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PART 1.

HOLMES' HUMAN BUTCHERIES

Police Closing the Net Still Tighter Around Pat Quinlan, the Accomplice.

Two Vaults Filled With Quick Lime Discovered in the Castle—Another Victim.

Cincinnati, July 29.—Chief Dietch received a telegram from Detective Geyer to search the Poplar street house formerly occupied by H. H. Holmes in this city. Holmes had the Williams sisters, the sister of Minnie. They have no means of proving this, because the teeth have been destroyed and the jaw bones broken, nevertheless they are quite satisfied that the conclusion is correct. Yesterday's revelations also convinced the police that the house at 63rd street was the scene of all Holmes' murders and that the mysterious "once" on the third floor was employed exclusively for the butchery of his victims.

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friends. Chief Badenoch says he does not believe the Philadelphia authorities will ever surrender Holmes, and therefore he is determined that justice shall be meted out to his accomplices here. The police are satisfied that the skeleton which is now safe in the vault is all that remains of Alice Williams, the sister of Minnie. They have no means of proving this, because the teeth have been destroyed and the jaw bones broken, nevertheless they are quite satisfied that the conclusion is correct. Yesterday's revelations also convinced the police that the house at 63rd street was the scene of all Holmes' murders and that the mysterious "once" on the third floor was employed exclusively for the butchery of his victims.

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TO-DAY'S CABLE DISPATCHES

No Fresh Features in the Elections—Only Three More Places to be Heard From.

Destructive Fire in Hamburg—Japan Recruiting Her Navy—Other News.

London, July 29.—Following returns were received to-day from the northeast division of Derbyshire: T. E. Bolton, Liberal, 4,757; D. B. Covert, Conservative, 4,213. Liberal majority, 527. Mr. Bolton last election had a majority of 2,410, showing a loss of 1,883 votes. Only three more districts remain to be heard from to complete the returns. The following elections have not previously been reported:—

Saffron, Walden division—Gold, Lib., 3806; C. W. Gray, Con., 3781. Fernham, South division—Jordan, M.C., 2722; Brooks, 2643. Galway, North division—Kilbride, M.C., 2820; Cox, J. F., 2643. Haddingtonshire—R. I. Haldane, Lib., 2774; The Master of Salwarth, Con., 2194. North Northamptonshire—C. W. Beaumont, Lib., 4433; E. Hunter, Con., 4068. Yorkshire, East riding, Bickrose division—H. Holden, Lib., 4078; T. C. Goff, Con., 3986. Yorkshire, West riding, E. R. Bailie, Con., 2921; Kennedy, Lib., 2861. Ross and Cromarty—J. G. Weir, Lib., 2272; Ross, 2143.

The Times has commenced an action against the Central News, a small news agency in this city, claiming that the terms of its contract with the Central News to supply cable messages from the east was not fulfilled, inasmuch as the dispatches supplied were not true or substantial copies of cable messages and that some of them were concocted by or on behalf of the defendants. The Central News has altered its position and has issued a declaration that the publishers of the Times are not responsible for the claim made for further payments of \$41 for such "war news." The Central News deny the allegations. The report from Vladivostok, via St. Petersburg, that Japan is raising her army and navy to a war footing is given no credence at the Japanese legation. No immediate trouble with Russia is anticipated according to advices, and the second, or reserve, army is being disbanded. Japan is said, however, to be broadening the basis for possibilities in case of war, in that she is arranging for further recruiting her navy. No vessels, however, have been purchased from Peru. The cruiser Esmeralda was purchased from Chile before the Chinese war ended. Mail advices received a few days ago indicate that fighting on the island of Formosa has been rather heavy, but there is no information to show that the rebels are being supported by the victors of southern China.

To-day's session of the International Geographical congress was occupied in the discussion of polar explorations. Dr. Newmayer and Jos. Hanke, survivors of the Arctic expedition headed by Sir John Ross in 1829-33, urged that a fresh expedition be equipped and Dr. Newmayer, mayor of the Challenger expedition, argued in support of the theory that the Atlantic continent was not a succession of volcanic islands, and that an investigation in the Antarctic ocean ought to be taken by the Challenger. A small committee was appointed to draft a resolution in favor of further exploration. The lugger Zenith has been burned off Baltimore, County Cork. The flames broke out shortly before midnight and spread rapidly in spite of the efforts of the crew. Nine men are missing and eighteen others have been rescued by the coast guards. The lugger had a crew of six men and twenty-one passengers, who were on a pleasure excursion from Glendare, to which place they were returning when the flames burst through the vessel's hatchway. A panic followed and the boat which was lowered was swamped by crowding. Nine persons were drowned. An official dispatch received at Madrid from Manila, the capital of the Philippine Islands, says that the natives of Cebu, in the province of Cagayan, at the north extremity of the island of Luzon, recently treacherously ambushed a party of Spanish troops, killing and wounding several of the soldiers. Consequently the Spanish punitive column was sent to Cagayan, and attacked and burned that town after a fight in which 116 natives were killed, including the principal leaders. The Spanish lost a captain and 16 soldiers killed and several men wounded. The Russian Petroleum Company announce the Narov Vremya that they have not agreed with the American petroleum syndicate to partition the market. The Paris elections for members of the conseil general resulted in the Republicans gaining three-quarters of the seats. Several election fights occurred in several places in the provinces. At Roubaux, in the department of the Nord, there was a collision between the Republicans and Collectives, and the gendarmes had to charge repeatedly be-

fore the disturbance was quelled. A number of persons were injured and a few arrests were made. Serious riots, accompanied by bloodshed, are reported at Barbantane, near Marseilles. Troops have been despatched to the scene of the rioting. Cardinal Gibbons will return to Paris to-night from Reims. He will spend a few days at the Seminary St. Sulpice before returning to the United States. A fire broke out at Hamburg in the warehouse of the Bonded Spirit company on the island of Steinvard. The fire soon spread to several other warehouses in which were stored a quantity of Holland gin, 50,000 sacks of sugar, 20,000 barrels of lard and a large quantity of ivory, all of which was destroyed. The water was so affame for a long time with flaring spirits. One man lost his life during the progress of the fire. Damage, 1,000,000 marks.

TO STEAL THE NIAGARA RIVER. How the American Papers view the Canadian Scheme. Buffalo, N. Y., July 29.—Certain newspapers in the states are exercised over what they term a scheme to "steal the Niagara river" by which reference is made to the project of one of the Canadian companies organized for the purpose of utilizing Niagara water power, namely, the Welland Power and Supply Company, which was incorporated at a late session of the Canadian parliament and whose aim is not only the utilization of power, but also to supply the water to irrigate the peninsular fruit belt. The charter of the company, "The Philadelphia Record" observes, "permits it to draw unlimited water from Niagara river. The company is also empowered to deepen or widen Chippewa creek from its mouth to a point at the intersection of the proposed canal, four and a half miles west, and there is nothing in the charter to prevent the company from diverting the course of the Niagara river. The Courier says: "The company proposes to take the water through a widened and deepened channel in the mouth of the Welland river at a distance of four and one half miles from the Niagara river. The water is to be taken through a surface canal 100 feet wide at the bottom, 150 feet wide at the top, 15 feet deep and will be carried by one level open cut through clay to an escarpment near the town of Thorold, a distance of about six and a half miles, to the brow of a mountain, with a drop of ten feet from the level of the canal, giving an available fall of 320 feet to the level of lake Ontario. The proposed first turbine is 180 feet below, then to carry the water by a series of falls, each generating power to open the canal, emptying into lake Ontario six and a half miles away."

CABLE NEWS. Death of Earl Verulam—Ontario's Privy Council Case. London, July 29.—A report shows that the sum of 700,000 marks was collected for the relief of the libe survivors and for the assistance of those who suffered the most by the loss of relative, wife, etc., through the sinking of that vessel. In Krickweiz, Silesia, a septuagenarian weaver named Jungnuten was recently murdered during his sleep by his insane daughter. The murderer afterwards cut her father's body up into small pieces and made his flesh her food for several days until the deed was discovered by the natives. The increase in exports of all German ports to the United States for the past year amounts in round figures to 15,000,000 marks. There has been a decrease in the exports of sugar amounting to 5,000,000 marks. Hamburg, Stettin and Brunswick were the cities affected by the great increase. The exposition of California products, especially preserves and wine, was opened in Berlin on Monday. A Hamburg firm is going to open four hundred branch stores in Europe for the sale of these products of the Pacific coast. The Ontario prohibition case will be heard before the privy council on Thursday next. Sir Oliver Mowat is here in connection with the case, to which much interest is attached. The case did not go on yesterday as expected. The Earl of Verulam is dead. James Walter Crimmon, second Earl of Verulam, was born in 1809. He had been lord lieutenant of Herts, high steward of St. Albans, and lord-in-waiting to the Queen. He was a member of parliament for St. Albans and other districts from 1830 to 1835. The Bulgarian embargo is still occupying much space in the German newspapers, but more attention is now given to the war commemorations which are fairly under way. On August 8th the bloody engagement on Spichern Heights will be celebrated by the 12th Grenadier regiment at Frankfurt-on-Oder. The battle of St. Privat, on August 18th, will be celebrated in grand style, but the most memorable celebration will take place on the Tempelhof field on August 19th, when the battle of Gravelotte will be commemorated. The emperor will be present on the occasion and 40,000 veterans and others will take part in the ceremonies. All other battles and engagements of the month of August, 1870, will likewise be commemorated in the various garrison towns and cities up to Sedan day, September 1st. Pembroke, July 29.—T. D. Devlin, son of the chief of police, dropped dead at the Thistle dock. He was 25 years of age. Heart disease was the cause of death.

NEWS OF THE DOMINION

Sutherland is Arranging to Build 150 Miles of H. B. Road This Year.

C. P. R. Sending East for Laborers to Put the Western Track in Good Order.

Toronto, July 29.—Thomas Jacob, a British army veteran, was killed at Don station by falling 20 feet from the office house platform, fracturing his skull. Windsor, Ont., July 29.—James Dickson, registrar of Huron county, died to-day at the advanced age of 80. Niagara, July 29.—Charles Carnidge, aged 71, once a high school master, succeeded by shooting himself through the brain. Grimsby, July 29.—Alex. Logan, who fractured his spinal column while driving, is dead. Winnipeg, July 29.—Dispatches from South Dakota state that thousands of acres of crops have been destroyed by hail during the past few days. Oakes, Valley City and Britton suffered most. Hon. Mr. Daly says, in an interview with the Free Press, that Hugh Sutherland is arranging to build 125 miles of the Hudson's Bay railroad this year. Montreal, July 29.—Andrew Boyd, of the defunct firm of Boyd, Gillies & Co., wholesale stationers, will not be brought back from Canada to England as stated in the dispatches of some days ago. It is safe to say Boyd will never again set foot in this country. It will be remembered that during the last days of the late session of parliament Boyd's customs frauds, when he was head of the firm of Boyd, Ryrie & Campbell, were warmly discussed, the contention being that he had been allowed to escape his just deserts for forgery and swindling through the apathy of the controller of customs and the minister of justice. In the dispatches of some days ago, it was stated that Boyd had been arrested in Toronto for the purpose of engaging a large number of men to work on the railway in this country. The "So" line is to be lifted and ballasted the entire distance between Pasqua and Boundary, and gangs of men are to be put on the main line between Port William and Medicine Hat to put the track in first class condition for the expected heavy traffic of the fall and winter. This work will require a large number of laborers, and after trying for three weeks to secure men here the company reluctantly sent their agent to Ontario to secure them. Mount Forest, Ont., July 29.—Thomas Heelan, of the township of Arthur, committed suicide last night by hanging. He was a well-to-do farmer and no cause is assigned for the rash act. Hamilton, July 29.—Miss Emma Foster, 39, fell from a street car last night. She was insensible when picked up and died in an hour. Belleville, July 29.—Mrs. Lyman Ashley, the oldest resident of this city, died here yesterday. She was born in Belleville on February 25, 1801, and was a granddaughter of Captain Waldon Meyer, the pioneer settler of Belleville. Dresden, Ont., July 29.—William Chambers, who has been engaged in farming at Dawn Mills, Kent Co., for nearly 70 years, died on Saturday, aged 107. He came to Canada in 1830. Kingston, July 29.—William Andrews has been released from the penitentiary after having served 8 years. He was sentenced for life for burning the Salvation Army barracks.

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