

FORTY-FOURTH YEAR

BRANTFORD, CANADA, TUESDAY, JULY 14, 1914

ONE CENT

BOTH PARTIES RESTRAINED FROM OPEN HOSTILITIES

Great Restraint Was Shown by the Nationalists Yesterday--Grim Determination is Shown by Carson and Ulster Followers.

[By Special Wire to The Courier] NEW YORK, July 14--A London cable to the New York Times says: "Ulster has taken her final decision..."

there were similar demonstrations on a smaller scale, marked by the same resolute attitude. While Ulster has made up her mind, the British cabinet muddles and drifts.

Black Rattler Drove Them Out

[By Special Wire to The Courier] PHILADELPHIA, July 14.--Several hundred persons at the Broad street station of the Pennsylvania Railroad were thrown into a panic last night by the sudden appearance of an eight-foot diamondback rattlesnake.

LIPTON IS NOT LIABLE FOR FRAUD

Attorney General Makes Announcement in British House Today.

[By Special Wire to The Courier] LONDON, July 14.--The Attorney-General declared today there was no evidence before him to justify the criminal prosecution of Sir Thomas Lipton, in connection with the army canteen scandals, for which several army officers and employees of Lipton's Limited, were convicted on charges of accepting or giving bribes to influence contracts.

Was Taken For Burglar

[By Special Wire to The Courier] MONTREAL, July 14.--While hiding behind the fence in his back yard last night on the look out for three burglars who have been active in the neighborhood recently, and who had burglarized his own house, Melvin G. Cowie, real estate dealer, Park avenue, was mistaken by Detective Charette and Robillard for one of the burglars and shot through the instep.

FRANCE GLORIES IN FALL OF THE BASTILLE CELEBRATION

A Wonderful Military Review is Held Today in Paris--Amid the Cheers of Millions, Twenty Aeroplanes Rise Before the President.

[By Special Wire to The Courier] PARIS, July 14.--Half a million Parisians, celebrating the fall of the Bastille were thrilled today at the opening of the President of the republic's annual review of the Paris garrison, when twenty military aeroplanes rose at the far end of the Longchamps race course and in perfect alignment of four swished at full speed past the presidential stand.

number of distinguished guests including most of the diplomatic corps with their wives, the French cabinet ministers, the speakers of the Chamber of Deputies and the Senate and a most of society people. The troops of all the garrisons in France also paraded and the military authorities calculated that over 400 aeroplanes were on the wing at once in various parts of the country.

MUSEMENTS

THEATRE

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PLAN TO REFORM HOUSE OF LORDS IS COMING SOON

Asquith Says It Will be Introduced Before the House Adjourns in August.

LONDON, July 14.--Premier Asquith announced in the Commons today that the present sessions of Parliament would come to an end about the close of August, and that the new session would begin in early winter, which is thought to mean December.

CROKER TO START FIGHT TO OUST CHARLES MURPHY

Former Tammany Boss Is Not Satisfied With the Present Leader.

NEW YORK, July 14.--Richard Croker, the old-time leader of Tammany Hall will return to New York from Ireland next September and seek to oust Chas. F. Murphy from the leadership of Tammany Hall, according to H. W. Walker, confidant of Croker, who reached here today from a visit to Croker in Ireland.

Recount Opens In South Oxford

The Validity of About 30 Ballots is Under Dispute.

[By Special Wire to The Courier] WOODSTOCK, July 14 --Deputy Judge J. G. Wallace this morning opened the recount of the ballots cast in the South Oxford election by which V. A. Sinclair, Conservative candidate, was declared elected by a majority of four. Col. Mayberry the applicant for the recount, was represented by Gideon Grant of Toronto, Col. Hegler and W. J. Elliott, of Ingersoll, while Mr. Sinclair was represented by Edmund Bristol, K. C., of Toronto, and Donald Sutherland, M.P. Unless the scrutiny reveals something unknown by the deputy returning officer, the ballots to be argued upon before the judge will number only about thirty. The proceedings will likely last about three days.

TURRET CHIEF IS RELEASED FROM ROCKS

Required Many Weeks to Accomplish What Was Thought Impossible Feat.

CALUMET, Mich., July 14--After many weeks of effort Captain Alexander Cunningham, and his crew of wreckers have succeeded in releasing the Canadian steamer Turret Chief, which was driven on the rocks six miles east of Copper Harbor, Lake Superior, in the rear storm of last November. Except for damage to the hull, the vessel is said to be in a good condition. The steamer was floated yesterday and is to be taken to Port Arthur for repairs.

PASTOR DROWNED

WHITE HAVEN, Pa., July 14--Rev. Walter Peterson, pastor of the Presbyterian church here, was drowned in the Lehigh river yesterday while fishing in a canoe. No one saw the minister go down, but his straw hat floating on the water led to the dragging of the river and the recovery of his body.

Five Thousand Masons Expected At Niagara

Advance Guard of Grand Lodge Already There--Will Conduct Peace Ceremonial.

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., July 14--Over 150 of the advance guard of the Masonic Grand Lodge arrived in the city today to make arrangements for the convention which opens here on Wednesday morning when 2,000 delegates are expected. The Clifton Hotel will be the headquarters for the

GRAND JURY PROBING MURDER MYSTERY TODAY

Dr. Carman, Husband of Suspected Woman, to be Called as Witness.

[By Special Wire to The Courier] MINEOLA, N. Y., July 14--At the grand jury investigation today into the murder of Mrs. Louise Bailey in the office of Dr. Edwin Carman at Freeport on the night of June 30 District Attorney Lewis J. Smith planned to call the member of the dead woman's family to trace her movements from the time she left her home in Hempstead until she arrived at the physician's office. To-morrow or Thursday, Mr. Smith announced that he would give Mrs. Carman, who is held here in the county jail charged with the murder of Mrs. Bailey, an opportunity to tell her story. Preparations to hearing Mrs. Carman, however, the District Attorney it is said, would the Carman negro maid, who is expected to change her original story.

NARROW ESCAPE FOR MOTORMAN FROM DEATH

Employe of Street Railway Came Near Being Electrocuted Today.

Motorman Tolley of the Street Railway had a very narrow escape from death shortly after one o'clock today noon when in attempting to move a live wire, that had crossed the railway wire on West Mill street, he received such a severe shock that he was rendered unconscious. Tolley is the driver on Car 43, Holmedale, and he was returning along West Mill street, when he noticed another wire crossed over the trolley wire. He stopped the car and when he went to throw the wire off received a severe shock that badly burned his left hand.

SNATCHED PURSE

Foreigner Made a Get-a-Way Near Police Station Today.

Pavil Herink, snatched his wife's purse and made a dash for it from the police station this morning. He was given a stern chase down Dalhousie street, a string of youngsters getting after him and P. C. Boylan got hold of him and brought him back in a breathless condition. The purse, recovered, was opened and a few cents were all that contained.

Home Rule Bill Passed Today

[By Special Wire to The Courier] LONDON, July 14.--The House of Lords today passed the third reading of the bill to amend the Irish Home Rule bill and sent it across to the House of Commons for consideration. In its closing stage in the Upper House the Marquis of Crewe, the Liberal leader, took part in the debate on the bill, and indirectly promised that the attainment of an agreement in regard to the elimination of the time limit by which the counties of Ulster were allowed to vote on the question of their exclusion for a period of six years from the operation of the home rule bill would not prove difficult. He said, however, that the area of the portion of Ireland to be excluded had been so greatly enlarged by the Unionist that it would be a vexed and critical question. The Unionists, he argued had failed to explain how they proposed to meet the inevitable objections to exclusion of the Roman Catholic counties of Ulster and their friends elsewhere in Ireland. The Marquis of Crewe concluded by asking for the exercise of patience and forbearance, and firmly hoping for a successful solution.

Old Home Week Notes

Things are booming now in the city for the Old Home Week celebrations. Every member of every committee has now got down to business and merchants and everybody have become enthused with the idea. The greatest interest is being displayed by business men and the many manufacturers who are determined that this old boys' reunion shall be the greatest yet held in Ontario. Headquarters have been opened up in the Temple Building, and the room has been decorated with flags and streamers. The general parade committee met here last evening, and it was finally decided to hold the monster parade on Monday, the opening day. The parade will be open to everyone, and prizes will be awarded at Agricultural Park, whither the parade will go, for the best-looking

ASTOR'S PLANS MAY FALL FLAT--FAMILY QUARREL

Father, Wife and Son Have a Bitter Dispute--Son Disinherited.

[By Special Wire to The Courier] MONTREAL, July 14.--A London cable to the Daily Mail says: William Waldorf Astor's intention to sell The Observer and The Pall Mall Gazette is said to be due to a family quarrel which may affect the eventual disposition of his immense fortune and bring about the disinheriting of Waldorf, the eldest son. The trouble originated in a remark by Mrs. Waldorf Astor, who was Mrs. Nancy Langhorne Shaw before her second marriage in 1906. The outcome is a complete breach between father and son, the latter taking his wife's side. The proposed sale of The Observer and The Pall Mall Gazette is the first move in the open war which is now declared between father and son. The original purchase of these two papers was designed in one case to advance the son's political ambitions, and in the other to realize the father's dream of founding a family which should rank among the titled nobility. Both dreams are now at an end.

IS BIGGEST GUN KNOWN TO WORLD

Will Project Missile Twenty-three Miles Out From Panama.

[By Special Wire to The Courier] WASHINGTON, July 14--When its breech locking device has been perfected at Watervliet arsenal, the great 28-inch gun, the biggest piece of ordnance in the world, which has just been shipped from Sandy Hook proving grounds, will be practically ready for service on the Panama canal fortifications. Some idea may be gotten of the tremendous power of this gun, destined to protect the Pacific entrance to the Panama canal, by the fact that it is fifty feet long, weighs 143 tons and fires a projectile about six feet long. It requires eight men to carry the powder charge. This gun has a maximum range of from 22 to 23 miles. The elevation permitted by its carriage will enable the gun to fire a projectile about 11 miles across the Pacific ocean. It has sufficient power to theoretically pierce two feet of the best armour at the muzzle. At 11 miles the gun is calculated to pierce a 12-inch armour plate, or dry side armor afloat. Army ordnance officials believe this gun will be a tremendous instrument of peace when it is finally in position on the Panama canal.

ENGLISHMEN ARE CONVICTED

Journalists Mixed Up in Big Japanese Naval Contract Scandals.

[By Special Wire to The Courier] TOKIO, Japan, July 14--Andrew M. Pooley, an English journalist, was today sentenced to two years imprisonment and a fine of \$100 on the charge of receiving stolen documents in connection with the recent Japanese naval scandals involving officers in the receipt of illicit commissions for influencing the allotment of contracts. Pooley received the documents from Carl Richter, an employee of a German armament firm, who had stolen them, and was alleged to have used them for blackmailing purposes. Two other prisoners were also convicted today in the same case, V. Herrmann, the Tokio representative of the German armament firm, being sentenced to one year in jail, and G. Blundell, also connected with English journalism, to ten months' imprisonment. The sentence of these two men were, however, suspended for three years.

WESTERN WRECK

EDMONTON, Alb., July 14.--In a head-on collision in Edmonton yards of the C. N. R. last night between an incoming freight train from Morinville and a yard engine switching some freight cars, Geo. Marshall, engineer of the freight train, was scaled to death by escaping steam. Frank Scott, fireman of the freight train, saw the danger and jumped, shouting to Marshall to do the same. Instead the engineer blew his whistle and jammed on the brakes, but was unable to stop in time. The Orange celebrations in Ulster were carried out without any noticeable disorder.

WAS MURDERED ON BUFFALO STREET

Martin Cook Set Upon By Robbers and Fatally Wounded It Is Thought.

[By Special Wire to The Courier] BUFFALO, July 14--Martin Cook, 30 years old, was set upon by two thieves within halting distance of his home on Illinois street early this morning and was so badly beaten and stabbed that he died a few minutes later. Thieves were frightened away by the approach of two other men. Cook managed to stagger to his own door and rap. He fell dead when his father, James A. Cook, opened the door. He was able to gasp, "They tried to rob me," before he fell. The murderers had tried to cut some rings from Cook's fingers. One finger was nearly severed and two others were cut to shreds. The experts working on the America have decided to turn the airboat into a gigantic "sea sled."

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