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FRENCH CABINET RESIGNS

OUT-VOTED ON CHURCH INVENTORIES

AFTER DEFEAT IN CHAMBER

Opposing Elements Combined and Result Was Quickly Acted Upon—Personal Antagonism to Ministry Real Cause of It All.

Paris, March 7.—Like a bolt from a clear sky the Rouvier ministry was defeated in the chamber of deputies to-night and immediately resigned.

The cabinet crisis comes at a most dramatic moment, when the Franco-German contest has reached a decisive stage, and may exert an important adverse influence on the Algeciras conf rence and European affairs.

The defeat of the government came on a comparatively minor debate over the church disorders. The government succeeded in holding only 234 votes, while the various elements in opposition, clericals, socialists and Nationalists united and polled 267 votes, thus placing the ministry in a minority of 33.

Premier Rouvier, with all his colleagues, immediately proceeded to the foreign office where a point letter of resignation was prepared. Later M. Rouvier presented this letter to President Fallieres, who accepted the resignations. The president announced his intention of consulting the presidents of the senate and chamber of deputies to-morrow relative to the formation of a new cabinet.

Duty of Government.

The debate in the chamber of deputies was upon the bloody riot yesterday during the inventory of a church in the Village of Boeschep, resulting in the death of a manifestant. Various orators severely criticized the government's course, asserting that it threatened to participate religious warfare. Premier Rouvier responded:

"The government has the duty to apply the law. It will apply it without weakness, but also with prudence, tact and wisdom consistant with public tranquillity. I ask the adoption of a resolution approving these declarations of the government."

The resolution was thereupon put to a vote and defeated. The result was due to a combination of opposition influences. The vote was more expressive of personal antagonism to the ministry than of opposition to church inventories.

Having returned from presenting to President Fallieres the resignation of the ministry, M. Rouvier was surrounded in the lobbies of the chamber of deputies by groups of members, who expressed their regret at his abandonment of office. M. Rouvier displayed not the lightest emotion.

Rouvier Explains.

Replying to one of his followers, he remarked:

"I regard it as a point of honor to fulfil the task I had undertaken. The chamber's vote has relieved me of a burden, the weight of which had begun to make itself felt. I do not regret it.

"I should have received 350 votes had I declared for more vigorous action; but the sentiment of the chamber was against the cabinet's remaining in office until the election and the struggle would have begun again to-morrow. It was better to finish immediately."

The meeting of the cabinet at the foreign office lasted half an hour. After exchanging views with reference to church inventories, it was decided to suspend operations in that regard until a new cabinet has been appointed. The discussion resulted from a disparity of the opinions expressed in the chamber of deputies relative to the method of carrying out the law providing for the separation of church and state.

Thought Best to Quit.

Had the chamber voted a motion of confidence in the government the cabinet would have been compelled to continue to apply the law; but the downfall of the ministry having clearly secured thru disapproval of the methods hitherto adopted, which on one side were considered too violent and on the other side as too indulgent, M. Rouvier and his colleagues thought it better to discontinue the efforts of the law.

The promulgation of regulations, however, will occur in the ordinary course as specific dates therefor are laid down in the bill.

POSTAL UNION CONVENTION.

Deputy Postmaster Coulter Will Represent Canada.

Ottawa, March 7.—Canada will be represented at the postal union convention which meets in Rome this month by Dr. R. M. Coulter, deputy postmaster-general. Dr. Coulter left this afternoon for New York, and will sail on Friday for Naples, proceeding thence by train to the Eternal City.

The postal union was formed under the terms of a treaty concluded at Berne in 1874, the object of which was to secure uniformity in the treatment of correspondence, and the simplification of accounts, as well as the reduction of postal rates within certain limits. The provisions of this treaty were carried into operation generally on July 1, 1875, the whole of Europe, the United States, Egypt, British India and the colonies of France were at the outset, or shortly thereafter, included in the union, and many other countries and colonies have since joined it.

The international accounts in respect of postages are based on a month's return of correspondence taken every third year.

POLICE RECEIVED MONEY TO PROTECT UNFORTUNATES

New York, March 7.—Berthe Claiche, the young French woman who yesterday pleaded guilty to the murder of Emil Gerdron, her alleged master, today was taken from the Tombs prison to the district attorney's office.

She gave the names of four policemen to whom she said she paid $2 a week for protection while leading the life of a woman of the streets, and the names of about 50 other policemen who were receiving like amounts from other women.

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MAY HAVE A BAD EFFECT ON MOROCCAN CONFERENCE

Cabinet Resignation Tends Toward Further Complications—Germany Has the Floor.

Paris, March 7.—Prior to the cabinet crisis to-day the Franco-German controversy over Moroccan control seemed to be in the balance with the inclination strongly toward agreement.

All is dependent upon Berlin's last word. If this was a frank concession of a Franco-Spanish police without possible condition, then agreement was assured; but if the concession involved further conditions, France, whose pride was already much aroused, was prepared to reject it.

The foreign office to-day stated the situation as follows:

"The reported German concession has not been communicated to us and we are therefore, unable definitely to state what action may be taken thereon. One thing, however, can be stated with absolute positiveness, namely, that if the German concession on the police question is conditioned upon international supervision it will not be accepted."

Russia's Modification.

Russia's proposed modification of the police question at Algeciras, which France is understood to be ready to accept, and which reports say is also acceptable to Germany's representative at the Moroccan conference, subject to the approval of the authorities at Berlin, limits the police arrangements to three or five years, during which the French and Spanish police would make periodical reports to the diplomatic representatives of the powers at Tangier, Germany in the meantime reserving her rights in order that, if the arrangement poves unsatisfactory, she can demand a revision at the expiration of the life of the agreement.

Berlin is Apprehensive.

Berlin, March 7.—The fall of M. Rouvier, the French premier, awakens certain misgivings here lest it shall lead to a resumption of the foreign policy of M. Delcasse.

It is pointed out that the majority against M. Rouvier was composed chiefly of nationalists, who denounced as treasonable the attitude of the element whose opposition to M. Delcasse led to his resignation. Much curiosity and some anxiety is indulged in respect ing the effect of the change in the government on the Algeciras conference and it is feared that fresh complications will follow or that at least there will be a period of uncertainty and delay in the proceedings.

FRANCE PROPOSES.

Conference To-day Will Consider Police Project—Conciliation Efforts.

Algeciras, Spain, March 7.—The French police project was distributed late to-night among the delegates to the conference on Moroccan reforms.

The proposition, which will be presented to the conference to-morrow, consists of five paragraphs, the substance of which follows:

The Moroccan police to be constituted for three years, composed of Moorish mussulmans, commanded by sixteen French and Spanish officers, and thirty non-commissioned officers. The force to consist of 2000 to 2500, distributed among the eight ports in bodies of from 200 to 500.

The state bank to advance funds for the administration and for the payment of the force.

No mention is made of international supervision, and the project is practically the same as was outlined in M. Revoils' declaration on Monday.

The result of to-morrow's sitting of the conference is awaited with interest. Reports relative to the probability of an agreement are circulated on all sides. Conciliation certainly is in the air, and continued efforts in that direction are going on.

LIVERPOOL WANTS IT REMOVED

No Cattle Embargo Would Benefit Trade of the Port.

(Canadian Associated Press Cable).

London, March 7.—Liverpool City Council will petition for the removal of the cattle embargo in the interests of meat consumers and for the benefit of the trade of the port.

More emigrants leave for Canada today. The party includes 100 from the Church Army. A large number of the Salvation Army brings the Salvation Army total this season to 2688.

HEARST HASN'T GIVEN UP.

Intends to Fight McClellan's Election to Last Ditch.

Washington, March 7.—William Randolph Hearst, in a statement to-day, clearly defined his attitude in the contested election against McClellan. It is his intention to continue to the end the fight to prove that McClellan was declared elected by fraud. He proposes to press for the passage of the bill at Albany that will authorize a count of the votes, but if the attempt should fail he will go ahead with the more expensive and more tedious quo warranto proceedings.

Marconi System Stations.

Quebec, March 7.—Communication has now been established between the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Station on the Citadel and the Grosse Isle station, situated on the Quarantine Island. The stations have been erected for the Dominion public works department in the event of cable breakages.

These stations will also report during the navigation season, with vessels fitted with the Marconi sstem.

QUEBEC TAXES BANKS

Montreal, March 7.—(Special.)—In spite of the delegations, the Quebec legislature has put thru the new tax on banks.

The banks will now pay $100 on every $100,000 of capital up to $1,000,000 and $50 for each $100,000 over $1,000,000.

Head offices are taxed $200, branches in cities $150 and branches in towns $30 each.

Approximately this is the tribute the Bank of Montreal will have to pay annually: on capital, $7700; branches in towns, $270; head office, $200; branches in Montreal, $900; branches in Quebec, $150. Total, $9220.

A WILL-O'-THE-WISP

SHAREHOLDER (who has been manipulating the kite): He's tired chasing it—I hope he doesn't find the road out.

No Wildcat Companies

If Hoyle's Bill Passes

To Pester New Ontario

Amendment to Companies Act to Require Publication of Full Information — Will Prevent "Gold Bricks."

Mr. Hoyle's bill to prevent the floating of wild cat companies was given a second reading in the legislature yesterday. It was generally approved and will pass. This is the bill's second appearance. It was brought in a year ago by Mr. Hoyle, but as the government promised to incorporate its provisions in a revised Companies Act he withdrew it. The government still proposes a revision of the act, but in order that Mr. Hoyle's bill may have full effect in preventing the floating of bogus companies in New Ontario this year Mr. Hoyle had been asked to re-submit his measure, and the government bill will not be passed until next year, suggestions being asked for meanwhile. The feature of the discussion was Mr. Pratt's hot attack on the promoter of the Cramp concern at Collingwood.

Mr. Hoyle in moving the second reading of the bill, which will compel companies to furnish full particulars of operations in prospectuses issued, said that the intent was not to take in merely companies incorporated under the Ontario Companies Act, but all companies whether under imperial, Dominion or patent charters. He spoke of the flamboyant methods of certain promoters, and the need of protection from promoters to the investing public. He had not found a monetary publication that disapproved of his bill, which he had brought up every year since 1903. The amount of cash each provisional director had invested should be set forth, and the contracts entered into, tho there would continue to be gold-bricks forced upon the public no matter what legislation might be put thru. He referred to a company as having obtained $300,000 in good stock for its promoters without their investing a dollar. Mr. Hoyle spoke of the Cramp Ontario Steel Co. as neglecting to hold the annual meetings, by common gossip, according to the Ontario Companies Act. He spoke of the company's practices as nefarious.

At present shareholders wanting recourse had to institute a civil suit, but under the proposed measure they could bring up the promoters before a police magistrate, and have them fined. Mr. Hoyle claimed that prominent legal advice had assured him that legislature had power to amend the act, and that it would insure a refund of money to mislead shareholders. The bill would be hailed with general satisfaction and would help to build up the legitimate industries of New Ontario.

Government Bill Coming.

Hon. Mr. Hanna said a similar bill was introduced last session, but was withdrawn, as a general revision of the Companies Act was contemplated. However this year the government had requested Mr. Hoyle to re-introduce his bill. There was necessity for it

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PRINCESS ENA'S CONVERSION.

Members of Royal Party Moved to Tears During Ceremony.

San Sebastian, Spain, March 7.—The impressive ceremony of the conversion of the Princess Ena of Battenberg to the Roman Catholic faith, prior to her marrying King Alfonso, occurred today in the chapel of the Palace of Miramar.

The members of the royal party were deeply moved, the Princess Beatrice, Princess Henry of Battenberg, mother of the Princess Ena and Princess Ena were in tears.

An artillery salute announced the termination of the ceremony, after which the royal party lunched together.

The town is enjoying a holiday in honor of the event, processions headed by bands of music passing constantly thru the streets.

PARLIAMENT OPENS TO-DAY

Big Attendance is Expected—Two New Senators Possible.

Ottawa, March 7.—By every incoming train to-day senators and members of parliament arrived at the capital for the session, which begins to-morrow.

The indications are, therefore, that there will be a more than usually large attendance at the opening ceremonies. For these all preparations have been completed. The finishing touches have been given to chamber, corridors and offices of both senate and commons and all is spick and span for the start.

After the opening formalities in the upper house at 3 o'clock to-morrow afternoon, the commoners will return to their chamber and decide to take up the address next day. The address will be moved on Friday by Mr. Knowles, one of the new members from the west, and seconded by Mr. Chisholm of Antigonish, N. S.

It is understood that two new senators will also be sworn in.

MARRIES, ROBS, DESERTS.

Ottawa Police Want Norman Stapley for Mean Crime.

Ottawa, March 7.—The police are looking for one Norman Stapley, an Ottawan of about 26 years of age, who is probably guilty of the meanest frauds upon Ottawa girls. The missing man is well known locally, while his relatives are themselves respectable, law-abiding citizens.

Stapley's game was to win the girls' confidence and affection, engage to marry them and then borrow money to help furnish the prospective home. One girl is out $70 and another $190. The victims are all domestics.

Stapley is supposed to be in the United States.

IT STILL LIVES.

Winnipeg, March 7.—James Argue, grandmaster of the Orange Association, in addressing the grand lodge of Manitoba, and the Northwest to-day, after reviewing progress of the order, strongly denounced the school clause in the acts granting autonomy to Saskatchewan and Alberta.

Empress Hotel, Yonge and Gould Sts. B. Dissette, Prop. $1.50 and $2.00 per day.

BURGLARS MADE A HAUL.

Montreal, March 7.—The dry goods store of Paquet and Company, St. Denis-street, was entered by burglars last night.

They got away with goods to the value of $1200, consisting chiefly of ladies' wear.

HALF MILLION INCREASE.

Winnipeg, March 7.—The Northern Bank, which was recently organized here, will increase subscribed capital by half a million immediately.

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INDEMNITY OF $1500 YEAR VOTED BY BRITISH M.P.'S

By Majority of Over 200, Motion Was Passed—Labor Representation Aided in Movement.

London, March 7.—The house of commons, after a discussion occupying the whole of the evening session, carried by a majority of 238, the motion introduced by the capitalist Liberal, William Hesketh Lever, representing the Wirral Division of Cheshire, in favor of payment to members of parliament of $1500 yearly. Premier Campbell-Bannerman spoke cordially in favor of the principle of the payment of members, but said the government had neither the time nor the money to carry it into effect. For the reasons given the premier explained, no legislative effect will be given Mr. Lever's motion.

The great accession of Labor members to the house of commons has made the matter of payment a pressing one, many of the members contending that there ought to be some allowance taward defraying the heavy expenses in connection with the position of members. It is believed the government will shortly introduce a bill to throw official election expenses on the public purse, leaving the question of payment of members of some future session of parliament.

HOW CAME IT TO PASS ?

Colonial Payment of Members of Parliament Brings Query.

(Canadian Associated Press Cable.)

London, March 7.—In the debate in the house of commons on the payment of members, the practice in the colonies was cited in support of the proposal, answering the charge that acceptance will be a breach of trust. Sir Campbell-Bannerman said: "Will he tell how this system came to be adopted thruout all the colonies where they are guilty of this felony? How in the world have they managed to introduce the payment of members in face of all these difficulties? I should have hoped that the hon. gentleman would think imperially on the subject by enlarging the choice of the electorate. The member's voting was of a public and not personal interest."

Winston Churchill has appointed Hamar Greenwood his parliamentary private secretary.

NO CONCESSIONS.

Illinois Operators Are Willing to Let Men Strike.

Chicago, March 7.—No concessions will be made by the Illinois Coal Operators' Association to the United Mine Workers of America.

This was decided on to-day at an executive meeting of the operators, who adopted resolutions declaring their willingness to face the threatened strike on April 1 rather than grant the demands of the miners.

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COMMISSION WELCOME ANY INFORMATION

CHAIRMAN McTAVISH ISSUES STATEMENT

INQUIRY TO BE AS THORO AS POSSIBLE

No Restriction or Limitation to Scope of the Investigation, Declares Judge McTavish—First Session in Ottawa on Wednesday Next.

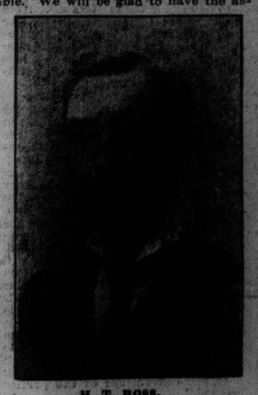
Ottawa, March 7.—(Special.)—The insurance commission met this morning, but the proceedings were purely formal and featureless, beyond an announcement from Judge McTavish, the chairman, concerning the inquiry, which he stated would commence on Wednesday morning next. H. T. Ross, secretary of the commission, was present. Neither Mr. Shepley nor Mr. Hellmuth, counsel who are to act in connection with the inquiry, attended and only two or three insurance men were in the room, these including N. G. Guthrie, for the Mutual Reserve Life Association of New York.

The chairman made the following statement:

"The secretary has read the terms of the commission directing this inquiry which, with the order-in-council already published, discloses the very wide scope of the investigation now proposed to be held. It must be apparent to everyone that there is an absence of any restriction or limitation of the scope of the inquiry. Nor is there anything omitted therefrom that can at this stage, at all events, be suggested or anticipated.

Responsibility Appreciated.

"I desire to state on behalf of the commissioners that they appreciate the importance of the matters submitted to them, and the very great responsibility involved in the proper discharge of the duties they have undertaken. The inquiry is, perhaps, unique and exceptional in this regard, that I am not aware of any other inquiry directed by his excellency in council in recent years wherein so large a proportion of the citizens of the country have a direct and a personal interest. The commissioners have deemed it expedient that counsel be retained in behalf of the crown to aid in the investigation, and arrangements have been made whereby the services of counsel will be available. We will be glad to have the assistance of counsel on behalf of any interest affected, or likely to be affected, by the investigation. We not only desire but welcome the assistance of persons interested in the prosecution of this inquiry."



H. T. ROSS,
Secretary of Insurance Commission.

Secretary's Duties.

"H. T. Ross of the Nova Scotia bar has been appointed secretary of the mission. He has undertaken the duties of that position and has secured an office in the City of Ottawa, where he will be ready to receive all communications and correspondence which anyone may think desirable to send to the commissioners. Any individual corporation or company having any claim, complaint or charge which it is desired

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Probabilities.

Lower lakes and Georgian Bay—Fresh to strong southwesterly to northwesterly winds; mostly fair and mild; a few local showers or snow flurries.

STEAMSHIP MOVEMENTS.

March 7	At	From
Sicilia	New York	Genoa
Winifredian	Boston	Liverpool
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Sardinian	Glasgow	Boston
Canopic	Algiers	Boston
Pomeranian	Havre	Halifax
Columbian	London	Boston
Caronia	Gibraltar	New York
Moltke	Bergenth	New York
Cedric	Queenstown	New York

CANADIAN POLICYHOLDERS' ASSOCIATION.

Editor World: I hope you will print the enclosed letter in your issue to-morrow, as it shows that Mr. Hellmuth, the counsel for the Ontario government, wishes to receive information from policyholders thru the association.

C. Goode,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Toronto, March 7,1906.

Gooderham Building,
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I. F. Hellmuth, Esq., K. C.,

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We have, therefore, appointed Mr. Arthur Hawkes to act for us in this respect, and to keep in the closest possible touch with you and your colleague. The association wishes to render all the service it can thru you, to the commission, with the view of having all phases of Canadian insurance discovered and made known to the policyholders of the Dominion.

We are, dear sir,
Yours very faithfully,
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PART OF ANNUAL INCOME FARMERS REGARD BRIBERY

That is in Southwestern Pennsylvania—Ballot Reform Movement is Begun.

New York, March 7.—The national conference for the reform of the primary and election laws, held here under the auspices of the national civic federation, concluded its session to-day and to-night the delegates were entertained at dinner at the City Club. It is expected that the work for ballot reform begun by the conference will be carried forward by a department of the national civic federation charged with this duty and created thru a resolution charged with this duty and created thru a resolution adopted by the conference.

A resolution introduced by Josiah Quincy of Boston and adopted, reads:

"Resolved, that experience shows that existing provisions of criminal law against the purchase of votes are inadequate; that improper corrupt practices legislation should include:

1. The publication of all contributions and expenditures.

2. The prohibition of political contributions by corporations.

3. The definition and limitation of permissible political expenditures.

4. Provisions for judicial inquiry into election expenditures and existence of corrupt practices, in which proceeding any citizen may participate.

5. The punishment of corrupt practices by further penalties, such as disfranchisement or disqualification for office, in addition to fine or imprisonment.

Wm. S. Bennett, congressman from this city, told the conference that when he wanted the congressional nomination it depended upon the action of one man, altho he represented the suffrage of 290,000 persons.

Seth Low, former mayor of New York, spoke. He said:

"There is a keen realization thruout the country that vast sums of money have been spent often unnecessarily, and often improperly, to secure elections."

Mark F. Sullivan of this city said that in recent elections in Southwestern Pennsylvania he saw $15,000 handed out on election day among six hundred voters.

Sixty to seventy per cent. of the votes were purchased," he continued. "The farmers regarded it as a part of their annual income."

PROTESTS GO ON.

Winnipeg, March 7.—Judge Richards to-day disallowed preliminary objections filed in connection with the election protests pending in Brandon, Selkirk, Portage la Prairie and Lisgar constituencies.

A FINE SMOKE. Tuckett's Club Special, 3 for 25c. Alive Bollard sells them.

FEWER LICENSES IN QUEBEC.

Quebec, March 7.—The number of hotel and restaurant licenses in the City of Quebec is to be reduced to 125 on May 1, 1907, if the amendments to the license law now before the legislature are adopted.

The number at present is 150.

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RAILWAY SUBSIDIES WANTED FROM QUEBEC'S LEGISLATURE

Land Grants or Money Bonuses Desired by Several Ventures.

Montreal, March 7.—(Special.)—The railway subsidies to come before the Quebec legislature provide for grants of four thousand acres of land per mile to the Atlantic, Quebec and Western Railway Company for fifty miles of road thru the interior of Gaspe from Gaspe Basin to Causapscal on the Intercolonial Railway, and also for 100 miles of a shore line from Paspebiac to Gaspe; also to the Matanea and Gaspe Railway Co. for thirty miles of road from Metis to Matane; also to the Interprovincial and James Bay Railway Co. for fifty miles, from the Canadian Pacific Railway at Gordon Creek to Ville Marie.

Two thousand dollars per mile goes to the St. Maurice Valley Railway Company for thirty miles from Three Rivers in the direction of the National Transcontinental, traversing both Shawinigan and Grand Mere; also to the Great Northern Railway Company for eighty-five miles from Quebec to a Junction with its road at or near Garneau Junction or Grand Mere.

MINORITY REPORT WITHHELD.

Kaien Island Matters Are Not Given Fully to Legislature.

Victoria, B.C., March 7.—(Special.)—The majority report of the committee in the Kaien Island enquiry was presented to the government to-day, but the report of the minority has been withheld from the legislature.

Premier McBride has yielded to the demands of Price Ellison and withdraws opposition to the construction of the Midway and Vernon Railway.

TO-DAY IN TORONTO.

Board of trade council, 1.

Empire Club, address by E. J. B. Pense, M.L.A., 1.

Meeting of Natural Science Association, Biological Building, Paul Hahn on "Orthoptera and Neuroptera of Algonquin Park, Illustrated," 4.30 p.m.

Rev. Eber Crummy on "Japan," Woodgreen Tabernacle, 8.

Concert, Bond-street Congregational S.S., 8.

Lecture, "The Glorious Cathedrals of the Motherland," by Canon Macnab, St. Alban's Cathedral, to-night, 8.

Kingston Old Boys, address by E. J. B. Pense, M.L.A. McBean's Hall, 8.

Nurses' Alumni Association, Y.M.C.A., 8.

Inter-college debate, Wycliffe v. Varsity, Conservatory Hall, 8.

Grenadiers' tattoo parade, Armories, 8.

Dr. Chant on "How We Know What the Sun is Made Of," University Chemical Building, 8.

Princess, "The Lightning Conductor," 8 p.m.

Grand, "In New York Town," 8.

Majestic, "How Hearts Are Broken," 2 and 8.

Shea's, vaudeville, 2 and 8.

Star, Fay Foster's burlesquers, 2 and 8 p.m.

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ANDERSON—On March 7, 1906, to Doctor and Mrs. H. B. Anderson, a daughter.

HUNTER—On March 7th, 1906, at East Toronto, to Mr. and Mrs. Hunter, a daughter.

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