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Affected by Short Time Policy
BOSTON, June 16.—Fully 50,000
operatives in the New England states
are already affected by the short time
policy for the summer months which
has been decided upon by numerous
manufacturers of textiles, and it is
expected that the number will be
doubled during July and August.

MONTREAL, June 16—Lt.-Col. Ib-botson, of the Fifth Royal Scots Regi-ment, died here this morning after a long lines.

Hudson's Bay Company Shares LONDON, June 16—Lord Strath-cona, it is announced, is the holder of 2,030 shares of the Hudson Bay Com-pany and his daughter, Hon. Mrs. Howard, holds 2,625 shares.

RELATIONS WITH GERMANY

Railway Wags Dispute

MONTREAL June 16—Representatives of the railway brotherhood and productives of the railway brotherhood and candian Pacific railways, who are gathering here, secut the idea conveyed in despraches each out from Toronto to the effect that as strike is likely to take place that as strike is likely to take place that as strike is likely to take place that the strike is the productive of the pro

Hungarian Villages Are Annihilated and Three Hundred Lives Lost—Roll of Dead May Yet Be Increased

COMMUNICATION

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Earl Grey at Bristol

LONDON, June 16.—His Excellency
Earl Grey arrived at Bristol today,
National mourning prevented the intended banquiet which had been plannied in his honor. The Canadian governor-general telegraphed the Lord Mayor of Bristol as follows: I am gratified by the expression of your kind desire, but am unable, as the representative of the crown in Canada, to take part in any public functions until after the end of June." The Civic reception will, therefore, be an informal affair.

Land for Accordance Bristol

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Fears That Many Survivors
May Die of Starvation Before Means of Sending Assistance Can Be Found

BUDAPEST, June 16—Nearly 300 per.

Land for Aeroplane Prize

ST. LOUIS. Mo., June 16.—A five-acre farm will be dropped from the sky when the aeroplane flight from St. Louis to Kansas City is held in July. The Missourt Board of Immigration announced today that before the aeroplamists leave St. Louis, they would be provided with cards to drop along the route. One of these cards will entitle the finder to five acres of Missourt land. The land to be given away is in Washington county, forty miles from St. Louis.

thousands, set upon the Americans with the intention of hanging them.

"The police officials," said Mr. Stuart "wanted us to leave the province immediately and secretly; but this we refused to do, as the Italians would have said that we had a said that we had

Design and the dealeries. Hon. Mrs. Howard, policy ages the comming Aldeshot manoeuvres to represent the Dominion in the forthcoming Aldeshot manoeuvres to represent the Comming Aldeshot manoeuvres to the Manoeuvres and the Comming Aldeshot manoeuvres the Comming Aldeshot manoeuvres and the

Lord Strathoons Speaks Warmly for Friendship-Canadian Efforts to Cultivate Trade.

DEEMED CAUSE OF EARTHQUAKE

American Baptist Missionaries Have Narrow Escape from Hanging by Superstitious

MANY THOUSANDS

Leave District Under Protection of Soldiers—Appeal Made to Italian Premier Who Advises Moderation

BUDAPEST. June 16.—Nearly 300 persons were killed and several villages annulihilated by a cloudburst in Krasse Szorens, a county of Hungary bordering on Translyvania, Roumania and Servia, The capital of the county, which is mainly peopled by Roumanians, is Lugos.

It is expected that the death roll will be greatly increased when communication, which has been almost completely cut off, is restored.

Brickes, telegraph and telephone wires in the district have been destroyed, and it is feared that many of the survivors of the flood will die of starvation or exposure before it is possible to send assistance.

In Washington County, Introduced the Louis.

Tramway Business increase

VANCOUVER, June 16.—The cheque dape of a panty of American Baptist Clargymen from the hands of a superstitions mob at Aveiling at the time of the city will receive from the British Columbia Electric Railway. Company in payment of the city's percentage on the amsiness over lines within the limits during May will be greatly increased when communication, which has been almost completely cut off, is restored.

Brickes, telegraph and telephone wires in the district have been destroyed, and increase of 75 per cent over the city in this country, and who returned a few days ago from the province of Aveiling. Mr. Stuart reported to the Premier that the situation in that district was against \$7,732.84, the amount for the night of the earthquake he and his companions, he said, were brutally attacked. The populace seemed to attribute the earthquake he and his companions, he said, were brutally attacked. The populace seemed to attribute the earthquake he and his companions, he said, were brutally attacked. The populace seemed to attribute the earthquake he and his companions, he said, were brutally attacked. The populace seemed to attribute the earthquake he and his companions, he said, were brutally attacked. The populace seemed to attribute the earthquake he and his companions, he said, were brutally attacked. The populace seemed to attribute the ear

Battalion of Queen's Own Rifles
to Attend Manoeuvres at
Aldershot—Capt. Band, One of Company, in City

that we had flee, and all that we have already achieved. Later however, we took our departure according to arrangements in a public manner, but we were guarded by 200 soldiers with guns and bayonets against the 5,000 or. more persons who lined the street, yelling, cursing and threatening us.

Premier Luzzatti urged upon Mr. Stuart the advisability of avoiding any retaliatory demonstrations which would be apt to disturb the peace. He expressed the opinion that the action of the Italians was due more to their panies of the Italians was due more to their panies of the action of the Italians was due more to their panies of the action of the Italians was due more to their panies.

MADRID, June 16.—Additional shocks occurred this afternoon at Tortosa and Almeria. The people are in a state of great alarm, although no great damage has been done.

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EXTENSIVE LOSS TO MANITOBIAI

Tuesday, June 21, 1910

Many People in Prairie Provin Holders of United Wirele Stock, Bought at Compa tively High Prices

AGENT SURPRISED BY NEW YORK RA

Company So Far Refused cense in Canada, Thou Several Applications Ha Been Made at Ottawa

WINNIPEG, June 16.—The dispatrom New York that the United Wireld Teiegraph company had been declar by United States postoffice inspects Teiegraph company had been declar by United States postorfice inspects a swindling scheme has caused constination in this city and other parts the province. It is estimated that ow one million dollars' worth of stock held by investors throughout Manitol The United States has had offices Winnipeg for two years, handsor quarters being established in the United States has had offices Grant, general agent for Manitoba. "I do not know what to make of the report," Mr. Grant said this mornin "I have sent the following telegram my sub-agents in Manitoba: 'New alarms me. Do not receive any momoney until further advice.' I ham you money invested in this stock. "I am under the direction of the Sattle office and have been with the United for two and a half years. know nothing of the arrests or the charges which caused the raid. I have wired the New York office for information and instructions, but at noon has got no reply. I cannot understand the matter. I know Wilson well, and cannot me the state of the set of the set

got no reply. I cannot understand the matter. I know Wilson well, and ca hardly believe that he could be a part to a swindling scheme.

"But I am taking no chances, I will receive the matter of the

"But I am taking no chances, I wil receive no more money from investor until the matter is straightened out."

Mr. Grant says there are about 40 investors in Manitoba, but this does no represent the amount of stock sold in the province. The total shareholding are large. Payments are made by cash or installments. On April 10 fast the stock was held at something like \$45.

Mr. Grant was plainly perturbed over the raid and arrests, but protested that he knew nothing of the company's inner workings other than that conveyed by the literature of the concern, which is quite elaborate and promises hug returns to investors. There are a doze or more sub-agencies in Manitoba.

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An Grant alleges that he has done a profitable business, selling stock to Manitobans. He is paid on a commission basis. A number of excited investors called on him this morning, but secured little information from the management.

"This is going to hurt the wireless telegraph business," Mr. Grant said. "But I still have faith in the United." Brandon Hard Hit.

BRANDON, Man., June 16.—Probably a thousand shares of United Wireless are held here by prominent people, bankers and business men, who paid from \$15 to \$42.50 a share. Brandon will be a heavy loser.

Proceedings at New York. NEW YORK, June 16.—While the federal grand jury this afternoon was taking up an investigation into the alleged \$2,000,000 swindle charged in connection with the United Wireless Telegraph officials yesterday, Wm. W. Tompkins, president of the New York selling agency, arrested at Lake Mahopac on the joint indictment with President Christopher Wilson and Samuel C. Bogart of the United Wireless company, appeared before United States Commissioner Shields and furnished \$10,000 bail for his appearance. Tompkins had been locked up all night in the Tombs, having been unable to get bail last evening at the late hour when he was arrested. He was charged with Colonel Wilson and Vice-President Bogart with using the U. S. malls for fraudulent purposes. Postoffice inspectors alleged that \$2,000,000 worth of wireless stock had been sold to the public at fictifiously high prices and that the stock thus sold came from the holdings of Wilson and his associates. NEW YORK, June 16.—While the fed-

The federal grand jury investigation is said to be based on the belief that ground may be found for other indictments in connection with the alleged fraudulent deals. Not Licensed in Canada,

OTTAWA, June 16.—The United Wireless Telegraph company, which was raided in New York, has little foothold in Canada except in the manipulations of stockholders. An inquiry made in departmental circles today i elicited information that the company made four different applications for a license to erect stations, on the great made four different applications for a license to erect stations on the great lakes. The last of these was put in put in six months ago. The government has never entertained the applications for the reason that the concern is not incorporated in Canada, and further, that it did not subscribe to the conditions of the wireless conference at Berlin. Considerable influence has been exerted by Canadan stockholders to have the license sought for granted, but the company, on the strength of the inquiries made, has always been regarded with a measure of suspicion which the latest developments appear to justify.

Much Money for Stamp LONDON, June 18—Sixteen pounds was given today for a 1½ black unused Canadian stamp of 1851 issue.

Island Railroad Work.

Work of the Alberni extension of the E. & N. Railway is proceeding favorably. The track has been laid from Englishman's river as far as Cameron Take, while ballasting has a been carried out as far as the former point. The construction of the French Creek bridge will be completed during the present week.

Mrs. Hilton has returned from a visit to Montreal, where she has been the great of her sister, Mrs. H. D.