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Master Charles Moore, ten-year-old son of Frank Moore, Newboro, was the victim of a serious accident Monday, while playing with a bottle of black powder and a lighted match. The powder exploded and the pieces of broken bottle striking him, his face and neck were badly lacerated.

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Amusement advts., on Page Three.

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There will be a Tea at the County Club, on Saturday, 19th.

There will be a Tea at the Country Club, on Saturday, Oct. 19th.

"Bonnie Brier Bush," Matinee, Grand Opera House, 2.30 p.m., Saturday.

Rugby to-morrow:—Queen's vs. McGill, 2.30 p.m.; Queen's II vs. R.M.C., at Military College Campus, 2.30 p.m.

At The Bijou Theatre—The Spectacular Pantomine "The Fairy of the Black Rocks," and "The Raid on the Nemo Club."

This day in history:—Sir Oliver Mowat made lieutenant-governor of Ontario, 1897; Lord Palmerston died, 1865; United States took possession of Porto Rico, 1898.

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SAVED BY A SAW

It Was So Sharp It Cut Through The Dynamite.

Buffalo Furnace Company Plant Has a Close Call--Saved By a Mere Chance From a Great Catastrophe.

Buffalo, Oct. 18.—Over 600 workmen employed at the Buffalo Union Furnace company's plant, along with scores of people living in that vicinity, very narrowly escaped being the victims of a terrible explosion yesterday. The catastrophe was averted by mere chance.

In the machine shop, connected with the big foundry, it was found necessary to cut several lengths of large iron pipe and Stephen H. Regan, a machinist, put a long piece of the required pipe into a sawing machine to divide it into ten-foot lengths. He had cut several pieces, and finding that the saw was dull, replaced it with a new one. Regan, finished another length, and after taking it out of the machine, placed it on the floor along with others, while he proceeded to adjust another in the machine.

Presently another employe of the firm entered the machine shop and going over to where Regan was at work noticed something sticking in the end of the last pipe which had been cut.

Regan examined the pipe and found that it contained about seventeen large sticks of dynamite, through the centre of which the saw had passed.

Why the dynamite did not explode while the saw was passing through the pipe, is beyond comprehension unless, as explained by the workmen at the foundry, the new saw, which was a sharp one, cut through the pipe with so little friction that the dynamite was not subject to sufficient concussion to explode it.

There was sufficient of the explosive found in the pipe to have blown the entire plant to atoms, and caused terrible destruction and loss of life.

FORTUNE ON BASEBALL BET.

Pittsburg Man Makes $42,000 on Chicago's Victory.

Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 18.—Shad Gwilliam, the Pittsburg sporting man, made a fortune on the baseball series between Chicago and Detroit for the world's championship. The night before the series opened, at the Auditorium Annex, in Chicago, Gwilliam bet $50,000 to $42,000 that Chicago would win the series. Most of it came from Detroit men. The only bet that he did not win was one for $5,000, that Chicago would capture the first game. As it was a draw, the money was taken down. In the world's championship series between Boston and Pittsburg, Gwilliam lost $29,000. He won $10,000 when the Giants beat the Athletics, and lost $30,000 when the Chicago White Socks defeated the Chicago Cubs.

Renfrew Factory Closed.

Renfrew, Ont., Oct. 18.—The Cumming Manufacturing company, limited, has closed down, affecting, happily, not a dozen employees. The machinery has not been running for over three weeks, and the few men were kept at bench work. Soon after the old company (the P. R. Cumming Manufacturing company) was installed in Renfrew, financial trouble made itself apparent, and about two years ago a new company was founded, Alexander Barnet giving it a financial status, and guaranteeing rent of building to the town until November. It is gathered that the business outlook does not warrant the company continuing and it is now clearing up affairs.

Executed, Murdered, Wounded.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 18.—Police statistics regarding terrorism occurring during the month of September, show that thirty-four persons were executed, and 207 persons, including seventy-three officials, were murdered, and that 172 people were wounded in various affrays. The figures do not include the casualties in the anti-Jewish riots at Odessa, Rostov and Simferopol.

Asked To Be Imprisoned.

Michigan City, Ind., Oct. 18.—After escaping from the state penitentiary in July, 1906, Allen J. Lawrence, of Laporte, Ind., came back, yesterday, and gave himself up. He said that he had become converted and wanted to finish his punishment for attacking a young woman. He will serve out his sentence with extra time for the escape.

Serious Charge Against Officers.

Odessa, Oct. 18.—A crop of suicides is expected to follow the stranding of the Black Sea transport Prueth, on Berenzan Island. Drunkenness among the officers and crew is said to have caused the accident. Although the damage was not serious the government is much exasperated by incompetency.

One Dollar Fountain Pen.

We have Waterman's "Modern" fountain pens from $1 up. Also the self-filling fountain pens (Waterman's Modern), from $2.50 to $5, at Wade's drug store.

Try Bibby's special $1 sweaters.

PAYS 60-YEAR DEBT.

Was Relic of Partnership of Her Father.

Dubuque, Ia., Oct. 18.—Fifty thousand dollars of the Russell Sage millions will go to the heirs of Ezekiel Oliphant, living here. The history of the payment dates back more than sixty years, when there was a partnership in the salt business between Joseph (afterward General) Slocum and Ezekiel Oliphant, at Syracuse, N.Y. The business failed. Slocum remained in New York state and Oliphant, with his family, came west. The eldest daughter of Mr. Slocum became the second wife of Russell Sage.

The families lost track of each other and an old debt of Joseph Slocum remained unpaid until the matter recently was presented to Mrs. Sage's attorneys. She ordered the debt, grown through interest from $2,000 to $60,000, discharged.

LAURIER'S MESSAGES.

Greetings to the People of Great Britain.

London, Oct. 18.—The Daily Chronicle, this morning, publishes the following message from Sir Wilfrid Laurier transmitted by wireless telegraphy from the Marconi station in Canada:

"Greetings to the people of Great Britain upon the attainment between the British and Canadian coasts of nature's latest greatest triumph over distance."

The Express published the following from the Canadian premier:

"Welcome. By this bond between Britain and Canada one more triumph for the empire and science has been achieved."

The Daily Mail also published a message from "Loyal Canada."

FOUND NATURAL GAS.

Farmer Smelt it at Greenfell and Applied a Match.

Regina, Sask., Oct. 18.—Natural gas was struck, yesterday, four miles north of Grenfell. The spot where the strike was made is situated on the government road allowance.

The discovery was made by a farmer living in the vicinity, who detected a smell of gas being evident, a match was applied with the result that the gas at once ignited.

A Woman Killed By Ants.

Hamburg, Oct. 18.—Prince Von Buelow, the imperial chancellor, was in a fatal automobile accident, near here, yesterday. An aged woman tried to cross the road in front of a hired machine, in which he was proceeding to his residence, but became confused, and was run down before the cab could be stopped. Her death was instantaneous. The prince took the number of the chafeur and continued his journey to Hamburg on the electric cars.

Smoke From Vesuvius Ceased.

Naples, Oct. 18.—A panic was caused here, yesterday, owing to the sudden cessation of smoke from all the craters of Vesuvius, accompanied by loud detonations which usually mean a resumption of activity on the part of the volcano.

A BANK FAILURE.

And Many Concerns Are Affected By It.

Hamburg, Oct. 18.—The old banking firm of Halber, Sohel & Co. failed, yesterday, with liabilities, which, it is authoritatively stated, will reach $7,500,000. The assets of the firm have not been ascertained as yet, but in banking circles the capital of the partners is declared to be $2,250,000. Nearly all the joint stock and private banks in Hamburg are affected by this failure, but a number of them say their claims are adequately secured. The difficulties of the firm arose chiefly from its connection with a mining company at Tepntz, Bohemia.

A GREAT RAILROADER.

He is Head of the Great Wabash System.

President Joseph Ramsey, of the Wabash railroad, and one of the chief administrative officials in the Gould system of railroads was born in Pittsburg on April 17th, 1850. Young Ramsey was given an ordinary public school education and graduated at the Western University of Pittsburg, where he studied engineering. He married Miss Laura Palmer on April 8th, 1875. He first joined the engineer corps of the P. C. and St. L. R. R. in 1869 and stayed there one year. He was chief engineer of the Pittsburg Southern railway from 1879 until 1882. From 1891 until 1893 he was the general manager of the C. C. C. and St. L. R. R. known as the Big Four system. His home is in St. Louis, Mo.

Joseph Ramsey

NO WAR WITH JAPS

Says Justice Truax Of New York Supreme Court.

United States And Canada Need Have No Fear Of Japan As They Are Copyists Not Originators.

Vancouver, Oct. 18.—Justice Truax, of the New York supreme court, just returned from Japan, says the country has no idea of war with the United States or any country, being financially handicapped. People are taxed to the limit and are busy paying the country's bills. The only idea of war is in the yellow journals of America.

He says neither Canada nor the United States have anything to fear from the Japanese commercially, for despite their cleverness the sons of Nippon are mere copyists and do not originate in mechanical arts.

Regarding the Vancouver riots Truax said: "To the credit of the Japanese the affair has scarcely created a ripple of excitement. The feeling was one more of surprise that such an occurrence should take place in the territory of a Japanese ally. Talk of riots soon ended when it was officially explained that it was engineered by foreign labor agitators, and did not indicate the true feeling of the Canadians for the Japanese."

Japs Equal Of Whites.

Vancouver, Oct. 18.—Sir Thomas Shaughnessy has joined Hays in favor of the Japanese. Interviewed, he said: "I cannot see why there is such opposition to the Japanese. I believe in many respects they are equal to the whites." He re-affirmed the promise of faster vessels for the Pacific route.

E. B. Osler said it was desirable to have only white labor in the dominion, but did not think rapid development could be accomplished without other labor, particularly in British Columbia. Upon the financial situation Mr. Osler sees no cause for alarm or uneasiness.

FARMERS GROW RICH.

Wheat and Barley at $1 and Flax Above That.

Fargo, N.D., Oct. 18.—North Dakota farmers are rolling in wealth. Outside the famous Red River valley the actual yield was not so large this year as last, but it was taken off cheaply and the farmers are realizing heavily.

Wheat is selling at more than $1 a bushel at all stations in the state, and at some stations barley has already reached that figure, while flax ranges away above those figures and oats and corn are bringing higher prices than ever before in the history of the state.

Mrs. Oakes, a lady of between sixty and sixty-five years, and well known in the vicinity of Athens, died Wednesday night at Oak Leaf.

See Binny's special 25c. caps.

PITH OF THE NEWS.

The Very Latest Culled From All Over The World.

The closing session of the peace conference will take place at The Hague to-day.

Dr. Sheard, Toronto, has sent help to Oakville, to check the smallpox outbreak.

Toronto brewers have raised the price of beer on account of the high price of grain.

London liberals have decided not to make any nomination for the commons vacancy.

Rev. Dr. Gordon, Montreal, was elected president of the Baptist Association of Ontario and Quebec.

The Michigan Central railway has pleaded guilty, at Windsor, in the matter of the Essex dynamite explosion.

A combine of athletes has been suggested in connection with the proposed trip of a Canadian team to England.

The liberals of Queensbury and Sunbury nominated Col. Hugh McLean, St. John, as their candidate for the commons.

Keir Hardie, writing of his tour around the world, condemns the speculation in land which he saw going on in Canada.

Distinguished members of the royal family will visit Canada in connection with the centenary of the landing of Champlain.

R. A. Thompson, North Wentworth's representative in the Ontario legislature, is credited with a desire to enter federal politics.

Francis Day, Elgin, died as the result, it is alleged, of a dose given him by a doctor from a bottle which was wrongly labelled.

The widow and family of Emanuel Meddaford, killed at Goderich last fall were awarded $2,700 damages from the Canada Foundry company.

Trooper Mulloy sent a cablegram to Winchester, Wednesday, reporting his safe arrival in Glasgow. He is probably at Oxford University now.

In Toronto, a petition is in active circulation, asking for the appointment of a government commission to determine whether coal dealers have unlawfully combined.

The wooden steamer Case, of the Gilchrist fleet, was sunk, in a collision with the Pittsburg Steamship company's steel steamer Mariska, opposite Amherstburg. The crew was saved.

Inquiry of the post office department goes to show that the increased rate of postage on newspapers and periodicals from the United States has had the desired effect of cutting off tons upon tons of printed matter from across the border.

David Langford the Renfrew pedestrian arrived back at Oshawa, at 10.40 o'clock this morning, ten minutes behind schedule time. He left at 11.05 o'clock on his way to Port Hope. He is in fair condition in all respects, but his feet are in very bad shape. He had to stop at a farm house to have his feet washed, treated and his toes bandaged.

William Brown, Smith's Falls, a brakesman in the employ of the C.P.R., was struck in the face by the lever of a semaphore, which he was operating at Hochelaga on Sunday. Three of his teeth were knocked out and an ugly gash was inflicted on his face, from his chin to his nose.

See Bibby's great $1 gloves.

REPLIED TO HIS MA'S AD.

There She Was Waiting at the Station and He Took a Fit of Coughing.

New York, Oct. 17.—All the fashionables in Burlington, N.J., an old and aristocratic town, are laughing at the rencontre which a matronly widow, who lives on Federal street there, forced upon herself.

The widow, although well-known, is best described by this "personal," which she placed in a Philadelphia newspaper:

"A lady of mature age, but looking young and feeling so; a tall blonde, imposing and graceful, and at the same time well-to-do, desires to marry, Address, ——"

The lady, who is no older than she feels, chose her affinity from the writers of many letters she received. Quickly an interview was arranged—she, wearing a bunch of lilies-of-the-valley in her corsage, was to wait at the Pennsylvania railroad station; he, with a red, red rose in his coat lapel, was to arrive on the 9.37 a.m. New York express, eastbound, yesterday.

The widow, looking extremely youthful and handsome, waited at the ch—, the station; the express stopped; from a car dropped her stalwart son.

"Hello, mother," he cried, "what are you doing here?"

Next instant he saw the bunch of the lilies-of-the-valley; she the rose he wore. She blushed far redder than the rose and was seized with an opportune fit of coughing, which could not hide her confusion, however.

"——I—got—off to—to get a paper," stammered her son, who is about twenty-three years old, a gay young fellow, employed in Philadelphia.

He rushed to the news-stand, grabbed a paper, and scrambled aboard the last coach as the express pulled out. His mother tore the lilies from her corsage threw them on the platform and ground them under her feet.

"I will die a widow," she has since said to intimate, "confidential" female friends.

FIGHTS IN GANANOQUE.

Constable Thomson Struck in Face With Frying pan.

Gananoque, Oct. 18.—Wilson & Sons annual sale of cattle, horses and carriages took place to-day and attracted an unusually large number from the surrounding rural district.

The Leeds county Women's Christian Temperance Union convention was held in Grace Methodist church yesterday afternoon. Delegates were present from all over the county.

Rev. Norman McLeod, of the First Presbyterian church, Brockville, gave an interesting address on "Moral Reform," in Grace church last evening, under the auspices of the W.C.T.U.

A considerable amount of "scrapping" took place along the principal streets of the town yesterday afternoon. In one of the tilts Constable John Thompson was pretty roughly handled, being struck over the head and in the face with a frying pan by a man named Bryan, from Seeley's Bay, who was promptly landed in the lock-up.

George Whitmarsh has purchased, in the name of his daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) Bedell, of Merrickville, an island a few miles east of the town, and situated near Gananoque lighthouse.

Messrs. Wilkinson & Hall, who conducted a baking business here for some time, have located in Smith's Falls. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Morton, King street, have left for Philadelphia to spend the coming winter with relatives.

H. P. Bingham, manager of the Merchants' Bank, in Prescott, and for several years on the staff of the Merchants' Bank here, spent a couple of days this week in town with friends. The Misses Leona and May Flunder, of Saginaw, Mich., who have been spending some time in town, the guests of their grandfather, Edward Flunder, Brock street, have returned home.

Asked To Explain.

Ottawa, Oct. 17.—Some newspapers have recently published sensational statements imputed to J. A. Osborne, editor of the Times of Fort Frances, Ont., as to alleged cannibalism on the part of Indians between the eastern shore of James Bay and Labrador. As this area covers territory larger in extent than civilized Europe it is impossible for either the Indian department or the mounted police department to confirm or deny the statements which have been imputed, erroneously, it is believed, to Mr. Osborne. Meanwhile letters have been sent to that gentleman on behalf of the government asking him for details or for a denial of the assertions credited to him.

Try Bibby's new 75c. golf caps.

If Dr. Moher, medical superintendent of the Eastern Hospital, leaves Brockville he will go to London to take the medical superintency of the western asylum.

A VERY PECULIAR ACTION

Skated Where Ice Had Been Cut and Parents Sue for Damages.

Brockville, Oct. 18.—An action was entered in the high court for unstated damages by W. B. Carroll, as counsel for Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Pennock, Gananoque, against Mitchell & Wilson, contractors, of the Factory Town, for negligence resulting in the death of their daughter, Lucy Maud, on December 18th last. The case is a peculiar one and the outcome will be awaited with interest, particularly by residents of Gananoque. On December 18th last the young lady was drowned while skating on some thin ice in front of the town in company with a young man, whose life was saved. Mitchell & Wilson are the owners of a small tug and scow, and two days before the accident returned from Rockport with their boats to lay them up for the winter. On arriving at Gananoque they found the ice so thick that a channel about 300 feet long had to be cut in order to get the tug in the boathouse, and it was in this channel that the young lady skated, broke through and subsequently met her death, as the ice, it is alleged, was not so thick as it might otherwise have been.

IRELAND AS A STATE

A New Plan Proposed in London for Home Rule.

London, Oct. 18.—A new plan of Irish home rule, based on a modification of the American system of state government, is under consideration by English statesmen, according to authorities in close touch with ministerial circles.

Though the scheme is still in a formative stage and may be diplomatically denied, there is little doubt that it was suggested by Ambassador Bryce, who was Irish secretary before his appointment to the British mission in Washington.

The idea, in brief, is to make Ireland a state of the United Kingdom. Sir Anthony MacDonnell, under secretary for Ireland, is understood to have visited Ambassador Bryce to study the matter from the Irish standpoint.

Probabilities

Toronto, Ont., Oct. 17, Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence (10 a.m.) — Strong north - westerly winds, fair, becoming much cooler. Saturday, fair and quite cool; light frosts.

Two 15c. Specials To-Morrow.

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MARRIED.

PHIPPEN—TAYLOR.—At the residence of the bride's parents, Yonkers, the Hudson, on Oct. 12th, 1907. Miss Augusta, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Taylor, to William S. Phippen, formerly of Kingston, Ontario.

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The Life Of Trees.

Brazilian cocoanut palms live from 600 to 700 years, and the Arabs assert that the date palm frequently reaches the age of 200 to 300 years, says the Dundee Advertiser. Wallan's oak, near Paisley, Scotland, is known to be over 700 years old, and there are eight olive trees on the Mount of Olives, near Jerusalem, which are known to have been flourishing in 1099. The yews at Fountain's Abbey, Yorkshire, were old trees when, in 1132, the abbey was built, and a redwood in Mariposa Grove, California, is a manifold cententarian. Baobab trees of Africa have been computed to be over 5,000 years old, and the deciduous cypress at Chapuitepec is considered to be of a still greater age. Humboldt said that the Dracaena Craco at Orotava, on Teneriffe, was one of the oldest inhabitants of the earth.

C. S. Buckley, aged fifty, died at Schenectady, N.Y. He was a Cape Vincent man and his remains were buried there. He was with the American Express company for years.

See Bibby's special $2 club sweaters, real nobby.

...ension a girl gives to a hug.