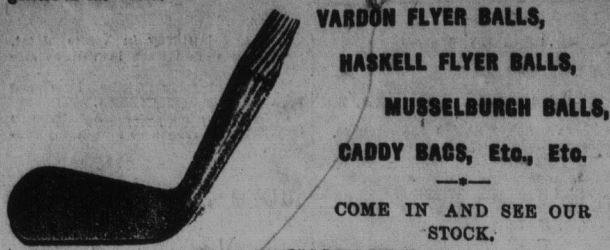


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NO WINE AT BANQUETS.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 2.—The grand commandery of the Knights Templar of California has decided by unanimous vote that hereafter no wine shall be served at the Templar banquets. It is said that the grand lodge of Masons at its annual meeting next October, will take the same decisive action.

MAY BE R. E. ARMSTRONG. OTTAWA, May 2.—The government has listened to representations made on behalf of Charlotte county in connection with the proposed sardine commission and a commissioner from that county will be appointed. It is likely that R. E. Armstrong, the liberal candidate in last election, who has taken an active interest in fishery matters in Charlotte county, will be named.

St. John, N. B., May 4, 1903.

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# ENGINEER HART

Tells of the Terrible Railway Accident at Detroit.

Train Running Twelve Miles an Hour When it Struck the Crowd.

DETROIT, Mich., May 4.—Engineer Thomas H. Hart, of the Pan-American flyer on the Grand Trunk, which ran through a crowd on a crossing last night and caused the death of at least seven persons and the injury of more than a score, said: "The place where the accident occurred is not a regular stopping point for incoming passenger trains, and unless the engineer receives notice before reaching the crossing or has the signal turned against him he runs through without stopping. We were running down on time last night, and when we neared Canfield avenue I noticed the headlight of the Lake Shore train standing at Canfield avenue, but as this is a common occurrence, I paid no attention to it. The light from the other engine was shining in my eyes, and it was impossible for me to see the crowd on the track until I passed the other engine. "When I first noticed the crowd the train was scattered all over the track, and after blowing my whistle, I applied the brakes, but could not stop my train in time to prevent running into them. "We were running about twelve miles an hour, the usual speed at that place. It was fortunate that I escaped with my life, as there were many in the crowd who became excited and threatened to take my life. They threw bricks and stones through the cab windows and I was finally forced to send for the police for protection. Several of the crowd came into the cab with me. From the side of the crowd and the rate of speed the train was running it is a miracle that there were not more killed."

# LONDON OBJECTS

To the Americanization of Its Underground Tube Railways.

LONDON, May 4.—The Yerkes-Speyer scheme for consolidating all the underground tube railways of London is meeting with considerable opposition. The newspaper press, against the "Americanism" and monopoly, and urge parliament not to submit thereto. The parliamentary committee of the London county council will submit its report to the council tomorrow. This report will insist upon a further investigation of the consolidation scheme, which the committee contends will raise the fares and otherwise operate to the disadvantage of the travelling public.

# A GRAVE PROBLEM SOLVED.

(New York Times.) George Ehret, the brewer, is retaining the amended excise law. Said the saloon keeper: "I have a customer, a big, heavy German, whose brain moves as slowly as his ponderous body. Every night he comes into my place about half-past seven and sits at a table until about ten o'clock, drinking beer. The night after the excise amendment was passed he came in as usual. I waited on him myself. "Well," said I, as I placed his first beer before him, 'they have raised the price of a liquor license at last.' "So?" said he. "Yes; and next year you will have to do with less beer. We saloon keepers will be compelled to serve smaller glasses."

"At this he looked displeased, though he said nothing just then. I went about my business attending to other customers, but kept an eye on the German and could see that he was thinking hard. He would mutter and shake his head, and once I heard him swearing in an undertone. Suddenly his face brightened and a smile crossed his fat cheeks. He called me. "You say dot excise law vil make me do mit less beer, already? he inquired. "Certainly," I replied. The glasses will be smaller. When I pay half as much again as I am paying now for a license I cannot afford to give my patrons such large glasses." "Ach," he grunted. "I vos too tam smart for dose velvet vor make laws. I haf thought id out. If der glasses are smaller, I drink more of them. Dot vos all. Ein beer."

R. LEB. TWEEDIE DEAD. R. LeBert Tweedie, K. C., died at Hampton at noon today. Pneumonia was the immediate cause of death. Mr. Tweedie, who was about forty-five years of age, was a son of the late Rev. Robert Tweedie, Methodist minister. He leaves a widow, a daughter of the late T. G. Barnes of Hampton, and five children. Mrs. Tweedie has been living in Boston for about two years and is there now. Mr. Tweedie was a clever lawyer and conducted the crown cases at the last circuit court at Hampton.

# DYNAMITED A CHURCH

Because Negro Preachers are Waging War on "Policy."

CHICAGO, May 4.—The war which the negro preachers of Chicago are waging on policy has culminated in an attempt to dynamite the institutional church at 3825 Dearborn street last night. A negro mass meeting to arouse public sentiment against the evil which the game is said to work among the colored people, had been held in the church and the congregation had been dismissed but a few minutes when the dynamite was exploded. The few persons who remained in the building were injured. The explosion broke all the windows of the church and blew a large hole in the south wall. The shock was felt several blocks away. Threats have frequently been made against the pastor who is leading the anti-policy crusade.

# CITY COUNCIL.

Communications to Be Considered At the Meeting Today.

The following communications will come before the common council at this afternoon's meeting: A petition for the re-building of a retaining wall at 73 Harrison street. An offer from George Rose for the sale to the city of lands at Ludgate Lake. A petition for a light at the corner of Canterbury and Church streets. A petition asking for a plank sidewalk to Pokiook and a few lights along the way. A copy of the resolution of the board of trade requesting that Hon. A. G. Jamaica service before the government and urgently request a subsidy for the service. An application from Frank Hollis for the position of engineer on the stone crusher. A petition asking for repairs at the corner of Wentworth and Broad streets. An application for a position as constable from Henry Lobb. An application from the Outing Club for a grant of land on Broadview Beach for a bathing house. An application from James Nixon for reimbursement for loss sustained by the flooding of his house owing to a defective sewer. A resolution from the board of trade regarding the proposed changes in the assessment act. An application for half pay while ill from Michael Matthews, gateman on the west side ferry. A petition for a plank sidewalk on Wright street, from Prospect to Gillbert's Ferry. A petition from a number of farmers asking a reduction in the market tolls on cabbage and cauliflowers. A resolution from the Trades and Labor Council asking recognition on the committee to draw up a plan for harbor improvements. An application from the same body for the use of the exhibition building grounds on Labor Day. An application from Joseph B. Stubbs for the position, when vacant, of collectorship on the west side ferry. An application from the agent of the W. A. Robertson building on Dock street for a refund of taxes paid during the past five years. A request from the Portland Rolling Mills that a plank floor be laid on the Pettigill wharf to lessen the inconvenience in hauling wrought iron. Andrew F. Kennedy applies for a position on the board of port wardens. A petition from the committee in charge of the summer carnival asking for a grant of \$500 and a guarantee of \$500 to the proposed carnival. Several applications for the renewals of leases and for reduction of taxes.

# MILLIONS LOST.

Most Destructive Flood in History of Klondike.

Enormous Damage Done and Great Excitement Among the Miners.

TAOUMA, Wash., May 4.—The most destructive flood in the history of the Klondike, flooding cuts opened for summer work, inundating road houses along the way, creeping into piles of pay dirt heaped up from the winter's work and spreading devastation in its path for many miles. Extensive machinery and equipment, costing thousands of dollars, has been destroyed by the rush of water, and the injury to sluices will reach big money. The flood is caused by fast melting snow and ice from the El Dorado glacier having filled the bed of the creek to an unusual depth. Main street at Grand Forks is under water, and the flood is creeping into the stores and houses of the town. The inhabitants are preparing to move to higher ground. Dumps containing an aggregate of \$1,000,000 in gold, silver, etc., have been undermined and washed away. Recovery is practically impossible. There seems to be no abatement in the flow of water, and great excitement prevails among the miners along the creek.

# INDEPENDENT ORDER OF FORESTERS.

"The figures of the operations of the Independent Order of Foresters for 1902 have been issued. They show that the institution is gaining not only very rapidly in numerical strength, but in the actual accumulation of assets. The first set of figures show the actual net increase in membership during the year 1902 to have been 13,233. That is to say, after all lapses, deaths, etc., have been deducted, the average age of the membership is 19.07 years. The number of new members initiated in 1902 was over 100 per month greater than the number initiated during 1901. The death rate during 1902 in the Order is given as 6.60 per thousand, or a fraction less than the year before, a rate much below that of most of the life insurance companies. The average age of the membership is a little over thirty-six years. The Supreme Executive says that they reject a larger percentage upon the medical test than any other society or company and that this is the reason for the small death rate. The accumulated funds increased during 1902 by \$97,239.65—almost \$1,000,000. While these figures indicate a betterment in assets of 18.19 per cent, the increase in assurance amount during the year was only 4.53 per cent. Relatively, therefore, the policyholders were in a better position at the close of the year than they were when the year began. The increase in the Ward in the above were: Order in 1902 over 1901 was 8.37 per cent, while the demands upon that income for the purpose of meeting claims was only 1 per cent, greater in 1901 than in 1902."—Toronto Globe, March 25th.

# A BOOM AT SYDNEY.

Permits Issued for the Erection of Fifty Buildings.

The Sydney Daily Post says: Since January 1st, permits have been granted for the erection of fifty buildings in the town of Sydney. The total outlay of money expended in the construction of these buildings, only a few of which remain uncompleted, amounts to \$1,000,000. The average cost per building, exclusive of one which is to cost in the vicinity of \$40,000, of nearly \$2,000. Nine of the buildings cost \$3,000 and over, and four \$4,000 and over. The above figures do not include the Sydney Presbyterian church, work on the construction of which begins in June and which is to cost in the vicinity of \$40,000. A large number of the dwellings included in the above were erected in the past few months in the city. Another expensive building to be erected soon is the Canadian Bank of Commerce, which it is said will cost in the vicinity of \$1,000,000. Several very fine residences are to be built this summer so that altogether the outlook in this line has never been brighter. Taking into consideration the fact that from January to April are the three tallest months in the year, the number of buildings constructed and the large amount of money expended in their erection, the remaining nine months should prove a banner season in the history of building operations in Sydney.

# THE TURK PROTESTS

Against the Massing of Foreign Warships at Salonica.

LONDON, May 4.—Owing to the existing censorship it is still impossible to obtain reliable news from Salonica. The reports of a general massacre there probably are exaggerated, but the statements that several hundred were killed emanated from various points, including Constantinople, and it is alleged also that Turkey has decided to send an ultimatum to Bulgaria. Two Italian warships have arrived at Salonica and the ports, fearing that foreign troops might land, has requested Austria to withdraw her squadron. It is reported from Uskob, European Turkey, that the Turks are holding meetings in the mosques and discussing a general massacre of the Christian population in the event of dynamic outrages, which, according to the prisoners arrested at Salonica, have been planned to occur at Constantinople and Uskob. Albanians have plundered several villages near Prizren, Turkey. The Turkish troops have made no attempt to hinder them.

# CAPE BRETON INDUSTRIES.

Output of Coal and Steel Companies For April.

(Sydney Post.) The output of pig iron and steel by the Dominion Iron & Steel Company for the month of April was as follows: Tons. Pig Iron ..... 17,000 Steel ..... 12,000 The output of iron is an increase of 5,000 tons over that of March, while the output of steel is 2,000 tons less due to some trouble with the lime kilns. This trouble has now been remedied and General Manager Baker anticipates a greatly increased output for May. The tenth and last furnace of the open hearth furnaces will be lighted about the 15th of the month, by which the full open hearth plant of the company will be in operation. GLACE BAY, May 1.—The total output of the collieries of the Dominion Coal Company for the month of April has been highly satisfactory in view of the several drawbacks the company had to contend with. It was as follows: Tons. Dominion No. 2 ..... 74,238 Dominion No. 3 ..... 40,013 Caledonia ..... 60,899 Reserve ..... 63,873 International ..... 25,140 Total ..... 268,378 This shows an increase over the output of the corresponding month of last year of 21,628 tons. It will be noticed that Dominion No. 2 forged its way to the front this month, and increased its own output of last month by about 10,000 tons. It is expected that this mine will now continue to increase its output at the same rate until the full capacity is reached. SYDNEY MINES, May 1.—The output of coal from the collieries of the N. S. & C. Co. for the month of April amounted to 31,000 tons, as follows: Sydney No. 1, 21,500; Sydney No. 2, 8,500; Sydney No. 3, 1,000. Total to 30th April from the three collieries 31,000 tons. January 1st, 115,200 tons, an increase of \$5,300 tons over the corresponding period of 1902.

# FAVORABLE OF COURSE

HONOLULU, May 4.—John U. Smith, of Seattle, former United States commissioner of Skaguay, has important evidence on the Klondike boundary dispute. His testimony is favorable to American interests and U. S. district attorney Breckens is taking Mr. Smith's deposition. He has been instructed to do so by cable from Washington.

# JOHN BROWN'S BODY.

Place Where He Sleeps Near Lake Placid. Half way between the Mohawk River and Canadian line, in Essex county, New York, but in a dozen lowering peaks of the Adirondacks, are the living place and sleeping place of "Old John Brown." The living place is the home from which Brown went out to fight in Kansas, and the sleeping place is a grave beside a giant granite boulder—the place in which he laid his body after his execution at Charlestown, in 1859. Thirty-seven years after his death, when the horror of his martyr had been forgotten, Kate Field and a dozen friends bought the old Brown farm, at North Elba, and turned it over to the state as a public charge. It is near Lake Placid. The other resorts of the northern Adirondacks. Frequently during the summer seasons in want of amusement go over to the place and rest for a few minutes in the low-roofed, two-story house. Everyone knows the story of John Brown's repeated business failures, his visions, in which a "voice" bidden him to free the slaves, his part in the slavery war in Kansas, and his attack on the arsenal at Harper's Ferry. All these things he would have weighed, and it has given an honored place to him who was such an anarchist only fifty years ago.—John O. Collins in Four-Track News.

# PRESENTATION TO DR. GEO. F. MATTHEW.

Dr. Geo. F. Matthew, of H. M. customs, was at noon today presented with a handsome gold headed cane. The presentation was made in the Long room by the collector, W. A. Lockhart, in the presence of the custom house staff and a few outsiders. Mr. Lockhart made a short address, referring to Dr. Matthew's fifty years' connection with the customs service. The cane bears the inscription: "Presented to Geo. F. Matthew by the collector and inside staff of St. John customs department, 1853-1903."

# AT THE PARK.

Rockwood Park will in all probability prove this year a more popular resort than ever. Yesterday many hundreds of persons visited it and enjoyed an afternoon among the pleasant walks and shady paths. Ops-improvement might be made and frequent remarks were heard concerning it. The path leading up the hill from the West side of the little bridge at the lake is quite dangerous and an iron railing placed along the outside of it would be much appreciated by those who are at all nervous. The moose are not to be seen this year, as they have both gone to the happy hunting grounds. One died in midwinter and the other a short time afterwards.

# VERY SHOCKING.

Young housekeeper—Please send me two pounds of butter, a dozen eggs, and a box of seeded raisins. Grocer—Anything else, ma'am? Young housekeeper—Why, yes; you might send two pounds of those electric currents I hear so much about. I'd like to try them in the fruit cake and see if they are any better than the old kind.

# MANILA, May 4.—O. G. Milne, postmaster of Taoloban, Island of Loyto, who was recently convicted of misappropriation of government funds has been sentenced to seven years imprisonment.

# THE CARGO OF THE STEAMSHIP INDIAN.

The cargo of the steamship Indian, which sailed the other day, was valued at \$112,667, of which \$73,943 was Canadian and \$38,725 foreign goods.

# COMMERCIAL.

# DAILY QUOTATIONS.

Table with columns for various commodities and their prices. Includes items like Amal. Copper, Am Sugar Ref., Ash Top and S. F., Brook Rpd Tran, Can. Pacific, C. & W., C. & N. S., Louis and Nash., Man Ry., N. Y. Central, N. Y. & H. R., Reading, Southern Pac., Texaco and Pac., Union Pacific, U. S. Steel, U. S. Steel, etc.

# STOCK MARKET.

NEW YORK, May 4.—The opening stock market was irregular with low range and no small transactions.

# FOREIGN PORTS.

NEW YORK, May 4.—Arrived Cymric, from Liverpool and Queenstown.

# TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

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WANTED—A capable girl, to whom good wages will be paid. Apply to GEO. H. WATERBURY, 239 King Street, east.

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# STETSON HATS.

We have just received three cases of the celebrated Stetson Hats direct from the manufacturer. Price, \$4.00.

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Remember, we are practical shoemakers, and any work entrusted to our care will be done in first-class manner. We don't cobble—we repair. Velvet or O'Sullivan Rubber Heels put on while you wait.

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# FOREIGN NOTES OF INTEREST.

Liverpool has decided to try the suggestion of its city engineer to build workmen's dwellings with concrete slabs made from dust destructor clinkers.

The Pentateuch, written in Samaritan characters on gallez parchment, and dated in the year 116 of Mohammed, or A. D. 725, was lately discovered in Syria. It is the oldest biblical manuscript known.

Great Britain has the following ships in course of construction: 11 battleships, 19 armored cruisers, 3 second and 4 third class cruisers, 2 scouts, 2 sloops, 19 destroyers, 18 torpedo boats and 8 sub-marines.

A direct weekly train from Moscow to Dalny, on the Yellow Sea, has just been installed. The time is thirteen and one-half days, with two days' steamer added to Shanghai and one and a half added to Nagasaki, Japan. Large deposits of stone available for lithographic purposes have been discovered and opened in Thessaly. Greek experts report that this stone is far superior in quality to the best lithographic stone hitherto known in Europe.

The first needle used in England was made in Queen Mary's reign by a negro, who unfortunately died before imparting the secret to anyone, says Home Notes. In the reign of Queen Elizabeth the art of needle-making was rediscovered by a German, who imparted it to an Englishman.

Dr. Demploff, the head of the German anti-malarial expedition in New Guinea, announces that he has discovered an aquatic insect which destroys theophanes mosquito, and that he proposes to cultivate the creature artificially in the hope of exterminating the mosquito, thereby exterminating malaria.

# ST. JOHN VALLEY RAILWAY.

W. T. Whitehead, M. P. P., claims that the bill to revive the charter of the St. John Valley and River du Loup Railway is with the bona fide intention of going on in near future with the construction of the railway. In fact, the bill provides that continuous work on the line shall commence within three years from the present date and the railway shall be completed within five years. The company say they can satisfy the house and the government of their financial ability to carry on the work.

# BECAUSE OF DIPHTHERIA.

CHATHAM, May 2.—The public schools and Sunday schools have been closed, on account of the prevalence of diphtheria, by order of the board of health.

Coughs, colds, hoarseness, and other throat ailments are quickly relieved by Creosole tablets, ten cents per box. All druggists.

MONTREAL, May 2.—Mr. and Mrs. James Ross returned today from their trip to the Mediterranean.

TORONTO, May 2.—Mr. Bradshaw, head of the wholesale dry goods firm of Bradshaw & Son, died suddenly on Saturday night of heart failure.