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People Panic-Stricken by Another Earthquake Shock.

Japanese Ships Landing Troops at the Mouth of the Tatong.

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Surrender of the Kaffir Chief Malaboch and His Sons to the Boers-The Czar's Poor Health a Reason for Cancelling the Smolensk Maneuvers.

Sir Charles Tupper's Condition. LONDON, Aug. 24.—Sir Charles Tupper is still confined to his bed at Chester, but ceports as to his condition are all favor-

Earthquake in Sicily. SANTA CATARINA, Sicily, Aug. 24 .- A panic was created here yesterday by another shock of earthquake. The inbabitants fled to the fields.

A Big Bore. BERNE, Aug. 24 .- The plans for a Jura-Simplon railway tunnel through the Simplon have been approved by the Swiss Federal Federal Council and will now be submitted to the Italian Government. The cost of the work is estimated at 55,000,000

At the Seat of War.

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Tokio, Aug. 24.—The Government has announced that a number of torpedoca were laid in Yokohama and Nagasaki harbors on the 22nd inst., and that foreign ships entering the harbors must be accompanied by Japanese pilot boats.

The Times hears from Shanghai that Japanese troop ships under convoy have been landing troops at the mouth of the Tatong River.

Struck the Eddystone Rock.

LONDON, Aug. 24.—The British steamer Dunston Castle, for Plymouth, struck on Eddystone Rock this morning during the prevalence of a dense fog. She was floated an hour after going on the rock. She sustained no apparent injury.

Owns Up to Forgeries Totaling \$500,000.

LONDON, Aug. 24.-Ernest Hansberger, the Dundee jute merchant who was arrested a month ago on charges of having forged bills for £80,000 on Scotch banks and for £20,000 on continental banks, was arraigned for trial today. When called upon to plead he admitted he was guilty of forgeries amounting to \$560,000. Sentence was postponed.

The Czar in Poor Health.

BERLIN, Aug. 24.-An additional reason given here for the countermanding by the Czar of the order for the Russian army maneuvers at Smolensk is that the Czar's physicians have expressed a very strong wish that his Majesty should subject himself to as little fatigue as possible because of the unsatisfactory condition of his

California Fruit in London.

London, Aug. 24.-An auction sale of the first large shipment of Californian fruit brought to this country by the steamer Paris Between 250 Hoboes and a Force was held at Covent Garden today. All parts of England were represented. Most of the fruit was found to be in such condition that it was necessary to dispose of it within 48 hours of the time of its arrival. This was the result to its having been picked too late and packed too lightly. The market was poor.

Suggests Comic Opera. LONDON, Aug. 24.—The Government has received a dispatch confirming the report that the British consul at Bluefields, Mr.

Hatch, has been arrested and imprisoned by Nicaraguans. The Standard, commenting, says: "Despite the fact that the offense is of the gravest nature, the idea of Nicaragua's defying Great Britain, also the way in which Mr. Hatch informed the officers of his departure suggests the comic opera. We may be confident that the United States will not hesitate to support a

demand for satisfaction for this outrage." The Boers' Victory.

CAPE Town, Aug. 24 .- Pretoria dispatches of Aug. 7 have been received here, giving a detailed account of the surrender of Kaffir Chief Malaboch to the Boers. Under cover of a flag of truce Malaboch, with seven companions, among them his two sons and brother, came out from the caves in which they had been hiding and voluntarily surrendered. Malaboch twice attempted to kill himself after giving himself up by throwing himself into a camp fire, but failed both times. He was, however badly burned. One of his companions was subsequently shot dead while endeavoring to escape. Great satisfaction is felt throughout the Transvaal at Malaboch's

TORONTO'S BIG FAIR.

Sir John Thompson Will Open the Industrial.

TORONTO, Aug. 24. - Sir John Thompson has written to Manager Hill of the Toronto Industrial Fair, formally accepting the invitation to officiate at the opening ceremony on Sept. 4. Lady Thompson and Sir John Gorst will be among the notabilities in

TROUBLE IN BLUEFIELDS. *

Britons and Americans Under Arrest-Trouble Threatened

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 24.—Advices received here from Bluefields say those arrested besides Consul Hatch are G. B. Wiltebanks (an American), H. C. Ingram, J. O. Thomas, H. A. Hodgson Washington, Glover John Kyser, Geo. Hodgson, called to one of his deputies and told him Harry Brown, and a Mr. Lampton. The two latter are Englishmen. The situation is serious. They report that more Nicaraguan troops are arriving at Bluefields. "Come on," cried Police Capt. Killen to Two thousand men are due there. This his mounted men, and fifteen of them display of force is reported to be caused by dashed at the Commonwealers with the determination of the Nicaraguans to resist deputies at their horses' heels. The police foreign interference in their affairs.

A MINE HORROR!

Miles Distant From Seattle.

Thirty-Seven Dead Bodies Taken From the Pit-Extent of the Catas. trophe Unknown.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 24 .- A terrible catastrophe occurred in the Oregon Improvement Company's coal mines at Franklin, 34 miles from this city, at 1 o'clock this afternoon.

Already 37 dead bodies have been recovered from the mine, and it is known that many others are imprisoned in the fiery furnace.

The number is as yet only a matter of conjecture, and it is probable that none will escape.

ANOTHER. PLATTSVILLE, Pa., Aug. 24.-At 12:30 p.m. an explosion of gas took place in the workings of the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Company's colliery at Gilberton, and twelve men were buried in

the mine. The number of killed is not yet known,

ANOTHER ACCOUNT. TACOMA, Wash., Aug. 25.—Yesterday afternoon 37 miners were killed by an explosion in the Oregon Improvement Company's coal mine at Franklin, King county, 34 miles southeast of Seattle. The miners were trying to save the mines from destruction by fire when the explosion took place. Those who rushed to the gangway when the fire was discovered escaped. Several of those caught were not instantly killed, and a desperate attempt was at once made by their comrades to rescue them from the flames. The entire mining community of Franklin aided to flood slope 62, in which the bodies of the miners lay.

Franklin is a coal mining town on the west slope of the Cascade Mountains, and the usual heartrending scenes were enacted about the entrance of the mines when a list of the killed and missing was made out. This is the mining district into which colored miners were brought two years ago, resulting in a running fight with the strikers and several deaths. Negro and Swede miners predominate among those killed. Most of them had families.

When the bodies of the dead miners were reached many were found to be in line as if simultaneously overcome by stifling smoke. Some had been smothered and were not cut or even bruised. All were dead before assistance reached them. It is reported that all the men in the breast reached the In all, about 70 men were at work in the sixth level north. Of that number about 40 were at work in breast 62, where the fire broke out. Several of those who lingered at the burning breast 62, took warning and fled, but all who remained were overcome and asphyxiated.

At 3 o'clock the last of the 37 bodies was recovered and then the people began to quiet down. Many of them were completely prostrated with their violent grief, The origin of the fire in breast 62 is supposed to be due to spontaneous combustion caused by refuse and screenings in the bottom of the breast slacking and catching fire. The mines will be sealed. There is a good deal of black damp in the mine, and when the air supply is shut off the black damp will put out the fire. It is believed that in three months the fire will have become completely extinguished.

BATTLE IN BUFFALO

of Policemen.

Twenty-Seven Persons Injured so That Nine Were Taken to a Hospital.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 24 .- Sheriff Taggart's posse of 25 men, assisted by fifteen policemen put to flight Count Rybadewski's army of 250 hoboes this afternoon after a pitched battle, in which 25 hoboes and two deputy sheriffs were injured. Nine hoboes were so badly hurt that it was necessary to take them to the hospital. The count and 150 of his followers have been placed under arrest, the count being held for assault in the second degree, for which he can receive five years imprisonment.

The list of injured is as follows: Albert Vogel, aged 33, of Illinois; Joseph Cavert, Buffalo; Thos. Mankoski, Chicago, very bad wound on head; John Mennicoski, either way. The time from the Needles South Bend, Ind.; Fred Mengus, Chicago; to Sandy Hook lightship was 6 days, 8 Stanislaus Caperlo, Chicago; W. J. Wojei-chowsky, Cleveland; H. Lusser, Chicago; Samuel Rosen, Chicago, left leg tilled with buckshot, also scalp wound; Levi Spencer, deputy sheriff, scalp plowed by bullet; George Taylor, deputy sheriff, bad scalp wound. A score of others had their heads cut open by policemen's clubs, and were treated on the spot by the ambulance physicians. The count himself was badly cut under the eye by the fist of a deputy

sheriff. The battle occurred by 5 o'clock this evening. Sheriff Taggart had notified the count to move on, as the three days allowed him had expired. The count sent back word that he "spit" on Sheriff Taggart's notice, and would remain as long as

he pleased. Sheriff Taggart swore in 25 deputies and put himself at their head and set out to disperse the army. He arrived at the camp and placed the count and his lieutenants under arrest, and started with him for Justice Forster's court, half a mile away, where they were to be tried. The army, numbering 250 men, fell in behind the prisoners. When they arrived at the court house the count was permitted to speak to some of his followers. He addressed them in Polish, and before the sheriff could interfere the crowd had closed in around the count and he was beyond the reach of the sheriff. The army formed a

hollow square around the count, and swinging their clubs around their heads defied the sheriff to take him. With only 30 men the sheriff was nonplussed for a moment. It was outside the city limits and the police stationed 100 feet away could not legally interfere. Sheriff Taggart the lines a Pole struck at him and the

deputy knocked him senseless. "Come on," cried Police Capt. Killen to qued their clubs, the deputies their re-

volvers and clubs and the count's champions both clubs and revolvers. In fifteen minutes the fight was over and 25 Coxeyites with broken heads were groaning on the ground. Rosen, of Chicago, shot Deputy Sheriff Spencer, the bullet plowing its way through Spencer's scalp. Deputy John O'Brien, a well-known newspaper man, who was armed with a shoton through the product of the specific product of the second state. shotgun, turned it on Rosen, and the contents lodged in his leg. His injuries are the most serious. Sheriff Taggart arrested 65 of the Coxeyites. All were convicted as tramps and sentenced each to 30 days in the penitentiary. The police have arrested as many more, who will be tried tomorrow. The count was badly handled and bruised. He will be held for the grand jury.

Washington expects to entertain 100,000 risitors next week during the encampment of the Knights of Pythias. The Roman Catholic saloonkeepers of Columbus, Ohio, say they will neither

leave the church nor quit the raloon busi-The town of Hubbard, Ohio, is running itself. Both mayor and city marshal are

in jail, the former for intoxication and the latter for not obeying orders. The Secretary of the United States Treasury decides that should the new tariff

bill become law coffee now in bond will be free under section 71 of that act. James O'Grady, well known in Irish National League circles, has died in New York. Mr. O'Grady was treasurer of the

Irish National Federation of America. Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British ambassador, had an audience with the President Friday morning before the Cabinet meeting. Secretary Gresham was also

Black River, which flows through the center of Port Huron, has become a public nuisance, and Mayor O'Sullivan has issued a call for a public meeting to disuss plans for the closing of the river.

Rich finds of oil are reported in Atha-

-Two hundred and fifty out of 600 Toronto union printers are out of employ-

AT THE U. S. CAPITAL.

Hill's Anti-Anarchist Measure Amended and Objected To, WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 24 .- Another

uccessful effort was made in the House today to pass the Hill bill for the exclusion and deportation of alien Anarchists. An amendment has been agreed upon by the advocates of the measure and those members who had previously antagonized it, defining an Anarchist to be a person wh advocates the destruction by force of all government, or of the Government of the United States. This satisfied the objections heretofore made, but Mr. English (Democrat, N. J.) entered an objection, and the bill again went over this time, probably finally for this session.

The Treasury net balance gained \$2,500,-000 today, standing at the close of business at \$125,243,000. The gold reserve increased nearly \$200,000, footing up now \$54,553,000.

RAN AGROUND.

The Canadian Steamer Collingwood-Then the Passengers Were Quarantined,

MACKINAC ISLAND, Mich., Aug. 25 .-The Canadian steamer Collingwood, of the Tinn Shoal, off Blois Blanc Island, yesterhealth officer to inspect for a clean bill of health. Special telegrams from the department at Washington were received, allowing the landing of American passengers en route to points in the States. The Canadian people protested strongly against quarantine and will probably carry the matter to Washington.

Congress to Adjourn. WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 24.-The

House and Senate have agreed to adjourn sine die next Tuesday.

A Record-Breaking Steamer. New York, N. Y., Aug. 24.—The American Line steamer New York, sister ship of the Paris came to her dock this evening after the quickest voyage ever made between Southampton and this port

hours and 38 minutes. The New York covered a course of 3.050 knots at an average speed of twenty knots an hour. In doing this she beat the

records of both the Paris and the Hamburg-American liner Fuerst Bismarck. The Paris, in her record-breaking trip in June, 1893, covered 3,052 knots in 6 days, 9 hours and 37 minutes. This record is

now cut down 59 minutes. The Furest Bismarck's eastward record was 6 days, 11 hours and 44 minutes,

beaten now by 2 hours 36 minutes. Steamship Arrivals. Aug. 26. At From.

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CANADA'S DEAD SON.

The News of Mr. Fraser's Death at Home-The Remains Removed. BROCKVILLE, Aug. 24 .- The town of Brockville has seldem been thrilled by a greater shock than it was this morning on the receipt of the news that the Hon. C. F. Fraser had died in Toronto during the night. He was one of Brockville's most gifted sons, and all classes of the community unite in mourning the loss of one so eminent and so hightly respected. Dr. Moor, a strong personal friend of the deceased and his doctor for 24 years, was intrusted with the delicate task of breaking the news to the bereaved widow. Besides his widow, son and daughter he leaves to mourn his loss his aged mother, four sisters and one brother, Mr. O. K. Fraser, barrister. Flags are flying at half mast from all public places, and many private buildings out of respect to the

memory of deceased. The funeral will take

place Sunday. Work at the asylum has

been closed down till after the funeral, THE REMAINS TAKEN HOME. TORONTO, Aug. 24.—The remains of the late Hon. C. F. Fraser, were taken to Brockville on the G. T. R. train tonight, in charge of Dr. Chamberlain, Mr. M. Wilson, private secretary to the deceased, and Housekeeper O'Brien of the Parliament buildings. At the station tonight, when the train went out with the remains, were Sir Oliver and several Cabinet ministers and a number of other prominent citizens. The Grand Trunk railway has arranged for a special car for friends of the deceased to go from Toronto tomorrow morning to the funeral ceremonies, returning Sunday night, with the privilege of sleeping on poard Saturday night.

BROCKVILLE, Ont., Aug. 25 .- The body of Hon. C. F. Fraser arrived here this morning by G. T. R. express. The remains were accompanied by Dr. Chamberlain, Mr. Wilson (late private secretary to Mr. Fraser), Mrs. Delaney and Mrs. Quinn, sisters of the deceased. Dispite the early hour (4 o'clock) a large crowd of citizens were at the station and followed the hearse by procession to the house.

The funeral takes place tomorrow at 3:30 p.m. to St. Francis Xavier Church. Sir Oliver Mowat, Hon. Mr. Harcourt, and other members of the Government will come down by special car tonight. Hon. Mr. Harty arrived this morning. Special trains will be run tomorrow for the accommodation of those desirous of attending the funeral.

In accordance with the will of the dead statesman the funeral will be very simple.

LOCOMOTIVE FIREMEN.

Annual Convention in Harrisburg-Grand Master Sargent's Report-The A. R. U. Failure.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Aug. 25 .- Grand Master Sargent, of the Brotherhood Locomotive Firemen, has about completed the bi-annual report which he will submit to the brotherhood which opens Sept. 10, at Harrisburg.

He says in part: "There has been falling off in membership of perhaps 4,000 in the past two years, leaving the total at 25,000, yet the order is in a first-class and healthy condition. In my judgment there is no probability that the 25,000 members will consider the proposition which I am informed through the newspapers will be made for the consideration of the various railway labor organizations. "During the past fiscal year we paid 289

claims, each of \$1,500, or \$413,500 in all. Of these 199 were for death and 90 for disability. The lesson of the A. R. U. strike is that the employe must respect public Northern Steamship Company, en route sentiment and law. Sentiment will be from Collingwood to Mackinac Island, with against you and sure defeat will be the a passage list of 2,000, ran aground on result. Many good men were mixed up in that strike, being carried away by day noon. Passenger steamboats were at the excitement and delusive promises of once dispatched to her but were unable to the agitators. These know it now and land the passengers, owing to a telegram will be conservative and unexceptionally from the Grand Haven collector, ordering the careful men hereafter. One recommendation I will make to the convention is to change the constitution so that a brotherhood man cannot belong to another railroad order, excepting, of course, the engineer's brotherhood. The firemen and engineers are one so far as their line of duty is concerned, and we have on our rolls thousands of engineers who did not relinquish their memberships when they were promoted to the other side of the cab.

THE METEORS' MEET.

Some Fast Flyers Entered-The Yacht Britannia Beaten - A Local Pugilist.

THE WHEEL.

Giddens.

TEE METEORS' MEET. The lantern parade on bicycles Monday night will be headed by the First Hussar Band, leaving the corner of Wellington and Dandas streets at 8 o'clock, taking in Dundas and Richmond streets and Victoria Park, where an illumination will take place. L. D. Robertson and Doane, world's champions on the tandem, will be at the Wednesday races, as will also B. E. Cummings, Belleville, and the following London riders. F. F. Radway, J. P. Mahler, F. Sweeney, C. Reid, B. Holt, F. Moorehead, W. W. Blackwell, S. Screaton, C. H. White, A. F. Little, B. Glover and F.

AQUATIC. THE BRITANNIA BEATEN. WEYMOUTH, Aug. 25 .- The Britannia and Satanita started this morning in the race of the Dorset Royal Yacht Club regatta for the Queen's cup. The race was to and around the Shambles and return, to be sailed over twice. The Satanita was the winner by 4 minutes. CRICKET.

George S. Lyon, of the Rosedale Cricket Club. on Friday scored 238, not out, against Peterboro. The Rosedale total for eight wickets was 380 runs. Peterhoro made 47. BASEBALL.

The Hurons beat the Avons on Wednesday afternoon by a score of 16 to 3. A good game of ball was played yesterday between the Riversides and Empires. Score 9 to 7 in favor of the Riversides. Battery of Riversides, G. Jennings and Card. Umpires-J. Taff and E. Black.

ATHLETICS. Jack Stewart, of this city, has been matched to spar four rounds with Jim Daly, of Buffalo, Corbett's sparring partner. The match will probably take place in this city next month and will be for the gate

Bad for the Peaches. ANN ARBOR, Mich., Aug. 24.-The peach yellows are very bad in this county, and many thousands of trees must be sacrificed.

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