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CLARE—At his residence, 293 Queen's avenue on Monday, Aug. 23, John Kingsley Clare, aged 65 years.

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Business Chances.

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THE LOCKED WIRE FENCE CO., LTD., of Ingersoll, whose head office is at 309 Bathurst street, city, have been instructed by the waterworks commissioners to place one of their famous fences round the pond at Byron. ywt

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TO LET—SMALL FARM—CONTAINING 12 acres; good house and buildings in first-class condition; suitable for market garden; near Pottersburg. Apply W. HEAMAN, 461 York. 98n eod

TO LET—FOUR ACRES GOOD LAND, cottage, stable, orchard; one mile from city. Apply 463 Colborne street. 4c eod

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Attacked by Afridis.

Serious Phase of the Trouble in India.

Hostile Tribesmen Alleged to Have Captured Two Forts.

The Enemy Advancing Through the Khyber Pass.

The Ameer Positively Denies All Connection With the Uprising.

Armenians Admit the Responsibility of Bomb-Throwing in Constantinople — Scheme to Enable Greece to Pay Off the Turkish Idemnity.

Simla, Aug. 24.—A large force of Afridis has been reported to be advancing down the Khyber Pass, and the so-called Mad Mullah, or fanatical priest, who is inciting the natives of that territory against the British, is said to have collected the Mohammedans for an attack upon Michni and Shabkadr. The Royal Irish Regiment and one of representative native infantry, with a battery of mountain artillery, have been ordered to Kohat. Fighting is reported to be proceeding at Ali-Musjed between the Afridis and the British garrison at that place.

ATTACK BY THE AFRIDIS.

Peshawar, Aug. 24.—The Afridis began an attack upon Ali-Musjed at 8 o'clock yesterday morning, and upon Fort Maude shortly before 10. Both are garrisoned with Khyber native levies. The enemy is also entering Khyber Pass. Gen. West Macott has sent artillery to the mouth of the pass to shell them if possible. The artillery was accompanied by the Ninth Bengal Lancers.

A GENERAL REVOLT.

London, Aug. 24.—An official dispatch from Peshawar announces that the Afridis attacked Ali-Musjed yesterday morning. The enemy's line is a mile and a half long. Another body of Afridis, the dispatch continues, is moving toward Kadam. All the Afridis are said to have joined in the uprising. A general revolt of the Afridis was what the Indian Government feared the most, and it now seems to have taken place.

TAKEN.

Simla, Aug. 24.—There are persistent rumors here that Fort Ali-Musjed and Fort Maude, which were attacked by the Afridis, have fallen into the hands of the enemy, but there is no official confirmation of these reports.

THE AMEER'S POSITION.

London, Aug. 24.—A dispatch to the Times from Simla says: The following official communique was issued Monday night: The ameer has promptly replied to the letter in which the Indian Government called his attention to information received by it to the effect that Afghanistan subjects had joined Haddah Mullah. The ameer distinctly denies the truth of the reports that Afghan regulars have joined the Mullah. He engages solemnly and personally on behalf of General Gholam Haidar and the regular army that no such act of hostility will ever be committed by them. He alleges that if tribesmen have joined at all, they must have joined secretly, for they would not have dared to do so openly, because of fear of him. He attributes the disturbance to the action of the Mullahs, especially Haddah Mullah, who, in former years, have excited his own people to rise against him in Afghanistan, and he denounces their conduct." This is a most important pronouncement, and if published broadcast on the frontier, may have a great effect upon the tribesmen.

HAUNT THE HILLS.

Gen. Elles will endeavor to induce the Afridis to leave the hills and venture into the open, but it is feared they will cling to the various spurs running out toward Jamrud and Peshawar. This may delay their dispersal, and they may become troublesome by demonstrations against the Kuki-Khel villages lying near the hills. Kehat and the Mohmand borders are still quiet.

DIFFERENCE OF OPINION.

London, Aug. 24.—A special dispatch from Simla says the belief prevails there that the government, in the official communique, has suppressed a portion of the ameer's reply, owing to a difference of opinion between Lord Elgin, the viceroy, and the military authorities. Lord Elgin desires to act cautiously and to avoid an open rupture with the ameer.

The military authorities, on the other hand, are convinced that the ameer is acting in bad faith, and they urge Lord Elgin to act quickly before the ameer is able to make formidable military preparations. The generally well-informed correspondent of the Times at Simla says nothing about this suspicion, which is probably born of the feeling that the ameer, although he disowns, does not disapprove of the doings of the tribesmen, while there is the further possibility of Russian intrigues in the background. Curiously enough, the Paris Memorial Diplomatique, which is supposed to have connections with Russian diplomacy, announced in its Sunday issue that the ameer was preparing for the eventuality of war in any case.

FORT MAUDE CAPTURED BY REBELS.

London, Aug. 24.—An official dispatch today from Simla announces that Fort Maude, in the Khyber Pass, has been captured by the Afridis, after desperate fighting. The garrison, which was composed of native levies, known as the Khyber Rifles, retired with the loss of three men. The Afridis afterwards burned the fort. The fate of Fort Alah Musjid, which was simultaneously attacked by the Afridis, is not known.

THE ENEMY DRIVEN BACK.

The British officer commanding at Jamrud moved a battery of artillery escorted by the Fourth Dragons, yesterday, to the mouth of the Khyber Pass and shelled the enemy at a range of 3,200 yards. The Afridis retired, but the battery returned to Jamrud, the officers in command deeming it inadvisable to enter the pass. Gen. Elles will begin a concerted movement against the insurgent tribesmen today.

GENERAL CABLES.

Armenians Admit Bomb-Throwing — Agitation in the Transvaal — Salisbury's Scheme.

WALES TAKES THE WATER CURE

Munich, Aug. 24.—The Prince of Wales and the Duke of Mecklenburg-Schwerin have arrived at Woerishofen to take the water cure, made famous by the late Father Kneipp.

SALISBURY'S SCHEME.

Constantinople, Aug. 24.—The Marquis of Salisbury has suggested that the powers co-operate in a scheme to enable Greece to guarantee the interest on a loan to pay off the Turkish indemnity by international control, if necessary, of a portion of the Hellenic revenues. The powers are considering this proposal.

ARMENIANS OWN UP.

Geneva, Aug. 24.—The Groshat, organ of the Armenian revolutionary federation, says the Armenians are responsible for the bomb-throwing at Constantinople. "We are obliged," the Groshat says, "to resort to every possible means to carry on the struggle against such overwhelming odds. Revolution is the only source left to us."

MEANS MUCH.

London, Aug. 24.—Advices from St. Petersburg says that the government is meditating the promulgation of a decree prohibiting the export of wheat owing to the small crops in southern Russia. The effect of this contemplated action would be to create a strong demand for tonnage in the Black Sea, so that as much grain as is possible may be shipped before the prohibition takes effect. This in itself would be calculated to force up the freight on vessels loading in America.

THE TRANSVAAL AGITATED.

London, Aug. 24.—The statement made by Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain on Aug. 4, that it was impossible to arbitrate the question of Great Britain's suzerainty over the Transvaal, which had been established by convention, on the ground that such a course would be unprecedented between a suzerain power and its subordinate, has excited much indignation in the Transvaal. The matter was debated in the Volksraad, and several members declared that British suzerainty did not exist. Meetings have been held in Pretoria and elsewhere in the Transvaal, at which resolutions were adopted denouncing the stand taken by Mr. Chamberlain.

At Peterhoff Palace.

The Czar Entertains the French President

At a Banquet, Supplemented With a Ballet and Fireworks—Taffy Ad Libitum.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 24.—At a gala banquet given last night at the new Peterhoff Palace, Emperor Nicholas toasted M. Faure as follows: "I experience very special pleasure in bidding you welcome, Monsieur Le President, and thank you for your visit, which the whole Russian nation receives with a lively and unanimous joy, as a charming souvenir of two short days spent in France, the memory of which remains ineffaceably engraved upon the hearts of myself and the empress. We love to hope that your sojourn among us, and the sincerity of sentiment which your visit inspires, may only serve to tighten the bonds of friendship and profound sympathy uniting France and Russia. I drink your health, Monsieur Le President, and to the prosperity of France."

The toast was received by the entire company standing, while the band played the "Marseillaise." M. Faure, replying, said: "Your majesty has been kind enough to recall the all too short visit with the empress in Paris last October. France, on her side, has retained a deeply moving remembrance of that visit. Responding to the profound sentiment of the whole nation, the president of the republic comes to the capital of your majesty's empire to affirm and to knit closer the powerful ties that unite the two countries, and as the president of the republic touches for the moment the soil of Russia, the hearts of both nations are beating in unity with the same thought — the thought of reciprocal fidelity and peace. I raise my glass in honor of your majesty, Emperor of All the Russias, in honor of the empress, and of the whole Russian nation."

The toast was received by the entire company standing, while the band played the Russian hymn.

At the conclusion of the banquet, Emperor Nicholas and M. Faure appeared on the balcony, and were accorded ovations from the crowds assembled around the cascades. The guests were then entertained with a grand spectacle in the pavilion of Nicholas I. on Olga Island. The programme included selections from Glinka's opera, "A Life for the Czar," and a ballet, entitled, "A Midsummer Night's Dream," which was a beautiful display of art. Here again the popular ovations were renewed. The illuminated grounds and fountains of the park presented the most charming appearance. This was particularly true of the case near the dragon fountain on Schachmat Naya Hill, where a gigantic star, 60 feet in diameter was fixed, bearing the arms of Paris, and the motto, "Fluctuat Nec Mergitur." The arms of numerous other French towns were to be seen elsewhere in fiery designs, while the constantly changing effects of the Bengal fires gave a weird aspect to the scene.

A storm during the banquet somewhat marred the brilliancy of the display. It was a late hour when M. Faure retired to his room.

Paris, Aug. 24.—All the papers, except the organ of the Socialists, decision that the meeting of the Czar and President Faure and the ceremonies attendant thereupon furnish incontestable proof of the important position France has gained in the world.

A dispatch to the Journal from St. Petersburg says that the Czar's decision that President Faure at Constradt was reached against enormous pressure upon the part of the German party. Numerous decorations will be bestowed upon the visiting Frenchmen, including a medal to every sailor.

The Sikhs Stirred

At the Report That Mohammedans Burned Their Sacred Books.

Three of the Leading Chiefs of Beluchistan Arrested.

Bombay, Aug. 24.—The report that when the Mohamunds attacked Fort Shabkadr they burned all the sacred books of the Sikh temple there, has excited the greatest indignation among the Sikhs throughout the province and has greatly incensed the Sikh troops on the frontier.

The plague is increasing at Poonah.

The Bombay Gazette announces that three of the principal chiefs of Beluchistan, Sirdars Mehrattawhan, Ghomesbakhis, and Yarmahomed, have been arrested. The arrest was made on the Mushkaf-Bolan mail train, upon which the chief had been induced to go to Quetta, in order to meet an agent of the governor-general (Earl of Elgin), who had arrived there by special train shortly before. Sirdar Ghomesbakhis is a son-in-law of Sirdar Sir Arad Khan, one of the most loyal chiefs of Beluchistan. All three of the sirdars who have been made prisoners belong to the Sarawan division of Beluchistan and are suspected of intriguing against the government. They are known to have been disaffected for some time past. The arrests have caused a great sensation among the Mohammedans and further important developments are expected.

MISERY IN GREECE.

The Land Swarms With Refugees and Beggars.

London, Aug. 24.—Stories of hunger, destitution and death are now coming almost daily from Greece. Never was there a more striking example of the terrible effects of war. A Times' correspondent writes:

"The customs receipts are diminished by more than a half, and operatives, mechanics, day laborers, porters, pilots and boatmen are impoverished. Athens, Piraeus and Patras now swarm with persons asking for alms. They are swarming with tens of thousands of refugees from Crete, Epirus and Thessaly.

"The refugees at Athens receive each from the government a loaf of bread per diem, and a penny, with which they can procure nourishing food at the soup kitchens. In the remote districts the suffering of the refugees is intense. Many fear to return, looking for outrages and robbery by the Turks.

"At Skiathos I found the mayors of two of the wealthiest villages of Pelion, Portara and Zagora, who, being men of substance were afraid to return lest they should be subjected to exactions. A merchant of Larissa, who showed me a wound on his head, which was still fresh, stated that he had been thrown into prison and maltreated until he surrendered all his money. A native of Turnavo named Hadjikratis stated that his father, aged 80, together with 15 other old men who were unable to leave the town, were put to death by the Turkish irregulars. His father's head was cut off with a saw. He gave the names of all the victims, and I subsequently obtained independent confirmation of his narrative from refugees in other places.

"Nevertheless many refugees would return but for the difficulties thrown in their way by both the Greek and Turkish authorities. On the one hand, the crown prince has issued an order forbidding those who return to take with them their cattle or beasts of burden; on the other hand, the Turks will not allow them to remain unless they bring their families and property with them.

"A poor peasant woman with whom I spoke laid all the blame on the king. 'How can you blame the king,' I said, 'when you all cried out for war?' 'Very true,' she replied, 'but we did not know what war was.' The remark applies to all classes. Greece had not engaged in a conflict since the war of independence. The peasants imagined a kind of guerrilla warfare, such as that waged by their forefathers, which would bring great glory to the nation and no great injury to themselves."

A GREAT STRIKE

Involving 20,000 Men in the Building Trade—Two Hundred Persons Hurt in the Attendant Conflicts.

Buda-Pesth, Aug. 24.—A great strike in the building trade began here today. More than 20,000 men are involved. The strikers, in the endeavor to prevent others from working, came repeatedly into conflict with the police, and desperate pitched battles ensued in several of the principal streets of the city. Three hundred persons have been injured, some dangerously. The police have arrested a hundred of the ringleaders.

DEAR FOOD IN FRANCE.

The Political Side of the Question Uppermost.

Paris, Aug. 24.—The Figaro, discussing the increase in the price of bread in France, says today: "The political side of the question dominates the economic side. There are two possible solutions of the question, the state to fix a maximum price for bread, or the government to reduce the customs duties."

The Figaro warns Premier Meline that it is inadmissible for him to allow himself to be entitled the "dear bread minister."

Marseilles, Aug. 24.—Flour opened yesterday at 51 francs 40 centimes, and closed at 51 francs 90 centimes to 52 francs, with prices firm on the news that flour has risen 20 centimes in New York. Russian wheat delivered here rose 2 francs 30 centimes, and Algerian wheat delivered rose 1 franc 50 centimes. Bad crops have greatly affected the price of potatoes, dried beans, peas, etc., which have risen rapidly.

5,000 HORSE-CAR STEEDS TO EMIGRATE.

New York, Aug. 24.—Some of the horses driven out of business by the trolley and cable cars will have a chance to resume their occupation abroad. S. L. Frank, of this city, returned on the White Star steamship Britannic with the news that he had succeeded in persuading the street railroads of several German cities and towns to give him orders for 5,000 of the old steeds. He also has an order from the German Government for a good lot of horses that will be used for military purposes. Mr. Frank has already sold 700 horses, which have been delivered to the purchasers.

$11,000 IN THE COLLECTION BOXES

Cleveland, Aug. 24.—The close of the Christian Alliance convention was characterized by a remarkable incident. When the leader, with an eloquent appeal, called upon those present to help the cause with a mighty collection, many ladies threw their diamond rings into the collection boxes, while the men did the same with their gold watches. The collection amounted to $11,000 in value.

HARVEST OF THE O. A. C.

Guelph, Aug. 24.—The harvest at the Ontario Agricultural College has been finished. Although the weather has been usually wet since the 29th of June, crops have been well housed and in comparatively good condition. The barns are filled to their fullest capacity, and Mr. Rennie, farm superintendent, has reason to be congratulated on the results, which are as follows: 330 loads of hay from 95 acres, 70 loads fall wheat from 20 acres, 87 loads barley from 33 acres, 46 loads spring wheat from 16 acres and 86 loads Siberian oats from 55 acres. Last year the harvest was finished on Aug. 7th.

The New York Central and Hudson River Railroad have issued a button for the coat lapel, of their Empire State Express, with the words, "Put me off at Buffalo." This progressive railroad is always up to date in everything. b

In Virginia before 1865 there were about 60 insane negroes in the asylums of that state, and now there are over 1,000.

No one need fear cholera or any summer complaint if they have a bottle of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial ready for use. It corrects all looseness of the bowels promptly, and causes a healthy and natural action. This is a medicine adapted for the young and old, rich and poor, and is rapidly becoming the most popular medicine for cholera, dysentery, etc., in the market.

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The British Scientists

Many Papers Read Before the Association.

Discussion on the Subjects of International Trade and Protection.

Toronto, Aug. 24.—All the sections of the British Association met yesterday, and many papers were read.

The most interesting section was that devoted to economics, where Mr. Edward Cannon read a paper on "National Policy and International Trade," which excited a lively discussion, which was joined in by Hon. Jas. Bryce, M.P., the author of "The American Commonwealth," and a late member of the English cabinet; Prof. Mills, Archibald Blue, W. A. Douglass and others.

Mr. Cannon claimed that the most widely-followed policy on the civilized world was the encouragement of exportation and the discouragement of importation. This policy was no longer based on the idea that it was necessary to secure a large stock of the precious metals, nor with a view to the diversification of industries. This was shown by the popularity of the Zollverein, which set no value on the latter, even in an empire of scattered territories. Nor was it based upon the idea of maintaining national security or other local and sometimes contradictory reasons. Its true course was to be looked for in the fact that exports are supposed to give employment and imports to take it away. The usual free trade answer that exports naturally balance imports was unsatisfactory, and left a loophole for the entrance of the pernicious notion that "artificially cheap" imports, such as products of prison labor, or "bounty-fed trades," diminished employment. The elementary economic text books had scarcely furnished any answer since the doctrine was abandoned that "industry is limited by capital." The truth of the matter was that industry is limited by labor. The amount of employment depends on the population. The policy of protection could not, therefore, increase population, and consequently employment. The true national policy was to take as much advantage of the division of labor as possible. The individual who got the most advantage from it was the one who was able to do the most skilled work in the best way, and the same thing was true of a nation. What ought to be done was so to aim at developing the finest industrial qualities in the population. One of the most important ways of doing this was to allow free importation of the most ingenious and cheaply produced products of other countries.

Hon. James Bryce, M.P., spoke against protection, holding that, although it entailed some benefits, yet development of industries could be better attained by the progress of science than by any kind of fiscal policy. He said that in Russia the benefits of protection arose from wide and developing areas with low wages.

Americans who took part in the discussion contended that protection was necessary to the prosperity and welfare of a young country.

Mr. J. Lorne McDougall, of Ottawa, treated of public finance with special reference to Canada. He held that Canada was gaining the confidence of investors at a gratifying rate. Since 1874 she had bettered her position with relation to Great Britain so far as interest was concerned by over one per cent, that being the reduction. Moreover, the charge for chance of loss had been reduced by over two-thirds in 23 years, the decrease being from more than 1½ per cent to ½ per cent. Mr. McDougall referred to the position of public servants, and asked if they considered that when they accepted passes or favors from corporations they considered the latter moved by admiration or affection. The truth was the corporation hoped to obtain the favor many times over through officials from the government.

The evening meeting of the association was held in Massey Hall, Sir John Evans occupying the chair. Prof. Milne, F.R.S., who has for some time been a resident of Japan, and whose special subjects are seismology and vulcanology, delivered an interesting lecture on earthquakes and volcanoes. In it he spoke of the causes of earthquakes and volcanic eruptions, and spoke at length on the useful aspects of study and observation and experimenting upon these subjects as affecting engineering and architecture and geology, and in fact all natural sciences. Lord Aberdeen and a large audience were present.

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