

WEEKLY (NOW RURAL DAILY) 1887

CHARLOTTE TOWN, PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND, SATURDAY, JULY 31, 1909.

30 CENTS A MONTH BY MAIL IN ADVANCE \$2.00 PER YEAR BY MAIL IN ADVANCE

REMARKABLE ACCIDENT

INSURANCE FRAUDS IN FRANCE Ingenious Schemes to Exact Indemnity from Accident Companies—Exposure Brought About in a Peculiar Manner.

Paris, July 30.—By a mere accident the Paris police have laid hands on a band of swindlers who have victimized four of the leading insurance companies to the extent of £3,000.

DUKE OF ARGYLL CLAIMS THE CASTLE

Former Governor-General of Canada in Lawsuit Over Castle of Dunstaffnage.

London, July 30.—A remarkable action, in which the Duke of Argyll seeks to prove that the Castle of Dunstaffnage, Argyllshire, belongs to him, is on for trial by Lord Johnston.

FRAUDULENT DEADHEADS AT PARIS THEATRES

One of the Many Difficulties Managers Have to Contend Against.

Paris, July 30.—The difficulty which managers of many Paris theatres meet in due to a great extent to the number of free seats which they are obliged to give away.

SEASIDE SEASON IN ENGLAND RUINED

Innocent Weather Has Kept Away Visitors and Hotel People Despair.

London, July 30.—From nearly all England's seaside resorts comes a chorus of complaint. The seaside season has been ruined by the innocent weather which depends on it for their annual harvest are almost in despair.

HOW THE RUSSIAN SECRET SERVICE GETS NEWS IN PARIS

Wholesale Plot With Postmen and Others to Get Letters of Russian Suspects and Photograph Them.

Paris, July 30.—M. Bourgeois has written a letter to the Minister of Justice, describing the methods by which the Russian secret police in Paris, with the aid of men in the French postal service and concierges, get hold of letters addressed to suspected Russians, opened them, and photographed them.



THE WITWATERSRAND RIFLE TEAM AT BISLEY.

ALLEGED PLOT ON KILLED FOUR IN THE CZAR'S LIFE FIT OF MADNESS

How German Police Watched Gen. Austrian Father After Murdering Family Then Haired Himself.

Berlin, July 30.—Baron von Gen Harting, alias Landesen, the Russian agent-provocateur, appears to have been a source of anxiety to the German police during the time of the Emperor William met the Tsar at Kiel.

500 BLIND IN PARADE

London, July 30.—There was a pathetic sight to be seen in Trafalgar square, when some 500 blind men and women marched through the rain in three columns, with bands, from St. George's circus, St. Pancras arches and Mile End way.

PRINCE GEORGE A REMARKABLE SHOT

Vienna, July 30.—Prince George, the ex-Crown Prince of Serbia, shot a pair of pearl pendants at ten paces from his lady's ears a few nights ago.

GERMAN BARON MURDERED

Berlin, July 26.—A murder at once mysterious and sensational was perpetrated recently at Stendal, in Saxony, the victim being Baron von Zeuner, a cadet in the 10th Regiment of Hussars, stationed there.



THE INSPECTION OF THE YEOMEN OF THE GUARD BY GENERAL SIR JOHN FRENCH.

TEN MILLION DAYS LOST IN STRIKES

Record for One Year in England—How Strikes Were Settled.

London, July 30.—The fact that over 10,000,000 working days were wasted during the year 1908 by strikes and lock-outs is a telling argument against these methods of industrial warfare.

SEVENTEEN OF CREW DROWNED

Sydney, July 26.—The Union steamer 'Totus' has landed here five survivors of the Norwegian barque 'Erol' which was wrecked on Middle Reef of 32,823 blind in the United Kingdom.

FAMILY OF FOUR KILLED

London, July 30.—The mining village of Arnold, near Nottingham, was the scene of a terrible tragedy, the motive of which is said to have been jealousy.

TRAMP SAVED INNOCENT MAN

London, July 26.—At Loughborough Police Court, a laborer named Kilburn was charged with stealing a box containing nearly fifty packets of cigarettes.

SNOWSTORMS AND FLOODS IN FRANCE

Paris, July 30.—Floods, heavy rains and snowstorms are the principal features of the weather conditions prevailing throughout France recently.

INTERNATIONAL SWINDLER JAILED

Paris, July 30.—William Mendie, described as an American, and an Australian, named Charles Elmer, were sentenced to ten and five years' hard labor respectively for forging and selling railway bonds a few days ago.

FESTIVITIES, TITLED "RAFFLES," IS ALL EUROPE'S SENSATION

(By Phil Sims.) (Special Correspondence.) Paris, July 18.—A man named Hornung wrote a clever story about a gentleman burglar who was called Raffles. Many people thought the story improbable, but here is a story rounder than any other.

PREACHERS OUT AGAINST CZAR

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POLICE STOP FANATICISM

St. Petersburg, July 30.—By closing the Johannite dens, the authorities put an end to one of the most crying scandals in St. Petersburg.

SAMPLE OF LOTTERY CRAZE AT NAPLES

25,000 Played Certain Lucky Numbers Which Won.

Rome, July 30.—Naples enjoys the reputation of being the city from which the Government derives its greatest revenue from lotteries.

POISONED AT WEDDING FEAST

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MUSICIAN PLAYING AN EXTOPHONE

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Ended in favor of workers . . . 25.2. Ended in favor of masters . . . 25.2. Compromised . . . 66.6. Unsettled . . . 0.7.

Shipbuilding . . . 35,000. Engineering . . . 11,000. Cotton spinning . . . 120,000.

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