

Peary Also Cables That He Has Found the North Pole

A SECOND AMERICAN EXPLORER WINS TO THE TOP OF THE WORLD

Lieutenant Peary Duplicates Cook's Feat, Finding the Pole on April the Sixth of This Year.

WORLD STUNNED WITH AMAZEMENT

Announces That His Ship Roosevelt Is Safe and That He Will Arrive at Chateau Bay September 7 and Cable a Full Story of His Journey to the North.

South Harpswell, Maine, Sept. 6.—Commander Robert E. Peary announced his success in discovering the North Pole to his wife, who is summing at Eagle Island, via Cape Ray, Sept. 6, 1909.—Mrs. R. E. Peary, South Harpswell, Maine: Have made good at last. I have the pole. Am well. Love. Will wire from Chateau. (Signed), BERT.

In reply Mrs. Peary sent the following dispatch: "South Harpswell, Maine, Sept. 6.—Commander R. E. Peary, steamer Roosevelt, Chateau Bay: All well. Best love. God bless you. Hurry home."

(Signed), JO.

The announcement of Commander Peary, that he has discovered the North Pole, holds the attention of the entire civilized world. Whatever question of priority is made between the claims of Commander Peary and Dr. Cook, there can be no doubt that to the United States belongs the distinction and unquestionable credit of discovering the North Pole.

The remarkable coincidence of the news of two such colossal achievements, coming within five days of each other, and years of fruitless effort, is one of the most remarkable coincidences in history.

WHO WAS THE FIRST?

The question of priority in reaching the pole is now absorbing America. That Peary will claim to be the first discoverer appears to be definitely assured from the following facts. First, formal announcement has been telegraphed from Indian Harbor, Labrador, to all principal American and geographical societies of all nations, including Japan and Brazil, specifically announcing that "The North Pole was discovered April 6 by the Peary Arctic Club expedition under command of Commander Peary."

PEARY BELIEVED.

Second, a London dispatch received from St. Johns, Nfld., states that Commander Peary claims that he was the first man to reach the North Pole.

Aids from the question of priority, Commander Peary's announcement of reaching the pole appears to be universally accepted throughout the United States and the world at large, by scientists as well as the general public, and there is an absence of the doubt and skepticism which greeted Dr. Cook's announcement. There is, however, apparent reserve of judgment on the question of priority between the two explorers.

Dr. Cook, in an interview at Copenhagen today, says he is the "first to shout Hurrah for Peary." If he has telegraphed an announcement that he has reached the pole, then it is true, and I congratulate him.

Dr. Cook also states that he does not want any controversy. No further word direct from Peary has been received today, nor can there be any further word from him until he reaches Chateau Bay, Labrador, tonight or tomorrow.

The capitals and great cities throughout the world continue to stir up excitement and admiration for the achievement by which America has solved the problem of centuries.

First to Reach It.

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New York, Sept. 7.—While Commander Peary on board the steamer Roosevelt is on his way from Indian Harbor, Labrador, to Chateau Bay, on the Straits of Davis, his friends are anxiously waiting for the details of his successful trip to the North Pole, of which he gave a brief but stirring message yesterday.

The stars and stripes had been nailed to the North Pole. Chateau Bay is the nearest point to Indian Harbor, where Commander Peary is, and the telegraph line by which to tell to the world the story of his dash to the pole. The Roosevelt was due at Chateau Bay this afternoon, and Commander Peary reaches there he probably will send confirmation of his first message and tell for the first time how he achieved the goal that has been his ambition for so many years.

Indian Harbor is connected with the rest of the world only by wireless telegraph and a full story of the trip could hardly be expected from that distant station. The number of messages received from that station, both from Commander Peary and his companions on his Arctic voyage show that every effort was made to inform eager friends and associates.

The latest word to come across the gap spanned by the wireless from Indian Harbor to Cape Ray, Newfoundland, was received today by Secretary of the Peary Arctic Club of that city. In this message Commander Peary requested Mr. Bridgman to inform the geographical societies throughout the world that the Peary Arctic expedition had reached the pole. His friends in this city regard it as characteristic of Commander Peary that he should give credit of his achievement to the club that bears his name, and which aided him in undertaking his task. The last time when his funds were low and assistance was needed more than ever before.

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HAS GOOD ATTENDANCE

Seven Hundred and Fifty Begin

Studies, But Roll Will

Be Increased.

The Collegiate opened this morning with an attendance of 750 students.

This is about the same as last year, and it is expected that the total roll will be greatly increased before Oct. 1st.

All the teachers were in their places. The classes were organized and the students notified as to what books to purchase, and such matters.

"There were 750 students reported," said Principal McCutcheon. "This is practically the same number as last year. There will be many more than this before the term is well under way. In October, 1908, there were 853 in attendance. I am not anticipating there will be many more than last year in attendance. The addition of two new classrooms will be of great advantage to us and will relieve the pressure."

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HARRIMAN SUFFERS FROM SERIOUS RELAPSE

New York Is Again Startled by Report That Financier Is Very Weak.

Arden, N. Y., Sept. 7.—All the alarming rumors regarding the condition of Edward H. Harriman have been revived, following the relapse of Sunday night.

Dr. W. G. Lyle, Mr. Harriman's physician, calls the attack acute indigestion. In his statement last night he said that there are other physicians attending him besides Dr. Lyle. One result of the news has been a swift reassembling of the newspaper representatives.

It was said today that although the progress of Mr. Harriman's latest attack has been arrested, his temperature remains high, and he is exceedingly weak.

The best information is that he is in bed, and although no confirmation of the report from the house, little doubt is felt here that there are other physicians attending him besides Dr. Lyle.

Whether these doctors remain constantly at his side, or only make frequent trips from New York, has not been ascertained. On account of the patient's long illness, and his extreme weakness, there are fears that his life may be in danger from mere exertion.

Talk of an operation has been revived, but there is nothing definite to support such a rumor. It is pretty definitely established that for a week prior to this last attack Mr. Harriman's condition was reassuring.

It was learned today that he showed active interest in the stock market, and in his trotting horses.

A pugacious individual, who was looking for trouble in the vicinity of the Grand Trunk station yesterday afternoon, and said he wanted to fight, the man hit him twice and sent him sprawling. When he got up the man immediately knocked him down, and this time he was seriously injured.

The would-be pug did not arise at the count of ten, twenty or thirty. He was carried over to the Grand Trunk station, and it was nearly fifteen minutes before he came around. For another ten minutes he was "groggy," and finally made his way off home, with all the fight taken out of him.

PLAQUE AT AMOY.
Amoy, China, Sept. 6.—During the fortnight ending last Saturday, there were 94 bubonic, and 35 cholera deaths in the city of Amoy, according to an official announcement made today.

THE WEATHER.
TOMORROW—FINE.
FORECASTS.
Toronto, Sept. 7.—8 a.m. Moderate northerly winds, shifting to easterly; fine and comparatively cool today and on Wednesday.

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The pressure is comparatively low in the Western Provinces and in Eastern Canada, and highest over the lake region.

The weather has been everywhere fine, except that a few light showers are reported from the Lower St. Lawrence Valley.

HOLIDAY DRUNKS
Nothing More Serious Than That at Police Court Yesterday.

At yesterday's session of the police court holiday drunks were practically all that Magistrate Beattie had to deal with. Richard Ross, for being drunk, was fined \$2, and Ira Halliday, on a similar charge, paid the same amount.

Frank Emerson, charged with being drunk, and Ralph Colborne, charged with being drunk and disorderly, were bailed until Sept. 7. William Probst, drunk, and Edward Crowder, drunk and disorderly, were also bailed until Sept. 7.

MRS. MCCLARY DEAD AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Wife of Mr. John McClary Passed Away This Morning at the Family Residence.

After an illness extending over more than a year, Mrs. Mary Jane McClary, wife of Mr. John McClary, died at the family residence, McClary avenue, this morning. Mrs. McClary was about 70 years of age, and came to this country from Houlton, Devonshire, England, 60 years ago with her father, the late Mr. Pavay. She was married to Mr. McClary 43 years ago, and besides her husband is survived by five brothers, Messrs. Edwin and Eli Pavay, of St. Thomas; Albert and Harry, of this city, and Charles, of New York, and a sister, Mrs. W. T. Cranston, of the new minister of Temple, will preach the funeral. The funeral will be strictly private.

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EAST END CITIZEN ROBBED BOUND AND GAGED IN HOME

Mr. William Nichols Attacked by Four Men Last Night Who Truss Him Up and Ransack His Pockets and the House.

William Nichols, 750 Walker street, one of the last thoroughfares within the southern limits of the city in the east end, was assaulted, bound, gagged and robbed by four men, who broke into his home last evening while he was alone.

Nichols was in a semi-conscious state until after 4 o'clock this morning, when he managed to open the door and make his way across the road to the residence of Mr. T. W. Temple, of 748 Walker street, on the opposite side of Carson Lane, where the ropes were cut.

His hands were tied behind his back, his legs bound, and he was bleeding about the face when Mr. Temple discovered him bumping at the door.

Mr. Nichols stated that he was alone in the house last night, when the four men broke open the door and aroused him.

He declares that they demanded money, and when it was not forthcoming, one of them dealt him a heavy blow on the forehead with a stick.

Nichols was stunned, and was unable to do anything to protect himself, when one of the men secured a rope and bound his arms behind his back. His legs were also secured, and while he was lying on the floor, it is said, they kicked him about the face and body in a brutal manner.

Rifled His Pockets.
His pockets were rifled, and the house searched. Little or nothing was secured, as the victim had but a trifle over two dollars in his possession.

"How he managed to make his way over to my house, bound as he was, is a mystery to me," Mr. Temple told The Advertiser. "Shortly after 4 o'clock I heard the noise at the back door and asked who was there. When I learned who it was, I went out and untied the ropes. Nichols was badly cut, and his eyes were swollen up, and blackened. He told me what had happened, but he did not know any of the men."

The police have not as yet been notified, but the matter will be reported.

MEW MODERATOR IS REV. S. D. JAMIESON
Large Attendance at the London Presbytery Meeting This Morning.

The Presbytery of London met this morning at 10:30 in the First Presbyterian Church, of this city, a very large number of preachers and laymen being present. Rev. S. D. Jamieson, of Newbury, was elected the new moderator, and thanked the presbytery for the honor. The following elders were received by the presbytery for the current year: John A. McNeil, Melbourne; Wm. Munro, Mosca; John H. Elliott, Westminster; John A. Gunn, M.A., St. Andrews; London; Mr. Fisher, Hyde Park; and others. Rev. M. L. Leitch, formerly of Stratford, was transferred to the Presbytery of Rock Lake. The Rev. John Burnett, of Moleworth, having accepted the call to Dorchester and Crumlin, his induction was appointed to take place at Crumlin on the 23rd inst. at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The moderator of the presbytery, Rev. S. D. Jamieson, will preside; Mr. Henderson will address the minister; Dr. Munro, the people; and Rev. W. T. Cranston, the new minister of Temple, will preach the sermon. The stipend is \$550, with manse and four weeks' holidays.

Students' Licensing.
Rev. A. Henderson moved a reconsideration of the regulations in regard to licensing of students, so that student will no longer be required to appear before the presbytery a week before the meeting of presbytery at which he is to be licensed. The motion was carried, after a lively discussion taken part in by Mr. Henderson, Mr. Inkster, Dr. Macdonald, Dr. Ross and Mr. Stuart.

Dr. Barnett reported for the augmentation committee, that all the aid-receiving congregations had been communicated with, all the congregations save one reporting that the yearly stipend had been paid as agreed. On receiving this assurance the necessary augmentative checks were sent out. The report was adopted.

The certificate of the Rev. W. A. Martin, late of Exeter, was received, and as Mr. Martin is living within the bounds of the Presbytery, it was moved and carried that his name be added to the appendix of the roll as a minister without a charge.

Joseph D. McCrae was certified to the university as a student with the ministry in view.

The session then adjourned till the afternoon.

Among those present were Rev. Messrs. H. Mackay, London Junction; Jas. Argo, Ivan, J. G. Inkster, London; W. L. Nichols, Langrie; J. G. Stuart, John Currie, T. H. Mitchell, London; W. Moffat, London, and Drs. McDonald, Mosca; Dr. Ross, London; Dr. Munro, Birt; Dr. Barnett, Kintyre, and Dr. McCrae, Westminster, and A. Henderson.

A BUSY COUNCIL TONIGHT
Several Matters of Unusual Importance To Be Discussed

WOODS' FAIR J. M. THOMSON'S WOODS' FAIR

Getting Ready for the Big Fair Week

This week we are giving special discounts to hotels, restaurants, or to those having booth privileges at the fair grounds. All supplies, such as Crockery, Glassware, Cutlery, Table Napkins, Dinner Sets, Toilet Sets, etc., included.

We also rent dishes at reasonable prices. Call and get our prices.

Togo Parlor Matches, 3 Boxes for 10c.
The Togo is one of the best Parlor Matches made, put up 500 in a box and usually sold at 5c box. Our price Wednesday, 3 boxes for **10c**
Linen Towels, 10 each.
10 dozen Linen Towels, plain or fringed edge. Great bargain, Wednesday, each **10c**
Ladies' Underskirts, 75c each.
Ladies' Fine Lonsdale Underskirts, made in three different styles, deep flounce, full-gored skirt, rows of insertion and cluster tucks, finished with frill of embroidery. Wednesday **75c**

OUR WALL PAPER
down with new, up-to-date fall designs. Everything from the kitchen to the elaborate parlor papers.
Call and see our Oil Linen Window Shades at **35c** complete.
Jelly Glasses 2 for 5c
Gas Tubing, foot 4c
Step-ladder, foot 12c
4-Piece White Toilet Set \$1.15

COME IN AND SEE OUR NEW CHINA.
Our new China is beginning to arrive. Lots of it now displayed on our basement tables. Take a look in and see it.

WOODS' FAIR J. M. THOMSON'S WOODS' FAIR

Corset Covers, 2 for 25c.
Corset Covers, made with full front, neck trimmed with lace and baby ribbon, taped waist, all sizes. Wednesday **2 for 25c**
Ladies' Embroidered Handkerchiefs, 15c each.
50 dozen manufacturer's seconds in Ladies' Embroidered Handkerchiefs, with hemstitched borders. Regular 25c and 35c. Wednesday price, each **15c**

Basement.
Granite Preserve Kettles, 6, 8 and 10 quart. Wednesday price **25c**
Japanese Bread and Butter Plates, nice decoration. Regular 15c. Wednesday price **2 for 15c**

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UMBRELLAS 50c.
Boys' and Girls' School Umbrellas, very durable covers and strong steel frames. Wednesday price **50c**
LEADER TOILET PAPER 7 ROLLS 25c.
The Leader is a splendid Paper, each roll weighing full 5 ounces, and sold regularly for 5c roll. Our price, Wednesday, 7 rolls **25c**

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THE Dignity of Labor.
"On a day like this and in a country such as ours, it is natural that the importance and dignity of labor should hold a foremost place in our thoughts. If the sentence pronounced upon Father Adam for his sin of disobedience, were left to human reason alone to interpret, the result would have been mental and the workers' lot a dismal one indeed. But Joseph, the Carpenter, and His Divine Son, in their own persons supplied mankind with the true interpretation of Adam's sentence, and set the seal of dignity upon honest labor. That tribute it was the duty of the church to preserve down through the centuries; and even in the much-maligned middle ages labor received honor and tribute, thanks chiefly to the Fraternities, or bridge-building brotherhoods. These were religious associations founded for the purpose of building bridges, and the products of their skill are to be seen to this day along the roads in England and France. As titular head of these brotherhoods, the pope was styled supreme pontiff, or chief bridge-builder—the word pontif being derived from the two Latin words, "pons," a bridge, and "facere," to build. It was this union of labor and religion that fostered the spirit of co-operation and rendered self-denial popular.

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The Claims of Labor.
The recognition of the claims of labor to special consideration from the Government was of comparatively recent growth in this country. We had commissions of investigation into labor questions from time to time, ending with a very elaborate and prolonged inquiry in 1886. I have never been able to find out exactly what came of them. It was not until Sir William Mulock established in 1900 a special department of labor that the machinery was created whereby the Government could give proper and continuous attention to labor questions. The rapid growth and expansion of the department since then is familiar to all. It is safe to say that there is now no department of the Government where activities are better known to the people at large. I am not going to detain you with any account of the process by which the department attained to that position, but I would like very briefly to recapitulate what the department is engaged in doing today.

The Lemieux Act.
(1) It has evolved very elaborate and extensive machinery, and placed the same at the disposal of the public for the purpose of facilitating the settlement of strikes and lockouts. Its work in this connection is known throughout the length and breadth of Canada. It is impossible here and now to describe this machinery or to refer to its results. It is enough to say that during the two years that have elapsed since the Lemieux act came into force, over 60 strikes have been prevented, with perfect satisfaction to all the parties concerned. The saving effected thereby is probably to be estimated in millions. This legislation, which may justly claim to be unique of its kind, has excited interest throughout the entire industrial world. We have had special commissioners looking into the manner of working from Great Britain, the United States, and Mexico. In fact, they say, is the sincerest form of flattery, and several states of the American Union, as well as New South Wales and the Transvaal, are placing similar legislation on their statute books. Canada is not given to boasting, but we think an achievement like that is something of which to be proud.

(2) The department publishes in the Labor Gazette a detailed industrial chronicle covering the whole of Canada from month to month. The Gazette contains the latest statistics with reference to all subjects of interest to labor, such as trade disputes, industrial accidents, immigration, etc., etc. The latest publications of importance from an industrial or labor standpoint are reviewed, and a summary given of recent legal decisions affecting labor, as well as the results of numerous special investigations conducted by the department. Every city in the Dominion has a correspondent to the Gazette, and the department is brought in this way into close touch with every section of Canada. The Gazette is sold for 2c cents a year, and is a most valuable charge place-earner in the land.

(3) The fair wages resolution of 1900, which requires that a fair-wages schedule be inserted in every contract awarded by the Government, is administered by the department, two special officers being constantly employed in the preparation of the schedules and their enforcement.

(4) One of the chief functions of the department is to supply information of an expert character on all questions appertaining to labor. In this connection, an extensive collection of publications has been brought together and classified. The department has a heavy correspondence with the general public in answer to inquiries on economic and industrial subjects. In addition, as you are aware, it has conducted several very important inquiries, under commission into questions such as Oriental immigration, conditions in certain industries or in certain sections of the country. In short, it has been a standing organization for the education of the people on labor questions and the dissemination of knowledge, the lack of which is among the most fruitful sources of misunderstandings in the industrial world.

Now, I must not detain you any longer on a holiday like this recounting details with which you are all more or less familiar. I only want to assure you that the Government of this country is alive to its responsibilities towards labor. We cannot expect that everyone will think we are always right, but at least we are trying to be right. We are, at any rate, not idle, and perhaps the most significant proof we have given of this fact. As you all know, the portfolio of labor was first attached to the office of the Postmaster-General, for the reason that Sir William Mulock, the first minister of labor, was postmaster-general at the time the department was created. Six months ago, this, however, has now been radically changed. For the first time in the history of Canada, the cabinet contains a minister of labor who is probably the one individual by the title of his portfolio. In other words, labor has been recognized as a big enough interest to have a minister of its own. Mr. Mackenzie King has made the great reputation which he enjoys as a student and exponent of labor conditions. I believe that I am within your judgment when I say that his elevation to the cabinet to fill the new portfolio has given universal satisfaction. The Government itself, accordingly, may be said to be celebrating this labor day in a unique manner; it is the first time that the Government has ever been able, on this, the national holiday of labor, to send its message to the working people of Canada, through a department and a portfolio especially dedicated to the interests of labor. Let me thank you once more for having given me the opportunity of being the bearer of that message to the good people of London.

The Sports.
The programme of sports was one of the finest ever witnessed in Queen's Park, and every event on the programme was keenly contested. The motorcycle race, the second that has been held in this city, proved immensely popular and at times the stands rose en masse to cheer the contestants. At the finish, Mason, the winner, had the satisfaction of knowing that he had clipped 17 seconds off the Canadian record for five miles by making the time in 8 minutes and 2 seconds. A. Thorpe, who finished second, covered the distance in

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The Baby Show.
A feature of the day of general interest was the baby show. Between 90 and 100 of London's future citizens of all sizes and shades, were taken to the judges' platform by their mothers and then it was discovered that one of the judges was missing. Harry Clark called for a volunteer judge, but no man being available, Mrs. Gibson was selected, and with Mr. Clark, undertook the judging of the infants.

They picked upon Bernice Pearce, of 438 Central avenue, as the prize baby, and Kathleen Meters, of 732 York street, was awarded second prize. The remainder of the contestants were allowed to draw lots and those holding lucky numbers, each received handsome silver cups, spoons and other articles as souvenirs.

A Fancy Drill.
During the afternoon, Uniformed Rank, No. 1, of the Woodmen of the World, in command of Captain T. Lean, gave an exhibition of fancy drill in front of the stands that was greatly appreciated and showed the most careful training on the part of the men in the ranks.

The Two Mile Race.
The two mile running race for the handsome silver trophy, offered by the cigarmakers, was won for the third time by C. V. Adams, and becomes his property. Mr. Adams made the distance in eleven minutes and twenty-eight seconds, beating his nearest competitor, A. Ashford, by 21-2 seconds.

Not on Programme.
The watermelon contest failed to materialize, owing to the onslaught made by scores of small boys on the man who was carrying the melons to the platform. The lady crowded around the man and pushed and shoved so that the bag fell to the ground and chunks of watermelon rolled in every direction only to be pounced upon by voracious youngsters, who got outside of the fruit in a little less than a time.

Sweet Music.
The Seventh Regiment band, in command of Bandmaster Slatter, was in attendance and rendered an excellent programme of music during the afternoon.

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A feature of the day of general interest was the baby show. Between 90 and 100 of London's future citizens of all sizes and shades, were taken to the judges' platform by their mothers and then it was discovered that one of the judges was missing. Harry Clark called for a volunteer judge, but no man being available, Mrs. Gibson was selected, and with Mr. Clark, undertook the judging of the infants.

They picked upon Bernice Pearce, of 438 Central avenue, as the prize baby, and Kathleen Meters, of 732 York street, was awarded second prize. The remainder of the contestants were allowed to draw lots and those holding lucky numbers, each received handsome silver cups, spoons and other articles as souvenirs.

A Fancy Drill.
During the afternoon, Uniformed Rank, No. 1, of the Woodmen of the World, in command of Captain T. Lean, gave an exhibition of fancy drill in front of the stands that was greatly appreciated and showed the most careful training on the part of the men in the ranks.

The Two Mile Race.
The two mile running race for the handsome silver trophy, offered by the cigarmakers, was won for the third time by C. V. Adams, and becomes his property. Mr. Adams made the distance in eleven minutes and twenty-eight seconds, beating his nearest competitor, A. Ashford, by 21-2 seconds.

Not on Programme.
The watermelon contest failed to materialize, owing to the onslaught made by scores of small boys on the man who was carrying the melons to the platform. The lady crowded around the man and pushed and shoved so that the bag fell to the ground and chunks of watermelon rolled in every direction only to be pounced upon by voracious youngsters, who

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MEETINGS.

REGULAR COMMUNION OF CORINTHIANS LODGE, 330, A. F. and A. M. this (Tuesday) evening, Third degree. Official visit of R. W. Bro. J. W. Wallace, D. G. M. Visitors welcome. W. Bro. H. C. Simpson, secretary, 713, Queen, W. M.

STAR LODGE, A. O. U. W., THIS (Tuesday) evening, Albion building. Omer Colerick, M. W.; John J. Dalton, recorder.

MR. J. HIXON, IRVING CONTINUES his Bible addresses in Gospel Hall, Hamilton road, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings this week.

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SOUTHCOTT—A son, to Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Southcott, 306 Simcoe street, a son.

DEATHS.

McCLARY—Mary Jane Pavey, wife of John McClary, in her 70th year. Funeral private. Please do not send flowers.

TURNER—In London Township, on Sept. 6, 1909, Mary J., widow of the late Wm. Turner, aged 88 years.

Funeral from her late residence, lot 17, con. 5, London Township, on Wednesday, Sept. 8, at 2:30 p.m.; service at 2 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at St. John's Cemetery.

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FOR SALE—KITCHEN RANGE, COOK stove, Apply 387 Hill street.

AUCTION SALE—CONTENTS OF COTTAGE, hall, kitchen, bedroom, bathroom, etc., 580 Dufferin avenue, Wednesday, Sept. 8, 2 p.m. Curran & Hatch, auctioneer.

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SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned, and marked on the envelope "Tenders for Steel Bridges," will be received at the office of the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway, until 12 o'clock noon of the 25th day of September, 1909, for the construction and erection of steel superstructures and floor systems (with ties and wooden guard rails complete) required for bridges at the points named below:

DISTRICT "A."

Bridge. Date of Completion.

22.9. Cains River, Dec. 1, 1909.

124.5. N. B. March 15, 1910.

130.0. J. B. April 1, 1910.

134.7. Odell Brook, April 1, 1910.

149.0. Odell Brook, April 1, 1910.

62.5. Circle River, July 1, 1910.

62.5. Low Bush River, July 1, 1910.

99.0. Brule Creek, April 1, 1910.

106.29. Fredericton, April 1, 1910.

113.48. Buekewog River, April 15, 1910.

126.5. Driftwood River, May 1, 1910.

135.0. Mattagami River, June 1, 1910.

Plans and profiles may be seen and full information obtained at the office of the chief engineer at Ottawa, Ontario.

After contracts are awarded the successful tenderer must submit designs of all superstructures with stress sheets, all to be in accordance with the specifications of the Department of Railways and Canals of the Dominion Government, 1908.

The class of load to be used shall be designated "Heavy" in the said specifications. Tenders will be received for one or more of the above bridges.

Each tender must be signed and sealed by all the parties to the tender, and witnessed and accompanied by an accepted check on a chartered Bank of the Dominion of Canada, payable to the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway, for a sum equal to five per cent (5%) of the total tender.

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Wednesday, Sept. 8

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PROGRAMME

AFTERNOON.

- 1—March—The Fighting Hope... Maurice
- 2—Waltzes—A Dream of Pearls.... Hall
- 3—Selection—The Golden Butterfly.... De Koven
- 4—Flower Song—Hearts and Flowers... Tobani
- 5—Overture—Morning, Noon and Night... Suppe
- 6—March—How'd You Like to Love Me?.... McKinley

EVENING.

- 1—March—A Waltz Dream..... Straus
- 2—Selection—The Gay Musician, Edwards
- 3—Waltzes—Love Sparks.... Halzmann
- 4—Intermezzo—Spring Dreams.... King
- 5—Selection—Il Trovatore..... Verdi
- 6—Medley—Marie Cahill's Arab Love Song..... Hein

"GOD SAVE THE KING."

COOK CAN NEVER PROVE STORY

World Must Be Satisfied With
His Word, Says Heggard.

SCIENTISTS CONVINCED

Consensus of Expert Opinion: Is That
American Has Really Reached
the Pole.

London, Sept. 6.—A dispatch from Copenhagen to the Daily Mail says that Commander Heggard, a well-known explorer, very renowned and popular in Denmark, when asked whether Dr. Cook could be believed in his assertion that he reached the North Pole, answered that that could never be proved, but one must only accept Dr. Cook's word.

"But, surely, if, as he says, he has kept a record of his observations, they will afford absolute proof one way or the other?"

"No," said Commander Heggard. "Certainly not. There is nothing to prevent imaginary observations being written down. I could invent any number of them with the greatest ease in my own study."

"How about the flag which Dr. Cook says he left at the North Pole?"

"Oh," said Commander Heggard, "that will afford no proof whatever, because it will never be found again, at the pole even if it is there now. Dr. Cook himself says there is no land at the pole, and if he struck it in the ice it will be carried goodness knows how many miles southward."

In spite of this opinion Commander Heggard was among those who proposed Dr. Cook's health at Saturday night's banquet, but it was noticeable that his speech was listened to without applause. His first words cast rather a chill upon the company.

"I candidly admit," he said, "that when I first heard the news I did not believe it, and," he said after a pause, "we have not heard many details even now."

London, Sept. 6.—The Times today says: "Dr. Frederick A. Cook sent the following dispatch from Copenhagen to the editor of the Daily Mail: 'When the scientists of England and the rest of the world have had an opportunity of examining my astronomical observations I cherish the utmost confidence that they will unreservedly recognize my claim to the discovery of the North Pole.'

"But," questioned the correspondent, "it has been questioned that he could make a speed of fifteen miles a day."

"That objection," replied Sverdrup, "is without foundation, for I have often covered more than twenty-five miles a day."

Says He Can Prove It.
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"I believe our data to be indisputable. They are the result of a complete and complete compilation with the aid of the most modern apparatus, and I am entirely prepared to accept full responsibility for their accuracy."

(Signed) FREDERICK A. COOK.
Hero-Worship.
Copenhagen, Sept. 6.—Being without official engagements today Dr. Frederick A. Cook mapped out a quiet day for himself. In the course of the morning he visited old Prince Hans, who is known as "the uncle of the reigning houses of Europe," and later he received a deputation of students who hailed him as a hero.

He then took a drive with United States Minister Egan and had lunch privately with the minister in the country, his purpose being to escape the applauding crowds.

Believe Him, But—
Berlin, Sept. 6.—Two of the leading societies of geographers of Germany, the Berlin and the Hamburg associations, have congratulated Dr. Cook on his discovery of the North Pole. The managing committees of each society met and decided duly upon this recognition. The Berlin committee expressed the opinion that it had no right to withhold its acknowledgment from an honorable and experienced explorer such as Dr. Cook, and it sends its congratulations gladly.

In doing this, however, the committee does not declare that it formally accepts every statement of fact made

by Dr. Cook; it simply gives general recognition to his fine achievement.
Cook's Diary.
New York, Sept. 6.—One of the important pieces of documentary evidence on which Dr. Cook will rely to prove his claim of discovering the North Pole, it was learned today, is already in this city. It is a diary kept by the explorer up to the day he severed connection with his last white companion. This diary was left at Etah, Greenland, when the discoverer departed on his quest further north, and was brought here by Rudolph Francke, the steward of the expedition, when he got word from Cook to leave Etah and go home, taking with him the records of the expedition up to that time.

"Francke delivered it to Mrs. Cook, the explorer's wife, and by her it was carefully copied in readable form. It now rests in a safe deposit vault with a New York trust company, and will not see the light until it is delivered into Dr. Cook's own hands."

The diary is a succession of daily entries recording every detail of the party's experiences from the time the expedition sailed from St. Johns, Nfld. A friend of Mrs. Cook said today that it was a document several thousand words long. While it will shed no direct light on the question of the discovery of the pole it will be useful to the owner in the operation of lectures and magazine articles, and in the present state of doubt regarding some of his statements should prove valuable.

Francke is still in New York. He has given up the thought of obtaining any employment that will take him out of the country until Dr. Cook returns. As the last white man that saw the explorer before his dash for the pole, he expects to prove the most valuable personal witness of the truth of the explorer's story. Francke insists that from his knowledge of the man, his methods and his equipment, he is convinced Dr. Cook's story is reliable.

Washington, Sept. 6.—The king of Sweden officially has recognized Dr. Cook as the discoverer of the pole. Minister Egan at Copenhagen has officially informed the state department under yesterday's date in effect that the king through the Swedish minister at Copenhagen has congratulated the Government of the United States on the occasion of Dr. Cook's discovery.

KILLED GIRL'S FATHER.
Huntington, W. Va., Sept. 7.—I. N. Chapman, supervisor of the Huntington division of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad, was shot and fatally wounded by Earle Dudding, a leading business man of this city.

Some time ago Chapman's daughter, who was employed in a department store owned by Dudding, was arrested on a charge of theft. After the arrest of her father, Dudding refused to prosecute her. It was alleged by the friends of the girl that the charges were preferred by Dudding as the result of her refusal to listen to his attentions, and a damage suit against Dudding was threatened.

Today Dudding went to the office of Supervisor Chapman to endeavor to settle the affair. He alleges that Chapman attempted to kill him with a hatchet, and he pulled his pistol and fired in self-defense. Chapman died an hour afterward.

HARRY ORCHARD MODEL CONVICT

Slayer of Steunenberg Forms a
Praying Band in Prison.

IS SHUNNED BY MOST

Is Constantly in a State of Religious
Exaltation as With Zealots
of Old.

Wm. E. Curtis, in a special article in the Chicago Record-Herald describing a visit to Harry Orchard in the penitentiary at Boise City, Idaho, says that Orchard, who under orders from the executive committee of the Miners' Federation, as he claimed, tied the dynamite bomb to Governor Steunenberg's gate at Caldwell, and on the witness stand confessed to 27 murders, is still in the penitentiary employed in the shoe shop, where he has become quite proficient at the trade. He adds:

"Orchard is a model prisoner and exercises a good influence, although few of the other prisoners will have anything to do with him, not because of his infamy, but because he is an informer. He occupies a very humiliating situation, and talks frankly about it. He told me that he hoped to gain the respect and confidence of his fellow-prisoners sooner or later, and admits that their antipathy to him is natural and justified. He considers himself the greatest of sinners and said that no humiliation or contempt could be too severe for his desert. He is willing to bear everything and do everything in the way of atonement and expiation for his crimes. He is in a state of religious exaltation like the penitents and zealots of the middle ages. Those who have had the best opportunity to watch him consider his conversion genuine, and no sentimental interests affects public opinion."

Organizes a Praying Band.
"Orchard is regarded as a psychological phenomenon and a religious enthusiast. He has organized a 'praying band' in the prison and holds prayer meetings daily, at which he and several other convicts who have become subject to his influence confess their sins and pray for forgiveness. Orchard was baptized into the Seventh Day Adventist Church on July 21 last, when the preacher announced that his repentance was complete, and that his sins have been forgiven; but Orchard himself does not go so far as that. He told me that while he believed that the blood of the Saviour was sufficient to wipe out his guilt, he felt that no penalty that he could possibly pay was adequate to his case. He believes in the atonement, but feels that he must do something, and suffer something himself, in order to be sure of salvation. He wants to

pay some penalty or furnish some evidence to show his repentance, and discusses at length the question whether he could atone for his guilt better by suffering death upon the gallows or by living a life of usefulness trying to reform criminals and other men of his class. It is a subject to which he has given a great deal of thought and one that he does not consider himself competent to decide.

Examined by Experts.

"He has been subjected to repeated examinations by psychological experts and has submitted cheerfully to all the tests they have desired to apply. They have amused him rather than otherwise, but the doctors do not agree. Some of them give him the credit for abnormal intellectual force, like Professor Webster and Professor Ruloff, of Elmhurst, two eminent criminologists, who are usually referred to in the discussion of all such cases. Ruloff was one of the greatest linguists ever known. While he was in prison awaiting trial he learned several new languages, and was able to speak and read nearly every civilized tongue, but at the same time he was guilty of one of the most atrocious crimes in history."

"Other students have come to the conclusion that Orchard is an example of 'arrested development'; that he is simple-minded and harmless in his motives, without any natural viciousness, but subject to the control of stronger wills, and that the 27 murders to which he has confessed were committed by him under hypnotic influence. It is difficult to accept such a theory after one has conversed with him a little while. He talks easily and simply and expresses himself in perfect English. He is perfectly self-possessed and seems to have absolute control of all his faculties. He is frank and fearless, and he has a sense of humor. I have never seen a more natural or unaffected man."

THE WOMAN IN WHITE
Mystery in Fatal Shooting, Following
a Chicago Holdup.

Chicago, Sept. 6.—Frank P. Arnold was probably fatally shot last night, after being held up by three men, near Washington Park, and a mysterious woman is being sought as a possible principal in the case.

When persons at the park heard the one shot fired at 11 o'clock, they ran toward the place where Arnold lay, they saw a well-dressed woman in white, bending over him. She fled as they approached, but it was said to have called the police by telephone.

Although Arnold said that one of the holdup men shot him, he is known to have been with a woman answering the description of the missing one in white, an hour before the shooting. What part she played in the affair, if any, Arnold refused to say, and his silence has caused the police to believe that she may be able to explain some discrepancies in Arnold's story.

ARMENIA IS NOW LAND OF WIDOWS

Miserable Women Are Tending
Starved Children.

TORTURE BY THE TURKS

Mud Daubed on Pretty Girls To Save
Them From Abduction—Many
Tales of Horror.

Adana, Armenia, Sept. 5.—This is a country of widows. Through all the wasted land miserable women sit under bough-shelters tending starved, sickly children. To some of them the Government serves out uncertain doles of bad bread, but most of the thousands are dependent for their very lives on the hard-worked European relief committees, and no one knows how many have starved to death before relief could reach them.

Every week some new-laid village in the mountains is heard of where the people have been existing on raw barley and roots. Dysentery carries off its hundreds, and the temporary hospitals in monasteries or mud-house fight hard with sickness and wounds that were sometimes ten days old before they could be dressed.

Babe's Head Cut by Sword.
At Sis I saw a baby that was fled for the shelter of the town during the recent massacres. They were hauled out of their cart and killed, and the baby, six weeks old, was flung into a field of barley with its head cut open by a sword. The hardy young shaver was quite happy and prosperous when I saw him, though a shilling piece would not have covered the bare bone showing through his scalp.

Round about Sis they seem to have had a special grudge against the children, and one of their many methods was to pour kerosene on them and set them alight. At Churuk, a ruined hamlet where the baby came from, they told tales of boys who had been held up by the two legs and split down the middle. Most of the girls had been sent into Sis early and so saved. The only women left to the attackers were the old and the plain ones, and it was not thought that they had been ill-treated.

Man Crushed in Well.
I saw the body of a man in a well, where the Turks had discovered him and crushed him with stones. About half a dozen other bodies were lying about, but the jackals and vultures had been at work on them.

As I was leaving Bagtche, a German lady and man arrived to distribute clothes and furniture. The immediate need of the red plush armchairs they brought was not quite evident, but with their real ne-

cessaries they did much to make amends for the pitiable behavior of several of their countrymen, who, at the time of the massacre, had promised protection to some 20 Armenians, and afterwards had been quite needlessly frightened into handing them over to the Bashibazouks.

Another story ride brought me to Hassan Beyli, where Dr. Shepard, an American of boundless energy, was putting backbone into 2,000 refugees, many of whom he had brought from Bagtche when the Turkish Government stopped serving out meagre supplies.

Trousers to Cloth Babies.
In one tent an Armenian assistant doctor presided over a wondrous array of bottles, and in another Mrs. Shepard stood among 100 pony-loads of quilts and garments, explaining to eager mothers that the bale of trousers, which nobody wore, must be cut up into clothes for the children.

The village of Hassan Beyli, scattered among the mulberry trees by the roadside, was utterly destroyed. Its 400 houses and two churches were burned, and practically all its men were killed. Here, as in most places, there was no defense; it was a cold-blooded slaughter, and the fugitives in the mountains were hunted down for eighteen days afterwards. Here, as elsewhere, the Christians went with confidence to the houses of their Turkish neighbors, who had been their fast friends for years, and were turned upon and cut down, even after sanctuary had been given. This basest kind of treachery, beneath the contempt of an African savage, is upheld by a people who quote their religion as an excuse, if not a motive.

Try to Make Girls Ugly.
What stories I heard of how the poor mothers tried to save their girls from being carried off! Every device was used to make the attractive ones look repulsive; they were dressed in old, ill-fitting clothes, and their pretty faces were daubed with mud, but very few escaped.

At Dortyol I saw a handsome bride coming back after two months' captivity in a harem. Her old father hobbled out to meet her as she rode in with her escort, an Armenian and two mounted policemen. Her young husband had been killed, she told me later, and, suffering the fate of many others, she had been outraged and brutally beaten because she remained stanch to her faith. She had seen her fellow-villagers of Ojakli taken prisoners, had heard their shrieks as their fingers and ears were cut off, until spikes driven into their heads brought them the last deliverance.

NEW CLIMBING RECORD.
Geneva, Switzerland, Sept. 6.—Walter S. Bond, of New York, has climbed Mount Blanc from Chamonix in nine hours. He thus breaks the record of nine hours and a half, made by Morehead, an Englishman in 1885. Mr. Bond has had mountain climbing experience in the Rockies and the Andes.

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THE MAN FROM THE WEST

BY E. EVERETT GREEN.
Author of "The Marriage of Marla, Lady Elizabeth, The Juggernaut, etc."

"Game's up," he said. "No, don't take these papers by force, but I just say that they don't belong to you now; but to Lord Cotswold, young Anthony's only blood relative. I know what you came to do—it seemed mighty easy, no doubt, over London, but things ain't so plump easy when it's a case of old family name this side the water, and the right man's in possession. Now I'm in with Cotswold, this deal. I've got young Scott's evidence and plenty of photos, too—evidence enough for any court of law—and you want to go to the courts; and could get him across inside a fortnight, anyhow. Maybe he could bring other folks along too. But you have not done anything yet—not to notice or to hurt; and if you like to give me up these papers, quiet and peaceable, to hand over to Cotswold—well and good. I don't doubt I'll find how you squirmed your way into his house one night. Maybe there'll be other interesting items of information, too. Say, do you throw up the cards, or will you fight it out? I'll give you back these documents if you say the word, but if it's a fight, it'll be a fight to a finish, and you must make any mistake you—and when we've got you down you'll wish you'd seen things different today."

Maine looked at his wife; he courage had fled and she was trembling all

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over. Val had begun speaking in his habitual quiet, half-drawing humorous fashions, but at the last his eyes flashed fire and there was a sound as of rumbling thunders in his voice.

"All right—I know when I'm beaten," spoke the man in muffled tones. "You can keep the cursed papers—giving me a receipt for them—and I'll take my hook quick out of this blasted country. It's no place for me."

"Your sort, quite so. I'm with you there. Yes, I'll hand you over a check for these. Lawley there can write it out—and as he affixed his signature to the sheet of paper prepared, he looked at the lawyer full in the eyes. "I don't know what sort of a bound you call yourself. You may take it as lucky you haven't forced me to choke the life out of your dirty carcass to save Mary Acryngton the annoyance of being your wife—if so be as your devilry had triumphed. Oh, you're getting off too easy, the whole pack of you; but for Mary's sake I've can't raise Cain over this business. Guess you'll find your reward somewhere one day all the same. You know what the old British section said to the dying miscreant he had visited in the absence of his parson, to give him spiritual consolation? 'Folks of your sort always go to 'ell when they die; and now you're going to 'ell yourself; and very thankful you ought to be that there's a 'ell for you to go to.' That's all; I wish you good-bye, my friends. I'll take this little girl off your hands likewise. It was I that sent her, and now I'll just take her away."

He turned on his heel. Bosh and Hilda were standing in the doorway simply bursting with suppressed excitement at the sight of Val. Hilda by the arm; she was dressed in her morning clothes all ready for her departure, and together they passed down the passage of the flat and slammed the door behind them.

"Oh, Val, Val, Val!" cried Hilda, "how splendid! Isn't it grand? They'll never dare do such a thing again, will they—either against Lord Cotswold or Mary?"

"I guess they'll just skedaddle back where they came from with their tails between their legs. Say, little pard, was it a hard task I gave you to do? Did you wish that I never came along to set you on such a job?"

"I never thought of it, Val. I half-enjoyed it; but when the clergyman went, it was rather beastly. Never mind that. It's all over now. And all the time I was saying, 'What does it matter—they can't kill me, and Val will be here in the morning—and so you were.'"

They were in a cab now, and Val gripped her hand hard.

"That's your style, little pard—never be afraid of anything again. You've got Val right along the line now. And when you want him you've only got to lift your finger. You'll find that he's around all right."

She looked at him, laughed, and blushed again, and her fingers closed fast on his.

CHAPTER XXVI.

Conclusion.

"Mary!—is it Mary! My life—how come you here?"

She wheeled round from her pacing in Val's quaint garden, and her face flushed at sight of him from brow to chin.

"Maurice!" she softly breathed.

"I came to find Val, and I find you, Mary. When I saw you walking here I knew that I had made a mistake, that there can be no waiting—no holding back now. I may not be able to lay at your feet all that I hope and think; but I myself am yours, my heart, my whole self, my love. And it would be a waste to let it go to itself wings. I have two strong hands and all my powers of mind and body to work for you and win success. Mary, you have heard—everyone has heard by this time—that I may possibly be called upon to renounce title and estate to another. But it is Maurice Gaskell who loves you, Mary."

"It is Maurice Gaskell whom I love," she answered, as she put her hands into his.

"Maurice, for my own part I care little for the estates and high-sounding title, yet for you I do desire them, since you become them so well."

"You will grace them better than I, my Mary, if—"

"I think, Maurice, that soon there will be no 'if' in the matter. Val went off in haste to town with some papers that came for him this morning. He had not time to read or examine all, but even I saw enough. Maurice, that man calling himself Maurice Gaskell is an impostor. Val will tell you all when he gets back. But I think no one can do you any hurt. The cloud is passing away."

He held her in his arms; he looked hungrily into her face.

"The cloud is no cloud in my sky, Mary, my Mary. When I look in to your sweet eyes, and know that your heart is mine."

"It is, Maurice, it is; but I was half afraid once to let you see it. I know what poverty may mean—how it may drag a man down—especially if—if he has others to think of."

He stopped her with a kiss.

"That was half my own fear—or rather that until I was sure that I had a place fit for my Mary's home."

His arm was about her; she leaned her weight against him.

"This is my home, Maurice, I ask no other."

It was some while before they roused up again to things mundane, and then Mary told her tale to Cotswold, who listened with a look of astonishment that glowed beneath the lowered brow.

"They thought to trick, to force, to cajole you into marriage with Lawley!"

"—Mary. It sounds the wildest nonsense!"

"It does; but we shall know all when Val comes back with Hilda, who took my place. Maurice, I should never have yielded. I felt that some unhalloved power was being exerted. But it was horrible. It was wearing me out. The thought of you and your love, and, she lowered her voice, 'the power of prayer saved me, and would have given me the victory, I know. But I was glad not to have to struggle to the bitter end. And Val had a scheme of his own. He did not quite know what it is. He wanted Lawley out of his way—out of this neighborhood—for one night. We achieved that. Now I am waiting for him to come back with Hilda and Bosh. When they come we shall know all."

"I see a carriage coming up the hill now. I dare say they have driven from the junction. Yes—I am certain it is Val; but there are four of them. I wonder who is the fourth."

They hastened to the gate. A station fly from the junction, four miles distant was trotting up the rise. Val leaped out before it had well stopped. Hilda was there, and the boy Bosh and a gray-headed man, whom Mary instantly recognized and greeted. It was her uncle's London lawyer, who had occasionally visited him at Coombe Basset before.

"Come along in, Mr. Raynor," said Val, giving her a few minutes to examine those papers I spoke of. Then you'll tell us what you think about them, and we'll go up and see Mr. Heniker."

To Be Continued.

27 PAUPERS IN EVERY THOUSAND

Terrible Extent of Poverty in England and Wales—London's Paupers Increase.

London, Sept. 5.—In the annual report of the local government board is a shoal of information as to the work done towards the relief of the poor and unemployed, and as to the working of the pensions act.

The number of pensions payable on March 26, 1909, is given as follows, the act having come into force on Jan. 1, 1908. Twenty-seven persons, £38,037; Wales, 24,633, making together £38,700 out of a total of £47,494 for the United Kingdom.

Mr. John Burns pays a glowing tribute to the work of the pension committees. "In the first few months," he writes, "over 400,000 claims had to be dealt with by the committees, but in spite of the fact that the work was unfamiliar to them and that it had to be done at high pressure, it appears to have been both zealously and efficiently carried out."

The pension officers, whose work during the first few months must have been performed at great personal sacrifice, are also warmly praised.

Army of Pauper Children.

There were more than a quarter of a million children in England and Wales in receipt of poor law relief on Jan. 1, 1908. Twenty-seven persons, £38,037; Wales, 24,633, making together £38,700 out of a total of £47,494 for the United Kingdom.

The total number of persons in receipt of some form of poor law relief on the first day of the year was 858,848, an increase of 31,177 on the number a year before. This total includes the insane and the casual, and is made up of 236,727 men, 351,777 women, and 250,343 children.

The total cost of the relief of the poor in England and Wales for the year ending Lady-day, 1908, was £14,308,426, of which £3,773,428 was spent in London and £10,534,998 elsewhere. The average poor rate was 1s 14d, and the average for London 1s 4d.

A noticeable feature in the pauperism of the last 22 years is the increase in the number of those receiving indoor relief, who now form over 30 per cent of the total. The outdoor paupers have remained at about the same number.

London Has Most Paupers.

In the case of London the rate of pauperism to population has shown generally a marked decrease as is shown for England and Wales. The rates per 1,000 of the population of London of paupers of all classes, and of paupers other than casuals and insane, in 1908-09—viz., 30.3 and 24.6 respectively—were, in fact, higher than in any of the previous twenty-four years except 1905.

Returns obtained from the Central Body of London from the twenty-nine district committees in the metropolis and from 102 in the provinces show, in comparison with the previous year, that there were 193,757 applicants for work, or 106,000 more than last year, 88,190 were given work, or 51,100 more than last year; the emigrations were less by 5,295.

The total number of dependents upon the qualified applicants was 726,913, an increase in the year of 25,072. To some extent the increase in the number of applicants is accounted for by the fact that district committees operated in the fourteen new areas and the relaxation of the regulations as to the receipt of poor relief and former employment on relief works.

STARVES HIMSELF TO REGAIN HEALTH

Young Englishman Lives in Tent on Hilltop—Takes Walking Tours Without Food.

East Dean, Sussex, England, Sept. 5.—A young Yorkshireman who, for some years past has been making a special study of dietetics, is living a life of fasting in a tent on a hilltop near the village of East Dean, about seven miles from Chichester.

Nearly a month ago he pitched his tent—a little shelter only six feet square—under a beech tree on this hill amid the Downs, at a height of about 700 feet above the sea, and began a 10 weeks' fast. He declared that up to the time a newspaper correspondent saw him nothing but water had passed his lips; but he looked very well, and he told that one day recently he took a walking tour, covering 40 miles of the downland country.

His fast is the finest thing in the world to keep a person in perfect health. His rule is not a water cure, but an abstinence from food, and he has been informed on the events which led to his adopting the method of recouping himself by starvation.

"I am now 32 years of age," he said, "Up to about five years ago I was more or less a chronic invalid, and had been in the hands of doctors since I was 15. At 26 I was very ill indeed with impaired kidneys following lung trouble. I went to Italy to try to regain my health, and there I began to experiment in dietetics."

Walking Tour Without Food.

"I began by falling in with the continental custom of taking only two meals a day. Then I reduced my daily meals to one, and later, after long experimenting, I found that I could maintain my weight and strength perfectly on fruit alone. I became a confirmed vegetarian, and finally discovered that I could take a walking tour of 800 miles, walking leisurely a distance of 60 or 80 miles a day, from dawn to nearly dusk, and eating absolutely nothing."

DIES UNREPENTANT.

New York, Sept. 6.—Still unrepentant for her act, Elizabeth Clara Brecker, the young woman who, on Saturday, killed John A. Gunther, Jr., the garage proprietor with whom she lived, and then shot herself, died today at a Brooklyn hospital. Her last words expressed gladness that Gunther was dead. The woman said she shot him because he was untrue to her.

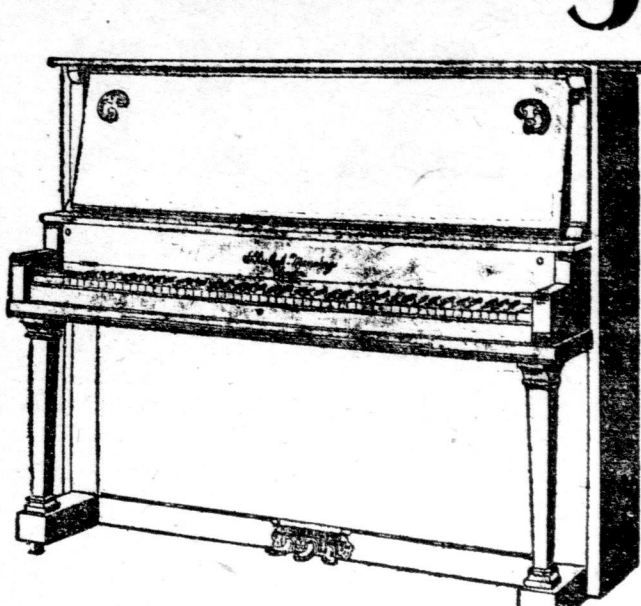
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ALL NATIONS IN THIS LOAN ROW

Russia and France Now Jump Into Szechuen Railway Situation.

Peking, Sept. 5.—M. Korotkov, the Russian minister to China, tomorrow for the second time, will urge the foreign board to recognize Russia's claim for representation in the allotment of the loan of \$30,000,000 for the construction of the Hankow Szechuen Railroad. He takes this action on renewed instructions from St. Petersburg. France is said to be supporting Russia in this course. St. Petersburg does not accept the Chinese contention that the loan has been concluded. Because of the new situation arising from Russia's proposed action, and the prospect that the loan will not at present be signed, the manager of the French bank in Peking will leave tomorrow for Paris.

The Russian claims will have the effect, in principle, of opening competition for the German share of the loan, as the Germans are the only participants whose position is not protected by existing convention.

It is understood here that the Germans constitute the strongest obstacle to the signing of a loan agreement by China and the United States. American equality in participation is the present bone of contention.

Change Chi Tung, with the German bank shows no sign of abatement, and the British and French bankers declare it is impossible for them to alter the German attitude.

It is believed that French interests are now seeking a degree of equality in Chinese financial affairs equal to that for which American interests are striving.

QUIET AT FRANKFORT

Fatal Riots Between Civilians and Shamyl's Force.

Frankfort, Ky., Sept. 6.—No further trouble has followed the riots Saturday night between civilians and soldiers camped here, in which two men were killed and three seriously wounded. A camp of troops is guarding the city, but there is no fear of further violence.

Joseph Nichols is held for the murder of Sergeant Thomas Tette, of Company B, Second Kentucky Infantry, and Joe Kinkead is jailed as an accessory.

Sixteen others arrested have been released. Warrants will be sworn out today for soldiers, charging them with the murder of Jeff Cook, a civilian.

Alexander McNally, a wounded civilian, is expected to die.

DIES ON PLATFORM

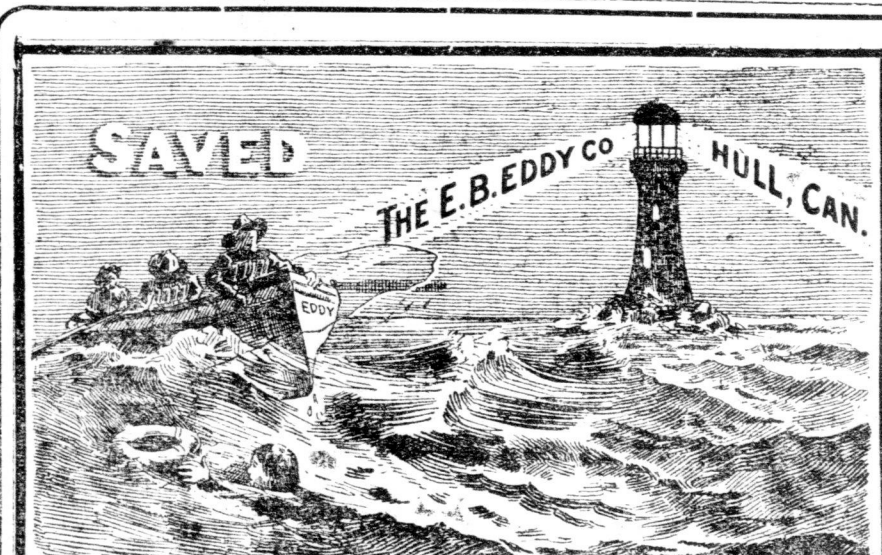
Tragic Death of a Noted Woman Evangelist.

New York, Sept. 6.—An Ocean Grove, N. J., special to the Times, says that the closing hours of the ten-days' camp meeting there, last night, were marked by the tragic death of Miss Anna Hughes, a well-known evangelist, who was also the daughter of the late Rev. George Hughes, one of the founders of Ocean Grove.

In the sight of 2,000 men and women attending the "Twilight meeting" at the temple, opposite the great well-known evangelist, who was also the daughter of the late Rev. George Hughes, one of the founders of Ocean Grove.

She was speaking from the platform, suddenly fainted and plunged forward to the floor. She was carried to an ante-room, where she died within a short time.

Miss Hughes was 30 years old.



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MAGEE SUSPENDED

Crack Outfielder of Philadelphia Nationals Clashes With Murray.

Philadelphia, Sept. 6.—Magee, the star outfielder of the Philadelphia National League baseball club, has been suspended indefinitely without pay, by Manager Wm. Murray, for alleged insubordination and cannot play ball in a Philadelphia National uniform. The trouble occurred in Saturday's game with Brooklyn.

Magee is said to have disregarded instructions to play close to second base instead of taking a long lead. It is reported that there was a warm time in the clubhouse after the game which resulted in the player's suspension.

Magee says that if anything is deducted from his salary, he will never play in a Philadelphia uniform again. At the time of the proposed deal, Magee is said to have expressed a desire to get away from the Philadelphia club.

GREAT GIRL SWIMMER.

New York, Sept. 6.—Adeline Trapp, a slim young woman of 20 years, earned the distinction today of swimming nine miles through the treacherous waters of Hell Gate, from the foot of East Eighty-ninth street to Clason Point, L. I.

Accompanied by Priscilla Higgins, a girl of about her age, Miss Trapp swam in the wake of 40 sturdy swimmers of the United States Volunteer Life-Saving Corps, who were holding their annual endurance test.

Fifteen of the men swimmers were forced to give up before the finish, and Miss Higgins, after going most of the distance, was seized with cramps and picked up exhausted.

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Arrive from the east—3:45 a.m., 10:50 a.m., 11:12 a.m., 11:28 a.m., 6:30 p.m., 8:30 p.m., 10:10 p.m.

Arrive from the west—12:00 a.m., 3:33 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 1:10 p.m., 4:10 p.m., 6:25 p.m.

Depart for the east—12:14 a.m., 3:43 a.m., 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 11:40 a.m., 2:05 p.m., 4:25 p.m., 6:53 p.m.

Depart for the west—5:35 a.m., 7:40 a.m., 11:35 a.m., 11:45 a.m., 1:40 p.m., 3:18 p.m., 5:15 p.m.

LONDON AND WINDSOR.

Arrive—10:25 a.m., 4:00 p.m., 6:50 p.m., 11:05 p.m.

Depart—6:55 a.m., 11:55 a.m., 2:05 p.m., 5:10 p.m.

STRATFORD BRANCH.

Arrive—3:25 a.m., 11:35 a.m., 1:33 p.m., 6:45 p.m., 11:25 p.m.

Depart—5:50 a.m., 10:25 a.m., 2:45 p.m., 4:55 p.m.

LONDON, HURON AND BRUCE.

Arrive—10:00 a.m., 6:10 p.m.

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AMERICAN LEAGUE.

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St. Louis	52	73	.416
Washington	33	93	.262

Yesterday's Results.

Detroit 9, St. Louis 3.
Philadelphia 8, Washington 2.
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Today's Games.

Cleveland at Detroit.
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[Special To The Advertiser.]

Detroit, Sept. 7.—Detroit took both games of the Labor Day bill at Bennett Park yesterday, handing it to the Browns 9 to 8 in the morning game, and getting away with the afternoon contest by a 7 to 1 score.

The Tigers had a narrow escape in that morning affair, winning it by a rally after St. Louis had scored seven runs in one inning and acquired a comfortable lead over the Detroiters. Before Ed Killian was sent into the box to replace Ed Summers, McAleer's men had piled up several runs and had secured just as many hits, three of them for an extra base.

The Browns were forced to take Peltz out in the morning game, replacing him, but the damage had been done and the Tigers couldn't be shaken when the good Missouri left-hander took charge of things for the Browns.

Morning Game.

Detroit.	A. B. R. H. O. A. E.	St. Louis.	A. B. R. H. O. A. E.				
D. Jones, l. f.	5	3	2	1	0	0	0
Bush, s. s.	5	2	2	3	0	0	3
Cobb, r. f.	3	2	1	1	0	0	0
Crawford, c. f.	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
McIntyre, c. f.	2	0	2	2	0	0	0
Delehanty, 2b.	4	0	2	3	5	0	0
Moriarty, 3b.	3	1	1	2	5	0	0
T. Jones, lb.	4	0	1	10	0	0	0
Schmidt, c.	2	0	0	3	0	0	0
Stanage, c.	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
Summers, p.	1	0	0	1	1	0	0
Killian, p.	2	1	1	0	0	0	0

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Second Game.

Detroit	2	0	1	0	5	0	0	*
St. Louis	0	0	7	0	1	0	0	0

Base hits, off Summers 10 in 3-2-2-3;
off Killian 3 in 5 1-3; off Peltz 10 in
5 2-3; off Bailey 3 in 2 1-3; two-base
hits, Bush, Cobb, McIntyre, McAleese
Ferris, Peltz; sacrifice hits, Cobb
Schweitzer; sacrifice fly, Crawford
stolen bases, Delehanty, Moriarty
bases on balls, off Summers 1, off Kil-
lian 3, off Peltz 2, off Bailey 2; left on
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Griggs, lb.	4	0	2	12	0
McAleese, 3b.	4	0	1	0	3
Ferris, 2b.	4	0	0	2	5
Criger, c.	3	0	0	1	0
Schweitzer, r.f.	4	0	0	1	0
Graham, p.	4	0	0	0	2
*Stephens	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	1	4	24	12

*Batted for Graham in the ninth.

Detroit	0	3	0	3	0	1	0	*
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Fourth Game.

Cleveland, Sept. 6. — Cleveland defeated Chicago this morning without much effort, Upp outpitching Scott. Score:

First Game.

Cleveland.	A. B. R. H. O. A. E.	Chicago.	A. B. R. H. O. A. E.
Flick, r. f.	3 1 0 3 0 0	W. H. Clegg, r. f.	3 1 0 3 0 0
Reilly, c. f.	4 1 1 3 0 0	W. H. Clegg, r. f.	3 1 0 3 0 0
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Second Game.

Chicago	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Two-base hits—Steinfeldt 2, Wagner 2, Overall, Archer, Abstein, Byrne, Hoffman. Home run—Tinker. Hits—Off Willis 6 in 1-1-3 innings; off Leffler 3 in 3-2-3 innings; off Philipppus 2 in 4 innings. Sacrifice hits—Wilson 2, Hoffman. Sacrifice fly—Tinker. Stole bases—Leach. Double plays—Wagners and Miller; Wagner and Abstein. Left on bases—Pittsburg 7, Chicago 2. First base on balls—Off Willis 1, off Overall 3. Struc out—By Willis 1, by Overall 1.											

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Second Game.

CINCI WINS A COUPLE

Cops Both Games With St. Louis Played in a Drizzle.

St. Louis, Sept. 6.—Cincinnati took both games of a double-header from St. Louis today, the first 6 to 1 and the second 6 to 5. Both games were played in a drizzling rain. Scores:

First Game.

Totals

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Third Game.

Mitchell, r. f.	5	0	2	3	0	0	0
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Downey, s. s.	3	0	1	4	5	0	0
Spade, c.	3	0	1	5	0	0	0
Roth, p.	4	0	1	1	2	0	0
Totals	35	6	11	27	11	1	0
*Batted for Harmon in eighth.							
Cincinnati	1	0	0	0	4	0	0
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0	0	Standing.		
1	0		Won.	Lost.
7	0			
1	0	Rochester	76	54
4	1	Newark	70	58
3	0	Providence	70	59
0	0	Toronto	66	63
—	0	Buffalo	63	67
7	1	Montreal	57	71
		Baltimore	57	71
		Jersey City	56	72
0—5		Yesterday's Results		

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A quiet wedding was solemnized at the parsonage of Wellington Street Methodist Church yesterday morning when Miss Emma Keys, of Crediton, was married to Mr. Fred C. Treadgold, of High Street, South London. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. A. Graham. Mr. and Mrs. Treadgold will reside in Stratford.

Gone to Guelph.

Mr. Marvin Millar, of this city, has completed arrangements with the Raymond Manufacturing Company, of Guelph, for the manufacture, under royalties, of his electrical appliances at their factory in Guelph. He has been engaged to superintend their manufacture, and left on Saturday last for Guelph, where he will in future reside.

St. John's Harvest Services.

Harvest Thanksgiving services will be held on Sunday next in the morning.

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at St. John's Church, London Township. The church will be appropriately decorated with fruits and flowers, and Rev. Charles F. Washburn, rector of Milbank, will preach. The Thanksgiving offerings will be devoted to the purchase of the new "Book of Common Prayer," which is about to be introduced for use throughout the Church of England in Canada. On Sunday afternoon Mr. Washburn will preach in Emmanuel Church, and in the evening at St. Luke's Church, Broughdale.

WEALTHY MERCHANT MURDERED AT AMOY

American Citizen Son of Millionaire Is Held Under Suspicion.

Amoy, China, Sept. 6.—The body of a wealthy merchant of Amoy, who disappeared a fortnight ago, was found near this city yesterday. An examination showed that he had been murdered. The authorities have issued warrants for the arrest of several prominent residents of Amoy, including Eugenio Velasco, an American citizen, son of a Manila millionaire. John H. Arnold, the United States consul, insists, if Velasco be held in custody and prosecuted, that it must be by the American authorities.

FARMER IMPALED ON PITCHFORK HANDLE

Man Near Blenheim Meets With a Dreadful and Probably Fatal Accident.

Blenheim, Sept. 7.—John Spangie, residing on Neil Sinclair's farm, met with probably a fatal accident yesterday afternoon.

He was assisting at threshing, and slid from the mow to the barn floor, in doing so he struck the butt end of a pitchfork that was standing upright and the handle ran into him a foot or more.

Two surgeons were summoned, but he is not expected to recover.

LONDONERS PUT IN A QUIET HOLIDAY

Outside Labor Day Celebration Picnics and Parties Were Principal Attractions.

The holiday yesterday was an extremely quiet one.

Springbank Park was well patronized, large numbers spending the afternoon and evening at this popular spot.

Small picnic parties were very numerous, all the favorite outing spots at Springbank being occupied.

Port Stanley attracted a considerable number. All the excursion trains were well filled, and the Southwestern Traction Company drew large numbers.

Of course, the Labor Day demonstration drew a great throng to Queen's Park, and the band concert in the evening also attracted large numbers.

On the streets there was nothing of interest. Few people were out in the morning or afternoon, the streets presenting a regular Sunday appearance.

The police had little to do all day. There were few drunks, and no disorderliness of any moment.

It was a quiet holiday.

SOUTH SEA SAVAGES MURDER SHIP'S CREW

Captain and Men of a French Craft Massacred to the Last Man.

Sydney, Sept. 6.—The captain and crew of the French schooner Qualitee have been murdered by natives of Micicolo Island, in the New Hebrides. The vessel was driven ashore by storm and, while stranded, was attacked. In spite of their stubborn defence, the crew were massacred to the man. A British warship is investigating the occurrence.

TORONTO LAWYER DROWNED IN THE BAY

A. H. Marsh, K. C. Got Beyond Depth and Could Not Be Rescued.

Toronto, Sept. 7.—Alfred Henry Marsh, K. C., one of the best known barristers in Toronto, was drowned near his summer home on the island yesterday while bathing.

Mr. Marsh, who was in his 59th year, was not a good swimmer, and got beyond his depth, and before help could reach him he went down. The body was recovered.

Deceased was a member of the firm of Marsh & Cameron, and for years occupied a high place in the legal circles of the Province.

YOUNG CHATHAM MAN MADE BANK MANAGER

Promotion for "Sandy" Burnie—Sharp Practice in a Canine Case.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Chatham, Sept. 6.—Walter Evans-Jones, who sailed from the old country a week ago, has reached Chatham, and resumes charge of the Christ Church organ.

George Sharp, Adelaide street, employed on Flook's "pale-driver," was playing a beam wit a crowbar, when the bar slipped. Sharp was cut about the face and hands and sprained his ankle.

Word has been received of the death at Dawson City of Mrs. Frank Powell (nee Miss Clara Morgan), at one time a popular member of the Blenheim teaching staff.

Carman Merritt, aged 2 years and 8

months, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Merritt, of Louisville, passed away on Saturday, death being due to cholera infantum.

Henry Craig, of Harwich, has rented the John Abram farm on con. 2, Chatham Township, just adjoining the city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Drader, Mrs. A. H. White, Miss Olive Richards and Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Hicks, have arrived home from a pleasant lake trip to Duluth.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Loudon, of Strathroy, are guests with the latter's father, Dr. D. G. Fleming, and with the Misses Gemmill, Victoria avenue.

J. A. Burnie, better known as "Sandy," son of J. H. Burnie, the King street grocer, has been appointed manager of the Bank of Toronto branch at Rossmore, Man. He was formerly with the same bank at Yorkton, Sask.

The Dresden ball team defeated the Two T's on the Dresden diamond, by a score of 5 to 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Jacques have returned from a week's visit to Toronto and Buffalo.

A cute defence was worked by the defence in connection with the charge that Fred Brisco's bulldog had recently bitten a boy. When asked to produce the dog for identification the defence borrowed Fred Somerville's canine, and filed it as exhibit No. 1. Apparently, however, the boys saw through the dodge, or else were sure of their dog, for they did not identify the Somerville dog as the one that did the biting. The case will be decided on Tuesday.

DOUBLE TRAGEDY ENDS FIERCE FEUD

A Father and Son Brutally Slain Near Grand Rapids, Michigan.

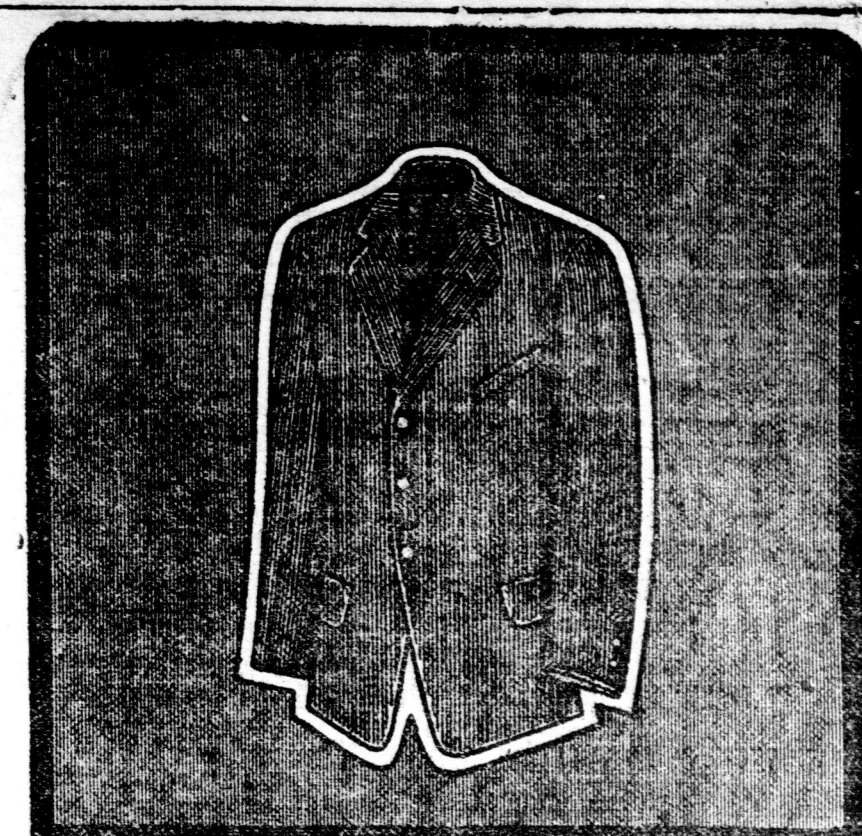
Grand Rapids, Mich., Sept. 6.—Horribly hacked and shot, Mario Pavoni and his 12-year-old son, Alfredo, lie at a local morgue. Bartolomeo Sartori is believed to have been the murderer, and is held at the county jail. With him are Daniele Clucio and Ulderico and Agostino Iaccaroni, the latter a son of Ulderico. The four are held on a general charge of "suspicion." All had shotguns.

The shooting occurred between 6 and 7 o'clock Sunday morning in Pavoni's peach orchard, two miles west of the city, near the American plaster mills, where all worked. The four men were out hunting. Other Italians, who live in the vicinity, heard two shots, but no one who saw the shooting can be found. One who heard the shots reported them to the watchman at the mill and he found the bodies.

Mario Pavoni's left wrist was half shot away, and he was stabbed several times, once back of the ear, and twice in the lungs. The lad's throat had been cut from ear to ear, and he was hacked about the breast. Evidently he had been killed as a precaution to dispose of a witness.

Other Italians said Sartori was the man, and deputy sheriffs watched for him with the other men. They were all arrested about 10 o'clock and have been "sweated," but with little result. Sartori says Pavoni told them they might have some of the peaches. All declare there was no fight. Most of them speak little English, and the cross-examination was carried on through interpreters.

Among the Italians it is believed the absence of Pavoni's wife two years ago, when she is said to have run away with a boxer, has something to do with the affair. Pavoni and Sartori are declared to have been



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enemies. Mrs. Pavoni had been at St. Mary's Hospital for some time, and became so hysterical when told of the death that she had to be taken back again. She declared Sartori was the man.

LORD STRATHCONA HURT IN A RUNAWAY

Calgary, Sept. 7.—Lord Strathcona was painfully injured in a runaway accident at Vernon, B. C. He was thrown out of the rig, and as a result is still carrying his arm in a sling. He addressed the Canadian Club here, however.

COL. PETERS AT ESQUIMALT

The D. O. C. Formally Takes Over His New Command.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 7.—The Post says:

The command of Military District 11 is now in the hands of Col. J. Peters and Col. J. C. Holmes, who for many years has served his country admirably as district officer commanding here, has entered upon his well-deserved retirement.

The transfer was made without formality. Col. Peters and Col. Holmes are old friends, and their meeting on this occasion was a pleasurable event for both.

Col. Peters, the new D. O. C., has for American tobacco.

TAFT IN PERIL

Letters Received Threatening To Kill the United States President.

Chicago, Sept. 7.—Two letters threatening the life of President Taft during his visit in Chicago now in the hands of Captain Porter, of the secret service, have stirred up the latter, and police officials of this city, with the result that efforts will be made to make the chief executive of the nation the most-guarded president that ever came to Chicago.

Captain Porter was not inclined to believe the threats, although he began making preparations immediately to prevent the possibility of an attack on President Taft.

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