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STEYN OF ORANGE FREE STATE CALLS ON BOERS TO SURRENDER

His Health Is Reported to Have Broken Down and He Advises His Friends on Commando to Give Up at Once—Who He Is.

BLOEMFONTEIN, April 14.—It is reported that the health of former President Steyn has broken down. It is also said that he has advised all Boers on commando to surrender immediately.

Martimus Theunis Steyn.

Martimus Theunis Steyn is ex-president of the Orange Free State. He is 54 years of age, and was born in Orange Free State. He received his education at Bloemfontein and in Holland. Afterwards he was called to the English bar (Inner

Temple) and practised law in Bloemfontein. He won honor in his profession, and was raised to the bench. In 1896 he became President of the Orange Free State. He has been intimately connected with the Transvaal war, and it was his defection of the Orange Free State that has augmented the trouble in South Africa.

WAS BLAKE'S AIDE-DE-CAMP.

Randolph Martinsen Had a Checkered Career as a Fighter.

Paris, April 14.—Among the Boer prisoners who recently arrived in Lisbon from Lorenzo Marquez, says a special despatch from the Portuguese capital, was a young American, Mr. Randolph Martinsen, who described himself as a son of the president of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroad. He was captured by the British, but released as an American, on promising not to fight again. Subsequently he was arrested in Lorenzo Marquez at the request of the British authorities, under suspicion of being a Boer agent.

Mr. Martinsen, on being brought here, secured his release thru the American Charde d'Affaires, and his father sent money to pay his passage home. According to his representations he was aide-de-camp to Col. John Blake, commander of the Irish brigade.

A despatch to The London Daily Mail from Lorenzo Marquez, cabled to the Associated Press, March 11, said that a Mr. Martinsen, who was said to have resigned a post in the United States army to join the Boer forces, had been shipped for Lisbon on the Portuguese transport Zaire, which carried 103 Boer families, after he had made an ineffectual attempt to obtain consular protection.

DEMAND FOR A DEFINITE STAND REGARDING RUSSIA GROWS FIRM

The British Public Say Make Terms With the Bear or Oppose Boldly—London Spectator Expresses Strong Views on the Situation.

New York, April 14.—The Sun's London correspondent says that the European world has been watching with amusement last week's flirtation at Toulon. Not the least light has been thrown on the ultimate purpose of France and Germany.

Diversion From Manchuria.

Russia is undoubtedly well pleased to have the world's attention diverted for a few days from the Far Eastern embroglio by the Mediterranean comedy, and there is no intimation yet as to what her next move will be toward the inevitable goal in Manchuria. The Times to-day plaintively affects to believe that the British compliment to the revolting viceroys, whose protest prevented the signature of the Russo-Chinese treaty, carries the additional significance of the decision of the British Government to protect these Chinese officials in the future in carrying out a similar policy. One is compelled to fear, however, that the wish is father to the thought on the part of The Times. British letters of approval bear such a striking resemblance to Emperor William's famous telegram to Mr. Kruger that the conviction is almost forced that they equally lack a sequel.

The public demand on the Government for a policy—any policy rather than no policy—grows stronger every day among all parties and classes in Great Britain. The Spectator to-day expresses the views of the Unionists and Liberals alike when it says:

We cannot disguise from ourselves the fact that we may be reaching a situation in Europe when a definite, even if mistaken, policy will be better than no policy at all. We would infinitely rather come to terms with Russia and make a clear understanding with her than commit ourselves to Japan and the Triple Alliance. But if our statesmen will not or cannot come to an understanding with Russia we would rather stand in with the Triple Alliance than do what we appear to be doing now; that is, barking at Russia's heels and giving her the impression that we are her deadliest foe, and yet making no arrangements with Russia's European and Far Eastern enemies.

That is pure foolishness. We get all the odium of an anti-Russian policy and yet get none of its advantages. We are hated by and fear Russia, and yet if a dual alliance attacked us we should have no support from the Triple Alliance.

Rather than withstand Russia in our present feeble and futile way we should withstand her boldly and strongly. It will be a bad and unintelligent policy, but anything is better than no policy at all."

ACCIDENT ON THE NEW BRIDGE

Construction Train Frightened a Horse—Carriage Smashed, Lady Fatally Hurt.

Ottawa, April 14.—(Special.)—The first accident on the new inter-Provincial bridge occurred this afternoon. The carriage in which A. Lahaise, furniture manufacturer, and his wife, were driving, came to grief thru the horse becoming unmanageable at the sight of a construction train. Mrs. Lahaise was probably fatally hurt. The bridge was crowded with sight-seers at the time, and scores had a miraculous escape from injury. The City Engineer recently reported in favor of a 15-foot wall between the railway tracks and driveway to screen the trains from sight, but his proposal was thrown out on the ground that such a high fence would disfigure the bridge.

MRS. EMMERSON IS DEAD.

Wife of Former Premier of New Brunswick Passed Away Yesterday Morning.

Dorchester, N.B., April 14.—Mrs. Emily R. Emmerson, wife of the Hon. H. R. Emmerson, former Premier of New Brunswick, and M.P. for Westmoreland, died at her home this morning, aged 47 years. She was the only daughter of the late Charles B. Record, a former well-known business man of Moncton and founder of the Record Foundry and Machine Shops. She leaves five children. The remains will be buried at Moncton.

NAVIGATION MEN.

MR. JOHN FOY.
President and General Manager of the Niagara Navigation Company.

WOLFE WAS WAYLAID.

Brutally Assaulted for Assisting Constable Sanderson to Make an Arrest.

Because he assisted a constable to make an arrest on Saturday night, Richard Wolfe, an employe of the Toronto Railway Co., who lives at 14 Wilkins-avenue, was brutally assaulted. Wolfe was returning to his home at a late hour, and was passing the corner of King and Sumach-streets, when Constable Sanderson arrested Daniel Sharpe of 55 Cherry-street, on a charge of being disorderly. The prisoner had a number of friends, who urged him to put up a fight, which he did. The officer was right in the midst of the encounter, when Wolfe came to his assistance, and Sharpe was taken to the patrol box without further interference. After the prisoner had been taken to the Wilton-avenue station and the policeman was out of sight Wolfe was waylaid on his way home by Sharpe's friends, who beat him and left him in a semi-conscious condition on the sidewalk. When he recovered sufficiently, Wolfe went to his home and will to-day issue warrants for the arrest of his assailants, who are well-known in police circles.

GAVE LITTLE SISTER WHISKEY.

Three-Year-Old Boy in Brooklyn Nearly Killed Baby.

New York, April 13.—For four hours yesterday Mary Serovietz, 45 months old, lay unconscious in St. Mary's Hospital, Brooklyn, from the effects of a drink of whiskey. The liquor had been forced down the baby's throat by her 3-year-old brother, Joseph.

The Serovietzes live at No. 412 Stone-avenue, Brooklyn. The boy got hold of a bottle containing whiskey, made his sister drink a large quantity of it and then took some himself.

Both children became unconscious. The boy soon recovered, but his sister was taken to the hospital, and the physicians had great difficulty in restoring her to her senses.

THE QUEEN IN LONDON.

Arrived From Her Father's Birthday Celebration Yesterday.

London, April 15.—Queen Alexandra arrived in London last evening from Copenhagen.

Cook's Turkish Baths, 204 King W.

Death for Opium Smoking.

London, April 15.—According to the St. Petersburg correspondent of The Daily Mail, the Corean Government has promulgated a law enforcing the penalty of death for opium smoking.

Cure a Cold in a Few Hours.

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CLEVER SWINDLER RAISED CHEQUES BY CHEMICALS AND VICTIMIZED CITY BANKS OUT OF THOUSANDS

Changed a $10 Cheque to $2455 and a $20 to $2900, Presented One at the Imperial Bank and the Other at the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Received His Money and Has Eluded All Efforts of the Whole Detective Force to Capture Him.

Considerable excitement was occasioned in local police circles late on Saturday night, when it became known that two Toronto banks had been victimized to the extent of $5245 by a slick individual of whom little is known except that he went by the name of G. A. Winton. The money was secured by means of the old but effective method of raising the cheques after they had been marked by the ledger-keepers at the two banking institutions. The cheques, which are now in the hands of the local police, bear evidence of having come in contact with some powerful chemicals, which it is believed the man used in altering their face value. The robberies are the most extensive that have been perpetrated in Toronto for some time, and the local detectives are of the opinion that the man who worked the game so successfully is a clever swindler and not by any means new at the business.

Since a similar robbery has taken place in Toronto nearly 20 years have elapsed, and when the reports were received on Saturday night the detectives were surprised to learn that any person was bold enough to resort to the old method of bank robbery.

His Careful Methods.

According to the information in the possession of the police, the man struck this city last Thursday, and went at once to the head offices of the Imperial Bank at the corner of Leader-lane and Wellington-street and the Bank of Commerce at Jordan and King-streets, where he opened savings accounts at both places. He gave the name of G. A. Winton at each institution, and said that he had just come from St. John, N.B., to this city to manage the Ontario branch of the business of the Welland Vale Cycle Co., with offices at 70 West King-street. No further questions were asked of the man because he had every appearance of being all that he represented himself to be.

Deposited Small Amounts.

He turned up at the office of the Imperial Bank about 11 o'clock last Thursday morning, and after opening the account handed in ten five-dollar bills, which were placed to his credit. At the Bank of Commerce the same day he deposited $20, and on Friday handed in $50 more, making in all $70 to his credit at that institution. Later in the day, however, he turned up again at the Bank of Commerce and presented a cheque for $10, which he cashed. The withdrawal of this amount, the police say, was the first move in the game, as the man made it a point to become acquainted with the paying-teller, so that he would not be asked to be identified before receiving the cash in return for the large cheque he intended to present the following day.

He Took Chances Here.

At the Imperial Bank the man had but one transaction, that of the first deposit, and took the chances of having to become identified. The robberies were commited between 12 and 1 o'clock on Saturday, when the banking institutions were crowded with representatives of firms, who were arranging for the payment of their employes. The bank officials were so engrosed with their work that they did not notice anything wrong, and paid the amount of the cheques in the usual way. The man is believed to have visited the Imperial Bank first about 11 o'clock, and then returned with the raised cheque a little after noon hour. The swindler presented a cheque for $10 to the ledger-keeper and had it duly certified. When this was accomplished, it is believed he went out to some place where he could not be seen, and with the use of two kinds of chemicals rubbed out the amount ten dollars, and inserted instead two thousand four hundred and fifty-five dollars. This done, he returned to the bank and handed it to the paying teller, who gave him the amount of the cheque. The amount was made up of 24 $100 bills, one $50 and one $5 bill.

At the Bank of Commerce.

From the Imperial Bank, Winton is believed to have gone to the Bank of Commerce, and to have written out a cheque for $20 in full view of the ledger-keeper of the savings department, where he had his account. The cheque was duly marked by the official and handed back to the customer. The latter then, it is said, left the institution, and returned with the cheque, which a short time before called for $20, changed to $2900. The cheque was in due course presented to Paying Teller Kelly, who gave in return 29 $100 bills. The man then departed.

Discovered Saturday Night.

The swindle at the Imperial Bank was not discovered till between 7 and 8 o'clock, and it would not have been found out for several days had not the clerks been working after hours preparing for the semi-monthly balance, which is always made on the 15th. When the fraud was found out the officials communicated with the Detective Department, and Detective Black was sent down to the institution to make an investigation. About three hours later another message was received at the Detective Office, announcing that the second robbery had taken place at the Bank of Commerce, and Detective Burrows was detailed to assist his comrade in working on the case.

Not Much to Work On.

All day yesterday the whole detective force was out scouring the city for the man who robbed the banking institutions, but as yet no arrest has been made, nor is there likely to be any at present. The bank officials who came in contact with Winton have furnished the police with a very meagre description of the swindler to work on. They say he is about 25 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches in height, and of fair complexion. He wore a light fedora hat and dark sacque suit. The utmost secrecy was observed by all the officials of the banking institutions where the swindling took place, and they disliked to discuss the loss of the two large amounts, hoping thereby to avoid publicity in connection with the robberies.

Bauer Case Recalled.

The only recent theft from a banking institution by means of a raised cheque was accomplished a few years ago by one Carl Bauer, who altered a $5 cheque on the Bank of Hamilton to make it read $500. This cheque was presented and cashed at the Imperial Bank, and the question who shall stand the loss has been before the courts for some time past, and is now in appeal. Bauer was captured shortly after the robbery, and was sent to Kingston Penitentiary. The only person known to the local police who used chemicals to alter a cheque was a man named Gardiner, who operated successfully here and in Ottawa about 18 or 20 years ago, and then escaped to the United States.

PREMONISHED OF DEATH

Samuel Warnica Some Time Ago Felt it Was Approaching, But Was Feeling Well.

DIED SUDDENLY SUNDAY MORNING.

Well-Known and Properous Citizen Passed Away With Shocking Swiftness From Heart Failure.

Between 3 and 4 o'clock, in the gloom of the approaching Sunday morn, death laid its cold hand upon the body of Samuel W. Warnica, at his home, corner Yonge and Shuter-streets.

Mr. Warnica's young son was awakened from sleep by the voice of his mother calling for a glass of water, as something was wrong with his father. When the boy came Mr. Warnica was gasping for breath. A doctor was instantly summoned, but before he arrived the poor man had already breathed his last. Death resulted from heart failure.

Deceased was 63 years of age, and had resided in Toronto for the past 16 years. He was born near the city, his father having been one of Ontario's earliest pioneers.

Previous to his residence in Toronto Mr. Warnica conducted a prosperous farm in the vicinity. After he moved to the city he occupied himself with the management of his property. Being of a retiring disposition, he did not mix much in public affairs. Some weeks ago he had a premonition of his approaching death, but had been singularly merry on the night previous to his demise. He is mourned by a widow and a large family.

SALVATIONISTS TOO STRONG.

Attempt on General Booth's Life in Sweden Due to His Royal Backing.

London, April 14.—The attempt on the life of General Booth of the Salvation Army while in Sweden was caused by the hostility of a section of the people, who think the Salvationists are getting too strong a hold on the royal family.

From Prince Bernadotte's frequent attendance at the army meetings the report is circulated that he has joined the Salvation Army. While this is untrue, it is a fact that the King and other royalties showed great favor to General Booth, and stirred bitter feelings in many classes.

Threats having been made, the Salvationists are guarded. While the General was at Gefle railway station an assassin made a dash at him, but was caught in time by the police.

MRS. NATION AGAIN ARRESTED.

Lectured in Kansas City on Kansas Side, Then Crossed Into Missouri.

Kansas City, Mo., April 14.—Mrs. Carrie Nation was arrested in this city to-night on the charge of obstructing the street, and taken to the police station in a patrol wagon. She was released on a cash bond of $6, and will be tried in the Police Court to-morrow. Mrs. Nation lectured in Kansas City last night, and came over to the Missouri side this morning. She started on a tour of investigation among the down-town saloons this afternoon and was arrested because the crowd following her blocked the street. She severely lectured the saloon men whom she visited.

TO-DAY IN TORONTO.

Prorogation of Ontario Legislature, Queen's Park, 3 p.m.
Vestry meeting St. Cyprian's Church, 8 p.m.
Recruiting for Toronto Mounted Rifles, Armouries, 8 p.m.
Canadian Evening, Broadway Tabernacle, 8 p.m.
Church Club, St. James' Sunday school, 8 p.m.
Grand Opera House, Frederick Warde, "The Duke's Jester," 8 p.m.
Toronto Opera House, West's Minstrels, 8 p.m.
Princess Theatre, "Woman Against Woman," 8 p.m.
Shea's, the Great Lafayette and vaudeville, 2 and 8 p.m.

GIRL LOST HER HAIR AND SCALP CAUGHT IN REVOLVING SHAFT

Annie Fraser, Aged 11, While Turning a Cream Separator, Met With a Fearful Experience—Hair Caught by Machinery and Torn Off Along With Skin.

Winnipeg, April 14.—(Special.)—Annie Fraser, a little girl of 11 years, was admitted to the hospital on Saturday. While she was engaged turning a cream separator in the milk house, her hair was caught by a revolving shaft and gradually twisted round. No one was at hand to render her aid. The entire skin of the head on which the hair grows was wrenched from the scalp, and she was afterwards found free from the machine. Saturday a long and critical operation commenced, lasting seven days, during the whole of which time the head will be held in contact with a living animal, until a portion of the skin of the latter is engrafted on the denuded scalp.

AUSTRIANS GREET GERMANS.

Crown Prince Frederick William Had a Very Cordial Reception at Vienna.

Vienna, April 14.—Crown Prince Frederick William of Germany arrived in Vienna this morning in acceptance of an invitation from Emperor Francis Joseph, who, with the Austrian Archdukes, greeted him at the railway station. A large and enthusiastic concourse awaited his arrival. Subsequently the Emperor received the Crown Prince in private audience and later returned his visit.

During the afternoon, and amid popular demonstrations of the most friendly character, the Crown Prince drove to the Capuchin Mausoleum, where, on behalf of Emperor William, he deposited wreaths on the tomb of Empress Elizabeth, Crown Prince Rudolph and Archduke Albrecht.

At 5 o'clock a state banquet in his honor was given at the Hofburg, attended by the members of the Imperial House, the Ministers and the members of the diplomatic corps. A reception followed and then all attended a gala performance at the opera.

FRANK R. HUMMEL KILLED.

Melancholy Accident on the Farm of Thomas Abernethy, Near Tottenham.

Tottenham, Ont., April 13.—Frank R. Hummel, a quiet, industrious young man, was instantly killed this afternoon while taking down a barn on the farm of Thomas Abernethy, a few miles from here. He fell from the building and his head was crushed between a falling beam and a large stone. His remains were brought to Tottenham to-night and will be taken to Berlin Monday to the home of his brother-in-law, Mr. Zuber of the Grand Central Hotel.

JOHN DALY'S VAPORINGS.

Mayor of Limerick Says Funds Cannot Be Raised in America for Parliamentary Agitation.

Limerick, April 14.—Mr. John Daly, Mayor of Limerick, in the course of an address to a meeting here to-day, said his recent trip to Chicago has convinced him that Irish-Americans would contribute nothing to the funds of the party seeking the freedom of Ireland thru Parliamentary agitation. He declared that it would not be desirable to pin faith to constitutional agitation at a time when England's power trembled in the balance.

TO BE UNDER SURGEON'S KNIFE.

Dowager Queen Emma of Holland to Submit to an Operation Soon.

Antwerp, April 14.—Dowager Queen Emma, who has been seriously ill for some time, is about to undergo an operation for the removal of an internal tumor. Lieut.-Gen. Count Du Monceau, chief of the Household Guard, left The Hague yesterday for Heidelberg to arrange for the Dowager Queen's journey to that city, where the university specialists in ovariotomy will attend to her case. It is said the royal physicians at The Hague think the operation will not be attended with much danger.

When the King Edward bow was first shown a few weeks ago, some knowalls in the trade predicted for it a brief life. After all the public are the real and only critics in matters of dress, and their endorsement of this new article of neckwear, which Quinn of 93 Yonge-street is now selling at 25c and 35c, has made it the success of the season.

PHILIPPINE PACIFICATION.

Province of Capiz Has Suffered From War and Welcomes Signs of Peace.

Capiz, Province of Capiz, Island of Panay, P.I., April 14.—The people of this section of Panay flocked to Cadiz to-day, on foot and in carriages, to meet the members of the United States Philippine Commission, and to attend the explanation of the principles upon which Provincial Government is to be established here to-morrow. Thousands were present at the meeting held in the theatre.

Representatives asserted that the Federalist movement, combined with the liberality of the laws being enacted by the commission had caused the recent rapid pacification in the northern part of the island.

The Province of Capiz has suffered greatly from war, rinderpest and locust plagues, and popular sentiment is unanimously in favor of peace and civil government.

TROUBLE AT MONTANA MINES.

Indications Point to a Protracted Struggle Between the Men and Masters.

Anaconda, Mont., April 14.—Six hundred men employed by the Anaconda Copper Mining Company at this place are affected by a strike, which was inaugurated six weeks ago, with indications pointing to a protracted struggle. The Moulders' Union has joined the strikers, and the foundry department of the Anaconda Company has been shut down. Since the strikers' interview with President Scallen of the Anaconda Mining properties, in which they were told that no concessions would be offered, the union men have assumed amore aggressive attitude, and, as a consequence, the machinists employed at the new Washoe works struck to-day. The machinists employed by the Butte, Anaconda and Pacific Railway have made similar demands and submitted an ultimatum to Master Mechanic Harrity. Three or four Butte mines have closed down as a result of the troubles.

TOBIN SHOT HIS WIFE.

He Says it Was an Accident and the Woman Says Not.

New York, April 14.—James Tobin of Norristown, N.J., shot his wife this afternoon. He claims it was an accident. She says it was not. The couple have frequently separated, and as many times become reconciled. He called on her to-day and they went out walking. She says he directed her attention to something, and when her back was turned fired two shots at her. One struck her on the right arm and the other on the left side of the head. It is thought the wounds will prove fatal. Tobin made no effort to escape.

COREA IS PREPARING.

Will Build Coast Fortresses to Resist Japan.

London, April 15.—The Government of Corea, according to a despatch to The Daily Mail from St. Petersburg, has decided to build 32 coast fortresses to resist a possible Japanese invasion.

Cable Interrupted.

New York, April 15.—The Commercial Cable Company issued the following notice yesterday:

We are advised that the cable between Singaradja and Macassar is interrupted. Messages for Macassar are posted from Socrabaja or Singaradja.

Turkish Baths at Pember's, 75c

WAGE TROUBLE IN OTTAWA

Allied Trades Association Took Up the Case of Mr. Bourque and the Plumbers

ON HULL POSTOFFICE BUILDING.

Ralph Smith, M.P., and Others Called In—Liberal Denounced Public Works Department.

Ottawa, April 14.—(Special.)—At the meeting Saturday evening of the Allied Trades and Labor Association Delegate Broderick brought a grievance from the Plumbers' Union that the fair wage clause is not enforced on the Hull postoffice, in reference to the plumbers

Delegate Booth investigated, he said, and got affidavits rrom plumbers that they were only beiug paid 22 cents an hour. The affidavits were given to Mr. Dan O'Donoghue, fair wages officer. Contractor Bourque discharged four of the men who made affidavits. Negotiations were conducted with Deputy Minister Gobeil, who said that Bourque declared he was paying fair wages.

This proved incorrect, and Ralph Smith, M.P., was called on for help. Mr. Smith had informed Mr. Tarte that if it was not settled by Tuesday the matter would be brought up in the House.

Mr. Tarte promised to see that the wages were paid, but nothing had been done yet.

Delegate Broderick said all the men on the building, according to Delegate Booth, are being paid less than the contract called for. The Plumbers' Union wage is 25 cents an hour.

Delegate Thomas Smith, a staunch Liberal, said, in this case, the Department of Labor seemed to be controlled by the Public Works Department. The fair wages officer would never be able to do anything until he had power to go up and lay his finger on Mr. Tarte. The Department of Labor was organized for an election dodge.

REGIMENT IN BAD SHAPE.

According to Reports the 17th of Quebec May Be Disbanded.

Quebec, April 14.—A report has been going the rounds among military men the last day or two to the effect that as a sequel to the court-martial in connection with certain alleged irregularities in the 17th Regiment, Levis, held recently, Lieut.-Col. Fournier, the commanding officer, has resigned, several officers have been dismissed from the service, and that the next step to be taken will be the disbandment of the corps.

City Athletic Club Closed.

The City Athletic Club has been closed. Members who visited the institution yesterday afternoon for the usual Sunday chat found the front door fastened and the blinds down. It is stated that the club has been shut up by order of the guarantors. For some time it has been known that the institution has been in financial trouble, but it was reported that the men most interested would see it thru its difficulties.

Brandon Lawyer Dropped Dead.

Winnipeg, April 14.—A. D. Cameron, member of the legal firm of Phillip & Cameron, formerly Sifton, Phillip & Cameron, dropped dead at Brandon to-day.

Turkish Baths at Pember's, 75c.

QUEEN STARTS FOR HOME.

Frankfort-on-the-Main, April 13.—Queen Alexandra boarded a train at midnight on her return journey to England.

Cook's Turkish & steam baths, 204 King w., cures colds, coughs and rheumatism

Special! Special!

A variety of plants in full bloom, left over from Easter, will be sold at very reasonable prices—lilac trees, azaleas, rhododendrons and many others. See them at Dunlop's salesrooms, 5 King-street west and 445 Yonge-street.

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TO CURE THE GRIP IN TWO DAYS. Laxative Bromo Quinine removes the cause

WILL GOVERNMENT GRANT BONUS FOR SILVER-LEAD ORE REFINERY

In Such Case Toronto or Montreal Will Have the Refinery, Say Kootenay Delegates—Province Will Have Power to Control Railway to Crow's Nest.

Montreal, April 14.—(Special.)—If the Canadian Government should give a bonus of $5 per ton on silver lead for the purpose of establishing a refinery in Canada the general opinion is that such refinery would be built, either in Toronto or Montreal. This opinion was expressed to-day by several members of the British Columbia delegation, who spent Sunday here. The statement was also made that the Canadian Pacific was heartily in favor of the refinery and the delegates appear to be pretty well agreed that if the desired bonus is given it will be on condition that the location will be in Eastern Canada. They will not ask for a continuous bonus, but only for three or four years, until the refinery is properly established.

On the Railway Question.

Mr. Bentley of Fernie declares that all British Columbians are of one mind on the railway question, for they think that any man who wants to build a railway and does not ask a subsidy should be permitted to do so. He had heard Hon. Mr. Tarte's arguments and he added that mostly all eastern people seemed to be strongly impressed with the idea that Jim Hill and his associates might sacrifice Canadian interests by refusing to sell coal to Canadian smelters and Canadian consumers. There was no fear of this, he said, for the remedy, Mr. Bentley alleged, was in the hands of the British Columbia Government. In the first place the Crow's Nest Coal Company are obliged to sell their coal at $2 per ton on board the cars. This is a fixed rate, and on this coal the local Government levies a royalty of 10 cents a ton. Now, let us suppose, he added, that the Crow's Nest people attempted to discriminate against Canadian interests. The British Columbia Government would only have to increase their royalty to such a figure as would render shipment impossible. This fact, he thought, completely disposed of the argument that Mr. Hill and his associates would have the power to work injury to the Canadian smelters.

INCREASED PAY TO MEMBERS WILL PROBABLY BECOME A FACT

Very Few of the Legislators Would Oppose the Measure to Grant Themselves an Extra $500, and the New Scale of Wages May Become Effective This Session.

Ottawa, April 14.—(Special.)—On May 5 the present session will have lasted out three months, and it is not regarded as possible that prorogation can take place till a couple of weeks after that date. The first session is invariably the shortest of the Parliament, so it will be demonstrated that nothing short of four-month sessions may be looked for henceforth. Under these circumstances the movement for a permanent increase of members' sessional indemnity to $1500 has attained a force which will likely carry it to a practical result this session. In all probability the supplementary estimates will be brought down shortly, containing the $100,000 necessary to give the extra $500 to members. It is said less than half a dozen members are opposed to the increase, and Sir Wilfrid Laurier has promised to carry out the practically unanimous feeling of the House in this respect.

SIR OLIVER SURE TO ATTEND

Lieutenant-Governor is in Good Health for the Prorogation This Afternoon

TO GIVE ASSENT TO WORK OF SESSION

Closing Ceremonies at the Parliament Buildings at 3 o'Clock To-Day—The Important Bills.

The World was informed at Government House yesterday that His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, Sir Oliver Mowat, is in excellent health, and would personally prorog the Legislature this afternoon. The ceremony will take place at 3 o'clock.

Official assent will be given to the bills enacted during the session. Among the most important are: Toronto University bill; grants to Kingston School of Mining and Agriculture; a bill to grant 2,500,000 acres of land to the North Shore and Manitoulin Island Railway Company to secure the construction of a railway and steam ferry system 300 miles long; a vote of $10,000 to survey a route for a Government railway, to Temiscaming district; a ratification of a vast concession of spruce lands for 21 years to the Keewatin Power Company in consideration of the expenditure of $1,500,000 within three years and the continuous employment of 500 hands; the voting of $1,000,000 for the improvement of the public highways; a bill to appropriate $225,000 to encourage the establishment of the beet root sugar industry; a grant of lands to the volunteers to South Africa and others; a vote of $16,000 for an exhibit at the Pan-American Exposition; a bill to extend the term of session of 1902 and various consolidation Acts.

NEW GUNS FOR JAMAICA.

British War Office Will Strengthen Fortifications on the Island.

Kingston, Jamaica, April 14.—The British War Office has decided to strengthen the fortifications of Jamaica. Quick firing guns of the latest pattern are being sent out, in addition to the heavy guns recently placed in the forts about Port Royal.

The disappearance of yellow fever from Port Royal is officially announced.

The direct fruit line to Bristol is now in full swing and the fruit is finding ready sale in England.

WHEN HORSES LAUGH.

It made the horses laugh and feel good to see the postoffice automobile being pushed on its rounds by several men on Saturday night.

Edwards and Hart-Smith, Chartered Accountants, offices Canadian Bank of Commerce Building, Toronto.

Monuments.

The McIntosh Granite & Marble Company, Limited, 1119 and 1121 Yonge-street Tel. 4249. Terminal Yonge-street car route 146

DEATHS.

COHEN—Annie, beloved wife of Maurice Cohen, 73 Dowling-avenue, Saturday morning, April 13, at St. Michael's Hospital.

Funeral will leave the late residence at 8 a.m. for Parkdale Station on Monday for Meaford.

Meaford and Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., papers please copy.

DYKER—At St. Thomas, Ont., on Friday, April 12, Amelia Bromell, wife of James Dyker.

SINCLAIR—At the residence of her son-in-law, Dr. Sneigrove, 105 Carlton-street, on Saturday, April 13, 1901, Catharine Clyne Campbell, relict of the late John Sinclair, in her 71st year.

Funeral private, Tuesday, April 16, at 2 p.m.

YOUNG—At Toronto, on Sunday, April 14, Alexander McLagan Young, father of J. B. Young, aged 79 years.

Funeral private.

HENNESSEY—On Saturday, April 13, at 193 Farley-avenue, John J. (Jack) Hennessey, in his 34th year.

Funeral from above address on Tuesday, 16th, at 8.30 a.m., to St. Mary's Church. High mass celebrated at 9 a.m. Interment at Thornhill.

WARNICA—Suddenly, at his late residence, 2 Shuter-street, Toronto, on Sunday, April 14, 1901, Samuel Wesley Warnica, in his 63rd year.

Funeral on Tuesday, 16th, at 3 o'clock. Interment in Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

RAIN IS COMING ON.

It's coming on. Toronto followed The World's advice yesterday, and by a multitude of prayers the calamity was barely staved off to permit femininity to disport themselves in their Easter frocks. Nevertheless the weather man was displeased and lowered dreadfully all day, and now it's coming on for sure.

EDWARD VII. AN AUTOMOBILIST.

The keen interest that King Edward VII. takes in automobiles is expected to set the whole world of fashion a-motoring.

EARN IT.

If you crave a word of cheer,
Earn it;
If you sigh for glory here,
Earn it;
Fortune's ready with her smile,
Would you have her beam on you?
Don't expect her favor while
You sit pondering and blue—
Earn it.

Is it love that you would claim?
Earn it;
Do you fondly dream of fame?
Earn it.
Fate herself may not deny—
Let her do the worst she can—
The reward that by and by
Time delivers when a man
Earns it.

A Prosperous Sign.

Diverting from the more serious affairs of daily business life, in conversation with one of Toronto's fashionable club men, it was remarked that one of the evidences of prosperity could be seen in a large number of smart looking new hat styles which were being worn this season on our business streets. He thought also that there were a great many hats yet that ought to be retired, but he was pleased to know that gentlemen were paying more attention this season to their personal appearance. Considerable credit should be given to Toronto's fashionable hatters, the W. & D. Dineen Company, corner Yonge and Temperance-streets, for their activity in introducing so many of the new styles worn and placing them at prices that will allow anyone to purchase them.

Mostly Fair and Mild.

Meteorological Office, Toronto, April 14.—(8 p.m.)—Rain is falling this evening in Southwestern Ontario and snow in the Qu'Appelle Valley; elsewhere in Canada generally fine weather prevails. Temperatures of 60 and over were very widely recorded to-day from the lake region to the Maritime Provinces.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 40—50; Qu'Appelle, 26—42; Winnipeg, 26—48; Port Arthur, 32—50; Sault Ste. Marie, 32—62; Toronto, 40—56; Ottawa, 34—64; Montreal, 36—60; Quebec, 30—56; Halifax, 30—66.

Probabilities.

Lower Lakes—A few scattered showers, but mostly fair and continued quite mild.

Georgian Bay, Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence—Fine; continued decidedly mild.

Lower St. Lawrence, Gulf and Maritime—Fine and quite mild.

Lake Superior—Fair; not much change in temperature.

Manitoba—Unsettled for the most part with rain or sleet.

Russian Company to Work Mongolia.

London, April 15.—"A Russian company has been formed," says the Copenhagen correspondent of The Daily News, "to work the natural resources of Mongolia under the direct protection of the Russian Government."

STEAMSHIP MOVEMENTS.

April 13.	At.	From.
Phoenicia	New York	Hamburg
Marco Minghett	New York	Genoa
Campania	New York	Liverpool
La Touraine	New York	Havre
La Bretagne	Havre	New York
Marquette	London	New York
Lucania	Liverpool	New York
Pennsylvania	Hamburg	New York
Gr. Kurfurst	Southampton	New York
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Livonian	Philadelphia	Glasgow
Ultonia	Boston	Liverpool
K. Maria Ther.	New York	Genoa
Tauric	New York	Liverpool
Friesland	Antwerp	New York
Devonia	Liverpool	Boston