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THE GOVERNMENT AND OGILVIE

Mr. Sifton Gives Opposition no Information

REGARDING OGILVIE'S DEALING WITH THE GOLD FIELDS CO.,

Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper and Sir Louis Have a Tilt.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]
OTTAWA, May 30.—Yesterday was private members day.

Replying to questions Mr. Sifton said that Ogilvie's report, giving the result of the Yukon inquiry, had been received. He did not give its purport.

Sir Louis Davies was asked by Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper to bring down the large number of letters which he said he had received in opposition to the tidal survey. The Minister replied that letters were private and confidential.

A lively discussion took place over the prospectus issued by the British-Canadian gold fields of the K'ondike Company, which prospectus sets forth that Surveyor Ogilvie when in the Government employ gave exclusive information to that Company, marking the places on a map where gold might be found, and advising that claims be staked on them as soon as possible.

In reply to question as to Ogilvie's conduct, Mr. Sifton placed on the table Ogilvie's long explanation, but made none of his own and did not read Ogilvie's.

The Opposition members wanted it read to get it on the record; but Mr. Sifton refused whereupon Mr. Foster advised the adjournment of the House and Sir Charles Tupper got Ogilvie's statement and read the whole of it.

In this explanation Ogilvie admitted that he had many conferences with the promoters of this company and advised them not only as to the location but as to the business arrangements and mining process, giving much information which was exclusive.

ENGLISH MUSICIANS.

Two Leaders in Their Profession to Visit Canada.

TORONTO, May 27.—The Evening Telegram's special cable, dated London, May 26, says: Frederick Cowan, an eminent English musician, is going to Canada to examine music teachers. Graham Moore, who has been representing the associated board of England in Australia, on his return from that colony, will hold examinations in British Columbia. Mr. Cowan holds examinations in Toronto and Montreal and in the eastern provinces.

Mr. Cowan will hold the examinations under the auspices of the Associated Board of England, in opposition to which the Associated Musicians of Toronto have been organized. The latter's object is to have the examinations conducted by Canadian musicians who, they claim, are fully capable.

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A TREACHEROUS ATTACK

Made by Filipinos Upon Americans.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER]
MANILA, May 30.—Capt. Tilley, of the Signal Corps, with a detachment made up of other members of corps, landed at Escalante to pick up and repair the cable. The natives had a white flag flying over the cable house when the party landed.

The latter, however, were no sooner on the shore than they were fired upon by the natives. They at once took to the water and a number of them were picked up by a boat; but Capt. Tilley and two native men of the party are missing.

The Derby.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]
LONDON, May 30.—The Derby race this year, which will be run on Wednesday is looked upon generally as a walk-over for Flying Fox.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Family of Nine Meet an Awful Death.

SAVANNAH, Ga., May 29.—Mail advices from Hardeeville, S. C., say: About three miles from this village, on the Oestrecher farm, on Tuesday night, May 23, occurred a terrible tragedy, in which nine persons lost their lives. A two story frame building on the farm was occupied by Jacob Solomons, his wife and seven children, the eldest aged 16 years and the youngest an infant of one year.

"On Wednesday some one passing saw that the house was gone, and on approaching to investigate found that every vestige of it was burned and the bodies of the nine occupants, or rather the charred trunks of nine human bodies, were lying in the ashes.

"The coroner's inquest, held on the 25th inst., disclosed these facts. That the house was occupied by Solomons and his family and was shattered in the lower story by the last autumnal storm, which also carried away the chimneys; that Solomons had resorted to the makeshift of building two fires, one to cook on and the other for warmth, inside the lower stories of the house, and two circular mill saws, raised from the board floor on small pieces of iron. The smoke, sparks and flame escaped from the fire as best they could."

TO CONSULT HER CHILDREN

Queen Victoria Wants Advice as to an Optical Operation.

LONDON, May 24.—It is announced that her Majesty Queen Victoria will almost immediately consult with her children and grandchildren as to when she will have an operation performed on one of her eyes. As was recently announced, she has been troubled with a malady therein for some time, which can only be relieved by an operation. The question is whether at her advanced age the strain on her nervous system might not entail too great a risk.

Chinese Situation.

SHANGHAI, May 29.—The China Gazette says that Great Britain has agreed to transfer Wei-Hai-Wei to Germany, two years hence, for German concessions in South Africa.

LONDON, May 27.—The Shanghai correspondent of the Daily Mail says: Orders have been issued from Peking directing the viceroys and governors of the neighboring provinces to put all their forces on a war footing, owing to the arrival of six Italian warships in San Moon harbor. It is thought also that the Chinese propose to drive the Germans from Shao-Tung peninsula.

Transvaal Affairs.

PRETORIA, May 29.—The Volksraad, in secret session yesterday, discussed the forthcoming conference at Bloemfontein, capital of the Orange Free State, between the British high commissioner for South Africa and the governor of Cape Colony, Sir Alfred Milner, and President Kruger, and authorized the president to cross the frontier for this purpose.

Sugar.

HALIFAX, May 27.—The largest estimates of the year's sugar crop place the world's output at 68,601 tons increase over that of last year, while there will be fully 300,000 tons increase in consumption. This will make it necessary to draw on the reserve stock to the extent of about 200,000 tons. This reserve stock is estimated at 400,000 tons.

SCHOONER SUNK THIS MORNING

Accident Occured Near Block House

THE SCHOONER WAS OWNED IN CRAPAUD

Captain Delisle Says the Schooner was to Blame.

The schooner Janie M., owned by Mr. A. Bryan, of Crapaud, discharged a cargo of coal for Peake Bros., & Co., yesterday, and this morning left for Bathurst.

About half past eight, as she was going out the harbor she met the steamer Tiber this side of the block house, and the two came into collision.

The steamer struck the schooner at her fore-rigging, and she went down almost immediately.

Two of the schooner's crew were taken on board the Tiber, and two remained in the schooner's boat. Subsequently the two on the steamer went back to the boat with their shipmates, and the Tiber came on to Charlottetown.

Captain Delisle, of the Tiber, places the blame for the accident on the schooner. He says she went around on her port bow, close to the steamer and to the shore, and seemed to hang on there. Filling her sails she kept on. He ordered the backing of the engines, but it was too late to avert disaster. The Tiber was not injured.

Members of the crew of the Janie M. say the Tiber was steaming right along, and the schooner was standing in the wind across the harbor. The steamer crashed into the schooner, cutting her almost through, causing her to sink to the water's edge. Her foremast was also broken in several places.

Captain McLellan was at the wheel at the time and had his arm badly injured.

The tug Nelson was near by when the accident occurred, and stood by the wreck until the arrival of the Aitken. Between the two tugs the schooner was towed to a position on the west side of Connolly's wharf, where she is an object of much interest.

It is understood that proceedings in Admiralty will be instituted.

The Janie M., was about 65 tons burden.

PRINCIPAL GRANT

Criticizes Ontario School System.

OTTAWA, May 29.—Addressing the Carleton County Teacher's Association, Principal Grant, of Queen's University, dealt a hard blow at the Ontario public school system. He stated that Ontario had passed from a state of disorganization to a worse state of organization. In the old stage, all depended on the pupil's own independence. Now a teacher could only reach him through class and study organization, which was not effective. He also deplored the fact that the pupil's early efforts were devoted so much to written examinations, thus cramping the mind and destroying the vitality. No two minds were alike, yet, according to the Ontario system, all were passed through the one groove of study. According to modern ideas, the study of abstracts was given the preference over the realities, whereas but one mind in a hundred was capable of dealing with the abstract.

A Big Jump.

NEW YORK, May 29.—Howard Kretz, a young man about 22 years of age, who says he is an art student of the Academy of Design in this city, made a startling and successful jump from the Brooklyn bridge just before dark this evening, and came out of the water uninjured.

Officers Elected.

OTTAWA, May 27.—The Royal Society elected the following officers. Rev. Professor Clarke, president; Sir John Boninot, hon. secretary; Dr. Fletcher, treasurer. Hon. Joseph Royal was elected president of the French literary section.

Frosts in England.

LONDON, May 29.—Recent heavy frosts have done a great deal of damage to fruits and vegetation throughout some of the most fertile districts of England. The result will be that other countries will have to be drawn on by the English fruit-dealers.

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