esday, June 16, 1908

SITE PLANS TO ARRIVE TODAY

rcy Tate Bringing Them ubmit to Provincial Government

rom Saturday's Daily.)

es H. Bacon, the G.T.P. en- chief in charge of the exten- itions which have been for past and are still in vigor- ss upon the attractive town- ince Rupert, registered yes- the Empress, coming over orning boat. He is here to D'Arcy Tate, the assistant f the Grand Trunk Pacific company, who was also to ned this city yesterday from by way of the Northern Pa- Seattle, but who, owing to by flood in Montana, will not own until some time today. brings with him the elabor- for the transcontinental ter- nsite, which have been pre- Messrs. Brett and Hall, the n landscape artists of Bos-

e and small timber has been ut and removed from some of the townsite, and the bal- 00 acres will in all probabil- eared by the end of next at the latest in August. cial business of Messrs. Tate , at the Capital, is to sub- wnsite plans to the premier colleagues and the govern- neers, and to have them with the approval of the tion, and as soon as this im- rt of their duties is accom- atters will begin to move dly.

on, however, does not ex- the G.T.P. management will osition to place townsite lots rket at the very earliest un- ere in the beginning of the October. He confirms the which have been made in the remarkably low grades prevail throughout the thou- miles of territory over which transcontinental line must in the immense distance arates the Atlantic from the an, he states that for only les will the grade be so much cent. while on the remain- ade will exceed four-tenths cent. It is needless to men- a marked advantage such n in grade will mean in the of a great railway line. The miles of the new transcontin- ch is in the hands of Messrs. Stewart, has all been sub- ions of varying lengths, and progress is being made. Some y work is encountered upon iles, and new records in the ailway building in such cir- s are expected to be made ion with this quasi-national . As the townsite lots will ith merely the timber re- tending purchasers will be take the fact that the ust still be taken out into culations. The fine stern- eamer the Distributor, in Capt. S. P. Johnston, which d to ply on the Skeena, will, cipated, be ready to go north y next.

T VICTORIA FORTY YEARS AGO

ain of Steamer Tango Maru Early Visitor to This Port

R. Swain, the master of the liner Tango Maru, which was Wednesday from Hong- Japanese ports and proceed- attle, was in command of a h came to Victoria when the far different from it is at He arrived here forty years, years later came here with g ship Hudson with cargo & Co. He was piloted into Capt. Gardiner, a pilot, long eased.

Swain's wife, who came here ks ago to take up her resi- e, is a sister of Mrs. Wise, apt. Wise, the former super- of the outer wharf. A the captain, Walter Swain, f engineer of the steamer sidewheeler which founder- e Blanco when bound to San rom Victoria to be docked s, carrying a crew of 30 down among them the captain's He had come to the Pacific h his birthplace at Nantucket gineer of the steamer Walla was chief engineer of some uget Sound tugboats before the Alaskan, with which he n nineteen years ago last

wain has been connected Nippon Yusen Kaisha for quarter of a century and is eir most valued European rs.

UMBER SCARCE

ople Will Need Much Ma- for House Building Dur- ng Coming Season

, June 12.—L. A. Campbell, nager of the West Kootenay l Light company, returned e week from a five weeks' e East.

about the lumber outlook bell said that a large num- tlers have arrived in the provinces this year, and coming in. The stocks of the yards on the prairies are hile the lumber supplies at h the interior of the province d. Logging operations in ce were stopped all last win- ount of the cessation in the mand from the prairies and and there is but little ma- hand for the mills to work ew arrivals on the prairies houses, barns and fences, ct that there are to be large- tend to increase the demand As a result of the expect- e demand and the lack of ss on the part of millmen of logs, Mr. Campbell says to see a regular lumber the prairies this fall. The exceptionally well on both e line, and a banner harvest for. In the Northwestern he crops will be assured by they are a month ahead of s years, and the outlook is t for an unusually prolific

, June 12.—The church mittee of the Congregational Canada presented its report nual meeting this morning a continuation of negotia- the Methodist and Presby- rches looking to union.

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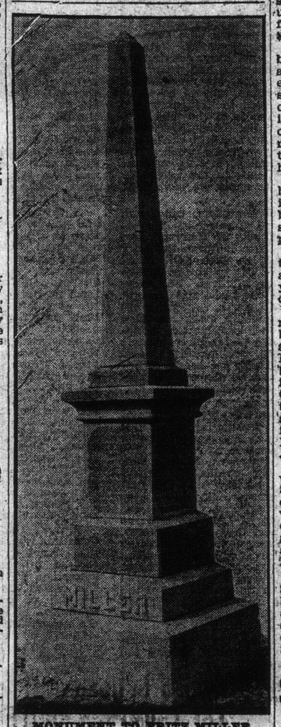
RAISE MONUMENT TO FOUNDER OF ATLIN

Residents of Mining Town Perpetuate Memory of First Gold Discoverer There

The accompanying cut is from a photograph of a memorial about to be erected in Atlin to the memory of Fritz Miller, the first discoverer of gold in that country. It has been manufactured in Victoria by Phillips Brothers and is paid for out of funds subscribed by the numerous friends of the pioneer in the north, who wished to perpetuate the memory of the man to whom Atlin owes so much. It will be shipped to Atlin in the near future.

Fritz Miller, attracted by rumors of gold in that country, went into Atlin in 1898 with his partner Kenneth McLaren by way of the Taku river. He was of German extraction and a prospector of experience, and had been living in Juneau, Alaska, where he outfitted for his trip into Atlin. He located his first claim on Pine creek, where the town of Discovery now stands. The claim turned out to be a rich one, and he made a good deal of money out of it before selling out to the Power Creek Pine company.



MONUMENT TO FRITZ MILLER

Miller, however, did not leave the country but continued developing other properties in which he was interested, with considerable success, until his death, in 1905. After his death, his widow continued his operations for a while but finally returned to the States.

Like many pioneers Mr. Miller was widely known for his public spirit and generosity. He took a prominent part in everything that could enhance the well being of the district, and his loss was much felt. A movement was started to perpetuate his memory, and funds soon began to come in. The result has been that the movement has spread beyond the original idea and a Miller memorial ward will be endowed in the Atlin hospital with part of the proceeds. The provincial government has contributed $400 to the fund, which will go to help found the ward.

The memorial will probably be placed in front of the government buildings at Atlin.

SHOT FOR A BEAR

Logger at Bute Inlet Loses His Life Through His Partner Being Too Ready With His Rifle

Vancouver, May 11.—Mistaken for a bear while he was crawling up a steep slope on his hands and knees last Sunday morning, Richard Grummett, a logger, was shot and fatally wounded by B. F. Blakeslee, his partner, at Bear bay, at the head of Bute Inlet. News of the fatality was brought to Vancouver today by Blakeslee, who accompanied the body of the dead man to this city on the steamer Cassiar.

A slight rustling of the bushes through which Grummett was crawling was responsible for the shot which caused his death, according to the story told by Blakeslee on his arrival here. Noticing the bushes waving, and seeing some dark form indistinctly through the underbrush, Blakeslee fired, thinking that his aim was centred on a bear.

Immediately following the shot Blakeslee says he heard his name called by Grummett, and on running to the clump of bushes into which he had shot he was horrified to find his partner lying on the ground with blood streaming from a wound in his left arm. As quickly as possible he made a bandage with a handkerchief and some shoelaces and bound the arm above the wound. Then commenced a four-mile trip to camp over rough ground down the valley of Bear creek, the wounded man walking, with frequent rests, to within half a mile of camp. At that point Blakeslee went ahead and secured the assistance of some of the loggers and the wounded man was carried to the beach. There his wound was again dressed.

At 6 o'clock Sunday night a start was made for Rock Bay hospital, distant sixty miles, with the wounded man. The trip was made in a gasoline launch, and the hospital was reached at 3.30 o'clock on Monday morning. The surgeon at the hospital stated that there was small chance of saving Grummett's life, and although every effort was made to do so he died at 7.30 o'clock on Monday morning—just twenty-four hours after he was shot.

The deceased was interested with Blakeslee and another man in handlogging operations at Bear bay. It is probable that an inquest will be ordered.

PROSPECTORS REPORT ON FINLAY DIGGINGS

Some Promising Ground on Northern Creeks—Season Yet Too Early

Hazelton, May 25.—Bierns and Ross, two prospectors, recently arrived here from the new gold fields, report that twenty-seven claims have been staked on McConnell creek and a number on Meadow creek. Over thirty men are working claims in that section. They are living on supplies taken in by dog teams during the winter.

On Discovery, on McConnell creek, Perry has good pay dirt, but has not reached bedrock, and has hard work keeping back the water with a small hand pump.

The Germansen boys are sinking and are down fifty feet, without getting bedrock, while the Connit brothers, one of whom is the mining recorder, are satisfied they have something to pay them and are staying with the ground from which they took out $4,000 to $5,000 last year.

Many contrary stories have been told by parties coming out, but Rosenthal, a reliable man, who has had years of experience in placer mining and has spent twelve years in the Omenica country, thinks there will be a camp in that section. He has located six claims at the headquarters of a stream running into the Finlay river, and says they look good to him, and his report has sent a number of people in.

It will, however, be ten days at least before it is possible to get a fair start into that section, as the spring has been backward and there is still considerable snow on the Babine and Firepan mountains.

Prospectors have the option of two trails—the Omenica or Manson trail, and the mounted police trail, cut last year, going up the line to the fourth cabin.

In going this latter way the Skeena river has to be crossed twice, and in both instances stock has to swim over and packs to be taken in boats. The Bear river and Stringer creek have to be forded, and, finally, the risky crossing of the Omenica faces the traveler. Going by the Omenica trail, however, there is only one small stream to ford, and a party is busy cutting and blazing a trail from the Omenica trail to Bear lake, and this will be ready by June 15.

Supplies are very short. Horses are very scarce and difficult to purchase at $100 to $150, and people should not come on until after high water. Horses will then be more plentiful, supplies coming up the river, and feed for stock good. A large number of land-hunters and homeseekers are here and all want horses.

W. Ellis is making his fourth trip into this country and says it looks better every time. The climate is good and there is a large area of farm land and good runs for both sheep and cattle, while for dairy purposes it cannot be beaten.

SIR FREDERICK KINDLY TO HIS SON-IN-LAW

Convenient Arrangement Secures Him Profitable Agency

Ottawa, June 11.—The public accounts committee this morning resumed the inquiry into the transactions between the militia department and L. S. MacCoun, Sir Frederick Borden's son-in-law. It was brought out that the department had negotiated with the firm of Peter Johnson for a labor-saving machine for the Quebec arsenal. MacCoun secured the agency for the firm and also a contract for $6,000.

At the continuation of the inquiry by the public accounts committee yesterday afternoon into the charge that Dr. Reid, M. P. for Grenville, had his yachts repaired at the government yards in Prescott, Mr. Boyle, accountant of the yards, identified an account book which contained an alleged account for work done to Dr. Reid's yachts. The book is full of erasures, some entries are in pencil and some in ink. None of them were in anything like chronological order.

Boyle admitted that as far as he knew no account had ever been sent to Dr. Reid for the repairs, and with the exception of the account book referred to, there was no entry anywhere showing that anything was due. The inquiry was adjourned until next week.

RIGHT OF PICKETING

Ontario Judge Holds Union Men Justified so Long as There is No Restraint or Compulsion

Brantford, Ont., June 11.—The union moulders who are on strike at the Buck stove shops in this city, have established the right to do picket duty. The strike opened in April. In the latter part of the month the police, at the request of the firm, interfered with the picketing which was being done by union men in the vicinity of the works, where non-union men who had taken the places of the strikers were quartered. The union men were summoned for besetting the works, and 100 of them were committed for trial, waiving a hearing before the police magistrate.

At the trial yesterday before Judge Hardy at the June sessions of the county court, two sample cases were taken up. The evidence showed that the men had maintained pickets in the vicinity of the works, but had not compelled anyone to cease working. The crown contended that the case was difficult to prove, but held that by their act in besetting the works the men showed a motive or desire to interfere with the strike-breakers. The defence claimed that the picketing was only for the purpose of getting and giving information regarding the strike.

Judge Hardy held that picketing was not illegal provided the men did not beset the works with a view of compelling others to abstain from doing lawful work. There was no evidence of restraint, he said, nor of compulsion. There are authorities to support this action. Accordingly he dismissed the cases in question, and the remainder of the hundred were dropped. The strike is still on.

Former Toronto Professor Dead

Montreal, June 11.—A London cable announces the death of John Bradford Cheseman, late professor of natural philosophy in the university of Toronto.

JAMES BAY CREW HAVE BEEN CHOSEN

Selection of Oarsmen for N. P. A. A. O. Regatta Made Last Night

The personnel of the J. B. A. A. crews that will compete in the forthcoming N. P. A. A. O. races, which will decide the championship of the Pacific Coast for 1908-09, was decided last night at a meeting of the rowing committee of the association. Those selected, the crews of which they will form a part, and the positions to be occupied follow:

Senior Four—Laing, stroke; Baylis, 3; Monteith, 2; Hughes, bow.

Junior Four—Hiscocks, stroke; McKay, 2; Strachan, 3; Gray, bow.

Senior Doubles—Jones, stroke; Jesse, bow.

Junior Doubles—Clarke, stroke; Andrews, bow.

Senior Singles—Donaldson.

It is explained that in the case of the junior doubles it has not been definitely decided that Messrs. Clarke and Andrews will row in the order named. While it was conceded that they make a strong couple, the officials were in doubt as to the positions in which they should be placed. Therefore it is possible that a change may be made before the day of the races. Otherwise the oarsmen who will uphold the prestige of the James Bays in this year's aquatic sports are as outlined. They will train every evening from the present time until the competitions, under the guidance and instruction of Coach O'Sullivan. Those most concerned are confident that they will do credit to themselves and to the organization the colors of which they will wear when the time comes for them to line up against the best that can be produced by Portland, Seattle, Vancouver and Nelson.

LUMBER DEALS

J. S. Emerson Disposes of Half Interest in His Extensive Business for Quarter Million

Vancouver, June 11.—For a consideration of over $250,000, J. S. Emerson today disposed of a half interest in his lumbering business to P. D. Roe and Robert Abernethy. The property involved in the transfer includes the Emerson cedar mill at Port Moody, the four tugs, Erin, Shamrock, Evergreen and Afton, and the logging business scattered at various points along the coast between Vancouver and Brought-on Island. The Port Moody mill and stock and the logs at the mill represent an investment of approximately $300,000.

It is the intention of Messrs. Emerson, Roe and Abernethy to immediately incorporate as the Emerson Lumber Company, Ltd. The business of the new concern will be carried on practically the same as in the past, offices being maintained in Vancouver and at the mill at Port Moody. Messrs. Roe and Abernethy will take active charge of the operation of the mill at Port Moody, while Mr. Emerson will direct the affairs of the company in Vancouver.

Incidental to the large sale was the disposal of the McRae mill at North Vancouver by Mr. Emerson. This mill is situated on the inlet front, just east of the Wallace shipyards. The purchaser was D. W. Grant, with whom are associated several others. The new owners today took over the plant and they will immediately proceed to erect a small shingle mill in connection with the business. The new concern will be incorporated immediately, and it will operate as the North Vancouver Lumber Company, Ltd.

THE ODDFELLOWS

Grand Lodge in Session at New Westminster Elects Officers for the Ensuing Year

New Westminster, June 11.—The Odd Fellows' grand lodge of British Columbia, in session here, has elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Grand master, H. Fulton of Ladysmith; deput grand, W. Daw, Vancouver; grand warden, F. L. Webber, New Westminster; secretary, F. Davey, Victoria; treasurer, W. H. Cullin, Victoria; representative to supreme lodge, C. S. Keith, New Westminster. The officers will be installed this evening, after which the delegates will be banqueted by the local lodges.

The British Columbia Pharmaceutical association is holding its annual meeting in this city today.

Dr. Torrington, who is on the Coast, holding musical examinations in connection with Toronto university, gave an organ recital here last evening.

OFFICERS OF BANK TO BE PROSECUTED

President and Manager of the Wrecked Bank de St. Jean, Are Arrested

Montreal, June 11.—Hon. P. H. Roy, ex-speaker of the Quebec legislative assembly, and president of the Banque de St. Jean, which closed its doors a few weeks ago, together with P. L. L'Heureux, general manager, and Philibert Beaudoin, district general manager of the defunct institution, were placed under arrest this evening at their homes in St. Johns, Que. The charge against them is that of making false returns of the position of the bank to the government, and the action was taken by the crown prosecutor of Montreal, acting under the direct instructions of the minister of justice. Mr. Roy has long been prominent socially and politically, both in St. Johns and Montreal. He ran for the mayoralty in Montreal last January, but was defeated.

Drowned in Red River

Selkirk, Man., June 11.—The steamer Premier has just arrived, bring news of a drowning accident which occurred near Warren's landing, by which Murdock Macdonald lost his life. He was out in a sailboat with two other men when the boat gave a lurch and Macdonald fell overboard and was carried away by the swift current.

Government Will Appeal

Ottawa, June 11.—Hon. Mr. Aylesworth says the government will appeal the two Yukon concession cases which the supreme court recently decided against the government.

SUSPECTED OF BRUTAL CRIME AT HAZELMERE

James Anderson, Wanted for Other Offences, is to Be Arrested

Vancouver, June 11.—Another arrest in the hunt for the murderer of Mrs. Mary Morrison is to be made. The police have gained information which leads them to believe that if they arrest James Anderson an octoroon, charged with several crimes in the district south of Vancouver they will have the fiendish murderer of Tuesday. A warrant has been out for Anderson for a week. He lived near Point Grey, and beat his little daughter black and blue so often that the neighbors complained, and an investigation was begun. The child is now in a home in this city.

On Tuesday morning Anderson was seen at Port Kells, a hamlet on the Fraser river, eight miles from the scene of the murder, which occurred at three in that afternoon. There is no doubt at all about his identification at Port Kells, and the description of the murderer as given by Mrs. Morrison's daughter absolutely tallies with the appearance of Anderson. Early this morning, a dark skinned man, absolutely naked, was seen washing his clothes in a creek near Point Kells. Two hours later, three tramps came upon the same man sitting alongside the path. He begged a knife from one, stating that he had lost his own. With the borrowed knife he fashioned a wooden knife sharp enough to cut food.

At noon a farmer's house at Kells was robbed of fifty pounds of groceries, the thief having approached the place from the unfrequented bush at the rear. The theory is that this man is Anderson, and that he committed the murder, having ample time since the deed to reach Port Kells this morning. The washing of the clothes is thought to be explained by the fact that those of the murdered must have been covered with blood, and the borrowing of the knife is significant in view that the murderer dropped his at the scene of the crime.

A posse of police will have the Port Kells section surrounded before midnight, and an arrest is expected early tomorrow.

Conductor Lawton's Case

St. Thomas, Ont., June 11.—The grand jury has returned "no bill" against Conductor John Lawton charged with criminal negligence of duty causing an accident on Jan. 2, at Tilsonburg, in which two trainmen met death.

Drowned in Bath

Montreal, June 11.—Robert Kyle, 29 years of age, of the grocery firm of Kyle and Stevenson was drowned in the Laurentian baths last night. It is thought that Kyle might have been stunned by striking his head on the bottom while diving.

RUMORED COMBINE IN BRITISH STEEL

Trade Journal Says Organization is Formed With a Large Capital

London, June 11.—According to the Iron and Steel Trades Journal there has recently been affected a great combination in the British steel trade, with a capital of $375,000,000. The information of this paper, however, is not always correct.

The main object of the combination, according to the Journal, is to secure control of the international export trade, and similar organizations in America and on the continent are said to be supporting the British amalgamation.

Met Grizzlies.

Hope, June 11.—Quite a little excitement was caused during the past week by Mr. Whitworth and one of his men arriving over the trail from the Skagit valley and reporting meeting three grizzly bears. Mr. Whitworth was unarmed, and as he approached the animals he was obliged to shout to attract their attention sufficiently for them to leave the trail. The bears first stood up and surveyed the men, then quietly trotted off into the woods.

Shot With Rifle.

Michel, B. C., June 11.—Andrew Clarkson, aged ten years, was accidentally shot yesterday afternoon by a hunter named Mike Gerge. Gerge was shooting gophers with a 22-rifle in the brush, and did not see the boy. The bullet entered the right side above the hip. The boy is in a serious condition.

MONEY LOOSENS UP

Good Crop Prospects and Influx of Well-to-Do Immigrants Helps Situation on Prairies

Winnipeg, June 11.—The undisturbed favorable condition of the crop is beginning to find its reflection in the money market. The high rates of interest maintained during the past year by banks and loan companies are already showing signs of weakening. First mortgages are now being negotiated on a seven per cent. basis, and it is likely that the rate will drop another one per cent. this summer. The money situation is also relieved by the good class of British and American immigrants, who have brought a considerable amount of cash into the prairie west since the season opened.

Foresters' Affairs.

Toronto, June 11.—A most interesting condition of affairs has developed in connection with the scheme to increase the rates of insurance of the I. O. F., and a radical move has been decided upon. The formal announcement was made today that Harry A. Collins of this city would run in opposition to Elliot C. Stevenson of Detroit for the position of supreme chief ranger. Collins has been connected with the order for twenty years, and for the past thirteen years was supreme treasurer of the I. O. F.

Looking for Robbers

Montreal, June 11.—Detectives are busy at work in Terrebonne county hunting for two men who are believed to have robbed the residence of K. B. Delisle, St. Agathe, of $3,500 on Monday night.

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MR. MORSE'S TRIP

Grand Trunk Pacific Vice-President Plans Excursion Over Proposed Route

Montreal, June 11.—It is understood that Frank W. Morse, vice-president and general manager of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway, plans an important trip this summer. It is his intention to make a trip overland from Edmonton to Prince Rupert along the proposed route of the railway, a large portion of which has not been finally located. Part of his mission will be to determine between the relative merits of various alternative routes in the central portion of the province.

The 800-mile journey will be accomplished in canoe and on horseback, according to the character of the country to be traversed. Mr. Morse will be accompanied by Mr. Van Arsdol, chief engineer of the Western division, and a party of other officials from Montreal.

C. M. Hays, president of the Grand Trunk Pacific, plans to meet Mr. Morse at Prince Rupert at the conclusion of the latter's overland trip.

CANNIBALISM

Wanderers in Far Northern Woods of Quebec Find Evidence of Human Flesh Being Eaten

Quebec, June 11.—A case of cannibalism in the northern woods is said to have been discovered about a fortnight ago by Gladstone Mackenzie, a mining expert, and Joseph Curtness, the Indian head of a corps of guides, while on their way to the mining district of Chibougamon, far north of Lake St. John. In the vicinity of Chunouchouan, remains of a human body were found which appeared to have been cut into four portions with an axe, portions of the flesh having disappeared in such a manner as to confirm the belief that it had been used for food. The authorities of Lake St. John are sending out after a party of trappers who had been hunting in that part of the country and who have not since been found.

GLADIATOR COLLISION

Captain and Other Men of the St. Paul Give Direct Evidence Against the Cruiser

Portsmouth, June 11.—The naval court-martial into the loss of the British cruiser Gladiator as a result of her collision last April with the liner St. Paul was resumed here today. Capt. Passow of the St. Paul testified that when he sighted the Gladiator the cruiser appeared to be closing in on the St. Paul. Capt. Passow reversed his engines, reducing his vessel's speed to three or four knots at the time of the collision. He declared that if the cruiser had not starboarded and both vessels had maintained a steady course they would have passed clear of each other.

Capt. Passow explained that he took the Gladiator's siren for a steering signal.

Pilot Bowyer, who was on the St. Paul, denied the statement of Lieut. Malingay of the Gladiator that the liner was on the wrong side of the channel, declaring that, on the contrary, the Gladiator was not in her right track. Several of the officers and crew of the St. Paul then testified that the cruiser swerved from port to starboard just before the collision.

The hearing was adjourned until tomorrow.

Congregational Chairman

Montreal, June 11.—At this morning's meeting of the Congregational union of Canada, Rev. Hugh Pedley, of Emmanuel church, Montreal, was elected chairman for 1909.

By Returning Officer's Vote

St. Hyacinthe, June 11.—The returning-officer today declared Joseph Morin, Liberal, elected to the provincial legislature by a majority of one over Henry Bourassa.

Killed by Engine.

Hamilton, Ont., June 11.—While attempting to board a train for Galt, near Dundas, last night, John Duncan was struck and instantly killed by an engine.

Toronto Conference.

Toronto, June 11.—Rev. Dr. S. Cleaver of the Metropolitan church, Toronto, was elected president of the Toronto Methodist conference this morning. Rev. F. L. Brown, New Liskeard, was elected secretary.

Stanstead Election Papers

Ottawa, June 11.—The parliamentary committee appointed to inquire into the mysterious disappearance of all the records of the Stanstead bye-election last winter was concluded this morning, the committee deciding that the papers had evidently been destroyed through a mistake on the part of the late E. M. Lamothe, clerk of the crown in chancery.

REMARKABLE ESCAPE

Heavy Express Train Comes Near Plunging Over Embankment to City Street

Bingham, N. Y., June 12.—The locomotive of Erie train No. 5, the Cleveland express, went down an embankment into Court street in this city shortly before 2 o'clock this morning. Engineer Frank Truesdell of Hornel was pinned beneath the engine and was instantly killed. No one else was seriously hurt. Fireman Cole escaped unhurt. Three cars left the rails, but only the engine and tender went down the embankment. Towerman French says the signals were set against the train, and had been for some time. The signal threw the derailing switches, and threw the train from the track. Passengers in the sleepers were not even awakened.

Dreyfus' Visitor.

Paris, June 11.—A maid servant in the employ of Major Alfred Dreyfus was confronted today with Louis Gregori, the man who fired two shots at the major in the Pantheon on June 4. She failed however to recognize Gregori as the man who a month ago called at the major's house and left a bunch of roses, saying they soon would be stained with blood.

TIDE TABLE.

Victoria, B. C., June, 1908.

Date	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht
1	1 40	9.0	10 35	0.8	.....	.....	.....	.....
2	1 53	8.8	11 15	1.1	.....	.....	.....	.....
3	2 00	8.5	11 57	1.4	.....	.....	22 53	8.4
4	.....	.....	.....	.....	12 41	1.9	22 57	8.3
5	.....	.....	.....	.....	13 26	2.5	22 53	8.2
6	.....	.....	.....	.....	14 10	3.0	22 46	8.1
7	.....	.....	.....	.....	14 52	3.7	22 48	8.1
8	.....	.....	.....	.....	15 31	4.4	22 56	8.1
9	7 08	4.9	11 51	5.3	16 09	5.0	23 11	8.2
10	6 58	4.0	14 03	5.7	16 49	5.6	23 31	8.5
11	7 18	3.0	15 41	6.2	17 30	6.2	23 54	8.8
12	7 47	2.1	16 32	6.7	18 12	6.7	.....	.....
13	0 20	9.2	8 21	1.2	17 14	7.2	18 56	7.1
14	0 49	9.6	9 02	0.4	18 00	7.5	19 44	7.5
15	1 20	9.7	9 47	0.0	18 56	7.8	20 38	7.8
16	1 53	9.7	10 33	0.2	19 50	8.1	21 43	8.0
17	2 29	9.5	11 20	0.0	20 32	8.3	23 04	8.0
18	3 08	9.0	12 08	0.4	20 56	8.3	.....	.....
19	0 38	7.8	3 53	8.2	12 57	1.9	21 17	8.4
20	2 22	7.2	4 53	7.3	13 45	2.2	21 37	8.4
21	3 57	6.2	6 48	6.3	14 31	3.2	21 58	8.5
22	5 14	5.1	9 50	5.7	15 18	4.4	22 21	8.5
23	6 00	4.0	13 09	5.3	16 05	5.4	22 45	8.6
24	6 39	3.0	15 10	5.5	17 00	6.4	23 05	8.8
25	7 16	2.2	16 28	7.2	17 48	7.1	23 32	8.9
26	7 52	1.5	17 34	7.7	18 33	7.7	23 56	9.1
27	8 28	1.1	18 30	8.0	19 10	8.0	.....	.....
28	9 19	0.2	9 03	0.8	.....	.....	.....	.....
29	0 42	9.2	9 39	0.8	.....	.....	.....	.....
30	1 04	9.0	10 15	0.9	20 36	8.2	22 40	8.2

The time used is Pacific Standard, for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish High Water from Low Water.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot above the average level of the lowest Low Water in each month of the year. This level is half a foot lower than the Datum to which the soundings on the Admiralty chart of Victoria Harbour are reduced.