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TAKING ALL PRECAUTIONS AGAINST BUBONIC PLAGUE

Stmr. Alcides Will Be Thoroughly Examined and Fumigated.

Alcides Passed Brier Island This Morning---Dr. Scammell Ordered to Keep Sharp Lookout for Bubonic---One Glasgow Boat Had Two Cases.

The good news that the Donaldson line steamship Alcides, Captain Rankine had passed inward at Brier Island, N. S. this morning at 10 o'clock was received by Signal Master Morton.

The Alcides left Glasgow on the 19th. October and was overdue several days on account of severe weather in the Atlantic ocean. There have been a number of ocean steamships overdue at Boston and New York which arrived and reported high winds and heavy seas during the whole passage which no doubt the Alcides also met with, as all her other trips to this port were made in ten to twelve days. The Alcides will be due off Partridge Island this afternoon at about four o'clock where she will come to an anchor.

Dr. Scammell, the acting port physician, has been instructed to make a thorough investigation of the Alcides and to have her thoroughly fumigated. This is done for the reason that a steamer recently arrived in the St. Lawrence River from Glasgow with two cases of bubonic plague on board.

The Alcides has a large general cargo on board, including a large lot of Scotch hard coal. If everything is all right, and there is no sickness on board, the steamer will come up to her berth tomorrow morning.

LITTLE INTEREST IN THE NEW YORK ELECTIONS TODAY

Indications Point To a Very Small Vote---Balloting Slow and Voters Apathetic.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5—The quietest election in years so far as general public interest is concerned, is proceeding in Greater New York today, following a spiritless campaign. Political orators tried in vain to arouse the apathetic voters. Slow balloting in the early hours today indicated a light vote, despite fair weather and an agreeable temperature. An "off year" is the explanation of the politicians for the apparent apathy, as only state assemblymen, county officers and some judges are to be chosen. What little interest there is has been centered in the fight for sheriff of New York county. The candidates are Thomas Foley, Democrat, long a Tammany leader, and Maximilian F. Ihmsen, Independence League and Republican who has acted as campaign manager for William R. Hearst for several years. Both sides early today expressed themselves as confident of victory. The only state officers to be chosen outside of assemblymen are two judges of the court of appeals. Edward T. Bartlett and Willard Bartlett were nominated by both the Republicans and Democrats and are practically certain of election. They are opposed by nominees of the Independence League.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Nov. 5—There are elections in twelve states today. In Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Maryland, Mississippi and Kentucky, a governor and other state officers are to be chosen. In New Jersey, a governor only; in New York two associate justices of the court of appeals; in Penna., a state treasurer, and in Nebraska, a railroad commissioner, and two regents of the university. In Ohio, Utah and California, municipal officers are to be selected; while in New York county a number of judges and a sheriff are to be voted for.

MARATHONS AND MONCTON SURE

Greeks Get Word That Railway Town Team Will Play Here Saturday.

All doubts as to whether the Moncton football team would be here to play the Marathons on Saturday have been set at rest by the receipt of a telegram by Manager Donald from the Moncton management this morning to the effect that the fifteen from the railway town would be here without fail. It had been thought that the threatened ill fortune of the Monctonians would prevent their playing the Greeks. Matters have been fixed up however and lovers of football can rest assured that the contest will be a rattler from the start. It is too early as yet to figure out line-ups, but it will probably be found that the Marathons will play the same team that played against the U. N. B. on Saturday.

Col. Denney of London, Eng., managing director of the Dominion Atlantic Railway, accompanied by R. L. Campbell, secretary of the company, passed through the city today in the private car Earnscliffe attached to the Atlantic express. They were en route to Halifax to make a tour of inspection of the D. A. railway system. Col. Denny is head of the big shipbuilding firm of that name, who built the Shamrock III. and other well known vessels.

WILL BE TRIED BY THE SENATE

Unusual Procedure in Italian Misappropriation Case Which Opens Today.

ROME, Nov. 5—Much interest is taken throughout Italy in the trial of Signor Nuncio Nasi, former minister of public instruction, which begins here today. Signor Nasi is accused of the misappropriation of public funds while in office and he will be tried by the senate sitting as a high court of justice. This unusual procedure adds to the importance of the occasion and also to the curious interest of the people. The government has taken every precaution to preserve order for it is certain that there will be serious demonstrations in favor of the accused man. With Signor Nasi, Signor Lombardi, formerly Nasi's secretary, is under indictment. Though he is suffering from pneumonia he will appear before the high court and he declares he will fight with his last breath to prove his innocence and that of his friend and one-time master.

THE AUDITOR STARTED WORK THIS MORNING

Mr. MacIntyre Arrived From Halifax at 6.30 and Started in On City Books at 10 O'clock.

The accounts in the chamberlain's office are being audited today by R. A. MacIntyre, of Halifax. Mr MacIntyre arrived on the early morning train and was taken to City Hall about 10 o'clock by the members of the sub-committee of the treasury board, who are dealing with the situation. He started almost immediately upon his labors.

Mr. Sandall came down to his office, as usual, prepared to go to work, but on the suggestion of Chairman Bullock, of the treasury board, he retired until the audit of the books has been completed. It is thought that the auditor can finish his work by tomorrow and that a satisfactory solution of the difficulty will be reached. Today was the semi-monthly pay day for civic employes and the I. O. U's that had been held for advances given to various officials were taken up.

The following amounts were disbursed to employes of the several departments:

Officials	$1,273.32
Public works	151.66
Police	1,375.55
Fire	836.50
Salvage	71.66
Market	103.00
Ferry	552.36
	$4,364.05

KING OF THE AIR

Victor of International Balloon Race Receives His Cup.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5—Oscar Erbloch of Germany, last night received the International Cup which marks him as winner of the balloon race which started from St. Louis, October 21. The presentation took place at the rooms of the Aero Club of America. At the same time it was announced that a special prize had been prepared for Le Blanc of France who was second in the race and who broke the record for time in the air. The official record for the race gives Erbloch in the Pommern 871.74 miles and Le Blanc in the Isle de France 866.59 miles.

MUSEUM PROFITED BY DECISION

CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 4—The Field Museum of Natural History profited by a decision rendered by Judge Cutting of the probate court today, to the extent of $430,000. The money was paid by the late Marshall Field to the trustees of the museum prior to the date of his will, which contained a bequest of $8,000,000 to the institution. A suit was brought by the trustees against the executors of the will to determine whether the bequest was intended to be exclusive of the amount previously donated. Judge Cutting decided the suit in favor of the museum on the testimony of President Higinbotham, of the board of trustees.

TO BOWL AT EASTPORT

On Wednesday evening a team of St. John bowlers from Black's alleys, north end, will play at Eastport, the best team that the Maine town can put against them. The St. John team is composed of the following players:—T. L. Wilson, C. Johnston, J. Galbraith, R. J. Norton, H. F. Black. The team, accompanied by a party of supporters, will leave tomorrow morning on the Eastern line steamer Governor Cobb, returning by the steamer Calvin Austin, Thursday. The team is one of the strongest that could be got together here, and should give a good account of itself.

JUST A RUMOR

HAMILTON, Ont. Nov. 5—(Special)—When spoken to about the rumor that he was to succeed Sir Frederick Borden, as minister of militia, Hon. J. M. Gibson, said, "When I stated at the Liberal meeting on Saturday night that I was out of politics, I meant it." Mr. Gibson also said he had never been approached in reference to being the next lieutenant governor.

Ralph McCormack, who was married some few days ago in Boston, arrived with his bride today.

STEAMER SPRINGFIELD DESTROYED BY FIRE AT HATFIELD'S POINT TODAY

The steamer Springfield, owned by Captain Joseph Porter and Herman Belyea of Brown's Flats, was burned to the water's edge at Hatfield's Point early this morning. The captain and crew all escaped safely from the burning boat, but they lost all their clothing and effects.

The first announcemnt of the disaster came in a telephone message from Captain Hal. Mabee to Geo. B. Cromwell, in D. H. Nase's store in the north end. Mr. Cromwell was asked to notify Captain Mabee's family and others that all on the steamer were well.

A telephone message to the Times from Hatfield's Point, which is the terminus for the steamer at the head of Belleisle, was to the effect that the fire was discovered about 1.30 o'clock, and half an hour later the steamer was totally destroyed. Herman Belyea was the first one to awaken, and smelling smoke he opened the door of his stateroom and saw that the boat was in flames. He called at once to the captain and told him to arouse the crew, that the ship was on fire. As quickly as possible all were apprised of the danger and they had to fly for their lives. Mr. Belyea tried to save the steamer's books, but could not do so, neither could he get any of his clothing. It was a narrow call for their lives for the boat was a seething mass of flames in a few minutes.

As soon as all where safely on the wharf the boat was cut loose from her moorings and a strong westerly wind that was blowing drove her across the dredge track and out on the marsh where she grounded in about three or four feet of water, at a point about opposite Bayview.

By two o'clock, so fierce were the flames that everything was consumed except the wheel and stern posts and a stock of cordwood that had been laid in for today's use.

The burning boat made a very pretty fire as the wind carried the smoke away leaving the bright red flames. A large crowd of people from nearby houses gathered at the wharf to watch the conflagration.

Mrs. Mott, cook on the ill-fated steamer was almost suffocated and was for a time unconscious but when the message was sent had recovered.

The members of the crew about nine o'clock started from Hatfield's Point to drive to the main river to take the steamer for the city.

Captain Porter said the steamer was insured for only $2,000. He thought the fire must have caught from the furnace as the blaze seemed to be about that region of the boat when first discovered. He is of the opinion that the fire was accidental. The crew of the burned steamer was as follows:—

Captain, Hal. Mabee; mate, Alex. McClary; engineer, Capt. J. Porter. Mrs. Mott and Mrs. Thorne were stewardess and cook, respectively, and the deckhand, Samuel Sleep. The fireman was an Englishman whose name could not be learned.

The Springfield was built over 30 years ago and was probably the oldest steamer on the river. She was a stern-wheeler.

The burning of the Springfield calls to memory the burning of the Crystal Stream on June 21, making two steamers lost during the present year. Unlike the Crystal Stream, however, there was no loss of life in the present instance.

The Springfield was built about twenty-three years ago by Shaw Bros. of Woodstock, N. B. She was used by them for carrying extract of hemlock bark to Woodstock, for shipment to the United States. The steamer was used for this purpose for about six years when she was purchased by David Coy, who put in new machinery and lengthened the hull. Mr. Coy ran her on the Oromocto route and also to Fredericton. He in turn sold the Springfield some few years ago to Captain J. E. Porter of this city and Herman Belyea of Glenwood who are the present owners. She was 110 feet in length, 18 feet beam and about three feet deep. As far as known there is but $4,000 insurance, this amount being divided between the Globe, Rutgers and the North River Companies $2,000 each. Both are American tariff companies Herman Belyea, one of the owners was on the boat at the time.

The Springfield was formerly the Oscar Wilde.

NEWS FROM FREDERICTON

Supreme Court Opened This Morning---Several St. John Cases On the Docket.

FREDERICTON. N. B., Nov. 5 (Special)—The nuptials of Rev. Edward E. Annand, Presbyterian clergyman of Windsor, N. S., and Miss Mina A. Reade, daughter of Capt. Joseph A. Reade, of Hopewell Cape, Albert Co., formerly teacher of elocution in the Nova Scotia Normal school, will be celebrated at the Baptist church here at nine o'clock tomorrow morning. Rev. J. H. MacDonald will perform the ceremony, assisted by Rev. Willard MacDonald. The couple will leave for St. John by the 9.50 train en route to Windsor.

The supreme court met this morning with all the judges in attendance. George J. Clarke and Edmund G. Kaye presented their K. C. commissions and were called to the inner bar.

The following motions were made:

Ex parte T. Havelock Kelly. Gregory, K. C., moves for certiorari and rule nisi to quash a conviction made by Police Magistrate Marsh for selling liquor contrary to the C. T. Act. Rule as moved.

In the matter of the N. B. Southern Railway, McRae moves to make the order of the railway commissioners made on May 29th, the order of this court, ordered accordingly.

The King vs. John Francis stands until next term on the motion of Daniel Mullin, K. C.

Ex parte Bouch, in the matter of the National Transcontinental Railway Co. Raymond moves for a rule nisi to rescind an order of Judge McLeod giving the commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway the right to take possession of lands. Court considers.

In the matter of Josiah Hallett vs. Elwood Allan, on review. Crocket moves to rescind an order of Judge Gregory, affirming the judgment of the magistrate. Court considers.

Ex parte James C. Smith. Rule enlarged until next term on motion of Ewing.

Chute vs. Adney. Leave to enter on special paper and time to file. Order granted on motion of Sherwood Skinner.

Ex parte Maxime Melanson. Leave to enlarge the return of the writ and order nisi to next term granted on motion of C. Lionel Hanington.

A meeting of the council of the Barristers' society will be held this evening.

MONTREAL STOCKS

MONTREAL, Nov. 5 (Special)—The tone of the local stock market was improved today in sympathy with New York and feeling was abroad that liquidation would, for the present, be conducted in a conservative manner.

Liquidation in Dominion Steel issues, which was in progress yesterday, was not continued today. Price of the common held well yesterday in face of liquidation of 6,000 shares of common at 14, at which price small dealings were continued. Preferred went down to 38 1-2 in late trading yesterday and today's quotations were sellers 38, 59, buyers 38. The balance of trading showed some improvement in prices. Twin City being up to 72 1-3, and Montreal Power 84. Other features were: Toledo, 12 1-4; Detroit 33, Toronto Railway 88, Montreal Street Railway 166, Dominion Steel Bonds 68.

WANT TO PURGE DAWSON CITY

Clergymen Ask Sir Wilfrid to Have Dawson Dance Halls Cut Out.

OTTAWA, Ont. Nov. 5—(Special)—Rev. L. Amore and Dr. Henderson, representing the Methodist church and Lord's Day Alliance, Bishop Hamilton and Rev. A. E. O'Meara, representing the Anglican church, and Dr. Pidgeon and H. McDonald, K. C., of Kingston, representing the Presbyterian church, waited on Sir Wilfrid Laurier, and Hon. Frank Oliver in the premier's office today, and asked for certain moral reforms in the Yukon administration of the city of Dawson. Some time ago Rev. John Pringle in the Yukon made certain charges of the prevalence of immorality in the Yukon such as dance halls, etc., and it is in connection with that the ministerial delegation waited on the government.

DEMAND THE GUILLOTINE

Increase of Crime in France Results in Popular Cry for Restoration of Death Sentence.

PARIS, Nov. 5—The increase of crime in France has aroused a popular demand for the restoration of the death penalty, which has been practically abolished by the systematic commutation of the sentences of criminals condemned to death. The government desires to formally abolish capital punishment and has been commuting death sentences to imprisonment at hard labor for life. During the present session of parliament it was the intention of the ministry to secure the adoption of a measure formally doing away with the execution of criminals, but recently juries throughout the country have recommended having recourse to the guillotine as being the only means of stopping the atrocious murders which are of daily occurrence in Paris and in the provinces. A popular vote taken by a local newspaper has resulted in 1,083,655 persons pronouncing themselves in favor of restoring capital punishment while 328,693 announced themselves as being opposed to it.

WAITED FOR ANSWER FROM "JERRY" STUBBS

HALIFAX, Nov. 5 — (Special) — The proposition to send a maritime provinces' road racing team to Montreal to consist of winners of the Thanksgiving Day race here, was held up from Sunday until last night awaiting an answer from Stubbs, of St. John, who won a place, as to whether he could go or not. He was telegraphed on Sunday, and when no answer came up to last night, another man was chosen. The team consists of Homer, Lennerton, Wolfe, Faulkner and Downie, and will leave tomorrow afternoon.

THE WINE HARVEST

PARIS, Nov. 5—The wine harvest in France is announced to be 58,000,000 hectolitres, in Algeria 7,500,000 and in the United States 250,000 hectolitres.

NEWS FROM P. E. ISLAND

Hon. Daniel Gordon's Will Probated---P. E. Islander Killed.

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I. Nov. 5—(Special)—Alexander McLure, aged 54, a brakeman on the Boston & Maine Railway a native of Pleasant Village, P. E. I. was crushed to death under a big freight engine that turned turtle near East Somerville, Mass. He was in the cab when the engine went over and got caught under the big driving wheels. A construction gang had taken out a rail on a freight track and neglected to flag the gap.

Maud McIntyre, daughter of ex-Governor McIntyre, of Souris, was married today to Andrew Gormaly of Toronto.

The will of the late Hon. Daniel Gordon, a Georgetown merchant, has been probated. The estate valued at over $20,000 and includes real estate, $4,000, merchandise, $5,000, Nova Scotia Bank stock, $5,000, other stocks, $1,000, cash $1,600, interest in brig "Lady Napier," $3,000. His daughter, Mrs. H. C. McLeod, wife of the general manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Toronto, receives $3,000, Hiram Wier, of Halifax, his son-in-law, $200. All real and personal property goes to his wife during her life time. At her death the residence is to pass to Mrs. McLeod or her heirs. The widow is to continue business on the same lines as the deceased, with her brother John McCougan as manager.

NOMINATED IN HANTS, N. S.

F. W. Hanwright Chosen As Conservative Candidate in Next Federal Election.

WINDSOR, N. S., Nov. 5—(Special)—At a large convention of the Liberal-Conservative party here this morning, F. W. Hanwright was unanimously offered the nomination for the next federal election. W. H. Roache, president of the Conservative association, stated Mr. Hanwright's position on political purity and prohibition and vouched for him on both questions as being prepared to support them irrespective of party favor. Mr. Hanwright will accept, and address a public meeting here this afternoon.

DROWNED IN MID-OCEAN

BREST, France, Nov. 5—A local paper today printed a story to the effect that on October 28, during a voyage of the Hamburg-American line steamer Kron Prinzessene Cecile from Vera Cruz, Mexico, to Brest, a steward broke into one of the cabins to assault Mlle. Bazaine, daughter of the late Field Marshall Bazaine, and god-daughter of the ex-Empress Eugenie. The screams of the young woman, it is added, brought passengers to her rescue, and the steward leaped overboard and was drowned.

J. McMillan Trueman, John A. Barry, Wm. G. Pugsley of this city; W. D. Turner, of Sussex and A. E. G. McKenzie of Campbellton will leave this evening for Fredericton where tomorrow morning they will be admitted as attorneys.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

HIRAM HAS HOPES.

Mr. Hiram Hornbeam is much interested in the announcement that the cheese factories in Ontario are making butter out of whey, and making money out at it. He entertains hope that the Ontario people will in time measure up to the standard of intelligence that marks the people of Hornbeam Settlement.

"They're comin'," said Hiram to the Times new reporter. "But we got a man out to the Settlement could give 'em some pinters. He kin make butter out o' lard. He sold six tubs o' butter last fall, an' ony a little of it come from the cows—jist enough to put on top an look nice. In the bottom was grease wuth about ten cents a pound. The cow, as a butter maker, aint alwus necessary. She helps some, but this is an age of progress. That's what the papers say, an' I guess mebbe it's true. I heard about a feller buyin' a lot o' potatoes up our way last week, an' when he turned the bar'ls out he had enough old boots an' coats an' things in the bottom to start a second hand store. He did—By Hen!"

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It is stated that a meeting of the medical society will be held this week to adopt resolutions thanking the government for having discovered a gentleman qualified to fill the office of port physician without thrusting that honor upon any member of the profession in this city. It was feared that some city physician would be seized upon and asked to take the job, but this fear is now allayed.

RAKING IN THE CURRENCY FROM NEW YORK BYE-WAYS

HOW CANADA IS GROWING

Immigration Returns For Half of Fiscal Year Show Big Increase.

OTTAWA, Ont., Nov. 5 (Special)—Immigration returns for six months of the fiscal year from April to September, both months included, show a total of 193,690, compared with 147,760 for the same time last year, an increase of 45,930. The arrivals from the United States were 35,052, a decrease of 2,891, and from ocean ports 158,598, an increase of 48,824. Total percentage of increase was 31 per cent, by ocean ports 44 per cent, and from the United States a decrease of 8 per cent.

MUST NOT CROWD TORONTO STREETS

Chief of Police Will in Future Prohibit Anything With a Tendency to Crowd Streets.

TORONTO, Nov. 5 (Special)—Chief of Police Grasett has issued orders that no race or any other athletic event such as Longboat's trial from Hamilton to Toronto last Wednesday afternoon shall be hereafter permitted on the streets of the city. The authorities intend in future to prevent as far as posible anything that has a tendency to attract a crowd to any particular section of the city, owing to the element of risk to human life involved.

POLICE COURT

James Manchester Adjudged Guilty of Violating Market Rules---Case Will Be Appealed.

In the police court this morning, the case against William and Edward Lavigne father and son came up for hearing. Both prisoners who were arrested on a warrant o fassault sworn out by William Waddington, of No. 3 Moore street, were remanded.

The Lavignes, who live in the same house with Waddington, say he was beating his wife and they interfered only to be charged with assalut. Waddington states he was joking with his sister-in-law and threw a piece of bread at her. One side of the bread was covered with molasses and this struck her face and her cries brought William Lavigne to the door. Waddington declares that Lavigne struck him and used bad language. Subsequently, the Lavignes left the city and have since been in Maine. Three weeks ago the younger Lavigne came back to St. John and was married. The arrests were made by Acting Sergeant Finley and Patrolman Perry.

Thomas Nickerson was fined $8 or two months for drunkeness.

Willard S. Carville was fined $8 or 30 days for using profane language on Mill street.

Hugh Galway charged with drunkenness was fined $8 or two months in jail.

The case against James Manchester for violating City Market rules by selling goods without paying fees, was resumed in the police court this afternoon, when Mr. Manchester was adjudged guilty. A. H. Hanington, on Mr. Manchester's behalf, applied for a copy of the evidence in order to review the case or take it by certiorari to the supreme court.

The Lavigne assault case was also resumed, the younger Lavigne saying he went into Waddington's house in order to save the plaintiff's wife, whom Waddington had by the throat. He says that Waddington jumped upon him and called him a dirty name.

The elder Lavigne said that he went in to save his son rather than to make trouble. Both were let go on suspended sentence of $20, and told by the judge to mind their own business and stay in their own house.

Robert McCann and Charlie Graham were brought in on remand for being inmates of Rachel Burns' bawdy house. They were cautioned and went their way.

WEDDINGS

Bligh--Ells

HALIFAX, Nov 5—(Special)—The marriage of Fred P. Bligh, barrister of this city for a long time secretary of the Wanderers' Amateur Athletic Club, to Miss Vera Ells, daughter of Rupert Ells, of Cornwallis, took place this afternoon at the Canard in the Presbyterian church. Miss Lulu Roscoe, daughter of W. E. Roscoe, K. C. was bridesmaid and A. E. Calkin, of Kentville, was groomsman.

Knodell--McConnell

The wedding took place at 5.30 o'clock this morning at the residence of Wm. McConnell, 66 Simonds street, of his daughter, Miss Florence B., to Charles H. Knodell, of this city. Rev. Neil McLaughlin performed the ceremony in the presence of the relatives of the contracting parties. They were unattended.

After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Knodell left on the Boston train for a brief wedding trip, after which they will return to reside in St. John.

The best wishes of a large circle of friends will be extended to the newly wedded couple.

JABEL ROBINSON DYING

ST. THOMAS, Ont., Nov. 5 (Special)—Jabel Robinson, who represented West Elgin in the house of commons prior to the last election, is dying at his home in Middlemarch. Mr. Robinson was for years president of the Dominion Grange, being one of the original promoters, and sat in the house as an independent.

Offer of Premium for Hard Cash Brings Out Hidden Wealth.

Men, Women and Children Pour Their Savings Into Gotham's Financial District and Earn Bonus Offered by Bankers Who Needed Money

NEW YORK, Nov. 5—Currency of all denominations in varying stages of crispness poured into the offices of several brokerage houses in Wall street yesterday from all the nooks and crannies of New York. Hearing that 2 1-4 and 2 1-2 per cent premium was being paid for ready money, men, women and boys brought their savings to the financial district and exchanged them for certified checks with the premium increase which they deposited for them in the banks. In the offices of Mann, Bill, and Ware, 48 Wall street, one of the firms that led in the premium paying, there was a never ending line of assorted personalities throughout the day. They came from the East Side principally, and they carried their savings, which ranged all the way from one or three hundred dollars to five or six thousand dollars in pasteboard shoe boxes, in toy banks, in old socks, tied with a bit of cord, in their pockets and in one case in a derby hat. In one of the brokerage offices a lad appeared with $200, his savings from the sale of newspapers and periodicals for three years. This, too, he exchanged for a certified check including the premium.

The English Markets

LONDON, Nov 5—Trading on the stock exchange today started well, operators being cheered by the announcement that gold shipments from Paris to London were being arranged. Led by consols which rose 3-8, mast of the gilt edged securities benefitted by the promised assistance from France, while Americans taking their cue from the favorable close of the market in New York yesterday, started quite firm at above parity prices, but subsequently dropped from the best quotations. Inquiries made in the bullion markets show that the brokers expect the Paris shipments of gold to London to be fairly considerable. They also express the opinion that the outflow of gold to America from London would continue for some time even if the Bank of England's discount rate is raised to seven per cent. It is pointed out, however, that if such a rate becomes necessary it is bound to attract gold from other sources thus offsetting the American drain. It is further remarked taht the Bank of England's discount rate has not been above six per cent since 1873 when on Nov. 7, of that year, as the result of a panic on the stock exchange, the rate was put up to nine per cent.

Berlin is Apprehensive

BERLIN, Nov. 5—President Koch of the Imperial Bank of Germany, today authorized the Associated Press to deny the reports that the bank had interposed difficulties in the way of taking gold from that institution for export. "Gold," he said, "is always freely given in the redemption of notes at our head office in Berlin. This, however, is not done at the branches like Hamburg and Bremen, in unlimited amounts, since these would impose on the bank the necessity of paying transportation charges thither from Berlin. The Imperial Bank viewed with considerable apprehension, the fact that the open market discount in London today exceeded the Bank of England's, giving grounds for fear of a further advance in the latter's bank rate. This would necessitate again marking up the Berlin's bank rate, and the president fears that in that case an additional half per cent would not be sufficient but that a full one per cent would be necessary, making the rate 7 1-2 per cent, which would be higher than the Imperial Bank has ever placed it. A considerable sum in gold was taken from the Imperial Bank today for export to the United States, and further withdrawals are regarded as probable. The officials of the bank are watching the American situation with much interest and some anxitey, but they are not disposed to attribute the present disturbance of the German money market wholly to the American situation. For example, French exchange here is now above the gold point, which apparently is not due to the American demand for gold but probably to unfortunate speculations in copper and Kaffirs at Paris.

Bank of France Ships Gold

PARIS, Nov. 5—The Bank of France today made its first shipment of gold to the Bank of England in order to relieve the tension there caused by the American demands. In pursuance to the decision reached last week the bank of France at the request of the Bank of England, purchased 3,000,000 pounds sterling bills remitting for them English sovereigns and American eagles.

Gold From Buenos Ayres

BUENOS AYRES, Nov. 5—Nearly 5,000,000 pesos in gold which several banks here have withdrawn from their conversion fund, has been shipped to New York.

More Gold Bought in London

LONDON, Nov. 5—The United States this afternoon purchased another consignment of bar gold amounting to £750,000, from the Bank of England. Canada also took £25,000 in sovereigns, presumably for the United States. A large quantity of gold will be shipped to New York tomorrow on the steamer Oceanic.

Hon. Henry R. Emmerson, M. P., went to Dorchester at noon today.

Wm. C. Macneil came in on today's Montreal train.