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FIFTEEN MILES FROM PT. ARTHUR

Two Jap Armies Approaching Fortress by Coasts.

SKIRMISHING IN MANCHURIA

Outposts of Rival Armies in Several Sharp Fights—More Jap Divisions for Front.

London, Tuesday, June 7.—A dispatch dated St. Petersburg, June 6, 6:23 p.m., says: The Government has no advice of a sortie having been made from Port Arthur by the Russian squadron resulting in the sinking of four Japanese ships. They neither affirm nor deny the report that Gen. Baron Stokelberg is moving south.

The Emperor has issued an edict mobilizing the first army corps. Gen. Meindorff will command. This edict will be followed by the mobilization of the fifth and sixth army corps of the Volga region. Probably nearly a month will elapse before these corps are ready to start. In the meantime the Siberian Railway will be taxed to its utmost capacity in taking out the tenth and seventeenth corps, now moving.

STOKELBERG'S REPORT.

Tells of Operations Leading Up to Kin Chou Fight.

St. Petersburg, June 7.—The ministry of war has received a dispatch from Lieut. General Zilinsky, chief of staff to General Kuroki, dated June 6, in which he summarizes a written account by General Stokelberg of events preceding the battle of Kin Chou. "The situation," says Gen. Zilinsky, "appears to have been that the Japanese army had arrived before Mount Sampson, but had not begun an attack on the town of Kin Chou, which was occupied by our troops. The enemy had occupied Kepp Peninsula, and had sent large lighters to Khumee Bay. These, however, had been obliged to retire, owing to the fire of our troops. The Japanese occupied positions on the southern shore of Khumee Bay. The enemy's squadron blockaded the entire coast, and fired heavily, sometimes upon one bay, sometimes upon another.

"There was a heavy bombardment of Port Arthur the night of May 15, in which one soldier was killed and four wounded. The Japanese attempted a landing at Kerr Bay, but were repulsed. May 15, losing one cruiser, which sunk.

"Japanese columns began the advance southward May 15, by two routes, marching from San Shihpin north of Kin Chou, and Kotsialin. Moving as they did in those orders, they came under our infantry fire, which inflicted heavy losses.

"As the enemy's advance developed we perceived this but had not a battery of artillery and 24 battalions. In view of the enemy's superiority our detachments began to retreat. The highest praise of the officers and men participating.

"The force composed of Cossacks and Chasseurs occupied the heights north of Kin Chou the morning of May 17, and isolated bodies of the enemy were seen to appear on the mountains. May 18 two companies of Japanese infantry attacked 100 of our Cossacks on the western slope of Mount Sampson, but were repulsed.

"Our intelligence showed that the Japanese army was composed of 30,000 infantry and 1,500 cavalry.

"Our losses between May 5 and 21 were 10 officers and 175 men. The Russo-Japanese word and phrase books found upon Japanese prisoners showed that they had been long and long destined for operations against Port Arthur, as the books were specially adapted to use in that locality.

CONVINCING ON PORTFESS.

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It is reported that the peninsula division on the east coast fought a battle within fifteen miles of Port Arthur June 3. The result of the battle has not yet been learned.

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interest to military men in view of what it may be expected to show in the way of resistance from a place put in a state of defense in the most modern and perfect manner, both as regards fortifications and armaments. The lessons to be learned will doubtless be of great value as regards the attack, because the Japanese generals do not consider the lives of their soldiers. It is clear that Port Arthur will be attacked by besieging it in the first stage, that of investment, has already begun. The problem for the Japanese will be to hold out as long as possible, and to make the assault through a breach opened by the defenders. The Japanese will have been temporarily succeeded.

MORE JAP DIVISIONS.

Rome, June 6.—A dispatch from Tokyo says the mobilization of three more army divisions is being hurried forward. The new divisions will operate in Northern Korea and against Vladivostok.

OUTPOST FIGHTS.

Sharp Combats Between Rival Armies in Southern Manchuria.

Liao Yang, June 6, 8 p.m.—Military interest now is upon the region of imminent operations—the Liao Tung. Another Japanese army is landing on the eastern coast as a counterweight to the Russian advance from Dashieng, southward upon Gen. Oku's army. The Japanese seem to have given up the idea of attacking the Russian army, and are now making a plan. The rainy season which is expected to begin in two or three weeks, would, it is regarded here, render an advance to Liao Yang impossible. Meanwhile the Cossacks are keeping in touch with the Japanese outposts. Another force is a Chinese General Kuroki's right wing north of the Yalu River.

Details have been received here of two smart outpost fights, one at Liao Tung and the other in Southern Manchuria. The former occurred in the morning of June 3, and the latter east of Vafansov (25 miles above Kin Chou). The Russian force consisted of an infantry regiment, some artillery, several companies of Cossacks and a squad of dragoons. The enemy was discovered in the valley of Poyt-siantun, and the Russian brought up a battery, opened fire and cleared the Japanese out of the valley. Then the Russian guns were moved to a more favorable position. The Japanese taking advantage of this, fired a few shells. The Russian losses were Col. "General Stokelberg" and a few men. Both sides retained their positions.

The other fight was between Major-General Mikhienko's Cossacks and the Japanese. The latter were along the River Koldenz, north of Taku Shan. It lasted from the evening of June 3 to the morning of June 4. The Cossacks tried to cut off a detachment of Japanese posted on the heights of Liaoziapada, but the enemy was reinforced by five companies of Cossacks. Finally 3,000 Japanese were killed, and the Russians were victorious.

The Cossacks repeatedly drove the enemy from their entrenchments. In one case the Japanese fled across the river, but were turned with more force, and were wounded. The Cossacks carried the body of their commander to Su Yen.

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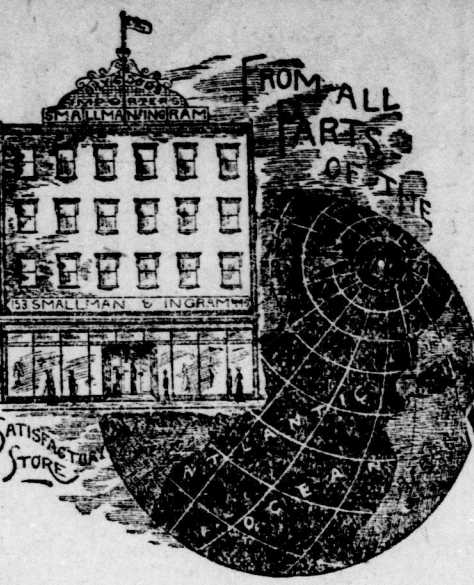
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It is made entirely of German oak, and has a capacity of 100,000 liters and weighs 40,000 pounds. Its largest diameter is 18 feet, its length 15 feet. On the day when it is to be unveiled a banquet will be given in the interior to 24 people, who will be comfortably seated around a table illuminated by incandescent lights.

The guests will enter through the bung-hole, which is large enough to admit the passage of a not too stout man.

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NOTICE-"THE ANNUAL GENERAL"

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An Explanation Wanted.

The city council last night granted a petition for a Warren bitulithic pavement on Queen's avenue from Richmond to Maitland streets. It is pleasing to know that a permanent pavement will be laid on the beautiful thoroughfare, and if the Warren people have been instrumental in working up the petition there is no reason why they should not have the reward of their enterprise. The war between the Barbers and the Warrens has no doubt brought down the price of pavements and the vigorous canvass of both companies has resulted in a greater demand for permanent improvements than if ratepayers had been left to their own initiative. But ratepayers may find it hard to understand why the council has made fish of one company and flesh of another. Petitions asking for Trinidad pitch have been thrown out on the plea that these pavements were laid by only one firm, and that the council had no right to play into the hands of a monopoly by specifying a class of pavement in which there could be no competition. The Warren bitulithic pavement, like Trinidad asphalt, is laid by only one company. The council knows this well enough. Its action last night was inconsistent with its previous conduct in throwing out petitions for pitch lake asphalt.

Ratepayers should be given some explanation for this change of front. They know that one of the aldermen promised to look after the interests of the Barber Company and when he turned his back on them certain correspondence, which had passed between the company and the alderman, was made public. This gave offense to the alderman's party friends on the council, who advised him to keep a stiff upper lip. On the principle of getting even with the Barber people, the council's action last night can be readily understood. If this is the majority of the aldermen choose to transact the business of the city, the ratepayers ought to know it.

Pushers of Canada.

American periodicals of the best class are paying increased attention to Canadian affairs. Canadian writers have found their principal, almost their only, field in the United States, but the demand across the line for Canadian topics is a later tribute to this country. In the June number of the magazine Success is an article by Mr. T. G. Marquis, on "The Men Who Are Pushing Canada to the Front." Mr. Marquis contributes some vivid characterizations of our leading men, and while his estimates will not be accepted in every particular by Canadians, he has made "good copy" and has performed a patriotic service if he convinces his American readers that all the statesmanship of the continent is not south of the boundary line. He places Lord Strathcona first among present-day Canadians in his services to the material development of the country. The greatest force for high national ideas has been Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the only Canadian, Mr. Marquis thinks, on whom knight-hood does not appear somewhat ridiculous. Sir Wilfrid wears his knighthood honors like a Bayard. The present Premier, says the writer, "undoubtedly the greatest force for good in the political arena of Canada. He is a polished orator in two languages, has never been known to countenance corruption, never allows either a foreign power or the motherland to slight his country without speaking out with strength and wisdom, is worthy to take his place in diplomacy among the ablest trained diplomats of America or Europe, and his name is synonymous with everything that is refined and courteous—he holds the first place in the hearts of Canadians, and the Conservatives have no hope of defeating the Liberals while he has strength to lead their forces."

Credit is given Sir Charles Tupper for his fighting qualities. "His political career has been stormy. From the commencement he has been a fighter, dealing sledgehammer blows, and though at times he can be genial, he has usually been a bitter opponent, wounding, and pouring vitriol into the wounds he has made. But, although he hit hard, he did not complain when his opponents found the vulnerable spots in his armor. He has ever had the courage of a lion, and never deems any task too difficult to attempt. Although he is in his 83rd year and practically out of politics, he is still a great imperial figure, and always works for the advancement of Canada. He is at the head, or on the board of directors, of numerous large corporations, and, instead of ending his days in ease, he fights between Vancouver and London with a frequency that is the admiration of his friends and the amazement of his opponents."

Sir Richard Cartwright is described as a worthy antagonist of Sir Charles. "He (Sir Richard) has what, to an ordinary observer, would seem a Coriolanus-like contempt for the common herd, and an austerity and bitterness that have done much to force him into a minor place in public affairs. With his great ability as a financier and parliamentarian, had he joined suavity of manner and geniality of disposition, he undoubtedly would have attained the premiership of the Dominion. Since he entered Parliament, in 1865, politics has been his life's vocation, and he has devoted his time and fortune to his country. He is still a brilliant orator—second only to the Premier."

again he has crushed the glowing generalizations of Sir Charles Tupper beneath the marvelous array of statistics he is able to advance on any of the great questions at issue. But, after all, he is a cold, logic engine, and delights more in the facts he can amass than in the hearts he can move." This hardly does justice to the doughty knight. No man, excepting, perhaps, the Premier, is more popular in the House of Commons or is heard more attentively and respectfully. Sir Richard is also a thorough democrat. Mr. Marquis describes Mr. Foster as the most brilliant Conservative in the Dominion, and says his enemies have exerted every influence, fair and foul, to keep him in private life. Mr. Marquis would have been nearer the mark if he had said that Mr. Foster's party friends have kept him in the background. Had they honestly desired him in Parliament they could easily have provided him with a safe seat years ago.

Mr. Fielding is singled out as the logical successor to Sir Wilfrid in the leadership of the Liberal party. He is pictured as the least obtrusive of the Cabinet Ministers, never courting popularity, and straightforward in every step. Mr. Blair, Sir William Mulock, "the ablest Postmaster-General Canada has yet known," and Sir Sanford Fleming, come in for merited eulogy. The strongest Canadian writer, although his best work has been done in French, is Louis Fréchette. Charles G. D. Roberts and Gilbert Parker are also named. John S. Willison is given first place among Canadian editors. As to Goldwin Smith the writer says:

"Standing apart from the rest of the Canadians is Goldwin Smith. It is hardly correct to call him a Canadian, as he was nearly 50 years old before he took up his residence in the Dominion. He is a distinguished English scholar, who, for 50 years, has been one of the greatest stylists in the Anglo-Saxon world. But he has made his home in Canada, and has sought to free the country from provincial ideas. For his efforts he has received more abuse than any other man who is in the public eye. His name has been associated with the old Canadian Magazine, the Nation, Bystander and the Week, and of these papers has been the founder, or the mainstay, and through their columns he gave his countrymen such literature as can be found only in the great English dailies and weeklies. He has fought fanaticism and jingoism, and with a fearless pen has attacked every form of political hypocrisy and corruption. He has been the critic of Canadian men and affairs, and when he is removed, his writings are widely read, and even in his sullen fits he, like Jacques, is full of matter, and no one else's influence for good in the Dominion is as far-reaching."

A Nation in the Making.

An English newspaper, commenting on the fact that immigration will soon be pouring into Canada at the rate of 1,000 souls a day, says that never before in the history of the world has any country been peopled with such astonishing swiftness. The statement is not greatly exaggerated. There has been no such movement of population from the British Isles to the new world since the Irish famine of nearly sixty years ago drove the Irish people to America almost in millions. The United States is getting four or five times as many immigrants as Canada at the present time, but all excepting a handful are from Southern Europe. They speak a foreign tongue and have to be trained in the rudiments of American citizenship. In proportion to population, however, the present influx into Canada is unexampled. In a few years it is probable we shall have a population west of Lake Superior as great as that of Ontario, Quebec and the Maritime Provinces combined, and the great majority of the western people will not be native born. If they are not native Canadians they must be made good Canadians, if we are to build up a nation. A tremendous problem is confronting the country, but those who live in the east have not begun to realize its proportions. They look on the west chiefly as a great and growing field for their commercial enterprise. They feel the effects of immigration only in the increased demand for factory products. The west will some day present itself to the east as something other than a market. Great political, social and religious questions will arise and the whole country will be in time profoundly influenced and modified by western forces. Canada is, perhaps, the most signal example in the world today of a great nation in the making, as the United States was a century ago. The statesmanship of the country will be put to as severe a test as it ever underwent in the past.

Yesterday was the thirteenth anniversary of the death of Sir John Macdonald. His memory is about all that is left of a once great party.

This is budget day, and Mr. Fielding has guarded his secrets well. No one appears to know whether the tariff will be touched or not.

Stratford's tax rate has been struck at 24½ mills. It is comforting to know there is at least one place where the rate is higher than in London.

Old Marshal Yamagata has assumed charge of the Japanese land campaign. He made the Japanese army and ought to know how to use it to the best advantage.

There is one department—immigration—which Government control is safer than private enterprise. Hundreds of good workmen in the old country have been sent to Canada by swindlers, with bogus promises of positions. These heartless fakirs should be punished if they can be got at.

The Grand Trunk has secured an option on the Hamilton, Ontario and

Beaconsfield Electric Railway, which runs through the Niagara fruit district. It would not be surprising if the steam railroads in the near future took a hand in building electric railroads, as feeders of the steam lines. In Waterloo county the C. P. R. distributes and collects freight and passengers by electric lines.

FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE.

[Marquise de Fontenay.] Florence Nightingale has just celebrated her 84th birthday at her home, 10 South Square, London, and still takes an active interest in charitable work. She has, however, lived out of the great world for long that people have almost forgotten that she is still in existence, though the fact of her being the pioneer of systematic army nursing is generally remembered. Her father was the son of a rich Sheffield banker of the name of Shore, and he came of an old family which has been possessed of land in the counties of Derby and York since the fifteenth century, and which exists today in the person of Harrington Shaw, Norton Hall and Lindridge House, Leicestershire.

Florence Nightingale's father assumed the name of Nightingale on inheriting his maternal uncle's fortune and that estate of Lea Hurst in Derbyshire which now belongs to her. He was both a wealthy and cultured man, mingled much in the literary and fashionable society of the day, and was a great traveler. However, Italy, the most famous of his two children was born, and she received the name of Florence from the city of her birth. The other child, likewise a girl, was born at Naples, received the extraordinary name of Parthenope, and married the late Sir Harry Kennedy, Claydon, which is now in the possession of his son, Sir Edmund Verney. As a young girl Florence took a course of training as a nurse at the celebrated establishment of Protestant sisters of mercy at Kaiserswerth, in the Rhine district, and put the experience which she obtained there to such good account during the Crimean war that her name has remained a household word ever since. Here, too, the Red Cross Society is known. It has often been urged that the King should bestow upon her some order of merit, which has been founded, and certain it is that this act of recognition of her services in initiating the systematic nursing of sick and wounded in war time would be exceedingly popular, not only in England but also abroad.

NO TRIFLING DETAIL.

[Chicago Journal.] Miss Truesome—Am I to understand papa, that everything is settled in regard to my wedding? Mr. Truesome—Yes, my dear, everything—but the bills!

CONSOLATION PRIZES.

[Chicago News.] The druggist smiled a cheerful smile upon the customer and said: "We haven't any camomile, but here is something else instead. I quite recommend you to try it. You'll really be glad if you buy it. I wouldn't deceive you a bit if I could. For it's something that's equally good." The lovely damsel heaved a sigh. The youth had said to her: "Be mine." "I hate to turn you down, but," she said, "respectfully decline." And the youth turned away very sadly. He thought that he wanted her badly. But he soon found another engaging young belle.

On many things our hearts are set; Our disappointment is acute. To find those things we cannot get, But always there is a substitute. It isn't the same thing precisely, And yet it will do very nicely. Just make up your mind that the thought will console.

KANSAS STORIES OF A TORNADO.

[Kansas City Journal.] One of the freaks of the McPherson tornado was to lift a barn and carry it away without disturbing five horses which stood within in on the dirt floor. Another was the flight of a house some distance and its landing upside down without breaking a single window.

HE WAS SPLENDID.

[Chicago Chronicle.] Stanley used to relate the following funny story: One day while he was conversing with a friendly tribe during his travels one of the chiefs present inquired how many horses he possessed. Upon Stanley replying that he had none all these present stood up like men and in a moment were gone. "What a splendid liar!" They intensely admired the apparent calmness with which he had, as they thought, tried to pass off on them a wondrous traveler's tale.

BAH JOYE!

[T.H. Bits.] Wife—Percy, if a nutmeg were to sit on your hat what would say? Husband—I should call him a con-founded silly ass. Wife—Then can't sit on it any longer, there's a dear.

SAFE BET.

[Chicago News.] "What constitutes a gentleman?" asked the very young. "A gentleman," replied the sage from Saville, "but it's a pretty safe bet that the man who says he is a gentleman isn't."

HIS RECORD.

[Chicago Record-Herald.] "I stand squarely upon my record," said the political candidate. "Well," yelled the little man at the rear end of the hall, "you can hardly be blamed for wanting to keep the blamed thing from bobbin' up."

SOME TIMELY FIGURES.

[Toronto Globe.] Under the heading, "A Ghastly Record," the Montreal Gazette devoted some attention a few weeks ago to the Intercolonial Railway. It says that but few people realize the terrible burden Canada is carrying in the enterprise, and gives a table of the sums that the Canadian taxpayer has annually dropped since 1897 in this "political sink-hole."

1897 \$2,089,657
1898 2,536,413
1899 2,954,500
1900 5,168,178
1901 6,246,000
1902 6,722,729
1903 4,372,104
Total \$30,210,988
We do not "ouch for these figures. They are simply given as the Gazette gives them. The Gazette, with commendable modesty, confined itself to the years of Liberal management, but it is notorious that it was worse when controlled by Conservative administrations. Yet, in view of this, a special shrill note is struck by its friends propose to multiply the sink-hole fivefold by projecting the Intercolonial across the continent. It was almost unkind to the party which it serves to produce these figures at this juncture, but a good service nevertheless to the country. The Gazette should tell us how this record of disaster is



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NO SACRIFICE TOO GREAT.

[Chicago Tribune.] The prospective bride and groom were ordering the household furniture. "Is this the rug you want for the front parlor?" he asked. "Yes, George," she replied. "I've got my heart set on this rug." "All right, Margie," said George. "It's too big for the parlor, but I'll have the parlor made over to fit it. Let's go now and look at some furniture for the dining-room."

AN UMBRELLA DUEL.

Gubernatorial Candidate and Journalist Hammer One Another. St. Paul, June 6. — Former State Auditor Robert C. Dunn, now a candidate for the nomination for governor on the Republican ticket, became involved in an umbrella duel with C. E. Cheney, a political writer for one of the Minneapolis papers, in one of the principal business streets here this afternoon. During a conversation with several newspaper men and an attorney, Mr. Dunn made sarcastic remarks respecting the Minneapolis paper, after which blows were struck. Mr. Dunn belabored Mr. Cheney over the head with his umbrella, and the latter received treatment from his antagonist until

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PASSED PRIVATE BILLS

Justice Segewick Gives Royal Assent as Deputy Governor.

Ottawa, June 7. — In the Senate yesterday afternoon Mr. Justice Segewick, acting as deputy-governor, gave the royal assent to 50 private measures that had passed both Houses.

The Grand Trunk Pacific bill was read a second time in the Senate and referred to committee.

The list of measures is as follows: To revive and amend the acts respecting the St. Clair and Erie Ship Canal Company; respecting the British Columbia Southern Railway Company; respecting the Canadian Pacific Railway Company; respecting the Atlantic and Pacific Railway Company; respecting the Northern and Western Railway Company; respecting the Quebec and Western Railway Company; respecting the Fredericton and St. John's Railway Company; to incorporate the Pontiac and Interprovincial Railway Company; to incorporate the Caspella Manufacturing and Trading Company; respecting the Collingwood General and Marine Hospital; to incorporate the Campbellford, Lake Ontario and Lake Huron Railway Company; respecting the Quebec and Lake Huron Railway Company; respecting the Kootenay Central Railway Company; respecting the North American Telegraph Company; respecting the Strait of Canso Bridge Company; respecting the Pacific Northern and Ontario Railway Company; respecting the Canadian Pacific Railway Company; to incorporate the Boundary Kootenay and Cariboo Central Railway Company; respecting the Edmonton and Slave Lake Railway Company; to incorporate the Slave Lake Railway Company; to incorporate the Keewatin Railway Company; respecting the Canadian Northern Railway Company; respecting the Welland and Grand Island Bridge Company; respecting the Ottawa, Brockville and St. Lawrence Railway Company; to incorporate the Ottawa, Brockville and St. Lawrence Railway Company; to incorporate the St. Mary's River Railway Company; to incorporate the Vancouver, Victoria and Eastern Railway and Navigation Company; respecting the Canadian Fire Insurance Company.

Over Night at St. Louis.

For the convenience of passengers to the St. Louis Exposition, the Canadian Pacific Railway have arranged to put up a special through sleeper to the Fair. This handsome special car, which leaves here every night at 11:35, arrives in St. Louis at 2 p.m., the following afternoon, making the trip in a trifle over twelve hours, and the greater part of it while one is asleep. The arrangement makes the trip very short and pleasant.

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In the kitchen of a house recently unearthed at Pompeii was found a fireplace with a kettle on its grate just as it was left by some Pompeian housewife over eighteen hundred years ago.

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After numerous experiments Professor Greff of the Berlin University Eye and Ear Hospital declares that radium offers nothing to the blind in the way of relief from their affliction.

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Since the establishment in the Custom House two years ago of the law division smuggling has been reduced to a minimum at the port of New York.

Crazo's Leap of Fifty- Two Feet On a Bicycle

Walter Lowe's Ride With Ring-
ling Bros., Circus.

Description of the Ride and Plunge
Through Space to a Second Track.

The newest of dare-devil peril freaks to be introduced to America is called "Leaping the Gap," and is performed by an aerial bicyclist named Walter Lowe, who for professional reasons is announced as "Crazo."

At the opening performance of Ringling Brothers' circus at the Coliseum, Chicago, on March 30 of the present year, when the apparatus was for the first time shown to the public, and the nervous rider introduced, almost 7,000 persons held their breath in wonder at the fearless audacity of the performer.

From the top of the building to within ten feet of the ground was set a steeply inclined bicycle track, four or five feet in width, and of unpainted boards, excepting a narrow black line, painted lengthwise to mark the course the rider must follow. At its bottom, a steeply upward curve was noticed, which ended in space. Fifty-two feet away was a small landing place, built upon low trestles, and covered with a thick piece of felt. This landing place was but a trifle wider than the bicycle track, and gradually sloped away to the ground.

The rider was introduced, and acknowledging the outburst of applause, with a bow, commenced examining the apparatus, to note that all was safe for his perilous journey. His wheel, an ordinary bicycle, was placed on a small platform at the top of the incline. Crazo mounted the apparatus, and, with the aid of a rope, stretched along its side, slowly walked up the steep ascent. He stopped now and then for a second to examine the different parts of the apparatus, to see

if all was safe. When he reached the top and stood upon the platform, it was noticed that no one was there to aid him or see him safely started on his shoot through space. Two small sticks, about two feet in length, were built horizontally on either side of the platform. Crazo brought the wheel forward and placed it between the sticks, and could see the performer moving the handle bars slightly, the front wheel obeying as though to make sure that there would be no difficulty about steering the precarious course.

Every movement was deliberate. Crazo removed his feet from the pedals and planting them on the handle bars, the bicycle seemed to share the deliberation of its rider. It started slowly, and could see the performer moving the handle bars slightly, the front wheel obeying as though to make sure that there would be no difficulty about steering the precarious course.

Although the descent, the shoot through space, the landing and the gradual sloping to the level floor of the arena, occupied only the fraction of a minute, the sympathy and attention of the audience were riveted on the rider. The journey seemed to have its special significance. It was seen that the rider, with hands gripping the steering every inch of the course as if it was a level road, the fact that a half inch too much change of the position of the handle bar

would mean disaster at any stage of the downward plunge did not seem to disconcert the rider in the least. Down the chute, true as a die. At the upward curve, Crazo's knees stiffened, and his body bent slightly forward. Up into the air above the frightful gap he shot, and almost seemed to hang there an instant, so deliberately was the attitude changed at each stage of the aerial curve.

The landing place, 52 feet away, was so nearly parallel with the downward part of the curve that only a slight thud was heard at the wheels struck. Then a shoot across the arena until the bicycle's momentum was overcome, and the rider dismounted and walked away, bowing acknowledgments to the applauding audience.

Crazo's performance was the talk of Chicago, and is still the most sensational act in Ringling Brothers' circus, and is especially adaptable to a canvas exhibition, and is really seen to better advantage under a tent than in a roofed building, and will be only about two months old when seen in London Friday, June 10. The performance is all the more sensational and startling because of its utter disregard to safety appliances, as no nets are used.

The accompanying photograph was taken in the open air, and shows the rider as he has ascended the highest part of the frightful leap, with the landing space still 52 feet away.



BILL TO AMEND RAILWAY ACT

Compels Majority of Directors
of Roads To Be British
Subjects.

Ottawa, June 7. — Mr. Fitzpatrick's bill to amend the railway act was introduced in the House yesterday. Its object is to define clearly the powers of the railway commission to arrange for the distribution of freight rates between two companies which have joint traffic arrangements, as will be the case between the Grand Trunk and the Canadian Pacific; also between a Canadian railway company and a line of vessels doing business on the lakes under a foreign flag. Under the present measure some doubt existed as to the powers of the commission in dealing with a company, a part of whose lines are in the United States. The bill will remove all doubt on the question. The bill also provides that the majority of the directors of Canadian railways must be British subjects.

THE STRIKE AT SYDNEY.
The Minister of Labor told the House that his department had offered their services towards settling the dispute between the Dominion Steel Company and its men, but that neither side was willing to accept.

On a vote of 50 to 47 the bill empowering the Ottawa Electric Company to increase its capital stock, was ordered back to the private bills committee, so that clauses calculated to give the company a monopoly might be cut out.

THE FRENCH LINE.
Mr. Malouin was informed that the reference to the superior court of the decision of the railway commission

in the Fort Arthur and Fort William telephone application has not yet been prepared.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, in answer to Mr. Caskin, said the Government is not officially aware that a steamer called the Malouin has recently arrived at Montreal from a port in France, but has received information of it incidentally. The Government does not intend to recognize this steamer as one of those put on the line between Canada and France, in accordance with the contract entered into with Mr. Colombar last session, whereby a subsidy of \$135,000 a year, for ten years, was granted for such a line.

THE AUDIT ACT.
On motion to have the audit act revised by the special committee was offered by Mr. Lennox. He held that the expenditure has increased to such an extent since the passing of the act in 1878 that it was inadequate. He thought the duties of the Finance Minister and the Auditor-General should be separated. The appeal from the decision of the Auditor-General was to the treasury board. This meant that when a minister had a controversy with the Auditor-General regarding the payment of money, the minister was himself the final arbiter of the dispute. In practice, this arrangement might not be found to give satisfactory protection to the treasury, and what he wanted was a committee which would look into the whole matter and bring in a bill to reform the act in whatever ways might be found desirable.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier stated that the powers of the Auditor-General were sufficient, and declined to accept the resolution.

BELANGER'S EXECUTION
Special Police Squads to Prevent Interference by Villagers.

Ottawa, June 7. — The sheriff of St. Schastienne, Que., has asked for help to restrain the villagers from interfering with the hanging of Theophile Belanger on Friday, and a squad of Dominion police will go down, and also a provincial squad. It is said that owing to the disgraceful proceedings at the double-hanging a few years ago the sheriff is refusing all applications for passes, and the villagers threaten to break down the gate. Public sentiment in the locality strongly favors the condemned man, although he was convicted of a grievous crime.

GIFTS FOR THE KAISER

His Subjects Will Spend Over Million on Silver Wedding.

Berlin, June 7. — Loyal subjects are raising \$1,250,000 for a silver wedding anniversary gift to Emperor William and the Empress. The 25th anniversary of their marriage does not come until the 27th of next February, but the promoters of the scheme deemed it wise to start subscriptions now. The money will be put into a variety of things, which it is thought their majesties will appreciate. The following items will consume the most of the money:

Memorial Church with mosaics.
The building of a memorial church to the late Empress Augusta.
The building of a convalescent home on the Mount of Olives, near Jerusalem.
The purchase of buildings as convalescent homes for sick officers of the army and navy.
Another present probably will be silver models of the leading types of the ships which have belonged to the German army since the time of the Great Elector, to be arranged on shelves in the Emperor's working-room.

DIRECTOR OF SURVEYS.
Toronto, June 7. — Frank Robinson, son of Jabez Robinson, M. P., has been appointed by the Dominion Government director of surveys for the Northwest Territories.

G. T. R. GOT IT.
Hamilton, Ont., June 6. — It is stated that the Grand Trunk Railway has secured an option at \$200 per share, for the controlling interest in the Hamilton, Grimsby and Beamsville Electric Railway until July 1. When the C. P. R. heard of the deal they tried to secure an option at \$250 a share, but were too late.

During the last six months Ireland sent to Great Britain 147,101 more cattle, 108,160 more sheep, and 742 fewer horses than were received from all the rest of the world.

TEACHERS GETTING BETTER SALARIES

Average Paid Both Classes in
West Middlesex Higher
Than Year Ago.

In his annual report on the public schools of West Middlesex, Inspector Johnson points to the fact that during the past year, 4,549 pupils were enrolled—2,295 boys and 2,253 girls—in the inspectorate, and that the average salaries of the teachers had increased, that of the male pedagogues, £28.12, and of the female, £20.88, an advance of \$5.54. The pupils were divided as follows: Part I, first reader, 1,571; Part II, second reader, 1,422; third class, 973; fourth class, 993; fifth class, 251.

The financial portion of the report contains some interesting figures. The total receipts of the inspectorate were \$7,191.12, and the expenditures \$5,700.88, the latter being \$2,490.11 in excess of the previous year, due to the better salaries, increased expenditure for building new schoolhouses, establishing rural school libraries, and increased cost of fuel.

The total expenditure of the various municipalities was:

All purposes.	Salaries average.	Room
Adelaide.....	\$1,557.16	\$3,717.50
Beaconsfield.....	1,635.16	1,493.75
Beckton.....	1,490.40	2,947.35
Brixton.....	5,755.82	4,082.48
Cliffe.....	5,214.87	2,415.14
Crabtree.....	2,648.67	2,629.09
East Dulwich.....	4,699.78	2,573.82
East Dulwich.....	2,829.58	2,132.39
East Dulwich.....	2,396.22	1,694.00
East Dulwich.....	1,498.23	964.50
East Dulwich.....	1,196.18	1,214.66
East Dulwich.....	1,296.88	750.00
East Dulwich.....	886.48	775.00

The high average in section No. 8 of a new school, and in repairing the schoolhouse in section No. 14. In Metropolitan high average is caused by the building of a new school on a new site in school section No. 2. In the hurry, the high average is caused by the sums paid for the repayment of loans on trustees' notes. In the case of Newbury the high average is \$475. The averages in some of the others appear higher than they should be, for the same cause. Stratford Model School is counted as an extra school.

The Legislature grants to the various municipalities were: Caradoc—No. 15, \$30; U. 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FIGHTING FOR A NAME.

CHAPTER XXV.
Bill Bunting, or William Hunting, as he now called himself, after parting from his boon companion, suddenly resolved that he would not relinquish Langmaid as one of the stockholders in the Eureka Pump Company without a struggle.

Accordingly, after going a block or two on Chauncy street, he turned about and retraced his steps to Summer street and, a few minutes later, presented himself in the office of Mr. Langmaid's place of business.

"Don't you think you have used me rather badly, Mr. Langmaid?"

"Possibly you may have experienced some annoyance over the way I adopted to protect myself against being swindled," the gentleman coldly replied. "Swindled!" repeated Bill in an injured tone.

"Yes, of course, I feared such a result, after learning the truth regarding you and your history. It was but natural that I should distrust you and wish to sever all business relations with you."

"Ah, then I am right in my conjectures that Wallingford has been giving me a black eye," Bill remarked, coloring angrily.

"If you mean Ned, yes; it was he who informed me that you were sailing under an assumed name, and he also revealed the fact that you were once stoic a dog from me, besides committing several other depredations, which are on record," Mr. Langmaid candidly confessed.

"Whatever my past, as a poor, neglected boy, may have been," Bill returned, with a well assumed air of dignified regret, "he is mistaken regarding my present character and circumstances, and yet I know he fully believes what he has told you. I should not perhaps trespass upon your valuable time, yet, in justice to myself, I feel that I must disabuse your mind of the wrong impressions you have formed. As you doubtless know, I was reared here in Boston under very adverse circumstances, until I reached the age of eighteen, and, during this time, I confess, I was guilty of many misdemeanors which I now deeply regret. But, I had a half-brother who was many years older than I was, and who, for the far west when I was a baby, there he invested in land and became a great property owner. He also invented this pump, in which you have recently become interested. Four years ago he sent for me to come to him. I found him in deep sorrow, for some time previous, he had lost his wife and two children, and he was also in very poor health. He told me he had an incurable disease—he believed he had not long to live and proposed that I should remain with him to the end, remarking that if I conducted myself properly he would make me his heir and also leave me his invention, which was being rapidly developed. I was, of course, only too eager to comply with his wishes, and I have made the most of my home ever since, to Boston, which I made last year."

Bill at this point glanced at Mr. Langmaid to ascertain how he was receiving his story, and wondered what should cause the very peculiar smile which hovered about his lips as he spoke of his visit to Boston.

"During all this time," he resumed, "I watched with ever-increasing interest my brother's progress. I was, of course, very sanguine of its success and had no difficulty in getting it patented. He died only a few months ago, leaving me all that he possessed, provided I would adopt his name—that of Hunting—and devote myself to the production of his invention to the public. He said he thought the best way to do this would be to form a stock company, cordially I have been trying to carry out his instructions regarding the matter. Now you will see, Mr. Langmaid, that while Ned Wallingford's report of me was true in some respects, I have been sadly misrepresented regarding others. I feel very much annoyed because of your refusal to become a stockholder in this invention. I sold you the shares in good faith, and think you ought to have adhered to your bargain. I feel it all the more in view of the injury which your act will do me and my interests in the estimation of others, and I came this morning to see if I could not persuade you to reconsider your decision."

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Your explanations are plausible," he observed, "and everything may be just as you have stated, but I have only your word for it."

"Perhaps you would like to see my papers—my brother's deed of gift—the letters patent," Bill interposed with well-assumed eagerness.

"Those things I must not presume to question," said Mr. Langmaid. "It is your own integrity which would influence me most."

"I give you my word of honor, sir, that my life during the last year and a half has been above reproach. I do not recall one single act that I would wish to conceal from you," said this bold and incorrigible liar.

"That is rather remarkable," Mr. Langmaid dryly observed. "How about the common year ago?"

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"Have you no remembrance of the incident to which I refer?" he inquired. "You must have forgotten how you were made to bite the dust for accosting a lady with insulting familiarity?"

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Mr. Langmaid's ire kindled at this bold and slanderous insinuation. "You impudent, lying rascal!" he exclaimed, starting indignantly to his feet. "I doubt the truth of every word you have uttered. You may have stolen your pump, for aught I know, and the story about a half-brother may be a trumped-up tale to fit the situation. I happen to know the truth of that affair last summer—the young lady who you insulted and who owed her rescue to the fine fellow whom you have so foully maligned was—my daughter!"

Bill Bunting looked completely dumfounded at this astonishing revelation. He did not dream that Gertrude Langmaid could have been connected in any way with that affair, and the knowledge, coming as it did, rendered him speechless for the moment.

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But he would not go until he had fired a parting shot.

"That proud beggar always manages to kick over my plans," he hissed, cringing into a corner, "then let him look out! I have a long account to settle with him. I could stamp the life out of him with this pump, but I will not. I'll make you sweat, too, you stuck-up aristocrat, for the shabby trick you have played on me!"

"Stop, sir!" sternly commanded Mr. Langmaid, "you may get out of this office with what speed you can, and I dare to show your face here again."

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Munroe is Confident of Outcome of Big Fight—Champion Training Hard.

When Munroe, the Butte miner meets Jeffries in the ring June 17 for the world's championship, he will find him a stronger and faster man than ever before. The champion realizes that that matter—

He will meet a man, who, although lacking in ring experience and boxing skill, is no mean opponent, because of his great size and enormous strength. Consequently Jeffries is leaving nothing undone that will increase his chance of victory. His trainers say that he is working for this battle with the most intense training. Most of his work now is of a sort calculated to develop speed. He punches the bag and skips the rope, but spends comparatively little time with the heavy bag. Kennedy says Jeffries is already much faster than when he met Contender, and that he is increasing his speed. When he last weighed the champion tipped the scales at 225, and that is about the weight at which he will enter the ring. His wind is perfect. Jeffries will remain at San Francisco until a few days before the fight and then will go to Oakland.

Dr. Tillman, official physician for the Yosemite Club, went over the miner with the tape and the bruiser totals up in the big figures that follow: Neck, 15½ inches; biceps, 15½ inches; forearm, 13 inches; wrist, 8 inches; fist, 13 inches; chest, normal, 43 inches; chest, expanded, 46 inches; waist, 36½ inches; hips, 42 inches; thigh, 25½ inches; calf, 18 inches; ankle, 10½ inches.

Munroe has been putting in a busy time getting into condition. His work has been done in the open air, and he has even gone so far as to invite all of the heavyweights to come around to his camp and put on the gloves.

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The continued wet weather of the spring, with its resultant numerous baseball postponements has set some of the legislators of the major leagues to talking of another amendment of the playing rules. With a 154-game schedule, and the natural increase of postponed games early in the year, it is obvious that there must be an increased number of double-headers late in the season. Some of the clubs might be willing to avoid playing any of these two-for-one bookings, but the clubs that are in the lead, and who need games to remain there, and those that are within striking distance of the top, and that need games to get there, will insist on making up games that were declared off earlier in the year. Occasionally it is not too much to ask the ball players to do eighteen innings in one afternoon, but to keep it up, during the sultry days of August and the possibly scorching ones of September, is too much for men who have been trained to the nine-round distance. In seasons past there has been more or less talk of chopping two or three innings off the nine-round distance, which two are played on one afternoon. This spring the idea took definite form, and a few days ago President Pulliam, of the National League, took a mail vote of his clubs on the proposition to make all games of double-headers seven innings, instead of nine. Nothing more will be heard of the proposition this season, for the reason that the New York club, which opposes everything—and which may not have been in the wrong in opposing this thing—refused to consider any such amendment to the rules of the game, and its negative vote killed the proposition.

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LONDON AND DISTRICT

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—The C. P. R. has announced the dates of the house of the North-West—June 14 and 28 and July 18.

Monday, July 4, a spiritual retreat will begin at the Society of the Holy Spirit, at the city of London.

—The Waterworth brothers, arraigned on two charges, one of conspiracy, and one of false pretences, have elected to take their trial before Judge Dowling, at Chatham, without a jury, on June 5.

On Wednesday evening a meeting of the session of St. Andrew's Church will be held, at which the matter of calling another congregational meeting to consider a call to the vacant pastorate will be decided.

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A GOOD RECORD FOR PAST YEAR

Thirteenth Annual Gathering of Lobo Township Sunday School Association.

The thirteenth annual convention of Lobo Township Sunday School Association was held in the Presbyterian Church, on Thursday afternoon and evening, June 2. It also sustained the high reputation won by former conventions. Two schools bordering the township have been added to the organization, making in all seven schools, with total membership of about 200, and an average attendance of 42.

Mr. John McVicar, president, very pleasantly and ably conducted the meetings in the absence of Mr. Ballantyne. He also led the convention in a study of the lesson assigned in the international series for June 5. It is a particularly marked sign of progress when different denominations which in times past antagonized each other, are now united in a common cause and in a most friendly spirit discuss religious questions of vital importance.

The secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Ella Zavitz, gave a businesslike account of the year's proceedings, with a favorable showing in the treasury.

Mrs. Cameron, visitor to schools during the year, produced a very full report of the standing in each school, while Mr. Ald. Judd, in his address, pointed out some of the phases noted in his opportunity at different schools.

A "round table" was conducted by Mr. D. A. McDermid, London, in which many helpful hints were dropped. One of the chief requisites in a successful teacher is a love for the scholar and an interest in his eternal welfare, and the teacher will find that this is the best way to success.

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Mayor and Aldermen Turn a Complete Somersault at the Council Meeting.

The mayor and aldermen turned a complete somersault last night—in fact, swallowed themselves on the pavement question. The council met at 8 o'clock yesterday afternoon, Warden Neeley in the chair. As is customary the opening meeting, the business consisted largely of the reading of communications. A move in the direction of revising the bylaws governing the election of a warden was taken, a committee being appointed to consider them. A proposition to amend the bylaws, on the subject of the election of a warden, was introduced. It was moved that the council amend the bylaws, so as to prevent persons taking short cuts across boulevards and thereby destroying them. The council agreed to amend the bylaws, so as to prevent persons taking short cuts across boulevards and thereby destroying them. The council agreed to amend the bylaws, so as to prevent persons taking short cuts across boulevards and thereby destroying them.

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COUNCILORS MEET

County May Revise Bylaws Re Election of Warden.

The June session of the Middlesex County Council opened at the county buildings at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, Warden Neeley in the chair. As is customary the opening meeting, the business consisted largely of the reading of communications. A move in the direction of revising the bylaws governing the election of a warden was taken, a committee being appointed to consider them. A proposition to amend the bylaws, on the subject of the election of a warden, was introduced. It was moved that the council amend the bylaws, so as to prevent persons taking short cuts across boulevards and thereby destroying them. The council agreed to amend the bylaws, so as to prevent persons taking short cuts across boulevards and thereby destroying them. The council agreed to amend the bylaws, so as to prevent persons taking short cuts across boulevards and thereby destroying them.

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