

The Evening Times



THE WEATHER. Moderate to fresh southwest a few local showers but mostly fair. Thursday north west winds fair and cooler.

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SAILORS LOSE THEIR MONEY IN THE LOCAL TENDERLOIN

Two Men Who, With More Money Than Brains Visited Sheffield Street Last Night and Were Robbed--The Case in the Police Court.

Two Sheffield street cases embracing bawdy house and theft charges against the proprietress of one and an inmate of another, were tried in the police court this morning.

GEORGE CONNOLLY JUMPS TO DEATH IN THE RIVER

Tragic Death on S.S. E. Ross This Morning--A Despondent Man Jumped from the Ferry Steamer Into the River and Sank Almost at Once.

What is undoubtedly a case of suicide occurred on the ferry steamer E. Ross, plying between Indiantown and Pleasant Point about 11:30 o'clock this morning.

ST. JOHN RAILWAY CO SHOWS GOOD PROFIT FOR THE YEAR

Reports Submitted at the Annual Meeting This Afternoon Show Net Profit of Over \$51,000 on the Year's Operations.

The thirteenth annual meeting of the St. John Railway Company is being held this afternoon in the company's offices, corner Union and Dock streets.

Respectfully submitted, HUGH H. McLEAN, Vice-President.

Table with financial data: ASSETS, LIABILITIES, INCOME ACCOUNT. Includes items like Capital Stock, Bonds, Accounts Receivable, etc.

THE WINTER FAIR DEFICIT IS \$1,500

But Government Grants Will Meet This and Make the Association Self Sustaining--Annual Meeting at Amherst.

Amherst, N. B., June 10. (Special).--The annual meeting of the Maritime Stock Breeders Association and Winter Fair was held at Amherst yesterday and today.

WOODSTOCK NEWS

St. John Surveyor to Make Survey of the Town--A Fire Yesterday.

Woodstock, N. B., June 10. (Special).--The funeral of Thomas H. Gray, was held yesterday afternoon.

METHODIST DISTRICT MEETING HEARD CHURCH REPORTS TODAY

Various Churches in the District Raised Substantial Sums during the Year--Membership Shows an Increase.

The annual session of the district meeting of the N. B. and P. E. Island Methodist Conference was continued in Portland street church this morning.

FAST ONES AT MOOSEPATH.

Frederic Duncanson has his string of horses at Moosepath now where he is working them out on the track.

UNFEELING.

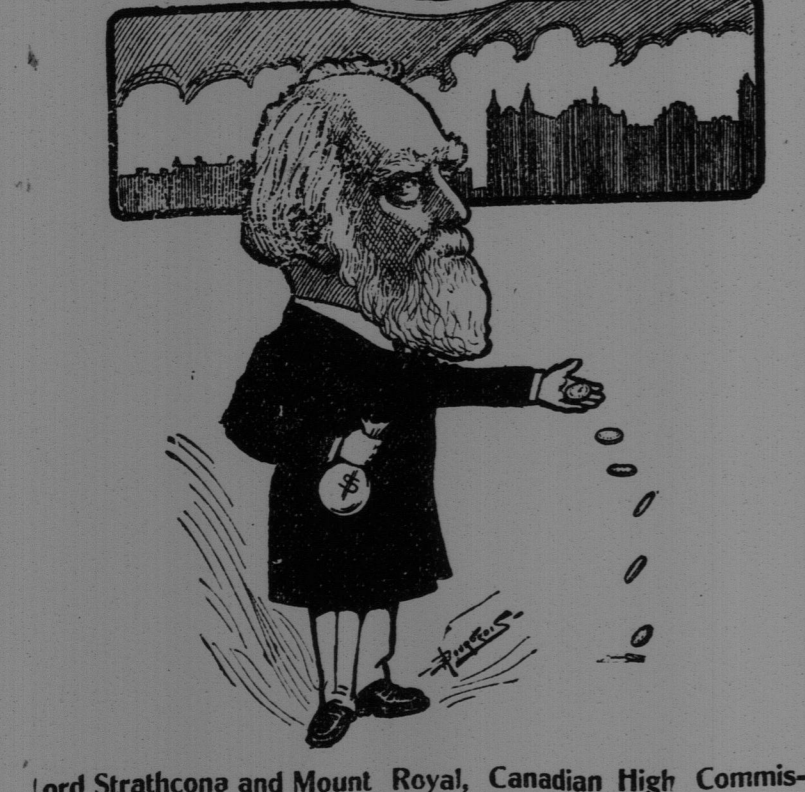
A certain drill sergeant, whose severity had made him unpopular with his company was putting a squad of recruits through the funeral exercise.

POLICE COURT

John Smith, who appeared before Judge Ritchie this morning on a charge of profanity, informed the court.

PROMINENT CANADIANS PICTURED IN CARTOONS

(By the Canadian Newspaper Cartoonist Association.)



Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, Canadian High Commissioner in England.

UNITED BAPTIST DISTRICT MEETING OPENS TOMORROW

Sessions Will be Held at Gondola Point Tomorrow and Friday and a Number of Interesting Matters Will be Discussed.

The annual meeting of the sixth district of the United Baptist Church in New Brunswick, will be held at Gondola Point, tomorrow and Friday, June 11 and 12.

An address delivered by Rev. George Howard on Our Fatherless Churches, and also by Rev. J. W. Kierstead on Our Dependent Ministry.

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THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

A SOURCE OF PRIDE. Thus far horses have been taken out for 1,070 dogs, and the authorities have decided that 450 more are entitled to this distinction.

WANT TAFT'S INFLUENCE IN FAVOR OF CREDIT CURRENCY

Merchants' Association of New York and Trades Leagues of Philadelphia Appeal to Presidential Candidates for Assistance.

Washington, June 9.--Secretary Taft was appealed to today by the Merchants Association of New York and the Trades League of Philadelphia to use his influence in behalf of credit currency.

The currency committee constituted was not unopposed; that the bond-secured currency, or Aldrich plan as it is generally known, was favored by a majority of the members of the committee.

The Merchants Association of New York respectfully urges upon the progressive business interests of the country that they get men on the currency committee who were regarded as experts.

The resolution adopted by the association follows: "First.--We pledge ourselves to establish such a financial system as will protect the United States treasury against the danger of assault and the peril of repudiation.

"Second.--We pledge ourselves to establish a true credit currency system which will enable the farmer, the producer, the manufacturer and the merchant to convert, through the agency of the banks, their commodities into currency, redeemable by the banks in their vicinity.

shock to American industries by the currency panic of last fall, caused all banking and business interests throughout the country to investigate carefully the financial and currency problem and, subsequently to condemn almost unanimously the bond-secured provisions of the Aldrich currency bill, and to endorse the principle of true credit currency.