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*FURTHER DEVELOPMENTS IN THE MONTREAL INCENDIARY CASES.*

**Views of a Manitoban on the Course of Events Should Greenway Refuse to Take Action — Activity in the Nova Scotia Coal Mining Districts—General News From Montreal.**

Montreal, Que., Aug. 9.—A Manitoban now here says that the report of Hon. J. C. Patterson's taking the Manitoba Governorship would not alter in the least the method of solving the school question which is being urged by western Conservatives upon the Federal authorities. "Sir John Schultz or Mr. Patterson," said he, "must both follow the same course. They represent Federal authority. The Privy Council's judgment clearly imposes action of some sort, and no Manitoba Governor can accept a blank refusal to act at all from the Provincial Ministers. He would have to find other advisers. These advisers would maintain the public school system, but make enough concessions to satisfy the minority. The Manitoba Legislature does not meet till next year, but a Conservative Provincial Ministry, with Hugh John Macdonald or some other good man as leader, would be justified in appealing to the people upon their policy. At the same time the Dominion Government would be absolved by the action of the new Manitoba Ministers from holding another session of this Parliament. They could appeal to the country on the day the Manitoba local elections were held. With a reasonable measure of school reform and the support of the Canadian Pacific, both Governments could carry the Prairie Province. This, or something like it, is the only solution of the school question."

**Coal Mining in Nova Scotia.**

Mr. Alex. Budden, vice-president Intercolonial Coal Company, returned to town to-day from a trip to the mines in Westville. He says that, although the total output for the year would probably be below that for 1894, yet just now things were fairly active. The company employs 500 hands, and the amount coming to the workmen alone for the month of July reached $21,000, and the miners are getting nice houses built, live in comparative comfort and are a much better class of men than those engaged in the Pennsylvania and other American mining regions. The wages in the Nova Scotia mines are, it appears, about 14 cents per ton higher than in the coal districts on the other side of the line. Mr. Budden adds that the coal mining industry of the United States is just now in a deplorable condition.

**The Firebug's Percentage.**

The examination of Jenkins, the alleged firebug, was continued to-day, and he declared that he and the other prisoner Haynes were to get 10 per cent. of the insurance on Boyd, Gillies & Co.'s fire. Haynes had in fact given him a while after the fire $100, the proceeds of a cheque drawn by Mr. Boyd, the absent member of the firm.

**A Farmer's Suicide.**

Joseph Fontaine, farmer of St. Felix de Valois, 47, committed suicide by hanging himself in his barn.

**Superior of the Sisters of Jesus**

Rev. Mother Marie Oliver, Assistant General of the Sisters of Jesus and Mary, has been elected Superior of the entire order. The community is composed of 725 professed nuns and 50 novices and has 45 establishments and 24 schools teaching 12,130 children in Canada and the United States. The Mother House is here is Montreal.

*ELOPED WITH A HIRED MAN.*

**The Woman's Brothers Assisted in the Removal of Her Goods and Chattels.**

Novar, Ont., Aug. 9.—Mrs. Harry Rogers of Chaffey eloped on Saturday last with the hired man, Steve Norris. The woman's brothers assisted in removing the sewing machine and the dishes she had packed up to the station. A warrant for Norris resulted in his arrest, and he will not be at liberty for six months.

**Carslake Trophy Goes to Hamilton.**

Cote St. Luc., Que., Aug. 9.—The team of the 13th Battalion of Hamilton, Ont., wins the Carslake Trophy in the matches of the Province of Quebec Rifle Association, now being fired here. Lieut. Ross is first in the grand aggregate, and also captures the first prize in the Carslake Trophy.

The 13th also wins the Martin challenge shield for the best nursery firing. The 43rd Battalion was first in the skirmishing with 135 and also in volley firing with 68, winning the Houghton Cup by a grand total of 203. The Toronto Rifle Association led in the aggregate team firing with 1478, the 13th Battalion being second with 1475.

**Shadows of Fall.**

Cases of new goods tumbling into McKendry's every day reminds them that the outline of the fall season is being mapped out and froces the knife to go still deeper into the balance of all summer goods. We understand the balance of the men's regatta shirts that are worth at least $1 and $1.25 are going out on Monday at 59c. There shouldn't be one left when the closing gong sounds at 6 o'clock.

**Ask for Dewar's Scotch whisky, as supplied to her Majesty, Queen Victoria. 246**

*APPLICATION OF ELECTRICITY.*

**To the Gates and Canals of Canal Locks—An Interesting Canadian Project.**

The Canadian Electrical News for August contains an interesting description of the engineering features of the Sault Ste. Marie Canal and half-tone illustrations of the switch board and lock gates. These gates are operated by electricity, being the first instance in which electrical power machinery has ever been used for this purpose. This number of The Electrical News, now for sale by John P. McKenna, Bookseller and Stationer, 80 Yonge-st., also contains particulars of the Convention of the Canadian Electrical Association, to be held in Ottawa on the 17th of September, also a valuable article on the reconstruction of a small central station plant.

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**Summer Resorts.**

Are you in search of a spot where every prospect pleases, and where the tired, overwrought brain relaxes in perfect quietude and tranquility? If so, direct your attention to the Peninsular Park Hotel, Lake Simcoe. Full particulars, M. McConnell, 46 Colborne-street, or the manager at hotel. 6

**Cook's Turkish baths, 204 King w.**

Beaver Plug is the old reliable gentleman's chew. Beware of cheap imitations.

## GREENWAY'S CABINET MEETS TODAY

**The Rejoinder to the Remedial Order Will Be Discussed—Sir John Schultz Returns.**

Winnipeg, Man., Aug. 9.—Sir John Schultz, Governor of Manitoba, returned to Winnipeg to-day from the Pacific coast. He says that while he met Premier Bowell at the coast he did not discuss the school question nor had their meeting political bearings. Sir John also stated emphatically that he had not received any intimation that his successor had been appointed.

Premier Greenway returned to the city to-day and summoned a meeting of his Cabinet for to-morrow. At this meeting the Dominion Government's rejoinder to the Remedial Order will be discussed, but a reply is not expected for a week or so.

## THE BRESLAU MURDER CASE.

**Scratches on the Prisoner's Face Examined by Physicians—Provincial Detective Greer Working Up the Evidence.**

Berlin, Ont., Aug. 9.—Detective Greer of Toronto arrived in Berlin Thursday evening to prosecute the inquiry into the Breslau murder mystery. With Detective Klippert he set out to-day for the scene of the tragedy, and it is expected will spend several weeks in that locality on the case. The prisoner has retained a Guelph lawyer, Mr. J. Mowat, for his defence. Mr. Mowat worked up the defence in the Reinhardt stabbing case at New Hamburg some years ago.

The County Crown Attorney received the following communication Thursday:

Guelph, Ont., Aug. 8th, 1895.

Dear Sir,—Would you kindly allow Dr. Minchin to see the prisoner for the purpose of examining the scratches on his face. This request is on behalf of the prisoner, as his counsel. Yours truly, J. A. MOWAT.

Crown Attorney Bowlby gave an order to the jailer to admit six physicians to examine the prisoner. At 10 o'clock this morning the following physicians examined the prisoner, viz., Dr D. D. Bowlby, Dr. Lackner, Dr. Webb, Dr. Clemes and Dr. G. H. Bowlby, on behalf of the Crown, and Dr. Minchin on the prisoner's behalf.

Mr. A. Jeanneret of Elmira, a brother of the victim, arrived in Berlin Thursday morning and proceeded to Mr. Hagey's to hear from the family's lips the story of the crime. He went over the ground, visiting the spot where his brother's remains were found.

Mr. Jeanneret and his deceased brother came to Canada from Switzerland some 17 years ago. The murdered man was 16 years his elder, and would have been 50 years old in December. Speaking of his brother he said he was of a kind disposition and the last man in the world to seek a quarrel.

There are five sisters and a brother in the Old Country, both parents being dead, and there were bue the two brothers in America.

*USED PISTOLS RESISTING ARREST.*

**Lively Time at Gananoque Capturing Tw Suspected Burglars.**

Kingston, Ont., Aug. 9.—The Gananoque police, suspecting three persons as implicated in the Taylor robbery, decided to secure them. One was being cornered, when he drew a revolver and sent a bullet through William Toner's hat, a second one was sent after Alex. Ormiston, but Mr. Ormiston collared the youth and handed him over. The other two escaped. The man arrested, when brought before the Magistrate, refused to tell his name or answer questions. He was remanded.

*QUEEN'S SPEECH PREPARED.*

**Everything in Readiness for Opening of Parliament on Monday.**

London, Aug. 9.—Lord Salisbury presided to-day at a meeting at the Foreign Office of all the members of his Cabinet. The Council approved Lord Salisbury's intentions respecting China, which he explained to the Ministers. The Queen's speech, to be delivered at the opening of Parliament, was submitted to the Council and it was approved. The Speech will be submitted to the Queen to-morrow at Osborne House, on the Isle of Wight, where Her Majesty is now sojourning.

**$130,000 Lumber Fire at Ogdensburg**

Ogdensburg, N.Y., Aug. 9.—Fire broke out in one of the lumber yards of the Skillings, Whitney & Barnes' Lumber Co., this city, this morning, and consumed about 9,000,000 feet of lumber. The loss is between $125,000 and $130,000.

**Four Burned to Death**

Pendleton, Ore., Aug. 9.—Four people were burned to death by a fire, Wednesday night, which destroyed the Transfer Hotel and several adjoining buildings. One man, J. D. Taylor, is missing.

**Four Locomotives Burned**

Boston, Aug. 9.—The repair shops of the Boston, Revere Beach & Lynn Railroad, at Orient Heights, with four locomotives, were destroyed by fire last night. Loss $50,000.

**The Care of Health**

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Owners of central productive city property can secure loans at 5 per cent. by making personal application to J. L. Troy, 5 King-street west. 6

**Cook's Turkish baths open all night, 204 King w.**

**Spain Pouring Troops Into Cuba.**

Madrid, Aug. 9.—Thirty-three thousand troops will go to Cuba this month, and 30,000 more will be sent in October if they should be needed to aid in quelling the rebellion there.

**Cook's Turkish baths, 204 King w.**

Hanlan's Point Hotel always has Sprudel on ice at 5c per glass, and the Santa Clara Valley California Tokay 10c per dock glass.

## AMBITIOUS CITY TOPICS.

**Improved Market Facilities — Discussing the New Customs Surveyor—Julia Arthur's Return Home.**

Hamilton, Aug. 9.—The necessity of providing shelter in the market for farmers is becoming apparent. Many of the merchants say the lack of proper shelter from cold and rain, the high tariff charged by the present lessee of the market and the existence of tollgates about the city are preventing a number of farmers from coming to the city. The Markets and Police Committee will take the matter up and endeavor to make the lot of the farmers coming into the city more pleasant.

**Toronto's Saengerbund.**

The Germania Singing Society, under the direction of W. E. Kraft, will take part in the Canadian Saengerbund to be held in Toronto on September 9, 10 and 11.

Last evening Fritz Vogt of Toronto, the general director of the Saengerbund, attended the Germania's Society's rehearsal, and conducted the practice. Max Klace of Toronto, general secretary, was also present. Considerable enthusiasm was shown in the work and the coming festival.

**Back to Her Native Land.**

Miss Ida Lewis (Julia Arthur), a Hamilton young lady who has gained renown in the theatrical world, and who plays the part of leading lady with Sir Henry Irving, will spend a few weeks with her parents, Spring-street. The talented young actress sailed on the Sardinian, and arriving home the same time as Pte. Hayhurst she will come in for some of the honors of the occasion.

**Who'll Be the Man?**

The appointment of a successor to A. I. Mackenzie, the recently-superannuated surveyor at the Customs port, seems to lie between Hugh Murray, who has been connected with the department for years, and is acting surveyor and collector at present, and C. R. Smith, the secretary of the Board of Trade.

**Fast Ride on an Incline.**

When John Durnan was coming down the East End Incline Railway with a load of stone to-day, the lever missed its hold, and the car, which was only a couple of lengths from the bottom, went to the bottom with a crash. The jolt knocked the man off the wagon under the horses, and with the exception of a few cuts and bruises he was not hurt.

**Four Feet Below High Water.**

Engineer Barrow made soundings of the Bay yesterday, and at the deepest point on the line with Hess, Wellington and Wentworth streets and down the channel to the canal he found 88 feet of water. The depth at the entrance to the piers is 14 feet. The bay level is about four feet below high water mark.

**A New Roof.**

At a meeting of the Public Library Board to-day it was decided to put a new roof on the building at a cost of $350.

**Transfer of the Market Lease.**

At a meeting of the Markets, Fire and Police Committee to-night a letter was received from Wardrope & Carpenter notifying the committee that the lessee Jacques of the Central Market intended assigning his lease to George L. Nicholson of Toronto, a former lessee of the market there, for its unexpired term. Mr. Carpenter said the lessee was desirous of withdrawing the $5000 security he had deposited, but would deposit $2000 cash and execute a bond for $3000 made by himself and Wm. Harris, of Harris Bros. pork packers, Toronto. The committee will probably accept the offer, but referred the matter to the City Solicitor for advice.

**Two Results.**

The man in moderate circumstances, who insures his life for the benefit of his wife and family, has the satisfaction that in case of his death his loved ones are protected against want and privation.

His brother—the non-insurer—also in moderate circumstances, is certainly in an undesirable position, for, in case of his death, his loved ones would be left unprovided for, and of necessity be compelled to battle with life's difficulties, and subject to want and privation.

Call at the head office of the North American Life Assurance Company, 22 to 28 King-street west, Toronto, or interview any of its representatives, and thus endeavor to avoid the latter of the results named above. 246

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**The Queens Royal Calenda.**

The German which is to take place at the Queen's Royal Hotel, Niagara-on-the-Lake, this evening, promises to be a charming spectacle. Next Wednesday a concert will be given in the ballroom of the hotel, at which Harold Jarvis of Detroit, Mr. Samuel G. Cowell of Buffalo and others will take part. On Friday evening, the 16th, the Queen's Royal minstrels perform. The Ontario bowling tournament begins Aug. 21, the international tennis tournament Aug. 27, and the international golf tournament Sept. 5, 6 and 7. 246

**Pember's New Turkish Baths, 129 Yonge**

E. Sullivan of the Leader Cafe always has Sprudel on ice at 5c per glass, and 10c per glass with the Santa Clara Valley California Tokay.

**J. C. Fitch Estate.**

Messrs. Silver & Smith of Grand's Repository will sell on Tuesday next at their repository the entire stock of horses, carriages, harness, etc., belonging to the estate of the late J. C. Fitch, Esq. Special attention is called to the beautiful carriage team Fairy and Fly. This is a very handsome pair and should bring a good price. There is also a very handsome Brougham and Victoria which will be sold without reserve.

*WATERPROOFS AND UMBRELLAS.*

**Indispensable for Tourist Comfort and Equanimity of Temper.**

The thousands of visitors to Toronto the last two days had occasional need of waterproofs and umbrellas. The thousands who are going tripping and visiting the rest of the month may be interested in the fact that Dineens', at King and Yonge-streets, have opened their fall consignments from an English manufacturer, bought under exceptional circumstances for cash, and that gentlemen's waterproof coats, warranted hand-sewed and first-class quality, are being sold at 50 per cent lower than manufacturers' prices. Included in the same consignment is a stock of umbrellas, which are also being offered at a lower rate than ever before in this city. Who would be without, or have to borow an umbrella, when 50 cents will purchase one? Dineens recommend their $1 umbrellas, and the best silk umbrellas manufactured are only $2 and $2.50. See them at Dineens' to-day between 8 a.m. and noon. No customers served after 12.55 p.m.

**Turkish Baths, Steam-Heated, 129 Yonge**

**Arlington Hotel.**

The cool piazzas and central location of this comfortable hotel make it most desirable for summer tourists.

For business envelopes, get samples and prices from Blight Bros, 65 Yonge-street.

**Live Speckled Trout.**

One hundred thousand for sale for October delivery. C. H. Riggs, corner King and Yonge-streets, sec.-treas. Silver Creek Trout Ponds. 36

## THE ATROCITIES IN CHINA

*A TALE OF TERROR TOLD BY AN EYEWITNESS OF THE MASSACRE.*

**Mabel Hartford's Description of the Looting and Murder—Her Own Life Saved by a Servant—The Attack on the Canadian Mission—No Protection Guaranteed Foreigners by Treaties.**

New York, Aug. 9.—Rev. A. B. Leonard, D.D., corresponding secretary of the Methodist Episcopal Church Missionary Society, said this afternoon regarding the recent Chinese outrages:

"The cablegrams which I have received during the last few days fully confirm the published reports of mob violence in China. From them I judge that the Americans there think our Government is lax in demanding protection for our citizens in China from that nation.

"I notice that the English citizens in Hong Kong held an indignation meeting at which severe things were said concerning England's apparent unconcern. It seems to me England and America must do something more than simply demand indemnity for property destroyed. That policy has been pursued ever since missions were established there. People have been killed, property has been destroyed, time and again, yet China has gotten off by paying indemnities and without giving any guarantee for the security of life.

**Treaties of No Avail.**

"If the Chinese Government is not able to protect foreigners it is time it is known and understood and then foreign governments themselves should take a hand in the matter of protection.

"We have treaty relations with China, and in the treaty a guarantee of protection. Our missionaries go to China with the assurance that they will not be left to the mercy of the mobs, and the failure of our Government to make good the pledge of protection simply lures our people to death. If the officials at Washington do not intend to enforce the requirements of the treaty it should be abrogated and notice given that whoever goes to China goes at his own peril.

"Personally I think it would be greatly to the advantage of the civilization of the East if the Chinese Empire fell to pieces. That would admit of a reorganization under foreign influences that would open up the country as nothing else could. China must have not only the gospel, but all that belongs to gospel civilization, including public schools, railroads and all modern implements of agriculture."

**Only Security Is Punishment of All.**

Rev. F. F. Ellinwood, D.D., secretary of the Presbyterian Board of Missions, said to a reporter this afternoon: "When any of our missionaries have been killed by a mob we are sure to be notified by cable at the earliest possible moment. Since none have arrived we feel assured no such disaster has befollen our missionaries. It seems to us that our Government, as well as Great Britain, should take hold of this in earnest and secure treaty stipulations which should be carried out in earnest. Our only security lies in the punishment, not only of the actual murderers, but of the officials also who have connived at the outbreaks and are in reality more responsible."

**Carried Away Even the Paving Stones.**

Acting Secretary Adee has received from United States Consul-General Jernigan at Shanghai a despatch dated July 12, enclosing four letters received by him from missionaries giving in great detail accounts of events in China leading up to the riots against the missionaries at Cheng Tu, in the province of Szechuen. One of these, from Spencer Lenir, very comprehensive in scope, dated Chung King, China, says that the West China mission of the Methodist Episcopal Church is the only American Mission represented at Cheng Tu. The Americans there were the Rev. Olin Cody and wife, H. L. Cartwright, M.D., and wife and two children and Rev. J. A. Peat and wife and two children. This mission owned but one piece of property in Cheng Tu on which was a Chinese building fitted for the residence of two families, a Chinese building used as a chapel, a dispensary and minor structures. Mr. Lenir says that substantially all these are gone, even the paving stones being carried out of the courts. The total loss, exclusive of personal losses, is about 6000 taels.

**Attack on the Canadian Missions.**

Mr. Lenir describes the various attacks made on the premises of the Canadian Methodist Mission. The two physicians in charge of the hospital and chapel, which were afterwards looted and burned, kept the mob at bay, but the officials would give no assistance, although several of them were quite near.

Late that evening, May 28, the members of the American Methodist Mission sought refuge in the district magistrate's yemen, but were refused and told they would be protected if they returned home. Relying upon this promise they were entirely unprepared for the mob, which soon visited them, and had barely time to escape. Operations were renewed by the mob at daybreak ntxe day, and before noon the attack was general on ll the Catholic and Protestant mission places.

The American Methodists, from their hiding places in an attic only six feet away, watched the mob for twelve hours plundering their houses.

**Alleged the Foreigners Ate Children.**

Some of the 10,000 soldiers of the province assisted in the looting and dug up a number of bones which they took to the district magistrate's yamen, representing them to be the bones of babies which the foreigners had eaten. Lenir makes serious charges against the Viceroy, Cheo Tacti, claiming that if he had been degraded and was soon to be recalled, he was bent on giving a parting hit, both at the foreigners, whom he hated, and the Government. When the flames burst forth from the Roman Catholic Bishop's residence, scarcely a stone's throw from the Viceroy's yamen, the Viceroy remarked, according to Mr. Lenir, "that this was a matter for his successor to atend to," and he states that only after everything was quietly destroyed did the Viceroy make efforts to restore order, in the meantime having sent out telegrams that a mutilated child had been found at a foreigner's place, with a result that nearly all the natives believed the story.

Mr. Lenir demands the punishment of hostile officials. He encloses copies of the inflammatory placards that were posted everywhere, charging that the foreigners were kidnapping children and using oil from their bodies.

*MABEL HARTFORD'S STATEMENT.*

**A Chinese Assassin Attacked Her With a Spear, But a Loyal Servant Saved Her.**

Foochow, China, Aug. 9.—Miss Mabel C. Hartford, the only American at Hwasang at the time of the massacre, makes the following statement:

"Aug. 1, at 7.30 a.m., I heard shouts. They were the yells of servants, who rushed in shouting to me to get up, for the Vegetarians were coming, tearing down the houses on the hill belonging to the English Mission.

"A few minutes later a teacher came to my door and told me to run.

"I put on my clothes and rushed to the door.

"I was met by a man with a trident spear, who yelled:

"'Here is a foreign woman.'

"He pointed the spear at my chest. I twisted it to one side and it just grazed my ear and head.

"He threw me to the ground and beat me with the wooden end of the spear.

"A servant came and wrenched the spear away, then told me to run.

"I jumped down the embankment and ran along the road. A servant came and pulled me along until I got up on the side of the hill. I then lay down to get more breath.

"After resting twice I reached a secluded spot and lay there.

"All this time the yells went on and two houses were burning to the ground.

"After a while the yells stopped. I supposed the Vegetarians had gone away. A servant went to see how matters were. He returned in half an hour, telling me to come home, that five ladies of the English Mission had been killed and some had been wounded, but that my house—a rented native house—had not been troubled at all.

"I went home to find Miss Codrington much cut about the head and beaten all over; Mildred Stewart, 12 years old, with knee cut and bleeding very hard; Herbert Stewart, 9 years old, cut on the head and almost dead; Baby Stewart, with one eye black and swollen; the second Stewart girl, 11 years old, with the second boy, Evan, 3 years old, were beaten and pierced with a spear, but not seriously injured. The boy vomited all day, but we thought it was from fright.

"Mr. Phillips of the English Mission, who lived in a native house, some distance away, escaped all injury, only arriving in time to see the bodies of the dead and hear the Vegetarians say:

"'We have killed all the foreigners.'

"At first we heard that some foreigners had escaped and were in hiding, but Mr. Stewart did not come, and we feared the worst.

"Mr. Phillips went to the ruins and found eight bodies; five not burned, and three burned so as not to be recognizable.

"Dr. Gregory arrived at dark and dressed the wounds of the patients.

"Coffins were made and the bodies were put in them. The bones of the burned were put in boxes.

"Another burned body was found, making nine grown people massacred—R. J. Stewart and his wife, a nurse from Ireland, called Lena, Nellie Saunders, Topsy Saunders of Australia, who lived in the upper house, called the Stewart house; Hessie Newcombe, of Ireland; Elsie Marshall and Lucy Stewart of England, and Annie Gordon of Australia.

"The first four were burned beyond recognition.

"Topsy ran out of the house and was killed outside.

"Hessie was thrown down the embankment with her head nearly severed from her shoulders.

"Annie Gordon's head also was nearly cut off.

"The bodies were put in coffins and we left Hwasang for Sulkow about 4 o'clock Friday afternoon, Aug. 2.

"Herbert died about three hours later, just below Colong. We took the body in a chair and had a coffin made for it at Sulkow.

"We reached Sulkow about 8 a.m., Saturday, and telegraphed to Foochow for a steam launch. We left Sulkow in native boats at 3 p.m. and on Sunday morning we met a steam launch going toward Sulkow taking soldiers. We engaged it to tow us to Foochow.

"Soon afterwards we met the rescuing party in a launch.

"The party consisted of the United States Marshal and two English missionaries bringing full supplies for the sufferers.

"When I was thrown down my teacher's wife called on some Hwasang men around to save me. There were four men there to only one Vegetarian, but they would not help me. She came and tried to pull me away, as he was beating me. The Vegetarian kicked her.

"When the Vegetarian who beat me started down the hill to come to our house three others were with him, but these ran off after some Chinamen, so I escaped with only one persecutor.

"There were about 50 Vegetarians, but I only saw one, the man who attacked me, who shouted:

"'Here is a foreign woman.'

"He had a trident spear. Some had swords.

"There was at least one gun, for I heard it fired off. The natives say there were more.

"Uong, the Kucheng magistrate, came to Hwasang Friday afternoon, Aug. 2, with 100 soldiers. He viewed the bodies, saw the injured, inquired the names of all, the places of the injuries and made out an account. He did what he could to help us get off to Suikow."

MABEL C. HARTFORD.

**An American Mission Looted.**

Washington, Aug. 9.—Minister Denby has been instructed by Acting Secretary Adee to secure protection for American citizens at Pan Yag, China, a place about 40 miles from Foo-Chow where the American mission is reported to have been looted by the natives.

*TO AVENGE THE MASSACRES.*

**Chinese Troops Ordered to Proceed to Kucheng.**

London, Aug. 9.—An official telegram received here states that imperative orders have been issued from Pekin to the Viceroy of Fukien, directing him to despatch troops to Kucheng to protect the remaining missionary buildings. He was also instructed to inquire into the outrages there and to arraign the guilty persons as quickly as possible. The Viceroy obeyed the order as soon as it was received, and sent 1500 troops to Kucheng at once.

## ARRESTED ON A CHARGE OF ARSON

**The Man Whom the Police Claim Fired the Osgoodby Building Taken Into Custody at Detroit.**

Detective Slemin left for Detroit last night with a warrant for Wm. McMillan, a young Torontonian who is charged with having set fire to the Osgoodby building on the evening of Jan. 10 last. McMillan was arrested by the Detroit police at 135 Jefferson-avenue in that city, where he was in the employ of a glass and crockery merchant.

The Crown will attempt to prove that McMillan, who had an office in the Osgoodby building in connection with his business as a manufacturers' agent, set fire to the edifice in order to cover up defalcations of which he is alleged to have been guilty. It is not yet known whether the prisoner will resist extradition, but his Toronto friends say that he will come and stand his trial voluntarily.

McMillan has been at work in Detroit for over a month. The detective department became aware of his presence there, and the police of that city were asked to locate him about ten days ago.

McMillan was formerly a member of the Q.O.R. and is well known around town. He remained in the city for several months after the Osgoodby fire.

*STOLE THE JAIL TEAM.*

**Thieves Break Into a Prison and Steal a Pair of Horses.**

Hartford, Conn., Aug. 9.—This morning two thieves broke into the yard at the State Prison at Wethersfield, by climbing the high fence, and then broke the lock of the stable, 100 yards from where they entered. They took a span of black horses, harnessed them to a surrey wagon and drove around inside the prison walls. They then cut a wire fence, drove across a field of cabbage and out to the main road, running to Middleton and Hartford. Then all trace of them was lost. The team belongs to the State and is worth $600. The theft was committed without being observed by the watchman stationed in a tower on the inside wall of the prison.

*FED GROUND GLASS IN SOUP.*

**How a Stratford Man Tried to Dispose of His Family.**

Stratford, Aug. 9.—A warant is out for the arrest of "Doc" Erb, who is accused of giving his family ground glass in soup. Erb is said to have skipped the country. One of the girls of the family, Mary Erb, is so ill that it is doubtful if she can recover.

**Twenty Hurt in a Street Car Accident.**

Delwood, Aug. 9.—Thomas Hana, a farmer living on the sixth line of West Garafraxa, about two and a half miles from Belwood, was killed by a sand caving-in, burying Mr. Hana under two fet of earth and kiling him almost instantly.

**Killed in a Sand Pit.**

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 9.—Nearly 20 people were injured in a street car accident near Crown Hill Cemetery this afternoon. The wreck was the result of a misplaced cwitch, which caused a heavy motor to plunge into a trailer loaded with people returning from a picnic.

**Killed by a Ram.**

St. Mary's, Ont., Aug. 9.—A few days ago Mr. Cornell Switzer of Blanshard while feding his sheep was butted by a ram, receiving injuries which proved fatal.

**Church Quarrel Leads to Murder.**

Buffalo, Aug. 9.—There is a split in the Polish congregation of St. Adalbert's church, the bulk of the congregation desiring the dismissal of the priest and radical changes in church management. The dispute has been in the nature of a rebellion and there has been intense feeling between those who adhere to the priest and those who are rebelling. This feeling found expression last night, when three of the rebellious members pitched into Martin Janeszewski, an adherent of the priest. Two of them held him while the third, Anthony Wichak, stabbed him several times, and the wounded man now lies at the hospital without possibility of recovery. Wichak and one of his accomplices are under arrest.

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**Coming Events at Niagara.**

The coming events at Niagara-on-the-Lake and the Queen's Royal are grand concert, Wednesday, Aug. 14; Queen's Royal Minstrels Friday, Aug. 16; Ontario bowling championships Aug. 21, and rest of week; international tennis championships Aug. 27 and folllowing days; international golf tournament Sept. 5, 6 and 7.

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**The Controller Rusticating.**

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**BIRTHS.**

BISHOP—At 5 Collier-street, August 7, the wife of C. H. Bishop of a daughter.

**DEATHS.**

BALL—Suddenly, at the residence of her brother-in-law, W. P. Cowan, Esq., 3123 Prairie-avenue, Chicago, on the 8th inst., Finietta Mackenzie, wife of W. F. Ball, late of Toronto, and sister of Mrs. Hugh MacMahon.

POLLOCK—At his residence, 82 Arthur, James Pollock, in his 39th year.

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**Sir Chas. Tupper Has No Knowledge of Its Discovery at Deptford—Arrangements for Cold Storage Shipments of Fruit—Jamaica Asking for Sample Shipments of Canadian Farm Implements.**

Ottawa, Aug. 9.—The fame of Canada's agricultural advancement has gone abroad. In Jamaica they have started an agricultural association, and the first move of the promoters was to write to friends in the Dominion for pointers as to procedure, scope and utility of such society. A letter from Charles A. Ducet of Kingston, Jamaica, is now in the Department of Trade and Commerce. Secretary Ducet wrote to Mr. Adam Brown, Hamilton, adresing him, as "a friend of Jamaica," to ask what he could do in the way of inducing manufacturers of light agricultural implements, such as would be suitable for Jamaica use to send samples of their machinery to the society, the latter undertaking to give them a fair trial and take orders for the supply of those that should be found suited to the country. The president of the association is the Governor of Jamaica, Sir Henry A. Blake.

**Telegraphic Communication With Belle Isle.**

The recent stranding of the steamer Mexico in the Strait of Belle Isle, invilving the entire loss of ship and cargo, has moved the Underwriters Association of the Montreal Board of Trade to memorialize the Department of Marine on the subject of improved fog signals and telegraphic communication. The association points out that connection might be established with the Island of Belle Isle, which lies at the mouth of the strait, by means of a cable extension of the Signal Service system, which at present terminates at Esquimaux Point. The Department is already aware of the defective nature of the fog signals at Belle Isle, and has directed that steps be taken to improve them. The matter of an extension of the Signal Service is one for future consideration, as there are several routes to choose from.

**Cold Storage Shipments of Fruit.**

F. M. Carpenter, M.P., and President M. Pettit of the Fruit Growers' Association were here to-day to see the officials of the Agricultural Department in reference to the plan of cold storage shipments of fruit to England. Mr. Pettit, who belongs to Winona, Ont., is one of the most extensive fruit growers of that district, and promises to have a large consignment ready for forwarding to England by the first steamer fitted with cold storage accommodation.

**Cornstalk Disease, Not Pleuro.**

A cable was received to-day from the High Commissioner in London, in reply to Government enquiries as to the alleged discovery of pleuro-pneumonia among Canadian cattle slaughtered at Deptford, Eng. Sir Charles says that he has no information to communicate beyond the fact that the steamer Huronia landed a cargo of cattle there on July 10. The only information as to the alleged discovery of disease is that contained in newspaper reports. Meantime the department here is making every endeavor to discover whence the cattle were shipped and the parties from whom they were purchased in this country. The supposition is, however, that the disease in question is not pleuro-pneumonia at all, but the common cattle ailment known as corn stalk disease.

**Christian Brothers Resign.**

Whatever may be the report of the Provincial Commission upon the state of the Separate scools in this city, the Christian Brothers who have been their teachers, are not standing upon the order of their going. Following their dismissal from St. Patrick's School, comes the information that the staff of the only other English Separate school in the city, St. Bridget's, are to leave also. There was a meeting of the Separate School Board to-night, at which a leter was read from Bro. Edward of Toronto, visitor of the Order in this province, notifying the trustees that the Christian Brothers of St. Bridget's are going to withdraw. The reason given is about the dismissal of the Brothers from St. Patrick's and, "above all the offensive reasons, inefficiency and incompetency," given therefor by prominent members of the school board.

**Notes.**

The Presbyterian Review Co., Toronto, is applying for letters patent of incorporation; capital $40,000.

Josiah Wood's call to the Senate will be gazetted to-morrow.

*SUICIDE MOST DELIBERATE.*

**Tottered to the Depot and Laid His Head on a Rail.**

Zanesville, Ohio, Aug. 9.—Jacob Cigax, a retired banker, who has been suffering from illness for a long time and was so weak he could hardly walk, tottered to the depot of the Cincinnati and Muskegon Railway this morning. He got down on his knees beside the track as the train started, and placed his head on the rail. Before anyone could reach him the wheels had passed over his head, crushing it and severing it from the body.

**Shipped a Would-Be Suicide to Toronto**

Buffalo, Aug. 9.—Nettie Gibson was in Police Court to-day, charged with attempting to commit suicide. Judge King, suspended sentence on condition that Nettie return to her home in Montreal, and the Poor Department has furnished transportation to Toronto.

**Holmes' Asphyxiation Chamber.**

Chicago, Aug. 9.—Workmen have uncovered, in a room on the second floor of the Holmes' Castle, a gas pipe running into the windowless room, where it is believed that Mrs. Julia Conner and perhaps others were murdered. In another room is a cut-off where the gas could be turned off and on at the pleasure of the occupant. This cut-off was carefully concealed beneath a board in the floor.

**Cardiff-New York Steamship Line.**

London, Aug. 9.—It is reported that a company has been formed with Sir W. T. Lewis as chairman, to establish a regular line of steamers to run direct between Cardiff and New York. The line will carry both passengers and freight. Sir W. T. Lewis is the chief coal mine owner of New South Wales.

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