

# POOR DOCUMENT

## APR 20 1906

### NO FUNDS FOR CHECK, BUT HE BOUGHT THAT WAY

#### Hugh F. Linden, Insurance Canvasser, Under Arrest After a Lively Sprint Near the Post Office--Had Royal Bank Forms and Had Issued Two Checks for Purchases.

Hugh F. Linden, who claims Moncton as his birthplace and has been working in the insurance business here, is under arrest charged with obtaining goods under the pretence of using checks on the Royal Bank of Canada, in which the bank officials say he has no account. His arrest was spectacular, for it was not accompanied without a lively chase and scuffle. A little after 7 o'clock, Linden went into the store of Wilcox Bros., in Dock street, and purchased a suit of clothes, an overcoat and a pair of trousers. They amounted to \$28.50, and he tendered in payment a check for that sum drawn on the Royal Bank of Canada, and signed "C. H. Linden." It was accepted and Linden retired with his purchases. Mr. Wilcox says he had given several good names as references.

But then came suspicion into the mind of the firm and it was hurriedly decided to make sure about the piece of paper. Martin Wilcox went to the bank where, as good fortune would find several of the officials at work. He presented the check and was told that there were no funds in the institution lodged by H. F. Linden. Mr. Wilcox, more convinced than ever that all was not right, went at once to the central police station, where he told his tale of woe to Chief Clark.

The chief at once sent Detective Killen and Sergeant Baxter to work on the case. Meanwhile another of the firm had encountered Linden in Charlotte street and put the situation to him. He said all was right and he was willing to go to the store and talk it over. When he arrived there it was to find the police on hand and matters looking serious. He maintained that he had money in the bank, a mistake had been made, and he was willing to go along and prove it.

Martin Wilcox, speaking of what followed, said that in consequence of Linden's assertion it was decided to take him to the bank to straighten matters out. Linden walked with Detective Killen and Sergeant Baxter on either side of him. Mr. Wilcox was in front, and Detective Killen. Everything went smoothly till the time came to go to the bank. Coming to the door the officers stepped back to let Linden enter. Then, according to Mr. Wilcox, he availed himself of the opportunity, and, quick as a flash, jumped over the railing and started down Prince William street in a lively rate.

Both officers are big men and Linden, who was a U. N. B. hundred-yard man, was capable of moving at a rapid gait. Slipped Out of His Overcoat.

Mr. Wilcox, however, says that he has done something in the spirit of the law. Linden had not got farther than the post office when Wilcox was close behind and caught him by the shoulders. His man was equal for the occasion, as he slipped out of the garment and attempted to dodge past Wilcox, evidently intending to run down Prince to see how quick for him. He nabbed him from the rear, pinning both his arms to his side, and both fell. Sergeant Baxter was stepping on them he had to jump clear over. Wilcox had the backs of hands escaped and Linden had a knee knocked. There was no further excitement.

On the prisoner being searched in central police station, there was found, nearly cash, a Royal Bank check book, nearly all used, and a number of loose checks made out for various sums. These were signed with the name Linden, but in the initials differed. In some cases they were "H. F." The one he gave to Messrs. Wilcox was "C. H. Linden." A gold watch and chain were also among the possessions. On the watch guard was a medal won at some time for running half a mile. It was found that Linden earlier in the evening had bought a hat in F. S.

### NO SWISH OF PAINT FIVE FEET OF SNOW ON UPPER ST. JOHN BRUSH TODAY

#### Lumbermen Just Returned Reports Outlook Ideal for Stream-driving

#### Delegation Asks Fredericton Council for Grant for Old Home Celebration--Engineer Barbour to Lecture on Sewerage Before Y. M. C. A.--Other News of the Capital.

Fredericton, N. B., April 2.—(Special)—A delegation composed of Patrick Farrell, Hugh Calder, H. F. McLeod, George Y. Diblee and D. McCatherine, representing the citizens' committee waited upon the city council at tonight's meeting and asked for grant of \$200 in aid of the firemen's tournament and old home celebration to be held here in July. They briefly outlined plans for the proposed celebration and estimated it would bring 10,000 visitors to the city. The council promised careful consideration.

William J. Scott, of the Scott Lumber Company, returned today from a visit to his firm's lumbering operations in Quebec. He reports five feet of snow in the woods on the St. John headwaters and regards the prospects for stream driving as most favorable.

Engineer Barbour is to lecture on sewerage at Y. M. C. A. hall here Thursday evening. Captain D. B. Winslow's team won from Captain C. H. Allen's team in the opening match of the bowling tournament at Queen Hotel alleys this evening.

Rev. Dean Partridge is seriously ill at his home here from an attack of jaundice. Given up as dead and buried in a sea of quick sand in Florida and mourned by the members of his family and a host of friends, William, the New York mail ball here last summer with the Tartars for part of the season and then left for the States, is still alive. A letter received by young Lifford is at the home of his brother, William, in New York, stating that he is employed at an automobile garage at New York, and in his letter to his father he states that his brother Jack arrived there on Thursday after walking 1,800 miles, but in good health, and a long way from being dead. Some weeks ago a letter was received by young Lifford's family from the effect that he had met with a tragic death in Florida by being run over by a train on a trestle and hurled to a bed of quicksand, in which he soon expired.

Chief Engineer Dunn, of the Grand Trunk Pacific, is here today arranging his advocates of that route are more hopeful as a result. One party is now at work near Plaster Rock, making tests for the crossing of the bridge at the proposed crossing of the St. John river for the Grand Trunk Pacific. This crossing is on the central route through the province and is advocated by the province and the province. One party is now at work near Plaster Rock, making tests for the crossing of the bridge at the proposed crossing of the St. John river for the Grand Trunk Pacific. This crossing is on the central route through the province and is advocated by the province and the province.

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In fact it is said that the talk of carpenters making demands is all error and that the men have not put forward any demand for increase.

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### LOCAL NEWS

Three trains with 686 immigrants passed through the city Saturday for the west. The vital statistics, as published for the last four weeks, show fifty-three deaths, twelve marriages and eighty-one births. Of the new arrivals thirty-six were boys and forty-five girls.

At Chubb's Corner, Saturday, Auctioneer Potts sold a house and lot in Queen street, belonging to the F. G. Jordan estate, to A. M. Philips for \$2,000. A lot of land adjoining was secured by George Dick for \$405.

On conclusion of last night's regular prayer service, Deacon T. B. Simms, acting on behalf of the congregation, presented to the retiring pastor a certified check for something like \$175, and to Mrs. Gates a very beautiful diamond brooch.

Geo. McEach, of Indiantown, who was up river on Saturday, says that the river between Public Landing and Land's End is about clear and that between the latter place and Bear's Head there is but a thin strip of ice.

Rev. Dr. and Mrs. G. O. Gates, who will leave next week for Montreal, where Dr. Gates will assume the pastorate of the Western Baptist church, received very tangible tokens of regard Friday, from the congregation of German street church, where Dr. Gates has labored with marked success for almost twenty years.

Quite by accident there were gathered a number of New Brunswick gentlemen in the Windsor hotel, Montreal, on Sunday last. Included were Premier Tweedie, Attorney-General Pugsley, Geo. McAvity, Matthew Lodge, Major-General H. G. James, Donville, Colonel Fred. Wedderburn, Geo. Robertson, M. P. P., and Thos. Malouin, the railroad contractor, of Campbellton.

In the County Court Chambers Friday, before Judge Forbes, the case of Tracy Turner, against the New Brunswick Medical Association at the next meeting. Dr. Berrymans' invention includes the use of a shield or mask to be placed over the nose and mouth of the patient. The shield is perforated to permit of proper breathing. The shield has a double door, and between the outer and inner door is placed a sponge saturated with the liquid. The use of the shield and the saturated sponge Dr. Berrymans hopes to be able to demonstrate to the satisfaction of the New Brunswick Medical Association in the treatment of consumption can be accomplished—namely to kill all invading bacilli before they get more than inside of the outer door or covering of the mask and gradually destroy the bacilli already in the system by the inhalation of the fluid from the sponge into the lungs.

### DR. BERRYMANS' NEW SYSTEM TO FIGHT WHITE PLAGUE

The New Freeman says that Dr. D. E. Berrymans is perfecting a system to revolutionize the treatment of tuberculosis. He hopes to have his treatment so far perfected as to place it before the New Brunswick Medical Association at its next meeting. Dr. Berrymans' invention includes the use of a shield or mask to be placed over the nose and mouth of the patient. The shield is perforated to permit of proper breathing. The shield has a double door, and between the outer and inner door is placed a sponge saturated with the liquid. The use of the shield and the saturated sponge Dr. Berrymans hopes to be able to demonstrate to the satisfaction of the New Brunswick Medical Association in the treatment of consumption can be accomplished—namely to kill all invading bacilli before they get more than inside of the outer door or covering of the mask and gradually destroy the bacilli already in the system by the inhalation of the fluid from the sponge into the lungs.

### PROPOSE TO MUZZLE WINNIPEG EDITORS

Winnipeg, April 2.—(Special)—Twenty-five police-protected cars are covering all circuits today and the city is quiet. The authorities are considering the advisability of swearing in of newspaper editors as special constables in an endeavor to stop inflammatory news from appearing in the daily press. The editors say they will refuse to take the oath.

Christiansen, the leader of the strike breakers, in jail by order of the strike general, charged with assault on prominent citizens. The issue is now narrowed to an advance of wages and recognition of the U. N. C. Howe, of Bethel (N. B.), saw a strange animal in the woods recently and on following it and cornering it in an endeavor to stop inflammatory news from appearing in the daily press. The editors say they will refuse to take the oath.

### McADAM QUARANTINE SATISFIES DR. FISHER

#### Investigated Charges of Laxity in Enforcing It Yesterday

#### Maine Board of Health May Make Train Crews Change at the Border--Provincial Board of Health to Discuss the Smallpox Situation.

McAdam, N. B., April 2.—(Special)—Dr. Fisher, secretary of the provincial board of health was here today to investigate charges of laxity in enforcing quarantine regulations in regard to smallpox. After looking into the matter, Dr. Fisher thoroughly expressed himself as satisfied that everything necessary had been done to prevent the spread of the disease.

Dr. Young, representative of the Maine board of health at Vancouver, was absent attending a meeting of the state board at Augusta so no conference between him and Dr. Fisher was held. It is not known what steps the United States authorities will take but it is rumored that train crews may have to change at the border.

A meeting of the provincial board of health will probably be held some time this week to discuss the case. J. W. Hoyt, collector of customs here, stopped on the Montreal express tonight for a trip through the west. He will visit Leithbridge and Calgary and other western towns. He expects to be absent about a month.

Dr. Chas. M. Pratt returned last evening from McAdam, where he went at the request of the Provincial Board of Health to look over the smallpox quarantine facilities. He says that he found everything highly satisfactory.

There has been no spreading of the disease.

### Gentle Spring.

In days of old, when nights were cold and you heard the sighs of the wind sweep the drifts so deep— Then you knew 't was winter time, But nowadays when you see the sleighs, And hear the sweet bells ring, And the snow lies deep and the cold winds sweep, It is spring, it's daisy's spring, Marshall (Mich.) News.

The Secretary—If had that your property is worth \$100,000, what price are you willing to bid for it? The Bidder—\$100,000, if I can't get it for \$100,000.

### WIFE REMARRIED, DIED AT HER FEET

#### An Enoch Arden Tragedy Enacted in Paris

#### Ran Away With Singer-- Then After Three Years Husband Repeated and Returned to Ask for Pardon.

Paris, March 29.—An Enoch Arden tragedy came to light here yesterday morning when Jacques Briset returned after three years' absence, and on learning from his wife that she had remarried, fell dead at her feet. Briset ran away to Belgium with a music hall singer three years ago. He took with him a large sum of money, and left his penniless wife the burden of supporting two children.

About a year ago she was informed that her husband had been found dead, with his throat cut, on the Belgium frontier. Mr. Briset, who had been living happily together, soon afterwards Mr. Courty, a neighbor, advised her to be his wife, and they were married and lived happily together.

While Mr. Courty was away from home yesterday there was a knock on the door. Mrs. Courty went to see who was there, and found a pale thin man, with hair almost white. Before she could ask what he wanted he fell down on his knees and asked her pardon. In bewilderment the woman asked what there was for pardon, and he told her that he was Briset, her husband.

He said that his life with the music hall singer had been most unhappy, and that soon after leaving home he had fallen into the hands of thieves, who robbed him of his last penny. For the last two days he had eaten nothing. Mrs. Courty gave him food, and while he was eating related the history of the past two years. When she came to the account of her marriage Briset gave a convulsive start, and fell dead at her feet.

Mrs. Courty, who had unwittingly committed bigamy, will go through the marriage service a second time with Mr. Courty after they have both attended Briset's funeral.

### RUMOR THAT PRINCE OF WALES WILL VISIT CANADA AGAIN

Montreal, April 2.—(Special)—A special London cable says: Reynolds newspaper yesterday made a statement that the Prince of Wales may make another Australian tour by way of Japan and Canada. The visit would be all probability be made in September or October next. The Canadian Associated Press has private information that it is possible the prince will go direct to Japan and return to Canada.

### A SOUTHERN ACTRESS

#### Miss Beverly Sitgreaves

Miss Beverly Sitgreaves, now appearing as La Mandini in "The Greater Love," at the Madison Square Theatre, New York, is a native of Charleston (S.C.), but she does not cultivate the accent of the "profession" Southerner.

### PLANT LINER SINKS SCHOONER IN COLLISION

Halifax, N. S., April 2.—(Special)—The plant liner Anamos, which arrived from Boston this morning, brought Captain Rudolph and crew of three, of the schooner Alexander R., bound from Port Hastings via Beaver Harbor, with coal, and which vessel the steamer struck and sank in the harbor just off Point Pleasant.

The Alexander R. was a vessel of about seventy-six tons, launched in April last, and was partly owned by Captain Rudolph, of Liscomb, her commander, and his three brothers on board. She was insured in Strachan's Agency for \$2,500.

### Japan Thanks Canada.

Ottawa, April 2.—(Special)—Consul-General Noyes has received a cable from the premier of Japan and minister of foreign affairs, asking him to convey to the Canadian government the sincere thanks of the imperial Japanese government for their philanthropic donation in relief of the famine sufferers.

### U. S. Debt Nearly a Billion.

Washington, April 2.—The statement of the public debt issued today shows that at the close of business March 31, 1906, the total debt, less cash in the treasury amounted to \$861,623,438, which is a decrease for the month of \$3,888,117. This decrease is largely accounted for by the increase in the amount of cash on hand.

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### OBITUARY

#### Daniel Marley.

Daniel Marley, one of the oldest residents of Oak Point, Kings county, died suddenly on Wednesday last. Mr. Marley was in his usual health during Wednesday, but towards evening complained of feeling sick and expired at about midnight. Mr. Marley was a justice of the peace for Kings county, and one of the wardens of the Oak Point prison. His wife died seven years ago. Mrs. W. J. Sealey, of Oak Point, is his only surviving child.

#### Charles E. Reynolds.

Charles E. Reynolds, son of James Reynolds, and very popular with all who knew him, died Saturday morning. Mr. Reynolds became ill last year and went to California last winter in the hope of receiving benefit from the change of climate, but realized little benefit and came home again a few weeks ago only to die.

#### The Late Daniel Marley.

The funeral of Daniel Marley, an old and respected resident of Oak Point, took place on Saturday afternoon from his former residence, and was attended by a large number of those who had known him in life. The late Mr. Marley was one of the first subscribers to the Telegraph and in the parish with Christian patience. She was fifty-seven years of age. Besides her husband Mr. Marley left three sons and three daughters. The sons are Cornelius, James and Thomas; the daughters are Mrs. John Fleming, of Calais; Mrs. Charles Mason, of Fairville; Mrs. John Hay, at home; Mrs. William Foster, of New York City, reached his sister's bedside a few hours before her death.

#### Arthur R. Francis.

All classes of citizens will regret to hear of the death of Arthur Robinson Francis, which took place Saturday at the age of forty years. Mr. Francis was the eldest son of H. L. Francis. He followed the shoe business all his life. After a few years spent in Francis & Vaughan's store in Montreal, he came to St. John, where he had charge of the shoe stock of one of the largest of the department stores. About two years ago he came back to St. John and again entered the employ of Francis & Vaughan. He had been doing for a considerable time but his serious illness was looked for until about a month ago when he was compelled to take to his bed and after much suffering, borne with great fortitude, he died Saturday. The cause of death was Bright's disease. Mr. Francis was popular with all classes and his death will cause deep regret. He was never married. Besides his father, five brothers and one sister survive. They are Charles F. Sydney F., and Herbert of this city, and Wallace H., and Harry A., of Dawson City, and Miss Ella at home.

#### Mrs. Edwin Lawton.

Mrs. Mary, widow of Edwin Lawton, died Monday, aged eighty-three years. Her husband died nearly sixty years ago. She was the daughter of Joseph Hopley, who will be remembered as the proprietor of Hopley's Theatre. One daughter survives in this city, as well as many other relatives. A brother lives in California.

#### T. Brown Wheelpley, Olfinton.

T. Brown Wheelpley, one of the oldest and best known residents of the St. John river valley, died Monday at the residence of his son-in-law, Hon. G. Hudson Phipps, of the city.

#### Deer Island and Campobello S S Company.

The board of directors of the Deer Island and Campobello Steamship Company has been reduced to seven members. Following have been elected: E. A. Holl, E. T. Rowe, H. E. Hill, G. L. Hill, A. L. Todd and F. Todd, all of St. Stephen.

#### ACTRESS, PLAYED HERE, DIED IN BANGOR.

(Bangor, March 23)—Miss Flora James Bruce, 17 years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Foster Bruce, of this city, died at a hospital in Bangor (Me.) Thursday evening and her body was brought here for interment yesterday afternoon. The girl had been on stage and was formerly connected with the Peck's Bad Boy company, but left that troupe in St. John (N. B.) a short time ago and entered a company playing East Lynne. The girl complained of not feeling well, and when the company reached Bangor, Wednesday, she went to a hospital, and her condition was such that an operation was deemed necessary. Her parents were notified, and hastened to Bangor. At first the day seemed to improve, but later, Thursday evening, she rapidly grew worse and died.