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Advertisements under this head inserted free of charge.

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LOST.

LOST—A Collie pup, color yellow, on Saturday afternoon. Returns to 10 PEARL STREET.

MISCELLANEOUS.

PERSONS DESIRING HOME COOKING can have the same at a small cost by addressing "I." care Star office. Brown Bread and Beans a specialty.

Save money in the purchase of a SEWING MACHINE. Call at W. H. Bell's, 25 Dock Street. Best makes to select from. Tel. 1427.

WANTED.

WANTED—Gentlemen Boarders. Large, pleasant rooms, central locality. Address Board, Box 120, City.

WANTED—Pupils desiring private lessons in Latin, Greek or Mathematics. Address S. C. care Star Office. Terms moderate.

WANTED—Cavassers, male or female, through the city to handle a rapid selling book on the war. Good commissions. Address "M." Star Office.

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY—Advanced on mortgage in large or small sums. Apply to Chas. Macdonald, barrister, Walker Building, Canterbury St.

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Advertisements under this head: Two words for one cent each time, or Three cents a word for ten times. Payable in advance.

FOR SALE—Two freehold properties east and Britain street 12 and 16 rooms. Terms right for cash. J. B. M. BAXTER, Barrister, 50 Princess street.

FOR SALE—A lady's bicycle in good condition. Price \$30.00. Apply at this office.

TRADES AND LABOR COUNCIL.

The Trades and Labor Council held its regular meeting in the Oddfellows' Building last night.

The office of recording secretary was declared vacant, and Charles Stevens was elected to that position. The treasurer having removed from the city, Samuel Cook was elected to fill the vacancy.

A communication was read from the president of the Board of Trade, suggesting that a committee be appointed to confer with the council of the board in regard to the formation of an arbitration board. Action was laid over until next meeting.

Trade reports were as follows: Printers, good; carpenters, good; freight handlers, good; teamsters, fair; cigar makers, fair; shingle sawyers and buntchers, good; painters, good; railway clerks, very busy; ship laborers, good.

The trouble between the cartmen and Messrs. Starr was reported settled, the firm agreeing to pay 23 cents for hauling coal within the city proper; \$2.70 per day for yarding, and an increase was granted for the outlying districts. The men remaining in will become members of the Teamsters' Union.

After some routine business was transacted the meeting adjourned.

THEY WERE DISCREET.

In the course of an interview Cardinal Manning, a short time before his death, referred to his boyhood days as follows: "Well, if you want me to talk nonsense I will say that it is a long way back to remember, for I am eighty-three, but I spent my childhood at Totteridge. A boy at Coombe Bank, Christopher Wadsworth, late bishop of Lincoln, and Charles Wadsworth, bishop of St. Andrews, were my playfellows. I frankly admit I was very mischievous."

The two Wadsworths and I conceived the wicked intention of robbing the winery. The door was always kept locked, and there was nothing for it but to enter through the roof. There was a dinner party that day, but there were no grapes. This is probably the only case on record where three future bishops were guilty of larceny. Were we punished? No, we were discreet. We gave ourselves up and were forgiven."

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THE DAY.

It is, in many ways, fitting that today should be kept a public holiday. For so many years it has been kept that the observance has practically become a custom, not lightly to be forgotten. It has become a day which really marks the opening of the summer season and ushers in its full brightness and beauty. On this day, for many, the cares of every day work are put by, and they take time to enjoy the fresh and bracing atmosphere of the early summer, and to note the changes which a few weeks of warmth have made in the trees and in the fields. New life and vigor pulsate everywhere and it is for man to drink, care free, of its delights, the true elixir of life. A day thus spent brings incalculable benefit to all.

LORD PAUNCEFOTE.

Lord Pauncefote, British ambassador to the United States, is dead. That he was an able man and a clever diplomatist appears in the fact that for the last nine years he has represented his government at Washington. He had seen much service, both at home and abroad, before he was sent to Washington, and appears to have filled every office he held with prudence and ability. He had become a great favorite at Washington, and his death will be sincerely mourned in diplomatic and government circles there. Lord Pauncefote had not Lord Dufferin's opportunities, nor his ability, but he was a faithful servant of the empire and leaves an excellent record as a departmental official in London, and as a representative of the nation in foreign service.

A TERRIBLE RECORD.

Two thousand five hundred men, women and children, shot, hanged and burned at the stake, without a fair trial, within fifteen years is a horrible record. Yet this is claimed to be the fact in regard to the negro race in the United States. It is a terrible piece of satire upon the claim of those who drew up the much vaunted Declaration of Independence, that all men are born free and equal, and are entitled to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. It may be that in many of the cases, the punishment was deserved, but the resort to torture is a relapse into methods of barbarism that should not be tolerated for a single instant in a land where freedom is the principal watchword. If the mills of the law grind slowly and even irregularly it is the fault of the people. They have the remedy in their own hands. But acts such as those of the last day or so neither remedy the laws nor strengthen the position of the mob. It is, in fact, apt to remove from them the sympathy of all fair minded people who are far enough away from the scene of action to be untouched by the local feelings. As a result more sympathy is felt for the suffering, though guilty, wretch, than for those who burn out his eyes with blazing brands and to satisfy a morbid desire carry away his skull and other portions of his charred body as mementoes. It is hard from a distance to judge with any degree of fairness, the action of mob that lynches a supposed or confessed criminal, but it hardly seems possible that any one possessing the least bit of humanity and kindly feeling could delight in or condone such fiendish cruelty as is related from time to time. Such horrible work cannot but have a bad effect upon the entire negro population, which forms an inconceivable portion of that of the United States. So long as men are tortured and burned at the stake, just so long will the great republic have a threatening negro problem to deal with.

FOR INSTANT USE.

The other day the matter of the Filipino concentration camps came up for discussion in the United States senate. Opinions both for and against these camps were advanced and the day's debate was closed by Mr. Clapp of Minnesota, who urged that the Filipinos ought to be taught to admire and respect the United States as a nation which always had stood for liberty and progress and never had broken its word to any people, great or small. This speech of Senator Clay has an exceedingly familiar sound about it. It resembles the ordinary fourth of July oration and the general run of political speeches which are for present and immediate consumption only. When the senator spoke of the prospective admiration and respect of the Filipino for the United States, he probably had the "water cure" in his mind as a potent instrument in bringing these latent powers into life. It may have been, too, that when the eloquent senator referred to the stand

which the great republic had taken for liberty and progress, he recalled the fact that the burning of negroes formed way-marks along the roads of progress and complete liberty. The speech is enough to make the most hardened Filipino smile.

MINE DISASTER.

VANCOUVER, B. C., May 23.—A terrible explosion occurred at 7.30 last night in No. 2 shaft of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company's mine near Fernie. The explosion also extended to No. 3 shaft.

At this hour only 35 of the 200 men working in that part of the mine are known to have escaped. All the miners were whites, and many of them were from Cape Breton, adjoining Nova Scotia.

One hundred and sixty men are entombed. Nine bodies have already been brought to the surface.

The scenes at the mines and in the village of Fernie are heartrending. Hardly a house has escaped affliction. The work of rescuing is being hurried. The presence of coal damp is adding to the danger of rescue work. A fear has become general that the mines may catch fire, and the survivors are being brought by their relatives not to venture into the shafts, even for rescue work.

MINES NOT ON FIRE.

SEATTLE, Washington, May 23.—A special from Vancouver, B. C., says: "Latest advices are that the mines at Fernie are found not to be on fire and that the ventilation is being restored. All the bodies will soon be recovered. The exact number working in the mine was 133, and 24 made their escape."

The mines affected are situated on Coal Creek, six miles from Fernie. No. 2 tunnel is two miles long, and No. 3 about the same length. From these two mines and No. 1 most of the coal of the district is taken.

VERY LATEST.

VANCOUVER, B. C., May 23.—A special tonight from Fernie says that the management has a list of 133 men who are known to have been in the mine, and there were probably others. Of these only 24 are known to be safe. It is feared that few, if any, of the remaining 109 are now alive.

Infants too young to take medicine may be cured of croup, whooping cough and colds by using Vapo-Cresoline—they breathe it.

THE HORSE SALE.

FREDERICTON, May 23.—The results of the horse sale this afternoon were as follows:

Dracula, to Cpl. Montgomery Campbell, of Kings county, at \$1500. Copyright, to Fletcher Thesdale of Ashcroft, at \$705. Mr. Tweeddale was acting for the agricultural societies of New Denmark, Arthurette, Grand Falls and Drummond.

Chancellor, to David Griffiths of Stanley, at \$725.

Lavator, to Jas. Gallagher of Woodstock, at \$695.

Stampede, to A. W. Ebbett of Gagetown, at \$515. There was a wordy dispute between Mr. Ebbett, Mr. Fickler of Fredericton and the auctioneer over this sale. Mr. Ebbett and Mr. Fickler each contended that the last bid, \$515, was his. The auctioneer ruled in favor of Mr. Ebbett.

Baron Frederick, to John Dawson, Dawsonville, Gloucester, at \$800. Mr. Dawson was acting for the agricultural societies of the county.

Galloway, to Ora King for Kings county, at \$1300.

Hon. Mr. Farris expresses himself as well pleased over the sale price realized, being fully up to his anticipations and horses going to different localities so that the whole province can be served. Dracula and Galloway went to Sussex by train tonight. Dracula was bid in for St. John's agricultural society, and Galloway for a syndicate of Kings and Westmorland horsemen and will travel the two counties.

O'BRIEN'S VAPORINGS.

Irish Agitator Denounces Irish Landlords.

LONDON, May 22.—A telegram from Dublin to the Times says that, speaking in a county council election meeting in county Mayo, William O'Brien, M. P., said the effect in the United States of a nationalist defeat would be deplorable, as Mayo had received immense sums from America. One might as well expect milk from a male tiger as generosity or chivalry from an Irish landlord. It should be the desire of his heart to see landlordism wiped from the face of the earth, as St. Patrick wiped out reptiles.

The Right Rev. John Clancy, Roman Catholic Bishop of Elphin, referring in a sermon to the agrarian disputes, declared it to be monstrous that strangers, paid organizers, should be sent to the district to involve the unfortunate tenant farmer in so much difficulty and costs. He protested against the "strolling organizers," who, he said, thought only of the salaries they could exact from their dupes.

THE HELLO GIRL.

"Miss Azalee Earle, formerly of Portland, but latterly a 'hello girl' of San Francisco, is now Mrs. William Halleck Deming, and will travel in Europe with her husband this summer," says the Portland Oregonian.

"Mr. Deming, who is a man of wealth, was attracted by her soft and gentle voice in calling 'Number' through the telephone, and acquaintance and marriage followed. If the voices of the telephone girls in this city have lately become indistinct through muffled sweetness, the above announcement accounts for it."

A TENNESSEE VIEW.

(Hardman, Tenn. Free Press.)

This here making those islanders take a water cure is a crowning infamy which has no sense. A little whisky would do more in a minute to get their affections.

WANTED.—A case of Headache that KUMFORT Powders will not cure in from ten to twenty minutes.

BURYING AT SEA.

(John Massfield.)

"'N' don't you go burying corpses arter dark, ace, if you do the sperrit don't get quit o' the corp till the dawn. That's ac sperrits are mortal afraid o' the dark, o' sticks in the dead 'uns' throats till it grows light agen."

"He's deader'n nails," the fo'c'sle said, 'n' gone to his long sleep."

"'N' about his corp," said Tom to Dan, "d'ye think his corp'll keep till the day's done, 'n' the works through, 'n' the sh'b's upon the heap?"

"He's deader'n nails," said Dan to Tom, "'n' I wish his sperrit 'y."

"He spat straight 'n' he steered true, but listen to me," says I, "Take 'n' cover 'n' bury him now, 'n' I'll take 'n' tell you why."

"It's a rummy rig o' a guffy's yarn 'n' the juice o' a rummy note, But if you bury a corp at night it takes 'n' keeps afloat."

"'N' all the night, till the grey o' the dawn, the dead 'un has to swim. With a blue 'n' beasty will-o'-the-wisp a-burnin' over him, 'N' a herring perhaps a-scomf' a toe or a shark a-chewin' a limb."

"'N' all the night the shiverin' corp it has to swim the sea. With its shudderin' soul inside the throat (where a soul's no right to be) Till the sky's grey 'n' the dawn's clear, 'n' then the sperrit's free."

"'N' Joe was a man was right as rain—I'm sort o' core for Joe—'N' if we bury him durin' the day his soul can take 'n' go. So we'll dump his corp when the bell strikes 'n' we can get below."

"I'd fairly hate for him to swim in a blue 'n' beasty light. With his shiverin' soul inside his throat a-feelin' the fishes bite, So over he goes at noon," says I, "'n' he shall sleep tonight."

SUNDAY SERVICES.

St. John's church—Services tomorrow (Trinity Sunday) at 8, 11 and 7. Sunday school at 3. The Bishop of Nova Scotia will hold a confirmation on Wednesday evening, May 28, the service commencing at 8 o'clock.

Trinity church—Rev. Canon Richardson, rector. Trinity Sunday. Celebration of the holy communion at 8; morning service at 11; Sunday school at 3; evening service, when all seats are free, at 7.

Mission church S. John Baptist, Paradise row, Church of England—Rev. P. Owen Jones, priest in charge. Trinity Sunday. Holy eucharist at 8 a. m. (plain); high celebration and sermon at 11 a. m.; festival evensong and sermon at 7 p. m. All seats free.

Zion Methodist church, junction of Wall street and Burpee avenue—Rev. Dr. Wilson, pastor, will preach at 11 and 7. Reception service in the evening. Sabbath school at 2.30. Preaching at Millidgeville at 2.30.

Queen square Methodist church—Morning, 11 o'clock, Rev. Henry Penna; evening, 7 o'clock, Rev. R. W. Weddall. Sunday school, 2.30 p. m. Week evening services Monday and Friday at 8 o'clock.

Methodist church, St. John west—Service at 11 a. m. conducted by Rev. R. W. Weddall, and at 6.30 p. m. by the pastor, Rev. Henry Penna. Sunday school at 2.15 p. m.

Portland Methodist—Morning preacher, Rev. G. M. Campbell; evening, Rev. Steel, pastor. Sunday school at 2.15 p. m.

Centenary Methodist church—Sunday services, 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Rev. George Steel in the morning and the pastor, Rev. G. M. Campbell, in the evening. Sunday school, 2.30 p. m.

Unitarian church—Rev. W. L. Beers, minister. Sunday school and adult study class at 11 o'clock a. m. Regular service of worship at 7 o'clock p. m. Visitors welcome. Seats free.

A gospel service will be held at the King's Daughters' guild Sunday at 4 p. m. All are invited.

Congregational church, Union street—Rev. R. R. Morson, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school at 12 o'clock. Wednesday evening prayer service at 8 p. m.; subject, Samuel.

Services will be held in Foresters' Hall, Charlotte street, Sunday, 25th, at 7 p. m. subject, The Gospel in Type Illustrated. All welcome.

Tabernacle Baptist church—Howard H. Roach, minister. Preaching at 11, Great Interviews of Jesus, No. 3, Christ and the Devil. Address by Rev. H. P. Adams upon the raising of the 30th century fund. Chorus. Bible school, 2.30, C. B. Monday; prayer meeting, Wednesday. All welcome. Seats free.

German street Baptist church—Rev. J. D. Freeman, M. A., pastor. Preaching services, 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school, 2.30 p. m. Pastor's Bible class, 2.45. Week day services announced from the pulpit. A cordial invitation is extended to all these services.

Main street Baptist church—Morning service at 11, Rev. H. F. Waring; evening at 7 the pastor, Rev. A. White.

Brussels street Baptist—Preaching by the Rev. Alex. White at 11 and by the pastor, H. F. Waring, at 7. Evening subject, The Religion of a Christian. Sabbath school at 2.30.

Christian Science services Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.; subject, Ancient and Modern Necromancy; or, Mesmerism and Hypnotism. Sunday school at 2.30 p. m. Wednesday at 8 p. m. Reading room open every week day from 2.30 to 5 p. m. in Oddfellows' building, corner Union street and Hazen avenue.

Leinster street Baptist church, May 25—Christopher Burnett, pastor, will preach morning and evening. Morning, Jacob's Vision; evening, The Good Old Way. Bible school at 2.30 p. m.

The regular Y. M. C. A. boys' meeting, Sunday morning, will be addressed by J. E. Irvine. All boys are welcome. The choir of St. Luke's church will sing at the Seamen's Mission on Sabbath evening, and Rev. R. P. McKim, rector of St. Luke's will exhibit magic lantern views, giving explanations thereof.

Preaching at the Carleton Baptist church tomorrow at both services will be by the pastor, Rev. B. N. Nobles.

BIRTHS.

SCRIBNER—At Moncton, on May 19th, to the wife of T. A. Scribner, a daughter. ARTHURS—In this city, on May 1st, to the wife of John A. Arthur, a son.

CRUE—At Moncton on May 14th, to the wife of Henry Crue, a son.

LEGER—At Moncton on May 19th, to the wife of Archie Leger, a son.

MACKAY—At Fredericton on May 17th, to the wife of H. C. Mackay, a daughter.

BALSER—At Moncton on May 14th, to the wife of John Balser, a daughter.

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CUBA FACES A HARD PROBLEM.

New Republic's Revenues Are Barely Sufficient—Pres. Palma Urges Closest Economy.

HAVANA, May 23.—The visiting United States congressional party, with W. J. Bryan, declared before sailing for Key West, that they were all more impressed with the chances of the endurance of the Cuban republic than when they came here.

Mr. Bryan said there was no reason why the republic should not be a success, and Sen. Jones, of Arkansas, expressed the opinion that if it could weather two years it might be permanent.

It is generally recognized here that the attitude of the Spaniards, who have heretofore been annexationists because of their fear of the Cubans, may be the determining factor at no distant day. They possess 70 per cent. of the wealth of the island, and if treated fairly and allowed a proper share in the government, which Pres. Palma seems disposed to give them, it is believed they may prove a strong bulwark of the republic.

The immediate financial future of Cuba is a matter of concern, as the customs receipts have fallen off appreciably during the last few weeks, and the aid of the wealthy classes may be essential to tide Cuba over a crisis.

Should one come, with the small surplus turned over to the republic and the present rate of receipts, the treasury might be in difficulties before next fall, owing to the increase in expenditures on account of congress and the new salaries. For this reason Senor Palma insists upon the lowest possible salaries and the most rigid economy. He is determined that the island shall live within its income.

The new government will give this matter immediate attention, and, if it should be absolutely necessary, the exchange may be made in the internal revenue taxes, to increase the revenues. The latter step, however, the new

government will be loath to take, because of its bad moral effect.

RECIPROCITY NEEDED.

The chief hope lies in the immediate negotiation of a reciprocity treaty with the United States, to permit of the marketing of the island's sugar. The sale of this product, it is believed, would stimulate importations, by distributing money and increasing consumption.

In addition to the cable congratulations of Pres. Loubet, of France, Senor Palma has received a flood of congratulatory message from friends in the United States.

C. P. R. HOTELS.

The enlargement of some of the Canadian Pacific hotels and the erection of new ones in newly-discovered points of vantage in the Canadian Rockies, show that the travel on the Company's transcontinental line is yearly increasing in volume. The capacity of the Banff Springs Hotel is being doubled. The Chalet at Field, at the foot of Mount Stephen, was practically rebuilt last autumn; great improvements are being made at the Glacier house, and a new chalet is being erected at Emerald Lake, with cabins all through the Yoho Valley.

CARPETS. CARPETS. CARPETS.

Will you let us dust or renovate your carpets this year. We will satisfy you. UNGAR LAUNDRY, DYEING AND CARPET CLEANING WORK. Telephone 58.

BANGOR, Me., May 23.—Simon Shorey of New Brunswick, aged 35, employed in Burke's brickyard, Brewer, was found lying unconscious in front of a kiln this afternoon. He was removed to the hospital, where he died soon afterward. His skull was fractured and death ensued from concussion of the brain. Nothing is known of his relatives