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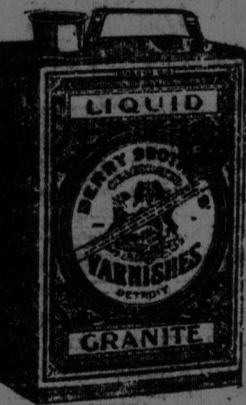
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ARRESTS MADE THIS MORNING IN SACKVILLE INFANTICIDE CASE

Wm. Boyles, a Married Man, Taken into Custody—A Young Widow Named Nesbit, With Whom He Has Been Living, Also Under Suspicion

SACKVILLE, N. B., June 8.—William Boyles, aged 35, a married man, is detained by officers of the law at Cookville on suspicion of being concerned in the case of infanticide and a young widow named Nesbit who scattered settlement twelve miles from here. It seems, however, that the Nesbit woman had been living with Boyles, and his wife and relations of the Nesbit woman had caused quite a bit of talk. A day or so ago all left the house they had occupied. A neighbor visiting the deserted house found that the earth in one part of the cellar showed signs of having been freshly disturbed. On investigating he found the body of a new born child with its neck and legs stuffed in its mouth. Coroner J. M. Baird, Middle Sackville, was notified, and is holding an inquest today. Boyles has been living in Cookville for some years and married a Cookville girl.

LADY ABERDEEN'S AMERICAN CAMPAIGN

Will Address Big Meeting in Boston Tonight

Reception in Her Honor Today—Hints That Her Visit Has Purpose Unfriendly to Ireland Indignantly Denied

BOSTON, June 8.—Historic Faneuil Hall will be undoubtedly thronged to the doors tonight, when the Countess of Aberdeen tells of her fight to exterminate the great white plague in Ireland. In her address tonight the distinguished visitor tells of the war waged against consumption in Ireland. Mayor Hibbard welcomes the noted guest in behalf of the city and Governor Draper, for the state. Other speakers at tonight's great meeting are Dr. Joseph H. Pratt, Dr. Edward O. Otis, noted authorities on tuberculosis, Judge Michael Murray and Dr. Alfred Worcester. This morning Lady Aberdeen was breakfasted by the Protestant Women's Club, and in the afternoon a reception in her honor was held at the Tullerby by the Canadian Victoria Club, the British Charitable Society and the Scots Charitable Society.

J. DOUGLAS TRUEMAN WINS HIGH HONORS

Awarded Degree of Master of Science at Mass. Institute of Technology—Son of Late A. I. Trueman

BOSTON, June 8.—J. Douglas Trueman, of St. John, N. B., was yesterday honored by President McLaughlin, the new head of Massachusetts Institute of Technology, in the conferring of a degree. Mr. Trueman was awarded the degree of Master of Science, the highest degree of the Institute. He has completed a five year course. The first official action of President McLaughlin was the conferring of degrees. The recipients of honors this year are cosmopolitan, fifteen hailing from points outside the United States. Four women are included in the class, an unusual number for a technical school. President McLaughlin yesterday addressed the graduating students complimenting them on their showing in the Institute. The exercises were simple but impressive. The hall was crowded with friends of the degree winners and the alumni.

SOCIALIST PAPERS ATTACK M. CHAUCHARD

Say Immense Legacy to Madame Boursin Smells of Scandal.

PARIS, June 8.—The Socialist newspapers under the leadership of L'Humanite, are conducting a campaign against the late M. Chauchard on account of the insignificant sum he left the poor of Paris compared to the immense legacy he made to Madame Boursin, and they declare that her gift yesterday of \$300,000 to the poor of the capital was a public recognition of a scandal. L'Humanite openly incites the people to make a demonstration at the funeral of M. Chauchard which occurs tomorrow.

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CONFERENCE ON SOCIAL PROBLEMS

Gathering at Buffalo of Those Interested in Helping Their Fellow Men.

BUFFALO, N. Y., June 8.—The sixty-ninth national conference of Charities and Correction which opens here tonight, has brought together a splendid body of men and women, many of whom have made their life's work the scientific study of the best means of caring for the defective or incorrigible, feeding the hungry, clothing the naked, educating the ignorant and reforming the transgressor. It is believed that in number of delegates the conference will be the greatest ever held. The gathering is strictly non-sectarian and includes in its roster of speakers the leaders of all creeds. The conference is peculiar in that it never formulates a policy nor binds itself to any specific line of action. It is in fact just what the word implies, a conference, where the best thought of the time on social problems is given expression. It is understood a movement has been started in some of the quarters to build up some sort of a permanent organization, but this will meet with strong opposition from many of the leading delegates who consider present modes of procedure the best.

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LONDON, June 8.—Ida M. Wynne, second daughter of Robert J. Wynne, the American Consul General in London, will be married about the middle of June to Hugh Ronald French, a first lieutenant in the Seventh Dragoon Guards, one of the crack regiments of the British Army. The date of the wedding is being advanced owing to the approaching return to America of Mr. Wynne and his family.

JACK O'BRIEN MEETS STANLEY KETCHELL

Tonight's Bout Will be a Lively One

Both Men are in Good Condition and Eager to Make a Good Showing.

PHILADELPHIA, June 8.—While both men in fine physical condition and with the bout limited to six rounds, hot action is looked for tonight when Jack O'Brien and Stanley Ketchell meet in the ring at the National Athletic Club, where O'Brien is expected to be a fast one from the first sound of the bell. The Philadelphia is anxious to wipe out the virtual knockout administered by Ketchell in their fight in New York some time ago, and the western man hopes to make a better showing in this city than he did in his former bout with O'Brien. There has been little or no betting on the fight, in fact locally there has been a surprising lack of interest in the contest. The sale of tickets up to yesterday was light but it is expected that the house will be crowded when the men enter the ring. Both fighters are said to have trained faithfully for the battle. O'Brien has been in the city since his bout with Johnson at King of Prussia, near this city. Ketchell trained at Woodlawn Inn in New York.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX FULL OF STOLEN SECURITIES

Defaulting Bank Clerk Had a Big Supply of Stocks and Real Estate Deeds.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., June 8.—A safe deposit box rented in the name of Frederick H. Brigham, the bookkeeper of the Merchants National Bank, who is alleged to have abstracted thousands of dollars from the bank's funds, has been opened and found to be full of stocks and securities. Roughly estimated the certificates represent about \$150,000 in gold, silver and copper mines, very few of which are listed on stock exchanges. There also are many deeds of real estate situated in distant states and shares in development concerns. The face value of this large amount of stocks and securities would reach a very large sum but the actual value cannot be fixed until appraisal is put upon each certificate.

GERMAN NAVAL DENIES REPORTED UTTERANCE

BERLIN, June 8.—The report published recently in the London Daily Chronicle that the German Naval League had expressed a desire for the regular despatch of German warships to American ports was today declared officially to be wholly erroneous. Neither at the recent national convention of the league at Kiel nor at any former meeting was such a wish uttered.

THE CATHOLIC FORESTERS.

MONCTON, N. B., June 8.—A business session in connection with the convention of the Catholic Order of Foresters was held this morning, but nothing other than approval of the financial report and other business was dealt with.

FUNERALS.

J. B. HAMM. The funeral of ex-Alt. J. B. Hamm took place at three o'clock this afternoon from his residence, 14 Elliott Row. Rev. A. B. Cobbe conducted the services and interment was in Fernhill cemetery.

S. S. JONES. The funeral of the late R. S. Jones took place at two o'clock this afternoon from No. 6 Union Alley. The remains were taken to the Cathedral where mass was said by Rev. Fr. O'Brien and interment was in the new Catholic cemetery.

REASSURING HIM.

"A little final advice," said a professor of elocution, addressing his pupils before the annual entertainment—so well to the front of the stage, don't hesitate and don't be nervous!" "But, I say, professor," remarked a very self-satisfied member of the class, "suppose I forget part of my oration?" "Oh, that doesn't matter," replied the professor. "On the contrary, the more of it you forget the better the audience will like it!"

HEATHER WINS NEW YORK TO BERMUDA RACE

The race was for the Bermuda challenge cup, and a cash prize of \$1,000, and the boat got away from New York last Saturday. The winning boat encountered strong winds and high seas for the entire trip. She weathered them successfully, however, and reports no damage. The time allowance of the other three boats having expired without their having crossed the line, the Heather wins.

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FOREST FIRES GETTING BEYOND CONTROL IN MANY DISTRICTS

EXCHEQUER COURT IN SESSION TODAY

Gleason vs. the King Took Up the Morning.

Judge Cassels Reserves Decision Until September—The Legere Case.

In the Exchequer Court this morning the case of John J. Gleason vs. the King took up nearly the entire morning session. Dr. A. F. Emery was the first witness and testified as to his experience and knowledge regarding cases of rupture. L. R. Ross, the I. C. R. terminal agent, gave evidence that the car on which the alleged accident is said to have occurred was No. 11 and on the day in question, which was July 28th, 1908, this car was held over for a half hour. Alex. Barnett, assistant car foreman at Moncton, identified a parcel rack as one having been in car No. 11 and explained the manner in which the rack is placed on the wall of the car. In closing the case Dr. H. McAlpine explained that according to the evidence submitted by Dr. Emery that thirty per cent. of the ruptures recovered. The crown, he said, should not be responsible for the acts of passengers on railway cars, he felt for the plaintiff, in the opinion of the judge, was entitled to any sum it should not exceed the amount of his wages for time lost and for physicans' bills. As to bodily injury and physical suffering he thought it absurd that any sum should be given. Mr. Powell, for the plaintiff, cited a number of railway cases which were relative to the one in question and there was a discussion between His Lordship and Mr. Powell regarding the meaning of the acts of limitation referring to personal injury. Mr. Powell said he felt that the plaintiff was entitled to \$250 for time lost, and \$50 for medical expenses. At least \$100 should be given him for injury and bodily suffering. Judge Cassels said that he would like to have more authority on the question pending before rendering any decision and for that reason he would reserve judgment until September.

ABOUT COCAINE SELLING

Bitter Fight Between Rival Factions at Meeting of Society in Montreal—Laying for Leo Chu.

MONTRÉAL, June 8.—The Pharmaceutical Association election was a bitter fight between the old council and the cocaine sellers. Two druggists who had been convicted for selling cocaine were up for election but were defeated. They were strong enough, however, in secret ballot to oust one of the chief of the instigators of the prosecution, Ald. Levesque. The Leo Chu case also came up for discussion, and it was decided to arrest him as soon as he came out of the Halifax jail on the charge of subornation of perjury. When they get him here the crown will collect the \$1,000 which he owes on fines for selling cocaine.

BICYCLE RIDERS CARRY CITY'S CONGRATULATION

ROME, June 8.—The people of Rome showed much interest this morning in the departure of a number of bicyclists carrying special messages from the mayor of this city to the municipalities of Milan and Paris, containing congratulations on the fiftieth anniversary of the successful conclusion of the war of 1859 in which France and Italy were victorious over Austria. The streets of the city were filled with people who gave the riders an enthusiastic send off. The messengers were accompanied for some distance by various bicycle clubs and cheered by local political organizations.

SAYS SHE IS NOT ENGAGED

BERLIN, June 8.—Geraldine Farrar, replying to an inquiry concerning the departure of a number of bicyclists carrying special messages from the mayor of this city to the municipalities of Milan and Paris, containing congratulations on the fiftieth anniversary of the successful conclusion of the war of 1859 in which France and Italy were victorious over Austria. The streets of the city were filled with people who gave the riders an enthusiastic send off. The messengers were accompanied for some distance by various bicycle clubs and cheered by local political organizations.

MANY INJURED WHEN CIRCUS SEATS COLLAPSED

NATICK, Mass., June 8.—Four persons who were the most seriously injured by the collapse of a section of seats at a circus here last night were so much improved today that they were removed from the Leonard Morse Hospital to their homes. About twenty people were more or less severely injured by the accident, which was caused by a section of the seats giving way throwing about 150 people to the ground. Most of them received only bruises and other minor injuries and were taken to their homes in carriages.

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