

CANNIBALISM IN FAR NORTH

Eskimo Made Desperate by Starvation, Subsists On Body of Murdered Child. Steamer Adventure Arrives With Crew of Paradox Wrecked by Ice last August.

St. John's, N. F., Oct. 3.—Adventure and tragedy in the icy wastes of the far north formed the burden of the news brought to this port today by the Hudson Bay Company's steamer Adventure which arrived with the crew of the Dundee whaler Paradox, and the story of an Eskimo who, driven to cannibalism by starvation, ate his child and shooting several neighbors who attempted summary punishment, fled into the trackless wilderness of the ice.

Crushed in Ice. The Padox, one of the fleet of Dundee whalers, met the fate of her companion Snow Drop, a year ago, when she was crushed in the merciless jaws of the ice floes off Baffin Land early in August. The crew with scant provisions, made their perilous way over the broken ice towards the mainland, when they were picked up by the Hudson Bay Company's steamer Pelican, which brought the whole to Fort Churchill. The Pelican left subsequently struck a rock which destroyed her rudder and while trying to reach St. John's under a jurg, she smashed one blade of her propeller. The men of the Dundee were taken along by the Adventure on regular fall trip. On board the steamer also were several missionaries, keyors and prospectors from the newest country.

Reported Cannibalism. The Hudson Bay mounted police also reported through dispatches brought by the Adventure, the cannibalism of a young Eskimo. The man's first attempt to eat his own child failed, driven mad by hunger he cut the throat of one of his children and then the little victim. When the missionaries learned of the horrible, they attacked him according to the primitive law of their race. Thoroughly maddened Eskimo fled shouting and finally escaped from the hands of his pursuers. He was seen from the hills of ice beat off all assaults, sing down several of the attack party and finally escaping into the wastes. Whether he finally succumbed to starvation is not known.

MAN ATTEMPTED TO REJ TAFT IS JAILED

One Untrd Incident Marks Presids Visit To Portland With Camera Arrest

Portland, Oct. 2.—President Taft spent a pleasant day in the city of his birth. There was but one untrd incident, the arrest of a man who carried a camera and who in his effort to get in the front ranks of the throng while the president was at the hotel, caused his apprehension by the police. A revolver and a supply of ammunition were found on him. He tells a straightforward story. The police will hold him for further examination.

HON. J. PCHILL IS STE IMPROVING

Friends Ominent North are Liman Encouraged By His Coming Reside.

Special to The Standard. Chatham, N. S., Oct. 3.—Friends and relatives of Mr. Burchill are much encouraged by the steady improvement in his health. He is still very weak, but as each day goes by his ultimate recovery grows. In fact he has been more moving his own during the past days, and has made marked improvement.

TWO KIL TRAIN. Wels, Me., Oct. 3.—Two young men William Kennebunk and Frank Chas. were killed by a train while they were on the Boston and near the station tonight. The train was carrying four or five passengers. The train was on the way of the oncoming

MINE WORKERS TO HIT BACK AT COMPANY

Interesting Developments Promised For Today In Cape Breton Labor Trouble—Warrant Out For Johnson.

U. M. W. LEADERS IN RETALIATION.

Special to The Standard. Halifax, N. S., Oct. 3.—Sensational developments are expected in the strike situation in Cape Breton tomorrow. Two weeks ago the Dominion Coal Company ordered the arrest of Dan McDougall, president of the United Mine Workers of America in Nova Scotia on a charge of libel, for inserting advertisements in La Patrie of Montreal, giving an alleged libelous description of conditions at the company's collieries at Glace Bay. The U. M. W. claim they have information that the company intends to make wholesale arrests with a view of breaking the strike. To offset this move, the U. M. W. officials will swear out information for the arrest of the coal operators of this province. They will charge conspiracy among the operators in keeping up the price of coal, claiming the different companies here have an agreement to charge a uniform rate per ton. The U. M. W. has laid information for the arrest of Alex. Johnson, ex-M. P. for Cape Breton, on the charge of the criminal libel. Johnson is proprietor of the Sydney Record, which has throughout the strike sided with the company, and is alleged to have attacked the U. M. W.

OVERTAKEN BY PRARIE FIRE 3 MEET DEATH

Alberta Woman With Two Daughters Swept To Death On Western Prairie By All-Consuming Fire.

TRIED TO REACH NEIGHBOR'S HOUSE.

Special to The Standard. Winnipeg, Man., Oct. 2.—Mrs. Frank Grover and her two children, Katherine and Dorothy, wife and daughter of a farmer living ten miles south of Lee, Alberta, lost their lives in a prairie fire yesterday according to advices received today. The mother it seems saw the fire approaching the home and started with her children for a neighbor's place. The fire overtook them and the children were burned to death, while Mrs. Grover was so badly burned that she died a few hours later. Throughout the fire district the buildings and crops went up in smoke.

HUDSON-FULTON PAGEANTS TO MOVE UP RIVER

For Another Week The Cities North Of New York Will Honor Memory Of Navigator And Inventor.

CELEBRATION TO GO OVER UNTIL MONDAY.

New York, N. Y., Oct. 3.—The Hudson-Fulton celebration, after a week of pageantry in New York, moves up river tomorrow, and for another week the cities lying to the north will vie with each other in doing honor to the memory of the navigator and inventor. The Half Moon and the Clermont will proceed northward, stopping at Kingston, Catskill, Hudson, Albany and Troy, where elaborate local celebrations have been planned to mark each successive stage of the journey. Attended Concert. Governor Hughes, who, with his staff, attended a sacred concert in Carnegie Hall, New York, tonight, will begin his up-state trip tomorrow. He will review a parade at Yonkers, and at Poughkeepsie a banquet and reception will be given in his honor in the evening. Poughkeepsie's big parade will be held tomorrow. The parade passes up the river on Thursday on the way to Troy. At night a chain of signal fires on mountain tops and other eligible points from Staten Island to the head of navigation will mark the close of the second week's celebration, and there will be displays of fireworks and brilliant electrical illumination all along the river. This concludes the celebration as originally planned, but it will extend over to the following Monday, when the fleet will proceed to Cohoes, where an evening parade will be held. Then the Hudson-Fulton celebration will have passed into history.

WAR COMING DECLARES GREY

WASHINGTON TO BE ASKED NOW TO INTERFERE

Commercial Cable Company Stopped From Putting Down Conduits In St. Johns Decide To Appeal.

St. John's, Nfld., Oct. 2.—The work of the Commercial Cable Company in putting its underground conduits in the streets of St. John's in order to connect its city offices with the place of landing of its cable was stopped yesterday by the Newfoundland authorities. This renders it necessary for the Cable Company to operate its cable in a hut on the seashore which is one of the wildest and most desolate. The cable operators must now travel night and day to and fro between the shore and the city over a most difficult and dangerous country. The cable company has decided to ask the American government to intervene.

Governor-General in a Speech at Calgary Discusses Prospects of a Future War.

He States That Canada Should Imitate Germany in the Training of Its People.

Special to The Standard. Winnipeg, Man., Oct. 2.—Governor General Earl Grey at a banquet tendered him by the Canadian Club of Calgary declared that in the training of its people Canada should imitate Germany and in patriotism Japan. German Menace Real. He asserted that the German menace was not a political dodge but was made to meet it. War would come in the near future he said and Canada should not supply merely a "Dreadnought or two but should build a navy of its own. Referring to American immigration Earl Grey said "the more they come the better pleased we are. They are good citizens. Nature causes the best to gravitate to the high ideal. Our American friends sink into us as rain drops in the sea and will love and fight for our flag if necessary."

TO ASK FOR CHARTERS AT NEXT SESSION OF HOUSE

List Of The Companies Seeking Incorporation For Rights To Construct More Mileage In Canada.

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 3.—The following companies will ask for railway charters at the next session of parliament: To incorporate the Pine Pass Railway Company; to build from Edmonton through the Pine River Pass to Fort George, B. C. The Manitoba and Northwestern Company to build from Birtle to Hamiota, Manitoba, and from Russell, Manitoba, 150 miles northerly or northeasterly. The Calgary and Edmonton Company, to extend the Lacombe branch 200 miles to join the C. P. R. Moosejaw branch at Outlook. Extensions of time will be asked as follows: By the Columbia and Western Railway Company in regard to its second, fifth and sixth sections. The Calgary and Edmonton; the Manitoba and Northwestern Railway Company for its Comox extension and branches; The Nicola, Kamloops and Similkameen and Railway Company; The Edmonton Dunvegan and British Columbia Railway Company.

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ST. STEPHEN FAIR AN UNQUALIFIED SUCCESS

Adverse Weather Conditions Failed To Wreck Agricultural Show And The Total Attendance Was Large.

CURTISS MAKES SHORT FLIGHT IN AEROPLANE

Aviator Unable To Negotiate Upper Air Currents Comes To Ground After Having Remained Aloft One Minute.

New York, N. Y., Oct. 3.—In a wind more treacherous than an aeroplane can well withstand, Glenn H. Curtiss started out to fly from Governor's Island, in New York harbor just after sunset this evening. At sea level it appeared that there had come a lull in the strong wind which has whipped the harbor during the week, but when the aviator got into the air he found the evening breeze still fitful and after a minute aloft during which the aeroplane tilted at dangerous angles, he came safely to the ground.

The attendance was beyond all that could be expected under the adverse circumstances and encourages the society to reach out for something bigger and better next year.

The races at the Park this afternoon were attended by two thousand people even though the weather was showery and the track a puddle of mud its entire length. The local race was won by Bobby, owned by P. F. McKenna, Gold Lance, owned by J. F. Duston won the third heat and second money and Jack McGregory owned by Alex. Reid, took third money. Best time was 2:29.14.

The 2:30 class was won in straight heats by Gold Bug owned by W. W. Mercer of Princeton and driven by W. H. Kenes, Melva P. owned by G. W. Gerow of Fort Fairfield, was second in each heat. Sadie Briggs owned by J. W. Gallagher of Woodstock was third and Pearsa Montana, owned by W. B. Belden of Woodfourth. Best time 2:37.12.

The owners of the horses in the 2:20 class refused to start because of the condition of the track. The success that has attended the exhibition is largely due to the untiring efforts of W. S. Stevens, the secretary.

GASES COMPLETED IN FISHERIES ARBITRATION

London, Oct. 3.—The cases for the United States and Great Britain in the Newfoundland fisheries arbitration have been completed and will be delivered at Washington and London tomorrow. The work on the British side has occupied the attention of experts in Canada and Newfoundland assisted by British counsel, since the exchange of notes last January. Sir Robert Finlay has been secured as leading counsel for the preparation and presentation of the British case for the tribunal. Sir William Robson, the attorney general, will watch the proceedings in behalf of the Imperial Government.

Two Killed In Street Car Mishap. Pittsburgh, Pa., Oct. 3.—Two men were killed and eight other passengers seriously injured, three of them probably fatally tonight in a street car accident here.

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