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HOLD IT FAST

This is the Advice of Hon. Mr. Lemieux

AS TO JAPAN TREATY

ADDRESS BEFORE THE CANADIAN CLUB.

The Treaty with Japan Creates a Great Offensive and Defensive Alliance, Which Guarantees Peace of East.

Ottawa, March 30.—Hon. R. Lemieux addressed the Canadian Club, Saturday, on "Some Turning Points in the Political History of Modern Japan." The prime minister, Hon. M. J. Fisher, and other members were present, and among the Toronto guests were J. W. Curry, K.C., Mr. Lemieux traced the history of the Island Kingdom from 1553, when Commodore Perry treated with the mikado, for the opening of his country, down to the present. But it was

in his reference to his recent diplomatic visit that the chief interest was centered.

"If there is one thing," said the postmaster-general, "that should make us cling to the treaty with Japan, it is that it is the duplex of the treaty made by Britain in 1901. We should never lose sight of the interests of the mother country. We should do our best to strengthen the alliance between Japan and Great Britain in the Pacific ocean."

Providing, he said, the treaty was a complete recognition of Japan as a world power, it combined the two greatest naval and military powers, and was, therefore, a guarantee of peace in the Orient, and to this offensive and defensive arrangement, he said, the United States was a silent partner, guaranteeing the open door to trade and commerce and the free flow of the gospel as well as a policy of past dealing with China.

TROUBLE BREWING.
Troops Are Under Arms to Stay Outbreaks.

London, March 30.—A despatch from Lisbon says the situation in Portugal is most disquieting. The government is accused of endeavoring to prevent the return of republican candidates at the elections, and this course, it is anticipated, will lead to bloodshed. For the last few days several regiments have been confined to their barracks because of fear of trouble. The reactionaries are insisting to have King Manuel re-establish the dictatorship. It is rumored there has been a revolutionary outbreak at Oporto.

A Death At Napanea.
Napanea, March 30.—The funeral of the late Mrs. John Filchist took place yesterday afternoon, from the residence of her son-in-law, Frank Bowen, Mill street, and was largely attended. The deceased, whose maiden name was Mariah Lucas, attained the age of seventy-six years. She was tenderly cared for by her daughter in her declining years.

Bitten By Dog.
Waterloo, N.Y., March 30.—A mad dog appeared in the streets of Clayton, biting the ten-year-old son of Ernest Corbin in the cheek and arm. The animal was shot. His head was shipped to the Albany authorities, who will determine whether the dog was afflicted with rabies.

Will Welcome Him.
Berlin, March 30.—The Kaiser has unconditionally withdrawn his objections to the appointment of Dr. David J. Hill as American ambassador to Berlin. The foreign office announces that the invitation is closed. Dr. Hill will be cordially welcomed.

FINE GIFT OF \$10,000 TO QUEEN'S SCHOOL OF MINING

From James Douglas, L.L.D., of New York—Governors Are Trying to Raise Endowment Fund of \$200,000.

James Douglas, L.L.D., of New York, a trustee of Queen's University, and an ardent devotee of that institution in 1855, has contributed \$10,000 towards the endowment of the School of Mining. Dr. Douglas was for years one of the foremost bridge engineers in America. Latterly, he has been interested in copper mines, and when here last week addressed the mining school students upon the copper industry.

The contribution of Dr. Douglas has filled the hearts of the mining school governors with joy. The governors have set out to raise \$200,000 with which to endow the school at Queen's. This fund is entirely separate from that being raised for arts and theology. When it is secured, the mining school will be eligible for aid from the Carnegie Endowment Fund.

At present the School of Mining has been supported by the original subscriptions of Kingston citizens and some outsiders to the original fund raised when the school was inaugurated, second by fees; third by Ontario government grant. The School of Mining does all the physics, chemistry and other science work for the university, an arrangement to that effect having been made several years ago. The science students this season number nearly 300.

An endowment fund for the mining school is very necessary. The Whitney government has refused to give any grant a capital account, and will contribute only for maintenance. This is unlike the Ross liberal administration, which erected two buildings for the school. When the Ontario legislature members visited Queen's over a year ago, Provincial Treasurer Matheson announced that the government would give no money to the School of Mining for buildings or equipment, and advised that wealthy mining men throughout the country be asked to contribute towards the institution which is doing such a grand work for Canada. The governors of the school are now coming to try and touch the pockets of the mining men.

Not Anxious to Move Remains.
Paris, March 30.—The government seems ready to take advantage of any excuse to delay the transfer of Zola's remains from Paris to the Chateau de la Pantheon, which was voted a year and a half ago. The ceremony, which was fixed for April 20, has been now postponed to June 4th, on the pretext the sea is not appropriated as yet \$7,000 needed.

MANY KILLED

In a Big Coal Mine Explosion.

FIRE THEN FOLLOWED

TRAGEDIES AT THE PACIFIC COAL CO. MINES.

Explosions Caused By Gases and Coal Dust—The First Killed Eighteen Miners—The Second Snuffed Out the Lives of Between Forty and Fifty.

Cheyenne, Wyo., March 30.—Between sixty-five and seventy miners lost their lives in explosions, on Saturday, in coal mine No. 1, of the Union Pacific Coal company, at Hanna. The explosions were caused by gases and coal dust, and each was followed by fire. The first explosion occurred at eight o'clock in the afternoon, killing eighteen miners, including a superintendent and three bosses. The second explosion occurred at 10:30 o'clock, at night, snuffing out the lives of from forty to fifty rescuers, including State Inspector D. M. Eje. The names of the men killed in the first explosion are shown on the company's books, but those of the rescuers are not known, as no record was kept of those who volunteered for this dangerous work.

Livingston's suitings are exclusive.

CONVICT IN A BASKET.
Daring and Ingenious Attempt to Escape.

Paris, March 30.—A daring and ingenious attempt to escape was made by a convict late last night, at the Lezoo prison, near Lille.

One of the prisoners, a dangerous criminal, got into a basket, supposed to contain habbins of thread, which the prisoners prepared for a Lille firm.

A number of convicts were lifting the basket on a cart when the inspector in charge noticed that it appeared to be very heavy.

He told the convicts to put it down, but the men refused, and he called for help. One of the jailers tore the lid open, whereupon the convict inside cut his arm nearly in two with a blow from a knife. The man was captured, and the gang who were helping him to escape have been severely punished.

PAINTINGS 2,000 YEARS OLD.
Many of a Notable Austrian Collection Coming.

Vienna, March 30.—News of the coming disposal of the famous Graf art collection is received with regret in Vienna. The pictures are to be sold, and it is known that many of them are going to America.

In the collection are paintings on panels, dated from 150 B.C., that were found inside the coffins of mummies in the province of Fayoum in Egypt. They owe their preservation to the custom of placing the portrait of the dead inside the coffin. They are of the period when the Greeks inhabited the province, and are remarkable specimens of Greek art in the freshness of their colors.

LATEST NEWS

Despatches From Near And Distant Places.

THE WORLD'S TIDINGS

GIVEN IN THE BRIEFEST POSSIBLE FORM.

Matters That Interest Everybody Notes From All Over—Little of Everything Easily Read and Remembered.

The bill to incorporate Westmount as a city was introduced in the Quebec legislature.

Contracts for six sections of the National Transcontinental railway have been let at Ottawa.

Prorogation of the Ontario legislature is expected to take place about the 15th of next month.

There is but little change in the condition of Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, who is very ill in London.

An attempt was made at Pandora, Col., to kill Gen. Bulkeley Wells, general manager of the Snaugler Union Mining company.

Governor Broward has appointed Hall Milton, of Marianna, to succeed the late Senator Bryan, of Florida, in the United States senate.

A Chinese boycott of Japanese on account of the Tatsu Maru incident, has been widely taken up by Chinese merchants throughout Australia.

Gerolamo Fitzari, arrested in connection with the St. David's lane tragedy in this city, in January, has been convicted of attempted suicide.

Chan Wan King, a Chinese boy, has been expelled from the public school for indecent conduct while attending the Hook Bay school, Victoria.

Mrs. Lillian A. Housden, wife of A. Housden, Hamilton, took carbolic acid on Saturday, after a little fight with her husband, and died a short time.

Selig Silverstein attempted to destroy a squad of police with a bomb in Union Square, New York, but was himself, fatally injured in the explosion.

During the earthquake in Vera Cruz, Mexico, yesterday, an American woman, during a panic in a theatre, dropped dead, one person was fatally hurt and fifteen injured.

A quantity of pork in Port Arthur and Fort William is reported to have been condemned as infected with trichina. Some say it is western pork and some say it was raised in the neighborhood.

The professional mourners in Paris have gone on strike for more pay. They want especially higher pay for mourning between 6 p.m. and midnight, as the increased number of suicides has greatly added to their labors.

The new train recently put on by the Grand Trunk, from Goderich, was wrecked four miles this side of Seaforth last night, after a collision with a morning train. Fortunately there was no loss of life.

Ignatius J. Dunn, Omaha, Neb., has been selected by the Nebraska delegation to the national democratic convention at Denver, to nominate William J. Bryan for president of the United States.

Governor John A. Johnson, Minnesota, has done nothing and will do nothing towards procuring for himself the democratic nomination for president, but he will not refuse the honor if it is tendered him.

A woman in London, known as "The Lady of the Clock," earns a good living by obtaining the correct time from the Greenwich observatory and carrying it regularly on a chronometer to a large number of watch and clock makers.

The Winnipeg court dismissed the famous action of the Czar of Russia against Ludophy, former treasurer of Transcaucasia, who was sued by his imperial majesty for a shortage of \$200,000 in his accounts. It had no jurisdiction.

One year in the Central prison was the sentence dealt out to Frederick Bryant, the Englishman convicted of attempting to fire the Salvation Army barracks, Stratford, last week. It was the first thought that he would be pardoned with his wife and seven children.

The Diamond Workers' Union in Amsterdam, has proclaimed a cessation of work during the month of April. This will affect twelve thousand men in the polishing and allied trades. When work is resumed the union intends to demand higher wages for its members.

At Hamburg, two thousand shipbuilders were laid off and five thousand at Kiel as the employers' latest move in the lockout they are gradually extending as their weapon in the pending labor fight. About twelve thousand are now idle at the various German plants.

A New Theaterium.
A company was formed, on Saturday morning, to operate in a most elaborate manner another five-cent theatre in Kingston. The location selected is on Princess street, on one of the best corners in the city. The scheme will be floated by local capital.

A meeting will be called, this week, to arrange to form a baseball league. Many city teams are anxious to join and Mr. Stockdale has had letters from outside places, where teams are eager to put a team in the league.

Tax Collector Barre has issued another batch of summonses for those who have not paid their state labor tax.

OUT AT PRINCE ALBERT.
What the Whig's Boy Correspondent Has to Tell.

Prince Albert, March 28.—Daniel Shannon lost his only son on Wednesday last. Malcolm Gillespie for the past two years a cook in the Prince Albert company's logging camps, died at the hospital last Wednesday, as a result of a decayed lesion in his leg.

On Monday a 9,000 pound cable arrived in this town for the ferry at Steep Creek; the ferry is to be built here in the spring. Dr. Conner has moved to Shellbrook. Dr. R. L. King, of Peterborough, will take his place here.

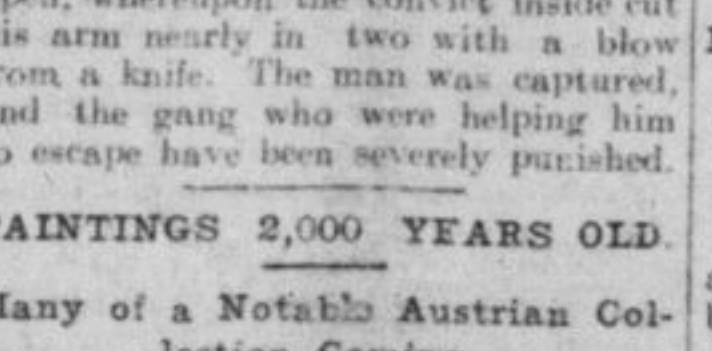
Many farmers of North Dakota are coming to Prince Albert to take up homesteads. The young ladies' hockey team of Rosthern played Prince Albert ladies' team on Friday the 29th. The score was 1 to 0. The players are all out in the C.N.R. bridge. As soon as warm weather comes the work will be resumed.

AFTER HOME RULE.

Redmond is to Move His Resolution To-day.

THE NEW AUDITORIUM AT DENVER.

Our illustration shows, as it will appear when completed, the magnificent new auditorium now being erected at Denver, Col., and the primary purpose of which is to supply a meeting place for the Democratic National Convention next July, which will place in nomination a candidate for president. Work is now being rushed on the masonry building, the walls of which are already up, and there is no doubt that it will be finished in ample time for the big gathering. The new auditorium at Denver will seat 12,500 people, or more than Madison Square Garden, in New York, or the Coliseum in Chicago. The building, which contains 4,500,000 cubic feet of space, will be illuminated by 5,000 electric lights; it is entirely fire-proof brick and concrete construction, and will cost when complete \$550,000. In addition to providing this magnificent hall Denver has donated \$100,000 to pay the expenses of the national convention.



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Mr. and Mrs. A. Holmes have returned from Vancouver, B.C. Mr. Holmes says in all his travels he never saw any place he liked as well as Prince Albert.

A very sad accident occurred last week which resulted in the death of an English homesteader. The man started to the town some miles distant to get provisions as the family were destitute. He had a sleigh with two dogs and took a gun along with him and had it on the sleigh with the barrel pointed towards him.

The letting of the sleigh caused it to go off and the contents pierced the man's stomach. A farmer happened along and brought him into Prince Albert hospital, but he lived only one hour. He leaves a wife and four children.

Prince Albert is the city for plenty of wood. Alphonso Soles has lost the sight of one eye by being struck with a small twig while chopping wood in the bush.

DIED BY INCHES.
Government Operator in Yukon Perished.

Vancouver, March 30.—A report has been received here that the government Yukon telegraph operator Heinze, died a fatal death recently at Hazelton. He lived alone and was stricken by paralysis. Unable to move he perished by inches.

Governor Damian Flores, of the state of Guerrero, has left Mexico City, to take charge of earthquake relief measures in the district of which he is the executive head. Strong military reinforcements have been ordered to the town of Chilapa to aid 15,000 inhabitants there.

WOMAN DESERTS DABIES.
Paris, March 30.—Two English children—a boy of two years and a girl of ten months—have been deserted in a Paris hotel under curious circumstances.

A well-dressed woman of forty arrived at a small hotel in the Boulevard Rochechouart at six o'clock yesterday afternoon with the children. A few minutes after she went out, saying she was going to get some milk. She had registered no name, and did not return.

She had told the proprietress of the hotel that she had come from Folkestone, and was taking the two children to their parents at Marseilles. She spoke good French, with a strong English accent.

The boy has fair hair and brown eyes, and is dressed in a black and white stocking cap.

The little girl, who is fair, wears a Scotch plaid dress, a pink petticoat and a white chemise. They have been taken to the hospital of Les Enfants Assistes.

As to a case in which two Atlanta miners lost their lives,

PROBABILITIES

Toronto, Ont., March 30. Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence (10 a.m.)—Westerly winds, fine and milder today. Tuesday, fair and mild until night, then rain.

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BORN.
PENSE.—In Toronto, March 28th, 1908, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Pense, a daughter.
GAULIN.—At Deseronto, on March 24th, to Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Gaulin, a son.
RIKLEY.—At Haysboro, on March 12th, to Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Rikley, a daughter.
FERRETTA.—At Napanea, on 25th March, to Mr. and Mrs. Pasquale Ferretta, a daughter.
NOJAN.—In Kingston, on March 29th, 1908, at 325 Brock St., to Mr. and Mrs. M. Nojan, a son.
MCGONAGLE.—At Selkirk, on 13th March, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward McDonald, (nee Anastasia Manovic), a daughter.

MARRIED.
SEBORG-BLAKELY.—At Napanea, on 23rd March, Daniel Seborg to Miss Charlotte Blakely, both of Napanea.
BROWN-ELLIOTT.—At Deseronto, on March 25th, Bowen Franklin Brown, Sarnby, and Miss Francis Elliott.
LUCAS-WOODGATE.—At Deseronto, on March 25th, Fred Lucas, Napanea, and Miss Laura Woodgate, Deseronto.
ROBINSON-BRYCE.—At Deseronto, on March 24th, Miss Carrie May Bryson and Ernest John Robinson, all of Deseronto.

DIED.
DITZER.—At Deseronto, on March 23rd, Grace Eileen, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Ditzer, aged ten days.
SEIBORP.—At Napanea, 20th March, Nettie, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Seiborp, aged two years and six months.
HELL.—In Kingston, March 29th, 1908, John Bell, aged with 70 years, general from the residence of his son-in-law, Thomas Gully, 15 Pine St., Thursday, at 2:30 p.m. Friends and acquaintances respectfully invited to attend.
THOMPSON.—At Buffalo, N.Y., Thursday, March 26th, 1908, John Thompson, younger son of the late John Thompson, Sr. of this city, and only brother of the late Andrew Thompson. Special took place from his sister's residence, 67 Charles St., Kingston, at 1:30 this afternoon.

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W. Howard Ross, formerly nurse on the Garden City, is dead at St. Catharines.

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