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**Another Attempt At Discovery.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 9.—Walter Wellman has returned from Norway and Russia, whither he went to consult with Dr. Nansen and to arrange for a steamer and for a large number of Siberian draught dogs. Speaking about Arctic explorations Mr. Wellman said: Efforts will continue to be made to reach the north pole until the feat is accomplished. At least three expeditions will be in the field next year. One will be that of Capt. Sverdrup, in the Fram; another that of Lieut. Peary, and the third, the one that will be made by me in Franz Josef Land.

"I submitted my plans to Dr. Nansen, who approved of them. My arrangements are to sail from Bergen, Norway, in a staunch steamer June 15th of next year. Ten men will comprise the expedition. They will be Norwegians, with the exception of two or three Americans."

**A Barn Destroyed.**

VERSAILLES, Que., Sept. 9.—Fire at St. Gregoire, LeGrand, destroyed Orpha Paulin's barns, which were full of hay and grain, also his stables. Loss is about $2,000; no insurance. Cause of fire unknown.

Mrs. Dr. Bell and family are still in the city. They did not go to Rochester as falsely reported. She says the statement has caused her much annoyance and expense. Dr Bell purposes returning here.

# AN AWFUL COLLISION.

## Twelve Men Killed and Many Others Hurt.

## EXPLOSION OF LOCOMOTIVES

### THE WRECK CAUGHT FIRE FROM THE ENGINES.

**Two Fast Trains Collide Head On—Cars Burned To Ashes—W. J. Bryan One Of the Passengers, But Unhurt—Six Bodies So Far Taken From the Wreck—Engineer Of West Bound Train Making Up Time—Collision Took Place On a Curve.**

EMPORIA, Kans., Sept. 9.—Twelve men were killed and as many more badly hurt in a collision on the Santa Fe road near here last evening. The Santa Fe fast mail coming east and the Mexico and California train going west collided head on. All three of the locomotives exploded.

The wreck caught fire from the engines, and the cars were quickly burned to ashes. W. J. Bryan was on the westbound train, but was unhurt. He was one of the most energetic men in the crowd of rescuers. It is feared that nearly all of the seven mail clerks perished in the disaster, but so far only six bodies have been taken from the wreck.

The dead include: Jim Brennan, engineer, Topeka; Nate Hollister, fireman, Topeka; J. F. Souders, Kansas City, express messenger, body almost consumed by fire; W. Friebee, engineer; R. A. Doran, Emporia, postal clerk; Conzales, fireman of the westbound train; Braghan, Topeka; unknown tramp. Ben. Walters, a fireman on the westbound train, is missing.

The engineer of the westbound train had received orders to meet the fast mail at Emporia, and was making up lost time. These two are the fastest trains on the Santa Fe system, and the westbound train must have been running at a speed of at least forty miles an hour. The westbound express was going around a slight curve when the collision occurred.

### AVERTED WAR.

**The Queen Prevented Trouble in 1861 Over Mason And Slidell.**

LONDON, Sept. 9.—It was the direct personal intervention of queen Victoria of her own initiative that averted war between the United States and Great Britain over the seizure of Mason and Slidell on a British ship during the civil war in America.

This highly interesting historical fact is revealed by a writer of "Current Fact" in the latest issue of the British Quarterly Review, whose contributors, though anonymous, are all men of high standing in literature and politics. He says:

"We are in a position to state on the authority of the most prominent statesman of our time, who had the distinguished honor of enjoying in a special manner the confidence of her majesty, that it was the queen herself, in opposition to the views of her ministers and of the distinguished man in question, who averted war. She insisted that the despatch which was sent to America demanding peremptorily the surrender of the envoys, should be communicated at once to all the powers, and the grave consequences of such a conflict from an international point of view pointed out.

"The result was an able state paper sent to Washington by M. Thouvenel, stating that France regarded the act of the American captain who had arrested the confederate envoys on board an English ship quite injustifiable and expressed the hope that the federal government would accede to the demand of Great Britain. Austria and Prussia immediately followed suit, Prince Gortschakoff, on the part of Russia, urged Lincoln to surrender the envoys without delay.

"These remonstrations from the powers enabled the government at Washington to escape without humiliation from an untenable position, saved England from entering into a war which would in all human probability have ended in the disruption of the American union and sown seeds of deathless enmity between England and the progressive, powerful Northern States."

**To Stop Sectarianism.**

Moscow, Sept. 9.—A congress of high Russian ecclesiastics, which is now in session at Kazan, is considering measures to stop the spread of sectarianism. The congress has decided to ask the government to proceed against the adherents of count Tolstoi as being dangerous to the church and the state. It also voted to prohibit the publication of Lutheran books in the Russian language. It was proposed that the children of sectarians be taken from them, and educated in public institutions of the orthodox faith, but the proposal was not adopted, for the reason that there are no such institutions in Russia. One bishop suggested that the property of sectarians be confiscated by the government.

**Rush Should Be Stopped.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 9.—The treasury department has made public a letter received from a government official on his way to the gold fields. The official states that not over twenty per cent. of the gold seekers will get through to Dawson City before winter. Hundreds will inevitably perish on the trail. The rush which continues is appalling. If the rules of the treasury department were enforced the rush would be decreased, as many of the vessels bring twice their complement. The official describes minutely the general situation and the outcome.

**Yellow Fever Under Control.**

NEW ORLEANS, La., Sept. 9.—The raising of the quarantine against Bay St. Louis and the Pass had the effect of driving hundreds into the city, because they did not care to be held up in these places indefinitely if sporadic cases of fever should appear. Only three cases of yellow fever have developed around Biloxi. It is not unlikely that there will be others stricken. Stringent measures are being taken to confine the disease.

**She Wanted Him Back.**

ST. THOMAS, Sept. 9.—Judge Hughes yesterday discharged on suspended sentence W. H. Stevens, farmer, 13th concession, Yarmouth, who brutally beat his wife. His wife wants him back again, and as she is willing to take a chance the judge took one. However, if Stevens comes up again on the same charge he will go to the penitentiary.

Damaged corn very cheap at Fisher's.

### AN IRISH WELCOME.

**Duke and Duchess of York Were Royally Entertained.**

BELFAST, Sept. 9.—Yesterday was a busy day for the duke and duchess of York and it was the last of their stay in Ireland. Their royal highnesses on arriving here Mount Stewart, the county Down residence of the marquis of Londonderry, drove to the town hall, where they received no less than eighteen addresses from different public bodies belonging to the province of Ulster. The duke and duchess were then entertained at luncheon by the corporation of Belfast, after which they were present at the formal opening of the new dock here.

Next they inspected the ship building yards of Harland & Wolf. After the garden party in their honor given by the lord mayor of Belfast their royal highnesses went to Belfast Lough, where they embarked on board a yacht for Glasgow. The royal procession was greeted with enthusiastic cheers by the crowds of people who packed the main thoroughfares.

### DISSENSION INCREASING.

**Afridis Will Likely Yield—Restored His Outlying Garrisons.**

LONDON, Sept. 9.—The dissension among the Afridis is increasing owing to the stoppage of all the government allowances for keeping the Kyber Pass open. It is not unlikely that when the Afridis learn of the punitive expedition sent against them they will elect to yield.

The Ameer's governor at Khort, who recently withdrew his outlying garrisons, has now restored them so as to be able to intercept any tribal force that may intend to raid the Kurdam Valley.

SUAKIM, Sept. 9.—There is rejoicing here at the news received of the fall of Berber. The measures to establish communication between Suakim and the Anglo-Egyptian forces along the Nile are rapidly advancing. The dervishes have withdrawn their eastern outposts, and are concentrating on the Nile, with Metemneh as their northern most post.

**Would Not Prefer War.**

MADRID, Sept. 9.—It is officially denied that the premier, Gen. Azcarraga, has written to the leaders of the political parties saying that the government of Havana would prefer war with the United States to the intervention of that country in the affairs of Cuba. It is also officially denied that an attache of the Spanish legation at Washington has drawn upon himself the suspicion of espionage. On the contrary, it is asserted, the attache referred to confined himself, in visiting United States forts and arsenals, to purely scientific inspection of these works similar to that of an American officer during the latter's recent visit to Ferrol, Cadiz and Cartagena.

**Death of a Canadian.**

DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 9.—Daniel Dougherty died at the residence of his son yesterday at the age of ninety years. He was born in the county of Armagh, Ireland, and came to America when about twenty-five years old, settling on a farm in the vicinity of Markham, Ont., afterward removing to the neighborhood of Brantford, Ont., where he lived until about eight years ago when with his wife he came to Detroit. Mrs. Dougherty died about six years ago. Mr. Dougherty leaves five sons and two daughters. One daughter, Mrs. George Matheson, lives in St. Mary's and one son, Joseph, lives in Toronto.

**Trades Union Congress.**

BIRMINGHAM, Sept. 9.—The trades union congress yesterday afternoon adopted a resolution, declaring "That the best interests of labor and productive industry imperatively press for an international settlement of the monetary question by means of the restoration to par of exchange between gold and silver money so as to provide a common standard of value throughout the world." This meeting of representative trades unions requested the government to carry out its pledges on the subject in a hearty liberal spirit in the present negotiations for an international agreement.

**A Double Killing.**

RAWLINS, Wyo., Sept. 9.—Word has reached Lander, of a double killing, which occurred in the Big Horn country 100 miles north of here. Henry Morse, a cow boy in the employ of the Pitchfork cattle company, went to the round up camp, and ordered Bob Jackson, the cook, to prepare supper. Jackson did not move fast enough, and Morse shot him through the body, killing him instantly. Then he fired two shots at a cow boy named West, but before he could fire a third time, West shot him through the heart.

**Another Commission.**

OTTAWA, Sept. 9.—It is probable that a commission will be appointed to take evidence into alleged disorders in the railway mail service in connection with the Ottawa post office. The trouble is an old one dating back some years, and it is said as an excuse for its not having been ventilated before, that some of those implicated had a political pull with the late government. Controller Armstrong has had the matter in hand, and recommends the taking of evidence on oath before a commission.

**Acceptance Is Doubtful.**

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Sept. 9.—The interstate miners' convention adjourned last evening until to-day without having taken a vote on the question of accepting or rejecting the proposed settlement of the strike. The prospects for the acceptance of the settlement are somewhat doubtful, in fact a canvass of the situation shows that a majority of the votes unless some change should be brought about, would be cast against it.

**Abbe Richer Repents.**

OTTAWA, Sept. 9.—Abbe Richer, of Labelle, falling in love with his young ward, Miss Cote, resolved to leave the priesthood and enjoy the pleasures of matrimony, so they were married a week or so ago. Now the news comes that Mr. Richer has given up the girl, rendered submission to the church, and will probably be sent to a monastery to do penance, and it is reported that the girl will be sent to a convent.

**Innocent, Yet Hanged.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 9.—A special from Richmond, Va., says: "Henry Wall, a young white man, lynched near Friends' Mission on Sunday, for an alleged assault upon Miss Sadie Cook, was probably innocent. Wall was suspected of the crime and was strung up to a tree when there was no evidence against him. Further investigation leads to the belief that he was innocent. There is much indignation against the mob.

# 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 Everything Easily Read and Remembered by The Dear Public.**

Mr. Whitney addressed a meeting at Stratford yesterday.

An immense amount of Klondike gold is on its way from the mouth of the Yukon to San Francisco.

Dr. Preston is the choice of the North Lanark conservatives. They nominated him as their standard bearer.

The North Ontario protest has been settled. The case will be called on Saturday and the petition will be dismissed.

John Most, anarchist leader, has started for Buffalo to take charge of the editorial department of the Arbeiter Zeitung.

A case of leprosy has been found among the Chinese fishermen at Vancouver and the party removed to the hospital at Darcy.

The directors of the Western Union telegraph company, New York, declared a regular quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent.

The returns of the Soo canal to September 2nd, as compared with last season up to the same date, show a marked decrease.

There seems every prospect now of a settlement of the big miners' strike in the United States on the basis of a sixty-five cent rate.

A conference of representatives from all over the province will meet in Toronto today to discuss the question of the tax exemptions.

Customs inspectors at Laredo have found an unclaimed grip on a train containing $200,000 worth of diamonds, jewelry and other valuables.

New York vest makers have returned to work and the strike is practically over in that branch of the clothing industry with a victory for the strikers.

The fear and excitement among the farmers of St. Alban's, Que., over the recent land slide have abated and the people are returning to their homes.

Three weeks ago Mr. Stafford, of the Galt coal company, discovered a nine-foot seam of excellent quality coal in Alberta, six miles east of the mountain.

Sir Everett Millais is dead. He was born May 30th, 1856, and succeeded his father, the late Sir John E. Millais, president of the Royal academy, in 1896.

Thomas Kennedy, Troy, N.Y., about sixty years of age, fell from the second story window of his residence while walking in his sleep. His neck was broken.

St. Mary's island, in the St. Lawrence river, is the first land to be purchased by the state for the establishment of international park on the St. Lawrence river.

The city of Stratford, having failed to obtain from the waterworks company acceptable terms for the purchase of the latter's plant, proposes to build one of its own.

The writs for Temiscouata and Arthabaska and Drummond have not yet been issued. No action will be taken in the bye-elections till the return of Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

The Ontario government has decided to send Prof. Willmot to the Michipicoten district to investigate and report to the bureau of mines, concerning the report that there are few gold finds there.

The coroner's inquest on the death of William H. Sawyer, who received fatal injuries in a fight near Minden, was resumed yesterday, when Hiram Sawyer, the father of the deceased, told his story of the fight.

The court martial that passed the sentence of death on Barrill, the Barcelona anarchist, for attempting to kill the chief of police, were not unanimous, and the captain-general refuses to carry out the sentence.

The largest sale of sole leather ever made in Canada was made at Montreal yesterday by Shaw Cassils & Co., to James McCready & Co. This transaction involved the transfer of 25,000 sides for a consideration of about $75,000.

Members of the sacred college of cardinals, Rome, strongly oppose the nomination of bishop Keane, formerly rector of the Catholic university at Washington, and now consultor to the congregation of the propoganda and studies, to the bishopric of New Orleans.

A scarcity of food was severely felt by the Irish poor in the year 1814, 1816, 1822, 1831 and 1846, in consequence of the failure of the potato crop. Grants by the imperial parliament to relieve the suffering of the people were made in the session of 1847, the whole amounting to about $50,000,000.

Miss Mary V. Tippet has accepted the position of matron to Montreal diocesan theological college. Miss Tippet is the daughter of the late Rev. H. W. Tippet, Queensbury, N.B. She comes to Montreal from holding a similar position in Merion Hall, Bryn-Mawr college, near Philadelphia.

The government is encouraging the Parry Sound & Canada Atlantic railway to secure connections with the Intercotonial at Montreal over the United Counties and South Shore lines, about forty miles. Mr. Tarte believes that much grain could be brought to Canadian sea ports this way that now goes to Buffalo.

**Very Hot At Winnipeg.**

WINNIPEG, Man., Sept. 9.—In the way of heat Tuesday and yesterday were the most uncomfortable days of the summer. People who were driving in the county found it necessary to unhitch their horses and take refuge beneath the shade of trees.

Matthew R. Gowler has arrived in the city from a two years' sojourn at Fort Cudahy, in the Yukon, as a member of the north-west mounted police. He brings back a large pile with him.

**Perry Was Hanged.**

ATLANTA, Ga., Sept. 9.—H. S. Perry was hanged for the murder of Bely Lanier, at Decatur yesterday. The execution took place on a gallows in the yard of the Decalb county jail. The doomed man was pale, but cool and collected to the last. On the scaffold he declared his innocence of the crime of murder, and reiterated his statement that he killed Lanier on March 8th last to protect the sanctity of his home.

### THE STOLEN BANK BILLS.

**Numbers Of Incomplete Notes Taken From Dominion Bank, Napanee.**

Brockville Times.

The following notice has been sent out to the banks and their branches by the Dominion bank:

"THE DOMINION BANK.

"The numbers of our unsigned ten dollar notes, which were stolen from our Napanee agency, run from

"NO. 46001 to 47000—SERIES A—Dated 2nd January, 1888

and were not countersigned by E. H. Baines as pro-cashier.

"If any of these bills are presented at your office, your are kindly requested to trace them back as far as possible and communicate at once with this office.—R. D. Gamble, general manager.

"Toronto, Sept. 2nd, 1897."

The delicate question now is,—will the Dominion bank redeem these stolen bills if Mr. Baines' signature is forged and the bills circulated? The bank may not be legally responsible for its forged bills, but whether it is better to pay them and be done with the business or to refuse them and have the public become so suspicious of the bills that they fight shy of all its circulation, is the question for the Dominion bank to decide.

About the year 1872 a somewhat similar case occurred in Montreal when the now defunct Consolidated bank had a quantity of its unsigned circulation stolen, when moving from one office to another. The Consolidated bank refused payment of them. But the Dominion bank may prefer to pay the $10,000 of stolen and forged notes rather than repudiate them and suffer the bad moral effect of such a course. The written signature on a bank bill varies so much that the ordinary business man and the general public have really no safeguard against a peculiar case like this. One of the burglars, for instance, might sign his own genuine signature on the stolen bills instead of that of Mr. Baines, and to the vast majority this would appear all right.

### PATRONS TO FIGHT HARD.

**A Convention In Progress In Toronto—Haycock's Action Criticized.**

TORONTO, Sept. 9.—Under the chairmanship of grand president Mallory a special convention of the patrons of industry assembled at Temperance hall last evening.

Prof. Goldwin Smith addressed the gathering for three-quarters of an hour, emphasizing the importance of strengthening the organization if the interests of the farmers were to be protected.

A warm discussion arose over the contention of Mr. Dickson, of Simcoe, and other delegates, that leader Haycock and other patron members had erred in not persistently advocating the abolition of the railway pass system, as it affects legislators. Mr. Haycock strongly defended his own action.

Resolutions were adopted (1) condemning the interference of civil servants in elections, (2) favoring the garnishability of civil servants' salaries, (3) re-affirming the contention that no member of the legislature should be eligible for appointment to any office of emolument in the gift of the house, while a member of the house, or within a year afterwards, (4) favoring the extension of the jurisdiction of division courts to $150 in actions for torts and for $300 in ordinary civil actions, (5) recommending the setting aside by the government of alternate mining locations, and the sale of the same afterwards by public auction.

### UPSET AND DROWNED.

**Reckless Young Men Met With Disaster in a Lake.**

DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 9.—Thirteen men and boys set out yesterday afternoon from the east end of the city in the sloop Blanche B., a third class yacht, which was at the time carrying a ton of ballast, and was in a condition to be very easily capsized. When half way between Windmill Point and Peche Island, in Lake St. Clair, and a mile and a half from the shore, the yacht was capsized by the reckless fooling of four or five of the party. She sank at once in thirty feet of water. The entire party were thrown into the water. The accident was witnessed by a number of people in the summer cottages along the United States shore. Several boats put out at once to the rescue. Five of the party were rescued and two others managed to reach the shore. The remaining six were drowned. They were: Thomas Fritz, 113 Franklin street; Herman Gertis, cigar maker, 209 Catherine street; Grant J. Murray, printer, 109 Chestnut street; Thomas Newsome, horseman, Rioppele and Jefferson avenues; Charles Rice, driller, 367 Hibbard street; John Tansey, printer, 130 Baker street. Most of the party had been drinking.

**Our Member Spoke.**

B. M. Britton, Q.C., was a guest at the luncheon of the directors of the Toronto exhibition on Wednesday, along with Hon. Mr. Tarte. The Q.C. spoke, pronouncing the directors' dinner a sort of mutual admiration meeting, but he felt no one could visit the exhibition without a feeling of admiration, as it is Canada's greatest show.


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### MARRIED.

BELL-HOLMES—In Kingston, on the 8th inst., at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. J. Moore, Queen street, by Rev. Mr. Holmes, P. M. Bell, M.D., Westbrook, to Miss Augusta Holmes, Battersea.

CAMPBELL—LOYST—At Tweed on August 31st, W. R. Campbell, to Miss Aggie Maud Loyst, both of Mountain Grove.

SHATTRAW—DRUCE—At Deseronto, on August 31st, Francis Stattraw to Frances Marie, daughter of Sidney Druce, all of Deseronto.

KITCHEN—BREAULT—At Napanee, Sept. 1st, Sidney Kitchen, conductor Bay of Quinte railway, to Miss Annie Breault, daughter of Jacob Breault, all of Deseronto.

### DIED.

KINES—At Clifton Springs, N. Y., on Wednesday, Sept. 8th, 1897, Rev. James Kines, in the 57th year of his age.

The funeral will proceed from the Grand Trunk Station, foot of Johnston street, to-morrow (Friday), on arrival of train from west at 1:10 p.m., for Queen street Methodist church, where service will be held, thence to Cataraqui cemetery. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

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