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EEN NAVVIES.

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HAYES CASE HAS

MR. JUSTICE MARTIN DOES SO RELUCTANTLY

Assault and Sentenced to

Yesterday afternoon was entirely taken of the case Rex vs. Johnny.

the latter falling from the window. She looked out of the window and saw Mafor the defence, as it put a very contilda on the sidewalk, but Johnny would tilda on the sidewalk, but Johnny would tilda on the sidewalk but Johnny would tilda on the sidewalk but Johnny would tilda on the sidewalk but Johnny would sidewalk expense upon the defendant.

William Thrasher, of the R. G. A., evening of the 30th of June. She had evening of the 30th of June. She had only an undershirt on at the time. He included a large number of jurymen. and three others were carrying her to the hotel when he saw an Indian rush the hotel when he saw an Indian rush the would have to grant the postponement, out of the hotel. Giving chase, Johnny was found on the wharf.
In answer to Mr. Moresby, he said

When Johnny was taken he was not breathing heavily. He was where the him.

Sergt. Walker had helped to carry the

In his cross-examination he said there His Lordship. was a bottle containing gin in the room. The Indian was coming out of the room costs of defence incurred by this delay mr. Peters asked that an order should

W. G. Dun, proprietor of the Occiden-tal hotel, testified that the window was about eighteen feet above the sidewalk. The Indian had engaged a room for him-The Indian nat engaged at the self, his wife and child. He closed the window when he showed them the room. Witness went to bed about ten o'clock, but hearing a thud on the sidewalk had but hearing a thud on the si bolded out and saw the woman on the sidewalk. He dressed and went down, helping to carry the woman in. A man the case of Rex vs. Johnny. whom he took for accused came out of the door of the hotel as they were carry-bringing in a verdict that the prisoner ing Matilda around. He shouted to the had been guilty of common assault.

man to stop, but he ran on towards the wharf, the other two men giving chase.
When they returned with Johnny, the
Grand Jury's Presentment. latter was only partially dressed.

he met Johnny near the door of his room as follows: witness came out of his own. Johnny

The accused, being called to give his defence, said he came from Sitka. He had known Matilda for some time. The woman had first spoken to him and he have spoken to have spoken to him and he have spoken to have spoken to him and he have spoken to hav

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At the opening of the court this morning Rev vs. Johnny was resumed, when His Lordship, Mr. Justice Martin, charging the jury, said that while he thought the jury would not doubt that the her thought the jury would not doubt that the woman sustained actual bodily injury, the question of course would remain for them to decide. They might, if they thought fit, bring in a verdet principle of the p

that the hearing of the case be postpon ed until to-morrow morning. He did so as an objection was to be made. It was impossible to state this at the present time as E. P. Davis, representing the private prosecution in the case, Indian Johnny Found Guilty of Common | would make this objection, and he could ot be present until to-morrow.

L. P. Duff being asked for his views stated the arrangements which he had made with Mr. Robertson. He had been informed by Mr. Robertson that it was not likely that this case would be reached until to-morrow morning. Under these circumstances he had of course arup in the Assize court with the hearing ranged to enter upon the case to-morrow of the case Rex vs. Johnny.

The examination of Helen, the comThe examination of Hel panion of Matilda, was that Johnny had brought whiskey to the room in the Occidental hotel, got drunk and would not expected. It was only late last night allow the women to leave the room. She that he learned that there was an obsaw Johnny seize Matilda and then saw jection to be raised to the going on with the latter falling from the window. She the case. The delay was a serious one

entered the room. It was some time be of the proceeding. It was, he said, a fore she could get out of the room.
Dr. H. Robertson testified that Matida had a compound fracture of the left wrist and the bones were protruding through the flesh. The injuries, he ing through the fiesh. The lighter, thought, might have been received by a fall. She complained of her back and he thought it was the first occasion in a fall. She complained of her back his being sore, but he could find no inhis being sore, but he could find no inhis experience, and he would not want it repeated. The delaying of the busing William Thrasher, of the R. G. A., had found Matilda on the street on the had found Matilda on the street on the those who were forced to be in attend-

but he did so with much reluctance. In future should any such circumstance In answer to Mr. Moresby, he said that he had been about twenty minutes tention of the judges at the very earliest on the corner of Johnson and Store opportunity the circumstances connected streets and had not heard a body fall. with it, and no arrangement unless so

ndians usually moor their canoes.

Thos. Mitchell, another member of the R. G. A., gave similar evidence to that his client stood in with regard to bail. He wished the view of the court upon Sergt. Walker had helped to carry the body into the hotel. Helen came down the stairs crying. There were articles of a man's clothing in the room.

The bis cross-evamination he said there.

Upon the question of the additional the window. Johnny, upon being searched, had no money or a watch on him.

His Lordship said he was not sure that such could be done. He would look into the matter, and if it was possible he

Grand Jury's Presentment.

The grand jury brought in their pre-To. Mr. Moresby he said that when sentment at the morning sitting. It was

As witness came out of his own, Johnny had not on his trousers. When he went back to the room the window was open. The table was just about the same height as the window sill. He had not sold Johnny any liquor and did not know that he left the room after first entering it.

The accused, being called to give his defence said he came from Sitka. He Victoria, B. C., 2nd October, 1902.

Cross-examined by H. B. Robertson, he said he did not see the woman on the sidewalk. The woman borrowed the money to pay for the room accused. Police Officer Carson had heard a woman laughing in the room as he passed about 12:45 a.m. There was smoke coming from a pipe through the open window at the time.

After the addresses of counsel the court adjourned until this morning.

TO-DAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

At the opening of the court this morning Rex vs. Johnny was resumed when

The fence surrounding the property is at present in a dilapidated condition, a portion

in the way, he said that the question was one largely in the hands of the jury themselves.

The Hayes Case.

The case of Rex vs. Hayes being called the accused, Col. Hayes, was arraigned and charged with obtaining from John Irving the various sums mentioned under false pretenses.

H. B. Robertson made application that the hearing of the case be postpontation.

The court then adjourned until 10.30 o-morrow morning, when the case of Rex vs. Hayes will be proceeded with.

NEW WESTMINSTER THRONGED WITH VISITORS

Some of the Victoria Exhibitors at the Big Fair in the Royal

New Westminster, Oct. 1.-New Westminster is celebrating, and this week will keep open house for thousands of visitors who are coming to attend the provincial exhibition. The streets are gay with flags and bunting, and at night are lit up with thousands of small electric glow lamps, strung over the streets. At the exhibition buildings last night, thid of the state and the stat In the main building one of the most attractive exhibits is the taxidermy display of Fred. Foster, of Victoria. This is composed of the mounted heads and skins of many wild animals. A fine centre piece is a dummy Indian shown in the act of clubbing a huge mounted

> Messrs. M. R. Smith & Co., of Victoria, have a fine display of biscuits and confectionery, and its neat arrangement calls forth much praise from the spec-

> In the poultry building are many fine exhibits of fowl. Mr. Stonehouse, of Nanaimo, has a fine exhibit of pigeons The mineral building attracts many visitors, and around the walls Gutmann & Lindley, of Victoria, have arranged the taxidermy display.

The stock exhibits are better and more numerous than ever before. Several carloads of thoroughbred Eastern stock are shown, and much of this stock will be auctioned on Friday.

The daring cyclists who do the cycle whirl trick are loudly cheered every time they appear.

Large Crowds Arrive To-day. New Westminster, Oct. 2.-To-day promises to be a record breaker at the exhibition. It is a public holiday in Vancouver, and every train and tram is pouring in its thousands to the park. Over four thousand came up from Ladner this morning, and excursions from Chilliwack and the upper country have arrived. This morning sailors' sports took place

on Columbia street. The Shamrocks and Westminsters are eeting in the second game of the series

Yesterday afternoon the corner stone of the Carnegie library building was laid by M. W. Bro. E. E. Chipman, grand master of Masons, assisted by the Masonic Grand Lodges of Washington and British Columbia. In the evening a grand banquet was held in St. Patrick's hall. Judge Bole, who was orator at the laying of the stone, presided. Sir Henri Jely, Hon. J. D. Prentice and Senator Templeman were present.

FINED FOR ASSAULT.

Nanaimo, Oct. 2 .- Sid Dawson, who ouple of weeks ago waylaid Mike Mc-Cance in a lonely road in the early hours of morning and beat him almost into insensibility, was fined \$20 and costs in the police court this morning. An in-dictable charge was first laid, but it was afterwards amended to common assault. to which the prisoner pleaded guilty.

THE JAPANESE LOAN.

London. Oct. 2.-The report that a Japanese loan is to be floated is confirm-

IMPORTANT MEETING

The President of Coal Companies, John Mitchell, and the President Will Confer To-Morrow.

Washington, Oct. 1.-The following Roosevelt and members of his cabinet, which were held yesterday and to-day: "White House, Washington,

"October 1st, 1902. Truesdale, Delaware, Lackawanna & a reasonable proportion of their crews is in the city, and say it is all newspaper Western Railroad Co., New York; Ed. would be drawn from the same nation, while the combine had undertaken that Thomas, chairman of the heard, Erie at least half the tennage hereafter to be Railroad Company, New York; Thomas | built for it should be British-built and fly Union Jack composed of electric globes. P. Fowler, New York & Western Rail- the British flag. road Co., New York; R. M. Oliphant,

> "I should greatly like to see you Friday next, October 3rd, at 11 o'clock years' notice from each party to it. a.m., here in Washington, in regard to the failure of the coal supply, which has become a matter of vital concern to the whole nation. "I have sent a similar dispatch to Mr.

John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers of America. 647 "THEODORE ROOSEVELT." "White House, Washington, "October 1st, 1972.
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whole nation. "I have sent a similar dispatch to the

"THEODORE ROOSEVELT." Will Attend Conference.

New York, Oct. 1.-President Truesdale, President Fowler and President Oliphant this afternoon acknowledged the receipt of President Roosevelt's invitation to confer with him over the coal strike situation. It is quite certain ing. President Truesdale said he would variation in the yield many arrive in be glad to attend the conference.
Following the receipt of the President's

as to what passed between them was obtained. John Markle, one of the leading inde as crop reports exist. pendent operators, will also attend the

conference. Settlement Expected. Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 2.-President Mitchell was busy to-day getting ready, for his trip to Washington. He will leave here for Philadelphia late this afternoon, and from there he will go direct to the national capital.

All interests here are now of the opintlement of the strike.

Strikers Arrested. time provinces, then to Truro provincial gathered in the vicinity of the Sterling, farm, and afterwards to visit the dismouth, this morning. The sheriff tried to disperse the crowds but several of his deputies were in danger of their lives. Col. Dougherty, of the Ninth Regiment, was then called on for aid. He sent a company of soldiers to the scene and eleven men were arrested charged with disorderly conduct and refusing to obey the proclamation issued by the sheriff and disperse. The prisoners were brought to this city and given a hearing. They were held in bail for contempt of court.

Deputies Attacked. Mount Carmel, Pa., Oct. 2.-A crowd of unknown men stoned the deputies at Righters colliery läst night. A company of soldiers was posted at that mine to-

Leave New York To-Day. New York, Oct. 2.-The railroad presidents who received President Roose-velt's invitation to meet him to-morrow n Washington and discuss the strike situation, are to leave the city this afternoon.

Coal Shipments. Reading, Pa., Oct. 2 .- To-day the Reading Railway Company claims to have brought down 2,800 tons of coal, and yesterday 5,000. Reading officials claim that shipments since last Sunday amount to ien thousand tons.

Preparing For Conference. Washington, Octavi2.-Senatori Quay, of Pennsylvania, consulted with the Pre-sident for one hour to-day. It is understood that he came here at the request of the President to discuss the strike situation. The President and the Sen ater were not interrupted, and two cabinet officers who called did not see the President while the conference was in progress. Senator Quay, after he left the President, would not discuss the situation or express an opinion as to the

During the day Secretary Root, Aterney-General Knox and Secretary Shaw were in conference with the Pre-

THE SHIPPING COMBINE.

Gerald Balfour Says Majority of Dire

Sheffield, Eng., Oct. 1.-Gerald Balour, president of the board of trade, speaking at the Cutlers' feast, referred at length to the Atlantic shipping question. He said his department had opened communications with Baron Inverclyde, chairman of the Cunard Steamship Com-TO DISCUSS STRIKE pany, and with J. P. Morgan, represent ing the shipping combination, and it was the barest justice to both the gentlemen to say they had shown the utmost readi ness to meet the wishes of the govern

Mr. Balfour then announced the details of the agreement with the Cunard Com-pany. With regard to the shipping com-bination, Mr. Balfour said he believed Mr. Morgan had no intention of injuring British interests and proof of this was found in Mr. Morgan's readiness to meet was made public at the White House the government on all points upon which Great Britain's interest might seem to this afternoon. These telegrams are the be endangered. Mr. Balfour said an result of conferences between President agreement had been arrived at with Mr. Morgan under which British vessels in the shipping combine would remain British not in name merely, but in reality. believe the people of Newfoundland, A majority of the directors of the new however were ready for it "George F. Baer, president of the ty, the vessels were to fly the British Reading system. Philadelphia; President flag, their officers were to be British and

Further, in the event of the combine president of the Delaware & Hudson, New York: John Markley 527 West New York; John Markley, 527 West government were empowered to termin-Thirty-fourth street, New York: ate the agreement, which was for twenty years' time and renewable for five

RUSSIAN TARIFF.

Duties on Foreign Wines and Brandies Are to Be Increased Emigration of Laborers

St. Petersburg, Sept. 18.-V. I. Jochelson, one of the explorers of the American museum of natural history, has arrived at Moscow on his return to New York. Mr. Jochelson has been making thnographical studies and collections in the Amur and Yakoust territories for two years. He returns with valuable

folklore and linguistic materials.

The minister of finance is about to increase the tariff on foreign wines and brandies to about 85½ cents per bottle for still wines, \$1.17½ for sparkling wines, and nearly \$1.50 for brandies. The annual migration of Russian Polpresidents of the anthracite coal com- ish laborers to Prussia is well known, and attention is directed by the St. Petersburg Vedemosti to a similar movement on a grauder scale within the borders of European Russia. It is calculated that 2,137,000 peasants, insufficenes of the Boers' application, with an ciently provided with land, leave their homes in the central and northern provinces every year to seek work in the ambassador and he presents them, His south. Most of them start with only Majesty will receive them as he would the invitation will be accepted by the operators, but none of those seen would discuss the probable outcome of the meet-work is to be found. Owing to the great work is to be found. Owing to the great work is to be found. famine stricken districts. invitations, the coal presidents in the tion bureau to communicate with migracity held a brief conference, but no word proposes the organization of an information bureau to communicate with migrapeasants still largely form a separate world, and few know that such things

BURSTING OF RESERVOIR. Cellars of Houses at Camden Flooded-\$35,000 Required to Repair the

Damages. Camden, N. J., Oct. 2.-The city reser voir near the Deleware river, broke this ion that the conference to be held at the White House will bring about a set-street, flowing in the ceilars of many morning and about 8,000,000 gallons of houses and doing other damage. The reservoir is 344 feet long by 180 feet wide and is 21 feet deep. A watchman, whose duty it is to open a relevant to the statement that ing more than the statement that is statement that is statement that is statement that is to open a relevant to the statement that is statement that Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 2.—Angry mobs gathered in the vicinity of the Sterling, the water reaches a certain height, negative when the water reaches a certain height, negative water than the statement of the sterling, the water reaches a certain height, negative water than the statement of the st the embankment, washing away the earth to such an extent that the break followed. It will cost the city \$35,000

to repair the damage.

NOT YET SETTLED. Governments of Austria and Hungary Differ Regarding Costs of Administration.

will be reached on the points still in dis-

EDUCATION BILL

Report That Government Will Probably Withdraw the Measure.

London, Oct. 2.-The Liverpool Daily Post says that it hears authoritatively that a consultation is now proceeding be-tween Premier Balfour and Lord Londonderry, president of the board of education, which will result in the complete withdrawal of the government's educaposition throughout the country.

Steamer Etruria Cannot Leave Liver pool Until New Shaft is Placed in Position.

Steamship Company announced to-day that its steamer Etruria will not sail for Liverpool on Saturday, October 4th, as scheduled, a flaw having been found in

from 3 to 4 per cent. to-day.

MINISTER SAYS PEOPLE ARE NOT YET READY

A Man Charged With Trying to Bring About the Death of His Mother.

Toronto, Oct. 2.-Hon, G. W. Rushne minister of public works. Newfoundland, who has been here for a few days, expresses himself favorably to confederation with Canada, but says he does not however, were ready for it.

Situation in Jamaica, John Tulley, of Kingston, Jamaica, talk about the people of Jamaica wanting to be annexed to the United States. The island, he says, is not by any means R a prosperous condition just now, but he lays the whole blame for this on the sugar men themselves, who he claims are

Old Man Missing. Gonor, Man., Oct. 2.-Jno. McCorrister, an old man aged about 80, has been lest in the woods here since the evening of September 30th. A search was made for him all yesterday, but without avail, no trace whatever having been found. He has now been out two nights, and being in poor health and very feeble, there is fittle nope that he will be found alive.

Serious Charge. Collingwood, Oct. 2.-W. H. Brown, fireman at the waterworks station, was placed under arrest last night by Provincial Detective Greer, charged with attempting to encompass the death of his aged mother in order to secure \$1,500 nsurance on her life.

EMPEROR AND GENERALS.

No Answer Yet Given to Boers Who Desire an Audience With the Kaise: Berlin, Oct. 1.-The Boer generals' remest for an audience with Emperor Wil-iam remains in abeyance until Germany learns the British government's views on the subject. Foreign Secretary Vonennotation that if the British choose to recommend the generals to the British

any other notable British subjects.

It is possible, though, the British government may refuse to make the recom-mendation referred to—that some way might be found to grant the Boers an writer and et keep within precedents, aformafor it is obvious from the form in which the question was brought to Ambassa-dor Lascelles's attention that Emperor William desires to receive the generals.

EARTHQUAKE IN MEXICO. Many Buildings Are Reported to Have

Been Demolished. San Francisco, Oct. 2.—The steamer City of Sydney, which arrived from Mexican ports, brings news of a disastrous earthquake at Tapachula, near the southern boundary of Mexico. Parti-culars of the event, which occurred on September 24th, are not available, the

community. he big earthquakes of last spring, at Quesaltenango and many other

towns of Guatemala were almost ruined DEATH OF MISS E. L. EARLE. Well-Known Young Lady Succumbed This Morning After a Brief

Budapest, Oct. 2.-The Hungarian and Miss Ellen Louise Earle, youngest Austrian governments have failed to daughter of Thos, and Mrs Earle, died Augrean governments have laned to daughter of thos, and all barre, died purely private business and had not spok-agree on all the points of the proposed this morning at the family residence, 131 en to Colonel Prior for more than five renewal of agreement as to the cost each Cadboro Bay road, after a brief illness. minutes. The talk with Colonel Prior Deceased was 19 years of age and a common affairs. The Hungarian ministers will leave Vienna to-day and the common affairs. The Hungarian ministers will leave Vienna to-day and the common affairs. Austrian ministers are expected here shortly, when it is hoped an agreement of the past two weeks with an attack of the past two weeks with a two weeks with was suggested by the indications. The patient want pencefully to sleep last

Mr. Wilson's statement in part bear.

night, and as fur as known did not again The news of Miss Earle's death was Mr. Wilson sought his interview with The news of Miss Earle's death was received with general regret and sorrow ing business matters, but this was spendily dropped for the actual object of his live dropped for the actual object of his live dropped for the actual object of his live dropped as working conand held in esteem by all who had the pleasure of her acquaintance. She spent two years at the Trafalgar Institute,

The funeral has not yet been arranged.

Conviction of Two Irish Members Has Been Upheld-Sentence Reduced.

MUST GO TO JAIL.

Dublin, Oct. 2.-The Birr County court Shaw were in conference with the President. Secretary Wilson was at the White House for a short time, but the three first remained with the President for nearly an hour.

It is understood that the President discussed the subject of the conference with them, and the cabinet ministers made a number of suggestions as to what the President should say to those who will participate in it.

Scheduled, a flaw having been found in the vessels shaft. A new shaft has been of the what has been the vessels shaft. A new shaft has been and the vessels shaft. A new shaft has been the vessels shaft. A new shaft has been the vessels shaft. A new shaft has Act court in the cases of Edmund Havi-Reddy.

WEBSTER ACQUITTED IN THE POLICE COURT

AND FEDERATION First Charge Arising Out of the Spring Ridge Row Results in Favor

> The curtain has fallen on the first act of the Curran-Webster drama. This morning in the police court Magistrate Hall gave his decision in the assault case in which Mr. Webster was the defendant. Strangely enough the crowd which followed the hearing of this cause celebre through the several sessions was not in evidence, a circumstance rendered peculiar by the tact that this morning's proceeding was the most important of all, the pronouncement of the words on which hung the fate of the defendant and the exultation or disappointment of

the prosecutor.

The magistrate's decision was evidently poignantly disappointing to the poundkeeper because the accused was acquitted.

acquitted.

In pronouncing judgment the magistrate reviewed the evidence at length.

He expressed surprise that Mr. Higgins should claim that the accused's jumping on the plank constituted the first act of assault, because this was diametrically assault, because this was mannetrically opposed to the whole theory of the prosecution. It also discredited the evidence of Mr. and Mrs. Curran regarding the commencement of the trouble. The evidence showed that Mr. Webster's jumping on the plank and the dropping of it by the informant were simulta ous, which showed that the former could not have struck the latter at this point. The preponderance of evidence contra-dicted the charge that Webster struck Curran, and there was nothing in the manner of the witnesses to convey the impression that they were deliberately

wearing falsely.

During the hearing, however, statements were made which indicated strong feelings on the part of those who made them, and detracted from the weight of their evidence. The magistrate referred o one statement in this respect made y Curran as follows: "I'm sorry I didn't bite the whole hand off, and if could do it again I would to-morrow

or words to that effect.

The third act of assault charg'd against the accused, the alleged striking of Mr. Curran on the head with a stone by the accused. by the accused, was referred to at length by the magistrate, who went closely into that part of the evidence relating to this episode. After reviewing it at length he concluded that the story of Langdon James was the true version, because it was corroborated by most of the witnesses. This was to the effect that Curran was hastening toward Webster, whose attention was either attracted to him by James's warning shout, or som thing the poundkeeper said. He picked up the rock, but it dropped from his hand as Curran jumped on him. Applying sections 45 and 46 of the code regarding justification to the case, he declared the accused acquitted. In doing so he alluded to the fact that Curran

so forgot that he was a man as to swear in that the was sorry he didn't bite Mrs. Webster's whole hand off." After the decision was given Curra'n expressed a desire to withdraw these words, and said he didn't mean them, and was sorry he used th Magistrate Hall also said that in fhture when trouble of this kind oc the chief of police should be the first to

take action and charge them both for causing an affray.

The other five charges arising out of the trouble, four against Curran and one against Mrs. Webster, were called and

adjourned until Monday next.

THE DISCLAIMER OF CONSERVATIVE LEADER

Chas. Wilson's Interview With Colonel Prior Was Like Unto That of David and Jonathan.

Chas. Wilson, K. C., the Conservative leader, has been asked for his version of his differences with Col. Prior and has taken occasion to deny that there was a word of truth in the rumored differences with the minister of mines. He added that he had gone to Victoria en purely prvate business and had not spok-

Mr. Wilson's statement in part bears out the information given the Tinus. visit, namely, to arrange a working con bination with the attorney-general and

the minister of mines. place among her fellow students. She leaves to mourn her loss, besides her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Earle, two elder sisters and a brother. Walter Barle. ous character.

> that there was no truth in the story. IT'S MIRACULOUS.

But Chas, Wilson "states absolutely

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