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THE FIRST SHOW OF STRENGTH WAS WITH THE MANUFACTURERS.

Sixty Thousand Men Have So Far Obeyed the Strike Orders --Strikers Gained Ground Monday.

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 12.—The struggle for mastery between manufacturers and men in the steel industry is now fairly launched and on the first show of strength, advantage is with the manufacturers. The general strike order issued by President Shaffer seems, so far, to have been obeyed only about 14,000 men. The first two preliminary calls were answered by about 4,000 men, so that the total number now is in the neighborhood of 60,000.

TWO MEN DROWNED; SIX LADIES ESCAPED.

Attempt of a Yachting Party to Run Gallop Rapids in Ohio. Va. Aug. 12.—(Special)—Ezra W. Clark, James Whitney, and Charles White, barber, attempted Gallop Rapids on the St. Lawrence a yachting party. They had gone a short distance when the boat struck a rock, capsized and died.

FAMILY DROWNED.

Two Daughters Swept Away by a Cloudburst. Va. Aug. 12.—Assistant Postmaster G. Pole and his family, while on a picnic, were swept away by a cloudburst. The family consisted of Pole and his wife and three aged from one to eight years, Mr. Pole and a daughter about 10 years old escaped. The bodies were recovered.

CROSS CONFERRED UPON THE FIELD MARSHAL—BODY OF DOWAGER EMPRESS MOVED TO POTSDAM.

Aug. 12.—The Court Circular that King Edward, when returning from the war, invested him with the title of Field Marshal. The body of the Dowager Empress moved to Potsdam.

STEAMER HALIFAX, OF PLANT LINE, ON A LEDGE.

The Boat Got Off and Beached Under the Walls of Fort Warren.

Boston, Aug. 12.—The Plant Line steamer Halifax, Captain Pyle, from Charlottetown, P. E. I., struck a ledge of Man's Light while coming into port, in a thick fog, early today. She freed herself, however, and was beached in a sinking condition.

A YOUNG WOMAN DROWNED AT OTTAWA.

Remains Identified as Those of Mrs. George, Who Was Deeply Religious and Eccentric. Ottawa, Aug. 12.—(Special)—The remains of a young woman, found drowned in the Ottawa river today, have been positively identified as those of Mrs. George, a lady's maid, and employed on Parliament Hill.

CANOEING PARTY WRECKED.

Quebec, Aug. 12.—(Special)—A special from St. Anne des Monts says Messrs. James and Nolan, of the Field and Stream magazine, who are on a ten thousand mile canoe trip, were wrecked nine miles below Mont Louis on Friday, losing their canoe and all their belongings. They have returned to Mont Louis.

MEASURES TO ABATE NATIONALIST OBSTRUCTION.

Significant Reference by Mr. Balfour and Mr. Chamberlain to Non-Representation of Ireland in Parliament. London, Aug. 12.—In the course of their speeches Saturday at the Unionist demonstration at Blenheim Palace, Mr. Balfour and Mr. Chamberlain alluded to the necessity of confronting parliament of taking some measures to abate Nationalist obstruction.

FINANCE MINISTER WAS INTERVIEWED AT HALIFAX, N. S.

Says Canada Now Looms Up Largely in the Eyes of Englishmen.

Halifax, Aug. 12.—(Special)—Hon. W. S. Fielding, minister of finance, arrived in the city this morning and immediately drove to Judge Townsend's home, which he and family will occupy for the summer. Hon. Mr. Fielding is well satisfied from the effects of a severe cold contracted while in Glasgow, Scotland, but looks exceedingly well and is quite brown as a result of his trip to the old country.

FOUR DAYS IN WELL AND FOUND ALIVE.

Passed 117 Hours in Pit With Fallen Sides and Thought Them Only 24. P. S. Aug. 12.—A man named Simon was working in a well at Illers, near Charlottetown, when the walls of the well collapsed, burying him.

LABORER CHOKED WHILE EATING DINNER.

Tragic Death at Brookfield Monday—Effort to Eat Hasty Meal the Cause. Truro, N. S., Aug. 12.—(Special)—Brookfield, the scene of another sudden death of a tragic nature today. John Fitzsimmons choked to death while eating dinner. He was a laborer on the trunkway being built by the Nova Scotia Steel Company at Brookfield.

ENGLISHMEN TO STUDY NEW WORLD METHODS.

Delegation Coming to Canada, as Guests of Elder-Dempster Co. for that Purpose. Montreal, Aug. 9.—(Special)—Steamer Lake Champlain due here tomorrow, has on board a delegation of Englishmen to study new world methods. They are S. H. Whitehouse, of Somerset, England; Stewart Utley, of Sheffield; Eric Cutlers, and E. A. Wanser, of Bristol Bridge, England.

CARRIE NATION SMASHES BOTTLE ON HORSEMEN.

Whiskey is Spilled Over Her Black Silk Dress and She Exclaims: "I Am Anointed With Iniquity."

Atlantic City, N. J., Aug. 12.—"Mike" Reardon, H. F. Allen and "Jim" Scanlon, Indianapolis, men who will have horses in the New York trotting races this week, came near being smashed by Carrie Nation as they travelled eastward on the Atlantic express over the Pennsylvania railroad last evening. They were in the smoking compartment of the Pullman car.

BIG MILITARY REVIEWS AT TORONTO, QUEBEC AND HALIFAX.

Demonstrations to Be Made When the Royal Visitors Come --Will Mobilize 5,000 Men at Halifax.

Ottawa, Aug. 12.—(Special)—At a meeting of the cabinet today it was decided to have military reviews at Toronto, Quebec and Halifax during the visit of the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York.

FOUR-MASTED VESSEL ASHORE NEAR BARRINGTON.

The Drunken Struck Cape Ledge on Sunday and Will Probably Be a Total Loss. Halifax, Aug. 12.—(Special)—The four-masted barkentine Drimhall, Captain Wheeler, from Dunkirk bound to New York with a load of chalk, struck on Cape Ledge, near Barrington, on Sunday.

CRISPI'S BODY ENVELOPED IN THE FLAG OF GARIBALDI.

Entire Garrison of Naples Will Participate in the Funeral Ceremony of Italy's Grand Old Man. Naples, Aug. 12.—The body of Signor Crispi was removed tonight from the death chamber to the drawing room, which had been converted into a chapel of Ardenne. It lies enveloped in the flag of Garibaldi.

HUNDRED THOUSAND FIRE STARTED BY CRAZY MAN.

Large Business Portion of Armstrong, B. C., Destroyed by Fire—Work of an Incendiary. Vancouver, Aug. 12.—(Special)—A large part of the business section of Armstrong, B. C., was burned Saturday. The total loss is \$1,000,000; insurance, \$2,000,000.

BRITISH GOVERNMENT DEFEATED.

Debate on Factory Bill—Lord Strathcona Attacked by Nationalist re Pacific Cable Bill. London, Aug. 12.—The government was defeated in the house of commons tonight in the course of the debate on the factory bill. The house supported by 183 to 141 a proposal, opposed by the government, that textile factories should close at noon, instead of 1 o'clock p. m. as now.