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MATTERS FOR COMMISSION

Improvement of St. John River First To be Taken Up

Waterways Commission, Which Paved Way For Arbitration Treaties, To Meet in Washington on September 1

FEAR CHELSEA MAN DIED OF CHOLERA

Physicians Have Under Examination Bacteria Taken From Body of Michael Tarkarsky

ROUNDHOUSE BURNED

St. Stephen, Aug. 8.—(Special)—The Washington county round house at Salmon Falls, Milltown, was completely destroyed by fire this morning about 2 o'clock.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Table with 4 columns: Max, Min, Dir, Vel. Rows for Montreal, Quebec, Charlottetown, Sydney, Halifax, Yarmouth, St. John, Boston, New York.

Local Weather Report at Noon. Highest temperature during last 24 hrs. 70. Lowest temperature during last 24 hrs. 58.

RECIPROCITY WILL BRING HIS BOYS AND GIRLS BACK HOME

(Interview with Charlotte County Fishermen.) "I am 60 years old. Do you know what reciprocity means to me. It means the return of my sons—one is in Boston. He writes me that he is tired of the city and says: 'Father, if reciprocity wins, I'll go home.'"

THINK SPY STORY WAS "SOFT NOTHING"

U. S. Army Officials Not Inclined to Put Much Faith in Girl's Affidavit

TWO DEAD; 3 MISSING IN EXPLOSION

Bulletin-Rotterdam, Aug. 9.—A boiler on the Rhine steamer Gutenberg exploded today with fatal results.

ALBRY GRASS DEAD AFTER FALL FROM LOAD

Prominent in Public Life of Sunbury County for Many Years—His Death a Loss to Liberal Party

MAN LAUGHED ON DOCK AS CHILDREN DROWNED

Saw Other Boys Make Effort To Save Them, But Did Not Offer Help—Brother and Sister Loss Lives at Muskoka

KILLED DAUGHTER BECAUSE HE DID NOT LIKE HER SUITOR

New York, Aug. 9.—John Brew, an unemployed gardener, objected to his daughter's sweetheart. He called last night upon the girl at the house where she is employed as a domestic, announced that he had "a little something to do" and emptied the contents of a .22 calibre revolver into the girl's body.

P. E. ISLANDER GETS \$10,000 JOB IN MASS

Boston, Mass., Aug. 9.—Fred J. MacLacross, former state senator and chairman of the democratic state committee, was nominated for chairman of the state board of railroad commission, a \$10,000 position, by Governor Foss today.

CAREER OF JOHN W. GATES ENDS IN PARIS

Noted Financier Lost Chance on Life When Attacked by Pneumonia

GOOD SPORTSMAN

Started Country Hardware Store and Became Multi-Millionaire—Recouping Losses in Later Life

POPE SLEPT WELL IN EARLY MORNING

Rome, Aug. 9.—Pope Pius who, owing to the intense heat has been restless during the night had a refreshing sleep in the cooler hours of the early morning.

WOMEN DETECTIVES SERVE MORE SUBPOENAS

Los Angeles, Aug. 9.—The prosecution in the trial of the McNamara, the alleged dynamite, will summon it is said about 100 witnesses and the defense fully as many.

"BILL" LANG DEFEATS SQUIRES, AS EXPECTED

Brisbane, Australia, Aug. 9.—"Bill" Lang defeated "Bill" Squires in the fifth round today. The fight was for the heavyweight championship of Australia.

TWO NEW STATES WILL BE ADMITTED

Washington, Aug. 9.—The new Mexico Arizona statehood bill was passed by the senate today, 53 to 18. It provides for the automatic admission of Arizona after its citizens' vote on the recall of the judges' provision of its constitution and of New Mexico after its people vote on the proposition to make its constitution a permanent amendment.

MADONNA TOTAL WRECK

Halifax, N. S., Aug. 8.—It is reported that the little schooner Madonna, 30 tons, which was purchased at North Sydney some time ago by Eugene Levan, of St. Pierre, ran ashore near that port and is almost a total wreck.

93 DROWNED ON STEAMER

Gibraltar, Aug. 9.—The French steamer Emir founded today five miles east of Tarifa, Spain, in the Strait of Gibraltar and nine-three persons were drowned.

PLANNING FOR BARLEY

Word comes that all along the north shore of Lake Ontario the farmers are quietly preparing to put part of their acreage in barley.

LEMIEUX MAY MEET BOURASSA IN JOINT DEBATE ON SUNDAY

New Minister of Marine Accepts Invitation to Speak at St. Hyacinthe Meeting Where Nationalist Leader Will Attend

WOMAN SENTENCED TO WEAR BLOOMERS AT JAIL GANG WORK

Iola, Kans., Aug. 9.—Iola city officials with the exception of Municipal Judge Beardsley, yesterday sentenced Mrs. Ella Ross to wear a woman's bloomers and join the street gang from the city jail.

MISS SHERMAN IS TO WED LORD CAMOYS

Newport, Aug. 8.—The happiest girl in Newport is Miss Mildred Sherman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Waits Sherman and sister of Mrs. Lawrence L. Gillespie. Her engagement to Lord Camoys, of England, was announced this afternoon by her parents.

KILLS HIMSELF ON SWEETHEART'S DOORSTEP

Haverhill, Mass., Aug. 8.—The police found the dead body of 19-year-old Joseph Benaoud at 5 Apple street on the front doorstep of the house of Nellie Benaoud at 347 River street early Tuesday morning.

COLOR LINE DRAWN AT ATHLETIC MEET

Chicago, Aug. 9.—The color line in athletics has been drawn by Harry Fitzpatrick, president of the southern association of the A. A. U.

OPIMUM CONFERENCE AT THE HAGUE, OCT. 15

Washington, Aug. 8.—The second International Opium Conference which has been prepared several times will meet at the Hague October 15. All of the powers interested have accepted that date and it is expected that the Netherlands government will issue the invitation shortly.

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(Canadian Press) London, Aug. 9.—A supplementary estimate of the money to be spent in 1911 contains several large items. The visit of the king and queen to India for the Durbar is estimated to cost \$200,000, and the payment of \$2,000 a year to 650 members of parliament makes another big item of \$1,260,000.

WESTERN RAILROADS FACE LABOR WAR

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UNION DEMANDS FOR MORE PAY WOULD MEAN BURDEN OF \$50,000,000 Says Company Official

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FOR FEDERATION

Boston, Aug. 9.—(Special)—Herbert White, Lowell baseball player, joined the Federation team today, and will play right field.

ARE FOR RECIPROCITY

Montreal, Aug. 8.—Alfonse Verville, Labor candidate in Maisonneuve, and J. R. Brunet, who will run in Stanstead on the same platform, have both declared themselves strongly for Reciprocity, as a good thing for the working man.

THE TIMES' NEW REPORTER

A HARMONY SKETCH. The rumor that Hon. Robert Maxwell and Mr. John E. Wilson were practicing a funny dialogue for the Hazen banquet, on the north side of King Square yesterday, could not be confirmed. It is stated, however, that they were gesticulating with great vigor, and that at what appeared to be a critical moment, perhaps the denouement of the playlet or dramatic sketch, or whatever it was, one of them looked hastily around, and then both of them withdrew into an alley, apparently to escape observation.

THE HON. DICK'S POSITION

British Columbia will be a candidate for parliament to become a member of the Borden government? Yours B. G. TYPE. So far as learned Mr. McBride is not close to close quarters. He is a long range fighter. For the present he is providing the St. John Standard with sentence arguments on loyalty. Richard will not die for his country for some years yet. He says he will not be a candidate.