



The Evening Times

Weather forecast: Strong winds and moderate gales, southeasterly, gradually shifting to easterly; rain tonight.

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ON TIP TOES AN HOUR IN A CISTERN

Woman's Call for Help Long Time Unheard—Fell in Head First—Dynamite Found

Brandon, Ont., Sept. 1.—(Special)—Mrs. Lewis, wife of the firekeeper at the Massey Harris works, fell into a cistern yesterday. The water was five feet deep and Mrs. Lewis went in head first. Quickly recovering herself, however, she was able to stand on tip toes, to keep her chin above the water level. She remained in this position more than an hour before her call for help was heard. Toronto, Ont., Sept. 1.—(Special)—A man drove up to North Toronto last evening and left a box hidden as he thought, in the bushes, a young man saw the act, however, and notified the police, who on examining it, found the box contained dynamite. The police are looking for the man.

WEDDINGS AT FREDERICTON

Two September Brides—Normal School Has Record Attendance

Fredericton, N. B., Sept. 1.—(Special)—The residence of Prof. and Mrs. A. H. Woodbridge was the scene of a pretty wedding this afternoon when their youngest daughter, Alberta Florence, became the wife of William H. Clark, a prominent merchant of Amherst, (Mass.) Rev. Canon Cowie performed the ceremony in the presence of a number of guests. The bride wore lace-trimmed ivory satin. She was attended by the bridesmaids, Misses M. E. and Miss Ethel May Ross, daughter of Building Inspector G. W. Ross were celebrated at the bride's home this morning in the presence of relatives and friends. Rev. Dr. Smith was the officiating clergyman. The happy couple left by train for their home in Nova Scotia.

The Provincial Normal School reopened this morning with a record breaking attendance. There are 200 students including those in the French department and more are expected. A. McFarlane, who succeeded Dr. Coe as superintendent in English, entered upon his duties.

Surgeon Lieut. Col. Bridges of the R. C. R. will leave this evening for Ghaz Bay where he will relieve Surgeon Joyce as a medical officer with the troops on duty there.

W. G. Vaughan of Springford has built a motor boat for service on the river between this city and Pokok. It was launched yesterday and brought to this city to be inspected before going on the route. It is thirty feet long and ten feet in beam. It will be propelled by a gasoline motor of 25 horsepower.

D. J. Gars of this city has been awarded a contract for supplying steel railing for the Fredericton approach of the highway bridge.

GOVERNMENT MEETING TODAY

Chief Superintendent and Principal Arranging for Military Training in Normal School

Fredericton, N. B., Sept. 1.—(Special)—The local government held a short session this morning, but so little business transacted. There was very little on the schedule and it is likely that the members will go to St. John either this evening or tomorrow morning.

Chief Supt. Carter and Principal Bridges are arranging with Major Finlay of the Royal Regiment to supply instructors for military training at the Normal school. It is likely that the male students will be formed into cadet companies.

GORMAN ALIVE THIS AFTERNOON

In a telephone message to the Times today, Dr. Coffin, who is attending the young Irishman, James Gorman, who was shot by the Italian, Samuel Cole, now a prisoner in Andover jail, states that his patient remains about the same. Peritonitis has set in quite seriously. It will be two days or perhaps longer before it can be definitely told whether Gorman will live or not, but at present his recovery is regarded as very doubtful.

ONTARIO STILL FREE FROM THE SPRUCE WOOD PEST

Toronto, Sept. 1.—(Special)—The provincial government has made a careful investigation and finds that the spruce wood pest has not yet touched any of Ontario's timber. Steps are being taken to prevent the pest coming in from Michigan and other states.

STRIKERS MUST GO BACK TO WORK OR LOSE HOMES

Stockholm, Sept. 1.—A number of the men on strike in Stockholm have received notice to leave their homes on October 1 unless they return to work in the mean-

JUDGE RITCHE GIVES CONSTABLES LECTURE

Methods Spoken of and Instances Brought to Attention—Something More Next Time if Conditions Do Not Improve

After the city constables had presented their reports and were on the point of leaving the police court on their daily routes today, they were summoned back by Judge Ritchie, who delivered quite a lengthy lecture on their methods. His honor spoke about complaints which had reached his ears that a certain constable, though perhaps it might be true, had in the absence of a man on whom he was to serve papers, served them on his wife in the street. They were altogether too zealous and eager in the pursuit of their work. Only a short time ago a case had come before him in which a colored man had been summoned to appear and did appear only because on the wrong day and, after being present in the court room all morning, was told that he must come on Thursday. In other cases people would complain that a constable would be impudent and would very strongly question their veracity.

"You must not serve a man's wife, daughter or servant," said the magistrate, "but try to govern yourself according to what the law requires of you. You can go now, but keep in mind what I have said, and if I hear any more complaints there will be more than this little talk done in the matter."

HUNDRED DOLLARS OR SIX MONTHS IN JAIL

Moncton Man Has The Choice—Supreme Court Cases—Play-off in Baseball League Series

Moncton, N. B., Sept. 1.—(Special)—Henry Cormier must pay \$100 or serve six months in county jail. Before magistrate Stevens this morning he was fined fifty dollars for keeping intoxicating liquors, and was given a similar fine for selling liquor. A meeting of the Sackville financial district of the Methodist church is being held at Point Du Bute today. Many from Moncton and vicinity are in attendance. There will be two Moncton cases to come before the supreme court at Dorchester on September 7. Lloyd Latham is charged with resisting arrest by the Moncton police, and the two Leblanc brothers charged with stealing forty dollars from a house on the Palms road. Ben Leblanc, who escaped a week ago, has not appeared yet, and chances are he will not be at the trial.

The play-off in the league series will be at 5 o'clock this afternoon, when the C. C. and C. A. will play. James McAllister is expected here from St. John to handle the indicator. A good game is expected.

The new provincial Bank of Canada started in Moncton this morning in temporary quarters, where they will remain until completion of the new building. Moncton is to be the head quarters in the maritime provinces.

Miss Edith Lockhart, who has been spending her vacation with her sister, Mrs. Gorbell, Botsford street, left yesterday on her return to Philadelphia. She is accompanied as far as Providence, R. I., by her mother, who will visit relatives there.

R. W. Moore, formerly connected with the I. C. R. advertising department, but now employed with the Canada Car Company, Montreal, is on a visit to his parents here. Mr. Moore is private secretary to Samuel King, formerly of the I. C. R. and Mr. and Mrs. George Anderson, who have been residing in Campbellton, expect to remove to Moncton.

Geo. Trites, of Latta Mountain, fell from a load of hay yesterday afternoon and broke his forearm, and also sustained a painful injury to his leg.

About fifty copies of Free Speech, which had been left in the ladies' waiting room at the I. C. R. depot, were taken away by Chief Detective Stimpney, of the I. C. R., Monday night. The papers were taken to the police station and handed over to Chief Bisset.

J. T. Boyd, for the past two or three years travelling in the Maritime Provinces for the E. F. and M. Co., of Moncton, has been transferred to the western branch of the business.

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THREE QUARTERS OF SPRING WHEAT BEYOND DAMAGED

Winnipeg, Sept. 1.—(Special)—Monday night was the coldest of the season here, the mercury dropping to 34. No frost is reported from any prairie point, however, except Rison, Man., where four degrees below zero was recorded. Quite 75 per cent. of the spring wheat is now beyond damage from anything but very heavy frosts. Much of the oat crop is late, however, and may suffer.

WASHINGTON'S STAR PITCHER MAY BE PERMANENTLY DISABLED

Washington, Sept. 1.—Walter Johnson, Washington's premier pitcher and one of the star twirlers of the American League, may never pitch another major league game. Because of an injury to his shoulder, Johnson was forced to leave the team at Chicago and return to this city for rest and treatment. He hurt his arm during a recent game in Cleveland. He says that his condition is such that he cannot play another game this season.

CALIFORNIA WANTS AEROPLANE MEET

Los Angeles, Sept. 1.—Through the Aero Club of California, a committee of Los Angeles business men have notified the Aero Club of America that southern California will make a bid for the proposed international aeroplane competition next year.

INCREASE PRICE OF PRINT PAPER?

Appleton, Wis., Sept. 1.—Forty paper manufacturers, representing practically every company in Wisconsin, Michigan, and Minnesota, gave a banquet here last night in honor of G. Frank Steele, of Port Edwards, special representative of the paper interests in Washington, during the tariff bill fight.

It is said they discussed an increase in the price of print paper in the near future. One manufacturer admitted that print paper would stiffen soon, but would not say that uniform action would be taken.

MASTERS AIR BUT KILLED BY A TRAIN

Louis Reynaud, Airship Inventor, Had Just Completed Improved Aeroplane—His Family Will Test It

New Orleans, La., Sept. 1.—Louis Reynaud, the inventor of an airship which was to have been his trial flight on Sunday, was killed last night when the carriage in which he was returning home from a day's work on the aeroplane, was struck by a New Orleans and Great North passenger train at Gentilly road and Brussels street here.

His invention had been kept a secret until a short time ago. Since then it had been the object of much interest and great things were expected of it. The machine is one of the biplane order, differing from the Wright Brothers' aeroplane only in that it has a long tail, which, it is claimed, would make it more steady. It was to have carried two more passengers.

Eugene Reynaud, a brother of the dead inventor, said that he and other members of the family probably will complete the preparations for the flight, which, however, will be delayed for several days.

GOES TO JAIL FOR ASSAULT ON UNION MAN

Strike Breaker in Hamilton Gets Two Weeks—Scarlet Fever Epidemic—Grand Trunk Shift

Hamilton, Ont., Sept. 1.—(Special)—Joseph Feeley, brought here from Toronto as a strike breaker in the war between the moulders and founders, was sentenced yesterday by Police Magistrate Jelfs to two weeks in jail for assaulting James W. Ripley, secretary of the moulders' union. Feeley was roughly handled by union men after committing the assault, several of his teeth being knocked out.

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KAISER AT BRILLIANT REVIEW TODAY

Berlin, Sept. 1.—Emperor William today attended the autumn review of the Berlin and Potsdam garrisons on the Tempelhof parade ground.

MONUMENT TO PERE MARGUETTE

Mackinac Island, Mich., Sept. 1.—Pere Marquette, the Jesuit missionary whose name is inseparably interwoven with the early history of Michigan and the great lakes, was honored here today in the unveiling of a \$7,000 monument to his memory.

The bronze statue, ten feet high and resting on a sub-base ten feet high, represents the missionary standing erect and clothed in his priestly robe.

QUEBEC WILL NOT GIVE UP POLICY

Quebec, Sept. 1.—Sir Lomer Gouin says that his government has fully made up its mind after mature reflection and a thorough consideration of the whole question of pulp policy it was its duty to pursue in connection with the pulpwood and pulp paper industry. No subsequent action on the part of the United States will affect that policy or the sense of duty that dictated it.

This reference to a ministerial policy rests apparently on Sir Lomer Gouin's declaration in Montreal of a coming prohibition of pulpwood export. He did not care to discuss the matter further, but added: "We are not inviting and do not desire any tariff war with the United States. All we desire is to hold what we have."

HARBOR PROPERTY TRANSFER DISCUSSED

Hon. Mr. Pugsley Meets the City Committee and Some Changes in the Agreement are Suggested—May Be Conference With C. P. R.

The harbor board met Hon. Wm. Pugsley, minister of public works this morning at 11 o'clock. Those present were Ald. McJodrick, chairman; Mayor Bullock, Aldermen Holder, Elkin, Lively, Potts, and Kelley. City Engineer Murdoch and Recorder Skinner. The agreement prepared by the recorder for the west side transfer was placed before the minister and certain sections met with some criticism from

JEROME WARNS FIGHT PROMOTER

Mere Bid for Fight Violation of the Law

New York, Sept. 1.—Accompanied by William Gibson, one of the heads of the Fairmont Athletic Club, and by Gibson's lawyer, Commissioner Baker of the police called on District Attorney Jerome yesterday for a conference about the proposal of the club to hold a prize fight in this city. The club is understood to have made a bid of \$20,000 for the fight. Mr. Jerome warned Mr. Gibson that such a bid would not be tolerated here, and that only boxing exhibitions for club members were allowed.

It was said that the district attorney told the promoter he was violating the law by even bidding for the fight, and Gibson gave the assurance that if such was the case, the club's offer would be withdrawn. But Maurice D'Amico, counsel for Gibson, said later that the club might go ahead with its arrangements and make a test case of the ruling laid down by Baker and Jerome. The lawyer said he understood there had never been a positive decision as to the legality of selling tickets in advance for a fight and taking them to the door.

"Some time ago, Magistrate Rutledge told the fairmounts was a non-club club, and it got from Justice Searby an injunction restraining the police from interfering with its boxing," Mr. Baker said after his visit to Mr. Jerome. "We can make an arrest, however, if we find the law being violated. It is next to impossible to enforce the law against these clubs."

For the Farley bill, which was turned down in the Legislature, had been passed, the police would know where they stand. We ought to have a law either prohibiting the fights entirely or limiting them to a certain number of rounds."

TIDAL WAVE SWEEPS TOWN, LIVES LOST

Rahway, Nevada, Sept. 1.—Squatter town, a settlement just south of Rahway, was swept by a tidal wave following a cloudburst in the hills to the north. It is reported that two women and four children are missing. The cloud broke on the summit of the low hills to the north of the Camp. Gathering force as it poured down the channel, the flood swept into the town, and the water rose ten feet high as it crashed into the structure there.

Under the water passed, seven hundred persons were rendered homeless and the property piled in a tangled heap in the basin at the foot of National Hill.

WILLIS L. O. L. NEW OFFICERS

Willis L. O. L. No. 70, met last night in Orange Hall, Rahway, when the following officers were installed by Grand Master Dr. A. W. MacRae: W. L. Fenelon, secretary; Robert Burns, recording master; William Syme, recording secretary; Robert Catherwood, treasurer; H. B. Allingham, financial secretary; Andrew Cooper, chaplain; Thos. Stout, lecturer; William Morrison, director of ceremonies; William Catherwood and Robert Reid, stewards.

Addresses were delivered by worshipful county master J. King Kelley, Dr. A. W. MacRae, county master Nelson A. Spinnery, of St. John, and others.

READVILLE RAGE MAY BE POSTPONED

Readville, Mass., Sept. 1.—Showers and threatening weather in the early part of the day caused considerable doubt in the minds of the officials as to whether the pacing division of the blue ribbon event of the turf in this country, the American Derby, would be run off on the Readville track this afternoon, at the second day's grand circuit meeting.

The \$15,000 purse, although not so great as that divided among thoroughbred in yesterday's great race, brought out a list of entries fully as large as yesterday and created as much interest. The Earl, owned by F. W. Patrickson of Tavistock, Ont., is the scratch horse and, owing to his good showing on the circuit this season, is picked by many to finish well up among the leaders.

C. P. R. JULY STATEMENT

Canadian Pacific Railway Company's statement of earnings and expenses for July is:

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. July, 1909. Gross earnings \$7,140,029.08; Working expenses 4,960,139.20; Net profit 2,179,889.88. July, 1908. Gross earnings \$7,274,570.73; Working expenses 5,104,731.00; Net profit 2,169,839.73.

New York, N. Y., Sept. 1.—The Republican leaders of New York county and New York city formally declared yesterday for fusion with the various anti-Tammany organizations for the nomination of local candidates this fall.

TEN MILLION DOLLAR LUMBER AND COAL DEAL

Charleston, W. Va., Sept. 1.—Railway interests, the identity of which are not disclosed, are said to be behind an impending deal involving \$10,000,000 in lumber and coal lands in Boone, Raleigh and Logan counties, this state. At the close of a conference of capitalists late last night, the statement was made that the deal would probably be consummated within the next day or two.

FATHER OF PRES. MELLON

Concord, N. H., Sept. 1.—George Kingsbury Mellon, father of President Chas. S. Mellon of the New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R., died yesterday, aged eighty-eight.

KILLED IN C. P. R. NEAR MCADAM

Edward O'Kane of Chatham Stealing Ride on Freight Train—St. John Man There

A fatal accident occurred about 1 o'clock this morning about two miles east of McAdam as the result of which Edward O'Kane of Chatham had both his legs severed from his body by the wheels of a train, and now lies dead in McAdam.

O'Kane and a companion named Nelson Nichols, of Bridge street, north end, were in a motor car, directly under the wheels of the train which was moving quite fast, and his body was cut in two. Nichols, who was uninjured, notified the conductor of what had happened, and the freight was brought to a halt and backed up to the scene of the accident.

The man was found dead by the side of the track when those on the train reached the spot. The body was taken back to McAdam after being viewed by Coroner Butler, and it is probable that an inquest will be held this afternoon.

SAYS DIRECT NOMINATION KILLS PARTY

New York Assemblyman Takes Issue With Gov. Hughes' Recently Expressed Views

Albany, Sept. 1.—"Direct nominations as we have seen it is the greatest good brick that was ever handed to a confiding people," was one declaration here of Assemblyman Robert J. Conklin of New York city, a member of the special committee appointed by the last legislature to investigate the question of direct primaries and report to the legislature of 1910.

Conklin has just completed his investigation in other states, which have direct primary laws. Assemblyman Conklin voted for a direct nomination law in 1907 and 1908, and voted against the Hinman-Green bill this year. He says hereafter he will oppose direct nominations.

"The people of New York state," he said "have no idea of the political anarchy that exists in the middle western states. Direct nominations have driven parties entirely out of existence in many communities. In Wisconsin there is no longer a Republican party and a Democratic party. There are several personal factions. The most prominent of which are the Stabwarts and the Half-Breeds. The latter are the followers of La Follette and the former are his opponents. Those who were at one time Democrats have disappeared, and have gone into the Republican party, so-called, to vote at the primaries. There is no longer a party principle, but only personal views of faction leaders."

"To some extent the same state of affairs exist in Iowa and Kansas and everywhere else where this system of direct nominations is in operation. The minority party has been swallowed up."

"In every community we have visited there have been but one opinion expressed by the decent, sober, intelligent citizen, the conservative professional man—and that has been of disgust and loathing for the political anarchy into which they have been plunged. Time and again we met with the expression from the biggest men in the cities we visited: 'Do not inflict this inquiry on the State of New York.'"

MEMSIC AND KID KENDALL TO MEET

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 1.—A renewal of prize fighting in St. Louis is prosaged by an announcement that George Memsic, of Memphis, and Kid Kendall, of St. Louis, will meet in a ten-round contest September 16. The fight is to take place in Weldon, St. Louis county, a new municipality, whose limits adjoin this city, the west.

The men will meet at 133 pounds, weighing in at 3 o'clock, and will divide 50 per cent of the receipts.

JAPAN'S FOREMOST FINANCIAL MAN

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 31.—The Great Northern liner Minnesota, bringing Baron Shibusawa, the foremost financier of Japan, and Japanese merchants, members of parliament and bankers, representing six great cities arrived at Port Townsend this afternoon.

Besides her fifty-two distinguished passengers, the Minnesota brought the most valuable cargo that ever crossed the Pacific.

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