

KING MANUEL OF PORTUGAL IS FIGHTING FOR HIS LIFE HEMMED IN BY REVOLUTIONISTS

Republican Forces Bombarding the Capital With Boy Monarch Besieged in Palace—Great Britain Rushes Strong Squadron to the Scene.

Paris, Oct. 5.—An official communication issued today says: "It is confirmed by information, private, but certain, that an important revolution has broken out in Lisbon; that bombardment of the city has commenced, and that on Tuesday night King Manuel was still in the Royal Palace, resisting the revolutionists."

Gibraltar, Oct. 5.—The British cruisers Newcastle and Minerva sailed from here today, steaming at full speed for Lisbon.

LONDON HEARS OF IT.
London, Oct. 5.—The admiralty today received a brief wireless message confirming the news of a revolution in Lisbon, but giving even fewer details than the press dispatches of last night.

Upon the receipt of this message orders were sent to Gibraltar for the dispatch immediately of two cruisers to watch British interests in the troubled country.

DESERTED BY ARMY.
Paris, Oct. 5.—Portugal, since yesterday, has been isolated from the rest of the world, and circuitous reports declare that the country is in the throes of a violent revolution.

All the Portuguese navy and part of the army are reported to have deserted the monarch, and to have cast their lots with the revolutionists.

SHELLED THE PALACE.
The Portuguese warships shelled the Royal Palace, while land forces, after desperate fighting in the streets, dragged down the royal standard and raised the banner of the Republic.

King Manuel is said to be a prisoner in the palace.

The immediate cause of the revolution was the assassination at the capital of Professor Bombarda, the Republican deputy and chief of the Liberal League, by a lieutenant of the army. So intense was the feeling against the throne that this incident, comparatively trivial in itself, was sufficient to start the outbreak. Portugal, following the example of Spain, has been imbued in recent years with a strong anti-clerical sentiment, and the Government programme included a revision of the status of the religious orders.

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KING MANUEL OF PORTUGAL, European Dispatches Say He Is a Prisoner of the Revolutionists at Lisbon.

GATHERING DATA ON TECHNICAL SCHOOLS

To Be Presented to Royal Commission Which Meets Here in Few Days.

The board of education will present London's need of a technical school to the royal commission, which meets here in a few days.

Inspector Edwards and Chairman Gammage have been working on the problem, and the matter will be placed before the commission in a most convincing form.

"We have been obtaining much information on the subject," said Inspector Edwards. "A technical school should minister to the necessities of each community. We have carefully looked over the local situation, and we hope to place before the members of the commission every possible bit of information pertaining to the subject. We need a technical school in London. We will, however, make no demands, simply presenting our case. It will speak for itself."

Members of the board are confident that the ultimate result will be a technical school for this city.

NO MESSAGE TO ROME

But French-Canadian Congress Discussed Bi-Lingual Question.

Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 5.—A special general meeting of the Ontario French-Canadian Educational Association was held here last night under the presidency of Senator Belcourt.

The position of the French language in the schools was discussed in the light of recent developments, and the name of Bishop Fallon, of London, was frequently mentioned.

The members preserve great secrecy as to their deliberations, but it is understood that no resolution was adopted and no message was sent to Rome.

OTIS ARRESTED ON LIBEL CHARGE

More Troubles Come to Owner of Los Angeles Times.

Los Angeles, Oct. 4.—Gen. Harrison Grey Otis, proprietor of the Los Angeles Times, was arrested today on the warrant sworn to some time ago, in San Francisco, charging him with having criminally libelled Andrew Gallagher, a San Francisco labor leader.



Photo by Edy Bros.
THE RECREATION BUILDING AT BYRON SANATORIUM. It is to raise funds to defray the cost of this building that the Irish Benevolent Society has set its hand.

EAST END PROPERTY OWNERS LAUNCH A NEW ASSOCIATION

Already 300 Names Have Been Secured to a Petition Which Has Been in Circulation Since Saturday Last.

A new civic association, to be known as the East London Property Owners' and Business Men's Association, is in the process of formation, and since Saturday more than 300 names have been attached to a petition which is in circulation.

A meeting of those who have signed will be called shortly, and the association will be organized and put on a running basis.

The objects of the new body are to guard and advance the interests of East London in every possible way.

The petition states that it is agreed that the association is not for any religious or political purposes, and that East side citizens know of a number of matters which are of great importance to them.

Candidates in Field.
If, as is likely, the association decides to place candidates for aldermen in the field at the coming election those selected will be asked to support a proposition to have the street railway build extensions from the terminus of the present Oxford street line near Wolsley Barracks up through the district east of the barracks and then southward to the new C. P. R. station at Quebec street, and on through to Dundas street, making a new belt line.

A Real Park.
It is also proposed to ask the council to set aside and maintain a certain portion of Queen's Park as a real park for the use of east end people.

An important proposal also is that to acquire possession of land in the southeast end of the city, and in the event of London being in line to secure large new industries sites will be provided.

Under the present laws the city cannot give sites to industries, but the association can acquire the property and give or sell it as they wish.

A large number of those who have signed the petition believe that a great deal can be done to boost London in this way, and they are enthusiastically taking up the work.

It is expected that the initial meeting of the new association will be called very shortly.

MAY BE DISQUALIFIED
Smith's Pals, Ont., Oct. 5.—W. H. Code, a member of the local council, has served a writ of disqualification on Mayor Dr. McCullum. The writ charges Dr. McCullum with an irregularity in selling cement to the town.

FIRE AT UXBIDGE.
Uxbridge, Ont., Oct. 5.—About 3 o'clock this morning fire was discovered in the Arlington Hotel, formerly the Plank House, here. The firemen, by hard work, saved the building, but it is badly damaged throughout. Mr. Wardman, the proprietor and owner of the building, estimates his loss at \$3,000, which is covered by insurance.

STOLE FROM CARS.
Toronto, Ont., Oct. 5.—Edward Seaton, a C. P. R. yard foreman, pleaded guilty in the sessions today to breaking into cars and stealing liquor, tobacco, and chocolates. George Merry Weeden, a C. P. R. employee, was found guilty of receiving the stolen goods.

A PERJURY CHARGE.
Toronto, Ont., Oct. 5.—Chris Denno, a Macedonian, who is said to have attempted suicide, and then charged his friend, Trico Sikoff, with attempting to murder him, was committed for trial on a charge of perjury this morning.

Grand Trunk Earnings.
Grand Trunk Railway system traffic earnings from Sept. 22 to 30, 1910, were: 1910, \$27,013; 1909, \$1,179,150. Increase, \$57,863.

Mr. Whitesell Better.
The condition of Mr. E. Whitesell, who was seriously injured in the shooting at the house of the late Mr. Whitesell, is reported to be better today.

THE WEATHER
Tomorrow—Mostly Fair.
FORECASTS.
Today and Thursday—fresh southerly to westerly winds; a few scattered showers, but mostly fair and warm.

TEMPERATURES.
Stations. Max. Min. Weather.
Victoria 52 36 Cloudy
Calgary 52 36 Clear
Winnipeg 50 38 Cloudy
Fort Arthur 54 44 Clear
Toronto 52 38 Cloudy
Ottawa 56 62 Fair
Montreal 56 62 Fair
Quebec 54 64 Cloudy
Father Point 62 46 Cloudy

WEATHER NOTES.
The pressure is still low over the northern portion of the continent, and mostly high elsewhere.

Rain has fallen heavily in Ontario and Quebec, and light showers have occurred in the Maritime and Western Provinces.

Rain fell over Ontario and Quebec yesterday and light showers were almost general in the Western Provinces.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: London, 63-70; Vancouver, 46-52; Kamloops, 46-52; Calgary, 38-42; Edmonton, 30-34; Prince Albert, 26-42; Moosejaw, 47-53; Qu'Appelle, 44-56; Winnipeg, 50-56; Port Arthur, 54-54; Pelly Sound, 48-64; Toronto, 56-72; Ottawa, 48-64; Montreal, 52-66; Quebec, 44-62; St. John, 44-58; Halifax, 28-30.

TODAY'S PROBS.
The East-Fresh southerly winds; some showers, but partly fair.

Lake Superior—Strong breezes or moderate gales, southerly to westerly; occasional showers.

Manitoba—A few scattered showers, but mostly fair; no much change in temperature.

Saskatchewan and Alberta—Generally fair; stationary or slightly higher temperature.

Boy Injured.
A lad named Tozer, whose home is in Woodward avenue, was riding on a baker's wagon the other evening when he fell off and the wheels passed over his body. He received severe internal injuries, and his condition is very serious at present, although hopes are entertained for his recovery.

JOHN PRODGER IN WITNESS BOX CLAIMS HIS MIND IS BLANK

Does Not Deny That He Shot Miss Frank But Has No Knowledge of the Crime.

DRINKING HEAVILY DAY OF SHOOTING

Blames Whiskey for His Troubles and Does Not Know What Became of Revolver.

THE JURY.
McChesney, W. J., Adelaide.
Moyle, Thomas, Metcalfe.
McDonald, Loughlin P., W. Williams.

Logie, Richard V., Caradoc.
Jackson, Thomas, Dorchester.
Harris, Thomas, Dorchester.
Bean, Charles A., McGillivray.
Hyslop, David, McGillivray.
Lane, George, North Dorchester.
Higgins, W. H., McGillivray.
Stuart, Alex., East Williams.
McCracken, Richard, Caradoc.

Twenty-seven men were called at the assize court this morning before a jury of twelve was selected to try John Prodger on a charge of shooting Miss Elizabeth Frank with intent to kill.

All the jurors are farmers. All gentlemen residing in or about the assize court this morning before a jury of twelve was selected to try John Prodger on a charge of shooting Miss Elizabeth Frank with intent to kill.

While Miss Frank was on the stand Mr. Sidney Smith, the crown prosecutor, questioned her regarding the identity of the prisoner.

She swore positively that Prodger is the man who shot her on April 5 last at her home, after breaking in through a window.

Mr. P. H. Bartlett, who is acting with Mr. Edmund Meredith, K. C., for Prodger, explained to the court that he would not seriously contend that Prodger is not the man.

The courtroom was well filled with spectators. Prodger went into the box this afternoon, and declared that his mind was a blank on the day of the shooting, and that he has no recollection of the crime, which he does not dispute he committed.

Prisoner in the Cage.
The prisoner was led in, preceded by Constable Northgraves and followed by Constable Paisley. He glanced uneasily about the courtroom as he was brought to the prisoner's box, wiping his lips repeatedly with a handkerchief.

He was dressed in a dark brown suit and wore a small black tie over a white shirt.

His eyes wandered occasionally to the end of the front row, where Miss Frank sat with her sister, Mrs. Rudd, of 175 Horton street, to whose house, a mile away, Miss Frank ran after the shooting.

The aged ladies were dressed in black, the plaintiff's head adorned being a large hat decorated with long ostrich feathers.

She listened attentively while Mr. Sidney Smith, the crown prosecutor, asked the details of the shooting and the route taken into the city by a man answering Prodger's description.

Story of the Shooting.
He told the story of the old lady who resided alone in the rambling residence on Wellington road, a short distance south of the river.

Miss Frank, he said, was seated in her kitchen on the afternoon of April 5 last, when she heard a crash in an adjoining bedroom.

She ran in and found a man, who she claims is the prisoner, standing at the side of the house.

The intruder fired a shot from a revolver at her, and she ran through the back door to the front lawn where she was followed, overtaking her at the front door. There he fired three shots at her, one bullet penetrating her ear.

The other wounding her in the neck. The man then fled back through the house and into the back yard, which is inclosed by a brick wall. He dropped a black stuff hat, which cannot, the prosecutor said, be identified as the property of the prisoner.

The next day a man without a hat was traced along the south river bank to the foot of Smith street, where abutments for a bridge had been erected.

Waded the River.
This man waded through the river near the abutments and proceeded along the north bank back to Adelaide street. He was seen entering the city, walking north on Adelaide.

Near Hill street the man entered the house of Robert Bremner, of 122 Adelaide street, and asked for a hat.

Mr. Bremner procured two and the man selected one.

Bremner claimed the person who got the hat from him was Prodger, and has identified the hat worn by the prisoner when arrested as the headgear he gave Prodger.

Prodger followed the address very closely and appeared somewhat uneasy under the fire of the eyes of the crowd in the courtroom.

The Evidence.
The first witness called was Mr. H. C. McBride, an architect, who made plans of the scene of the shooting and the Frank property, under the orders of the crown attorney. He also provided sketches of the territory south of the river through which the crown claims the prisoner passed in making his detour into the city.

Mr. McBride estimated that it would be about three times as far to go to the prisoner's home on Richmond street, near the postoffice, as to the Vauxhall bridge or Smith street, as it would be

\$1,100 VERDICT AGAINST ST. RY.

Action of Henry Horne Against the Local Company Proved Successful at Assizes.

PLAINTIFF ASKED \$3,000

Valuable Horse Had To Be Shot as Result of Accident, for Which Street Railway Was Blamed.

The suit of Henry Horne, of Hyde Park, against the London street railway, which commenced yesterday morning at the assizes, monopolized the entire day.

At 6 o'clock in the evening a verdict for \$1,100 was brought in by a jury. Twenty-five dollars was considered enough to pay for the cutter and harness, which were smashed, and the remaining \$1,075 was fixed as the value of the horse, Dr. Livingstone, a son of Oro Wilkes. Nothing was allowed the plaintiff for personal injuries.

The evidence taken yesterday afternoon concerned the value of the horse and the condition of the roadway where the accident occurred.

The case was entered in the name of Graydon & Graydon, for the plaintiff, but Mr. George C. Gibbons, K. C., acted with Mr. Marshall Graydon, and addressed the jury. Mr. I. F. Hellmuth defended the street railway.

The Evidence.
Mr. Malcolm Fowler, a grocer, of Oxford street and Wharfedale road, measured the snow the day after the accident, and found it four inches higher than the rails in the centre of the tracks. It sloped up gradually to a great height at the curb. The "wing plow" of the street railway had piled the snow up at the sides of the rails, leaving room enough for only one vehicle.

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GOOD TIMES ARE GIVEN AS REASON

Why There Are Fewer Students in Attendance at the London Collegiate Institute.

BOYS ARE IN DEMAND

As Also Are Girls—Stiff Examination Papers Are Also Partly to Blame, Say Educationalists.

The serious reduction in the number of students at the Collegiate Institute is causing some discussion in London, and many reasons are given for the decrease.

The majority of educationalists blame it on two causes—good times and the difficulty of the entrance examinations.

The first cause means that a large number of young boys and girls leave school to go into business pursuits. There is an increasing demand for them in the business world, and parents, it is charged, very often urge the boys to go to work, rather than spend a year or two in the Collegiate Institute.

The stiff entrance examinations eliminate many prospective students and reduce the attendance.

Two Causes.
"There is no doubt in my mind that the decrease is due to two causes," said Inspector Edwards. "There is a great demand for young boys and girls in business life, and consequently a large proportion cannot resist the temptation to go into this sort of work. This is the history of good times. When business is prospering there is a decrease in the number of Collegiate students. In hard times the schools are well filled as a rule. Of course, if we had a technical school, a difference might be made, as there would be many more attend such a school. Then the entrance examinations are becoming more severe. It is more than probable that a technical school would help us a very great deal."

Good Times.
"Good times and difficult entrance examinations explain the decrease," said Secretary McElhennan. "Good times cause large numbers of boys to leave school, especially those who do not intend to continue for professional reasons."

The reasons I give are the only ones I can advance for the slump," said Principal McCutcheon. "There is nothing else that suggests itself to me."

Traffic Heavy.
Traffic for the month of September was very heavy on the Grand Trunk Railway. In the London yards 21,863 cars in all were handled. Present prospects are exceedingly promising for an excessively heavy fall traffic on all the local lines.

Engine Tested.
The gas engine at the Horton street pumping plant was tested yesterday, and was found to be in first-class shape. The machine ran perfectly, and the test was most satisfactory in every particular. "We are well satisfied," said Engineer Gaultier.

Thanksgiving Services.
The recent thanksgiving services held in St. George's Church, Sarnia, were very successful. The church is nicely decorated for the occasion. The singing was excellent and the choir maintained its good reputation. The collection amounted to \$296. The rector, Rev. Canon Davis, and his faithful workers, are to be congratulated on the successful services.