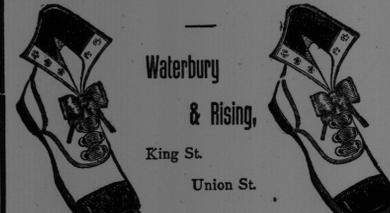




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PREMIER HAZEN PLANS A GERRYMANDER ACT FOR WESTMORLAND

FREDERICTON, N. B., April 25.—The legislature might not now proceed nearly as soon as was expected, judging from proceedings in the House yesterday, and it may be difficult to wind up at the end of the week. Two motions of want of confidence, one by Mr. Copp and the other by Mr. Robinson, of which due notice was given on Saturday, adds considerable to the programme. The first motion comes up Monday afternoon, and as it is said no adjournment will be allowed, this means a very late or all night session.

Mr. Munro reported for the municipal committee. Mr. Dickson reported the report of the agriculture committee. Hon. Mr. Hazen introduced a bill relating to the issue of debentures by school trustees of the town of Newcastle. ELECTIONS ACT. Hon. Mr. Hazen introduced a bill to amend the New Brunswick Elections Act. He explained the purpose of the bill was to separate the City of Moncton from the county as an electoral district. The bill provided that the City of Moncton would have one member and the County of Westmorland, outside the city, three members.

WINDSOR MAN IS A SUICIDE

M. G. De Wolfe Drowns Himself ILL HEALTH, CAUSE Elmhurst Hotel at Liverpool Destroyed by Fire

HALIFAX, N. S., April 23.—The Elmhurst Hotel, Liverpool, N. S., was destroyed by fire this morning. The alarm was given at five o'clock when the building was discovered in flames. A fierce fight was given the firemen, who kept the flames to the doomed building.

Church Burned The Baptist Church, Canard street, Kings county, was burned yesterday afternoon. A high wind prevailing, the fire was soon beyond control. The loss is about \$3,000; insurance, \$300. R. C. Dickie's residence was with difficulty saved. M. G. De Wolfe, one of the widest known and most respected citizens of Kentville, who has for some time been suffering in health and a severe attack of despondency, drowned himself in the Cornwallis river near his own residence, this afternoon. The body has not been recovered.

GIVING THE JURY A REGULAR HIGH OLD TIME

Church Service in the Morning, Trolley Ride in the Afternoon and a Stroll at Eventide.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., April 25.—The jury which is hearing the case of Chester S. Jordan, on trial at the Middlesex County Superior Court at East Cambridge, for the murder of a woman, attended services this forenoon at the Church of the Ascension (Episcopal), where they were joined by the pastor, Rev. Robert Walker. Rev. Mr. Walker took for his text, "Render unto Caesar, and unto God, the things that are God's."

FATALITY SHOT IN ROW OVER A GIRL

MONSON, Me., April 25.—During a quarrel in a boarding house, early today, Ethel Steag, a house-maid, shot, probably fatally, when Griff Jones, a slate quarryman, pulled a revolver in a scuffle with her. Jones is under arrest awaiting the outcome of the girl's wound. He is 47 years of age.

Mr. MacLachlan said he had been requested by the town council of Chatham to have the provision of the bill extended to Chatham, and he moved an amendment to this effect. Also a bill relating to civic elections in the City of St. John providing for a poll tax of \$5 in certain cases, and that all persons to be qualified to vote in civic elections shall have their taxes then due paid fourteen days before date of election. Bill seconded. Also a bill regarding the assessment and collecting of taxes in St. John. A section was added to this bill providing that the execution of the act and the clause relating to the \$5 poll tax would come in force immediately. The balance of the act comes in force on October 1st next. Bill agreed to with amendments and the several bills were agreed to as reported. House adjourned at 5.40.

THE LARGEST APARTMENT HOUSE IN THE WORLD.

The Balmoral, in deference to architectural etiquette, must be known as an apartment house. In reality it is a community, a village—any number of houses wedded into one. It is going up in the block bounded by Broadway, Amsterdam Avenue, 86th and 87th streets, New York. Incidentally, it will occupy the entire block, will be twice as large as Madison Square Garden, and will cost \$2,000,000. His and Weesies, of No. 112 Broadway, the architect who designed it, call the Balmoral the largest apartment house in the world, and there are "quantity clerks" in contractors' offices throughout the city who are ready to take cash what the architect says.

"Listen to this," said one of them the other day. "That cute little fellow who designed it, call the Balmoral the largest apartment house in the world, and there are 'quantity clerks' in contractors' offices throughout the city who are ready to take cash what the architect says. 'I'd hate to buy coal for that house, though,' commented the quantity clerk. 'See here,' and holding a fresh sheet of paper, he rattled off another shower of figures. 'There'll be four big boilers, with a total capacity of 1,200 horsepower. There'll be 1,000 radiators and about 85,000 feet of steam pipe—a little over sixteen miles of it, say. Now, it's going to take at least ten a month to heat this cunning little house—232 tons a week, 36 tons a day, or 15 tons every hour. How would you like to be the coal man?'"

POPULATION OF 1,235. "And taking the census of this cute little community won't be exactly like counting home for money," remarked the man of figures. "Now follow me, the cosy little thing will contain 175 apartments. I'm not strong on race suicide and that sort of thing, but I guess it's safe to allow five to each family. That gives us 875. Then, each family will certainly have at least two servants, so you see when all the apartments are filled there will be a total population in the block of about 1,235. Of these 875 will probably be children; at least, there will probably be half a dozen Sunday schools in setting aside one public school for their exclusive use, for the average attendance in the public school in Manhattan is between 400 and 500. But to specify: There will be more children in that one block than in Public School No. 10, 77th street, which has about 500. And Sunday school? Why, those children would call half a dozen Sunday schools in some churches I know of."

"You may think I have placed the numbers of those families high, but don't worry. There'll be room enough in the building for even larger families. Say, have you 300 family members of rooms that little devotee will contain. Well, here each of the 175 apartments has from nine to twelve rooms, but that doesn't mean much. There will be 288 family bathrooms and 175 servant bathrooms. There will be 840 closets. Counting the closets of the 1,235 people, a grand total of 2,880 rooms in the house. And while we are on the rooms, there's a little thing to be noted. The number of them to be had, from the amount of plaster to be put in. There will be 10,000 square feet of plaster that doesn't mean much to you, but listen: Those 6,000 tons of plaster, when spread out over the water makes a six-footed bath. Or, water makes 500,000 square feet, or about fifty-nine acres.

"Small deliveries up there won't be such infinitesimal items, either," remarked the quantity clerk, hunting for "clever" ideas of the kind of a form. "A mail carrier who leaves mail at the Ansonia and other big houses uptown, says the weight of his latest community cottage will probably get something like 2,500 pieces of all kinds of mail letters, papers, etc., daily. That would be more than one carrier could deliver if he worked all day at it and delivered it nowhere."

TWENTY MILES OF PLUMBING. "There's about twenty miles of plumbing pipe going into this house," commented the quantity clerk, yawning and sharpening his pencil once more. "And you say it will ever occur to you how much water it takes to keep the people clean in such a house? Now, forty gallons of water makes a full-sized bath. For the most people, I guess, still, I'm not an authority on baths. Well, we'll say forty, anyway. If all the bathtub in the house, family and servants, were used at the same time, and each person using them took forty gallons of water for his or her bath, there would be 17,720 gallons of water used at once. Obviously, the entire population of the block cannot bathe at once. They must bathe in relays. The second relay makes a total of 35,440 gallons used, the third relay, composed of 339 persons, would use 13,560 gallons, making a grand total used of 49,000 gallons. Now, are you? Oh, sit down. I'm just beginning to get my hair now."

COURTESY. The behavior of love is courtesy. —Edward Howard Grieg.

MR. LANG DOES NOT AGREE WITH THE HIGHER CRITICS

Discussed the Divinity of Christ in Eloquent Sermon Last Evening. Taking as his subject Christ's message to John the Baptist while the latter was imprisoned, Rev. D. Lang preached an eloquent sermon last night in St. Andrew's Church, on the words, "Blessed are they that are not offended in Me."—Matt. 11:6. In the course of the sermon he touched on the views of the divinity of Christ as expressed by the higher critics of the present day.

The first was the seeming indifference of Christ. John was in prison and Christ could have saved him but He did not do so. He allowed him to be put to death, and He Himself voluntarily submitted to suffering. We cannot tell why God should permit suffering but we know that it is part of His great purpose. The second reason why people were offended was Christ's lowliness. He was despised and rejected of men. Today He still comes to us in lowly guise in the form of little children, the stranger and the sick, for this is the way He said He would come. Another reason was Christ's demands. He commanded, "If thy right eye offend thee pluck it out." Today He requires deeds as high and demands the life and services of men. A fourth reason is found in the claims that Christ made regarding Himself. He claimed that He fulfilled the prophecies of the Old Testament, and expressed His consciousness of His own divinity. He claimed that He and God were one and that He was possessed of a unique divinity separate from and above all other men. These astounding and stupendous claims are fully proved by Christ's resurrection and His activity in His church ever since.

Toussaint on the prevalent discussion on the virgin birth of Christ the preacher said that formerly what is known as higher criticism was chiefly concerned with the Old Testament and the New Testament and the chief storm centre is Christ Himself. Prof. Orr, of Montreal, a noted writer and lecturer on this subject, in a recent magazine article, used the following sentence: "The example of Wesley, of Christ, George Elliot, Tennyson and Browning shows that there is some relation spiritual attitudes that enjoyed by other men." In this he classed Christ simply with other great minds and shows the tendency of the modern critics. The preacher, however, showed that Christ possessed a divinity unique and distinctive about that possessed by other men. The last reason referred to was Christ's promises such as, "Come unto Me, and I will give you rest." We could not imagine Napoleon or Bismarck or any of the world's greatest men making such a promise. Yet what is more to be desired than rest from sin and guilt and sorrow and the enjoyment of the peace which passeth all understanding which is promised by Christ?

COMPLETE COUNTERFEITING OUTFIT DISCOVERED

And Large Quantity of Bogus U. S. and Italian Currency.

NEW YORK, N. Y., April 25.—Thousands of dollars in counterfeit money, both of the United States and Italy, were seized by the police and secret service agents at New Rochelle today in a house formerly occupied by three alleged counterfeiters, who, with a woman, were arrested on Saturday. With the spurious money a complete currency counterfeiting outfit was discovered, including presses, dies, engravers' stones and colored inks. All were stored in the cellar. The presence of the Italian money, which is in bills of various denominations, gives the affair a bit of international color and indicates an ambitious departure from usual attempts at counterfeiting.

LUMBERMAN'S DEATH LOOKS LIKE FOUL PLAY

BANGOR, Me., April 25.—Matthew C. Hines, a Bangor river driver, died in the Eastern Maine General Hospital Saturday night from facial erysipelas, believed by the authorities to have been due to a bacterial Hines left Bangor on Wednesday, April 14, for the woods, but got only as far as Patten. He returned alone Saturday night, but on alighting from the train acted so irrational a manner that the attention of the police was attracted and he never regained his reason and in his delirium he was taken to the hospital. He never violent fits of delirium frequently called out, "Don't kill me" and "Don't hit me with that!" Following Hines' death the authorities were notified and on Sunday afternoon Sheriff White instructed his deputy in Patten to make an investigation. No answer from this deputy had been received up to a late hour Sunday night. The theory has been advanced that Hines became involved in a dispute with one or more men in a lumberman's boarding house in Patten, then receiving injuries, which brought on erysipelas and ultimately resulted in his death.

It is not a true apology for any coarseness to say that it is natural.—H. D. Thoreau.

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BIG ENTRY LIST FOR AMERICAN DERBYS

BOSTON, Mass., April 25.—Entries were announced today for the American trotting Derby for a purse of \$35,000, the largest prize fund for any racing event this season for the American racing Derby for \$10,000, the largest purse in any racing event of the year, and for the Massachusetts stakes for \$10,000, all of which will be run off during the regular grand circuit meet at the Boston track on August 30, September 1, 2 and 3. There is a field of 59 entered for the trotting Derby, while for the racing Derby there are 90 entries and 28 for the Massachusetts stakes. These include the best known stables in the country.

EIGHT LOST AND SEVEN HAD A NARROW ESCAPE

NEW ORLEANS, La., April 25.—Eight people were lost and seven others on board had a thrilling escape from death when the tugboat Eagle, of the Louisiana Petroleum Company, went down early today in the Mississippi river about forty miles south of New Orleans.

LAKE ERIE ARRIVES

The C. P. R. steamer Lake Erie, the last boat of the winter port season, in command of Capt. Curry, from Liverpool and Belfast, arrived in port yesterday morning at six o'clock and dropped anchor in the harbor at 10 o'clock, when about 1,000 passengers and over 1,000 tons of general cargo for local firms and for the West. The passengers were landed yesterday morning at 9 o'clock and their baggage taken off the steamer. The passengers were a fine looking class of people and were nearly all Britishers.

CANADIAN NEWS.

TORONTO, April 25.—William Gordon, carpenter, died at St. Michael's Hospital today from injuries received in a fight with Gilbert Oliver. Gordon was knocked down and his skull fractured. Several witnesses identified Oliver who was arrested. The men had been drinking together and quarrelled.

TORONTO, April 25.—Rev. William White will be appointed bishop of the Church of England tomorrow.

MONTREAL, April 25.—Through the explosion of the boiler of the convent of Notre Dame, at Cote St. Paul, this morning, Sister Non De Jesus was so severely injured that she may die while another sister and a little girl, who were also in the boiler room at the time, were injured less seriously. The cause of the explosion was the lack of water in the boiler.

MONTREAL, April 25.—Four men attacked the toll collector at the city end of the Victoria bridge late Saturday night with revolvers, and fired half a dozen shots at him. Only one bullet struck the watchman, a ball hitting the jaw and knocking out several teeth. The men then ran away and have not been caught yet.

The toll collector is an Italian, and his assailants were also of the same nationality. It is not known whether their motive was revenge or robbery, but they made no attempt to take any money from their victim. The latter stated that the men had tried to go over the bridge without paying toll, and when he refused they opened fire on him.

HALIFAX, April 25.—Rev. D. A. Thompson, of Grace Bay, formerly of St. Francis Xavier College, preached the baccalaureate sermon before Dalhousie University tonight at St. Mary's Cathedral. The student attended in a body and the congregation was very large. Dr. Thompson took for his text a verse from Acts 12. "And in Thy light I shall see Thee."

This is the first time a Dalhousie baccalaureate sermon has been preached in a Roman Catholic church. The sermon was heard with a great deal of pleasure and was most impressive. HALIFAX, N. S., April 25.—White coming up the coast yesterday afternoon from Mahone Bay the two-masted schooner Winnie O'Dell run on Point Pleasant shoal on the western side of the harbor near the entrance of the Northwest Arm. Capt. Shupe of the schooner, who was in communication with the city and secured the services of the tug Togo, which went down the harbor and pulled the schooner from the rocks. The schooner is now lying at the Marine slip, Dartmouth, with a large hole in her bottom and eighteen inches of water in the hold.