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BRITISH AND U. S. WARSHIPS
THUNDER SALUTES TO EDWARDCrack Squadrons Gathered at New York Fire National
Salute of 21 Guns in Honor of King's Birthday.

New York, Nov. 9.—Led by the flagship Drake, with Rear Admiral Prince Louis of Battenburg on the after-bridge, the British squadron of six armored cruisers, arrived in the Hudson River early today, and came to anchor near the United States warships. The combined squadrons formed a column that stretched from Forty-second to One Hundred and Thirty-fifth streets. Thousands of people lined Riverside Park and drive to witness the arrival of the British squadron. Lined up to welcome the visitors were twelve men-of-war of the North Atlantic fleet, the flower of the American navy. Rigged out in full dress, in honor of King Edward's birthday, the spotlessly white American ships presented a beautiful picture. From stem to stern, in rainbow fashion, was strung a line of flags of all colors. Flying at the fore of each man-of-war was the Stars and Stripes, and at the main the Union Jack. The British ships were also dressed, flying the British flag at the fore and the American at the main.

New York has seldom witnessed a grander display of fighting ships. Beginning at Forty-second street, the festoon of flags seemed to wind over and under the eighteen men-of-war until it was lost sight of over the stern of the Maryland, at anchor off One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street. The British ships are anchored in regular order, the flagship Drake first, and the Berwick, Bedford, Cornwall, Essex and Cumberland below her in the order named. Above the Drake is the Maine, Admiral Evans' flagship, and up the stream in the order named, the battleships Missouri, Kentucky and Kears-

sarge; Alabama, flagship of Rear Admiral Davis; Illinois, Iowa and Massachusetts; and the armored cruiser West Virginia (flagship of Rear Admiral Bronson), and the Pennsylvania, Colorado and Maryland. There was a stiff breeze blowing, which set every bit of bunting flapping in spirited celebration of King Edward's birthday.

A Royal Salute.

A salute was fired by the Drake from her anchorage, when Rear Admiral Evans, commander-in-chief of the North Atlantic fleet, went over the side after paying a special call on Prince Louis to congratulate him on the occasion of the sovereign's 64th birthday. Admiral Evans was accompanied by Rear Admirals Davis and Brownson commanding respectively the second division of battleships and the division of armored cruisers. As the Drake's first gun rang out, a beautiful yacht, her white sides shining up the sunlight, steamed up past the column of British ships. It was the President's yacht, Mayflower, from Annapolis. The Mayflower came to anchor in a berth between the battleship Kentucky and the Jersey shore. The crowds along shore had doubled by noon when the first gun of the national salute of 21 guns boomed out in honor of the King's birthday. Before the last gun of the return salute had been fired the mighty column of men-of-war was shrouded in smoke. After lunch many visitors visited the ships. Admiral Evans having ordered that every possible facility be afforded for this purpose.

Prince Louis spent the morning making calls on the mayor and Rear Admiral Coghlan, commandant of the New York Navy yard. These calls will be returned this afternoon and tonight he will attend a dinner given by the Association of British Societies at which the commanding officers of the British and American ships will also be guests.

PRINCE OF WALES
ON INDIAN SOILImmense Crowds Greet Royal
Party Upon Its Arrival
at Bombay.

Bombay, India, Nov. 9.—The Prince and Princess of Wales arrived here today on board the British battleship Renown. They were greeted with salutes from the forts and warships and were accorded an enthusiastic reception by the immense crowds lining the sea front.

The city is filled with visitors from all parts of India. The town and people alike are bedecked in the gayest holiday attire. The Viceroy, Lord Curzon, went on board the Renown, to welcome the Prince and Princess of Wales, while a notable gathering of native chiefs, in glittering uniforms, and surrounded by their staffs and escorts, awaited the royal visitors at the landing stage.

WILL LIE IN ST. PAUL'S

Body of Late Y. M. C. A. Founder
To Be Buried There.

London, Nov. 9.—The body of Sir George A. Williams, founder of the Young Men's Christian Association, and president of its London headquarters for twenty years, who died on Nov. 6, will be buried in St. Paul's Cathedral, Nov. 14. The memorial requesting burial in St. Paul's included the names of persons prominent in all walks of life, and was reinforced by resolutions from the Council of North America, representing 400,000 members of the association, and also by resolutions from councils in many other countries.

Martyred Missionaries
Fiendishly TorturedSome Stripped of Clothing and Thrown Alive Into
River—Others Beaten to Death in Brutal Fashion.

Hong Kong, Nov. 9.—Dr. Machie, the American missionary who escaped the massacre at Lien Chow, confirming the previous accounts of the outbreak, adds horrifying details of the atrocities committed on the American women. When the disturbances commenced the mob seized Miss Chestnut and Mrs. Machie and exposed them to public view in the Chinese Temple. Amy Machie, a 10-year-old child, was carried off and flung alive into the river. The rioters stripped Miss Chestnut naked and flung her

into the river. While the two were struggling in the water three Chinamen speared them with tridents. Miss Chestnut's body and Amy Machie's head were pierced. Mrs. Machie appealed to the rioters, but they stoned her brains out, stripped the body and flung it into the river. The mob then captured Mr. and Mrs. Peale, stripped them naked, exposed them for fifteen minutes, clubbed Mr. Peale to death in his wife's presence and subsequently killed Mrs. Peale in the same brutal fashion.

TREPPOFF RESIGNS

Best Hated Man of Russ Revolutionaries Quits His Post.

London, Nov. 9.—A dispatch to Reuters Telegram Company from St. Petersburg, says that the chancellery of the governor-general confirms the report of the resignation of Gen. Treppoff.

THAT FOOTBALL MIXUP

Members of the Executive at Odds
Over Dominion Championship.

Ottawa, Nov. 9.—The Ottawa Rough Riders will play in Ottawa or nowhere. Today President Clancy received the following telegram from A. F. Barr, Toronto, a member of the Canadian Rugby Union executive:

"Hendry and I consider your action unwarranted in ordering game at Ottawa without asking our opinion. Am writing."

Clancy replied: "Your opinion was recorded by Hendry at meeting Saturday night. Cannot understand your telegram."

BROWN AGAIN REMANDED

Magistrate Creates a Sensation by
Threatening to Discharge.

Hamilton, Nov. 9.—Despite the announcement last week that the crown would insist on the charges against T. Hillhouse Brown, ex-manager of the Bank of Hamilton, King street branch, being proceeded with without further delay, another remand was granted.

Before consenting, Magistrate Jelfs, because he had not been consulted before, commented on the scant courtesy with which court had been treated, and created a mild sensation by threatening to discharge Brown.

TAKES WHITTINGTON'S JOB

Alderman Morgan Insurgate Latest
Lord Mayor of London.

London, Nov. 9.—With the time-honored ceremonies Alderman Walter Vaughan Morgan was inaugurated lord mayor of London today, in succession to Sir John Pountney. The new lord mayor went in state through the city streets to the law courts where he took the oath of office. The procession, in which the various associations of the city took part, was imposing and the route was lined by immense crowds of people. Among the floats was one typifying peace which was draped with immense American flags, a tribute to President Roosevelt's success in ending the war in the far east.

TO BUY SAWYER'S CAVE

The Owner of Labyrinth Receives an
Offer of \$15,000 for It.

Clinton, Iowa, Nov. 9.—Hallett Bishop, a real estate agent, has received an offer of \$15,000 for the property on which is located the famous Tom Sawyer cave, near Hannibal, Mo. The offer was made by Henry Blossom, the St. Louis playwright, who formerly lived in Hannibal, Mark Twain's old home.

Blossom is understood to be a friend of the humorist and purchasing the property is a matter of sentiment with him, his desire being to keep the cave intact. A matter of 270 acres is involved.

The cave is described at length in Mark Twain's "Life on the Mississippi," and is one of the natural wonders of Missouri.

WHETTER GETS A JOB

Whitney Provides a Place for an
East Middlesex Party Worker.

The Whitney axe is busy these days. The announcement is made that Mr. John L. Patterson, clerk of the ninth division court of the city of London, has been dismissed, and Mr. H. Frank Whetter, of Westminster, has been appointed in his place. Mr. Whetter formerly resided in South London, but latterly has been living on lot 23, broken front, Westminster.

Mr. Patterson was only appointed about a year ago, succeeding the late Squire Jarvis.

WITTE HARD PUT TO IT

Unable to Form Liberal Cabinet
Falls Back on Officials.

London, Nov. 9.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Daily Telegraph asserts that Count Witte has been compelled to abandon his efforts to form a cabinet composed solely of Liberals and Reformists, and to fall back on experienced officials, whose first duty will be to extinguish the revolutionary conflagration by cashiering all those officials who by connivance or otherwise are responsible for the recent outrages and massacres.

The correspondent says that General Treppoff is now likely to insist upon retiring.

BECOMES PRINCESS ROYAL

Duchess of Fife on King's Birthday
Honour List.

London, Nov. 9.—King Edward's birthday honour list was announced today. It contains few features of general interest, and chiefly concerns individuals who are rewarded for service to the crown.

The Duchess of Fife, eldest daughter of his majesty, is authorized to bear the title of Princess Royal, and her daughters to be designated as "highness" and "princesses."

Baron Windsor, first commissioner of works, is created an earl.

Baron Iveagh (Edward Cecil Guinness) is made a viscount, and Professor Howard Darwin, president of the British Association, is created a Knight Commander of the Bath.

HEARST POUNCES
ON BALLOT BOXESHeads Off Tammany Plot To
Stuff for Recount.

SENSATION IN N. Y. ELECTION

Boxes Gathered by Thousands at
Elections Board, but President
Refuses to Receive Them.

New York, Nov. 9.—Sensational developments followed rapidly this morning in the fight of William R. Hearst to contest the mayoralty election of George B. McClellan. Having secured last night an order from Justice Gaynor in Brooklyn, directing the police

department to deliver the ballot boxes to the board of elections forthwith, the Hearst men lost no time in dispatching 30 automobiles carrying men armed with the court's order to the various police stations where they demanded the ballot boxes. In most instances the officers in charge at police stations directed that the boxes be placed in patrol wagons and each lot guarded by five policemen, hurried to the office of the board of elections at West Forty-first street.

Meantime other Hearst men had gone to the home of John R. Voorhis, president of the board of elections, and arousing him, asked him to immediately go to his office and receive the ballot boxes as fast as they reached his office. President Voorhis was surprised at the peremptory demand, and was quickly informed of the court's order. Later he appeared at the window, and addressing the Hearst men who fairly surrounded the house, said that he would not go to the office of the board of elections at such an unreasonable hour, but that he would appear at his office and open the same at 9 o'clock, the usual time, today.

At 3 o'clock this morning wagons and automobiles filled with ballot boxes, police officers and Hearst watchers began to arrive at the office of the board of elections and an hour later West Forty-first street in that vicinity was fairly impassable. Unable to get rid of their charges there was nothing for the police to do but to await the opening of the office and as every twelve or fourteen boxes were guarded by five policemen a most impressive array of officers were soon in evidence. As the morning advanced the remainder of the 8,000 boxes continued to arrive and Hearst watchers as numerous as the police helped to swell the crowd which was further added to as the report spread that some startling political move had been made necessitating a great body of officers at the office of the board of elections.

When they failed to secure the presence of President Voorhis, the Hearst men called upon A. C. Allen, chief clerk of the board, at his home. Mr. Allen could do nothing for them, and he expressed the opinion that the order had resulted from a misunderstanding. He said that a literal compliance with the order would be impossible, as the 8,000 ballot boxes used in Greater New York could not by any means be gotten into the room occupied by the board. He could give no advice as to the immediate disposition of the fast-accumulating boxes, and thought that there was nothing to do but to await the opening of the board's office, and let President Voorhis decide what to do with them.

It was said this morning that the sudden move made by Mr. Hearst last night followed a report received by him that a printing company had been at work Tuesday night printing ballots. The report was further, to the effect that the ballot boxes were to be opened while in the hands of the police and stuffed. Mr. Hearst decided to act at once.

The order secured from Judge Gaynor directed the police commissioner and all his subordinates in the five boroughs to turn over to the board of elections the boxes.

THE WEATHER.

Tomorrow—Fair and Cold.

London, Thursday, Nov. 9. Sun rises, 7:03 a.m. Moon rises, 4:12 p.m. Sun sets, 5:09 p.m. Moon sets, 4:18 a.m. Toronto, Nov. 8-9 p.m.

The weather has been fair from British Columbia to Manitoba. Elsewhere it continued unsettled, with light falls of rain or snow in most localities.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 42-56; Edmonton, 34-58; Calgary, 25-56; Qu'Appelle, 34-38; Winnipeg, 12-22; Port Arthur, 20-31; Pelly Sound, 9-26; Toronto, 32-40; Ottawa, 32-34; Montreal, 34-38; Quebec, 32-34; St. John, 22-46; Halifax, 32-38.

FORECASTS. Thursday, Nov. 9-8 p.m. Today—Fresh northwesterly to westerly winds; fair and cold, a few local snow flurries.

Friday—Moderate winds; fair; not much change in temperature.

TEMPERATURES.

Stations.	8 a.m.	Min.	Weather.
Calgary	24	28	Fair
Edmonton	34	28	Fair
Winnipeg	24	24	Rain
Port Arthur	20	24	Rain
Toronto	34	30	Fair
Montreal	32	22	Fair
Quebec	32	22	Snow
St. John	32	22	Snow
Halifax	32	22	Snow

WEATHER NOTES.

Since yesterday morning snow or rain has again occurred in most localities from the Atlantic to British Columbia. The snowfalls being locally heavy in northern sections. Fine, mild weather prevails from Manitoba to British Columbia.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the local observatory for the 24 hours ended at 8 p.m. Wednesday were: Highest, 37°; lowest, 23°.

JUDGMENT IN SAUNBY VS. LONDON;
SOLICITORS DIFFER AS TO EFFECTPrivy Council Hands Down Decision, Which Is Not Interpreted the Same by
Counsel in the Case—Damages Main Question.

After eight years' litigation, the suit of Saunby vs. the water commissioners of London was brought to a close today, when the privy council in London awarded the plaintiff damages for six months previous to the commencement of the action and full recompense for all costs incurred.

City Solicitor Meredith and Mr. C. H. Ivey, solicitor for the plaintiff, today received word to this effect.

The cable received has not quite cleared up the situation, however.

The city solicitor, from the information he has received, maintains that the text of the judgment is as follows: The plaintiff Saunby is to be reimbursed for costs of the action.

The water commissioners are restrained from putting up the flashboards to a height which will affect the water at Saunby's mill. In other words the commissioners must not back water up to the Saunby premises

in order to secure power to pump water into the reservoir. The plaintiff is awarded damages for six months previous to the commencement of the action, but no damages since the action was begun.

On this latter clause Mr. Meredith and Mr. Ivey do not agree. Mr. Ivey maintains that the judgment lays down the law that the plaintiff is entitled to damages for six months previous to the commencement of the action, and for every year since, which means damages for six years. Mr. Meredith disputes this.

If the city solicitor is right, it means that Mr. Saunby's verdict is not a very serious one for the city. If Mr. Ivey is right, it means that the bill of costs will be materially increased.

According to the latter contention, it is not improbable that the damages and costs will total in the neighborhood of \$20,000.

The judgment does not dispute the

city's right to erect and maintain the dam at Springbank, and thus the city is solid in this regard.

The verdict deals simply with the flashboards. When Mr. Saunby declares the city is backing up the river and to the detriment of his power, then the boards must be lowered.

In this regard, Superintendent Moore, of the waterworks, says that only in the case of a flood would the flashboards back up the water so as to interfere with Mr. Saunby's millrace. Thus the clause in regard to the flashboards does not materially affect the power problem at Springbank.

It is now within the city's power, under the judgment just handed down, to at any time begin proceedings for the expropriation of the Saunby mill property, and when once the proceedings are initiated, Mr. Saunby cannot order the flashboards down.

The damages in the case will be assessed by the master at Toronto.

OPPOSE TEN-YEAR CONTRACT

C. P. R. Object to Allans Having
Mails for So Long a Period.

(Special to The Advertiser.)

Ottawa, Nov. 9.—A protest has been received by the Government from the Canadian Pacific Railway against the Allans getting the ten-year contract for carrying the mails. The C. P. R. say that they intend improving that service across the Atlantic as well as across the continent and the Pacific, and it would not be desirable for the Government to tie itself up to a ten-year contract. The speed on the Pacific is to be changed from 12 to 17 knots, making the time between Vancouver and Hong Kong 16 days instead of 21. The time across the continent is about from six to four days, and the Atlantic voyage will be between five and six days. The C. P. R. wants to be in a position to tender for the mail service when the Allan contract expires.

BAD MIDNIGHT BLAZE

Big Furniture Establishment Wiped
Out at Kingsville, Ont.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Kingsville, Nov. 9.—About midnight fire broke out in Richard Gregory's big furniture establishment and utterly destroyed it, despite prompt action on the part of the firemen. The Union block, adjoining, was saved with difficulty. As it was, Mayhew's harness shop was badly damaged by fire and water. Gregory's loss is \$17,000, of which \$12,000 represents the value of the stock. Insured for about half, Mayhew's loss is estimated at \$15,000.

MUTINY IN RIO DE JANEIRO

Garrison Goes On Strike but Later
Surrenders to Authorities.

Rio Janeiro, Nov. 9.—The garrison of the fortress of Santa Cruz at the entrance of the bay has mutinied. It is believed that the mutiny would be quickly suppressed.

Rio Janeiro, Nov. 9.—The mutinied garrison in the fortress of Santa Cruz surrendered to the authorities today.

BOERS GETTING \$15,000,000

Some Dissatisfied With Distribution
of the Repatriation Fund.

Johannesburg, Nov. 9.—The distribution of the free grant of \$15,000,000 promised the Boers by the treaty of Vereeniging at the close of the Boer war for repatriation and other kindred purposes is now proceeding. Some of the recipients are dissatisfied because previous advances are deducted from the sums they receive, as they had expected to be allowed to repay such advances at their own convenience.

Supplies for the North.

Ottawa, Nov. 9.—The Government steamer Neptune is at St. Johns, Newfoundland, after delivering Mounted Police and Hudson Bay supplies at Churchill, Fullerton and other points in Hudson Bay. Major Moodie reports ice and weather kept him from putting into Churchill, but he was able to land supplies where they can be obtained.

Heroes of 1812.

Toronto, Nov. 8.—United Empire Loyalists waited on Premier Whitney this afternoon with a view to securing the aid of the Government in the erection of memorials to perpetuate the memory of heroes of the war of 1812. They want a grant towards a monument for Col. John MacDonnell, who was attorney-general of Upper Canada at the time of the war, and who fell with Brock at Queenston Heights. They also want a monument for Tecumseh, the great Indian chief.

TRIPLE DROWNING

CAUSED BY A DOG

London Hunters Lost Their
Guides While Deer Hunting
in Haliburton.

Mr. Daniel Hartson, of lot 2, con. 3, London Township, arrived home last evening from Haliburton, whither he went about the first of the month for a few days' shooting. His son and Mr. George W. Lyne, of Midland street north, who accompanied him, are expected home in a day or two.

Mr. Hartson will never forget his deer-shooting trip of 1905, for it was attended by the death by drowning of three men who had been secured by the Londoners as guides. They were Arthur Wensley and Thomas Ingles, of Eagle Lake, and Claus Arnberg, of Bobcaygeon.

The Londoners and their guides were starting out at noon one day, and as the first part of their journey was to be made in canoes, it was proposed that the guides and Mr. Hartson, sen., should go in one, with the younger Hartson and Lyne in another. The three Londoners preferred to go in their canoe, and this alone is the cause of Mr. Hartson, sen., being alive to day. The guide had some dogs in their canoe, and when the journey was partly covered, one of the dogs—a green hunter—started to jump around in the frail craft, upsetting it and resulting in the loss of the three guides. The Messrs. Hartson and Mr. Lyne assisted in the search for the bodies of two of which they recovered. The third, however, has not been found.

By the upsetting of the canoe Mr. Lyne lost a valuable rifle.

Octogenarians Suicided.

Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 9.—William M. Rock, 81 years old, and Albee Oakes, 87 years of age, committed suicide by hanging themselves from a tree in the park. They had been friends for years and both had suffered reverses. The old men met Tuesday and cast their votes. Their bodies were found in different parts of the city.

That San Domingo Riot.

Washington, Nov. 9.—The navy department has been advised by cablegram that the cruiser Denver left Guantanamo yesterday for San Pedro Marcos, San Domingo, to which place Rear Admiral Brandford was ordered to send a warship because of reported trouble. The Denver should reach there today.

The department has also been advised that the Rear Admiral Brandford's vessel yesterday with his flagship, the cruiser Olympia, from Guantanamo, for San Domingo city.

The war department has received a cablegram from Col. Colton, who is chief of the Government agents in San Domingo, dated at San Domingo, Nov. 8, which says:

"Everything perfectly quiet."

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BLOODY MUTINY AT CRONSTADT;

SAILORS PUT CITY TO TORCH

Troops Battle With Mutineers and Machine Guns Now
Down Scores—Britishers Are in Peril.

London, Nov. 9.—A dispatch to a news agency from St. Petersburg says on fire. The fighting lasted all night long.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 9.—It is reported that a massacre occurred at Cronstadt last night, and that the infantry, using machine guns, fired on the people. The city is reported to be in flames, and communication with St. Petersburg is interrupted, but the telegraph lines are working.

The British embassy here has requested Gen. Gromoff to protect the British subjects at Cronstadt.

ENGINEERS SAID

TO BE UNEASY

Differences With G. T. R. Still
Unsettled—Will There Be
Strike?

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers has had a committee at Montreal for several days past endeavoring to have some grievances adjusted and a new agreement made with the Grand Trunk.

Several conferences have been held with the authorities, but latest advances are to go out at a moment's notice. The Brotherhood has a large fund for strike purposes, and then, if necessary, it will have the cooperation of the firemen, conductors, trainmen and switchmen.

With very few exceptions the engineers located in London belong to the brotherhood.

STRIKE ON IN MONTREAL

All the Shoe Factories Except Those
With Union Contracts Affected.

Montreal, Nov. 9.—War has been declared by the Montreal Leather and Shoe Union against every shoe factory in the city with the exception of the Ames-Holmes Company, the Slater Shoe Company and the J. & J. Bell Company, and two of three smaller concerns. These firms are protected because they have contracts with the International Brotherhood of Foot and Shoe Workers, which were made some time ago. The union stamp is marked on all goods they manufacture with union labor.

Charles P. Smith, vice-president and general manager of the James McCready Company, Limited, the largest manufacturer of shoes and shoes in the Dominion, said this morning that the shoe manufacturers had been most unfairly dealt with by the union. He said at the conference Friday it had been agreed to arbitrate the matter, and the union had treated them in a most high-handed manner by ordering a strike without giving them a moment's warning, or without waiting to have the difficulty settled by arbitrators, as had been agreed upon.

All the factories affected were known as "open shops." E. W. A. O'Dell denies that the manufacturers have been unfairly treated. "Every effort," he said, "had been made to bring about an amicable settlement, but without avail." Some of the manufacturers, he declared, had gone so far as to try to force men to sign individual agreements, and this the men would not stand for.

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