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MONCTON DELEGATION IS WELL SATISFIED

The New I. C. R. Shops Will be Rebuilt on an Extensive Scale But Not on the Old Site--Police After an Absent Junk Dealer.

MONCTON, April 12 (Special)—The Ottawa delegation, consisting of Mayor Stevens, Hon. C. W. Robinson, J. T. Hawke, Hon. F. J. Sweeney and Jas. Leary, returned this morning and express themselves as satisfied with the interview with the minister of railways and deputy respecting the rebuilding and location of the new I. C. R. shops. Mayor Stevens, in an interview, said they were assured tenders for the shops would be called as soon as plans were ready, probably in a month's time.

ST. JOHN MAY HAVE BIG SANITARIUM

P. B. Slipp of Portland Maine Looking Over the Ground With This End in View.

Portland, Maine, April 12 (Special)—P. B. Slipp, of Portland, Maine, who has been in the city for the past two or three days, left for Halifax this morning, Mr. Slipp is interested in the establishment of a sanitarium in the province for the treatment of alcoholics, drug habits and nervous diseases. He is well impressed with St. John as a location for the sanitarium, as it offers climatic and other advantages which will have a material bearing upon the selection of a site. If St. John is chosen, it is the intention to first erect premises near the city and an especially equipped building will be erected later on. Mr. Slipp will return to St. John next week.

SKATE FACTORY FOR ST. JOHN

FREDERICTON, April 12 (Special)—Pearson Edwards has disposed of his heavy stable business to John W. Farley and John C. Allen. The purchase price was \$10,000, and does not include buildings. The new proprietors will take over the business on Sunday school day.

SCHOONER TUCK A VALUABLE PRIZE

HALIFAX, April 12 (Special)—A despatch received this morning from Yarmouth states that the schooner W. E. and W. Tuck last week was pumped out and found to be light. The tug F. W. Rossing had a difficult job towing the schooner in Tuesday's gale. Two of the Rossing's crew were in the wreck, but got away either by swimming or by being rescued by the tug. The tug being unable to take them off.

A HOLIDAY STOCK MARKET

MONTRÉAL, April 12 (Special)—The stock market still wore a holiday air this morning. The market was quiet, with only a few scattered transactions. The market was generally higher than on the previous day.

ZION CITY'S TROUBLES MAY NOW BE ARRANGED

Dowie and His Opponents Anxious for Amicable Settlement---All Matters in Dispute May be Arbitrated---Dowie Will Not Seek Litigation.

CHICAGO, April 11—At the conclusion of a day of conferences between the opposing interests of the Christian Catholic Church in Zion, the statement was made late tonight that the whole controversy would probably be settled by conciliation. Both sides, according to Attorney Emil C. Wetten, Dowie's legal representative, are anxious for an amicable adjustment. This announcement was made by Mr. Wetten tonight after a conference with Dowie, following Wetten's return from Zion City, where he held a conference with General Overseer Volva and other leaders of the revolt against Dowie. Earlier in the evening a statement was given out from Dowie's apartments that the whole matter would be taken into the courts tomorrow for a settlement, but after the consultation with Attorney Wetten on his return from Zion, there seemed to be a sudden change in the warlike attitude which has all along been assumed by Dowie and his advisers. Attorney Wetten, who said he spoke officially for Dowie, in his announcement, said: "The report that Dowie would seek redress in the courts, is entirely wrong," said Mr. Wetten. "That will be our last resort, and I am of the opinion that there will be no need to ask the courts for assistance. Dowie's principal desire in this matter is to see that every person who has ever invested a dollar in Zion City, or any of the business enterprises of his, receives payment in full on investments. At the conference I had in Zion City today with those now in control at that place, considerable progress was made in reaching an understanding. We went over the whole situation as to the rights and as to what was due Dowie. At the meeting tonight with Dowie and his counsel, I informed them of the attitude of the men of the board who are in control at Zion City, and advised conciliation. "Dowie and his Lieutenants seemed favorably impressed with what I had to say, and it was decided that I should continue my efforts for peace. Nothing was mentioned as to who should be the mediatorial head of the church, as we did not have time to touch on that point. "Our plans are still only in the primary stage, but a plan is being considered, whereby an effort will be made to have the whole affair left to a board of arbitration chosen from representatives of both sides. It will take some time to get matters into such condition that the men of the board can be agreed upon, but the indications tonight are that in the end this will be the means used to get the warring factions together once more."

ITALY'S KING WEPT OVER VICTIMS OF VESUVIUS

The Conditions Today Show Some Improvement, but the Awful Rain of Ashes Continues to Cause Buildings to Collapse --- Heartrending Scenes in the Devastated Regions.

NAPLES, April 12—Viewed as a whole the conditions throughout the area affected by the eruption of Mount Vesuvius are better this morning as compared with those of the early hours of yesterday. Frequent detonations are still heard, and faintly. The main crater is gradually enlarging. The rain of ashes over the Mediterranean side of the volcano has diminished. The heaviest fall is now over Somma, Santa Matasia, Ponticelli, and other villages in a section opposite and distant from the city. Large contingents of troops have arrived, affording a military escort to the king and queen, and all eventualities. The garrison has been doubled, and salutes ordered from the squadron in the bay will help restore and maintain public order. For a time after midnight the eruptions were somewhat more acute.

Smothered in Ashes

NAPLES, April 12, 10 a. m.—From all quarters come reports that the situation has ameliorated, but ashes from Mount Vesuvius are falling everywhere, houses are collapsing, and burying their occupants and roads near the volcano are no longer open except that they are closed again by falling clinders. The inhabitants of the city are enduring the yellow gray ash dusts of automobiles, coat, cap, and glasses, which enables the wearer to maintain a semblance of cleanliness, but the people generally have a fast, beef, mutton and paper meals and raised unbr-

THE MARKET FOR EASTER

Eggs are High—Fine Display of Poultry, Meats, Green Stuff and Flowers.

Anyone who could not make a selection for their Easter dinner from the good things shown in the country market today would indeed be hard to please. Fine, plump, fresh-killed turkeys are shown, as are also chickens, fowl and geese. The display of poultry is especially fine. The display of meats is also very fine. The display of green stuff and flowers is also very fine. The market is generally well supplied with all the necessities of life.

VICTORY FOR MISS FRENCH

Barristers Society Recommends That She be Admitted to the Bar.

FREDERICTON, N. B., April 12 (Special)—The Council of the Barristers Society met this morning and decided to recommend that Miss Isabel French, St. John, be admitted as an attorney. She will be sworn in before the supreme court on Tuesday morning. The recommendation was made after a long and interesting discussion. The council is of the opinion that Miss French is well qualified to practice law.

MR. DEFOREST WILL RUN

But He Will Not Engage in Any Active Campaign for Dukes Ward Aldermanic Seat.

There will be an electoral contest for the aldermanic seat in Dukes ward, despite the reports to the contrary. S. S. DeForest, who was nominated to oppose Ald. Vanwert, said that his nomination was made by some of his friends, he is not in the fight now that he is in it. Mr. DeForest found that after the nomination he was not in a position to resign. He will run for the seat, but he will not engage in any active campaign.

MAUNDY THURSDAY AT THE CATHEDRAL

This being Maundy Thursday, Pontifical High Mass was celebrated in the Cathedral this morning by His Lordship, Bishop Cuy. During the mass the blessing of the oils took place. At the conclusion of the mass His Lordship, carrying the Blessed Sacrament, was followed by priests and altar boys, formed in procession and walked around the interior of the cathedral to the side chapel, where the Blessed Sacrament was placed in the repository. In the sanctuary this morning were Father Pointier, of St. Mary's; Fr. C. P. Carleton, of Peterborough; Fr. LeBlanc, of Cape Bay; Dr. L. Guertin, of St. Joseph's College; Fr. A. J. O'Neill, of Silver Falls; Fr. Mahoney, of St. Peter's; N. E. and Patricia A. W. Meahan, of W. Holland; D. O'Keefe and P. J. Lockery of the cathedral parish.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

HIS WEDDED WOE. Mr. Peter Binks has lost his interest in the civic elections, and in most other mundane affairs. To put the matter plainly, Mr. Binks is in the dumps. It is supposed that at this season of the year a kind of restlessness attacks the female members of the Binks family, and communicates itself with unobscured regularity to Mr. Binks. "I told Mrs. Binks last week," he said to the Times new reporter this morning, "that the winter wasn't over yet. I warned her that we would have a cold spell till early in May, and that this was no thing to go digging around and tearing off outside windows, and ripping up carpets and that sort of thing. "But you can't argue with a woman—especially with Mrs. Binks. When she gets her house-keeping bug, it's good-bye to peace and comfort at her house. She started in last week, and followed it up this week, and then the cold came, and the snow, and the rain, and the wind came along, and she says it's all my fault. "Oh, says it's my fault. It is always my fault. I wanted a cold in my head. I love to sneeze, and go about the streets sneezing like a hyacinth or something. "I haven't had a square meal for a week. I'm keeping Lent. I didn't set out to do it—but it came after me. Mrs. Binks has a worse odd than mine, and blames me for it. The house is a drag shop. But the carnival goes on. One woman starts out you might as well try to stop the wind. I had a lobster and cold water for breakfast and an to take home a box of smoked fish and some biscuits for dinner. For supper I'll have what's left from dinner. But the doctor says I may have pneumonia tomorrow. That's gone comfort. It may be fatal. "It will be inferred from these remarks that Mr. Binks is somewhat disturbed in his usual way."

YOUNG CRAWFORD BLEEDS TO DEATH

St. Paul Street Lad Who Died Last Night Under Peculiar Circumstances---He Had been Fighting With Fred Laskey--Police Have Case in Hand.

Was the death of Stanley Crawford the result of a beating received at the hands of Fred Laskey? That is the question which is being asked today. Young Crawford, who was eleven years old, and who lived on St. Paul street died last night. Crawford and Laskey engaged in a fistie encounter two weeks ago and shortly after the young boy started bleeding and last evening he died after bringing up copious quantities of blood. The police are looking into the case. According to the boy's mother and Dr. James Christie, who was the attending physician, the boy bled to death and the bleeding seems to be that his death was due indirectly to a beating which he received from a boy named Fred Laskey, who resides on City Road. Mrs. Crawford said this morning that she had nothing to say in her opinion on the fact that Stanley had been young Laskey had beaten him and to substantiate this statement two black discolored areas are to be found on the boy's body, one on the hips and the other on the leg. From the boy's story, as told to his mother, he was on the street two weeks ago last night when Laskey came along and said, "I'll give you a shot." This remark was in view of the fact that there was snow on the ground and the boys were throwing snowballs. Young Crawford then threw a snowball at Laskey, which struck him and then Laskey came back and beat him. Nothing was thought of the matter until the Saturday following when Mrs. Crawford found marks of blood on the boy's pillow. She made inquiries and learned that Stanley had been bleeding from the mouth. It was then that he told of the beating he had received. Besides his father and mother, young Crawford is survived by 5 brothers and one sister.

EXPORTS NOW \$19,714,720

And There are Still Nineteen Cargoes to go Forward.

The total value of the season's exports up to date is \$10,714,720, with nineteen more cargoes to be sent forward. The C. P. R. steamship Montrose's outward cargo for London and Antwerp is valued at \$208,262. The steamship Kasalia, now on her way to Glasgow, from this port, has a cargo of \$1,000,000. The South Africa steamship Orana, on her way to Cape Town and other South African ports, has a cargo of \$1,000,000. The American goods on board this steamer are valued at \$303,284.

BANK OF ENGLAND

LONDON, April 12—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes: Reserve, decreased, £2,246,000; circulation, decreased, £82,000; bullion, decreased, £2,164,151; other securities, decreased, £11,460,000; public deposits, increased, £1,080,000; public deposits, decreased, £5,641,000; notes reserve, decreased, £2,137,000; government securities, unchanged. The proportion of the bank's reserve to liability this week is 44.10 per cent, as compared with 45.38 per cent, last week.

STREET CARS FOR CHARLOTTETOWN

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., April 12 (Special)—The date of placing the street cars in the Charlottetown Electric Transit & Power Company, passed its second reading. A lively discussion took place regarding Sunday cars, and a motion for amending the bill was defeated. The bill contains no mention of Sunday running.

POLICE HAD HARD TIME WITH AN AUSTRALIAN

A Drunken Orgy in Carleton and a Sequel in Court This Morning--The Woes of an Irish Sailor Man.

A good deal of business was transacted in the police court this morning in a short time. The principal offender this morning was George Goldsmith, a native of Australia. He was charged with being drunk on Watson street, and resisting the police. To the first charge Goldsmith pleaded guilty, and was fined \$8 or two months in jail, but he denied resisting the officer, and was remanded on that charge. The Times learned that last night about six o'clock Goldsmith, who is a married man, residing on King street, W. E., was in a house on Watson street where Thomas Wright (colored) lives, with a woman named Hayes, and there the Australian and Hayes started drinking together. The liquor evidently made them ugly, for they broke everything portable in the house. Having disposed of all the furniture in the Hayes mansion, the men went up stairs, where Mrs. Wright resides, and there commenced an onslaught upon her furniture. Mrs. Wright, finding that she could do nothing with the men, sought the aid of the Carleton police, and Officers Gosling and Lee went to her rescue. They ordered Wright and Goldsmith out of the house, and the former complied with their request. Goldsmith refused to leave, however, and stated that the officers would have the biggest contract on their hands if they ever had, if they attempted to eject him. The police did not hesitate to perform their duty, and Goldsmith immediately put up a hard fight. Down two flights of stairs the officers dragged their prisoner, the latter swearing and cursing all the time, and kicking and attempting to bite Officer Gosling. He also told the officer that he would fill him up with cold lead, if he had the instrument with which to do the work. From Watson street to the lockup, the police had to drag Goldsmith, and the threats he made scared the carleton citizens, who happened to witness the arrest. Goldsmith looks like a snail and is a strong man. He has been working at winter port work this winter. Officer Patrick, commonly known as