

BULGARIAN ATROCITIES ARE TO BE INVESTIGATED

THAW PROCEEDINGS POSTPONED INDEFINITELY—FIFTY GEOLOGISTS TO ARRIVE SATURDAY

CONDITIONS SEEM FAVORABLE FOR ENDING THE MEXICAN WAR

FOREIGN POWERS GENERALLY ARE PRESSING HUERTA TO ACCEPT THE PEACE PROPOSALS PRESENTED BY THE UNITED STATES

HARRY THAW APPEARS BEFORE THE CANADIAN COURT TODAY

IMMIGRATION AUTHORITIES OFFER HIM THE ALTERNATIVE OF BEING DEPORTED AS AN UNDESIRABLE OR COMMITTED AS A FUGITIVE.



THAW'S ESCAPE FROM MATTEAWAN ASYLUM.

Showing the probable route taken by Harry Thaw in the big motor in which he escaped from Matteawan across the state border into Connecticut. There the trail was lost and it was believed he had boarded a vessel for Europe somewhere along the eastern end of Long Island, but since his arrest at a little village in Quebec it is known that he continued in his motor through New Hampshire across the Canadian boundary. The legal fight for his extradition begins today in the supreme court at Sherbrooke, Que.

WRECK TOO DEEP Divers Can't Recover Bodies in Gambier Bay.

(Special to The Daily News) Juneau, Aug. 27.—Divers who were hoping to recover the twenty bodies which are still imprisoned in the wreck of the steamship State of California have failed to reach the vessel, which lies thirty-seven fathoms deep. They can get as far as the pinnacles of rock only.

FISHING ON THE FRASER Pack Will Reach Nearly Half a Million Cases.

(Special to The Daily News) Vancouver, Aug. 27.—Salmon fishing on the Fraser is about over now. The season's pack will be nearly half a million cases.

WILL PAY OFF LOAN Canadian Government to Pay Back Eighty Millions.

(Special to The Daily News) Ottawa, Aug. 27.—The government loan of eighty millions, which reaches maturity in October, is to be taken up and paid.

SHIPLOAD OF CRUB FOR SHUSHANNA MEN Two Vessels Taking Nearly Sixteen Hundred Tons and Also Cattle and Sheep.

(Special to The Daily News) Vancouver, Aug. 27.—Deeply laden with supplies for the Shushanna gold hunters the steamer Leelanaw sailed last night from here. She had aboard eight hundred and ten tons of freight, twenty-three horses, twenty cattle and one hundred sheep for the new gold mining district. From Seattle another steamer sailed last night with seven hundred and seventy-five tons of freight and twenty-three horses.

PECULIAR COINCIDENCE Two Drowned in Identical Spot at Different Times.

(Special to The Daily News) Tacoma, Aug. 27.—Harry Taul, an expert swimmer, 19 years of age, was drowned in Lake Stella-com, near here, yesterday from the same canoe and in the identical spot where Putena Lowe, aged 15 years, was drowned on Monday.

GILBERT PARKER COMING To Gain Material for Story of Life in This Province.

(Special to The Daily News) Ottawa, Aug. 27.—Gilbert Parker, the Canadian novelist and British member of parliament, is en route to the west, his purpose being to gather material for a book dealing with life in British Columbia.

RECEPTION COMMITTEE Board of Trade Arranges Welcome for Visitors.

A committee composed of F. G. Dawson, J. H. Thompson and F. H. Mobley was appointed by the Board of Trade yesterday to act in conjunction with the city council's representatives in welcoming the many distinguished geologists who will visit this city on Saturday morning.

A number of the geologists will proceed by special train to Moricetown. The remainder, some twenty-two in number, have expressed their wish to visit one of the canneries in the neighborhood.

BASEBALL. Northwestern League. Portland 2, Vancouver 5. Spokane 9, Victoria 6. Seattle 2, Tacoma 4.

Coast League. Los Angeles 5, San Francisco 4. Oakland 4, Venice 0.

National League. Cincinnati 0, New York 1. Pittsburg 2, Boston 0. St. Louis 5, Philadelphia 6. Chicago 6, Brooklyn 3.

American League. New York 0, Cleveland 3. Philadelphia 8, St. Louis 0. Washington 5, Chicago 3. Boston 7, Detroit 6.

BALKAN ATROCITIES TO BE INVESTIGATED Servian Government Declines to Co-Operate Because of Russian Member of Commission

(Special to The Daily News) Belgrade, Aug. 27.—The Servian government has declined to co-operate in the commission to carefully investigate into the charges of Balkan atrocities, on account of one member appointed on the commission, Professor Milkoff, the leader of the constitutional democrats in the Russian duma. The other countries represented include Great Britain, United States, France and Germany.

LEGISLATIVE MEMBER CHARGED WITH THEFT Fifteen More Arrests of Alleged Strikers Have Been Recently Made at Nanaimo.

(Special to The Daily News) Nanaimo, Aug. 27.—The Crown counsel in the riot cases states that information has been laid charging Mr. Place, member of the provincial parliament, with theft. This is in addition to the charges already laid, in which he is accused of rioting and inciting to riot. It is said that the revolver stolen from Constable Taylor when he was assaulted, was found in Place's room.

CONFERENCE BETWEEN CITY AND THE INDIANS As to Whether the City Had Infringed on the Rights of the Indians.

A conference was held yesterday between representatives of the city and of the Indians as to whether the city had infringed on the Indian's rights by the location of the power house at Shawatlans or by the blowing up of the dam there. Mayor Pattullo and the city engineer, Mr. Mason represented the city, while the Indians were represented by a delegation and by the Indian agent, C. C. Perry. It was found that the power house was not situated on the reserve, while the blowing up of the dam tended to improve the fishing rather than otherwise.

Demers' are Showing advance autumn models in ladies' vance autumn models in ladies' tailored suits, in a variety of materials and styles. The cutaway coat is the leader, and the popular length is about 36 in. The skirts continue to be narrow, a few have side pleats. We have the exclusive selling agency for Prince Rupert of the New York Tailoring Co.'s suits. 200-4

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COMMISSION APPOINTED To Investigate Affairs of Nicholson-Bawlf Company

(Special to The Daily News) Ottawa, Aug. 27.—The government has appointed George MacDonnell of Kingston, Dr. Ethrington of Kingston and J. P. Downey of Orillia as a commission to investigate the pending Nicholson-Bawlf grit company.

FIGHTING IN CHINA Rebels' Last Stronghold Said to Have Fallen.

(Special to The Daily News) London, Aug. 27.—A despatch announces the fall of Nanking, the last stronghold of the Chinese rebels.

FIFTY GEOLOGISTS Number of Those Coming Here on Saturday.

(Special to The Daily News) Vancouver, Aug. 27.—Fifty geologists are members of the party now on the coast who will go north on Thursday night, arriving at Prince Rupert on Saturday.

BRITAIN'S ALLIANCE WITH JAPAN CLEARER Diary of Late Ambassador to England Shows Japan Insisted on Dual Alliance.

(Special to The Daily News) London, Aug. 27.—The diary of the late Count Hayashi, the Japanese ambassador to Great Britain, reveals the fact that the late Lord Salisbury was in favor of a triple alliance, of Germany, Great Britain and Japan, but his plans to this end were thwarted by Japan insisting upon a dual and not a triple alliance. This publication from the diary of the Japanese ambassador is making quite a stir in the diplomatic world.

FOR LABOR DAY PICNIC Clements and Williamson Will Be Here Tomorrow.

(Special to The Daily News) Vancouver, Aug. 27.—H. S. Clements, M. P., accompanied by J. B. Williamson, left here last night for Prince Rupert to attend the Labor Day picnic at Terrace of the Comox-Atlin Conservative Association.

TWENTY BUSHELS AN ACRE Average Wheat Crop of Three Prairie Provinces

(Special to The Daily News) Winnipeg, August 27.—A careful estimate of the wheat crop of the three prairie provinces gives an average of twenty bushels per acre.

TO TEST WATER Medical Health Officer Going to Shawatlans.

Dr. J. P. Cade, the medical health officer of the city, is going to Shawatlans Lake shortly to test the water there and see whether there is any foundation for some imputations which have recently been made concerning its quality.

The city is at present supplied with water from the mountain, the supply being abundant at present and obtained at less cost than the Shawatlans water.

The Board of Trade has appointed a committee to wait on Hon. W. R. Ross when he arrives here on Saturday to put before him the needs of the citizens in the matter of waterfrontage and the request recently made by the board that the government put to auction the leases of two blocks on the waterfront.

ARCHIBALD'S MURDERER MAKES TERRIFIC EFFORT FOR LIBERTY

KNOCKS OUT THE GUARD AND HAS A TOUGH TUSSELE WITH THE NIGHT JAILER—INJURED GUARD REMOVED TO HOSPITAL

New Westminster, Aug. 25.—H. T. Clark, the man who is being held for the cold-blooded murder of Policeman Archibald in Vancouver, and who is now lodged in the provincial jail at New Westminster awaiting his trial at the next assizes, is alleged to have made a desperate attempt at jail delivery last night at 11.45, but was frustrated, after a guard and a jailer had been wounded and Clark himself literally beaten into submission. By some means Clark, it is stated, had obtained possession of a saw with which he had succeeded in severing two of the bars on the jail window. Guard R. P. Day stood in the way of his liberty, however, and, panther like, Clark sprang upon him and rendered him unconscious with a heavy blow from one of the bars wrenched from the windows. The guard managed to utter a shout of warning before he was struck and the cry was heard by the night jailer, Jack McMartin. The latter immediately grappled with the husky Clark who was finally vanquished after a desperate struggle in the jail corridor. Guard Day's injuries were serious enough to necessitate his removal to the hospital, while the prisoner is also said to have been badly beaten. The jailer was bruised, but his injuries are not serious. The jail at present holds over 160 prisoners, including many of desperate character, and most of the m would probably have made a break for liberty had Clark been successful. The attempt is regarded as one of the most daring and cleverly executed in the history of the institution. An investigation has so far failed to reveal where Clark procured his saw, or whether any other prisoner was involved in the attempted escape.

BASE INSINUATIONS AS TO UNFAIR PLAY ARE DENIED

THE RESIGNING CITY TREASURER, W. D. VANCE, DECLARES HE WAS IN NO WAY INFLUENCED IN LEAVING THE CIVIC SERVICE.

That sly Sherlock of the council chamber, Alderman Bullock-Webster, has been shown to have followed once more the wrong clue. Let him rearrange his choice collection of city hall thumb prints, restudy his assortment of the footmarks of his fellow city fathers and meditate at length on the folly of trying to appear too wise. He raised at the council meeting last Monday an objection to the appointment of Mr. Johnson, the city auditor, to the position of city treasurer, vacated by the retirement of Mr. Vance, and suggested that Mr. Vance had been gradually forced out of his position in Mr. Johnson's favor. His amateur detective work, which consists mainly in seeing mountains in molehills and always suspecting some hidden and unpleasant reasons for all actions of the present administration, must have proved as unacceptable to Mr. Vance as to Mr. Johnson. The following letter gives Mr. Vance's comment on the subject: City Hall, August 27th, 1913. The Editor The Daily News. Dear Sir: With reference to the discussion in council and newspaper reports in connection with my resignation as city treasurer, I wish to say in all fairness to all concerned that I resigned of my own free will, owing to personal business arrangements, and that I was absolutely in no way influenced. Thanking you for your valuable space and trusting that this will clear up the misunderstanding that seems to exist, I am Yours truly, W. D. VANCE, City Treasurer.

"SLIT SKIRTS FOR SPEED," CRY CHICAGO'S NEW CROOK CATCHERS

POLICEMEN HAVE TO ADOPT PROGRESSIVE GARB TO CATCH GIRL CROOKS IN SLASHED ATTIRE AND MALE MASHERS

Man wants but little here below, But when it comes to dress, A walk abroad will quickly show That woman wants still less. Chicago, Aug. 23.—The police-women's garb and the suffragists' dress are the latest in fashion's creations. Slashed skirts, surely. And patch pockets, too. They're mighty mannish, but the designers say the "lady coppers" must have them slashed, and with considerable slash. Else how can they pursue and arrest the flirtatious male or the clever girl crook whose slashed drapery gives her freedom of limbs for rapid "get-aways"? they ask. But there is the "rub." How can a woman, who must censor, the morals of others, wear such a risque gown? "I'm not quite sure about that slash," said Mrs. Mary Boyd, one of the policemen of the Shakespeare avenue station. "It seems necessary, but will the public stand for it?" Mrs. Boyd knows all about the slashed skirts and scanty garbs, for one of her duties has been censoring the costumes of bathers at the Fourteenth St. bathing beach. Mrs. Boyd and possibly all the other "lady coppers" are going to view the uniform the designers have recommended for them. It will be shown Tuesday night at the annual style show of the Chicago dressmakers. The uniform is made of blue serge with a brown buff colored athletic vest. The skirt has a large pocket and the coat has two of them. They are large enough to hold the old-style "forty-four" and will completely conceal the modern automatic pistol of large calibre. The suffragist's dress is similar, except for the helmet hat, the revolver and the shining star. It was not believed possible to build a pocket on a skirt without spoiling the symmetry of the figure, but the local designers believe they have overcome this drawback and predict much popularity for the suffragist gown.