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SOUTH AFRICA.

What the Daily Mail Says of Affairs—Policy of Concealment.

NEW YORK, July 12.—The London correspondent of the Tribune says: Referring to the Salisbury government's admission that they had information respecting the shooting on British wounded at Vlakfontein on June 11, the Daily Mail, whose correspondent was the first to make the news public, stated that this is only a small portion of the policy of concealment now being carried on. It professes to have abundant evidence that almost the whole theatre of war is in a much worse condition than the public is allowed to know.

The state of affairs in Cape Colony in particular is said to be of a most serious nature, due almost entirely to the belief among the Dutch that the constant efforts of the British to propitiate them prove that they are tired of the war.

While the government is constantly saying in public that the war will be fought to a finish they are, says the Daily Mail, continually making offers of peace to the Boers.

TO SETTLE THE STRIKE.

PITTSBURG, Pa., July 12.—When the conference between the Amalgamated Association executive board and officials of the American Steel Sheet, Steel Hoop and Tin Plate Companies was resumed today, the situation apparently had not changed from yesterday morning, although both sides appeared hopeful of ultimately reaching a settlement. Nothing could be learned from the conference, however, as an agreement was not to give out anything for publication until after the final adjournment. Gossip on the outside indicates confidence that trouble will not be allowed to continue much longer, but concessions on both sides will be necessary to a settlement this week. Previous to the opening of the joint conference, the executive committee of the Amalgamated Association met and discussed the course to be pursued at today's meeting.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 12.—The Iron Trades Council has received favorable reports from the nine affiliated unions on the question of giving the council authority to accept a settlement of the machinists' strike in this city. Independent of what is done in the east, the strike of metal polishers has been declared off.

SHAMOKIN, Pa., July 12.—The strike of 600 employees at Hickory Ridge Colliery operated by the Union Coal Company, was declared off today, the company agreeing to restate a committee of its employees who were discharged because they insisted on all miners showing union cards at the colliery.

PITTSBURG, July 12.—The conference was resumed at 10:25 a. m. with the same representatives in attendance as yesterday. It was reported that Judge E. H. Gary of the United States Steel corporation, had arrived in the city and would take part in the conference, but he could not be located. President Shaffer was seen just as the conference was assembling, and he did not know whether there would be a settlement today or not. He had nothing to give out.

BRIEFS BY WIRE.

The celebration of the battle of the Boyne is being marked in Belfast by the customary collisions, but no serious trouble has occurred, there being plenty of soldiers and police to control the factions.

Cebu, capital of the island of that name, is still frequently fired upon by the insurgents. General Hughes, in command of the Visayas Islands, reports progress in the task of penetrating the island of Samar and scattering the insurgents.

A national convention of negro bankers of the United States has been called to meet at Buffalo, Sept. 26-28. It is proposed to organize a national association of colored bankers.

All prospect of a rate war in the territory of the Central Traffic association has been ended by a meeting of presidents and other officials of the railroads in that territory, held in New York. The roads are all reported doing good business, and before the meeting broke up a decision was reached to maintain schedule figures firmly, beginning with July 22.

The steamer *Port India* line, from New York July 3, for Hayti and Venezuela, which stranded in the roads, Port Au Prince, Hayti, July 10, has been floated without having sustained serious damage.

HOT IN LONDON.

LONDON, July 12.—The heat wave here is becoming more tropical. Londoners were not prepared for it and consequently they are suffering greatly. The official thermometers at 10 o'clock this morning registered 87 in the shade. Other thermometers showed the mercury several degrees higher. There were many sun-stroke cases, prostrations and faintings in the streets, which kept the ambulances busy. The number of omnibuses running was considerably reduced in consequence of the exhaustion of the horses, and the iron works and ship-building yards were badly handicapped on account of the enforced absence of the workmen who were suffering from the heat.

THE WEATHER.

TORONTO, July 12.—West and east—Today and on Saturday light to moderate northwesterly to northerly winds fine and moderately warm.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 12.—Forecast:—Eastern states and northern New York—Partly cloudy tonight; Saturday, fair, light to fresh north-east winds.

CANADIAN MINISTERS

Have Had a Real Nice Time in London Lately.

NEW YORK, July 12.—The informal Canadian conference in London is virtually at an end, says the Tribune's London correspondent, Sir Louis Davison, who has sailed for Canada and Mr. Fisher, the minister of agriculture, will follow him next week. Ministers of Justice, Blair and Doherty will return about August 1st, and David Mills, the minister of justice, in due course. Mr. Mills has been more active than his colleagues since he has been in consultation with the colonial office respecting an imperial court of appeals, and Mr. Fisher has also had official work. The result of the visit of the Canadian ministers will be important. Mr. Mills has clearly presented the Canadian view of the institution of an imperial court of appeal, and his colleagues have united in a chorus of satisfaction over the relations between the dominion and mother country. They have received much hospitality and have fully enjoyed their holiday in London, after a protracted season of work in Canada. It is probable that an equally important Canadian delegation will be present at the coronation next year.

WORKING WOMEN'S LEAGUE.

CHICAGO, July 12.—Servant girls and working women generally have taken the preliminary steps for the formation of the union they have been wishing for so long. Last night the Working Women's Union of America was organized under the direction of the International Union Labor League. Mrs. J. Louischridge, president of the Women's International Union Labor League, said: "One of our prime objects will be to gain set hours for household employees. Girls should not be compelled to work from 16 to 20 hours a day, but should have set hours and time off for amusement and recreation, the same as women employed in other occupations. We intend to show housewives that the quality of their service will be improved by giving their help more time for rest."

BIG STRIKE IN ROSSLAND.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, July 12.—A special says the biggest strike in many years among the miners of the northwest is on at Rossland and 1,200 miners are idle. The strike affects the Lerol and other mines owned by British companies. The trouble started through the locking out of union smelter men at the Lerol smelter, at Northport, Washington.

QUICK WORK.

NEW YORK, July 12.—The residence of Benjamin Delva, in Yonkers, was broken into by burglars early this morning and \$10,000 worth of jewelry was stolen. Within an hour after the burglary two men who had the stolen property in their possession were arrested.

PETROLEUM EXPORTS.

NEW YORK, July 12.—Shipments of refined petroleum from Philadelphia to Europe was never before as heavy or so frequent as they have been within the last 10 days, says a despatch to the Times from that city. From the first of the year up to last Saturday 175,359,886 gallons had been shipped abroad, against 135,826,718 gallons for the corresponding period of last year, an increase of 39,533,168 gallons.

EPWORTH LEAGUE CONVENTION.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., July 12.—Already about 2,000 eastern delegates to the Epworth League convention, which opens next Tuesday, have reached this city, and are now enjoying slide trips to various parts of the state. It is estimated that 5,000 delegates will reach San Francisco by Sunday night, and 40,000 more by the following Thursday morning. Ample accommodations, provided for all expected visitors, are being rapidly completed.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Work in the Congregational church on Union street is being rapidly pushed forward and in about four weeks the building will be ready for occupation. Already the ceiling and walls have been repaired, the new partition built across the church near the entrance, and the windows put in. The windows are a great improvement on the old ones, as they are of stained glass, in the lighter shades, and create a very pleasing effect. The walls and ceiling have been painted in light colors, and the whole of the church will be much brighter than formerly. The new pews are of ash, and are placed in two rows, having a wide center aisle between them. The wainscoting on the walls has yet to be put on, the new steps built at the entrance, and the woodwork to be painted. The gallery will not be completed at present.

CAJALIS RACES.

Among the entries for the Cajalis horse races on July 23 and 24 are those of W. H. Fowler's *Battery* in 2:15 class; J. Moore's *Wagner* in the 2:25; Billy Pax, *Teaser* and *Fannie B.* are in the 2:30, and *Beatrice* and *Binger* first in the 2:35. The purses are \$500 for the 2:15 and \$300 for each of the others.

Mrs. Byron C. Tapley and daughter, Margery, of St. John, N. B., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Brown in Old Town.

W. D. Richards, of Boilestown, has received an application from an English firm to supply them with several million feet of birch and maple for manufacture for furniture, such as beds, stools, chairs, tables, etc., all the lumber to be of special dimensions.

NOTHING IN IT.

James Carvell of Nauwigewauk Did Not Try to Poison His Father.

HAMPTON, N. B., July 12.—James Carvell, arrested yesterday and charged by his father, Lewis A. Carvell of Nauwigewauk, with attempting to poison him by putting strychnine in his sugar, was examined before Magistrate Piers this morning, but there was no evidence to warrant his being held, and after hearing the father's story and Dr. Fairweather's evidence the case was dismissed, all being satisfied that the suspicion was groundless.

R. LEB. Tweedie, K. C., appeared for the young man.

A NARROW ESCAPE.

QUEENSTOWN, July 12.—The Cork Examiner today prints a sensational story of the miraculous escape of a four masted passenger steamer, westward bound, from being wrecked off the Fastnet rocks at 8 p. m. yesterday. The Examiner says the fog lifted in the nick of time to save the vessel from a fearful disaster.

The light peepers at Fastnet were horrified to see a steamer from the east running full on the Little Fastnet, 400 yards east-southeast. Fastnet immediately discharged an alarm gun, signalling urgent danger. Before the liner could be slowed up or her engines reversed she had apparently touched the Little Fastnet rock, as she was seen to list to starboard and then to port. The onlookers noticed a momentary scene of great excitement on board the liner. But she was apparently uninjured as she proceeded.

VIE IN NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, July 12.—Five men were arrested in a raid on an alleged pool room at 122nd street and Eighth avenue, made by several central office detectives.

At the time that the raid was made there were about a hundred men in the room. The men for whom the detectives had warrants were pointed out and were arrested. There was very little excitement after it became known that the raid was in progress. The betters, who, from knowledge of past raids, did not fear arrest, looked on with interest as the prisoners were taken out. The warrants on which the men were arrested were issued on information furnished by the New York society for the enforcement of criminal law.

CROPS BURNED UP.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., July 12.—During the night the temperature fell rapidly from yesterday's record of 103 and at 9 a. m. today stood at 80, with a pleasant breeze prevailing.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., July 12.—At 9 a. m. the government thermometer registered 87 with no relief in sight. In parts of Missouri and Southern Illinois, where the crops are being literally burned up by temperatures up to 110, records for thirty years have been broken.

KANSAS CITY, July 12.—The mercury reached 91 at 9 a. m. with the prospect that all previous heat records will be eclipsed before noon. Last night was the most oppressive experienced here in years. Hardly a breath of air stirred. Among the poor residents of the bottoms there was great suffering.

THE VILLAINS FAILED.

POTTSVILLE, Ohio, July 12.—Four masked men entered the house of Peter Hoke at Pottsville last night and encountered the proprietor and Michael Rithel and George A. Wachter, guests. During the fight which followed one of the robbers was shot and killed and Mr. Hoke was wounded in the leg. The three remaining burglars made their escape. The dead man has not been identified.

AFTER THE ROBBERS.

CHINHO, Mont., July 12.—Sheriff Benny of Great Falls and a posse of eleven men left the city last evening, bound for People's Creek, where the Great Northern train robbers are said to be surrounded. The Great Falls posse will be joined by the posse from other counties, numbering in all 45 men. The party will be equipped with good horses and a plentiful supply of provisions.

A BRICK COMBINE.

NEW YORK, July 12.—The Journal of Commerce says that plans are now underway for the organization of a large brick consolidation to take over various brick companies in New England and New York, including the New England Brick company. The new company it is understood will be known as the Interstate Brick company, with a capital stock of \$5,000,000 and a bond issue of \$1,500,000.

THE DEATH ROLL.

BUFFALO, July 12.—Major General Peter C. Boyle, who has been in ill-health for several months, died early this morning at Fairham, Erie county, New York, where he has been staying since his recent return from California. Gen. Boyle, besides being prominent in the national guard of the state of New York, was well known as the general northern freight agent of the Lehigh Valley Railroad company.

BOILED CHINAMEN.

SAN JOSE, Calif., July 12.—The body of Lee Wing, a Chinese who was murdered last March by high binders, has been boiled in an iron cauldron by order of the county authorities for the purpose of obtaining 16 bullets fired into the man. These will be used as evidence in the trial of Look Lee, charged with being one of the assassins.

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