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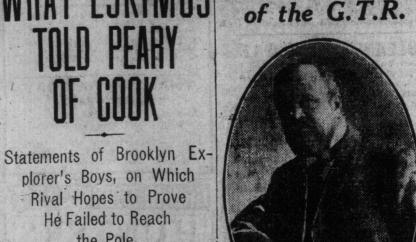
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American Railwaymen-Annual

Report of G.T.R.

LONDON, Oct. 12.-(C. A. P.)-The

G. T. R. report states that it is advis-

are recommended on four per cent.

BUDGET CRISIS POSTPONED

His Majesty and the Premier Both

Off for Holiday.

LONDON, Oct. 12.-King Edward

was busily occupied to-day in confer-

ence with the party leaders over the budget crisis. Lord Lansdowne, A. J.

Balfour and Premier Asquith were among those received in audience at

Buckingham Palace during the day.
Premier Asquith and Chancello

balance left of £5650.

the Pole. NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—A statement of Commander Robert E. Peary, which he submitted together with a map, to the Peary Arctic Club, in support of his contention that Dr. Cook did not have been made.

reach the north pole, has been made public. The statement and map have ocen copyrighted by the Peary Arctic Club.

In an introduction Peary says:
"Some of my reasons for saying that
Dr. Cook did not go to the north pole
will be understood by those who read
the following statements the two
Eskimo boys wro went with him, and
who told me and others of my party
where he did go. Several Eskimos
who started with Dr. Cook from Anoratok in February, 1908 were at Etah
when I arrived there in August, 1908.
They told me that Dr. Cook had with
him, after they left, two Eskimo boys

him, after they left, two Eskimo boys or young men, two sledges and some twenty dogs. The boys were I-tookashoo and Ah-Pe-Lah. I had known them from their childhood. One was about eighteen and the other about nimeteen years of age.

"On my return from Cape Sheridan and at the very first settlement, I touched (Nerke, near Cape Chalon), in August, 1909, and nine days before reaching Etah, the Eskimos told me, in a general way, where Dr. Cook had been; that he had wintered in Jones Sound, and that he had told the white ment at Etah that he had been a long way north, but that this was not so. 'On my return from Cape Sheridan ment at Etah that he had been a long way north, but that this was not so. The Eskimos laughed at Dr. Cook's story. On reaching Etah, I talked with the Eskimos there, and with the two boys, and asked them to describe Dr. Cook's journey to members of my party and myself. This they did in the two long that the same ty and myself. This they did in the two long that the same control as hithert to recognize the services of Sir Charles. Rivers Wilson

The Eskimos' Statement.

Then follows a statement signed by Peary, Capt. Bartlett, Prof. McMillan, and Borup and Henson of the crew, which says in part: "The two Eskimobcys, I-Took-a-Shoo and Ah-Pe-Lah who accompanied Dr. Cook while he was away from Anoratok in 1908 and 1909, were questioned separately and independently, and were corroborated by Panikpah, the father of one of them of 12,079,196, against £2,099,144.

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The net revenue was £845,364, against £781,905, additional items bringing the revenue charges; including Canada Atlantic deficiency of £41,103 and Detroit and Grand Haven deficiency £25,749; total £682,268, leaving a surplus of £279, against £106,494.

The total amount available for divisional in £200, 100, and is £200, and the concussion or by heavy pieces of iron from the boiler, which were hurled in every direction over the town.

The inability to procure water when the fire broke out in the Brandon Shoc Company building, caused a great deal of £200, 100, and if £200, 100, and if £200, 100, and it is £200, and the concussion or by heavy pieces of iron from the boiler, which were hurled in every direction over the town.

The inability to procure water when the fire broke out in the Brandon Shoc Company building, caused a great deal of £200, and if £200, and if £200, and if £200, and it follows.

urn with Dr. Cook.

The total amount available for dividends three men, says the statement dend is £292,159, from which dividends raced their course on a chart.

The bulk of the boys' testimony was guaranteed and first preference stock, taken by Commander Peary, nor which leaves a balance of 19938 carried in his presence, a fact that obviates forward,

sible claim that they were Train mileage decreased 381,354. There is a net revenue deficiency on The narrative of these Eskimos is as follows: They with Dr. Cook, Fancke and nin othr Eskimos, left Anotook crossed Smith's Sound to Cape Salvine crossed Smith's Sound to Cape Salvine there remains a surplus for the year sold house to the cook of the first cook of the c slept in Commander Peary's old house to June 30, of £10,440, which, added to In Payer Harbor, then went thru Rice Strait to Buchanan Bay. After a few marches, Francke and three Eskimos the second mortgage bonds, with a

returned to Anotook. Dr. Cook, with the others, then proceeded up Flagler Bay, a branch of Buchanan Bay, and crossed Ellesmere Land, thru the valley pass at the head of Flagler Bay, indicated by Commander Peary in 1898, and utilized by Sverdrup in 1899, to the head of Sverdrup's flord on the west side of Ellesmere Land. Their route then lay thru this flord, thence north thru Sverdrup's "Heurka Sound" and Nansen Strait.

Where Four Turned Back. "On their way they killed musk-oxen and bear, and made caches, arriving eventually at a point on the west side of Namsen Strait, (shore of Axel Heiberg Land or Sverdrup), south of Cape political arena for the remainder of

"A cache was found here and the at Sandwich and the latter making a four Eskimos did not go beyond this motor trip to Normandy. The King point. Two others went on one more also has departed from London to atmarch with Dr. Cook and the two boys, helped to build the snow sledges, then that it is not likely that there will be

"After sleeping at the camp where e last two Eskimos turned back, Dr. ok and the two boys went in a north returned without sleeping. Cook and the two boys went in a north-crly or northwesterly direction with two sledges and twenty odd dogs, one more march, when they encountered rough the and a lead of open water. They did not enter this rough the north this rough the most thin and the support the control that the support the control that the support the support the support the support the support the support to the support to the support the support the support to the support not enter this rough ice, nor cross the lead, but turned westward or southretward a short distance and returned to Heiberg Land at a point west of where they had left the cache and where the four men had turned back. Here they remained four or five sleeps, and during that time, I-took-a-Shoo went back to the cache and got

his gun, which he had left there, and a few items of supplies.' When asked why only a few supplies trade commissioner in Paris in succeswere taken from the cache, the boys replied that only a small amount of pro-visions had been used in the few days since they had left the cache, and that their sledges still had all they could

carry, so that they could not take more. Had Lots to Eat. After being informed of the boys

narrative thus far, Commander Peary suggested a series of questions to be to the boys in regard to this trip from the land out and bac kto it. These questions and answers were as

the ice? A-No. on the ice north of Cape Thomas

Hubbard? A-No. how many sledges did they Blart? A-Two How many dogs did they have? A-

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Aylmer Water and Light Services Destroyed, and Shoe Factory Was Burned -Engineer Was Killed.

AYLIMER, Ont., Oct. 12.—(Special.)-A 500-pound pressure boiler in the combined electric and waterworks plant at Aylmer, exploded at Aylmer at 7.05 o'clock to-night, killing one man, H. Fisher, and damaging considerable

property.

The explesion was a terrific one, and shook the ground and buildings in the town, so that the residents at first thought they had been visited by an earthquake. earthquake.

A large building nearby, owned by the town and occupied by the Bran-den Shoe Company, was wrecked and When the fire broke out, no water

could be obtained from the water works, but it was finally taken from the condensing works.

One piece of the boiler weighing many pounds was thrown into the air. and in coming down struck a two story barn owned by Dr. Augustine. It went thru the building into the basement, missing the owner by less than three feet.

The boiler was situated in a hollow, and earther piece was thrown up the

and another piece was thrown up the hill, and was driven thru a house oc-cupied by Dr. Sinclair, and demolished the stove in the kitchen. About half of the windows in the town were brok-

en.

It was at first reported that there were at least three persons killed, and perhaps six or seven, but this was finally found to be false.

Fisher, the man who was killed, was the might engineer. His remains were the might engineer. His remains were the remains were the seven development in a harribly manfound underneath in a horribly man-gled and burned condition.

Many of the citizens have suffered considerable damage to property either vices of Sir Charles Rivers-Wilson the general meeting will be asked to

Begins Evidence for Defence in Alleged Libel Case.

KENTVILLE, N. S., Oct. 12 .- (Spe-

the plaintiff, was begun in the supreme court here this morning, Chief Justice dead girl's sister, Florence. Drysdale presiding, W. E. Roscoe, K. Bedfort's story scores most heavily in the matter of the false heavy, droop-Drysdale presiding, W. E. Russel.

C., for the prosecution and J. J. Ritchie, K.C., for the defence. A copy of The Eye-Opener was exhibited which contained the two alleged defamatory articles in the shape of two letters from Mrs. Maria Allison of Ottawa.

Mrs. Allison was sworn at 4.15 o'clock. To Mr. Ritchie she said she o'clock. To Mr. Ritchie she said she had been boarding members of parhal harden for seven years. Sir Frederick in the facts known, and him points in the facts known, and with Florence's story.

Beauting facts have come to light in the matter of the false heavy, droop to the connection with the recent general connection with the murder that he says he work of the U.P.R. In the lake towns from Kings.

The said state of the U.P.R. In the lake towns from Kings.

The murder that Florence gave the police, in which she never altered.

The murder that Florence gave the police in which there are discrepance in the Independent Liberal can deal conversation with the facts known and account of the U.P.R. In the connection with the never that th ick Borden boarded with her in 1894, 1895 and 1896. She was a widow, married twice. She had had two children by her first husband. Her daughter went to Montreal June 8, 1896. The general lelections were on June 23. 1896 and Sir Frederick Borden returned to her house the day Laurier's victory was being celebrated at Ottawa. Mr. Ritchie and Mr. Roscoe argued the question of the admissibility of Sir Frederick Borden's own words.

Allison was not allowed to state what the week, the former taking a holiday he had said in 1896. Mr. Roscoe argued against making public private matters in connection with Sir Frederick, claiming that his public duties did not interfere with

anything he is alleged to have done in private. His lordship, addressing the jury, said that he deemed it best to have the jury remain together until the case is

METHODIST MISSIONS

last year, the estimates are \$246,003, in-

Will Banquet Foster.

WINNIPEG. Oct. 12.-The Conserv

Canadian Board Will Look After Ten dark, and about 24 years of age. That is a fairly accurate description of Flor-Has Been Apointed Canadian Trade Commissioner There.

disposed of.

OTTAWA, Oct. 12.-(Special.)-The OTTAWA, Oct. 12,-(Special.)-Re ports) from Montreal to the effect that Thomas Cote, editor of La Presse, would become deputy minister of marine and fisheries, are erroneous. Mr. Cote has been appointed Canadian sion to Hector Febvre.

G. J. Desbarats is expected to be

the new deputy. BRICKLAYERS' DONATION Assessing Members for Contribution

to A.F. of L. Convention. At the regular meeting of the Bricklayers' Union last night the assess-ment was made towards raising the contribution of that anion to the entertainment committee of the A. F. of L. Altho this union is not affiliated with a donation owing to the fact that the convention is being held in Toronto.

The ice? A—No.

Did they make many caches out on The Bricklayers' Union has about 500 missions is anticipated and \$125,000 for perfect of the responsible. Did they kill any bear or seal while members and the assessment was fixed foreign will be the position five years but on the ice porth of Cape Thomas at 50c per member, making the contribence.

The painters at their meeting last night elected Thomas Herrington and John Marshall as delegates to the quet to Hon. George E. Foster, Oct. painters' convention at Cinncinnati, O., 26, on his return from the west. in December.

CONFESSION HAS FLAWS SO POLICE POINT OUT

over the nearby buildings.

It is reported that the boiler was Essential Features In Kinrade Tragedy Which Bedfort's Story Fails to Tally With.

HAMILTON, Oct. ,12.-(Special.)-The details of Edward William Bedfort's alleged confession in London that he is the murderer of Ethel Kinrade, tend only to further discredit his cial.)—The famous libel case of the story in the eyes of the local police, King v. Carruthers, in which Sir Fred-altho he is correct in some of the de-Borden, minister of militia, is tails of the crime as described by the

the summer of 1908, whereas the crime was committed in February last. He speaks of the Kinrade house as a

corner house, when it is almost in the middle of the block. He says he escaped thru a window in the back of the house; the ground Ferrere has been convicted of instigafound eight or nine bullets.

of a girl, so the police claim, and Flor-ence says the murderer left by the front niorrow. The description of the man Bedfor! says hired him to do the deed is a out the description the police sent breadcast in printed form of the alleged murderer. It was the description Florence

altho on the stand Florence said he did not look exactly like a tramp. Bedfort says that the girl who ad-mitted him to the Kinrade house was

Bedfort says the girl who admitted Methodist Mission Board to-day adopt- him ran away, and another girl, who ed the report of the China sub-com-mittee of the foreign work committee, agrees with Florence's story. recommending the taking over of the The exact time of the crime was London Missionary Society's plant at never clearly flixed but there was some

Chung King. It also provided that ten evidence that it took place from 2.33 in million people be the maximum number the afternoon as Bedfort says, altho for whom the board would accept responsibility in China.

For 594 missions, compared with 586 Bedfort says he got a train to Toronto about 5 p.m., which he could have

cluding an increase of \$25 to 264 missionaries. The Young People's For-ANOTHER GRUESOME MURDER.

ward Movement reported assets \$13,281 and liabilities \$2336. Grants were made Provision is being made to place 70 new missionaries in China and Japan in the next five years. in the next five years.

In Alberta and Saskatchewan the proposal is to increase gradually durpoposal increase gradually durpoposal is to increase gradually durpoposal is to much open water during this time? A the federation, it is nevertheless giving ing five years until there are 200 in each a clue as to the identity of the victim

missions is anticipated and \$125,000 for CLOSE BANK IN WISCONSIN.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.-The disatives of Winnipeg will tender a tandoors of the First National Bank of Mineral Point, Wisconsin.

DIDN'T SAIL ON LAURENTIC.

MONTREAL, Oct. 12 .- (Spe cial.)—The steamer Laurentic, on which the man Bedfort claims to have booked passage within a few days of the Kinrade murder in February, sailed from here for the first time on

Uncle Sam Wears a Red Shirt Into Mr. Canuck's Wood Yard.

dead girl's sister, Florence. Bedfort's story scores most heavily ALFONSO MAY LOSE HEAD

Professor Francisco Ferrere to-day speaking and about 150 French-Cana-PARIS, Oct. 12.-The daughter of was covered with Eght snow and the ting a revolutionary movement at Bar- of Saguenay extends from the Sagueonly tracks in the back yard were those celona, Spain, and is to be shot to- nay River, in Quebec, along the coast

Association adopted resolutions con- of about 250 miles, the inhabitants were demning the trial of Prof. Ferrer at not given a chance to vote.

supplied the afternoon of the tragedy.

The points upon which the stories of Bedfort and Florence agree are:

That the murderer was dies ed rough.

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The murderer was dies ed rough. garding the fate of Ferrer.

> will be demanded if he does not spare Ferrer's life. 20,000 Workmen in Rome Protest. ROME, Oct. 12.-The workmen thruout the city abandoned their employed in Bonne Esperance is no the fault ment to-day and 20,000 gathered in a of the clerk of the crown in chancery,

meeting to protest against the con demnation of Prof. Ferrer, the alleged revolutionist at Barcelona.

The whole garrison of Rome was held in readiness to put down any disorders and the Spanish embassy was strongly Independent Liberal. and the Spanish embassy was strongly

SNOW ON THE GROUND.

Despatches yesterday noted heavy snowfalls in Michigan and in western Nebraska the thermometer was down to 12 above zero. In the southwestern states there was a heavy frost ... Nearer home there was a brisk snow fall in the Niagara peninsula, and the cool pell has endangered the vine yards. At Aurora the ground was the white. At Niagara Falls there wer three inches of snow last night.

PLUMMER FLYING HOME.

MONTREAL, Oct. 12 .- (Special.) -J. hour.

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I FANUER'S

A Strange State of Affairs in Last General Election is Reported From a Remote Constitu-

ed. Of these about 750 were Englishother towns interested.
These assurances have instilled a Professor Francisco Ferrere to-day speaking and about 150 French-Cana-somewhat independent spirit into the sent a telegram to King Alfonso ap-

to Labrador, at the mouth of the Straits of Belle Isle. From Natash-At a meeting to-day the French Bar kwan onward to Tabrador, a distance demning the trial of Prof. Petrol. While no polling booths were opened Barcelona as a travesty on justics. While no polling booths were opened and protesting against the arrest of in Bonne Esperance, with over 900 inhis counsel.

strict in order to prevent a leak re- were allowed to register their votes, the coast is plastered with public The correspondent adds that King works, but in Bonne Esperance, thru Alfonso has received many threatening Harrington Harbor, where one of Dr. letters declaring that the king's head Grenfell's hospitals is situated, not a public work of any kind has been erect.

ed. The patients who are sent to Harrington Harbor have to be landed in any way possible. That no polling booth was establish-

who is dependent on the local authori-Mr. Girard was formerly a Conserva-

NEW SURPLICED CHOIR Church of the Ascension Decides on Important Improvement.

A surpliced choir was decided upon The Popular Fur for Ties and Muffs. at a vestry meeting of the Church of the Ascension, Richmond-street last A very popular fur for almost any night. The congregation is practically garment is Persian Lamb. It makes a a unit in the matter and the step will rare good coat or for a tie or scarf or the agreet adventage to the work of the exceptionally stylish. The

WASHINGTON. Oct. 12.—The discovery of alleged forgeries and defat.

H. Plummer arrived here at 7.30 by special train from Sydnes, N. S., and cations aggregating approximately \$210,000 to day resulted in closing the doors of the First National Bank of is seriously ill. He made 50 miles an interpretation of the purpose.

H. War also decleted to pay of the interpretation of the interpretation of the interpretation of the interpretation of the showrooms and you'll interpretation of the interpretation of t vestry.

last night.

Announcement Made That Will Disappoint Several Towns - Port Hopers Have a Griev-

PORT HOPE, Oct. 12.-(Special.)-The announcement from the Canadian Northern to the effect that they propose to adhere to the northern route as surveyed and located two years ago, is regarded with keen disappoint-

ance.

To a deputation consisting of Colone Ward and H. T. Bush, which went to Toronto to interview them, Messrs. Mackenzie & Mann promised to come to Port Hope to look over suggested deviations themselves, and also to send engineers to run new trial lines, with the object of getting a sultable grade nearer the town. On the day that Mr. Mann was to come to Port Hope, according to his promise to the deputa-tion he went to New York, and up to the present neither Mr. Mann, Mr. Mackenzie nor Mr. Moore has been

Neither have the promised trial lines been run. Engineer Armstrong and six men, making up a surveying party, have been here for three weeks, but ty, have been here for three weeks, but it is known to be a fact that no new lines were run in the vicinity of Port Hope. For three weeks the surveyors have been working on the located line. Members of the Port Hope Board of Trade made an appeal to the company for at least a slight deviation near the point where the station was to be located, and tho the change would entail no extra cutting or filling up, the suggestion was not acted upon.

Interviewed by The World last night, Mr. Moore admitted that no new trial lines had been run in the vicinity of Port Hope, but claimed that Port Hope's case was not under consideration when the engineers were returned to the constant of to the country to try for a new line. Regarding Port Hope's suggestion as to the location of the station, Mr. Moore said that that matter was to be con-

OSHAWA'S FREIGHT SERVICE Large Industries Which Are Hampered by Present Facilities.

OSHAWA, Oct. 12.-(Staff Special.)-If Mackenzie & Mann run their Toron-to-Ottawa line thru Oshawa they will to-Ottawa line thru Oshawa they will accommodate no persons so much as Mackenzie & Mann. To an outsider that fact stands out as blg as a load of hay, and the resident heads of the reading industries harbor an idea to the same effect, and are not worrying. "We want the C.N.R.," they all say. "but if we don't get the C.N.R. we will get the C.P.R., which will serve quite as well and will give us the railway competition we desire." And that hope of securing the C.P.R. is not by any means merely visionary. Fred Fowke, ency.

of securing the C.P.R. is not by any means merely visionary. Fred Fowke, M.P., who accompanied a deputation to Montreal a couple of years ago, quoted to The World the words used by Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, president of the C.P.R.: "We intend to build a connection with the recent general line that the dake toward.

middle of the block.

He says he fired five shots; the police found eight or nine bullets.

He says he escaped thru a window in the back of the house; the ground was covered with light snow and the poly tracks in the back yard were those of a girl so the notice and is to be shot to as the notice of the notice of the notice of a girl so the notice of generally believed of course that the Canadian Northern will make a stab at getting the business by running a spur in in any event, but such a maker shift is not regarded with any degree of enthusiasm. They want the road to pass thru the town and can promise a great amount of shipping to the com-pany that meets their wishes.

A Booming Town.
Oshawa is full of life and is ambitious. Every industry in the town has growing pains, and is expanding at a marvelous rate. The town leads all places in Canada in the percentage of her shipping, based on population. More than one industry handles over 1000 carloads of freight a year and there are a dozen that handle over 100 cars. The Malleable Iron Works, 2 conjunction with the Oshawa Steam & Gas Fitting plant, employ 1000 men and ship or import over 20,000 tons a year; the McLaughlin Carriage Works employ 500 men and ship out and import about 1350 carloads a year; the Williams Plano Co. employ 200 men and ship 2500 tons a year; the Robson Leather Co. employ 125 men, the Ped-lar people 100 men, Oshawa Woolien Mills 150 men, T. Eaton Co. whitewear

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PERSIAN LAMB.

the a great advantage to the work of the church, which lies largely among Church of England immigrants, to whom a Church without a surpliced choir is an anomaly. The initial expense for the choir was almost covered last night. lt was also decided to pay off the selection. Just come and look over the streets.

