

CANADIAN AHEAD FOR KING'S CUP

Corporal Trainor of Toronto Wins First Stage For Most Valuable Individual Prize at Bisley Meet.

Bisley, July 18.—Corporal Trainor, of Canada, won the first stage in the shooting of the King's prize with an aggregate score of 101 at the meeting of the National Rifle Association.

At the first stage Lance Corporal Trainor, of Toronto, made a possible 35, being the only Canadian making seven consecutive bullseyes at this range. The other scores were:

Table of scores for the King's Cup shooting competition, listing names and scores for various stages.

KING HAS A SORE THROAT

Too Much Speech Making Complicated With Bad Cold Puts King George on Sick List.

New York, July 18.—A cable from Edinburgh this afternoon says: "King George is suffering from a severe sore throat, due to his physician says to his recent speech making, complicated with a bad cold which he caught while travelling. The King continues his round of functions, reviews and levees, but he is being urged to use his voice as little as possible."

WILL PROBE AN ALLEGED ICE TRUST

Charges Under Anti-trust Law Have Been Made Against Knickerbocker Ice Company of New York.

New York, N. Y., July 18.—Sweeping charges of conspiracy in restraint of trade in New York, covering both production and sale of ice, were lodged today by District Attorney Whitman against the Knickerbocker Ice Company, the ice manufacturing company, their officers and directors.

The complaint alleges that the monopoly maintained in bygone years by the American Company has been perpetuated by the defendants and prays that the court subpoena 15 witnesses named and examine the records of the two concerns to determine the truth of the accusation. The formal complaint was laid before Magistrate Appleton. Public sittings for the taking of testimony will be held probably for 18 days. Counsel for the defendants expressed his willingness to produce the desired records and witnesses without subpoena, and an adjournment was taken until tomorrow afternoon when the taking of evidence will begin.

PREMIER HAZEN'S GOOD WORK FOR THE PROVINCE DURING TRIP TO ENGLAND

He is Completing Plans in Old Country for Development of Natural Resources of New Brunswick.

Newcastle, July 18.—Premier Hazen is completing in the old country plans for the development of the natural resources of the province. He is interesting capitalists in the Albert County shale deposits and is otherwise placing the great advantage of New Brunswick in the limelight. Referring to his English visit the North Shore Leader this week will say:

"Hon. J. D. Hazen was a busy man in London. New Brunswick's Premier and Attorney General characteristically plunged himself into assiduous work in the interests of his province. His operations in the old country are likely to lead to immeasurable advancement here, particularly along the lines of immigration and development of our natural resources."

"In a letter to Hon. John Morrison, Premier Hazen expresses his pleasure at the magnificence of the coronation ceremonies and incidentally said a few words about the coronation of his visit, socially and from a business standpoint. "While in London Mr. Hazen has not lost any opportunity to boost New Brunswick and indeed he has been successful as a promoter. Premier Hazen spent nearly every morning at the various offices, which are very well situated, and have many visitors asking for information about the province. It was his wish to make the name of New Brunswick better known than formerly. One of his objects has been to further develop the shale properties of Albert county. He has practically succeeded in negotiations with a very strong company who are going to take over the interests of those who at present control the charter. The feeling is generally mutual that the arrangements will be satisfactory and it is hoped to bring them to a conclusion in the near future. When completed there will be established in New Brunswick one of the greatest industries in Canada."

"The Premier refers kindly to Sir Max Aitken and also to a young man from Bathurst, James Dunn, who has made a success in the financial world. Mr. and Mrs. Hazen dined at his residence and the guests also included the Earl of Aberdeen, Lord Pirie, head of Harland & Wolff, and other prominent people. "Among other interesting functions Premier Hazen attended a dinner given by John Redmond, the famous Irish Parliamentary party, in the House of Commons restaurant. Mr. and Mrs. Hazen were guests at a garden party given by the King and Queen at Buckingham Palace and had the honor of being presented to their majesties by special command."

OTTAWA OBJECTS TO SPENDING \$5,000 ON DUKE OF CONNAUGHT

Ottawa, July 18.—Considerable opposition is developing to the city spending \$5,000 to welcome the Duke of Connaught to Ottawa. For one thing a big civic overdraft is being run up and the aldermen feel the money could be spent to better advantage. The medical health officer thinks it would be better to place it to the credit of a modified milk scheme.

NOT A CHEER TO GREET LAURIER AS HE TAKES HIS PLACE IN HOUSE

Liberal Majority Dropped Yesterday to Sixteen-- The Lowest on Record.

Extra Session Commenced with Liberals Caught Napping on First Division-- Some Reciprocity Talk.

Special to The Standard.

Ottawa, July 18.—The House reassembled this afternoon and as soon as the opening formalities were over the government moved into committee on reciprocity. The Conservatives retorted by moving that the government should yield favorable consideration to the claims of the Fenian raid veterans.

The debate lasted till 6 p. m., the premier absolutely repudiating the idea that the veterans had any claim on the government majority dropping to 16, the low record for the Laurier government. Thus the Liberals begin what is virtually an extra session by getting caught napping.

The House met without a cheer or counter cheer. Sir Wilfrid Laurier took his seat without the customary ovation from admiring Liberals. He made his first speech on a controversial topic and sat down without a murmur of approval from his followers.

"What about the census?" asked Mr. Borden at the opening. "Has the enumeration been completed? When will the results be announced?" "I can tell you tomorrow," said Mr. Fisher.

Dr. Spruille wanted to know about the seal fishery negotiations at Washington. Sir Wilfrid Laurier murmured something about an early date. Questions from Houghton Lennox and Claud MacDonell about the copy-right bill, elicited statements from Mr. Fisher. The government has been in communication with the government of the United Kingdom; some amendments are threatened to the bill in the Imperial House and the Canadian bill will be held until their fate is known.

Mr. MacDonell's question was whether Canadian interests affected would be given an opportunity of presenting their case as had been done in England, in Germany and in the United States.

Mr. Fielding replied that copies of the bill had been sent about freely and communications invited.

The Fenian Raid Claims. Then Mr. Fielding moved the House into ways and means. Mr. Middleboro rose and laid before the House the case of the Fenian raid veterans; how the government had encouraged the luckless ones. It began in 1896, in Sir Wilfrid Laurier's very first session as premier.

He gave fair words on that occasion to a delegation. Two more delegations called upon him in subsequent years and got two additional sets of assurances, promises and hopes. Then in 1905 there was a very large delegation and a specially nice speech from the premier. In 1906 the Conservatives moved for land grants, and the Liberals voted the motion down to the accompaniment of more hopes and semi-promises. And so the tale goes on through 1909 and 1910. And then this spring the government told the veterans that they were not to have the land.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier came out absolutely against the land grant policy. The volunteers had given their services out of patriotism, and if the government of that time had taken the position of declining to make grants, what reason was there for the government of today giving grants?

Sir Wilfrid Laurier went on to draw a distinction between veterans and veterans. Some had fought, and some like himself, had merely been called out and had not gone to the front. He had been given a medal, he said, but he had not deserved it. Pension had been given to those who went to the front. Several Conservatives, including Mr. Borden, spoke in protest. Mr. Allen, the Liberal member from Shefford, trustfully insisted that the government would not refuse recognition; and was so trustful of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's speech, that he voted straight. The vote came at 6 o'clock and the government could muster only 16 to the opposition's 45--a majority of only 16.

Government Ownership. At 8 o'clock W. F. McLean raised the question of government ownership of telegraphs and cables. Mr. Lemieux replied, his speech containing the statement that the reduction in cable rates which was announced some time ago, will soon go into effect, other countries having agreed.

Then the house went into committee on Mr. Arthur's, of PARRY Sound, spoke on reciprocity. He dealt with the subject from the farmers' standpoint. J. D. Taylor, New Westminster, followed Mr. Arthur, the government

JOHN ARBUCKLE, WHO KNOWS ALL ABOUT SUGAR BUSINESS TO GO BEFORE HARDWICK COMMITTEE.



Determined to examine the men who know the most about the business of the American Sugar Refining Company, the Hardwick Sugar Investigating Committee of the House has decided to go to New York city next week, where it will sit for a week or longer taking testimony. There it will be possible to have John Arbuckle, of Arbuckle Brothers, on the stand. He has been too ill to make the journey to Washington.

BENDU OWNERS CLAIM A CLEAN BILL OF HEALTH

Hartford, Conn., July 18.—The Elder Dempster liner's crew in quarantine—owners laugh at idea of disease aboard steamer.

Montreal, July 18.—The Elder Dempster liner Bendu arrived in port today, manned not by the original crew with which she left Baltimore some three weeks ago, but by a detachment of sailors from the government vessels Earl Grey and Montcalm at present lying in drydock at Quebec. The change was made necessary by the fact that the government health officials discovered two suspected cases of illness aboard and ordered all hands ashore to the quarantine station at Grosse Ile, the captain inquired.

The owners of the vessel laugh at the idea of any serious illness being discovered aboard, as she came up from Baltimore in ballast after being nearly two months out from Bombay and arrived there with a clean bill of health. She also cleared with a clean bill, and the idea of a disease lying dormant so long and then suddenly manifesting itself on the appearance of the Canadian authorities is to them one to be derided.

SUPERSTITION MAKES DOCTORS' TASK HARDER

Chiasso, Switzerland, July 18.—The Italian government is encountering great difficulty in Sicily, where the cholera has appeared in grave form, in overcoming the hostility of the people against the doctors and officials, and Red Cross workers who have often been attacked by peasants, have been obliged to depart from the villages where their presence is greatly needed.

Superstition has reached such a point in some of the rural districts that several of the mayors who went to Rome to be present at the unveiling of the monument to Victor Emmanuel have been unable to return to their posts, the villagers believing that they had gone to the capital to bring back germs of infection.

refusing to allow an adjournment until midnight. The reciprocity debate will be continued tomorrow. Reciprocity Fight Next Week. Ottawa, July 18.—There was a small attendance of members for the reopening of the House this morning, only a bare quorum having arrived in the forenoon. A big western contingent is expected tonight. The premier had a conference with his chief whip, Mr. Pardo, today, but nothing is known definitely as to what the procedure will be. Both reciprocity and the estimates are pressing matters. In any event the reciprocity fight will be on in earnest by next week.

MUHAMMAD ALI STARTS NEW WAR PATH

Exiled Shah of Persia Forfeits Fat Income to Make Dash For His Former Kingly State.

Tehran, Persia, July 18.—Mohammed Ali Mirza, the exiled Shah of Persia, has returned to his own land for the purpose of making another bid for the throne. The ex-Shah is now at Gumbesh Tepe, a small port in the Caspian Sea, in the northern part of Persia near the Russian border, and it is stated that a Russian vessel conveyed him to that place.

Soon after Mohammed Ali Mirza was dethroned in July 1909, he proceeded to Russia and arrived at Odessa in October of the same year. The Russian government undertook by protocol to keep the ex-Shah under strict surveillance and prevent all intrigues with respect to his return to Persia and possibly to the throne. Notwithstanding this, the deposed Shah has made progress through Russia quite rapidly, and without molestation, from Odessa to Gumbesh Tepe, a distance of about 1,500 miles. What force Mohammed Ali has with him is not known.

London, July 18.—The sudden and unexpected appearance of the ex-Shah Mohammed Ali Mirza, in Persian territory, is a great surprise. He left Odessa some weeks ago for Baden, near Vienna, where he has been living with his family until July 6. It is understood that he left Baden for Maribonad to take the waters, with the intention of returning to that place. By this attempt to recapture the throne Mohammed Ali forfeits a pension of \$32,500 yearly. According to recent despatches from Tehran his brother, Salzar Ed Dowleh, is at the head of a small rebellion in Kurdistan with 3,000 men and has proclaimed himself in favor of Mohammed Ali's pretensions.

He Will Have to Fight. Tehran, July 18.—The government has ordered Salar Safar to proceed to Kurdistan with 2,000 horsemen and guns to crush the rebellion in that district which has made considerable progress under the leadership of Salar Ed Dowleh, brother of the deposed Shah.

The money came in fast," he testified. "Balality and Malschek both had tin boxes in which they kept the cash and boxes were often full."

The offices of the concerns were recently raided. The concerns, it is charged, wrote fire insurance in all parts of the country and it is claimed, their total receipts were \$27,000 a month.

RAIN HOLDS UP FOREST FIRES

Situation at Shulee Much Improved—Damage to Timber is Very Heavy—Contract for Amherst Firm.

Special to The Standard. Moncton, July 18.—Bombardier Price representing the 19th Field Battery on the Canadian artillery team which goes to England next month to compete in artillery and coast defence left tonight for Halifax, and later goes to Petawawa to undergo a course of training.

Rain fell heavily here today, and this afternoon Hon. C. W. Robinson received a message from Shulee to the effect that there were indications of rain there, and that the forest fires were making no further headway. The damage to standing timber will, however, be very heavy.

The Rhodes, Curry Co., of Amherst, have been awarded the contract for erecting the buildings for the Albert Manufacturing Company at Hillsboro, by fire. The contract is in the vicinity of \$100,000.

PLAN TO BRING MEN IN TOUCH WITH JOBS AS HARVEST HANDS

The Canadian Pacific Working With the Grain Growers to Ensure Equitable Division of Western Labor.

Winnipeg, July 18.—The executive of the Manitoba Grain Growers Association has taken action in the matter of securing a sufficient number of farm laborers for the season. Yesterday a number of the members of the executive met officials of the Canadian Pacific, and the entire question was discussed.

One of the suggestions made by the farmers was that they should have an official in Winnipeg with a staff of assistants to supervise the distribution of the men so that every portion of the province would get its share. In the past there has been a failure each year in the distribution, and the difficulties in this matter are such that they will never be fully overcome. The Canadian Pacific officials, however, agreed with this plan as necessary to prevent too many harvesters going north to Alberta and Saskatchewan.

OFFICE BOY PRESIDENT OF FAKE CO.

A Nineteen Year Old Lad Picked Off Street And Made President of Fire Insurance Company.

Philadelphia, July 18.—At the trial here today of three officials of 14 mutual fire insurance companies on the charge of operating fraudulent concerns, a 19 year old boy testified that he had been picked off the street and made president of two of the concerns and secretary of a third at a total salary of \$5 a week. The witness, Herman S. Robinson said he was homeless when hired to run errands.

He was told he must dress up and wear one of the defendant's fake outfits fitted him at a clothing store. At the ending of the hearing the three officials, David Balality, Jacob Malschek and Charles Weinberg were held under bail for trial.

Robinson testified he knew he had been made president, but thought it was only a matter of form. He said that the janitor of an office building in which the fourteen companies were operated from the same room, was also made president of one of the concerns. Robinson further testified that he had presided at directors' meetings of his company, but had no idea of what was done. "I always read a newspaper or went to school, Balality did all the talking," he said.

Ernest K. Mueller, a solicitor employed by two of the concerns, which the state insurance department charges were all controlled by the same principals, testified that while he was connected with the concerns, new ones were organized with a total capitalization of \$1,500,000. The names of the alleged subscribers, he said, were taken from the city directory.

Harry S. Tiel, another solicitor, testified that agents of the companies got 50 per cent. on all business they wrote and inspectors 10 per cent. of all business written by those under them.

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TO REBUILT CATHEDRAL

Chapter Last Evening Decided to Proceed at Once With Work of Restoration Following Former Style.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, N. B., July 18.—The Cathedral chapter met in special session here today and decided to proceed immediately with the restoration of the Cathedral in as near its former condition as possible.

A report was placed before the chapter showing that the Cathedral can be restored to its former condition at an expenditure of about \$75,000 or \$20,000 above the total amount of insurance on the building and furnishings.

The chapter appointed the following building committee: The Bishop, the Dean, Dr. T. C. Allen, A. J. Gregory, Canon Cowie and Canon Neales of the Chapter and George Hazen, Jr., representing the sidesmen. The committee this evening conferred with Delancey Robinson, architect of New York, and Moses Mitchell, contractor, of this city, and tonight it was announced that a contract would be signed with Mr. Mitchell and the work commenced at an early date.

RIOTING AND INCENDIARISM

Serious Outbreak on Cardiff Docks as an Outgrowth of Seamen's Strike—Troops Ordered to Scene.

Cardiff, Wales, July 18.—Serious rioting occurred on the docks today arising from the strike troubles in which a dozen policemen and a score of civilians were badly injured. During the riots a large dock warehouse caught fire. It is suspected that an incendiary applied the match. The rioters interfered with the efforts of the firemen to extinguish the flames and looted the warehouse of hogsheads of liquor, a large quantity of which they consumed.

Troops have been ordered here from Newport and there is great fear of renewed rioting of an even more serious nature.