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JAMES BOYD KILLED; JAMES QUINN INJURED

James Boyd, aged sixty-eight, of 140 Adelaide street lies dead, and James Quinn a young man of 49 Sheriff street, is in the hospital with arm and leg broken as the result of an accident yesterday afternoon, when both men were thrown 20 feet or more to the ground from a painter's staging on which they were working on the house of Henry Maher, Elm street. One of the roof hooks gave way causing the staging to fall. Boyd never regained consciousness. He was taken to his home where he died a few hours later from internal injuries. His wife is prostrated with grief.

Quinn lives with his mother and sister in Sheriff street. It is thought that he will recover. He was attended by Drs. T. D. Walker, J. A. McIntyre and W. F. Roberts.

Mr. Boyd was widely known and respected. He is survived only by his wife. He was an active member of the Master Painters' Association. He was also a trustee of Portland Methodist church. He was an enthusiastic Knight of Pythias, and was one of the members who assisted in organizing St. John lodge, and was a past Chancellor of that lodge. He was also one of the first members of the Uniform Rank, belonging to Victoria Co.

The funeral will take place from his late residence to Fernhill tomorrow afternoon.

NOVA SCOTIA APPLE CROP PROSPECTS POOR

The Annapolis Spectator says:—"This is an off year for apples so far as Nova Scotia is concerned. The most favorable report quoted thus far is a shortage of 30 per cent below the average. We fear it will be much greater. But there is a silver lining to the cloud for a certain class—those who took proper care of their orchards will gather a high percentage of No. 1s. For the man who got sulky and neglected his orchard there is no silver lining either for his cloud or his pocketbook."

CHURCH SERVICES

Tabernacle United Baptist church, Haymarket square—Rev. G. Douglas Milbury, B. D., pastor. Services, 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath school at 2.30 p. m. Rev. I. B. Archibald will preach at the morning service. Mrs. Archibald will occupy the pulpit at the evening service. All seats free.

St. Phillips A. M. E., church—Morning service 11 a. m. Sunday school 2.30 p. m; evening service 7 p. m. Rev. Joseph N. Gibbs has been transferred to the Pittsburg conference and will preach his farewell sermon on Sunday evening. Everybody is welcome.

Winnipeg Wheat Quotations

The Ogilvie Flour Mills Co., Limited, supply the following quotations of the Winnipeg Wheat Market: Aug 12—October, 106; December, 104; May, 108 5-8.

FOR THE SAFE INVESTMENT OF YOUR SAVINGS WE OFFER

$9,000

County Of Madawaska

4.50 per cent.

BONDS

$1,000 Each.

The assessed valuation is $2,415,594.

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BULLETIN FROM MAYOR GAYNOR TODAY IS THE BEST YET

(Continued from page 1.)

As a result of the disclosure a policeman was ordered suspended from active duty yesterday. He is Joseph P. Hock, of the Madison street precinct, and his suspension was ordered by Chief Inspector Schmittberger, after the story told by the girls was obtained first hand by Inspector Russell, of the Detective Bureau.

The policeman is accused of having made a prophecy while intoxicated. He spoke for half an hour while on post at Henry and Clifton streets of the antipathy of the police to the Mayor, and wound up with the prediction of the shooting.

"We Have a Secret Society"

"We don't have to do these things ourselves," the two assert the policeman said. "We have a secret society known as the Arabs to do these things. They've been after him for some time now, and they'll get him either before he sails or when he returns."

This statement was so shocking in spite of the fact that the policeman appeared to be under the influence of liquor that Rebecca Perlman, one of the two girls to whom he spoke, noted down his number She said yesterday that it was No. 7,846. Miss Perlman is seventeen years old, and the sister of Dr. Max Perlman, at No. 225 Henry street. She works as bookkeeper for a printing firm in John street.

"I had the policeman's statement fresh in my mind when I arrived at the office Tuesday morning," said Miss Perlman, in the presence of her brother, at her home last night. "It had startled me, and I repeated it to one of the salesmen and the office boy as soon as I arrived shortly after 8 o'clock. I kept thinking of that and other things the policeman had said until the shock of the tragedy was felt, and then I realized how grave the matter was.

Police Learn of Story

"Those to whom I told it before the shooting urged me to tell the police," continued Miss Perlman. "I didn't know what to do until I got home and told it to the doctor, and to my other brother, Samuel, who is a salesman. I didn't know that Samuel went to the Associated Press later that night and told them what I had said."

The girl's story reached the police through the Associated Press late Tuesday night. Perlman had gone to that office after midnight and repeated the story to the editor of the local news service and afterward to two Central Office detectives, who had been sent for. Inspector Russell was quickly informed, and he started a hunt for the policeman. Miss Perlman repeated the number she had seen on the policeman's helmet, and on her assurance that the number she had seen was correct, Hock was suspended.

Miss Perlman's story was corroborated in every detail by her chum Katie Eisenberg, of No. 206 Clinton street. Miss Eisenburg is sixteen and a pupil in Washington Irving High School.

"We were standing at the door," said Miss Eisenberg, "when the policeman approached us. A piece of paper had flown past him and he began the conversation by telling us how he barely escaped a bag full of rubbish a short time before. The policeman had a glass in his hand that looked as if it contained beer, and he was so talkative that we couldn't get away from him.

"I'd Knock His Head Off"

"He said he had already drunk twelve glasses of beer, but that he could stand many more without becoming drunk, Then he said Gaynor was no good and that the police were after him.

"'If he came past here now,' he declared, 'I'd knock his head off with this club.' He continued to talk about Gaynor and Bingham and said the latter was a fine Commissioner, and that the Duffy case, over which Bingham lost his job, was a frame-up. He said the police were sore on Gaynor, and that the public was being deceived about him.

"Miss Perlman was anxious to get away, but I kept her there a while longer. Finally, after the policeman had been talking half an hour, and it was about 10 o'clock. I went upstairs and Miss Perlman went home around the corner."

Miss Eisenberg said that another policeman was with them when the conversation began but that the other walked down Clinton street and heard no part of it.

"I noticed the policeman was drunk," said the girl, "and told him he'd get into trouble if Gaynor saw him. Then he told us what he did about Gaynor."

The police tried to conceal their activities with references to the statement of the two girls yesterday. Inspector Russell and Lieutenant Maher took No. 7846 to Commissioner Baker about 8 o'clock and remained with him in the Commissioner's office for some time. The Commissioner afterward refused to be interviewed.

Hock was appointed to the force in April, 1907. He lived until six weeks ago at No. 1242 Commonwealth avenue, the Bronx, with his father and mother. He was tried on charges of assault, preferred against him eight months ago by Otto Krause, a neighbor. Krause was surprised last night to learn of Hock's suspension. He said he thought he had been dismissed from the force as a result of his charges.

FOREST FIRES BEYOND CONTROL IN IDAHO

Spokane, Aug. 13—Fierce forest fires now raging in the Coeur D'Alene region in Idaho, especially near Wallace, Murray and Mullen, are taxing the fighting resources of hundreds of men almost beyond endurance and the task of subduing the flames is apparently hopeless.

Citizens of the threatened towns are in a wild state of panic. The dense smoke which envelops them causes intense suffering. Men and women are praying for rain, and that there may be no change of wind.

A heavy pall of smoke hangs over the country everywhere. Heated embers are falling everywhere. A change of wind from east to west would bring the fiery furnace to the top of the hills overlooking Wallace. There the fierce flames would create a heat in which frame buildings would burn like timber in spite of all precautions.

J. WILLARD SMITH HAS BAD NEWS OF NOVA SCOTIA APPLES

G. A. Morris, of Upper Clarence (N. S.), in a letter to J. Wilard Smith says:—"The apple crop is quite a failure. I hear of orchards that are generally good for one to two hundred barrels yielding scarcely enough for home use—say five or ten barrels." Mr. Morris adds that the barrel makers will have a lot of stock to carry over.

THREATENED TO KILL HIS MOTHER

Harry Merriman Arrested on Her Complaint — Attempted Suicide Also, She Says

Harry Merriman, aged 27, was arrested this morning about 10.30 by policeman Scott and McNamee on a charge laid against him by his mother. She says he threatened to kill her and also tried to commit suicide by cutting his throat with a razor, at his home, Charlotte street last night, while intoxicated.

LOCAL NEWS

When you have no maid stay home, have dinner at White's noon or evening.

Tomorrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock the City Cornet Band will give a concert at the annex of the Provincial Hospital.

Arthur Love has been reported by the police for violating the hackmen's rules at the Union Depot.

The Y. M. C. A. bible class will be held tomorrow at 4 p.m. instead of the usual 2.15.

The price of butter has lately advanced and it is now selling wholesale at 20c. to 22c. per lb. in this market.

A meeting of the Polymorphians is called for Monday evening in the Victoria Bowling academy offices.

The steamer Hampton will not make her regular trip to Hampton on Tuesday the 16th. 2421-8-16.

Great sale this afternoon and night, of men's clothing, hats and furnishings at Corbet's, 196 Union street.

White skirts, dainty lingerie and the most delicate of lace costumes harmlessly laundered at Ungar's modern washing and ironing establishment. Tel. 5[illegible]

The Frederiction cricket club will play in St. John next Wednesday. The game will begin at 11 o'clock, on the Every Day Club grounds. This will be a very interesting game.

Today is the closing day of C. B. Pidgeon's great mid-summer sale. The store will be open until midnight for the convenience of late buyers. All shoes and clothing still further reduced for final clearance. Come for bargains.

Dr. Roberts informed the Times today that there would be no inquest in the death of James Boyd, who lost his life in the Elm street accident yesterday afternoon. James Quinn, who had his leg and arm broken is today reported resting as comfortably as possible.

The regular propaganda meeting of the Socialist party will be held on Sunday, August 14 at 8.15 p.m. at the Socialist hall, 141 Mill street; speaker J. W. Eastwood; subject, "Why Should Not St. John Have a Labor Party?" Questions and discussions are to be invited.

While working in Baker's mill yesterday afternoon, Hudson Wallace, employed at the edger, was struck on the head by a board, and two wounds over the left eye inflicted, one was 1 1-4 inches long, and the other less than an inch. He stayed at his work and when 5 o'clock came called on Dr. Macfarland, and had the wounds dressed. He was able to return to work this morning.

OBITUARY

Chas. E. Smith

St. Martins, Aug. 11—A telegram received by Councillor F. M. Cochrane announces the death of his uncle, Charles E. Smith, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

George A. Hammond

George A. Hammond, an old resident of Hammondville, York county, died at his home there yesterday at the age of ninety-four.

CONDENSED DESPATCHES

Fleming, Colo., Aug. 13—In an effort to end his life John Tague, 23 years old, jumped from a train yesterday. He was only slightly injured and shot himself, but this resulted in a scalp wound and Tague then ate brimstone. This merely produced unconsciousness and now he is recovering.

Tokio, Aug. 13—The waters of the River Sumida are still rising and the Honko and Fukadawa westward of Tokio are almost completely submerged. Tens of thousands of persons are homeless and starving. One of the three more important embankments guarding Tokio has broken. Should the second and third dykes break half the capital would be submerged.

HOME TRUTHS.

(Philadelphia Star).

James E. Watson, of Indiana, former Republican whip of the House of Representatives and unsuccessful candidate for Governor of Indiana in 1908, has, since his retirement from public life, devoted much of his time to lecturing.

The lecture bureau that engages him put out a circular containing comment of the press and public on Watson's ability as an orator, he being a fine speaker. There were commendations from various public men also, and a nifty line of testimonials.

Watson's young son found one of the circulars and read it carefully, without comment during the perusal. After he had finished the boy looked up at the father and said, "Huh, pop, they don't know you as well as we do, do they?"

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Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

TRIP OF THE COMMISSION ON ALLAGASH

Through Maine's Wilderness in Canoes--Investigated Canal at Telos Lake and Followed Allagash River to the St. John

(Bangor Commercial.)

Accompanied by counsel for both the United States and the Dominion of Canada, engineers and 18 of the best guides in the state of Maine, the International St. John River commission is now completing a trip of inspection of the Allagash river and the St. John river from the mouth of the Allagash to Fort Kent, including the lakes which form the headwaters of the east branch of the Penobscot river and those of the Allagash system.

The commission left Northeast Carry on the West Branch of the Penobscot river, Tuesday, August 2, and it was expected that it would arrive at its destination, Fort Kent on the St. John, Saturday or Sunday. The entire trip has been made in canoes and besides giving the party an opportunity to learn at first hand the conditions that exist on the Allagash and the upper part of the St. John river, it has been a most delightful outing.

Two weeks, or nearly that time, have been spent in the heart of Maine's wilderness, some of the most beautiful streams and lakes in the world have been traversed and over 250 miles will have been covered when the journey is completed in frail canoes with the strong arms of the guides propelling them along the streams and lakes which are the chief highways of that section of Maine.

The commisioners have viewed with their own eyes the much-talked of Telos canal, through which the Canadian lumber interests and some of the American interests along the St. John river claim that the Penobscot lumbermen have taken the waters of Chamberlain lake and its tributaries for nearly 70 years, in violation of the terms of the Webster-Ashburton treaty between this country and Great Britain. The turning of this water into the East Branch of the Penobscot obstructs in a way the navigation of the St. John with lumber, so they say, and this is in violation of the treaty.

They have observed that the canal, if it can be called a canal, has all the appearance of a mere deepening of a natural water way leading from Telos lake down into Webster lake below, which must have existed years and years before dams and canals were ever thought of in that section of the country and it was populated, if at all, only by roaming tribes of Indians.

They found that with the present low pitch of water in Chamberlain lake that there would be a natural flow of water down into the East branch with a raise of scarcely two feet, and that in freshet pitch the water of the great lake above must have found a natural outlet in this direction.

What they say and what they learned on their long trip will be embodied in their report to their respective governments when their work as a commission is at an end and it is not necessary to say that their trip has been of the utmost practical value to them.

They too, have seen the splendid opportunities for water storage on the Allagash waters, which with proper development would go far towards preventing any future difficulties on the St. John such as those which were the direct cause of the trouble on the St. John in 1905, known as the "Van Buren war," and led to the appointment of the commission to investigate with the end in view of the improvement of the present conditions on the river which forms an important part of the northeastern boundary of the United States.

The commissioners' work is an important one, particularly so since they have been authorized by their governments to look into the matter of water conservation for both the lumber industry and power purposes. In compiling the necessary data for their report they have found it necessary to have engineering parties in the field surveying and measuring the St. John and its tributaries.

It is doubtful if the engineers complete their active work in the field before late in the fall, which means that it will be spring before the chief engineers or the consulting board can give its report to the commission. Before they receive this report the commissioners will be unable to complete their task.

The Party

The commission'h party is probably the largest that ever made the Allagash trip which is the most noted of Maine's many pleasant canoe journeys and one of the best known in the country.

The members of the party are: A. P. Barnhill, K.C., of St. John, chairman; John Keeffe of St. John; Hon. George A. Murchie of Calais; Peter Charles Keegan, of Van Buren; H. H. Murchie, of Calais, secretary, completing the commission; Hon. O. F. Fellows, of Bangor, counsel for the United States; A. G. Gregory, K. K. C., of Fredericton, and Hon. Wendall P. Jones, K.C., of Woodstock, counsel for the Dominion of Canada; Hardy S. Ferguson of Milinocket, chief engineer of the Great Northern Paper Co.; S. J. Chapleau, of Ottawa, engineer of the Department of Public Works of the Dominion, comprising the consulting board of engineers. M. H. Raney of Mohawk, N. Y., who has charge of the field work of the engineers under the direction of the consulting board; S. D. Simmons of Fredericton, one of the stenographers of the commission, and O. H. Nelson of the Commercial.

Spiritually and physically the commission was well cared for. Rev. J. J. MacHaskell of St. John caring for one and Dr. R. A. Holland of Calais the other. Harold Keegan, the young son of Peter Charles Keegan, is making the trip with the party.

The party numbered 34, when it left Northeast Carry but after Telos was reached, Mr. Ferguson of the consulting board of engineers and the Commercial representative left on their return by the way of the west branch of the Penobscot.

Accompanied by their guides, they made four less in the party and there were 30 who continued the journey down the Allagash, and will complete it shortly at Fort Kent.

The arrangements were made for the trip by W. H. Cunliffe, Fort Kent, one of the best known lumbermen on the St. John and he selected 18 of the finest guides that Maine affords. Every man of them was an expert canoeman and as capable a man in the woods as might be desired. Ready and willing to do their work cherfully and well, these guides contributed not a little to the success of the party. In addition to the guides the culinary department was in the hands of Bruno Paradis, who is as fine a cook as ever flipped a pancake over a campfire.

For the greater part the guides were St. John river men, two of the number only being engaged at Northeast Carry to complete the party. The guides that started with the commission and its party were: John, Jack, Will and Ned Gardner, Joe and Baptiste Guilbert, William Rideout, W. H. Cunliffe, Jr., Joseph Nadeau, Paul Chaurette, Will Henderson, Donald McLellan, Finley McLellan, John McNulty and Athanase Levasseur. With the exception of the two last named, who are Moosehead lake guides, the others are chiefly from Fort Kent.

THREE DEATHS THIS WEEK WERE DUE TO CHOLERA INFANTUM

The board of health report seventeen deaths for this week as follows:—

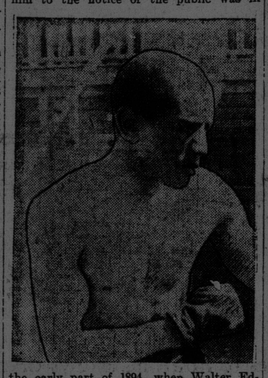
Cholera infantum, 5; asbtenia, 2; meningitis, 3; old age, paralysis, pneumonia, apoplexy, heart disease, gastra enteritis, whooping cough, one each.

JOE GANS WHO DIED A FEW DAYS AGO

Joe Gans, the ex-lightweight champion of the world, who died Wednesday of consumption at his home in Baltimore.

Walter Campbell, the old-time lightweight boxer of Philadelphia, who is now in Montreal, pays the following tribute to the memory of the late Joe Gans, having known him from the time he boxed in the old Monumental Theatre in Baltimore:

"Joe Gans' first contest that brought him to the notice of the public was in



the early part of 1894, when Walter Edgerton (better known as the Kentucky Rosebud), was meeting all-comers at the Monumental Theatre. Gans more than held his own, and from that time on his rise to prominence was rapid. Gans was a pugilist who possessed more quality than any of the champions in the last twelve years, having been clever with both hands, a good hitter and with the best of judgment. Although colored he and the late George Dixon had as many white friends as of their own race. It will be a long time before we have another champion in the lightweight class that will in any way compare with him."

STRATHCONA GIVES CAMPBELLTON $5,000

Chatham, Aug. 12—Lieutenant Governor Tweedie tonight received from London the following cablegram from Lord Strathcona, Canadian high commissioner:

"His Honor Lieutenant-Governor of New Brunswick, Chatham:

"Deeply sympathize with sufferers town of Campbellton as reported in your cablegram to me and gladly send you, through Bank of Montreal, $5,000 as my contribution to their relief.

(Signed) "STRATHCONA."

THE NEXT METROPOLITAN

Prince Albert, Aug. 13—(Special)—The synod of Rupert's land, sitting here, decided the vexed question of appointment of the next metropolitan. The appointment will be made through election by a special committee of thirty, consisting of two lay delegates to each clergyman. The number of delegates from the diocese of Rupert's land must in no case be more than twenty per cent of the total committee.

PERSONALS

The friends of Dr. J. Boyle Travers, who was operated upon last night at the General Public Hospital, will be pleased to learn that he is resting satisfactorily today.

Miss Katherine Fitzpatrick, of Boston, who has been visiting relatives in this city for the last couple of weeks, will return home this evening. She will be accompanied by her cousin, Miss Alice Dever of North End.

Mrs. J. S. Lawrence of St. John was registered at the Acadian hotel, Halifax, on Thursday.

F. L. Doherty of St. John was registered at the Carleton hotel, Halifax on Thursday.

Sydney Record:—Fred L. Bowman, St. John is registered at the Sydney; Miss Mamie Wallace, head milliner at Ein Bros. has left for her home in St. John. Miss Manning, of the Victoria Road millinery store, will leave on Tuesday next for St. John, where Mrs. Wyman will be her guest for a few weeks.

Charlottetown Guardian, Thursday:—G. S. White of St. Stephen, was at the Victoria Hotel last evening; D. George Clark, of St. John, was in the city yesterday at the Queen Hotel; Kenneth and Mrs. Carruthers, of North Bedeque, P. E. I., who have been visiting Mrs. Carruthers' mother, Mrs. Cunningham, 31 Guilford street, St. John, have returned home; C. McKay of Blackville, N. B. arrived in the city last night on the mail train and registered at the Queen.

Col. J. L. McAvity drove in from Sussex in his automobile last night.

Mrs. J. H. Bond and her two sons left here yesterday for Fredericton, where they will visit friends for the next ten days.

Moncton, Tuesday: Miss Belle McDougall is visiting friends in St. John.

Sackville Post:—Miss Lena Powell, daughter of H. A. Powell of St. John is visiting Mrs. Josiah Wood. Miss Powell has spent considerable time in Europe since leaving Sackville.

Mrs. G. R. White left on the noon train today on her return to Charlottetown after a visit to her nephew, R. E. White at his summer cottage in Ononete.

All members of the Artilery Band are requested to meet at the band room on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock sharp. Helmets will be worn. A full attendance is requested.

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Mixed Chocolates, 1-2 lb., 1 lb., 2 lb., ... 40c., 80c., $1.60
Fine Mixed, 1 lb. and 2 lb., ... 80c. and $1.60
Cream Peppermints, ... 25c.
Chocolate Peppermints, ... 25c. and 40c.
Chocolate Caramels, ... 40c.
Ye Olde Fashioned Chocolates, ... 25c.

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The Rexall Store 100 King St.

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About 2 Dozen Womens' Dove Colored Corsets. Sizes 18, 19, 20 inch. Regular Dollar Corsets for 25c.

CARLETON'S, Cor. Waterloo and Brussels Sts.

SHIPPING

MARINE NEWS

The fine new schooner Ysabel May, owned in Victoria, B. C., built at Lunenburg for the sealing trade was launched last week. She is 112 feet over all and 76 feet keel. A 60-horse-power engine will be installed at Gloucester, and she will be commanded by Captain Baker.

Yarmouth Light:—The 3-masted schr. A. B. Barteaux of St. John came in port from Boston on Tuesday morning to enter Capt. J. H. Benson's marine railway for repairs.

Steamship Catalone, Capt. Glove, sailed from Port Wade on Saturday morning last, with 4500 tons of iron ore for Ardrossan, Scotland. The Patria is taking 4500 tons to Chester, (Pa).

CANADA HIGH IN HIS REGARD

(Continued from page 1)

The Financial News says it is all to the good. The days of G. T. R. "surprises" so often disagreeable, appear to have passed away. It remarks that in the background there is now the company's liability in respect to G. T. P. guarantees and prudent finance demands that substantial resources should be retained to cover such contingencies.

General Notes

The direcors of Leroi purpose voluntary liquidation.

There were 406 bales of Danish bacon landed today. Canadians are 3 to 5 shillings lower at 76 to 78 but there is steady trade. Canadian cheese is quiet, but steady—finest white 54 to 55; fine white, 53.

Kent beat Gloster, innings 242.

Melbourne, Aust., Aug. 13—The federal government is negotiating with the admiralty for permission to fly the Australian flag on the Australian warship. The admiralty has raised the question of possible international difficulties.

May Be Made Cardinal

Rome, Aug. 13—The Pope warmly eulogized Archbishop Bourne for establishing in Britain the League of Roman Catholic women. He told Mgr. Stonor that Archbishop Bourne was one of the most meritorious members of the church, deserving the highest ecclesiastical honors. This is taken as a direct allusion to the coming elevation of the Archbishop to the Cardinalate.

The Hague, Aug 13—Mr. Root concluded his speech and the tribunal proceeds immediately to prepare its decision. Although the agreement allows two months wherein to publish the award it is anticipated not more than half this period will be required or till the middle of September. Counsel representative of both nations will be asked to return to the Hague to hear the decision and see it put into proper form.

Mayor Frink's View

London, Aug. 12—The Express prints the answers of Canadian mayors anent its suggestion that the king should be crowned "Emperor of the British."

Mayor Geary of Toronto says such a change would not be contrary to the wishes of the people of Canada, and takes the opportunity to reassure the Express that there are many other links between the Dominion and homeland other than the king.

Mayor J. A. Chisholm, of Halifax, sees no advantage in the change.

Mayor J. H. Frink of St. John (N. B.) says, if it is the king's opinion that the spirit of loyalty in Canada can be intensified by the alteration, it will be most acceptably received by Canada.

AMUSEMENTS FOR OURSELVES AND OTHERS

THE LYRIC.

No other attraction in the history of the "Lyric" has drawn so much attention and given delight and pleasure to all as Van Camp and Company with their educated pig, who will show for the last time today. The act is a good wholesome laugh getter, as evinced. Van Camp's sleight of hand work is good, while the pig has lived up to everybody's expectation. This evening will be the last opportunity of seeing the marvel.

The change of pictures went well last night. For the first three days of next week Billie Adams "The English Chappie," a character comedian, said to be a clever one, is billed. For the latter end of the week, starting Thursday afternoon, another big novelty act will be seen—Gertie LeClaire and her four Picanninies. There will be a matinee this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

TAFT HAS TROUBLES AND THEY'RE CLOSE AT HAND

Beverly, Mass., Aug. 13—Richard A. Ballinger, the United States secretary of the interior, will resign on Sept. 15th. Certain events following incidents of the last week or so, lead inevitably to the conclusion that a complete political readjustment in circles close to President Taft is in progress.

SOLDIERS TO PROTECT THE WOOD LANDS

(Continued from page 1.)

"We are hopeful that the President of the United States and the secretary of war will look upon our request as a step in the direction of actual conservation of one of the country's chief resources."

Reports from various parts of Washington, Idaho and Montana show that fires have broken out in various reserves, where in addition to more than 2,000 men at work with dynamite, axes and mattoxes, there is an urgent demand for more than double that number.

In the Lolo national forest in western Montana and eastern Idaho more than 600-000,000 feet of white and yellow pine timber is in the path of fires and other districts in various parts of the northwest are threatened. Representatives of timber companies returning to Spokane from Montana and Idaho say that the fire lines have been from eight to ten miles in extent in numerous places.

DEATHS

KELTER—On the 13th inst, Patrick Kelter in the 93rd year of his age, leaving 3 sons to mourn his loss.

Funeral from the residence of his son, James Kelter, 115 Duke street, Monday at 2.30. Friends invited to attend.

BOYD—Suddenly, in this city, James Boyd, aged 68 years, leaving a wife, three nephews and four nieces.

Funeral Sunday at 3.30 p. m. Service at 3 p. m. at his late home, 140 Adelaide street.

LOWELL—On the 12th instant, David Lowell, leaving wife, one son, and two daughters.

Funeral will take place on Sunday at 2.30 from his late residence, Moore street. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

FUNERAL NOTICE

The members of St. John Lodge, Knights of Pythias, No. 30, are requested to meet at Temple Hall, on Sunday afternoon at 2 p. m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of their late Brother Knight,

JAMES BOYD, P. C.,
of this lodge.

Members of New Brunswick Lodge, No. 1, and Union, No. 2, are invited to attend.

Dress—Black clothes, silk hat and white tie and gloves.

By order,
A. H. ROURKE, C. C.

FUNERAL NOTICE

The members of Victoria Company No. 1 and Cygnet Company No. 5 Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias are requested to assemble at Castle Hall, Germain street in full Uniform on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother,

Sir Knight JAMES BOYD.

By order,
ALFRED DODGE, Col.

FUNERAL NOTICE

The members of St. John Lodge, Knights of Pythias, No. 30, are requested to meet at Temple Hall, on Sunday afternoon at 2 p.m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of their late Brother Knight.

JAMES BOYD, P. C.

CHILDREN'S EYESIGHT

Small defects in children's eyes are a large hindrance, but often such defects can be corrected by the early adoption of Glasses. D. BOYANER, Optician, makes a specialty of Children's Eyesight, 38 Dock St. Store closes 6:15 p.m., Sat. 9:30

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS

Too Late for Classification.

WANTED—Boy for Retail Store. Emerson & Fisher, Germain street. 2428-8—17.

WANTED—A cook. Good wages; woman preferred. Ottawa Hotel. 2429-8—20.

LODGINGS—128 Union street, corner Charlotte street, $1.00 to $3.00 per week. 2424-8—20.

WANTED—A Girl to work in Grocery Store. Address Box Y, Times. 2426-8—20.

TO LET—Two pleasant Flats of eight roms each. Apply to R. McConnell, 603 Main street. 2425-8—20.

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