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TEN PAGES—ONE CENT

60,000 DOCK LABORERS OUT

Meat Trade in London Seriously Threatened

Encouraged by Success of Seamen The Strikers Demand Increase of Two Cents an Hour—No Disorder of Any Kind

London, Aug. 2.—Dock laborers to the number of 60,000 went on strike yesterday. The seaman's strike which was settled some time ago, convinced the dockers that they could also obtain their demands by similar action, and, as a result, strikes have occurred in various shipping ports in England and Wales. London hitherto has not been seriously affected.

BELIEVE WOMAN WAS MURDERED AND THROWN FROM JOY LINE STEAMER

Boston, Mass., Aug. 2.—Satisfied that Mrs. Lillie C. Nickerson, of Jamaica Plain, whose body, believed to have been thrown from the Joy line steamer Georgia, was found off the Rhode Island coast last Thursday, was murdered, W. B. Greenough, Attorney-General of Rhode Island, has ordered an inquest. Dr. Stinson, Medical Examiner, who performed autopsy on the body, believes the woman was slain. The autopsy showed that her skull had been fractured, and the absence of water in the lungs shows that she was dead when she went into the sea.

ENGINEER KILLED

Clarkburg, W. Va., Aug. 2.—The New York and St. Louis fast train on the R. & O. railroad, was wrecked early today. Three miles west of Salem, W. Va., engineer F. W. Dunnington, of Gratton, was killed instantly, and Fireman James A. Miller, of Gratton, was so badly hurt he died in the hospital here.

WEATHER BULLETIN

9 A. M. WEATHER REPORTS. Temperature Past 24 Hours. Max Min Dir Vel. Toronto... 88 61 E. 6 Cloudy Montreal... 88 70 S.W. 4 Clear Quebec... 74 58 N.E. 12 Cloudy

COUNT METTERNICH



FRENCH ARE UNEASY OVER SITUATION

Press Criticizes Government's Course in Negotiations With Germany—Premier Denies That Kaiser's Soldiers Crossed Border and Were Arrested

Paris, Aug. 2.—Official denial was given by Premier Caillaux to the report published here yesterday that six German soldiers had crossed the French frontier from Lorraine, and after cutting the telegraph wires two of the Germans had been arrested by French soldiers and taken to the prison at Longwy, Alsatia province.

LATE SHERIFF'S FUNERAL LARGELY ATTENDED

Held in Trinity Church This Afternoon at 3 O'clock—Many Beautiful Floral Tributes

The funeral of Sheriff, which was held from Trinity church this afternoon at 3 o'clock was largely attended and the ceremony was conducted by the Rev. Archdeacon Raymond, assisted by Rev. Andrew Grey, of Peke Island. The hymn "Now the Laborer's Task is O'er" was rendered by the choir and the 39th Psalm was chanted. The chief mourners were Owen Ritchie, of Ottawa, and Hazen Ritchie, of Peterboro, Ont., brothers of the late sheriff and Mrs. D. D. Robertson, of Rothesay, a half sister. The pall bearers were George McAvity, John E. Moore, T. T. Knight, Hon. A. T. Dunn, W. A. Ewing, and A. W. Adams. The city council and the Barrieters society walked in a body.

AVIATOR KILLED

London, Aug. 2.—Gerald Napier, the aviator, was killed at Brooklands yesterday. He was flying in a Bristol biplane with a passenger and a gust of wind struck the machine when it was near the ground. The passenger was thrown clear and not badly injured.

DAMAGED BY GALE

Machiasport, Aug. 1.—Wrecks, boats and staves were damaged to the amount of several thousand dollars by the northeast gale of Friday night, and for the next two or three weeks the sailing business on the eastern Maine coast must suffer in consequence. Such a gale at this season was wholly unlooked for and the fishermen were totally unprepared to withstand it.

CANADIANS HEIR TO BIG LUMBER ESTATE

Edward Rutledge Leaves Two-Thirds of Fortune to Twelve Nieces and Nephews—\$1,000,000 for Charity

Chippewa Falls, Wis., Aug. 2.—The will of Edward Rutledge, a lumber manufacturer, admitted to probate yesterday, disposes of personal property approximating \$3,000,000.

HACK WILL NEED THE MINERAL WATER

Russian Lion Makes Elaborate Preparations For Championship Wrestling Match

Chicago, Aug. 2.—George Hackenschmidt, the Russian wrestler, who is matched to meet champion Frank Gotch on Labor Day has made elaborate plans to complete his training. In a letter to his manager, Jack Curley, received yesterday, Hackenschmidt outlined his plans. He will sail from Southampton for the United States on August 9 and will bring with him ten cases of special spring water obtained in France. B. F. Roller, chief trainer; Johann Kotch, a German athlete; M. Coleman and a German chef, who will prepare all the food.

ST. MARYS POSTMASTER DIED THIS MORNING

Eliza Vanwart Passed Away at Age of 72—Rhodes Scholar Home on A Visit

Fredonia, N. B., Aug. 2.—Ralph Spierman, Eliza's husband, a brother-in-law of the late John Brinkley, of Oxford, arrived home this morning to spend a few weeks at his home.

GERMAN LEGATION AT TEHRAN OBJECTS TO PAYING MR. SHUSTER

Teheran, Aug. 1.—Count Quadt, the German minister here, has addressed a note to the Persian government protesting against the payment of the ransom of the German captives held in Teheran through Mr. Morgan Shuster, the new treasurer general, in the name of the Persian government. The note declares that such action would be contrary to the convention between Germany and Persia.

NEW Y. M. C. A. SECRETARY ATTENDED CORONATION

A. R. Pixley, of Springfield, Mass., who arrived in the city a few days ago to take up the duties of boys' secretary in the local Y. M. C. A., returned but a few weeks ago from England, where he was attending the coronation festivities along with six other pupils from the Y. M. C. A. training school at Springfield.

WRECK INQUIRY

Houlton, Me., Aug. 2.—(Special)—Very little was done at the hearing before the railroad commissioners at Millinocket during the morning session. There were three witnesses, J. P. Darling, Coroner. Nutter of the express train, and another. The hearing was adjourned till afternoon.

INCENDIARISM AND HORSE THEFT

Westmorland County Farmer Meets Heavy Loss

Moncton, Aug. 2.—(Special)—Another horse stealing case is engaging the attention of the authorities in Westmorland. A considerable quantity of farm machinery and live stock. Another man named Belliveau, about one quarter of a mile away, also had his horse stolen.

NIobe ABLE TO PROCEED TO HALIFAX

Halifax, N. S., Aug. 2.—(Special)—A despatch from the Niobe this morning says the stern of the Niobe rose seven inches during the night, a gain of 300 tons in weight. The Niobe is at work and the weather is thick.

MOTION BEFORE SYNOD TO ARRANGE DIVISION OF MISSIONARY WORK

Judge Ermatinger to Propose Negotiations for Making Agreement Among Church Bodies of Canada

Toronto, Aug. 2.—The general trend of the religious bodies toward church union on at least toward a working agreement, is shown by the following motion which Judge Ermatinger, of St. Thomas, has introduced in the synod of the Methodist Episcopal Church in London next month, resolving that a standing committee of both churches be appointed to investigate and formulate a plan for defining territorially or otherwise the fields of operations of the respective churches and taking the necessary steps to carry the same into effect.

CAUSE OF ASYLUM FIRE

Hamilton, Aug. 2.—The cause of the asylum fire which yesterday morning cost \$500,000 has been put down to defective electric wiring. It broke out in the ceiling of the eastern wing of the eastern wing and worked into part of the main building and was confined to the two top floors. It was extinguished by the fire department.

STRIKING MINERS IN MEXICO OFFER REWARDS FOR MANAGER'S DEATH

El Oro, Mex., Aug. 2.—Mine managers today learned that 3,000 pesos have been offered to any one who will assassinate Frank Jenkins, the assistant manager of El Oro Mine, and \$100,000 each for the life of his brother William J. Jenkins, and James Dunn, mine experts. All are Englishmen and have remained here in the interests of their company.

CUSTOMS RETURNS

Inland Revenue receipts at this port for the month of July show an increase over the same month last year. The figures are: Spirits... 1010. 1911. 811,210 815,677. Cigarettes... 732.00 627.70. Raw Tea... 36,931 35,785. Other Receipts... 1,932.56 2,170.43. Total... \$15,503.34 \$16,183.98.

BOSTON & MAINE LOSES THIRTY FREIGHT CARS

Fire at Nashua Junction, N. H., Destroys \$60,000 Worth of Freight and Rolling Stock

Nashua, N. H., Aug. 1.—Thirty freight cars containing a large amount of freight and two transfer sheds at the Boston & Maine freight depot at Nashua Junction, two miles east of here, were burned today causing a loss estimated at \$60,000. The railroad officials could not give even an approximate loss being unable to determine the value of the freight in the destroyed cars. Between 40 and 50 box cars in which there was much merchandise, and which were in the yards at the time the fire originated, were saved, shifting engines, hauling four trains out of danger.

DIES IN NEW YORK

Noel Scovill, Only Surviving Son of Mrs. D. P. Chisholm, Passes Away at Age of Thirty-five

The many friends of Mrs. David P. Chisholm will learn with great regret of the death which occurred yesterday at Rockville Centre, Long Island, New York. Mrs. Chisholm's only surviving son, Noel Scovill, died at the age of thirty-five.

WESTERN CROP GOOD BUT LATE; NO SIGN OF BLACK RUST VISIBLE

Winnipeg, Aug. 2.—(Canadian Press)—In the last of the fortnightly reports which it has been securing from correspondents in all parts of the western provinces the Free Press will say today. Speaking generally the crop is good, but rather late. It has made fair progress since our report of July 15, but wheat is generally a week or two later than it should be.

SON OF JUAREZ TRIMS NEPHEW OF DIAZ

Mexico City, Aug. 1.—Benito Juarez, a son of Mexico's first reform president, was today elected governor of the state of Oaxaca. His chief opponent was Felix Diaz, a nephew of ex-President Diaz. It is rumored that the election will be contested on the ground that Senor Juarez is a non-resident of the state.

NEW YORK PASSES FIVE MILLION WORK

New York, Aug. 2.—(Canadian Press)—The population of New York city passed the five million mark on August 1, according to figures prepared by the health department. The statistician estimates that the city now has 5,000,400 residents, a gain of about 120,000 for the past year. The official figure of the United States census for 1910 was 4,706,803.

PETER MAHER COMES BACK WITH CLEAN KNOCK-OUT

New York, Aug. 2.—Peter Maher, an old time prize fighter, put Jim Dougherty, many years his junior to sleep early in the first round in a bout before the Fairmount A. C. last night. The fight was less than a minute old when a blow to the jaw sent Dougherty down for the count.

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AROUND THE WORLD IN 29 DAYS

Paris, Aug. 2.—(Canadian Press)—Jager Schmidt, the representative of Excelsior, the new Paris illustrated daily newspaper, who is attempting to make a trip around the world in twenty-nine days, left Yokohama for Vancouver on the Empress of Japan yesterday. Schmidt is on time, sailing on the steamer which he was scheduled to take when plans for the journey were made in Paris.

EDITOR IS ATTACKED BY WOMEN

Western Newspaper Man Escapes With His Life Only by Drawing Revolver—In Revenge For Insulting References

Danville, Ill., Aug. 2.—(Canadian Press)—Frank H. Gutnick, an editor at Westville, Ill., yesterday attacked and beaten in the street by women who were enraged by references made to them and their daughters in his paper. As the editor's spectacles had been smashed he drew a revolver and by threatening to shoot escaped to the home of a friend.

ABERNATHY KIDS OFF FOR 4,000 MILE RIDE

New York, Aug. 1.—From Coney Island to the Pacific coast on horseback is the trip which is being undertaken by the Abernathy boys, the two little veterans of the saddle who last year rode into New York from Oklahoma. It was one minute after midnight when Louis Abernathy, 11 years old, and his brother Temple, four years his junior, started on the trip which will take them 3,000 miles. If they make the ride in 60 riding days and abide by certain conditions, they will receive \$5,000.

ST. JOHN WRECK VICTIM BURIED YESTERDAY

The funeral of Lawrence Gallagher, who was killed in the recent railway disaster in Maine, took place yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from his parent's residence at Torriburn. The body was taken to the Roman Catholic church at Rothesay where funeral services were conducted by Rev. D. S. O'Keefe. Three brothers and three cousins acted as pall bearers. The funeral was largely attended. Jeremiah Wall, of this city, and W. West, of Maine, attended the funeral as delegates of the Brotherhood of Railway Employees.

WOMEN NO LONGER IN THESE OFFICES

Copenhagen, Aug. 1.—The International Animal Protection and Anti-Vivisection Congress opened here today with 200 delegates in attendance. The members of the congress finally voted a submission for the congress King Frederick promised to give it his patronage, but later refused to do this when he learned that the congress was against vivisection.

DOOROTHY ARNOLD'S FATHER SEEKS HEALTH IN EUROPE

New York, Aug. 2.—Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Francis R. Arnold, the parents of Miss Dorothy H. C. Arnold, whose disappearance on December 12 was followed by an unavailing world-wide search, said yesterday that while they had gone to Europe it was not their sole purpose to continue the search for the missing girl. All of the family believe that Miss Arnold is dead, and the trip was primarily for the purpose of helping Mr. Arnold, who has grieved continually since the disappearance and whose health has been seriously affected.

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THIRD SHAFT TO ENTOMBED MAN

Weeping Parents Watch Battle To Save Miner

Ground Slid From Under His Feet on Sunday and he Was Buried Eighty-five Feet Below Surface—Waiting With Food

Joplin, Mo., Aug. 2.—Having fallen in their purpose, after sinking one air shaft eighty-five feet in record time, scores of men are working frantically in ten minute shifts to get another shaft sunk, so that Joseph Clary, a mine worker, imprisoned in a drift far below the surface, may get an sufficient to keep him alive. While the men are toiling at the drift, women are carrying hot coffee and food to the workers.

DENMARK'S RULER A FRIEND OF SCIENCE

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THE ONTARIO CAMPAIGN

Toronto, Aug. 2.—Hon. R. L. Borden's itinerary for Ontario will be arranged at the conservative conference at Toronto next Saturday. Hon. George P. Graham is arranging the details of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's tour through Ontario and it is understood to have general charge of the campaign in this province.