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WEATHER TOMORROW.

LONDON, ONTARIO, MONDAY, AUGUST 14, 1911.—TEN PAGES.

Sun Rises Tomorrow 5:13.
Sun Sets Tomorrow 7:26.

THE TWO PARTY CHIEFTAINS LEAVING THE CAPITAL TONIGHT

Sir Wilfrid Laurier Goes Direct to Simcoe for Big Opening of Campaign and Mr. Borden Will Arrive in City Tuesday Noon.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Ottawa, Aug. 14.—The two party chieftains leave the capital tonight to inaugurate their campaigns. Sir Wilfrid Laurier leaves shortly after 6 o'clock, and will take the Grand Trunk to Simcoe, where he is to speak tomorrow afternoon. Mr. Borden will leave for Toronto direct by the Canadian Pacific at 11:20 p.m., and will go from there on to London, where he is to appear in the evening. The leaders will thus begin the campaign on the same day, in the same province, and within a few miles of each other.

The Premier is fit. It is not expected that either of the

meetings will have the stirring and gladiatorial aspect of that at St. Hyacinthe on Sunday, but each is looked forward to with interest as an occasion when the lines of the campaign will be laid down for each side in a way which it will be difficult to depart from as the campaign progresses. It is well understood that Sir Wilfrid will endeavor to keep respectably to the fore, and that Mr. Borden will strive to have it sharp on other issues the attention of the electors. Sir Wilfrid and Mr. Borden are in the best of health, and look fit to go through a month's campaign without distress.

GERMAN HOT WAVES HAS MANY VICTIMS

The Temperature at Berlin the Highest Since 1848.

[Canadian Press.]
Berlin, Aug. 14.—The hot wave has claimed many victims. Yesterday was the hottest Aug. 13 since the establishment of the weather bureau in 1848. The local observatory reported 81 degrees in the shade, but the shade temperature in the streets was about 97 degrees. At Frankfurt-on-the-Maine it was 95 degrees. In this city 34 cases of sunstroke, four of them fatal, were reported. A cab driver became insane because of the heat. Several fires due to spontaneous combustion occurred. A number of forest fires broke out in the vicinity. A great conflagration is raging on the moors at the Belgio-German frontier. Soldiers of both countries are fighting the fire. Despite the intense heat, railway traffic is enormously heavy owing to the fact that the schools will open tomorrow. It is estimated that 80,000 persons returned from Baltic and North Sea resorts Sunday.

BOY WHO WAS SHOT IS IN SERIOUS CONDITION

Victor Lee Taken to Victoria Hospital—Bullet Not Yet Located.

Victor Lee, the London lad who a couple of weeks ago was shot through the back, near Thorndale, while trying to save his dog, as it was standing in front of a rifle which his brother was about to discharge at a rabbit, was brought to Victoria Hospital this morning, and an effort will be made to locate the bullet with the X-ray.

LONDON PEOPLE PEEVED AT ST. THOMAS JAILER

Stolen Money Put in Bank and Now Cannot Be Identified.

A number of persons from this city and district who had their pockets picked on Thursday last at Port Stanley are greatly incensed at the action of the bank and thus destroy any possibility of their identifying what they lost.

BARBER MADE ESCAPED BY CLOSE SHAVE

Port Stanley Lockup Could Not Hold Harry Jessop Charged With Stealing Hams.

The local detectives are looking for Harry Jessop, a young barber who on Saturday evening made a sensational escape from the lockup at Port Stanley. Jessop was under arrest on a charge of stealing a quantity of hams, and had only been in the lockup a short time when he got away by pulling the Port Stanley police.

BADGES WERE A LITTLE LATE

Old Boys Have Hundreds of Souvenirs to Dispose Of at Reasonable Prices.

STANDING OF FINANCES

Perhaps There Will Be a Deficit—And Then Perhaps There Will Be None—So There You Are.

Efforts will be made to wind up the Old Boys' accounts this week. Tonight all the committees will meet, and will pass the accounts of each committee. They will be passed at once to the finance committee, and a general meeting of the Old Boys will be held, probably on Friday night next, when the business of the year will be wound up.

The exact figures are better than was anticipated, and it is now expected that the deficit will not be large. Perhaps both ends will meet.

The Souvenir Badges. The only mistake about the souvenir badges, said that on the afternoon of Aug. 7, when the four men they couldn't go in. They went down to the corner and divided up, and some went in the front door, and some went in the back door. The man who went in the front door, Smith, said, "I was pitched out and then came and held her up against the wall and took her away. Then he picked her up and threw her on the pavement. Mrs. Bastia said she was not hurt, and she has been under the doctor's care since."

BAILLIFF SAYS MAN THREATENED TO SHOOT

W. H. Daymont, of West London, Charged With Serious Offence.

W. H. Daymont, of West London, was charged in the police court this morning with having threatened to shoot Constable John Stanley when the latter went to his house to collect some rent.

It is alleged that when Constable Stanley arrived at the place and went in there was an argument and that Daymont said: "If you don't get out of here I will put a bullet through you." Bailiff Stanley came to the police station and laid an information. The case will be heard by Magistrate Judd at a special session this afternoon.

The charges of fraud that have been preferred against Hiram W. Burgess, of East London, by Tomlinson brothers, of Ontario street, will also be heard this afternoon.

STABBING CASE HEARD IN COURT

Evidence Regarding Fight in Bank Hotel Given Before P. M. Judd.

MANY CHARGES ARE LAID

Several Prisoners Arraigned—Evidence of Mr. and Mrs. Bastia and Harry Bastia.

Ever since 10:30 this morning, Magistrate Judd has been hearing the evidence in the fight that occurred in the Bank Hotel on the afternoon of Aug. 7, in which Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Bastia were assaulted, and their son, Harry, stabbed in the chest. Three separate charges have been laid as follows: One each against Bert Johnston, James Courney and Charles Smith, of having assisted Mr. T. H. Bastia; another against James Courney and Charles Smith, of assaulting and wounding Harry Bastia, and a third against Charles Smith and Bert Johnston, of assaulting Mr. Lucetta Bastia.

Magistrate Judd heard evidence until 1 o'clock this afternoon, and then ordered an adjournment until 2 o'clock. All of the defendants are colored.

The Evidence. Mr. T. H. Bastia, proprietor of the Bank Hotel, stated that on the afternoon of Aug. 7 the four defendants came in, and were asked to go out. They remained, and asked him to go out and make a drink. Johnston said it would cost them 50 cents a drink. Johnston said it was a right there, and refused to go out. Witness went out to get a policeman. On going back witness took Smith by the arm and asked him to go out and not make any trouble. Johnston kept backing toward the entrance, and said "wait a minute." When near the door, he hit witness between the eyes with his fist. The blow blackened his eyes and skinned his nose. Two others jumped on his back and rushed him out on the street. Smith kicked at witness as he was running to get in the front door. Witness ran into the barroom, and found Harry Bastia and the bartender McCormick fighting with all four defendants, and finally threw them out on the street.

Witness, when he got to the door, saw Smith pick Mrs. Bastia up and throw her on the pavement, and Johnston tried to trample her. Several men grabbed him and held him back. Witness grabbed Charles Courney and held him for a policeman.

An officer got Smith and the other two ran away. Witness complained also of a blow in the neck which swelled up and is still sore.

Witness heard Johnston say a couple of weeks before that he was going to beat up the whole Bastia family some day.

Witness of the Proprietor. Mrs. Lucetta Bastia, wife of the proprietor, said that on the afternoon of Aug. 7, when the four men they couldn't go in. They went down to the corner and divided up, and some went in the front door, and some went in the back door. The man who went in the front door, Smith, said, "I was pitched out and then came and held her up against the wall and took her away. Then he picked her up and threw her on the pavement. Mrs. Bastia said she was not hurt, and she has been under the doctor's care since."

Beginning of the Trouble. James H. Bastia, said the trouble started when his father came in and gave orders to charge Smith 50 cents a drink. He gave a similar account of what occurred afterwards except that he said that after Smith hit his father, Charles Courney threw a glass at witness and struck him on the arm with it. In the west the weather has been quite warm.

THE WEATHER.

Tomorrow—A Little Warmer.

Tomorrow—Warmer.

FORECASTS.

Toronto, Aug. 14-5 a.m.

Today—Light to moderate winds; fine and quite warm.

Tuesday—Fine and warm.

TEMPERATURES.

Following are the highest temperatures yesterday and the lowest this morning:

Stations. Max. Min. Weather.

Victoria..... 78 40 Clear

Calgary..... 78 40 Clear

Winnipeg..... 78 40 Clear

Port Arthur..... 78 40 Clear

Toronto..... 78 40 Clear

Ottawa..... 80 62 Fair

Montreal..... 80 62 Fair

Quebec..... 80 62 Fair

Father Point..... 80 62 Fair

WEATHER NOTES.

Since Saturday thunderstorms have occurred in many places in the Western Provinces, and a few scattered showers in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces.

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LOCAL TEMPERATURE.

Highest and lowest registrations in London Sunday, Aug. 14-47.

TODAY'S PROBS.

Western Ontario—Light to moderate winds; fine; stationary or a little higher temperature.

Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence—Light to moderate winds; fine and warm.

Lower St. Lawrence, Gulf and Maritime—Moderate, southerly to westerly winds; fine and warm.

Superior—Light to moderate winds; fine and warm.

Manitoba—Some local thunderstorms, but mostly fair and decidedly warm.

Alberta—A few scattered showers, but generally fair; stationary or slightly lower temperature.

THREE PERISH FROM CANOE TRAGEDY AT CARLETON PLACE

Two Young Girls and Male Friend Drowned When the Craft Swamps—Was Being Towed by Motor Launch.

[Canadian Press.]
Carleton Place, Ont., Aug. 14.—One of the saddest drowning accidents in the history of this part of the Province occurred at about 8:30 last night in Mississippi Lake, three miles above here. The victim was Miss Anna Ellison, daughter of James Richardson, of the C. P. R. shops here; Miss Anna Ellison, daughter of Mr. Thomas Ellison, Carleton Place, and Rudolph Joerg, son of Mr. Martin Joerg, of Condersport, Pa. Both girls were about 18 years of age and were much beloved by the people of their town. Mr. Joerg was a young electrician who came here recently to visit friends. The accident occurred through the swamping of the canoe in which the young people were returning to town. The canoe was being towed by a motor launch. Many citizens are engaged in the search for the bodies.

YOUTH OF 21 PLEADED GUILTY TO NERVY THEFTS IN HOTEL

Roy Singer Smashed Open Cash Register and Took Money From It—Later He Broke Into a Cigar Case and Stole Box of Cigars.

Roy Singer, aged 21, a youth who has appeared in the police court on several occasions, pleaded guilty this morning before Magistrate Judd to a rather nervy theft. On Saturday Singer went into the Hotel Cecil and smashed open a cash register, and after abstracting \$50 in cash, went to a cigar case, and, breaking it open, stole two boxes of cigars. No one happened to be around at the time, but within 15 minutes Singer was under arrest. He was remanded until Thursday for sentence.

NEGRO TAKEN FROM HOSPITAL BURNED TO DEATH ON COT

Bloodthirsty Pennsylvania Mob Take Awful Vengeance on the Slayer of Favorite Police Officer.

Coatesville, Pa., Aug. 13.—A mob of 400 men besieged the doors of the Coatesville Hospital tonight, dragged out a black man, a negro, charged with killing Special Policeman Rice on Saturday night, carried him half a mile, manacled him to a cot, and burned him alive. The lynching was accomplished only after the negro, man from pain, had leaped from the blazing pyre built over him and tried to escape, dragging the cot with him. A crowd of 2,000 watched the mob leaders beat the creature with fence with guns a day and a night.

WIFE NOW ALLEGES HUSBAND STRUCK HER

Mrs. James Bayley Swears Out a Warrant for Her Life Partner.

Mrs. James Bayley, of 970 Dame street, who on June 7 appeared in the police court charged with having thrown a lighted lamp at her husband while he was kneeling by his bed saying his prayers, swore out an information before Magistrate Judd this morning charging her husband with having assaulted her. Mrs. Bayley alleges that Bayley on Saturday evening struck her and locked her out of the house. There has been trouble between Mr. and Mrs. Bayley for some time, and they have been in court airing their grievances on several occasions. Magistrate Graydon tried to arrange a separation, but no satisfactory arrangement could be made.

WANT THE DECORATIONS FOR BORDEN'S COMING

Conservatives Would Like To Have the City Illuminated Tuesday Night.

The Conservatives of the city are making an effort to have the electrical street decorations remain as they are until after the Borden demonstration on Tuesday night.

They are placed up at the order of the home guard of the Old Boys' Association, who agreed to pay the water commissioners for putting them up. So far no mention of money has been made by the Conservatives. "The matter is entirely in the hands of the Old Boys' Association," said Chairman Pocock. "We put them up at the expense of the Old Boys. If they desire to have them remain until after Tuesday it is for them to say."

For the Fair, Too. "We intend doing something for the fair, but the details have not been worked out as yet," he answered. Nothing has been said to the president of the Old Boys' Association, Col. Harry R. Abbott, nor to Ald. Mitchell, chairman of the decorations committee, concerning the Borden demonstration, though the water commission has been consulted. "It is a political demonstration," said Mitchell. "If those in charge of the party decorations will contribute something for their use, we will leave them up. We do not care to get involved in any political matter, whatever, and I think it would be reasonable if they would pay something for the use of the wires and illuminations."

Detroit Lady Hurt. Mrs. Thomas Huron, a Detroit lady, fell over an embankment at Springbank Park Saturday afternoon and received an abrasion of the scalp. She was attended by Dr. H. A. Stevenson, and brought on an automobile to the home of Mr. R. Kaitenbach, 68 Albion street, where she has been visiting.

STRIKE FEVER IS EPIDEMIC IN ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND

Savage and Fatal Rioting at Liverpool Sunday Leaves Strikers in Bitter Mood—Railwaymen Threaten to Tie Up All Roads.

[Canadian Press.]
New York, Aug. 14.—A London cable this morning to the Tribune says: "The labor situation is going from bad to worse. Strike mania is in the air. The scene at Liverpool was like a battlefield and eye-witnesses comment on the savagery of the mob and the tactics of the police imported from Birmingham. The whole city is ablaze with rage and bitter enmity and fresh trouble may break out at any moment. A Liverpool crowd is the most excitable, the most reckless and the toughest in the country, and a sectarian strife has given it a long apprenticeship in the science of rioting."

Seething With Unrest. All branches of transport workers are seething with unrest, and the great increases in wages secured in some of last week's settlements have unbalanced many of the men. At the bottom of the railway trouble, it is said, is the conciliation scheme devised by David Lloyd-George and Richard Bell in 1907. Under it agreements were made between most of the companies, and their men which should prevent all strikes until 1914, but the men are hopelessly dissatisfied with the scheme, and even the men of the railwaymen have given it a long apprenticeship in the science of rioting.

Strike Fever Epidemic. London, Aug. 14.—The strike fever has become epidemic in Great Britain. From one end of the country to the other men either have struck or are threatening to do so, and even the women and the girls in the smaller factories of the large cities are demanding better conditions of labor. The streets of London are commencing to resume their normal appearance. The van men began work early in the day in an endeavor to make up for lost time. At the docks only a portion of the men returned to work, and a good deal of uneasiness prevails, as many of the men refused to accept the settlement arranged by their leaders, and demanded unconditional surrender on the part of their employers.

The same description fits the situation at the railway stations, where many of the porters and carriers are demanding greater concessions than had been agreed upon. Great quantities of meats and provisions held up at the docks, and the railway stations last week were found when discharged this morning, to be damaged, and were taken out to sea and thrown overboard. The meat ships are being called, and the refrigerator plants started again.

Quiet at Liverpool. Quiet has been restored at Liverpool, following yesterday's rioting, when a policeman was killed and some 200 officers and civilians wounded. Reinforcements of police have been brought to the city, and they patrolled the principal streets today, dispersing the crowds whenever there was an attempt to congregate. Glasgow, where the street railwaymen are on strike, was also quiet, but the atmosphere was charged with strife, and the cars for the operation of which the city has obtained more than enough non-union drivers and conductors, were guarded by police.

Railwaymen Threaten. The railwaymen throughout the country have assumed a threatening attitude, and a complete tie-up of the railroad traffic is possible. Today the locomotive engineers adopted a resolution in favor of a national strike. This followed the action of the Second London Railwaymen employed on the Midland, Great Central and Metropolitan lines, who last night decided to call a general strike on all the surface railways and subway lines in the London district next Saturday unless their grievances were adjusted in the meantime.

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THREE REGIMENTS SENT TO LIVERPOOL

Infantry and Cavalry To Help Police Maintain Order.

London, Aug. 14.—Home Secretary Churchill announce in the House this afternoon that the Government had ordered a complete brigade of infantry and two regiments of cavalry to proceed to Liverpool. This force is considered sufficient for all emergencies, and the Government is determined to preserve order, and decided that the police in dealing with the strikers should have effective military aid.

DELAWARE LADY SAVED FROM BURNING HOME

Narrow Escape of Mrs. Dawson on Saturday Morning—Blaze a Mystery.

A brick cottage, the residence of an aged lady, Mrs. Dawson, of the village of Delaware, was burned to the ground early Saturday morning, the place having taken fire in some unknown manner while the owner, who lived alone in the place, slept.

The fire was discovered by Dr. Rice and Mr. Ed. Hotham, who were driving past after a midnight call. The residence of the building was then in flames, and as there was no person around they hastily broke in and found Mrs. Dawson sleeping in her smoke-filled room. They aroused her, and, after securing other help, succeeded in removing the greater portion of the furniture from the front skull, which still remained. He had been errand at times, but always honest until he fell this time. He was remanded for a week for a doctor to examine him as to his sanity.

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[Canadian Press.]
Toronto, Aug. 14.—Charged with the theft of 15,000 shares of Beaver Consolidated Mines stock, George H. Bourne, a bookkeeper for the company, admitted his theft in police court today. J. W. Curry, for the accused, stated that fourteen years ago he was struck on the head by a flatiron, and this had caused a depression of the skull, which still remained. He had been errand at times, but always honest until he fell this time. He was remanded for a week for a doctor to examine him as to his sanity.

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A FINE SWIM. New York, Aug. 14.—Rose Petanoff, the 16-year-old swimmer of Boston, succeeded in swimming from East 66th street Manhattan to Coney Island. Owing to swimming out of her course, she is estimated to have covered some 21 miles in making the distance of eighteen miles. She finished strong, actually sprinting at the end of her long trip. Miss Petanoff was in the water eight hours and seven minutes.

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