IND FIVE MEN

Rescuers at Cross Mountain Colliery Striving to Reach Three More Who Are Believed to be Still Living

BRICEVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 11 .- Five an had been brought alive from the s Mountain mire at 11 o'clock tocht, and rescuers at that time were king strong efforts to reach at leas: more whom they believed were

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alive. these men have been prisoners in the rkings since Saturday morning, when explosion entombed more than 100 hope, for whom had been abandoned n tonight three men alive and well, found behind a brattice they had ted to protect themselves from Mious gases. Two more were found

he rescued are: William Henderson 55: Milton Henderson, aged 22, his Irwin Smith, aged 35; Arthur aged 30; Doret Irish, aged 30. are all married, and their wives almost given up hope. News that ers had been found alive quickly d through the town, and relatives ther men who had been standing at the mine mouth until all hope gone, rushed again to the scene.

ntil tonight 22 bodies had been rered, and but 20 cross entries had been lored. The rescuers are encountering at obstacles in penetrating the cross ions, and it is feared that should ore be alive in the more remote resses of the workings, it will be imssible to reach them before they

Another rescue car arrived from Pittsg today, so there are plenty of helmet

Finding of the five men tonight reved an abandoned hope in the breasts the workmen, and now they are pushan ahead with all possible speed hoping find more men alive. The work is charge of Dr. J. G. Solmens, chief of government bureau of mines.

new cemetery is being provided for victims. It is on a hill near the ine, and men have started to dig all e graves. All afternoon the grave ggers worked in a rain that change streets of the hamlet to puddles and ded to the gloom of the inhabitants. Many theories are advanced as to the use of the accident. President Stevnson of the Iron company, which owns ie mine, said today that it probably ad been caused by a windy shot. This night have ignited gases accumulated n one of the many high rooms in the ine, or might have set off the coal dust on the floor. The floors are supposed to be kept sprinkled, and Mr.

Stephenson said they were. The coal company is supplying the immediate needs of the stricken families, but later money will be needed to care for the widows and orphans. Indicaformer and about 160 of the latter.

YOUNG MURDERERS

Russion Schoolboy Killed by Two Others With His Father's Revolver-Youthful Rebels

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 11.-The nurder of Nikolai Sokoloff, a boy of 4, by one of his school fellows has aused a profound sensation in Sara-

orn factor, a Russian of the old fashoned sort, greatly respected in the own. At the commercial school which he boy attended he learned the glib reed of the revolutionists. Older boys lickly convinced him, with the usual acile arguments, that the ideas and ractices of his parents were wrong and olish. Nikolai began to refuse to go church, he scoffed at the holy ikons, announced in the family circle that man of sense now believed in the xistence of God. It had never occurred to his father and mother to doubt

Cold Sores And Ulcers Are Healed By Zam-buk

Cold sores, chapped hands, ulcers, ust now, and for all these, Zam-Buk will be found the surest and quickest remedy. Sometimes cold sores arise from chilblains on toes or fingers, and in the former case, where colored socks re worn, there is a danger of bloodoisoning from the dye. Zam-Buk being o powerfully antiseptic removes the anger as soon as applied and quickly

Mr. W. J. Halliday, of Ash Grove, int., says: "I had my little finger ozen, and it was cracked at the first int, causing a bad sore, which disarged freely and would not heal. The in was very bad, and the whole of hand became swollen and in bad

A friend advised me to try Zam-Buk d I soon found that Zam-Buk was together different to any preparation ad ever tried. In a very short time

Miss Lillie May, of Stoney Creek, says: "A few weeks since, several asty, disfiguring cold sores suddenly oke out on my lips, which became much ollen. Seeing my condition, a friend dvised me to try Zam-Buk and leave I other preparations aside. This I did, nd was much pleased, after a few apcations of this balm, to see every

Zam-Buk will also be found a sure re for eczema, blood-poison, varicose piles, scalp sores, ringworm, inamed patches, babies' eruptions and apped places, cuts, burns, bruises, and skin injuries generally. All drugsts and stores sell at 50c box, or post from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, upon ceipt of price. Refuse harmful imitans and substitutes.

est for Baby's tender skin!

the teaching of the Orthodox church, and they were unable to meet arguments glibly advanced by the child in support of his contentions. The boy accepted the doctrines of Socialists and anarchists with the same facility as atheistic principles, and referred familiarly to the Czar of Kolya, the short-

A week ago Nikolai disappeared. He left home in the afternoon and did not and he and his wife went to the Troitsky Sobor, where they lighted two can-dles before the ikon of St. Nicholas and murmured the eternal prayer of the Russian church, "Lord Have Mercy," many times as they bowed before the picture and crossed themselves. The police searched Saratoff and telegraph ed to the police to other towns, bu

Nikolai did not return. The day after the boy's disappearance a letter, purporting to come from the "Fighting Wing of the Social Revolutionists of Saratoff," was received by his father. It stated that "the party," being in need of money, were holding the child for ransom. A messenger would call for \$650, and if betrayed Nikolai would at once be murdered. The police laughed at the letter. There no Social Revolutionists in the city, they declared; the whole gang was in prison or in Siberia. The letter was

It occurred to the head of police to question some of Nikolai's schoolfellows. Two lads of sixteen, Sasha and Vanya, were brought to the police station, and under threats of the black holle and a taste of the nagaika they finally told the truth.

"We determined to form a band of expropriators," said Sasha "and we talked the matter over with Nikolai. He thought the idea an excellent one. We were to pass ourselves off as Social Revolutionaries and to frighten people into giving us money. It was a mistake to have taken Nicolai into our confidence. He was only fourteen, and a great chatterbox, We talked the matter over, came to the conclusion that he might betray us by sneer carelessness and therefore thought it best to kill him. We went to his home, told him to fetch his father's revolver and hunting knife, and then took him to a disused quarry outside the town. We told, him to sit down, and gave him a balalaika and told him to play the funeral march. While he was thrumming the strings I went behind him and shot him dead with his father's revolver. The Social Revolutionary letter, he admitted, had been written as a ruse

pierced by five bullets.

TORONTO, Dec. 11.-Much more care- in her boiler room, ful inspection of immigration entering Canada, some organic union of the empire by means of business arrangements yet to be worked out, co-operation in imperial defences, frequent colonial conferences to be held in different parts of the empire, were some things advocated by Mr. Magrath, former member of parliament, from Medicine Hat, and now member of the waterways commission, in an address at the Colonial Club this evening on "Canada and the Em-

Iron Workers Will Assist INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 11 .- That

ne or more officials of the Internacional Association of Iron and Struc tural workers will surrender voluntarily to the government if there is any need in the investigation of the alleged nation-wide dynamiting conspiracy against structural iron contractors who maintain the open shop, was made known tonight by statements by the National Erectors' association. It was announced that without resistance being offered letters and records have been conveyed by detectives engaged by the Erectors' association from the headquarters of the Iron Workers' association in this city to the offices of the District At-

VINDICATION FOR THE PRAIRIE CROP

Prominent Regina Merchant, Mr. J. W. Young, Declares That This Past Season Constituted a Record

"The trouble with the crop this year is not that it is disappointingly poor but that the expectations of the farmers were excessively great." This is the terse opinion upon the crop situation in the prairies expressed by one well qualified to know-Mr. J. M. Young, of Regina, brother-in-law of Hon. Walter Scott, premier of Saskatchewan, who visited the city yesterday on his way to southern California where he proposes to spend the winter with his wife and family.

On being qustioned as to the condition of things on the prairies Mr. Young replied that it was perfectly true that many people had been disappointed. "We were looking for a great record and we only got a little one, but it is a record just the same. We expected more than we were entitled to, and although it looked as if we would get the full limit for a long time, the rain swept down at the last minute and ruined the glowing prospect. But to say that we had a poor crop is ridiculous. Why, do you think there would be the great trek to the coast and to the south from the prairies at this time if the crop had been other than a good one? On my way down here I met manyq farming people from the Northwest and they were all either bound for the coast or for locations farther south Now, you know that they don't go in

for trips of that sort if the season is a bad one. Of course early in the season the gov ernment estimate of the year's producheight that a fall was almost inevitable and yet it is safe to say that when every bushel has been counted the product will be found to be well within twenty per cent, of that ambitious estimate. And but for the rainy weather which has hampered the threshing operations so much I really believe that

been realized to the fullest extent. "The government estimated the year's and as befits the descendant of one of product at two hundred million bushels, figure realized is over one hundred and the military, exploits of Napoleon in Sixty-five million bushels—which of order to set, out his model armies to market closed today and the military and the military and the military of process of the set of the market closed today and the market closed today and the market closed today and the military of the market closed today and the military of the market closed today and the military of the milita and it is confidently claimed that the

the rumor that the crops have failed, or even partially failed. Expectations

Mr. Young is president of the Young & Thomas Soap company, Regina. He Walter Scott, the premier of the prov-ince, had gone off on a short vacation-

PRINCE RUPERT BRINGS CREW OF CARONDOLET

Barge Wrecked at Holland Point Is Now Total Loss—Efforts Being Made to Salve the Cargo

The steamer Prince Rupert of the G.T.P., Capt. Johnson, reached port on Sunday from the north, and left again for Prince Rupert yesterday morning. She brought a good complement of passengers south, including Capt. Friese, and crew of the barge Carondolet. which was wrecked at Hoiland point, near Prince Rupert, when carrying a cargo of United States iumber north for the G.T.P. They reported that the Carondolet is a total wreck and was fast going to pieces. Efforts were being made to salve the cargo. Mr. H. C. Killeen, resident engineer of the marine and fisheries department, T. D. Patullo and Talbot Martin of Evans, Coleman & Evans, were passengers from Prince-Rupert. Mr. W. J. Leary, who keeps. a store at Lawn hill, near Skidegate, the other parts of the British pavilion, was also a passenger. He reports that considerable boring for coal is in progress on the Queen Charlottes, drills being worked in nine different places when he left. On her northbound trip the steamer carried as passengers from here J. C. Walters and F. C. Benson. The cargo included a large amount of Christmas supplies for Prince Rupert, Stewart, and Island points.

VENTURE WILL BE AN OIL BURNER

Boscowitz Compa-y's Steamer to Be Converted for Liquid Fuel Next Month-Camosun Also

The steamer Venture of the Boscow itz Steamship company, is to be converted into an oil burner next month and the steamer Camosun of the Union Steamship company, which is operated on the northern B. C. coast route, is also to be provided with oil burning ap-The police found Nikolai's little body, paratus. The Venture is now en route to Naas and way ports and will be frozen stiff, in the quarry. It was withdrawn for overhauling during the slack season about the end of next month, when the change will be made

BRIBERY CHARGES

Franklin, Arrested at Los Angeles, is Held to Answer-Attorney Darrow Denies Implication

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 11.—Burt H. Franklin, an investigator employed by the defence in the murder trial of James B. McNamara, just ended, was held to the superior court today by Justice, Wiliam P. Young to answer to charges of bribing a juror. The \$10,000 bond furnished at the time of his arrest by counsel for McNamara, was again made mation laid by the state's attorney, which in California may replace grand jury proceedings, probably will be filed within a week, Assistant District Attorney W. Joseph Ford said tonight. The prosecution does not seek an early

The name of Clarence S Darrow chief of counsel for McNamara, was brought into the case twice today by witnesses at the preliminary hearing. George M. Lockwood, a venireman who was arreste; when Flanklin was released, says Franklin said he was going to see Darfow and see how much money was required.

Previously Franklin said: "I might be guilty-though I don't for a moment admit that. But I'm no fool," he added, to elaborate this declaration. Attorney Darrow flatly denied any

complicity in the affair. "I do not know what words had passed between Franklin and Lockwood," he said. "I had nothing to do with him and the jurors, Lockwood, I am told said later in the day that he spoke to Franklin about the big fellow, saying that he supposed I was meant, and Eranklin replied 'I did not mean Darrow, I meant Captain White.' It looks as if Lockwood might have used my name when Franklin was not talking

about me." Special Investigator Oscar F. Lawler was asked today about a box received at the United States marshal's office from Salt Lake City and said to contain about 125 pounds of evidence gathered in connection with the McNamara

"Who told you that? Who told you that?" he demanded. "I want to know who is giving out this information." He refused to say anything more

Asked as to the termination of the grand jury investigation, he said it 'might be two days or several years," hefore the end came. It was said to be fairly certain that the local investiga-

TIN SOLDIER DISPLAY

Some of Napoleon's Battles to Be Re produced in Miniature at Paris Military Exhibition

PARIS. Dec. 11.-The children of Paris are to have this year a most welcome treat. A whole room at the famous military exhibition at the invalides is to be given up to several small armies of tin soldiers. The "tin" soldiers are mostly to be made of lead, but that is neither here nor there; the delight of the children and the attention and the admiration of their parents are assured beforehand on account of the personality of the two artists who are arranging the exhibition,

M. Georges d'Ostoya is well known for his illustrations of military subjects chosen several notable events among course is greater than has ever been the greatest advantage. He has obtain- sue of \$38,000,000 of new stock.

the battlefields have been made in each case. The series include the taking of the Dutch fleet by Pichegru's hussar at Texel, the drummer boy episode of Egypt at Heliopolis, the crossing of the St. Bernard, the brilliant victory of Austerlitz, the most deadly of all engagements at Saragossa, and finally the strange, tragic pageant of the entry of Moscow in 1812.

The collection is to be installed at the expense of a descendant of one of Napoleon's most celebrated marshals.

ITALIAN EXHIBITIONS Success Attends Art Displays in Rome,

tures Are Sold ROME, Dec. 11 .- The second of the three Italian exhibitions-Roma, Turin, Florence-closed a few days ago, that at Florence having already been shut. Despite the bad weather prevalent in the spring and autumn, the Turin exhibdtion is said to have paid its expenses. while that at Florence resulted in a

Turin and Florence-Many Pic-

considerable profit. In Rone, the United State pavilion is definitely closed; about half the British and some of the Austrian pictures; have been sent back to their owners, and three of the British rooms are shut. In the pictures have been re-hung, under the supervision of M. H. Spielmann. Sales to the amount of more than \$5,-000 have so far been effected. The King of Italy has purchased Mr. Davies "Peat Bog, Isle of Skye," T. Hunt's Ben Nevis," Grosvenor Thomas' "Road by the Sea," and a bronze ("Teucer") by W. Hamo Thornycroft; Queen Margherita has bought Mr. Claude Hayes' "Pastoral," Mr. Frank Brangwyn's "Old Hammersmith,' and a bronze; while the Italian government has acquired Mr. 1. Hughes-Stanton's "St. Jean Avigu," and Lord Leighton's bronze, "Athlete struggling with a python." The Ethnographical exhibition in the Plaza d'Armi 'will probably close on December 15, and certainly before the end of the year, when all the four sections of the Rome exhibition will be

FAMOUS BRIGAND KILLED

shut.

Fchakirdji, Who Is Credited With the Deaths of 500 Men, Is Trapped by Soldiers

CONSTANTINOPE Dec. 11.-Tchak rdji, the famous brigand, was, according to a Smyrna telegram killed last Friday evening in a fight with troops who were pursuing him. This is not the first time that the brigand's death has been confidently announced, but this time it is stated that Tchakirdi's wife was called from the village where she ives and identised the body.

Statements supporting the message are also stated to have been made by the officer commanding the detachment, and the corpse is said to have been brought to the village of Nayli, where the vali was awaiting news of the pur-

Last week Tchakirdji captured a in killing his prisoner a few moments four men in the encounter. Tchakirdii though only thirty-two years of age is

VETERAN LAWYER

Charles Limet, Doyen of the Paris Bar Reaches 70th Anniversary of His

PARIS, Dec. 11 .- Charles Limet, the doyen of the Paris bar, recently completed his 91st year. Yesterday was the 70th anniversary of his being enrolled as a practising barrister in Paris. and the members of the legal profession, bench and bar alike, called upon the veteran to offer their felicitations. Born in 1820, M. Limet bears a vivid ecollection of the revolution in July, 1830. Alexandre Dumas nere and M. Limet's father took part in the street fighting armed with shot guns. . hey, from behind the shelter of a colonade in the Place du Louvie, fired on the Swiss

Guards defending the palace. M. Limet also recalls seeing Charles X. walking in a religious procession through Paris streets carrying a wax taper The Monagenarian advocate was a great favorite of Dumas pere, who wished him to devote himself to literature, but he preferred studying law. Among other celebrities personally known to the doyen of the Paris War were Balzac and Wagner.

BOGUS SANTA CLAUS mitator of Christmas Santa Claus Falls Into Hands of Police in San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.-The police department's childlike faith in Santa Claus got shattered today when a skeptical detective tore the mask from the Red Robin figure that had been stationed during the last week at a corner collecting funds for a "Christmas dinner for poor people." On the sign pinned on the chest of the spurious St. Nicholas was the address of a Spanish mission, which had no existence in fact and hence led to the exposure.

When taken into the city prison to be booked the police thought the sounds from behind the whiskered mask were expressive of grief; they were hardly prepared for the grinning coal black face that hove into view when the covering was removed.

The negro gave his name as Luciano Detry, and sald he was a native of San Domingo, and spoke Spanish. masquerade, which he took as a good joke, had netted him about \$5, he explained.

LONDON, Dec. 11 .- David Lloyd George's national insurance bill passed its second reading in the House of Lords today without division.

MONTREAL, Dec. 11 .- The Canadian

Election are Steadily Increasing With the civic elections but a short way off new schemes for using the cit-

Financial Demands to be Made

at the Forthcoming Civic

FOR LARGE AMOUNT

izens 'money are almost daily being presented. Already the city council has decided to submit bylaws to authorize the raising of \$450,000 for sewer purposes; \$275,000 for the erection of the proposed new High school; \$200,000 for waterworks purposes; \$35,-000 for fire department extensions and a referendum on the question of the \$3 per day minimum rate of wages for civic workmen. Then there is the civic centre scheme which will cost another large sum, determined by the site, if any, chosen by the ratepayers, but none of the several sites to be proposed will cost probably less than \$500,000 when the cost of the structure is taken into consideration, even allowing for the sale of the present city properties. In addition the Sooke lake contract will be passed upon though the money in this case was authorized last January, or at least \$1,500,000. was. voted, though it is certain that amount will not be sufficient to carry out the work

But other schemes are on the tabis. At tonight's special meeting of the city council Mayor Morley will ask leave to introduce a bylaw to authorize the expenditure of \$25,000 for another public convenience. The station just installed at the Causeway will cost in the neighborhood of \$18,000 to \$19,000, so the new one proposed by the mayor will evidently be more pretentious. Just where this new station is to be located has not been announced. His worship on more than one occasion has suggested in council session that a mistake had been made in not spending the amount devoted to the Causeway station in erecting two or more smaller stations, but his latest expenditure scheme would appear to call for but one new convenience.

STUDENT RIOTS

Anniversary of Tolstoy's Death is Marked by Encounters in Usual Russian Outbreak

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 11.-The first anniversary of Count Tolstoy's death was signaliand by the starting of the usual struggle between Russian students and the authorities, which have now become an inevitable annual occurrence. All the higher educational establishments were more or less guarded and watched during the day by detachments of police, armed with rifles, mounted and on foot, especially round Turk, Osman Bey, for whom he was de- and about the university whence it manding \$12,500 ransom. He succeeded was proposed to start a street demonstration.

Proclamation which had been posted up along the corridors by the students were torn down by the University officials. All lectures were suspended, and crowds of disorderly students paraded the halls and passages, singing the "Everlasting Remembrance" and various forbidden songs. A meeting was held and speeches made at twelve o'clock for about twenty minutes, but further

disturbances was prevented. The Russian press celebrated the mmemoration of Tolstoy by the publication of literary remembrances of the great writer's last moments, and touching reminiscences by his favorite sister, the nun. Crowds of his admirers and followers visited his grave at Yasnaya Poliana. But the dispute still rages in all spheres, from ministerial circles downwards, as to the worth and eaning of his teaching.

The other day, a special sitting of the Council of Ministers, the Procurator of the Hely Synod delivered a severe denunciation of Tolstoy as an atheist and Anarchist, on behalf of the Orthodox church, in opposition to the pro posed purchase of Yasnaya Poliana by the government. The subject led to a stormy dehate, and although the president and the majority of the ministers were in favor of the purchase, the matter hal to be shelved for the present, in view of the terrible accusations still hurled at the memory of Tolstoy by the champions of the Orthodox faith.

This has been carried still further among the lower orders by the circulation of a hideous fable, supported by certain of the clergy, that a boy had been bitten by a snake near Tolstoy's grave, in which a brood of vipers have made their nest.

Stealing from Cars.

REGINA, Sask., Dec. 11 .- A sequel to long series of thefts in the C. P. R. yards here occurred when Switchmen McAuley and Clifton were arrested. When their rooms were searched a carload of freight was found, including cases of liquor which are claimed to have been stolen by the men from the cars in the yard. It is expected that important developments will happen in the next 24 hours.

British Bailway Dispute

LONDON, Dec. 11 .- Meetings of Britsh railroad directors and representatives of the railroad workmen's unions have discussed in a peaceful settlement The companies granted a few minor things, but complete recognition of the union has not been obtained.

Fire on Concy Island NEW YORK, Dec. 11.-Fire, which for time threatened to burn out the heart of Luna park, the great show place on half late this afternoon, but was con-

Movels to Ask For

Hurdcott-John Ayscough; Margaret Harding-Percival Gibbons; There Was Widow-Mary Thaun; The Kingdom of the World-Lloyd Osbourne; thea's Guest-Mrs. A. Sidgwick: Peter and Jane S. Macnaughton,

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