

100,000 PERISH IN A CYCLONE

South Sea Island Visited by a Storm Causing Widespread Destruction.

MILLIONS OF PROPERTY LOSS

Islands Inundated by Waters and Some Groups Said to Have Disappeared.

PAPEETE, Tahiti, Feb. 16.—(Via San Francisco, March 3)—The most destructive cyclone ever experienced in the Society and Tuamotu islands occurred on February 7 and 8...

PRINCE CONNAUGHT'S CANADIAN ITINERARY

Programme of Receptions and Dominion Tour of His Royal Highness.

WILL MAKE TWO DAYS STAY IN VICTORIA

Traveling Unofficially and Addresses Will Be Presented by Cities Only.

OTTAWA, March 2.—According to the official programme as drafted for the visit to Canada of Prince Arthur, Duke of Connaught...

Settlements Swept Away

The village of Taron, near the American consulate, has been completely destroyed. In the absence of the American consul, his mother, Mrs. Doty, supervised the removal of the refugees...

Clung to Tops of Coconut Trees

In the midst of waves that dashed 20 feet high over the island. On shore M. Andre, the chief pilot, called out to Commander Harbin of the schooner Zele to let him have a boat and crew for the rescue of a woman at the landing station...

PETER LARSEN

is hereby given that 30 days after to apply to the Chief Comptroller of Lands and Works for permission to lease for pastoral purposes the lands situated in Coast District, between Tremble Lake and north arm of Stuart Lake...

MARK HYMAN

is hereby given that 30 days after to apply to the Chief Comptroller of Lands and Works for permission to lease for pastoral purposes the lands situated in Coast District, between Tremble Lake and north arm of Stuart Lake...

THE CONFERENCE ON MOROCCO

Settlement of Controversy Between France and Germany Now Possible.

BOTH MAKE CONCESSIONS

The Public Tension in France is Much Relieved Over Prospect.

KING EDWARD IN PARIS.

Paris, March 4.—King Edward's visit to Paris is attracting great attention. Enormous crowds cheer him every afternoon in the streets today. The cordiality of the greetings exchanged between the King and President Fallieres during His Majesty's official call at the Elysee palace was much remarked. The conversation between the two lasted half an hour.

Later the president returned the call at the British Embassy, where a state dinner was held tonight. At the dinner President Fallieres and Premier Rouvier with their wives, were among the guests. There were no speeches. Afterward King Edward, President Fallieres and M. Rouvier conversed for nearly an hour in the smoking room.

During the course of the day former President Loubet and Casimir-Perier left their cards at the British embassy. King Edward visited M. Loubet to dinner on Monday.

The Princess Beatrice and Ena of Bath, who are attached to the King, arrived today, will leave for Biarritz Monday, where they will await the King's arrival. Later an interview between the two royal couples will take place there, at which the royal couple will take the marriage of Princess Ena to King Alfonso as their subject.

FERRETING OUT THE ISSASSINS

Another Western Federation Miner Confesses Knowledge of Studenberg's Killing.

REVEALS "INNER CIRCLE" SECRETS

Adams Fully Corroborates What Orchard Has Told and Tells Much More.

B'ee, Idaho, March 2.—The Statesman will say in the morning: "The Statesman is authorized to announce that Steve Adams, arrested at the mine in French Creek in connection with the Studenberg killing, has made a full and complete confession. This confession is far more important than that made by Harry Orchard."

This statement made last evening by Adams, the famous confessor, adds to the confession made by Orchard and Harry Gooding and H. Hawley, who is in charge of the prosecution.

The confession of Adams, which corroborates the confession made by Orchard and Harry Gooding, is a most important contribution to the knowledge of the inner circle of the Western Federation of Miners.

CONCLUDING SESSION OF FARMERS' INSTITUTE

Important Resolutions Passed at Session at Parliament Buildings Yesterday.

The eighth annual meeting of the Central Farmers' Institute concluded its session yesterday noon at the office of the department of agriculture. Seven resolutions were discussed and adopted and during the forenoon the minister of agriculture made an important announcement regarding the stumping powder situation.

NEW STEAMSHIP COMPANY

New York, March 1.—The Times today says: "The United Steamship Company, which has a capital of \$1,000,000, was formed yesterday at the Hotel Marlborough in New York."

The first resolution discussed was one dealing with the problem of irrigation in the dry sections of the interior. It was moved by F. R. DeHart of Kelowna and seconded by John Redman, of Kamloops. The resolution was adopted and the proper government was requested to support a commission for irrigation purposes in the several districts where water is used for irrigation, and that the commission also be empowered to take evidence upon any question of dispute with reference to water rights, and to report thereon to the department of agriculture.

SUGGEST CHANGE OF SEALING THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT PROPOSE MAY AND JUNE AS MONTHS FOR OPERATIONS.

EXCELLENCIES ENJOY SPORT

Investigation Into Civic Matters at Toronto Reveals a Grave Abuse.

BOUNDARY ORE SHIPMENTS.

Nelson, March 1.—For the third time this year the record for ore shipments has been broken. The total standing at 89,023 tons, the output of the mines of Kootenay for the past seven days. The total shipment for the year to date are 288,382 tons.

The boundary output of the week in the Kootenay district was 28,500 tons, which was a record for the district. The mines of the district are the Gandy, Mother Lode, Brooklyn, Steward, Sunset, Oro Domo, Emma and Riverview.

Rossland has 7,310 tons from the Central Star, Le Roi No. 2 and Junction. The mines of the district are 2,123 tons from the St. Eugene, St. Hunter, V. Arlington, (Erie), Eva, Hill, Ottawa and Eureka and others.

The department has been requested to investigate into the affairs of the permanent force will not only at Kingston, Ontario, but also at other points where the force is stationed.

Additional notices of application for federal legislation will appear in the Canada Gazette tomorrow. The Boundary Commission and Cariboo Central will be authorized to buy from the British Columbia and Yukon Territories along the valley of the Kettle river to Franklin camp, Fire Valley and Grand Prairie.

Montreal, March 2.—Fire last night did damage estimated at \$40,000 in four buildings, 381 and 383 St. James street, in the heart of the business district. The fire was caused by a gas leak in a boiler.

Montreal, March 2.—A spasm of reorganization struck the city yesterday afternoon. The harbor board fired all its employees of low and high grade in a body, those desiring re-employment being asked to put in their applications to the president of the board before the fifteenth.

Three Rivers, Que., March 2.—The grand jury tonight returned true bills against Mrs. Scater and Wallace McGraw, who are accused of the murder of the woman's husband, Percy Scater. The trial was held for Monday.

Toronto, March 2.—Some sensational evidence was given in the Toronto city hall investigation today. Thomas Hunter, who was charged with the murder of Archibald Lennox, testified that when he first went to the time of the assassination, he was in the company of a man who he identified as Harry Orchard.

Toronto, March 2.—A party of one hundred English immigrants who arrived in Toronto last night were the worst who have struck this city yet, according to Thomas Southworth, director of colonization. Most of the men were drunk and very few registered at the government immigration offices.

Toronto, March 2.—Andrew Carnegie will come to Toronto on April 28th and 29th as guest of the Canadian club. He will be accompanied by his wife and daughter, Mrs. Carnegie.

Seattle, March 4.—The Great Northern steamship company, it was said today, has been authorized to lease the Vancouver department to name a price for the chartering of the steamer Ancon to the Dakotas to be used as a transport. The company has replied, naming a price which is satisfactory, the report says.

Seattle, March 4.—The Great Northern steamship company, it was said today, has been authorized to lease the Vancouver department to name a price for the chartering of the steamer Ancon to the Dakotas to be used as a transport. The company has replied, naming a price which is satisfactory, the report says.

Seattle, March 4.—The Great Northern steamship company, it was said today, has been authorized to lease the Vancouver department to name a price for the chartering of the steamer Ancon to the Dakotas to be used as a transport. The company has replied, naming a price which is satisfactory, the report says.

Seattle, March 4.—The Great Northern steamship company, it was said today, has been authorized to lease the Vancouver department to name a price for the chartering of the steamer Ancon to the Dakotas to be used as a transport. The company has replied, naming a price which is satisfactory, the report says.

Seattle, March 4.—The Great Northern steamship company, it was said today, has been authorized to lease the Vancouver department to name a price for the chartering of the steamer Ancon to the Dakotas to be used as a transport. The company has replied, naming a price which is satisfactory, the report says.

Seattle, March 4.—The Great Northern steamship company, it was said today, has been authorized to lease the Vancouver department to name a price for the chartering of the steamer Ancon to the Dakotas to be used as a transport. The company has replied, naming a price which is satisfactory, the report says.

RUSSIA'S PLANS ON THE PACIFIC

Described In An Official Report to the United States State Department.

SHANGHAI IS TO SUFFER

A Great Chance for the Development of Vladivostok.

WASHINGTON, March 4.—Russia's renewed attempt to establish a permanent foothold in Northern Manchuria by making Vladivostok the port of entry, thereby offsetting the loss of Dalny and Port Arthur, is described in an official report from a United States department agent in China. The report expresses the belief that this will result in the development of American trade and will result in a great curtailment of the importance of Shanghai as a distributing point. The extract made public at the department says in part:

"Since the conclusion of peace between Russia and Japan there has been speculation in the foreign community of Shanghai as to the future opportunity for trade and development in Manchuria and therefore the negotiations between Japan and China on the one hand and the diplomatic moves of Russia at Peking have been watched with the closest attention."

The present opens a great chance in Vladivostok, says the report, which also predicts its development. No one knows what Japan intends to do in Southern Manchuria for the way of trade or in the development in connection with her portion of the Eastern railway, says the report, and the new line that is to be built to connect with Korea, Russia, for the benefit of her portion of the Chinese Eastern railway, for her own political advantage, the east, and perhaps for the sake of a contract, is letting everybody know what she has in mind. It is well to point out, what is the field for the development now being advertised by Russia's agents."

The report defines the country traversed by the Chinese Eastern railway as being rich in timber, minerals and fisheries, and adds:

"Russia, in her apparently, through this railway company (for it is not government owned), attempting to establish a permanent foothold in Northern Manchuria and to alter the present content that relapse will be difficult. Even while Vladivostok and Harbin were being planned, the Japanese were conducting a campaign of development. The scheme advertised contemplated the establishment of a steamship service which would make Vladivostok the port of call for the means of transport to Europe for the products of China, and especially of tea."

These in a general way are said to be the plans and the foreign agents have given a free hand to put them into effect as far as the outside world is concerned. Thus it is evident that the government and the Russian agents are preparing to do a great deal toward making Vladivostok the port of call for the means of transport to Europe for the products of China, and especially of tea."

These in a general way are said to be the plans and the foreign agents have given a free hand to put them into effect as far as the outside world is concerned. Thus it is evident that the government and the Russian agents are preparing to do a great deal toward making Vladivostok the port of call for the means of transport to Europe for the products of China, and especially of tea."

These in a general way are said to be the plans and the foreign agents have given a free hand to put them into effect as far as the outside world is concerned. Thus it is evident that the government and the Russian agents are preparing to do a great deal toward making Vladivostok the port of call for the means of transport to Europe for the products of China, and especially of tea."

These in a general way are said to be the plans and the foreign agents have given a free hand to put them into effect as far as the outside world is concerned. Thus it is evident that the government and the Russian agents are preparing to do a great deal toward making Vladivostok the port of call for the means of transport to Europe for the products of China, and especially of tea."

These in a general way are said to be the plans and the foreign agents have given a free hand to put them into effect as far as the outside world is concerned. Thus it is evident that the government and the Russian agents are preparing to do a great deal toward making Vladivostok the port of call for the means of transport to Europe for the products of China, and especially of tea."

These in a general way are said to be the plans and the foreign agents have given a free hand to put them into effect as far as the outside world is concerned. Thus it is evident that the government and the Russian agents are preparing to do a great deal toward making Vladivostok the port of call for the means of transport to Europe for the products of China, and especially of tea."

These in a general way are said to be the plans and the foreign agents have given a free hand to put them into effect as far as the outside world is concerned. Thus it is evident that the government and the Russian agents are preparing to do a great deal toward making Vladivostok the port of call for the means of transport to Europe for the products of China, and especially of tea."

These in a general way are said to be the plans and the foreign agents have given a free hand to put them into effect as far as the outside world is concerned. Thus it is evident that the government and the Russian agents are preparing to do a great deal toward making Vladivostok the port of call for the means of transport to Europe for the products of China, and especially of tea."

These in a general way are said to be the plans and the foreign agents have given a free hand to put them into effect as far as the outside world is concerned. Thus it is evident that the government and the Russian agents are preparing to do a great deal toward making Vladivostok the port of call for the means of transport to Europe for the products of China, and especially of tea."

These in a general way are said to be the plans and the foreign agents have given a free hand to put them into effect as far as the outside world is concerned. Thus it is evident that the government and the Russian agents are preparing to do a great deal toward making Vladivostok the port of call for the means of transport to Europe for the products of China, and especially of tea."

These in a general way are said to be the plans and the foreign agents have given a free hand to put them into effect as far as the outside world is concerned. Thus it is evident that the government and the Russian agents are preparing to do a great deal toward making Vladivostok the port of call for the means of transport to Europe for the products of China, and especially of tea."

These in a general way are said to be the plans and the foreign agents have given a free hand to put them into effect as far as the outside world is concerned. Thus it is evident that the government and the Russian agents are preparing to do a great deal toward making Vladivostok the port of call for the means of transport to Europe for the products of China, and especially of tea."

KING EDWARD TRAVELS COG.

His Majesty Leaves for a Tour of the Continent and Mediterranean.

MAY NEED THE KASER

Alfonso of Spain Will Be Received and the Approaching Marriage Arranged.

LONDON, March 2.—King Edward left tonight on a two months' tour of the continent and the Mediterranean, traveling incognito as Duke of Lancaster and arriving in Paris, Saturday evening. He will stay at the Hotel d'Alsace in Paris and will be accompanied by the French cabinet, will see President Fallieres, whom he has not yet met, and will be met by the British ambassador, Lord Curzon, at the end of the tour.

King Edward's tour creates great interest and more especially abroad, from the point of view of the political possibilities that may result towards the end of April in Greek waters, on the occasion of the Olympian games. In the meantime, the King and Queen will be found here so isolated at Algiers, that she feels the need of displaying to the world her fealty to Anglo-German friendship and therefore has suggested effect a meeting of the two sovereigns.

A meeting of Suffolk's Little Heir, Marguerite, Countess of Suffolk and Berkshire, daughter of the late L. Z. Leiter of Washington and sister of Lady Curzon of Kedleston, tonight gave birth to a son at Chertion Park, Malmesbury, the family seat.

London, March 2.—A despatch from Tokyo to the Daily Telegraph reports that the emperor of Japan has accepted the resignation of Count Takikiro Kato from the position of foreign minister. The emperor has accepted the resignation of the military council of the empire, according to the same correspondent, is the principal supporter of the proposition for the nationalization of railways on strategic grounds.

Report That United States Government Has Acquired Hills Big Liners.

Seattle, March 4.—The Great Northern steamship company, it was said today, has been authorized to lease the Vancouver department to name a price for the chartering of the steamer Ancon to the Dakotas to be used as a transport. The company has replied, naming a price which is satisfactory, the report says.

Seattle, March 4.—The Great Northern steamship company, it was said today, has been authorized to lease the Vancouver department to name a price for the chartering of the steamer Ancon to the Dakotas to be used as a transport. The company has replied, naming a price which is satisfactory, the report says.

Seattle, March 4.—The Great Northern steamship company, it was said today, has been authorized to lease the Vancouver department to name a price for the chartering of the steamer Ancon to the Dakotas to be used as a transport. The company has replied, naming a price which is satisfactory, the report says.

Seattle, March 4.—The Great Northern steamship company, it was said today, has been authorized to lease the Vancouver department to name a price for the chartering of the steamer Ancon to the Dakotas to be used as a transport. The company has replied, naming a price which is satisfactory, the report says.

Seattle, March 4.—The Great Northern steamship company, it was said today, has been authorized to lease the Vancouver department to name a price for the chartering of the steamer Ancon to the Dakotas to be used as a transport. The company has replied, naming a price which is satisfactory, the report says.

Seattle, March 4.—The Great Northern steamship company, it was said today, has been authorized to lease the Vancouver department to name a price for the chartering of the steamer Ancon to the Dakotas to be used as a transport. The company has replied, naming a price which is satisfactory, the report says.

Seattle, March 4.—The Great Northern steamship company, it was said today, has been authorized to lease the Vancouver department to name a price for the chartering of the steamer Ancon to the Dakotas to be used as a transport. The company has replied, naming a price which is satisfactory, the report says.

Seattle, March 4.—The Great Northern steamship company, it was said today, has been authorized to lease the Vancouver department to name a price for the chartering of the steamer Ancon to the Dakotas to be used as a transport. The company has replied, naming a price which is satisfactory, the report says.

Seattle, March 4.—The Great Northern steamship company, it was said today, has been authorized to lease the Vancouver department to name a price for the chartering of the steamer Ancon to the Dakotas to be used as a transport. The company has replied, naming a price which is satisfactory, the report says.

Seattle, March 4.—The Great Northern steamship company, it was said today, has been authorized to lease the Vancouver department to name a price for the chartering of the steamer Ancon to the Dakotas to be used as a transport. The company has replied, naming a price which is satisfactory, the report says.

Seattle, March 4.—The Great Northern steamship company, it was said today, has been authorized to lease the Vancouver department to name a price for the chartering of the steamer Ancon to the Dakotas to be used as a transport. The company has replied, naming a price which is satisfactory, the report says.

Seattle, March 4.—The Great Northern steamship company, it was said today, has been authorized to lease the Vancouver department to name a price for the chartering of the steamer Ancon to the Dakotas to be used as a transport. The company has replied, naming a price which is satisfactory, the report says.