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PRICE FIVE CENTS

POLICE MAKE TWO ARRESTS!

OBJECTIONABLE PHOTOGRAPH FORMS SUBJECT OF COURT INQUIRY

Consable Now Searching For the Principal Malfactor in This Most Disreputable Infraction of the Law

Up to last evening the local police were working on an obscene picture case, and up to last night had made two arrests, with a third one minutely inspected.

It would seem Inspector of License, W. R. Geldert, was the prime mover in the case.

A few days ago the picture came into the hands of Mr. Geldert.

He then got busy and investigated, and swore out warrants for the arrest of a man named Melanson and a Mrs Ettinger, the negative of the picture, and Fielding McKenzie, the photographer.

Melanson, who belongs to Weymouth, Digby County, was arrested in Truro Thursday evening, while McKenzie was arrested at Burton Station, on the Midland yesterday morning, by Officer Cribb, who was accompanied by Inspector Geldert.

After arresting McKenzie officer Cribb handed him over to Inspector Geldert, who brought him to Truro and locked him up. He proceeded to Kennetcook in search of the woman, whose husband, it is said, is living at working in the lumber woods near there.

The picture was taken in a house occupied by Henry Brown, in the northwest part of Truro.

Mrs. Brown admitted to Mr. Geldert that the picture was taken in their house.

It is said both the woman and Melanson were intoxicated when the picture was taken.

McKenzie is but 21 years of age and a sort of easy going chap.

He belongs to Halifax County. He felt badly when arrested, as did Melanson, who is also young.

Much sympathy is expressed for McKenzie.

The woman is said to be an old stager and to have been mixed up in the coat stealing case recently tried in Truro, when two young men were sentenced to Dorchester for terms.

Several copies of the picture were made and distributed about town.

Officers Waller and McAuliffe also interested themselves in the case.

All concerned are desiring of praise for their promptness in the matter.

Obscene literature and pictures are a serious moral crime, one that is punishable by from two to five years in the penitentiary.

Train Delayed

Owing to the breaking of a journal the Midland express due here at 7.30 Tuesday night, did not arrive until 5.30 Wednesday morning.

Hon. B. F. Pearson

Hon. B. F. Pearson arrived in town last evening and will remain three or four days. He is the guest of sisters-in-law, Mrs. McLellan and Miss Reading.

Small Pay

Causes Loss

WINDSOR MILL CLOSED

Short End Wages Causes Death of Help.

WINDSOR, April 14.—Mr. Bishop, manager of the Dominion Textile's cotton mill here, received orders yesterday to close down the mill at this place. The reason assigned is shortage of help, it being impossible to obtain sufficient labor to operate the mill on a paying basis. The loss financially to Windsor will be greatly deplored by the merchants and business men generally. The payroll amounts to \$2,500 fortnightly.

Shortage of help. Why, certainly; but the shortage of help came through a short-end wage.

The wage-slaves are learning the lessons of freedom. The cotton operators, and all others of that ilk, want the low wage and the big dividend.

New Business

Mr. L. W. Johnson has resigned from the I. R. C. mechanical department and has opened up a plumbing business in the Currie building, Prince street.

Say, if all one hears is true it will be just as well to submit that beer question to the Hague. That is what they do when the powers cannot agree.

By the way, it is now beginning to look as though Truro would have a black and white band of music this year.

Marshall Archibald and men have been making some repairs to Senator McKay's building, Inglis street.

The detectives were on the wrong scent when they trailed the handcart with the tea and other groceries in it.

Alderman Hubley, Halifax, has the courage of his convictions.

They say it is cold over east, much more so than here.

The paving on Prince street is in prime condition.

A Candidate Ready and Willing!

C. W. Lunn takes this opportunity of announcing to the electors of Colchester that he will be an independent candidate for a seat in the Nova Scotia House of Assembly for the said county in the forthcoming Provincial elections.

His position and policy will be defined in the next issue of LUNN'S WEEKLY.

It can be taken for granted that he will stand for the best interests of the masses of the people, particularly the working classes, which class he has spent a lifetime in supporting.

The next issue of LUNN'S WEEKLY will fully define his position in respect to policy.

Militia Training Camp Dates

The Aldershot Camp Will Assemble in Two Sections, in August and in Sept.

OTTAWA, April 14.—The militia orders issued to-day announce the dates of the various militia training camps this summer. The Aldershot camp will assemble in two sections, of August and September 12th, as follows:—

CAVALRY:—14th Hussars, August 29. Corps of guides detachments, November 8, 9, 12; September 12.

INFANTRY:—Royal Canadian regiment, one company, August 29, and September 17.

8th regiment, August 29. 9th regiment, August 29. 10th regiment, September 12.

11th regiment, September 12. 12th regiment, September 12. 13th regiment, August 29.

14th regiment, August 29. Signalling corps. M. D., No. 9, August 29.

SERVICES AND DEPARTMENTS:—Canadian Army Service corps, No. 1 company, August 29.

Permanent Army Medical corps detachment, August 29. No. 2 general hospital, Sept 12.

Canadian Ordnance corps detachment, August 29 and Sept 12. Canadian Army Pay corps detachment, August 29 and Sept 12.

Glad to See Hance.

Many friends were glad to greet the genial Mr. H. J. Logan, of Amherst, in Truro Thursday, and to learn that his health is improving. We had expected the popular Hance would be Senator Logan ere this. The government could make no more popular appointment.

Some person suggests that the relic of the overhead bridge on the Esplanade be used as a band stand.

It is said Inglis street may have been a new business stand in the near future.

F. L. Sullivan, Manager of the Inverness News was in Truro, last evening, enroute to spend Easter at his home in Halifax.

Mr. Frank Wilson has asked Mr. W. K. Murray to estimate on repairing the Murray coal sheds on Forrester Street.

Lunn's Weekly wishes the I. C. R., the best of chances for future success.

Now, honest Injun, who did take that picture.

COALWORKERS MAKE THREAT

WON'T WITHDRAW FROM NOVA SCOTIA UNTIL FINAL STRUGGLE IS MADE

President White of U M W Intends to Follow Policy of His Predecessors in Office.

A gentleman in a position to know what he is talking about, who arrived in town last night from one of the loading coal mining districts, informed a representative of this paper that the miners of Nova Scotia are planning, in fact preparing for a general strike and that it will be called in the very near future under the auspices of the United Mine Workers of America.

He said that the members of the organization are bound no matter what the financial cost to compel the operators of Nova Scotia to recognize the union.

He declared that \$100,000 was sent out of Canada to defeat President Lewis, but that his defeat did not spell defeat for the members of the union in Nova Scotia, for his successor, President White, was just as ardent supporter of the cause of the Nova Scotia miners as Lewis was.

It will be a fight to a finish, and a bitter one.

In conclusion he said the cause of International unionism is growing throughout the mining districts of Nova Scotia.

Very Busy.

The Maritime Engineering and Machine Company, Truro, are very busy these days.

The boiler shop is overtaxed with work, while the machine shop is busy.

Fishing Notes

Getting the fever?

Liquid bait is said to be good for fishing through the ice.

Anybody catch a trout on good Friday? Now don't all lie at once.

Too Much of a Good Thing

Bill—"Say, Bob got the provisions for the fishing trip?"

BOB—"Yes."

BILL—"How much?"

BOB—"Six bottles of whiskey and two loaves of bread."

BILL—"Tutt man, you've got too much bread."

County Council

The April session of the County Council will convene next Tuesday.

Dry Town.

They say Truro is a dry town.

Squibs of News

Buffet Service on I. C. R. Through Trains.

The announcement is made that the Intercolonial Railway will extend the buffet service to several of its through trains that do not carry dining cars.

Personal

Many friends regret the serious illness from pneumonia of Mr. Scott Henry, the genial chief engineer of the Truro Fire Department.

Mr. C. E. Gregory, Antigonish, was in Truro Wednesday for a short time.

Prof. Morley D. Hemeon, of Boston, a former teacher in the Truro Academy, is in town.

Mayor Stuart and Mr. G. E. M. Lewis are expected home from Brownville, Maine, tonight.

The Oil wells

Mr. Stover, manager of the Eastern Oil and Gas Company, Lake Ainslie, C. B., passed through Truro last evening to Halifax, to attend a meeting of the Company.

Mr. F. G. Wheaton, C. E., Moncton, President of the Company, passed through on No. 34.

Hospital Movement

Papers are in circulation among the industrial and commercial houses asking the employees to pledge one day's pay a year toward the support of a public hospital.

A Merger

It is announced that the peg and ribbon wood works of Lewis Bros. at Brownville, Maine, and Lewisville, Halifax county, will merge with one or two American firms.

Death Mr. Davison.

Mr. Davison, the well known nurse, died at his home, West Prince street, Wednesday. The funeral took place yesterday.

You Takes Your Choice.

If you do not wish to pay 5 cents a copy for this paper you may have it for \$1.00 in advance.

Just a Rumor

It is rumored that a prominent Truro hotel is about to pass into new hands.

Easter Music

There will be the usual Easter music in the churches tomorrow.