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THE EVENING TIMES-STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., THURSDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1923

Boy Refuses to Tell Who Hit Him

Portland, Me., Dec. 13.—His heart injured last Tuesday when a youthful opponent in a friendly boxing match struck him a telling blow, Donald White, 11 years old, grammar school pupil, is recovering slowly at a hospital. He has steadily refused to give the name of his adversary, because he says it was "all in fun."

MARRIAGES.

THURMER-SWIFT.—At St. George's Church, Parktown, Johannesburg, South Africa, on November 7, 1923, B. L. Thurmer to Constance S. H. Swift of London, Ontario.

DEATHS

MCPHERSON.—Suddenly, at his home in Evanville, Kings Co., on Dec. 13, 1923, A. J. McPherson, leaving 4 sisters and one brother to mourn.

NOEL.—At Randolph, Dec. 12, 1923, Marcelline, widow of John Noel, in the 65th year of her age, leaving two sons and seven daughters to mourn.

TOLE.—At Bellevue Hospital, New York City, on Dec. 12, 1923, George, son of Rose A. and the late Patrick Tole, leaving his mother, one brother and seven sisters to mourn.

WILSON.—Suddenly, in this city, on Dec. 12, 1923, O. Havoc Wilson, leaving his wife, two sons and two daughters, also two brothers and one sister to mourn.

Funeral on Friday from his late residence, 208 Chesley street. Service at 10 o'clock.

HOGAN.—In this city, on Dec. 12, 1923, Ephraim Hogan, of 223 Winslow st., West St. John, aged 72 years, leaving to mourn his loving wife, two sons, two daughters and a brother.

Funeral will be held at 8:30 o'clock on Friday afternoon, Dec. 13, from 233 Winslow street.

IN MEMORIAM

CLARK.—In loving memory of Ida May Clark, who departed this life Dec. 13, 1920. Gone, but not forgotten.

HUSBAND AND FAMILY.

CLARK.—In loving memory of Samuel S. Clark, who entered into rest at West St. John, Dec. 13, 1916.

WIFE AND FAMILY.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar W. Christopher, 223 Gullford street, St. John West, desire to thank their many friends for their kindness and sympathy during their recent sad bereavement.

FUNERAL NOTICE

Members of the St. John Lodge, No. 10, K. of P., are requested to attend the funeral of our late brother, O. H. WILSON, from the family residence, 208 Chesley st., at 10 o'clock Friday afternoon.

WOMAN KNOCKED DOWN AND ROBBED IN ELLIOTT ROW

That all the bad men are not in New York was demonstrated last night when an unknown footpad knocked down Mrs. Robert H. Sancton of 83 Crown street, near her home, and robbed her of her handbag containing money. Mrs. Sancton was able to go home but was slightly hurt about the back. About 6:45 o'clock she was passing the corner of Elliott Row and Crown street when without warning she was attacked from behind. Before she could call for assistance she was thrown to the sidewalk. No person was in the immediate vicinity, but a boy coasting noticed a young man running rapidly to the embankment of the C. N. R. Courtneys Bay spur, where he disappeared in the darkness.

Mrs. Sancton had in her handbag a \$10 bill and about \$1 in change in a purse, which was also in the bag. A \$20 pair of reading glasses was also taken by the thief.

No one was able to get an accurate description of the man. He was attired in overalls and appeared to be in the twenties as to age.

Immediately after the robbery, the local Detective Department was notified, and Detective Biddiscombe made an investigation and is working on the case, but up until last night had not been able to locate the thief owing to the poor description given by Mrs. Sancton, whom the detective says was hardly able to get a good view of the man who assaulted her, as he approached from behind and hurried away after stealing the handbag.

NOT IN POLITICS AS ORGANIZATION

United Farmers of Ontario Leave it Optional With Any Section to Follow Desires

Toronto, Dec. 13.—For another year at least the political future of the United Farmers of Ontario has been decided, and as a result of some hours of debate at Massey Hall last night it was determined that, as an organization, it would take no political part, but would confine its aims and objects to matters of co-operation in other lines. At the same time the door was left wide open for any portion of the United Farmers who wish to mix up on politics to do so, under the system of local autonomy.

In other words, J. J. Morrison and Hon. E. C. Drury have gotten together and each has won. For the next year at least the activities of the U. F. O. will follow two lines, the political and the non-political, with former Premier Drury and J. J. Morrison having a part to control.

Call money opened at 4 1/2 per cent.

Montreal, Dec. 13.—Trading on the local stock market today was dull, al-

MANY BUYING ORDERS MARK THE OPENING HOUR IN WALL STREET

Prices Displayed Firm Tone—Trading Dull in Montreal.

New York, Dec. 13.—Stocks displayed a firm tone at the opening of today's stock market. Buying orders were again distributed over a large section of the list with the best initial gains came out with an overnight gain of two points to 110, but later fell away to 108, yesterday's closing price. Spanish River was up 3/4 to 10 1/2. Abitibi was unchanged at 8 1/2. Laurentide was up 1/4 to 9 1/2.

Other price changes included—Bell up 1/4, 12 1/2; General Electric up 1/4 to 114; Lafont up to 59 1/2; Dominion Glass up 1/4 to 10 1/2; Steel up 1/4 to 7 1/2, and Shawinigan was off 1/4 to 12 1/2.

Financial Notes.
Montreal, Dec. 13.—Cables \$4.45.
London, Dec. 13.—Bar silver 55 1/2 p.d. per ounce.

Exchange Today.
New York, Dec. 13.—Sterling exchange steady. Great Britain, 42 1/2; France, 5.32; Italy, 4.35; Germany, unquoted. Canadian dollars 2 1/2 per cent. discount.

New York, Dec. 13.—Stocks to 12 noon.
Am Can 104 1/2
Am Loco X D 72 1/2
Am Smelters 59 1/2
Asphalt 24 1/2
Balt & Ohio 38 1/2
Coca Cola 128 1/2
Copper 38 1/2
Gen Motors 15 1/2
Houlihan 64 1/2
Imperial Oil 64 1/2
Inter Paper 52 1/2
Indur Alcohol 107 1/2
Kendall 34 1/2
Koh-I-Noor 32 1/2
Leystone Tire 32 1/2
Marland Oil 62 1/2
Mack Truck 82 1/2
New Haven 14 1/2
Northern Pacific 62 1/2
N Y Central 108 1/2
Nor & West 103 1/2
North Am Co 22 1/2
Pan Am A 31 1/2
Pan Am B 69 1/2
Reading 64 1/2
Rep I & S 68 1/2
Rubber 3 1/2
Smeal Oil 28 1/2
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Stewart Warner 80 1/2
Studebaker 107 1/2
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