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CHARLOTTETOWN, PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND CANADA, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1909.

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DR. F. A. COOK IN BUFFALO N.Y.

He Makes Statements Regarding the Eskimos Whom Peary Has Said Will Disprove Cook's Claim.

Peary evidently regards their evidence as of profound importance, so he might have brought them along with him if he was confident they would corroborate his story.

DAUGHTER'S LOVE AFFECTS FATHER

A Condemned Revolutionist Affected by Daughter's Attempt for a Reprieve.

Barcelona, Oct. 13 (Special)—Professor Francis Ferrer, a Spanish educator and convicted revolutionist, was shot today at the fortress of Mont Juich, where he had been confined since his condemnation.

WHERE MONEY WAS INVESTED

Toronto, October 12—F. G. Jemmett, trustee for the shareholders of the defunct Sovereign Bank, has bought for the sum of \$600,000 the Alaska railroad, which runs from Seward, on the Alaskan coast, 460 miles north of Tanana river.

METHODISTS INCREASE ESTIMATE FOR MISSIONS

Ottawa, Oct. 12—The General Mission Board of the Methodist Church devoted a greater part of yesterday's sittings to receiving reports of various sub-committees appointed to deal with various problems before the Board.

Condensed Advertisements (Too late for classification.) SAUSAGES SAUSAGES fresh every day at Saunders & Newson's. LADIES desirous of having hair work done may leave their orders at 171 Great George St.

ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING OF BOARD OF TRADE

Charlottetown Board of Trade Enters Protest Against Hinted Removal of the Government Steamer "Stanley"—Three Steamers Required for the Winter Service.

Notwithstanding the very disagreeable weather there was a good attendance at the quarterly meeting of the Board of Trade last evening, and an awakened interest was taken in matters of much importance to this Province.

Considerable interest was taken in the means and cost of transportation in other places as compared with that of this Province. Provincial potatoes are practically shut out of good markets, and this province pays twenty-five cents per barrel more for flour than is paid on the mainland.

The three winter steamers, if kept in their proper places, and at work will relieve trade to a very great extent, but, as has been hinted, one steamer is to be removed, leaving only two—one of which is untried—the Province shall be left with its growing demands in as bad a position as before.

C.P.R. OFFICIALS CHANGE AROUND

Robert Kerr to Retire and other Transfers will be Made to Fill Vacancy.

Toronto, Oct. 13 (Special)—Some important changes have been made among the Canadian Pacific Railway Passenger department officials, and are announced.

GREAT BALL PLAYER ACCIDENTALLY KILLED

Oshkosh, Wis., Oct. 12—Thomas Costes, of Oshkosh, left fielder of the Oshkosh team of the Wisconsin-Illinois League this season and drafted by the Philadelphia American League team for next season, was killed yesterday in the Springfield, Marsh by the accidental discharge of his shot gun while hunting.

FELL OUT THE CAR WINDOW

Truro, October 12—When the Ocean Limited, from Montreal, was within three miles of Truro, tonight and running at probably fifty miles an hour, a second-class passenger, in a semi-intoxicated condition, slid out the car window feet foremost.

DISMISSAL CONFRONTS MANY I.C.R. CONDUCTORS

St. John, Oct. 12—It is learned on excellent authority that several conductors on the Intercolonial Railway who have for some time been indulging in the practice of "knocking down," are to be suspended or discharged this week.

ATTORNEY TO TRY FOR NEW TRIAL

Chas. Morse's Legal Support will Endeavor to Obtain a New Trial.

New York, Oct. 13 (Special)—A petition asking President Taft for clemency towards Charles W. Morse, is in circulation among prominent business men and financiers.

MISS WRIGHT'S TRIUMPHS

Berlin, Oct. 12—Miss Katherine Wright, whose social triumphs in Europe have not been behind the glory achieved by her flying brother, Orville, was the guest of honor at a farewell luncheon given yesterday to Mrs. Stephen E. McFadden of Ban Bergerstrasse, one of the leading hostesses of the American colony.

THEY ARE NOT A HAPPY FAMILY

Montreal, October 12—The City Council was to have met Tuesday. Three aldermen were in their places when the hour of meeting arrived, and on the suggestion of the mayor, signed the attendance book and departed.

PITTSBURG AGAIN DEFEATS DETROIT

Pittsburg, Oct. 13 (Special)—In today's world's championship game, Pittsburg defeated Detroit. Score, 8-4.

LIFE SAVERS DO SOME GRAND WORK

Block Island, Oct. 13 (Special)—Clinging to the bottom of an overturned fishing boat, and swept by heavy seas, four men were rescued in the nick of time, by life savers from South Station.

A RECORD TRIP OVER THE I.C.R.

Montreal, October 13—The fastest trip over the I.C.R. from Sydney to Montreal, was made by W. J. Plummer, president of the Dominion Iron and Steel company, who left Sydney Monday night for Montreal, to reach the bedside of his son, who is lying dangerously ill in the Toronto General hospital.

COMPLIMENT TO BRITISH BY T. A. EDISON

Ottawa, Oct. 12—The leading and authoritative electrical journal of America, in its last issue, has the following bouquet of "American roses" for the British naval visitors in New York: "In an interview with the New York American, Mr. Thomas A. Edison, in reply to a question as to what feature of the electrical display on the Hudson on last Saturday evening struck him most favorably, said: 'That by the British warships, it is a shame that our warships made so poor a showing in comparison to that of the British. I never saw a more brilliant display or more intelligent management of electric light than that by the British Saturday night. I felt ashamed of our failure. I thought we would lead the world's navies in that respect, as we lead the world in so many other things.'

LAST SPIKE IN TRANSCONTINENTAL

Winnipeg, Oct. 13 (Special)—The last spike was driven in the National Transcontinental Railway near Wainwright, yesterday afternoon, and it was possible today to run a train through to Fort William, via the new line.

FIRST FAIR IN MANY YEARS

North Sydney, October 12—Despite the unfavorable weather that prevailed today nearly two thousand people attended the Cape Breton county farmers' exhibition, which was opened tonight by Lieutenant-Governor Fraser. Governor Fraser's address occupied about a half hour in delivery.

MANY VALUABLE HORSES WERE BURNED

Montreal, October 12—Nineteen valuable horses were burned this evening in a fire which totally destroyed the barns of the Laing Packing company, on Mill street. The fire had gained considerable headway before noticed, and the firemen had great difficulty in rescuing 49 other horses in the barn.

ALCOHOL USELESS AS A REMEDY FOR DISEASE

Washington, Oct. 12—That alcohol is not a remedy of distinct value in the treatment of disease appeared to be the consensus of opinion of the international congress on alcoholism held in London in July last according to a report of its proceedings made public by the public health and marine hospital service Friday. The report was prepared by Dr. Reid Hunt, chief of the division of pharmacology of the marine hospital service who attended the congress.

SENSATIONAL LIBEL CASE

Two Principal Witnesses, Both Women, Testify and Their Evidence is of Great Importance.

Kentville, Oct. 13 (Special)—The libel action, brought by Sir Frederick Borden against his political opponent named Carruthers, developed sensational evidence today.

ing, but while a resident in Ottawa, had assisted the witness, who conducted a boarding house there. Borden was one of the boarders.

WAS ARRESTED BEFORE MARRIAGE

Had Seven Wives and was About to Make the Number Eight.

New York, Oct. 13 (Special)—Arthur Zimmerman, arrested in Hamilton on Monday on a charge of bigamy in Brooklyn, is Barnard Arthur Zimmerman Von Lichenstein, fifty years old.

MONTREAL MAY BE DRYDOCK SITE

Builders are as yet Undecided Where to Settle and Montreal has a Chance.

Montreal, Oct. 13 (Special)—The Canadian Shipbuilding and Drydock Co., M. J. O'Brien, Chief Canadian representative, and Vickers Sons & Maxims, who are interested, are considering a site, and Montreal may be the port selected.

STEAMER ASHORE WANTS ASSISTANCE

Houston, Texas, Oct. 12—A steamer to the Past from the wireless station at Port Arthur tonight says: "8 p. m.—Southern Pacific steamship Antilles ashore, lat. 24.23, long. 79.07. Wants assistance to float ship and hold take off passengers."

GRAND DUKE MAY WED PRINCESS CAROLA

Berlin, Oct. 12—The engagement of Grand Duke William of Saxe-Weimer-Eisenach and Princess of Saxe-Meininingen, was suggested, it is understood, by the German Emperor and Empress, during the summer visit of the Grand Duke at Wilhelmshaven.

PRICE OF COAL MAY BE HIGHER

Moncton, N. B., Oct. 11—With the closing of the Springhill and Glace Bay coal mines, there is every likelihood of the price of soft coal being boosted before many days.

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WINS SCHOLARSHIP AT OLD MCGILL

Montreal, Oct. 13—Recently a Faculty of Arts Scholarship in the McGill University was awarded to Miss E. C. Longworth, Charlottetown. The scholarship is worth \$50.00 and is based on examinations in English, Mathematics and Latin.

AWARDED \$1,000 POUND OF FLESH

Pittsburg, Oct. 12—The jury trying the breach of promise suit of Miss Luella Lovestetter, of Sheridan, against Professor Earl W. Reed, principal of the Sheridan schools, has decided that the plaintiff lost only one pound of flesh since Professor Reed refused to marry her in 1905, and awarded her damages to the extent of \$1,000.

BRYAN'S DAUGHTER FOR CONGRESS

Denver, Oct. 12—Ruth Bryan Leavitt, daughter of the Commoner, has announced her candidacy for congress from the 1st Colorado district.

YORK LOAN CO'S

Toronto, Oct. 12—The first dividend to one hundred and fourteen thousand shareholders of the defunct York Loan Company will be made between the 1st and 15th of November. The total amount of the first dividend will be near six hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars, which is slightly more than first expected.