Then I went through the Whirlpool and they chased me there. Last Sunday I made a better trip than any of them, and escaped after I was drawn way down in the Devil's malestrom. Today I have eclipsed everything. The falls have alway been here. I have gone over them alive. Now let some of my detractors do the same' They usually follow where I lead; but if they take my advice they will never attempt it. I have had enough of it. It has taken 10 years off my life what I went through in half an hour this morning.

Graham is 35 years old, a cooper by trade and was born on the Brandywine in Delaware near Philadelphia. He has made four previous perilous experiments at Niagara going through the rapids on July 11 1886, the rapids and Whirlpool with his head out of the barrel on Aug. 19, 1886, a plain trip through the lower rapids on June 15 1887, and last Sunday danger's voyage through the whole length of the gorge below Niagara Falls.

Fifteen Years Wedded.

The fifteenth anniversary of the marriage of Rev. Geo. O. Gates of Germain street Baptist church was pleasantly observed by the congregation last evening who assembled quite unexpectedly at their residence. Among the gifts were from the congregation, as a whole a magnificent mirror and lamp, epergne, cruet stand of silver and glass; cream and sugar stand, do.; nut bowl of colored glass; a rose bowl, a celery dish, bisque flower vase, biscuit jar and a handsomely mounted thermometer; and besides these there were individual gifts, including a beautiful vase with bouquet of choice flowers for Mrs. Gates, travelling basket, fruit dishes, fancy glass set, glass pitcher, table scarf, etc. All the gifts were elegant and costly.

The presentation was made in an appropriate speech by J J Bostwick, and Rev. Mr. Gates responded on behalf of himself and Mrs. Gates.

A collation was served in the basement of the church and addresses were delivered by Messrs Bostwick, Simms and others.

Just received from Havana La Habanera, La Venis, El Amber, Angel Queens and Vicente Suarez Queens, wholesale and retail at Whitebone & Co. City Market Building, Charlotte street.

SECOND EDITION.

CHIEF OF POLICE SHOT

WEST SPRINGFIELD IN A FERMENT OF EXCITEMENT.

A Hard Character, Resists Arrest with a Rifle and Winslow M. Abbott Falls with a Bullet Through His Body.

SPRINGFIELD, Sep. 3.—West Springfield is in a ferment of excitement over the shooting of Chief of Police Winslow M. Abbott by John Daley last night. Daley is an Irishman, about 60 years old, and owns considerable property across the river. He is known as a hard case. A warrant had been placed in Abbott's hands for Daley's arrest for drunkenness six weeks ago. Daley had succeeded in eluding the officer up to last night. when the latter, accompanied by Policeman Bean, called at the home of Daley and woke him up. Daley looked from a second story window, and, seeing the officers, refused to come down. Abbott started to break in the outside door and was warned by Daley to stop. The door gave away and as the officers entered, Daley took deliberate aim with a Springfield rifle, sending a ball through Abbott, the ball passing out close to the spinal column. Abbott fell, and Daley made a vicious attack on Bean, who succeeded in overpowering him and getting on the handcuffs. Help was called and Abbott was conveyed to his home where he lies at the point of death. In probing the wound today the surgeon extracted a piece of cartridge shell and fears that more remains, in which case Abbott cannot recover. His chance in any event is slim. Abbott was connected with the Springfield police force from 1872 to 1884, a part of the time as captain. He was one of the best officers ever on the force. Since 1884 he has been chief of police of West Springfield, and was deputy sheriff for a time. Daley, who is lodged in the Springfield station house, claims this evening that the gun was not in his hands when discharged, but was knocked over and the hammer struck in the scuffle.

A TOWN DESTROYED BY FIRE.

Several Lives Lost and Three men Missing.

(BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.)

GREAT FALLS, Mon., Sept. 3.—The news is just received that the town of Barker was totally destroyed by fire yesterday. It is supposed that a man named Ellis with his wife and four children lost their lives. There are also three men missing.

Barker is the business centre of the entire Barker district and is about 65 miles south east of Great Falls. The place will be rebuilt at once.

Natalie Invited to Servia.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

LONDON, Sept. 3.—The young King of Servia has written to his mother, ex-Queen Natalie, imploring her to return to Belgrade.

Telegraphic Flashes.

The government are employing convicts to unload vessels in the Medway.

J. P. O'Connor's paper, The Star, has collected £2,500 for the strikers and £1,500 has been collected for them in Melbourne, Australia.

The Salvation Army in Australia sent £200 to the strikers at London.

The weather was exceptionally fine at the opening of the Dominion Rifle association match at Ottawa yesterday.

Labor day was celebrated at Montreal yesterday with great eclat. The procession was composed of 15,000 men.

Lady Stanley visited the Louise embankment at Quebec on Saturday last. She also went on board and inspected the steamship Vancouver.

The officers and men of H. M. S. Pylades are having a splendid time at Montreal. The ship is open to inspection every afternoon while there.

The coroner's jury on the bodies of Joseph Fairault and Samuel Doucett, who were killed by the explosion of the Hamilton powder works at Beloeil, Quebec, last Friday, have censured the powder company for not better protecting the lives of their employees.

Mr. Gladstone visited the scene of the strike in London yesterday and gave a checque for the relief of the strikers.

The leak in the canal at Cornwall, Ont. has proved less serious than many anticipated. It was discovered on Friday last and repairs were made so that navigation was resumed yesterday at 4.30 p.m.

A mob of 800 strikers invaded the Albert Docks, London yesterday afternoon and compelled the workmen there to cease work.

After being idle for six months the rolling mill, pipe and tube mills and the foundry of the Reading iron Company of Pennsylvania, resumed work yesterday. 2000 men will be steadily employed in a week's time.

Sir Edwin and Miss Arnold and the Hon. Oliver Mowat were amongst the Vancouver's passengers at Quebec last Saturday.

The Governor General and the Lieutenant Governor with their aides paid a visit to the Beauport lunatic asylum on Saturday, on the invitation of the proprietors of that institution.

Michael Davitt, condemns the Irish Catholic University bill, and declares the stand taken upon this question together with the vote of the Irish members on Royal grants forms a sorry exhibition of parliamentary opportunism.

A. L. Light, who has just inspected the Temiscouata road has made a favorable report thereon.

The Protestant Alliance at London will strenuously oppose the government's proposal to establish a Catholis University in Ireland.

A severe shock of earthquake was experienced in Erzeroum yesterday. The village of Kantzorik has been engulfed in lava and one hundred and thirty-six lives were lost.

Weather Report.

POINT LEPREAUX, Sept. 3.—9 a. m. wind northwest, light, hazy. Therm. 60. Twelve schooners inward, four schooners outward.

SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY—a positive cure for Catarrh, Diptheria and Cankermouth.