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AGAIN HOPE IS BUILT ON CHINESE STORIES

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It is Now Claimed That the Foreign Ministers Were Well on July 9, and the Reported Massacres Were on July 7.

Li Hung Chang Also Denies the Story of the Massacres—Chinese Fire on Russian Steamers Carrying Ammunition—Allies' Victory at Tien Tsin.

London, July 18.—(4 a.m.)—The news of the Manchuria disturbances is not regarded as justifying the serious view attributed by The Daily Mail's advices. Amur, the boundary territory, between Eastern Siberia and Manchuria, has been the scene of local disturbances for a long time, owing to the provocative conduct of the Cossacks towards the 25,000 Chinese employed in the construction of the Russo-Manchurian Railway.

Serious Collisions Have Occurred.

Several serious collisions have occurred between the Cossacks and the Chinese troops. One happened several weeks ago, when two Russian officers and 16 men were killed. The extension of the Boxer movement to Manchuria has resulted in a great destruction of the railway, compelling the Russians to withdraw their officials.

Fired on the Michael.

The Chinese tried to stop the Russian steamer Michael carrying ammunition, and the steamer Selenga, with the Russian frontier commission on board, from passing up the Amur at Aigun. They fired on the steamers, wounding an officer and a few

Prince Tuan.

men, but the steamers reached Blagoveschensk. The local Chinese commander at Aigun seems to have sent the Russians a sort of ultimatum to quit Manchuria.

Chinese Are Fortifying.

The Chinese, according to The Daily Mail's St. Petersburg correspondent, have thrown up fortifications and placed 40 guns at a point 12 miles from Aigun to dispute the progress of the Russians.

The official Russian advices leave the inference that Blagoveschensk is still in Russian hands, the Russian losses during the bombardment being only three killed and five wounded.

The Amur military district was mobilized a fortnight ago on a war footing, and it is believed that the Russian forces there are 50,000 men and 112 guns. The Governor-General has now ordered the troops on the frontier to form a cordon.

Russian Papers Demand Retribution

The Russian papers demand severe retribution for Chinese audacity in Manchuria, but they hold to the view that Russia must persevere in her resolution to avoid war.

The Chinese Minister in St. Petersburg has disavowed the events in Manchuria on behalf of his Government, and has promised to make serious representations to Pekin regarding the consequences that will follow if the hostilities there do not cease.

It Was a Genuine Rout.

There is little further news from China this morning. The attack upon the native city of Tien Tsin was followed up so swiftly that the Chinese never had time to reorganize, and once their lines were broken their retreat rapidly became a rout.

Great Anxiety at Canton.

Li Hung Chang has already left Canton. This causes the utmost anxiety for the safety of the Europeans there, as there are only two gunboats, one British and one American, at Canton, pending the arrival of the French gunboat.

Another Massacre.

According to a despatch from Shanghai to The Daily Mail, dated yesterday, a massacre occurred on July 9, at Taiyuen Fu, capital of the Province of Shansi, 40 foreigners and 100 native converts being killed.

China Has Declared War.

The Daily Mail publishes a sensational despatch from St. Petersburg, dated Monday, which asserts that there is no doubt that China has declared war against Russia.

FOREIGNERS ALIVE ON JULY 9.

Wu's Despatch Says the Utmost Efforts Have Been Made to Protect the Foreign Ministers.

Washington, July 17.—The text of the despatch received by Minister Wu this morning is as follows:

"The utmost efforts have been made to protect foreign ministers, who were well on the 13th (Chinese calendar corresponding to our July 9). If Tien Tsin city should be destroyed it would be difficult to restore the same in 100 years. Request the powers to preserve it as the consequences would affect Chinese and foreign commerce. Earl Li Hung Chang is transferred to North China as Viceroy of Chi Li. Please transmit this despatch to the ministers at other capitals."

This despatch, which is dated July 16, was signed by Viceroys Liu Kun Yi and Chang Chih Tung of Nanking, and Wu Chang, respectively, and also by Sheng, the director of posts and telegraphs at Shanghai. It was addressed to the Chinese Minister in London, and by him transmitted to Minister Wu under to-day's date.

In accordance with the request contained in the cablegram, Minister Wu asked Secretary Hay to agree, with the other powers, to preserve Tien Tsin from destruction.

The secretary's answer was not made public, but Minister Wu fears that the destruction already has occurred. He regards the cablegram as perfectly authentic.

The reported massacre of the foreigners in Pekin occurred on July 7.

The Story Corroborated.

London, July 17.—William Pritchard-Morgan, M.P., to-day received by cable positive assurances from a source upon which he relies that the British Legation at Pekin was still standing July 9, and also that Li Hung Chang left Canton this morning to take supreme command at Pekin.

Li Hung Chang Denies the Story.

Paris, July 17.—The French Consul at Shanghai telegraphs, under date of July 13, that the Taotai of Shanghai had communicated to him a despatch from the Governor of Shantung, stating that the foreign legations at Pekin were again attacked July 7 by troops under Gen. Ting (Tuan), after a sortie by a European detachment, and that all hope of saving the foreigners seemed lost.

A second telegram from the consul, dated July 16, which arrived at the same time as the one given above, says that Li Hung Chang denies the news relating to massacres in Pekin.

Li Sails for Hong Kong.

Washington, July 17.—The State Department has bulletined the following:

"The Secretary of State has received a despatch from Consul McWade at Canton informing him that the viceroy, Li Hung Chang, sailed to-day for Hong Kong. He received an edict last night, appointing him Viceroy at Chi Li and commanding his immediate presence there. Fears are entertained at Canton that his absence may give occasion for disturbance of the peace. French gunboats have arrived at Canton."

To Carry U. S. Troops.

New York, July 17.—The cruisers Columbia, Minneapolis and Yankee have been gotten into readiness for immediate ser-

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ALLIES CAPTURE THE NATIVE CITY OF TIEN TSIN AND ITS DEFENCES

It Was a Complete Rout for the Chinese, But the Allies Lost About 800 Killed or Wounded in Three Days' Attack.

London, July 17.—The Shanghai correspondent of The London Daily Mail, telegraphing under date of July 17, says:

"The allied troops resumed the attack upon the Chinese walled city of Tien Tsin on the morning of July 14, and succeeded in breaching the walls and capturing all the forts.

"The Chinese were completely routed and the allies took possession of the native city and its defences.

"The total losses of the allies in the engagements of Thursday, Friday and Saturday were about 800 killed or wounded. The casualties were greatest among the Russians and Japanese."

Guns of Allies Did Much Damage

The guns of the allies did immense damage to the native city, causing many large conflagration, and finally silenced the majority of the enemy's guns simultaneously. Then 1500 Russians, assisted by small parties of Germans and French, assaulted and captured eight guns that were in position on the railway embankment and the fort, the magazine of which the French subsequently blew up.

Made a Sortie.

A body of American, British, Japanese and Russian troops then made a sortie and attacked the west arsenal, which the Chinese had re-occupied. After three hours of the hardest fighting yet experienced, the Chinese fled. When the arsenal had been evacuated by the Chinese, the Americans, the French, the Japanese and the Welsh Fusiliers advanced towards the native city and joined with the other attacking forces. The Japanese infantry and a mounted battery advanced to the foot of the walls, supported by the Americans and the French. Despite valiant attacks, the allies were able only to hold the positions gained outside the walls preparatory to renewing the assault in the morning.

Casualties Heavy.

The casualties sustained by the allies were exceedingly heavy, especially those of the Americans, the French and the Japanese.

Several explosions in the native city were caused by the bombardment.

The Chinese appear to have exhausted their supply of smokeless powder. They are now using black powder.

Eight Chinese Guns Captured.

Tien Tsin, Friday, July 13.—In to-day's combined attack upon the native city over 40 guns bombarded the Chinese position. The fighting was most determined and the allies' losses were heavy. Eight Chinese guns were captured and the Chinese were driven out of the west arsenal after a fierce cannonade.

A strong mixed force is now close to the walls, and it is expected that an assault will be made to-morrow.

MINISTER BORDEN'S ONLY SON HAS BEEN KILLED IN ACTION

Lord Roberts Wired the Sad News to Lord Minto—Sir Wilfrid Broke It to His Minister, Who Was Completely Overcome—A Promising Career.

THE LATE LIEUT. BORDEN.

Ottawa, July 17.—(Special.)—When a hero dies the whole country mourns. Another name was to-day added to the long list of Canadian heroes killed in South Africa. A gloom fell upon the House of Commons, a shadow will fall upon Nova Scotia, and at least one home is made disconsolate. At 5 o'clock Hon. Dr. Borden sat in the House of Commons chatting genially with Hon. Charles Fitzpatrick. A few minutes later he was called out of the Chamber to hear the saddest news that a father can hear.

The Sad Message.

At half past four this afternoon His Excellency, Lord Minto, received the following cablegram:

"Pretoria, July 17, 1900.—Regret to inform Hon. Dr. Borden that his son was killed in action yesterday. (Signed) Roberts."

The message was sent to Sir Wilfrid Laurier with the request that he should break the news to his Minister.

Broke the Sad News.

Sir Wilfrid hurriedly left the House when the cable was handed to him, and in his private office, with Col. Pinault and Col. MacDonald, Sir Wilfrid feelingly told Dr. Borden of his great sorrow.

The doctor was overcome and was taken to his home by Col. Pinault.

In the corridors and the House the news was received with more than ordinary melancholy, many messages of sympathy were sent to the Minister, while on every hand words of condolence were uttered.

The late Lieut. H. L. Borden was 23 years of age and the only son of Hon. Dr. Borden, Minister of Militia. He was a third year student in medicine at McGill University, and had he become a doctor would have been the fourth physician in a direct line. He had been several years in the militia, being at the time of his enlistment in the second contingent, major of King's County Hussars, N.S. In the second contingent he was lieutenant of the fourth troop of B Squadron and an efficient officer.

A Favorite in Nova Scotia.

The deceased was a great favorite in Nova Scotia. He received his early education in Mount Allison College and Sackville University, took an active part in athletics and was known all over the province.

He was one of the handsomest men who went out with the second contingent. He stood 6 feet 3 inches, and weighed 198 lbs. The deceased's sisters are spending their vacation at Canning, N.S.

Dr. Borden and Mrs. Borden leave for Canning to-morrow morning.

Was Capt. Mackie Wounded?

It was rumored this afternoon that the son of Thomas Mackie, M.P., had been wounded in the same fight as Lieut. Borden was killed in. Mr. Mackie, however, had received no such news. The last word from his son was received last Monday, when he was in excellent trim. The Militia Department has no news of Capt. Mackie.

Sorrow in Halifax.

Halifax, July 17.—The sad tidings of the death of Lieut. Borden was received in this city with universal expressions of sorrow and regret. Lieut. Borden was very popular in Halifax. His work in connection with the organization of the Mounted Rifles had attracted much favorable attention; while his attractive personality and sterling qualities won him many friends.

The News at His Home.

Kentville, N.S., July 17.—The news of the death of Lieut. Borden came as a shock here and in Canning, his home. Everyone was anxious to learn if it was confirmed. His sister is now at home in Canning, and is grief-stricken. Mrs. Dr. Borden is his step-mother, but loved him as a son. He was popular here, and was an ideal soldier. He commanded the King's County Hussars at Aldershot one year, and was complimented on his work. He held a first-class certificate of the Royal School of Cavalry, and was qualified for high rank in the second contingent. He left here with the best wishes of all, and he said on leaving: "I will not send those under me any place that I will not go myself."

He has done his duty to the credit of our country.

COOMASSIE IS RELIEVED.

British Column Under Colonel Willcocks Has Accomplished Its Important Mission.

COLONIAL OFFICE ANNOUNCES IT

The Gratifying Report is Accepted in London as True—The Message Authentic.

Fumsu, July 17.—Coomassie has been relieved by the column under command of Col. Willcocks.

Relieved on July 15.

London, July 17.—The Colonial Office announces the receipt of a cablegram from Col. Stout, from Cape Coast Castle, saying that an apparently authentic message confirms the reported relief of Coomassie on July 15.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The shareholders of the Central Massachusetts Railroad have voted to sell the road to the Boston & Maine Company.

The Valleyfield weavers' strike is practically over, all the hands having returned to work, except the ringleaders in the movement.

The Kemptville lumber mills, thirty miles from Yarmouth, N.S., have been burned. Loss $20,000 on lumber, and $4000 on mills; no insurance.

Up to July 13 the Colombian Government was still in control at Panama. The rebels are said to be under the lead of an American. The Government is in sore straits for lack of food.

Jean de Reszke, the famous tenor, failed to appear before the Queen at Windsor Castle yesterday, and it is rumored his voice has failed. His friends, however, declare that he is suffering from influenza and will soon be as good as ever.

Rev. James Brock, the oldest Methodist preacher in Canada, is dead, aged 96. He was born in Longford, Ireland, and came to Canada when 19 years of age. He was one of the first ministers ordained in Canada, and ministered to rebel prisoners at Fort Henry in 1837. After preaching at many stations between Ottawa and Lindsay he was superannuated 28 years ago. One son survives.

PASSENGERS FROM THE ORIENT.

The C. P. R. Steamship Empress of India Brought a Large Number to Canada.

Victoria, B.C., July 17.—Passengers per steamer Empress of India arrived to-day from Hong Kong: Miss S Alexander, Mrs A H Allen, Mr and Mrs Bergen, Mr H S B Brindley, Miss M Bomar, Mr L C Bohn, Mr R Bowles, Mr J Burns, Mr F A Coleridge, Mr W H Culver, Mrs D C D Daly, three children and nurse; Capt P A Nithelfsen, Mr C M Dyce, Miss B C Empson and maid, Miss M A Empson, Mr Y Endo, Mr W S Ennis, Mr W Ewald, Master Ferguson, Count and Countess Gaiembert and child, Mr J W Ganong, Mr A J Gillott, Rev and Mrs H J Hamilton and child, Mr J Halliday, jr., Mr Hargrave, Mr and Mrs F C Hoffer, Mrs Hiraoka, Miss Holme, Mr and Mrs J F Holliday, Mr and Mrs H J Hunt, Mr and Mrs R G Hunt, Mrs Keewick and child, Mr Thomas E Kirby, Mr H W Linford, Mr G J Litton, Miss Mainguy, Mr M McGrath, Mr G McGrath, Mr and Mrs R McDougall, Mr F Mingtant, Mr J B Millet, Dr H F Moore, Mr A L Muggeridge, Mr M G Neil, Mr J O'Hara, D E L Price, Mr J H Ranger, Rev and Mrs W D Reynolds and two children, Baron and Baroness Roman and valet, Miss Rosen, Mrs Saw, Mr J G Schwabe, Miss E C Shaw, A Brooke Smith, Mrs Spence, Mr A P Stokes, Mr R Storey, Miss Tonlyana, Mr C S Taylor, Mr N Tetlock, Mr W Tureshot, Miss Trent, Capt H F Voeux, Rev Hugh Wamell and wife, Miss Wadell, Miss Helen Wadell, Mr H F Westmacott, Miss Westmacott, Mr William Whyte, Mr and Mrs E Williams, Miss Wodehouse, Mr G Wolde, Mr L C Wolferston.

The Man With the Whistle.

One of the most entertaining street vendors seen in Toronto for a long time is the little lame man who is selling the ventriloquist whistle. He always has an audience, and creates some amusing scenes when he makes pedestrians believe he is chasing a rat along the curbstone. He is a splendid imitator of birds, with his whistle, and he has the versatility of a good humorist. His name is Prof. Nelson, and he has traveled all over the continent with his invention.

A Wedding at Baden To-Day.

Ottawa, July 17.—(Special.)—Andy Morrison, M.P., will be married to-morrow at Baden, Ont., to Elizabeth, eldest daughter of James Livingstone, M.P., South Waterloo. After the wedding the happy couple will go to Mr. Morrison's home, New Westminster, B.C.

DID GEN. HUTTON CAUSE THE DISCHARGE OF COL. SAM HUGHES?

Lord Minto Gets a Cable From the Late G.O.C. Stating That the Canadian Had Been Relieved of His Command By Lord Roberts.

Ottawa, July 17.—(Special.)—Col. Samuel Hughes, M.P., has been discharged from the command of the South Africa Light Horse. Gen. Lord Roberts has done the deed in his accustomed, uncommunicative way. The world will have to await Col. Hughes' facile pen to know full particulars.

To-day Lord Minto received a cablegram from Gen. Hutton, announcing that Col. Hughes had been relieved of his command by Gen. Lord Roberts.

No other information was conveyed.

In the House this afternoon Dr. Sproule asked if Col. Hughes' removal had taken place.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier replied, oracularly: "I have no official information whatever."

Hon. Dr. Borden said: "I have no official information on the subject."

It is learned from a private source, however, that Sir Wilfrid was informed by Lord Minto of Col. Hughes' removal, and, as the information came from Gen. Hutton to Lord Minto, as from a friend to a friend, Sir Wilfrid was justified in hiding himself behind the "No official information" phrase.

Speculation as to Col. Hughes' discharge has been rife about the corridors. The best opinion is that the letters "graphic and critical," had been brought to the notice of Lord Roberts by Gen. Hutton, and had been viewed as grossly violating the code of etiquet in vogue in the imperial army. It looks as if Gen. Hutton had Col. Hughes on the hip.

GENERAL MOVEMENT IS ON.

Canadians Are in the Midst of the Work East and West of Pretoria.

Montreal, July 17.—The Star publishes the following special cable:

Pretoria, July 16.—A general movement of the troops is on the tapis.

The column under General Hamilton advanced to Donderboom, west of Pretoria, this morning, and drove the Boers from Pyramid Hills. The column bivouacked at Waterval.

D Battery of the second Canadian contingent is with the force.

General French's cavalry advanced from the camp at Durdepoert, north of the town, and engaged the Boers, who retired. The enemy had several pieces of artillery.

General Hutton's mounted infantry division is at Bronchoest Spruit, some distance to the east of Pretoria.

W. Richmond Smith.

MORE MEN MISSING.

Many Casualties in the Mounted Infantry and in the Strathcona Horse.

Ottawa, July 17.—(Special.)—The following casualties in the Canadian Special Service forces have occurred:

Canadian Mounted Rifles, 1st Batt.—Wounded slightly at Witkilp on the 8th inst., Lieut. H. V. Young, Manitoba Dragoons; No. 92, Pte. W. Wilyard, missing since the 4th May last, is supposed to be dead.

2nd Batt.—No. 78, Pte. J. T. Doolan, a prisoner, reported as missing from the 5th June, has arrived at Ladysmith.

Strathcona's Horse—Missing, near Platloop, from the 7th inst—No. 16, Pte. A. U. Daykin; No. 18, Pte. G. P. Dodd; No. 34, Pte. A. Robinson; No. 37, Pte. H. E. Sabine; No. 43, Pte. E. Webb; No. 73, Pte. W. R. McLeod.

LIEUT. MORRISON IS ILL.

Major Hurdman of "D" Battery Wonders How the British Got Off So Well.

Ottawa, July 17.—(Special.)—Major Hurdman of "D" Battery, writing to Major R. Brown of the Dragoons, from De Aar, June 11, reports that Lieut. Morrison had been sent to the hospital, suffering from a severe attack of dysentery. He adds the following interesting criticism:

"I have been over the battlefields of Belmont, Gras Pan, Modder River, Magersfontein and Kimberley, and after what I have seen I wonder that our troops were not worse cut up than they were.

"The enemy had to be driven out from their position. It was impossible for our troops to see them, and they could see our troops all the time. All you have got to do is to get into the enemy's position and take a look at what our troops had to do. We could criticize their work at home, but after looking over the ground one takes a different view of things."

HERCHIMER A HUTTON VICTIM.

Reports to Dr. Borden That He Received Shabby Treatment in South Africa.

Ottawa, July 17.—(Special.)—Lieut.-Col. Herchimer, who has just returned from South Africa, had a long interview with Dr. Borden. He presented the Minister of Militia with a report, in which he points out the causes which gave rise to his dissatisfaction with the treatment accorded him by Gen. Hutton. He was ready to resume the command of his regiment, after his illness, but Gen. Hutton would not permit him to do so. He was offered a position on the line of communication, or three months' leave of absence. He accepted the latter, and is now arranging to get thru with the Militia Department, so that he may return at once to Regina to his position as Commander of the Mounted Police.

Lieut.-Col. Herchimer also laid his case before Sir Wilfrid Laurier. The Premier has charge of the Mounted Police Department.

Invalided in England.

Ottawa, July 17.—(Special.)—The following men have been invalided to Woolwich Hospital, England:

Second Special Service Batt. Royal Canadian Regiment—No. 7483, Pte. C. Donaldson, 41st Regiment; No. 7008, Pte. J. S. Walker, 82nd Regiment.

Canadian Mounted Rifles, 2nd Batt.—No. 324, Pte. R. H. Weir, N.W.M.P.; No. 336, Pte. H. T. Warene, N.W.M.P.

The Hospital Inquiry.

London, July 17.—In the House of Commons to-day, Mr. A. J. Balfour, the First Lord of the Treasury, announced as additional members of the Committee of Inquiry on South African hospitals, David Richmond, Lord Provost of Glasgow, and Mr. F. Harrison, general manager of the London and Northwestern Railroad.

HIS BODY TAKEN FROM THE BAY.

Rupert L. Lovell Was Taken Ill and Fell Out of the Boat—No Inquest Necessary.

The body of Rupert L. Lovell, who disappeared on Saturday last, was taken from the Bay yesterday at a point about 50 yards from where the empty boat was picked up. The body was taken to Millard's undertaking establishment, and, after being prepared for burial, was removed to 573 Huron-street, the home of deceased's parents. Coroner W. A. Young investigated the facts surrounding the death, and found that everything pointed to the young man having been attacked by an epileptic fit, to which he was subject, and having fallen over the side of the boat.

Rupert L. Lovell, the deceased, was 21 years of age, and a son of Mr. Robert Lovell, the well-known city agent of the North American Life Insurance Co. The funeral will take place at 3 o'clock this afternoon to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

THE INSURED CANADIANS.

Sir Charles Tupper's Request to Heirs of First Contingent Killed and Wounded.

Montreal, July 17.—The Star's special cable from London says: Sir Charles Tupper, who is now in England, requests the publication of the following:

To heirs and friends of members of First Canadian Contingent killed and wounded in South Africa:

Those making application for the insurance effected with the Ocean Accident & Guarantee Company, whose head Canadian office is in Montreal, will facilitate settlement of claims by having their identity fully established as the rightful receivers of the insurance. By taking this precaution and furnishing authentic descriptions of those killed and wounded delays will be avoided.

Genuine Green Turtle Soup served in the Temple Cafe all this week.

Belts, correct styles for outing and street wear. Harcourt & Son, 57 King St. West. 135

Died at the Jail.

Mary Long, who had been confined in the jail as a lunatic for more than a year past, died there yesterday morning, shortly after 10 o'clock. An inquest was held by Coroner Duncan in the afternoon, and the jury found that the woman had died from natural causes.

Fetherstonhaugh & Co., Patent Solicitors and experts, Bank of Commerce Building, Toronto.

Conservative Rally at Hespeler.

Ottawa, July 17.—(Special.)—A big Conservative gathering will be held at Hespeler on July 26. N. F. Davin, M.P., will review the work of the present session in his own peculiar way. Mr. A. W. Wright will also speak.

Edwards and Hart-Smith, Chartered Accountants Bank of Commerce Building. George Edwards, A. Hart-Smith.

Mosquitoes and Black Flies are harmless if you use Bingham's Mosquito Oil, pleasant and effectual. Bingham's Pharmacy, 100 Yonge-street, or dealers in campers' supplies.

Genuine Green Turtle Soup served in the Temple Cafe all this week.

Cook's Turkish and Russian Baths, Bath and bed $1.00. 202 and 204 King W

IN THE DOMINION SENATE.

Commons Tries to Rush Another Bill Regarding Salaries of Quebec Judges—It Stands.

Ottawa, July 17.—(Special.)—In the Senate to-day two sessions were held in the afternoon and in the evening.

A message from the Commons conveyed a bill respecting judges of provincial courts, providing for the increase of the salary of the senior judges of the Circuit Court of Montreal to $3600.

Hon. Mr. Baker thought the bill should not be introduced on the last day of the session without grave reasons. He thought Mr. Mills should not press a vote.

The matter stands till to-morrow.

The Speaker took the chair at 9.30.

Hon. Mr. Mills said the Commons had agreed with the Senate on the Criminal Code amendments. The election bill would be before them with the supply bill in the morning. The Commons had not agreed with all the Senate's amendments to the election bill. He moved the adjournment of the House.

Sir Mackenzie Bowell understood that the Commons agreed to all the Senate's amendments to the election bill but those affecting Prince Edward Island and one affecting the Northwest Territory. If this were so it would be easier for senators to decide what course to adopt.

Mr. Mills knew of no others.

The Senate then adjourned.

Genuine Green Turtle Soup served in the Temple Cafe all this week.

Grand & Toy's Snaps.

Need a bath, eh? Well, try the Globe Cloth Bath, for imparting the exact amount of moisture for copying sheets. No flooded districts and arid wastes in your letter book. Simply perfect. Grand & Toy, Limited, Stationers and Printers, Wellington and Jordan-streets, Toronto.

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BIRTHS.

WALLACE—On the 12th inst., the wife of Dr. Wallace, of a son.

MARRIAGES.

BADGEROW—WILLS—On July 17, 1900, at the Church of St. Mary Magdalene, by Rev. C. B. Darling, Richard Henry Badgerow, to Gertrude R. Wills of Toronto.

DEATHS.

CAHILL—At his late residence, 3 Trefann-street, on Tuesday, July 17, Michael Cahill.

Funeral Thursday morning at 8.45 o'clock to St. Paul's Church. Interment at St. Michael's Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

DIX—At her late residence, Scarboro, on Tuesday, July 17, Ann Ley, beloved wife of John Dix, in her 61st year.

Funeral on Thursday, July 19, at 1 p.m. to Christie's Cemetery.

LOVELL—Accidentally drowned in Toronto Bay, on Saturday, 14th inst., Robert Rupert Lake, eldest son of Robert and Harriett Lovell, aged 21 years.

Funeral private, from his father's residence, 573 Huron-street, on Wednesday, the 18th, at 3 o'clock.

RICHEY—At his father's summer residence, Lorne Park, on Tuesday, June 17, Frank Richey, son of Louis Richey, builder.

Funeral from the family residence, 164 West Queen-street, Toronto. Notice of time later.

SESSION WILL WIND UP THIS AFTERNOON AT 3

House Was in Concurrence All Day Yesterday—Sir Wilfrid Says There Will Be No Increase in Members' Indemnity.

Election Act Amendments Made by the Senate Discussed by the Commons—Sir Wilfrid's Tribute to the Late Lieut. Borden.

Ottawa, July 17.—(Special.)—To-day was concurrence day in the House, and a wealth of business was put thru.

Concurrence simply means the passing in review of the items of supply already passed. There was more discussion over the items as they performed their second tour than formerly, but the wheel went on just the same. By 5 o'clock this afternoon the weary grind had ended, and all the estimates were wound up.

No Extra Indemnity.

This morning Sir Wilfrid intimated that the members of Parliament would not get an increase in their sessional indemnity. This afternoon but few members were in the House.

The Senate Scored.

At 5 p.m. the Criminal Code, with the Senate amendments thereto, was passed in review. Mr. Fitzpatrick said the only controversial amendment was the one refusing to make getting credit on false pretences a crime. The Commons agreed with this, so the Senate scores one.

Election Act Amendments.

The Election Act amendments were accepted by the Commons, all except those relating to the conduct of elections in Prince Edward Island. In Prince Edward Island the deputy returning officer says who will vote and who will not. There are no lists in that province. The desire of the Senate and of the Opposition has been to put some restrictions on the deputy returning officers, but the Government is strongly in favor of leaving matters as they now stand.

When it is known that the Liberals do not hope to get any more than one seat in Prince Edward Island, it begins to look suspicious when the Government wants such autocratic powers to be placed in the hands of Government appointees. As a well-known politician remarked to-day: "The Government wants Prince Edward Island as a hunting ground for the machine."

The discussion on this point was in progress at 6 o'clock.

The Government, thru Mr. Fitzpatrick, argued that the amendments would be put in the Controverted Elections Act and do the work better than if they were put in the Elections Act. This did not satisfy the Opposition, who held that such an action would make the amendments inoperative. The amendments were rejected on division.

Mr. Paterson Makes a Speech.

The Hon. William Paterson, when the House went into supply on the customs estimates, made a speech upon trade and commerce. It was a miniature budget speech, replete with figures and prolific in arguments refuting criticism made by the Opposition. It was a loud campaign speech.

Dr. Sproule replied briefly to Mr. Paterson.

Mr. Davin followed, and more campaign literature was made.

The bill of the subsidies was read a third time and passed.

Mr. Mulock's resolution regarding the sub-letting of contracts and the payment of current wages was presented.

Mr. Davin, leading the Opposition, said he would support the resolution if a bill would follow, but Mr. Mulock said no bill would be introduced.

The motion, as amended by Mr. Clarke on March 22, was carried unanimously, after Mr. Mulock had announced that he proposed to make the resolution operative.

Lieut. Borden's Death.

Sir Wilfrid, on a motion to adjourn, confirmed the sad rumor that Lieut. Borden had been killed yesterday in South Africa. He was killed near Pretoria. He was a young man of great promise and a model boy. The Premier paid a glowing tribute to the deceased and asked that all political animosities should disappear and that the House should unanimously express sympathy to the bereft parents.

Mr. Davin eloquently expressed the great regret of the Opposition. It was sorrow mixed with pride to know a Canadian had so grandly died.

The House adjourned at 11.50.

The House meets to-morrow at 11 a.m., but it will be merely pro forma. The prorogation takes place at 3.30.

THOS. KELLY OF WINNIPEG

Gets the Contract for St. Andrew's Rapids Job—His Tender Was the Lowest.

ALLIANCE PEOPLE ARE THANKFUL

For the Prohibitory Law—Abundance of the Crops in the Territories—Winnipeg Notes.

Winnipeg, July 17.—(Special.)—An Ottawa despatch in Sifton's organ says: Thomas Kelly of Winnipeg is the lowest tenderer for St. Andrew's Rapids work, and will get the contract. Tenders were opened at 3 o'clock to-day. There were three of them, one from Toronto and another from Hamilton, in addition to Kelly's. Mr. Mulock will have the Council ratify the awarding of the contract to Kelly.

Alliance Will Give Thanks.

A meeting of the executive of the Dominion Alliance was held on Monday. It was reported that several of the local committees were organizing picnic demonstrations to come off before harvest. The object of these meetings is to make the people familiar with the new liquor act. It was decided to make the second Sunday in August, the 12th proximate, a day of Christian thanksgiving for the enactment of provincial prohibition, and the clergymen of the province will be invited to assist the alliance in carrying out the plans.

Mr. Greenway is Stumping.

Mr. Greenway is addressing political gatherings in Southern Manitoba. He says the next Dominion election will be one of the most important in the history of Canada.

"Hello" to Rat Portage.

The trunk line telephone was opened today between Winnipeg and Rat Portage.

Death in South Africa.

News has been received in the city of the death of Pat Tulloch, which occurred at Umtali, Rhodesia, South Africa, on the night of May 7 last. He had been on a visit to a place 12 miles distant from his home, and when returning, the night being very dark, he lost his way and fell down an abandoned mining shaft.

Abundant Crop in Territories.

The C.P.R. crop report received to-day is the most favorable of the season since the dry spell. All sections report excellent growing weather. In the Northwest Territories the crops are heaviest, and in the Edmonton district, where they are exceptionally heavy, there is danger of too much rain to prevent ripening.

The Governor-General's Trip.

The first of the Governor-General's party will arrive to-morrow morning. It will include Lord and Lady Minto's children, a governess and several servants. They will proceed west by the same train for Banff.

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To-Day's Program.

City Travelers' Association's moonlight excursion on the Chippewa, 8.30.

Band concert, Woodmen of the World Band, Leslie Grove, 8 to 10.

Dominion Alliance Council meets in Richmond Hall at 9 a.m.

Labor Demonstration Committee in Richmond Hall at 8.

Hanlan's Point, vaudeville, afternoon and evening.

Munro Park, vaudeville, afternoon and evening.

High Park, W. E. Ramsay, evening.

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English Paper Makers' Visit to Canada Has Already Produced One Good Result.

Montreal, July 17.—(Special.)—The coming of the English papermakers to Canada has already produced good results. Mr. Marsden has, it is stated here to-day, purchased 500 tons of chemical pulp from the Clergue Company at Sault Ste. Marie, and this sale will no doubt be followed by many others.

A Stunner in Straw Hat Sales.

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Showers, Then Cooler.

Meteorological Office, Toronto, July 17.—(8 p.m.)—There has been a heavy rainfall in Northern and Eastern Ontario and also over the larger portion of Quebec, while in the more western and southern parts of Ontario and in the Maritime Provinces there have been scattered showers. High temperatures are again prevalent in Manitoba and thunderstorms are likely to be general during to-morrow and will be followed by a cool wave.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 50—70; Edmonton, 50—76; Prince Albert, 54—58; Qu'Appelle, 60—84; Winnipeg, 54—84; Port Arthur, 54—72; Parry Sound, 68—80; Toronto, 54—84; Ottawa, 74—86; Montreal, 66—74; Quebec, 56—60; Halifax, 58—76.

Probabilities.

Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Moderate to fresh westerly to northerly winds; cooler; a few local showers in morning, then fine.

Upper St. Lawrence and Ottawa Valley—Moderate to fresh westerly to northerly winds; cooler; a few local showers in the morning, then fine.

Lower St. Lawrence—Showery at first, then clearing, with westerly winds.

Gulf—Cool and showery.

Maritime—Unsettled, with local showers and thunderstorms; much warmer in western portion to-day, and generally to-morrow.

Sault Ste. Marie—Light to moderate winds; fine and warmer.

Port Arthur—Southerly winds; fine and warm.

Manitoba—Very warm, with thunderstorms in most localities; cooler again to-morrow.

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Anchoria	Moville	Glasgow
Rhein	Southampton	Baltimore
Trave	Bremen	New York
Potsdam	Rotterdam	New York
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Oceanic	Queenstown	New York
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