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LAURIER'S SPEECH SHOWED UP PUGSLEY'S LITTLE GAME

Ex-Minister of Public Works Confounded by Pledge of His Leader That Montreal Would Have Got the Plant for Building Canadian War Vessels—The Falsity of the Pugsley Contention That St. John Would Have Benefited by Liberal Return to Power Fully and Effectively Exposed.

Mr. Pugsley, ex-Minister of Public Works, in his speech on the 17th inst. only showed the material in his speech on shell contracts, material largely, if not altogether, supplied by Mr. Carvell—entirely at variance with the facts and proven to be so, but in some references to the question of naval aid and defence which he took occasion to make he was absolutely contradicted by the record of a speech made by Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

MARINE AND SHIPPING

MINIATURE ALMANAC. March—Phases of the Moon. New Moon, 3rd, 11h. 50m. p. m. First Quarter, 11th, 2h. 32m. p. m. Full Moon, 19th, 12h. 12m. p. m. Last Quarter, 26th, 1h. 27m. p. m.

BRITISH PORTS. London, March 17.—Sld stmr Kanswa, St. John.

FOREIGN PORTS. Boston, March 16.—Old schr Jesse Ishley, Wolfville.

NOT UNDER CONTROL. New York, March 16.—Stmr Baltic,

his opponent, and told the electors that the Welland canal was not large enough to let the boats out of Lake Ontario, his opponent was on the horns of a dilemma.

Y. M. C. A. HEXATHLON FOR SERIES

The contests in the senior hexathlon at the Y.M.C.A. have been concluded and the following is the result in points:

60 Yard Potatoes Race. 1—E. Pugsley Exposed. 2—E. S. Johnston. 3—F. Knodell. 4—N. Lightford. 5—E. R. Wasson. 6—B. Byrnes.

Here is a very distinct statement by the leader of the opposition that the total number of ships embodied in his bill would be constructed at Montreal; and this, notwithstanding the fact that I am surprised to think that the Liberals would do this—that in practically every constituency where there was water the prospect was held out to the electors that these boats would be built in Collingwood.

row escape from injury today, when a trolley car collided with his automobile, which he was driving himself. The accident occurred on Third Avenue, in the Bronx, while Moran was returning to his headquarters.

SCHOONER GOLD. The three-masted schooner Viola May, which arrived at Halifax last week from Lunenburg, is reported to have been sold to Newfoundland owners.

SCHOONER ASHORE. A Boston despatch of the 16th inst. word was received that the schooner Asnes Manning, owned by Frank Ferdinand of this city, and commanded by Capt. E. B. Randall, of Boston, is ashore near Plymouth, Eng.

NOTICE TO MARINERS. Portland, March 15, 1916. The Old Prince Bell Buoy, 2, reported missing March 14, will be replaced as soon as practicable.

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