

OUTBREAK AT A PEACE MEETING

In Opposition to Taft's Proposed Arbitration Treaties

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—(By wire)—A riotous outbreak interrupted the large mass meeting held in Carnegie Hall in support of the arbitration treaties which President Taft has proposed with England and France.

LORDS REJECTED THE NAVAL PRIZE BILL

LONDON, Dec. 12.—The House of Lords tonight rejected the Naval Prize Bill by a vote of 145 to 53.

Furthermore, he said, the Bill permitted an appeal from the British Privy Council to the Prize Court, but no corresponding appeal from the United States Supreme Court.

The Naval Prize Bill passed its third reading in the House of Commons on Dec. 7, a motion for its rejection being defeated by 172 to 125.

The Prime Minister, however, last June, made it plain in the House of Commons that the British Government intended despite all protests from British Admirals, shipowners, and Chambers of Commerce to force through the ratification of the declaration of London, which had been approved by the Government after the fullest possible deliberation.

Christmas is approaching, but the outlook is not particularly pleasant in several directions. The Government is endeavoring to avert strikes of railway men, colliers and postal employees, while representatives of the Board of Trade are conferring in London with employees of the railways, whose unions are counting the ballots of a plebiscite of the question of a strike.

This conference was called by the Government, which is concerned over the threatened resumption of the transportation paralysis of last summer. That disturbance was adjusted by the reference of the grievances of the men to a royal commission, the understanding being that both sides would accept the findings of that body.

The prospect now is that there will be no strike of the railway men, the colliers, or the postal employees before Christmas. This feeling is based on the fears of the men that they would alienate the sympathy of the public if the conditions were disturbed during the holidays.

Voluntary increases in pay on some of the railways have been followed by an increase in the week-end and other excursion rates. Rumors that the plebiscite of the railway men had declared a strike caused the companies to arrange for the operation of their lines with elaborate private protection.

The prospect now is that there will be no strike of the railway men, the colliers, or the postal employees before Christmas. This feeling is based on the fears of the men that they would alienate the sympathy of the public if the conditions were disturbed during the holidays.

extremely pleasant for the Contest Manager and causes a smile to illuminate his countenance as he sees the generous response to his efforts. The mild, open weather makes it a pleasant time to canvass for subscriptions and candidates would do well to expend every effort while it continues so as to make a good showing on Saturday when the first published score will be given.

The big contest is now in full swing and each day's mail brings added evidence of its immense popularity in all three districts and the fine enthusiasm of the candidates makes it long as you live.

THE RICHESON MURDER TRIAL

Rumor that Plea of Manslaughter May Be Taken

BOSTON, Dec. 13.—(By wire)—Following a conference between Chief Justice Aiken as counsel for Rev. Clarence Richeson, accused of the murder of Avis Linnell, stories are circulated to the effect that the plea of manslaughter.

THE PREMIER IN MONTREAL FOR TODAY

OTTAWA, December 12.—Only routine business was transacted at today's cabinet meeting, and there will probably be no council meeting tomorrow as the prime minister is going to Montreal in the morning, where he will be the guest, with Mrs. Borden, of Sir Thomas Shaughnessy.

Mr. Borden had a most pleasant visit to New York, where he was impressed alike by the courtesy shown him personally and by the friendly feeling manifested towards the Dominion.

The British flag was freely displayed at the hotel where he stopped during his stay in New York. Great interest was shown in the development of Canada and a sincere wish for the continuance of the best relations between the two countries was expressed on all sides.

The Prime Minister did not care to discuss the interview with ex-President Roosevelt beyond saying that Mr. Roosevelt was well informed respecting his admiration with the way in which the Dominion had developed the Canadian affairs and expressed confidence.

WANT PAPER FREE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Austria-Hungary, in addition to Germany, Holland, Norway and Sweden, has asked that her print paper and wood pulp be permitted, under the most favored nation clause of her treaty with the United States, to enter this country free of duty, under the same conditions that Canadian pulp and paper are given free entry under the reciprocity law.

ITALIAN CRUISER FIRED ON BRITISH STEAMER

MARSEILLES, France, Dec. 12.—A British steamer from Manila on Nov. 8 for this port arrived today, and reported that she had been fired on by an Italian cruiser while passing through the Red Sea on Nov. 30. Her bows were badly damaged when she came into port. The captain says that the commander of the Italian cruiser apologized for the occurrence.

URGES PEACE PACT WITH FATHERLAND

LONDON, Dec. 12.—Lord Chas. Balfour in a speech at Leicester, last night, referred to "England's naval unpreparedness during the Morocco crisis," and bluntly stated that Mr. McKenna was dismissed from the post of First Lord of the Admiralty.

"His grotesque antics during the late crisis," said Lord Charles "led to his dismissal and if the facts were generally known there would be considerable excitement in foreign countries."

It is significant that when Lord Charles remarked in his speech "I don't see why we cannot come to some agreement with Germany" the audience cheered loudly.

CRUISERS ARE TO CARRY MAILS

South Africa Union Has Evolved a New Plan

LONDON, Dec. 13.—(By wire)—The Chronic announces that the South African government will build a fleet of cruisers which will be employed in times of peace to carry the mails to England in place of the Union Castle Line which is now receiving a subsidy of \$750,000.

AN ADDRESS ON MISSIONS LAST NIGHT

Last evening in St. James Hall a good attendance greeted Rev. Mr. Thompson, of Knox Church, Pictou, who addressed the meeting on the subject of Missions. The address was a most interesting one from start to finish and was thoroughly enjoyed by those whose good fortune it was to be present.

Mr. Thompson is a fluent speaker and delivers his message in a clear and convincing manner, his remarks being entirely devoid of all of that which does not entertain and possessing those qualities which hold the interest throughout. The lecture was under the auspices of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of St. James Church and that Society is to be commended for the treat they provided in securing the services of Mr. Thompson for last evening. A good Thank Offering was taken up in aid of Missions.

EXCHANGED RATIFICATIONS ON SEAL TREATY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Ratifications were exchanged here today by Great Britain, Russia, Japan and the United States of the quadrilateral treaty for the protection of seals in the North Pacific and Behring Sea. Under this treaty pelagic sealing will be terminated and the taking of fur seals will be regulated by the four Governments. Congress will have to appropriate \$200,000 to compensate Japanese and Canadian sealers for the abandonment of sealing.

DELHI NOW THE CAPITAL OF INDIA

LONDON, Dec. 12.—The transfer of the capital of India to Delhi is largely attributed to political unrest in Bengal. The recent revolutionary discontent largely originated in Calcutta and the task of administration on this account was rendered more difficult. Delhi, as the ancient capital is regarded by the natives of the Eastern Empire as a short of shrine, so that the change will minimize the effects of Bengalese disaffection.

OXFORD BEAT CAMBRIDGE

LONDON, Dec. 12.—Oxford University defeated Cambridge University in the annual Rugby football match played at Queen's Club today by a score of 19 to 0.

EXPLOS ON ON BATTLESHIP ORION INJURED SEVERAL

PORTSMOUTH, England, December 12.—Commander Herbert N. Garnett, of the naval ordnance department, and fifteen of the crew of the battleship Orion were injured today, as the result of the explosion of an oil tank. The Orion is lying in one of the basins at the dockyard, where she is being completed for consumption of both oil, fuel and coal.

BERLIN HEARS THAT SHUSTER WON OUT

BERLIN, Dec. 12.—A Persian compromise is probable, according to a telegram from Teheran. It is reported that Russia is satisfied with this explanation and that the Russian Government will withdraw its demand for the dismissal of W. Morgan Shuster, the Treasurer General in Persia, and also that will not ask for an indemnity. There will however, in future be an Anglo-Russian control over appointments of officials by the Persian Government.

COMMUNICATION THROUGH PROVINCE AND WITH MAINLAND

The Northumberland left this port yesterday at 7.30 a. m., with passengers, freight and mail docking at Pictou at 11.00 a. m. She left on return at 2.50 p. m., with passengers, freight, express and N. S. mail arriving here at 5.20 p. m.

ENGINEER AND FIREMAN KILLED

When Engine Struck Large Rock on the Track.

WELL RIVER, Dec. 13.—(By wire)—The engineer and fireman of a north bound freight train were killed south of here today, when the locomotive struck a large rock that had been dislodged by a blast and thrown on tracks.

ALBERTON GIRL MEETS WITH SUCCESS IN THE WEST

ALBERTON, Dec. 13.—(Special Correspondence)—The Miss Champion referred to in the following local is a daughter of William Champion Alberton. Miss Champion resides in Edmonton and after taking a course in the Normal School there, received an appointment on the teaching staff in the High School of Edmonton. The following is the inspection report: Miss Champion has charge of the standard 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, and the general over sight of the school. She exercises kindly but firm discipline and gives every evidence of efficiency resulting from experience and unusual ability. I consider Miss Champion one of the best teachers in my inspection, excellent attention is given to all the prescribed subjects. Good attention is paid to accuracy and form of oral and written expression. She is a good questioner, secures good response in effort from the pupils, and gives proper encouragement.

C. P. R. WANTS MORE LAND AT ST. JOHN

ST. JOHN, Dec. 12.—A survey of the three properties adjoining the new land acquired last year by the C. P. R. at the head of the harbor, it is stated, will be followed by the purchase by the Company of these properties which are valued at half a million. It is known that the Company will have to secure more land to accommodate the Bay car ferry and their Digby steamer, and take care of the freight at the head of the harbor.

PRISONER DAMAGES PRISON.

TORONTO, Dec. 11.—Oscar H. Robins wrecked his jail cell after running amuck in York street Saturday night, and assaulting Mrs. Vineberg and her daughter who keep a second hand store. Robins became enraged when told he could not buy a revolver without an order from the police, and grabbing a rifle from the shop window struck Mrs. Vineberg and her daughter on the heads with it. Robins then dashed out and jumped into a passing auto, but was quickly arrested. This morning it was found that he had torn down the plumbing and ventilators in his cell.

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS

FOR SALE, Happy Thought Stove. Apply at 26 Great George St. 12-1446i.

WANTED, girl for general house work. Apply at this office. 12-1447i.

SAUSAGES made fresh every day. Saunders, New som & Co. 11-133dimpd

FURS, I pay highest prices for mink, fox and muskrat. J. D. Jenkins, Charlottetown. 11-18dimpd

TEACHER WANTED, for Nine Mile Creek School, for January 1st. Supplement given. Apply to Joseph Inman, Sec'y. 12-1122wrlwpd.

LOST, between Zion Church and Upper Hillsboro, a purse containing money. Reward by leaving at this office. 12-1443i.

WANTED, by a young competent man. Position in grocery or meat store. Experienced meat-cutter. Address Position, 260 Grafton Street, Charlottetown. 12-1441wpd.

HAND PAINTING, Island scenes 35, 50 cents. Other pictures 25 cents to \$1.25. Island views and other calendars 25 to 65 cents. Gladys Taylor, 224 Chamberland Street. 12-1342dpd.

AN IMMIGRANT TRAIN WRECKED

On Grand Trunk Near Paris, but None Killed.

PORTLAND, Dec. 13.—(By wire)—A special train bringing several hundred immigrants to sail for Liverpool was wrecked at West Paris on the Grand Trunk.

FREIGHT MOVING AT SUMMERSIDE

SUMMERSIDE, Dec. 13.—(Special Correspondence)—Today the Empress took to Pt du Chene fifteen passengers, two hundred dressed hogs, five hundred cases eggs and two cars mixed freight.

Returning she docked at 8.30 p. m. in Summerside and had twenty-five passengers, one car flour, four cars mixed freight, and twenty-five horses for Wm. Mehary en route to Charlottetown.

LOST TRACK OF WEST INDIAN STORM

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—The West Indian disturbance reported from Turks Island yesterday passed somewhere to the northward of the Island, and its definite location could not be determined by the Weather Bureau today. Some indication of its approach to the South Atlantic coast might be looked for tomorrow, but it may sweep northeastward and not touch the coast.

CANADIAN AND JAPANESE SEALERS COMPENSATED

WASHINGTON, December 12.—Ratifications were exchanged here today by Great Britain, Russia, Japan and the United States of the quadrilateral treaty for the protection of seals in the North Pacific and Behring Sea. Under this treaty pelagic sealing will be terminated and the taking of fur seals will be regulated by the four governments. Congress will have to appropriate \$200,000 to compensate Japanese and Canadian sealers for the abandonment of sealing.

DELHI NOW THE CAPITAL OF INDIA

LONDON, Dec. 12.—The transfer of the capital of India to Delhi is largely attributed to political unrest in Bengal. The recent revolutionary discontent largely originated in Calcutta and the task of administration on this account was rendered more difficult. Delhi, as the ancient capital is regarded by the natives of the Eastern Empire as a short of shrine, so that the change will minimize the effects of Bengalese disaffection.

OXFORD BEAT CAMBRIDGE

LONDON, Dec. 12.—Oxford University defeated Cambridge University in the annual Rugby football match played at Queen's Club today by a score of 19 to 0.

EXPLOS ON ON BATTLESHIP ORION INJURED SEVERAL

PORTSMOUTH, England, December 12.—Commander Herbert N. Garnett, of the naval ordnance department, and fifteen of the crew of the battleship Orion were injured today, as the result of the explosion of an oil tank. The Orion is lying in one of the basins at the dockyard, where she is being completed for consumption of both oil, fuel and coal.

BERLIN HEARS THAT SHUSTER WON OUT

BERLIN, Dec. 12.—A Persian compromise is probable, according to a telegram from Teheran. It is reported that Russia is satisfied with this explanation and that the Russian Government will withdraw its demand for the dismissal of W. Morgan Shuster, the Treasurer General in Persia, and also that will not ask for an indemnity. There will however, in future be an Anglo-Russian control over appointments of officials by the Persian Government.

COMMUNICATION THROUGH PROVINCE AND WITH MAINLAND

LATEST FROM MINE HORROR

Thirty-eight Bodies So Far Recovered at Bryceville.

BRUCEVILLE, Dec. 13.—(By wire)—Today 38 bodies have been found. Five still are in the mine. The position of the bodies discovered yesterday showed that the men had died from black damp. Fire broke out anew about 1,500 feet from the main entry but it was promptly extinguished.

MONCTON AFTER UPPER CANADA PLAYERS

MONTREAL, Dec. 12.—Arranging an understanding between the Maritime Provinces' Professional Hockey League and the National Association so there may be no slashing between the two in the rush for players and incidentally scouting for talent to strengthen the home team, Rollie Norman of Moncton is in the city and leaves today for Ottawa. To date he has signed one player in the person of Fred Povey, the big Waterloo defence man, whose name he attached at Sherbrooke yesterday. He has practically clinched matters with "Stoke" Doran, another defence man who was in Moncton last year and may annex Ras Murphy, an Ontario forward player. Norman has been trying to have the Wanderers play in Moncton and may open a deal with Ottawa to the same end.

UNKNOWN MAN JUMPED TO HIS DEATH

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—An unidentified man, who is believed to have been mentally unbalanced, shortly after noon today jumped to the ninth floor of the Masonic Temple Building, disrobed, crawled out upon a beam, and dropped to the rotunda beneath. His mangled body was unrecognizable. His body struck the cigar stand in the rotunda and injured a man who was standing near. The rotunda was crowded when the man jumped and much confusion ensued. For a time the rumor was prevalent that two men had committed suicide and this report was made to the police.

SIR WILLIAM MCKENZIE OFF FOR EUROPE

TORONTO, Ont., Dec. 12.—Sir Wm. McKenzie, accompanied by D. B. Hanna, third vice-president of the Canadian Northern Railway left Toronto last night for Halifax, whence he will sail by the Royal George for Europe.

MAURETANIA AFTER NEW ATLANTIC RECORD

LONDON, Dec. 12.—A news agency despatch from Vienna says that according to official advices received from Gettije, Montenegro, a dangerous insurrection was broken out in Albania. Twelve thousand men are under arms, and an extension of the movement is probable.

GIVE UP JEWELS TO FAY CHURCH DEBTS.

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—As her part in assisting to pay the debt of \$5,000 on a church one young woman last night placed in the contribution box her diamond engagement ring.

Another parted with a gold brooch of quaint workmanship and still another sacrificed a hand-painted china set.

An aged woman, one of the oldest members of the church, gave a mahogany parlor set. One young man his guitar and another a camera. A third, a church who had belonged to the church only a week, pledged his salary for next week. The gifts were made during a revival service at the Moody Church, founded by the late Dr. Dwight L. Moody.

LEAN HARD.

Child of My love "lean hard," And let me feel the pressure of thy care.

ROYALTIES IN GRAVE DANGER

Duke and Duchess Fife on Steamer Gone Ashore.

GIBRALTAR, Dec. 13.—(By wire)—The Peninsular Navigation Company's steamer Delhi from London for Bombay, conveying the Princess Louise, sister of King George, with her husband the Duke and Fife and daughters, with many other passengers on way to Egypt, has gone ashore to the south of Cape Spartel on the Moroccan coast at the entrance to the Strait of Gibraltar.

Several tugs have gone to her assistance. Her position is considered so perilous that the British cruiser Weymouth has also been ordered to leave here with a detachment of artillery in charge of life saving apparatus. Very rough weather prevails.

CANARIES IN LIFE SAVING ROLE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Canary birds made possible the rescue alive of the five men who were taken from the Cross Mountain mine last night, the Bureau of Mines here was informed today by Dr. Holmes, head of the Bureau. This is the first mine disaster in which these birds have played a life saving role, although experiments have been made with them in a number of smaller accidents. The canaries, most sensitive to atmosphere that will not support life, are carried into the mine by the rescuers for the purpose of detecting the least sign of poisonous gases. As soon as the canaries show symptoms of dizziness the volunteer rescuers with the helmeted workers are not allowed to go further, and the latter proceed alone. Bodies found beyond this point are brought back as far as this danger line, whence they are carried out by the volunteers.

TO RAISE FUNDS FOR PINE HILL

ST. JOHN, Dec. 12.—At a meeting of the St. John Presbytery here tonight, Judge Forbes, Rev. Frank Baird and Rev. H. R. Reid were appointed to form plans for raising money towards paying off the indebtedness of Pine Hill College, Halifax.

INSURRECTION HAS BROKEN OUT IN ALBANIA

LONDON, Dec. 12.—A news agency despatch from Vienna says that according to official advices received from Gettije, Montenegro, a dangerous insurrection was broken out in Albania. Twelve thousand men are under arms, and an extension of the movement is probable.

MAURETANIA AFTER NEW ATLANTIC RECORD

LONDON, Dec. 12.—A news agency despatch from Vienna says that according to official advices received from Gettije, Montenegro, a dangerous insurrection was broken out in Albania. Twelve thousand men are under arms, and an extension of the movement is probable.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 12.—The Cunard liner Mauretania left this port today with the expectation of establishing a new record for the round trip at Christmas time. She will depart from New York within 32 hours after her arrival there and will be due back at Fishguard as the Christmas ship on December 21.

GIVE UP JEWELS TO FAY CHURCH DEBTS.

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—As her part in assisting to pay the debt of \$5,000 on a church one young woman last night placed in the contribution box her diamond engagement ring.

Another parted with a gold brooch of quaint workmanship and still another sacrificed a hand-painted china set.

An aged woman, one of the oldest members of the church, gave a mahogany parlor set. One young man his guitar and another a camera. A third, a church who had belonged to the church only a week, pledged his salary for next week. The gifts were made during a revival service at the Moody Church, founded by the late Dr. Dwight L. Moody.

NOT YET TO LATE TO ENTER

First Vote Standing In The Guardian's Mammoth Piano and Organ Voting Contest Will Appear in Saturday's Paper. Will Include all Votes Polled Up to Friday Morning at 8 a. m.

The big contest is now in full swing and each day's mail brings added evidence of its immense popularity in all three districts and the fine enthusiasm of the candidates makes it long as you live.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, &c.

WEATHER FORECAST &c.

TORONTO, Ont., Dec. 14.—Fresh westerly and northwesterly winds; fair, with a little lower temperature.

The temperature at three o'clock this morning by the Rexall Store Tested Thermometer was thirty-two degrees above zero.

The lowest temperature recorded yesterday was 34 degrees above zero and the highest was 48 above. The lowest recorded the previous night was 38 above. At nine a. m., it was 39 above and at nine p. m., it was 34 above.

The length of today will be eight hours and fifty minutes. The tide will be high this afternoon at 5.58 and tomorrow afternoon at 6.46; it will be high tomorrow morning at 6.27 and Saturday morning at 7.33.

The sun sets this afternoon at 4.20 and tomorrow afternoon at 4.20; it rises tomorrow morning at 7.30 and Saturday morning at 7.31.

The moon rises tomorrow morning at 2.26.

TWELVE TEAMS REMAIN IN BIKE RACE

NEW YORK, December 12.—One of the teams in the six-day bicycle race at Madison Square Garden gave up the grind this morning, it was the Ryan-Kavanagh combination, both members of which were declared by the physicians to be physically incapable of finishing the race. The teams left in the race were more than two miles ahead of the record at 8 o'clock this morning, at the end of the 32nd hour, at that time 12 teams had covered 877m lbs. 3 laps, while the Thomas-Stein and Calvin-Wiley combination remained one lap behind.

The early morning sprints failed to change the relative positions of the contestants, although they forced a pace that broke the record. In fact the riders were ahead of the record at 6 a. m., when the leaders had covered 631 miles 6 laps.

LOST, between Zion Church and Upper Hillsboro, a purse containing money. Reward by leaving at this office. 12-1443i.

WANTED, by a young competent man. Position in grocery or meat store. Experienced meat-cutter. Address Position, 260 Grafton Street, Charlottetown. 12-1441wpd.

HAND PAINTING, Island scenes 35, 50 cents. Other pictures 25 cents to \$1.25. Island views and other calendars 25 to 65 cents. Gladys Taylor, 224 Chamberland Street. 12-1342dpd.

DRAFT MARE, for sale. Will be sold by auction, after sale of Scotch Furies, a draft mare rising 5 yrs, weighs 1400 lbs, due to King's March 20th, won second at Fines County Fair. Breeders who want a choice mare should see her, Will be at the Revere Stables Dec. 13 and 14. 12-1443dpd.

BOWLING, Burke's Alleys, under B market, open lawful days ten to eleven. 2-25td.

So I might feel My child reposing on My breast. Thou lovest Me? I know it. Doubt not, then. But, loving Me, lean hard.

This darkness that has settled down on your life today is a part of God's plan for the enriching of your life. Whether it has come in ways beyond your control, or is a result of your own sin, it is carrying out his will for your special good. "Darkness is as necessary to the development of a life as is the development of a photographic film." There are some beauties of design that could never be brought out while the light is shining. Let us remember this when the darkness comes, and rejoice in it. Then light will come the sooner; and there will be more beauty to show when it does come.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

Minard's liniment cures garget in cows