

ST. CLAIR FRANCIS HAS BEEN CAPTURED AT LAST

Utterly Exhausted and Helpless, With Feet Cut and Frozen, He Was Caught in a Barn in Small Village—A Story of the Pursuit

THOMASTON, Me., Nov. 28.—Minot St. Clair Francis, the negro convict and desperado, who was captured this morning in Bangor, reached the state prison here at 10.30 o'clock tonight, and half an hour later was once more locked in his cell after being absent without leave for fifteen days and six hours. He was in a bad condition physically, and upon the arrival of the train in Rockland tonight from Bangor, Francis, who was shackled to Deputy Marshal Leader, had to be assisted to a carriage by Warden Eaton and two of his officers.

A dense crowd had gathered at the station, to see the man who had terrorized the vicinity for the past two weeks, but there was no demonstration when he was half carried from the train. The carriage drove off once for the prison. Upon being taken into the warden's office, Francis was examined by Dr. Walker, the prison physician, who found that his feet were lacerated and swollen, and that his right wrist was sprained. He wore considerable clothing, having on two overcoats, a jacket, a vest, two sweaters, four shirts, besides two suits of underclothing.

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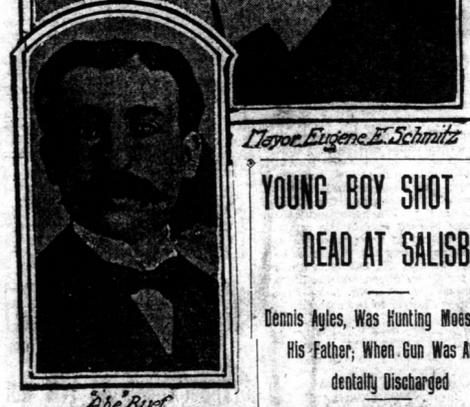
MAYOR SCHMITZ OF SAN FRANCISCO ARRESTED ON HIS ARRIVAL IN CALIFORNIA



Francis J. Haney

TRUCKEE, Cal., Nov. 28.—Mayor Eugene E. Schmitz of San Francisco, who with his wife is returning from a trip to Europe, was arrested here this afternoon by Deputy Sheriff Knox on an indictment of extortion found by a jury in San Francisco. The indicted official seems to feel his arrest keenly. Mrs. Schmitz seemed entirely unnerfed at the arrest of her husband. The tears came to her eyes and she appeared to be very much worried. Mayor Schmitz did not emerge from the car drawing room, where he was closeted with Abraham Roof.

Francis J. Haney is another San Francisco official who was accused of crooked work.



Mayor Eugene E. Schmitz

YOUNG BOY SHOT DEAD AT SALISBURY

Dennis Ayles, Was Hunting Moose With His Father; When Gun Was Accidentally Discharged

MONCTON, N. B., Nov. 28.—News reached the city tonight of a fatal shooting accident at Salisbury, the victim of which was Dennis Ayles, the only son of Hillman Ayles of Cherryvale. In company with his father, the young lad was out moose hunting. John C. Milton's young son also accompanied them. The young man met death by his own gun. He was at some distance from the others when the accident occurred, and the lad's father, hearing the report, looked around and saw the boy fall. The shot had entered below the jaw, severing the jugular vein and passing out through the head. It is thought the discharge was caused by the boy pulling the gun over a brush pile.

PLAN A BIG HOTEL FOR FREDERICTON

FREDERICTON, N. B., Nov. 29.—It is reported today that negotiations are under way for the transfer of the Barker House to a number of well known citizens who purpose forming a joint stock company with the object of purchasing the property and running one of the finest hotels in the maritime provinces. The purchasers are said to include some of Fredericton's wealthiest men and the intention of the buyers is to take over not only the present hotel, building but also the premises next door occupied by M. Pickler & Co. and combine the two into one. The entire lower floor will be turned into offices, which will make them among the finest in Canada. Arrangements are reported to be progressing most favorably towards carrying out the intended object.

THE ROOSEVELT WILL COME TO ST. JOHN

NORTH SYDNEY, Nov. 28.—All yesterday afternoon Diver Scott had been engaged in ascertaining and repairing the damage to the Arctic steamer Roosevelt resulting from her trip north. Diver Scott will continue his work, and expects to finish this afternoon. Outside the two flanges of the propeller a considerable portion of the keel is gone, but otherwise her planking is safe, and it is likely the steamer will not require any further repairs until she reaches New York. Capt. Bartlett expects to take the Roosevelt to the International pier this evening or tomorrow, when she will receive bunkers, sailing immediately afterwards for New York.

Pilot Camp will accompany the steamer as far as St. John, N. B., where another pilot will relieve him and go the remainder of the journey with Capt. Bartlett. The latter deems it advisable to take this route owing to the ship's condition and the fact that it would be somewhat dangerous to take the usual course on account of the frail temporary steering gear now on the Roosevelt.

CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Peterson*

SHOT BY BROTHER WILL LIKELY DIE

Small Boy Playing With Gun, Pulled Trigger Ball Passed Through Young Man's Neck Lodging in Wall Behind—Blood Poisoning Feared

FREDERICTON, Nov. 28.—Shot by a rifle in the hands of his younger brother, Miles Hawkins, son of James Hawkins, a well known farmer of Douglas, York county, may die. The accident, which was of a most shocking and unfortunate nature, occurred last evening in the family home at Douglas. During the afternoon Miles Hawkins and his father had been out hunting, and on their return they were sitting in one of the rooms. Miles' rifle had been found by his younger brother who was playing with it. Later there came a terrific report. The little fellow had pulled the trigger, and a cartridge which had been left in the magazine by mistake had been discharged. The bullet ploughed its way into Miles Hawkins' neck, passing within one-sixteenth of an inch of the spinal column and containing its passage through the neck from side to side, where it continued to the wall behind, through which it passed and out into the field.

Medical assistance was summoned from St. Mary's, and Dr. Mullin hurried to the Hawkins home, where he found Miles suffering excruciating pains, while the family were almost prostrated from the terrible occurrence. The doctor did everything possible to alleviate the sufferings of the young man, and dressed the wound as carefully as he could.

The accident occurred at 8 o'clock, and the doctor worked over his patient until midnight. Owing to the great danger of blood poisoning setting in it is impossible to tell whether young Hawkins will recover or not.

ECZEMA FOR 20 YEARS. "I was troubled with eczema for twenty years and was treated by three doctors to no avail. DR. CHASE'S OINTMENT has cured me completely and I have not had the slightest return of this disease."—John Pratt, Blyth, Huron Co., Ont.

FREDERICTON GIRL WEDS BOSTON MAN

FREDERICTON, N. B., Nov. 28.—This evening, at the residence of the bride's parents, Charlotte street, Miss Bona, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Johnston, was united in marriage by Rev. Willard McDonald to Guy Chelms of Boston. The ceremony took place in the drawing room, which was prettily decorated for the occasion, in the presence of the family and invited guests. The bride was attired in a costume of baby Irish lace over liberty satin and wore a bridal veil with orange blossoms and carried a bouquet of cream roses.

ROMANCE OF PRETTY WOODSTOCK GIRL ENDS IN WEDDING

BOSTON, Nov. 28.—The romance of Miss Margaret Stewart of Woodstock, formerly of St. John, and Edward P. Bulkeley, a wealthy club man of New York and Newport, ended today in the wedding at Lafarge cottage, Newport. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Emery H. Porter, rector of the Emmanuel Episcopal church. Bulkeley is 37 and his bride 23.

The couple met in 1905 at Newport. Bulkeley was seriously ill and Miss Stewart, who had just graduated from the Newport Hospital, was called to attend. He felt that her devotion saved his life and fell in love with the handsome girl. The engagement was announced late last summer, after Miss Stewart had been called from her New Brunswick home to again attend him. Bulkeley is not yet in good health, but is slowly recovering.

PEKING, Nov. 28.—The negotiations for the transfer of Niuchwang from the Japanese to the Chinese authorities are almost completed. It is expected that an agreement on the subject will be signed today or tomorrow.

SUGGESTIONS FOR XMAS GIFTS

CHRISTMAS CRACKERS in Variety, all prices, at GILBEY, Charlotte and Princess.

SANTA CLAUS AT SANBORN'S

A Gift for Mother, nice warm Slippers or Belt Shoes. For Father, Comfortable Kid or Cloth Slippers or Over shoes. For Sister, Nice Evening Slippers, Skating Boots, Overshoes or Gaiters. For Brother, Hacky Bags, Overshoes, Dancing Shoes or Moccasins. SANBORN'S SHOE STORE, 329 Main Street.

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FOR LADIES

A DELICATE, DAINTY, GIFT for refined feminine tastes—a nice Bottle of perfume. The finest French, English, American and Canadian perfumes in beautiful containers, all sizes, from 10c to \$5.00, sold by W. J. McMILLAN, Pharmacist, 625 Main street.

LADIES ARE NOW LOOKING for the finest and most delicate Sachet Powders. They are to be found at the Royal Pharmacy: Aurora, (Lo Treffe), Incarnate, Saffron, Cozyopsis, Redfins, White Heliotrope, Best Quality Powdered Orie Root. We are headquarters for best quality Tooth Powders. S. McDIARMID, King street.

FOR GENTLEMEN

NOTHING NICER than a box of Cigars or a good Pipe for an Xmas Present. Being wholesale agents for a large cigar factory, we are in a better position than our competitors to supply high grade goods at low prices. We also have a very nice line of Post Cards for Xmas. EVANGELINE CIGAR STORE, 733 Main street.

Wire Rope

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We have just received a large stock of **Allan, Whyte & Co's Celebrated Wire Rope** Black and Galvanized. This Rope works where other makes fail. Write or ask us for quotations. **W. H. THORNE & CO., Limited,** Market Square, St. John, N. B.

STOCKHOLM, Nov. 28.—At the forthcoming distributing of Nobel prizes, Prof. Joseph J. Thomson of Cambridge University, England, will be awarded the prize for physics.

WINTER OVERCOATS

Just Received. Very Low Prices.

We have added a very large lot of Winter Overcoats in all sizes within the last few days. They are the newest creations of style, splendidly made and trimmed, and they fit as well as if made to your measure. We have marked the prices very low. We want you to see them, to try one on, they are at least from \$2.00 to \$3.50 below what you can get them elsewhere for.

Men's Overcoats, \$5, 6, 7, 50, 8, 75, 10, to \$24. Boys' Overcoats at \$3.85, 4.50, 5, 6, to \$13.50. Men's D. B. Reefers, at \$3.50, 4.50, 5, to \$8. Boys' D. B. Reefers, at \$1.85, 2.25, 2.75 to \$4.50

See Our Underwear, Shirts, Gloves, Hats and Caps.

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THE FAVORABLE FINANCIAL SHOWING OF INTERCOLONIAL

MONCTON, N. B., Nov. 28.—The financial showing by the I. C. R. continues to be satisfactory. The statement for the fiscal year 1905-1906, submitted to parliament Tuesday, shows a substantial surplus that year exceeding sixty thousand dollars, which is the most revolutionary and favorable change ever effected in any single department of the Dominion public service hitherto in any one year. Usually the months of April, May and June have either wiped out the I. C. R. deficit or created a small surplus, and as these months would be lacking in the present fiscal year the deficit was originally anticipated. The present fiscal year's showing from the revenue standpoint is excellent. From July 1 to Nov. 22, both inclusive, a period of less than five months, the total increase in passenger and freight earnings exceeds the hitherto phenomenal record of the corresponding period in 1905 by no less than \$47,325. The volume of traffic is naturally less now than hitherto this

MEN IN WOMEN'S CLOTHES TERRORIZE CHATHAM PEOPLE

CHATHAM, N. B., Nov. 29.—Chatham is suffering from an epidemic of sneak thievery and residents are alarmed at the boldness and frequency of the depredations. Men dressed in women's clothes go round the road at night and rob clothes lines, houses and stores. In spite of this open display, the police have done nothing and though the men are seen daily on the streets the police do not shadow them nor are they able to catch them in the act. Women are frightened and householders take every precaution to have things carefully locked up.

Last evening two men dressed in women's clothes entered Joe Arsenault's yard, west end, but were seen as they started to clear out the clothes line. Moore and Allen, two young men, gave chase and the robbers sprinted up the back of the exhibit and into the woods back of the race track where they escaped.

A tub of butter was also fished from the pier of Fleeger's house last night. The robbers included valuable furniture and a hat, as well as eatables. One of the sneak thieves stole a Duke street resident's axe out of the woodshed the other night. The same one or another of the gang entered the kitchen in the day time and stole two salt herring out of a pan on the stove. The woman of the house heard the door open, started for the kitchen a moment later, and heard it close but no one was in sight.

LIBERAL Convention Called

To the Liberals of New Brunswick: It is my desire to meet the Liberals of New Brunswick in convention. Nearly three years have elapsed since the last general meeting; it is also the judgment of many friends that such a gathering should take place for the purpose of perfecting party organization in all the counties of the Province. To that end, I would invite all Liberals who can make it convenient to do so to attend at Berryman's Hall, in the City of St. John, on Thursday evening, 27th December next, at 7.30 o'clock. This invitation is extended to all Liberals in New Brunswick who are interested in the success of the party and the good government of the country; but I would especially ask the Liberal Associations and Liberal Clubs of the various counties throughout the Province to select delegates, who shall be authorized to represent them at the convention.

There are many matters of importance to be considered, and it is therefore my earnest wish to have at the convention as many as possible of those who have a real interest in the advancement of Liberalism.

Thursday evening will be devoted to the selection of a Nominating Committee and the arranging of preliminaries. It is possible that an opportunity will be offered for short addresses from representatives of the different counties.

The convention will re-assemble on Friday at 10 o'clock in the forenoon for the transaction of the real business of the gathering. The day will be given up wholly to the work of organization, which, it is hoped will be completed in time to permit the delegates to return to their homes in the evening.

H. R. EMMERSON, Ottawa, Nov. 21st, 1906.

SENT TO PENITENTIARY FOR THROWING STONES AT CAR

TORONTO, Nov. 28.—Found guilty at Hamilton today of throwing stones at a street car Thomas Garrett was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary. The aldermen are still working for a settlement and there is nothing new in the strike situation.

WHOLESALE LIQUORS. WM. L. WILLIAMS, SUCCESSOR to M. A. Finn, Wholesale and Retail Wine and Spirit Merchant, 110 and 112 PRINCE WM. ST. Established 1870. Write for family price list.

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—ALSO— certain leasehold lot of d as follows—"Situate ly- and being part of a lot of to the Justices of the ens County in trust for said County and situate ide of the Front Street in plat as bounded as side line of the Front said Town plat seven e northerly side of the (so called) now owned session of Smith Dingle; e in a northerly direc- e line of said Front eight feet to the upper e cellar; thence east in a to the street leading to e of the said street e feet; thence in a southerly e to the place of begin- e a frontage of ninety- d depth running to shore e Creek. Also to have a in common with the ality of Queens County, for a road from the said nises in a straight line g by the westerly end e wharf across the lot, on e said Orange Hill now a said roadway is only a road, and not for the dling lumber of any de- any other purpose what- eing been demised by a ture of Lease bearing day of May A. D. 1888 pality of the County of said Cyrus P. Scott and Scott; together with the d the buildings, erections ents standing on the said

sale will be made under e of a Power of Sale con- tain indenture of Mort- e first day of November, e between the said t. Cameron L. Scott, Cy- and Rupert DeB. Scott, and me, the undersigned Peters of the second part, n payment of certain Mortgage is recorded in Office for the County of ok C. No. 3 of the Rec- ents County, pages 304-309, e been made in payment e secured by said Mort- e 28th day of November, A.

RGARET L. PETERS, t. STRONG, Solicitor.

Nov. 22.—Jennie You- e daughter of Annie e veteran player, is lying Gerard critically ill. It e is suffering from con-