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IT IS TIME TO THINK OF A New Clothing Outfit.

The suit you have been wearing all Summer is not in keeping with these cool September days. You feel this yourself. A new clothing outfit would brighten you up wonderfully, make you feel and look a hundred per cent. better, make you worth more to your business. You are invited to drop into these stores and try on one of the new suits or overcoats we have received within the last few days. They are models of perfection. The style, make, fit and price will be a revelation to you.

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Men's Suits - 5.00 to 20.00

Ask to see our New Coat Sweaters, Men's, \$1.00 up; Boys', 75c. up.

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PEARY GIVES THE LIE TO COOK; SAYS HE NEVER SAW THE POLE

PEARY SOUNDS PRAISES OF MEMBERS OF HIS PARTY

Past Experience and Better Equipment Aided Him in Great Achievement—The Last Steps of the Journey which Has Stirred the World.

BATTLE HARBOR, Sept. 11.—Via Wireless.—The rest can be easily told. McMillan and Borup had started for the Greenland coast to deposit caches for me. Before I arrived a flying Eskimo courier from me overtook them with instructions that the caches were no longer needed and that they were to concentrate their energies on tidal observations, etc., at Morris Jesup and north from there.

THE ROOSEVELT'S CRUISE. "These instructions were carried out and after their return in the latter part of May McMillan—masses, some further tidal observations at other points. The supplies remaining at the various caches were reduced. On July 18 the Roosevelt left her winter quarters and was driven out into the channel back of Caspion. She fought her way south in the centre of the channel and passed Cape Sabine on Aug. 8, or thirty-nine days earlier than in 1908 and thirty-two days earlier than the British expedition in 1874.

"We picked up Whitney and his party and the stores at Etah. We killed seventy odd walrus for my Eskimos, whom I landed at their homes. We met the Jeanie of Saunders Island and took over her coal, and cleared from the York on August 29, one month earlier than in 1908.

On Sept. 5 we arrived at Indian Harbor, whence the message, 'Stars and Stripes paled to North Pole,' was sent following westward through the crisp Labrador air.

THE CULMINATION OF THE PROBLEM.

"A thorough knowledge of the conditions of the problem, gained in the last expedition—these, together with a new type sledging outfit, a new type of both dogs and driver, and a new type of camp cooler which added to the comfort and increased the hours of sleep of the members of the party, combine to make the present expedition an agreeable improvement upon the last in respect to the rapidity and effectiveness of its work and the lessened discomfort and strain upon the members of the party.

PRAISE FOR HIS MEN. "As to the personnel, I have again been particularly fortunate. Captain Bartlett is just what I needed—clever, sleepless, enthusiastic, whether on the bridge or in the crowd's nest or at the head of a sledge expedition in the field. "Dr. Goodell, the surgeon of the expedition, not only looked after his health and his own specialty of microscopy, but took his full share of the field work of the expedition as well, and was always ready for any work. "Prof. Marvin and McMillan secured a mass of scientific data, having made all the tidal and most of the field work and their activities were invaluable in every way.

FORMER ST. JOHN WOMAN IS SUING FOR SEPARATION

Mrs. Horatio N. Arnold of Sussex Alleges Cruel Treatment on Part of Husband and Stepchildren—Forced Her to Leave Her Own Farm

FREDERICTON, N. B., Sept. 11.—The case of Arnold vs. Arnold, which will be tried at the October term of the divorce court, will bring into the limelight the matrimonial troubles of a prominent Kings Co. family well known throughout the province. The plaintiff in the case is Mrs. Isabel Arnold of Sussex and the defendant is Mr. Horatio Arnold of the same place, farmer and milk dealer.

The plaintiff, who was Miss Isabel Humphrey, a school teacher by profession, was married to the defendant at St. John on Jan. 14, 1891. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. W. Little, then of Sussex, at the residence of plaintiff's brother, Robt. B. Humphrey. The defendant was a widower, his first wife having died in 1888, and he had three children by his first wife. The two surviving children are Alice Lillian Arnold and Wm. Arnold, both of Sussex. The plaintiff asks for separation on the ground of cruel treatment, and these two children of the defendant play an important part in the case. It is stated that the defendant lived at Sussex with his mother and three children, one of whom has since died,

DECLARES THE DOCTOR HAS SIMPLY HANDED THE PUBLIC A GOLD BRICK

And That He Himself Has Absolute Proof of This—Says the Affair Will Naturally Settle Itself.

(Copyright by N. Y. Times Syndicate.) BATTLE HARBOR, Labrador (via Marconi wireless) Sept. 11, 1909. Peary will remain here three or four days coaling and overhauling ship. I expect to arrive at Sydney about Sept. 15. Do not trouble about Cook's story or attempt to explain any discrepancies in his statements. The affair will settle itself. He has not been at the pole on April 21, 1908 or any other time. He has simply handed the public a gold brick. These statements are made advisedly and I have proof of them. When he makes a full statement of his journey over his signature to some geographical society or other reputable body it that statement contains the claim that he has discovered the pole I shall be in a position to furnish material that may prove distinctly interesting reading matter for the few. (Signed) ROBERT E. PEARY

U. M. W. REPRESENTATIVES ADVISE GRAND OFFICERS TO SETTLE THE SYDNEY STRIKE

Report That Strikers are Poor Fighters; Clamoring for Clothes and Provisions; Will Take More Money Than Organizations Can Afford to Keep the Strike Running.

MONTREAL, Sept. 11.—Information has leaked out and comes to Montreal today in a wire from the United States to the effect that the representative of the United Mine Workers of America in charge of affairs at Glace Bay has advised their grand officers at Indianapolis that the strikers there are poor

SECOND EDITION

COUNSEL CONTINUE ENERGETIC CONTEST AT THE McDUGALL TRIAL

Wrangling Over Admissability of Evidence—Most of It is Accepted—Chief Rideout Says That He is Not a Robber—Postmaster, Telegraph Operator and Express Clerk Give Evidence.

At sharp ten o'clock this morning the McDougall case was resumed. Attorney General—May it please your Honor, Mr. Juror Lantaulum, who is an auctioneer, has a sale at sharp twelve today. I would ask your Honor to adjourn at a quarter to twelve.

His Honor—"Certainly." When the court adjourned last night the Attorney General had offered a number of letters addressed to the prisoner and seized by Chief Rideout. Ritchie objected to the letters being received in evidence. This morning the Attorney General argued that the letters were admissible and cited the case of R. vs. Cooke (Howard's S. T.) and read a passage from Wigmore's Canadian edition on the law of evidence. "The rule seems to be," continued Mr. Hazen, "that letters found in the possession of a man is prima facie evidence against him." The Attorney General said that these letters go to prove that the prisoner is the editor.

Attorney General to Witness Rideout—"Were these letters, some addressed to McDougall and to Lodge—were they on separate files or were they filed together?" Ans.—"They were all mixed up."

Mr. Ritchie in support of the objection contended that this matter as debatable and the authority cited by his learned friend was open to criticism. "I will not press the objection, my Lord," said Mr. Ritchie, "but I think a case should be reserved on that point."

The Attorney General—"I submit that a case should not be reserved on this point. My learned friend can move the full court." The court—"It is a very close question. I will not admit the evidence." The Attorney General intimated that he would move for a case reserved for the crown. Witness identified a printed envelope "C. Bruce McDougall, editor of Free Speech, Moncton, N. B. Box 238." The Attorney General offered this in evidence.

Witness told about making the search of Free Speech office. He had to open the door of the office. His authority was a search warrant issued by Magistrate Kay, W. B. Chandler, K. C., directed him to obtain warrant. At 9.30 on August 21st, the issue was seized along with the letters. Q.—"They tell me you are antagonistic to the prisoner?" Ans.—"Not on the stand nor in the course of my duty as policeman."

Witness said that McDougall termed him a thief in Free Speech. Q.—"Are you?" Ans.—"Emphatically—"No, sir."

JASPER W. STEEVES, Jasper W. Steeves, C. P. R. telegraph operator of Moncton, was next sworn. His Honor formally ordered the company to produce telegrams relating to McDougall. Witness said that he took a message over the phone. Q.—"Whose voice was it?" Ans.—"I do not know."

Q.—"Whose do you think it was?" Objected to. Mr. Baxter—"I offer this telegram in evidence."

Mr. Ritchie—"I object." After some argument the telegram was admitted subject to objection. Two other telegrams were received in evidence. These telegrams were to the Union Cigar Store, St. John.

Officer Joseph Stora was the next witness. Witness told about arresting Merliss and Oloits, the two Greeks who were the agents here in St. John for Free Speech.

Witness identified a number of papers of Free Speech which he found in the shoe shining store. These papers contained the libels contained in the indictment.

E. H. CAMERON, Ernest H. Cameron, cashier in the Canadian Express Co. here was the next witness. Witness' evidence was of a formal nature. He identified stubs of money orders sent by McDougall to Merliss.

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