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MONEY FOR TARTES!

Drummond County Railway President Found Twenty Thousand to Buy "La Patrie."

The Senate Still Undecided Whether or Not to Institute an Investigation.

[From Our Own Correspondent.]

OTTAWA, June 25.—Much interest is being manifested in the prospective action of the Senate on Mr. Miller's motion for a committee to investigate the Drummond County Railway deal. Careful inquiry shows that the majority of the Conservative Senators are reluctant to enter upon a lengthy fight this session. They think that as the element of permanency is lacking in the government's new proposal, and the whole question must come up de novo, there is no necessity for prolonging the fight further this year. The government, however, evidently has a card up its sleeve.

When the Crow's Nest matter was being discussed this morning, Mr. Blair said that not one cent of the subsidy would be paid to the C.P.R. until 50,000 acres of the coal lands had been handed over. To-night Mr. Blair declined to take up the bill, and Conservatives are wondering what is in the wind. It is thought that the government are holding it back to insure the passage of the new deal with the Grand Trunk.

It is reported to-night that Mr. Laurier cabled the government not to press the proposed new Grand Trunk-Drummond County deal this session.

The whole afternoon and evening session was spent in supply. The Conservatives made more protests against wholesale dismissals. Mr. Somerville and other Liberals objected to the government erecting post offices in small places.

Mr. Foster stated that the opposition are disposed to allow prorogation on Monday or Tuesday provided the government drop the $300,000 school grant to the Manitoba government. Sir Richard Cartwright said he would give an answer on Monday.

There is a prospect of a speedy termination of the St. Lawrence pilots' strike, the minister of marine being disposed to take a conciliatory attitude. Mr. Langelier, M.P., has been acting as mediator, and Mr. Davies authorized him to inform the striking pilots that, provided they will resume work, he will issue a commission of inquiry into their alleged grievances, and it be proven that there are any serious grievances he will ask parliament to remedy them. Word was received to-night that the pilots are disposed to accept the offer.

OTTAWA, June 26.—The government is pursuing a policy of pig-headedness which is upsetting all calculations as to prorogation. Everybody hopes for the wind-up about Tuesday or Wednesday, but the government is showing no disposition to push business. This morning Mr. Blair deliberately ignored the Crow's Nest Pass railway matter to push the new deal with the Drummond County railway. The opposition fought the project energetically, but their numbers are so decimated that practically Mr. Foster was single-handed. The chief incident of the morning was a violent outbreak by Mr. Tarte, because he had been charged with making personal profit out of the Drummond County job. It appears that Mr. Greenshields, president of the road, found the $20,000 to buy La Patrie for Mr. Tarte's sons. Mr. Tarte got red-hot and challenged investigation. Late in the afternoon the Drummond railway appropriation passed the Commons, and then the Crow's Nest subsidy bill received one stage. It stands for a third reading on Monday. Railway subsidies were discussed until 6 o'clock, but at the evening session Mr. Mulock brought up his post office bill, to enable him to award mail contracts without tenders. This measure the opposition will not allow to pass, and the House scrapped over it all night. The government adopted this policy in order to secure delay. The Senate did not reach a conclusion regarding Mr. Miller's motion for inquiry into the Drummond railway matter, and until the government knows what fate is in store for this, all other business is to be kept back.

HAILSTONES IN KANSAS.

TOPEKA, Kan., June 24.—The worst hailstorm ever experienced in this section of Kansas struck this city shortly after 6 o'clock to-night. The shower of hail was terrific. Hailstones weighing twelve to sixteen ounces stripped the trees of their foliage, smashed windows on every hand, including the finest plate glass fronts, cut down telegraph and telephone wires, riddled awnings, injured many persons, and inflicted unprecedented damage.

So great was the weight of the falling hail that when it struck the asphalt pavement many of the hailstones rebounded to the height of twenty or thirty feet. Dogs were struck in the streets and instantly killed. Horses were knocked to their knees, to rise again and dash away in mad fright. Dead birds were found everywhere.

The storm came up from the southwest. Dense, greenish clouds gave warning of disaster, and as the day had been extremely hot and close, many foresaw a cyclone and sought shelter in their cellars. The storm came on with a heavy wind and terrific lightning. Then came rain, together with a deafening crash of hail that was paralyzing to the senses. So great was the damage to telegraph wires that the city was cut off from the outside world for several hours.

Topeka to-night looks like a city that has withstood a siege of war guns. There are not a dozen buildings in the town that are not windowless, and many roofs were caved in. The roofs of many structures were also pierced. The damage can be imagined when it is known that the hailstones ranged in size from that of a hen's egg to an ostrich egg, and that thirty minutes after the storm one hailstone was picked up which measured fourteen inches in circumference.

The following are among the most seriously hurt: Frank Brainard, backman, skull fractured. J. D. Henderson, liveryman, skull fractured. Henry White, leg broken in runaway. Mrs. Mary Hughes, arm broken in runaway. D. K. Lee, bad scalp wound. Miss Anna Fenton, head cut. George Hill, boy, skull fractured. Charles Johnson, struck on head and rendered unconscious. Policeman Kidney, fingers broken in protecting head with hands. Miss Cornie, Kansas, badly wounded on head. It was announced by a boys' crown studded with incandescent lamps to represent jewels. Around the hall were shields bearing the names of the foreign warships that will be present at to-morrow's review.

Mr. Goschen proposed the usual toast to the Queen, which was received with great enthusiasm, and the health of the foreign naval visitors. In the course of a brief speech he gave them a hearty welcome and dwelt upon the comradeship of naval men the world over, arising out of the many things they have in common—common dangers, common hardships, common experiences, common courage and common endurance. They had, he said, an advantage over their military brethren in a more frequent intercourse, which enabled them to learn the value of each other's qualities and friendships. Admiral von Spohn, of the Austrian navy, proposed a toast to the British Navy and Mr. Goschen responded.

IN BRILLIANT COMPANY.

LONDON, June 25.—This evening the Marquis of Lansdowne, the Secretary of State for War, gave a banquet in the sculpture gallery of Lansdowne House, at which there were present the Prince and Princess of Wales, almost all the special envoys and foreign princes now in London, the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire, the Duke and Duchess of Marlborough, the Marquis and Marchioness of Londonderry, the Marquis and Marchioness of Salisbury, the Earl of Rosebery, Lord and Lady Wolseley, and other persons of high rank.

Later in the evening a number of the guests, including the Prince and Princess of of Wales, attended a brilliant ball given in an immense marquee by the Duke of Westminster. The marquee was erected in front of Grosvenor House, lined with red and white carpets and hung with tapestries. The supper was served a la Russe, at small round tables. The floral decorations and illuminations were most beautiful.

Among the guests, in addition to the Prince and Princess of Wales, were Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier, Sir William Whiteway, the Duke and Duchess of York, the Duke and Duchess of Teck, the Marquis of Lorne, all the foreign Princes and Lords, and Lady Lansdowne. It was altogether a most brilliant company.

THE LADY EDITOR'S HINT.

LONDON, June 26.—The Daily Chronicle says that Miss Flora Shaw, who was in charge of the Colonial bureau of the Times at the time of the Jamieson raid, hinted in her telegram to Cecil Rhodes, in reply to his dispatch suggesting a change of tone on the part of Mr. Chamberlain as to South African matters if the British hold on South Africa was to be retained, that the government approved the revolutionary plot but wanted Rhodes to act quickly, before the European powers had time to protest.

A. McNaughton, of Huntington, P. Q., is a guest at the Dominion.

THE NAVY'S TURN NOW

Preparations Complete for the Great Review and a Grand Spectacle Promised.

London Enthusiasm Repeated at Portsmouth and Southsea With Profuse Decorations.

PORTSMOUTH, June 25.—Everything is in readiness for to-morrow's great naval spectacle. Portsmouth, Southsea, and their environs, are quite repeating the London Jubilee fervor. Decorations are universal, profuse and distinctly naval, notably at the gateway of the gun wharf, where brass cannon are mounted in two turrets and in charge of pikemen in full armor. Matchlocks protrude from the portholes. On the outside buttresses are the figures of pickmen, while over the gateway is a knight in full armour of the Queen Anne period. In addition to these are all sorts of jubilee devices formed of brown bess pistols, sword blades, matchlocks, cuirasses and dirks. Armed knights in the panoply of the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries guard the gateway. The town hall is richly decorated, among the decorations being a group of American flags with the name "Brooklyn" in the centre.

The festivities began this afternoon with a garden party given by Sir Howell Salmon—who will be in supreme command at the review to-morrow—in the beautiful lawns of Admiralty House. To-night a banquet will be given at the town hall, at which the Right Hon. Geo. J. Goschen, First Lord of the Admiralty, presides.

A number of private entertainments are to be given, to which the officers of the visiting fleets are invited. On Monday next all the foreign officers will visit the dockyard and be entertained at lunch by the Admiralty, with a garden party to follow on Whale Island. Tuesday will be devoted to sports, with a dinner at the town hall for the seamen and on Wednesday evening a ball will be given at the same place for the officers.

The banquet at the town hall to-night was a scene of unprecedented brilliancy. It was preceded by a reception, a naval guard of honor lining the main approaches and presenting arms as the guests arrived. All the latter were uniforms and decorations. Covers were laid for 250. Prince Henry of Prussia sat next to the First Lord of the Admiralty, who presided. The hall was splendidly decorated, the main feature of the decorations being a bust of the Queen, surrounded by a huge wreath made to represent the rose, the thistle and the shamrock and formed of side arms. It was surmounted by a royal crown studded with incandescent lamps to represent jewels. Around the hall were shields bearing the names of the foreign warships that will be present at to-morrow's review.

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GERMANY IS JEALOUS.

United States Intervention in Old World Affairs Makes Emperor William Uneasy.

President McKinley Must Be Cautious Lest Other Powers Back Spain in Cuba.

LONDON, June 26.—The Spectator publishes a long leading article on Emperor William's remarks as recorded by the Paris correspondent of the Times on Monday last, who gave a conversation affecting to represent the views of the Emperor, in the course of which, speaking of his anxiety as to the future of Europe, he said that he did not fear Chinese ambition or the anarchists, but he did fear the expansion of one of the great powers and the intervention of the United States in the affairs of the old world. This, according to the Times correspondent, is the reason the Emperor does not allow himself to be drawn into the ambitious conceptions too readily imputed to him by those aiming to disturb Europe on the pretext of wishing to prevent him from disturbing it. The Spectator says:

"This is so important that we would give much to know precisely what is in the Kaiser's brain. The Kaiser displays at times singular gleams of insanity. The facts of moment appear to justify his enigmatic sayings. The Americans are exhibiting a tendency to depart from their policy of seclusion, and interfere very strongly in the affairs of the old world." Continuing, the Spectator instances Venezuela, Samoa, and Hawaii, adding: "And they are apparently going to interfere with Spain in the most peremptory manner. If there is any truth in the accounts of the instructions given to General Woodford, the United States intend immediately to offer an ultimatum to Spain, practically refusing her permission to suppress a revolt in her own dominion. The last event seems to have very badly impressed the Kaiser, and the Emperor's remarks throughout dealt with the perils which it was his object to avert. Does he propose himself to avert American intervention in the affairs of the old world? If he does, President McKinley must be cautious in his diplomacy, for the German and Spanish fleets combined would be more than a match for any fleet America could produce, without an effort which would tax the resources of the United States, not in money, but in ships and sailors. The union is irresistible only ashore, and Cuba would be a poor reward for America.

"The nations of overcrowded Europe find that the policy of the United States debars them from colonizing South America with their surplus population. But the natural place for Germans is in Brazil, and now that the government is in a position to direct the tide of immigration, we would not be surprised to see the already powerful colony suddenly and amazingly enlarged."

FOREIGNERS IMPRESSED.

LONDON, June 26.—The Britons' colossal pageant, one of the greatest the world has ever seen, has been completed without a contretemps to mar its success. It is an open secret that the Prince of Wales was among the hardest workers. Not a single step of importance was taken without his approval, and much of the praiseworthy work done is directly due to his initiative. A notable exception was the religious service outside of St. Paul's cathedral, which was the Queen's idea. Foreign representatives were greatly impressed by the way in which everything was carried out. Unqualified and generous approval of the festivities has been bestowed by the press and people of all nations. The naval review was a fitting termination of the week's ceremonies.

Col. Hay, the American ambassador, has decided to give a big evening party at his residence on July 14, in honor of the Jubilee. The guests will include several members of the royal family and a host of notabilities, including the American bishops who are attending the Pan-Anglican conference, the Astors and the Vanderbilts. Col. Hay will next week have the pleasure of presenting to the Queen an address from the Mayor and people of Charleston, S.C., in which they give special thanks to Her Majesty for the sympathy she expressed with the earthquake sufferers.

WILL TALK FEDERATION.

LONDON, June 25.—The St. James' Gazette says: "We understand that before the colonial premiers depart for their homes they will have conferences with Colonial Secretary Chamberlain in the direction of federation, at which actual proposals to that end will be considered. Canada's tariff proposals will likely be the basis of the fiscal union, and the offer of Cape Colony to contribute to the navy, the basis of the defence union."

SOCIALISTS AND ANARCHISTS.

BERLIN, June 26.—The reichstag has adjourned for the summer, but the Prussian diet will be in session till late in July. The committee of the upper house of the diet passed the association bill on Friday in the mutilated form adopted by the lower house, but with an addition to the effect that associations in which there are anarchist or social democrat movements, or movements aiming to overthrow the existing organizations of the the state of society, or movements preparatory to a separation of part of the territory of the state from the whole, in a manner dangerous to public security, especially to the security of the state, may be dissolved by the police. The diet is almost certain to pass the bill in this form, which is more consistent with the wishes of the government, which desires a measure repressing all opposition meetings and all opposition agitation, but there is no chance of the reichstag agreeing to the measure in its amended form.

THE CHILDREN'S JUBILEE.

WINDSOR, June 25.—The Queen drove to Windsor Park to-day and visited 6,000 school children who were celebrating Her Majesty's jubilee. The Queen also received delegations from fire brigades belonging to all parts of the Kingdom. She seemed in excellent health and spirits, and smilingly conversed with those around her, evidently much pleased at the children's gathering. Each child wore a commemorative medal, and finally all joined in singing the National Anthem. The firemen's parade was one of the largest ever held in England. There were 1,200 men in line and 100 engines. The Duke of Marlborough, as president of the National Fire Brigade, presented the officers to the Queen.

While the Queen and the ex-Empress Frederick were dining this evening, a thousand Eton boys, with bands of music, entered in the quadrangle of the castle and gave an exhibition of torchlight evolutions and fireworks. The charming spectacle was watched by the Queen and the members of the royal household from the castle windows.

ELECTRICITY FROM DUST.

LONDON, June 26.—An economic and scientific experiment will be inaugurated on Monday, when Lord Kilburne opens at Shoreditch the combined electrical and dust destruction works, erected at the cost of about $750,000. The destruction cells are capable of burning 20,000 tons of ash-bin refuse yearly, and the heat given out is sufficient for electric light and power for the whole of Shoreditch, with a population of 124,000, besides supplying the adjoining baths and warehouses.

In Paris, lamps will be lighted for the first time on Monday by electricity furnished by a destructor. During a preliminary trial, 180 pounds of steam was raised in the boilers from dust alone, absolutely no coal being used.

A BUNGLING SCULPTOR.

BERLIN, June 26.—A comical mistake of the Emperor in a recent speech has been discovered. Speaking at the unveiling of the monument to his grandfather at Cologne, His Majesty referred to "Neptune with the trident," to which he tacked his remarked in agitating for an increase in the strength of the German navy. The symbolical figure on the monument, however, was meant by the sculptor to represent Father Rhine, and it was not a trident, but garlands of ears and grapes where the trident might be.

TO KILL A FAMILY.

FORT ERIE, June 25.—Chief of Police Griffin is investigating a mysterious explosion and fire which occurred here early this morning, and which perhaps will cause the death of John Izengool. Izengool lives with his mother and sister. Early this morning he returned home, went to the kitchen and struck a light. Immediately there was an explosion and the rear part of the dwelling was in flames. Izengool was hurled violently out of the kitchen, and neighbors subdued the flames. Investigation by Chief Griffin shows that the gas pipes that run through the cellar had been cleanly cut, leaving an unrestricted outflow of gas. The theory of the police is that some one sneaked into the house while the family were absent and cut the pipes, evidently with the intention of suffocating the Izengool family.

MANITOBA AND NORTHWEST.

WINNIPEG, June 26—(Special)—A Battleford, N.-W.T., despatch says: Yesterday before Inspector Begin, J.P., James M. Skelton, president, Thomas Dewman, vice-president, and Charles M. Danais, ex-secretary of the Liberal association here, were committed for trial on a charge of perjury. The charge was laid by the postmaster, against whom the above parties had made a statutory declaration accusing him of keeping the voters' list in the Conservative committee rooms immediately preceding the last election.

The bye-election for Dennis for the Manitoba legislature will be held July 15. The candidates are Elder, Patron, and Kennedy, Liberal.

The capitalists who have organized to construct the proposed railway to Duluth are now engaged in formulating the terms and conditions of the agreement to be made with the local government. Premier Greenway expects to receive their propositions in a few days, and it will then be laid before the government.

Hon. Mr. Sifton left for Ottawa to-day.

COL. PRIOR BETTER.

WINNIPEG, June 25.—A special cable says: "The colonial troops were invited to-day by Sir Henry Irving to visit the Lyceum theatre, and they accepted. The march from Chelsea barracks to the Strand was almost a repetition of the ovation of Tuesday. Crowds lined the streets, and the cheering was enthusiastic.

It was learned on inquiry at St. Thomas hospital to-day that Col. Prior's condition was much improved and that his physicians are in no way uneasy.

Dowager Countess Aylesford.

LONDON, June 25. — Edith, Dowager Countess of Aylesford, is dead. She was a daughter of the late Lt.-Col. Peers Williams, M.P., and married in 1871 the seven Earl of Aylesford. He died in 1885.

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BRAVE SAILORS.

QUEBEC, June 25.—The steamer Antwerp City has arrived with twelve shipwrecked men, the survivors of the crew of the Norwegian bark Magnhild, lost off Newfoundland.

When about seventy miles north of Bird rocks the Magnhild encountered a dense fog and lay to. She rolled heavily and the cargo of coal shifted until water began pouring into the hold. The captain ordered the long boat lowered and twelve of the eighteen men aboard entered it. The captain refused to embark and remarked to five others, including the first mate, "The boat will swaup if we go aboard, and we may as well die here as anywhere."

The boat pulled away. In ten minutes the Magnhild gave a heavy lurch and disappeared. The first mate was seen clinging to a hatch, but he could not be reached. The men in the long boat were picked up twenty-four hours later by the Antwerp City.

A BIG LIBERAL BLUFF.

TORONTO, June 26.—(Special)—At Osgoode Hall to-day Justices Robertson and Ferguson gave judgment dismissing the London election petition. This decision sustains Major Beattie, Conservative in his seat. The judges found no corrupt act committed by respondent or with his knowledge. The two corrupt acts proved were trivial and unimportant and had no part of any general plan of campaign. Major Beattie had done all that could be reasonably be expected to be done to secure a fair election. The judges charged Mr. Beattie's opponent with great abuse of the procedure; over 3,000 charges had been laid, and with comparatively few had there been any attempt at proof.

The Highlanders' Team.

TORONTO, June 25.—Extensive preparations are under way for a grand reception to the Highlanders' team on its return from the military tournament at Islington. The local military forces and a detachment of the Thirteenth battalion of Hamilton will take part in the celebration.

What For?

MONTREAL, June 25.—Samuel Lindsay, one of the most notorious bank burglars in America, is under arrest here and will be taken back to Hamilton by Chief Inspector Murray, of the Ontario detective force.

Mgr. Fabre's Successor.

QUEBEC, June 25.—Rev. Canon Bruchesi, of Notre Dame church, Montreal, received news from Rome here to-day that he has been created Archbishop of Montreal. He has received the congratulations of Cardinal Taschereau and his clergy.

The Queen's Bounty.

LONDON, June 24.—The Daily Chronicle understands that the Queen has devoted a large sum of money for the relief of the Thessalian refugees.

Tornado Visits London.

LONDON, June 24.—During the Jubilee celebration to-day at Wembley Park, a favorite London resort, a tornado struck the place and tore down several buildings. There was a panic among the 900 children and others taking part in the festivities. Several were injured during the rush for shelter.

The Reichstag Rests.

BERLIN, June 25.—In the Reichstag to-day, after the bill providing for the supplementary estimates had passed its third reading, the Imperial Chancellor, Prince Hohenlohe, read an imperial message closing the session, after which three cheers were given for the Emperor.

Propagation of the Gospel.

LONDON, June 25.—The conference of the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel met here to-day. Papers on the work of their respective churches were read by the Archbishop of Rupert's Land and the Bishops of Kentucky and Missouri.

Russian Warship Lost.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 25.—The Russian turret ironclad Gangout, one of the best vessels in the imperial navy, ran upon a reef near Transund to-day during a storm and sank almost immediately. The crew is reported saved.

Benzine Explosion.

NEW YORK, June 24.—By the explosion of a can of benzine, Mrs. Julia Martin, aged 46, was blown to pieces in her cleaning and dyeing establishment on Fourth avenue early to-day. Ernest Lord, an employe, was so badly burned that he will die.

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