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Over Three Hundred Men Either Dead or in Danger of Death.

Bishop of Manchester Conducts Open Air Service.

Bolton, Eng., Dec. 25.—More than 300 colliers lost their lives yesterday in the explosion in the Little Hulton colliery of the Hulton Colliery Company, which is located a short distance outside this city.

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This report was communicated to the anxious crowds around the pit mouth, after which the Bishop of Manchester conducted a touching service in the open air, and the crowd dispersed.

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At 9.30 a. m. word was received at the uptown office of the department that the body of Marshal Horan had been taken from the ruins.

The entire crews of engine companies 51 and 53 are said to be among the dead. In addition, six members of another company, 29, and a few of No. 48 were killed.

At 9 o'clock the fire was not under control. Assistant Fire Marshal Chas. Zyerlich, who assumed the leadership after Marshal Horan fell, was at that hour said to be alarmed over the situation of the fire spreading. He declared that the water supply was inadequate and that there was danger the loss would run into millions of dollars if the flames were not soon quenched.

NEW BRUNSWICK PRISONER SETS FIRE TO HIMSELF

Napanee Man Drops Dead in a Rochester Bar-room.

Young Girl Dies of a Dog Bite Two Years Ago.

THE BOY SCOUTS

Provincial Organization With Lieut. Gov. Gibson at Its Head.

Earl Grey Talks of Canadian Children Without Manners.

Toronto despatch: Earl Grey, Governor-General of Canada, took an active part in the beginning of a Provincial organization of the Boy Scouts in Toronto yesterday.

Toronto despatch: The development of the situation of the Farmers Bank of Canada, and the arrest yesterday afternoon of W. R. Travers, General Manager, on a charge of having made false statements respecting the affairs of the bank, was the subject of a warrant issued on instructions from Mr. J. Seymour Corley, K. C., Crown Attorney, early in the afternoon, and was executed a few hours later by Detectives Murray and Newton.

The Crown Attorney's action followed a conference with Mr. James Bicknell, C. J., legal adviser of the attorney, Mr. E. F. Clarkson, and the Bankers' Association.

With the warrant in their possession the detectives at once took steps to carry it into effect, and shortly after 5 o'clock Mr. Travers was apprehended on King street. He accompanied the officers to the detective department at the City Hall, where the following charge was formally preferred:

"That the said W. R. Travers during January and the following months of 1910, down to December 15, of the year 1910, being Vice-President and General Manager of the Farmers Bank, one of the chartered banks of Canada, did willfully make false statements respecting the affairs of the said bank in making returns to the Minister of Finance and the Receiver-General during the said months, and particularly did falsely state in each of the said returns the amounts of railway and other bonds, debentures and stocks and bonds in Canada held by the said bank as part of the assets."

At the request of Mr. Travers efforts were made to get into communication with Mr. E. H. Dewart, K. C., his counsel, and about an hour later the latter appeared on the scene. Bail was fixed, at \$20,000, which was furnished by Mr. Abe Orpen, whereupon the bank manager was released.

Seen later Mr. Travers declined to make an statement, explaining that he had been advised by his counsel to say nothing at the present time. "All I can say," he said, "is that I am not worrying."

I understand the warrant was issued shortly after 1 o'clock, and it was after 5 o'clock before it was executed. I wish it to be understood that there was no attempt on my part to evade it, as I was about town all afternoon, and was surprised to find that such action had been deemed necessary. I have had considerable banking experience, and I do not know how it was possible for my curator to satisfy himself within twenty-four hours that false statements had been made every month for so long a time. I can only say, however, that the prosecution has to say before I express any opinion. It will be noted that the charge is that Mr. Travers has made a false statement every month during the year 1910. That, of course, is a pretty serious allegation, but the charge has been made, and we are prepared to meet it."

The Crown Attorney, when interviewed, stated that he had initiated criminal proceedings upon the representations of the Bankers' Association. He declined, however, to furnish any details as to the alleged false returns, basing his reticence upon a request by that association to withhold information from the public until the evidence was adduced in court.

Mr. Travers will probably be formally arraigned at the Police Court this morning and will plead not guilty. It is not yet decided when the case will proceed. Proceedings are taken under the Banking Act, provision of which makes it an offence punishable by a term of imprisonment for the furnishing to the

NEWS OF THE DAY IN BRIEF

Should Show Seed at the Winter