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WAS DEATH DUE TO VACCINATION?

Death of Daughter of A. W. Foley Is Charged to This Cause - Inquest to Be Held.

As the result of the death on Saturday last of Vivian Victoria, the eight-year-old daughter of A. W. Foley, provincial poultry superintendent, a great deal of discussion has arisen among those who have been interested in the case.

On August 29th last, the child was vaccinated by Sydney C. Main, assistant health inspector, at the office of the health department, and it is alleged that her death is due to the vaccination, but the undertakers on that occasion.

Mr. Foley has written to Dr. White- law, charging that the child's death is directly due to the vaccination in his office, while he claims was both illegal and criminal. He also stated to a Bulletin reporter that his child was "murdered by the city" by means of the vaccination operation.

Dr. White-law denies that vaccination was responsible for the death of the child and has written the following letter:

Your letter received, and in reply I beg to say, that while it is very regrettable that your daughter died, and that you are entitled to every sympathy in your affliction, your statements regarding the cause of death and the question of vaccination in this office being illegal and criminal are absolutely unwarranted and unfounded.

In consequence of this I hereby make a demand that you hold an inquest and a post-mortem examination, which would disclose the real cause of death.

Your truly, "F. H. WHITE-LAW, Medical Health Officer." Dr. Lane, the physician who was called in to see the deceased child on Sept. 2, and who attended her till her death, gives in his certificate the primary cause of death to be vaccination, and the secondary cause heart failure.

JAPAN TO CONTROL PACIFIC. Count Okuma Takes Issue With President Roosevelt.

Victoria, B.C., Sept. 7.—According to advices received by the steamer Glen-far, Count Okuma has been interviewed with regard to a statement alleged to President Roosevelt that the United States would in future control the Pacific. Count Okuma, writing in the Hoch Shimbun says that it is Japan, and the United States which will control, and he enlarges at length on the possibilities in the Pacific for Japanese mercantile mariners.

The Premier Disaster Inquiry. Winnipeg, September 7.—Half a dozen witnesses were examined in the inquiry into the loss of the Premier. All said the fire started midship, but could not definitely place its origin. The mate stated that the captain did all possible. Another witness testified to having heard the missing fireman, Anderson, say "My God, my God, it is all my fault!"

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A SENSATIONAL DASH FOR LIBERTY

Harry Clarke Breaks Away From Detektivs Griffith And is Captured at Revolver's Point.

A sensational dash for liberty from the strong arm of the law and the subsequent capture, nearly two hours later by Sgt. Detektiv Griffith, of a man being held on a charge of forgery in Portland, Oregon, occurred on Saturday afternoon in the west part of the city. The man was Harry Clarke, alias T. M. Wilson, who was arrested at a boarding house at 125 Elizabeth about 10 o'clock on Friday night on a wire from Portland, where he is wanted on a charge of forgery and obtaining goods under false pretences. He is now being held pending the arrival of officers from the United States.

Montreal Bank Clearings Increase. Montreal, Sept. 4.—Bank clearings for the week ending September 3 amounted to \$31,782,345, as against \$36,198,733 last year and \$27,873,825 in 1909.

SOCIALISTS CONTEST FOUR CONSTITUENCIES

Party Will Place Candidates in Edmonton, Calgary, Lethbridge and Macleod-Miners Will in Future Ignore the Lemaux Act and Will Fight in the Old Way.

Calgary, Sept. 7.—Frank B. Sherman, of Fernie, president of the United Mine Workers for District 16, was on Saturday unanimously nominated as the candidate of the Socialist party, at the Socialist convention at Edmonton, which was held at the Hotel Vancouver, the only other name mentioned being that which he will likely be a candidate in Edmonton.

Winnipeg, Sept. 7.—The United Mine Workers have decided in future to ignore the Lemaux bill. A meeting Saturday afternoon of the mine officials and president Sherman and Organizer James of Edmonton, representing the miners and Lawyers Mackie of Edmonton; Epstein of Fernie; Ives of Lethbridge, and Patchon of Calgary, discussed the famous bill and decided that as the courts could not enforce the bill, they would ignore it.

LOYAL TO THE EMPIRE.

Australia is Not Disturbed By Visit of American Fleet.

London, Sept. 7.—Premier Deakin, of Australia, sends to the Standard a message to dispel the misconceptions published in the English and American press concerning the reception of the American fleet in Australia. He says the sense of kinship is strong, because the circumstances of the United States and Australia are similar, and referring to the criticism of Australia's naval ambitions, Deakin declares that Australians fully appreciate the British naval power, but its present disposition makes them keener to assist in their waters by making such provisions for harbor and coast defence as the Imperial Defence Committee recommended. The Governor of Victoria cables: "Loyalty to state increased, if possible, by visit of fleet."

BORDEN OPENS CAMPAIGN. In Nova Scotia—He Puts the Light Pedal on Colchester Case.

Montreal Bank Clerk Missing. Montreal, Sept. 4.—Young Renaud, the missing bank clerk, has not yet turned up and his family are anxious. A reward has been offered for news of him.

THANKSGIVING DAY OCT. 19.

SETTLEMENT OF C. P. R. STRIKE IS IN SIGHT

This is the Statement From Ottawa—It is Not Confirmed by Any of the Interested Parties—First Installment of British Mechanics Arrive in Montreal.

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ROOSEVELT SHOOTING A CANARD. Oyster Bay, N.Y., Sept. 8.—There is little or no foundation for the reports that President Roosevelt, while enjoying a horseback ride Saturday, had placed a bullet in the arm of a woman who accompanied him, and that she was injured.

Defaulting Bank Clerk Located. Kingston, Sept. 7.—Roy Parry, clerk of the Metropolitan bank at Harrow, who has defaulted for \$30,000, has been located, but not arrested. His father has made good the bank's loss.

Wrecked Steamer Will Float. Quebec, Sept. 7.—The steamer Lord Breithorn has started from the wreck of the Gustaf Adolf, Goose Island. The latter vessel will likely be floated successfully after lightning.

RIGID PROVISIONS IN ELECTION ACT

New Clauses Affecting Candidates, Electors, Newspapers and Corporations.

Ottawa, Sept. 8.—J. G. Foley, clerk of the election in charge, has completed the new Dominion Election Act, which went into effect on July 2. It contains many new provisions affecting candidates, electors and newspapers and printing offices.

Mad Dog Cases Panicked. At Funeral Service in St. Michael's Cathedral, Toronto.

JAPAN OFFERS FINE FIELD FOR CANADA

W. T. R. Preston In Report Deals With the Opportunities Offered Canada by Japanese Government to Improve in Quality.

Ottawa, Sept. 8.—A report received at the department of trade and commerce from the Japanese minister, says there has been a great improvement in the quality of butter, cheese, wheat and other goods imported from Canada lately. He also mentioned that there are fewer defects in Canadian shipments.

No Canadians to Read Papers. London, Sept. 8.—Dr. Jackman, secretary of the Canadian Congress, informed the Canadian Associated Press that one of the Canadian delegates will read papers, but the Archbishop of Montreal will address a meeting in Albert Hall tonight.

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Harbor Improvements to Be Undertaken.

Vancouver, B.C., Sept. 8.—The Great Northern tracks will heretofore be used by the Northern Pacific entering Vancouver from Washington State over the new Sunnas-Cloverdale cut off. The Northern Pacific cars have been heretofore handled by the C.P.R., but the arrangement between these lines will end October 31st.

PACKING PLANT READY TO OPEN

General Manager Says Company Will Make Hog Raising Profitable To Farmers.

C. H. Bradley, general manager of the J. Y. Griffin Co. packing plant, has arrived in Edmonton. Along with Mr. Bradley came F. Foulds, office manager at the plant; W. V. Stevenson, chief clerk; J. R. Slack, district live stock buyer; and General Superintendent T. W. Fletcher, who comes from South Omaha and will move his family here shortly.

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Requirements of the Plant. The British Columbia Congress, in its inquiries that are being made on the part of the ranchers and farmers of the province as to the requirements of the plant in the line of live stock and asked Mr. Bradley what he could say regarding this.

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Thanksgiving Day this year will be held on Monday, Oct. 19. It was decided some time ago that heretofore the observance of commercial travelers and others who spend only Sunday at home, Thanksgiving Day should be celebrated on Monday. By giving Thanksgiving this year on October 19 interference with the general elections and with the rush occasioned by the closing of navigation will be avoided.

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PARALYSE OF FERNIE DISASTER IN MINNESOTA

City of Chisholm is Wiped Out By Forest Fire, Which Swept Down From Hills. Ten Thousand Are Homeless—Loss in City Alone About Two Million—Relief Work Under Way.

Duluth, Minn., Sept. 7.—Thousands of acres of agriculture and millions of feet of standing timber were laid waste, one town was wiped out, several mining locations were burned and at least 10,000 people are homeless as the result of forest fires, which swept through many districts in Northern Wisconsin and Northern Minnesota Saturday afternoon and night.

The Retreat a Piteous Spectacle. Hibbing, Minn., Aug. 7.—Forest fires swept down upon the town of Chisholm, four miles from this city, at 6 o'clock, Saturday evening and nothing but smoldering ruins marked its site for hours later.

The total loss is estimated at \$2,000,000, with every indication that this figure will be greatly increased. The mining locations of Shenando, with a population of 2,000, Harlley, with a population of 1,000, and Pillsbury, with a population of 1,000, were completely destroyed.

Duluth Sends Aid. Calls were sent to Virginia and Duluth for fire-fighters and fire apparatus, and special trains were ordered out, once by both places. The railroad bridge on the Great Northern between here and Chisholm was burned out early in the evening.

The Progress of the Flames. The sheet of flame from the hills and cracking forest toyed with the western outskirts of Chisholm for several minutes before it broke into the town, and then, driven by the strong west wind swept across the city, the buildings falling and disappearing before it like tinder under a flame before the blast of the storm.

The scene was awe-inspiring in the late northern twilight. The flames seemed to leap up to the sky which was overcast with a red glow as if the enduring colors from a gigantic palette had been swept across the heavens with deft and facile brush.

Residences Go Too. The residence districts caught fire soon after the business portion was ablaze. Alone on a hill in the southern portion of the town stands the new high school which was recently erected at a cost of \$125,000.

HOLLAND IS FIRM AND DECIDEDLY COURTEOUS

Netherlands Note to Venezuela Contains Ultimatum Calling for Reconciliation. Demands Issued by President Castro Suppressing Caracas's Trade.

When dawn broke today the danger for the present seemed to have passed. The wind had worn itself out and the tired fire fighters were given a respite and time to turn their efforts towards helping those not so fortunate who have come into Hibbing by the thousands from Chisholm and the other smaller towns which have been completely destroyed.

The Hague, Sept. 7.—Holland's note to Venezuela contains one point which appears practically an ultimatum. Holland demands of Venezuela the revocation before November 1 of the decree issued by President Castro on May 14 last, which resulted in the practical suppression of Caracas's trade.

Views the Labor Parades and Delivers a Great Labor Speech. To Meet Democratic Leaders of the Executive Council To-Day. Chicago, Sept. 7.—In a dry crowded hall, filled with delegates from all over the country, a great labor parade was held this morning.

Shot Passed Over Head. President Roosevelt May Have Been Target for Assassins. New York, Sept. 8.—As President Roosevelt, who had been wearing his Oyster Bay home last Saturday evening, after his daily gallop, a revolver shot sounded from a cluster of bushes nearby at the side of the road.

Incognitable is Recaptured. Toronto, Sept. 7.—Robert Snow aged sixteen, one of the seven who escaped from Toronto jail last July, was recaptured early this morning at his father's home, 208 Farley avenue.

Members Are Asked to Rejoin. Ottawa, Sept. 8.—The Central Canadian Olympic committee has asked the members of the Athletic Federation of Canada to rejoin the committee as a result of the protest of Leslie Boyd against Tom Longboat.

Death of Judge Bosse. Quebec, Sept. 7.—Judge Bosse, of the Court of King's Bench, died here this afternoon at the Hotel Dieu, after a short illness. He was 72 years old.

WANTED LAWYER TO FIGHT. Witness in Standard Oil Case Does Not Relish Being Called This.

New York, Sept. 8.—The Standard Oil Company sent a sweeping broadside into the government's case yesterday in the Standard Oil case, in which it sought to dissolve the Standard Oil Company.

Child Left Alone; Burned to Death. St. Thomas, Ont., Sept. 8.—Jimmy Dyker, aged three, was burned to death in his home here. Fire broke out when the little fellow was alone.

Refugee Juroff Offered Bribe. Declares He Could Have Obtained 2,000 For Votes. San Francisco, Sept. 8.—At the afternoon session of the court in the choosing of jurors to try Abe Ruff on the charge of bribery, a sensation was caused when J. M. Kelly, a salesman under examination, stated that he had been approached by District Attorney Laugden in July, telling him

Next Warm Wave Is Due to Cross Pacific Slope September 17. Washington, D. C., Sept. 8.—Last bulletin gave forecasts of disturbance to cross Pacific slope August 12 to 16, warm weather, 14 to 18.

Prisoners Were Recaptured. Kenora, Ont., Sept. 7.—Two prisoners who escaped last night were captured again this morning. Geo. Johnston, the murderer of Mrs. Johnson, was detected hiding on the outskirts of the town and captured by Constable Sherman B. Griffin.

Four Killed in Collision. Missoula, Mont., Sept. 7.—Engineers Mussen and Valentine, Eribon Sherman and Herrick were killed as a result of a head-on collision between a west-bound passenger train No. 5 and a freight train on the Northern Pacific.

C. B. Foster is Promoted. Toronto, Sept. 7.—C. B. Foster, district passenger agent of the C. P. R., is now in Winnipeg, where he has been promoted to the position of passenger agent for western Canada.

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BIG SUNDAY BLAZE IN MANITOBA TOWN

Altona Suffers From \$60,000 Fire Which Broke Out at Midnight Sunday, and Which Fanned by Strong Wind Sweeps Through Business Section.

Altona, Man., Sept. 8.—Fire broke out at twelve o'clock Sunday night in the back of the premises of the building occupied by the Altona Club situated in the principal business section. The fire spread by blowing and the blaze soon broke up adjoining residences and at three the whole block was in flames.

St. Patrick's With a Gun. New York, Sept. 7.—This afternoon a detective arrested a man carrying an empty revolver and dirk. He was accompanied by an ordinary crank, who described himself as "St. Patrick."

Changes in Church in B.C. Transfer of Ecclesiastical Province From Vancouver to Victoria. Rome, Sept. 8.—The last meeting of the congregation of the propagandists for the discussion of American questions was held to-day.

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BUYING POWER INCREASING. Retail Trade Grows in Volume. With Decrease of Idleness.

New York, Sept. 8.—R. G. Dunn & Co.'s weekly review of trade says: "The steady decrease in percentage of idle machinery and number of idle freight cars swells the amount of money distributed among wage-earners, and gradually increases the volume of retail trade.

Libilities of Commercial Failures in August would have compared favorably with those of the same month last year, but for three large suspensions, one of which was speculative and of no effect on legitimate business. Railway earnings for August were 12.5 per cent. less than in the same month last year.

Montréal, Sept. 7.—Charest, the former foreman of the road department, was shipped to New Bedford, Mass., after having defrauded the city of about \$1,500 by means of bogus pay lists, returned to the city on Saturday morning having waived extradition proceedings.

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LESSETT SLAVE LAKE—Monday, September 28, 1908. PEACE RIVER LANDING—Monday, September 28, 1908. FORT VERMILLION—Monday, September 28, 1908.

ATHEMISTON—Friday, September 11, 1908. S. B. WOODS, Deputy Attorney General.

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"ALIEN LABOR" IN COLCHESTER.

Whether or not an offence against the wording of the Alien Labor Act the operations of Mr. Bayne in Colchester were clearly a violation of its spirit. The gentleman was a citizen of a foreign country. He certainly was a "worker." He entered Canada under contract to do the "work" both he and his employers are liable to the pains and penalties by law provided. If he came without contract the letter of the law may not have been broken, though its intent and purpose were defeated. But who supposes he came without contract or agreement, or understanding equivalent thereto?

The importation of this gentleman was a reflection on the native-born sons of Colchester and on the stranger who had taken out naturalization papers there. That many of these were ready to "work" after the fashion of Mr. Bayne the evidence abundantly shows. In the end they did most of the "work" anyway, and that they did it well the results leave no doubt. Why then were they denied the honors? Why was not one of them made foreman on the job? Why must this gentleman from Boston have made chief-cook and bottle handler in the camp, and full-fledged citizens be relegated to the menial tasks of flunkies and scullions under his command? This was not fair to the home-grown variety nor to the acclimated men either. It was a gross violation of the very purpose of the Alien Labor Law to pass them up and bestow a position so distinguished and desirable on a non-resident. In the name of the willing "workmen" of Colchester we protest against such discrimination.

It is not fair to the whole array of the faithful in Colchester to have a position so distinguished as that of foreman bestowed on a non-resident. In the name of the willing "workmen" of Colchester we protest against such discrimination.

Why the hold-up was tolerated? The outburst of public opinion which forced the Opposition to abandon the blockade also convinced them of the wisdom of reaching a compromise. Unable to deny that they had held-up the estimates they adopted the subterfuge that they had done so because the Government had allowed them to do so, and spent the last few weeks of the session trying to shoulder the responsibility onto their opponents. "The Government," they said in effect, "have an enormous majority at their backs; if they really wanted to

put business through the House they could have found means to do so perfectly justified in restraining so far as may be necessary an Opposition whose business in law seems to be to keep them from governing.

Well, the only means the Government could have adopted to expedite the progress of business was to give way on every disputed point to the Opposition, or to adopt the closure. No Government that wished to remain a Government would take its policy from its opponents, especially when those opponents are so poorly equipped as the present Opposition. There remained therefore only the adoption of some form of closure if business was to proceed more rapidly than the Opposition wished.

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AS TO CHARGES AND THEIR INVESTIGATION.

The Winnipeg Telegram does a turn at comparisons for the double purpose of improving the reputation of the former Government and of damaging that of the present. As the basis of contrast the Telegram selects the manner in which charges of wrongdoing have been dealt with, and produces the following conclusion:

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In September, 1891, Mr. Lister, M.P., rose in his place and preferred a charge beginning: "In accordance with the notice I gave yesterday I beg to move that James Frederick Lister, Esq., member of West Lambton, having stated in this House that he is credibly informed and that he believes he is able to establish by satisfactory evidence that, etc."
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UNFOUNDED AND UNPatriotic.

Toronto Star—The News charges the Dominion government with having singled out a few of the weaker industries for destruction by means of hostile tariff legislation, while a great number of the stronger industries have been left alone. The News does not specify, in the article in which the allegations are made, the weaker industries that have been left alone. The only industry named is the woollen industry which has been unilaterally favored. If the woollen industry is the one meant in the first case, the charges preferred are not borne out by the trade returns. In the short period of 1897 the total value of woollen goods imported into Canada was \$9,427,000, and the duty paid on same was \$2,212,000. The rate of duty was, therefore, a little less than 24 per cent. Woollen goods were imported to the value of \$4,580,000, and the duty paid on these imports was \$1,370,000, or a little under 30 per cent. Not only is the woollen industry favored in the tariff but it is also far as protection is concerned, but it has the advantage also in all the more important branches of the woollen industry. Fabrics of coarse wool may be imported under the preference at 25 per cent; imported fabrics of wool are taxed 30 per cent, under the same tariff. Cotton clothing may be brought in under the minimum tariff allowed on British goods at 25 per cent. The News charges that the tariff on Great Britain must pay 30 per cent. Instead of the Canadian woollen industry being discriminated against it has been aided and allowed more protection against British competition than is given to the cotton industry.

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THE VALUE OF RAILWAY COMPETITION.

Calgary Alberta—Cities which have hoped much from the coming of additional railways in the way of reduction in rates on freight and passenger traffic are disappointed. That is not the way that railways do. Meetings of railway companies have recently been held in which rates are not wholly taken up with academic discussion upon certain philosophical subjects. The result of the meeting was a general agreement that competition is in the improvement in service. In a new country such as this the greater benefit of competition is to be derived from the coming of additional railways to Calgary will mean the opening up of rich new districts which will be tributary to this city. The new line from Calgary to Lethbridge will develop a vast country to the west of the second Southern Alberta, almost as great in extent as the first and quite as rich as far as it goes. This will mean a great impetus to the present southern Alberta and every town between Lethbridge and Calgary will be much benefited.

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Taft Has Decided on Speech-Making Tour and Commenced Yesterday—Bryan Reviews the Changes in Public Opinion on Returns Originally Advocated by Him.
Middle Bass Island, Ohio, Sept. 7.—Win. H. Taft left today for the activities of his campaign. He has written the Republican national committee to arrange for him a speech-making itinerary and has suggested that the states of Missouri, Nebraska, Kansas, Iowa, Illinois, Indiana and New York be included in any tour that he may be decided on. Mr. Taft also expressed the view that his stay in Cincinnati might be terminated as early as September 16th, thus putting extension of his services in the general election campaign to a period of nearly six weeks and make possible a trip from coast to coast.
The request of the candidate to be assigned speaking dates, coming as it does directly upon the visit here yesterday of National Chairman Hitchcock, and his desire to hasten the time when he is to take to the road, is regarded as showing his fixed determination to be personally in the fight wherever it may be the thickest, and also his determination that no doubt shall exist as to his attitude.
"I cannot conceive of anything more depressing than to be denied participation in an active campaign, or to be kept quietly in one place, depending wholly upon necessarily fragmentary reports as to what is going on, and as to what conditions are."
This was the recent summing up by Judge Taft of his personal feelings in the situation.
Mr. Bryan Moving.
Fairview, Lincoln, Neb., Sept. 7.—W. J. Bryan left yesterday for Chicago and thus began a three weeks' campaign tour which will convey him into the middle west, the eastern states and back through the west in South Dakota, before returning home. Perhaps no recent news afforded the Democratic candidate for president so much interest as the announcement that Mr. Taft proposed making a campaign tour. When asked if he had any comment to make on the subject, Mr. Bryan said: "Well, I am getting a great deal of consolation out of the country unlawfully from Mexico, and I have been brought that reform into popularity and I am no longer considered. I used to get a good deal of criticism because I favored tariff reform, but now tariff reform has become so urgent that Mr. Taft is willing to have a special session called immediately after inauguration to act on the subject."
"And now my greatest sin is to be made a virtue by imitation. When I went out campaigning in 1896 and 1900, they said it was demagogic to run around the country hunting for votes. Now it is eminently proper. Mr. Taft is going to do it, and I hope the Republican papers will not make me apologies. They said in 1896 and 1900 that I was scared when I made speeches from the rear end of a train, and I was, and the results showed that I had reason to be. I have been wondering whether this explanation would be given when Mr. Taft starts out and whether the results will be the same with him that were with me."
Suspected Murder at Watakwain.
Watakwain, Sept. 8.—A mysterious shooting occurred here yesterday. Win. Lewis, aged 16, was found in the home by his brother, slain in the head. It is supposed to be a case of murder. The coroner's jury sat last night but adjourned all later being unable to come to any decision.
Tragic Suicide in Hamilton.
Hamilton, Sept. 7.—A man named Evans, said to be from Toronto, strangled himself in the Mission this morning. Saturday he was doped and robbed of all his valuables and became despondent.
Failed to Rob Bank.
Bibawick, Sept. 6.—Bank burglars attempted to raid the Bibawick State bank this morning. They nearly killed a citizen but failed to get away with any booty. One man who refused to halt for the guards placed around the bank to protect the embankment inside, was filled full of bullets. He is not expected to recover. The sound of the shot aroused the village and the burglars fled before they could take anything. The robbers are supposed to be the same gang of rascals who tried to blow up the bank at Barnum and also committed the depredations at Cloquette Thursday.
The burglars entered the bank through a rear door. The safe, which contained \$17,000, resisted their efforts to force it. They then turned their attention to the safety deposit boxes. These were broken open and the contents littered about the floor. The bank, two or three men were at work inside the building while three others stood guard outside. Three young men who were making their way home at the time the robbers were working, were stopped by the guards and ordered to retrace their steps. Two of them did as commanded and the other only laughed and sent a charge into his body. The shot aroused the town and men inside came running out and joining the others escaped to the woods.
HEROIC ATTEMPT AT RESCUE.
Young Chicago Society Girl Dives After Drowning Man But Fails to Save Him.
Chicago, Ill., Sept. 6.—Ranall Mason, aged 24, of this city, was attacked by cramps this afternoon while swimming in the lake and was drowned.
Miss Helen Pratt, a prominent society girl of North Shore suburb, dove off a pier fully dressed in an effort to save the young man. She would have succeeded had not her clothes weighed her down. She dove twice, handicapped as she was, in an heroic effort to bring the man to the surface, but finally became exhausted and called for help, which was not far from her. People on the shore ran higher and thither, but did nothing. The young man, who says had it not been for the weight of her clothes she would have saved the man. His body has not been recovered.
ENGLISH PEER A BACHELOR.
Lord Sackville West Didn't Marry Spanish Dancer.
London, Sept. 4.—A firm of solicitors here has sent circular letters to the newspapers, referring to a statement printed in the obituary of Lord Sackville West, who died Thursday, that he had been married to a Spanish dancer. The statement is the oldest legitimate son of Lord Sackville by his wife, Josephine Durrant, is alleged by himself to have married the dancer. He described how he was unable to marry because of the enormous dowry as she already was married. His two daughters by her are well married.
Mystery of Rideau Canal.
Ottawa, Sept. 7.—An inquiry into the death of Jas. Carroll, clerk of auditor general's department, whose body was taken from the Rideau Canal Friday afternoon, was held here yesterday. The body of the body it was found that the neck was broken and the body broken by a fall into the water. Coroner Craig says circumstances seem to indicate that wound on nose was inflicted before the body entered the water. The coroner ordered a post mortem examination, and an inquiry was adjourned till Tuesday. A brother of the deceased, who was a lawyer, has been arrested in connection with the case, and is expected to Ottawa to take part in the investigation.
Japs on Texas Border.
Eagle Pass, Tex., Sept. 5.—The United States immigration authorities here have been advised that a party of fifteen Japanese who entered the country unlawfully from Mexico, have been apprehended at Lockhart in the interior of the state. Eleven Japs were deported from here, and a cost of about twelve hundred dollars to the government. Eighty more Japanese were ordered to be deported from other points along the Mexican border last week. Hundreds of these aliens are scattered along Mexico, and are being smuggled into this country to take advantage of a favorable opportunity to smuggle themselves into this country.
A Gaping Wound in the Heart.
London, Sept. 5.—Daniel McKeiver, aged 17, residing on the Hamilton road, was killed near Portersburg yesterday. He was shooting with some companions and seeing an apple tree in a field jumped the fence and using the rifle as a club to knock the apples down. The gun exploded, the shot entering his body above the heart, tearing a gaping wound.
Two Nominations Saturday.
Ottawa, Ont., Sept. 7.—E. B. Devlin, M.P., was nominated by Wright County Liberals as their candidate for the vote stood E. Devlin and J. E. Fontaine, president of the Conservative Association, 33; and J. W. St. Martin. It is expected that H. X. Kelly, the well-known lumberman, will be the conservative candidate. A. C. Joyce was re-nominated by the Liberal Conservatives.
Winding up of Iron ore.
Toronto, Sept. 7.—An order to wind up the Atkison Iron Co., Ltd. was granted this morning by Judge Aglin on the petition of Mackenzie & Mann. The company was incorporated in 1903 with a paid up capital of a million dollars.

HEMMED IN FOREST.

Large Superior Region Destructive Conflagration Loss of Property.
Houghton, Mich., Sept. 10.—In by raging forest fires, sides and by Lake Superior, fourth, the inhabitants of northern Michigan are experiencing the worst of the history of the peninsula. So suddenly after the report of various parts of the lake of all the fires that had raged since several weeks of control, the present throng is an alarming eight thousand acres of forest have been destroyed, but including the missing land, more than a million acres of forest of volunteers are local firemen in their efforts to save a wholesale destruction

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Two Towns Hemmed In. Mesonnes, Mich., Sept. 8--It is reported that forest fires are raging at Foxboro and Dedham, Wis., hemmed in on all sides by roaring forest fires.

No Avenue of Escape. Duluth, Minn., Sept. 8--The district about Grand Marais is cut off by the flames, and from 4,000 settlers are fighting for their lives with no avenue of escape.

Raging For a Week. The fire has been raging in the vicinity of Grand Marais for a week, but heavy northwest winds last night fanned the flames towards the village.

Will Tender Him Nomination. Ottawa, Sept. 9--Officials of the Carleton County Conservative association state that B. L. Borden will again be nominated at a meeting of the association to be held during the Ottawa fair.

Regina's Inland Revenue Receipts. Regina, Sask., Sept. 9--Duties paid to the local inland revenue department yesterday amounted to \$62,282.

Cloud of Smoke Overhangs Lake. Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 8--A special dispatch received this evening from Ashland, Wis., says that with a strong southwest wind blowing and the continuation of the abnormally dry weather, conditions are ideal for forest fires.

STRIKERS THREATEN RIOT IN MONTREAL

Arrival of Mechanics From England is Signal For Demonstration Against Strike Breakers--Police Protect Men--Clarke Has Not Been Dismissed--Is Back of Strike Broken?

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Victoria, B.C., Sept. 8--Hon. W. Templeman, minister of inland revenue, here tonight at a smoking concert, the occasion being a welcome home after the session.

Have Secured Enough Men. Montreal, Que., Sept. 8--Although the C.P.R. employment agencies are still open, it is reported that the men being engaged.

MORSE INSPECTS G.T.P. LINE. Between Winnipeg and Battle River--No Statement as to Opening of Traffic. Winnipeg, Sept. 7--Frank W. Morse, general manager of the G. T. P. line, returned yesterday from a trip over the line as far west as Battle River.

White Cross Association Congress in Geneva Will See Exhaustive Discussion of Food Adulteration--Hope to Secure Reasonable Definition of Pure Food. Geneva, Sept. 9--The first congress of International White Cross association, which was founded last year with the object of grouping the efforts of the international societies engaged in fighting tuberculosis, cancer and other epidemic diseases, also the social and drug habits, as well as food adulteration, opened here yesterday.

International Fight of Adulteration. Little Rock, Ark., Sept. 8--Carrying out his edict that all employees caught smoking cigarettes while on duty would be discharged, E. J. Easley, superintendent of the Arkansas division of the Rock Island system, has dismissed an engineer and a brakeman.

Burned to Death in Sleeper. Staples, Minn., Sept. 8--A Lisbon, N.D., woman, supposed to be Mrs. Gibbs, middle aged was burned to death in a fire which totally destroyed a Northern Pacific sleeper here at 9:20 o'clock this morning.

DROUTH IN OTTAWA VALLEY

Low Water in Ottawa River Effects on Duties--Farmers Feeding Cattle in Want of Pasture.

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Chocolates. W.J. BOYD CANDY CO. WINNIPEG. Mamma, buy me a box of Boyd's CHOCOLATES.

U.S. IMPROVED CREAM SEPARATOR. Meets every emergency in the Dairy. It has a solid, low flange, with a rubber cup without the back breaking lip.

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William, Ont., Sept. 1.—J. A. Mc... editor of the Toronto Globe... highest honor an individual could...

Macdonald concluded a strong and... address by complimenting Fort...

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DISTRICT NEWS

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The Ladies' Hospital Aid will hold a special meeting on Friday at the home of Mrs. McEwen...

Dr. Dixon's new house on the corner of Alberta and Stanley streets is nearing completion...

Several farmers of this district called recently on the department having to trade to see if men could not be brought in to supply the demand for labor...

The board of trade, who have been re-considering with the minister of the customs department...

Mr. Logan, of Camrose, real estate agent here, has just returned from the States...

The Misses Fraser expect to return from Bawlin on Saturday.

The grain situation in the Wetaskiwin district is very favorable. A few showers recently fallen...

On Thursday morning Miss Alma Martin, who has been visiting her parents...

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Campbell and two children from Arrowhead, B.C., arrived on Tuesday to visit their relative, Y. W. Mattson.

Mrs. John Amherst and Miss Ruby returned home on Tuesday from a visit to relatives in Manitoba.

Mrs. J. W. Herie and her mother, Mrs. Lambert, went to Edmonton on Sunday and from there returned to Alberta to Mrs. Herie's daughter Rose in the country.

At a meeting of the city council held on Tuesday evening some of the specifications in regard to the new creek were altered.

The new road to the north of this city under construction by the C. P. R. and located about a block west of the Edmonton trail is progressing favorably.

Mr. Purdy, of the Merchants Bank, left on Saturday afternoon to spend the 10th day with his mother in Strathcona.

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