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MOST APPALLING CALAMITY OF MODERN TIMES.

The Mine Takes Fire Before the Rescuers Can Reach the Imprisoned Victims and Over Two Hundred Human Beings Are Roasted Alive.

BRUSSELS, March 14.—The fire in the Anderlois colliery, near Charleroi, grew fiercer Saturday morning, and the heat became so intense that it was impossible for the rescuing parties to remain in the pit. They were consequently compelled to abandon all efforts to reach the galleries. The mine owners and engineers decided that, as there was not the slightest doubt that everybody in the mine was dead, the only course if they hoped to recover bodies was to flood the mine.

Fire Precedes Flood.

Preparations were being made to carry out this plan, but before any water could be pumped in cries of "fire" were heard on all sides, and flames ascended to the pit's mouth and sparks were scattered in every direction.

A few minutes later an immense column of flame shot through the ventilator shaft, piercing the thick clouds of smoke that were overhanging the shaft.

For a great distance around the country was illuminated to almost the brightness of day by the vast column of fire pouring out of the mine. The engine house and other buildings near by were destroyed.

Horror Upon Horror.

Water was thrown into the burning pit, but before it had descended any distance it was converted into steam and escaped with a tremendous roaring noise, which added to the horror of the situation.

The scene has seldom if ever been equalled in the mining districts of Belgium.

All the heavy machinery at the mouth of the pit was destroyed and fell crashing down the shaft. This acted as a damper against the flames ascending the shaft to the surface and thereafter but little fire could be seen, but it could be heard roaring and seething through the galleries far below the surface.

The total number of the dead colliers is 231; of this number it is estimated 170 were burned alive.

The calamity has crushed the entire Charleroi district.

BRUSSELS, March 14.—According to a report on the Anderlois mine disaster 63 persons were unhurt, 20 injured and 153 were killed.

Twenty thousand persons to-day attended the funeral of 31 of the victims.

LUDWIG IV. DEAD.

The Queen's Son-in-Law, Grand Duke of Hesse, No More.

BERLIN, March 14.—The Grand Duke of Hesse died at 1.15 o'clock this morning.

It was seen at 5 o'clock Saturday evening that the end was approaching. The family and ministers were then summoned to the dying man's bedside, and all were present at the time of his death.

The body is attired in a general's uniform.

The official Darmstadt Gazette announces the accession of the deceased's son, Ernest Ludwig, to the grand dukedom.

LONDON, March 1 .—The news of the death of the Grand Duke of Hesse caused great grief at Windsor, where the deceased was a great favorite.

The Queen will send the Duke of Edinburgh to represent her at the funeral and may possibly delay her own departure for the Continent, as a mark of respect for the deceased.

Ludwig IV., the late Grand Duke of Hesse, was born on Sept. 12, 1837. He succeeded to the throne on the death of his uncle, Grand Duke Ludwig III., on June 13, 1877. On July 1, 1862, he married Princess Alice, second daughter of Queen Victoria, who died on Dec. 14, 1878. His eldest daughter, Princess Victoria, married Prince Ludwig of Battenberg; his second daughter, Princess Elizabeth, married the Grand Duke Sergius of Russia; while his third daughter, Princess Irene, married Prince Henry of Prussia. There is yet another daughter, Princess Alice, who was born on June 6, 1872.

The heir to the throne is Prince Ernest Ludwig, the Grand Duke's only son, who was born on Nov. 25, 1868.

MANY TRAGEDIES.

The Victims of a Vienna Imitator of Jack the Ripper.

VIENNA, March 14.—This city continues to be shocked by mysterious murders. The latest victim is Leopold Buchinger, who was stabbed to the heart by an undetected assassin in one of the most public places in Vienna.

This makes the list of tragedies five in number, and there is a growing feeling of terror among the public. The impression is gaining ground that Vienna harbors some madman with a homicidal mania and cunning enough to gratify his fiendish appetite without being discovered by ordinary methods.

The police are devoting themselves earnestly to the work of detection, and the leading streets at night are watched by officers in citizens' attire.

Bonaparte Paid Up.

LONDON, March 14.—The prosecution of Louis Clovis Bonaparte, son of the late Prince Lucien Bonaparte, who was charged by his first wife with having conspired to obtain possession of jewelry valued at £20,000, in order to give it to Miss Laura Scott, whom he subsequently married, was withdrawn in the Central Criminal Court, Old Bailey, to-day on Mr. Bonaparte undertaking to return all the jewelry and pay Rosalie Bonaparte's costs in the action.

LONDON, March 14.—Countess Russell, who recently unsuccessfully sued for a writ of judicial separation, has appealed. Judgment is reserved. Countess Russell claims that she has not the money necessary to pay the costs and solicitor's fees, and asks that her husband be compelled to pay them.

The Orleans Divorce Case.

LONDON, March 14.—The court here has dismissed the appeal of the Duke of Orleans against the order directing him to prove that Madame Melba, the well-known singer, whose husband, Capt. Armstrong, is suing her for divorce, naming the Duke of Orleans as co-respondent, is domiciled in Ireland.

The order was made in consequence of the Duke's plea that Mme. Melba is not domiciled within the jurisdiction of the English courts, but that her true domicile is in Australia.

The court also refused to appoint a commission to visit Australia for the purpose of taking evidence there.

Mrs. Osborne May be Released.

LONDON, March 14.—Mrs. Osborne, after her sentence Thursday, developed hysteric catilepsy so seriously that her condition became critical and her husband was permitted to visit her. Friends hope to obtain a medical certificate to the effect that a prolonged imprisonment is certain to cause the death of Mrs. Osborne. The birth of her child is expected in June.

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Tragic Death of a Well-Known Guelph Physician Sunday.

GUELPH, March 14.—Shortly after midnight yesterday an alarm was sounded for fire at the residence of Dr. Keating, medical health inspector. On the arrival of the fire brigade they found the house filled with smoke and the doctor lying on the floor dead, a broken lamp lying beside him. The fire was quickly extinguished and the doctor's body removed. It is supposed he fell while carrying the lamp and in falling struck his face on the lamp, as there is a severe cut on one cheek.

After a consultation of doctors later it was ascertained that the doctor had died from heart failure some time before the lamp exploded.

Doctor Keating was chairman of the Board of Health and of Education, and also a director of one of Guelph's financial institutions.

DETERMINED TO DIE.

John Stevens of Whitefish Bay Takes Poison and Slashes His Throat.

RAT PORTAGE, March 14.—John Stevens, a foreman for the Keewatin Lumber Company near Whitefish Bay, Lake-of-the Woods, attempted suicide by taking poison and afterwards slashing his throat with a razor. He cannot live. His home is at Keewatin and his wife left him last fall on account of his ungovernable temper. She is said to be living in Toronto with her family.

What Sherman Thinks.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—Senator Sherman, chairman of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, said Saturday: "I regard the Behring Sea treaty now pending with highest favor. It is honorable to both nations. It is an example of arbitration which ought to be adopted in every controversy between two countries bound by so many ties as Great Britain and the United States. A war or even a contention between them for a cause so trivial as one year's fishing for seals would be a crime against civilization. The cupidity of a few vessel-owners, pending arbitration, should not be allowed to disturb the peace and amiable relations of two great nations."

A British Columbia Murder.

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C., March 14.—At the adjourned inquest into the death of May Hunter, who was found dead, tied to the bed in her baguio, George Smith gave evidence that he saw deceased at 8 o'clock the night before she was found dead. May Hunter wanted witness to lend her $20 to go to Victoria or Seattle to get girls for her place. The Hunter woman told witness she had only $22, and would have to pay the girls' fare over and did not want to be short. May Hunter offered witness a diamond ring worth $60 for a loan of money. Witness said he told the Hunter woman he had no money to lend, but would give her some in the morning. Witness was on his way next morning to give May Hunter the money when he heard she was dead.

Chief Houston stated in his evidence that the appearance of the body, bed-clothing and room indicated a considerable struggle, which might have lasted several hours before her death. Near the bed of the deceased was a bottle labeled "listerine."

Physicians do not credit the theory that May Hunter was despatched by chloroform. Dr. C. J. Fagan, who held the post mortem, said he could find no traces of it. If she had died of chloroform her features would have been placid after death, but the features were distorted, which was pretty conclusive evidence that death was not caused by chloroform. Dr. I. M. McLean, who saw the body before it was cold, substantiated his associate, Dr. Fagan. Dr. McLean does not place credit in the chloroform theory, but is inclined to the theory that the deceased was murdered by suffocation.

A man and woman registered from Victoria at the Queen's Hotel the day before the murder. They left the same day. These parties tally with the description given by Sergt. Carty of a man and woman he saw acting suspiciously early in the morning of the day May Hunter was found dead.

The theory that the murder of May Hunter was connected in some means with the murder of the half-breed found dead in the rear of May Hunter's place five months ago is gradually gaining in the general opinion.

The Evil That Men Do Lives After Them.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., March 14.—George Golden, aged 65, committed suicide Friday, leaving a note saying he had been induced to put all his money in the California National Bank and had deposited over $1300 the day before the bank failed. This makes the second suicide resulting from the failure of the bank, President Collins being the other.

Kissed Jury and Lawyer in Court.

LOCKPORT, March 14.—James Fuer, on trial for murder in the first degree for killing John King at Niagara Falls last November, was acquitted here. Fuer cannot speak English and when told the verdict hugged and kissed his lawyer, W. E. Willey, and kissed all the jurors' hands.

B. C. Indians to Vote.

OTTAWA, March 14.—The Dominion Government has decided to enfranchise the Indian population in British Columbia. The Governor-General's proclamation was issued yesterday.

The Attempt Successful.

HAMILTON, March 14.—Mr. J. B. Stacey of Hunter-street, who cut his throat with a table knife on Monday last and who has been under medical treatment ever since, died at 9 yesterday at the City Hospital. Ill-health was the primary cause of the old man's rash act. He was nearly 79 years old.

Foreign Money Market.

LONDON, March 14.—There was no demand for discount in London during the past week. The position of the Bank of England continues to improve. On the stock exchange business was rather more animated. At the half-yearly Bank of England meeting on March 17 it is expected that a proposal will be made to transfer the unrealized assets of the Barings to a new trust, which will raise funds to repay £6,000,000 advanced by the Bank of England for the liquidation.

Canadian railway securities were especially bought and were steady.

The institute of bankers recently sent a circular to banks inquiring whether they were in favor or against Mr. Goshen's currency scheme. Out of 110 responses two-fifths gave unqualified support, but the majority declared against the scheme.

According to experts' analyses the national balance sheet for the year ending March 31 will show a surplus of £600,000.

Rev. John Jasper to Wed a Third Time.

RICHMOND, March 14.—Rev. John Jasper of the "Sun do move" fame, is going to marry a third time. He is eighty years old and the prospective bride has grandchildren.

County Orange Lodge.

The annual meeting of the county of Prince Edward, L.O.L. was held in Allisonville, on Feb. 2nd, with an attendance of about forty of the Britons from different parts of the county. The following brethren were elected office bearers for the ensuing year: W. Boulter, county master; Alex. Donald, deputy master; H. A. McFaul, chaplain; Paul Leavens, treasurer; W. F. McFaul, recording secretary; Alsfaul Anderson, financial secretary; John Wiggins, lecturer; E. S. Munck, director of ceremonies; B. Reid and A. Patman, deputy-lecturers.

At Paoli, Indiana, a seventeen year old daughter of George Marlett died of trichinæ spiralea. Some six weeks ago Mr. Marlett killed a hog and his family ate the pork in an underdone condition. Mrs. Marlett and daughter were taken sick, the daughter dying Saturday. The wife and mother is still in a precarious condition. Doctors made a microscopic examination of a cutting from the biceps muscle and found an abundance of the deadly trichinæ spiralea.

There has been great mortality among the generals of the Mexican army during the past few months and the long list was increased, Saturday, by the death of Gen. Ignacio Pencjora at his home in Acatmabero. Gen. Manuel Gonzales, governor of the state of Guanajuato, is seriously ill. Gen. Miguel Negrete, sick for several weeks, is still in a serious condition.

The 14th batt. has received an invitation to visit Peterboro on July 1st.

GREAT MINERS' STRIKE.

THE INAUGURATION OF THE GIGANTIC BATTLE YESTERDAY.

Miners in Lancashire, Yorkshire, Durham and Cheshire Quit Work to the Number of Many Thousands—Belgian Shippers Sending Coal to the Tyne and to the Thames.

LONDON, March 14.—The great coalmen's strike was inaugurated in accordance with the plan of the Miners' Federation, which in its manifesto issued a few days ago declared that the holiday the men proposed to take was for the purpose of clearing the markets of the surplus coal and for restricting the output in order to prevent the masters from using the low prices as an excuse for lowering wages.

At 2 o'clock in the afternoon the men employed in the mines in Lancashire, Cheshire and Yorkshire stopped work and the ponies were removed from the pits.

The only men at work now are surface men, pumpers, ventilator, attendants, etc., who the Federation have not called out.

In Durham mining work has also completely stopped. It was hoped until today that some sort of a compromise would be arrived at, but no agreement could be reached, and the strange spectacle presents itself of the employes quitting work in the masters' interest, for it cannot be denied that if any advantage is to be derived from higher prices, the mine owners, as compared with the miners, will reap the greater portion.

Belgian shippers are sending coal to the Tyne and the Thames, but they refuse to give any information as to the quantity they have shipped. The old collieries carrying these consignments are expected to arrive on Monday. The coal porters will attempt to prevent discharge of these cargoes and it is feared this will lead to a renewal of the dock troubles.

Twenty thousand miners in Nottingham quit work at noon Saturday. When they came out of the pits they brought their tools with them. The coal stocks in the Bristol district are already nearly exhausted. The miners there have also stopped work and as a result the price of coal has gone up four shillings per ton. Many manufacturers refuse to pay the price demanded and have closed their factories. In this respect the action of the miners is working greatly to the harm of the operatives employed in other industries. One of the results of the split that has occurred among the North Wales miners is that the men working in Flintshire will not go on strike, but will work no more than five days a week.

Wooden barricades are being built around the mouths of the various pits in Durham and none of the miners will be allowed inside these inclosures.

It is believed that at the conference to be held Wednesday next by the Miners' Federation, it will be decided to limit the holiday to a week and to restrict the output during the summer.

Many of the large industrial establishments in Leeds and Manchester and on the Teeside and Tyneside and other places in the vicinity of the collieries dampened their fires when the operatives left their work Saturday afternoon. This means that work will not be resumed on Monday, the manufacturers refusing to pay the extraordinary prices now demanded for coal.

400,000 Have Quit Work.

The Miners' Federation will pay the men strike wages during the period of idleness; the only exception to this, so far as known, is the Durham miners, who will not receive pay. It will require a very large sum of money to pay the 400,000 men who, it is said, have quit work, even though they receive strike wages.

To recoup the drain the treasury of the Federation will be subjected to a levy which will be made upon the men as soon as they return to work.

Delegates from all the collieries in Durham met and finally decided that they would submit to no reduction in their wages. Durham and Northumberland miners are not members of the Miners' Federation but have an organization of their own, the National Union. The membership of the Federation is enormous. It comprises about 280,000 miners, of whom 200,000 are bottom workers, the remaining 80,000 being employed on the surface. The Federation delegates, who met some time ago at Manchester conference, represented 175,000 working miners.

The conference to be held on Wednesday next will take place in London. Hitherto most of the water used by miners and their families in household and other duties has been obtained from the mines. Pumps there furnished them with an abundant supply. It is now feared that a water famine will follow cessation of work. Women and children are procuring water from every available source and storing it in all manner and kind of receptacles in their houses.

The miners have plenty of coal, as the masters have allowed them to provide themselves with liberal supplies.

Spicy Divorce Trial.

LONDON, March 14.—The Divorce Court has ordered that the suit for divorce brought against his wife by Alberto Randigger, the celebrated composer and director of the Royal Academy of Music, be placed on the list for trial Monday.

The co-respondent in the case is Hayden Coffin, the well-known American baritone singer.

Eugenia May Live in France.

LONDON, March 14.—Ex-Empress Eugenia, who was presented with a villa and gardens at Cape Martin by the Duchess of Rosta, asked President Carnot to assent to her permanent residence there. The Cabinet declined to grant formal assent, as that would be against the law, but President Carnot has intimated that in spite of this decision the Government is not likely to interfere with the ex-Empress.

Thieves Rob a Church of Jewels.

MUNICH, March 14.—The famous Pilgrimage Church of Herrgottsruh, at Friedberg, near Augsburg, has been robbed of plate valued at 18,000 marks. The thieves also desecrated the remains of the martyr, St. Justinius. The glass case inclosing the bones was broken apart and the jewels upon the garments of the dead removed.

A Gilted Blackguard.

LONDON, March 14.—Sir Richard Frederick Cavendish, second son of Lord Edward Cavendish and a nephew of the Duke of Devonshire, who is a student at Trinity College, Cambridge University, has been fined £2 and costs for using obscene language in Market-street, Cambridge. He is 21 years of age.

Behring Sea.

LONDON March 14.—Lord Salisbury's delay in arranging for a renewal of the modus vivendi in the Behring Sea matter has been a subject for private consideration by the leaders of the Opposition, resulting in a decision not to move in the matter until the policy of the Government appears more [illegible]

Be a Missionary.

How often in church, lecture-room or theatre one will notice the shoulders of a good-looking and well-fitting garment plentifully besprinkled with Dandruff. Be a missionary and tell people that Anti-Dandruff is guaranteed to remove Dandruff with three applications.

Oh, What a Cough.

Will you heed the warning. The signal perhaps of the sure approach of that more terrible disease Consumption. Ask yourselves if you can afford for the sake of saving 50c., to run the risk and do nothing for it. We know from experience that Shiloh's Cure will cure your cough. It never fails.

Mercier was seen off from Quebec by 500 sympathizers. He almost broke down when saying farewell. Sir Adolphe Caron boarded the same train and was urged by ardent companions to address the crowd. The moment he opened his mouth he was met with groans, hisses, uncomplimentary remarks and snowballs. All the postmaster-general could do was to smile sarcastically and gracefully wave his adieu to the noisy crowd, which continued to cheer for Mercier.

A Ridgetown despatch says James Page, when swallowing a raw egg the other day, gulped down along with it the top of a pepper castor, which lodged in the larynx. The holes in the cover allowed him to breathe until doctors fished out the obstruction.

HIS MAJORITY 300.

A Conservative Replaces the Old Member in Monck.

DUNNVILLE, March 14.—Monck election for the House of Commons took place Saturday. Candidates were Arthur Boyle (Conservative) and John Brown (Reformer). Mr. Boyle was returned by a large majority. At the last general election Mr. Brown had a majority of 260. Following figures are the majorities:

	Boyle.	Brown.
Canboro	15	..
Dunn	89	..
Dunnville	211	..
Gainsboro	..	..
Moulton	..	115
Sherbrooke	150	69
Pelham	61	..
South Cayuga	..	..
Wainfleet	183	203
	709	386

Majority for Boyle, 323.

Her Fourth Set of Twins.

BIDDEFORD, Me., March 14.—The happiest man in Limington Saturday is George Gammon, a young farmer, who in the last 12 years has become the father of 10 children. Yesterday morning his wife gave birth to her fourth pair of twins, which with two children that came into the world singly make up the happy household. The mother is doing well.

Twins, 70, and Still Growing More Alike.

NEW YORK, March 14.—Thomas Fassett Hibbard of 349 Pulaski-street, Brooklyn, and George Burnham Hibbard of Rondout, Ulster County, celebrated their 70th joint birthday at the home of the former yesterday. The men are twins. They were born at Rouse's Point, on Lake Champlain, March 22, 1822. They are exactly identical in appearance. Often the father would ask: "Which are you, George or Thomas?" During the 70 years of their existence they have grown even more alike.

The Sick Emperor.

BERLIN, March 14.—Emperor William is again confined to his bed. He has, however, read in person the usual daily reports of his ministers.

The bitter weather that has prevailed here for the past three days has retarded the Emperor's recovery from the cold with which he is suffering. The Emperor suffered a relapse last night which caused a postponement of the audiences set for to-day. His Majesty had a slight fever.

Mrs. Deacon's Daughters Taken Away.

CANNES, March 14.—Mr. Deacon sent representatives to Cannes Saturday with a power of attorney, to take away his second and third daughters from their mother. Mrs. Deacon opposed the separation and a heartrending scene occurred. Mrs. Deacon then started for Paris. The other two daughters have gone to Genoa with their grandmother.

Russia's Next Military Manœuvres.

LONDON, March 14.—The next Russian military manœuvres in the neighborhood of Mosco, will be on a gigantic scale. Six army corps, under Gens. Obrutscheff and Dragomiroff will take part, besides the Guards and other cavalry, the whole reaching a total of 200,000 men.

It Was a Dynamite Bomb.

PARIS, March 14.—The investigation made by the police into the cause of the explosion that occurred at the residence of M. Benoit, in the boulevard St. Martin Saturday has developed the fact that it was caused by a bomb loaded probably with dynamite and scrap iron. Two persons were slightly wounded.

Immense Oil Works Burned.

LONDON, March 14.—The extensive oil works of John Eccles at Stockburn were burned Saturday. It burned with frightful violence and many firemen had narrow escapes from losing their lives in the flames. The loss amounts to many thousand florins.

Dr. Cairns Dead.

LONDON, March 14.—Prof. John Cairns, D.D.LL.D., principal of the United Presbyterian College at Edinburgh, and a well-known writer, is dead.

Well Known Specialist Dead.

COPENHAGEN, March 14.—Prof. Steenberg, the eminent specialist in mental diseases, died Saturday.

Thousands of Sheep Perish.

DUBLIN, May 14.—The farmers in county Tyrone have sustained severe losses through the heavy snow storms that have prevailed there. Thousands of sheep have perished in the mountains.

Died While Boxing.

BLUFFTON, Ind., March 14.—Last evening Charles Lesh and H. A. Sweltzer, young men, engaged in a boxing contest, when Sweltzer struck Lesh a powerful blow on the neck. Lesh died in five minutes.

A Report That the Canadian Pacific Will at Once Construct a Line.

MONTREAL, March 14.—A despatch from Winnipeg to a broker here, that it was the intention of the Canadian Pacific Railway to commence the construction of a line from St. Paul to Regina, in order to give the former city an outlet to the Pacific Coast, has caused considerable excitement here.

It is generally accepted as true, and the Canadian Pacific Railway officials, while not absolutely confirming the report, do not deny it.

Last summer the Minneapolis and Sault Ste. Marie, in which the C.P.R. is heavily interested, built a line through Dakota crossing that of the Northern Pacific. This is the line which is to be extended in the manner indicated.

Incendiary Fire at Brampton.

BRAMPTON, March 14.—The furniture warerooms of Mayor Treadgold were gutted by fire yesterday. The Masonic lodge-room on the upper flat, which was elegantly fitted and furnished, was seriously damaged by fire and water. The fire was the work of an incendiary. Mayor Treadgold was fully insured.

Popular Song Writer Dying.

BALTIMORE, March 14.—Nicholls Crouch, the author of "Kathleen Mavourneen" and other popular and famous songs, is dying at his home in this city. Professor Crouch is 84 years of age. His mind occasionally wanders and he hums and thrums the old songs.

Only Married a Few Months.

GUELPH, March 14.—Mrs. John Kelly, aged 26, who was married in July last, dropped dead Saturday.

Ocean Steamship Movements.

Date.	Name.	Reported at.	From.
March 12	City of Berlin	New York	Liverpool
"	Aurania	Queenstown	New York
"	Greece	New York	Liverpool
"	Gellert	New York	Hamburg
"	Toronto	Portland	Liverpool
March 13	Wyoming	Liverpool	New York
"	Holstein	New York	Hamburg
"	Illinois	New York	Antwerp

Where Sympathy is Constant?

Queen's College Journal.

We can understand how the cadets or anyone else could feel inclined to take up the cause of a visiting as against a team of Queen's. But what we can't understand is, why the cadets feel call upon to do it in every single case. No matter who or what team is pitted against Queen's they may be sure of hearty sympathy from the students of the R. M. C.

Political clubs are being organized throughout Mexico in support of the re-election of President Diaz. The indications now are he will have a complete walk over at the election in June although some people assert that Gen. Trevino, of Monterey, is making a quiet effort to secure control of the coming conventions and elevate himself to the presidency.

Mitchell is ready to put up $2,500 for a fight with Sullivan for the Olympic club's purse of $25,000, the fight to take place the first week in September, Marquis of Queensbury rules to govern.

The proclamation calling the Quebec legislature will probably be for April 7th. It is thought that the governor's choice of a speaker will be between Messrs. Leblanc and Duplessis.

The revenue collected in Vancouver last month from Chinese immigration amounted to $2,819.50, a decrease of $161.50 for the same month last year.

H. McCuaig, son of Rev. F. McCuaig, Toronto, is visiting friends in the city.

BURNED HIMSELF ALIVE.

A MIDDLESEX FARMER'S AWFUL SUICIDE.

He Saturates Himself with Kerosene, Ignites His Clothing and Burns to Death in Sight of His Wife, Whose Efforts at Rescue He Fights Off.

LONDON, March 14.—Mahlon A. Swartz, a man past middle life, deliberately poured coal oil over his person Saturday morning on the farm of Mr. Sol Dale, in the Gore of Westminster, a few miles southwest of this city, and applying a match thereto met death in its most terrible form.

Swartz at one time lived near Aylmer, where he was trustee of a church. A financial difficulty arose, and he lost considerable of his savings. Shortly afterwards he became an agent for an agricultural implement firm, and in this speculation he lost all his money, and was driven into a state of despondency.

He cut his throat with a jack knife in one of his fits of melancholy, inflicting a terrible gash, but was stopped by his wife before he had succeeded in making a fatal wound.

Yesterday morning, procuring a can of coal oil, the unfortunate man went a short distance from the house at the rear, and deliberately poured the contents of the can over his head and about his clothes, completely saturating them. He struck a match, applied the light to his coat and in a moment was in a blaze. The flames shot up above the tops of the surrounding trees and burned very furiously.

The writhing victim's cries brought out his wife, who hurriedly procured a quilt, which she endeavored to throw about her husband, but he sternly warned her to keep away lest she also would be burned, and when she continued to approach him he fought her off and finally ran away until exhausted he fell down, and after a few moments of most excruciating agony death relieved him. The remains were burned to a crisp.

TO TAKE A PLEBEIAN WIFE.

The Kaiser's Brother-in-Law to Marry a Poet's Daughter.

BERLIN, March 12.—A stir has been created in the Imperial circle by the news that Prince Ernest of Saxe-Meiningen, who is a brother-in-law of the German Kaiser, is engaged to marry Marie, the daughter of the German poet, Wilhelm Jansen. It is, of course, a love match, and both the prince and the young woman are in Rome, safe from any interference on the part of the Kaiser or the reigning prince of Saxe-Meiningen. Prince Ernest was born in 1859, being the son of Prince George the Second of Saxe-Meiningen by his second wife, Feodora. His elder brother, Bernard, is married to the Kaiser's sister Charlotte.

The young Prince has his father's example in taking a plebeian wife. Prince George having married morganatically a woman named Helen Franz, whom he raised from obscurity to the title of Baroness of Helburg. This third wife is still living and the old Prince is said to get along with her very comfortably, and even the Kaiser treats her with respect. Miss Jansen is beautiful and has much of her father's genius.

PERRY'S BIG HAUL

Now Stated That He Secured $27,000 in His Recent Exploit.

ROCHESTER, N.Y., March 12.—Train Robber Oliver Curtis Perry secured $27,000 from the American Express Company's car, which he robbed in such a daring manner near Jordan three weeks ago.

This is the theory of Detective Linde in the employ of the express company, who has been hanging around Lyons since the robber was jailed there.

Detective Linde believes that Perry secluded the money under the stones of the barricade which he hastily constructed in the Wayne County swamp to defend himself from the armed posse of citizens, deputy sheriffs and railroad men on the Sunday of the robbery.

Stab Canada Here

NEW YORK, March 14.—A Washington special to The Recorder says: Goldwin Smith of Toronto, who is in this city, says the policy of excluding Canadian goods from free transit in bond across the territory of the United States, if rigorously enforced, would bring Canada to terms inside of three weeks and would dispose of all this sealing business in short order. Great Britain had no interest in the continuation of the destruction of the seal. On the contrary, all her interest ran the other way. Canada herself had no very great interest in the matter, except a few Nova Scotians at long range and the British Columbians, who are reaping a rich harvest by the destruction of the seals.

Death Concealed in Froth.

CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., March 14.—Recently John Stewart's pet dog died of hydrophobia. In burying the carcass some of the froth from the dog's mouth penetrated a wound on Stewart's hand. Soon after the unfortunate man was seized with rabies, and last night he died after suffering untold pain.

Active Spanish Anarchists.

MADRID, March 14.—Twenty armed men Saturday made an attempt to raid the city of Almagro.

They first directed their operations against the railroad bridge, which they partially destroyed.

The gendarmes are in pursuit of the Anarchists.

The Paris Anarchists.

PARIS, March 14.—Searches of house known to be occupied by Anarchists in Passy, Montrouge and other suburbs have resulted in the discovery that a number of trusted servants in large residences are members of Anarchist associations.

Scared by the rumors of a big Anarchist conspiracy a deputation of foreign residents of Passy waited upon the mayor to obtain information.

The mayor declared that there was no cause for alarm.

Come High, But They Must Have Them.

LONDON, March 14.—The new British steamer Massachusetts sailed from Swansea for Baltimore to-day. She has a cargo of 4800 tons of tin plates, the largest consignment of tin plates from Great Britain to the United States since the McKinley bill became a law.

Emperor Joseph's Uncle Ill.

VIENNA, March 14.—The Archduke Leopold, uncle of Emperor Francis Joseph, is suffering from congestion of the lungs.

Physicians pronounce his condition serious.

Emperor William to Sail the Meteor.

LONDON, March 12.—It is reported that Emperor William will personally sail his yacht Meteor for the Queen's Cup in the [illegible]

Damaged by Fire.

GUTHRIE, Okla., March 14.—A terrible prairie fire has been raging for several days in the eastern part of Payne county, doing many thousand dollars worth of damage. John Shotwell, William Queery, John Queery and others had their farms swept clear of everything and are left penniless. John Querry was fatally burned while attempting to save his home.

A prairie fire twelve miles south of Huron, S. D., has destroyed the farm houses of William Mills and Wm. Rye with household goods and clothing. Several sheds containing a large amount of grain, hay and machinery were burned. A large section was burned over.

To be Tried For Challenging.

CHICAGO, March 14.—A. Gordon Murray, chief of the Highland association, is to be tried, this week, for sending a challenge, through the mails, to E. Erskine McMillan, a clansman, to fight a duel, with pistols, within five miles of the city. The trouble grew out of a charge, made by McMillan, that the chief was converting the funds of the Highland association to his own use. The recent Burns celebration was a great success, but the receipts were offset by enormous bills sent in by chief Murray. These bills were investigated by Mr. McMillan, who is a lawyer and pronounced fraudulent.

Arthur McGuinis, of Ballsville, has been appointed a preventive officer of customs.

Oscar Telgmann has been confined to his room since Friday, through illness.

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Quebec Bank	125	120
Union Bank	0.0	91
Bank of Commerce	135½	135
Montreal Telegraph Co	135¼	135
N. W. Land Co	79	73
Rich. & Nav. Co	63½	61½
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Peas—72c to 74c in store.
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LIVERPOOL MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL, March 14.—Spring wheat, 8s 1d; Red winter, 7s 10½d; No. 1 California, 8s 3d; Corn, 4s 10½d; Peas 5s 3d; Pork 56s 3d; Lard 34s 6d; Bacon 34s 3d to [illegible]; Tallow, [illegible]; Cheese, 52s 0d. Cotton, middlings, 3 13-16d.

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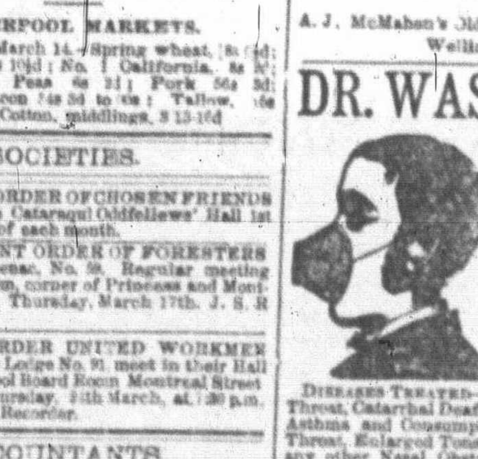

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