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COURT RULES CASE MUST GO ON

Costs Go to the Defendant, However, in Any Event.

Chief Justice H. A. McKeown, sitting in the Supreme Court, King's Bench Division, this morning, dismissed a motion made by Dr. W. B. Wallace, K. C., on behalf of the defendant to set aside the case of C. Ernest Hill, Inc., Boston, against William McHenry, master of the schooner Ida B. Gibson, for replevin in the matter of loss of 1,336,000 spruce laths, alleged destroyed when the schooner went aground at St. Martins last July.

The vessel was chartered by the plaintiffs through Captain McHenry to load for Boston, and after taking on cargo, sprang a leak before she sailed. The plaintiff alleges he requested McHenry to unload the laths, but he refused.

Dr. Wallace moved that the action be set aside on the ground of failure of the plaintiff to file a statement of claim within the statutory time. C. F. Inches, counsel for the plaintiff, filed an affidavit in which he told of having several conferences with Dr. Wallace in which he understood that delay in filing the statement of claim was agreeable to him. Dr. Wallace denied recollection of these meetings.

The judge gave his decision dismissing the motion, with costs to the defendant in any event.

Campobello Case.

In the matter of the case of Sarah A. Batson against the Community Hall, Campobello, Judge McKeown gave a decision reversing the verdict of the magistrate. The magistrate had convicted the defendant under the highway act on a charge of obstructing the highway, but the summons had been served on the secretary of the Community Hall while he was in the United States, which was irregular.

A NEW RECORD FOR NEWSPRINT MILLS

Montreal, Jan. 25—The production of newsprint paper in North America hung up a new record in 1923, the total for the United States and Canada surpassing by 218,000 tons, or nearly nine per cent., the previous high mark of 2,530,000 tons in 1922, according to the report made by R. S. Kellogg, secretary at the annual meeting of the Newsprint Service Bureau here today.

The United States mills, the report says, produced 1,485,000 tons of newsprint, or 87,000 tons more than in 1922, and also more than any previous year, except 1920, when the total was 1,512,000 tons.

In Canada the output last year was 1,263,000 tons or 181,000 tons more than in 1922. Over 80 per cent. of the Canadian output was marketed in the United States.

MAHARG LOSES IN SASKATCHEWAN

Moose Jaw, Sask., Jan. 25.—George E. Edwards was elected president of the Saskatchewan Grain Growers' Association this afternoon over Hon. J. A. Maharg, the only other contestant. No figures were given as to the voting, the scrutineers announcing that Mr. Edwards was elected by a majority vote.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50 cents

BIRTHS

NOYES—At 29 Graves Avenue, Lynn, Mass., Jan. 19, 1924, to Mr. and Mrs. Leon A. Noyes, a son, Donald Partelow.

DEATHS

MITCHELL—At 20 Millidge St., on the 25th inst., Mary A. Mitchell, leaving four sisters and two brothers to mourn.

Funeral on Monday from his late residence. Service at 2.30 o'clock.

McNULTY—At the St. John Infirmary, on Jan. 25, 1924, James McNulty, leaving his wife, one son and three daughters to mourn.

Funeral on Monday morning at 8.30 o'clock from his late residence, 399 Chesley street, to St. Peter's Church for solemn requiem high mass. Friends invited.

RYAN—In this city, on Jan. 25, 1924, Patrick Ryan, leaving his wife, four sons and one daughter to mourn.

Funeral from his late residence, 185 Waterloo street, Monday morning at 8.45, to the Cathedral for high mass of requiem.

DEARBORN—At Orlando, Florida, on Jan. 22, 1924, Harry Newman Dearborn, son of the late John N. and Clara H. Dearborn.

Funeral on Monday, Jan. 28, 1924, from the residence of A. H. Wetmore, 175 Canterbury street. Service at 3.30 o'clock.

IN MEMORIAM

HUGHES — In loving memory of Phoebe Hughes, who departed this life Jan. 26, 1921.

HUSBAND AND FAMILY.

SARGEANT—In loving memory of our dear mother, Mrs. Thomas N. Sargeant, who departed this life Jan. 26, 1918.

Thou art gone but not forgotten.

FAMILY.

STACKHOUSE—In loving memory of W. O. Stackhouse, departed this life Jan. 26, 1920.

Four years have passed,
Our hearts still sore,
As time goes on we miss him more.
Gone, but not forgotten.

SON MURRAY, AND GRANDCHILDREN HOWARD AND CLIFFORD.

CARD OF THANKS

FUNERAL NOTICE

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

The officers and members of Union Lodge, No. 2, Knights of Pythias, are requested to meet at 175 Canterbury street, on Monday afternoon, Jan. 28, at 3.15 o'clock, to attend the funeral of our late brother,

HARRY N. DEARBORN.

Service at the house at 3.30.

By order of the C. C.,
J. L. SUTHERLAND,
K. of R. and S.

Members of Sister Lodges invited to attend. 5664—1—28

PERSONALS

Mrs. Harold L. Christie left today for Moncton, where she will be the guest of her brother, Dr. R. G. Girvan, and Mrs. Girvan.

Provincial Fire Marshall H. H. McLellan returned to the city last night after completing his investigation of the recent fire at Florenceville.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. A. Westrup returned to the city yesterday from McKee's Mills. Mr. Westrup will resume his duties as acting pastor at the Main street Baptist church.

Miss Mabel Rogers of West St. John left last evening on a three months' visit in Montreal, Toronto, Rochester, N. Y., and Williamsport, Pa.

S. R. Weston will leave on Monday for Moncton to meet Hon. Dr. E. A. Smith, chairman of the New Brunswick Electric Power Commission, and will accompany the members of the commission to Quebec, where the matter of storage waters in Quebec for the Grand Falls project will be discussed with the government.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Estabrooks are to leave tonight for New York, from which port they will sail on January 30 for the Mediterranean. They expect to be away about three months.

Miss Helen Simms has returned from Portland, Me., where she attended the funeral of her mother. She is the guest of her brother, Philip Simms, Lancaster avenue, where she will spend a few days before returning to her studies at Acadia University, Wolfville.

THINK DEGENERATE IS THE MURDERER

Police Find Toronto Woman Slain, Blankets Wrapped About Head.

Toronto, Jan. 26—The police are seeking a clue to the murderer of Mrs. Martha Crooks, aged 52, a widow, whose battered body was found at noon yesterday on the floor of her home at 184 Jameson avenue. Her broken and battered skull, her disarranged clothing, and two blood-stained hammers lying on the floor, led to the story of one of the most fiendish and revolting crimes in the history of crime in this province.

The murderer is believed to have gained admittance by representing himself as an applicant for a room to rent. Mrs. Crooks kept a rooming house. The police believe he is the same man who made an unsuccessful attempt about two weeks ago with a wrench upon a woman in a west end home. He had called there under a similar pretext.

Finger print experts secured some excellent print impressions at Mrs. Crooks' home. Detectives are convinced that robbery was not the motive of the attack. They expressed the opinion that it was the work of a degenerate.

Mrs. Crooks' head was wrapped around with several blankets and sheets taken from a room downstairs. A sheet was tied rather tightly around the throat as though to indicate strangling.

CANADA'S TEXTILE MILLS CURTAILING

Montreal, Jan. 25—Cotton textile mills of Canada are experiencing a greater slackness in business than met with in the past ten years. Many of them are running on half time. The cause of this is attributed to the high price of raw cotton, which has forced manufactured prices up to a point where the trade will not buy more than immediate requirements. From the beginning of the war until the middle of last year, the mills were operating well up to capacity.

SHIP'S OFFICERS HURT IN STORM

Halifax, Jan. 25—After a 22 days passage during which mountainous seas were encountered, the Anglo-American oil tanker Suwanne, bound from Great Britain to New York, arrived in port today with bunkers empty, and in need of repais.

On January 16, when about half way across, the Suwanne was washed by a tremendous sea which swept all in its path, smashing rails and decks, sweeping over the funnel and nearly banking the ship's fires. Capt. Taylor who had a narrow escape from being swept overboard from the bridge, sustained a broken leg, while Engineer Clark has a dislocated shoulder and a broken arm.

LOSES LIFE WHILE PRACTISING THROW

Lawrence, Mass., Jan. 25—Lieutenant Arthur D. Smith, of Company B, 182nd Infantry, Massachusetts national guard, was killed when he was accidentally struck by a 12-pound shot thrown by William Laughlin, a private in Company B. Lieutenant Smith, who was 22 years old, was running around the track in the state armory drill shed, practicing for the American Legion track games to be held in February. As he turned a raised corner the shot struck him in the pit of the stomach. He died on the way to a hospital.

ESTIMATES FOR HARBOR IN 1924

Details of Figures Submitted to Council by Commissioner Bullock.

Following will be found the details of the estimates submitted by Commissioner Bullock for the year 1924:

HARBOR ESTIMATES FOR 1924.

C. P. R. Wharf.

Repair cribwork of wharf and pair and strengthening cribwork of Potato Sheds	$11,400
Insurance	380
	$11,780

Union Wharf.

Clean and paint water and steam pipes 1, 2, 3, 4, sheds	$ 600
Maintenance of gravel roofs 1, 2, 3 sheds	200
Repair to substructure and trestle of No. 3 shed	14,000
Rewire lighting system No. 1 and 2 sheds	800
Richard Wilcox, hangers, track side No. 3 shed and metal check bottom of doors	2,100
Coal	200
Interest and sinking fund	32,500
Police, sweepers	6,500
Insurance, including use and occupancy and fire	7,500
Workmen's Compensation	450
Telephone	150
Contingencies, unforseen damage, snow removal, &c., &c.	2,000
	$67,000

South Rodney.

Reconstruct and partly renew old portion of trestle adjoining No. 5 shed	$16,500
Renew platform ship's side No. 5 shed	4,950
Renew platform ship's side, No. 6 shed	5,420
Clean and paint steam and water pipes, 5 and 6	400
General light repairs to roofs, 5 and 6	300
Coal	1,000
Police, sweepers and furnaceman	6,000
Interest and sinking fund	32,400
Insurance, includes use and occupancy	4,000
Telephone	120
Workmen's Compensation	650
Contingencies, unforseen damage, snow removal, etc., etc.	2,000
	$73,740

North Rodney.

Sweeper	$ 1,035
Interest and sinking fund	3,450
Workmen's Compensation	80
Contingencies, unforseen damage, snow removal, etc., etc.	2,000
	$6,565

Nelson Wharf

Contingencies, unforseen damage, snow removal, etc., etc.	$400

Wellington Wharf

Interest and sinking fund	830
Contingencies, unforseen damage, snow removal, etc., etc.	500
	$1,330

Union Street, West.

Repairs	$1,000

Public Wharf, Indiantown.

General repairs to wharf, practically rebuild upper portion	$ 6,000
Workmen's Compensation	50
	$6,050

North and South Market Wharves

Interest and sinking fund	$ 1,000
Sweepers	1,260
Contingencies	200
	$2,450

McLeod Wharf.

Proportion of cost of new heating system and changes in offices and rest rooms	$ 2,500
Interest and sinking fund	5,500
Police and sweepers	1,605
Insurance	320
Workmen's Compensation	75
Contingencies, unforseen damage, snow removal, etc., etc.	500
Re-wiring lighting system	700
	$11,250

Pettingell Wharf

Moving face of building fronting on harbor back 8 ft and repairing	$ 1,660
Proportion of cost of new heating system, changes in offices and rest rooms	2,500
Police and sweepers	1,605
Insurance	275
Interest and sinking fund	205
Workmen's Compensation	75
Contingencies, unforseen damage, snow removal, etc., etc.	500
Re-wiring lighting system	500
	$7,320

New Pier Wharf

New stringers in floor and replank "Belgian" warehouse and minor repairs	$2,300
Sweepers and police	1,605
Insurance	250
Workmen's Compensation	75
Contingencies, unforseen damage, snow removal, etc., etc.	500
	$4,730

Reed's Point Wharf

Repairs to "Lean-to" shed	$1,910
Repair and replank portion of wharf	1,170
Repair cribwork underneath warehouse next to "Lean-to" shed, E. S. S. Co.	4,630
Interest and sinking fund	3,100
Insurance	760
Workmen's Compensation	150
Contingencies, unforseen damage, snow removal, etc., etc.	500
	$12,220

Sydney Market Wharf

Interest and sinking fund	$310
Workmen's Compensation	60
Contingencies, unforseen damage, snow removal, etc., etc.	200
	$570

Charlotte Street Extension

New cribwork 20 ft. wide in front of present cribwork, sufficiently strong to carry trestle	$25,800
Interest and sinking fund	380
Workmen's Compensation	500
Contingencies, unforseen damage, snow removal, etc., etc.	300
	$26,980

Harbour

Proportion of commissioner's salary	$ 1,000
Proportion of engineer's salary	910
Harbor Master's salary	3,000
Proportion of chief clerk's salary	875
Proportion of stenographer's salary	550
Draftsman	1,565
Uniforms	300
Blue print machine, power, paper, etc.	230
Printing, stationery, note-books, &c.	500
Light	260
Office rent	1,100
Ferry tickets, telephone, incidentals	500
Reversing rudder or reversing gear for motor boat	260
Interest and sinking fund on Tool House, West Side	200
Superintendent's salary	1,800
Advertising	150
Reporting vessels	100
Harbor Master's clerk and inspectors	1,800
Inspection as required	1,000
	$16,420

Total estimates	$249,815
Less amount of proposed bond issue	50,300
Less amount of revenue (estimated)	199,515

What's It About

Here is a close-up of Dr. Hermes, former German minister of finance. He has arrived in New York from Germany on a mysterious mission for his government.

WAS ORDAINED BY CARDINAL BEGIN

Parents of St. John Priest Present at Ceremony in Quebec.

On January 20, in the private chapel of His Eminence Cardinal L. N. Begin, at Quebec, two young men who had entered the Congregation of the Holy Cross—Rev. George Breen and Rev. Alfred Pellerin—were raised to the priesthood. His Eminence officiated at the ceremony, assisted by Rev. Father F. Mondow, C. S. C., and Rev. Father C. Vanier, C. S. C., Superior of the scholasticate at Quebec.

Father Breen was accompanied by Rev. H. A. Vanier, C. S. C., one of his former professors at St. Joseph's College, St. Joseph's, N. B. Father Pellerin was accompanied by his parish priest, Father H. D. Cormier of Moncton.

Father Breen celebrated his first mass at the Shrine of St. Anne de Beaupre, and Father Pellerin said his first mass at the Church of Notre Dame des Victoires.

The parents of Father Breen, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. P. Breen of St. John, were in attendance to witness the conferring of the great dignity on their son. They were accompanied by Harold Breen and Miss Evelyn Breen, brother and sister of the new priest. Among others who witnessed the impressive ceremony were Father Pellerin's mother and his brother. Other relatives from Moncton were also present. Stephen Mooney, B. C. L., was also present, with about 80 seminarians of the Congregation of the Holy Cross.

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THE THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

OLD HOMESTEAD AT OPERA HOUSE

In response to hundreds of requests, the Carroll Players will present "The Old Homestead" all next week, and, as this most popular of all the rural comedy dramas is probably the most sought for play of the stock season, it will doubtless play to capacity audiences all week, appealing as it does to all ages.

OIL STOCK DEAL CAUSES ARRESTS

Syracuse, N. Y., Jan. 25—Charged with attempting to obtain money fraudulently from Henry Ford Richardson, a wealthy resident of Kingston, Ont., Edmund A. Treveau, of Baltimore, and Albert E. Townsend, of St. Louis, were arrested by detectives here today. The alleged swindle was in connection with a proposed deal in oil stocks shares. No money was obtained from Mr. Richardson.

ENJOYED STORY TELLING.

Mrs. C. F. Sanford was the story teller at the Free Public Library this morning and the children thoroughly enjoyed the hour.

EXPRESS RATE MEETINGS

The Board of Trade has been advised that the Board of Railway Commissioners will hold sittings in Halifax on Feb. 4, Moncton on Feb. 5, and at the Court House, St. John, on Wednesday, Feb. 6, commencing at ten a.m. The object is to hear the representations of parties concerned in the matter of adjustment of express rates.

STILL MYSTERY AS TO C. HEFFERNAN

Relative Tells of Letters Received Some Two Years Ago.

Mystery still surrounds the question as to whether Cornelius Heffernan, who disappeared from St. John about five years ago, is still alive. A relative who works in the city market said he had received a couple of letters from the missing man more than two years ago; he was then in Halifax. Since then he had been informed that he had been seen in Winnipeg where he was visiting relatives, and still later a report reached the city that Cornelius had been seen in Montreal. So far as can be learned, however, no communication has been received from Mr. Heffernan for more than a year.

Mrs. Heffernan, at her home 65 Erin street, said last night that the first word she received that made her believe that her husband was dead was a letter from Rev. Andrew McLeod, of Montreal, a couple of months ago, in which the clergyman stated that a man had been admitted to the hospital unconscious and died on April 2, last year, without regaining consciousness. The clergyman also stated that among his possessions was a small account book in which was the address of C. Heffernan, City Market, St. John.

Mrs. Heffernan said that she still had the letter, but could not locate it just then. She could not remember the name of the hospital. She thought that possibly the clergyman was not at the hospital at the time of the death, but as word had been sent out about five years ago when her husband had disappeared, the clergyman might have seen it on the records and then sent word. Mrs. Heffernan said later that her husband at all times carried a small account book in his pocket.

After receiving the letter from the Rev. Andrew McLeod, she replied and received another letter confirming the statement given in the first letter. She could give no reason why she or others were not notified last April, when the man died.

On one occasion she heard that her husband was in a Sanitarium near Montreal. She got in communication with a clergyman, but the latter, on making an investigation, could not locate her husband there.

DRUG WORTH $250,000 SECRETED ON SHIP

New York, Jan. 25—Morphine valued at $250,000 was found concealed in the panelled walls of the chief electrician's room aboard the Italian steamship Colombo yesterday by customs agents. Salvatore Scodalro, the chief electrician, was arrested. The Colombo arrived from Naples.

FARMERS OF SASK. ABANDON POLITICS

Moose Jaw, Sask., Jan. 25.—After an experience of two years, and on the recommendation of the executive and central board, the Saskatchewan Grain Growers' Association has gone out of provincial politics. With six opposing, the annual convention here this afternoon, a dopted a resolutoin rescinding resolutions passed at the convention of 1922 by which the association declared itself in politics provincially and constituted a committe to assist constituencies in their local centests.

MYSTERIOUS MAN RESEMBLES SMALL

Toronto, Jan. 25—Claiming relationship with the family of Joseph Feaver, an East End resident, a man who is said to resemble Ambrose J. Small, the missing theatrical magnate, remained as a guest of the family for a day and a night. The stranger who claimed that he possessed "untold wealth" is believed to be the man who recently visited a North Toronto home and making similar claims of relationship, was entertained for some days.

C. P. R. to Build At Three Rivers

Quebec, Jan. 26.—(Canadian Press).—The city of Three Rivers will have a new C. P. R. station which will cost $580,000 and a freight shed costing $90,000. The agreement between the company and the city is now before the legislature for ratification.

SEER SEES PEACE, WAR FOLLOWING

Professor of Budapest Makes Prophecies for This Year and Later.

(United Press.)

Berlin, Jan. 26.—The man who, a year ago, accurately predicted for 1923:

The Ruhr occupation,
Volcanoes in Italy,
Earthquakes in Japan,
Erection of a dictator in Germany,
Change in Presidents in the United States,
Stabilization of the Austrian crown.

Today has a word to say about 1924.

He is a certain Professor Raymond of Budapest. Last year his sensational predictions, all of which have come to pass, were widely printed. He has just consented to tell to a waiting world just what 1924—and even later years—has in store for us. He predicts:

Germany will begin payments in kind and in cash on her reparations debt, which will be entirely cleared up in at least 25 years,

Complete evacuation of the Ruhr by the French,

Establishment of a self-governing Rhenish republic,

German dictator will bring better times to Germany,

Energetic finance reforms carried out in Germany,

Several foreign countries will assist Germany financially,

Even France will offer a loan in 1925 to Germany,

Bavaria will separate itself from the Reich—in 1925,

The Wittelsbach house will regain the Bavarian throne before 1930,

Bavaria will be friendly with Austria but will not join her,

The ex-kaiser will never regain his throne,

The ex-crown prince will not have any political future,

No need for fear of a new Franco-German war,

In 1934, especially in 1938 Germany and France will come closer and closer together,

Poland protected by France and Czecho-Slovakia has a bright future,

The little Entente will continue,

Massaryk will remain at his post until his death,

Mussolini will bring about an understanding between the Catholic church and the Italian state,

Mussolini to Vanish

Mussolini will vanish as a public character within three years,

Revolution in Spain will threaten the throne, and Alfonso will flee to England and a republic will be proclaimed,

In the United States, either in 1928 or 1929, the Democrats will return to power,

In 1925 the United States interventionists will prevail to the benefit of Germany, Austria, Hungary, Italy and Greece,

Russia, in 1924, will ask for admission to the League of Nations,

The Bolsheviks will make treaties with Germany and England,

An unexpected change in the conditions of Russia will bring the bourgeois into control again,

The Franco-British entente will not be threatened but 1924 will see the relations between Germany and England knit more and more closely.

In 1924 Lloyd George will play a leading role again,

Within a few years a combined French-Italian and Italian-Russian-German bloc will defeat England and she will lose all her colonies,

Between 1942 and 1946 the United States will fight Japan and lose,

Poincare will remain at the head of the French government at least during 1924,

Between 1928 and 1932 Briand will regain the premiership,

In 1924 will come earthquakes, the death of two well-known French statesmen, the murder of two Russian Bolshevik leaders and the sudden death of a foreign minister who has harmed France greatly.

BUYING OF OIL SHARES FEATURE

Advance in Prices is Resumed at Wall Street Opening.

New York, Jan. 26—Heavy buying of the oil shares featured the opening of today's market which, witnessed a resumption of yesterday's advance. Houston Oil opened a point higher and a number of others in that group improved fractionally. United States Steel common advanced ¼ to 104¾, the highest since last spring. Coppers were firm.

Montreal Market.

Montreal, Jan. 26—Trading was active and prices irregular during the first half hour session of the local stock market this morning.

Spanish River issues led in point of activity and were both firmer. The common sold at the new high of 107, up 2½ points, while the preferred came out with an overnight gain of ½ to 111. Laurentide was off one point to 95¼, and Abitibi dropped ¼ to 64½.

Other price changes included: Penmans, up 3 points to 160; Quebec Power, up one point to 69½; Bell off ¼ to 129¾, and Smelters off ½ to 38.

Notes.

London, Jan. 26—Bar silver 33 9-16d per ounce.

Montreal, Jan. 26—Cables $4.24½.

New York, Jan. 26.
Stocks to 12 noon.

	Open	High	Low
Atchison	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝
Am Beet Sugar	44¼	44¼	44¼
Am Can	112	112⅝	112
Am Int Corp	23⅝	23⅝	23⅝
Balt & Ohio	58⅝	58⅝	58¼
Bald Locomotive	125½	125½	125¼
Beth Steel	58	58⅞	58
Cuban Cane	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞
Calif Pete	27¼	27¼	27¼
Corn Products	186⅞	187	186⅞
Cons Gas	65⅞	65⅞	65⅞
Coco Cola	76	76	76
Cuban Am Sugar	36⅝	36⅝	36⅝
Crucible	68	68¼	68
Davidson Chem	60¼	61	60¼
Dupont	131½	132¼	131½
Erie Com	26	26	26
Famous Players	65⅝	65⅝	65⅝
Gen Electric	221¼	223	221¼
Great Nor Pfd	58¼	58¼	58
Gulf Steel	85¼	85¼	84⅞
Houston Oil	72	72	72
Inspiration	27¼	27¼	27¼
Inter Paper	38⅝	38⅝	38⅝
Indus Alcohol	78⅝	78⅝	77⅞
Kennecott	37	37	37
Marine Pfd	31¼	31¼	31¼
Marland Oil	40⅛	40⅝	40¼
Mack Truck	86⅞	86⅞	86¼
Mex Seaboard	16	16	16
New Haven	19⅝	19⅝	19⅝
N Y Central	103⅝	103½	103¼
North Am Co	24⅝	24⅝	24¼
Pennsylvania	45	46¼	45
Pan Am A	52¼	52¼	50⅝
Pan Am B	50⅝	50⅝	49
Phillips Pete	40	40	40
Pere Marquette	43⅝	43⅝	43⅝
Prod & Ref	41½	41⅝	41¼
Pacific Oil	53½	53½	52¼
Rep I & Steel	56¼	57	56¼
Roy Dutch	56¼	56¼	56¼
Rock Island	25⅝	25⅝	25⅝
Rubber	40⅝	40⅝	40⅝
Sugar	56⅝	56⅝	56⅝
Sinclair Oil	23½	23½	23¼
Southern Pac	87½	88¼	87½
Southern Ry	44	44¼	44
Tobacco B	68	68½	68
U S Steel	104⅝	104⅞	104⅜
Vanadium Steel	30	30	30
Westinghouse	64⅞	64⅞	64⅞

Sterling—423.
N Y Funds—2⅞%.

MONTREAL MARKET
Montreal, Jan. 26.
Stocks to 12 noon.

	Open	High	Low
Abitibi	64⅞	66¼	64⅝
Atlantic Sugar	20	20	20
Atlantic Sugar Pfd	42	42	42
Bell Telephone	129¾	129¾	129½
Brazilian	46¼	46¼	46
B Empire 2nd Pfd	13	13	13
Brompton	40	40	39¾
Can Car Com	42	42½	42
Can Car Pfd	88½	89	88¼
Can Cement Com	86	86	86
Cons S & Min	38	38	37⅞
Detroit United	70	70	70
Dom Glass	104	104	104
Dom Textile	63	63	63
H Smith Paper	63¾	63¾	63½
Lake of Woods	177	177	177
Laurentide	95¾	95¾	94¼
Mackay	115	115	115
Mackay Pfd	68½	68½	68½
Mon L H & Pr	152¼	153	152¼
Nat Breweries	54¼	54⅞	54¼
Penmans Ltd	158½	160	158½
Shawinigan	127¼	127¼	127
Spanish River	105½	106¾	105½
Span River Pfd	111	111¾	111
Steel Canada	73¾	79	78
Twin City	66	66	66

Banks:—
Royal—214.
Molsons—158.
Union—107.

SHIPPING

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived Yesterday.

Str Bothwell, 4094, Dott, Hamburg and London.

Sailed Yesterday.

Str Montlaurier, 9858, Turnbull, Liverpool.

Arrived Saturday, Jan. 26.

Gas schooner Snow Maiden, 30, Foster, Grand Harbor.

Cleared.

Gas schooner Snow Maiden, 30, Foster, Grend Harbor.

Schooner Corrine Gotro, 33, Gotro, St. Martins.

Capital Hockey Player Ruled Out

Fredericton, Jan. 26.—Frederick Reed, star wing player of the U. N. B. hockey team, who played all last winter for Fredericton, has been ruled ineligible to play any more for Fredericton in the western section of the M. P. A. H. L.

The ruling has been made by President A. W. Covey, of the M. B. of A. A. U. of Canada, who appears to be all-powerful insofar as the eligibility of players in the Maritime Provinces is concerned inasmuch as the M. P. A. H. A. is not actually affiliated with the Canadian A. H. A., although it was generally supposed to be.

NO RAIL STRIKE IS LIKELY IN CANADA

Ottawa, Jan. 25—An immediate strike among maintenance of way employes as a consequence of a strike vote is not expected in labor circles here.

Expectations now is that the result of the ballot will be communicated to the Railway Association or to the heads of the railway companies, with the view to further negotiations before there is question of actually declaring a strike.

DISABLED VESSEL GETS TO HALIFAX

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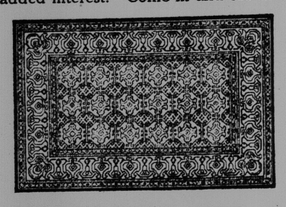

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