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OLD MAN WANTED TO END HIS LIFE

Edward Cotter, Said to Have Been Angered by Refusal of Money Request

JUMPED FROM SCOW INTO WATER

"Why Didn't You Let Me Drown," Says 72-year-old Man to Rescuers—Relatives Can Give Only One Reason for His Act.

Angered by the refusal of his relatives to give him all the money that he asked for Edward Cotter, aged 72, is said to have attempted to commit suicide Wednesday evening by jumping from a scow at the I.C.R. wharf. When pulled out by Herbert McDonald and Wesley Friars, he gasped out: "Why didn't you let me drown."

Mr. Cotter is an old pensioner and lives with his son in Main street. Wednesday he is said to have asked his daughter-in-law for a considerable amount of money and she thinking nothing of the matter, refused. About 7 o'clock Wednesday evening, as W. J. McDewitt was standing on the bridge at Long wharf, he saw an old man come along the bridge, stop and look down in the water. He went up close to the man, who was Mr. Cotter, and the latter turned to him and said: "This would be a fine place for a dive," and then walked up close to the edge.

Mr. McDewitt says he caught hold of the man and held him back. After warning him Mr. McDewitt passed into the shed and told Andrew Leith and Phillip George of the occurrence. These men left the shed and were in time to see Cotter go down a ladder into a mud scow which was lying at the wharf. On reaching the scow, the elderly man jumped into the water and sank.

A cry was raised and Wesley Friars and Herbert McDonald were soon at the spot. McDonald pulled off his coat and the two hurried down the ladder to the scow. They lay flat upon the boards and sought to grasp Cotter as he came up. Twice the feeble old man went down, but before he went below the surface the third time, the outstretched hands of the two men just reached him and they drew him to safety.

While being pulled on the scow, Cotter, who had not lost consciousness, said that he had wished to be drowned. He was not very much overcome and, supported by two men, he was able to reach his son's home in Main street. The members of his family were much distressed over the old pensioner's strange action, and the only way that they could account for it was the anger he felt at not being supplied with the amount of money that he asked for. He is a man of steady habits and it is not thought that his mind was affected.

CUT COW'S TAIL OFF

Animal, Property of James Hanna, Maltreated Wednesday.

What seems to have been a dastardly attempt to destroy two of the finest cows of the herd of James Hanna, milk dealer, 15 Military Lane, was reported Wednesday to the police. Mr. Hanna has a number of fine animals and he pastures them in Corkery's field back of Fort Howe. Wednesday morning when he turned them out they looked as usual, but when his cows came home at night, Mr. Hanna was shocked to observe one covered with blood. Her tail had been cut clean through and she had evidently lost a great deal of blood.

What makes the affair appear more serious is that the injured cow and another had ropes tied around their heads, and they had evidently been fastened and an attempt made to injure them. The ropes were handed over to the police and were placed in the North End police station and a effort will be made to locate whoever is responsible doing the dastardly work.

The injured cow was worth about $50; the best one that he owned, Mr. Hanna says, and she is practically ruined. He says he cannot understand why anyone should wish to injure his cows, as at this time of the year they were not making any trouble by breaking into fields. He wonders if the turning out of a neighbors horse from the pasture had anything to do with it.

Mr. Hanna said that it was his intention to prosecute the guilty parties and also spoke of reporting the case to the S. P. C. A.

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For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

The Wail of a Waitress

(By Ethel M. Kelley, in Smart Set).

She ain't so much! I seen her at the show.
If she's a ravin' beauty, I don't know
What good looks is, an' I shan't never learn,
I think my shape is just as good as hern;
My hair looks pretty when I do it low.

Gee, when I seen her face I got a blow,
I thought the girl that got him for a beau
Would be a person that had style to burn—
She ain't so much!

That kind is only lookin' for the dough,
I think somebody'd oughter tell him so
Before he spends more money'n he can earn.
'T ain't up to me to do him a good turn,
But if it was, I'd say, "I feel as though
She ain't so much!"

It's Here

Lazyin', lazyin', lazyin'; loafin' an' snoopin' round;
Hauntin' the old still places down by the fishin' ground;
Stretchin' an' yippin' an' yawnin', an' almost half asleep—
Spring fever 's catchin', ez sure ez you're born, I feel it beginnin' to creep!
It's here, by cricky, I've got it; I knew it the minute it lit—
Oh, wrap me up in the arms of dreams until I git over it!

FEARFUL LEAP OF LUNATIC FROM TRAIN NEAR MONCTON

Plunged Through Window While Going Forty Miles an Hour and Escaped—Was Handcuffed.

Moncton, May 22—(Special)—With the train running about fourty miles an hour, an insane man whose name cannot be learned, jumped through a car window, about three miles west of Moncton this morning and escaped to the woods. The lunatic boarded the maritime express at Bathurst in charge of an officer and was being taken to the provincial hospital at St. John. He was violently insane and was handcuffed. He was closely guarded but had given little trouble.

As the maritime was nearing Moncton and running down grade the lunatic made a dash through an open window and although the man in charge caught him by the foot as he was going out he escaped. He was in a second-class car and those who witnessed his insane act naturally expected the man would be instantly killed.

Conductor McPherson was notified and immediately stopped the train and backed up to the spot where the man fell. His cap was found and the gravel was torn up for a distance of twenty feet but there was no trace of the insane man. Those who saw him take the mad plunge and gazed after him from the car window saw the lunatic get up after a few moments and make for the woods. But when the train reached the spot where his cap lay there was no sign of him although the passengers joined in making a search of the immediate vicinity.

As the man was handcuffed it is thought he will be unable to go far and will probably soon be located. The officer in charge of the lunatic was left at the spot to hunt him up. The affair created great excitement among the passengers and a delay of fifteen or twenty minutes occurred. How the lunatic escaped without his neck being broken is more than the trainmen can understand. At the point where he jumped there is a slight down grade and the train was running at a fast clip, being a few minutes late. He alighted in a soft bed of gravel which probably saved his life.

MOUNT ALLISON GRADUATES FOR PRESENT YEAR

Sackville, May 22—At the annual meeting of the Epworth League last evening, Rev. J. L. Dawson presided, and the following officers were elected: Chas. D. Stewart, president; Bessie Weldon, 1st vice-president; Josephine Crane, 2nd vice-president; Nellie James, 3rd vice-president; Cladie Smith, secretary; Lily Richardson, treasurer; Ethel Fillmore, musical director.

The assistant general secretary of the Epworth League, Rev. S. T. Bartlett, with his family are removing here from Calbune (Ont.), and have taken a house on York street.

Rev. C. W. Hamilton has received a unanimous invitation to Salisbury circuit.

Dr. B. F. Austin, of Rochester (N. Y.), is paying a visit to Sackville.

Dr. R. C. Archibald, director of violin music at Mt. Allison conservatory, has tendered his resignation, much to the regret of all. He is undecided as to whether he will fill a mathematical chair or go abroad for additional study.

The following is the list of students receiving diplomas at the close of Mt. Allison collegiate year:

M. L. A.

Eva Victoria Baker, River John (N. S.); and Aberta Pool Craig, Auburn (N. S.)

Oratory.

Harriet Florence Chubbuck, Ottawa; Mabel Gertrude Dixon, M. L. A., Sackville (N. B.); Winnifred Sinclair, Guysboro (N. S.); Helen P. Watson, Woodstock (N. B.)

Household Science.

Bessie L. Bent, Springhill (N. S.); Ethel J. L. Roach, Windsor (N. S.); Mary E. Wilson, Fairville (N. S.); Amy W. Carver, Pownal (P. E. I.); Mary A. Johnston, Bridgetown (N. S.)

Piano.

Helen G. Bowser, Victoria (N. B.); Margaret Robina Dunn, Harcourt (N. B.); Bessie Lundon, Canterbury (N. B.); Hazel S. Lusher, Hamilton, Bermuda; Bertha Rogers, Sussex (N. B.); Edna M. Smith, Coverdale (N. B.); Ellen B. Smith, St. John (N. B.); Frances E. Faulkner, Sackville (N. B.)

Hattie Daken, of Pugwash (N. S.), takes a diploma in organ.

Mary L. P. Smith, Halifax, a diploma in vocal music.

Florence I. Robb, Amherst, and Julia Parker Ruggles, of Wakefield (Mass.), diplomas in violin.

Elaine A. Borden, Sackville (N. B.), and Nellie Turner, Sackville, will receive diplomas in drawing.

The seniors of Mt. Allison University are composed of the following members: Edgar S. Atkinson, Sackville; Herbert C. Atkinson, Port Elgin (N. B.); Percy S. Bailey, Oak Bay (N. B.); Ralph P. Bell, Halifax (N. S.); Harold G. Black, Pugwash (N. S.); John M. Glindinnin, St. Stephen (N. B.); Wm. H. Davidson, Parrsboro (N. S.); Mabel G. Dixon, Sackville (N. B.); Carl H. Hallett, Hamilton, Bermuda; J. Roy Harper, Sackville (N. B.); Anna R. C. Laurence, Southampton (N. S.); Wm. W. McDonald, Lockport (N. S.); Alice A. McLean, Halifax (N. S.); John R. Oulton, Lorneville (N. S.); Howard W. Outerbridge, Liverpool (N. S.); Geo. S. Patterson, Moncton (N. B.); John S. Smiley, Milltown (N. B.); Mary L. P. Smith, Halifax (N. S.); and Ralph Wheeler, Brookville (N. B.)

The following members of Mt. Allison track team will compete in intercollegiate track team at St. Stephen May 24: J. C. Clindinnin; captain; G. Patterson, H. Atkinson, J. Oulton, R. Wheeler, W. Doe, R. Smith, D. Killam, W. Sutherland, H. Beer, T. Llewellyn, F. Munroe, A. W. Smith, F. Dibblee. They leave tomorrow for St. Stephen.

Looking Backward

(Atlanta Constitution.)

By the old, sweet river
Every ripple seems
To bring me back green meadows
And boyhood's sunny dreams!

Life's now too brief for dreaming;
I'd give all city joys
Once more to splash the water
With the old barefooted boys!

TRUANT SENT INTO JAIL TO REFLECT

Ten-Year-Old Chas. Harrington Tells Court He Will Not Go to School

CRIES, THOUGH, WHEN HE IS LED AWAY

Spent Only Ten Days of Winter at Studies, and Mother Says Efforts to Make Him Attend Are Fruitless—Judge Ritchie Sees Occasion for Some Wholesome Talk.

A case against Charles Harrington, a ten-year-old boy from the North End, charged with truancy, drew forth some very plain talk from Judge Ritchie Tuesday afternoon in the police court.

Young Harrington was reported by Truant Officer McMann for not attending school, but he is said to have rather saucily informed the police that he would not attend court. A warrant was then sworn out for his arrest and after being examined Tuesday afternoon he was remanded to jail.

Mr. McMann said that Harrington's teacher had complained that the lad was a confirmed truant.

In the course of a serious talk to the boy, Judge Ritchie was rather impertinently interrupted by the boy, who said he didn't want to go to school and wouldn't go.

The boy's mother said that she wanted her boy to go to school, but that he had refused to do so and that his parents were afraid to force him for fear he would stay out in the streets on cold winter nights and perish. Mr. Harrington had beaten the lad, she said, until it was of no use to do so. She had often taken Charlie up to school in the morning but he would go out after school opened and not go back that day. He had not been to school ten days during the winter.

His honor said that the statements of mother and boy revealed a remarkable state of affairs. A boy ten years of age was setting himself up and disobeying his parents and violating the law. It was the fault of the parents, he said; the lack of training. He had watched and had found that the little boys who found their way into jail, the reformatory and Dorchester came to it through lack of parental control. He could name a boy in Gilbert's Lane, one in Lower Cove, one in the North End and in Carleton who had been dealt with by the law, and it was all the fault of home training. "The idea," he said, "of this lad saying that he would not go to school!"

A boy ten years of age should so love and respect his mother that there would be no question of obeying. It should be pointed out to him that it was for his own good to go to school. Judge Ritchie asked if the boy went to Sunday school, and he was told that he did. His honor then asked the boy if he were a Jew or a Christian.

The lad muttered that he was a Christian, and his honor scathingly remarked: "Well, you don't act like one. You are more like a pagan. A little pagan!"

He also spoke of the boy's statement to the police that he would not attend court and the necessity of arresting him. "The arrest," he said, "was the first lesson in control that the boy has been taught."

As Harrington was being taken out of the court room down into jail he burst into loud crying and his honor observed that he was surprised to hear it, as the lad had seemed hardened.

ANOTHER NORTH END MAN MISSING

Took Dinner With Him Two Days to Work in Cushing's, But Did Not Go to Mill.

Mrs. A. Carson keeps a boarding house at 43 Hilyard street, and during the past week she has been given considerable uneasiness owing to the actions of several of her boarders. James Reid, an Englishman, was reported to the police as missing on Sunday, but he turned up again on Monday morning, sound and whole.

Mrs. Carson said Tuesday that she had not worried much about Reid, but she was really feeling uneasy about a young man, Arthur Hardman, who had been acting quite peculiarly and finished up with clearing out altogether, leaving his clothing behind.

Hardman left Mrs. Carson's on Friday morning, and said that he had secured employment in Cushing's mill at Union Point. He took his dinner with him, and is said to have worked only three-quarters of a day. Saturday and Monday mornings he also left Mrs. Carson's, taking his lunch with him and remarking that he would be at the mill in time.

He has not been seen since Monday morning, and on making inquiries, Mrs. Carson found that he had not been at Cushing's since Friday.

Tuesday fellow boarders made some inquiries, but all to no avail, and it is feared that something may have happened to him. He is not in debt to Mrs. Carson and he left his clothes behind. Mrs. Carson describes him as a model young man, who never drank.

He Will Go to School Now.

Charles Harrington, the ten-year-old boy arrested for not attending school, has made up his mind to do so. A night in jail settled the matter and in the police court yesterday he professed the utmost willingness, in fact almost an eagerness, to go to school and promised to attend faithfully.

Judge Ritchie accordingly set him free on condition that he attend to his studies at St. Peter's school every day. He must bring a certificate to his honor from the teacher today and in addition must also report to him at intervals.

Corns Between the Toes

or on the soles of the feet, can be cured by a few applications of Putnam's Corn Extractor, which acts painlessly, quickly and with certainty. The genuine "Putnam's" always cures. Try it.

LOCAL NEWS.

Rev. G. F. Scovil and Capt. Brennan have just returned from New River, where they caught seventeen dozen trout.

In a list of missing persons on file at the police court, Dawson, on April 23, is Eldon Patterson, of whom information is wanted by his father in Woodstock (N. B.)

A committee of Woodstock Methodists has been appointed to take up the work of arranging for the construction of a new church. Rev. R. G. Fulton, formerly of Carleton, is pastor of the church.

M. Palmer, bookkeeper, with Emerson & Fisher, has received appointment to the permanent army service corps, with the rank of lieutenant. He is at present an officer in the 8th Hussars. He will join the corps in June, and will be stationed either at Esquimault or Halifax.

The building committee of Germain street Baptist church has decided to recommend to the church that the project of building a new Sunday school be deferred for two or three years and an effort be made to pay off the balance of the mortgage on the church.

The marriage of W. Thomas Fulton, of Missoula (Mont.), to Miss Mary A. McLeod, daughter of Daniel McLeod, of Chipman, took place Tuesday at the residence of C. N. Haggard, Main street. Rev. Dr. W. E. McIntyre performed the ceremony, in the presence of immediate relatives and friends of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Fulton will leave by the C. P. R. today for their future home in Montana.

Rev. Father White, C. SS. R., who, much to the regret of his parishioners, has been transferred from St. Peter's church to New York, will not leave for his new field until after the arrival of his successor as rector here, Rev. Father Duke, which will be about the middle of next week. A farewell to Father White by his people was to have been given in the church basement last night but was postponed until next Monday evening.

The work of tearing down the old No. 1 Salvation Army barracks in Charlotte street was commenced Tuesday. Ensign Freeman, who came here from Toronto a year ago and who has the oversight of the army property in the maritime provinces, is in charge. The ensign will also have charge of the carpenter work on the new building, hiring the men by the day. Others who have contracts on the new building are J. H. Burrell, masonry and plastering, and W. A. Steiper, plumbing and iron work.

During the last day or so there has been a rise of several inches in the water at Indiantown, and if the warm weather continues the wharves may be covered again. The usual summer conditions now prevail at Indiantown water front and the North End merchants are getting the heavy summer trade under way. The Majestic yesterday brought down a considerable quantity of pressed hay and a few head of live stock. The steamer Aberdeen is on the route again after her recent misfortune, and is giving a good service.

HARRIMAN'S PLAN TO USE ST. JOHN HARBOR

This City Said to Be Included in Big Scheme of Railroad King.

The Boston Journal of May 20 says that recent activity in New England railroad circles means this that to combat the C. P. R. and the imperial service mapped out at the Colonial conference in London, E. H. Harriman is engineering the merging of the Boston and Maine line into the New York, New Haven and Hartford.

The Journal says:—"There is a little railroad which runs from St. Stephen, just across the St. Croix river, on the Canadian border, from Calais Me., to St. John, N. B. It is only a one-horse railroad and is known as the New Brunswick Southern. When the Boston and Maine shall have been actually acquired by the New Haven, Mellen of the New York, New Haven and Hartford and the men higher up will have a road from New York to Calais because the Maine Central is really part and parcel of the Boston and Maine. If the New Haven or Mr. Harriman had the New Brunswick Southern, it or he would have a straight through rail connection with St. John, with its splendid harbor and its possibility of development into the greatest harbor on the coast.

"With a through road from St. John to New York the American railroad kings would be in a position to see the game of the Canadian Pacific and go it one better, for with a fast line of steamers having for its eastern terminus St. John, and with express, freight and passenger service to New York and the South and West, the time from Europe to New York and the South and West would be cut many hours. Mr. Harriman, with the aid of the New York tunnels, would be able to deliver his animate and inanimate freight in Chicago and St. Louis a considerable length of time before Sir Thomas Shaughnessy and his colleagues of the Canadian Pacific could do with their new imperial subsidy scheme."

TIREDNESS COMES IN THE SPRING

What Are You Doing to Overcome It?

The cold of winter exhausts vitality and exposes everyone to disease. Spring is sure to bring tiredness and languor that will not go.

Spring sickness doesn't cure itself—the cause is in the blood, and that cause must be remedied. It is easily done with Ferrozone, a marvelous remedy that purifies the blood and expels those humors and poisons that depress and weaken.

Just think of it—Ferrozone uplifts the entire nervous system, renews the blood, makes it rich and red—gives the sort of aid that's needed in throwing off weakness and spring languor.

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For those who sleep poorly and have nervous apprehensions, Ferrozone is a boon; it is a specialist in such cases.

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In tiredness, nerve exhaustion, spring fever and debility, the power of Ferrozone is known from coast to coast and universally used with grand results.

Let Ferrozone build you up, let it win you back to robust health—it will do so quickly if you give it the chance. Sold by all dealers, 50c. per box or six boxes for $2.50. Remember the name Ferrozone.

OBITUARY.

Wife of Captain Bissett.

Mrs. Sarah Bissett, wife of Capt. Geo. W. J. Bissett, commander of the Dominion steamer Lansdowne, died at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at her home in Carleton after illness which had extended over a long time. Besides her husband, she is survived by one daughter, Leah, and two sons, Hedley and Edgar, and to them the sympathy of many friends will be offered in their bereavement.

William S. Hunter.

William Smithson Hunter, a life long and one of the most respected residents of Maguapit Lake, Sunbury county, died on the evening of May 9, aged sixty-six years. Mr. Hunter had been ill for a number of years with bronchitis and asthma, and during such time was a great sufferer.

He was twice married. His first wife was Louise McKenzie, of King's county, by whom he had five children, four of whom survive him, namely: Addie, wife of Fred S. Hunter, merchant of Flourenceville, Carleton county; Bessie, wife of Dr. Somerville, of Bristol, Carleton county; and Wilmot and Louise, who also reside in Florenceville, Queen's county, by whom he had one daughter, Edna, who is now Mrs. Fred Simmons, and resides on the homestead of the deceased.

Mr. Hunter was a very energetic and active man, notwithstanding his affliction, and ever manifested a happy disposition. It was his delight to make his friends and even strangers comfortable in his home, and no one need suffer hunger were they within his reach. He belonged to one of the largest and most respected families in the provinces, having in various parts many relatives and friends who will deeply regret to learn of his death.

His funeral was largely attended, there being about thirty vehicles in the procession from the house to the Methodist church at Lakeville corner, where Rev. Mr. Peppers preached an appropriate sermon from Phil. 1st chap. 21st verse. Rev. Mr. Sable (Baptist) assisted at the church and also at the grave. Mr. Hunter was a life long and consistent member of the Methodist church.

Joseph Daley.

The death of Joseph Daley occurred on Monday afternoon at his residence on the old Loch Lomond Road. He was aged 76 years, and leaves his wife, one son and three daughters.

Arthur Adams.

The death of Arthur Adams took place yesterday in the Home for Incurables. He had been there since September, 1894, and was seventy-seven years old. Mr. Adams resided for a number of years at Bayswater and Milkish Island, and will be well remembered. He is survived by three brothers—Matthew and James, of this city, and Simon of San Francisco.

James Bisohp.

Hopewell Hill, May 20.—James Bishop, an old and respected citizen, passed away at his home here today, aged 83 years. The deceased is survived by five sons—Ernest, Emmerson and Richmond, of Newport (R. I.), and Frank and Allison, of this village; and four daughters—Mrs. M. M. Tingley and Mrs. James Robinson, of this place; Mrs. Meynell, of Bangor (Me.), and Miss Caroline, living at home. Mr. Bishop was a son of Dalton Bishop, one of the early residents of Shepody, and was one of a large family, only two of which remain, Edward Bishop, of this place, and Mrs. Wheelock, residing in the Western States. The late Capt. Alfred Bishop, of Dorchester, was a brother of the deceased. Mr. Bishop, who, possessed of unusual vigor up to late on in life, followed the sea in his earlier years and shortly after the gold fever of '49, spent some time in the famous diggings of California.

Mrs. William Hodnett.

New Bandon, May 21—Mrs. William Hodnett, aged seventy-eight years, died at the home of her son-in-law, James M. Ellis, on May 17. The funeral on the 19th was largely attended for she was beloved by all who knew her. She is survived by one daughter, Maggie. She had been a sufferer for years but bore all with patient resignation to the will of God.

Mrs. Adelaide Stirling.

The death of Mrs. Adelaide Stirling occurred at Carpenter's, Queens county, on the 16th inst. Mrs. Stirling was twice married. Her first husband was Coles H. Carpenter, by whom she had eight children, all but one surviving her. The deceased was highly respected, and her death is keenly felt by all who knew her.

M. Everett Smith.

St. Stephen, May 22—(Special)—M. Everett Smith, aged 43, who has conducted a bookstore on Water street for several years, died this morning. He has been in failing health for some years, but was able to look after his business until last Christmas; since then has been confined to the house. Mr. Smith was well and favorably known. For a number of years he was in the employ of Smith & Murray, and Ganong Bros. and then Oak Hall, at Woodstock. He was a member of Sussex Lodge, F. & A. M., and Miriam Lodge, I. O. O. F., under whose auspices the funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. He leaves a mother, two sisters and three brothers.

MUTUAL RESERVE LIFE OFFICIALS RESIGN

New York, May 22—Frederick A. Burnham, indicted for grand larceny and forgery, tendered his resignation from the presidency of the Mutual Reserve Life Insurance Society at a meeting of the board of directors today. The resignation was accepted and Archibald C. Haynes, formerly general agent for the Equitable Life Assurance Society, was elected to succeed Mr. Burnham.

At the same meeting George D. Elridge tendered his resignation as vice-president, actuary and member of the board of directors. His resignation from the office of vice-president was accepted but he still remains actuary of the company and member of the board of directors. No successor as vice-president was chosen today.

A Quick Drive.

The quickest drive that was ever made on the Dungarvon river was made by Con. Regan, foreman for James Robinson, ex-M. P., from the falls to Indiantown, leaving on the 7th and arriving at noon of the 17th.

The water was exceedingly low, but Mr. Regan, being an expert himself and having secured an exceptionally fine crew of river drivers who thoroughly understood their business and studied their employer's interests, was able to accomplish this extraordinarily quick drive.

Store open evenings till 8 o'clock.

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26-28 Charlotte Street
Old Y. M. C. A. Building — Alex. Corbet, Mgr.

Special Sale of Men's and Boys' Suits

Men's Fancy Tweed Suits regular $10.00 values, $8.49

Boys' Fancy Tweed Suits regular $3.00 values, $2.49

TWINS TO WED TWINS

Ceremony Will Not Change Surnames of Ladies

All Four of the Happy Quartette Called Lynch -- Neither Sister Quite Sure Which of the Men She Prefers.

New York, May 20—The Herald has received the following despatch from Omaha: Gertrude and Agnes Lynch, twins, of Omaha, and Albert and Walter Lynch, twins, of Sioux City, Iowa, have met and rumor has it that there is to be a double wedding. Double weddings are not uncommon, and weddings of twins have been heard of, also marriages of people of the same name, but a double wedding of twin sisters and twin brothers without a single surname being changed in the operation probably is unprecedented.

The situation is perplexing, however, and there are those who say that the resemblance of one brother to the other and one sister to the other is so strong that neither brother and neither sister is quite sure which of the other twins he loves. So it is probable they will have to get better acquainted before there is a wedding.

SLIM EVIDENCE THAT YOUNG MEIKLE KILLED HIS FATHER

Salem, Mass., May 22—The evidence for the prosecution in the trial in the Essex county superior court of Edgar W. Meikle, the 17-year-old lad charged with the murder of his father, S. G. Meikle, was not productive of developments of a striking nature today, except perhaps the testimony of Edward Garrity, a young companion of the accused. Garrity testified that on the Saturday preceding the day of the shooting he went to the Meikle house to see if the elder Meikle was at home. When Garrity reported to Edgar that he had found the door open and had looked in, Edgar exclaimed, according to the witness: "I'll bet my father has shot himself."

Three fellow-employes of the elder Meikle in the General Electric Works in Lynn testified as to his normal conduct during the forenoon preceding his death, this evidence being put in to contradict the suicide theory. Thomas M. Carroll, who lived in the house next to the Meikle home, testified that he walked down Congress street a few feet ahead of the senior Meikle just before the shooting occurred. The houses are only a few feet apart, and, according to the witness, Meikle turned to go into his own yard just as the witness reached his home. Carroll said he was about to enter his door when he heard a shot fired.

Considerable time was spent by counsel during the afternoon session in discussing the admissability of evidence which was given at the inquest. Eventually Court Stenographer Gay was allowed to read from his short-hand notes made at the inquest testimony given by young Meikle to the effect that he never wrote any letter to his school teacher and signed his father's name to it. According to the testimony, however, he wrote a note which his father signed.

Albert Joseph Gadreau, who lives across the street from the Meikle house, testified that on the Saturday preceding the shooting he smelled gas in Meikle's house and on investigation found the elder Meikle in bed with the gas in the room escaping from a jet. The witness turned off the gas.

Edwin P. Butterfield, a foreman at the General Electric Works, testified that he saw Mr. Meikle on the forenoon of his death, that the man was working as usual and that nothing unusual was noticed in his appearance.

George S. Hamilton testified that a short time previous to the tragedy he walked part way home with Meikle who told funny stories and laughed heartily.

James M. Blaisdell, undertaker, told of a visit made to him by Edgar on the Thursday following the shooting to see his father's body. The witness noticed that Edgar leaned away over the body and looked particularly at the left side of the head where the wound was. On cross-examination by Lawyer Sisk for the defense, the witness was asked why he kept using the words "leaned over" and he explained that it was because the act struck him as a peculiar thing for the boy to do.

Ellen Sheehan, whose residence is back of the Meikle house, testified that some time after the shooting she talked with the boy, and that Edgar asked her if State Officer Proctor had been to see her and that she replied "No." Attorney Sisk asked in cross-examination if it were anything strange for the boy to come into her house. She said that he had been there two or three times before.

The G. T. P. in New Brunswick.

Following upon the passing of the necessary order in council, instructions have been received by the engineers in St. John that the central route for the G. T. P. through New Brunswick had been finally approved and that location surveys between Chipman and Grand Falls be completed.

Three parties will leave this morning. Between the Canada Eastern crossing and Chipman the engineer in charge will be B. F. Maxwell. The section between the Tobique and the Canada Eastern will be under the direction of Archibald Foster, and Hector MacNeill will superintend the survey from the Tobique to Grand Falls.

Work may be started at any time on the Moncton-Chipman section of the road.

If a man didn't ever have to go calling with his wife on his holidays he'd think this was a pretty comfortable world.

FIND PAPER WHICH WAS SOLD BY MAHONEY

Developments in the Stove Stealing Case Still Arise—Paper Property of Schofield Bros.

There continue to be discoveries of goods stolen from the McClary-Schofield warehouse in Celebration street. On charge of stealing a stove there, Wm Mahoney was Tuesday sent up for trial. The Telegraph intimated several days ago that Schofield Bros., with whom Mahoney was employed, were also losers by dishonest practices. This has been borne out by the finding of several rolls of roofing paper in a store in the vicinity of Mahoney's house in Delhi street.

Sergeant Kilpatrick Tuesday located paper to the value of about $10 in a store. The dealer said that he had purchased the paper in good faith from Mahoney in February. Though the price paid was much less than the value of the goods, he says his suspicions were not aroused, and the police hold him guiltless in the matter. The paper was identified as the property of Schofield Bros., but was allowed to remain in the store awaiting developments.

WEDDINGS.

Campbell-Paterson.

A quiet wedding took place in St. Mary's church rectory Tuesday evening when Miss Ella May, daughter of Samuel Paterson, of 248 Brussels street, was married to Owen R. Campbell, also of this city. Rev. Dr. W. O. Raymond performed the ceremony.

Ryan-Kennedy.

A quiet wedding took place in the cathedral Wednesday morning, when Teresa, eldest daughter of Jeremiah Kennedy, was united in marriage to James A., son of Peter Ryan, contractor. The bride wore a mauve traveling suit with hat to match, and carried pink roses. She was attended by Miss Kathleen P. Ryan, who wore pale blue broadcloth, with black picture hat, and carried white roses. The groom was supported by Charles F. Cochran. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. W. Meahan. Mr. and Mrs. Ryan left by train for Boston, and on their return will reside in St. Patrick street.

Webb-Gamblin.

The marriage of Miss Ethel Blanche Gamblin, daughter of George Gamblin, to Hiram Webb, electrical contractor, of this city. Took place Wednesday at the residence of the bride's father, Parsonville, Kings county. The newly married couple were the recipients of numerous wedding gifts. The will live at 87 Victoria street. gifts. They will live at 87 Victoria street.

Father White Transferred to New York.

The news of the transfer of Rev. William E. White, C.S.S.R., rector of St. Peter's church, will be read with great regret by his many friends in this city.

For some time word from the head the order has been expected, as changes in the order are made generally every four years, but when word of Father White's transfer to New York was received the Catholic people of the city, particularly those of his own parish by whom he was highly respected, expressed their great sorrow at his departure.

Father White has been rector of St. Peter's parish for five years, having succeeded Father Corduke, C.S.S.R. During that time he has worked great changes for the better in the north end parish, and has made many improvements on the church premises. He caused the installation of the electric lights and the building of the beautiful steps leading to the church.

Father White will leave soon for New York, where he will be stationed in the church of the Immaculate Conception. He will be succeeded here by Rev Augustine Duke, C.S.S.R., of Boston, who will probably arrive in this city this week to begin his new duties.

No other changes in the order here have as yet been announced.

Fishin' Time

(New York Sun.)

I am a-longin' and a-wishin'
That I jest could go a-fishin',
A-wadin' down the brooklet
Where the speckled beauties hide;
There the robins whistle shriller
Where the buddin' pussy willer
Screens the deeper pools and eddies
Where the silent waters glide.

The tangled brake and rushes,
Where the limpid crystal gushes,
Hide the flicker of your shadder
From the quarry in the stream;
As you keep the lure a-dancin'
O'er the rippled waters glancin'
There's a fish beneath the surface
Like an unsheathed weapon's gleam.

O the wild exultant feelin'
As the sudden sharp unreelin'
Of the silken line announces
That you've hooked a gamy prize;
And its struggles slowly yieldin'
To your light rod's skilful wieldin'—
It sparkles like a jewel
In the grasses where it lies.

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