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Reform of the Senate

Resolutions Will Not Be Submitted to the House This Session.

Another Discussion on Preferential Trade—Mr. McNeill and Proposed Concessions.

Railway Subsidies Will Be Brought Down To Night—A New Departure.

(Special to the Times)

Ottawa, July 27.—Sir Charles Tupper and Sir Wilfrid Laurier met to-day and talked over prorogation. The result of the conference has been that the Senate reform resolutions will not be gone on with this session.

Preferential Trade.

There was another prolix discussion on preferential trade in the House to-day on the motion for supply.

It was stated by Mr. McNeill, who refused to accept the resolution which Premier Laurier had given him and which was along the lines of the present tariff matter. Mr. McNeill wanted the resolution confined to tariff preferences only, and Sir Wilfrid Laurier's included other concessions.

Mr. McNeill moved his own resolution and finally Sir Charles Tupper got him to withdraw it, to see if one which could be unanimously agreed upon could be put through.

Mr. Edwards made a free trade speech.

Railway Subsidies.

The railway subsidies will be brought down to-night and will be pretty heavy. The government has made a new departure in regard to granting of subsidies. For instance, in respect to the subsidy to the Rainy River there will be a clause to prevent that road amalgamating with the Canadian Pacific Railway, thereby securing the advantages which an independent road can bring the country for the taking of produce of the great west to the seaboard. An absolutely independent road will be secured. In respect to all roads for which subsidies are given, power will be retained by the government to secure to other railways running powers over those roads.

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Mrs. Perot, of Baltimore, Arrested at Liverpool—A Painful Scene Between Mother and Daughter.

(Associated Press.)
Liverpool, July 27.—On the arrival of the Doublin line steamer Cambroman at this port this morning, Sergeant Collins, of Scotland Yard, and Sergeant Bell, of Liverpool, arrested Mrs. William Y. Perot, of Baltimore, on a charge of abducting her daughter from Baltimore.

Mrs. Perot was accompanied by a tall military looking man, and the party had taken passage as Mr. and Mrs. Pierce and daughter. The arrest was made at the customs department while they were waiting for the departure of the express train for Euston station, "Pierce" is Captain Blood, brother of Lady Colin Campbell. Mrs. Perot did not deny her identity, but had not anticipated arrest, and was terribly surprised by the event.

The arrest was effected quietly, but there was a painful scene between the mother and daughter, who began to quarrel for the present. The child and mother were taken to the police office, but proceeded to Euston station by a later train. Mr. Perot will appear at Bow street station this afternoon with Capt. Blood, who took charge of the luggage and accompanied Mrs. Perot to London.

Mrs. Perot was quietly but elegantly dressed in a silver gray suit and wore a thick white veil.

London, July 27.—Mrs. Perot was arraigned at Bow street police court this afternoon and remanded for a week.

INSANE MAN'S CRIME.

He Chopped His Wife and Two Children to Death and Then Committed Suicide.

(Associated Press.)
Brazil, Ind., July 27.—Charles Wolfman became violently insane last night at his home in Denmark, south of here, and seizing a hatchet, chopped his two daughters and wife to death while they were sleeping. He then took a knife and cut his own throat. The murdered children were 8 and 12 years old.

AUSTRALIAN FEDERATION.

Voting in Victoria—A Majority in Favor of the Scheme.

(Associated Press.)
Melbourne, Victoria, July 27.—Voting on the question of federation is proceeding in Victoria. The returns received up to 5:30 o'clock this afternoon show 93,118 votes cast in favor of federation, and 600 votes cast in favor of federation, and 11,000 votes against. An overwhelming majority in favor of federation is assured.

Later—The complete returns gave 127,067 votes in favor of federation and 4,000 against.

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The Proceedings at the Caucus of Government Members Proved Found Secret.

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The supporters of the provincial government in the legislature held a caucus last evening in one of the committee rooms in the parliament buildings, which was attended by all the members with the exception of Messrs. Helgeson, Kinchait, Cariboo, Mr. Kelle, Revelstoke, and Mr. Prentice, East Lillooet.

The proceedings commenced shortly after 8 o'clock and were prolonged until shortly after midnight. No reporters were allowed to attend, and the gentlemen present bound themselves to keep secret what took place.

The object of holding the caucus was to discuss the action of the Premier in asking Hon. Joseph Martin to resign his portfolio as Attorney-General, and Mr. Martin's refusal to accede to the request.

No official announcement of what took place will be made until after the return to the city of His Honor Lieutenant-Governor McInnes, who is in the north and is expected to reach here on the steamer Tees on Sunday or Monday next.

In view of the pledges of secrecy given by the members and the absolute silence maintained in consequence, it is impossible to learn what was the conclusion arrived at. All kinds of guesses are being made and printed as reliable statements, but until the official announcement is made, those who know the most will say the least.

The general impression existing among those who take the greatest interest in the matter, outside of the members of the legislature on the government side, is that Hon. Joseph Martin has agreed, in view of the expressed wish of the majority of those present last night, to abide by the decision of His Honor. If this should mean the vacating of the position of Attorney-General, a successor is to be found among those legal supporters of the government who do not at present possess a seat in the house, and rumor is again busy with the name of Mr. W. W. McInnes, M.P.

Two things can be stated definitely; there is no possible chance of a coalition government being formed, and there is absolutely no likelihood of a general election being precipitated.

Exactly what has been done, and what will be done, will, however, not be known; hysterical contemporaries to the contrary notwithstanding, until His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor has taken action.

SOUL GRAPES.

Consul McCook Underestimates the Output of the Klondike.

Washington, July 26.—Information from Klondike, dated June 26 has reached the state department from United States Consul McCook. He says that \$10,000,000 instead of \$20,000,000 in gold will cover the product for the past 12 months, and adds that reports from Alaska indicate that more gold will be found there than will ever come out of the Klondike.

The Policy of Monroeism

Ambassador White Says It Will Not Be Abandoned by the States.

Arbitration Schemes Adopted by the Peace Conference is a Serviceable One.

(Associated Press.)
London, July 27.—The Hague correspondent of the Times reports a long conversation with Mr. Andrew D. White, United States ambassador at Berlin, head of the American delegation.

The ambassador, after referring to the earnest desire of the American people for a comprehensive arbitration scheme, as proved by the constant resolutions of large meetings held in all parts of America since the conference first held its sittings, said:

"I believe a vast majority of our people will welcome our arbitration treaty and see in it a serviceable plan from the outset, and a germ from which a more complete system will be evolved by future conferences. As time progresses, without doubt, references to the tribunal will become increasingly natural and normal, and thus we may hope to have every advantage claimed for obligatory arbitration, without its overwhelming disadvantages. But it could hardly be expected that we should be willing to accept the requirement to sweep away at once, here and now, the policy of Monroeism. If any modification is ever made of that policy, it must be made by the United States after it has had the fullest opportunity to study the subject in all its bearings. Such a change cannot be made here by implications, in a treaty made distinctly for another purpose, and it is important that there should be no doubt on this point."

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Our Ottawa Letter.

Ottawa, July 21.—The Indian problem is one that has long engaged the attention of Canada and the United States, and the precise course to pursue with the Red Man has not yet been accurately solved. There are still to be found those who believe that the only good Indian is a dead one. However that may be, Canada has gone on a very different assumption, and if the results obtained have not been at all satisfactory, statesmen and politicians console themselves with the knowledge of having attempted something at any rate towards bringing the North American Indian from a state of savagery to the stage of civilization. This is a noble aim, and a just recompense to a race whom the white man has displaced and deprived of his heritage, even if the benefits derived do not amount to anything like what is desired. To be ever able to make the Indian population as a whole self-supporting and self-respecting is a debatable question. The evidence is pretty strong that all efforts

To educate the Indian to take his place among the white race has largely failed. A strong impression has been created in certain quarters that it would be as well to leave the Indian to follow the avocation to which the best of his own mind led him, namely, hunting and fishing. From a financial standpoint those who take this view of the matter have certainly the best of the argument, but Canadians pretty uniformly take the view that a greater responsibility rests upon them in this regard, and therefore they will go on making additional expenditures and new experiments to make the noble savage a still nobler citizen.

Some progress has been made in the attempt to make the Indian self-supporting. The work of doing so was commenced in this country about 1870, when farming instructors were appointed for the purpose of instructing the Indians in farming and endeavoring to induce them to settle down to an agricultural life. The result at the present time may be briefly summarized as follows: An aggregate of 14,862 Indians settled on farm reserves in the Northwest Territories. Of these 4,854 are rated as self-supporting, and the other 9,708 are still receiving more or less assistance from the government in the way of rations and clothing.

In the Province of Manitoba there are 6,716 Indians settled on the reserves, and of these 6,100 are rated as self-supporting and only 600 are receiving aid from the government. The large proportion of self-supporting Indians in the Province of Manitoba is accounted for by two facts. First, the Indians of Manitoba were not, in the ordinary sense of the word, prairie Indians, but wood Indians, and consequently they have more easily adapted down to civilized methods of life. There has not been so much change in their circumstances as in the case of the roaming Indian of the plains.

For many years they have had houses and settlements of their own and have supported themselves—very largely by fishing, hunting and doing whatever work they could get in the neighborhood. The fishing and hunting which they were able to carry on in former years has not been very seriously interfered with by the progress and settlement of the country. The extension of the fishing operations of the fishing company on the Winnipeg has resulted in a considerable extent in supplementing the earnings of the Indians and giving them better opportunities of earning a livelihood than they formerly had.

The Indians in some of the settlements around Lake Winnipeg are in a very advanced condition. Some of their villages present the appearance of white villages, and they live a very decent civilized life. The prairie Indians are a very different class; they are the hardest class of Indians with whom the government have to deal. They are necessarily nomadic in their habits, and hereditarily opposed to anything like the nature of steady and continuous labor.

The Extinction of the Buffalo having taken away almost entirely their means of livelihood they are very much dependent on the government for their subsistence in Manitoba and British Columbia. However, very substantial progress has been made even in the case of the Indians of the plains. Even on the Piegan and Blackfoot reserves, where the greatest difficulty has been encountered to get the Indians to settle down and follow anything like an agricultural life a measure of success is now beginning to attend the efforts of the government. Considering the difficulty that confronted the government 50 years ago, substantial progress has been made by the Indians; and it may readily be concluded that in a very few years the Indian population of Manitoba and the Northwest Territories will be practically self-sustaining so far as any demand on the government for direct aid in the way of food and clothing is concerned.

The general policy which has been pursued has been that of giving the Indians such farming instruction as was possible and inducing them by various means, which the agents have devised, to take an interest in farm work. Various expedients have been devised for that purpose. On many reserves it has been found necessary to adopt a scale of pay for the Indians, either in rations or money, for the time they actually put

By working on the farms on the reserve.

in Blood and Blackfoot Reserves a system was adopted of guaranteeing the Indians an extra price for the meat they raised in order to induce them to take an interest in cattle raising. While some success has attended these efforts of the department to induce them to take to agriculture a greater success has attended the efforts in inducing them to follow the occupation of cattle-raising. There is not such a radical difference between the mode of life required of them in pursuing cattle raising and the former mode of life, as there is in raising grain. The policy of the department has been to encourage the Indians along these lines by giving them artificial implements, with a view of awakening in them a sense of responsibility for the care of what has been given to them, so that after a while they would get a sense of proprietorship and independence.

In 1888 there were 10,228 acres under cultivation, and in 1890, 10,544. At present the Indians actually have in use 480 mowers, 400 horse rakes, 52 reapers, 38 land rollers, 27 seed drills and 14 cultivators. In 1888 they had 6,910 head of cattle and in 1893 they increased their stock to 15,571, averaging 3-1-3 to each family of five. Of other live stock, including horses, ponies, sheep, etc., they had 3,578 head in 1888 and 15,464 in 1893. The cattle have improved greatly in quality.

The Improvement of the Indians.

One of the hardest things that the government have got to contend with. They will not provide for the requirements of the future. It is with difficulty that they can get to provide hay in the summer time for the coming winter. Last year they stored over 48,000 tons of hay. The houses the Indians live in have not been greatly improved in the past few years. It is evidently by patient and persistent effort alone that the Indians can ever be made self-supporting.

It is when the question of education has been reached that the greatest difficulty prevails, and at the present time Hon. Clifford Sifton, who is the Superintendent of Indian Affairs, as well as Minister of the Interior, has under contemplation the idea of establishing more boarding schools and fewer industrial schools in the hope that better results may be obtained. In the industrial schools of Manitoba and the Northwest, which are run on a very heavy cost, there was a record last year of 2,290. Of these 1,221 have been discharged. Of the whole number discharged 404 have died, about 90 have returned to the land to pursue their old modes of Indian life, and 400 are said to be doing well in various lines of life. The remainder have been lost sight of. This is not very satisfactory, and Mr. Sifton is of the opinion, although nothing definite has been arrived at, that boarding schools are the best for the Indian children, and this system should be extended instead of the industrial or day schools. The day school is more efficient as they should be, because the children are not removed from the surroundings which keep them in a more or less state of degradation. Boarding schools would meet this difficulty.

On the other hand, while the industrial method answers the purpose of removing the children from their old surroundings and giving them a larger amount of education and a longer term, the attempt to make the Indian boy a mechanic capable of taking care of himself in Competition With the White Mechanic, is a little premature. They have not yet arrived at such a stage of physical and intellectual development that the education given them is likely to result in

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Dominion Parliament

Senate Kills Redistributing Bill—Votes Eighteen For and Thirty-Six Against.

Government's Preferential Action Sustained in the House of Commons.

Ottawa, July 21.—Sir Charles Tupper's preferential trade resolution, which had been taken up by the House of Commons all day Wednesday, was debated on till ten o'clock last night, the opposition continuing its attack upon the Prime Minister for his free trade expressions in 1897, which it charged had knocked on the head a preferential trade arrangement, the British Government, as it fancied, had in serious contemplation at that time. The resolution was defeated on a division of forty-one to seventy-seven. Messrs. Leighton McCarthy (North Simcoe), Dr. Stables (Cardwell), the third party, and Mr. Rogers (Patron, Frontenac), voted with the opposition.

The debate was resumed at 3 o'clock by Mr. Bell (Prince Edward Island) who charged that Mr. McNeill, Conservative, (North Bruce), had made Imperialism a subsidiary to his partisanship. Mr. Clarke Wallace spoke for the supporters of the resolution, and in their view of the subject. It had been made clear that the British Government was ready to hold out the helping hand to the colonies, but the offer was cast aside. Mr. Wallace also dealt at some length with the subject of the Canadian tariff preference to British goods, arguing that it was a fraud and a delusion.

Mr. Henderson (Halton), presented an argument along similar lines, which brought the House up till close on six o'clock. Mr. Rogers (Patron, Frontenac) made a speech in which he devoted his attention mainly to the question of binder twine. It was not able to make out any practical result which would come from the passage of this preferential trade resolution.

Mr. Oiler (Toronto West), was satisfied as to the benefit which the preferential trade would bring to Canada, and urged the government to persist in pressing for it. The Mother Country might be willed to free trade principles, but if it could be shown to her that this preferential trade was to prove of advantage to the British people it would be speedily realized.

Mr. Macpherson (Liberal Hamilton), felt that all those now discussing this question were before the sentiment in favor of preferential trade had reached a point to justify the passage of legislation to this effect. The British people were described as a nation of gentleman, and as such the British Government could do nothing to insult him one, which should be taking up the time of parliament at this late stage of the session.

Dr. Montague took the very opposite view—that the question was the most important that could engage the attention of parliament. The Liberal party seemed divided upon this question. Sir Charles Tupper had misinterpreted the view expressed on this subject by the Duke of Devonshire, he had a second time urged that the Liberal party should be divided upon this question. Mr. Bergeron said that the Premier's statement in 1897, that Canada was tending toward free trade, had knocked the whole prospect of preferential trade on the head.

The debate was continued up to ten o'clock. Messrs. Bell (Picton) and Broder (Dundas), after which the division was taken. The vote stood as follows: Yeas—Messrs. Beattie, Bell (Addington), Bell (Picton), Bennett, Bergeron, Borden (Halifax), Brodeur, Cargill, Clarke, Clarke, Cochrane, Ferguson, Gausson, Giddis, Hale, Henderson, King, MacDonald (King's), MacLennan, McAllister, McCarthy, McDougall, McEwen, McLennan (Glengarry), McNeill, Martin, Montague, Moore, Morin, Powell, Prior, Robertson, Roche, Rogers, Rosmond, Stables, Tisdale, Tupper (Sir Charles), Tyrwhitt, Wallace, Wilson. Total, 41. Yeas—Messrs. Angus, Bain, Bassett, Bell, Belmont, Bell (Prince), Bethune, Blair, Borden (King's), Boostock, Bonfais, Bonfais, Britton, Burnett, Campbell, Cartwright (Sir Richard), Casey, Chamagne, Copp, Cowan, Davis, Demers, Desmarais, Domville, Donald, Edmond, Ellis, Ewing, Fielding, Flint, Fraser (Lambton), Gauthier, Gauvreau, God-

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mismanagement there would ensure an adverse vote to the government. Sir William Higinson admitted that the Senate should accommodate itself to the Lower House when it could, but not where there was a difference of opinion on a matter of principle. He believed that the present bill was contrary to the constitution.

Senator Herzer was doubtful whether the Senate should accede to the bill, but he opposed it because it was inopportune and ill-timed. It had been said that the object of this bill was to give the Liberals a perpetual lease of power. The government should go back to the old constituencies and wait till after the next election.

The Senate then divided on the amendment as follows:
Yeas—Messrs. Aikens, Allan, Almon, Arnold, Baird, Baker, Bernier, Sir Mackenzie Bowell, Sir John Carling, Casgrain, Clemons, Cochrane, Dickey, Johnson, Ferguson, Forget, Sir William Higinson, Landry, Loucheud, Macdonald (P.E.I.), Macdonald (B.C.), MacLennan, McDonald (C.B.), McKay, McDougall, McLaren, McMillan, Menier, Montplaisir, Owens, Perley, Primrose, Prowse, Vidal, Villeneuve—36.

Nays—Messrs. De Boncherville, Danforth, Devere, Flett, Kerr, King, Mills, Pollock, Pomeroy, Scott, Snowball, Templeman, Wark, Ye—14.

NO REDISTRIBUTION.
Bill Was Killed at Yesterday's Sitting of the Senate.
The Senate yesterday added itself with the responsibility of rejecting the government's redistribution bill by a vote of thirty-six to fourteen, and incidentally was once more the gratitude of the Conservative leaders and following. This course was not unexpected; but by its action it considered its hand strengthened in the plea for such a measure of Senate reform as shall prevent the over-riding of the will of the popular chamber on all questions of public policy.

Senator Danforth presented a petition from Calgary Congregational church of Montreal asking the government to prohibit the law this session. The following bills were read a third time and passed: For relief of the Penitentiary Inmate Company; respecting the Edmonton District Railway Company; respecting the Algona Central Railway Company; respecting the Great Northern Railway Company.

Hon. David Mills resumed the debate on the motion for the second reading of the redistribution bill, and Sir Mackenzie Bowell's amendment thereto. He could not congratulate the opposition on the tenor of their speeches. Sir Mackenzie Bowell had been guilty of making an attempt to insinuate that two ward heeters of the Liberal party had come to Ottawa and insinuated that no doubt they had been consulted in the framing of the bill. The bill of 1882, he said, was an atrocious measure, and the government of that day had no mandate from the people to pass it. As a result, Senator Scott had not been guilty of any breach of the constitution; in moving for its rejection in the Senate, as it was a bill revolutionary in its import, and subversive to the liberties of the people.

Dealing with the constitutional aspect of the question he maintained that only a part of the constitution of Canada was written in the British North American Act, which simply said that the country was to have a constitution similar to that of Great Britain, while the rest of it was an unwritten constitution; so far as this act went, however, the constitution was clearly written, and the bill would introduce the power of government to introduce and ask parliament to pass. Taking up the challenge which had been made during the debate to point out a single Liberal member who lost his seat in Parliament because of the bill of 1882, he said the proposition was a preposterous one. It was not enough that Liberal members had not lost their seats to show that the bill was a fair one; but the Liberal party had been prevented by the bill from capturing seats of Conservative members. Arguing in favor of the principle of county boundaries, he maintained that parliamentary representation was simply a projection of the municipal representation, and that, therefore, the boundaries of the constituencies as they exist for municipal purposes should be maintained for parliamentary purposes.

If the Senate threw out this bill, the Senate was going against the expressed wish and mandate of the electors. Dealing with the power of the Senate to reject the bill he pointed out that there was an expressed wish of the people with respect to this bill which did not exist in the case of the bill thrown out by the House of Lords, and referred to in the debate.

Sir Mackenzie Bowell wanted to know if the government would refer the constitutionality of the bill to the courts. The Hon. David Mills replied that anyone could take it there.

Sir Mackenzie Bowell—You would refuse a fiat!

The Hon. David Mills—We never refuse a fiat when it should be issued.

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WHY NEW YORK IS DECLINING.
Buffalo, July 21.—A number of witnesses were examined here to-day by the committee appointed by the state legislature to investigate the commerce of the port of New York and ascertain why it was declining. The majority of the witnesses thought the unsatisfactory condition of the Erie canal and the inability to load direct into ocean carriers at New York caused the falling off in the shipments from that port. Mr. George E. Macey, representing P. D. Armour, Chicago, said that his firm exported grain via Montreal to Philadelphia. Montreal is now the cheapest route from Chicago and the Northwest. The Montreal competition had a tendency to lower rates. Last year there was a pool at Buffalo, and rates were cut to meet Montreal's rate, but this year there is no competition here. If the New York elevating rates were lowered, there would be no trouble at that port. Mr. Macey said that last week on a shipment of 500,000 bushels of grain to Montreal, he saved one-eighth of a cent per bushel by using that route.

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ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the annual general meeting of the shareholders of the above named company will be held at the offices of Messrs. Rant & Jones, Nos. 15 and 16 Five Sisters Block, Government street, Victoria, B. C., at five o'clock in the afternoon of Tuesday, the 1st day of August, 1894.

Dated this 25th day of July, 1894.
C. DUBOIS MASON, Secretary.

Vancouver Island Building Society

Second-annual general meeting of the members of the above Society will be held at Sir William Wallace Society's hall, Broad street, on Monday, the 31st of July, 1894, at 8 p. m. Business: To receive the financial statements of the Secretary and Treasurer, to conduct the 11th drawing for an appropriation, and to transact such other business as may come before the meeting. See that your shares are in good standing.

By order,
B. WILLIAMS, Secretary.

Victoria Building Society.

The semi-annual meeting of the above society will be held at Sir William Wallace hall, Broad street, on Friday, the 28th July, 1894, at 8 p. m., to receive the Secretary's half-yearly statement and balance sheet and such other business as may be brought before the meeting, after which the 7th drawing for an appropriation will take place.

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By order,
A. S. G. FLINT, Secretary.

For Sale—Point Ellice Bathhouse.

Ownes leaving the country; good paying business; small capital required. Good site, no rough water, no slipping, being close to the Arm. Only best house in the end of the city. Will accept any reasonable offer. Apply E. A. GREEN, Proprietor, Point Ellice Boat House, Victoria, B. C.

Disastrous Hurricane

Nearly Two Hundred Lives Lost in a Terrible Gale in Japan.

The Operation of the Revised Treaties-Proposed Cession of Shanchun.

The plague which has prevailed in Japan and China was abating when the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Riojina Maru left Yokohama on the 13th inst.

It is reported that a conference of medical men was held at Honolulu on the 19th ult., when it was decided to adopt various precautions against the introduction of plague from Asia.

A severe storm, commencing on the 8th of July, raged for several days on the Japanese coast, and was the cause of an immense amount of damage to property and loss of life.

At Tsushima village, Ono district, an embankment the length of 300 feet was demolished by the flood, and 70 houses were washed away.

At Utsunomiya, Aino district, 50 houses were destroyed, 48 persons killed and several injured. According to official statements 30,000 tons of embankment were destroyed, 330 houses were demolished, 301 houses flooded, and 12 houses and 5 bridges washed away at Oita.

A disastrous landslide occurred at Aigamura, Kitamura district. Five houses were destroyed, 48 persons killed and several injured.

In the village of Fanatumura 300 houses were swept away. Several houses were blown down at Fukukochi and two persons were killed.

At Inomachi, 6 bridges and 3 houses were washed away, and two persons drowned.

In connection with the Meng-tan Affair, in which the French consulate was plundered and wrecked, the French representative has preferred to the Chinese government a representation that troops will be despatched to Yunnan for the protection of French citizens.

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A RUBBER DEAL.

New York, July 27.—The Press prints the following: "It was announced yesterday that the Rubber Goods Manufacturing company had absorbed the Dunlop Rubber Tire Company."

Eaten by Bears

Terrible Fate of Allan Cameron, a Prospector, Near Shoal Bay.

Only Fragments of Clothing of the Unfortunate Man Have Been Found.

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A well known curio expert states that there are factories in Europe for the manufacture of all kinds of works of art.

When raining or foggy—and it is impossible to find one's way over the tundra—I have spent my time in the recorder's office making an abstract of the whole district.

A thousand dollars a day! Think of it: A man who is glad to earn as much a month—or maybe a year?

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Letter From Cape Nome

A Correspondent Says the Beach is Staked for Eighteen Miles.

Timber is Scarce—No Claims Have Been Worked Over Three Feet

William H. Whittlesey in a letter dated at Anvil City in the Cape Nome district of June 27th says:

On June 27 I staked a twenty-acre claim on the bank of Snake river, the principal stream, about four miles direct from shore, and at the mouth of Anvil creek.

"When raining or foggy—and it is impossible to find one's way over the tundra—I have spent my time in the recorder's office making an abstract of the whole district.

The sea beach is staked without a break for eighteen miles. You can pan out from a very few feet to 200 colors anywhere on the beach.

"No, I have been to the four claims which are actually staked, the boards packed to the claims.

"All that I have written reads foolishly. The two formal objections which I forced are these: For many miles in every direction every available foot of ground is staked.

"Not a single claim has worked over three feet below the surface. No bedrock is yet found. Ice underlies the tundra and beds of creeks from twenty to thirty inches under the moss.

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THE MOMENT OF DEATH.

Researches by French Scientists—Some Interesting Statements—It Brings to Mind, But is a Relief.

Despite the wise teachings and noble examples of Socrates, and despite the positive assertions of the best medical authorities, most people look with fear and trembling toward the moment which separates time and eternity for mankind.

"The French publication gives a number of statements by intelligent and observing persons, who were rescued from death at the last moment. These statements are confined to accidents, and do not refer to exhaustion resulting from old age, but even in the case of the latter, the experts claim to be justified in the assertion that where the power of life gradually fades away death is no more painful than in the case of people who in the fullness of vitality confront the great destroyer."

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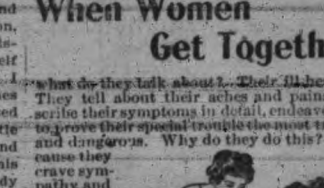
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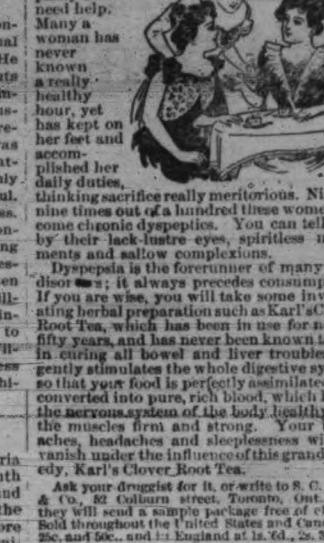
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Advertisement for Onions & Plimley bicycles, mentioning 'For the Next 30 Days' and listing agents for Columbia, Cleveland and Crescent Bicycles.

Advertisement for Point Comfort Hotel, Plumpers Pass, Hayne Island, E.C., highlighting its location and amenities.

Advertisement for Removal Notice, Henderson Bros. Wholesale Druggists, No. 8 Yates Street.

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THE CAUCUS. If the public are satisfied with the wild guesses of the morning paper at the outcome of the meeting of government supporters last night, well and good.

TELEGRAPH TO DAWSON. Mr. Hewitt Boston, M.P., took a leading part in pushing on the 'M' for the construction of the telegraph line to Dawson.

ONE FOR THE KAISER. All friends of labor would learn with pleasure that the preposterous bill which a certain party in the German Reichstag, at the instance of the Emperor Reichstag, had pushed through the House, and the passage of which would have throttled labor in Germany, met with the fate it deserves.

This was the "Penat Bertrivite" bill. The inception of the bill was due to the Kaiser himself, who seems to be imbued with the idea that Germany's future, depending largely on export trade would be imperilled if means were not taken to check the workmen's strikes which have been increasing in size and numbers during the past year or so.

The defeat of the bill is therefore not only a hard stroke for the government but also a stab for the Emperor. Unfortunately for the Kaiser all his advisers are men of one class, and it is of course impossible for him to form his opinions of the labor question at first hand.

The men in power in Germany are mostly bureaucrats, filled with the notion that the rest of the nation is there to be ruled, and that they themselves are by some divine law or other superior to the people.

Arrivals from the interior have the hardihood to tell Victorians they have just come over to cool off. In the mainland districts the heat is described as something awful at present.

With Sir Hibbert away the session ought not to last much longer. But for that inefficient gentleman it would have been finished long before this.

Again comes the assurance from the Atlin diggings that Mr. Justice Irving is giving great satisfaction in his adjudication of the claims disputes.

GLADSTONE'S PERSONAL MAGNETISM. Mr. Justice McCarthy, the great Irish Nationalist, has written and published a great deal about Mr. Gladstone's personality.

Mr. Hewitt Boston, M.P., took a leading part in pushing on the 'M' for the construction of the telegraph line to Dawson, and he is to be congratulated upon the success of his efforts.

With the Filipinos

A Hongkong Newspaper Takes the Side of the Little Brown Men.

Proffered Terms Did Not Offer Natives What They Were Fighting For.

The Hongkong Telegraph, copies of which were received by the steamer Rionun Maru this morning, takes the side of the Filipinos who are making the Americans fully appreciate the meaning of "white man's burden" across the Pacific. In an editorial in the issue of June 8th the Telegraph says: "We have heard many opinions given on the subject of the refusal by the Filipinos to entertain the proposals set forth by the American government."

The Governor-General will be appointed by the Governor-General. There will be a general advisory council elected by the people, the conditions for becoming electors will have to be carefully considered and determined, and the Governor-General will have an absolute veto.

The order of the months, from the lowest to the highest degrees of criminality, is June, April, May, March, February, September, January, August, December, July, November and October.

There are few crimes more puzzling and interesting than the vagaries of crime, which seem to defy all rule and reasonable expectation. Of all the months of the year, June is the most guileless; while in October all the forces of crime are at their greatest activity.

There is one word in these proposals from beginning to end that secures to the natives of the Philippines any one of the things they have been fighting to secure. It leaves the future permanent government of the country entirely at the mercy of congress, without even a hint that the Filipinos will be represented before congress, or that their opinions and desires will be taken into consideration.

It provides an interim government of the vaguest possible description, leaving absolute power in all things great and small in the hands of the nominees of the President of the United States for the time being. It says nothing about the laws to be administered, the taxes to be levied, the rights to be accorded.

Every day throughout the year 2,654 crimes are committed in England and Wales, more than eighty-five crimes an hour, or nearly one and a half for every revolution of the second hand of a clock.

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Manila and cigars. The rejection of the American proposals at least serves to prove that the Filipinos are by no means so uncivilized as to be incapable of appreciating what they would have committed themselves had the proposal been accepted.

"CUBA'S PLAGUE."

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The Strong Man Tells of a Bout with a Lion.

Sandow, the strong man, contributes to Young England, an account of a fight which he once had with a lion. He says: "A well known showman, Colonel Bone, had advertised at a great fair held in a certain California city, that a lion and a bear would fight to death."

When I heard about this I made up my mind to try a bout with the king of beasts, on condition that he was heavily muzzled and that stout gloves or mittens were fastened to his feet.

It was now my turn, and springing upon him I caught him around the neck with one arm, around the middle with the other, and, adopting the tactics of the furred gentleman whose place I had taken, hugged him for all I was worth.

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An Innovation on the Pacific Coast That Has Brought Much Comfort to San Francisco Housekeepers.

In San Francisco, where cooking and the matters pertaining to the kitchen are the subject of more thought than in the East, there has been introduced what is known as the kitchen telephone, and it has been a most successful success that no well-appointed house in California is without a "hello machine" in its kitchen.

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Very Good Sport If Properly Managed. In the first place a spick-span clean boat should be selected, one that is clean, light, wide and not easily tipped. Get the prettiest girl possible to go with you. Let her do all the fishing. It will keep you busy attending to baiting the hook, taking off the fish, wringing them out, cutting bait, and keeping up a running comment of airy sentimentality.

The particular nooks where the pan-fish hide are along the shores of the lakes in the lake region, and around the birch beds they can generally be found all in a gleam, gathering yellow perch, sunfish, bluegills, gizzard-heads and occasionally the crappies. Each one is patiently waiting to be lifted out of his element to adorn a "stringer."

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Provincial News.

Mining News

ROSSLAND.

Secretary Jackson of the Rossland Board of Trade is in receipt of a telegram...

Mining Around Windermere.

The news received from Windermere during the past week is most satisfactory...

THE WEEK AT ROSSLAND.

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