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THE TROUBLE IN MOROCCO INCREASES

FRANCE MAKES FORMAL DEMANDS TO THE MOROCCO GOVERNMENT

Number of Moors Killed and Wounded During Sunday's Bombardment Total 300—Moorish Troops Disarmed—Protection of City Left to Franco-Spanish Forces—Seaport of El Arish Surrounded by Tribesmen—Consulate Wants Protection.

PARIS, Aug. 7.—A special dispatch received here from Tangier says that the fighting and bombardment of Casa Blanca, according to a refugee who arrived from the steamer "Antiole," continued throughout Sunday and was still in progress when the Antiole left at six o'clock Sunday evening. The French ships fired a total of 2,000 rounds. The number of Moorish dead will run into the hundreds. The French wounded number about 120. No Frenchmen were killed.

TANGIER, Aug. 7.—The Moorish troops have been disarmed and their arms and ammunition have been deposited at the French consulate.

"ALL RED" LINE PROJECT
OTTAWA, Aug. 8.—Lord Strathcona interviewed the premier today relative to the "All Red" line project. Information as to cost, routes, advantages, etc., is being obtained by Lord Strathcona for presentation to the British Government. Both the Premier and his commission are confident of the ultimate success of the project.

posted at the French consulate. The protection of the city has been confided to the Franco-Spanish forces.

PARIS, Aug. 7.—Official advices estimate the number of Moorish killed and wounded during Sunday's bombardment of Casa Blanca at three hundred. Only one French sailor was seriously wounded.

TANGIER, Aug. 7.—The French charge d'affaires has made the following demands upon the Moroccan government.
First.—That the Moroccan authorities at Casa Blanca place themselves under the orders of the commander of the French forces.
Second.—That the security of the citizens at Fez and other places in the interior be guaranteed.
Third.—That the Moroccan authorities demand the reparation for the murder of Dr. Mauchamp.
Fourth.—That the Moroccan authorities expedite the preparation for the application of the reform agreed upon by the Algerian convention.

PARIS, Aug. 8.—The Tangier correspondent for the "Petit Parisien" says the seaport of El Arish is surrounded by tribesmen who are exasperated over the bombardment of Casa Blanca. The gates of the town have been shut. The consulates there are demanding a warship.

PARIS, Aug. 8.—Special dispatches received here from Tangier represent the situation as being more alarming on the coast and in the interior. Kaid Sale, the administrator of customs at Rabat, is said to be openly preaching a holy war among the Muslims, as a result of which the French consul has distributed arms to the Europeans.

In addition a fanatical priest named Maclouin, with a horde of followers is travelling through the littoral inflaming the anti-foreign sentiment. Reports from Fez say that the advisors of the Sultan are terrified, and have not yet informed him of the gravity of the situation.

Up to three o'clock this afternoon the foreign office had no information of the reported bombardment.

TANGIER, Aug. 8.—French sailors are guarding the British consulate at Casa Blanca, where the consuls of Germany, Austria-Hungary, United States, and Sweden have sought refuge.

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If your bowels, kidneys or skin are not ridding the system of waste-matter, the blood is laden with impurities, which inflame the nerves. It is these irritated nerves that make the head ache.

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The French Consulate was attacked by Moors during the night of August 5th. One blue jacket on guard was killed, and three badly injured.

The custom house at Casa Blanca was looted by the natives on Tuesday. Many other buildings were set on fire and destroyed.

A French gun boat, the "Cassin," which was detached from the northern squadron, now proceeding to Casa Blanca was communicated with by wireless telegraphy, and arrived here today. She will wait the orders of the French charge d'affaires, pending the arrival of the armored cruiser "Jeanne d'Arc," as the French officials here consider it not safe to send without a warship at their disposal.

The Spanish torpedo cruiser "Destructor" has arrived at this port.

A sailor of the "Du Chayla" was killed, and four others wounded. Three of them sustaining serious injuries during the recent fighting.

TANGIER, Aug. 8.—The latest news received here from Casa Blanca says the calm and order have now been established.

The military governor also requested permission to go on board a ship in the harbor, but was refused. He fears for his personal safety, and although money has been sent from here to pay the troops, the governor, that the men are ready to sweep down on the town at the first opportunity.

TANGIER, Aug. 8.—The Angera tribesmen were firing two miles from Tangier at 11.30 tonight. The European residents, including the British minister, General A. L. Lowther and his family have left their mountain dwellings and have returned to the town.

TANGIER, Aug. 8.—The horrors of the looting of Casa Blanca by the native tribesmen are becoming known today, and their recitals are instilling the minds of the natives against all Europeans. The situation in the various coast towns is worse. The natives are excited. A holy war is being preached.

No further details have been received as to the bombardment of Magazan. It is reported from Mogador that the fanatical priest, is marching on Mogador at the head of 800 excited followers. Four French warships passed here this morning on the way to Casa Blanca. The greatest anxiety prevails here regarding the situation in the various coast towns.

MADRID, Aug. 8.—According to official advices received here, everything is quiet at Casa Blanca. The Spanish cruiser "Rio Delaplata" has

been instructed to go direct to Tangier and embark the officer instructors of the Franco-Spanish police and convey them to Casa Blanca.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—A long dispatch has been received here from an eye witness of the recent events at Casa Blanca. It is dated Aug. 8. The writer says that Saturday and Sunday passed perfectly quiet in Casa Blanca, the military governor having ordered the soldiers to guard the town from Arab attack. "There were a number of Arabs 12 miles distant," the writer goes on, "but a majority of them had returned to their interrupted harvesting."

"We all retired to rest with quiet minds. At four o'clock on Monday morning, however, we were suddenly alarmed by a summons to repair to the British consulate, owing to the fact from the 'Gallies' that it was intended to land a force and occupy the town at five o'clock. It was understood that the 'Gallies' had been in wireless communication with the other warship and had received instructions to get a party."

TANGIER, Aug. 9.—News has been received here that Arab tribesmen, who had gathered from the surrounding country to the number of five or six thousands, swept down upon General Drupe camp outside Casa Blanca yesterday afternoon.

They were driven off with considerable loss. Later they renewed the attack, and were again repulsed.

The French troops were in splendid condition and spirits.

The warships supported them during this attack by keeping up a steady shell fire on the horsemen.

When the French consul from Casa Blanca arrived here today, he received a letter from Muley Amin, the military governor of Casa Blanca, officially approving the action of the French forces, and asking the aid of France in inflicting punishment upon the agitators.

The latest advices received here do not confirm the reported bombardment of Magazan.

Advice from Mogador dated August 7th say that every thing was quiet there and that no trouble was apprehended unless European complexities should result from the bombardment of Casa Blanca.

Morocco city is reported quiet.

Consulates Guarded by Machine Guns

CASA BLANCA, Aug. 9.—The Moors last night made an attempt to invade Casa Blanca, but were repulsed with heavy losses. The fire from the warships. All the Consulates here, are now guarded by machine guns.

TELEGRAPHERS' STRIKE NOW UNIVERSAL

SIXTEEN HUNDRED TELEGRAPH OPERATORS ARE ON STRIKE IN CHICAGO

Operators Quit Work at Cleveland, Cincinnati, Salt Lake City, Helena, Kansas City, Birmingham, New Orleans, Denver, Butte, Los Angeles and Colorado Springs. President Interviewed Says: "Strike is too Delicate to Talk About."

From Saturday's Morning Leader
At the meeting tonight of the executive board of the local branch of the telegraphers' union, a resolution was adopted, declaring that it was the sense of that body, and the Western Union telegraph company, that no member of that body should work with an office where men are on strike. If such an order should be put in force by the national office, at a meeting of telegraphers throughout the country.

CHICAGO, Aug. 9.—Promptly at midnight, a whistle was blown, and a signal for the men to quit work, and with a cheer everyone, but some of the chiefs left the operating room.

Union Card and Postal Operators Called Out
CHICAGO, Aug. 9.—At a meeting of telegraphers today, a motion was passed ultimately deciding to call out every operator who has a union card.

CHICAGO, Aug. 9.—The operators of the Postal Telegraph Co., have been called out.

CHICAGO, Aug. 9.—The operators of the Postal Telegraph Co., 500 in number struck tonight at 8 o'clock. The 1,000 men out in the various offices of the Western Union makes 1,500 men now on strike in this city.

At a meeting of the operators held this morning on the way to Casa Blanca, a resolution was unanimously passed, declaring that every operator should be called out. The debate on this motion occupied the entire time of the meeting. The adjournment was taken as soon as the move was decided upon.

Denver and Colorado Springs Strike
COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Aug. 9.—The local force of clerks and operators at the Western Union office went on strike this afternoon.

DENVER, Colo., Aug. 9.—All of the Western Union operators walked out at 2.15 this afternoon. The immediate cause was the strike in Chicago. Mr. Ayresworth did not press the bill through the Commons. Consequently the Ontario act, which was the sole legislative competence left the right to dissolve marriage.

Similarly, a provincial act, which was the age at which minors can be legally married without the consent of their parents is open to the charge of being ultra vires, but it has never been disallowed by the Federal Government.

President Commercial Union Interviewed
CALIFORNIA, Cal., Aug. 9.—S. J. Small, the National President of the Commercial Telegraphers' Union, was found in this city this afternoon, and submitted to a brief interview. He was reluctant to saying anything. "The strike," he said, "is too delicate to say anything about. Mrs. Nichols, is, of course the storm centre of the strike, and she and the company officers of the Company Francisco for what has happened."

The latter have not lived up to the agreement adopted two weeks ago. When an investigation is made something extremely sensational will come out. "The strike is spreading. We have advices from operators in the following cities, in addition to Los Angeles, that are out. Chicago, Helena, Cleveland, Cincinnati, Salt Lake, Kansas City, Birmingham, Ala., New Orleans, Denver, and Butte. These represent about 2,000 operators."

Oakland operators want to go out, but we are holding them back. We expect, however, that the whole trouble will be settled in two or three days."

President Clowry, of the Western Union Telegraph Co., will have the facts before him in 24 hours and may settle it at once.

I cannot say anything about our demands, for everything is in a chaotic condition at present.

Spokane Ready to Strike
SPOKANE, Aug. 9.—The Western Union operators in Spokane may walk out any minute. It is stated that the messages being sent through Helena to Portland are not being rushed owing to sympathetic operators in Portland. Because of this the line may be used through Helena to Spokane instead of Portland, in which case Spokane will walk out in a body.

Kansas Operators Join Strikers
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 9.—Practically the entire night force of the operators in the Western Union struck when the time for going to work arrived, joining the day operators.

Denver Operators Approve
DENVER, Aug. 9.—As soon as word came from Chicago that the operators in the Western Union office there, had gone on strike at midnight, a petition was started among the operators in the Western Union offices in this city, which petition, and also stated that under no condition would the local men work with non-union operators in the Chicago or Los Angeles offices.

New Orleans Postal Operators Strike
NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 9.—All the New Orleans postal telegraph operators, numbering about sixty, left their work tonight pending the arrival at the office of Supr. W. A. Fortunes.

Port Worth Operators Walk Out
PORT WORTH, Texas, Aug. 9.—All Western Union telegraph operators walked out on strike tonight.

REPORT ALBERTA COAL COMMISSION

GIVES SYNOPSIS OF EVIDENCE AND RECOMMENDATIONS BY THE COMMISSIONERS

EDMONTON, Aug. 9.—The report of the Alberta Coal Commission was published today. The report contains a synopsis of the evidence and several recommendations by the commissioners as follows:

A closer inspection of some of the smaller mines.
A reduction of the number of boys employed in the mines to 16 years.
The minimum age of boys employed in the mines to be 16 years.

All necessary timber for the use of miners to be brought as near to the working face as practicable, and in no case further away than the nearest cross cut in the working face.

The distance between the first and second openings to the mine should not be less than one hundred feet.

Inspection reports should be posted at the mines.

The government should make every effort to induce individuals and companies who are able to do so, to keep a supply of coal on hand and stored during the summer for winter use.

Compensation for injuries to be decided by special commission from which there can be no appeal.

Legislation compelling the erection and leasing of warehouses, which would enable agents and dealers to better finance the purchase and storage of coal during the slack season.

Legislation compelling the furnishing of cars to shippers in Alberta.

Reciprocal demurrage is suggested.

LUMBER COMBINE ACTION
EDMONTON, Alta., Aug. 7.—The attorney general of Alberta is preparing the information to be sworn against the lumber combine alleged to exist in the province. The action against the Retail Lumber Association will be taken as soon as the council of the government is secured. Hon. Frank Oliver left this afternoon for Calgary and the Pacific Coast.

Minors' Marriage Act
OTTAWA, Ont., Aug. 7.—It is very doubtful if the act of the Ontario legislature passed last session, and under which proceedings are now being taken in the Ontario high court to annul the marriage of Ellen Maria Fasken and Harry Parr of Wellington County is the legislative competence of the province. Just at the close of the session of the Federal House a bill was introduced by Mr. (Minister of Justice) at the request of the provincial government to confirm the provincial act referred to, but owing to the fact that the bill was raised to the bill by one of the members from Quebec and the probability that it would not be withdrawn, the bill was not pressed through the Commons. Consequently the Ontario act, which was the sole legislative competence left the right to dissolve marriage.

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Canada's Whiskey Free from Drugs
INLAND REVENUE DEPARTMENT
ISSUES ANALYSIS OF WHISKY SOLD IN PROVINCES

OTTAWA, Aug. 8.—A bulletin issued from the laboratory department of the inland revenue gives results of the analysis of samples of spirituous liquors, collected from different points in the provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan.

The immediate cause of the inspection was the reported death of some persons who were thought to have been poisoned by the use of adulterated liquors. Two samples were retained at public bars, and represented the average whiskey sold in the two provinces.

No drugs or poisonous additions of any kind were found in the liquors. Canada has no legally established spirit strength for alcoholic liquors, taking the basis of the British standard of 75 per cent. proof, as the limit of reduction by water. Four samples in Saskatchewan, and 30 in Alberta, were within two degrees of 25 per cent. proof. 12 samples in Saskatchewan, and 5 in Alberta, were about 75 degrees. In Saskatchewan 43 per cent. of the number of samples examined were found to be equal to, or above 75 per cent. proof strength, and in Alberta 88 per cent.

Hunting Big Game in Luxury

A visit to South and Central Africa will show why great game has been thinned out so alarmingly that leopards and giraffe are now rarely seen south of the Zambesi. It is merely due to a dozen marauding raiders in order that Cecil Rhodes' dream of 8,000 miles of track between Cape Town and the north-western frontier.

One may now enter a train of palaces cars at Cape Town and travel 2,000 miles straight to the great Zambezi river that divides the dark continent in two. Not even the mighty falls stay the transcontinental road.

It is carried across the gorge 400 feet deep by a steel bridge, and a little beyond the traveler is amazed to find the magnificent five-story Grand Hotel, with 100 bedrooms, electric lights, and elevators and fans, damp lights, and amid savage scenery. From the windows of this strange of hotels one may shoot rhinoceros and giraffe, lion and leopard and hippo, and to mention twenty different kinds of antelope, from the immense hump-backed down to the little harebeest and impala.

It is the famous and costly "Big Game Limited" that whisks one into the savage whirls of Africa. Little more than fifteen years ago the 750,000 square miles of Rhodesia had not a mile of railroad. Then came that fatal cattle plague known as the rinderpest, which denuded the country of even the most primitive means of transport, and on top of this the Matabele rebellion of 1896, which resulted in terrible slaughter of the whites.

These two causes led to great activity of railroad building in the vast territory to which Cecil Rhodes gave his name, and the last 228 miles from Palatine to Bulawayo, were laid in the incredibly short space of three and a half months. Then it was that the old coaching days in this part of Africa passed away forever.

It is not until Bulawayo is reached that even the larger antelopes are seen from the car windows. Within a few miles of this boom town of the empire, the wild, rocky Matopos hills where eleven years ago Cecil Rhodes was unarmored and almost alone to talk over the fate of the savages to Here too, imbedded in the solid granite lies Cecil Rhodes' body.

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NOTORIOUS TRAIN ROBBER ESCAPES

BILL MINER, THE ONLY MAN THAT EVER HELP UP TRAIN IN CANADA ESCAPES

NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C., Aug. 9.—Bill Miner, the most notorious train hold-up man on the continent, the only man who ever held up a train in Canada, escaped from the penitentiary here, shortly after four o'clock this afternoon.

He was accompanied in his flight by Clarke, McCloskey and Woods, three other convicts with whom he was working in a brick yard at the penitentiary when his escape was made.

The entire police and penitentiary force, together with as many officers from Vancouver as could be spared, and the provincial police are searching for him, but he has not yet been captured.

Bill Miner was the leader of the gang that held up the Canadian Pacific Railway train at Mission on October 19. On that occasion they got away, but without the goods they expected to get. A second attempt proved less successful over a year ago, and Miner and his crew were captured by the North West Mounted Police.

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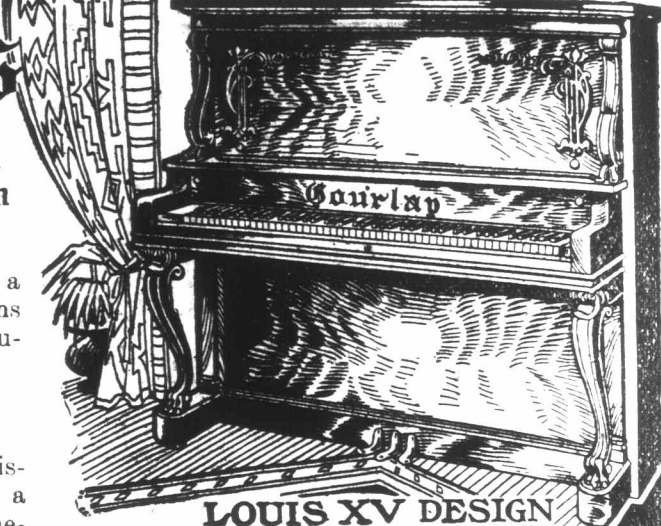
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thence onward to Lake Tanganyika. His restless ambition hoped that, meanwhile the British government would be pushing south through the swamps and forests of the upper Nile, and thus gradually a Cape to Cairo railway, all British, would become an accomplished fact.

It is worth noting that the 180 miles from Salisbury to Gwelo traversed by the Big Game Limited were laid while the Boer war was actually raging on Rhodesia's borders, so that the contractors had another formidable enemy added to those already existing, which ranged from man-eating lions, who terrorized their laborers, to the destructive white ants, which bored through and destroyed all