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UNCLE SAM AND THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS

State Department at Washington Says Things Are Working Admirably.

INSURGENTS ARE COMING IN

Municipal Governments Have Been Established in a Number of Important Towns.

REPORT SENT IN BY GENERAL OTIS

Would Indicate That the Filipinos Are Rushing in and Asking to be Americanized.

Washington, July 18.—The following statement was given out this afternoon at the State Department:

The State Department yesterday received from the Philippine Commission an important despatch conveying these facts:

By the co-operation of the military and the commission, municipal governments have been established in seven important towns in the Provinces of Manila and Cavite. They are working admirably, and one good effect of them is that considerable numbers of the insurgents are constantly deserting and coming in, some of them with arms. This system will soon be extended to other towns, which are asking for it. Continued success in this direction will be the beginning of the end. The commissioners state that the general situation is as described in the message of General Otis of June 26, except that a number of ports in the southern part of Luzon, in Leyte and other islands to the south, have since been opened to trade.

Despatches from Dr. Schurman on his return from his trip through the southern part of the archipelago were of the same purport. A disposition to accept American sovereignty and to welcome our troops was everywhere manifested.

What Otis' Report Said.

The report of General Otis of June 26, referred to by Commissioner Denby in the above despatch, stated that as a consequence of the rainy season little island campaigning was now possible in Luzon. We occupy, said Gen. Otis, a large portion of the Tagalog country. The lines stretch from Imus, on the south, to San Fernando on the north, nearly 60 miles, and eastwards into the Laguna Province. The insurgent armies have suffered great losses and are scattered. The only large force which holds together is about 4000 in Tarlac Province and Northern Pampanga. There are scattered forces in bands of 50 and 500 in other portions of Luzon. In Cavite and Batangas Provinces, they could possibly assemble as many as 2000. They are demoralized from recent defeat. The most of the people are terrorized by the insurgent soldiers, but desire peace and American protection. They no longer flee from our troops, unless forced by insurgents, but gladly welcome them. There has been no recent burning of towns.

Congestion of Population.

The population within our lines has become dense, taking up land cultivation extensively. They are kept out of Manila as much as possible, as the city population was becoming too great to be cared for. The only hope of the insurgent leaders is in aid from the United States. This is the influence which enables them to hold out. Much contention prevails among them and no civil government remains. The trade with ports not in our possession, the former source of insurgent revenues, is now interdicted. General Otis doubted the wisdom of this policy, as people in those ports are without supplies or food, and the merchants are suffering losses. He meditated at that time the restoration of trade privileges, although the insurgents might reap some benefit from it, a plan which has since been partially carried into effect. The courts are in successful operation under the direction of able Filipinos.

In the Other Islands.

Affairs in the other islands are comparatively quiet, awaiting results in Luzon. All were anxious for trade and repeated calls for American troops were received. He is giving his attention to the Jolo Archipelago and the Palawan Islands.

Gen. Otis speaks of the general desire of the volunteers to re-enlist. He has provided for the enlistment of the two regiments which have been authorized and has asked permission to organize a third regiment.

HORSES, MULES AND WAGONS

Shipped From Chickamuga for San Francisco to go to Manila.

Chattanooga, Tenn., July 18.—On a rush order from the War Department, 200 horses and mules and 50 escort wagons were shipped from the Chickamauga Quartermaster's Department to San Francisco to-day, by special train, to be forwarded at once to Manila.

Remember the Stenographers' moonlight excursion and grand concert Tuesday evening, July 25th.

Lord Kitchener.

Lord Kitchener intends to leave London on August 8 for Omdurman, to resume his duties as Governor-General of the Soudan. Gordon's palace at Khartoum has now been almost entirely rebuilt, and will be used as the Government House.

Cook's Turkish Baths—204 King W.

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Are harmless if you use Bingham's Mosquito Oil. Tourists, campers and fishermen should never be without it. Bingham's Pharmacy, 100 Yonge-street. 1357

See our Spring Suits and Overcoats, the latest green and bronze tints. John Watson, 91 Bay St. 186

Pots of fresh made tea with cream—made to please lady shoppers—at the Shaftesbury Coffee House.

Evening at Hotel Hanlan.
Many are dining at Hotel Hanlan these evenings, afterwards attending the "Passion Play," where special box seats are reserved for the guests.

Try our famous 20c meals at Kaus' Restaurant, 193 1-2 Yonge. Open all night. 63

The minds of the public are only impressed of the idea that photography can be made a work of art when they visit the studio of Herbert E. Simpson, 143 College-street.

Try Glencairn cigars—5c. straight.

SUNDAY CARS IN WINNIPEG

The Senate Reading Room S

Legislature Asked to Give the City Power to Take a Vote on the Question.

GREENWAY GERRYMANDER BILL

Got Past the Second Reading—The C.P.R. Said to be After the N.P.R. Charter.

Winnipeg, July 18.—(Special.)—The Sunday street car question is up again, a proposal being made in the Legislature to give Winnipeg preference to take a vote on the matter. At present Winnipeg has not the power to submit the question to the people.

Greenway Gerrymander.

The Greenway redistribution bill came before the Legislature to-day. On the second reading two Liberal members, Dickie and Mackintosh, voted against the Government. The bill carried by 20 to 10. The changes were given in yesterday's despatch.

The C.P.R. and N.P.R.

An evening paper publishes a statement that the C. P. R. has offered to purchase the charter upon which the N. P. R. intended extending into the Waskada section. The C. P. R. have the promise of a charter from the Local Government, but if they can buy the one under which the N. P. R. contemplated building, their bill may not be pressed. N. P. R. officials express disgust at the proposal of the Legislature to grant a charter to the C. P. R. covering ground where they intended to lay rails, hence the present intention of the C. P. R. to compel or seem to be to build no more railways in Manitoba. The expectation is that the country will raise a row and it may lead to many changes in the coming elections.

OVER SIXTY HOUSES BURNED

Quebec Suffers Seriously Again From Fire—There Was a Small Beginning.

NOTRE DAME CHURCH IN DANGER

Royal Canadian Artillery Turned Out and Tore Down a Couple of Houses.

Quebec, July 18.—At 3 o'clock fire broke out in the first storey of a house occupied by the family of a man named Nadeau, a shoemaker, corner of Richardson-street and Boulevard Langelier. The upper part was occupied by the proprietor, a roofer, named Edmond Barbeau. Before the firemen arrived and got to work, the fire had made considerable progress. The woodwork in the vicinity of the fire was dry and ignited like tinder. Next to the building where the fire originated was a shop full of inflammable material, such as varnish, oils, etc., belonging to Barbeau.

Unfortunately there is a break in the water main, and the supply of water by the old pipes was very poor. A strong northeast wind was blowing, and the fire spread rapidly, notwithstanding the firemen's efforts.

A detachment of the Royal Canadian artillery, under command of Major Stone and Captains Benson and Imlah, came from the citadel, and they set to work at once pulling down two houses belonging to Messrs. Gnup and Bourget, in order to stop the progress of the fire.

At 5 o'clock 20 houses had been destroyed, and the fire was still raging fiercely, threatening to spread in the direction of the large Congregation de Notre Dame Church (Roman Catholic), situated on the corner of St. Joseph and Caron-streets. At 7 o'clock the fire brigade succeeded in getting the fire under control, but not before it had reduced to ashes between 60 and 70 houses. The fire covered three blocks in area, from Richardson-street, on the Boulevard Langelier, to St. Francis-street, destroying houses on King-street and on both sides of the street between St. Anselme and Boulevard Langelier. Loss, $100,000; insurance, $50,000.

MILAN PLANNED THE ATTACK.

The Ex-King of Servia Said to Have Put up the Job for Political Purposes.

London, July 19.—According to The Daily Mail's Rome correspondent, absolute confirmation has been obtained that ex-King Milan of Servia himself planned the sham attempt upon his life, recently made, for political purposes. The correspondent also says that the Austrian Government has decided to invite Milan to voluntarily exile himself from Servia in order to prevent further trouble.

City Travelers' Moonlight to-night—Chippewa.

New White Ducks.
We are showing white duck trousers with stitched crease, three-inch upturn, any size from 30 to 44 waist. Our price one dollar a pair. To-day will be the last chance to buy lisle thread and silkene hosiery in plain and fancy plaids; 3 pairs 50c, regular prices 25c, 35c and 50c a pair. Sword, 89½ Yonge-street.

Breakfast and tea to meet the requirements of business men whose families are away for the summer at the Coffee Houses

Long Distance Shipments.
Dunlop's fresh-cut roses will travel hundreds of miles and reach their destination in perfect condition.
All flowers are guaranteed delivered safely. Order from the salesrooms, 5 King-street west, 445 Yonge-street.

Temple Cafe, I.O.F. Temple, corner Bay and Richmond St., is now open from 8 a. m. to 8 p.m. First-class service at popular prices.

To Our Readers.
Subscribers leaving the city for the summer months can have The World mailed to any address at regular city rates. The World is now delivered by our own carrier boys at the Island and Kew Beach; 25 cents per month. tf

Pember's Turkish and Vapor Baths 127 and 129 Yonge. Bath and bed, $1.00

To-Day's Program.
At Munro Park, 3.15 and 8.15 p.m.
Umberto Primo picnic, Orchard Park, 9.30 a.m.
Butchers' matinee races at the Newmarket track, 2 p.m.
Prince of Wales' Lodge, I.O.O.F., excursion to the Falls, 7, 9 and 11 a.m.

Three hours' solid enjoyment with Travelers to-night.

LAURIER AND TARTE NOW IN IT TO MAKE A WORLD'S RECORD

They Ask the People to Whack Up About $55,000,000 to Run the Country for a Single Year.

Things Won't Be Slow—Quebec Gets Some Big Divvies—$50,000 for Toronto's Harbor and Over One Million Dollars is Asked to Run the Machine in the Yukon—Read the Figures.

Ottawa, July 18.—(Special.)—The Senate was more attractive than the Commons today, for the fate of the Drummond County, Grand Trunk lease and redistribution bills were all "trembling in the balance." In the red chamber the balance turned in favor of the two first-mentioned bills, which were carried by divisions of 33 for to 13 against, and 35 for to 16 against, respectively, but the last-named bill was very roughly handled by Sir Mackenzie Bowell, whose amendment killing it will almost undoubtedly be carried by a large majority.

In the Commons, after eulogies on the late Mr. Geoffrion by the Premier and Sir Charles Tupper, and the passing of a couple of Government bills, the House got into supply and made excellent progress, a great many votes being allowed to go with one item reserved, so that the whole vote may be discussed by Mr. Foster, who is on his way back from British Columbia, if he so desires.

TAKES ONE'S BREATH AWAY.

Laurier-Tarte Regime Won't Have Hard Times in Canada if They Know It.

Ottawa, July 18.—(Special.)—Fifty-five millions of dollars or more will probably be the amount Parliament will be asked to authorize the expenditure of during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1900.

The main estimates, which are now being voted, amount to $46,286,551, and today supplementary estimates were brought down amounting to $5,497,344, so that the amount asked for so far is $51,783,895, of which $43,426,858 is chargeable to consolidated fund and $8,357,039 to capital account. Last year the main estimates amounted to $47,900,457, and the supplementaries brought down this year and assented to by His Excellency a few days ago amounted to $2,047,629, so that the total amount asked for the last fiscal year was $50,548,116. So far the estimates for the current year are $1,235,779 ahead of last year, but it is understood that there are to be further supplementary estimates, and a big lot of railway and other subsidies, which will include the $1,000,000 promised for Quebec Bridge, the $60,000 a year, for ever and ever, amen, for the Washington of the north, and probably $500,000 for Mackenzie and Mann for the expense they incurred in preparing to build what Mr. Morin called their "Sunset Route" road into the Yukon, and the supplementary estimates to be brought down next year. So, taking it all together, it is not unreasonable to assume that the total amount to be asked for the current year will be $55,000,000 or more, equal to $10 per head for every man, woman and child born or unborn in the Dominion of Canada.

Tarte's Hand Seen.

In the supplementaries brought down today the master hand of Mr. Tarte is very clearly seen. He is prepared to spend and to spend freely and his favors are spread widely. On capital account he asks $1,005,010 for "transportation facilities" divided as follows:

Port Colborne harbor improvements $15,000.

Montreal harbor improvements, below St. Mary's current, $500,000.

River St. Lawrence ship channel to provide for additional work, $750,000.

Enlarging Levis graving dock $117,000.

He also asks $104,709 on capital account for public buildings in Ottawa, $29,811.73 of which is to pay Charles Bois' claim in connection with the Langevin block, $21,897.96 for fire protection and electric lighting Ottawa public buildings; $25,000 for a new military store house; $10,000 for an astronomical observatory and $12,000 to complete the reconstruction of western block after the fire of Feb. 15, 1897.

What Toronto Gets.

Public works chargeable to income amount to $905,962, amongst the votes behind the following for Toronto:

Postoffice—For fitting up rental rooms at Grand Trunk Railway Station, $1000; postoffice improvements, including automobile cars, $12,500.

Harbor—Diversion of the Don and dredging harbor, $50,000.

Other Ontario Votes.

Amongst the other Ontario votes are the following for buildings:

St. Catharines—Drill Hall, $10,000.

Ottawa—New wing to Rideau Hall, $14,000.

Hamilton—Paving yard and public building, $1450.

London—Addition to postoffice, $4000.

Brockville—Drill Hall, $10,000.

Kingston—Royal Military College, additional buildings, $8000.

London—Drill hall and armory site, $10,000.

Windsor—Drill Hall, $6000.

Sarnia—Public buildings, $10,000.

Tarte is Generous.

Mr. Tarte is fairly generous with his votes for harbor and rivers. Ontario asking for $82,100, besides the Toronto vote already mentioned, as follows:

Portsmouth—Repairs to wharf $2000.

Kingston—Graving dock, repairs, shop and stores, $2000.

Scugog River—Dredging channel, $5000.

Otonabee River—Improvements of navigation, $2500.

Keene, head of Indian River—New wharf, $600.

Indian River—Dredging a cut across the Devil's Elbow and also a shoal at Sandy's Landing, $2000.

Port Dover—To pay the United States and Ontario Steam Navigation Company for dredging a cut across the Devil's Elbow, and also a spout at Sandy's Landing, $2000.

Port Dover—To pay the United States and Ontario Steam Navigation Company for dredging carried out by them for further improvements of the harbor as per agreement, $25,000.

Bronteu Harbor—Dredging bar at entrance and basin and to complete repairs to piers (revote $2500), $10,500.

Point Pelee Island—Wharf, $5000.

Bayfield—Closing gap in pile work on north side of harbor, with crib work, etc (revote of lapsed amount), to complete, $5300.

Kincardine harbor—Dredging, $6000.

Hawkestone—New wharf, $2000.

Port Findlay—Wharf, $4000.

Providence Bay—Wharf, $5000.

Shenandoat Landing, P.E.I.—$3300.

Dawson Point, on Lake Temiscamingue, $1000.

To Pay for Bremner's Furs.

Amongst the votes of general interest is one of $5364, amount required to pay Mr. Charles Bremner of Bressylon, for value of furs entrusted by him to Dominion Government authorities at Battleford on May 26, 1885, and never returned to him. This is the celebrated "Bremner fur case," which aroused so much interest 14 years ago, when the Grit press charged General Middleton, who commanded the forces during the Northwest rebellion of 1885, with stealing Bremner's furs. Bremner was a rebel and his furs were confiscated and, although the matter was thoroughly examined, both departmentally and in Parliament, the late Government could never admit that the furs were not lawfully and properly confiscated.

Judge for additional provisional judicial district court in Ontario, and travelling allowance, $2500.

To Enforce Alien Labor Law.

Enforcement of alien labor law $5000.

Sessional indemnity to Hon. D. Reesor, absent from Senate through illness, $1000.

Expenses of commission under Redistribution Act, $5000.

Expenses in connection with printing voters' lists, $35,000.

Leather trunks for new members, $2200.

Paris Exhibition, $175,000.

The Militia Vote.

The militia vote is $280,199.30, of which $203,000 is on capital account, as follows: Arms, ammunition and defence equipment, $128,000; rifle ranges, $75,000.

Amongst the militia items to be paid out of income was: Drill ground and site for Armory, St. Thomas, $46,000; construction of small armouries, $10,000; clothing, $35,000; warlike and other stores, $10,000.

For Intercolonial Railway.

The vote for railways and canals, capital account, is nearly a million and a half, and on account of income $37,500. Amongst the items for the Intercolonial, which amounts altogether to $869,718, are:

Elevator at St. John, N.B., $114,000.

Indian town branch, to pay amount of award of Water Shanly of $34,675.23, and interest thereon, from Dec. 1, 1896, to July 1, 1899, to Hon. J. Snowball, $52,148.44.

Installing Pintsch gas system, $4500.

Refrigerator cars, $30,000.

Elevator at Halifax, $77,000.

Votes for Canals.

Amongst others, the following votes are asked for canals:

Sault Ste. Marie—To pay Messrs. H. Ryan & Co., amount of award on claims in connection with their contract, for the construction of a canal and lift lock at Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., referred to W. Shandly, C.E., as arbitrator, $211,505; dredging at lower entrance channel to canal, $20,000.

Cornwall—To pay Messrs. William Lovis & Sons interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum on amounts due, as per monthly estimates issued, $10,371.

Welland—Swing bridge across the canal at the 4th con. Humberstone, $37,000.

Rainy River—Lock and dam, $25,000.

St. Andrew's Rapids, Red River—$150,000.

Cold Storage Bait.

Amongst the fisheries is one of $25,000 to assist in the establishment, maintenance and inspection of cold storage for bait for deep sea fishermen, under conditions to be fixed by the Department of Marine and Fisheries.

Miscellaneous Items.

Amongst the miscellaneous vote are the following:

To make good to persons in Prince Edward Island amount of duties paid to the United States customs on fish and fish oil, being amount paid by Messrs. Hall & Myrick, $15,029.

Expenses of relief party and furnishing provisions to distressed people along the Judd and Dease Rivers, $25,000.

A Million for the Yukon.

The Yukon provisional district provinces are to cost enough, however little or much may come out of it. No less than $1,314,000 is asked in the supplementaries, amongst the items being:

Salaries and contingencies	$111,000
Additional judge	4,000
Maintaining provisions	15,000
Military contingent	125,000
Trails, roads and bridges	175,000
Telegraph line from Bennett to Dawson	147,500
Quesnelle to Atlin, British Columbia, via Stikine River and Teslin Lake, about 900 miles of telegraph lines	225,000
Public buildings in Yukon district	152,500

Thus endeth the reading of the supplementaries.

In the House Yesterday.

Ottawa, July 18.—(Special.)—In the House to-day the Government bill respecting bounties on the manufacture of iron and steel made in Canada passed through committee, was read a third time and passed.

The Senate bill for the preservation of health on public works called forth some discussion, in which Mr. Ross Robertson, Dr. Sproule, Mr. Bell (of Pictou), Mr. Oliver, Mr. Haggart, Mr. Powell and Mr. Rostock took part. The bill was read a third time and passed.

The House then went into Committee of Supply.

A SCORE OF FIREMEN INJURED.

While Fighting a Lodging House Fire They Went Down in the Ruins of the Structure.

Milwaukee, July 18.—Grace Hotel, a lodging house at Reed and Park-streets, was destroyed by fire to-night. From 15 to 20 firemen were injured, some of them seriously.

Two alarms were sent in, owing to the dangerous locality. At a time when the fire seemed to be under control, and while several firemen were in the structure to subdue what little flames were left, with 10 others on the roof, the structure collapsed, and nothing but a mass of debris was left. The firemen on the roof and those on the ladders and within went down with the ruins. It was an unexpected catastrophe. The property loss is small.

Secure your tickets—Bain's Bookstore, 96 Yonge, for Travelers' Moonlight to-night.

A Suicide's Funeral.
The funeral of Alexander Reder, who committed suicide on Friday afternoon by drowning himself in the bay, took place yesterday to the Jewish Cemetery, on Pape-avenue. A large number of the Young Men's Hebrew Association, who had charge of the funeral, were present.

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

German Empress Got a Sprain.
Berlin, July 18.—Empress Augusta Victoria sprained her foot to-day during an excursion at Bartholoma, on the Konigs-See.

Remember the Stenographers' moonlight excursion and grand concert Tuesday evening, July 25th.

Early Morning Fire.
Shortly after 2 o'clock this morning an alarm from box 142 summoned the brigade to a fire in a shed in the rear of 97 Augusta-avenue. The damage to building and contents will amount to $300. A. S. Bates of 349 Spadina-avenue is the owner of the building, and Alex. Charlebois the occupant.

Temple Cafe, I.O.F. Temple, corner Bay and Richmond St., is now open from 8 a. m. to 8 p.m. First-class service at popular prices.

The members of St. Clement's Sabbath School will picnic at Rosebank to-day. Their excursion will be carried by the Grand Trunk.

THE STREET CAR STRIKE

There Was a Riot in Brooklyn Last Night, but it Amounted to Little.

MOTORMAN AND CONDUCTOR HURT

Several Arrests Made—Linemen at Cleveland Threaten to Join the Strike.

New York, July 18.—Fewer cars were running on the Brooklyn trolley lines today than yesterday. During the night rails had been pried from the roadbeds of some branches and wires cut. The company affirms that the strike never amounted to much, and that it is less inconvenient to the corporation to-day than yesterday.

A small sized riot occurred at Sixth-street and 5th-avenue, a few minutes after 6 o'clock, in which two men were painfully but not seriously hurt. A mob of 400 persons attacked a 5th-avenue car on its way into the city at 6th-street and 5th-avenue, and Motorman Tatham and Conductor W. F. Mulcahey were pulled off the car and badly treated. Tatham had his arm broken and Mulcahey received a fracture of the nose. Several policemen who were in the neighborhood rushed to the assistance of the motorman and conductor and frightened the crowd off by firing their revolvers in the air. Three arrests were made, and in less than 15 minutes the cars were running on a headway of eight minutes.

AT CLEVELAND.

The Second Day Was Quiet and Cars Were Running—Linemen Talk of Going Out.

Cleveland, O., July 18.—The second day of the renewed strike on the big consolidated street railway system opened quietly. The tracks were not obstructed during the night, as had been the custom during the previous strike, and the company this morning began running cars at rather irregular intervals over the Euclid-avenue, Wade Park-avenue, Cedar and Wilson-avenue cross town lines. The strike is spreading. The 50 linemen of the company held a meeting last night and decided to join the strikers.

The linemen do the repairing of trolley wires and are an important factor in operating a street railway.

SURE TO BE TROUBLE.

Newfoundland Has Not Continued Lobster-Fishing Licenses to Frenchmen on Treaty Coast.

St. John's, Nfld., July 18.—The present session of the Newfoundland Legislature will close to-morrow. No legislation has been passed continuing the existing law by which the French are maintained in the right to take lobsters on the treaty coast. This failure to re-enact the measure now in force renders it certain that trouble will occur between the fishermen of the two nations when the next fishing season opens.

Two orchestras for dancing at Travelers' Moonlight to-night.

A1 Concert programme at Travelers' to-night.

Those White Felts at Dineens'.
A white soft felt hat—if it's one of those cheap imitations of white felt, is a hot, heavy and hateful thing on a white man's head, even when worn on a cool day. And such hats look, feel and smell bad when worn through the period of perspiration. At $2 and $2.50 Dineens offer the lightweight white felt qualities, which are glorified as regular $2.50 and $3 qualities elsewhere—and the newest autumn shapes in the newest autumn shades have just arrived at Dineens' direct from the makers. In the choicest qualities ever offered, at $3. In the straw hat department at Dineens' some extraordinary snaps are now offered in the fancy grades and styles of straws at $1 up.

Smoke Manhattan cigar. 10c. Try it

After Six Months' Illness.
After a six months' illness with consumption James Doherty died at his father's residence, 115 Markham-street, yesterday afternoon. Deceased was a cigarmaker by trade, and was 40 years of age.

Remember the Stenographers' moonlight excursion and grand concert Tuesday evening, July 25th.

Prof. Wheeler is President.
San Francisco, July 18.—At a meeting of the Board of Regents of the University of California to-day, Prof. Benjamin Ide Wheeler accepted the presidency of the university.

Buy Symington's Flour. At grocers 25c

MURDERING IS A BUSINESS

In One Section of Hungary Wives, Husbands and Sweethearts Being the Victims.

ONE WOMAN KILLED TWO HUBBIES

And Got Life Imprisonment—Druggist Who Supplied the Arsenic Got 15 Years Only.

Vienna, July 18.—The most sensational murder trial that has occurred in Hungary during this century was ended last evening, in the District Criminal Court of Temesvar, and everybody is surprised at the mildness of the verdict.

Nine women and three men, all residents of the little town of Szebely, in Southern Hungary, were charged with having murdered their respective husbands, wives and sweethearts with arsenic. The main instigator of all the crimes is supposed to be George Korin, the village druggist.

Dr. Johann Mayer, the village physician, who was also on trial, accused of being the principal accomplice of the druggist, has been acquitted.

One hundred and twenty witnesses testified during this remarkable trial, and it was thought that, with the customary swiftness of justice in that part of Hungary, all the accused would be sentenced to death. But none of the accused received the extreme penalty.

Marie Nikodem, the widow who was convicted of having murdered two husbands successively, was sentenced to imprisonment for life, at hard labor, while the other women were let off with sentences ranging from 10 to 15 years. The light sentence, only 15 years, received by the druggist, is most astounding of all. It was proven, in the course of the trial, that he supplied all the women prisoners with arsenic, knowing very well to what use it was to be put.

A SUSPICION OF FOUL PLAY

Bright Young Lady of Stony Mountain Found Dead in a Neighbor's Milk House.

BOTTLE AND EGG CUP BESIDE HER

Miss May Smith Left Her Father's Home on Monday Noon—Mysterious Affair.

Stoney Mountain, Man., July 18.—(Special.)—Miss May Smith, a bright young lady, about 20 years old, daughter of John Smith of Fieldheat Farm here, left home about noon yesterday and did not return. A searching party turned out last night and searched until about noon to-day, when Neil Isbister found her body in a milk house on an adjoining farm, lying on her face, dead. A bottle supposed to contain poison, partly full, was beside her; also an egg cup. There is a suspicion of foul play.

SIR JAMES EDGAR HOME.

The Speaker Was Out Walking on His Lawn Last Night—Will Go East.

Sir James D. Edgar came up from Ottawa yesterday and at once repaired to his home on Bloor-street, where everything was ready for his reception.

His son, Mr. J. T. Edgar, in speaking of his father's illness, said that he was tired out by the close attention to the business of the House and was now going to take a rest.

"There is nothing seriously wrong," he said. "Why, he was out walking on his lawn to-night."

Sir James will leave in a few days for Reach's Point, where Lady Edgar and the family are spending the summer.

PRACTICALLY ENDS THE CRISIS.

British Government Attaches the Highest Importance to the Boer Concession.

London, July 19.—The Times this morning says: The Government attaches the highest importance to the Volksraad's seven-year proposal, which is regarded as practically ending the crisis.

Quick dinners for busy people at the Coffee Houses.

The Kaiser in a Huff.
London, July 19.—According to The Daily Chronicle, Emperor William wished to come to England to attend the Queen's Birthday ceremonies, intending to spend some time in this country, but his visit was considered inopportune. Being piqued at this, His Majesty refused to come for the Cowes yachting week, which was considered a more favorable time for his visit.

Don't forget that the Stenographers hold their Moonlight Tuesday next.

Died in St. Michael's.
Miss Mary Smith died yesterday at noon hour in St. Michael's Hospital. Deceased had been in the hospital since Sunday, suffering from an internal trouble. She was 45 years of age.

Dinners served to please busy business men at the Coffee Houses.

Dewey Going to Carlsbad.
Vienna, July 19.—Special despatches received at Vienna announce that Admiral Dewey and nine of his officers will go to Carlsbad, to take the cure for gastric troubles.

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

BIRTHS.

ALLAN—At Markham, on Tuesday, July 18, 1899, the wife of A. S. Allan, of a son.

TINNING—At Venton Villa, Port Hope, July 16, to the wife of the late Herbert Tiffin Tinning, a daughter.

DEATHS.

DOHERTY—At his father's residence, 115 Markham-street, on Tuesday, July 18, James, second son of Michael and Sarah Doherty.
Funeral on Thursday, at 9 a.m., to St. Mary's Church, thence to St. Michael's Cemetery.

EVANS—On the 18th inst., at 22 Sultan-street, Louisa, daughter of the late John H. W. Evans.

BAIN—At Whitby, on Tuesday, July 18, 1899, Agnes Brown, relict of the late James Wallace Bain, in her 82nd year.
Funeral from her late residence, Centre-street, to Union Cemetery, on Thursday, July 20, at 2 p.m.

THE COMING OF THE PAPAL DELEGATE

Is Still a Topic About Which French-Canadian Bishops Are Agitated.

NO INTIMATION FROM ROME

Has Yet Reached the Quebec Prelates, and a Movement is on Foot Among Them

TO SEND PROTEST TO THE VATICAN

The Bishops Object to Having Cardinal Vaughan and the Laurier Government Run Them.

Montreal, July 18.—(Special.)—There is a rumor afloat here to-night anent the proposed action of the French-Canadian Episcopacy with regard to the coming of the papal delegate to Canadian shores. As already stated in these columns, no prelate in this province, from Mgr. Begin, the Metropolitan bishop, down, has yet the slightest intimation from Rome, officially or otherwise, that Mgr. Falconio is to be installed at Ottawa, and it requires a great stretch of imagination to believe that this slight meets with more or less resentment from the French-Canadian branch of the Roman Catholic Church.

The well accredited rumor in question is that a joint note of protest from the Quebec prelates will be sent to the Vatican at an early day, and that Mgr. Begin, Archbishop of Quebec, will be the bearer of this exceedingly important episcopal communication. As Archbishop Bruchesi is not in town, your correspondent could not get the news of the Bishop's alleged action confirmed, but an ex-Cabinet Minister declares that it is all right, and the language of Their Lordships to the Court of Rome will be both firm and energetic. The Canadian Privy Councillor, who is one of Montreal's leading churchmen, states that if Cardinal Vaughan, Charley Russell and a few London Catholics are going to enlighten the Vatican at the expense of the Canadian Church, and that if French-Canadian Catholics are to be directed through London intrigues, aided and abetted by the Ottawa Government, the sooner the bishops know the fact the better for all concerned. He says that Rome has been wilfully deceived and that time is the essence of the contract in getting the delegate to Canada.

"NOT FOR YOUR LIFE!"

Was Mayor Prefontaine's Reply to a Query as to Joining the Laurier Cabinet—Montreal News.

Montreal, July 18.—(Special.)—Mayor Prefontaine was asked to-day if he would accept office in the Laurier Cabinet without portfolio, and His Worship replied: "Not for your life!"

The old directors of the Royal Electric Company went out to-day, succeeded by Col. Strathy, Rodolph Forget and their friends.

Grand Trunk Railway earnings, 8th to 14th July, 1899, $460,718; 1898, $435,084; increase, $25,634.

His Idea.
There is a strain or constitutional indolence in Mayor Shaw, that is hard to overcome—Globe, Tuesday.

First tramp: Is dere any difference between indolent and lazy?

Second tramp: Well, I s'pose when a man's lazy what kin afford it, dey call him indolent—Adapted from Puck.

Grand Picaninny Cakewalk—Travelers' Moonlight to-night.

Travelers' Letters of Credit.
Tourists provided with Circular Letters of Credit, issued by the Canadian Bank of Commerce, are enabled to obtain funds without delay at almost any point on their journey, by means of their own cheques on the Bank of Scotland, London or the Canadian Bank of Commerce, New York, which will be cashed by the bank's correspondents at upwards of 500 points throughout the world. 135

Temple Cafe, I.O.F. Temple, corner Bay and Richmond St., is now open from 8 a. m. to 8 p.m. First-class service at popular prices.

Cool Weather.
Meteorological Office, Toronto, July 18.—(8 p.m.)—Since this forenoon a high area has appeared to the northward of Lake Superior, and, from present indications, will bring cooler weather in both Ontario and Quebec. Local showers have occurred to-day in the Maritime Provinces and also in the Ottawa Valley, but the weather generally has been fine. Great heat continues in the Northwest Territories.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 54—76; Kamloops, 62—88; Calgary, 54—86; Qu'Appelle, 62—94; Winnipeg, 62—84; Port Arthur, 56—68; Parry Sound, 58—72; Toronto, 56—83; Ottawa, 56—80; Montreal, 56—80; Quebec, 62—74; Halifax, 58—70.

Forecasts.

Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Fresh northwest and north winds; cloudy to fair and cool.

Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence—Fresh northwest and north winds; cloudy to fair and cool.

Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf—Fresh to strong westerly to northerly winds; cool and mostly fair, with a few local showers.

Maritime—Fresh westerly and northwesterly winds; mostly fair, with a few local showers.

Lake Superior—Northeast and east winds; fair and cool.

Manitoba—Fine and warm.

Oak Hall Clothiers are offering the balance of their fine stock of bicycle suits at cut prices. Call at 115 King-street east and see them.

Steamship Arrivals.

July 18.	At.	From.
Montevidean	Father Point	London
Halifax City	Halifax	London
Empress of India	Vancouver	Hong Kong
Anchoria	Glasgow	New York
Patricia	Plymouth	New York
Pavonia	Liverpool	Boston
Waesland	Queenstown	Philadelphia
Damara	Liverpool	Halifax
Dominion	Liverpool	Montreal
Laurentian	Liverpool	Montreal
Horda	Middlesborough	Montreal
Dania	Rotterdam	Wabana
Lakonia	Glasgow	Montreal

Sailed.	From.	For.
Lake Huron	Liverpool	Montreal
Miowera	Sydney, N.S.W.	Vancouver