

BIG BROKERAGE HOUSE FAILS FOR MORE THAN ONE MILLION

A. O. Brown & Co. of Wall Street Went Down Yesterday-- Enormous Trading on Saturday Caused the Collapse--Other Outside Firms May be Involved.

New York, N. Y., Aug. 25.--The failure of the big brokerage concern of A. O. Brown & Co. for a sum popularly estimated as running well above \$1,000,000 set a nervous thrill through the stock market today. Coming as a climax to the bewildering trading in last Saturday's market, the suspension created an extraordinary degree of public interest...

HUNGRY HARVESTERS SOLD CLOTHES FOR FOOD

There is More Help in the Grain District Than is Needed and Many Men Are Idle--Frost and Drought Will Reduce Crop.

Regina, Aug. 25.--Two hundred harvesters are out of work here and some are in a destitute condition. They held an indignation meeting last night protesting at the C. P. R.'s refusal to ship them home.

COL. J. D. CHIPMAN AGIAN HEADS MASONS

He is Re-Elected Grand Master for Another Year--Andrew McNicholl is Deputy Master.

Col. J. D. Chipman, of St. Stephen, was re-elected grand master of the grand lodge F. & A. M. of New Brunswick, last evening. The election of officers resulted as follows: Grand Master--J. D. Chipman, of St. Stephen (re-elected). Deputy Grand Master--Andrew McNicholl, St. John.

KEIR HARDIE WOULD MAKE MANY CHANGES

British Labor Leader, Socialist and General Agitator, Talks Social Revolution, in Montreal--"Socialism is the Remedy for Poverty and Hunger."

Montreal, Aug. 25.--Monument National was packed to the doors tonight by an audience who gathered to hear Keir Hardie, the British labor leader, Socialist and general agitator. He was dressed in his conventional style, a red tartan tie, a grey suit and loose fitting suit of homespun.

THIRTY WORKMEN BRIED UNDER DEBRIS IN CHELSEA

Massive Brick Wall of Burned Building Falls and Workmen Are Crushed--Building Inspector Ordered Work to Stop Just Before Accident.

Chester, Mass., Aug. 25.--Quickly and without warning, a forty-five foot high brick wall in Chelsea square collapsed today, burying beneath it some thirty workmen. Several were killed outright or died in ambulances on the way to the hospital.

HIBERNIAN CONVENTION NOW OPEN FOR BUSINESS SESSIONS

Considerable Business Done at Yesterday's Sessions--McDade Says that Catholics Should Come More to the Front and Tells A.O.H. Their Influence Has Been Withheld.

A large amount of business was transacted at the annual convention of the Nova Scotia and New Brunswick divisions of the Ancient Order of Hibernians yesterday. The convention was called to order by P. J. McManus, the provincial president, at 2 o'clock. The first business of the convention was the reading of the minutes of the previous year.

WEST TORONTO HAS BIG FIRE

\$150,000 Damage Done by a Blaze in the Union Stock Yards.

Toronto, Aug. 25.--Fire tonight partially destroyed the premises of the Union Stock Yards Company at West Toronto, causing an estimated damage of \$150,000. The fire, which started at 7 o'clock, and was under control in one hour, was most spectacular. The whole of the West Toronto fire brigade and a big section of the Toronto brigade fought the blaze.

DIGBY, N. S., GIRL IS A CHINAMAN'S WIFE

Marriage Ceremony Followed the Arrest of the Couple by the Boston Police.

Boston, Aug. 25.--Nathan Barnett, a justice of the peace, yesterday married a girl from Digby, N. S., to a Chinaman. The bride, a handsome girl who came from Digby, N. S., was accompanied by her father, Mr. W. B. Wallace, grand recorder, and Mr. W. B. Wallace, grand recorder, and Mr. W. B. Wallace, grand recorder.

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REMEMBERED BY FRIENDS

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SUMMONED TO BEDSIDE OF DYING PRIEST HERE

Boston, Mass., Aug. 25.--Rev. Thomas J. Gannon, S.J., president of Boston College, died last night at St. John's N. B. on receipt of a telegram that Rev. Joseph M. J. Gannon, S.J., was dying in that city.

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Relative to the proposed scholarship, he regretted the project had not met with the approval of the board.

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