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WHAT THE BOOM ARE DOING

St. John Being Pushed To The Front

MANY IDEAS USED

They're Live in the Board of Trade and Good Results From Their Work are Coming—A Look Back at What Has Been Done

Probably few people realize the amount of work the kind of work that is being done in a quiet way to advance the interests of St. John and to make the city better known as a place to do business and to live in.

For some time the board has been sending out weekly news letters to more than 100 newspapers in Canada and the United States and the publication of these letters cannot fail to attract attention to St. John.

In order to get the children of the public schools benefited by the development of St. John, members of the board contributed \$40 in cash prizes for the best essays on the subject by the school children.

To try to secure the goodwill of the commercial travelers, a lot of guest cards were printed and these were distributed in the hotels weekly, bidding the traveler welcome to the city and inviting him to visit the board of trade rooms and look over the papers of his home town.

Members of the board have personally interviewed 13 manufacturers in St. John, urging them to make a display at the approaching Dominion Fair, and as a result many manufacturers who would otherwise have paid no attention to the matter, have indicated to secure space.

In its efforts to formulate some concrete propositions to induce new industries to establish here, the board has made certain recommendations to the common council for its adoption. The city authorities have also been asked to have an up-to-date map of the city prepared, showing the water and sewerage connection and possible manufacturing sites with rail and steamship connections.

In order to arrive at some conclusion as to what line of manufacturing St. John might be especially adapted to, or what goods might, in the opinion of the merchants, be profitably manufactured here, letters were sent to the business men of the city asking for their opinions and suggestions.

The secretary of the board is in correspondence with a large number of English and United States manufacturers who are contemplating a change from their present location or are considering the advisability of establishing a Canadian branch.

Some of The Channels Used Specially prepared illustrated articles regarding St. John and New Brunswick have been supplied to papers such as the Toronto Globe, New York Herald and Lewiston Journal, and an article relating to camping in New Brunswick, with illustrations, was furnished to a newspaper in Ireland.

Five thousand card hangers have been distributed among the merchants from time to time and their messages have done much to stimulate civic pride in St. John. Seven different cards have been issued. The first lot was sent to 300 citizens and the subsequent six cards have had a circulation of 250 each. The board has undertaken to supply material on the growth

20,000 TONS B. C. SALMON TO LONDON

Canadian Company Create Revolution in Fish Trade—More British Clergymen to Labor in the West—Today's News From England

London, May 28.—The large amount of 20,000 tons of British Columbia Spring salmon is now in London. It is thought the present enterprise is engineered by the Fishing Syndicate of British Columbia, limited, and will create a revolution in the salmon trade.

The firm of Price, Jones & Canada, Limited, has been formed with £10,000 capital to open business in Calgary and 70,000 6 per cent. preference shares are offered at par.

Passenger statistics show that 113,318 persons went to Canada in 1909, an increase of 17,890 over 1908.

Lady Stähler, appealing on behalf of the Barnado homes, said the boys and girls sent to Canada did excellent work. The lives of some of the boys were so healthy, but above all it was a healthy life.

At a meeting of the society for the propagation of the gospel yesterday, the secretary said the problem of western Canada seemed to grow greater. Rev. Douglas Ellison is about to proceed to the southern parts of Saskatchewan and Alberta, to prepare for the advent of a second band of clergymen and laymen under the archbishop's fund.

Resolutions were passed at meetings of the prior lien and income bondholders of the Quebec, Lake St. John railway yesterday the effect whereof will be to allow the raising of \$80,000 in priority on these securities. The money is required to complete the railway, continue the receivership and deal with pressing debts.

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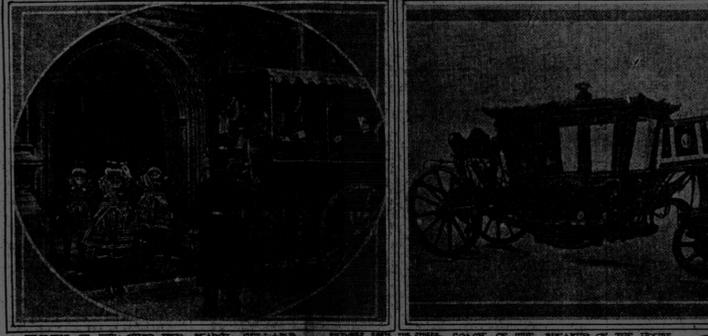
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A great many other matters have been discussed in the regular committee meetings and the sessions are always profitable to the members and it is hoped that the work will be profitable to the city. This far the express has been very profitable and public subscriptions, the members securing the support of a limited number of the business men and raising some \$400. This money has now been exhausted and means of raising a further sum to carry on the work are being considered.

WHEN KING GEORGE V. OPENS HIS FIRST PARLIAMENT



FERNHILL EVEN MORE BEAUTIFUL

Supt. Clayton's Plans for Work This Season—New Methods Employed—Nearly 600 Burial Places Under Perpetual Care

Again this year, as in years past, there will be a great deal of work done to make Fernhill "The City of Sleep," even more beautiful and to keep it up to the high standard set by Superintendent Clayton.

More new areas are being opened, thousands of plants and shrubs are being set, and the fifty odd miles of paths and avenues are being cleaned and graded. The work done last year made a marked improvement and the plans for this season will still further enhance its beauty.

The approach to the cemetery grounds by way of the Old Westmorland road will again be beautiful with flowering plants and ornamental beds of flowers and the improvements begun last year of the Marsh road entrance will be continued this year so as to give a neat appearance both from the Marsh road and from the Intercolonial Railway, over which so many visitors pass.

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GEORGE LOUNSBURY OF FREDERICTON DROWNED IN RIVER NEAR DROMOCTO

Member of House Boat Party Returning to Capital Fell Overboard While Talking to two Young Women Near the Rail—Was Clerk With W. E. Farrell

Fredericton, N. B., May 28.—(Special)—The St. John river claimed another victim last night, when George Lounsbury, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Lounsbury, of this city, was drowned near Dromocto.

Several of the young women on board became hysterical and it was a sudden party that reached the city at 2 o'clock this morning. Rev. J. H. McDonald was called to break the terrible news to Lounsbury's family.

The young man was aged eighteen and was employed as a salesman by W. E. Farrell. He was a bright youth and had many friends, who are greatly shocked at the news of his death. The family resided in the city from Queen's two years ago. The late G. A. Lounsbury of Newcastle was a uncle of the deceased. The tug returned to Dromocto this morning to renew search for the body.

MORSE ILL IN PRISON; WIFE'S RESOURCES FAIL

Sells Her Electric Carriage, and Her Furniture Will go to Auction Next Week—A Judge Endorses the Pardon Plea

New York, May 28.—Word comes from Atlanta, Ga., that Charles W. Morse, the banker, is ill and has been removed to the hospital of the Federal prison. He is said to be suffering from a serious form of kidney trouble. When Mrs. Morse was seen at her office, she said: "It is true that Mr. Morse is ill. He looked very ill when I saw him last week and was under the care of a physician. If he is in the hospital I have received no word about him as yet, but this morning no doubt to the fact that he can communicate with me only once in two weeks, and the two weeks are not up until next Monday."

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As Mrs. Morse talked of her husband's condition she suddenly broke down and began to weep. "I know he will never be a free man unless something is done at once to help him," she said. "He has not been a well man in years and the only way he would get off these walls is by constant exercise. He would have a great deal of work to do, but I am not permitted to see him. My husband again. The condition of his health is really horrible."

Mrs. Morse Practically Penniless The year in the Tomb, Mrs. Morse said together with the six months that Mr. Morse had already served in the Atlanta



FATHER OUELETTE VERY ILL

Condition of Former St. John Priest Reported Critical—Moncton Doctors Leave for Convention

Moncton, N. B., May 28.—(Special)—Father Ouellette, parish priest of St. Mary's, Kent County, for years in St. John, was taken suddenly ill last Sunday after mass and last night his condition was reported very critical. Dr. Bellevue of Shediac, and Drs. Ferguson and Bourgeois of Moncton, held a consultation in regard to the case yesterday.

The city baseball league will open this afternoon with a hand in attendance. Mayor Reilly will pitch the first ball. The game will be between the Y. M. C. A.'s last year's champions, and the Y. M. C. A.

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SOUGHT NINE YEARS FOR MURDER; HE BUMPS INTO A DETECTIVE

Whiteway, Lured Back by Attractions of Old New York Haunts, is Captured

New York, May 28.—Homelessness besetting him for nine years, during which time he roamed through the west a free and unsuspected man, finally dove William Whiteway, thirty-six, wanted as one of three men who murdered Theodore Johnson here in 1901—back like a homing pigeon to New York, to fall into the clutches of the police, who for nine years have been on the lookout for him.

He came back, disguised by beard, moustache and the changes wrought by years. Feeling thoroughly secure from detection he slipped from the freight train which brought him here "broke," but lay by for hours he tracked the familiar streets for love of which he had risked his liberty. Then exhausted and starving he accosted a man on One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street.

"These give me some money. I must not be pished. The man looked straight into his eyes. "Hello, Whiteway," he said. "It was Detective Hart, who nine years ago looked high and low for the man. A few minutes later Whiteway was a prisoner in the Harlem detective bureau. At first he resolute denied his identity. Later he broke down and admitted it.



BALL PLAYERS ARE IN TROUBLE

Many of Those Who Took Part in Tuesday's Games Had No Registration Tickets

(Halifax Chronicle) The M. P. A. A. has a new law requiring all amateur athletes to hold registration cards, which cost 25 cents each. The cards are required of players on teams as well as individual competitors in sports, and it was supposed the ball tossers on the three ball teams which played Tuesday had been handed out cards registering them as Simon Pure. But now it turns out that many of them played without cards and hence are liable to suspension, and the secretary of the M. P. A. A. has written local officials of the association regarding the matter. There was a movement on foot to have affidavits put up to all the players, a number of whom are undoubtedly clean amateurs, so as to get at the non-players, and the card question will hasten the affidavit stage of the game, though there are influences at work to stave it off.

MAY BE REV. DR. FORREST

Presbyterian Assembly Next Week in Halifax

THE NEW MODERATOR

Principal of Dalhousie Mentioned—An Honored List of Names Spreading Over 35 Years—Church Union to be Taken Up—Figures That Tell

In 1909 the general assembly of the Presbyterian church in Canada met in Halifax and now in 1910, this important gathering will again meet in the Nova Scotia capital, the sessions opening on June 1. An interesting matter always is the selection of the new moderator and one prominently mentioned is Rev. Prof. Forrest of Halifax, principal of Dalhousie University.

The list of moderators since 1875 is so representative of the notable men of the church that it is worth recording. The place that the assembly met in the year of office are also given: 1875 Montreal, Rev. John Cook, D. D., Quebec. 1876 Toronto, Rev. Alexander Topp, D. D., Toronto. 1877 Halifax, Rev. Hugh Macleod, D. D., Montreal. 1878 Hamilton, Rev. John Jenkins, D. D., Montreal. 1879 Ottawa, Rev. William Reid, D. D., Toronto. 1880 Montreal, Rev. Donald MacFarlane, D. D., St. John, N. B.

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