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PROGRESS OF PACIFIC CABLE DETAILED IN IMPERIAL HOUSE

Survey of Proposed Route Has Been Satisfactorily Completed for Over 1,500 Miles, and Manufacture of Cable Begins This Week—Finished by 1903.

London, July 15.—In the House of Commons to-day Mr. J. Austen Chamberlain, Financial Secretary to the Treasury, detailing the progress of the Pacific cable, said that several sectional cable houses had already been constructed and sent out and were being erected at the various landing places.

The survey had been satisfactorily completed over 1500 miles of the proposed route, and the manufacture of cable would begin this week.

Mr. Chamberlain said landing sites had been selected on Queensland, New Zealand, Norfolk Island (between New Zealand and New Caledonia) and at Vancouver, and that the cable board was satisfied as to the ability of the contractors to complete the work by the end of 1902.

FRENCH-CANADIANS IN ONTARIO SAID TO NUMBER 300,000 SOULS

Le Journal Expects the Census Will Result in This Province Losing Three or Four Members in House of Commons—Quebec to Gain.

Montreal, July 15.—(Special.)—Le Journal publishes the following despatch from Ottawa:

"The census returns will show that the total French-Canadian population of Ontario is 300,000 souls. It is also stated that our compatriots are grouped in such a manner as to form a majority in five counties, and that supposing they were to rally around the candidate of their choice they could insure victory in six other divisions.

"They have prospered equally in the Eastern Townships, where the English-speaking people have a majority in the one County of Brome.

"Ontario," the despatch goes on to say, "has not increased its population to the same extent as Quebec, and it may be that the sister province will lose three or four members in the House of Commons, while Manitoba will probably gain one.

"It is likewise understood the Maritime Provinces will lose a representative in the next Parliament.

"The population has diminished in 20 counties in Quebec, but it has increased in 45 others. It is said that the basis of representation will be about 28,000, which, multiplied by 65, will give a population of 1,800,000 to the Province of Quebec.

"It is rumored also that the Acadian element of the Maritime Provinces has increased very considerably, and if these reports be relied on, the French population of the Dominion will reach at least two million souls, altho the representation will be the same.

"However, the most remarkable feature of the census is the increase of the French element in Ontario, and our compatriots are now within their rights in demanding a representative in the Cabinet at Toronto."

WHAT PREMIER ROBLIN SAYS

No Truth in the Rumor of An Early Dissolution and An Appeal to the People.

THOUSANDS OF MEN WANTED

Applications Pouring in From All Parts of the Province—One District Wants a Thousand.

Winnipeg, July 15.—(Special.)—Hon. R. P. Roblin left to-day for Brandon, where he will speak at the opening of the Young Men's Conservative rooms. To-morrow he proceeds to Wawanesa to speak at a political picnic there.

"Is there any truth in the rumor that you intend to dissolve Parliament and appeal to the country for re-election?" a reporter asked the Premier.

"Not a word. It is an absolute falsehood."

"But it is continually repeated and we may expect to hear denials until you are prepared to make the announcement."

"I tell you on my honor as a gentleman that we have no such intention."

"The weather is too hot to think of such a thing," he added jocularly.

"We have applications from all parts of the country for men," the Premier said.

"How many?"

"All we can possibly get. One of our agents asked for no fewer than one thousand for his district. There is no doubt that there will be work for 20,000 men and that is more than we shall get."

SEVENTH SMALLPOX CASE.

Ottawa, July 15.—The seventh case of smallpox was discovered in Hull this morning. However, as all the previously afflicted have been declared cured, no alarm is felt. The latest victim is G. A. Paisley, a man about 30 years old, living on Duke-street. He has a wife and a small family.

MR. GRAHAM'S DILEMMA.

The Markham High School Board has a written agreement, under seal, with L. H. Graham, science master, for another year, renewed as late as June 17, '01, and they refuse to cancel it to allow him to take the position offered to him by the Oshawa High School Board.

ON HIS APOLOGETIC WAY.

Shanghai, July 15.—Prince Chun, who left Pekin July 12 on his way to Berlin, to apologize to Emperor William for the murder of Baron Von Ketteler, the German Minister in China, arrived to-day at Woo-Sung, 10 miles north of here.

Mack, mixed with milk and a little lemon syrup, makes a delightful summer beverage.

A Scotchman's Economy.

Many good stories are told of Scotchmen's economy, but the Scot is indeed canny who economizes his health.

In this hot weather caution should be observed in what we drink, and the best economy is not shown in buying cheap mineral waters.

Radnor water is so carefully bottled and comes such a long distance that it must cost more than cheap local waters, but then Radnor is worth the difference.

It is a pure, sparkling water, and makes a delicious mixer with whisky, wines or milk.

Pay the extra price for Radnor if you value your health.

Cook's Turkish Baths, 204 King, W.

MELBA'S LARYNGITIS.

London, July 15.—Mme. Melba is suffering from an attack of laryngitis, and her physicians have ordered her not to sing at Covent Garden this week.

Mack is the only Mineral Water for sale in Toronto that is bottled at the springs.

Scotch Whiskey.

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SIMILAR SUICIDE METHODS

Otto Sacho at Waterloo and Spence Harrison at Hagersville Chose Rope and Barn.

YOUNG MAN DROWNED NEAR SOO

Nettleton's Lake, the Death Trap, is Small, But 100 Feet Deep—Body Not Recovered.

Waterloo, July 15.—Early this morning Mr. Otto Sacho, a resident on Park-street, near the Berlin and Waterloo Hospital, committed suicide by hanging himself in his barn. The deceased was a native of Kiel, Germany, and about fifty years of age. Mr. Sacho was a stonemason, and bricklayer by trade and fairly well to do. He was a member of the K.O.T.M., and carried insurance for $2000. Some light domestic trouble had occurred, but had been amicably settled a few days ago. He leaves a wife and one son, 20 years old, who have the sympathy of the neighborhood. The coroner, Dr. Webb of Waterloo, held an inquest this afternoon, and after viewing the body and surroundings adjourned until 7.30 this evening. The jury, after a two-hour session and examining a number of witnesses, returned the verdict, "That deceased came to his death by his own hands while temporarily insane."

SUICIDE AT HAGERSVILLE.

Hamilton, July 15.—(Special.)—Spence Harrison, a well-to-do young farmer of Hagersville, suicided Saturday. He had been at work as usual in the morning. When called for dinner he went to the barn, threw a rope over a beam and slowly strangled to death. He could have saved himself had he desired, as his feet touched the floor. His brother found the body soon after dinner. Temporary insanity, superinduced by a fall some time ago, together with the extreme heat, is given as the cause.

DROWNED AT THE SOO.

Sault Ste Marie, Ont., July 15.—Philip Biggings, aged about 21 years, seventh son of ex-Mayor Biggings, editor of The Algoma Pioneer, and a private in the garrison at Halifax, was drowned near here this afternoon. He had been spending a twenty-one days' furlough with his family here, and while visiting with his parents at a friend's home in West Korah, went alone to take a swim in a small lake known as Nettleton's Lake. When search was made after his non-appearance his clothes were found on the shore. A searching party left here this evening to look for the body, but it has not yet been found. The lake is a small one, and is said to be about a hundred feet deep.

TO-DAY IN TORONTO.

Umberto Primo Society picnic, Victoria Park, 2 p.m.
License Commissioners, Temple Building, 2.30 p.m.
County Orange Lodge, Victoria Hall, 8 p.m.
Bathurst-street Methodist Sunday school teachers' moonlight, steamer Chippewa, 8.15 p.m.
Hanlan's Point, vaudeville, 3 and 8.30 p.m.
Munro Park, vaudeville, 3 and 8.30 p.m.

Delicious Ice Cream Soda and all non-inebriating fancy drinks at Bingham's Palm Garden, 100 Yonge St. ed

MACHINISTS RETURN.

Cincinnati, Ohio, July 15.—Two thousand machinists, who have been on strike here since May 20, returned to work to-day. This practically ends the strike here.

Cook's Turkish & steam baths, 204 King w., cures colds, coughs and rheumatism.

TO SUCCEED HIS FATHER.

Brockville, July 15.—It is officially announced that Rev. H. H. Bedford-Jones has been appointed vicar of St. Peter's here, succeeding his father, the late Ven. Archdeacon Bedford-Jones.

The hotelkeepers and licensed shopkeepers of No. 3 Ward who desire to appeal against their assessment should remember that Saturday next, the 20th, is the last day to file appeal. E. Dickie.

STRIKE ORDER IS GENERALLY OBEYED FIRST SCREW PUT ON GIGANTIC TRUST

FRENCHMEN ARE EXCITED

Agitation in Press Over the Survey of Channel Waters By British Vessel.

FASHODA INCIDENT RECALLED

England Not Enfeebled By Transvaal Muddle and Agitation is Criminally Foolish.

Paris, July 15.—The Paris press are just now ruffled over the maritime survey now being made by a British war ship in the neighborhood of the Channel Islands, and there is a curious connection between this incident and the publication of a series of articles touching the presidency of the late M. Faure, recalling the Fashoda affair. The observations of the British in the Channel are characterized as "espionage" and the permission to take them, accorded presumably by the French authorities, as "treason" just as the very sensible withdrawal from Fashoda was denounced. For triviality there is little to choose between the two affairs, and would notdeserve a moment's attention were they not liable to be distorted and magnified for political ends into events that place the nation in jeopardy.

This was the case with regard to Fashoda. The governments in both countries were baited, and popular passions were played upon by irresponsible yellow journalists until the two nations came dangerously close to the point where a humiliating backdown is the only alternative to a bloody war. One such experience in a generation is quite enough.

England and France have every reason to live in peace, for England is France's best customer, and France is equally necessary to England for many articles indispensable to her material comfort Their interests are so different that they do not clash at any point, and thus war between them would be not only a stupendous catastrophe for both, but an act of criminal folly.

Far from being enfeebled, England has been got into fighting trim and also into a state of grim obstinacy by her Transvaal muddle. The mere idea that England's presumed helplessness, owing to the South African war, was being turned to account by a foreign power would weld the nation into one solid mass in favor of war, and it is quite possible that the British government would welcome any diversion, even if it took the shape of a European conflict, that would win them the undivided support of all classes.

NEGRESS FULL OF NEEDLES.

They Came Out By Dozens and She is Said to Be Voodooed.

Lexington, Ky., July 15.—Sarah Carter, a negress, 35 years of age, has for the last three days been ejecting from the tips of her fingers and from her side small bits of pins and needles, in some cases half an inch long.

Dozens of pins have been taken from her feet, tongue, forehead, neck and other portions of her body in the last twelve years.

The steel bits work to the surface of their own accord. Physicians here are puzzled to account for the phenomenon.

Superstitious members of her own race attribute her malady to voodooism, and say she is "two times." They insist that her mother had a voodoo doctor treat her. The mother believes it is due to the mysterious workings of Providence.

YOUNG WOMAN SOUGHT DEATH.

Rachel Clement Detained By Police Early This Morning.

Rachel Clement, aged 25, whose home is with her sister-in-law at 51 Esther-street, attempted to commit suicide early this morning, and she is in custody at No. 3 Police Station.

The young woman bought a bottle of strong medicine last night, and after some hours leaped from an upstairs window in the house and ran to a nearby vacant lot, where she lay down, and her cries were heard by a policeman.

She was taken back to her home and Drs. Gullen and Temple, who were called, administered restoratives and advised her detention.

Miss Clement was only recently released from the Asylum.

SILK HATS DISCARDED.

London, July 15.—A few humid days last week with tolerably high temperature set Londoners to talking again about the "American invasion, at this time of weather. It is actually true that silk hats and frock coats were out of favor in Piccadilly and Pall Mall, and conservative Britons dressed comfortably, but outing clothes have long been highly favored by middle-class clerks, who take to tan leather or canvas shoes and straw hats early in April nowadays, when visiting Americans wear overcoats."

MOTORMAN'S PLUCKY ACT.

Syracuse, N. Y., July 15.—To save a three-year-old girl from being crushed under the wheels of his car, Samuel Waters, a motorman, plunged headforemost thru the window in the vestibule of the car, seized the little one and placed her out of harm's way. The motorman was picked up on the fender of his car unhurt. He had reversed his power, and the car came to a standstill a few feet beyond where he rescued the child.

While in Buffalo stop at the Manhattan, 620 Main Street. Canadian Headquarters. European. Reasonable rates. 246

TO DESTROY TURKISH FORT.

Aden, Arabia, July 15.—A force of 500 British and Indian troops is about to start for a point seventy miles inland to destroy a fort built by the Turks in the territory of the Haushadi, who are under British protection. The Ottoman government has disavowed the act, but the Haushadi are unable to obtain possession of the fort.

Edwards and Hart-Smith, Chartered Accountants, offices Canadian Bank of Commerce Building, Toronto.

CZAR ORDERS RECRUITING.

London, July 15.—Emperor Nicholas, according to a despatch from St. Petersburg, has issued an order that 308,500 men shall be recruited for the Russian army and navy during the present year.

Visitors to Toronto will not see the city without they visit the Temple Building, the finest Cafe in America. Everything in season.

DROWNED BY HUNDREDS.

Shanghai, July 15.—There have been disastrous floods on the Yangtse River, near Hankow, in which hundreds of lives were lost.

"Gibbons' Toothache Gum is easily applied, stops toothache instantly." 10c.

STRIKE LEADER GRATIFIED

Unanimity of Marching Out a Refutation of Statements Made Against Association Officials.

SETTLEMENT MAY YET BE EFFECTED

Conference of Manufacturers Will Be Held To-Day, When Something May Eventuate.

"All of our men are out, and the condition for which we have been preparing these three years and more, and against which we have repeatedly warned the manufacturers, now confronts the latter," said President T. J. Shaffer to-day.

"The gratifying unanimity with which our men assented to the strike ordered is a vigorous and sufficient refutation of the statements of interested persons on the other side of this controversy that the strike is one of the officials of the Amalgamated Association, and not of the men."

They would remain closed, he concluded, "until the companies concede the just demands of our men."

FIRST DAY OF STRIKE.

Pittsburg, Pa., July 15.—Reports from all sources connected with the great strike of the steel workers to-day indicate that the members of the Amalgamated Association had matters well in hand and that the strike order was generally obeyed. Telegrams from various points where the mills of the American Tin Plate Company, the American Steel Hoop Company and the American Sheet Steel Company are located, told of the shutting down of these plants in large numbers. In many cases, the plants had been shut down by the first strike, which affected the sheet steel and hoop companies only. The last order brought out all the union plants of the American Tin Plate Company with the single exception of the new mill in Monssen, which is still running. At the Amalgamated Association headquarters it was stated that the figures given Sunday night regarding the number of men who would be actually idle in the mills of the three companies had been proven correct. This number was placed at 74,000. Of the 74,000 men idle, 2500 are in Pittsburg, 800 in Allegheny and 1500 in McKeesport.

To Do Nothing Radical.

President Shaffer has it in his power to close many more Pittsburg mills, but it is not thought that he will do anything of a radical nature until he is compelled to. The American Steel Hoop Company's supposedly non-union mill, known as the Painter mill, in West Carson-street was closed this morning in all its branches. The tie-up at this mill was said to have been a surprise to the mill owners and officials in charge of it. The other plant, known as the Lindsey & McCutcheon mill in Allegheny, was shut down completely in the puddling and bar mills. All the skilled workmen refused to enter the mill this morning, and the company did not even operate the five furnaces. The finishing department of the mill was working during the day as the men are not in the union, but it is claimed by the workers that the employes in that department will not go to work in the morning.

One Mill Not Closed.

The American Steel Hoop Company's mill at Monssen was not closed to-day. It has been non-union since it was built, two years ago, and the company says the men there will remain loyal. The amalgamated people would not discuss the situation in that mill at present. While all the mils of the U. S. Steel Corporation are included in the general conflict, the three companies are the first attacked. What the next move would be, the workers would not say. It is announced to-day that the circular letter, which was expected to be sent out to-day calling on the men in the mills of the Federal Steel Company, the National Steel Company and the National Tube Company to come out, would not be issued at present.

Settlement Looked for.

The most interesting report to the Amalgamated men to-day was the despatch from New York, which said that a conference of the manufacturers was to be held in New York to-morrow, at which Warner Arms, vice-president of the American Tinplate Company, was to present a detailed account of the experiences of the committee that met the Amalgamated Association in this city last week. It was stated that the question of again extending the Olive branch to the strikers or of taking up the fight and crushing the association would be determined. Generally speaking, the workers, from President Shaffer down, seem to be looking for some sort of a settlement. The general office of the American Steel Hoop Company is in this city, but it was stated there to-day that President W. E. Corey, who is also executive head of the National Steel Company, had nothing to say concerning the plans of the companies in meeting the difficulties of the strike, nor as to what condition the mills were in where non-union men had joined the forces of the strikers. The policy of the manufacturers, it was said, is to remain quiet for some time and await developments. The officials of the American Tin Plate Company are all in New York, and the company's side of the trouble was not obtainable here.

Attack on Non-Union Mills.

At the district offices of the American Sheet Steel Company, a meeting of managers was held to-day. It was a closely guarded meeting, and information was hard to secure. It was said, however, that the report from the managers referred to the condition of affairs of the non-union plants of the company. It was claimed that the men in the old Meadow Mill in Scottdale would not go out on strike. The Scottdale iron and steel mill is also working, and no signs of a strike are vis-

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CONNAUGHT GRAND MASTER

Big Event in Universal Masonry Will Take Place in London on Wednesday.

OVER 100,000 EXPECTED TO ASSEMBLE

Brother of British Monarch to Be Inducted in the High Office—Honors to Be Conferred.

London, July 15.—Many American Masons of high degree will take part in the brilliant installation of the Duke of Connaught to-morrow as grand master of English Masonry, in place of King Edward, who held the office so long as Prince of Wales, but resigned on his accession to the throne.

More than 10,000 members of the British craft, none below the ranks of past master, master or senior warden, will assemble in the Royal Albert Hall to conduct the ceremony, which is only the fifth of the kind that has taken place in England since the beginning of the last century. Their jeweled insignia, together with their glittering trappings and the emblems of the order, will fill the great building with a blaze of color rivalling the pageantry of the coronation.

Honors to Be Bestowed.

The Duke of Connaught will be inducted into the office held by his august brother since 1874 by the Earl of Amherst in his capacity as pro-grand master. In commemoration of the event numerous prominent brethren have been singled out for high honors. A special jewel has been designed for the occasion.

J. W. Spratling, secretary of the Columbian Lodge, London, of which President McKinley is an honorary member, will be elevated to the rank of past grand sword bearer.

Expect Many Americans.

Edward Letchworth, grand secretary of the Grand Lodge of England, said tonight: "While no invitation has been issued to our American brethren, most of the grand lodges of the various states of the Union are permanently represented here, so the Yankee Masons can be with us in something more than spirit. It goes without saying that the knitting of Anglo-American sentiment which the past quarter of a century has witnessed has found a most responsive chord among the Masons of the two countries."

McKinley's Pedigree.

One of the English Masonic newspapers has just dug up President McKinley's Masonic pedigree, and finds that he joined at Winchester, W. Va., during the civil war a lodge formed by a young Englishman, who was fighting as a private in the federal army.

SHIPPING HAS INCREASED.

Present Season is 10,000 Tons Higher Than Last at Montreal.

Montreal, July 15.—(Special.)—A statement giving the number of seagoing vessels arriving in the port from the opening of navigation up to July 1 shows a considerable increase over a corresponding period of last year.

In the year 1899, from the opening of navigation to July 1, the seagoing tonnage arriving in the port amounted to 484,000 tons. This was considerably higher than the corresponding period in 1898 and nearly 60,000 tons in excess of the same period in 1900.

The present season, however, is a full 10,000 tons higher than 1899. The statement giving the years, number of ships and tonnage is as follows:

Years.	Ships.	Tonnage.
1898	257	476,000
1899	239	484,000
1900	203	413,000
1901	252	494,000

FRENCH COUNT ARRESTED.

Cablegram From France Charges Forgery and Embezzlement.

Montreal, July 15.—(Special.)—A gentleman who says his full name is Count Louis Gauget De La Gaillardie has come under the protection of the Montreal police and is now awaiting word from the French government to learn his fate. The count is charged with forgery and embezzlement. It is stated that Gauget formerly held a position of trust in Nantes, France, as bookkeeper and accountant in a large business concern.

On Friday last the local police authorities received a cablegram from the Minister of Justice at Paris and another from the commissioners of police at Nantes, asking them to arrest Louis Gauget, alias La Gaillardie, who, it was known, was then on board the steamer Corinthian, sailing from Liverpool to Montreal.

HEAD OF MOTIVE POWER.

Assistant Manager Morse of G.T.R. Appoints W. D. Robb.

Montreal, July 15.—(Special).—Mr. F. W. Morse, 3rd vice-president of the Grand Trunk Railway system, this morning issued a circular appointing Mr. W. D. Robb acting superintendent of the motive power department with headquarters at Point St. Charles.

Mr. Robb, who has been stationed at Toronto for the last couple of years, as master mechanic, is an old Montreal boy, having served his apprenticeship and worked for a number of years at the Grand Trunk's shops in this city.

INDEPENDENT POLITICAL ACTION.

Winnipeg, July 15.—(Special.)—The Tribune to-night says: The movement in favor of independent political action, that is, action outside either of the old political parties, is taking definite shape. A provincial convention has been summoned to be held during the week of the Fair. A preliminary meeting will be held the first Tuesday of the Fair week, to make arrangements for the regular convention. Judging by the correspondence received from the country, the people are ripe for such an organization as is proposed.

BEES DISARRANGED SYSTEM.

Belleville, N.J., July 15.—A swarm of bees in a transmitter box on the top of a telephone pole in this city caused a disarrangement of the system for some weeks, until an operator located the difficulty and drove the troublesome little fellows out by applying burning sulphur. There had been a continual buzzing sound in the telephone, which prevented subscribers from receiving messages.

Mack, mixed with Scotch Whiskey, is a dream.

Subscribers of The World who do not receive their papers regularly will confer a favor by reporting at once to this office. Phone Main 1734.

Try a Russian Bath—129 Yonge St

C.P.R. SPECIAL CONSTABLE SHOT AN ITALIAN STRIKING TRACKMAN

Giovanni Went to Take the Place of a Union Man at Heron Bay and Joined the Discontents—Now in Hospital at Port Arthur.

Port Arthur, Ont., July 15.—(Special).—A man by the name of T. Giovanni, an Italian, is in the hospital here suffering from the effects of a bullet wound in the abdomen. He was employed on the C.P.R. on the section at Heron Bay, and had taken the place of one of the striking trackmen.

Yesterday he decided to leave the gang and join the trackmen. It is alleged that he and the C.P.R. special constable, James Proulx, had some words and that the detective drew his revolver and shot Giovanni. The wounded man was brought to town on the local at 4 o'clock this morning.

Proulx has been arrested and will be brought to town to-night.

BOY DROWNED AT THE FREE BATHS VICTIM WAS WALTER SPENCER

Ten-year-old Lad Was Playing Tag With His Chums in the Water at the Western Sandbar When He Fell Into a Hole and Lost His Life.

Another name was added yesterday to the already long list of those who have lost their lives in or near Toronto Bay this summer. Ten-year-old Walter Spencer, stepson of Francis Davey, 121 Niagara-street, was the victim, the drowning taking place at the Free Swimming Baths on the Western Sandbar, opposite Queen's Wharf, at the foot of Bathurst-street.

Spencer and his step-brother, Reginald Davey, aged 8, left their home about 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. They crossed over to the sandbar in the Free Ferry from Queen's Wharf and immediately after reaching the baths went into the water. There they were joined by several companions, and the party took part in a game of tag.

Got Into a Hole.

Right in the midst of the enjoyment, when the lads were separated, and when young Spencer was at a point about 20 feet from shore, he stepped into a hole about seven feet deep and sank from view. When he did not come to the surface his companions became alarmed and cried for help. Several who were standing on the shore, including Thomas Webb, caretaker of the baths, rushed into the water with their clothes on, and one of the party, by constant diving, succeeded in recovering the body.

Could Not Save Him.

Everything possible was done to resuscitate the lad for nearly two hours, under the direction of B. D. Munro, druggist, Bathurst and King-streets, but without success. The remains were taken over to the Queen's Wharf, and from there removed in the patrol wagon to the late home of deceased.

Walter Spencer, the dead lad, was a pupil of Niagara-street Public school, and attended St. John's Sunday school.

Coroner W. A. Young issued a warrant for an inquest to be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. If the warrant is withdrawn, the funeral will take place tomorrow morning to the Necropolis. Rev. A. Williams will conduct the services.

CAUGHT A MAD DOG.

Plucky Mabel Wedell Drags It Away When Men Had Fled in Terror.

Elgin, Ill., July 15.—A mad dog which spread terror to scores of people on the street last night, and, tho muzzled, bit Ralph Burnidge in the leg, was finally caught by its plucky owner, Miss Mabel Wedell, aged 16 years, and locked up in a barn, where it was afterwards shot. The street had been emptied of pedestrians, men and women scurrying away to places of safety, when Miss Wedell ran out from her home. The dog sprang toward her, but she jumped nimbly aside and caught the animal by the collar and led it, alternately lunging forward at her and dragging backwards to get away, the length of the yard, and, unassisted, managed to close the sliding door and shut it in the barn. Two months ago the dog was bitten by a tramp dog, and had been kept chained until yesterday.

HYDRAULIC POWER SATISFIES.

But Electric Gun Mechanism Will Be Incorporated in New War Ships.

London, July 15.—Speaking to-day in the House of Commons, H. O. Arnold-Forster, Financial Secretary to the Admiralty, said that electricity had not yet been applied to the turret mechanism of British battleships, and that the government was still satisfied with the results given by hydraulic power in this connection. Mr. Arnold-Forster further said that electric gun mechanism would be incorporated in some of the warships now in course of construction.

PREMIERS AND EX-PREMIERS.

Charlottetown, July 15.—Word comes from British Columbia of the illness of Premier Farquharson, who left here a few weeks ago on a trip to the Pacific coast. It is said that Mr. Farquharson, owing to his condition of health, was obliged to return to Banff, where he will remain until he is better. It is currently reported here that, should the government decline to give this province a portfolio upon the retirement of Sir Louis Davies, ex-Premier Peters will be invited to run for West Queen's, with the understanding that the Province of British Columbia and Prince Edward Island shall together enjoy the benefits accruing from the portfolio.

BURGLARS ON JORDAN ST.

The premises of the Havana Cigar Co., 5 Jordan-street, were entered by burglars early this morning and a quantity of goods taken away.

Night Watchman Chambers found nine boxes of cigars where they had been secreted by the thieves in a lane at the rear of the building.

The police were notified, and Detective Cuddy made an investigation. Manager Friedman was sent for, but he could not say what amount of goods had been stolen until the excise officer makes his examination this morning.

MR. ALLAN'S SUCCESSOR.

Montreal, July 15.—(Special.)—A meeting of the shipping interests was held at the offices of the Montreal Harbor Commissioners to-day for the purpose of electing a representative on the Harbor Board to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. Andrew Allan.

The election resulted in the appointment of Mr. Robert Reford by acclamation.

Perfection smoking mixture, cool and fragrant. Try it.—Alive Bollard.

ROYAL MEETINGS PLANNED.

London, July 15.—"King Edward, Emperor Nicholas and Emperor William will not only meet at the great review near Mayence about Aug. 15," says the Berlin correspondent of The Standard, "but they will exchange visits at Darmstadt."

Patents.—Fetherstonhaugh & Co., King-street West, Toronto, also Montreal, Ottawa and Washington.

TO DESTROY TAKU FORTS.

Tien Tsin, July 15.—The military commanders have directed the provisional government of Tien Tsin to undertake the destruction of the Taku forts, and the government has promised to comply on receipt of a military guard to protect the workmen engaged in the task.

DEATHS.

BREAKEY—At Newtonbrook, July 14, Isaiah Breakey, in his 75th year.
Funeral Tuesday at 1 p.m. to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

SHERIFF SEIZED THE MONEY

Before the Owner Could Pick It Up —His Action Upheld.

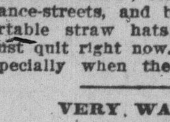
Ottawa, July 15.—The right of a sheriff's officer to seize money placed on a bank counter for a customer by the bank teller, but which was grabbed by the officer before the customer picked it up, has been upheld by the local master, Mr. W. L. Scott. Mr. Charles R. Hall, a superannuated civil servant, went to the Bank of Montreal on May 27 and presented his cheque for $63 for payment. The money was counted out and placed on the counter by the teller. Before Mr. Hall could pick it up it was seized by a sheriff's officer, under an execution issued at the suit of Mr. Walter Hatch. The question at issue was, "Had the property notes passed to Hall when the Sheriff's officer seized them?"

If they were at the moment the property of Hall, then the sheriff's officer had a right to seize them. Mr. Scott decided that Hall owed the money, and that the seizure was legal.

STILL A MYSTERY.

Pickering, July 15.—The adjourned inquest into the death of Stephen Westney was resumed here to-day. Quite a number of new witnesses were examined, but no new light has been thrown on the mysterious poisoning case. The inquest was again adjourned to Wednesday, the 31st inst., waiting the report of the government analyst.

Overcome With the Heat.



A very stout, elderly gentleman walked into a business house yesterday and asked for a glass of water. Before the clerk had time to get it the old gentleman fell over in a faint. When he revived he told the clerk that it was entirely his own fault. Look here, he said, do you see that heavy felt hat? Is there any wonder my brain became overheated? I am going at once to Dineens', corner Yonge and Temperance-streets, and buy one of their comfortable straw hats; this false economy must quit right now. I intend to be cool, especially when the cost is so small.

VERY WARM AGAIN.

Meteorological Office, Toronto, July 15.—(8 p.m.)—In the Northwest Territories and Manitoba the weather has been somewhat cooler, but elsewhere in Canada great heat prevails. Generally, conditions are becoming favorable for local thunderstorms in Ontario, Quebec and the Maritime Provinces.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 50—66; Kamloops, 50—80; Calgary, 38—72; Qu'Appelle, 50—72; Winnipeg, 66—78; Port Arthur, 62—80; Parry Sound, 62—83; Toronto, 66—92; Ottawa, 70—98; Montreal, 72—92; Quebec, 68—92; Halifax, 64—92.

Probabilities.

Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Light to moderate winds; for the most part fine and very warm, but a few local thunderstorms.

Ottawa Valley, Upper and Lower St. Lawrence—Light to moderate winds, for the most part fine and very warm, but a few local thunderstorms.

Gulf and Maritime—West and East—Light to moderate winds; a few scattered thunderstorms, but mostly fine; stationary or slightly lower temperature.

Lake Superior—Moderate winds; local thunderstorms, but mostly fair; stationary or slightly lower temperature.

Manitoba—Fine; stationary or a little higher temperature.

STEAMSHIP MOVEMENTS.

July 15.	At.	From.
Sicilian.........	Father Point	Glasgow
Orcadian.........	Glasgow	Montreal
Lord Charlemont..	Father Point......	Cardiff
Degama...........	Father Point	Bristol
Ivernia..........	Liverpool	Boston
Aller............	Gibraltar	New York
Kensington.......	Antwerp	New York
Barbarossa.......	Bremen	New York
Trave............	New York	Genoa
Svcilia..........	New York	Genoa
Furnessia........	New York	Glasgow
Maasdam..........	New York	Rotterdam
Georgian.........	New York	Liverpool

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