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# DEAD AND MISSING NOW NUMBER 155

ECHOES OF THE "IONA" DISASTER —LARGE NUMBER OF MEN STILL MISSING.

TOULON, March 13.—Minister of Marine Thomson arrived here today from Paris. The roll of the battleship "Iona," on which the disastrous explosions occurred, was immediately called, 407 men replying to their names. Those of the crew who are uninjured are quartered temporarily in the naval barracks. Twenty-four officers and engineers are also reported to be safe. Besides there are 44 of the crew lying in the hospital seriously injured. As the officials and crew numbered 630, it will be seen that 155 are not accounted for, but the naval authorities consider it most probable that a large number of the missing have sought refuge with relatives or friends in Toulon.

The entire town is in the deepest mourning. Crowds are gathered at the arsenal and dock waiting the announcement of the names of the dead. Hundreds of dispatches asking for details of the disaster have reached the naval headquarters here.

Although the belief continues to prevail that the number of missing men will be reduced, no more sailors or others have reported their safety.

The Mininster of Marine upon his arrival here consulted with the port admiral, after which he proceeded to the scene of the disaster.

All around the Messiessey dry dock were strewn pieces of shells and the store sheds and other buildings were pierced in many places. Cordons of troops were drawn up on the quays near the hulk of the vessel, where relay parties searched for the bodies.

Fire hose played all night on the unsubmerged portions of the battleship, whose interior had been completely flooded. The after part of the battleship is destroyed. The officers' cabins are in ruins.

One of the officers who escaped said that Admiral Manceron owed his life to the fact that the port holes of his cabin were open, thus permitting the suffocating gases to escae.

# BEST TWO GAMES OUT OF THREE

BRANDON AND KENORA ARRANGE FOR MANITOBA CHAMPION MATCHES.

KENORA, March 13.—Brandon and Kenora have arranged to play the best two out of three games to decide the championship of the Manitoba Hockey League and the right to defend the Stanley Cup; that is, of course, providing Brandon defeats the Strathconas in Winnipeg, on Thursday night. The game between Brandon and the Thistles will be played in Winnipeg at the Arena rink, the first on Saturday night and the second on Monday. If the Thistles win they defend the Stanley Cup at home and the first game will be played a week from Friday.

### UNDESIRABLE IMMIGRANTS.

Mr. Bruce Walker Objects to Canada Becoming Dumping Ground.

LONDON, March 13.—Recently the magistrates of Carlisle in Cumberland discharged a prisoner, suggesting to his friends that they send him to Canada.

Mr. Bruce Walker, the assistant superintendent of immigration for Canada, wrote the magistrates protesting against making Canada a dumping ground for such people. The magistrate replied, expressing regret at this suggestion, and promised that the man would not be sent. Today, however, Mr. Walker discovered the same man under a different name as a passenger on the Empress of Ireland and had him stopped. The Salvation Army has taken charge of him.

### Jury Disagreed.

BRANTFORD, Ont., March 12.—After being our nearly four hours in the hefamatory libel case in which Mayor Bowlby was charged with circulating a document reflecting on the character of Mr. A. G. Montgomery, an opponent in the last election, the jury reported a disagreement. The jury was discharged.

### Bank President Ends His Life.

CANTON, Ohio, March 13.—Horace M. McDowell, president of the Farmers' Bank of Canton, shot and killed himself at his country home, five miles north of this city this morning. He was known throughout Ohio as a breeder and buyer of high class sheep.

### Bad Fire at Sault Ste. Marie.

SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich., March 12.—Early this morning fire started in the Iroquois Hotel and soon the house was a mass of flames. The guests all escaped, but many lost all their belongings. The loss is estimated at $300,000.

### Insurance Companies Fall Out.

TORONTO, March 12.—The Imperial Life Assurance Company is suing the Confedration Life Co. for twenty thousand dollars, the amount claimed to be due on a policy of re insurance issued to the defendants in connection with the insurance of the late Senator Fulford.

### Drank Carbolic Acid.

MEDICINE HAT, March 13.—Julien Juson, a Dane, committed suicide in the hospital here today by taking carbolic acid. He had been in the hospital since March 5.

# ORIENT DEMAND CANADIAN WHEAT

CHINA WANTS OUR HARD WHEAT BUT LACK OF STORAGE FACILITIES PREVENTS.

VANCOVER, B.C., March 13—Thousands of tons of wheat would now be rolling through Vancouver for the Orient, but for the fact that it is impossible to secure the grain.

A demand, such as was never heard of before, now exists, but exporters simply cannot get the grain. Next fall, however, it is promised that things will be different for then Alberta will have five million bushels of grain for export where she had but two million last year, and with increased elevator capacity on the prairies this grain can be stored for export via Vancouver, whereas much had to be shipped east last season because of lack of storage facilities. "Within the past thirty days we have received enquiries for approximately a million bushels of hard wheat for shipment to the Orient, principally to China," declared J. E. Hall, manager of the Vancouver Milling and Grain Company, in answer to an enquiry These inquiries were all for hard spring wheat grown in the Northwest. All that business could be handled because the people who are enquiring have some of our goods now, and know our prices. We have shipped about a thousand tons of this hard wheat to the Orient within the last two or three months, and the reports we have received from there are that the grain is very satisfactory for mixing purposes. The indications are that a large amount of our grain will be used by the mills in the Orient in the future, in fact they are very anxious to secure our grain. They mix it with the softer wheats they secure from Australia and Puget Sound and it adds strength to their product.

"The trouble with us is that we are unable to get this wheat, as what surplus there is, probably about two million bushels of milling wheat in Alberta, was in the greater part moved east last fall because of lack of elevator capacity. There are large amounts still in Alberta, but they are being held for milling purposes. The surplus stock for export is now practically exhausted. Were that not the case, this Oriental business could be handled. "Could we not get the wheat from Saskatchewan?" No, it costs too much to get the grain from there because the long haul to the coast is too expensive."

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# CABLE NEWS FROM THE OLD LAND

NAVAL REVIEW ON MAY 3 IN HONOR OF COLONIAL PREMIERS.

LONDON, March 13.—It is announced there will be a naval review at Spithead in honor of the Colonial Premiers on May 3.

It has been decided to bestow the freedom of London on the Colonial Premiers.

In the House of Commons, Mr. Dillon, M.P., protested against the appointment of a committee of agricultural enquiry in Ireland. Mr. Birrell stated that part of the delay in the issue of a report was due to the fact that John Dryden, one of the commissioners, is a resident in Canada.

The East End Emigration Committee is inundated with applications for passages to Canada, and is appealing for £10,000 to carry on the work. Three hundred and fifty have sailed

According to the will of Baroness Burdett Coutts, if the Church of England be disestablished, the endowments and gifts to bishoprics in the colonies will be rendered nugatory.

Sir Robert Head, grandson of a former Geovernor-General of Upper Canada, is dead, at the age of 62.

Ballina branch of the National Council is requesting public bodies at Mayo in connection with the Blacksod Bay scheme to support a resolution asking the promoters to issue at least 50 per cent. of the capital £10 stock and allocate it solely among the Irish people.

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# CALGARY'S DEAD LETTER OFFICE

MR. LEMIEUX INTRODUCES BILL ESTABLISHING ONE—BUSY DAY IN COMMONS.

OTTAWA, March 13.—In the House of Commons today the Hon. Mr. Lemieux introduced a bill to amend the postoffice act. One of the provisions is for establishing a dead letter office in Calgary. The inspector of the several postoffice districts will have to look after lost and delayed mail matter and packages as well. Hereafter the inspector and other accredited officers of the Postoffice Department shall be entitled to free transportation over lines in the enjoyment of Government subsidies when on official business. The customs and postoffice officials now practically enjoy this privilege, but one of the leading railways that had received large subsidies had notified the department that after April this would cease. In future companies getting subsidies would be compelled to carry the officials free.

The House then went into committee on Mr. Aylesworth's bill to regulate the exportation of electric power. The bill was agreed to, so as to leave the administration of the act with the Governor in council instead of the Minister of Justice.

Mr. Lancaster moved an amendment to provide that the licensee shall use in Canada an equal quantity of power to that which he can export. This was to create a market for power in Canada.

Mr. Aylesworth said that the three companies at Niagara could generate 4,000 horse power and that there was not a market in Canada for one-fifth of the amount. What was to be done with the remainder? Was it to go to waste? The bill provided for whatever power was needed in Canada. The amendment was defeated and the bill was reported.

Mr. Armand Lavergne asked Mr. Brodeur if the report in La Patrie was correct that the Minister had arranged with the newly appointed Senator Desaulles to resign when he (Brodeur) asked him to do so, and that he (Brodeur) was to take his place in the Senate and become the leader of the Senate.

Mr. Brodeur replied that there was not a word of truth in the story and that he did not believe that Mr. Girard ever said so, as was reported by La Patrie.

Mr. Bennett wanted to know if Sir Wilfrid promised a Senatorship to Dr. Spohn in 1902.

Sir Wilfrid said that he had a good memory, but was not going to swear to what he had written years ago.

Mr. Bennett—It was in 1892.

Sir Wilfrid—That makes it all the worse.

# THAT WESTERN LUMBER COMBINE

INTERESTING EVIDENCE AT THE OPENING SESSION OF PARLIAMENTARY INQUIRY

OTTAWA, March 13.—The special committee to investigate the alleged lumber combine in the West met this morning, Mr. Thomas Greenway in the chair.

Mr. Charles Thomas, of Hartney, Man., was the first witness. He said he was a farmer and had an interest in a yard and factory. He declared that his company, when it started, had been refused lumber by British Columbia and Manitoba dealers on the ground that two yards already existed in Hartney. His concern proceeded to get its supply from the United States and this brought the Canadian lumbermen to terms. The profit which his firm made was from $4 to $5 a thousand.

Replying to Mr. Lancaster, he said he knew nothing of the Western Lumber Dealers' Association.

Mr. A. E. Watts, a lumber manufacturer of British Columbia, was given permission to question the witness, who said his firm was refused lumber by British Columbia dealers in 1904 but not since then.

Mr. S. A. O'Brien, of Strathcona, was the next witness. He said he had been in the retail lumber business since 1900. He bought lumber from the Brunette mills, at Sapperton, and had never been refused supplies by the British Columbia manufacturers.

Replying to Mr. Lancaster, witness said he had a list of the Western Retail Lumber Men's Association and sold only to its members. He had been in business in Strathcona for three years. There were three other dealers in that town. They met together from time to time to arrange prices. He admitted there was a general price list in existence in British Columbia.

Referring to the local association in Strathcona, he admitted the object was to fix prices. Arrangement as to prices also covered Edmonton, there being nine dealers in the two towns. The local association did not meet at stated intervals; generally when there was a change in price by the manufacturers. There was also a provincial association, but its prices were not considered owing to different circumstances in different towns.

Replying to Mr. Watts, witness said he understood there were mills in British Columbia not members of the association.

### INSURANCE RATES TO GO UP.

Montrealers in Congested District Will Pay Higher Rates.

Special to The Leader.

MONTREAL, March 13.—Mercantile insurance rates were given a sharp advance today at a meeting of the Canadian Fire Insurance Underwriters. The reply of the City Council to certain suggestions as to the improvement of the fire protection service was considered, unsatisfactory, and it was therefore resolved to add 50 cents to the present gross rates and 40 cents to the existing co-insurance rates. The increases are not cumulative and apply to risks known as the congested business district.

# FOUND DEAD ON THE PRAIRIE

BODY OF JOSEPH COARSAN MISSING SINCE JAN. 27, FOUND NEAR HUMBOLDT.

SASKATOON, March 13.—The body of a man named Joseph Coarsan was found on the prairie out in the Humboldt district on March 3rd. Word of the unfortunate affair was sent to Sergt. Loggin, of the R.N.W.M.P., at Saskatoon yesterday, and today Constables Gray and Currie were despatched out over the prairie to bring in the remains and make a full investigation.

The spot where the body was found was somewhere on 36-6, W. 2, sixty miles southeast of Saskatoon. Coarsan was missing from his lonely shack since July 27, or at least that was the last day he was seen alive. On that day he was noticed passing a country store in the locality. The word sent to Sergt. Loggin contains few details and came from the Mounted Police at Humboldt, who in turn got their information from a settler. It appears the neighbors believed Coarsan to be lost on the prairie, but for weeks could find no trace of the missing man. Constables Gray and Currie took with them a sleigh with necessary supplies, also a saddle horse.

### HUDSON BAY.

Navigation Open from July 10 to the Middle of November.

OTTAWA, March 13.—Dr. Bell, of the Geological Survey, at the Senate Committee meeting today said that navigation at Hudson Bay and straits was open from July 10 to the middle of November.

# BANK SWINDLER RUN TO EARTH

LEFT MANCHESTER, ENG., IN A HURRY—WAS ARRESTED IN MANITOBA.

WINNIPEG, March 13.—Henry Douglas Anderson, former clerk in the branch of the Bank of England at Manchester, England, was run to earth Saturday near Dominion City, Man., being arrested by Provincial Constable Waddell. It is alleged that Anderson, while employed by the bank at Manchester, stole $1,081. Just how he accomplished this is not certain, but in the course of his duties he was accustomed to handle large quantities of coin, and it is supposed that he substituted copper coin for gold and succeeded in working his game until he had purloined the above sum. Before his theft was detected Anderson left the employ of the bank and came to Canada, coming straight to Winnipeg last August, where he stayed for about a month, when he returned to the old country and remained there until about six weeks ago, when he returned and engaged to work for a farmer near Dominion City. Since his second arrival in the country Anderson has travelled out to the Pacific coast and arrived back in Manitoba about three weeks ago. The authorities in England have been communicated with.

### Killed in a Saloon Row.

ST. LOUIS, March 13.—Paul J. Hynes, formerly a pitcher in the St. Louis American basebell team, was shot and killed today in a saloon row. The bartender, who was arrested, says he shot in self-defense.

### Settlers Rushing In.

TORONTO, March 12.—Three specials left this afternoon en route to North Bay with twelve hundred settlers. The majority of the settlers are bound for Western Ontario and the balance for the Canadian North-West.

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# THE ALBERTA UNIVERSITY

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT TO BE ASKED FOR A LAND ENDOWMENT.

EDMONTON, Alta., March 13.—In the Legislature today Premier Rutherford moved: "Resolved, that whereas it is incumbent on the province of Alberta to establish a university, and that whereas, a large part of the revenue for such a university must necessarily come from a land endowment, that therefore the Alberta Government do hereby prefer a request to the Federal authorities for a land endowment for the university."

It is reported locally that there is an understanding between the Federal and provincial authorities to richly endow the university.

### A Sudden Death.

CARNDUFF, Sask., March 12.—Wilser Thompson, a brother of Dorland Thomson, a farmer who resides eight miles from here, dropped dead here last evening while walking from the house to the stable on his brother's farm. Death is attributed to heart failure.

### Dollars for Wolves

As the result of a special appropriation made during the last session of the Provincial Legislature, the Department of Agriculture is offering $1,000 reward with a view to encourage the killing of the wolves which are such a tax on the sheep, poultry and cattle industries and so destructive to the game birds and large game in northern Saskatchewan. The principal prize is that offered for the greatest number of brush or timber wolves killed by one person, viz., $150, while three prizes of $100 each are offered for: 1st, greatest number of coyote skins shipped; 2nd, greatest number of brush or timber wolf skins shipped; 3rd, greatest number of coyotes killed by one person. Smaller prizes bring the total number offered to fifteen. Applications for any of the prizes, accompanied by the necessary proofs as set forth in the conditions published by the Government, must be received by the Department of Agriculture previous to 10th of April, when the prizes will be awarded.

# DISCOVERED BY EARTHQUAKE

SURVIVOR OF SAN FRANCISCO WRECK IDENTIFIED AS MAN WANTED FOR 25 YEARS.

ROME, aMrch 13.—Among the innumerable inquiries after the safety of friends in San Francisco, made after the earthquake there, by anxious relatives in Italy, through the consular authorities, was one concerning a certain Olinto Ricommi, a native of Chiesino, near Lucca.

The Consulate experienced no trouble in supplying the information needed, for Riccomi, who was safe and sound, was a wealthy citizen of San Francisco. Later, however, the judicial authorities in Florence began to manifest extraordinary interest in Riccomi, whose presence they desired in Italy. Riccomi, it is alleged, belonged to a gang of assassins who killed a couple of Carabinieri in 1881. He escaped the country, but was found guilty, and condemned in his absence to penal servitude for life.

During his quarter of a century's sojourn in the United States, from which the Italian Government is now demanding his extradition, Riccomi made a huge fortune.