

WILL REPRESS

Further Rioting With a Vigorous Hand.

GOVERNMENT LIKELY

TO TEMPORARILY OPERATE THE RAILWAYS.

Wild Time in House of Commons—Laborites Charged Soldiers With Beating Down Defenseless Women and Children.

London, Aug. 17.—It is stated on highest authority that the cabinet has decided upon a course of rigorous repression in the event of further rioting. The home office, upon the same authority, is said to be dispatching orders to their effect to all cities where strikes are in progress.

It has also been practically determined that the government will temporarily operate the railways if such a course becomes necessary.

A brigade of infantry has been recalled from the manoeuvres and will be stationed at Aldershot ready for any emergency. Officials of the railway companies announced last night that the government promised them ample protection in the event of a strike.

The action of the government is generally taken to mean that all efforts to prevent the most widespread labor revolt have failed, and that the struggle between the workers and their employers will soon be on in all parts of Great Britain.

Uproar in Commons.

Uproar bordering on pandemonium broke out in the House of Commons, yesterday, when Home Secretary Churchill appeared. The labor members began shouting questions at the secretary, demanding to know why the police had been allowed brutally to club women and children in the streets of Liverpool.

George Arbuthnot shouted at Churchill demanding an inquiry into the government's methods. Churchill refused, saying he would do nothing until order was restored. Lambury then, waving his clenched fist at the cabinet officer, thundered: "I do not know where you want the people's blood or not, but I never knew of such a blood-thirsty lot as those who beat down defenseless women and children in the streets of a great city."

Situation More Serious.

London, Aug. 17.—Settlement meetings have proved fruitless. The strike situation is critical in Great Britain. Twenty-five thousand troops will guard the railways.

Although the time limit of twenty-four hours, which railway men gave the companies to concede to their demands, before striking, expired this morning, the strike failed to materialize. Instead, the representatives went into conference with the Board of Trade and a truce was called until the end of the conference. Traffic is proceeding as usual here and in Liverpool though under a guard of soldiers with fixed bayonets.

THE RIGHTS OF A RAILROAD PASSENGER.

Congressmen McGillivuddy, of Maine, Going to Find Out What They Are.

New London, Conn., Aug. 17.—The right of a railroad passenger to be carried on the regular force of a Pacific railway for \$55,000, claiming that while waiting for a train they were forced to drink whiskey by the station agent and porter. One was a Sunday school teacher and had never touched liquor before.

Cop Led the Lynchers.

Cotestville, Pa., Aug. 17.—A policeman on the regular force of this borough was the chosen leader of the mob that burned Zachariah Walker, the negro slayer of Policeman Rice, according to positive evidence declared by District Attorney Gaverthrop, to be in his possession.

A Leg Taken Off.

Smith's Falls, Aug. 17.—Alexander Lewis, Ottawa, brother of Thomas Lewis, M.P., for Redfern, and one of the best known mail clerks on the road, was run down by a yard engine and had his leg taken off at the knee. He will live.

Mrs. G. W. Hooper, Resident of Smith's Falls, died on Sunday, aged fifty-two years. The deceased suffered from cancer of the bowels.

DAILY MEMORANDA.

Locomotive works picnic, Lake Ontario Park, Saturday.

CROPS IN EUROPE

Report on Foreign Fields Issued by United States Department.

Washington, Aug. 17.—The foreign crop report for July was issued yesterday by the United States Department of Agriculture.

In Western Canada, spring wheat prospects appear to have maintained their excellent promise. The condition at the end of July for the whole of Canada was given at ninety against seventy-seven last year. The total yield of winter wheat is estimated at 17,706,000 bushels compared with 16,610,000 in 1910.

Cereal harvest in Europe on August had reached the latitude of the British Isles. In the west it was from one to two to three weeks late. The total crop is not likely to equal that of last year.

In Argentina and Chile, where autumn sown crops are now passing through the mild winters of those countries, weather conditions have been reported favorable, and indications point to a good yield of wheat, oats and flaxseed.

In India weather conditions have been untoward, but lately some improvement has been noted.

GIRL STOKER JUMPS IN SEA WITH LOVER

Traveled Months Before Discovered—Crew Fail to Rescue Them.

New York, Aug. 16.—The oriental freighter Indravelli was tied up at pier here this morning after a fast trip from the far east. The most unusual incident of her trip occurred during a week's stop at Singapore, where John Tickle, a Lancashire man, discovered that one of the stokers who had been with the ship for several months, was a young woman in disguise. The girl, who was sixteen years old, told the officers that she was engaged to marry one of the other stokers and had shipped as one of the crew in order to be near him.

As the chief engineer was leading the girl to the captain's quarters she suddenly eluded his hold and climbed the ladder, followed by her lover. Reaching the deck the pair hauled themselves together over the rail into the harbor, landing among some sampans and other native craft. Neither was seen again. Whether both were drowned, or one or both rescued by the sampans, the ship's officers will never know.

PUTS FRIEND TO BED IN WIFE'S KIMONO.

Allentown Man's Generosity Lands Him and Guest in Jail When Spouse Recovers From Fright.

Allentown, Pa., Aug. 17.—When Mrs. Samuel Bechtel returned home last night and found a strange man snoozing in her bed she was at first alarmed, but when she observed the stranger was wearing her best kimono for a nightgown she became indignant.

Mrs. Bechtel soon learned that her husband had met James Finn of Scranton, and that the two had celebrated too freely. Mrs. Bechtel's indignation over her husband's bringing Mr. Finn and letting him her own room to sleep in resulted in their apprehension by the authorities and now both men are in jail.

FIND SLAIN WOMAN IN WELL A YEAR

Bodies of Mother and Daughter are Dug Up Following Rumors of Murder.

Tecumseh, Neb., Aug. 17.—That murder will out was forcibly shown here yesterday, when the bodies of Mrs. E. E. Hesse and her seventeen-year-old daughter were exhumed from the bottom of an old well, in which they had been covered with dirt and stone for more than a year. As a result of the discovery the Nebraska officers have started a country-wide search for E. E. Hesse, the husband and father. Hesse formerly lived in Tecumseh and was foreman of bridges for the Burlington railroad.

PAPA IS UNDER SENTENCE

Baby Born to Aged Head of Company.

New York, Aug. 17.—Announcement is made here of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Columbus Wilson. Mr. Wilson is the convicted head of the United Wireless Telegraph company, and is fighting to escape a three-year sentence in the Atlanta penitentiary. The baby is to be christened Christopher Columbus Wilson, Jr.

Mr. Wilson is seventy-three years of age, and his wife is nineteen. She was formerly his stenographer, and they were married last August, a few minutes after the announcement of Mr. Wilson's indictment.

Rice in Bride's Ears.

Niagara Falls, N.Y., Aug. 17.—Niagara Falls physicians profit from the custom in vogue throughout the country of showering newly married couples with rice. Each year upon their arrival here many newly wedded pairs are compelled to seek the services of a physician to remove kernels of rice from their ears. One physician, Dr. J. Lewis Wilcox, has had six such cases this year.

LATEST TIDINGS

Despatches From Near and Distant Places

THE WORLD'S EPISODES

GIVEN IN THE BRIEFEST POSSIBLE FORM.

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

D. C. Hossack is reported to be reconsidering a nomination in Toronto.

A Barnum & Bailey circus train ran into a freight train ahead, near Montreal.

The Scottish home rule bill was introduced in the British commons on Wednesday.

London has a population of 5,170,000 according to figures collected by City Clerk Nicholas.

A civil servant is taking action against Mr. Bourassa for libel at the St. Hyacinthe meeting.

Edmond Rostand, author of "Chamberlain," was probably fatally hurt in an auto accident at Biarritz, France.

Boys smoking cigarettes caused a hundred thousand dollar fire to Provost & Allard, wholesale grocers, Ottawa.

Mrs. Louis Plouffe, the oldest resident of Hull, died, Tuesday, aged seventy-two years. She has been living in Hull all her life.

A ten year old boy named Villeneuve was shot in mistake for a deer at St. Ladge by a man named Gaudet. The latter was illegally hunting for deer at the time.

At Coatesville, Pa., nine additional warrants for those known to have been implicated in the lynching of Zachariah S. Walker, the negro, Sunday night, were sworn out.

In a tornado that swept over Benson, Minn., at least two persons were killed. Isolated reports from the surrounding country tell of wrecked barns and outbuildings.

A lot wave in the Arctic is reported by the flagship Bear, of the United States cutter fleet in Behring sea. It is rumored that an ice famine may confront the natives.

Four of the leading Scottish oil companies, it is understood, have had the refusal of an offer of \$15,000,000 to buy them up. The syndicate offering the money is not known.

A despatch from Winnipeg states that the Canadian Pacific shipmen are taking a strike vote to enforce wage demands affecting the lines from the great lakes to the Pacific coast.

E. W. Thompson, the Ottawa correspondent of the Boston Transcript, and a political writer of many years experience in Canada, is very enthusiastic over the prospect of a liberal victory.

"I am not sorry I have lived so long, but will welcome death, as I need the rest," says Mrs. Margaret Rensselaer, of Saratoga, who is 103 and afraid she will live to be 110.

Former Mayor Ralph E. Jung, of Hammond, La., is dead from a disease that has baffled the most eminent doctors in the south, and which greatly resembles the African sleeping sickness.

Because it is considered too dangerous and the exercise too violent to be beneficial, basketball by the girls of the Manitowish, N.Y., high school will be prohibited and some other exercise inaugurated.

Robert Laidlaw, aged sixty-two years, formerly editor of the Brockville Times, and for a time with the Brockville Recorder, died on Tuesday, in Ottawa, where he had been in the archives branch.

BABIES' DEATH TOLL

Mysterious Something in Air Causes Heavy Mortality.

London, Aug. 17.—A dread, mysterious "something" just now is killing London's babies by the score. Last week 128 babies died in London, compared with fifty-six the previous week a terrible death rate.

The disease is infantile diarrhoea, and is supposed to be due to fly and dust borne. It is very dangerous unless treated in time by a doctor. The problem is one of the worst. The doctors have had to face for some time, and the children are dying by the hundreds.

A Mysterious Skeleton.

Waterbury, N.Y., Aug. 17.—A mystery that may date back a century is unearthed to-day in the digging up of a skeleton in a nameless grave on Kirby Point, near Dexter, Tuesday night. The finding of the skeleton was brought about by the discovery made by some children of a comparatively new-made grave on a comparatively old site. The children made the discovery while playing there Tuesday.

A puzzling feature of the case is that the skeleton showed evidences of having laid in the ground many years, perhaps a century, while about the skull was wrapped a newspaper of the date of 1907.

Women Control City Parks.

Jaques, Mex., Aug. 17.—This city is believed to be the only one in the world in which the direction and control of the city parks have been turned over completely to women. The parks in Ciudad Juarez will be cared for by men, but above the men will be a board of eight women managers composed of four "dames" and four "señoritas."

Keep Cool on the Water.

Saturday, America tours the Islands, 2:30 p.m. 5c.

CONTEST LEMIEUX LAW.

Street Railway Disputes Constitutionality of Famous Act.

Montreal, Aug. 17.—Action to test the constitutionality of the Lemieux Labor act is being taken by the Montreal Street railway before the Superior court in their dispute with employees, and it is expected the argument will be carried to the privy council and it is finally settled. This action is taken by way of an application for a writ of prohibition to prevent the board of arbitration appointed under the Lemieux act from sitting, on the ground that the law is unconstitutional and in any event does not apply to the M. S. R., which operates under a provincial charter. In the petition Hon. Mr. King, minister of labor, is named as mise en cause, and it is expected that when the application is argued on the crown will be represented.

MRS. EVELYN THAW FILES A PETITION

Wants Share of Harry Thaw's \$50,000 a Year Income—Asks For Commission.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Aug. 17.—Asking for a lancy commission for Henry Thaw, now confined in the Mattawan hospital, a petition was filed in common pleas court here, today, in behalf of Evelyn Nesbitt Thaw, his wife. Judge L. L. David admitted the petition after some discussion as to whether a Pennsylvania court had jurisdiction. Attorney Francis Rawley, of Pennsylvania, who filed the petition, asked for a rule to show cause why the commission should not be appointed, but this was refused as the attorney could not tell the court the names of the persons who have charge of Thaw's income in this country. A hearing will take place after the parties interested have been notified.

Mr. Rawley stated that Thaw's income is \$50,000 a year, and Mrs. Thaw, being without means, is entitled to a share of this amount.

RELEASED ON BAIL.

Son of Cuba's President Arrested For Shooting.

Havana, Aug. 17.—Miguel Gomez, son of President Gomez, in this country, and editor of the newspaper El Dia, an anti-administration organ, who fought a duel in a fashionable cafe, were arrested and later released on bail.

The fight took place in a cafe adjoining the Hotel Inglaterra, in a fashionable section of the city. Arrives at supper which takes place in the cafe. Both drew their revolvers and despite the cries of the diners seated at the tables continued to shoot until all chambers were empty. Nobody was hit.

Gomez admitted that he entered the cafe for the purpose of killing Andres Bello, his attacks upon President Gomez.

AN INTERNATIONAL COURT.

To Adjudicate on Claims on Treasuries.

Ottawa, Aug. 17.—Under the treaty concluded last year between Great Britain and the United States with regard to the settlement of preliminary claims affecting the national treasuries of Great Britain or her dominions and of the American federal or state governments, an international court will shortly be established to deal with the first schedule of claims filed for adjudication. The court will consist of three members, one being selected by each government concerned, with a third member chosen by consent as chairman. It is understood that Canada's representative on the court named to consider claims affecting this country and the United States will be Sir Charles Fitzpatrick, chief justice of the supreme court.

PREMIER SIFTON FOR RECIPROCALITY.

Says That it is Going to be a Good Thing for Alberta.

Edmonton, Aug. 17.—In direct conflict with the views of his distinguished brother, Hon. Clifford Sifton, Premier Arthur Sifton made a public statement, yesterday, strongly favoring reciprocity.

He said: "I am an advocate of reciprocity chiefly because I think it is going to be a good thing for Alberta. I would stand behind any policy which would be of real benefit to our province."

The premier intimated that he would be prepared to take a hand in the campaign for liberalism, and reciprocity in Alberta, when he has the executive work of his government well in hand. He will also come out for Hon. Mr. Oliver's re-election.

GERMAN PRESS THRUSTS.

Newspapers Remark on the Situation in England.

Berlin, Aug. 17.—Newspapers here are taking great interest in the labor war in England, and the Lokal Anzeiger, in an article entitled, "What has become of England?" criticizes the British government for not paying more attention to home affairs.

The paper comments on the unparalleled scenes of disorder in London, Liverpool and Glasgow, and the possibility of the present stoppage of the food supply of the nation.

"Surely the English statesmen and leaders, who are talking of universal peace and arbitration," the paper adds, "will do well to consider the problem how to prevent a few thousand of workmen from putting the life of the nation in danger."

Western Wheat Ripening.

Winnipeg, Aug. 17.—With temperatures running from forty to seventy degrees, and averaging better than sixty degrees, the western wheat fields are ripening in the best of shape. Wind, rain and hail in obscure localities have been reported, but losses have been restricted entirely to these small districts. Damage bogies, which permeated the city ten days ago, have been apparently dispelled in favor of optimism. Reports from official and semi-official sources indicate very favorable conditions, although some predictions set the date for general harvesting another two weeks ahead. Cutting, however, is now in full swing in most parts of Manitoba, and at several points in Saskatchewan and Alberta.

Madeleine Breaks Down.

New York, Aug. 17.—Miss Madeleine Forrester, fiancée of Colonel John Jacob Astor, lies seriously ill in her father's house, No. 18 East Thirty-seventh street. The severe nervous and physical strain in which she has been ever since her engagement was announced on Aug. 1st last has told upon her usually strong constitution, and yesterday, soon after noon, she collapsed.

MORE RECRUITS

In Nova Scotia for Reciprocity Pact.

CONSERVATIVES JOIN

THE LIBERAL RANKS AT THE NOMINATIONS.

All Unite in Unanimous Endorsement of Reciprocity—A Leading Fish Merchant Presided at Lunenburg Convention.

Halifax, Aug. 17.—Liberals of Shelburne-Queen's, Pictou and Lunenburg yesterday respectively nominated Hon. W. S. Fielding, E. M. Macdonald, M.P., and J. D. Sperry, M.P. Mr. Fielding was given a great ovation on his first visit to his constituency since his diplomatic trip to securing the boon of reciprocity, and his ringing speech aroused great enthusiasm.

At the Pictou convention, farmers, fishermen, miners and manufacturers united in unanimous endorsement of reciprocity, and in support of Mr. Macdonald, whose reelection by a record majority is predicted.

The Lunenburg convention passed a resolution strongly approving reciprocity and endorsing Hon. A. K. Maclean's decision to contest Halifax. Abram Ernst, a leading fish merchant, who has been represented in the conservative press as opposed to reciprocity, presided at the convention and expressed himself strongly in favor of the new agreement.

Mayor Morash of Lunenburg was present and made a speech in which he announced that reciprocity was of such tremendous importance to his county and province he had decided that he could not conscientiously continue to support the conservative party and would therefore vote and work for the liberal candidate in this campaign.

Another stalwart conservative, A. Y. Conrad, a large fish vessel-owner, also came out strongly for reciprocity and pledged his active support to Mr. Sperry and the liberal party.

THE PENNSYLVANIA LYNCHING.

Three Alleged Leaders of the Mob Arrested.

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Oswego, N.Y., Aug. 17.—Harry W. Booth, aged forty-two years, said to be a former resident of Watertown, Clayton and Alexandria Bay, was drowned here yesterday. He fell out of a boat on which he was working. He is said to have been drinking. He was married but did not live with his wife.

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The menace from famine has not abated. Many small traders have sold out completely, and are unable to get more supplies. A number of four mills have stopped because they cannot get coal, and bread is difficult to get. In the poorest parts of the city the people are actually threatened with starvation.

INSURED AT HOLLEFORD.

David Walker Crushed by Wall of Rock Crumbling.

Holleford, Aug. 16.—While working on the new Canadian Northern rail road, yesterday, David Walker, of this place, was badly hurt. A wall of rock crumbled in, cutting his head in several places, crushing his foot and also bruising his hand. He was carried unconscious from the car and driven to Dr. Sargeant's office, Sydney, where his wounds were dressed, before conveying him home. Dr. Sargeant visited him again, to-day, and thinks he will recover, although he suffers intense pain and is in a pretty serious condition.

Ladies' strap slippers, from 80c. Dutton's, 209 Princess street.

BABIES PERISH AS RESULT OF STRIKE.

Milk Depots in Liverpool Have Been Forced to Close.

Liverpool, Aug. 17.—Two of the city corporation's milk depots, which were established for the benefit of the poor, have been closed owing to the lack of coal, due to the strike, with which to sterilize the milk. The other milk depots will be closed on Friday. Seven hundred babies of the poorer class of the people were dependent upon this milk supply, and it is feared that half of this number will die as a result of the closing of the milk stations.

INNOCENT VICTIM.

Man Freed Who Served For Another's Crime.

Pittsburg, Aug. 17.—Andrew Toth was released from the Western penitentiary recently, after serving twenty years of a life sentence upon a charge of murder which subsequently was proved he never committed, will leave here to-night for his old home in Austria. Broken in health and now an old man unable to work, Toth goes to meet his aged wife, whom he has not seen for a quarter of a century.

He feels keenly the failure of the state legislature to provide for him some recompense for the lost years of his life, and the enforced punishment of a felon visited upon an innocent man.

YARMOUTH SHOWS WHAT IS TO COME

Liberal Victory in Bye-Election Fought on Reciprocity Issue.

Yarmouth, N.S., Aug. 17.—Yarmouth, yesterday, gave the lead to the liberals of Canada, when it recorded a smashing liberal victory in the local by-election. Hon. E. H. Armstrong, whose acceptance of the portfolio of works and mines in the Murray government necessitated an election, was returned by a majority of 758 over James Dentremont, conservative, increasing his vote 300 over his vote at the general election in June. As reciprocity was the prime issue of the campaign, the overwhelming verdict is indicative of the sentiment of Nova Scotia.

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WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

Toronto, Ont., Aug. 17, 10 a.m.—Ottawa, Nainey and Clear. West to north-west winds; a few scattered thunder storms to-day, but generally fine and warm. Friday, time with about the same temperature.

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McCAMMON—At Portsmouth, on Aug. 16th, 1911, Mrs. T. McCammon, aged 81 years. Funeral private.

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Albany, N.Y., Aug. 17.—The state conservation commission announced the following appointments: Counsel G. V. S. Williams, of Brooklyn, salary, \$6,000; first assistant counsel, George P. Becker, of Rochester, \$5,000; chief engineer, Richard W. Sherman, of Ives, \$7,000; deputy conservation commissioner for the fish and game division, John B. Burnham, of Essex, \$5,500. In addition to their regular salaries each appointee is to be allowed his expenses.

To make room for fall stock, ladies' Oxford and pumps, from \$1 Dutton's, 209 Princess street. "Bay baby" cough syrup," at Gibbons'.