

STRUCK BY A BOLT OF FIRE

Anglican Cathedral at Fredericton Destroyed Last Night. Struck by Lightning at Midnight it Soon Burst into Flames -- Nothing but Four Walls Left Standing.

THE SHIPPING STRIKE ABOUT ALL ENDED

It Practically Came to an End Last Night And Traffic Conditions Will Now Speedily Become Normal.

Fredericton, N. B., July 3.—A terrific electrical storm passed over the city tonight last several hours. One of the most severe flashes of lightning struck the western gable of Christ Church Cathedral shortly before midnight and in a few minutes the whole building was in flames.

Rev. Wm. Ketchum in his Life of Bishop Medley gives the following description of the cathedral: The edifice which is situated at the eastern end of Fredericton, within a short distance of the bank of the St. John river, is the first object that strikes the eye as you approach the city from that quarter.

London, July 3.—Tonight saw the practical end of the shipping strike, which so far as its international character was concerned, was a failure from the first.

In Hull where the struggle was the most bitter, and the strikers were obdurate and riotous, a third conference between the board of trade representative, George R. Askwith, and the representatives of the disputing parties, was held today and proved successful.

Glasgow, July 3.—Serious rioting by the striking seamen occurred here tonight. They cut the moorings of two vessels and allowed them to drift into the river.

U. S. AMBASSADOR WAS THE HOST AT GREAT RECEPTION

London, July 3.—One of the last functions of the Coronation season was the reception tonight given by John Hays Hammond, the special ambassador and Mrs. Hammond, at Stratton House.

ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY CROWNING KING GEORGE V.



This photograph, the first received in America, is from a sketch made by a special artist of the London Sphere, showing the Archbishop of Canterbury in the act of placing the crown on the head of King George V.

HE TRIED TO KILL FATHER

Dope Fiend Arrested at Hull For an Attempted Murder—Attacked His Father With an Axe.

Ottawa, Ont., July 3.—Joseph Berthiaume was arrested at his father's home on Lake Street, Hull, this morning, by Constable Daoust and brought to the jail charged with threatening his father with an axe.

TWO DROWNED UNDER TRAGIC CIRCUMSTANCES

A Fourteen year old Boy Drowned at Newcastle—James Gillis, Aged 24, Drowned Near Campbellton.

Newcastle, July 3.—Arthur Jones was the victim of a sad drowning accident here today which marred the local observance of Dominion Day.

ACCIDENTS IN A MOTOR RACE

Two Automobilists Badly Hurt During Two Day Race at Brighton Beach—New Records Made.

New York, July 3.—In the first half of a two days' automobile race meeting at the Brighton Beach Motor-drome, today, five thousand spectators were thrilled by the speed of many of the drivers.

BIG SUM INVOLVED IN MINING ACTION

Toronto Mining Promoter Enters Suit Against Montreal Trust Co. for Million Dollars for Damages.

Montreal, July 3.—William Marshall mining promoter of Toronto, and the Grey Sidling and Development Co., his assignee today entered a million dollar damage suit against Robert Leckie Gilmore and the Montreal Trust Co. for breach of contract and failure to deliver title of the Sterling Mines, Ontario.

DROWNED NEAR CAMPBELLTON

Special to the Standard. Moncton, July 3.—A sad drowning accident occurred at Flatlands, 12 miles above Campbellton on Sunday afternoon.

THEY WILL HUNT BEARS WITH BOWS AND ARROWS

Atchison, Kans., July 3.—James M. Challiss and E. Z. Jackson, attorneys and amateur archers of this city left today for British Columbia where they intend to hunt bears with bows and arrows.

THE WORST IN THIRTY YEARS

TO ENFORCE COMPULSORY VACCINATION

In Six Quebec Municipalities Legal Measures Will Be Taken to Enforce Vaccination of all Residents.

Montreal, July 3.—To such an extent has the smallpox epidemic spread throughout this province that the provincial health authorities have decided to take drastic measures to enforce their precautionary laws.

Heat Wave in the United States Breaks All Records

New York, July 3.—The siege of oppressive hot weather continues throughout New York state. To the maximum of 84.5 degrees, which the heat wave officially reached here yesterday, three and a half degrees were added by today's maximum of 88, recorded at noon.

NAVAL PRIZE BILL IS UP IN PARLIAMENT

It Passed Its Second Reading in British Commons Yesterday—Approval of Declaration of London.

London, July 3.—The naval prize bill which is tantamount to approval of the declaration of London, the international agreement covering prizes in naval warfare, passed its second reading in the House of Commons today.

Twenty Deaths From Heat have Occurred in New York in the Last Two Days—Great Suffering in Other Places.

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THE REVOLT IN HAITI

President Simon Has Returned From Port Liberté, But The Haitian Revolution Is Still Going On.

Cape Haitien, Hayti, July 3.—President Antoine Simon has arrived at Port Liberté on board the steamship Graecia on which the President embarked after leaving the cruiser Antoinette Simon at Mole, St. Nicholas.

NEW COUNTERFEIT OF \$100 U.S. NOTE

Counterfeit Gold Certificate Brought to Light by Secret Service Men—Is Very Dangerous Specimen.

Washington, July 3.—A new counterfeit \$100 gold certificate so well made in many details that the secret service regards it as highly dangerous.

THE SAFE AND SAME FOURTH

New York Police Determined to Make Record for Safety and Sanity Today—All Fire-works Prohibited.

New York, July 3.—Determined to lead in the movement for a safe and sane celebration of the Fourth, fire and police department heads declare that at least a local record for safety and sanity will be established in this city tomorrow.

WON FIGHT ON A FOUL

London, July 2.—At Wembley, in Whitechapel, tonight, "Blisk" McClosky won on a foul in the third round of a scheduled twenty round contest with the "Duke Kid," the colored waterweight.

It doesn't take any brains to complain and kick, but it takes hard work and brains to be a constructive man, to mind your own business, and thus help the City. Why don't you be a progressive?