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WITHOUT OPPOSITION.

Hon. Mr. Laurier and Seven of His Colleagues Returned—A Reception Preparing.

The Premier Said to Have Sent a Delegate to Negotiate in Manitoba.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, July 30.—Hon. Mr. Laurier wired the Liberal Association to-day his consent for arrangements being made for a reception to be given him here on August 5.

The election of eight ministers to-day by acclamation leaves four besides two in the Senate and the vacant portfolio of the Interior to be provided for. Hon. Mr. Tarte's nomination has been postponed until August 3, Hon. Mr. Fielding's in Queen's-Sheburne until the 5th. Hon. Mr. Blair will probably go into the Senate until a Commons vacancy occurs in New Brunswick, and Hon. Mr. Patterson will probably run for North Grey. The writ for the bye election in North Grey will not be issued until the ministers arrive in the Capital so that returning officers may be appointed at once by order-in-council.

TORONTO, July 30.—(Special)—The Montreal correspondent of the Mail says: It is stated here that shortly after the elections a prominent gentleman was despatched to Winnipeg by Premier Langevin to see what could be done towards reaching an amicable settlement of the school question. The report of this gentleman was so satisfactory that it made Hon. Mr. Laurier believe that a settlement could be reached within a short time, and in his St. John's speech he publicly announced that it would be settled within six months. It is also stated that previous to leaving St. Boniface for Rome, Mr. Langevin appointed three clergymen to act in his behalf in connection with the royal commission on the school question and to submit all the evidence necessary. It is, moreover, said that the Archbishop, being most anxious to have the question settled, is prepared to stretch a point to arrive at a fair compromise with the Manitoba government, and left instructions to his representatives to that effect.

A big picnic was held at Newcastle to-day in honor of Hon. Mr. Mulock's return. WINNIPEG, July 30.—(Special)—Nothing is known here regarding the statement of the Toronto Mail, alleging that shortly after the election a prominent gentleman was despatched to Winnipeg by Hon. Mr. Laurier to see what could be done towards reaching an amicable settlement of the school question. An effort was made to secure one of the local ministers to-day in order to ascertain if there was any truth in the report, but no information could be secured as all the Manitoba ministers are at present absent from the city on their holidays. A number of local clergy here were interviewed as to the contents of the dispatch. Those spoken to, while they do not speak officially, discredit the story. One of them remarked that the North-west Review, which is the official organ of the Archbishop, in a recent issue, stated editorially that nothing less than separate schools would now satisfy His Grace, and that as far as he knew the

SICKENING IN DETAIL.

Fearful Railway Accident in New Jersey—An Excursion Train Crashed Into.

About a Hundred Persons Killed or Wounded—Telegraph Operator Arrested.

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J., July 30.—A horrible railway accident occurred this evening just outside of this city. The Reading railroad express, which left Philadelphia at 5:40 this evening for Atlantic City, crashed into a Pennsylvania railroad excursion train at the second signal tower, about four miles out from here. The Pennsylvania train was loaded with passengers and a rough estimate of the killed and injured is not yet made. The signal tower the tracks of the two roads diagonally cross. The Reading train was given the signal, but it caught the excursion train broadside, and ploughed through it. The engine of the Reading train was shattered to pieces. Edward Farr, engineer of the Reading train, was killed outright, as was another roadman who rode on the engine. This man, whose name has not been learned, saw the collision coming, and leaped from the cab an instant before the crash. Almost at the same instant the engine cut its way through and caught him directly in its path. A member of the excursion party thus describes the experience:

"When we saw that a collision was unavoidable the scene in our car was terrific. People rushed in a mad panic for the door. The third car was cut right in two and the lower portion of it lifted bodily from the track and tumbled over. Every car was crowded. It is horrible to think of the numbers who must be lying under those ruins. The roof of one of the cars fell in a mass and everybody in that car was buried under it. It is simply indescribable the scene. I think there must have been fully 30 or 40 killed."

An Associated Press reporter says the scene was wildly picturesque. Staggering masses of broken timbers, with burning lanterns to help their way, described the conquest for political power as being of paramount importance and called upon workmen of all countries to unite and be independent of all bourgeois political parties and delegates to universal suffrage, one man vote, a second ballot and a national and local referendum.

LONDON, July 30.—The House of Commons to-day adopted a motion made by the Secretary of State for the Colonies, Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, to appoint a committee to inquire into the administration of the British Chartered South Africa Company. The motion included a provision offering by Sir William Verelstam, Liberal leader, that the committee also inquire into the origin and circumstances of the raid of Dr. Jameson and his companions into the territory of the South African Republic.

The Home Secretary's orders, that Dr. Jameson and his companions are to be treated as first-class misdemeanants, mean that, though confined, Jameson and the others will live as in their own bachelor quarters. Already comfortable and has been held in suspicious readiness while last night the prisoners sipped on luxuriant champagne. As Willoughby remarked: "This is a heap better than we got from old man Kruger."

This treatment of the convicts will likely cause a storm of indignation and protest throughout the country, as it practically amounts to a reversion of the sentences which have been directly approved of by every paper in England, save the Times and a few minor sheets under the control of the Rhodes syndicate.

SATOLLI'S SUCCESSOR.

WASHINGTON, July 30.—When the news of the appointment of Father Martinielli as papal representative in this country was communicated to Cardinal Satolli this afternoon he paid his tribute to the great esteem in which the Superior General is held, but was inclined to question the Pope's having taken action at this time on the matter. The Cardinal is without official advice as to the appointment. Father Martinielli was born over fifty years ago and immediately after his graduation from the school in which he was placed he joined the Augustinians. For a time he was attached in a consulting capacity to one of the congregations at Rome. He rose rapidly in authority, and several years ago was given the appointment to the office he now holds. As superior general he has charge of the interests of the Augustinians throughout the world, and about him is grouped a council of the affairs of the organization. Father Martinielli has visited this country only once. This was about two years ago, and on the course of a stay of several months he visited the apostolic delegate's residence and the Augustinian bodies in Washington, Philadelphia and a number of other places.

LMA, Ohio, July 29.—At the L.A.W. circuit meeting to-day George C. Oriehler, of Griebler, St. Paul, Minn., was killed in the half-mile open event. He was spurting to try and pass the bunch, and went over the bank, landing on his head. He died twenty minutes later. Thirteen men started in the contest in which Griebler lost his life.

DEATH AND DEVASTATION.

Denver, July 29.—The fact is becoming known here that last Saturday's flood entirely destroyed the Catekill branch of the Union Pacific, Denver & Gulf road, forty miles in length, running from Trinidad, Colo., to the Maxwell land grant in Mexico. It was known that the road was disabled, but the wires being down the extent of the damage was not learned till a party of inspectors came in. So complete has been the destruction of the road bed, the receiver said to-day he thought the line would be abandoned and a new survey made over a more desirable route. The line is a valuable one, as nearly all the railroad ties used in this section of the country come from the vicinity of Catekill.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., July 29.—The stories of death and devastation from the awful storm which swept over Northern Pennsylvania on Monday night continue to pour in. Four more drownings are reported and another victim of the Sugar Grove accident is not expected to survive to-day. This will make the death list 115. The destruction of property is particularly heavy in Warren, and Lafayette counties, and will probably reach a million dollars.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, July 29.—Specials to local papers from numerous towns in this state and Indiana and Kentucky report that a destructive wind and rain storm raged for several hours this afternoon; bridges were swept away and the crops in the low lands have been badly damaged.

MONTREAL MATTERS.

MONTREAL, July 30.—(Special)—A disastrous fire early this morning did \$40,000 damage to the stock and premises of Howden Clark & Co., wholesale hardware merchants, 32 St. Peter street. The stock was completely ruined. A second and severe fire broke out at the exhibition grounds, entirely destroying the main building, machinery and nearly all the exhibition buildings. They were almost fully insured. The result of the fire is likely to put an end to the proposals for an international exhibition for 1897. The damage done to the buildings will amount to at least \$150,000. The origin of the fire is unknown.

At a meeting of the Butter and Cheese Association, at Montreal, George Sandfield Macdonald, son of the late Hon. Field Macdonald, representing the Patrons, urged that the government be asked to make inquiry into the policy of the Australian and Argentine governments in regard to the export of fire arms and other products to the British markets. The chairman, he is stated, wanted to know how it was these countries were beating the Canadians in the British markets.

Arthur Dagnon, a telephone lineman, while working on the company's poles on McGill street, came in contact with a live wire and fell forty feet to the ground. When picked up he was dead.

YARDE-BULLER DIVORCE CASE.

LONDON, July 29.—The divorce suit brought by Mr. Walter Yarde-Buller, brother of Baron Churston, against Mrs. Leilah Yarde-Buller, daughter of the late General R. W. Kirkham, of San Francisco, Cal., came up in the divorce division of the High Court of Justice to-day. Sir Francis Henry Jenne, presiding judge.

The verdict found the respondent not guilty of adultery, and that Mr. Yarde-Buller was guilty of cruelty and not guilty of adultery. The respondent was granted a decree of judicial separation with costs.

The case against Gadsden, the co-respondent, was dismissed.

SAID TO BE CONTRABAND.

TORONTO, July 30.—(Special)—Sixteen cases of guns, containing 300 pieces, on their way to this city, consigned to Charles Irwin, customs house broker, from a Belgian firm, will be detained at this port, pending an investigation, as they are applied to the government that the regulations in connection with fire arms passing through a country when a war is in progress, be enforced. It is suspected that the arms are for the Cuban insurgents. Irwin says that the guns are a regular war booty, and will be distributed throughout the western part of Canada. The customs authorities will make an investigation.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 29.—S. D. Worden, the railroad strike, charged with wrecking the railway bridge near Sacramento two years ago, thereby causing the death of Engineer Clark and three United States soldiers, must hang. The court to-day handed down a decision in which it affirms the judgment of the Superior court where Worden was convicted.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U.S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

VISITING GLADSTONE.

American Manufacturers at Hawarden—Morley on Arbitration—Germany in Africa.

King Menelek Preparing for Another Movement—Panic in Zurich—Fighting in Cuba.

LONDON, July 30.—One hundred members of the Manufacturers' club, of Philadelphia, paid a visit by appointment to Mr. Gladstone at Hawarden to-day.

The next issue of the Nineteenth Century will contain a letter by John Morley on "Arbitration with America," in which he says: "It will be ridiculous or criminal if the Venezuelan affair ever becomes more than a petty question." He gives extracts from the recent blue book and finally suggests as a precedent the French-Dutch dispute regarding the Guiana boundary, in which the Caracacas was decided in favor of the Dutch, but without prejudice to the rights of the bona fide French settlers. The rest of the article is a strong and eloquent plea for the creation of a permanent tribunal of arbitration. The Berlin correspondent of the Times reports that Dr. Carl Peters, formerly chairman of the German Colonial Society, has quit Germany, probably for good. The correspondent adds that this will put an end to the inquiry into Herr Bebel's charges against him, which resulted in his resignation as chairman of the German Colonial Society. Herr Bebel made the specific charge in the Reichstag that Dr. Peters, while he was imperial commissioner to Africa, in 1891, caused a negro and negroes to be hanged without trial to the nearest tree, because they were intimate with each other.

The Novoe Vremya, the official newspaper at St. Petersburg, publishes an article stating that King Menelek of Abyssinia, in connection with the Italian towns along the Red Sea, in the fall of 1895, had offered to cede to Italy all the Italian colonies, Russia and France will demand from England a settlement of the Egyptian question. Bickford Smith, the antiquarian society of London, has been appointed by the Duke of Westminster to distribute the English and American distilleries funds in Crete.

A powder magazine at Funckirchen, the capital of the county of Baranay, Hungary, exploded this morning with fatal results. The shock of the explosion was terrible. The town hall was almost completely wrecked, and other buildings in the vicinity were badly damaged. So far as known five persons were instantly killed and eighty injured. Later investigation shows that the explosion was more disastrous than was at first reported. It is not known that more than 100 persons were injured, but it is thought a large proportion of them will die.

The Italians in Zurich, Switzerland are in a state of panic in consequence of riots growing out of the killing of a Swiss by the Italians during the attack on the Italian quarter, where serious excesses were committed. Landlords who have Italian tenants are putting them out by wholesale, hundreds sleeping in the forest, in the adjacent town, and about the bivouac fires of the troops who occupy the streets of the town, but there is a general exodus of Italians and 6,000 are besieging the railway stations to get away, besieging the railway stations.

The Italian armored warship Roma, about 5,800 tons displacement, was struck by lightning yesterday and caught fire. The flames threatened to set fire to the magazine and it was found necessary to sink the Roma by discharging torpedoes at her. She was built in 1885, of 3,000 horse-power, 268 feet long, had a speed of about 13 knots, carried two 23 centimetre guns and a dozen rapid firing guns of different calibres.

Advices received in Paris from Madagascar, report that a caravan of two Frenchmen and three Englishmen have been massacred by the Fahlavos near Ambolipiana. An important engagement has been fought near Gabriel, Havana, by a column under Col. Perot, made up of the provisional battalion of Cuba and the lost 45 killed among them the well known leader Juan Bino Zayas. The insurgent leader was identified and was exposed to the public, being placarded as that of a general. The troops lost in the engagement one killed and a lieutenant and fourteen soldiers wounded. The insurgent leader Gustavo Carrera has been shot at Baracoa.

Captain-General Weyler has published a decree that all foreigners will be compelled to register upon landing at Havana. Antonio Maceo is perplexed at the different versions in circulation regarding his brother's death, and is said to be anxious to ascertain the manner in which Jose Maceo was killed.

On the anniversary of President Carnot's death President Faure, who was accompanied by M. Meine, paid a visit to Carnot's tomb in the Pantheon. Pupils from the Ecole Polytechnique left a wreath of roses and pansies, and in the course of the day no fewer than 75,000 persons passed before the tomb.

Lord Russell, chief justice of England, at one time had an annual income from his profession of \$150,000. He is a keen sportsman, and used to be fond of spending his vacations at Monte Carlo. The correspondent of the Times at St. John's, Nfld., reports that the public accounts show that the surplus was announced at the end of the year was largely fictitious and was due to the employment of expeditious hardly justified by honest financing.

Como, in Italy, is the birthplace of Alessandro Volta, and will celebrate in 1899 the one hundredth anniversary of his invention of the voltaic battery by an electrical exhibition and congress.

DIED AT HIS POST.

ATLANTIC CITY, July 31.—Engineer Edward Farr, who died with his hand on the throttle, was taken out of the train wreck early this morning. With the utmost difficulty his fingers were unclasped from the lever. He had been pinned down by the chest and apparently met instant death. Almost every bone in the body of one of the male victims was broken when taken from the ruins, and many are so frightfully mangled they are beyond recognition.

Ranged along on either side of the stagnant pool which marks the scene of the accident are stacked little heaps of hats, caps, gloves and other articles of clothing found on the ground. The pitiful mementoes of the disaster were guarded by a small force of railroad men and the city police. From early dawn excursion parties travelled to the scene of the wreck and conveyances were almost at a premium. The larger number of these excursionists were women who were disappointed at not being able to witness the removal of some mangled corpses.

The arrest of Wm. Thurston, the telegraph operator at the signal tower, confirms the story that the mistake in the display of signals was the first cause of the disaster. This is purely conjecture, however, as the arrest may be a mere formality.

PHILADELPHIA, July 31.—The Reading express which left the Brighton excursion train in two was one of the fastest regular trains on the system and classified among the flyers. Its coaches were comfortably filled and was running at the usual rate of speed at the time of the accident. The engine struck the second passenger coach, the excursion train with terrific force. The coach struck was converted into a tangled mass of splinters and the occupants into a mass of blood and flesh. Scarcely one passenger in it escaped death or fatal injuries.

TORONTO TOPICS.

TORONTO, July 29.—(Special)—William Fullerton, of the Rossland camp, B.C., a representative of several gold mining companies, arrived in the city yesterday for the purpose of floating stock for development purposes. Mr. Fullerton says he expects to see in the near future 200 or 300 paying mines in actual operation in the Rossland district.

The Board of Trade excursion to the mining districts of British Columbia promises to be a huge success. Enquiries from members who want to accompany the party are pouring in, and there is every prospect of a large party leaving here on August 10. Some members of the Hamilton Board of Trade will also join the excursion.

Mrs. Elizabeth Spence, a well known W.C.T.U. worker, died here yesterday of pneumonia, aged 70. She was the widow of Jacob Spence, a well known temperance worker, who died suddenly four years ago.

The enquiry into the recent collision at Thamesville, Kent county, in which Engineer Booth was killed, has resulted in the temporary suspension of the crew of the freight train concerned.

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The Westside.

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