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SERIOUS DISASTER

Break in Cornwall Canal Badly Handicaps Transportation—Railway Bridge Destroyed by Rush of Water

CORNWALL, Ont., June 23.—(Special)—One of the worst breaks that ever took place in the Cornwall canal, and it certainly was the most disastrous, occurred at the Ontario and New York railway bridge, just above lock 18.

About 4.55 this morning the lock men noticed a leak in the bank about time the water was pouring out of a hole about three feet in diameter, but in half an hour the whole bank for a distance of 150 feet or more, 50 feet west of the bridge, at that point and 25 feet deep, had been torn through the bank, and through this channel the water was pouring down out of the canal into the river, which at this point is over 25 feet lower than the canal level.

As the level, which is 14 miles in length gradually emptied itself, the water from the level below shoved the gates open, and flowed back in to the upper level. Just about six a.m., the pier of the railway draw bridge, which crosses the canal at this point, was so undermined by the water, that it collapsed into the deep bank with the bridge, which is about two hundred feet long. Luckily as there are no night trains on the O. and N. Y. railway, the swing bridge is left open all night, and there is no night watchman. The pier is totally demolished and the bridge is a mass of tangled iron.

As soon as the lockmen discovered the leak, Lockmaster Gomer phoned the news of the impending danger up and down the line, and this no doubt prevented the damage to the canal being greater. The steamship, Samuel Marshall, passed the leak at the moment it was discovered, but managed to get through lock 19 before the break became too large.

The break not only ties up traffic on the Cornwall canal for several weeks, breaks the O. and N. Y. international traffic, but has also interfered with the power plant of the St. Lawrence as the level from which it is supplied, has been lowered.

The Cornwall street railway is also out of business this morning, as they were using their power from the canal. Their auxiliary steam plant will soon be going however.

J. L. Weller, superintendent of the Welland canal, has been ordered to Cornwall as engineer in charge of the repairs. It may require several weeks to repair the washout, and it will take even longer to rebuild the railway swing bridge.

The O. and N. Y. are unfortunate in their bridges. At the time of its construction nine years ago, two spans fell into the south channel, causing the death of fourteen men.

difficult role with perfection, and was frequently applauded by the audience received splendid support from Mr. Sylvester, Mr. Ray, Mr. Barrett, Mr. Pever, Mr. Covert, and Misses McVicker, Lewis, Holby and Dresden and others. The strong feature of the piece was brought out, and the audience manifested the heartiest appreciation.

This evening the Company will present another of Mr. Lewis' great plays entitled "The Will O' The Wisp." It will be put on with special scenery and costumes and is sure to draw a bumper house. The plan of the Opera House is at Wilkes' and already there has been a large advance sale of reserved seats.

SUMNER CHOSEN.

Westmorland Conservatives Nominated him for Parliament

SACKVILLE, June 23.—Fred W. Sumner of Moncton was nominated here yesterday as the Conservative candidate for Ottawa.

Mr. Sumner's nomination followed that of H. A. Powell, St. John, after the latter gentleman had declined to run, and soon after the convention met the nominating committee retired, but it was not until about 5.30 that the committee reported in favor of Mr. Powell.

Mr. Powell's refusal was presented to the convention by Senator Wood, and the names of Sumner and C. Lionel Hanington of Dorchester were then balloted upon. Sumner received 155 votes and Hanington 94.

On motion of Mr. Hanington the nomination was made unanimous. Mr. Sumner was not present, and it is not known positively whether or not he will accept it, though it is understood that he will.



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On account of Buster being in Wood stock Wednesday and Thursday he will appear here Friday and Saturday.

HIS MAJESTY AND THE MAID

Mary Emerson and Her Company Made Fine Hit at Opera House

Miss Mary Emerson and her talented company gave a production of the great drama "His Majesty and the Maid," at the Opera House last evening before a large and representative audience and made a decided hit. Miss Emerson more than sustained the high reputation as a charming and gifted actress that had preceded her to this city. The play, which was composed by Mr. Samuel Lewis, the genial manager of the Company, was one of the best seen in this city for a long time. It is entirely free from objectionable features and the interest of the audience is maintained throughout. The scenery and costumes were on a magnificent scale in keeping with the high character of the piece and were much admired by the audience.

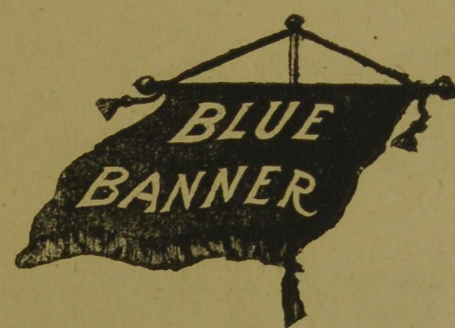
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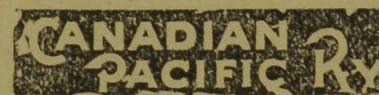
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