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STRATFORD'S SPIRIT IS FOR PROSPERITY

Public Sentiment Making Itself Felt in Industrial and Commercial Development

By Coleman

Stratford, July 2.-London's city by the local board and city officials. Ottawa that he intends to sue his twentieth century the way to get beneficial industries is to go after grow at the rate of over 1,000 peoe a year since 1902, and a conserative estimate places its population 30,000 people within the next ten

Stratford's present population is beeen 14,000 and 15,000 people. Its essed value is over \$6,500,000, an rease of \$1,000,000 over last year. here were 200 new homes built last ear and that number will be surssed this year.

Energetic work by a live board of ade and the hearty co-operation of council for the city's growth and Ifare are responsible for this grating condition of affairs to the citins of Stratford. For ten years the stood still with 8,000 population, it is solely through the efforts of board of trade and the backing the city officials that Stratford is ling the greatest boom in her his-

most energetic men in the city. McIlhargy, is president; W. J. The city officials are: Mayor W. clever work. Roberts and C. McIlhargy; city men. R. R. Lang; treasurer, Wm. collector, Wm. Hepburn: city Russell Stewart. J. A. county judge, James O'Loane, agistrate; J. A. McCarthy,

olice, and R. H. Myers, chief re department. blic buildings of Stratford e largest and most handsome stern Ontario. They consist of library is one of the

one for the Y. W. C. A. technical training school, the said to be the first in Ontario. rge public schools are not able after all the scholars and a e will be erected. All are conon the most modern plan. are twelve churches and a Sal-Army barracks. The churches of two Presbyterian, Knox

being one of the largest in two Methodists, two Episco-Catholic, a Baptist, Congre-German Lutheran and the Evangelical Churches. vater supply is unsurpassed

and is obtained from a of wells and big springs. A an always be secured from Avon, which rises six miles passes through the city. is dammed and forms a nd vishing resort in the heart ford. Splendid engines furssure, the plant being owned and the fire department lern fire-fighting paraphernaelectric light plant is a pricern and obtains part of its om the falls at the dam. rd is greatly interested in the power question and will be ne first cities in the province strong bids for it. The city are confident that they can escaped. heir industrial progress with vation of Niagara power. eady have a number of profrom outside firms who will Stratford if the city can ob-

the leading industries of the ch employes over 1,200 men. nd Trunk repair shops. The also a large roundhouse ployes over 100 men. The of the G. T. R., between nd Sarnia, passes through tinued on Page Nine.

-SAME TEMPERATURE

ry, Toronto, July 2, 8 p. m.— r has been generally fine and y in all portions of Canada, light scattered showers have Ontario and Southwestern

ocal Temperature.

and maximum temperatures: 65-76.5; Dawson, 44-72; Vic-Edmonton, 50-84; Calgary, Albert, 52-80; Qu'Appelle, eg, 56-78; Port Arthur, ud, 54-78; Toronto, 61-81; ilities.

PECULIAR ACCIDENT

Young Man Choked to Death Between Wagon Wheel and Stone.

Dunchurch, Ont., July 2. - While teaming to the James Bay Railway, about thirty-three miles from Parry Sound, Jas. McEwen, a young man, Lord Strathcona, Sir Charles Violent Scenes During Diswas thrown from his wagon. His neck caught between the wheel and a stone, choking him to death. No definite particulars received as yet.

for Surrender of Letter.

Ottawa July 2.—(Special.)—Mr. Strat ord during the past four years T. R. Preston is telling his friends in In 1902 the Stratford board of trade Allan Steamship Company for \$60,000 was reorganized. It has since been damages for the surrender of his letter omposed of men who believe that in by Mr. Ennis, the company's agent in Liverpool, basing his case on the evihem, and to keep in pursuit of them dence given by Mr. Alf. Jury in his ntil it lands them for Stratford. The examination in the North Atlantic esult is that this city has commenced Trading Co. investigation before the

Hill Before Cheering Thousands

Ottawa, July 2.-The Seventh Fusiliers of London left for home tonight

but this morning on Parliament Hill the visitors trooped the colors in the oney, vice-president ; J. Steele, sec- presence of some 3,000 spectators, and ry; and W. M. Maynard, treasur- won unstinted encomiums for their

Cerguson: Aldermen, J. C. Mon- Col. Little was in command, and Col. , Dr. E. H. Eidt, S. J. Mallion, Hodgins, D. O. C., No. 4 district, re-Gordon, J. D. Hamilton, A. Wad- viewed the Regiment, and warmly W. S. Dingman, Jacob Keller, praised the soldierly bearing of the

The visitors were perfect gentlemen, and would be welcomed back. Not neer W. R. Parsons; inspector of one was guilty of an indiscreet act, which is saying a lot.

HOBBS LEAD LONG CHASE

Detectives Covered Thousands of Miles

After Big Defaulter.

New York, July 2.-David Hobbs, the endid post office building, a city former customs inspector, employed by and court house building. The the Canadian Pacific Railway at Monbest treal, arrived in this city several weeks ed in the province in its out- ago as a fugitive from justice on a books and a new building is charge of perjury, was formally arraigned ted. There is a large and well- today before United States Commissioner ped Y. M. C. A. building and a Alexander and remanded to the Tombs prison, pending the arrival of extradie is a fine collegiate institute tion papers from the secretary of state. It is said that Hobbs was short in his accounts to the extent of more than \$30,000 and that in securing the money he executed and swore to many false reports as to the number of cars and cas-

sengers examined by him. Hobbs led the

KINGSTON'S DOMINION DAY. Kingston, July 2.-The holiday was quietly enjoyed here. The 14th P. W. O. Rifles left for Albany, N. Y., at eight in the morning, looking decidedly fine, going away in better form than ever before. The Oddfellows and Scotchmen had picnics, but rain at two o'clock effected the attendance. Crowds from here attended the demonstrations

at Napanee and Gaananoque. THIEF BECOMES MURDERER.

Springfield, Ill., July 2.-After beating down Police Sergt. Fehr, who at- ice manufacturers upon whom wartempted to arrest him for stealing a rants were served last week charging bicycle, an unidentified man seized them with conspiracy to raise the the sergeant's weapon, which had fal- price of ice waived a hearing to-day, through the heart of Ben Lederie, a each to answer in court. bystander, who attempted to aid the policeman. The thief then jumped into a buggy standing in the street, whipped the horse into a gallop and Canadian Zionists today elected Clar-

BABIES ARE PERIL TO NATION IOWAIANS FOR RACE SUICIDE

Novel Convention to Thwart Roosevelt Preachment

is to be held here on July 25 for the purpose of putting in nomination a full ticket and formulating a platform advocating "race suicide."

President Roosevelt will be attacked for causing big families by his hostility to "race suicide." It will be de- the people are all slaves, to keep con- ter. clared that the only way to "down the trol of the slaves it will be necessary

births, and, to emphasize our belief ton and A. McCleneghan. From Major on many important questions, we call Hamilton several rifles and swords a mass state convention of bachelors were taken. Forest City, Ia., July 2.-A state and bachelor ladies, July 25, 1906, to Nowell has been remanded for convention of bachelors and old maids nominate a full state, legislative, con- week. gressional, and judicial ticket to be voted on at the November election." In a reply to President Roosevelt's preachments against race suicide, which will be read at the convention, Mr. Merrick says:

trusts" is to reduce the population, so that the people will have a better chance for a good living and be better the convention is called by Clinton Merrick. chairman of the "old bachelors" committee," and quite well known over the state as the "king of "known over the people will have a better that they should be weakened by an increase in number.

Quebec, July 2.—Dominion Day was racing trains. This had become a new peril to transatlantic traveling, though the sea, and it is safe to say it woo the sea, and it is safe

BIG DOMINION DAY BANQUET OVERSEAS

Tupper and Others Speak of Canada

PRESTON ASKS BIG DAMAGES (Canadian Associated Press Cable.) London, July 2.-There were over 350 To Sue Allan Company for \$60,000 at the Dominion Day banquet at Hotel Cecil, Lord Strathcona chairman. W. Among the numerous guests present Queen and the Rest of the Royal

> Earl Jersey proposed "The Imperial example the Empire should follow. Admiral Hopkins, responding to the same toast, said, when he was addressing Canadians, he was not addressing strangers. He referred to the C. P. R. steamer having beaten the Cunard

Dominion of Canada," referred to Sir Charles Tupper as one of Canada's greatest men. Lord Strathcona said the Canadians at Bisley and Henley, and Trooped Colors on Parliament the Commercial and Medical Associati, which would visit Canada, would by the Dominion closer to the Em-Lord Elgin, in responsible to the right to share in the affection the Lord Elgin, in responding, claim-Canadians had for their country, as he was a Canadian born. He congratulated Sir Charles Tupper, as to-day was his birthday. In referring to the freedom of the British citizen, Lord Elgin said there was no better ex-

> Collin Campbell, attorney-general. Manitoba, proposed "Our Guests."

> ample to-day than the French-Can-

London responded. A very large number of those at the banquet afterwards journeyed westcona chose the Imperial Institute for the "At Home," as the Society of Water-color Painters in Piccadilly had with Lord Strathcona's receptions, everything was carried out in the best style. The Bisley team was present.

ICEMEN'S ATTORNEYS ARE SENT TO JAII

Toledo, New York and Philadelphia Ice Dealers in Dire Trouble

Toledo, O., July 2.—Convicted of mis- members that an attempt would conduct in the trial of the ice men, Alexander Smith, another attorney, detectives a chase of thousands of miles was sentenced to pay a fine of \$250. expiration of an hour. The sentences were suspended until Thursday to give the attorneys an opportunity to show to the circuit court that their charges against Judge Kinkade are true. The three men sentenced are the most prominent attorneys at the Toledo bar.

> New York, N. Y., July 2.-The board of aldermen today adopted a resolution requesting the district attorney to begin criminal proceedings against the officers of the American Ice Company for criminal conspiracy to advance the price of ice.

Philadelphia, Pa., July 2.-Thirteen

ZIONIST PRESIDENT. Toronto, July 2.-The Federation of

the industries, large and small, and that they should be weakened by an

CZAR'S MINISTRY YIELDS TO DOUMA (LIBERTY OF CONSCIENCE AND FREEDOM OF MEETING) ACCEPTING LAWS OF LOWER HOUSE

cussion of Proposal to Abolish Death Penalty-Parliament Breaking Up in Dis-

St. Petersburg, July 2.-Interior Minister Stolypin, wno more than any other member of the cabinet seems to be tras to appease Parliament by the at tude of frankness, publicly announced today on behalf of the Government that after an examination the Government is prepared to accept the laws which the Lower House i considering for establishing liberty of Forces." He said Canada had set an conscience and freedom of meetings and associations.

Fresh disorders are reported to have occurred among the sailors of the eighteenth division, who were the Lord Strathcona, proposing "The ringleaders of the Crondstadt mutiny.

outbreak arose ostensibly ow mere pretext. Nevertheless the demands of the men were satisfied and the trouble is said to have subsided.

Wild Scenes of Disorder.

The afternoon sitting of the Lower House of Parliament today, which was devoted to the discussion of the law death penalty, broke up in utter disorder when General Pavloff, the military procurator, attempted to address Bishop Ripon and the lord mayor of the House in behalf of War Minister

His appearance in the Tribune was ward to the Imperial Institute to Lord the signal for an outburst of cries Strathcona's "At Home." Lord Strath- "murderer," "assassin," "organizer of Jewish massacres," etc., from the membeen found much too small. As usual the entire left joined. They pounded their desks, shouted, whistled and resorted to every violant means of show-

General Pavloff, after listening to the storm for several minutes, turned to President Mouromtzff, bowed and left the tribune.

M. Mouromtzff, who appeared be thoroughly angered at the demonstration, endeavored to quell it with his voice and the violent ringing of his bell, but abandoned his fruitless task and left the chair, signifying that the session was adjourned.

Later word was passed among the made to resume the session at the

Albert Nowell Caught Stealing Had Plunder at His

Home

Woodstock, July 2 .- (Special.) - An arrest which promises to explain a by Chief Zeats and High Constable bert Nowell, a machinist living on on time to Plymouth. ence I. De Sola, of Montreal, president. into custody. Canterbury street, this city, was taken

Nowell was arrested while engaged in stealing goods from the factory of Bean and Weatlake, where he has been employed for some time. An examination of his home revealed dozens of articles stolen from prominent Woodstock homes during the past year. Two van loads were brought to the 'King of Bachelors' Calls bachelors.' In his call, Mr. Merrick police station. The lot included household effects stolen from M. W. Wilk-"Some of us believe that race sui- inson's last November, J. G. Wegecide proper is caused by too many nasts, C. R. Stanbury, James Hamil-

RUPTURE CONFIRMED

reachments against race suicide, thich will be read at the convention, Mr. Merrick says:

"Now, after the monopolies have all the industries, large and small, and he industries, large and small, and he industries are suicide, Madrid, July 2.—Premier Moret today confirmed the report of the rupture of Spanish commercial relations with Switzerland and France. Jules Cambon, the French ambassador at Madrid, is conferring with Premier Moret on the mat-

DOMINION DAY AT QUEBEC.

IN BRITISH HOUSE

London, July 2.-When asked today to follow the example of the Congress of the United States and give the House of Commons an opportunity of recording its opinion regarding the massacre of Jews in Russia, Premier Campbell-Bannerman said: "The recent events in Russia to which the honorable gentleman, who publicly drew attention, have aroused the strongest feelings in the House, but I am not at all sure that to adopt the unusual course suggested would serve any useful purpose, or that it might not add to the difficulties in Russia."

Boat Train Wreck Puzzles Engineers Seek for Cause

Survivors—Inquest Begun But Adjourned

Salisbury, Eng., July 2.—The scene of yesterday's disaster to the American line special from Plymouth, having on board the passengers who were York, presents little evidence today of the havoc wrought by the wreck of the express train, all the wreckage having been cleared away.

The engineering staff of the railexplanation for the immediate cause of the derailment, but thus far have been unable to do so or are not ready to say to what the catastrophe is ately after the injured. He died at 1.30 attributable.

No further deaths have been recorded, but Robert S. Critchell, of Chicago, and Miss L. S. Griswold, of Heath, near Epsom, passed a bad

Miss Margaret Rask, of Norfolk street, Park Lane, London, whose limbs have been amputated, and E. cock, of New York, passed a fairly well looked for by the authorities. good night and are doing well.

Inquest Adjourns. The inquest began at 3.30 this afternoon. Only formal evidence was taken and the inquiry was then adjourned for a fortnight. The bodies of the dead were still in the waiting rooms of the railroad station this available the identification of the dead will be made by the doctor and

purser of the New York. The bodies of the American victims are being embalmed for conveyance home

E. W. Sentell rallied somewhat as the day advanced and after consultation with the doctors, the chaplain of the infirmary was allowed to convey to him the news of the death of his wife, son and two daughters. The heartrending tidings overcame the old gentleman and a serious relapse followed, but restoratives were successfully administered.

Replying to the sympathetic conolences of the American consul, Mr. Sentell said: "I will try to show you that I am a man, although I have seventy years to bear."

SPEED MANIA KILLS.

London, July 3.-While the engine of the railway company refuse to disclose their belief as to the cause of Sunday's disaster, there is no possibility for doubt as to the cause of the ters, of Leamington, was very well wreck. It was the result of reckless known in Chatham until his appointlen in the scuffle, and sent a bullet and were held by a magistrate in \$7,500 large number of burglaries in Wood- running in an attempt to make a new record against the competing road. There has been competition for the last two years between the Great Cox early yesterday morning, when Ai- Western and London and Southwestern

Mad Attempt to Beat Record.

The Great Western last week took a party of German editors from London to Plymouth, 240 miles, in about four and one-half hours, establishing a new record. The Southwestern attempted to beat this last night, with the resulting death roll.

The distance run from the start to the scene of the wreck, 146 miles, occupied 147 minutes.

The first portion of the journey from Plymouth to Exeter is over heavy grades, where the speed was necessarily lower. There is a straight run of twelve miles before Salisbury is reached, and this is taken at a flying pace at the station, and it was in the middle of this that the train jumped the track. It is clear that the speed was not re duced, and the comparatively light English engine and cars could not stand the strain.

Some of the railway officials at Salisbury estimated that the speed of the train at the time of the accident was 74 miles an hour. There are many who are willing to testify to the terrific vibration and discomfort of these

Serious Condition of Several | The inquest into the affair will open tomorrow afternoon. Secretary Carter and others belonging to the American embassy went to Salisbury today on a special train to attend to the interests of the American victims. Mr. Carter severely commented on the

A fine story of pluck is told of Chick, the fireman of the stationary engine, into which the express dashed. Terribly scalded as he was when brought out of the wreckage, Chick refused to be carried on a stretcher to the infirmary. Doctors and a few stretchers

had just arrived, but the fireman said: "Look to the others who are worse hurt than me. I can walk." Deceived by his fortitude, the doc-

tors allowed him to go, and the plucky fellow actually walked to the infirmary, where he collapsed at once. When he recovered he asked immedithe same afternoon.

TWO BODIES UNCLAIMED.

London, July 2.-Albert Swain, the American consul at Southampton, telegraphed to the ambassy from Salisbury this evening that only two ing over to the Owen Sound oranch to bodies were unclaimed; that all the escape detection. injured were doing well; that six embalmers had been employed; that the in a dangerous condition at the in- coroner's identification of the bodies in a dangerous condition at the incoroner's identification of the bodies of the American victims was complete and that everything was being firm and Miss May Hitch-

TORONTO VICTIMS OF WRECK

Toronto, July 2.-The body of Mr. C. A. Pipon, general agent of the North Atlantic steamship combination, who was killed in the railway disaster at Salisbury, England, will be brought to Toronto for interment. It is probable that the body of Mr. Walter Barwick will also be brought here, but the final arrangement has been left with the widow, who is at present in Gloucester, Massachusetts. The funeral of Rev. E. L. King, of St. Thomas Church, the third Toronto victim, will take place at Salisbury

THRASHER ARRESTED ON THEFT CHARGE

Sarnia Collector, Formerly of London, Accused of Serious Offence

Chatham, July 2.-(Special.)-Mr. Walter Thrasher, the Sarnia collector of inland evenue, who has been arrested on a charge of stealing \$200 from Robert Winment to a government situation in London, and his friends congratulated him when he was removed to Sarnia at a greatly increased salary. He was while here a great worker for the Liberal the city until late Wednesday night. party and in partnership with S. B. Arnold, who is now secretary of the Conservative Association for West Kent. Thrasher's wife was a Miss Kemp and the family have always been very favorably known here. His friends say that matters will certainly be cleared up in good time, and many of them refused to elieve the news when the nature of the harge was made known.

Shocking Murder Discovered on Wiarton Branch Near Chesley

Chesley, Ont., July 2.-(Special.)a passenger on the northbound train on the Wiarton branch of the G. T.

R., Saturday night, it is believed. Two women, resident in the village, were walking along the Grand Trunk tracks Sunday evening, when they were herrified to see lying beside the rails the body of a female child, probably,

six weeks old. Some men near by were notified, and dertakers, where later the coroner viewed them. It was discovered that reckless speed which caused the acci, the infant's mouth was badly burned with carbolic acid, and there were a number of contusions on the body, indicating that it had fallen or rather had been thrown from a passing train. The clothing on the child leads to

the belief that it's parents belong some city. The clothes were near factory linen, finished with some d ty ribbons. The body was well no

poured into the child's mouth shortly before it was dropped from a car window or platform.

No clue has yet been obtained as to the identity of the inhuman perpetrator of the crime. Steps have been taken to secure information from trainmen and passengers on Saturday night's train. It is presumed that the guilty person has doubled back from some point north of here, possibly go-

An inquest is being held.

KILLED IN BATTLE

Natal Revolt Continues Serious With Desperate

Fighting Durban, Natal, July 2.—The aNtal revolt continues to be serious. A heavy engagement occurred Sunday outside Noodsberg, a small force of Natal volunteers and disaster being averted only by the

inteers. The rebels were finally di MUST SPEND \$5,000 IN DAY.

Reno, Nev., July 2 .- President J. E. Stubbs, of the University of Nevada, had the unique experience forced on him yesterday of having to spend \$5,000 in a single day in order to prevent it reverting to the United States treasury. Congress had appropriated \$5,000 for the purchase of material for the experiment station, but by some error the amount had to be expended within the fiscal year ending June 30, 1906. President Stubbs after a strenuous day spent the money.

CANADIANS AT ALBANY. Albany, N. Y., June 3 .- The 14th

Regiment Princess of Wales Own Rifles of Kingston, Ont., arrived in Albany late to-day, 400 strong and will remain here as the guests of Col. R. E. Kent is in command of the regiment, which will have the right of line in the big parade on the Fourth of July.

FAMOUS SINGER DIES. London, July 2. Manuel Garcia, professor of singing and inventor of the laryng goscope, died here yesterday. He was born March 17, 1805.

HAROLD WREN HIT BY FLYER DIES IN THE HOSPITAL LATER

Moving Express at Rectory Street Crossing

Harold, the 10-year-old son of John Wren, of Egerton street, met fatal injury at the Rectory street crossing of Grand Trunk Railway last night.

There is a long but not sharp curve Lad Rushes in Front of Fast, keep back, but they did not heed his

The train struck the Wren lad and hurled him to one side of the track.

The watchman and some trainmen picked up the unconscious lad and laid him on the grass near the chemical works. Dr. English was hastily summoned, and had the boy removed to Victoria Hospital, where with Dr. Drake he made an examination. They found that both legs, the left arm, the lower jaw and the skull had been fractured, and, besides, there were several

ugly scalp wounds. The patient never regained consciou ness, and passed away about 11 He is survived by his f