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with his brother Paul, he built a factory for the manufacture of rifles. Later another inventor made improvements on the original Mauser, so that the rifles used today by the German army are called Mauser-Mausers.

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It was Herr F. Mauser who introduced his rifle to Spain as well as to Argentina, Sweden and Turkey.

Attacking Missions. VANCOUVER, B.C., Aug. 11.—News from China reports that the Protestant and Catholic missions at Shain Ching, in Sze Chuen, have been destroyed in a riot.

Recovered From His Wounds. BROCKVILLE, Ont., Aug. 12.—Corpl. T. A. Grant, son of our townman, Robert Grant, has left Bellevue hospital, New York, having recovered from his wound.

MAKING UP THE BOOKS.

What Uncle Sam's War Has Cost Him.

EXPENSES \$1,000,000 DAILY

OR \$361,988,095 IN WAR APPROPRIATIONS SO FAR.

It Will Be Many Months Before The Total Money Cost of The War Can Be Figured. For Expenditures Will Continue To Be Made For Some Time—Gen. Garcia Thinks Better of His Hostile Attitude Towards Americans—Gen. Rabi Before Manifesto.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—Peace is now assured, and Uncle Sam, in his quipping fancies and armies, and sending them against the foe, and who has plunged his hands deep into his strong box, expending money without stint, can sit down and figure out what it has all cost.

The money cost of the war can be figured up, even approximately. Should the army and navy be reduced to a peace footing to-morrow there would still be many millions to be paid out for odds and ends of all kinds, and on contracts which have entered into, but the army and navy cannot yet be reduced. Both must be kept on a gear footing until the final treaty of peace has been ratified and until means are provided for maintaining order in Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines.

All this means that expenditures are still going on for many months at almost the same rate as for actual hostilities were in progress. Only rough estimates can be made of the amount of money the war has cost up to the present time. The war expenditures really became even before the Maine was destroyed in Havana harbor, for secretary Long and assistant secretary Roosevelt appreciated the necessity of having the navy ready for any emergency and considerable money will be paid that would not have been paid had there been no danger of hostilities with Spain.

Senator Allison, the chairman of the senate committee on appropriation, and representative Cannon, the chairman of the house committee on appropriations went over the appropriation bills very carefully, and their estimate of war appropriations, in excess of \$1,000,000,000 otherwise have been appropriated, foot up to \$361,988,095. During the month of July the average war expenditures were about a million per day, and this average is being kept up during August.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, Aug. 12.—Gen. Garcia, who in anger because this city after its surrender was not turned over to the Cubans, severed all relations with the United States army and withdrew his troops, indicates a desire to reconsider his action in a letter which was received yesterday by Gen. Shafter.

The letter is dated at Jajama, August 12th. It is in response to a request made by Gen. Miles on July 19th, when he was planning his expedition to Porto Rico, that Gen. Garcia detail fifty Cubans from his army to accompany the expedition as guides and scouts. In his reply Gen. Garcia says that he understood that Gen. Miles had already said, "He supposed it would be too late to comply with the request. He stated, however, that he is willing to furnish the fifty men if they still are wanted and enclosed an order for them."

A Cuban courier, who has arrived from Manzanillo, states that Gen. Rabi, with 5,000 insurgents, is now before the town. Lieut. Milay, of Gen. Shafter's staff, will go to Baracoa to day to receive the surrender of the Spanish garrison there. He will go alone on the steamer San Juan.

Another Engagement in Porto Rico. WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—The war department late yesterday afternoon received the following: Ponce, via Bermuda, Aug. 11.—Secretary of war, Washington. The following message received from Schwan to: "Camp near Homigueros, August 10th, advance guard, including cavalry of this command, while reconnoitering north-west of Rosario river near Homigueros, developed strong Spanish forces, which lay concealed in the hills north of Mayaguez. In a general engagement that followed Lieut. Byron, 8th infantry, my aide de camp, was wounded in foot, and Lieut. Frenberger, 10th infantry, and one other private were killed, and fourteen enlisted men were wounded. It is reported that the most if not the entire Spanish garrison of Mayaguez and surrounding country, consisting of 1,000 regulars and 200 volunteers, took part in the engagement. We drove the enemy from their position, and it is believed inflicted a heavy loss. A wounded Spanish lieutenant was found in the field and brought into our lines. Conduct of the officers and men was beyond all praise. I propose to continue my march on Mayaguez at an early hour to-morrow. (Signed), SWAN."

There is now every prospect of a congressional investigation into the conduct of the war on the army's side, including the distribution of contracts for quartermaster's supplies and ordnance, with a view to discovering how much of the responsibility for short-comings in the field and scandals at home rests with the secretary of war.

New York, Aug. 12.—A despatch to the World from Madrid gives an interview with Gen. Polavieja, in which, speaking of Cuba and the Philippines, he says: "The day will come in Cuba when all the respectable elements—Spaniards as well as the foreign residents, and all the old Spanish party too—will work for annexation to the United States in preference to being governed by the separatists (insurgents). But before annexation is reached, Cuba will have a hard time. That is sure. She will cause America much trouble and expense. As for Spain a new policy and new men are required. The masses and the powerful classes are now profoundly disgusted, and are weary of the present politicians, and newspapers and leaders."

Baseball Yesterday. Eastern league—At Ottawa 3; Springfield 2. At Syracuse 4; Montreal 3. At Buffalo 6; Providence 5. At Toronto 2; Wilkesbarre 3.

National league—At Brooklyn 2; Chicago 3. At Baltimore 7; Cleveland 1. At Washington (first game) 3; New York 6. At Washington (second game) 7; New York 6.

THE NAPANEÉ TRIAL.

Evidence of a Previous Trial Was Put In This Forenoon.

NAPANEÉ, Aug. 12.—The crown today will ask the magistrate to commit the prisoners on the evidence produced and the defence will object to a commitment. If the magistrate decides to try the case, then the crown will declare its case not closed. If the magistrate decides not to try the case, then a thorough criminal investigation must go on before him. In that case an adjournment must be had till the defence can gather his witnesses together. It is understood that the magistrate will try the case, if the evidence is strong on either side.

The arrest of John Roach is daily expected. The country is being crooked for him. The description of this crook runs in this wise: John T. Roach, twenty one years old. He stands five feet eight and one-half inches, his hair is light brown, his eyes blue and complexion fair. His teeth are good. His home is in Kingston, Ont. His occupation is that of a clerk. His photograph was taken by the Toronto police May 28, 1898, when he was under arrest in Toronto.

The defence claim that to properly present their case they must have Messrs. Durand and Green present, and this would necessitate a delay of ten days.

Late last night the defence obtained track of a very important witness, who will be put on the stand. This witness will give positive proof that for two weeks in July Paris and Holden were not near Napaneé. Where they were and what amount of money they found during the two weeks will be clearly shown. The defence claim that this witness' testimony will be sufficient to shatter Paris' confession altogether.

There were few people in court this morning. The women were decidedly in the minority. Detective Wilkes was again put in the box and said that when he first came on the case there were three "Willies" in the bank. He denied ever having looked through the bank books. His evidence of last year was put in court and taken as read. The detective addressed a few words to the court denying that he had any personal animosity against the prisoner and complaining of the conduct of the defence lawyers especially during last year's trial.

Clarence Bogart, manager of the Dominion bank at Montreal, was sworn but gave no evidence. The evidence he gave at last year's trial was put into court and taken as read.

The same was done with William J. Normile's evidence regarding Ponton's purchase of a bicycle.

Then ensued argument by Mr. Oeler and Mr. Porter as to whether the magistrate should try the case or not. Mr. Oeler claimed that the magistrate should try the case because all three persons were not elect. He said this was the law that guided a county judge.

Mr. Porter claimed this rule did not apply to the magistrate and that the crown should not ask for a decision till all the evidence had been put in.

The magistrate said Mr. Oeler was his legal adviser and the responsibility of his action would rest solely upon the crown. He decided not to try the case, but said he would try the case on any evidence the defence had to offer. The defence asked for time to get witnesses.

The magistrate fixed Tuesday at two o'clock for the re-assembling of court. During the morning prisoner Paris was again returned to jail for eight days. The court adjourned till Tuesday at two o'clock.

Save The Soap Away When Drunk. The following interview with Miss French appears to-day in the Toronto Globe:

"James Mackie, I believe," said Miss French, "told Uncle Bob that the 'whale,' speaking of himself, had given the whole snip away when he was drunk one night."

"Why," said the representative, "did you not tell the truth to the law representatives at the time?"

"Because," answered Miss French, "I did not want to get them into trouble as they were relatives of mine. Bob Mackie's wife told me, after I had seen those tools on the bed in his room, that there was a game put up to rob a bank. Every time that Bob would go out and stay out late he seemed to be nervous. I asked her one night why she was so much agitated, and she said she was afraid that Robert would be arrested. Then I asked her why she was fearful. She said that her husband had told her that a man in the Dominion bank in Napaneé said that there was the biggest thing for any man in Belleville in this Dominion bank in Napaneé."

"Then what did you do?" asked the Globe.

"I was afraid to say anything for the reason I have told you before, that I was afraid of getting my family into trouble. I knew that there was crooked business going on in some way. After that when I was at home in Toronto on Mutual street my brother Peter wanted to know if I had ever had a letter or if I had ever seen a letter from Mackie's wife to me. I said that I had. Miss French then handed the letter to the Globe representative. The letter reads as follows:

"August 5, 1898. Enclosed \$5 to day from our friend. He said since you have to go all that you will have to say is what you know to be safe. 'The Man You Know.'"

In April last Miss French spoke to her cousin and wondered, after the game had come off successfully, if some people had got it all. Mrs. Bob Mackie wrote saying that Bob said he had to square some people who were playing crooked.

Trouble With Anarchists. BRUSSELS, Aug. 12.—White a policeman was arresting an anarchist named Wil. Heims, the latter shot and wounded the officer, and then escaped. The anarchist also shot several persons who attempted to capture him, but he was finally arrested and lodged in jail. Later the police visited William's lodging, where they found two anarchists, who promptly opened fire on the officers. A policeman replied to this fire, fatally wounding one of them. His companion was captured.

The coroner's inquest to the death of Mary M. Rogers was re-opened at Blenheim Monday and again adjourned to 22nd inst. for further testimony. The post mortem examination strengthened the suspicions aroused, that although the girl died of inflammation of the heart, that this was not the primary disease but arose from other conditions which apparently had their origin in criminal intercourse.

NEWS OF THE WORLD.

What Comes to Us From All Quarters.

CONDENSED PARAGRAPHS.

TELEGRAMS FROM THE EARTH'S FOUR QUARTERS GIVEN.

Little Matters That Interest Everybody—Notes From All Over—Little of Every-thing Happily Read and Remembered by The Dear Public.

Frank Elemer, Iroquois, fell into the canal and was drowned.

A strong liberal association has been formed in St. Boniface, Man. Col. Aymer, adjutant-general, has been called to the command of the Canadian militia, pending the arrival of the new general.

Cardinal Parrochi, who is spoken of as a probable successor to pope Leo XIII, is a great reader of the newspapers and was himself a newspaper man in his younger days.

The safe in the office of P. Denny, lumber dealer, and R. O. navigation company's agent at Cornwall, was blown open on Wednesday night, but no plunder secured.

William L. Brown, a prominent agriculturist, who for twenty years conducted that department of the London Free Press, died on Thursday in London, aged fifty-six years.

It is reported in Pekin that it is the intention soon to disband from military and naval service all foreign instructors, with the exception of British, American and Japanese officers.

A young woman named Lottie Bradner, married a week ago at Liverpool, N.B., is accused of having another husband living in the person of George A. Gould, to whom she was married in 1896.

Joseph S. Boss, doing business in St. John, N.B., for a few years under the title of the Queen biscuits company, has assigned with liabilities of about \$20,000 and assets about half that amount.

Sylvanus Fenstermaker, a miller of Trenton, N.Y., at the instigation of Miss Emma Barclay, whom he married on July 9th, has been arrested for bigamy. He has another wife and family. Before a justice the bigamist admitted his fault, but said Miss Barclay had given him love potions which had the effect of keeping her under his control. In this state he married her.

TO HAVE A SHORT MEET.

The D.R.A. Gathering—To Discuss Matters—An Unlikely Request. OTTAWA, Aug. 12.—The prizes list and programme of matches for the annual meeting of the D.R.A., which will commence on the new Rocklife range on Monday, August 23rd, has been considerably curtailed by the executive of the association, so that instead of the matches continuing over the entire week as heretofore, they will last but four days. The executive have had up hill work this year to do in appearance, and, therefore, determined, as it were, to cut their garment according to the cloth at their disposal.

Sheriff Campbell, MacLeod, N.W.T., arrived in the city to-day to consult with the minister of justice for the further investigation promised by the government into the Crow's Nest Pass railway atrocities.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier is expected to return to the capital to-day.

R. B. Rogers, Peterboro, and George H. Coyle, Belleville, are here to urge a vigorous prosecution of work on the Trent valley canal.

The board of trade of Vancouver has signalled itself by making the most unlikely request which the government has yet received. It has forwarded to Ottawa a request that the reciprocal cut of twenty-five per cent. on the general be continued to Germany, Belgium and other foreign countries until the first of October. Under the limitation of this proposal the reduction to import from the mother country and British colonies only was fixed by act of parliament to come into force on the first of August, and the government has no more power to alter the tariff in this respect than it has to change the phases of the moon.

The financial statement of revenue and expenditure for the month of July, the first of the new fiscal year, shows an increase of but \$74,000 in the revenue for the month as compared with the \$84,000 received during July last year. It is evident, therefore, that there returns no net reduction to import from the mother country and other foreign goods entered under the reciprocal tariff for this alone is believed to amount to \$2,000,000.

The revenue received so far as received shows \$641,000 as against \$303,000, during July, 1897. The capital expenditure for July was \$283,638, as against \$301,855 for July, 1897.

Collectors of customs have been instructed that bona fide trade catalogues and price-lists of goods for wholesale in any country beyond the limits of Canada, not exceeding three to one address, may be admitted free of custom duty through the mail. It is provided, however, that such catalogues and price lists shall not be held to include statements or advertising periodicals or printed matter designed to advertise the sale of goods by any person in Canada.

OUTPLAYED.

Russia Knows The Bottom Out Of British New Zhang Concessions. LONDON, Aug. 12.—The Daily Mail says that the Peking-Hankow railway contract has already been ratified by the Tsung Li Yamen. It declares that the general feeling is that Great Britain's political position in the Yangtze valley is lost.

The Times, in an editorial, says that M. Pavloff has knocked the bottom out of the British New Zhang concessions. The decision, if it remains unchallenged, will make short work of all demonstrations in reference to the "open door." It adds that the news regarding the Peking-Hankow railway is not a whit less important. It hopes that the foreign office will now awaken and bring influence vigorously to bear to delay that ratification of the concession and secure a revision.

A TERRIFIC STORM.

Barns Containing All The Season's Crops Destroyed By Lightning.

MITHRILL, Ont., Aug. 12.—During last night's storm the barn of Frederick Horn, a mile and a half from here on the Hurontario, was fired by lightning and, with almost the entire season's crop, was destroyed. Insurance, \$1,400. Thomas Boyd, of the township of Logan, also lost his barns and the whole of the season's crop. Insurance \$1,000.

CURLEW, Ont., Aug. 12.—During a heavy thunder storm which passed over this locality last night the barn of Michael Schroder, on the tenth concession of Brant township, was struck by lightning and burned to the ground, also William Burney's barn, on the same line. The barn contained nearly all this season's crops, all of which were destroyed.

TOTTENHAM, Ont., Aug. 12.—The barn and outbuildings belonging to D. Gavin, Tecumseh, near here, were fired by lightning last night and destroyed. The buildings consumed were fine ones and contained all the farm produce of this year. The loss will be very heavy, there being only about \$800 insurance.

ELORA, Ont., Aug. 12.—During a terrific thunder storm last night the barn of Hugh Black, near Elora, was struck by lightning and burned to the ground. It contained all this season's crop, his farm implements and four head of cattle, all of which were consumed. Loss about \$3,000; partly covered by insurance.

CHATHAM, Ont., Aug. 12.—William Howie's barn on the ninth concession, Innesdale, was struck by lightning about eleven o'clock last night and all his season's crop, about 1,000 bushels of grain destroyed. Mr. Howie had a very narrow escape while trying to save his barn. No insurance.

PETROLIA, Ont., Aug. 12.—During the storm yesterday a barn of Mr. Stewart's was struck by lightning and completely consumed.

Excitement At A Circus.

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A PECULIAR POSITION.

In British Columbia Politics—A Fight Among the Chinamen. VICTORIA, B.C., Aug. 12.—Mr. Beaven said last night that he would not announce till to-day the result of his efforts to form a cabinet, but it seems to be a foregone conclusion that he will not be able to do it. He said: "The result of the general election has left matters in this province in a very peculiar position. Practically there are three leaders among the legislative members. Mr. Turner has the largest following, sixteen; Joseph Martin has nine, and Mr. Smith has eight. Mr. Martin is credited with declaring that if Mr. Semlin is chosen leader of the opposition he will resign his seat. This statement he did not deny when it was put to him. Some of Mr. Semlin's friends strongly resent Mr. Martin as leader of the party, or as a member of the government. It is one to be formed under these circumstances how can either of these gentlemen carry on the government of the province."

Lord Herschell has returned to Vancouver, and will stay for a day before leaving for Quebec.

One of the Chinamen employed in cutting salmon in the Delta cannery at Ladner, refused to slide the pieces of fish down the chute to the brine, as directed by the Chinese foreman. A dispute resulted, which ended in a great fight, the Chinaman being divided into opposing camps. Knives, sticks, etc., were flourished, and for a time things were lively. Finally the police were called on and some of the leaders were arrested and locked up, after which the riot quieted down and returned to work.

E. A. Shepherd, the bogus company promoter, who has been troubling Vancouver and Victoria lately, was arrested at Vancouver by detectives and the provincial police, who had been shadowing him for three weeks.

Yacht Race Challenge Accepted. NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—The New York yacht club, at a special meeting last night, unanimously voted to accept the challenge of the Royal Ulster yacht club to race for the America's cup. A committee was appointed to select the yacht which will represent the club, to arrange the date and place of the race and all the other details.

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EXCURSION TO PICOTO.

Foundation Stone of The New Methodist Church, Toronto. There was a large gathering of Kingstonians at Picoto yesterday. The steamer Caspian arrived there 6-10, landing about 200. She reached there at 11:30 o'clock, having made the run up in three and one-half hours, stopping at Portmouth and Bath. Her passengers were in time to witness the parade and the laying of the foundation stone of the new First Methodist church. There was a large crowd of visitors in the town from the districts lying between Belleville and Kingston.

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