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IF YOU WANT GOOD ROADS, VOTE FOR BENTLEY; A FASHER VOTE MEANS BAD ROADS OR DIRECT TAXATION PARENTS OF PERSIAN SHAH DIDN'T WANT HIM TO LEAVE GLACE BAY UNDER THE MILITARY RULE POLICE COURT STERLING NOT PILED IN SATURDAY'S EVENTS

Affecting Scene When He Was Taken Away, Says Teheran Correspondent of Times—It Was the People's Will and There Was No Alternative.

London, July 19.—The Teheran correspondent of the Times describes the affecting scene at the parting of the new Shah from his parents. Both his mother and father broke down at the thought of parting with their favorite son, and offered their second son in his place. The boy wept bitterly in sympathy with his parents and at first declined to leave his mother. Finally their majesties being informed that it was the people's will and that there was no alternative, were persuaded to agree to the departure of the youthful Shah.

legation before he died his eyes. Then the little man came out bravely and proceeded to the Palace where his mother is free to visit him. The Shah accepts his strange position with oriental philosophy and shows no lack of personal dignity. He expresses a desire to live in Crimea. There is some obscurity as to the Times correspondent about the reasons that induced Mahomed to abandon the struggle but the final result is high respect to both sides. Much credit is due the Russian and British representatives for their firmness in resisting pressure to call in the Russian troops.

NEWS FROM FREDERICTON

Contractor Scott Has Had Successful Driving Season—An Assault Case.

Fredericton, July 19 (Special).—Contractor Scott, who delivered the last instalment of the Corporation drive at the booms on Saturday, had a most successful season for log driving. He is paid at the rate of 20 cents per thousand for driving logs from Grand Falls and it is estimated that he will clear at least ten thousand dollars on the year's work.

S. Kerner, a local merchant, was before the police court this morning on a charge of assault preferred against him by a commercial traveler named Pelletier. The latter is seen to have been in the store to speak to one of the clerks and to remark as long that Kerner ordered him out and whacked him on the neck to facilitate his departure. Col. Marsh after hearing the evidence on both sides decided in Kerner's favor by dismissing the case.

Charles O'Brien, well known stone-mason was taken suddenly ill at work this morning and had to be conveyed home in a coach.

LOSES HIS HONORS BUT WINS A BRIDE

Spanish Prince Weds Without the Sanction of King Alfonso

Madrid, July 18.—The marriage of the Infante Alfonso of Bourbon-Orleans and Princess Beatrice of Saxe-Coburg, and which the prince has been depriving of his title as an infant of Spain, was the sequel of a romance, the details of which have just been learned. Prince Alfonso recently was promoted lieutenant and was anxious to proceed to Mexico, to which place Spain is sending large detachments of troops. While the mobilization of his brigade was in progress, the prince hurried to Paris to visit his mother, the Princess Eulalia, and from there went to Coblenz to say good-bye to Princess Beatrice, to whom he was betrothed. Instead of farewells, there was a marriage ceremony, both civil and religious. Although the decree of degradation which strips the prince of his title and Spanish honors and decorations is based on his marriage without royal consent, it is understood the king opposed the union because the princess declined to change her religious faith.

PERSONALS

D. Arnold Fox went east on the noon train today. George H. Ham, of the C. P. R., was a passenger on the noon train for P. E. Island. Rev. E. B. Hooper was a passenger on the incoming Boston train this morning. T. B. Blair went east on the noon train. O. W. Stinson, of the Transcontinental Railway staff, returned today from a visit to St. Andrews. F. R. Taylor returned to the city on the Boston train today. H. O. Barnaby came in on the Boston train this morning. Col. Geo. West Jones and Mrs. Jones were passengers on the incoming Boston train this morning. Miss Katie Hazen returned to the city this morning on the Boston train. W. L. Crighton, advertising agent of the L. C. R., is in the city.

The annual picnic of St. Mary's S. S. will be held at Watter's Landing on Wednesday, weather permitting. Steamer Majestic will leave Indiantown at 9.30 and 1.30. St. Mary's band will accompany the excursion and the opportunity for a pleasant excursion is offered to all.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH TO HAVE BIG TIME

Next Week Will Be an Important One Among Roman Catholics of This City.

Next week is destined to be an important one in Roman Catholic annals in this city and in the north end particularly. It is the week of the annual retreat, which is being held at the parish of St. Peter's, and it is very little known that this year's retreat is being held in the parish of St. Peter's, which is a new departure.

Every evening next week services will be held at the parish. The retreat is being held at the parish of St. Peter's, which is a new departure. The retreat is being held at the parish of St. Peter's, which is a new departure.

W. A. Lindsay, restaurant keeper, was before the police court this morning charged with violating the Lord's Day Act by selling beer. Evidence was heard and judgment rendered until Friday.

PRIESTS LEAVE FOR THE ANNUAL RETREAT

The priests of the diocese of St. John went to Memramcook this morning, where they will enter upon their annual retreat. The retreat will be conducted by Rev. Father Wood, S. J., of Baltimore. Those leaving here on the Point du Chene express were—His Lordship Bishop Casey, Rev. J. J. O'Donovan, D. S. O'Reilly, J. J. Walsh, W. F. Chapman, W. Holland, A. W. Meahan and M. O'Brien of this city; Rev. C. Collins, Milford; Rev. Chas. Coughlan, of Johnville; Rev. C. P. Carleton, of Peterborough; Rev. A. J. O'Neil, Silver Falls; Rev. F. Murray, of Woodstock; Rev. Devoyle and McLaughlin, of Milltown; Rev. Fr. Murphy, of Debec; Rev. Fr. Brady, of Florenceville; Rev. Fr. Carney and Ryan, of Fredericton and Rev. Fr. Cormier, of Springhill.

PROBATE COURT

Estate of Eliza Unlop, widow. Return of citation to pass the accounts of the executors, Robert Ledingham and James F. Dunlop. The same were before the court today and the accounts were passed. J. Joseph, executor, proctor for the executors. George H. Kelly, proctor for creditors.

MONTREAL STOCKS

Montreal, July 19 (Special).—There was some tendency to reaction in the stock market today. Traction 74, P. E. Rubber 97 1/2, 100 1/2, 104, Power 12 1/2, Dominion Steel 10, Lake of the Mountains 10, Montreal Railway 25 1/2, Canadian Pacific 18 1/2, Toronto Railway 19, Dominion Coal 25, Illinois 9 1/2, Mackay 80, Detroit 61 1/2.

The annual Sunday school picnic of St. Luke's church will be held tomorrow at Watter's Landing, and a large crowd will doubtless be in attendance. There will be the usual games and sports, but the chief centre of interest will be the four-acted pleasure boat race between a picked team from St. Clement's church, Millidville, and one from St. Luke's.

Visit of W. E. Roscoe, Acting as Special Agent for the Canadian Department of Justice, Has Aroused Much Speculation—Strike Situation Practically Unchanged—Some Little Disorder at the Mines.

Glouce Bay, N. S., July 19.—The close of the second week of the strike finds no material change in the situation. The company this morning claims more men working in the pits, while the U. M. W. insist there are less. As a reason for their statement, the strike leaders point to a large number of men leaving town, and claim most of them have been brought here by the company during the past few days and they refuse to act as strike-breakers. The company is effecting a slight broadening of the strike, but every advance they make in that direction is met by a larger detestation from the number of working miners. Some U. M. W. men went to work at Galden this morning. The separation of the colliers at long distance from each other makes control of the strikers a difficult task for the leaders. The arrival of W. E. Roscoe, K. O. Kentville, an intimate friend of Sir Frederick Borden, and counsel for the minister of militia upon several occasions, has excited the curiosity of the strike leaders and the Dominion Coal Company officials and rumors were circulated this morning that he was making a personal investigation of the strike conditions in the interests of the militia department. When seen by your correspondent, Mr. Roscoe stated that he had come to the colliers district representative of the department of justice of the Dominion government in certain observations. He said he was the real object of the visit. Beyond a statement to that effect, he had nothing more to say. It is known, however, that the attitude of Mayor Douglas has given the militia department cause for anxiety, and so the mayor is supervised by the citizens of Glouce Bay, the visit of Mr. Roscoe is considered a significant move on the part of the department of justice.

The soldiers are still much in evidence in the streets of Glouce Bay and since Saturday at noon pickets have been stationed in front of the company's offices, and at night no citizen is allowed to walk on that side of the street. "Who goes there," is a question asked in loud tones by the military pickets and citizens are becoming accustomed to military rule. For the first time since the strike began, the company has made their first all-up on the bank to No. 8 colliery, and 375 tons were loaded from there on Saturday. The strike headquarters this morning reported that 2 men left Dominion mine on Saturday night, and did not return to work today.

The women continue to take a deep interest in the situation, and show their animosity towards the men who continue to work. While going to work at No. 6 colliery on Saturday, Mr. Wilson, a P. W. A. man, was called a "scab" by Mrs. McKinnon, the wife of U. M. W. striker. Mrs. McKinnon repeated the objectionable word so often that Mr. Wilson was tempted to make an attack upon his taunt. His better judgment prevailed, however, and instead of making a personal attack Mr. Wilson gathered together the wives of several P.W.A. men led them to the door of Mrs. McKinnon's cottage. The loyal supporters of the U. M. W., however, turned her back upon those of her sex, shut the door and left Mr. Wilson and his ladies' society to draw up a new list of action.

A heavy police court calendar was faced by the magistrates in the various colliery districts today. Twenty-three cases were on the list, twenty-two for unlawfully assembling, and the other a charge of assault on Manager Deagen of the Coal Company. Tomorrow there will be tried three cases of assault alleged to have been made by the Coal Company policemen, and a case where the accused is charged with seeing goods from the U. M. W. under false pretences. About half a dozen cases of assault will be tried on and after Wednesday.

A petition is now being circulated among the residents of Ward 2 asking Hugh McDonald to resign his seat in the town council. Mr. McDonald voted to keep the militia in the coal district. Members of the U. M. W. are objecting to Henry McDonald and Stuart McCaulley acting as magistrates. Both men are trustees of the P.W.A. defence fund and the strikers say they are prejudiced against the U. M. W. members.

A bitter fight between the U. M. W. and the P. W. A. miners took place at Reserve Mines today, and as a result of the first encounter, several P. W. A. men are suffering from bruises and broken bones. The attack was made by the U. M. W. keep men who were canvassing strikers to induce them to return to work. The U. M. W. men were sufficiently displeased to make the P. W. A. men identify the leaders. One of the P. W. A. men is now under the doctor's care. Information has been sworn out against a number of the U. M. W. men, but it is believed that the wrong parties have been served.

GROCERY STORE ROBBED

The grocery and meat store of James McGovern, corner of Sydney and Britain streets, was the scene of a daring heist last night. The robbery occurred on early Friday morning. The thief, or thieves, entered by a cellar window. The till was opened and about \$20 and \$25 taken. It is believed that the thief or thieves got in it was necessary to go through the window in plain view, as it is situated on Britain street. It is believed that the work of persons well acquainted with the place and suspicious are said to point to certain parties. The police have the matter in hand.

POLICE COURT

Several Cases Disposed of by the Magistrate This Morning.

In the police court this morning Nathan Robinson, reported by I. C. R. Pollock and Scott Smith, in connection with the report against the Maritime Metal Company for leaving wagons in the I. C. R. yard over night on the 13th, was allowed to go as he deputed that he was the man. He stated that the report should have been made against the Dominion Iron and Metal Company.

Robert Garnett, arrested on Friday on a warrant sworn out by his wife, Mary Garnett, charging him with being drunk and disorderly and assaulting her in their home on Brussels street, was fined \$20 or two months' jail.

Two Carleton men, Robert Fawcett and Ben Lannigan, were in court with a dispute over the boundary line between their property. The case was postponed till Gray Murdoch, C. E., who placed the line returns to the city, as both men seemed willing to leave the decision in his hands.

Samuel Hector, a colored man, was charged by James Strang, also colored, with assault. Hector told that Strang caused all kinds of trouble in the Hector family, turning his (Hector's) wife and daughter against him. Strang was paying attention to Miss Hector. He claimed that he did strike Strang but just "pushed him" off the sidewalk. He did not want Strang about the place. Robert Wilson, another colored man, came forward and told of the good name borne by Hector's wife and daughter. Both men are employed with the C. O. Bricket & Co., can be employed with as to his good character.

DIED IN SEATTLE

Frank Munroe Formerly of St. John, Accidentally Choked By Cherries in the West.

As a result of accidentally choking on some cherries he was eating, Frank Munroe, who ran a cigar stand at the foot of Columbia street, passed away at the city hospital, June 28. He was 49 years of age and lived with his sister, Miss Alice Munroe, at 4230 Whittam Avenue. The funeral arrangements were made by the Fremont Undertaking Co., of Blissett & Rafferty, the services being conducted at the residence on Sunday, July 11, at 11 o'clock officiating. Many beautiful flowers were sent by his friends. The woodman of the World took charge of the services at the house.

The above, where in quotation marks, was taken from "Fremont Colleague," Tacoma, Seattle, Washington, of June 28, 1909. Mr. Munroe at one time ran a Trunk Factory on Princea street, where some line of business is now carried on by A. Crowley & Co.

The Truth About the Highway

Coun. Dean admits the truth of Mr. Lawell's charges about the highways in Musquash and other parishes. Speaking at Musquash on Saturday night, Coun. Dean is reported by the Standard to have said: "The work on the highway in Musquash had been delayed because the road machine, which had been ordered on June 27, had not arrived."

This is an admission that the Liberals are in no way responsible for the wretched state of the roads. It proves to the hilt the charges of the opposition. The conservatives have full control in that parish. Coun. Dean tries to apologize and explain. What is true in Musquash is true all over the County. The work on the roads has not been done, and it is entirely the fault of the government and its highway act. Vote for Bentley and better roads in St. John County.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

MR. HAM HERE AGAIN. Mr. George H. Ham, who for some years past has been calling at intervals at this office to say that he did not want his name mentioned in the obituary column without his consent, is here again, and is not yet a dead one. Mr. Ham is in this city with Mr. Charles F. Roland of Winnipeg, who is the Roland and also the Oliver of the Winnipeg fair of 1912. Mr. Ham once lived in Winnipeg. He says it has shown remarkable growth since he removed to Montreal. Neither of these gentlemen has a vote in St. John county, and they are therefore enjoying the climate without interruption. Mr. Ham jokingly remarks that to the casual observer it looks as if Mr. Bentley would beat Mr. Mosher, unless Mr. Mosher should beat Mr. Bentley; and that the C. P. R. is the greatest railway on the face of the earth.

AN INVENTIVE GENTLEMAN.

Coun. Dean of Musquash says that the roads in that parish are in a bad state because the road machine has been delayed. The machine is an entirely new invention, and great things are expected of it. It was invented for the special purpose of Coun. Dean's speech at Musquash, and on the spur of the moment by the councillor himself. At least that is the statement made by Mr. Hiram Hornbeam, who knows the councillor well. Coun. Dean also invented \$10,000 on Saturday night, and his inventive faculty was not even frayed at the edges. Next year he hopes to invent a process of putting out forest fires.

THE ENEMY WITHDRAWS.

So far as can be learned, no serious damage has been done in the county by the six members of the government who have been out there on a camping tour. The roads could not be made any worse, and the crops had a good start. Game of all sorts retired to secluded regions or got over into the next county. The farmers are much relieved by the withdrawal of the generals, and will speed the petty officers and Privates Baxter, MacIsaac, Powell and Kenney this evening.

St. John Runner Was Apparently Outclassed at the C. A. A. U. Championships at Winnipeg—New World's Record Made and Other Records Equalled.

Winnipeg, Man., July 19 (Special).—The showing made at the Canadian Amateur Athletic Union championship meet here yesterday, was a surprise to all that several Manitoba records were broken and anticipated, but that the world's record would be broken no one had any idea.

On points, the west end Y. M. C. A. of Toronto led by a test of forty-six with the central branch of the same city second with 48. Vancouver police with only two competitors made a good showing with 37 points. Virtually all the prizes taken away from Winnipeg went either to Toronto or Vancouver. J. H. Gillis and M. C. Gillis, of Vancouver, scored respectively 24 and 13 points. G. H. Barbour 21, Dr. Bricker 16, and L. Salber 15. The latter three being from Toronto. Y. M. C. A. Gouling, another Toronto man carried off the mile walk in six minutes 55.15 seconds, beating the world's record held by G. E. Larmer, by four-fifths of a second. Another feature was the third successive victory of Harold Parsons, of Newpawa, Man., in the twenty mile road race. Parsons was fully a mile ahead of the second man. Parsons will be sent east to compete in the Hamilton road race this fall.

During the day every Manitoba record was either equalled or beaten, several of them so badly that the former figures are hardly recognizable. The summary of the principal events is as follows: 1 mile run—J. L. Tait, Toronto, 1; Chas. Starnes, Toronto, 2; A. M. Knox, Toronto, 3; Time 4 minutes, 27 seconds. Running Broad Jump—Bricker, Toronto 21 feet, 7 inches; J. H. Gillis, Victoria, 2; Barber, Toronto, 3. 220 yards hurdle—Barber, Toronto, 1; Climbie, Swift Current, 2; Bricker, 3; Time 28.15. Pole vault—Archibald, Toronto, 11 feet, 11 inches; Deane, 10, 2; W. S. Sterling, St. John, competed in the mile run. He put up a good race, but did not get a place, finishing fourth.

Sterling competed in the sports at Brandon, and took second place in the half-mile.

IMPROVING THE BRIDGE AT FALLS

Matter Was Discussed With Premier Hazen This Morning.

A meeting was held this morning in the office of Premier Hazen to discuss with the St. John Railway Co. the matter of reconstructing or enlarging the bridge across the falls, in order to provide for the street cars running over. Hon. Mr. Hazen and Hon. Mr. Maxwell represented the local government, Hon. Mr. Morriarty, the third member of the committee, being absent. The railway company was represented by R. B. Emerson, vice-president, James Manchester and F. E. Sayre, directors. W. Z. Earle, engineer, and H. M. Hopper, secretary-treasurer.

The report of the New York engineer, Mr. Hildebrand, was examined and discussed and various suggestions as to enlargement of the present structure and the building of different styles of new bridges were considered. It was finally decided to refer the matter to Engineer Wetmore of the public works department and Engineer Earle of the street railway to go thoroughly into the question and report at a meeting to be held at a future date. In the meantime the by-election in St. John county will be held.

MAGISTRATE WAS IN A GOOD HUMOR

Lubec Man Who Found St. John Fire-water too Potent for Him Gets off Easily. Charles Robble of Lubec, Me., who was gathered in Saturday night for drunkenness, was a very penitent man in court this morning. He begged permission to explain matters, and on his request being granted delivered the following oration: "Well, Your Honor, I left Lubec on the American boat that got in Saturday night. I have a wife and five children, and have a good job at No. 1 factory of the Seacoast Packing Company. The boss told me that I could take a run up to St. John and get some lobster packers. I met some of the boys aboard the boat and we got drinking, and I got full." His Honor here struck a \$4 fine against him. "I haven't got any money, your honor," he begged, "but if you will let me go, I will not give me a chance, and I added, pleading hard, "there are some honest men in the world." He said that fall would mean the loss of his job and the distraction of his wife. He would go back home on the Grand Manan boat tomorrow morning.

Judge Ritchie said that in view of the circumstances he would let him go. "Now give me your address, Your Honor," said Robble, "because I mean to send that money." "No," said His Honor, "take that four dollars and buy your wife some thing, something that she has asked for lately, and as he has filled up with tears, Robble left the court.

Miss Powers, of Florenceville, R. I., is visiting her father, T. F. Powers, of Princea street, and the Misses Barbour, of Kentville, are also spending a short time as guests of Mr. Powers.

MOOSE SEEN ON RAILWAY LINE

Sportsmen in North Shore Woods Will Have Plenty of Big Game—An Unruly Prisoner.

Montagu, July 19 (Special).—There were apparently be plenty of moose for sportsmen who invade the northern woods of New Brunswick this fall. Trappers every report seeing moose along the line of the intercoastal and the morning train. Athurs and Newcastle the train crew of the Maritime express counted no less than twenty-one horns in the forest. On the Chatham branch between the junction and the town a large bull moose has been seen daily for a few miles of the town for several days past.

Alvin Johnson, a Jewish peddler, reported to the police this morning that his covered wagon was broken into Friday night of last week and one hundred and fifty dollars' worth of dry goods, etc., were stolen. He told three policemen, two constables and Mayor Willett to arrest nineteen-year old Lloyd Leason here on Saturday evening. Leason was reported at the station for arrest him he put up a stiff resistance. Officers happened along and for a time quite a mischief resulted. Leason was charged with drunkenness and pleaded not guilty. After this charge is disposed of, it is probable a charge of assault will be laid against him.

Ames A. Borgpool, J. P., was this morning apparently be plenty of moose for sportsmen who invade the northern woods of New Brunswick this fall. Trappers every report seeing moose along the line of the intercoastal and the morning train. Athurs and Newcastle the train crew of the Maritime express counted no less than twenty-one horns in the forest. On the Chatham branch between the junction and the town a large bull moose has been seen daily for a few miles of the town for several days past.

LABOR CAN PREVENT WAR BY A GENERAL STRIKE

District Labor Council Suggests Way to Keep England and Germany at Peace. "Inasmuch as the wars of the past were commercial wars, either for possession of new territory or new trading rights, and as these wars are in the interest of the wealthy classes, and are paid for generally with the lives of the working class; "Therefore, he it resolved that the Toronto District Labor Council goes on record as opposed to the enormous expenditures of money for warlike purposes on the part of the first-class nations, and in favor of an attempt to have a universal agreement among the workers of Europe and America, whereby the danger of war may be averted by concerted action of the workers, either by a refusal to fight, and let those who make the quarrel fight, or by general strikes of labor countries about to fight, as we believe the decision in the last analysis rests with the workers."

This resolution was adopted at a meeting of the District Labor Council last night. "If the German and English workers agree to do so on strike as soon as war is declared," said Delegate Bancroft, "the war will be called off."

THE WEATHER. Strong south easterly to westerly winds, showers and thunder storm, but partly fair, Tuesday fair and cool.