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COMMERCIAL MATTERS.

What is going on in the Business World—The Market News. Chicago firms talk much of the low grade the new crop of wheat is showing. Business failures in Canada last week totaled thirty as compared with twenty-six a year ago.

FEW LINE INTERVIEWS.

H. H. Gillespie—Our steamers, the North King and Caspian, will make their last trips down the river next Sunday and Monday, respectively. The past season has been a splendid one.

What Became Of Him? On Monday morning as the ten o'clock train from the east was passing Bolton's farm, a mile or so east of the outer depot, the engine apparently struck a man who was walking leisurely along on the end of the railway ties.

Thief Eludes Pursuer. Hilbert Clayton Howard, who stole \$600 from the Frontenac Hotel, on Round Island, is still at large. He gave the Alexandria Bay, N. Y., "detective-policeman" the slip, leaving Kingston for Belleville by the steamer Corsican.

The Late Miss McDonald. The funeral of the late Miss Margaret McDonald took place this morning from her home on Market Street. A solemn requiem mass was sung in St. Mary's cathedral by Rev. Father Hanley.

SOUTH AFRICAN AFFAIRS

THE CAPE PREMIER'S SPLIT WITH HIS PARTY.

A Criticizing Despatch—Johannesburg Political Association Postpones Action—Brighter Outlook For Labor in the Mines. New York, Aug. 26.—The special London cables to the Times repeat several despatches from South Africa, to the London papers, a Cape Town correspondent says.

A WRIT ISSUED. To Set Aside \$65,000 Promissory Note. Toronto, Aug. 26.—A writ was issued today on Henry Totten, of the provincial license office, against the Nickel Copper company, Hon. A. T. Wood, James Dixon, John Patterson, J. R. Moodie, all of Hamilton, J. A. Rammeur, of Toronto; J. E. Ritchie, of Akron, Ohio, and the Sterling company, Chicago, to set aside a promissory note of \$65,000 advanced by the Sterling company to the Nickel Copper company, and to declare void some \$100,000 worth of securities, given as collateral.

LOST DURING STORM.

Fishing Dory and Its Occupant Disappeared. San Francisco, Aug. 26.—The fishing schooner Stanley, which has returned from Behring Sea, reports that on May 15th second mate Manuel Calozoa was lost during a storm in Bristol Bay. On June 8th four dories were hidden from sight by a dense fog; one of them, that of Martin Scopin, was never seen again and Scopin is supposed to have been lost.

FALL KILLS GIRL ACROBAT.

Misses Rope and Net—Dies Almost Instantly. Paris, Aug. 26.—A despatch from Tourcoing, a town in Northern France, reports the death there of Mariette Brackett, a beautiful girl acrobat, who made a sensation at the Nouveau Cirque here last winter. She had finished an act high in the air, and after blowing a last kiss to the audience, while swinging from the trapeze toward the rope an attendant held for her to slide down, she missed her hold and fell. She missed the net also, and crashed through a wooden structure being erected for the next act. Horrible cries filled the circus and women fainted. The girl died in ten minutes. Her mother and two sisters, who always traveled with her, witnessed the accident.

THE TRANSVAAL LEGATION.

The Employees Receive Notice to Quit. Brussels, Aug. 26.—The Boer generals have notified the employees of the Transvaal legation that their services will no longer be required after the end of September, when the legation will be abolished. When they conferred with Mr. Leyds last week the generals suggested the desirability of his surrender of his position as representative of the former Transvaal republic.

Eating Clay and Sawdust.

London, Aug. 26.—The Times' correspondent at Oporto says that the Portuguese who are not allowed to import foreign flour, have just discovered that they have been living on bread adulterated with such things as ground rice husks, china clay, and sawdust.

Received Knighthood.

Ottawa, Aug. 26.—It was learned today that Sir Frederick Borden, minister of militia, received the investiture of knighthood at the hands of his majesty personally.

English Carry Lucky Boxes.

London, Aug. 26.—A new fad in London is the carrying of "lucky boxes" made in the style worn by the Pharaohs of ancient Egypt. Each box is made of ebony, and is about the size of an ordinary draughtsman's case. There is a trick opening inside, which contains an Egyptian's eye. The wearer of these boxes are supposed to be free from all disasters, and to prosper in affairs of love and business.

Visited The President.

Paris, Aug. 26.—The Premier of Canada, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, and the Canadian minister of finance, W. S. Fielding, visited President Loubet at Rambouillet, to-day, and remained there to luncheon, at which the minister of foreign affairs, M. Delcasse and Baron D'Estormelles de Constant, the French deputy and diplomat who recently visited the United States were also present.

Two Killed By Sunstroke.

Winnipeg, Aug. 26.—Alexander Martin, a boy, was killed, by sunstroke while playing near his home in Brandon. Miss Gardner, fifteen years of age, of Rapid City, received a fatal stroke while visiting friends at Pseudis.

MR. STAPLES RECOMMENDED

As Assistant Science Master at Collegiate Institute. The management committee of the board of education met last night to appoint a successor to James Sexton, the retired assistant science master at the Collegiate Institute. Out of about twenty-five applicants, L. E. Staples, the popular principal of Central school, was recommended for the position. He is ably qualified for the position, holding a grade A certificate, a gold medalist of Queen's and a Model, Normal and School of Pedagogy graduate. Few assistants on the collegiate staff have a higher standing than Mr. Staples, and his selection gives great pleasure to large numbers of Kingstonians.

Mr. Staples was recommended for the position as principal of Central school and the Model school, R. F. Greenleaf will likely be transferred from the principalship of Frontenac school. Inspector Kidd was instructed to re-arrange the thus disorganized staff, and he will report at the next meeting of the committee to be held on Thursday afternoon, prior to the special meeting of the board on Thursday night. It is expected that such arrangements will be made as will not necessitate the appointment of another teacher—this term.

Dangers of Eating Corn.

Trenton, N.J., Aug. 26.—At the McKinley hospital yesterday, Dr. McCulloch removed from the nose of Russell Coombe, a four-year-old boy, a grain of corn that had sprouted and was beginning to grow.

Hurrying Home.

Washington, Tides.—Hurrying home as the daylight dies, Goes the weary, toiling throng— Some where a young, nervous boy, Children's prattle and joyful song; Others who know but a lonely room; Some in the gloom of a rustic dread, Hurrying home in the deepening gloom, Some with their joy and some their care.

Are At Work At Old Jobs.

David Ferguson, John McCulloch, Andrew Harris and W. Robertson, Scotch machinists, alleged to have jumped their contracts and left for Rochester, N.Y., to work on new jobs are still in the Locomotive Works and write to the News, the paper publishing the story, that some joker has been imposing upon it for there is not one word of truth in the statement. They further say the company has treated them with fairness and liberality.

Pope To Appoint Quigley.

Rome, Aug. 26.—The prevailing opinion at the vatican is that the pope is likely to appoint Right Rev. James Edward Quigley, bishop of Buffalo, to the archbishopric of Chicago, notwithstanding Bishop Quigley's expression of preference to remain in Buffalo. In the event of Bishop Quigley not being appointed, the congregation of the propaganda is likely to request that a new list of candidates be submitted.

His Pound Of Flesh.

Many queer cases come before the decision court judges. This morning, Judge Price was compelled to give a plaintiff a wholesome piece of his mind. "So you insist on the letter of the law being administered," remarked his honor severely. "Well I suppose I'll have to allow you your pound of flesh," he concluded as he gave judgment.

Found The Window Open.

At an early hour this morning the police discovered a rear window of Waddock's dry goods store to be open. Fearing that a burglary had been committed, they at once notified Mr. Waddock, who came down town. In company with Sergeant Snodden and Constable Bateson, he visited the store, but found that nothing had been removed. It is not known how the window became open.

A Disabled Steamship.

New York, Aug. 26.—The German tank steamer Diannan, from Shields, for this port, while passing Fire Island, was disabled by a disabled steamer named "Passed" disabled steamer First Brunswick with thrust shaft broken. No other particulars were signalled.

THE NEWS OF THE WORLD.

TELEGRAMS FROM THE FOUR QUARTERS OF THE EARTH.

Matters That Interest Everybody

Notes From all Over—Little of Everything Easily Read and Remembered. Winnipeg council has struck the rate of taxation at 22 1/2 mills. A priest fell from parapet at St. Bernard's seminary, Rochester, N.Y., and was seriously injured. Six of the gas buoys to be placed on the St. Lawrence route were landed in Montreal, on Monday. In Paris a banquet will be given Sir Wilfrid Laurier on September 1st. He leaves next day for Switzerland and Rome. Patrick Philips, Watertown, N.Y., charges his sister-in-law, Mrs. Hattie Philips, with larceny. She is out on \$100 bail. Last week was probably the heaviest in the gambling annals of Saratoga. About \$800,000 changed hands during the races. Mrs. Ida Beeg, Woodhull, N.Y., was struck by a train and killed, on Monday. A flagman warned her twice not to cross the track. General Miles is going to the Philippine Islands with the permission of the United States president to inspect army conditions there. A capital of \$40,813,793 was invested in the manufacture of locomotives in the twenty-eight locomotive works reported for the United States in 1900. Capt. T. Shaw, Odessa, N.Y., seventy-three years, shot himself on Monday, and was dead when the doctor arrived. Continued ill-health was the cause. Hon. Mr. Ross has received a telegram stating that Sir Edmund Barton, Australia's premier, will be in the city from September 1st to September 4th. Lorenzo G. Warfield, a treasury department clerk at Washington, has been dismissed for using the government's name in an enterprise in which he was interested. Frank Ackerman, Gouverneur, N.Y., fell into the river on Monday. He hung on to a heavy crowbar he was using and this prevented him from rising to the surface. The Montreal board of trade banquet on September 8th to Sir Edmund Barton and Sir John Forrest, of Australia, is expected to be the largest ever given by the board. While guarding three prisoners in a patrol wagon, at Buffalo, N.Y., policeman Schickler was shot through the head by one of them, and will die. The desperados escaped. Mrs. Marie Antoinette Hopkins, widow of the late Edward A. Hopkins, ex-United States minister to the Argentine Republic, was instantly killed by a street car at St. Louis. A. G. Mitchell, a Michigan millionaire, on a trip around the world for his health, jumped into the Pacific, while on the steamer "Optic." His mind, it is thought, was unbalanced by illness. Thomas Jones, a negro who outraged a white woman near Seven Springs, N.C., was bound to a log and shot to death. The mob carried buttons and pieces of cloth from his body as souvenirs. Rev. Dr. Courtice, still suffering from the effects of a paralytic stroke received in July, has decided, on the advice of his physician, that he will not attend the sessions of the Methodist general conference. Police Inspector Thomas J. Barrvy, who for many years had charge of the rogues-gallery and who was head of the Bertillon system at police headquarters, Boston, died suddenly of heart disease at his home. Henry W. Hollenbeck, New Rochelle, N.Y., who disappeared from Coney Island two weeks ago, has returned. He says he was carried out to sea by an undertow, while in swimming, and was picked up by a smack at sea. He is in a weak condition. Sidney Cowan, a young Nashville, Tenn., man saved Miss Winnie Tucker, of Desher, Tenn., from being dashed over a 300 foot precipice. The two fell thirty-five feet, but fortunately by Cowan caught a bush and stayed their progress. Their companions rescued them, bleeding and unconscious. John Cooper, editor of Canadian Magazine, and wife, were in the city to-day. Mrs. Cooper and daughter will remain with her parents, Major and Mrs. Massie, Bagot street, for some weeks. Mr. Cooper returned home to-day. President Roosevelt expects to spend three days in San Francisco this fall. He will go bear hunting in the North Carolina mountains next month. The steamer Castanet arrived about one o'clock this afternoon with a full load of excursionists from Alexandria Bay and river points. The veteran evangelist Sam Small collapsed while making a temperance address at Brattleboro, N.Y. Miss L. M. O'Brien, Toronto, is visiting her friends on Brock street.

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