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PEPPER AND PARKS ON STAND

In Wood Murder Trial. Parks a Good Witness Pepper Somewhat Mixed.

At the Wood murder trial yesterday afternoon the examination of William Parks, one of the dead man's boon companions, occupied the entire afternoon.

Parks gave his evidence in a straightforward manner frequently assenting that he wished to tell entire truth, and it was apparent that he did so. There was nothing of much importance in his evidence differing from his story at the coroner's inquest. He said:

"I am a laborer in Edmonton. I know the accused to see him, and I am acquainted with Pepper and John Peacock. I knew Wood also. I last saw Houde in the Queen's hotel on April 5th in the morning between seven and eight o'clock. Pepper and I went to the Queen's about seven o'clock and were sitting in the card room when Houde came in. Peacock was with us. He came in after we did. Houde came in and there was a scar on his face. Peacock said to him, 'What is the matter; what hurt you,' and he replied, 'George Wood and me had a fight.' Pepper asked him what Wood hit him with, but Houde made no reply. He simply handed the key of the shack to Pepper and walked out.

"Pepper, Peacock and I then went down to the shack. I had been there twice before and saw Houde, George Wood and Peacock there. I knew Wood before, and one time he asked me to go down and have a bowl of soup. The next time I went down was in the morning a few days before the murder. On April 5th we went into the shack. I went in first and saw Wood lying on the floor. I thought at first he was drunk, but after looking further saw that he was dead. I only noticed blood on his hand. I told them to immediately notify the police. We left at once and Pepper went on ahead and informed the police.

"Pepper and I slept the previous night over Looby's harness shop across from the Jasper. I did not see the accused at all on Thursday. I saw Wood between five and six that evening in the Queen's. We had a drink together. He was playing cards there most of the afternoon. He was pretty full and after the drink said he was going home to supper and left. This was the last that I saw of him.

"I was last to the shack before on Sunday morning, March 31st. It was shortly after seven o'clock. Peacock and Houde were there getting their breakfast. Houde was cooking and said, 'Now, George, you must cut this out, this won't go.' I thought he considered I was bumming a meal and I turned and went. Wood and I walked out and we went to the Jasper House."

To Mr. Robertson: "I met Wood at the Jasper House that Sunday morning. We did not have a drink before we went to the shack. When we went back up town I had a couple of drinks from a flask that Wood produced out of his pocket. He then said he was going to get his breakfast and he left me. I didn't see him again that day. Houde's expression 'You must cut this out' may have referred to Wood's condition. Houde stayed about five minutes in the little card room at Queen's hotel on April 5th. We did not talk about anything in particular. This scratch on his cheek was the only wound I noticed on his face. We had two drinks that morning. I was in the Jasper House the night before until the bar closed."

Here followed a lengthy questioning by the defendant's counsel as to the position in which the body was lying at the time when he saw it at the shack.

"When Pepper left us to inform the police of the murder we agreed to meet at the Jasper. I guess it was my duty to have informed the police. I told the bartender of the murder."

To the Magistrate: "When Peacock got the key from Houde at the Queen's he asked Houde where he slept that night. He replied at the livery barn and Peacock said he slept at the Jasper. That was all that was said. I do not know Albert Jones at all. I had known Wood for two years. He was somewhat quarrelsome when drunk but a fine man when sober."

Last Night's Session.

The only witness examined in the Wood murder trial last night was John Pepper, the man who reported the finding of the body to the police on the morning of April 5th. Pepper was at times inclined to undue levity and was reprimanded by the magistrate. His evidence was as follows:—

"I am a carpenter and knew Wood. I also know Peacock and Parks. I saw Houde in the Queens th morning the body was found. He came in and sat down there, going out again shortly.

"Afterwards Peacock asked if we had seen George Wood and then we went down to the shack and found him lying dead. I hurried back and told the police. Afterwards I went to the Jasper hotel and was soon arrested there."

The previous night I slept with Parks over Looby's harness shop. I went to bed between ten and eleven o'clock. I don't know if the Jasper bar was closed when we went to bed."

To Mr. Robertson—"I was with Parks on the evening of April 4th. I was not very bady drunk that night."

The court then adjourned till this morning.

SHOOTING CHICKENS.

Charles Neamyer, of Minnesota, came before E. H. Malcolm, J.P., on complaint of the chief game warden and was convicted of killing prairie chickens contrary to the provisions of sub-section 5 of section 5 of the Game Act, which reads as follows:—

"No person shall hunt, trap, take, shoot at, wound or kill any bird of the family Gallinae, commonly known as grouse, partridge, pheasant, ptarmigan and prairie chicken before the 15th of September, 1908.

B squadron, C.M.R., will resume their weekly drills this, Saturday, evening.

HOUDE VERY UNCONCERNED

Does not Seem to Realize the Seriousness of Charge of Murdering Geo. Wood

The preliminary hearing of the murder charge against Victor Houde was resumed at 10.30 this morning. There was the same eager crowd of spectators and the same close interest as characterized the previous sittings of the court and the coroner's inquest.

Apparently the most unconcerned man in the court room is the prisoner himself. Sitting much of the time with his chair tilted back and his hands in his pockets, he appears to take but a casual interest in the charge which has been preferred against him.

After the introductory testimony of the police officers, the coroner and the physicion who conducted the autopsy, the Crown Prosecutor proceeded yesterday afternoon to account for the time of the accused on the night of the tragedy.

Between seven and eight o'clock he was seen by Thomas McGee at the Jasper House, and then occurred a break till ten o'clock, which has not yet been accounted for. About that hour he was found by H. C. Payzant at his house on Bellamy. This witness took him to a shack, which prisoner pointed out as his, and then left him. At 11.15, he was in the Senate hotel for a time, shortly after twelve at the Alberta hotel, where he remained till three, and then at a Fraser avenue livery barn, where he slept till seven in the morning. All the witnesses who saw him stated that he was more or less drunk during the night.

The greater part of this morning's session was taken up with testimony of old John Peacock. His evidence was much similar to what he gave at the coroner's inquest, but a new point was brought out when he stated that he had ascertained that Wood was dead on Thursday night, when he visited the shack before returning to the Jasper House. He could not even approximate the time he went to the shack, however, and on this, as on a number of other questions, was very evasive. At one time the magistrate threatened to commit him if he would not answer the prosecutor's questions more promptly. His testimony in the forenoon was not satisfactory to the magistrate, and he is being further questioned at the afternoon session.

There is great need of a stenographer at the hearing, and the presiding officer several times threatened to close the court till such was procured, as he was unable to take down the evidence at the rate it was being given.

The following are the facts ascertained at this morning's sittings.

Houde's Movements.

James A. Henry—"I am night clerk at the Alberta Hotel. I have seen the accused. I saw him at fifteen minutes after twelve on the morning of April 5th. He came into the office and sat down on a chair. He was tolerably drunk. He walked reasonably well. I told him he would have to go, but he said he was tired and I let him stay longer.

"At one o'clock I told him to go again, but just then a man who knew him came up, and said: 'Hello, Vic, how are you?' I allowed them to stay longer till half-past one, when they went out.

"I don't know the other man. He afterwards registered at the hotel as Chas. Marchand. He had come over from Strathcona in the 11.30 bus. At half-past two after a trip through the house, I found them both sitting down again in he office.

"Marchand then went to bed at the hotel and after showing him his room I returned downstairs about ten to three, and told Houde that he must go. He replied: 'All right, I am much obliged to you for allowing me to stay so long. I om sobered up some now.'

"He had an old slouch hat on. I noticed a little skin knocked off his left cheek. I didn't see him any more again till yesterday."

To the magistrate: "He seemed quiet and did not speak at all only when I spoke to him. I thought he was asleep and went to waken him. He replied that he did not want to sleep, that he was just tired. He kept his hat on all the time. I saw nothing out of the ordinary."

Prisoner Slept at Livery Barn.

George Smith—"I work at the livery stable of Taylor and Spinks. I know the accused and last saw him on the night he was in the Alberta. It was about three o'clock, or shortly after. He was lying down in the livery office on Fraser avenue. I was out when he came in. I looked at him, and he said: 'How do you do?' I then went out to the back, where I slept, and next saw him about half past six, when I woke him up. A few minutes later, when I returned he was gone. He was in the stable before, but never knew him to stop all night before this time."

To Mr. Robertson—"It is a common custom for men to stop all night at the livery stable. He appeared orderly and quiet."

John Peacock's Evidence.

John Peacock—"I am caretaker for the gas company, and have lived 27 years in the city. I knew George Woods intimately, and the accused, Victor Houde, casually for some time.

"I stayed about three weeks the latter part of March in the shack Wood occupied, owing to the cold weather.

Witness was unable to tell the streets on which the shack was, but described the inside of the room sufficiently to identify it. Continuing, he said—"I slept with Woods in the double bed near the door, and Houde slept in the other bed.

"I did the cooking, principally, with Houde, turn about. I left on Wednesday (this he afterwards changed to Thursday) of the week Wood was killed. On that day I got up between seven and eight. Houde cooked breakfast, and I had breakfast with him. Wood went out, and did not eat. He usually went out very early, and occasionally came back to breakfast.

"He went out that morning between six and seven o'clock. After Houde and I had breakfast I went out about eight o'clock. I had dinner and supper in one of the Chinese restaurants alone.

At this point the witness became somewhat troublesome to the crown prosecutor, and received a reprimand, and was threatened with committal from the magistrate.

Found Dead Body.

"The last day I was there was on Thursday. I went back to the shack in the evening. The door was closed but not locked. I don't know whether the sun was down. If it was dark it was down. George Wood was lying on the floor. I felt his left hand. It was cold. I left him as he lay.

"I did not look at anything around the shack, I was so shocked at finding he was a dead man.. I did not notice any blood stains. The lamp was not lighted. I came up town at once. I don't know whether I went at once to the Jasper, where I slept that night.

"In the morning I saw Pepper and Parks at the Jasper, and asked them to go down to the shack. I can't say what time it was. I took them down so they could acquaint the authorities. The body was in the same position as the night before.

Houde and Wood Quarrelled.

"When living at the house I supplied most of the food. Occasionally there was talk between Houde and Wood, but no row about food. The row was because Houde objected to Wood bringing whisky into the shack. I heard Houde tell Wood he had to cut out drinking and coming to the shack in a drunken condition.

"Wood gave no reason for going away without breakfast on Thursday morning. The only other time I saw Wood alive was before dinner, when he asked me at the Queen's hotel if Houde was at the shack.

"The next morning Houde came into the Queen's hotel, while I was there, and handed me the key of the shack. He said he had some difficulty with Wood, and then walked out. I asked him no questions, and he said nothing more. I have no idea whether Houde knew that Wood was dead. I swear I had no knowledge George Wood was dead when he handed me the key. The morning Houde gave me the key, was the morning of the night on which I went down and found Wood dead. It was the following morning we went down to the shack with Pepper and Parks."

"The morning Pepper, Parks and I went down to the shack I did not see Houde. I was not present in the shack when Wood was killed. Wood occasionally brought friends to the shack. Parks was the only one that I knew of."

At this juncture the court was adjourned till two o'clock, when Peacock's examination was continued.

YESTERDAY AFTERNOON'S EVIDENCE.

The preliminary hearing in the Wood murder case in which Victor Houde is charged, was resumed at 1.45 yesterday afternoon before Magistrate Wade.

The Post Mortem Examination.

Dr. Farquharson was the first witness called. He testified to having started post-mortem on the body of George Wood on April 5th and gave the detailed notes which he had previously read at the coroner's inquest.

Before he started Mr. Robertson protested against the witness to refresh his memory the notes which he had dictated to his assistant, Dr. Barrow at the post mortem and afterwards copied himself.

The magistrate ruled that he should give his evidence without using his notes and requested him to place the notes on the desk.

Quite a heated argument took place between counsel, Mr. Cogswell, stating that he was conducting the crown case and did not propose to be dictated to by the counsel for the defence.

The witness stated that he could not give the post mortem in detail without notes and the difficulty was finally solved by taking the original notes which the witness read to the Court.

Skull Produced.

During the progress of the evidence the skull of the murdered man was produced and the nature of the wound demonstrated by the witness.

At the conclusion of the direct examination Mr. Robertson cross-examined at some length on technical questions in connection with the autopsy.

To the Magistrate—I found only evidence of one blow having been struck. It was apparently struck from behind, but more than that I cannot say. Any blunt instrument would cause the fracture that I saw. I cannot give the relative position of Wood and the man who struck the blow.

New Witness Heard From.

Thomas McGee was next called. He was the first witness who had not previously given evidence at the coroner's inquest.

"I have been working at Stoney Plain," he said, "and The Bulletin office as fireman. I saw George Wood last the night before he was killed. I saw him at the Jasper House sitting-room between six and eight o'clock. He asked me to go up and stay with him all night but I did not go.

"I stayed at the Jasper House and have been staying there since. I have been engineer at The Bulletin and at the iron works. I have never seen Wood since that night.

"I first heard of the murder next day. I can't say what day of the week it was.

To Mr. Robertson—"I was a friend of George Wood. We used to have good times together."

Houde's Movements.

Herbert C. Payzant, next called, was another new witness—"I live at 53 Bellamy, and am an engineer. I know the prisoner Houde. I saw him the evening of the murder a few minutes before ten o'clock. He was standing against the door frame of the house in which I was living.

"I asked him what he was doing and he replied, 'I don't know, I guess I am pretty drunk.' I then asked him how long he was there and he replied, 'I don't know. I have fallen in the coal bin.'

"I told him to come inside and fill his pipe and I would take him home. He came in and filled his pipe. I asked him where he lived and he said across the street—pointing towards a livery barn on the north side of Bellamy. We went there and he decided he didn't live there so we returned.

"I then asked him if he didn't live behind Stennett's—referring to three shacks there. He said he did. We then went through the alley and in front of the shacks. (Witness at this stage by diagram illustrated the location of the streets and lanes, etc., in the vicinity.) One of these he said was his and started for it. There was a light in this shack. (This was not Houde's shack.) I pointed to another (the shack in which the body was found) down the street and asked him if it was not his. He replied 'I used to live there but don't now.' He then left me and went towards the shack. This was the last I saw of the prisoner."

At Senate Hotel.

George Bowness also appeared for the first time in connection with the murder. He said—"I am clerk at the Senate hotel. I know the prisoner. I saw him the night of the murder at the Senate hotel about a quarter after eleven. When locked up at twelve I asked him to go out and he went. He was slightly intoxicated but was able to talk and walk straight. He wore a black felt hat pulled down over his eyes. I did not see any marks on his face."

To Mr. Robertson—"If he had much blood on his face I would have seen it."

To Mr. Cogswell—"The blood might have been concealed by the hat."

This was the last witness. At half past four the court adjourned till Thursday at 10.30.

The Busy West

REGINA.

The site of the old Windsor hotel, which was destroyed by fire last fall, has been sold for $60,000.

C. W. Hurlburt has severed connection with the firm of McDermott and Hurlburt and the company will now be known as McPherson, McDermott & Co.

The fence round Victoria Park is to be sold and that park as well as Wascana Park are to be prepared for tree planting.

The Regina Chinese Mission has started a subscription list for the relief of the famine sufferers in China, and up to yesterday $215.10 had been subscribed.

H. T. McPhillips, who founded the Moose Jaw News about the same time as the late N. F. Davin launched the Leader, is a visitor here this week after an absence of eighteen years.

The spring floods are on in good shape and all ordinary field streams today are running torrents of water. Farmers who have come in from the surrounding country report bridges below the water and crossing streams is dangerous work just at present.

Charles Wright has been appointed by the city council as caretaker of the exhibition grounds and buildings, including the track, main buildings, grand stand, amphitheatre, stables, etc., without salary, he to have the gatehouse on the north side of the gateway as a residence and to enjoy the privilege of stabling accommodation for eight horses. Rules and a schedule of fees have been drawn up whereby horsemen, stockmen and others may enjoy the use of the race track and stabling.

STETTLER.

There is a splendid opening here for a steam laundry.

The school board will spend $3000 in fencing and other improvements, including teachers' salaries.

Young & Seelye have purchased the lot next McBrine's general store and will erect a cigar store and pool room.

Rev. L. Kendall will preach his farewell sermon in the English church on Sunday. He is returning to England to reside.

The four townships governing the roads in the neighborhood of Stettler and Red Willow have ordered an elevating grader to cost $1,500.

Under the provisions of the Canon of Parochial Organization, the Church of England in Stettler has been erected into a parish by the Bishop of Calgary and will in future be known as St. George's Stettler.

The ammunition and guns for the Stettler Rifle Association have been shipped from Winnipeg. The site for the range will be chosen at once.

Business men in Stettler are elated over the announcement that the C.P.R. contemplate putting in a siding from Stettler in a north-easterly direction to rich coal lands situated on the farm of L. L. Darling which they recently purchased from that gentleman.

LACOMBE.

The police committee have appointed C. Webster constable for Lacombe.

The C.P.R. is raising the station building and platform about a foot and a half.

Miss Cooper, teacher of music, is locating in Lacombe, and will receive pupils for instruction on piano forte.

The health bylaw passed the council on Friday evening. It is a lengthy document and contains forty-two clauses.

Lacombe real estate men will go to law before they will pay the $50 tax the council purposes to impose on them this year.

A bylaw to provide for the encouragement of the planting of trees within the limits of the town of Lacombe was passed at the last meeting of the council.

MEDICINE HAT.

Fire drill has been inaugurated in all the city schools.

Coal miners from striking districts are in town seeking work.

Farm lands are selling well now, and a few days of warm weather will bring the farmers in much larger numbers.

It is a possibility that a foundry will be established in the city. The council is to be approached with a proposition.

The C. P. R. is feeding at the station a large number of Italian workmen on the way from Montreal west. The diet is cheese and bread.

It is reported upon good authority that the C. P. R. is negotiating with Mr. Lindmark, of the Revelstoke Lumber company to control the output of the Crockford coal mine.

The council will erect a band stand at a central point in the city for the band concerts, and will also put in three public watering troughs for horses.

MOOSE JAW.

$485 was paid for the team of horses purchased for fire brigade purposes.

The band is asking the city council for $250 to purchase new uniforms.

The Y.M.C.A. directors have secured a large tent in which the work of theorganization will be carried on until a building can be secured.

A petition asking that a bylaw to borrow $125,000 for sewer and water extensions, signed by 585 ratepayers has been presented to the council and will be considered at the next meeting.

The city council has ordered an up-to-date garbage wagon to cost $420. This committee recommended the rigid enforcement of the health bylaw this year; and all ratepayers having water and sewer connections have closets moved off the premises by May 15th; that a charge of $4.00 per closet be made on all householders for cost of scavenging for year 1907.

CALGARY.

The first meeting of the Western Irrigation company will be held in Calgary on June 17th.

Mayor Cameron took charge of the proceedings in the police court yesterday morning, and settled the two cases before him in a hurry.

Yesterday morning a detached car jumped the rails near the freight sheds and smashed into the oil house and did damage to the extent of nearly $300.

J. H. Woods, editor and managing director of the Herald, arrived from Toronto on yesterday afternoon's train.

The Wednesday half-holiday for the retail store employees, will go into effect in June.

R. W. Fox, sanitary inspector, has decided to retain his position in view of the increase in salary voted him and relief from work outside of his department.

Andrew Carnegie has not yet replied to Calgary Board of Trade's request for a grant for a public library.

The council has voted $1,500 to assist the Board of Trade's publicity campaign this year.

J. S. Dennis, of the C. P. R. offices, has announced that the company will irrigate 10,000 acres at Gleichen this season.

REGINA.

The automobile season commenced yesterday, when the first cars were taken out on the streets.

The Masonic Temple building is now well under way, and the walls of the first story are fast going up.

The final survey of the Grand Trunk Pacific air line from Regina to Brandon was completed yesterday.

G. W. Grant-Wright has left the employ of the Provincial Department of Agriculture, to engage in farming near Francis.

Messrs. Storey and Van Egmond are preparing plans for a $30,000 school at North Battleford and a $12,000 school at Heward.

D. C. Rea, manager of the Royal Bank of Canada in Winnipeg, Man., has been here for the past few days arranging for the opening of the Regina branch.

The H. H. Campkin Co., Ltd., of Indian Head one of the oldest and best established real-estate and financial firms in Western Canada, are opening a branch in this city.

One of the largest flocks of sheep ever seen in this district was to be seen yesterday at Armour's abattoir, where a shipment of 600 sheep were placed in the herd law.

Notice is given in the current issue of the Gazette of the establishment of eighteen new school districts and four new village school districts.

Const Sambrook, R. N-W. M. P., has gone to Indian Head to take charge there in the place of Const Stewart, who has been recalled to depot division.

By proclamation in the recent issue of the Saskatchewan Gazette some 15 townships are withdrawn from the ranching country and received from Maple Creek.

The C.P.R. through their solicitor, H.A. Robson, has made application to have the convictions against them for offences under the Prairie Fires Ordinance set aside, as it contends that the Railway Commission has the power to make these laws, and not the province.

LETHBRIDGE.

The increase of wheat acreage in this district will be close to fifty per cent.

Another undertaker is to establish here. He is H. Banks of Latchford, N. D.

The automobile livery is to be opened shortly. A stock company will provide the capital.

The C. P. R. changes in the south will transfer 150 people from Macleod to Lethbridge.

G. F. Russell has just returned to Lethbridge with six exceptionally good Clydesdale fillies.

H. T. Cherry has purchased a 40-horse power Rambler automobile, which is about the largest and highest-powered car in the province.

About 50 feet was the depth accomplished by the gas boring outfit yesterday, about the best of any day yet.

J. S. Wellington, a contractor of Kenmore, N. D., arrived in Lethbridge, yesterday to open business here.

The Lethbridge Brewing & Malting Co. has installed a 40-ton refrigerator plant and has started its two new 50-horse power engines.

Several new members were received into Wesley Church on Sunday evening. The number received during the last few weeks is now about eighty.

Mayor Galbraith is proclaiming, May 9th a civic holiday for the purpose of celebrating the first anniversary of the granting to Lethbridge of its charter as a city.

E. E. Reynolds, superintendent of the Diamond coal mine at Diamond City, states that work on the water tower, which will have 44,000 gallons capacity, was begun last wee.k

The I. O. O. F. at their last session appointed a committee to arrange in regard to the building of a block upon their lots on the corner of Round and Dufferin streets, to be used for stores and lodge rooms.

Hugh Scott water-master, is digging holes for the young trees which are shortly to be planted out on Redpath street. Of the 1,700 trees still in the nursery, about 1,000 will be set out this season. Some 275 by private parties.

MOOSE JAW.

F. W. Green has been re-appointed secretary of the Agricultural Society at a salary of $50 a year.

The 1907 assessment will be considerably higher than last year. The rate will likely be struck at 13 mills.

It is reported on very good authority that the Roman Catholic residents of this city will make application to have a Separate School established here after the close of the summer holidays.

The building and site of the Methodist Church at the corner of High and Tenth streets has been purchased by the city Roman Catholics for $14,000. It will be reconstructed and fitted up for a Roman Catholic cathedral.

The skating rink has been sold to a stock company and will be floored and fitted up for a roller rink.

D. T. Main, of the C.P.R. mechanical department here, has been promoted and given full charge of the terminal plant at Minnedosa, to which place he was transferred some days ago.

FERNIE.

The public schools are closed on account of the prevalence of a mild form of measles in the city.

Contractor McCallum has started operations on the new federal building, and has teams at work excavating.

The C. P. R. company are refusing all deal freight and have taken off all trains excepting the passengers and the local.

Thirty-five railway trainmen went west to Cranbrook on Monday morning, as there is no work for them since all freights have been stopped.

P. Burns & Co., owing to the weather conditions, will this week begin to slaughter cattle, sheep and hogs at the firm's abattoir in this city. Stock for this purpose is now en route from Calgary.

WETASKIWIN.

P. Burns & Co. are paying 6 3-4 cents for hogs.

Schroeder Bros. have purchased the Strome hotel.

An orchestra has been organized in connection with the Salvation Army band.

The C. P. R. will not built a new station this year. The old building is being extensively repaired.

A Socialist league has been formed with a dozen charter members. It meets weekly.

AMATEUR ELOCUTION CONTEST.

Edmonton council Royal Templars of Temperance intend holding a series of silver medal elocution contests. The first will take place in the near future. Any person is eligible to compete who is an amateur elocutionist.

The books containing over 50 selections are supplied by the Templars. No entrance fee is charged. Any person wishing to compete will make application to Mr. F. Ackerman at Nankin's jewelry store, 104 Jasper avenue.

BIG LEAGUE BASEBALL.

National.

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At Boston: R. H. E.
New York .. ..000000001— 1 6 1
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At Brooklyn: R. H. E.
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At St. Louis: R. H. E.
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Batteries: Druhocke, McGynne and Chalk; Willis and Gibson. Umpire: O'Dea.

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Batteries: Smith, Graham, Warner and Hayden; Plant, Biggert and Schreck. Umpire: Evans.

At Detroit: R. H. E.
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Batteries: Killean and Schmidt; Rhodes and Clark. Umpire: O'Loughlin.

At New York: R. H. E.
Boston .. .. ..21010120 0— 7 11 5
New York .. ..01012310 0— 8 11 7
Batteries: Winter, Harris Armbruster; Hughes, Keefe and Thomas. Umpires: Conolly and Hurst.

Exhibition Games.

Albany, N.Y., April 22.—Montreal (Eastern) defeated Albany here this afternoon, mainly through Williams' wildness in the opening inning. The score:

R. H. E.
Albany .. .. ..000000001— 1 2 1
Montreal .. ..300001000— 4 6 3
Batteries: Williams and Mulvey and Galaski and Booth; Stanley and Kittridge.

BIG DEAL IN BATTLEFORD

Realty—C.N.R. Disposes of 1,000 Acres of Townsite.

North Battleford, April 26.—By far the biggest real estate deal ever known in this part of the country was announced to-day. The C.N.R. has sold the entire eastern and southern additions to the townsite to J. A. Foley and Sam Ferrie for one hundred thousand dollars. There are about 1,000 lots in the territory affected lying adjacent to the business section of the town. They will be marketed at once.

THE MASSACRE AT FROG LAKE

Recalled by Eye-Witness.

W. B. Cameron, editor of the Vermilion, Alta., Signal, in a recent issue of that paper, publishes an historic account of the Frog Lake Massacre of the 1885 rebellion. Mr. Cameron, who was the Hudson Bay's official at Frog Lake was the only white man who escaped death. The story is best told in Mr. Cameron's own words as follows:

"Just twenty-two years ago on Tuesday last there occurred a few miles north of Vermilion one of the most tragic events in recent Canadian history. In the early hours of the morning of that day, the Indians of Big Bear's band of Plain Crees rose and treacherously murdered the entire population of the Frog Lake settlement, with the exception of two white women and one white man. Frog Lake is a beautiful body of water just across the Saskatchewan River immediately north of Vermilion. In 1878 when the Government of Canada through its commissioners was treating with the Indians for the extinguishment of their title in the lands of the North-West Big Bear was one of the few chiefs who refused to accept the terms which were offered. His independent stand attracted to him the malcontents and turbulent characters of other bands and he soon found himself at the head of one of the most select groups of red scoundrels that could be collected between the Red River and the Rocky Mountains. In 1883 Big Bear accepted the treaty at Fort Walsh, south of Maple Creek on the C.P.R., and came north to the Saskatchewan with his following. During the winter of 1884-5 the old chief and his crowd of cutthroats were encamped at Frog Lake, having on one pretext or another failed up to that time to take a reservation. On March 26th, at Duck Lake, 200 miles away, the signal was given which lighted the fires of rebellion among the tribes all the way from Prince Albert to Edmonton. This was the shot which started the fight on that day between the half breeds under Louis Riel and the North-West Mounted Police and Prince Albert Volunteers under Major Crozier. On April 2 the Indians of Big Bear's band gave their answer to the signal in the Frog Lake massacre.

"Before daylight on the morning of that day they had entered the houses and buildings in Frog Lake, possessed themselves of all the wapons belonging to the occupants and taken prisoner every white man in the place Before 11 o'clock they had shot all these men down in cold blood with the exception of one who was in the service of the Hudson Bay Co. at that point, and for that reason escaped. The wives of two of the murdered men were also made prisoners. On May 28, just two months later, General Strange arrived on the scene with Col. Steele, since to become known throughout the empire as the gallant commandant of Strathcona's Horse, and Big Bear and his following were routed. On November 29 in the same year, six of the murderers swung from a gallows in the R.N.W. M.P. barracks square at Battleford. Big Bear went to Stony Mountain, Manitoba, for two years. Shortly after his release in 1887 he died at Battleford. His youngest son, long grown up, now lives on one of the reserves in that vicinity. Another son, Imasees, the real instigator of the Frog Lake massacre, now popularly known as Little Bear, roams about Montana with a remnant of the old following of his father. Nayokeesikopeniss. Four Sky Thunder is the only red man prominent in the tragic affair who still makes the Saskatchewan his home. He served several years in the Manitoba penitentiary and now lives on a reserve near Battleford. He was a prominent councillor of Big Bear. Wandering Spirit, the war chief of the band and the man who began the massacre by shooting the Indian agent, Tom Quinn was one of the number who died on the scaffold. Of the two women who were prisoners, one, Mrs. Gowanlock, died a few years ago at her father's home, near St. Catharines, Ont. The other Mrs. Delaney, still lives near Ottawa. The white man who escaped is the publisher of this paper.

"Times have indeed changed since those stirring days of 1885. In 1907 the white man is numerically so strong and the red man so weak in the west that the idea of the latter being a menace would seem ridiculous but it will no doubt interest some of the newer residents of the country to learn that within so short a time so marked a transition could take place."

English Rifle Team Coming.

Ottawa, April 26.—It is definitely settled that the English rifle team will visit Canada this summer. They will contest for the Palma trophy and then go by the Canadian route to Australia. It is hoped that matches will be arranged in Manitoba and British Columbia.

EXTENSION OF YALE.

Messrs. Cannell & Spencer began work this morning on the extension of the Yale. Mr. Davey, the manager of the Yale, has planned to make this hostelry one of the best in the city.

The plans call for an extension of 50 feet to the rear of the present building. The ground floor will be occupied on one side by a large billiard room and the other by kitchen and rooms for help. The second floor will contain 21 new rooms, which will make a total of 53 rooms, being the fifth in the number of rooms in the city.

The work will be finished in six weeks.

THE WEATHER.

A few light snowfalls occurred today in Southern Alberta and Saskatchewan, but generally the weather has been fair and phenomenally cold.

Forecast: Western provinces, fair and cold.

The Temperatures.

Edmonton, 26, fair; Port Arthur, 32, cloudy; Winnipeg, 24, clear; Minnedosa, 22, cloudy; Qu' Appelle, 18, coudy; Swift Current, 16, fair; Battleford, 22, fair, Prince Albert, 18, fair; Medicine Hat, 28, cloudy; Calgary, 20, cloudy; Dawson, 24-58; Atlin, 20-52; Port Simpson, 34-56; Victoria, 40-62; Vancouver, 36-62; Barkerville, 18-28.