

THE POPE'S LIFE IS EBBING AWAY

His Last Calm Words to His Blood Relations

"I am About to Enter the Eternal Life"—Perfectly Conscious, Keeps Informed of Passing Events

ROME, July 7.—(Special)—Advises to day show that the Pope's life is slowly wasting away.

By the Pope's special desire all his relations have been to see him.

HIS LAST WORDS TO RELATIVES.

He told them, "I feel the moment approaching when I must leave you and say our last good bye.

"I am about to enter the eternal life. Do not grieve for me. I am about to enter my real happiness."

THE PONTIFF FULLY CONSCIOUS.

In all the churches masses are being celebrated. The Pope is fully conscious and keeps informed on all that is going on.

THE WORLD'S SYMPATHY.

He expresses great satisfaction with the expressions of sympathy received from all parts of the world.

CANADIAN STOCKS.

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GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC SCHEME

Not Considered by the Late Liberal Caucus

Marconi System Now Working Perfectly—Laurier Ill—Ship Railway Claim—Grant for Telegraphs.

OTTAWA, July 7.—(Special)—The Liberal caucus did not deal with the Grand Trunk Pacific question today.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier being ill had to retire early.

THE SHIP RAILWAY CLAIMS.

Considerable opposition developed to the scheme to give half a million to settle the Chignecto Marine Railway scheme.

The caucus agreed to vote \$15,000 towards Canadian telegraph service, also to \$15 a ton on smelter iron.

MARCONI SYSTEM WORKING WELL.

GLACE BAY, July 7.—(Special)—The announcement is made today that the Marconi system is now working perfectly and is now ready to receive messages, and in a few days will make important announcements.

ARRANGING FOR COMMERCIAL BUSINESS.

Negotiations are now on with the British postal authorities for the handling messages across the Atlantic.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

—Grace Church S.S. picnic, Morell, to-day

—Train leaves at 8.45 this morning for the big picnic at Morell.

—Special train leaves city station at 8.45 this morning for Grace Church S. S. picnic at Morell. Return fare but 35 cents.

—Good fishing at Morell. Go to-day with the big picnic party. Only 35 cents for a return ticket.

—The annual meeting of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church Cardigan will be held on July 14th at 2 o'clock. All interested please attend. A. G. Crawford, Secretary. 8 d 21 w 11

—No. 1 Co., 4th Regt., C. A., will meet this evening in uniform at 7.30 sharp for battalion drill at the Park. No member can afford to miss this drill.—A. A. Bartlett.

—The parishioners, Kinkora, intend holding a grand tea party on the church grounds on Tuesday 21st instant. Look out for advertisement of train arrangements etc, in early issue.

THE EVIDENCE IN MURDER CASE

Was All in Yesterday Afternoon—Prisoner Testifies on His Own Behalf—Mr. Mellish for the Defence Addresses the Jury.

The Judge's Charge To-day

The case of Joseph Carver for the murder of Alexander Stewart was concluded before the Chief Justice at the Supreme Court yesterday.

The first witness was Euphemias Stewart widow of the deceased. Her evidence throughout was similar to that given at the preliminary examination. She was severely cross-examined at length by Mr. Mellish, counsel for the defence, but remained unshaken in her testimony.

At the forenoon session evidence was also given by William Pippy, John Stewart, William McGregor, Bruce Stewart, H. James Palmer, Marshall Cameron, and Sergeant Bradley. Nothing new of importance was brought out.

An interesting feature was the production of a number of pieces of cloth upon which Sergeant Bradley had experimented in the morning with the shot gun used by the prisoner. The holes in the cloth, made by the shot, were of different sizes in proportion to the proximity at which the gun was fired. This experiment was made at the request of Mr. Mellish to show the distance at which the shooting had taken place.

The case for the crown was concluded at half past twelve and the prisoner Carver put on the stand.

A. J. B. Mellish in presenting the defence claimed that the number of manslaughter and murder cases in not on the increase. He contended that the coroner's jury for having brought in a verdict of wilful murder without hearing the defence. The defence would be as follows: Carver had been living with Stewart for several months. He became ill and on Tuesday before the murder came into town for medicine. Returning he went to William McGregor's for the night. Previously he had borrowed a gun from a lad named Cecil Stewart for goose shooting. While in town on Saturday he purchased some liquor and on return was feeling somewhat intoxicated, which continued during the evening and accounted for his extravagant language. In the meantime Stewart had asked for his gun. He went back the first time to get the gun and the second time went for his clothes. On this occasion Stewart broke the gun and hit him on the face. He then went to Pippy's to get another gun for Cecil Stewart from whom he had borrowed the first. Returning to Stewart's for his clothes Stewart came out. Prisoner ran away with the gun, which was unknown to him partly cooked. Turning at the stable door Stewart grabbed the gun, prisoner slipped from the plank and while it was being pulled from him it went off and Stewart was shot. The prisoner neither knew the gun was loaded nor cooked. Loading had been done previously at Pippy's. The first witness called was the prisoner Joseph Carver.

Joseph Carver testified as to where he had been born, those with whom he had lived and those with whom he was employed. He said that on Tuesday before the murder he went to town for medicine. Returning he borrowed a gun from Cecil Stewart to shoot geese, etc. He then went to Stewart's, got his collar and tie and went to McGregor's where he stayed till Friday. On Saturday he saw Cecil Stewart. He asked for his gun and he said he would return it if he had to take it back at midnight. He had some liquor in him and he went to Stewart's at night for his clothes.

At this point the Court adjourned till half past two.

At the afternoon session of the court Carver concluded his testimony and underwent a lengthy cross examination by the Attorney General.

Cecil Stewart from whom the prisoner had borrowed the gun testified to Carver having borrowed the gun from him and his promise to repair it after the trial was over.

Daniel McRae, reporter of The Guardian was called by the defence to give evidence regarding an interview at the jail but the Chief Justice ruled that such evidence could not be adduced.

After rebuttal testimony from Euphemias Stewart and Robert Trowsdale the evidence in the case was closed.

A. J. B. Mellish then began his address to the jury on behalf of the prisoner. He referred to the circumstance of Carver's youth, his training apart from the influences of home surroundings and his lack of educational advantage.

He pictured his poor mother in her home kneeling beside her crucifix, and waiting with bated breath the result of the tribunal in which the fate of her only son was hanging in the balance.

He outlined carefully the evidence as it has been presented by the Crown and by the defence. He dwelt on the character of the accused and the good reputation he had previously

UNITED STATES SHIPS WELCOMED

To Portsmouth With Booming Guns by King's Order

Affairs of China—The Legations Again in Danger—Consulting With Lord Curzon for India's Safety.

PORTSMOUTH, July 7.—(Special)—With boom of cannon the British fleet on behalf of King Edward welcomed the United States European squadron to-day.

The British ships formed two lines and down this moved the Americans.

AFFAIRS IN THE FAR EAST.

SIMLA, India, July 7.—(Special)—Satow the British Minister at Peking will arrive here August 1, to confer with Lord Curzon on the subject of affairs in Manchuria as an Anglo-Russian rupture would closely affect India through Afghanistan.

PREPARING AGAINST ATTACK.

COLOGNE, July 7.—(Special)—Despatches from Peking intimate that the European legations have again taken precautions against eventualities.

An attack from the Chinese on foreign legations is feared.

SPEAK FROM EXPERIENCE.

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MAINE CONVICT ESCAPES.

THOMASTON, Me., July 4.—Frank Douglas, a five year term convict, escaped from the state prison this afternoon and is still at large. Douglas was sentenced for breaking, entering and larceny.

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THE RACE WAR IN INDIANA

Victims of the Struggle During Four Days Past

Deadly Volley Fired Into a Mob by States Troops—Bourque Cochran to Renounce American Citizenship.

SEVENVILLE, Indiana, July 7.—(Special)—Six persons shot dead and twenty five injured, four fatally, is the outcome of the struggle in this city during the past four days.

RESOLUTE EFFORT TO PRESERVE ORDER.

On Monday night the Evansville Company of the National Guards, assisted by two hundred special deputy sheriffs, while guarding the county jail in which were sixteen negro prisoners, poured a deadly volley of bullets and bullets into a crowd of several thousand people led by a hundred armed rioters.

BOURQUE COCHRAN TO SMOKE BRITAIN.

NEW YORK, July 7.—(Special)—The Herald's London correspondent learns that Bourque Cochran is giving serious consideration to the question of making London his home, renouncing American citizenship and becoming a British subject as the first step toward entering the parliamentary arena.

Today's Probabilities.

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