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ST. MARY'S BAND IS IN THE LEAD TODAY

First Place Wrested From the Doughty Junior Beavers--All Records Broken by Times Circulation Yesterday --- More Competitors for the $200 in Gold.

That the Evening Times contest is a feature that has taken a strong hold upon the public was exemplified yesterday by the extraordinary interest displayed in the struggle by all classes. Even those conservative individuals who, since the beginning of the contest, looked upon the Times feature is a too radical departure from the time honored methods of journalism, were swept into the fight yesterday on the crest wave of enthusiasm, which has overwhelmed the citizens of St. John.

At no stage of the contest was the competition keener or the interest more marked. The contest editor found it no easy task to keep abreast of the tidal wave of ballots which swept in upon him from all quarters of the city. The friends of the various militant organizations, not content with their splendid work of the previous day, put forth an extra effort to reach first place in the contest.

The circulation of the Evening Times yesterday was nearly eleven thousand, a figure never before reached in local journalism.

Up to the time for the closing of the polls the voting was heavy and continuous, while the demand for copies of the Evening Times broke all previous records. The struggle between the leaders in the contest was fast and furious, while those occupying minor places the previous day, were spurred on to great effort, with the result that several of them are today well among the chief contestants.

St. Mary's Band Leads

The doughty Junior Beavers, who for several days have successfully repulsed all attacks upon their citadel, struck their colors today to St. Mary's Band, an organization whose work in the contest has been a source of admiration to all.

Portland Methodist Y. M. A. did not exhibit any signs of weakening in yesterday's battle, but showed, on the contrary, a fixed purpose to score heavily in the fight.

Court La Tour I. O. F., which a few days ago was well down on the list, today occupies a leading position in the contest.

The Neptune Rowing Club are evidently resting upon their oars for a breathing spell, preparatory to making another effort to reach the winning buoy.

St. Stephen's Scotch Boys' Brigade is evidently composed of the right material, the kind that wins battles in the face of heavy odds.

The High School Athletic Club is another organization deserving of the highest commendation for the splendid showing they have made. From a mere handful of votes a few days ago, they have now to their credit a total of 1,304, a magnificent showing.

St. Rose L. A. D. Society are still holding their own, despite the enormous increase in the votes of their contemporaries.

The contest editor is glad to welcome two new organizations who have signified their intention of taking part in the struggle. They are the Mission Church Gymnasium Club and the Y. P. S. of the Centenary church.

The friends of the Salvation Army are seemingly determined that that splendid organization shall win the purse of two hundred dollars, to judge from the interest which they are exhibiting in its cause.

The contest editor continues to receive many letters of congratulation on the splendid success of the Times feature, several of them enclosing votes and promising support to their favorite organizations. Some of the writers send interesting histories and biographical sketches of different organizations and their officers, which, because of lack of space, the contest editor is unable to publish.

The standing of the different contestants today is as follows:

The Standing Today

St. Mary's Band	1578
La Tour Section T of H. and T.	1491
Junior Beavers	1477
High School A. C.	1308
Portland Methodist Y M A	1092
Marathon A. C.	1081
St. Stephens Scotch B. B.	910
Court La Tour I. O. F.	883
Neptune Rowing Club.	816
Y M S of St. Joseph	429
Salvation Army	282
N. B. Lodge K of P.	270
Count Yukon C. O. F.	190
Ladies' O B A	155
Father Mathew Association	146
St. Peter's Y M A	108
King's Daughters and Sons	102
Ladies of The Maccabees	100
Firemen's Relief Association	96
Victoria Skating Club	78
Alex. Section T of H. and T.	55
Marlborough Lodge S O E	36
Mission Church Gym Club.	37
Military Veterans	29
Longshoremen's Association	28
St. Andrew's Cadets.	28
Loyalist S O T	26
Knights of Columbus	22
Clifton A C	21
St. John Prot. Orphan Asylum	20
Gurney Division, S O T	17
R K Y C	14
Portland Lodge S O E.	9
Loyal Orange Society	6
Ancient Order Hibernians.	6
St. George B B Club.	7
62nd N. C. O. Mess.	5
Comp. Court Wygoody I. O. F.	4
Clan McKenzie	3
Daughters of Israel	3
C. M. B. A.	3
Y P S of Centenary church.	2
City Cornet Band	1
I O. G. T.	1

THE POLICE COURT PROVIDES FOOD FOR REFLECTION

For the first time in sixty-eight years Benjamin Seely graced the police court bench this morning, and opposite his name on the police sheet appeared the charge of drunkenness. At least that is the story Benjamin told when arraigned, and it sounded so good to his honor that the fine of $2 or five days jail was allowed to stand against him. Seely was arrested last night by Officer Finley on a charge of drunkenness and this morning he blushingly confessed that although he was sixty-eight years of age he had never before met the police magistrate in his official capacity.

Thomas Nickerson, known to his intimates of the force as "peg leg" had no such good record for a defence. Thomas is no stranger to the court and when charged with drunkenness admitted the soft impeachment. However, he was impressed with his honor's leniency in the Seely case and asked for "a chance."

"This is no Honduras lottery," replied the judge. "You get no chance here," and accordingly Nickerson was led away to digest a fine of $8 or two months' jail. He was arrested last night on Brittain street after he had been ejected by the police from Enos Diamond's house.

Arthur Ellis, James Power, John Mooney, Ernest McNeil, Thomas Morrison and Teddy McMahon, small boys, were charged with assaulting George Wilson, another small boy. They denied the charge, and as no one appeared against them, they were allowed to go. A few minutes after they departed Mrs. Wilson and her son arrived to prosecute the case, but were informed that it had already been disposed of.

John Quigley, one of three men arrested on Thursday for fighting on St. David's street, was brought into court this morning, and fined $8 or two months for drunkenness. The fighting charge against Quigley and his associates will be taken up on Monday.

An Ill Used Wife

Mrs. William Stanley, of Erin street, complained at the police court this morning that her husband was not caring for her as a husband should. She alleged non-support, desertion and abuse and also stated she had learned that her husband was a frequenter of houses of ill repute. The case will be investigated by the police and formal charges may be laid against Stanley.

Both Wanted Warrants

All is not peace and harmony between the families of Harry King and George Waycott, both of Metcalfe street, north end. Like the Montagues and Capulets of Shakespearian fame, they have a score to settle and from present appearances it will be settled in the police court on Monday morning.

Mr. King made his way to the police headquarters this morning and swore out a warrant for Mr. Waycott, who, he said, had "abused him scandalously." He filed a bill of particulars with the police clerk, and the warrant was issued.

Just as King had finished Mrs. George Waycott appeared and asked for a warrant for him on a similar charge. She said King had called her names and reflected on her parentage. Both complaints will be heard on Monday.

J. B. M. Baxter has been retained by King.

Bold Alphonse

Despite the fact that he was wanted for breaking away from the chain gang, Alphonse Wauger, who terrorized Penobsquis recently, paid a visit to the central station last night as a protectionist, and this morning was allowed to go, as the was not recognized as a man on whom the police had a lien. He was sent to St. John from Moncton, where on Wednesday last he was pronounced harmlessly insane.

He was first arrested here about five weeks ago on a charge of assaulting Jas. Brennan. For this offence he was sentenced to the chain gang for two months, but he soon escaped and last night was the first time he came under police notice since his escape. He will probably be re-arrested and made to serve his unexpired term.

Was 46 Times in Court

While sentencing John Quigley for drunkenness in court this morning, the police magistrate took occasion to refer to the habituals who are before the court time after time and who when questioned, admit having been there once or twice.

"In once case," said his honor, "a prisoner has been in jail forty-six times for drunkenness and kindred offences, and yet when he gets out he goes right back to the bar-rooms. That's the way with those people. As long as they have a dollar the bar-rooms are open for them, and when their money is gone they are kicked out and the police find them. They are brought before me and a term in jail finishes it until the next time, when the performance is repeated."

Young Bryson Free

James Bryson, the 19-year-old bell boy in the Victoria Hotel, who was arrested on a charge of stealing a scarf pin, the property of a Mr. Crigbaum, was this morning allowed to go by Magistrate Ritchie.

From the story told by the boy, and which was not contradicted, it appears that Bryson found the pin in the room in the hotel which had been occupied by Mrs. Crigbaum. He told several employes of the hotel how he came by it, and afterwards sold it to one of the waiters for 25 cents.

When Mr. Crigbaum missed his pin, enquiries wer made about the hotel and the fact that Bryson had sold a similar pin was brought out. Bryson was then arrested and the pin recovered.

In court this morning, Mr. Crigbaum said that the boy's story of how he came by the pin was probably true, as it had twice been lost in his own house and subsequently recovered in a similar fashion.

The magistrate warned Bryson and told him that in such a case it was his plan duty to have reported the finding of the pin to the management of the hotel. He had not done this, but he had told employes of the house the true story of finding it in a guest's room. This told in his favor, but the magistrate censured the person who purchased the pin, knowing how Bryson had acquired it. However, he thought the boy had acted from thoughtlessness rather than from a desire to steal, and allowed him to go.

A Family Affair

A woman, name unknown, resident in Golden Grove, called at the police court this morning and asked that a policeman be sent out to Golden Grove to eject her brother from her father's house. She claimed he had assaulted her father. Police Clerk Henderson told her the police could not interfere and she departed.

ROYAL WELCOME TO COMMISSIONER COOMBS

Mayor Sears and Two Aldermen Among the Speakers---Meetings Today and a Great Programme of Services for Tomorrow---At the Opera House.

A right royal welcome was extended to Commissioner Coombs and the visiting officers, who were present in the Charlotte street S. A. barracks last night. Addresses of welcome were delivered by Mayor Sears, Ald. Bullock and Ald. Lewis, on behalf of the city, and replies were heard from the commissioner, Adjt. Carter, representing the male officers of the field staff, Ensign Prince for the female officers, and Major Phillips for the soldiery.

Brigadier Turner introduced the commissioner, who stated that he was greatly pleased to see the mayor, Mrs. Sears, and Ald. Bullock and Ald. Lewis present. The speaker said that he was very much pleased with the work that is being done in St. John.

Mayor Sears made such a reply as was greeted with great applause by those present.

Col. Pugmire sang a solo and Ensign Cornish, on behalf of those present, moved a hearty vote of thanks to the mayor and aldermen, which Adjt. Cave seconded, and it was carried unanimously.

From 5.30 to 7.30 p. m. yesterday there was a very pleasant and largely attended public reception in the Charlotte street barracks for the visiting officers.

The twenty-fourth annual congress of the Salvation Army was continued this morning. The Glace Bay band and delegates from Cape Breton, numbering in all about 130, arrived by the 6.25 train, and were given a hearty welcome.

Among the arrivals were: Adjutant and Mrs. Cooper, Glace Bay; Adjutant and Mrs. Allen, North Sydney; Capt. McGillvery and Lt. Stairs, Sydney Mines; Capt. Netting and Lt. Andrews, Sydney Mines; Engign Lovmier, New Aberdeen; Ensign Greenland and Lt. Gray, Sydney; Capt. Moore and Lt. Pelly, Inverness; Lt. Boocock, Port Hood; Capt. Gollway, of Louisburg; and last, but by no means least, "Happy Jim Miller," of Glace Bay. Heretofore, Happy Jim, has appeared, on most occasions in kilts and Glengarry or "Bonny Scotland," but this time he has adopted the costume of the western cowboy, which made him conspicuous at the Union Depot.

At 9.30 a very successful knee drill was conducted by Adjt. Carter, at No. 1 Barracks, Charlotte street. This was immediately followed by the staff and field officers' councils, at which Commissioner Coombs, who was the chief speaker, reviewed the work of the past twelve months. In the course of his remarks, which were somewhat lengthy, the commissioner said that the year's work had been of a most satisfactory character, in all departments. There was, he said, every reason to believe that the work was being carried on faithfully and well, and the outlook was encouraging. He congratulated the officers on the faithful manner in which they had performed their duties.

At 12.30 o'clock there was a street parade, headed by the Glace Bay band. The route of procession was down Duke street to Prince William, up King and along Charlotte and Union to Sydney street, and back to No. Barracks, Charlotte street.

Tomorrow's Meetings

Tomorrow will be a big day in Salvation Army circles. Three big meetings, conducted by Commissioner Coombs, will be held in the Opera House, and open air meetings will be held in various portions of the city.

The gatherings at the Opera House will be as follows: Holiness meeting at 11 o'clock; salvation meeting, at 3 in the afternoon; and in the evening, at 7.30 o'clock, the unique, impressive service, the "Shadow of the Cross," will be given, under the direction of Commissioner Coombs. For this service special music has been arranged.

In the morning, at 10.15, Adjutant Cooper, assisted by the Glace Bay band, will conduct an open air meeting at the corner of King and Charlotte streets. At the same hour, another meeting will be held at the corner of Union and Brussels streets, under the direction of Adjutant Allen, assisted by Ensign Jones and other officers.

At two o'clock there will be two Cigarette open air meetings, one at the corner of King street, and the second at the corner of Union and Brussels streets.

At 6.30 in the evening two monster open air meetings will be held at the same places.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

Back From Charlottetown---Will Fight a Negro Organization.

A. L. Dodge, who has been in Charlottetown in connection with the organization of a new company of the uniform rank, Knights of Pythias, returned last evening. He reports having had a very pleasant time in the island city and great enthusiasm is being manifested in Pythian circles. Grand Chancellor H. G. Marr, of Halifax, was also in Charlottetown to attend the ceremonies. He will visit St. John some time after the 10th of November to institute the new lodge which is being organized in the north end.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 27. — The Knights of Pythias have determined through the courts to fight the organization recently formed by negroes in Georgia, calling themselves the Supreme Lodge, Knights of Pythias of North America, South America and Australia.

THE DEATH OF R. E. MILLYNN

In connection with the suicide at Vanceboro last night of Robert E. Millynn, a U. S. immigration official, Brakeman R. B. Lawson, of the C. P. R., states that the report that Millynn had been drinking, and that this was the indirect cause of his rash act, is not correct, as he knew him well. He was with Millynn from Saturday until Monday, and on Wednesday night last. He also saw him at McAdam yesterday, where he boarded the train and went to Vanceboro. Mr. Lawson gave him a message from Mr. Miller, the immigration agent here, and at the time he appeared to be in the best of spirits. During the time Mr. Lawson was with him he did not see him take a drink, so he is sure there must have been some other cause.

TO RAISE FUNDS FOR IRISH CAUSE

BOSTON, Oct. 26—Thomas M Kettle and Richard Hazleton, both of Dublin, representing respectively in the British house of commons, East Tyrone and North Galway, arrived here from New York tonight, and were met at the South Terminal station by a delegation from the Boston branch of the United League of America.

Mr. Kettle and Mr. Hasleton have come to the United States to continue the work of raising funds for the Irish cause begun by T. P. O'Connor, M. P., who sails from New York for England tomorrow. During the next ten days meetings will be held in Massachusetts cities, after which the parliamentarians will visit Pennsylvania and the west.

MONTREAL, Oct. 27 Special)—Montreal Power played the chief part in the stock market today, selling at 99 1-4 to [illegible] better being the ruling price. [illegible] is attributed to a reported [illegible] with the city concerning [illegible] consideration of franchises. Other issues traded in [illegible] United, 90 1-4 to 90 3-8; Ill[illegible], 41; Dominion Coal, 64 5-8; [illegible] Steel, 69 3-4.

WILL ERECT A A NEW MILL

At Gibson, Opposite Fredericton --- Produce Prices --- Personal Notes.

FREDERICTON, Oct. 27—(Special)—The York and Sunbury Milling Company have torn down their old mill at Gibson and will build a new one on the lot. It will be 140 by 40 feet, and will be equipped with all the most improved machinery. The company expect to have it ready to start sawing by April first.

Dr. Bridges has completed the sale of his residence on York street to W. A. Estabrooks. The price is in the vicinity of five thousand and the doctor takes the Estabrooks property on King street in part payment.

Rev Father Ryan, of St. Mary's is to leave Thursday on a vacation trip to the old country. Friends of Major W. C. Good will regret to learn that he is seriously ill at his home in Jacksontown.

Arthur Kauffmann, of New York, arrived today en route to Little River on a hunting expedition.

In the market here this morning butter brought 24 cents, eggs, twenty-eight and chickens from fifty to eighty-five cents.

GRAND TRUNK PENSION SYSTEM

OTTAWA, Oct. 27—(Special)—Application will be made at the next session for an act amending the acts relating to the Grand Trunk Line of Canada superannuation and provident fund, and authorizing the Grand Trunk Railway Company to establish a pension or superannuation fund for the benefit of the company's employees and, if deemed advisable, the employes of companies controlled or operated by the said company, and to contribute thereto such sums as the directors may from time to time determine, with such powers and provisions respecting the establishment and management of the said fund as may be deemed necessary.

Application will be made next session for an act to incorporate "The Ungava Railway Company," with power to construct and operate a railway from a point on Cambrian Lake, on the Kaniapeskau river, in district of Ungava, to the south bank of Koksoak river, approximately opposite Fort Chimo in district of Ungava.

A LUCKY MAN

MONTREAL, Oct. 5 (Special)—Karl Cremer, a former officer in the German Army, who has worked for some years in this city, has received advices of his inheritance of close to half a million dollars from his father. With a portion of the money Cremer has bought a handsome residence on Pine avenue, which he has furnished lavishly and will be married in a few days to his second wife.

It was stated by officials at the water office this morning that the pressure would not be shut off this afternoon, as the casting which was to have been put in at the Marsh Bridge has not proved suitable. The turning off of the pressure has been postponed indefinitely.

Dr. Ellis and two new members of the Ellis Stock Company arrived from Boston today.

A MOVEMENT FOR REFORM NEXT YEAR IN CIVIC POLITICS

There are indications of an awakening among the business men of the city regarding civic affairs and though it is still some time before the 1907 elections there a little quiet work being done to get a ticket of at least ten new men in the field, who would have the full confidence of the citizens.

The following letter, which was handed to the editor of the Times this morning by a prominent business man gives an idea of the feeling entertained of the present council:

To the Editor of the Times:

Dear sir—I was glad to see in your issue of last night the suggestion to our merchants to come forward as candidates for aldermen; I also was pleased to know that some of our prominent men attended a meeting to find out about the water supply. Now I think this is very encouraging and I would like to see ten or twelve merchants come out for aldermen and try if the citizens want a council composed of merchants who would run the business on business principles. I think there is an awakening in our midst, caused by the unbusiness like manner in which the Ludlow contracts have been handled, and if you keep up the agitation I think you will get a good council for next year.

Yours truly,

LUDLOW.

The gentleman writing the above was asked if he would be willing to allow himself to be nominated next year, and he replied that while he was required to pay close attention to his own business and had little time to spare, yet he would agree, if it were thought best, to form one of a ticket of ten business men, and while he said he might not be any better than the men at present in the council, he certainly could do no worse.

Quite a number of the prominent citizens have expressed themselves the same way during the last few days, and it is understood that a small committee will take the matter up and secure a ticket very soon, so that a determined effort can be made at the elections next spring to put capable men in the field.

That the Springfield will next season be seen running to Belleisle was the opinion expressed this morning by Capt. Porter. The captain stated that during the present season the failure to obtain a crew was the only thing that prevented the Springfield from being a competitor on the river. During the summer Captain Porter had several men almost engaged, but he claims that influence was brought to bear upon them in every instance and they went to work for others. The captain, however, states that he has no intention of buying another steamer.

OTTAWA, Oct. 27—(Special)—Detective Picard, concerned in the Buckingham riots, was fined $5 and $2.25 costs this morning for assaulting a reporter of La Patrie, Montreal. The chief of police of Buckingham refused to serve the warrant on Picard.

THE TRAGEDY OF TWO LIVES

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—Louis G. Hampton, assistant secretary of the United States Trust Co., of this city, shot and killed Victoria I. Taczkow, a beautiful young woman, in the Hotel Griffou in West Ninth street last night and then committed suicide. Hampton was infatuated with the woman, and they had been together many times during the past month. They had been at the hotel where the tragedy occurred since early yesterday. Whether it was the result of a pact between the man and woman to die together has not been determined, but the circumstances seem to show that the young woman had agreed to die with her companion.

Hampton, who was about 60 years old, leaves a wife and two children. Miss Taczkow, was 29 years old and lived with her father and invalid mother. She was employed in a Fifth Avenue department store. The United States Trust Company, of which L. G. Hampton was assistnat secretary, is one of the largest and strongest trust companies in New York. Ex-Secretary of the United States Treasury Lyman J. Gage was its president, until recently.

Y. M. C. A. BUILDING

There has been somewhat of a lull in the efforts being made by the Y. M. C. A. people to raise money for their new building, but one of those most interested this morning said an endeavor would be made during the coming winter to raise the $10,000 which is now needed to bring the total up to $60,000.

It is hoped to start building operations in the spring as the need of an adequate building for carrying on the work is greatly felt.

ROOSEVELT IS 48

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27—President Roosevelt is 48 years old today. He was the recipient of many congratulations.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

HIRAM AND THE COUNCIL.

Mr. Hiram Hornbeam this morning wore the affable expression of a man at peace with himself and disposed to be charitable to all mankind. It was the expression of a man who, if he had any enemies, had forgiven them, and who would come as near to turning the other cheek to the smiter as a man from Hornbeam Settlement is ever constrained to come. He shook hands with the Times new reporter, and asked him what was new around City Hall.

"Ald. Hamm," said the new reporter, "resents your recent criticism of the council. He says you ought to attend to your own affairs, and not talk so much."

"Did Joe Hamm say that?" queried Hiram with mild interest. "Well—Joe's bark's worse'n his bite. Him an' me's old friends. But," he went on, crossing his fingers to emphasise the point, "he always had that habit of flyin' off the

handle. Why, when he used to come up to the Settlement to buy hosses he always come to my place an' always had two or three disputes. I drove him all over the settlement many a time. An' he knowed a hoss all right—jist like my other old friend, Ald. Lewis knows a biler."

Hiram laughed reminiscently as his mind reverted to the days when he and Ald. Hamm scoured the country roads in search of good horseflesh.

"I mind" he said, "one time we went out to look at a sorrel mare old Bill Jones had—as fine a lookin' beast as ever you seen. But she had a bad eye. When Joe was lookin' her over she up an grabbed him by the shoulder. Bite? She'd bite an' kick an' whimner — Ha! Ha! I kin hear Joe yell same as if it was yiste'day."

"To get back to the city council," said the new reporter, "it has been suggested by a number of your city friends that if you would sell out and move to town they would make you a member of the council."

"Me!" cried Hiram. "Me an alderman? Did anybody re'lly say that about me?"

In his wrath the man from the settlement tugged at his whiskers and gave every evidence of great perturbation of spirit.

"Well," he said at last, resuming his wonted calm, "mebbe I deserve it. I said this mornin' I wouldn't let anything rile me today—an' I guess if I kin stand this I'm safe. But if you don't mind we'll talk about tomorrow's Sunday school lesson. It's a safer subject."

CITY COUNCIL MEETING TODAY

Will Deal With the Expropriation of the 30-Foot Strip on the West Side.

A meeting of the common council is to be held this afternoon to deal with the matter of the thirty-foot strip on Union street, west side.

Geo. Robertson, president of the Imperial Dry Dock Co., is expected to be present and will submit in writing, under the seal of the company, a draft of the agreement as submitted by Mr. Robertson at Thursday night's meeting.

It has now been practically decided that the city will go on with the expropriation proceedings for the 30-foot strip and put valuators on the land when the leases expire on Nov. 1st., thus taking over the whole property.

Mr. Robertson has expressed approval of the plan to expropriate, as it will not interfere with the dry dock company.

Engineer Peters and Director Cushing went over the thirty-foot strip yesterday to take surveys and all will be satisfactorily arranged inside of a few days.

WHAT THE PUBLIC ARE DEMANDING

Attorney General Moody Will Proceed Against Members of Standard Oil Co.

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—A Washington despatch to the Herald says that on very high authority it is announced that Attorney-General Moody will within a month bring proceedings against prominent members of the Standard Oil Company, under the terms of the Sherman Anti-Trust law, which provides penalties of fine and imprisonment for its violation.

HIS WORSHIP'S MAIL

That people outside of the city appreciate the exalted position and dignity of St. John's chief magistrate more than do some of the aldermen and citizens is shown by the following letter received by the mayor today from Liverpool, England. The letter reads as follows:—

"The Town Hall, Liverpool, W. (Eng), 18th October, 1906.

"The Lord Mayor of Liverpool thanks the Right Worshipful, the Mayor of St. John, for the copy of the accounts of the corporation of the City of St. John, which he has been good enough to send him."

CIRCUIT COURT

The case of Willis vs. the St. John Iron Works, which came up yesterday in the Circuit Court, before Judge Landry, was continued this morning.

Wm. H. Gorman, the foreman of the shop, was recalled to the stand and the defendants' counsel applied for a view of the premises by the jury.

The case stands till Tuesday morning at ten o'clock.

A. A. Wilson and Dr. Earle, for the plaintiff, and A. S. White and W. A. Ewing for the defendant company.

A STORM COMING

NEW YORK, Oct. 27—The local weather bureau has received the following special from Washington: Southwest storm warnings are displayed from Norfolk to New York. Severe storm central over Michigan, moving eastward. Brisk southerly winds along the middle Atlantic coast this afternoon, increasing to high tonight or Sunday.

BIG PROJECT FOR SYDNEY

Those Interested in Mowry Nut Lock ask Bonus and Promise Much.

SYDNEY, N. S., Oct. 26—Local men who are interested in the Mowry Nut Lock have a scheme under way to establish a railway construction plant in Sydney. There is not a plant of this kind in Canada, and they feel that Sydney, with its many industrial advantages, would be an excellent site. They want the city to grant a bonus, and if they get this concession will start construction work in the spring. The plant will employ from three to five hundred men at the first, but they expect to double its size within two years.

POLITICS MAY BE EXPENSIVE GAME

That at Least Would Be the View of Eugene N. Foss and Some Others.

BOSTON, Oct. 26—Eugene N. Foss spent $8,800 in an attempt to secure the republican nomination for lieutenant governor, according to the statements filed by him at the office of the secretary of state.

For re-nomination by the republicans Lieutenant Governor Eben S. Draper spent $6,000.

John B. Moran's expenses amounted to $1,250, while Governor Guild's nomination this year entailed no expense to the candidate.

Congressman Butler Ames' expenses were heavy, totalling $6,035.68.

William F. Lehman, of Roxbury, a candidate for the Massachusetts House of Representatives, said in his statement:—"Paid U. S. Mail two cents for overweight postage, due on letter sent by Secretary of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts."

PERSONALS

Mrs. Charles E. Cowan (nee Maxwell) will receive her friends on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons and Thursday evening, Oct. 31 and Nov. 1st at her home, 121 Paradise Row.

Invitations have been issued for the wedding of H. S. Wanamaker, traveller for D. Magee's Sons, to Miss Ethel Davis, daughter of Dr. E. N. Davis.

Charles E. Warren, lately in the employ of Andrew Jack, banker, will leave on the C. P. R. train this evening for Wilmington, S. C., where he will in future reside.

FUNERALS

The funeral of the late William Donald Sinclair was held this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the residence of A. E. Henderson, 80 Orange street.

Rev. Mr. Dickie conducted the funeral services and interment was made in Fernhill cemetery. Douglas Sinclair, of Boston, brother of the deceased, arrived in the city last night to attend the funeral.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Agnes Carvill was held this afternoon from her late residence, 29 Harding street, to the Church of St. John the Baptist, where Father Chapman, V. G., read the funeral service. Interment was made in the old Catholic cemetery. There were no pallbearers.