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## DOES AS MUCH

n a Week in the Imperial Parliament

## AS WE DO IN A MONTH

BUSINESS MUST BE DONE WITH GREATER DISPATCH.

Several Things Will Likely Be Done in the Future to Expedite Work So That Members Will Not Be Kept in Parliament For Months As is Now Occurring.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Ottawa, June 30.—Parliament entered upon the eighth month of the present session, and the amount of business which has been accomplished calls for serious consideration of the methods of Canada in accomplishing public business. With the recent rapid growth of public business there has arisen the need for more rapid dispatch, and an end to the lengthy debates, and restoration that characterize our parliamentary sessions. It is frequently asserted on the floor of the house, and more than once by Mr. Fielding that the imperial parliament accomplishes as much in a week as the Canadian parliament does in a whole session. The introduction of the closure, and the relegation of more to the committee would considerably shorten our sessions, and no doubt this would be a help also in the near future. Another help also would be the earlier introduction of the budget if British custom were followed it would be introduced at the very beginning of the session.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier secured the adoption, yesterday, of his motion for Saturday adjournment. The opposition seemed glad also for the chamber and the house proceeds are hot and relaxing these days.

Replies to questions by Mr. Taylor elicited from the minister of marine an interesting list of the expenditures made by that department for aids to navigation of recent years. It was stated that there had been paid to the Dominion Fog Signal company of Toronto, the following amounts: 1902-4, \$16,600; 1904-5, \$428,208; 1905-6, \$46,900; 1906-7, \$55,915; 1907-8, \$69,648.

To the International and Marine Signal company, there has been paid:

### DAILY MEMORANDA

- Hurrah! For Canada.
- And Campbell Bros', Summer Hats.
- Board of Works, 4 p.m., Tuesday.
- Yacht Races, 10 a.m., Wednesday.
- No Whig on Wednesday—Dominion Day.
- Presbyterian Union, Cooke's Church, 8 p.m.
- Campbell Bros' Hat Store open to night.
- Geo. Mills & Co's Hat Store open to night.
- Roller Rink open to night and to-morrow night.
- Picnic at Park for English Church, to-morrow.
- Roller Rink, three sessions, to-morrow, Dominion Day.
- Kingston Presbytery, Cooke's Church, 10 a.m., Wednesday.
- Baseball, Irishmen vs. C.C.C., Lake Ontario Park, 3 p.m., Wednesday.
- Salvation Army picnic, to-morrow.
- Most leaves at 4 a.m., and 2:30 p.m.
- Epworth League, Secretary's Excursion, Str. Amersham, Monday, July 6th.
- See Amusement Column for the four Moving Picture Shows and Park Vaudeville.
- Steamers North King and Caspian call daily at Swift's Wharf, going east, at 10:15 a.m., and west at 4:15 p.m.
- Excursion among 1,000 Islands, Friday, July 3rd, by W.W. Society of St. George's Cathedral. Steamer Caspian leaves Swift's Wharf, at 10:15 a.m.
- Development of the British Army, "The Funny Revenge of an Artist," "The Sad End of a Fool's Cat," "Illustrated Song," by John Robert Davis, "Mary Blain."

July 1, in Canadian History. 1862—Princess Alice, daughter of the late Queen Victoria, married to the Grand Duke of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha. 1867—The Act of Confederation came into force. 1872—Hon. Charles Tupper appointed Minister of Inland Revenue. 1897—Mr. Wilfrid Laurier and other Colonial premiers entertained by the Lord Mayor of London at the Mansion House. 1904—Several thousand Canadian and American soldiers joined in a celebration of Dominion Day at Ottawa.

## A CHINA CHANGE

- Muffin Dishes,
- Hot Dish,
- Rolling,
- Custards,
- Buttles Cups,
- Bon-bons,
- Radish Dishes,
- Biscuit Jars,
- Spoon Trays,
- China Dishes.

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Detroit, June 30.—Though separated by an order of the divorce court, the love that prompted her to wed the man of her choice never left the heart of Mary Stuart Coffin, the attorney, who died recently under sad circumstances. Her will, filed for probate Thursday, reveals this fact, for to Philip M. Coffin she has left a large interest in half of her estate, the remaining portion going to her invalid son, Fred Coffin.

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## 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.

Bishop Potter is seriously ill again. Mr. Bourassa is reported to be ill at Ste. de Adele.

The bridge between the two cotton mills at Hespeler collapsed.

Lieutenant-Governor Bulyea opened the Dominion fair at Calgary.

The C.P.R. will open three branch lines in Ontario on Wednesday.

The victims of the Tottenham railway accident are all doing well.

The president of the Black Hand Society, at Montreal, was shot and killed.

Dr. Osler will be a candidate for the lord rectorship of Edinburgh university.

The Toronto Ferry company's new steamer Jessamine made her first trip on Monday.

The Incandescent Lamp company, Toronto, begins work on a new \$70,000 factory.

The unlicensed hotel, at Canfield Junction, known as the Junction house, was burned.

Two hundred persons are homeless and scores destitute as the result of the tornado in Minnesota.

Advices received at Ottawa say that the French treaty is likely to be rejected by the senate of France.

T. V. Denison, cashier in the Imperial bank, at North Bay, was found in bed with a bullet through his head.

H. C. Phillips, son of the steel magnate, has bought the Hotel Saranac, New York, for \$1,000,000 as an investment.

The department of canals announces that it is expected that Cornwall canal will be re-opened for traffic on July 10th.

The United States treasury excess of expenditure over receipts for the fiscal year just ending, will approximate \$60,000,000.

At Halesbury, Ont., fourteen families are homeless as a result of the bush fire raging at the southern boundary of that town.

Harry Baker was killed and William Brooks, seriously injured, by an explosion in the Leonard Engine Works, at London, Ont.

At Terre Haute, Ind., being taunted because he had joined the church, Roy Leggett shot and killed his companion, Francis Kook.

Joseph Lifko, held by the New York police on a charge of murdering Albert Howell, of Toronto, is said to have admitted assaulting deceased.

At Fort William, Ont., J. M. Fraser, employed in the brick yard at West Fort, was struck and instantly killed while working during a severe electrical storm.

John Neilson, for fifty-two years on the Grand Trunk railway as an engineer, has retired. He began railroad work in the old C.P.R. line between Kingston and Montreal.

The Brotherhood of Railway Train men will, it is said, take up the case of John Davis, brakeman, injured on the Pere Marquette, who is alleged to have been left lying by the track, his train being ordered to proceed without him.

At Tiflis, five priests and several deacons have been arrested in connection with the assassination, June 10th, of Archbishop Nikon, Exarch of Georgia. Many proclamations against his arrest were in their possession.

Recently two Russian officials of the synodal chancellery were arrested in connection with the murder.

## IGNORANT MEN

Have Listened to Words of American Anarchists.

City of Mexico, June 30.—Up to last evening no news of any sort has been received at the capital that would indicate that there had been a repetition of the disorders, similar to those which occurred at the towns of Viacac and Las Vas. Senor Corral, vice-president of the republic, said: "The trouble in the state of Coahuila is not a revolution nor is it the commencement of one. A few ignorant men of the lower class have listened to words of certain anarchists, now residing in the United States, and, thereupon, set about to rob, murder, and pillage. They are now hiding. The rurales will catch them. They will be tried as common criminals."

## To Publish A Daily.

Paris, June 30.—S. I. Sannavy, president of the American Continental Journal company, has arrived in Paris to arrange for the publication of the new English daily paper, which it is proposed to start in the French capital. Mr. Sannavy is enthusiastic over the prospects of his paper, and refuses to be daunted by an editorial warning of the Paris edition of the New York Herald, which states that the sum of \$7,200,000 has been lost on the Herald since its inception in Paris.

## Campbell Bros' To-Night.

For a nobly straw salad.

W. A. Detroit, formerly of Belleville, died, on Saturday, June 29th, at Chicago, where he was employed. He was for many years in the civil service in the customs department of Canada.

## St. John's Sunday School.

Portsmouth, will picnic at Crosby's Point on Thursday, July 2nd. Steamer leaves Alton at 11 p.m., and Portsmouth at 1:15 p.m. Back early. Tickets, adults 20c., and children 15c.

## GANANOQUE TIDINGS.

Summer Visitors Are Flocking to the Town.

Gananoque, June 30.—The junior matriculation examinations started Monday morning at the high school with Public School Inspector Johnstone, of Athens, in charge. There are eighteen candidates in attendance.

Three large camps of gypsies, with sixty horses, and the dogs, children and other paraphernalia generally found in connection with such establishments, are located just west of the town. The camp is the largest ever seen here. George A. Whitmarsh is having a new cottage erected on his island property, a few miles east of the town.

Dr. Taft and wife, of Utica, N.Y., opened up their summer cottage, "Bluffeta," near Red Horse. A. Goulette has opened up a shooting gallery in the West End. There is now no trouble to spend the summer nickel with a shooting gallery, a merry-go-round and two five-cent making picture shows every evening. Prof. and Mrs. Tourneur, of Ottawa, are spending some time at their summer residence on Tottenham Park. Miss J. Nicholson, of Lunenburg, N.S., has arrived here for an outing at Hay Island House.

Miss Maud Barnes, trained nurse from St. Luke's hospital, New York city, is spending a two weeks' vacation here with her parents, Mrs. Barnes, Princess street, Mrs. A. Zimmerman, of Carthage, N.Y., spent the past week in town, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Carnegie, Sydenham street. Miss Bessie Middleton, King street, spending some time with Brockville friends, has returned home.

Mr. (Dr.) James T. Rogers, Hamilton, is visiting her father, E. L. Atkinson, Stone street, Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Allen, Toronto, are spending a couple of weeks with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Allen, Sydenham street. Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Byers, of Saranac Lake, N.Y., spent some time during the past week with relatives in town. Mrs. L. A. Boyle spent the past week in Kingston, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Nolan. Miss Ewing, of the staff of the Gananoque high school, is spending her vacation at her home in Carleton Place.

Mrs. John Davidson, of Kingston, spent several days during the past week with friends in town. Miss H. Lovett, of New York city, spent some time with friends in town during the week. Mrs. J. A. Bullock, First street, is spending a few weeks with her parents at Perth. E. Belard, Augustus, Mo., is visiting his father, John Belard, River street, and Mrs. John McKellar, Caron, Sask., who are both visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James McKellar, Garden street, left yesterday, for a visit with relatives in Montreal.

## All Are Excluded.

Berlin, June 30.—The trial of Prince Zu Eulenburg, who is charged with inciting another person to commit perjury in connection with the "round table" revelations of last summer, is to be held to-day. On motion of the prosecuting attorney the public and newspaper correspondents will be excluded.

## Campbell Bros' Straw Hats.

Are the popular ones. See them.

## ARUNDELL RELEASED

BY DONNELLY WRECKING COMPANY.

Steamer Was Lightened and Soon Afterwards Floated—Will Enter Dry Dock Here For Repairs—Very Little Damage.

The steamer Arundell, which ran on a shoal below the Thousand Islands Park on the St. Lawrence, on Thursday morning, the 18th, was released early Monday afternoon, by the Donnelly Wrecking company, which was called in after other wreckers had failed to float the stranded steamer. Last week, the owners, the Star-Cole company, of Detroit, handed over the boat to the underwriters, after several efforts at release had failed. The underwriters called in the Donnelly company, and on Monday morning, the latter's steamer began work, after the Arundell had been relieved of all cargo, which should have been done at the start. After pulling three hours from the bow, the steamer Donnelly shifted her position to the stern, and in about twenty minutes, the Arundell slid off the shoal.

The steamer was taken to Clayton, and a diver made an examination of the bottom. All the damage he could find was a crack in one of the planks and a small hole near the stern. The steamer then came to Kingston to enter the government dry dock, in which it will get a berth by to-morrow morning.

A. R. Lee, of Detroit, the general manager of the Star-Cole line, is here to look after the repairs. He hopes to have the Arundell in commission by Friday.

## 1,000 Islands—Rochester.

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