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COMMERCIAL MATTERS.

What is Going on in the Business World—The Market News. Ninety per cent. of the 12,000,000 people of the Russian empire are farmers. Cheese sales: Vankleek Hill, 9 9-16c.; Winchester, 9c.; Brockville, 9 9-16c.; Tweed, 9 7-16c.

The general outlook for the fall dry goods business in Canada has never been better than at present. Reports say that the Ledyard gold mine, just south of Cobden, has been sold and that work will begin at once.

The market for finished cotton goods continues firm. The demands for Canadian fall woollens for men's wear is brisk.

The muslin mine at Bamockburn is running day and night. New machinery is being installed and new shaft houses erected.

There is a very fair demand for cotton staple goods, and retailers appear to have sufficient confidence in the future of the market to make purchases, notwithstanding the improvement in the condition of the growing crops.

Of all the silks in the United States \$25,000,000 worth is imported and \$107,000,000 worth home made. The domestic silk industry employs 24,000 men, 36,000 women and 70,000 children in 483 mills, with \$81,000,000 capital.

Mr. Chisholm has purchased a mill near his molysdenite property north of Enterprise and work will likely begin soon at treating the large amount of ore already mined. The ore is a somewhat difficult one to treat as it contains a good deal of pyrite, copper and silver nickel and is certainly the richest property in molysdenite found anywhere in the world.

Caught Two Maskinonge. Judge Archer, New York, summering at L. Harris' boarding house on Wolfe Island, caught two fine maskinonge on Friday afternoon. Each weighed 20-25 pounds, and the both were taken from the water inside of half an hour. Michael Lalonde was the fisherman who guided the judge to the spot where the big fish are to be found.

Two young citizens last evening indulged in a wrestling match on Princess street and were placed under arrest. They were allowed out this morning upon a deposit of \$12 bail. Going away? Call here before you go. The H. D. Bibby Co.

THE CORONATION SERVICE.

SMALL ATTENDANCE IN ST. GEORGE'S CATHEDRAL.

The Music Was Excellent—Form of Service Same as Appointed by the King—A Short Sermon by the Dean.

That beautiful edifice of St. George's cathedral was not more than two-thirds filled this morning when the coronation service began. The day was most unsuitable for such a service, hence the slowness of the audience. It was not that the people of Kingston are not imbued with a sense of the importance of the coronation or because of their lack of patriotism, but rather because of pressure of personal matters that kept them from attending the service.

The only attempt at decoration within the cathedral was the draping of the pulpit with the Union Jack. Rev. B. B. Smith, dean of Ontario, conducted the service, which was according to the ritual, and was issued by command of the King for use throughout the British dominions. He was assisted by Archdeacon Carey, Canon Grout and Rev. W. Lewin.

The men of the R. C. F. A. occupied the gallery, set apart for their use. There were a number of officers also in attendance, including Col. H. E. Smith, sergeant-at-arms in the house of commons, Lieut.-Col. Skinner, commanding the 14th Regiment; Col. Montizambert, D.O.C., Edw. J. B. Pense, M.P.P., and others. They occupied front seats. The band of the 17th Regiment occupied seats in the Bishop's chapel, and rendered music during the service. The congregation entered heartily into the service, which lasted a little over an hour.

A feature of the service was the effective singing of the well-trained choir. The processional hymn was that old-time favorite, "All People That on Earth Do dwell." Then followed an anthem founded on Psalm exxi—1, 2, 3, 6, 7, verses. "I was glad when they said unto me 'we will go unto the house of the Lord.' Our feet shall stand in Thy gates, O Jerusalem. Jerusalem is built as a city that is at unity in itself. O pray for the peace of Jerusalem; they shall prosper that love Thee. Peace be within thy walls and plenty within thy palaces." The setting to these words was composed by Sir George Elvey. The second anthem was founded on the following words found in 1 Kings, 1:34 and following verses: "Zadok, the priest, and Nathan, the prophet, anointed Solomon king, and all the people rejoiced and said 'God save the King.' Long Live the King, May the King Live Forever, Amen, Hallelujah." The music for these patriotic lines was composed by the immortal Handel. The hymns and chorals, etc., were all appropriate to the occasion.

The Te Deum was Barrett's well-known composition, one of the finest settings that exists. After the singing of the hymn, "O God of Jacob, by Whose hand Thy people still are fed," the dean gave a short address. He spoke of the coronation service of England being the most ancient coronation service in the world and referred to the occasion when last used, sixty-four years ago when Victoria the Good was anointed and crowned, and now to-day, the speaker continued, is her son being crowned in the same venerable abbey, and in order that British subjects throughout the world might be closely associated with the great ceremony, there has been prepared this form, which we are now using and which is issued by command of the king. Today's ceremony is much more than a great state function, it is a ceremony of deep religious significance. It is the national recognition of God or the source of all authority and of all power. The dean then showed how every act and word of the service had its special religious significance. He briefly explained the recognition, the anointing, the ring, the two swords, the orb surmounted by the cross, the presenting of the bible, and the act of crowning, all most fittingly ending by the king laying aside his crown and humbly kneeling at the altar receiving the breath of life, which above all words enable him to faithfully discharge the duties and responsibilities of his kingly office. The speaker concluded by reminding the duty all owed to their newly anointed and divinely commissioned king, the christian duty christian subjects owed to their christian king, the duty of sustaining him by loyal and faithful prayer. No one in the world carries a heavier load of responsibility than does our king, and in the great ceremony of today, we have our part. We, by earnest, heartfelt prayer, have our share in making effective the anointing, crowning and enthroning of Edward the VII.

Immediately at the close of the address, was read "The Proclamation," at the conclusion of which the national anthem was sung, the third verse, a special verse, having special reference to the king's coronation. After the service the men of the R. C. F. A. lined up on King street, fronting the cathedral, and gave three hearty cheers for King Edward and Queen Alexandra.

St. Andrew's Church. A coronation service was held in St. Andrew's church at 10:30 a.m., by Rev. Mr. Mackie. Following the invocation, Psalm xxi was sung: "The King in Thy Strength, O Lord, Shall very Joyful Be." The other portions of praise were the hymns, "Let Us While We Have the Day, Pray," "Glorify to God the Father," and "From Ocean to Ocean." Rev. Mr. Mackie delivered a most eloquent sermon from 11 King's xi, 12: "And he put the crown upon him and gave him testimony; and they made him king and anointed him and they clasped their hands and said, 'God Save the King.' At the conclusion of the service, the national anthem was sung. The pulpit was surrounded by beautiful flowers and palms, and hung with red, white and blue drapery.

The Canadian ministers have practically closed arrangements, pending parliamentary action, for a line of steamships to ply between Canada and South Africa.

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

Newsy Paragraphs Picked up by Reporters On Their Rounds.

Whose baby was born on Coronation day? There was a good market to-day with firm prices. The market for the name pin, picked up by the island market is now in the hands of the market clerk.

The Meteorological Observatory authorities took a holiday, to-day, hence no probabilities. This morning the Scotch machinists summering on Simcoe Island indulged in a friendly football match.

Alfred Watts, injured a week ago in a street railway accident, is recovering nicely and is now out of danger. The flag which E. J. B. Pense, M. P.P., presented to the village of Portsmouth, was flying to-day from the staff over the town hall.

The employees of the Locomotive Works to-day enjoyed a holiday. The men worked on the civic holiday, but were given their freedom to-day. Last evening the members of "A" Co., 14th regiment, entertained a number of returned South African soldiers in the armories. A pleasant evening was spent.

THE UNCERTAINTY OF LIFE.

Sudden Death of John Gibson, Cherry Valley.

Picon Gazette. A note reminded of the uncertainty of life by the sudden summons which came to John Gibson, Cherry Valley, who dropped dead in the arms of H. S. Miller, at the Queen's hotel, about six o'clock on Thursday evening. He had arrived in town about an hour previously, being, apparently, in his usual good health, and put up at the Queen's hotel. He had been in conversation with Mr. Miller, the conversation turning upon the approaching band excursion to Watertown, N.Y., and was passing from one apartment to another, when the deceased called for assistance, and was caught by Mr. Miller, but gradually sank to the floor. Dr. Philp was telephoned for, and quickly responded, but on his arrival pronounced death due to heart disease. The deceased was about sixty or sixty-five years of age, and leaves a wife, one son, Dr. James Gibson, in Western Ontario, and a daughter, Ethel, at home.

INEVITABLE ECONOMIC WAR.

Advised Not to Antagonize Great Britain.

London, Aug. 9.—The Times Brussels correspondent, commenting on a meeting between the kaiser and the czar, quotes the "Independence Belge," which says: "German politicians deceive themselves grossly if they hope to drag Russia into an anti-English policy, merely to allow statesmen at Berlin to realize their own projects. If ever there is an understanding made between the dual and triple alliances, it is to be hoped it will not be against England. The interest of Europe in the inevitable economic war with America is to obtain British cooperation or at least neutrality. It would be a cardinal mistake to run counter to Britain at the outset, and would not assist in preventing an American triumph in the domain of production."

CLAIMANTS FOR AN ISLAND.

Will Try to Dispossess Dr. Parker of Property.

Port Huron, Mich., Aug. 9.—Fawn Island, lying in St. Clair river abreast of Marine City, is to be the object of bitter litigation between rival claimants. The island is located on the Canadian side of the national boundary line and for years has been in possession of Dr. Parker, of Marine City, under a title from the Ontario government obtained in 1875. An earlier deed, however, from the English government in 1852 is said to have granted the property to John Miller. The summer resort, and the Miller claimants are urging their title through the courts of this city, who have purchased the title of the heirs of John Miller, and will enter action to secure the property.

Business College Notes.

R. Fillion and Miss L. Joyner, city, have completed a thorough course in the shorthand department. Miss S. Sands, has been appointed bookkeeper and stenographer to the Remington Standard Typewriter Co., Toronto. Miss Maggie Congreave, stenographer for T. Eaton Co., Toronto; Alexander McDonald, stenographer, Sanderson & Parry Paint Co., Toronto; E. Beaurance, stenographer and bookkeeper with Queen City Oil Co., Toronto; and William Scott, stenographer for the London & Lancashire Life Insurance Co., Montreal, are in the city. P. J. F. Baker, teacher, Dominion Business college, Toronto, visits the college this week. Miss Mabel Singer, graduate, has a position as stenographer with W. J. Crothers, city. F. P. Lawrence left this week for Cleveland, Ohio, where he expects to accept a position.

A Church Service.

Brook Street Methodist Church.—Rev. Eber-Crummy, B.A., B.Sc., pastor. Morning and evening services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Love Feast and Fellowship meeting in the lecture room at 10 a.m. The Sacraments of the Lord's Supper, at close of morning service. Sunday school, 2:45 p.m. Pastor's bible class, 1:15 p.m.

Might Sue For Damages.

Hamilton Herald. Kingston members of the South Africa contingents propose to sue the British government for more pay. There were no wounded among them, else we should probably hear of them suing for damages.

It is believed that the British government will agree to the proposition of the Morgan syndicate to use their ships in the event of necessity. The Elder-Dempster-Allen-Furniss combination will use every effort to get a favorable consideration of their fast line scheme, calling at Halifax, St. John's, and other ports. The third race for the Seawanhaka cup is to take to-day.

MADE A FIGHTING SPEECH

IS A PERJURED VILLIAN, SAID O'CONNOR.

Bitter Denunciation of Sheridan—Assurance of George Wyndham, the Chief Secretary for Ireland.

London, Aug. 9.—On a motion providing for the third reading of the appropriation bill, in the British house, T. P. O'Connor (Irish Nationalist), made a brief fighting speech, in which he re-aided the grievances of Ireland, vigorously denouncing Sergt. Sheridan. He described Sheridan as a perjured villain, who while in the Irish constabulary falsely convicted innocent persons. Mr. O'Connor strongly attacked the government for its refusal to extradite Sheridan from his retreat at Lowell, Mass.

George Wyndham, chief secretary for Ireland, declined to further discuss the Sheridan case, but promised that if Irish landlords combined and resorted to such practices as boycotting and intimidation he would take much pleasure in summoning the officers before magistrates.

CHIEF HAS CLOSE CALL.

Nearly Killed While Arresting Ex-Private of the C.M.R.

Belleville, Ont., Aug. 8.—Chief Newton had the tussle of his life at noon yesterday with a young Indian. Constable Steele, Shannonville, came to the city yesterday morning to arrest Joseph Brant, who tried to upset the reserve the day before, when he had a revolver and shot at every man woman and child who happened to be in the vicinity. He afterwards left for Belleville.

When he arrived no one seems to know, but Constable Steele came to the police station and told Chief Newton who he was after and gave an excellent description of the man. About twelve o'clock the young Indian was walking over to Front street across the market to Pinnacle street and Chief Newton saw him. The chief went over to meet him and just behind the butter market the chief put out his strong right arm and caught him.

The prisoner knew at once he was wanted and his left arm at once dropped to his hip pocket. The chief anticipated such a movement and he reached for the strangle hold, as they say in a wrestling match. The Indian did his best to get away from the chief and they fought for a couple of minutes like a pair of gladiators. With the assistance of constable Steele, who came up, the Indian was got to the police station, where it was found he was a private of the C.M.R., paid off August 1st.

ALL FOR A GIRL.

Society Men of St. Louis Fight in Private.

St. Louis, Aug. 9.—Alvin Moss, of 4100 West Pine boulevard, and Lionel Kalish, of Delmar avenue, society leaders in love with the same young girl, fought a prize fight under an agreement that the loser was to withdraw all claims, real or fancied, which he might have on the favors of the young lady.

The scene of the combat was the drawing room of the Schar home, 471 Lindell avenue, where a ring was pitched. Each was provided with a sword, and another young society man was referee. Seven fast and furious rounds were fought. In the third round the handsome chandelier was shattered. As the house was illuminated with electricity, this did not cause a cessation of hostilities. In the fourth the brawn and weight of Kalish began to tell, and Moss was only saved by the gong. He came to the scratch in the fifth gamely, but was on the defensive in this and the succeeding round. In the seventh Kalish rushed the fighting, and sent his light-bulb antagonist down and out with a blow over the heart. The victor was badly cut about the cheeks and mouth.

THE PRISONER ESCAPED.

A Candidate for Kingston Penitentiary Fled.

Lindsay, Ont., Aug. 9.—Anthony May was sentenced in the police court yesterday to five years at hard labor for knocking a policeman down. When May heard his sentence he coolly got up and left the court room with other people. On his way he encountered a policeman and promptly knocked him down. Continuing, he met Chief of Police Nevison and another constable, but all that the officers were able to secure of him was part of his ragged coat. After gaining the street he made for the railway track and has not been seen since. The police are after him, but so far have had a fruitless search.

Splendid Wheat.

Winnipeg, Aug. 9.—Harvesting is now general along the Canadian Northern RR. Two farmers in the vicinity of St. Anne, started on Wednesday, each cutting between twenty and thirty acres of splendid wheat. A sample showed that the grain was of high grade and would go about twenty-eight bushels to the acre.

Menelik To Go To Europe.

London, Aug. 9.—The Times Vienna correspondent hears that Emperor Menelik, of Abyssinia, told a friend recently that he would soon make a tour of Europe, but had not decided on the date.

Oak Hall Suspenders. Oak Hall.

See our nobby 25c. summer suspenders. The H. D. Bibby Co. Leather tans 60c. The H. D. Bibby Co. Ottawa, Halifax, Quebec, Montreal, Toronto, and in fact all the leading cities of Canada to-day loyally remembered Coronation day. Salutes were fired and soldiers cheered.

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