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THE ISLANDER DISASTER

Investigation Did Not Stop With Coat of Whitewash First Applied—Bodwell Is After Facts for Government—Many Witnesses Say the Captain Was Intoxicated.

Victoria, Sept. 27.—The investigation as to the cause of the wrecking of the steamer Islander off Douglas Island on the morning of August 15th when nearly half a hundred lives were lost has been reopened and under the name of Attorney Bodwell who is conducting the investigation on behalf of the Dominion government, some very sensational evidence is being developed. Several witnesses yesterday and today declared positively that the captain was intoxicated at the time of the disaster. The investigation promises to be productive of greater safety to travelers in the future.

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KITCHENER'S RESIGNATION

Reported as Due to Parsimony of Government.

London, Sept. 27.—The Daily Mail publishes an unconfirmed report that Kitchener has resigned command of the forces in South Africa. The story is regarded in London as very probable, and that it is a protest by Kitchener against the parsimonious conduct of the government toward the army in the field.

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CHARLTON BANQUETED

Vancouver, Sept. 28.—J. B. Charlton of the Dominion public works was banqueted here last night in honor of the completion of the through telegraph.

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GOVERNOR ROSS AT SKAGWAY

Other Dawsonites En Route From Lower Points.

Skagway, Sept. 28.—Governor J. H. Ross of the Yukon Territory and two sons arrived here on the steamer Hating this morning. Other arrivals for Dawson were: Mrs. Brown, wife of the territorial secretary; Mrs. Thompson, wife of Police Surgeon Thompson, and five children; also Mining Inspector Robertson and bride, former-Miss Lilia Thayer of Boston. They were married in Seattle just previous to starting north.

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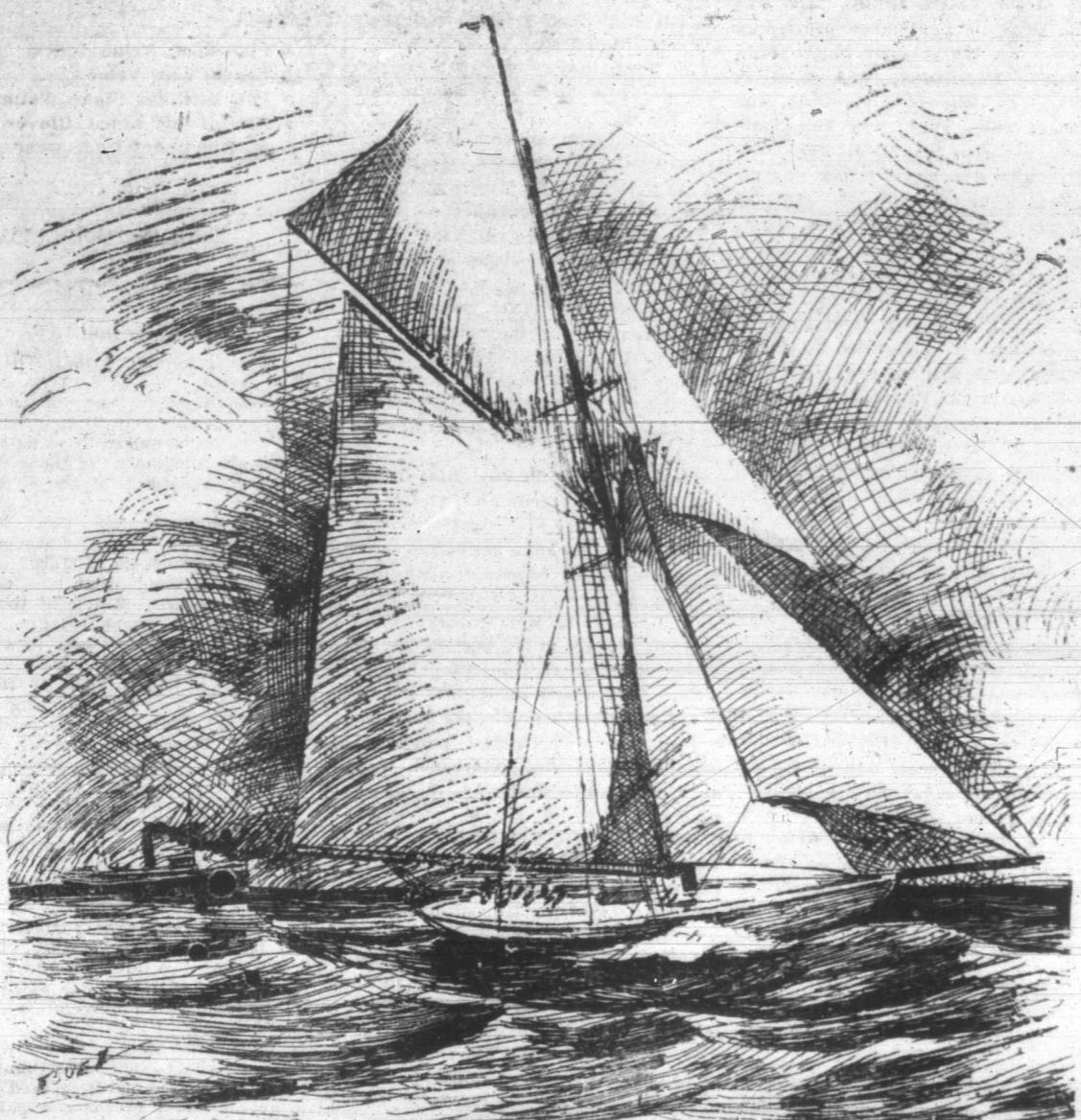
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CUP DEFENDER, COLUMBIA.

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COLUMBIA WINS FIRST RACE

The American Cup Defender Draws First Blood in the International Yacht Contest—The Race a Very Close One—Columbia Finally Winning by Only Two Boat Lengths.

New York, Sept. 28.—Columbia wins the first in the series of international yacht races amid the plaudits of admiring thousands who crowded aboard all manner of craft to witness the great contest.

The wind continued exasperatingly light as in the previous trial, but the race was accomplished within the time limit.

Shamrock took the lead at the start and held steadily ahead of her opponent until the turn was reached.

On the run in Columbia forged steadily ahead, overtaking Shamrock and winning the first race by two boat lengths.

It was the most closely contested race that has ever occurred in the history of international contests. The result hung in the balance almost until the completion of the race.

Columbia's time allowance of forty-six seconds gives her the race by one and one-quarter minutes.

New York, Sept. 27.—The opinion of both American and British appears to have crystallized into the belief that the Shamrock will fail to lift the cup from America.

The incompleteness of yesterday's race fully demonstrated the fact that the Columbia can out-sail the Shamrock under light winds, while last year it was demonstrated that a half gale suits the Columbia to perfection.

Yesterday's incomplete race will be re-sailed tomorrow over the entire course, fifteen miles out and back.

The order of exercises will be as follows: Introductory address, Mr. F. T. McGonigal; address, Mr. Falconer for the fraternal organizations to assemble and march to the theater in prayer, Rev. J. R. H. Warren; hymn, "Nearer My God, to Thee"; reserved for them.

The Arctic Brotherhood, Fraternal Order of Eagles and Knights of Pythias will meet at 2 o'clock at McDonald hall.

The Pioneers will gather at 2 o'clock at their hall and the Masons will meet at the Masonic Temple at the same hour.

The members of the Board of Trade are requested to meet at the Board of Trade rooms at 2 o'clock and will march to the hall in a body.

The services will be impressive and will undoubtedly be largely attended.

A capias order was issued yesterday by Palmer Bros. against Wm. Stephens, formerly a road house keeper on Hunker, who is alleged to be in their debt in the sum of \$387. Stephens was a passenger for the outside on the last trip of the White Horse.

Lindestrom, for whom a capias was issued last week by R. H. Gansley, has been arrested at White Horse.

All members and visiting brothers of the Arctic Brotherhood, Camp Dawson, No. 4, are requested to meet at McDonald hall, 2 p. m. Sunday, tomorrow. The camp in a body will proceed to the Savoy and attend memorial services in honor of the beloved deceased president of the United States.

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HERE IS AN EXCEPTION

L. A. Sifton Declines an Honorable Appointment.

Ottawa, Sept. 27.—L. A. Sifton has declined the appointment as chief justice of the territories.

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TURKISH TROUBLE

London, Sept. 28.—Trouble is again threatened with the Turks. Great Britain is massing a fleet of war vessels in the Persian Gulf. The circumstances of the difficulty have not been disclosed.

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WAR IS DECLARED

Venezuela and Colombia Are at Loggerheads.

Washington, Sept. 27.—The officers of Venezuela and Colombia have reached such a stage that Venezuela will formally declare war tomorrow.

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INQUIRY ADJOURNED

Vancouver, Sept. 28.—The Islander inquiry has been adjourned for a period of three weeks, to admit of securing important witnesses whose testimony is essential to the case.

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TRAVELING WESTWARD

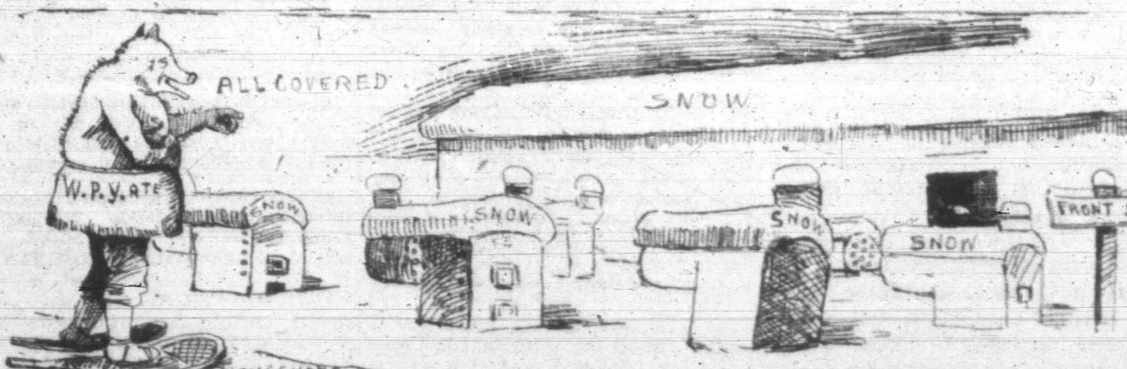
The Duke and Duchess at Regina Yesterday.

Regina, Sept. 27.—The Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York were here today, leaving this evening for the westward.

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RAILWAY UNION

Montreal, Sept. 28.—Steps are being taken to effect the organization of a fraternal railway union in Canada. It is hoped to include all lines in the Dominion.



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rest in field sports which at this time of year should be at its height, seems to be more slack than at any time of the season. The last few days of the last few days should have been an impetus to sports and the players should take all the advantage of it.

is the time of year when the playing is in vogue but up to the present there has not been a move towards arranging for a match.

morning that the present weather would be allowed to go and it became rainy and sloppy and the players would awaken from their slumber and would then have to wade in the mud.

ere are plenty of football players to arrange a series of games but it should be done before the season gets late.

\$25 Reward.
said or stolen from No. 5 Sulpur creek, one red and white cow—with a V shaped mark on each ear. It is believed that it is in the vicinity of Magdalen. This is an opportunity for the at Eldorado Forks or else.

TIM. P. CROWLEY,
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J. Gregory has gone outside the center.

Fernand de Journal and the men left for their eastern home right on the Canadian.

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