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"Around The Clock," Grand Opera House, 8.15 p.m.

Limestone Lodge, No. 91, A.O.U.W., meets Thursday evening, at 8 o'clock.

Zion, good skating to-night. Carnival to-morrow night; band, lunch, $10 in prizes for fancy and comic costumes.

City Basketball League, St. Luke's Hall, to-night, at 8 o'clock. St. James vs. Crumley's and St. Luke's vs. Waldron's. Admission, 10c.

This day in history:—Governor-General Bagot arrived at Kingston, 1842; Marshal Ney born, 1769; Penny post introduced, 1840; Stamp act passed, 1765.

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KINGSTON

TO TRY FOR THRONE.

The Shah's Third Son Cannot Succeed.

London, Jan. 10.—A despatch to the Daily Mail, from Teheran, says that the shah's third son, Ishrat, has raised a force of 10,000 men of Luristan, in the hope of capturing the throne, but has no prospect of success, although the tribesmen are likely to cause trouble in the south, if they do not even advance on Teheran. The new shah's reputation for severity, which received proof in recent executions, the first in ten years, will not fail, however, to have its effect.

DIVORCING RELIGION.

Paris, Jan. 10.—Finance Minister Caillaux has directed the authorities of the mint to substitute on all coins the words "Liberty, Equality and Fraternity," for the old device of "God protect France," in accordance with the amendment to the budget appropriation, forming a coin which was adopted by the chamber of deputies.

FORMER QUEEN DEAD.

Princess Mary of Saxe-Altenburg Passes Away.

Gmunden, Upper Austria, Jan. 10. The Princess Mary of Saxe-Altenburg, former Queen of Hanover, who had been suffering for some time past from ingual hernia, necessitating an operation, which was performed on January 6th, died Wednesday. She was the widow of King George V. of Hanover, who was dethroned in 1896, when the kingdom was annexed by Prussia because the Hanoverians took the Austrian side in the war with Russia.

The government of Natal proposes for the next five years to throw open the crown lands to settlers.

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PARLIAMENT

Resumed Its Sessions On Wednesday.

R. L. BORDEN'S BILL

IN REGARD TO STOPPING STRIKES AND LOCKOUTS

The Bill Was Set Aside as the Government Will Bring Down Legislation—Few Changes in the Tariff Are Expected.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Ottawa, Jan. 10.—Parliament re-assembled, yesterday afternoon, after the Christmas recess, but many of the members will not be back until Monday. Rarely does a recess pass without the shadow of death falling over the house. This time Charlemagne Laurier, the premier's half brother, has passed to his rest. He was not very well known to many personally, for besides being of a retiring disposition, he had not been well for years. At the beginning of this session his face was ashen, and his cheeks more sunken than their wont, and he looked near the end. Those who knew him best found in him many of the qualities that have made Sir Wilfrid so well beloved.

There is quite a rush to hear what the western men think of the situation in British Columbia. Will the liberal party come to power? It is generally conceded that it will. Mr. Ines has gone from the Yukon, and it is practically certain that Duncan Ross, of Yale-Cariboo, will enter provincial politics also, while there is some talk of R. G. Macpherson, of Vancouver, doing the same thing. It would seem a wise move on Mr. Ross' part. He is hardly cut out to make much of a figure yet a while in federal politics. He is a youngster, however, still in his thirties, though a beard makes him look quite middle-aged.

Talking of British Columbia, it seems assured that Ralph Smith, of Nanaimo, will get the governorship of the Yukon. Though he sits as a labor member, he is to all intents and purposes a liberal representative, and he seems better posted on Yukon interests than any other politician on the speaker's right.

The chief event of the recess was the appointment of the Right Hon. James Bryce to the British embassy at Washington. It is of supreme importance to Canadians to know how Canadian interests will be watched there. In Ottawa it is taken for granted that a Canadian will be attached to the embassy, but how or by whom appointed is not yet suggested. Some fears have been expressed that Canadian concerns would have been better under a diplomat of the standard type, but now that the first complete surprise is over, criticism is more inclined to be favorable than otherwise.

For two or three days the cabinet has had the tariff under consideration and it will no doubt be proceeded with in committee without delay. There are not likely to be any material changes as a result of the numerous delegations that visited the city, some asking for higher and others for lower duties.

The house spent yesterday discussing labor, Mr. Borden moving for a committee of enquiry into the recent strikes, but Mr. Lemieux rejected this, along with the labor members, pointing out that new labor legislation would shortly be introduced.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier introduced a bill increasing the representation of Saskatchewan and Alberta.

J. A. Phillips, of the press gallery, is dead. He was buried this morning. Author, poet, correspondent and biographer, there were few better known in Canada. Poor old Capt. Phillips died in the press room of the House of Commons, the scene of his labors. Heart disease killed him; and he was only half an hour ill. He held out his hand to us around him, and said these last words: "Good-bye. It is all over." He was sixty-five years old and a childless widower.

French Titles Taxed.

Paris, Jan. 10.—The law fixing a series of taxes on the transmission of titles of nobility in the direct line, comes into force, to-day. Where the titles are those of the first empire, and have not been recognized or confirmed under subsequent governments, the scale of taxation is very moderate ranging from 200 francs (forty) in the case of a duke down to twenty francs in the case of a chevalier. If the titles have been confirmed or renewed since 1814, the rates are much higher, the ducal tax being 3,000 francs ($600), and the others in proportion with the exception of that of the chevalier, which remains constant at the modest figure already quoted. It is estimated that these new taxes will bring into the treasury from $120,000 to $160,000 annually.

To Have Good Programme.

Melbourne, Jan. 10.—The federal cabinet has decided to meet parliament with a good programme, likely to attract the support of all radicals. The government intends to submit not only a tariff of high duties but a wide scheme of bounties to encourage civic industries, particularly iron smelting.

The only cough syrup endorsed by physicians. Gibson's Red Cross Cough Syrup. Take no other.

FOR CANCER RESEARCH.

A Wedding Gift From a London Jew.

H. L. BISCHOFFSHEIM.

London, Jan. 10.—H. L. Bischoffsheim, a wealthy London Jew, has marked the occasion of his golden wedding by a gift of $1,000,000 to charities. The greater part of this sum goes to the Imperial Cancer Research Association. He will visit America next month.

HEROIC ENGINEER

SAVED A RUNAWAY TRAIN FROM DESTRUCTION.

Driven From Cab By Steam and Boiling Water—Climbed Over Tender to Express Car and Pulled Rope of Air Brake.

Boone, Iowa, Jan. 10.—After running wild for several miles at high speed with an engine out of control, by the blowing out of a "stud" in its boiler, the Chicago and North-western fast mail train number 10, was barely saved from destruction near here last night by the heroism of Engineer Louis Shull. Shull was driven from his cab by the scalding vapors and boiling waters. Realizing that he could not reach the throttle, he climbed over the tender to the express car and hammered on the door. The express messenger, fearing robbers, refused him admission at first, but when he finally opened the door he aimed two revolvers at Shull's head. The engineer, bleeding and exhausted, dragged himself into the car, and with his remaining strength pulled the rope connecting the air brake, stopping the train.

MUST OBEY LAWS.

Ottawa, Jan. 10.—Terrible charges are being laid against several captains of the American Arctic whaling fleet which winters at Herschel Island. Some time ago the dominion authorities spent $75,000 in punishing a Yukon murderer, and if the crimes are proved to have been committed in Canadian territory they are willing to spend this again, and as much more as may be necessary, to show foreigners that when they are in Canada they must obey Canadian laws.

TO BE A TEST CASE.

Want Sketches Exempted From Duty.

Washington, Jan. 10.—A test case of much interest to hundreds of American artists residing abroad, particularly in Paris, is now before the board of United States General Appraisers. For several years many American students living in Paris have helped to support themselves by making pen and ink sketches of the latest fashions for various illustrated periodicals in this country. From the sketches plates are made which are used in depicting the modes. Recently the treasury department decided to assess the drawings under the provision in the Dingley tariff law for "pen and ink drawings," with duty at the rate of fifteen per cent. In order that the question should be judicially settled, the Curtis Publishing Co., of Philadelphia, proprietors of the Ladies' Home Journal, filed a protest with the Board of Appraisers of New York, which will have the effect of bringing the matter into the courts. It is the contention of the publishers that the sketches are entitled to free entry under the exemption schedule of the tariff law as the law provides that "works of art," the production of American artists residing temporarily abroad are not taxable.

Rich Ore Discoveries In Ireland.

Dublin, Jan. 10.—Immense seams of coal and iron ore have been discovered in Antrim, and a company, with a capital of $2,500,000, was formed here to-day to work the industries. A government geologist recently estimated that in the Ballycastle district of Antrim alone 55,000,000 tons of coal of excellent quality were easy of access. Analest tests show that the iron ore found in Antrim is the richest in the world, being superior to the best of the famed Spanish ores. Prof. Cole states that in Antrim there are 15,000,000 tons of iron ore, which could be produced without boring.

GAS FORMED

And Serious Damage From Explosion.

AT PITTSBURG PA.

CAP OF THE FURNACE WAS BLOWN OFF.

Fiery Shower of White Cinders and Molten Metal Was Thrown Over the Workmen in the Yard Below—Frenzied Crowd Tried to Batter in the Gates.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 10.—Three men are known to be dead, twelve are perhaps fatally injured, including assistant Fire Chief Peter Snyder, of Pittsburg, and there is a property loss of $100,000 as a result of an explosion at the Eliza furnace of the Jones & Laughlin Steel company last night.

The explosion resulted from a "hang" or accumulation of gas in the furnace, a few minutes after the night shift went to work. The cap of the furnace was blown off and a fiery shower of white cinders and molten metal was thrown over the workmen in the yard below. Many of the victims, with hands burned off, and faces charred to a crisp, ran wildly about shrieking with agony.

The explosion attracted hundreds of foreigners whose relatives or friends were employed at the furnace. No one was admitted to the mill yard and the frenzied crowd outside tried to batter in the gates. The reserves from two stations were called and drove back the crowd.

PITH OF THE NEWS.

The Very Latest Culled From All Over The World.

King Menelik, of Abyssinia, has proclaimed his grandson his heir.

Adolphus Dean, of Smith township, Peterboro county, tried to commit suicide by hanging.

The Canadian railways killed 361 persons last year and the electric roads killed forty-seven.

The rumors of trouble in Servia have been declared an Austrian ruse to frighten British capital from the Balkans.

Col. John E. Thayer, Lancaster, Mass., sold Baron Wilkes (2.18), the great trotting stallion, to E. Knell, Carthage, Mo.

Morocco is almost in financial straits owing to the wholesale robbery prevailing and the difficulty of collecting the revenue.

The dominion convention of the Young Women's Christian Association will be held in Montreal, from January 24th to January 28th.

Toronto and Montreal men have secured Kerr Lake from the government for a bonus of $178,500 and a royalty of ten per cent. on all ores mined.

It has been found that the payment of a bonus of $5 a head for the killing of wolves in the North-West is not sufficient. The amount has, therefore, been increased to $10.

This Man Had Nerve.

Hamilton, O., Jan. 10.—A frightful accident befell George Hertel, a baker, at John Amhurst's bakeshop, on Washington street, which will result fatally.

Hertel was oiling the dough mixer, a machine about six feet high, and while trying to reach some cogs, Hertel fell into the machine, which suddenly started at full speed, making sixty revolutions a minute. The steel blades in the machine cut off both his legs at the hip, his right arm was mangled into a pulp and his shoulder broken.

With remarkable nerve, Hertel, who retained consciousness, directed the movements of the police and bystanders, who were attracted by his cries, and told them how to take him out of the machine.

Burned A Mission Chapel.

Pekin, Jan. 10.—A bandit leader in the province of Sze Chuan deceived the inhabitants of Chentu by reporting, on January 6th, that a large body of bandits were approaching. The people went out to meet the enemy, and while they were absent from the city, the bandit leader burned a mission chapel.

Shot And Killed.

Lodz, Russian Poland, Jan. 10.—Col. Patke Andrieff, chief of the gendarmes of the Lodz district, was shot and killed, this morning. A passing infantry patrol fired a volley at the assassin, but only wounded several innocent onlookers. The assassin escaped.

Was Swept By Fire.

Buffalo, N.Y., Jan. 10.—The former home of John G. Milburn, where President McKinley died, was swept by fire a few minutes after eight o'clock, this morning. The loss will amount into the thousands. The room in which President McKinley died was completely gutted.

Died Very Suddenly.

Quebec, Jan. 10.—Andrew Thomson, president of the Union Bank, who has been confined to his home for some time, with an attack of grippe, died, rather suddenly, this morning.

A 50c. bottle of Syrup White Pine and Tar Cough Syrup for 40c., at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store.

SELLS CHILD FOR DOLLAR.

Bargain Made By Mother in English Village.

London, Jan. 10.—In the village of Rainford, about four miles from St. Helens, a child was recently bought by a collier named Thompson, working at the local colliery, for $1. The circumstances were as follows:

Thompson was in a public house in the village, when a woman with a child, accompanied by two men, came in.

In the course of conversation the woman remarked that she wished someone would take the child. Thompson offered her seventy-five cents, and the money was promptly paid over and the child given to Thompson.

He proceeded to his home, but when he asked his wife to sign a paper, agreeing to take over the child, she refused, and the woman was thereupon given her child and told to depart. She did so, but when Thompson saw the child disappear he darted out of the back door and gave the woman another twenty-five cents, and she parted with the child finally to Thompson.

The men and woman then left the neighborhood, and nothing has been heard of them since. Thompson still has the child, which is a little girl, with curly golden hair, and about two years of age, and she is being better looked after by Thompson's wife and mother than by the callous woman who sold her. Efforts are now being made to get the child in a home, as Thompson's mother states that they are unable to keep it.

MAY GET NEW HALL

OTTAWA IS AFTER A NEW ARMOURY.

Sir Frederick Borden Was Quite Favorable—Some Conditions That Should Not Exist—Funeral of An Old Journalist.

Ottawa, Jan. 10.—A deputation of forty Ottawans waited on Sir Frederick Borden, this morning, and asked for better drill hall accommodations. It was introduced by Robert Stewart, M.P. The unsanitary conditions, leaking roof and cramped quarters of the present hall were emphasized. Sir Frederick said there was no excuse for some of the conditions, he would order an investigation. He rather favored a new drill hall, instead of patching up the present one, and would see what parliament had to say about it this session.

The funeral of the late John A. Phillips, the well-known journalist, who died suddenly Tuesday night, took place this morning. The funeral was largely attended by former confreres, members of St. George's Society and others. As was fitting for one who had so pronounced a love for the British flag, the casket was wrapped in the emblem. Rev. A. W. Mackay, of All Saints' church, conducted the service.

DEPRAVITY MAKES HEADWAY

Terrible Picture of Moral Disease Drawn at Congress.

Munich, Jan. 10.—The German Society for the Suppression of Immorality is now in session in Munich. The speakers are united in giving a terrible account of the increasing depravity of the nation.

Judge Roxen, one of the highest judicial authorities in the country, stated that it is an undoubted fact that Germany is in the midst of a great moral descent. He went into particulars which it is impossible to reproduce to prove this. The streets are becoming more impure, young people are more depraved than ever, even in schools where only the children of respectable and well-to-do parents are accepted. The country is being flooded with impure literature, largely written by women, who openly preach free love. Society in Germany is, the judge declared, on the brink of moral destruction.

A HORRID MIXTURE.

Said to Be Typhoid in Montreal Cocktails.

Montreal, Jan. 10.—During the past two weeks the inspectors attached to the civic food inspection department have been hunting through the various saloons and hotels in the city for specimens of a bottled drink known to the initiated as "oyster cocktails."

This drink consists, in many instances, of a mixture of oysters in a state of more or less putrefaction, tomato catsup which has fermented, and vegetable matter which has gone bad and is unfit for human consumption.

Already over one hundred samples have been seized and confiscated, and the department has entered half a dozen cases for prosecution in the recorder's court, the charge being of exposing for sale food unfit for human consumption.

It is believed this has had much to do with the present typhoid epidemic in the city.

He Cut His Throat.

Montreal, Jan. 10.—Matthias Wilcox, an Englishman, employed at the C. P. Angus shops, committed suicide by cutting his throat with a razor while preparing to go to his work this morning. He was sixty-two years of age, sober and industrious, but had been acting strangely for a few days. The deed was committed at the Angus hotel, near the works, where he boarded.

Prompt delivery of drug store wants. 'Phone 230, Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 10.—(10 a.m.)—Strong south to southwest winds, higher temperature, light show falls during the night and a part of Friday.

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F. J. KIRKPATRICK, R. M. DOUGLAS, Rec.-Sec. No. 59. Rec.-Sec. No. 10.

Cereal Co. For London.

London, Jan. 10.—It is understood that a deal has been closed between Dr. John H. Kellogg, of Battle Creek, Mich., and a party of London citizens for the location here of a big cereal company, to be known as the Battle Creek Toasted Corn Flake company, limited, of London, Ont., capitalized at $100,000, practically all of which has been taken up.

Hard or soft corns cured with three applications of Peck's corn salve. Guaranteed. Money back if not satisfactory. In boxes 15c., at Wade's Drug Store.