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BARGAIN TALK.

Irresistible economies are the rule here on Saturday. Like grains of gold in the rocks that lie in life's pathway are the opportunities we are giving the people in the values we are offering.

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BURGLAR SHOT IN AURORA.

MR. AND MRS. WM. WARNE CAPTURE THOS. HALL.

Prisoner Received Three Bullet Wounds—One in the Jaw—Removed to the Jail Here.

Aurora, July 10.—During the last fortnight there have been several burglaries in the town, and the consequent excitement culminated this morning, when Thomas Hall was captured in the store of Wm. Warne, grocer, after receiving wounds from three bullets from Mr. and Mrs. Warne's revolvers.

Between 3 and 4 yesterday the grocery store of Wm. Scanlan was entered, a baby's jewelled scarf pin, some coppers, and food stolen. About 4 Wm. Warne was awakened by a noise in his store. Mr. Warne and his wife had both been prepared for such an event, and each had a .38-calibre revolver. On hearing the noise they proceeded downstairs from their sleeping apartments into the store. Mr. Warne says that after entering through the side door they could see no one, and feared they had missed the thief, when they both noticed at once a man crouching behind a door. Both fired at once. Mr. Warne fired a second shot, and the prisoner yelled, "Don't shoot any more!" throwing down about 200 coppers which he had stolen from one of the drawers, and calling, "There's your money, Missus; that's all I got." Two of the bullets had entered his left arm and one his jaw.

Mrs. Warne then stood guard over the prisoner while her husband searched for any more visitors. Neighbors soon arrived, and Chief of Police C. A. Petch took the prisoner in charge, removing him to the Town Hall, where his wounds were dressed by Dr. Stevenson. Hall was brought before Magistrate H. D. Lundy and remanded till July 16, after which Mr. Petch set out with him for the Toronto jail.

KING EDWARD SPEAKS.

For Closer Relations With the United States.

London, July 10.—Informally welcoming the American naval officers to England King Edward took occasion to make an emphatic declaration in favor of closer relations between the United States and Great Britain. His Majesty did not speak of an alliance, or even of an understanding, but the impression was clear from his remarks that he desired that the two nations move together in the interests of peace for the whole world. Some of the King's Ministers took advantage of the occasion to impress on the American officers the cordial approval of the Monroe doctrine and their desire that it be supported by American influence in a way which would place it above all criticism.

The royal welcome was extended to the American officers at Buckingham Palace, where at 8.30 p.m. began the dinner given in their honor by King Edward. The King commanded the most distinguished officials of the empire to attend, and 36 guests were present. On the King's right sat Ambassador Choate, and on his left Rear Admiral Cotton. On the conclusion of the dinner his Majesty expressed gratification at the presence of the American officers, and cordially welcomed Rear Admiral Cotton and his squadron to England. He asked them to represent the sentiment not only of himself but of the whole British people, and he proposed to offer a toast to President Roosevelt, for whom, his Majesty said, he "entertained the highest consideration and admiration."

Ambassador Choate responded, and in an eloquent speech echoed the wish of the King for the maintenance and promotion of more cordial relations between the two English-speaking nations.

FRIEND OF ENGLAND.

President Loubet So Refers to France.

London, July 10.—President Loubet's visit to London was brought to a close at 8.30 o'clock, when the French Chief Magistrate left Victoria Station for Dover. The scenes and incidents of his departure testified how the Republican President had captured the hearts and won the popular goodwill. Despite the earliness of his departure, crowds lined the route from St. James' Palace to the railway station, and the British "Hurrahs" and French "Vive Loubets" re-echoed through the streets until the President had entered the station. Here the nation's guest was met by the King and his suite and members of the French Embassy. As M. Loubet's carriage drew up King Edward advanced with outstretched hand, and taking the President familiarly by the arm, led him through the waiting room to the royal car. King Edward grasped M. Loubet's right hand and shook it with extreme cordiality, while with the left hand he patted the President on the shoulder.

At Calais President Loubet met with a great reception to-day on his return to French soil. At the reception the speakers congratulated M. Loubet on the happy results of his visit to England. The President, in replying to the address, said his visit to London had given him the opportunity of discovering once more that greater justice was done to France abroad than she did to herself at home. The impression which he had brought back was profoundly satisfactory, and he felt patriotic joy in proclaiming it aloud. M. Loubet concluded with expressing the hope that peaceful accord would gradually supersede conflicts, to the great benefit of France and of humanity.

King Edward's reply to President Loubet's telegram was as follows:—

"London, July 9, 1903. "President Loubet, Calais, France: "The kind words of your telegram touched me greatly. We are all delighted that your visit pleased you. It is my most ardent desire that the rapprochement of our two countries should be lasting. "Edward R. I."

THE COMMONS STARTLED.

A Workman Nearly Falls Through the Roof.

Ottawa, July 10.—An unprecedented sensation was caused in the House of Commons yesterday by a workman falling through the glass roof of the chamber and dropping a pail of ice to the floor below. The chamber is ventilated from above, and during the hot weather the air is cooled by being forced through ducts in which ice is placed. Patrick Farrell, one of the employees, was replenishing the ice supply, when he missed his footing, and fell upon one of the squares of prism glass of which the roof is composed. The window was shattered, and the fragments crashed to the floor, 60 feet below. Farrell saved himself by catching one of the beams supporting the ceiling. He hung suspended, with both legs through the roof, and with some difficulty drew himself up. A piece of thick glass struck Mr. McGowan of Centre Wellington on the forehead, inflicting a painful wound, from which the blood poured down his face. Farrell, in saving himself, fractured one of his fingers. The accident caused the wildest excitement amongst the members. A lump of ice weighing over ten pounds and a heavy metal pail fell within a foot of Mr. McGowan, and everyone who witnessed the accident realized that it was by the merest chance that a double fatality had been avoided. Mr. McGowan was able to resume his place in the chamber later in the afternoon.

STOLEN MONEY FOUND.

A Brockville Carter Picks up \$1,000 Under a Stairway.

Brockville, July 10.—Considerable excitement has been created in town by the finding of a large sum of money. Yesterday about 11 o'clock John Sheridan, a local carter, went to Mathen's dock on the river front to get some barrels for the Queen City Oil Company, which were piled under a stairway leading to the upper flat of Mathen's house. On going to the place Sheridan found a package of fifteen five dollar bills lying on top of a barrel, and a little later found two packages containing each one hundred five dollar bills, all Union Bank issue. Sheridan took the money, \$1,075 in all, to a local officer, who at once placed it in the safe until this morning, when it was taken possession of by Chief of Police Adams and placed by him under seal in Molsons Bank vault. From the position in which the parcels were found it looks as if they had been thrown in there hurriedly and not placed carefully away. On or about May 22 last a registered parcel, being carried in the mails from Montreal to Smith's Falls, disappeared here. The package contained five thousand dollars in Union Bank bills, and six registered letters. Both the money packages, letters and all, disappeared, and no trace of them had been secured, although postoffice inspectors and detectives have been working on the case. It is thought that the money found yesterday is part of the missing packages. The authorities at Ottawa have been communicated with and officials from there will be here soon.

CRAZY MAN'S DEED.

Fired Revolver in His Own Mouth Twice.

Alliston, July 10.—W. S. Wallace, auctioneer, of this town, whilst laboring under a fit of despondency shot at his wife and his wife's mother without effect. He then deliberately placed the barrel of the revolver in his mouth and fired twice, inflicting flesh wounds. He will likely recover. He was taken into custody.

BLEW HIS HEAD OFF.

Sparta Lad Climbing Fence With a Gun.

St. Thomas, July 10.—Cecil Ratley, the fourteen-year-old adopted son of James Dangerfield of Sparta, met with a horrible death last evening at 6 o'clock. He went out for the purpose of shooting woodchucks. While climbing over a fence, gun in hand, he accidentally discharged, striking him on the head and blew the top of his head completely off. His brains were scattered on the ground. The only relative in this country is his brother Harry, who lives in Aylmer.

A LOVER'S DESPAIR.

An Ottawa Youth Puts a Bullet in His Head.

Ottawa, July 10.—Rene Schingh, aged 26, painter, shot himself in the head last night because he had been forbidden to continue paying attentions to Miss Albertine Fiset by her mother. He has been unconscious since the shooting and may not recover.

REDISTRIBUTION.

ABOUT FIFTY ONTARIO CONSTITUENCIES SETTLED.

The Committee Agree on Many Details—A Long Argument on the Representation of Toronto.

Ottawa, July 10.—The special committee to whom was referred the important and difficult question of rearranging the constituencies for Federal purposes held another public meeting yesterday. When the last public meeting adjourned, an impasse had apparently been reached, and there was every prospect of a protracted discussion before any conclusion could be arrived at. In the interim, however, several private meetings have been held, with the result that when the members reassembled in public this evening Chairman Hyman presented a memorandum, which was at once accepted by the leader of the Opposition, and which disposed of 34 counties and districts which have a single representative. The feature of the evening's session was the discussion respecting the representation of Toronto, in which the claims of the city to a larger representation than that accorded to it—five members—was presented with vigor by Messrs. E. F. Clarke, E. B. Osler and A. E. Kemp. The sitting representatives for Leeds, Brockville, Grey, Simcoe, Perth and Brant were heard, and when the committee adjourned the division of the counties of Simcoe, Brant, York, Ontario, Perth, Bruce, and Leeds, and the town of Brockville, having an aggregate representation of 16 seats, had been agreed upon. This makes a total of 50 Ontario constituencies which have been finally disposed of. No attempt was made at this session to agree upon a division of Toronto.

GIRL STOPS A LYNCHING.

Sheriff's Daughter Guards Jail From Mob—Gets Drop on Their Leader.

Columbia, S.C., July 10.—Sheriff Lewis Creech of Barnwell has been saved by his daughter Mary from the disgrace of having one of his prisoners taken from jail and lynched, a white prisoner at that. Seaborn Moore surrendered to the Sheriff early on Sunday morning, saying that in a quarrel at a dance the night before he had fatally shot Herbert Sanders. Particulars of the killing cannot be obtained, but it seems that the young farmers were jealous about a local belle. Sanders' friends made a hostile demonstration, and Moore hurried across country to the jail for protection.

Last night Sheriff Creech went into the country, leaving his daughter in charge of his house. The jail is in the same building, and the girl had the keys to it. About 10 o'clock there was a noise in the yard, and opening the door, Miss Creech was met by a dozen masked men. They told her that they had come for Moore, and demanded that the jail be opened, and that his cell be shown to them. Miss Creech replied that she would get the keys from her father's room and return in a minute.

She was back within the specified time, but poked a rifle barrel out the door and ordered the men to withdraw. They were in the bright moonlight, and she had the "drop" on the leader. There was no parleying; the lynchers hurriedly departed. The girl mounted guard till her father's return.

The Railway Bill.

Ottawa, July 10.—The House in committee finished the clauses of Mr. Blair's Railway Commission bill, and the measure will be reprinted before being submitted again. Many amendments were made. The penalties for false billing were reduced, and the companies were made liable for fires caused by locomotives, the burden of proof being thrown on them to show there was no negligence. Some other changes in the direction of securing safety of employees were made.

Success comes to those who wait, provided they hustle while waiting.

G.T.P. SCHEME ENDORSED—

The Government Caucus Practically Unanimous.

Ottawa, July 10.—The Government's policy for the construction of a transcontinental line was submitted to a caucus of Ministerialists yesterday and met with unanimous endorsement. If there was any criticism at all it had reference merely to unimportant details. The project is as outlined in the Globe of Friday last. The Government will build a line from Moncton to Winnipeg, via Quebec, and lease it to the Grand Trunk Pacific for fifty years. The prairie and mountain sections of the railway will be constructed by the company, and they will derive a bond guarantee up to a maximum of \$13,000 and \$30,000 a mile respectively. The stretch of line from Moncton to Quebec will not parallel the Intercolonial, but will be a good distance away, and separated from it for a large part of the distance by ranges of mountains. It is expected that the bill to give effect to the agreement between the Grand Trunk Pacific and the Government will be introduced on Monday next.

Montreal cab-drivers will apply for an injunction to restrain the Street Railway Company from running observation cars.

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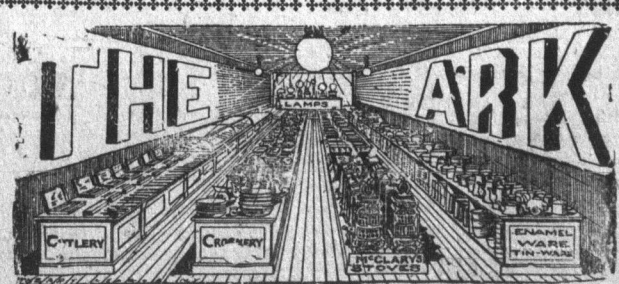
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