

California Volcano Is In Eruption; At Least One Killed

Mount Lassen Had Been Dormant For Many Years—Party of Eight Reported Caught Near Crater

Redding, Cal., June 15.—Mount Lassen finally erupted with volcanic fire today and one man is reported killed, one injured and two driven temporarily insane as a result of a terrific outburst from the crater, which had been latent for many years.

Reports that seem to be authentic are that a party of eight men, who had ventured near the crater just before the sixth eruption were overwhelmed by a sudden explosion that sent a mass of rocks, ashes and thick smoke, some 2,000 feet into the air.

BROTHER HUGH IS DEAD

Thirty Years in St. Peter's Rectory—Thomas Coen in the World and a Native of Ireland

At St. Peter's Redemptorist rectory in North End, where he had so faithfully and diligently labored for the last thirty years, Thomas Coen, known to the world as Brother Hugh, O.S.S.I., passed away this morning about 7:30 o'clock. He had not been in good health for some time, but had remained actively at his duties until a short while ago when pneumonia set in, resulting in his death this morning. Brother Hugh was sixty-five years of age, and a native of Hockmoss, Ireland.

GIVE EGG TALK HERE

Government Official in the City—Aim to Make Better Conditions All Round

An interesting tour of the maritime provinces in the development of the egg industry is now being brought to a close by J. S. Porter, of Toronto, a member of the staff of the department of agriculture, who was in the city today, registered at the Royal. He has visited practically every city in Nova Scotia and P. E. Island, as well as many of the towns, and will finish his eastern trip with New Brunswick.

NOT TRUE, SAYS W. B. CHANDLER

HON. MR. PUGSLEY Standard Has Not Kept to the Facts in Matter of Senate, Says St. John M. P.

Hon. Dr. Pugsley arrived today on the Atlantic express from Ottawa after the closing of the parliamentary session, and went through to Rothesay. He had been interested, he said, in reading in the Standard this morning of what was termed a "breach of faith." This, he said, was absolutely untrue. The Standard had stated that Premier Borden and Senator Loughery had made an agreement with Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Senator Bostock that the bill providing for western senatorial representation be withdrawn, and instead an address passed asking that the British North America Act be amended.

W. B. CHANDLER IS APPOINTED

He Will Conduct Government Inquiry Into Charges Against Police Chief Clarke

W. B. Chandler, K. C., city solicitor for Moncton, formerly a lawyer here, has been appointed by the provincial government, under a royal commission, to investigate the charges which have been preferred against W. W. Clark, chief of police in this city. It had been rumored that the government would take this step and the announcement of the appointment has now been made.

LOCAL NEWS

HERE FOR LUMBER

Three schooners arrived in port this morning to load lumber for the American market. They are the Priscilla, 102 tons, from Salem, Mass.; Peter C. Schuler, 87 tons, from Eastport, and the T. W. Cooper, 100 tons, from New Haven. All the vessels are consigned to A. W. Adams.

THE DOGS

Deputy Jenkins has reported 320 persons for keeping dogs without a license. This covers the West End and South End districts alone. The number of persons over the city who have no license for their dogs has not yet been tallied but it is expected that the number will reach nearly 1,000.

VACANT LOTS AND TAXES

A correspondent writes to The Times giving a list of vacant corner lots between King and St. James streets, and wants to know why such properties are not built upon, suggesting that a judicious application of the land tax might increase the amount of building operations in the city proper, instead of sending most of it to the outskirts.

THE STEAMERS

The R. M. S. P. Liner Caraquez, from the West Indies, will arrive at St. John tomorrow with a large freight and passenger list.

SUNDAY ALONG THE RIVER

Both the Champlain and the Oceanic took large crowds of passengers up river on Saturday afternoon. The Oceanic brought many of the happy excursionists back to town this morning in time for school or for business. Yesterday was a glorious day on the river, and the usual large fleet of motor boats went up, returning last night. About thirty people went to Public Landing on the Oceanic Saturday afternoon, and twenty-five boarded her at that place this morning, while all along from Wickham to Sand Point passengers were found who had spent Sunday out of town because they found it possible to get in again early on Monday morning.

BOTH STEAMERS WERE DAMAGED

New York, June 15.—In view of statements that the steamship Pretoria was off her course when she rammed the liner New York early on Saturday, the Hamburg-American line today sent a message to Captain Dudge of the Pretoria asking him to report by wireless his position at the time of the crash. The Pretoria is bound for Hamburg, where she is due in about 24 hours.

FORMER VICE-PRESIDENT OF UNITED STATES DEAD

Breakdown of Adlai M. Stevenson Dated From Death of Wife

Chicago, Ill., June 15.—Adlai M. Stevenson, vice-president of the United States during Grover Cleveland's second term as president, died early yesterday morning. He was seventy-eight years of age and had been ill a long time. His three children were with him at the end. Mr. Stevenson lost his wife about six months ago. His health, which had been poor, rapidly became worse, and his final breakdown dated from Mrs. Stevenson's death. He had been unconscious for twenty-four hours.

TORONTO YOUTH THROWN FROM ROLLER COASTER INTO BAY AND DROWNED

Toronto, June 15.—James Mooney, twenty years old was thrown from a roller coaster in the bay and drowned at Haines Point on Saturday night.

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Among the jewelry were five four-dollar jeweled brooches, two gold mesh bags a diamond-studded watch, emerald bracelet, rings, a silver hatpin box, a silver jewel box and an initialed toilet set.

SEXES ON EQUALITY IN DIVORCE COURT IF BILL ADOPTED

London, June 15.—The findings of the recent royal commission on divorce, so far as both majority and minority reports agreed, have been incorporated in a bill introduced into parliament by Lord Gorell, former president of the divorce court. The most radical departure is a provision that the sexes shall be on an equality before the divorce court.

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RACE POSTPONED

The first race under the auspices of the R. K. Y. C. for the McAvity cups, to vessels of the dinghy class, was to have been sailed on Saturday, but has been postponed on account of some of the boats not being ready. There are five races in this series, and the postponed race will likely be run on Saturday or the other four have been sailed.

OFF TO ENGLAND

Rev. F. H. Wentworth, pastor of Waterloo street Baptist church, left on Friday evening for Quebec, accompanied by Mrs. Wentworth and their two children. They sailed on the steamer Canada on Saturday night for a two months' trip, visiting relatives in England. Friends were at the station to wish them a safe voyage and a pleasant holiday.

BUYS 200 ACRES FARM AT SCOTCH SETTLEMENT

Alfred Barley & Co. have sold the James Small farm at Scotch Settlement, Kings County. It consists of 200 acres with some barn and other outbuildings. The purchaser is David Anderson, who came from Scotland four years ago and took up a homestead in Saskatchewan. Four years on the prairie was quite enough for Mr. Anderson. Mr. Barley had to show him quite a number of farms before finding one to suit him. He had picked up some money on the prairie farms that he would not have a rocky or stony farm at any price. The general impression in the east is that there are no stony farms on the prairies and that the stones all belong to the east, but apparently this is not so.

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