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A CORRUPT SITUATION. ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 29.—Former state Senator Charles F. Busche, who confessed to having received bribes during his term in the state senate has resigned as a member of the republican state central committee for the eleventh congressional district. State chairman Aikens, after accepting the resignation appointed Wm. A. Hahn to serve until the next meeting of the state committee.

CHEESE FACTORY BURNED.

The Mannhurst cheese factory was destroyed by fire on the night of the 28th inst., with all its contents. The loss was about \$1,500, with no insurance. The origin of the fire is unknown. This was a new factory thoroughly equipped, situated near Keats P. O., West Co., and just erected this spring by the farmers of Keats and Mannhurst.

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THE CLAUSE OF THE GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC RAILWAY BILL.

Which Relates to Extension of the Road Eastward From Quebec to Moncton.

OTTAWA, May 28.—Clause 13 of the Grand Trunk Pacific bill providing for eastern extension is as follows: The company may lay out, construct and operate a railway from, point at or near the City of Moncton, in the province of New Brunswick, through the central portion of said province, and through the province of Quebec to a point at or near the City of Quebec, thence in northerly and westerly direction, passing to the north of Lake Ontario, to a point on the boundary line between the provinces of Quebec and Ontario, within fifty miles of Lake Abitibi; thence in northerly and westerly direction, passing to the north of Lake Nipigon, in the province of Ontario, to a point at or near Lake Winnipeg; thence westerly and northerly, passing through or near Battleford, Edmonton and Dunvegan, or by such other more feasible route as is hereafter located, but following in the general direction that is here indicated, to a point on the Peace River Pass or Pine River Pass, or such other pass in Rocky Mountains as is found most convenient and practicable, to Port Simpson or But's Inlet or such other point on Pacific coast, between said points, as is considered more accessible and better adapted for the purpose of the company; and also a branch line from the main line southerly to a point at or near North Bay or Nipissing Junction; and branch lines from points on the main line to Port Arthur, Fort Williams, Brandon, Regina, Prince Albert, and Calgary respectively, and also a branch line from some point in British Columbia to Dawson, in the Yukon territory; and the company may, for the purpose of constructing its railway, divide the line into five sections to be known as follows: (a) Eastern section, to extend from the eastern terminus to a point at or near the City of Quebec; (b) Quebec section, to extend from a point at or near the City of Quebec to the boundary line between the provinces of Quebec and Ontario; (c) Woodland section, to extend from the last mentioned point to the City of Winnipeg; (d) Prairie section, to extend from the City of Winnipeg to a point at or near the eastern limit of the Rocky Mountains; (e) Mountain section, to extend from the last mentioned point to the Pacific coast.

A heated debate on this clause is expected Tuesday. It was placed in the hands of members tonight.

BURIED TODAY.

The funeral of the late Albert E. Elliott was held at half-past two o'clock this afternoon from his late home 102 Portland street. Rev. R. P. McKim conducted the services at the house and grave and the body was interred in the Church of England burial ground.

This afternoon at half-past two o'clock the funeral of the late Mrs. Mary A. Doyle took place from her late home, 70 Broad street, to St. John the Baptist Church. Rev. W. C. Gagnier officiated and interment was in the Old Catholic cemetery.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Annie McAndrew was held at half-past two o'clock this afternoon from her late residence 102 Brussels street to the cathedral. Rev. H. D. Cormier officiated and the body was interred in the Old Catholic cemetery.

The funeral of Mrs. David Paterson, which was announced to take place tomorrow, was held instead this afternoon at four o'clock, from her late residence on Castle street. Rev. W. O. Raymond conducted the funeral services and interment was in Fernhill.

ONLY FOUR YEARS.

Ensign Hussner, Who Ran His Friend Through for Discipline's Sake.

BERLIN, May 28.—Naval Ensign Hussner, who, at Essen, on Good Friday, killed his friend, Artilleryman Hartmann, by running the latter through with his sword for not saluting him properly, was Wednesday sentenced to four years and one week's imprisonment and degradation. The state's attorney, in the public court martial which was held at Kiel, moved for a six years' sentence in a penitentiary and expulsion from the navy.

Hussner, in reply to the president's questions, said that while regretting that his sword strokes killed the artilleryman, affirmed that he acted through the service instructions, and that he was obliged by honor to compel obedience.

"But," said the president, "you said you never drew your weapon without using it?"

"Yes," replied the prisoner, "It is so ordered in the regulations."

Hussner admitted that immediately after killing his friend he became interested in a discussion over the different classes of shoulder straps.

The impression made by Hussner's examination was that his action was the result of the system of training, dull and passionate material, and which affected a mind filled with exaggerated ideas of honor.

The court read a letter which Hussner wrote to his mother from prison, in which he said:

"I am punished I shall have the glad consciousness of having maintained my honor unimpaired. It is sad that they took up a man preparing to be an officer."

A NOVA SCOTIA STRIKE. Word was received in Halifax Tuesday evening that some 75 men and boys employed at the plaster quarries, Dutch Settlement, Halifax county, operated by an American syndicate, had gone on strike. The men were being paid \$1.25 per day and the boys \$1.00. The men struck for \$1.25 and the boys for \$1.00.

SLEPT SINCE 1883, Then Returned to Consciousness and Sank into Death.

Most Remarkable Case of Catalepsy on Record—It Lasted Twenty Years.

NEW YORK, May 28.—Marguerite Boyenval, of Theneles, near San Quentin, who had been in a cataleptic state since May 21, 1883, awakened on Wednesday, says the Paris correspondent of the Herald. For some time past she has been suffering from phthisis and it is believed that the effect of this malady on her system conduced to her re-awakening. She moved her hand on Saturday for the first time and groaned slightly. When a doctor took hold of her arm she said: "You are pinching me," and subsequently replied to questions by "Yes" and "No."

She was, however, in a state of the greatest weakness and gradually sank, dying yesterday. Her lethargy was caused by fright. She had a child which died shortly after its birth under circumstances which led to a judicial investigation. One day in May, 1883, while Marguerite was ironing, a neighbor said to her "The gen d'armes are coming to arrest you." Marguerite had a series of fits and gradually fell into her long slumber. She died a few days later and rumors were spread that she had murdered it. The police determined to investigate the matter, but Marguerite sank into her sleep before they began day.

In 1896 the girl was described as being white as a statue and as corpse-like as a mummy. Her body wasted away almost to a skeleton and her hair and nails were covered with parchment instead of skin. The body was rigid, and only the pulse beats showed that she was living. Life was sustained by washing the girl's body in milk every day and pouring a few drops of milk or spirits of the father's mouth through a reed. The mother allowed anyone to see her for a small fee. Many prominent physicians visited the patient during her twenty years' sleep.

FOREST FIRES. Enormous Damage Done—Oil Wells at Hillsboro in Danger.

MONCTON, May 28.—Terrific forest fires originating at Berrington have been raging back of Hillsboro in Albert county for several days. The fire has burned through to Baltimore, Dawson Settlement and Steevescote. Andrew Chappell lost a large house and barn with all their contents. A house owned by Spurgeon Steves was also burned. Hundreds of dollars worth of fencing is burned and the loss of standing timber will amount to thousands of dollars. In many places the flames passing through dry timber leaped seventy feet into the air, making a spectacle of awful grandeur.

The oil wells of the New Brunswick Petroleum Co. near Hillsboro are now in imminent danger. The drought of the past two weeks is still unbroken and high winds at present are carrying the flames with lightning rapidity.

CHAMBERLAIN'S SPEECH.

LONDON, May 29.—Colonial Secretary Chamberlain's protectionist policy is the all prevailing topic of discussion here. His assertion that he would make reciprocal trade between the mother country and her colonies the question of the hour has been sensationally fulfilled. Columns of comment fill the afternoon papers, and every one is asking, "Does it mean disunion?" Some people maintain that the government contemplates appealing to the country on preferential trade and old age pensions immediately after the close of the present session of parliament.

"Christians look with abhorrence on Mohammedans who take plural wives. They despise ignorant Africans who indulge in admitted polygamy."

"Yet, if the truth were known, husbands of New York and Chicago and all our large cities indulge secretly, not only in plural wives, but in thrice the wives of these so-called degraded peoples. Americans take one wife and a girl's to a dozen."

A GIRL'S FRIGHTFUL DEATH.

ROME, N. Y., May 28.—With a halter rope tied around her wrist and a frightened colt running at top speed, Rena Webster of Northwestern was dragged a half mile over a rough highway and killed.

Mrs. Webster, who was 20 years old, led the colt out to allow it to eat in the highway. While the animal was feeding she sat down by the roadside and engaged in sewing. To prevent the animal from getting away she fastened the end of the long halter rope to her wrist.

The colt suddenly became frightened and ran away. Mrs. Webster was dragged headlong into the roadway and the horse ran in to the village of Northwestern, dragging the girl at the end of the rope.

EXEMPTED FROM TAXATION. LANSING, Mich., May 28.—The house has passed the bill exempting all credits from taxation. As it came from the senate the measure exempted real estate mortgages and land contracts only.

NEWS OF SPORT. Merritt Lord Arrested This Morning on Charge of Stealing Fish.

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FROST IN MAINE. (Bangor Commercial.) Reports from the frost districts of Maine, which embrace pretty nearly the entire state, keep coming in all telling the same story of loss to field and garden crops, fruit trees and berry blossoms. Our farmers have had no such streak of ill for a long time.

THE TURF. WON THE BROOKLYN HANDICAP.

NEW YORK, May 28.—Irish Lad, a 12 to 1 shot, won the Brooklyn handicap today in 2:05 2-5, breaking the record for the race. Best previous record was 2:06 1-4, made by Banastad in 1892. Gunfire was second and Sheno third.

NEW YORK, May 28.—Irish Lad won the seventeenth Brooklyn handicap at Gravesend today in 2:05 2-5. He bore the colors of the Westbury stable, a partnership of Harry Payne Whitney and H. B. Duray.

Wm. C. Whitney's Gunfire, winner of the Metropolitan handicap and the betting favorite for today's race was second, beaten by not more than three inches. Eight lengths behind the pair came W. S. Fumshaw's Hero. Close on Hero's flanks were Foxhall, P. Keene's Injunction, Jacob worth's Oom Paul, second favorite in the betting, and Alex. Shield's Hunter Rain. Old Herbert was last, with Bonnberr, Igniter and the much touted Yardarm, of E. B. Thomas, in that order in front of him. Irish Lad lowered the record for the race, 2:06 1-4, made by Banastad in 1892, and equalled Goldie's record for the track made last October. Worth in gross \$18,150, the winner's share of the Brooklyn handicap of 1903 was \$1,150, the second horse taking \$2,000 and the third \$1,000.

SUMMARY.—The Brooklyn handicap, one mile and a quarter. Won by Irish Lad, 103, O'Neil, 12 to 1 and 5 to 1; Gunfire, 111, Bruns, 11 to 5 and even, second; Hero, 113, Michaels, 15 to 1 and 1 to 1, third. Time 2:05 2-5. Injunction, Oom Paul, Hunter Rain, Colonel Bill, Articulate, Yardarm, Igniter, Bonnberr and Herbert also ran.

THE OAKS AT EPSOM.

LONDON, May 28.—Apart from customary interest in ladies' day at Epsom, the open character of the race for the Oaks stakes of 5,000 sovereigns, for three-year-old fillies, about one mile and a half, attracted an unusually large crowd. The difference in the composition of the Derby Day road procession and that of today was particularly marked this morning, four-hands, motors and carriages being almost wholly occupied by smartly dressed people, with a preponderance of women in the daintiest summer costumes. The trains carried their full quotas, King Edward and the Prince of Wales took a special train, but Queen Alexandra and the Princess of Wales did not go to Epsom. The field for the Oaks numbered eleven.

LONDON, May 28.—Our Lassie won the Oaks. Hammettop was second and Sky Scraper third. Dazzling fell during the race.

YACHTING. THE HOODOO AGAIN.

NEW YORK, May 28.—The Constitution's hoodoo almost spoiled the race of the cup defence candidates in Long Island Sound today. After sailing nine miles of the first leg of the race the Constitution's topmast was carried away in a little puff of wind and with her top hamper hanging in a mess she was out of it for the day. When the accident occurred the Constitution was half a mile behind the Reliance and

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The Reliance and Columbia finished the race but it had become a procession for Columbia was never formidable after the first five miles had been sailed. Reliance crossed the finish line a winner by eight minutes and twenty-seven seconds over the former favorite.

Constitution had sailed and a game race until the accident and had been handled skilfully but had been unable to hold the sick Reliance.

The Constitution was hoisted to and the wreckage quickly cleared away. August Belmont, her managing owner, who was on board, said that the constitution's spare topmast was in Bristol and that he did not expect to get it in time to sail in Saturday's race. No one had been injured. Cleared of the wreck the Constitution came limping under her own sails.

The Reliance beat the Columbia 4 minutes and 32 seconds on the first leg and 30 seconds on the second leg. The last leg was a short haul, hauled, fetching the finish line without a tuck or pinching too closely to the wind. It was the prettiest spectacle of the day, for the wind had freshened to twelve knots and the Reliance had her lee rail down into the froth and was reeling off eleven knots to the hour, while the pride of former years dragged a mile and a half astern. Reliance had beaten her three minutes and five seconds on that leg.

The regatta committee of the New York Yacht Club announced tonight that the three 90-footers will not be entered in the annual regatta of the club on June 11. The Columbia and the Reliance will sail in the race at Glen Cove on Saturday, regardless of whether the Constitution is repaired in time.

ROWING.

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