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IN THE COURTS

PROBATE COURT.
Estate of W. H. Robinson.
In the probate of Kings County today before Judge J. M. McIntyre, the will of William H. Robinson, late of Kings County, deceased, was duly admitted to probate and letters testamentary were issued to his widow, Mrs. Mary Robinson, as executrix, named in the will. The value of the estate was sworn at \$2,000 real and \$3,500 personal property. John R. Armstrong, proctor.

In Chambers at Sussex.
During recess the following cases were attended to in Chambers at Sussex: On May 12th, in the matter of the estate of Samuel T. Chittick, late of Havelock, letters of administration were granted to Mrs. Mary Chittick, widow, the value of the estate being \$3,000. A. E. Pearson, proctor.
On the 18th the executors of the estate of Lewis J. Almon, late of Rousesay, deceased, namely A. Wellesley Peters, John Mitchell, and W. A. Ewing, petitioned to file and pass their accounts, and a citation was issued, returnable on June 20th, at 9 a. m. Barnhill, Ewing and Sanford, proctors.
On the 19th letters of administration were issued to Mrs. Emma Louise Knollin, on the estate of Loyal P. Knollin, late of St. John, farmer, deceased, the value of which was sworn at \$25 real and \$175 personalty. A. E. Pearson, proctor.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Catherine H. Fitzpatrick, wife of Patrick Fitzpatrick, of Waterloo street, passed away last evening after a lingering illness. A sudden termination was not expected and her death came as a shock to her family.
Mrs. Fitzpatrick leaves beside her husband, three sons: William J., of the Inland Revenue Department; Patrick J., and Phillip, of this city, and three daughters: Mrs. J. P. Quinn, of the North End, Sister Mary of the Cross in the Monastery of the Good Shepherd, and Miss Josephine, at

home. Two sisters, Mrs. John O'Pray and Mrs. Hugh McPadden, reside in the North End.

The funeral will take place at 9.15 a. m. tomorrow from the Cathedral after requiem mass.
The Late James W. Marley.
The remains of James W. Marley arrived from Dalhousie yesterday, accompanied by Thomas Belford, who is an employee of the Dalhousie Lumber Co., and also a member of the C. M. B. A. St. Jean Baptiste Branch of Dalhousie placed the insignia of the order on Mr. Marley's breast in token of remembrance. Last evening Mr. Belford attended a special meeting of the branch at Milford, and its members will attend the funeral in a body. Hundreds of friends, including many from the city, Carleton and Fairville, visited the home at Pleasant Point last evening, and a number of very beautiful floral tributes were sent in the mills here. Several mills will close this afternoon and the men will attend the funeral, which takes place at 2.30 o'clock from the home to St. Rose's Church, and thence to Sand Cove cemetery. Universal expressions of sorrow are heard on all sides among those who knew the young man.

One Passenger Injured In Collision.
It was learned late yesterday that Jeremiah Donovan of this city, who was a passenger on the Maritime Express to this city, was injured in the accident on Tuesday. Mr. Donovan was in the smoking compartment of the second-class car when the crash came and the force of the impact threw him out of the seat and in the fall he badly wrenched one of his legs. He will be confined to his bed for several days.

Parks-Marshall.
Rev. David Hutchinson, of the Main street Baptist church, officiated last evening at his home at the wedding of Archibald Parks and Mrs. Mary A. Marshall, both of the North End. Geo. Hartt acted as groomsmen and Miss Laura Mattitall was bridesmaid. Mr. and Mrs. Parks will at once take up their residence on Kennedy street.

KING'S MESSAGE TO COLONIES

Acknowledges Expressed Sympathy Of The Overseas Dominion And Pledges Himself To Safeguard Liberties.

London, May 25.—The following is the text of the message which the King has sent to the colonies: "To My People Beyond the Seas: "The innumerable messages of kindness from my loyal subjects, beyond the seas have deeply touched my heart and have assured me that I have in full measure their sympathy in the great trial which has befallen me and them; that my sorrow is their sorrow, and that we have a common love and happiness."

"All his people throughout his dominions were dear to the heart of my beloved father; for them he lived to work and in their service he died. I cannot doubt but that they will hold his name in grateful remembrance. I am now called to follow in his footsteps and carry on the work which he prospered in his hands."

"As a sailor I have been brought into constant contact with the overseas dominions of the Crown. I have personally realized the affectionate loyalty which binds together the many lands and diverse peoples in one glorious fellowship. Nine years ago I travelled through the Empire, accompanied by my dear wife. Had the late King lived, we should together, at his expressed wish, have visited South Africa in the coming autumn to open the first parliament of the South African union, the latest and greatest evidence of that peace and harmony which my father loved to promote."

"It will be my earnest endeavor to uphold constitutional government and to safeguard in all their fullness the liberties which are enjoyed throughout my dominions, and under the good guidance of all men I will maintain upon a foundation of freedom, justice and peace the great heritage of the United British Empire."

PROGRAM FOR N. B. CLOSING

Dates For Events In Connection With Encoenia Proceedings On June 2nd.—Success Of Students.

Fredericton, May 25.—The University will close on Thursday, June 2nd, the Encoenia exercises taking place at the college library at 2.30 o'clock on that afternoon.

On Tuesday, May 31st, the engineering students will give their annual dance in the college gymnasium.

On Wednesday afternoon, June 1st, Mrs. C. C. Jones, wife of the chancellor, will give an address to the graduating class. On Wednesday evening a meeting of the Alumni Society will be held and the Fredericton brass band will give an open air concert on the terrace.

On Thursday morning, June 2nd, the University senate will meet.

Professor W. B. Cartmel, professor of electrical engineering at the U. N. B., has accepted a position for the summer at the drawing office of the Canadian General Electric Co., at Peterboro, Ont.

Through the efforts of Professor Miller, dean of Forestry at the University, several of the Forestry students have been secured to secure good positions. Mr. H. C. Kinghorn is to go to British Columbia to assist in the exploration of timber lands for the Federal Forestry Bureau on the coast of British Columbia. He is to report for duty on the 15th instant.

Mr. Peter Z. Caverhill is to report for duty at Ottawa on May 30th and will be sent to Calgary to take charge of a forestry survey party on the eastern slope of the Rockies for the Dominion Forest Reserve. Mr. H. C. Belyea also goes to Calgary on the survey, and Mr. Gilbert H. Prince has secured a position with the Laurentide Paper Co., at Grand Mere, Que.

ONE DAY WITH THE ROOSEVELTS

Wife Of Ex-President Spends More Than An Hour With Alexandra — Distinguished Men Pay Respects To T. R.

London, May 25.—Mrs. Roosevelt spent an hour or more today in the company of the Queen Mother Alexandra, while the ex-president received a deputation from the British group of the Inter-Parliamentary union. This was composed of Lord Weardale, T. P. O'Connor, Sir Edward Sassoon and Arthur H. Crossfield, M. P., who presented him with an address.

Mr. Roosevelt began the day by breakfasting with Sir Edward Grey, Foreign Secretary. Then with R. G. Cunningham, Leslie Tarlton, of Narbonne and Seth Lullock, he proceeded to the zoo. Other visitors learning of Mr. Roosevelt's presence, soon gathered round, and kept at a respectful distance. Several big game hunters whom the former president met in Africa, joined him at lunch at Lieut. Col. Lees. A committee from the Hamilton club, of Chicago, before which Mr. Roosevelt will make an address in the autumn, paid their respects and assured him of the great reception which awaited him in Chicago. Among his African callers were Lord Ayebury, Rudyard Kipling, and several members of the House of Commons.

The Royal Society of Arts today elected Mr. Roosevelt a life member. The first American member of the society was Benjamin Franklin. Mrs. Roosevelt remained for longer than an hour at the palace and the conversation between the two had a wide range. The Queen Mother was especially interested in her visitor's description of the place occupied by women in the life of the United States. Her Majesty also inquired about Mrs. Roosevelt's journey to the South Sea Islands, to meet her husband, and listened with evident pleasure to the experiences related.

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LUNATIC NO. 1 HEARD FROM

First Of The Crop Of Claimants To The British Throne Appears In New York—Sends Message.

New York, N. Y., May 25.—John R. de Guelph, of Brooklyn, who claims to be a son of the late Edward VII. of England, sent a message today to the upper and lower houses of Parliament and the people of the United Kingdom and Ireland, demanding the British Crown.

After expressing sorrow at the death of the King, the writer says that he, John George Edward, Rex of Great Britain and Ireland, "the legitimate and lawful issue of the marriage of his late Majesty King Edward VII. and the former Princess Consort, was unjustly and unlawfully deprived of his rights by the first born son of the rightful sovereign."

He did not know who was responsible for the removal of the semaphores. Since its removal several close calls from collisions had been experienced. The semaphores were in perfect working order when removed and he could not understand why it was ever taken away.

A. P. Flemming, Chief Train Despatcher of Montreal, explained the workings of the semaphores, issuing a supplementary sheet, as said, would not change any rule whatever. He thought that the bulletin should be on the board, as new conductors get their orders from it. He did not know why the semaphores had been removed from Nauyasagauk.

This concluded the evidence and Coroner Wetmore briefly reviewed the evidence to the jurors, who then retired and after three quarters of an hour deliberation brought in a verdict as already stated.

FRENCH DEBT HAS REACHED 7,000,000,000

Senator Sounds Alarms At Rapid Growth, But People Are Indifferent—Interest Is One Quarter Of Expenditure.

Paris, May 25.—Alarm at the formidable growth of the public debt of France, in its departments and the colonies is increasing. Auguste Germain, senator of the department of the Seine, has already sounded a warning.

The debt, now amounting to more than \$7,000,000,000 and exceeding that of any other country, he says, is too easily lost sight of by the common people. They should remember that the interest and other annual charges to which it subjects them exceed \$300,000,000, or one-quarter of the total government expenses, and that the debt itself is rapidly increasing.

From the total, as estimated, are expressly excluded both the capital of the annuities payable by the state, amounting to about \$2,000,000,000, and some \$30,000,000 which the state owes to railway companies for lines recently purchased.

Coal Shed Collapses.
The coal shed adjoining the Lancaster ferry at Indiantown, collapsed about 11 o'clock last night and about 50 tons of coal were shot into the river. The shed was used by Leonard Bros., to store coal for use on the ferry steamer E. Ross. Owing to the weight of coal it is supposed the piling gave way.

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MR. TIFFIN TALKS MUCH AT MONTREAL

Would like To See Halifax Mail Port And I. C. R. Extended To Toronto—The Need For Settlers.

Montreal, May 25.—Mr. E. Tiffin, of the Intercolonial, is in the city today. Besides telling a reporter that Halifax should be made the summer mail port as well as the winter one, he reported business in the Maritime Provinces showing a gradual improvement but deplored the fact that these provinces were getting such a small share of the immigration.

"There are plenty of good farms, with excellent prospects, for new settlers," he said. "All that is the matter with the lower provinces is that they want population, and I don't think our provincial governments are doing as much as they might do to induce that population to come."

He was asked if there was any difficulty in reaching suitable markets. Mr. Tiffin said that was one result of the sparsity of population.
"We recognize," he said, "that our markets lie in Montreal and west of this city and the Intercolonial does all it can to make those markets accessible to the people of the lower provinces. For my part," he said, "I think it would be a grand thing both for the Intercolonial and for the Maritime Provinces if the Intercolonial Railway were extended to Toronto. Such an extension would mean great prosperity for the Maritime Provinces and be a considerable benefit to Ontario too."

ACTIVE DRUNKARD AT FREDERICTON

Seymour Chase Makes Clean Getaway When Attempt Is Made To Arrest Him For Drunkenness.

Special To The Standard.
Fredericton, N. B., May 25.—Seymour Chase caused some excitement today when an attempt was made to arrest him for drunkenness. He not only bowled over chief of Police Hawthorne, but also knocked over several citizens who went to the assistance of the chief, finally making good his escape.

A man named Hanson was convicted of a first offence under the Scott Act today in the police court. A witness swore that he went into Hanson's barn, left some money, put his hands behind his back and somebody, but who it was he could not say, put a bottle of liquor in his hands.

Hance Dryden's Assault Not Yet Arrested.
Up till last evening the police had not succeeded in locating a boy who in the vicinity of Mount Pleasant brutally lashed 6-year-old Hance Dryden into unconsciousness on Monday afternoon. They are working upon a strong clue, however, and interesting developments may be expected.

noon on the Intercolonial would be discontinued on June 19, after which the service would be a double daily one, a train leaving Montreal every morning and evening. This arrangement in summer, he said, was highly appreciated, and was warranted by the increased traffic.