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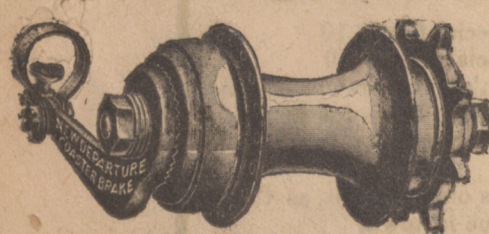
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TELEPHONE BILL.

**Bell Company Seeking Parliamentary Author-
ity to Increase its Capital Stock
from Ten to Fifty Millions.**

Ottawa, May 9.—(Special).—The railway committee of the House of Commons had under consideration today a bill to increase the capital stock of the Bell Telephone Company. Mr. Bureau, of Three Rivers, who has charge of the bill, said that the present capital stock was \$10,000,000 and the bill asked for an increase of an amount not exceeding \$50,000,000. This includes the \$10,000,000 which the company now had. He said that forty per cent. of the capital invested had to be used for new business and it was necessary for the company to look ahead fifteen years. Mr. Lafleur, K. C., explained why it was necessary to increase the capital stock. He said that the estimated expenditure for the current year was \$4,500,000. In ten years the increased capital asked for would

all be required. The present capital stock was \$5,500,000 in Ontario \$1,500,000 in Quebec. There were nine million paid up in capital stock and the company had only one million to go on. It was necessary to get increased capital for new business for placing their wires underground, and for long distance lines. The growth of business in the new provinces in the west was phenomenal. The company was only able to accommodate some five thousand farmers, while there ought to be 50,000 farmers having telephones. Representatives from the cities of Toronto, Montreal, Hamilton and Ottawa were present, and the question arose as to whether the delegates were to be heard first, or as to what was to be done with the capital stock before municipal council was taken up.

THE PRINCE'S VISIT.

**H. R. H. of Connaught, Having Strenuous
Days at Montreal--Sails for Home
Tomorrow.**

Montreal, May 9.—(Special).—Several new features were introduced in Prince Arthur's programme today. This morning was free from public engagements, but private social calls took his time. Almost immediately after breakfast his first visit was paid to the residence of Sir George Drummond, where H. R. H. viewed a number of new portraits and other paintings, after which he was shown over the Bank of Montreal. From the heart of the city the Prince then drove out to the Hunt Club, where he was privately entertained at luncheon by Sir Montague Allan. This afternoon and evening the Prince will be busily occupied opening the horse show in the afternoon and returning to the same in the evening. After dinner at Ravenscrag tonight he goes on board the Virginian, sailing at day-break tomorrow for England.

S. SCHOFIELD DEAD.

**Prominent St. John Citizen and Well Known
Steamship Agent Succumbs After
Lengthy Illness.**

St. John, May 9.—(Special).—Samuel Schofield, a leading shipping man, and prominent citizen died this afternoon after a long illness from a complication of diseases. Mr. Schofield was a prominent member of the Board of Trade, and an authority on matters pertaining to the port of St. John. He was 64 years old and a son of the late Rev. George Schofield. He was born in England and lived some years in Newfoundland before coming to St. John. His wife predeceased him but he leaves two sons, Harold C. and Henry W., both in business with him, and a daughter, Florence at home. He was in the lumber business many years before becoming a ship broker, establishing firm of S. Schofield & Sons. He was agent for many prominent steamship lines, including Pickford and Black, the Donaldsons, Dominion and others and held the Furness Line agency for many years.

GOLF CLUB KILLS BOY.

Fatal Accident at Coaticook, Quebec.

Montreal, May 9.—(Special).—A dispatch from Coaticook, Que., says that Ralph McCutcheon, the nine-year-old son of W. T. McCutcheon, Grand Trunk Agent, is dead as a result of a blow on the forehead from a golf club on the golf course. He was standing close beside H. Moyle, who was using an "iron." The latter missed the ball, and young McCutcheon got the full force of the club on the head. He died two hours afterwards. The coroner registered a verdict of accidental death.

Mr. James S. Cliff, of Lower Line, Queensbury, was in the city today and brought with him a large supply of his celebrated maple sugar products.

THE STOCK MARKET.

**Montreal Trading Takes Stronger
Tone--Havana Prfd. Jumped
to Par.**

Montreal, May 9.—(Special).—There was a strong tone in stocks this morning, but no important changes occurred outside of Havana Electric Pfd., which jumped to par. Other issues were as follows: Detroit, 94½ to 1. Dominion Iron, 28½, 29. Dominion Bonds, 85. Toledo, 11. Twin City, 134½. Canadian Pacific, 159½. MacKay, 64 to 1. Toronto Railway, 115. Havana Electric, pfd., 100. Montreal Power, 90 3-8, 91. Illinois Traction, pfd., 94, 94. Havana Electric, 48, 48½, 48½. Toledo Ry. and Light, 30½, 31, 31.

WATCHING THE CZAR.

**Russia's Ruler Taking Great Risks to
Attend Opening of First
Parliament.**

St. Petersburg, May 9.—Although there are few surface indications of the fact, an earnest duel is in progress between the police and Terrorists and revolutionists who are thronging to the capital, alert for any opportunity to strike Emperor Nicholas or other marked men among the officials gathered here for the opening of the national parliament. Precautionary measures on an extensive scale have been taken. The police have been reinforced by the finest men from interior cities. The railroads are being watched most diligently, but a search of the baggage of three members of the lower branch of parliament was the only public incident in a campaign yesterday, by which several Terrorists were so quickly bagged that the general public was not aware of the arrests. In order to safeguard the emperor in his passage up the river on Thursday, the time of his arrival and departure is being kept secret. The Nicholas Palace bridges, through draws of which the imperial yacht must pass, will be closed to traffic from daylight on Thursday until the departure of the Emperor. The general public will not even be admitted to a long distance view of the yacht from the palace of the admiralty or the quays lining the river front, admission to which and to the palace square, will be by ticket only. The prefect of police in an order issued today which is worded in contrast with former notifications, in the most polite terms, asks the public to keep moving while in the streets, and concluded that "in order to avoid encounters which might cast a shadow over the solemn day, processions and demonstrations will not be permitted."

According to present plans, the speech from the throne will give the constitutional democrats no point for criticism in the parliament's reply. The Associated Press was informed that the speech will not touch on politics or suggest programmes. In substance it will simply be a greeting to the emperor's new collaborators in legislation.

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HUNDREDS DYING

OF FEVER.

**Col. A. W. Foster Tells of Awful
Conditions in Central America.**

Montreal, May 9.—Colonel A. W. Foster, of Chicago, who has returned from a visit to Central America, and who included the Isthmus of Panama within the circuit of his travels, stated at the C. P. R. general offices that in his opinion as long a period was occupied by Rip Van Winkle's prolonged slumber in the Cats-Kill Mountains, will elapse before the railways of the continent need fear the opposition that will confront them from that much debated but alluring waterway. "The difficulties in the way of construction are," said he, "enormous, but I would not say insuperable. The work can only be accomplished at so great an expenditure of human life that I do not believe the American people, when the facts are put fully before them, will sanction its continuance. Millions are already being expended on the most dismal ditch that the wit of man ever set itself to devise."

"How many people are employed there?" he was asked. "Thousands, and out of every thousand the deaths are numbered by the hundreds. It is not alone the malarial fever but yellow fever and other tropical diseases do their deadly part in cutting off the race. The pestilential lagoons are infected with the worst kind of mosquitoes, and these carry poison into the human system wherever they come in contact with the blood of man."

MINERS' STRIKE.

**All the Men at Work in Mundie Co.'s
Mines Walked Out Today.**

Amherst, N. S., May 9.—(Special).—A gentleman from River Herbert informed your correspondent, that all the men, numbering upwards of 150, operating the Mundie Mining Company's mines at River Herbert, went out on strike this morning. Just what the trouble is, could not be learned, but there has been dissatisfaction brewing for some time.

REACHING AN AGREEMENT.

Ottawa, May 9.—(Special).—The Sunday observance bill committee has concluded taking evidence, and will meet shortly to frame its bill. The Lord's Day Alliance has made certain concessions in regard to running trains and loading vessels which will greatly assist the committee.

THE EDUCATION BILL.

**Lloyd George Declares Clericalism is the Foe
of the Democracy--Discussion of
Denominational Rights.**

London, May 9.—In the course of the debate in the house of commons yesterday on the education bill, David Lloyd-George, president of the board of trade, answering the claim of Former Premier Balfour, Conservative, for a logical settlement of the educational question, said it was easier to be logical in criticism than in action.

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those of the poor, despised chapels were of no account? If a right were given one denomination it should be given all. The bill assumes that the non-conformists would not do anything but pay the rates and obey the law, and that it was the business of the Anglicans to make the law and profit thereby. States, Mr. Lloyd-George said, do not bring up sectarian, but citizens. The government remedy for the difficulty was a common syllabus. It seemed to him the differences were largely artificial in Protestant churches and that the real difference between the advanced theologians and the old was one of political differences between Liberals and Conservatives. "What is occurring in England," Mr. Lloyd-George said, "was part of a general movement that had occurred in every democratic country in the world. There were three democratic countries—America, France and England. What is taking place in those countries, showed that democracy had come to the conclusion that clericalism is its enemy. There was no use in saying there was hatred of a special church, it was the instinct of three great democratic peoples moving towards what they believed was liberty of conscience. The people had made up their minds to stand and rally round the Bible, which they were anxious should be placed in the hands of their children, that no ecclesiastical or politician should be allowed to interfere between a child and the great book which had saved England from darkness in the past and would continue to illumine the gloom that might oppress her in the future, and principles which would perhaps help bring about a better state of things than their parents had enjoyed."

GARRISON TRANSFER.

Canadian Troops are Now in Possession of Esquimaux.

Victoria, B. C., May 9.—(Special).—The Canadian government took over the defence at Esquimaux, yesterday afternoon. Of the imperial troops only forty took service with the Canadian government, and the remainder will leave for England on Friday.

APPEAL TO PRIVY COUNCIL

**Cushing Sulphite Co. Not Satisfied
with Canadian Supreme Court's
Decision.**

Litigation with respect to the affairs of the Cushing Sulphite Co. of St. John, is not yet at an end, and the case is to be carried to the privy council.

Ottawa, May 9.—In the supreme court yesterday, the arguments were concluded in the case of the Cushing Sulphite Fibre Company vs. Cushing on the motion to quash the appeal. The court held that the only controversy was as to the validity of the winding up order, that there was no pecuniary amount of \$3,000 involved directly as required, to give the Supreme Court of Canada jurisdiction to hear an appeal, under the seventy-sixth section of the winding up act, from a winding up order, although indirectly hundreds of thousands of dollars' worth of property might be affected. As the jurisdiction of the court, thus limited, was not objected to in the factum or notice, the appeal was quashed without costs.

The company proposes to take a further appeal from the judgment of the supreme court to the privy council.

TWO MEN DROWNED.

**Lost Their Lives from a Canoe Upset
on the Penobscot.**

Old Town, Me., May 9.—By the upsetting of their canoe yesterday in the turbulent flood that sweeps down the Penobscot River in the spring, Harry F. Semen of Philadelphia and Wm. B. Russell of Boston were drowned and Wm. B. Ramsden was saved just as he was being carried over the new concrete dam.

The three young men were returning in a canoe during the afternoon from Indian Island in the Penobscot river to this town. The current

swept them gradually towards the dam and realizing that they could not paddle to safety they abandoned the canoe and leaped into the water. Although they were all fair swimmers they could make no headway against the stream and were carried steadily down towards the dam.

Their plight was seen from the shore and workmen ran out on the walk over the dam in the hope of snatching the victims from the water as they swept underneath. Ramsden was the only one they could reach and as he tossed up his arms, willing hands pulled him out to safety. The other two members of the party went over the falls.

Semen was about thirty-four years old. He and Ramsden were members of the Side Tracked theatrical troupe playing here. Russell was about twenty years old and was a brakeman on the Bangor & Aroostook Railroad.

**DIG UP RIB 40,000 YEARS IN
GROUND.**

**Six-Foot Bone of Mammoth or Whale
is Found at Newburyport.**

Newburyport, May 9.—While excavating for an addition to the Educator bakery on Titcomb street, recently, workmen dug up a rib bone 6 feet 5 inches long, supposedly of a mammoth or right whale, and probably from 30,000 to 50,000 years old.

When the pickaxe first struck the obstruction it was thought to be a low lying root of a tree. Upon closer examination, however, its hard formation showed beyond a doubt that it was a bone, but of what animal one knew.

The bone is bow-shaped, with the curvature more marked near the ends instead of being gradual. While 6 feet 5 inches in length, it is 5 feet across from tip to tip, and the height when both ends rest on the ground is 1 foot 8 inches.

A bakery has long been carried on at the place where the bone was found. It was here that the expedition of Arnold was fitted out for the invasion of Canada in 1775.

The curiosity has already attracted great attention, and the scientists of the Peabody Academy of Science at Salem hope to have it in this museum as a loan, if not as a permanent exhibit. When Prof. Sears of Salem saw the relic and examined the character of the soil in which it was found he concluded that it was part of the remains, most likely a rib, of a mammoth of a period ante-dating the glacial area, which might be anywhere from 30,000 to 50,000 years ago.

Director Morse of the same institution later expressed the opinion that it might be the rib of a right whale. **He is anxious to have the bones sent to Salem, when a careful study may be made in order to more definitely determine its true origin and character.** The fossil is in a good state of preservation. Manager Johnson is inclined to send it to the Salem scientists for their inspection.