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IMPORTANT CHANGE IN BANKING CIRCLES

James G. Taylor, Present Manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce Here to Become General Agent of An Annuity Company, With His Headquarters in Montreal.

James G. Taylor, manager of the St. John branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, will, about the beginning of August, retire from his position and assume the position of general agent for the Annuity Company of Canada, for the Province of Quebec, with headquarters in Montreal.

WE STUDENTS ARE THE HOSTS

Miss Morton's Kindergarten Pupils Receiving Their Friends This Afternoon.

The annual summer closing of Miss Morton's Kindergarten, in St. Mary's school room, is taking place this afternoon and is of more than ordinary interest, as the children—of whom there are forty in attendance—have made particular progress during the past year.

THEY SHOULD GET TOGETHER

Dissatisfaction Over Train Arrangements Between Canadian Pacific and I. C. R.

There is considerable dissatisfaction over the way the train service is conducted between the I. C. R. and C. P. R. Very often if a C. P. R. train is late the I. C. R. train with which connection should be made is sent out on time and the result is that a number of disappointed people are compelled to spend some hours here when they are in a hurry to proceed.

MISS HUTT'S SCHOOL

The closing of Miss Hutt's free kindergarten was held this morning in one of the class rooms of the Carmichael street Methodist church school room, in charge of Mrs. W. C. Matthews, will have its closing tomorrow afternoon.

FIRE IN ST. STEPHEN'S

ST. STEPHEN, N. B., June 26 (Special)—A tenement house on Water street, owned by C. W. Young, was badly damaged by fire and water at noon today.

KENNEDY SENT TO DORCHESTER ON THE CHARGE OF ABDUCTION

Judge Wedderburn Sentenced Him To a Term of Three Years And a Half.

HAMPTON, June 26 (Special)—At the adjourned sitting of the King's county criminal court this morning, Donald B. Kennedy was brought from jail and sentenced to a term of three years and six months in the penitentiary for the abduction of Elsie Boone, of Norton, a girl fifteen years of age, on June last.

COLLINS WAS AFFECTED AS GRIM TALE WAS TOLD

Solicitor Gen'l Jones Opens Case to the Jury.

Several Witnesses Examined—Evidence Same As at Former Trial.

HOPEWELL CAPE, N. B., June 26 (Special)—Court opened promptly at the Collins trial today. The gallery was almost bare of spectators, but a fair audience gathered in before the recess.

The opening was much fuller and plainer than at the former trial, and the prisoner, who followed the details closely, seemed visibly affected as the terrible story was unfolded.

Miles Dixon was the first witness sworn. He proved the indictment.

Professor Andrews, of Mount Allison University, was called and given charge of the axes and doors which were exhibited in the former trial and he is now experimenting and will give his evidence later.

William Simpson, station agent on the I. C. R. at Petticoat, swore that on or about the 21st day of August, he sold a second-class ticket for St. John to a man whom he took to be a sailor by his dress, and a few days later he saw whom he took to be the same man in custody of Sheriff Lynds, of Albert.

Alfred Mittin swore that he drove the prisoner from Alexander Bannister's to Elgin on the 20th day of August and that the prisoner was carrying two valises, which he had no doubt were the two in court in evidence.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McElwaine, Bellevue avenue, north end, was the scene of a very enjoyable gathering last evening, the occasion being the tenth anniversary of their wedding. About forty-five guests were present, and during the evening Thomas Lunney, brother of Mrs. McElwaine, on behalf of those present, presented the happy couple with a very handsome Morris clock.

NEW ROYAL YACHT ALEXANDER



The Duchess of Argyll launched the Alexandra from the yard of A. & J. Inglis, at Glasgow, May 30. The vessel is a twin screw turbine of 2,000 tons displacement and 4,500 indicated horse power.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

MUSIC IN THE AIR. A west side contractor was heard this morning gaily singing as he gazed toward City Hall.

"Will you love me in December as you did in May?" And an echo drifted back from City Hall.

"We'll love you in the same old foolish way." CITY HALL THUNDER. A nervous alderman called on the mayor this morning and asked that the table in

THUNDER PEALS OVER CAMP SUSSEX, BUT 'TIS NOT THUNDER OF WAR

SUSSEX, N. B., June 26 (Special)—Today broke cloudy and although before eleven o'clock it gave promise of fine weather, shortly after that time showers rumbled in the distance and rain fell in huge drops.

Very few soldiers left the grounds this morning, as today is set aside for the muster parade and inspection of troops houses. Col. White, D. O. C., and his staff, are going from regiment to regiment and Capt. Forbes is calling the roll of those in camp.

Although the thunder rolled on and rain fell the inspection went on. A line of marked horsemen can be seen riding slowly about the camp in their section of the field. Up on the hill the red coats are drilling while waiting to be inspected. The muster parade will occupy all day.

DOOLEY CASE WAS TAKEN UP TODAY

The circuit court session was resumed at the court house this morning. Mr. Justice McLeod presiding, and the case of Dooley vs. the City of St. John was taken up.

D. Mullin, K. C., for the plaintiff, opened the case to the jury. He pointed out that on August 3rd, 1905, Richard Dooley lost his life while at work in a ditch in which a number of city employees were working.

Mr. Dooley had been buried by the earth falling in upon him from the top of the ditch, where it had been thrown. He died while being conveyed to the hospital. The plaintiff held that the accident resulted from carelessness or negligence on the part of the city.

Photographs of the trench taken by Isaac Erb were in evidence after Mr. Erb had identified them.

Harry Lawton, laborer, testified to the measurements of the trench. A short time before the accident an old sewer was discovered and the earth removed from the top but not from beneath. When the accident occurred the witness was at work near Mr. Dooley and he saw the cave-in which buried Mr. Dooley and Mr. Haley.

The witness promised to consult the trench or he would not have been working there. He stated also that in digging out the men it was found that the cover-

SOLDIERS LOOT A ROTHESAY STORE

Scenes of Disorder Marked Arrival of York County Militia Men at Rothesay Yesterday—J. Renforth Robertson's Clerk Held Up and Goods Stolen From His Store.

Rothesay residents are indignant over the depredations committed by a party of soldiers who passed through Rothesay at noon yesterday en route to Camp Sussex.

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PECULIAR BOSTON WOMAN BURIED IN POTTER'S FIELD

Mortal Remains of "Crazy Minnie" Buried on Sunday—Preached the Gospel of God and Chastity in Slums of Darkest Boston.

(Boston Journal.)

Two brave laborers yesterday lowered a plain pine coffin into a shallow grave in Potter's Field, and with it went into oblivion the mortal and emaciated remains of "Crazy Minnie."

It is a sad story, and in a more unbiased way than this. The third of each obituary column of earth brought no pang to any heart.

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THE LUDLOW NEEDS REST

Wun Lung Will Replace the \$90,000 Beauty on the Ferry Service.

The ferry steamer Ludlow will be taken off the route probably this afternoon, and the Western Extension will be put on in her place. The Ludlow's class certificate has expired and it is necessary for her to be examined and overhauled.

Considerable repair work will also be done, and it is expected that the \$90,000 beauty will be laid up for three or four weeks.

WORK UPON THE WALL ST. BRIDGE

Aldermen Arrange With I.C.R. for Resumption of Light Traffic.

Aldermen McGoldrick and Pickett, with Director Peters, called upon L. R. Ross, terminal superintendent of the I. C. R. this morning and discussed the matter of the delay for teams in crossing the Wall street bridge as a result of the repairs being made, and also of the changes to be made at Forrest street, near Gilbert's lane.

It was arranged that light traffic would be resumed at once and that teams would only be stopped when it was necessary in order to replace portions of the structure.

POLICE COURT

In the police court this morning Wm. Snade, drunk, was fined \$4 or ten days. A sailor who hails from Finland, and has been in on remand for drunkenness