

BODY HANGING BY ROADSIDE

Three Months and Not Seen In That Time. The Deceased Not Known.

PITTSBURG, Aug. 16.—(Special)—After hanging three months to a tree within a few feet of the public road along which hundreds of persons passed daily, the body of an unknown man seventy years of age was found by berry pickers.

NORWEGIAN BARK SUFFERED MUCH

Reached New York 140 Days From Java, Under Jury Rigging.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—(Special)—The Norwegian bark Gartha, dismantled of nearly all its original spars and rigging, arrived here today from Java after a voyage of 11,000 miles in 140 days.

AN ACCIDENT AT RAILWAY CROSSING

SUMMERSIDE, Aug. 17.—(Special)—Last evening shortly before the Empress arrived in Summerside the western train was going to the wharf to take coal and get into position on the siding to await the departure of the east-bound train.

The horse, which it is safe to say is one of the slowest of living animals, refused to pull the rig from the track, the train still moving and pushing the carriage along with it, then the engine was reversed and the train began to move slowly in the opposite direction, but in some way the carriage became hitched to the after-coach of the train and for a short time it was a tug of war between the train and the horse.

The baseball match between the local nine of this city and the Blooming Point team played at that place on Saturday afternoon resulted in a victory for the City team by a score of sixteen to six.

THE AMBASSADOR IN SAINT JOHN

Mr. Bryce to Address Canadian Clubs, How He Will Be Entertained.

ST. JOHN, Aug. 16.—(Special)—Right Hon. Jas. Bryce, British Ambassador at Washington, who is to address the Canadian Club here, arrived in the city on the Boston train tonight accompanied by Mrs. Bryce.

The Ambassador and party were met at the depot by Premier Hazen and President Allan of the Canadian Club and escorted to the Royal Hotel where a suite was secured for them.

Owing to the late arrival of the train the reception of the distinguished visitor was of a quiet and informal nature.

In the morning the Ambassador will be given a trip about the harbor by a committee from the Canadian Club and at noon the Ambassador and Mrs. Bryce will be the guests of Premier Hazen at luncheon at the Premier's home.

In the afternoon they will be driven about the city and in the evening the Ambassador will be the guest of the Canadian Club at luncheon.

The Ambassador will leave on Wednesday morning for St. Andrews.

AMERICAN SETTLERS FLOCK TO CANADA

OTTAWA, Aug. 15.—Immigration to Canada is again on the increase and the growth in arrivals from the United States is especially heavy.

From Great Britain and the continent the arrivals numbered 41,802, a falling off of 7,354 or 15 per cent. During the same time immigrants from the United States numbered 32,324, an increase of 12,517, or 61 per cent.

The S. S. Cacouna, of the Black Diamond Line, sailed from this port at noon yesterday for Sydney and Newfoundland. She has a good cargo aboard and took away 60 cattle and 50 sheep shipped by E. Wheatly & Co. of this city, John Stewart, Union Road, and McLean Bros., North Wiltshire, four horses shipped by Albert Dumphy, Cherry Valley, and a fair quantity of hay, oats and vegetables.

The S. S. Cacouna is commanded by Captain Holmes and is one of the largest of the freight steamers that enter this port.

AUSTRALIA TO GIVE CRUISERS

Instead of Dreadnaughts, and Maintain Local Naval Stations. The Conference.

LONDON, Aug. 16.—(Special)—A despatch from Melbourne says it is believed there that instead of Dreadnaughts, Australia will provide a squadron of fast cruisers capable of being used in local and Pacific waters and will also be responsible for the maintenance of large federal naval bases.

The final meeting of the Imperial Defence Conference will be held on Thursday to receive the report of the military sub-committee on the results of the Dominions' and Admiralty Conference.

The Naval Conferences with Australia and New Zealand have been completed, but some technical details with regard to Canada remain, referring chiefly to the local disposition of Canadian ships and services.

BUSY DAY AT POLICE COURT

Three cases were disposed of yesterday at the Police Court. Edward Hennessy, drunk and incapable Saturday night, was fined five dollars or thirty days. He paid the fine. An assault case also came before the court and was dismissed. Joseph Cameron, who is under a charge of stealing a bottle of beer, came up once more yesterday morning after adjournment and was further remanded until Monday next.

WENT WEST AND MET DEATH

VANCOUVER, August 15.—Thomas Primit, a youth of nineteen, who arrived here a few days ago from Bonavista, Nfld., lost his life in an unusual manner on the Fraser river today. He was fishing below the Stevenson light house and leaned over to catch a kettle which had fallen overboard. Seemingly, losing his balance he fell into the water. His companion Isaac Abbot, also a Newfoundlander, was ready to grasp him when he reappeared. But he never came up, and the body was found later entangled in the nets. An autopsy showed no water in the lungs. The young man must have died of heart failure.

EARTHQUAKE IN CENTRAL JAPAN

TOKIO, Aug. 16.—Reports received concerning the earthquake in Central Japan, on Saturday afternoon, show that there were a number of fatalities and great damage to property. The number injured is eighty two. Thus far, three hundred and sixty two buildings, including many temples are destroyed and one thousand others are badly damaged.

RAIN. CHICAGO, Aug. 16.—(Special)—TORONTO, Aug. 17.—(Special)—Easterly winds, becoming strong, rain toward evening or at night. The length of today will be thirteen hours and fifty-six minutes.

A MYSTERIOUS EXPLOSION

Causes Wreck and Fire Seriously if Not Fatally Injuring Nine Persons.

CLEVELAND, Aug. 16.—(Special)—Seven men and three women, were seriously if not fatally injured when a mysterious explosion partially wrecked and set fire to a four story building occupied by the Wirick Moving and Storage Company.

AN EDITOR'S SON KILLED ABROAD

Lawrence Belding of Saint John Meets Death at Cardinal, Ont.

ST. JOHN, Aug. 16.—(Special)—Lawrence Belding was accidentally killed at a wharf at Cardinal, Ont., on Sunday evening.

His brother will leave Toronto for Cardinal tonight to take the body home.

EVELYN THAW IS CAST ADRIFT

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Aug. 14.—According to Charles W. Morschauer, attorney for Harry K. Thaw, Evelyn Nesbit Thaw is seeking to force her husband's family into settling up on her a large sum of money, said to be \$500,000. Ever since Thaw was sent here on his divorce proceedings, Mr. Morschauer, according to Thaw, has been threatening him with divorce and numerous stories regarding her contemplated procedure have been published. Mr. Morschauer summed up the matter:—

"Since Mrs. Thaw ascertained she could not force Harry into acceding to her wishes by threats of divorce, she has resorted to an actual demand for the settlement of a large sum upon herself."

"Is it as much as \$500,000?" Mr. Morschauer was asked.

"Yes" somewhere around that figure. We are not excited by her oft repeated divorce threats, for we know what she has been doing. She has been negotiating with District Attorney Jerome and his alienists and aiding them in this case, therefore she can look to them to take care of her."

This declaration that Mr. Jerome and his alienists may care for Mrs. Evelyn Thaw's welfare is taken as an indication that Thaw and his family have determined finally to cut Evelyn Thaw adrift for good.

MANY SKELETONS LATELY FOUND

In Washington Speak of Foul Play There 150 Years Ago.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—(Special)—Fifteen skeletons, lying in such a position as to indicate a hasty burial, and three English copper coins, bearing date 1729 were found with the skeletons during the excavations for a hospital near the banks of the Potomac, being to light some Indian or piratical tragedy of early American days.

The finger of suspicion was pointing first toward the red man, who stole silently along the wooded Potomac's banks a century and a half ago, then to a mythical pirate crew which is believed to have made a rendezvous in the Upper Potomac, and lastly to a mutiny-infested slave trading vessel.

GERMANY'S EYE ON SOUTH PACIFIC

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Aug. 15.—There have just been significant developments at Simpsonshafen, the principal German station in the South Pacific. The German Government has decided to remove the capital of the German possessions thither from Hereretschke. Wharves at Simpsonshafen capable of accommodating the largest war ships has already been erected. Provision is made for a future coaling base and for docking. Tracks utilizable for military purposes extend to the surrounding hills. A residential area has been planned.

Simpsonshafen is a naturally landlocked harbor, capable of being reached in a short time. Reports by private visitors have been furnished to the Federal military authorities.

THE WARATAH NOW MISSING 15 DAYS

DURBAN, Aug. 15.—The British cruiser Pandora returned here yesterday after an unsuccessful search of eight days' duration for the British steamship Waratah, which, with 300 persons on board, has been missing since July 26. The Pandora covered an area of 250 square miles, and her commander is of the opinion that if the Waratah is still afloat he would have sighted her.

The Waratah carried ninety-three passengers, forty of whom embarked in Australia and the remainder at Durban. A majority of the passengers were Englishmen returning home from Sydney and Port Natal. The crew numbered 207 men.

A HANDSOME SOUVENIR

Much credit is due the Charlottetown Board of Trade and especially the President James Paton and Secretary L. B. Miller for the charming and artistic program they have gotten up for the Maritime Board of Trade meetings in this city. The booklet is printed on different shades of paper and is set off with charming bits of scenery from the Garden of the Gulf. On the cover is a photo of "Our meeting place" and a welcome to the visitors, while the inside pages give the program for two days, including the menu and toast list. A choice little move silk cord bow holds the program together and makes a charming souvenir and shows the exquisite taste of the designers.

The temperature at three o'clock this morning was fifty-eight degrees.

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LOST, between Charlottetown and St. John's, a white sweater coat. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at Prowse Bros Ltd. 8-17d3ipd.

TO RENT, a house with ten rooms with modern improvements situated in one of the best localities. Possession given September 1st. For particulars apply at Guardian office. 8-17d3ipd.

WANTED, two hundred lbs good fowl each Tuesday. J. D. Jenkins. 8-17d3ipd.

HOUSE TO LET. Apply to Jos. Lane, 81 Prince Street. 8-17d3ipd.

WANTED, at once, a principal for the McDonald Consolidated school, Hillsboro. Apply to F. Boyer, Secy. of Board of management. 8-17d3i.

COBOURG HAD A SERIOUS FIRE

Offices and Stables Destroyed, Other Buildings Damaged.

COBOURG, Aug. 16.—(Special)—The most disastrous fire Cobourg has experienced in many years occurred here, the chief loser being Geo. Thompson, of Thompson and McDonald, whose employment warehouse, office and stables with six horses were destroyed.

Vonborg's stable and Davidson's livery stables were also burned and Dunham House and Davidson Street Methodist church scorched.

The total loss is sixty thousand dollars, about one quarter insured.

POLITICAL MEETING HELD AT TRYON

The Campaigners and Their Supporters Gather Together in Tryon.

TRYON, August 16.—The political meeting held here tonight was well attended, both speakers and audience being strong in numbers. The Hall was, in fact, over crowded, but in spite of the general disposition which cramped audiences have for creating unpleasantness, the order was well maintained throughout. L. H. Smith was chairman and the speakers were M. C. Delaney, Captain Read, J. E. Wyatt, Premier Hazard, J. A. Matheson, Leader of the Opposition, Cyrus Crosby, M. P., and Hon. S. E. Reid.

The trouble started when the captain of the company hit a boy because the youngster did not get out of the way quickly enough. This enraged the crowd. The company was surrounded and explanation demanded. Finally the mother of the boy attacked the captain with a stick. The captain ordered the company to charge the crowd with bayonets. The crowd fought back, the riot became general and the captain was one of the first to retreat. A riot called, brought the police and they arrested five of the rioters.

SEVENTH EFFORT FAILS AGAIN

DOVER, Aug. 15.—The British swimmer, who has failed in his seventh effort to swim across the English Channel. He left Cape Gris Nez on the French coast at 5.45 o'clock, and after a splendid all-night attempt he was forced to give up a few miles out of Dover.

Holbein's nearest approach to success was in August, 1893, when he was taken out of the water exhausted about a mile from Dover after having swam for 22 hours and 21 minutes. Holbein was 48 years old yesterday.

ACCIDENT ON G. T. P.

FREDERICTON, Aug. 16.—Six persons of one of the largest sections on the New Brunswick section of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway collapsed, with the result that one workman was killed and several others had miraculous escapes. The accident occurred at the trestle over Mill Brook, four miles west of McGivney Junction, where the G. T. P. crosses the Canadian Eastern. The dead and injured are John McMillan, Cape Breton, instantly killed, John Patterson, Engineer, badly injured, and four workmen injured, not seriously.

THE GUARDIAN'S BICYCLE ROAD RACE

The date of The Guardian's bicycle road race has been definitely fixed for Monday August thirtieth. If this date should prove unfavorable the race will take place on the first favorable evening thereafter.

Entries are to be confined to Prince Edward Island riders alone. The race is for The Guardian's three-year trophy, but in addition thereto the following "keep prizes" have been offered.

1ST PRIZE, A \$65.00 (sixty-five dollar) Cleveland Bicycle made by The Canada Cycle & Motor Co Ltd. Bicycle will be ordered to the winners liking with all modern improvements, presented by The Charlottetown Guardian.

The remainder of the prize list will be announced in a few days. The course begins at The Guardian office in Charlottetown and follows Grafton Street to Great George Street, thence continuing on

PALMA TROPHY NOT TRIED FOR

By Canadian Team This Year Because of Expense Entailed.

OTTAWA, Aug. 16.—(Special)—A Canadian team will not be sent to Seagart to compete for the Palma Trophy this year.

The Executive committee of the D. R. A., after giving the matter consideration, has decided not to send a team, principally on the ground of expense.

MANY INJURED BY RIFLEMEN

Who Charged a Chicago Crowd. A Cowardly Captain Was at Fault.

CHICAGO, Aug. 16.—(Special)—Two persons were injured when a company of Polish sharpshooters 20 strong charged a crowd of men, women and children with bayonets at a church picnic.

The trouble started when the captain of the company hit a boy because the youngster did not get out of the way quickly enough. This enraged the crowd. The company was surrounded and explanation demanded. Finally the mother of the boy attacked the captain with a stick. The captain ordered the company to charge the crowd with bayonets. The crowd fought back, the riot became general and the captain was one of the first to retreat. A riot called, brought the police and they arrested five of the rioters.

ANOTHER MONUMENT ERECTED

QUEBEC, Aug. 16.—Representatives of the Federal and Provincial governments and high dignitaries of the Catholic Church met on Sunday at Gros Ile, where in the presence of 5,000 people a monument was decided to the memory of the Irish immigrants, stricken with typhoid fever, who gave up their lives on the rocky shore of that secluded spot in summer of 1847.

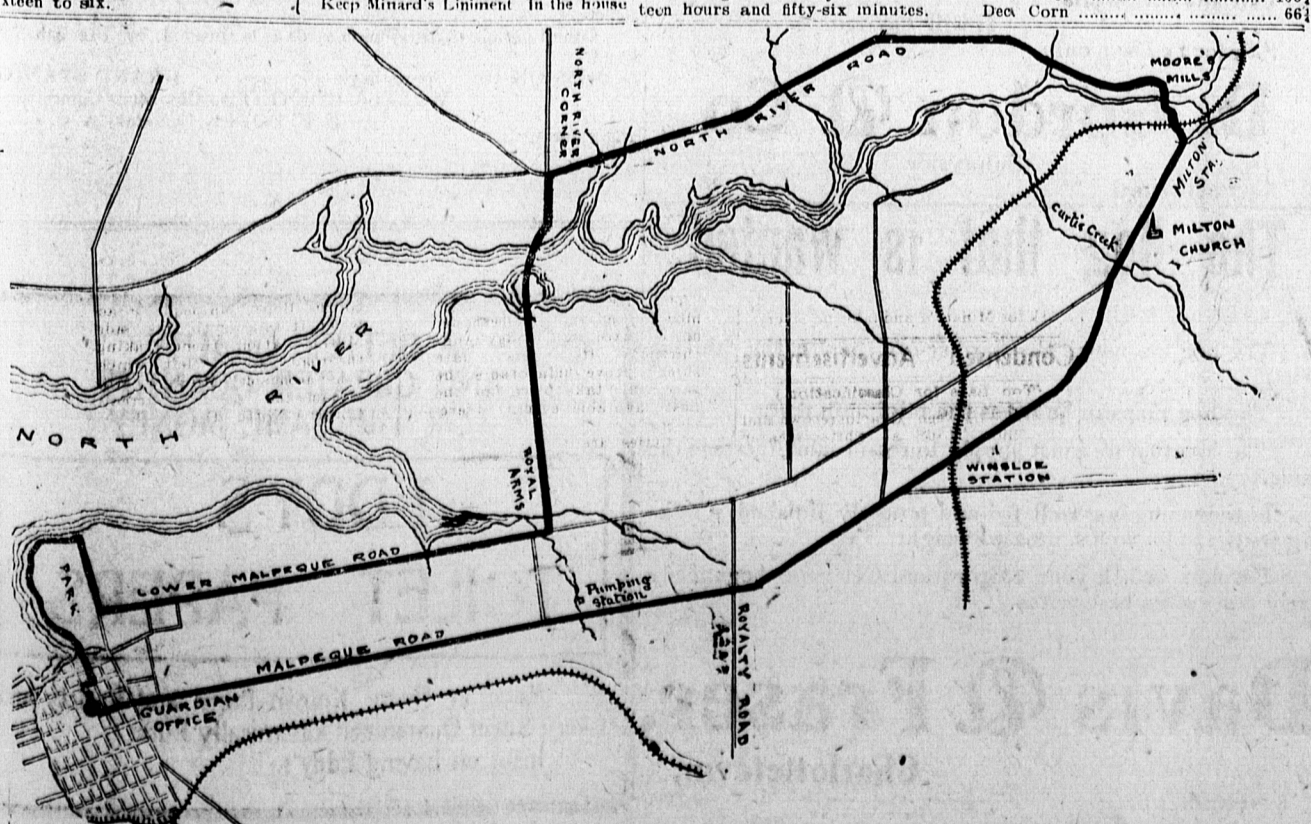
Speeches were delivered and a Celtic cross was erected where grateful proportions stand on the height, visible to all who sail up and down the St. Lawrence. It bears on its pedestal inscriptions in French, English and Gaelic, which tell the story of the ship fever of sixty years ago.

ALMOST A CATASTROPHE WILD SCENE AT ST. CATHEE

MONTREAL, Aug. 16.—There was great excitement at St. Catharines on Saturday afternoon, when the promenade over the water collapsed, precipitating 500 people to the floating wharf five feet below and throwing fifty into the lake, six feet deep, at that point.

A wild scene of confusion followed, as the mass of frightened people were extricated from the wreckage of the promenade, while the boats were busy rescuing those thrown into the lake. For a time it was feared that a terrible catastrophe had happened. Fortunately the mishap had no more serious results than giving a number of people a good soaking.

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Above is the course of The Guardian's Bicycle Road Race that is to take place on Monday, August thirtieth.