

AROUND THE CITY HALL

"No Quorum" at Yesterday's Session of Investigation into Alleged Sewer Graft Charges.

With no quorum present the Notre Dame de Grace sewer investigation was adjourned yesterday afternoon sine die upon motion of Controller Cote.

The Board of Control will not hold another tramway meeting before the middle of next week.

Controller Hebert announced yesterday that he was also comparing notes on the situation from his point of view.

KNIGHTHOOD FOR TRAMWAY EXPERT

Sir Albert Stanley, Born in England, Got His Practical Knowledge in States.

Among honors recently conferred by King George was that of knighthood on Albert H. Stanley, managing director of the London Underground Electric Railway, London United Tramways, Metropolitan District Tramway and London General Omnibus Co.

Stanley was born in England, but came to the United States a good many years ago, and began his rapid transit experience with the Detroit City Railway in the days of the horse-car.

He had held various positions in London as general manager of the Underground Railways, Ltd., and in 1910 he was also made managing director of the London United Tramways.

Those people who are always contending that there's always room at the top haven't looked at the thermometer lately.—Southern Lumberman.

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NEWS OF WORLD

TOLD IN BRIEF

Ulster Question has Produced Lively Newspaper War in London

BOAT COULDN'T RISE

Lieut. Porte Pessimistic Over Chances of the American Suffragette Board's Royal Automobile in Perth Scotland.

The Ulster question has provoked at least one lively war—a newspaper one. As a rule each London morning paper professes to ignore the existence of competitors.

The Mail this morning accused the Liberal papers of suppressing the Ulster question. The Daily Telegraph, on the other hand, declared that the Northern section of the Tory press is deliberately creating a "scare" which has no basis in fact.

Editorially the Mail replies to the charges of the Liberal papers that it is concocting scare news by charging that the Liberal Press is suppressing news from Ireland.

After two unsuccessful attempts of the America with large floats for lifting surfaces, Glenn H. Curtiss returned last night to the plan of using balloons to enable the America to climb out of the water.

Another death from the bubonic plague in New Orleans was announced yesterday by public health service officers, making a total of twenty cases and three deaths since the outbreak of the disease on June 27th.

The first gun in the battle about to be waged concerning the rights of women to be admitted to membership in the local Court House, was fired at the local Court House yesterday, when Mrs. Annie McDonald Langstaff presented a petition asking that she be authorized to bring an action to enjoin against the Bar Association of Montreal.

A militant suffragette, uttering an exultant yell, sprang on to the footboard of an automobile which King George and Queen Mary were driving through the streets of Perth, Scotland.

The woman, who was identified as Rhoda Fleming, from Glasgow, was seized the handle of the door of the royal automobile before the momentary paralyzed police were able to act.

When Chief of Police Taylor, of Toronto, boarded the steamer Cadillac in connection with Captain Sullivan in connection with a wage case, Sullivan maintained that no British officer had a right to get aboard an American vessel.

Francisco Carbajal, chief Justice of the Supreme Court, took the oath of office as foreign minister yesterday.

The Chamber of Deputies will meet Monday to discuss the presidential election. It is understood they will be declared null and void, but what further steps will be taken in connection with the elections is a matter of conjecture.

A price of \$400,000 is reported to have been paid in Paris by Sir Frederick Cook for Titian's "La Schiavona."

A WARNING PARALLELS DRAWN BETWEEN MAIKOP FIASCO AND WILSON'S BELLS

Correspondent of Journal of Commerce Analyzes a Couple of Representative Prospectus and Recalls Incident of Maikop Failure After Most Optimistic Predictions

It is too pertinent to ask what he knows of the geology of the Calgary oil-belt and he has read any of the books and articles on oil and oil-finding by Mr. Cunningham Craig? Else, how can he pretend to be the illustrious sage, than the man-in-the-street buttonholes and importunes to buy his wares?

To depart from descriptive generalizations, let me take the prospectus of the Calgary and Sweetgrass Oilfields Limited. This company sets out with a million-dollar capital, of which it offers 300,000 dollar-shares to the public at half-price.

The latest of these offices, or rather, look-up stores, are sandwiched together in Adelaide Street and their windows are decked out with bottles of refined oil, which is advertised as having been gathered from the Dinagman well.

It has amused me to test the knowledge of the amateur geologists in the play-bill, and each ounce of fact may be stated is interlarded with a pound of sales braveries.

For instance, it states that thirty days will prove the Alberta Oilfields. What of it? It signifies nothing to the investor, unless he is a geologist.

The prospectus of the Acme Oil Company is not a prospectus, but a play-bill. It is short and sweet like a play-bill, and each ounce of fact may be stated is interlarded with a pound of sales braveries.

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It is a pity that Canadians were unable to observe closely the debacle which overtook the Maikop oil boom in London. The very thing in the above prospectuses that I particularly criticize, burst the Maikop bubble about a year ago.

There will be no British competitors in the American open golf championship at Chicago next September.

GLEANED FROM MANY SOURCES

Mayor Martin has bought a span of horse at a reputed value of \$3,000.

Two pilgrims are said to have abandoned their crutches at the shrine of St. Anne de Baupre.

Philip Snowden, Labor member of the Imperial Parliament, sailed from Liverpool on the Allan line Virginia for an Empire tour via Canada.

Two persons were seriously injured when an automobile truck crashed into a plate glass window at Ontario and Sherbrooke streets yesterday morning.

A fierce electric storm took three lives and caused property damage of at least \$100,000, near Scranton, Penn., yesterday afternoon.

Harvey Hall, the parliamentary representative of the Order of Railway Conductors in Canada, may be named one of the new Canadian Senators.

The steamer Invermore of the Reid-Newfoundland Company, was reported ashore near Brig Harbor, on the Labrador coast yesterday. No reports of her condition have been received.

Between fifty and sixty motion picture films, among them one of 5,000 and three of 4,000 feet were passed up yesterday by the Board of Control.

Lieut. Porte's representative is scouring the Newfoundland coast to find a good cove to be used as a starting base for the approaching Atlantic flight.

W. H. Adams, of Toronto, has been appointed general secretary of the General Reform Association of Ontario, to succeed Mr. F. G. Inwood, who recently resigned.

The State of Washington has adopted a minimum wage law requiring that all shop girls receive a minimum wage of \$10.00 per week, and factory girls not less than \$8.99 per week.

Joe Martin, who sails for Canada today, says that he has not yet decided whether he shall seek election to the Dominion Parliament, but that he has no present intention of returning to England.

Rev. George Eays, President of the Bristol Free Church Council, sails from England by the Royal Edward on the twenty-ninth of July, to fulfill lecturing engagements in Montreal, Chicago, Toronto and Boston.

The Trent Valley Canal will be opened from Peterboro to the Bay of Quinte this fall, and next spring a regular service will be established. The new section of the canal from Balsam Lake to Lake Simcoe will be deepened.

Altoona, Pa., doctors by the use of thyroid glands of sheep, are developing Jules Schroeder, a dwarf, of Hollandsburg, four year old, into natural proportions.

Rev. Dr. William B. Palmer, of St. Louis Christian Advocate, before his death, waived his property rights to a \$10,000,000 estate and gave it to the poor.

Osse Schreckengost, famous as the battery mate of "Rube" Waddell on the Philadelphia American baseball team, died in Philadelphia.

Bryan Chandler, "the million dollar kid" must pay his wife \$50 a week alimony and also pay her \$500 as counsel fees to prosecute her suit for separation.

Smoking opium, valued at \$5,000 was taken in a raid on a Chinese laundry in Brooklyn.

BASEBALL RESULTS

INTERNATIONAL Toronto, 3; Montreal, 2; Buffalo, 3; Rochester, 2; Providence, 1; Jersey City, 0; Newark, 8; Baltimore, 0.

NATIONAL Chicago, 11; Boston, 7; St. Louis, 2; New York, 0; Philadelphia, 0; Pittsburgh, 2; Brooklyn, 11; Cincinnati, 5.

AMERICAN Philadelphia, 3; Detroit, 8; Washington, 8; St. Louis, 1; Cleveland, 7; New York, 2; Boston, 5; Chicago, 1.

FEDERAL Pittsburgh, 5; Brooklyn, 3; Baltimore, 4; Buffalo, 0.

AMERICAN FAILURES THIS WEEK

Commercial failures this week in the United States, as reported by Dun and Co., are 233 against 173 last week, 335 the preceding week and 349 the corresponding week last year.

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Recommendations of Lord Mersey Will Have Careful Consideration of Officials of Government.

(Special Correspondence) Ottawa, July 13.—The judgment of the Empress Disaster Commission

which has been formally placed in the hands of the Government by Lord Mersey, who is as the Capital for a few days, will receive the immediate attention of the Government, with a view of putting into effect certain of its recommendations.

When Hon. J. D. Hazen returns, a meeting of the Lighthouse Board, whose jurisdiction extends to supervision of navigation on the St. Lawrence, will be consulted, and it will consider particularly the recommendation of the Board that pilots, instead of being appointed and taken on at a common point, should get on and off at different points for incoming and outgoing steamers, so that the avenues of traffic will be separated.

The Board of Trade is recommending the recommendation in connection with the closing of bulkheads in case of fire, and the concurrence of the British Board of Trade is necessary before recommendations are acquired in 80 for any action in connection with the disaster is concerned, clear what action the Government here can take. The findings of the Board are not operative in that they impose penalties of any kind.

SCORES Mellen Management (Special to Journal of Commerce) Washington, July 12.—The report of a investigation by the Interstate Commerce Commission into the New Haven Railroad presented to the Senate today scores Mellen management, and suggests that directors be held criminally responsible for the seventy million dollars of indebtedness which was a direct result of waste and mismanagement. The report under Mellen's presidency was characterized as corrupt monopoly, and it is charged that the directors were criminally negligent of their duties.

POLICEMAN SHOT TO DEATH (Special Correspondence) St. John, N.B., July 13.—Special policeman James Leary, who was shot on Monday last by John Braman, aged 17, a burglar suspect, died in hospital here, early this morning.

GAS IN NEW BRUNSWICK Moncton, July 13.—In pursuance of a progressive programme outlined by Mr. J. Henderson, president of the United Gas Company, for deepening of several wells, in natural gas and oil-fields at McLaughlin, Mr. A. Crichton, manager of the company, reports that a well, in deepening, well No. 35, Friday night, a gas sand was struck, giving a flow of 2,000,000 cubic feet.

Paris special to the Journal of Commerce says that notwithstanding phenomenal success of new issue of French notes, markets are bad or apathetic due to unprecedented abundance of cash.

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