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BRITAIN WAS STORM SWEEP

Fierce Gale Raged Yesterday Off the Irish Coast

MARINE DISASTERS

Many Accidents Reported Attended With Much Loss of Life and Property—Conditions in Great Britain Today the Worst for Thirty Years.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—A shov has set in here and the weather conditions in the provinces are ameliorating. The snow-bound trains are gradually being dug out and the railroad companies hope that the usual traffic will be resumed in the course of the day.

LONDON, Dec. 28.—The gale raged on the northwest coast of Ireland today with terrible effect. Near Ballinacorney, a three-masted schooner parted her anchor lines and drifted to a perilous position.

Nothing further has been seen of the vessel that is reported to have foundered off Rhoscolwyn Point, Wales. The lifeboat was out for six hours, battling with the storm, which continued with unabated fury.

It returned at a late hour tonight. It is believed the unknown vessel struck a rock and went down. The bodies of the crew are being sought for.

All further attempts to refloat the Belfast steamer Ormsley, which is stranded on the foreshore near Dover have been futile. A lifeboat was lowered from the ship today.

The bark Regia struck the Goodwin Sands on Christmas Day. The crew took to the boats and after much hardship succeeded in reaching the Goodwin lightship.

A large unknown steamer is reported as ending up off Scarborough. She has been seen off rocks for about a week.

There is very heavy weather in the Irish Sea and huge waves are breaking over the Malaguad harbor breakwater. The Irish mail service is being conducted with great difficulty.

The continuing snow fall has created a situation the worst known in thirty years in Great Britain, and the conditions existing here are generally throughout Europe.

A relief train sent to its assistance stuck in the drift and all the efforts during the morning to reach them were fruitless.

British railroads are quite inadequate to deal with the conditions herefore almost unknown in this country.

New York: Grand Jury Apologized to Insurance Magnates When Indicting Them for Forgery.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—George W. Perkins, former vice-president of the New York Life Insurance Co., and now a member of the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co., and Charles S. Fairchild, former secretary of the treasury and a trustee of the New York Life Insurance Co., were indicted today by the grand jury, charged with forgery in the third degree.

When the indictment was returned the grand jury apologized to Perkins and Fairchild for being obliged to indict them, expressing at the same time the opinion that the prisoners had not profited by the forgery while the policy-holders of the company had.

N. Y. BANK STATEMENT

Reserves on all deposits... 1,238,335

The federal of Francis Tufts took place at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon from his late residence, 23 Elliott Row.

YAGUIS ARE BUSY AGAIN

Indians Burned New Town on Railway Line

IN SONORA, MEXICO

Ten Men, Women and Children Murdered and Three Women Carried Off by the Indians—Indians Finally Frightened by Work Train.

BBEBEE, Ariz., Dec. 28.—Details received yesterday say that last Saturday evening a Yaqui Indian band attacked and burned the new town of Lancho on the Cananea, Yaqui River and Pacific Railway, southeast of Guaymas, Sonora, Mexico.

The Indians retired after nearly two hours of plunder, riot and arson, being frightened away by a work train from Guaymas.

The Indians shot two others and took three women away captives to the hills. The soldiers from the fort two miles east, entered the town 15 minutes later.

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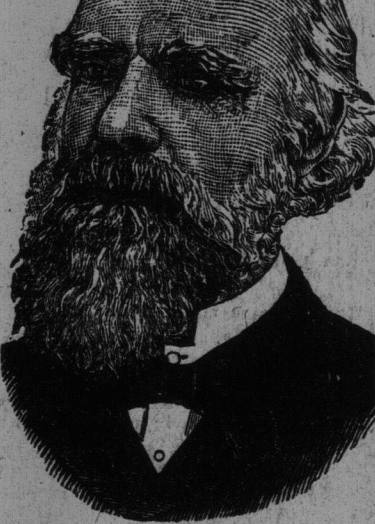
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REPORTED STRATHCONA HAS RESIGNED HIS POST

Interesting Report Which Reached Ottawa Today

Canadian High Commissioner in Great Britain to Retire from Service—He Sailed from Liverpool Yesterday for St. John.

LONDON, Dec. 28.—The Canadian High Commissioner in Great Britain, Lord Strathcona, is reported to have resigned his post. He sailed from Liverpool yesterday for St. John.



LORD STRATHCONA

OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 28 (Special)—It is understood in Ottawa that Lord Strathcona, high commissioner in London, has called his resignation to the Canadian government.

He has sailed for Canada. Lord Strathcona, high commissioner for Canada, left yesterday for Canada. Before his departure he said he was sure all Canadians were gratified at the satisfaction with which the appointment of James Byrnes as ambassador at Washington had been received in the United States.

Something About Him (From Who's Who). Strathcona, 1st Baron, cr. 1897; Donald Alexander Smith G. C. M. C.; cr. 1896. LL.D., P. C., D. L.; High Commissioner for Canada since 1891. Born in Scotland, 1820.

TO COLONIZE SIBERIA

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 28.—Taking advantage of the present and increasing famine in Russia the government is making great efforts to stimulate colonization in Siberia on a scale hitherto never attained.

GOVERNOR KAUBARS REMOVED

ODESSA, Dec. 28.—Governor-General Kaubars has been removed to another district. The reason for this change is said to be the governor general's close connection with the Union of Russian People, and his failure to prevent the recent strike.

EMPEROR OF IRELAND ARRIVES AT HALIFAX

HALIFAX, N. S., Dec. 28 (Special)—The C. P. R. steamer Empress of Ireland arrived today at 1 p. m.

DEAN GILPIN DEAD

HALIFAX, N. S., Dec. 28 (Special)—The death occurred today of Venerable Dean Gilpin.

PREMIER'S BROTHER DEAD

OTTAWA, Dec. 28 (Special)—Charles-Edouard Laurier, M. P., half-brother of the Premier, died at his residence at St. Lin, P. Q., about midnight.

NOTED JUDGE RETIRES

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—Rufus B. Cowing, one of New York's famous criminal judges, formally retired yesterday from the bench of the court of general sessions.

OVER NIAGARA FALLS

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Dec. 28.—A woman, believed to be Mary Hogan, of Buffalo, committed suicide this morning by going over the American Falls.

LAST TWO SECTIONS OF NEW WHARF CRIBWORK SUCCESSFULLY MOVED

The No. 4 and 5 sections of the cribwork for the new wharf, now under construction, were successfully moved today from Wiggins' wharf, where they have been building, to a position between Nos. 1 and 3 crabs.

FRENCH GOVERNMENT WILL NOT ABANDON PROPOSED REFORMS OR YIELD TO VATICAN.

PARIS, Dec. 28.—The senate has concluded the general debate on the new church measure and the principle of the bill was voted yesterday by 377 yeas to 36 nays.

SUDDEN DEATH OF NOTED PRELATES

Cardinal Cavagnis and Cardinal Trippi died in Rome this morning.

FROM ACTOR TO PRIEST

ROME, Dec. 28.—The Rev. George Trollope, an Englishman, who formerly was an actor, and who has just entered an ecclesiastical career here for the purpose of becoming a priest.

WHAT WILL BE THEIR FATE

Three inmates of the jail are causing a good deal of conjecture as to when they will be finally disposed of.

RECAPITULATION

Value of Canadian Goods... \$2,102,002

JEFFRIES MATCHED WITH BILL SQUIRES

Jeff Will Fight Big Australian for \$30,000 and World's Championship.

MURDERED ON CHRISTMAS

Police Now Chasing Frank Capello Who Murdered William Dow in New Ontario on Christmas Night.

THE MEN'S CLUB SOON TO OPEN

The Probable Date is a Week from Next Monday Evening.

BARONESS BURDETTE COULTS ILL

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BURGLARY AT SUSSEX

Valuable Papers Stolen from Mrs. Vaughan's House.

THIEF KNEW PREMISES

He Entered Mrs. Vaughan's Bedroom and Stole Trunk Containing Mortgages, Notes and Other Papers of Value—Owner Was Absent.

SUSSEX, Dec. 28 (Special)—The home of Mrs. George Vaughan was broken into last night between 6 and 10 o'clock and a trunk containing a tin box with all her valuable papers taken from the closet of her room on the second floor.

THE ST. JOHN POLICE FORCE HAS MADE 1433 ARRESTS SINCE JANUARY 1ST, 1906

Drunkness as Usual Heads the List of Offences and is Responsible for 971 Arrests—Comparatively Few Arrests for Very Serious Crimes

WINTER PORT BUSINESS

More Steamers Have Arrived This Year Than up to Same Date Last Year.

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