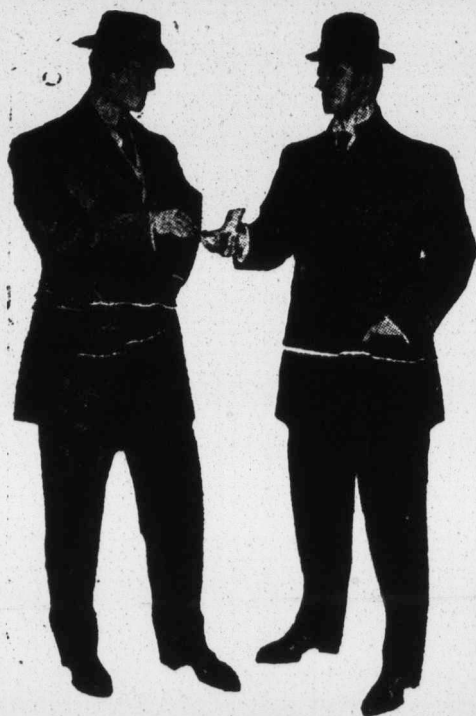


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## SOUTHERN STATES NAVE AWFUL GALE

Texas to Georgia, Oklahoma to Mississippi, Wind Swept

**500 LIVES LOST**

**A Path of Death and Want Left in the Wake of Tornado**

NEW ORLEANS, Sunday. — Probably 500 lives lost, a hundred or more persons fatally injured and many times that number painfully hurt, and a property loss running up into the millions, is the record so far of a series of tornadoes which originated on the coast two days ago and swept across Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Tennessee, Alabama and Georgia yesterday and last night. This visitation left a path of death and want in their wake. Seriously interrupting communication in the cities in the south and tonight about chaotic condition exist in many smaller towns.

## Clever Criminal Eludes Capture

**Private Moir Who Shot Sergeant Lloyd Cannot Be Found**

LONDON, Sunday. — Private Moir, the murderer of Sergeant Lloyd appears to have vanished into thin air as the most exhaustive pursuit has failed to capture him. All clues have been lost and he has eluded pursuit with almost superhuman craft. Two London reporters who have so far accompanied a party of detectives were sent home yesterday, the police claiming that the publicity given their efforts had caused them much trouble.

**Story of the Murder.**  
Private A. Brady, who has been Moir's room mate, gave some startling evidence at the inquest and stated that Moir had on several occasions told him that he intended to shoot Color Sergeant Gilmore, another officer at Wolsley Barracks. Moir, he said, came into his room on Friday night when he was asleep, and was very much excited, muttering to himself that he would teach the officers to interfere with him. He asked the witness to lend him his revolver. Witness did so and asked him what the row was. Moir told him he had better shut up or he would get shot. Just then Lloyd entered the room and Moir grabbed a rifle standing in the room and hastily loaded it. Witness was in bed and Moir shot at Lloyd over his body. Moir had been drinking and was greatly excited. After shooting Lloyd, Moir chased Lieutenant Morris out of the room at the point of the gun, and escaped in the darkness.

## POLITICAL NOTES.

The total trade of Canada, for the year 1907 was \$55,542,459. When Mr. Fielding introduced his tariff reform measure Sir Charles Tupper, with tears in his eyes, prophesied to the House the downfall of Canadian industries; factories would be closed, the working classes would be starving and depending on public charity. What has been the result? And the fact cannot be denied by the most bigoted partisan in the Tory party, trade at once began to increase. In 1908 it was \$125,108,480, and it has continued to increase until the total has reached \$138,390,201. Its about time Sir Charles Tupper put the revising touches to his wail of lamentation.

Laughing Eyes, the Indian who eloped with a white girl and married her, may even had had a twinkle in them.

## GENUINE

is the term which appears after our name in the report of the Maple Sugar analysis issued from the laboratory of the Inland Revenue Dept. at Ottawa. We have opened up 200 lbs of the "delicious" and sales have been good.

**Follansbee & Co.,**

Public Square, Newcastle.

## TOWN FATHERS IN SESSION

Organization Meeting of Newly Elected Council on Monday Afternoon

**STANDING COMMITTEES**

**Alderman Vote Down the Mayor's Recommendation Re Granolithic Extension**

The newly elected Town Council were sworn in on Monday afternoon, and held their first meeting. There were present Mayor S. W. Miller and Aldermen W. H. Belyea, Dennis P. Doyle, J. Mitchell Falconer, William Ferguson, Chas. J. Morrissey, Leslie B. McMurdo, Samuel A. Russell and A. E. Shaw.

His Worship congratulated the aldermen upon their election and expressed the wish that all might work together in harmony for the public good. During the past year there had been complaints of the lax way in which business had been carried on and had decided that in future every check for payment must be signed by a chairman of committee and the Town Clerk, or in the absence of the chairman by himself and Town Clerk.

A communication was received from J. P. Atherton, Amherst, who offered to audit the accounts for \$10 a day and expenses or \$100 per year. Received and referred to finance committee.

Ald. Belyea, Doyle and Russell were elected a nominating committee and, after recess recommended the following standing committees:—

Finance—Ald. Belyea, Morrissey, Russell.  
Public Works—Ald. McMurdo, Doyle, Russell.  
Light and Water—Ald. Morrissey, Ferguson, Belyea.

Park and Fire—Ald. Shaw, Doyle, Falconer.  
Police and Appointment to Office—Ald. Falconer, McMurdo, Russell.

Bye Laws and Petitions—Ald. Ferguson, McMurdo, Russell.  
Ferry—Ald. Doyle, Falconer, Ferguson.

After Ald. Belyea was substituted for Ald. Shaw on Police Committee and Ald. Shaw for Ald. McMurdo on the Bye Laws committee the report was adopted.

The mayor expressed himself a believer in permanent sidewalks, and recommended that the council vote at least \$300 for granolithic pavement to be constructed this year. Ald. McMurdo claimed he had been unjustly criticized in connection with the permanent sidewalk question. He liked to have such sidewalks, but felt that there was so much need of repairs elsewhere that granolithic construction should be postponed for a year at least. But in order to bring the matter before the council he moved that the resolution of last council not to construct any permanent sidewalks this year be reconsidered, and that \$200 be voted for that purpose. Ald. Russell seconded the motion.

Ald. Belyea thought that other sidewalks needed attention and that the town could not afford this year, to extend granolithic walks.

On the question being called the vote stood:—  
Yea—Ald. Ferguson, Russell, Shaw, Nay—Ald. Belyea, Doyle, Falconer, Morrissey, McMurdo.

By way of explaining their stand, Ald. Morrissey and McMurdo said that in their opinion the money to build a granolithic pavement in front of the army might be advanced from the streets appropriation. Ald. Doyle felt that the ratepayers wanted more attention paid to sidewalks in the outskirts. Ald. Belyea said that water and sewerage extensions had priority claim on the civic funds.

The mayor appealed to the Light and Water committee to define the duties of the Town Electrician and his assistants. Adjourned.

## STILL QUARRELLING

TORONTO, Saturday. — As yet there has been no settlement of the dispute between the Dominion Steel Company and the Dominion Coal Company. President Plummer of the Iron and Steel Company has returned to Montreal for a few days. Mr. James Ross, president of the Coal Company stated that negotiations were in progress and was hopeful of settlement next week.

MONTREAL, Saturday. — President Plummer, of the Dominion Iron and Steel Company returned this morning from Toronto to confer with the Company's directors here. In an interview Mr. Plummer stated that the negotiations with the Coal Company were still in progress, but that as yet no definite proposition had been received from them. "We are anxious," said he, "to make a settlement if at all possible, but there must be a fundamental recognition of the Steel Company's position."

## TWO BURNED TO DEATH.

Omaha, Nebraska, Thursday. — L. K. York and his son Earl were burned to death near here yesterday. They took refuge in a hay stack during a thunder storm. Lightning which rendered them unconscious, started a fire, which partly consumed their bodies.

## NEWCASTLE'S OPPORTUNITY

Ore From the Drummond and Ferguson Mines Should be Shipped From This Port

**AMPLE FACILITIES HERE**

**The Mining Industry May Soon Soon Overshadow That of Lumbering.**

A subject which the Newcastle Board of Trade should take up at once and one which will mean much for the town if successfully started, is the shipment of ore from the Drummond mines in Gloucester, or the smelting of the ore here.

We understand that the Drummond Company is not satisfied with the facilities offered at Bathurst, the water being not deep enough in the harbor, and in order to ship from the Points a large expenditure would be necessary for the erection of necessary railway facilities, wharves, etc. At Newcastle the railway facilities are ample, and the water front has plenty of sites for the erection of ore shipping facilities of any capacity. The depth of water is sufficient for the largest steamers. Altogether Newcastle appears to be the place for such works. Besides the Drummond mines there is also the property owned by Messrs. John Ferguson, James Robinson and others, which will be developed, and will need a port to ship from. This seems to be Newcastle's opportunity and nothing should be left undone to secure this industry, which would mean far more to the Miramichi in the course of a few years than even its great lumber industries. Let the Board of Trade wake up to the importance of this at once.

## Another War With Afghans

**Frontier Tribes Attack British in Northwestern India, With Usual Results**

SIMLA, Saturday. — A despatch received here from Peshawar says:— "The Matta was attacked last night, but the enemy was repulsed. There was heavy artillery firing this morning at Shabkadar and General Anderson's brigade fought a big engagement. Our casualties numbered six, including several British officers."

Lord Minto, viceroy of India, and Lord Kitchener, commander-in-chief of the British forces in India, will arrive here tomorrow and the British will assume the offensive as quickly as possible.

Sir James Willcocks has control of 16,000 troops, comprising three brigades, two of which are concentrating on the border, the third being held in reserve at Peshawar.

Desultory fighting is reported all along the line, fifteen miles from Michni on the Kabul River, to Abazi on the Swat River. Major-General Willcock's centre rests on Shabkadar fort.

## CHINA AND U. S. ARE FRIENDLY

"There are now no matters of very great controversy between China and the United States which cannot be amicably settled. There is no mist or cloud, such as I am sorry to say existed some years ago, and which happily has been dispersed. I mean the boycott on American goods. It is alleged that I started the boycott, or at least that I inspired it. I can say that the report was one of the most malicious libels that could be invented against a person, as it had not the least foundation."

Minister Wu concluded: "China's relations with America will always remain friendly. You may be sure acts of kindness and fairness, such as the return or waiver of over ten millions of dollars to China, will certainly create a most favorable impression in China, and strengthen the bond of friendship between the two countries."

**\$63,425 per Mile**

OTTAWA, Thursday. — The estimated length of the Transcontinental railway from Winnipeg to Quebec Bridge is 1345 miles, and from Quebec Bridge to Moncton 460 miles. The estimated average cost per mile is \$63,425. This does not include the cost of Quebec Bridge.

## DONALD MORRISON WILL BE SPEAKER

Another High Honor Comes to Northumberland County

**APPOINTMENT POPULAR**

**Dr. McInerney Will Move Address Tomorrow, and F. M. Sproul Second it.**

It has been officially settled that Donald Morrison, M. P. for Northumberland, will be elected Speaker of the House of Assembly at its first meeting.

Dr. McInerney of St. John will move the address in reply to the Speech from the throne, and F. M. Sproul of Kings will second it.

## Quebec Mountain Falls On Villiage

**A Dozen Houses Buried And Many People Killed.**

MONTREAL, Sunday. — News of a terrible disaster has reached here from Notre Dame de Solette, a little village some eighteen miles from Buckingham. Half the village was buried beneath a landslide which occurred early this morning before the people were up. The village is situated at the foot of a big hill or mountain and without warning half the mountain came tumbling down, filling the river which ran at its base and spread out over half of the village. According to the report of Mr. Brunsear, of Bonpere, a nearby village, a dozen houses were crushed and all their inmates buried without a moment's warning. There is no railroad, telegraph or telephone near the village so that complete details of the disaster are lacking. However there was an order sent to Buckingham for 25 coffins to be sent over and all the doctors of the place have gone to minister to the wants of the injured. According to Brunsear the village of Notre Dame de Solette is widely scattered or the loss of life would have been much greater. People are panic stricken and fear that the remainder of the mountain may slide. Many of them are preparing to leave the place.

## To Investigate Serious Charges

OTTAWA, Saturday. — The five members who will be named by Sir Wilfrid Laurier on Monday, a committee to investigate the charges of Major Hodgins, former engineer of the National Transcontinental Railway at Kenora, against the Transcontinental Commission, have been selected and unless Sir Wilfrid changes his mind before Monday, they will be F. B. Carvell, (chairman); A. H. Clark, of Essex, J. T. Schell, of Glengarry or James Conmee (Government members), and Samuel Barker and F. A. Monk (Opposition).

## FORFEITED TO THE CROWN

Steamer Maori King Appropriated for False Registration.

SHANGHAI, Thursday. — The British Supreme Court has declared forfeited to the Crown for false registration the steamer Maori King, which was registered as a British vessel, despite the fact that her owner is a Russian. The case arose out of a scandal which occurred last year, where the Maori King was chartered by an American of the name of Zimmerman, who used her for conveying to Guaymas, Mexico, a number of coolies, who it is alleged were kidnapped.

**BISHOP CAPERS DEAD.**  
COLUMBIA, B. C. Friday. — Bishop Ellison Capers, of the Protestant Episcopal Diocese of South Carolina, died at his home in this city at 2.30 Wednesday. Bishop Capers had been a brigadier general in the Confederate army. He was 70 years of age.

## ST. JOHN LIQUOR

**LICENSES REDUCED.**  
FREDERICTON, Sunday. — As a result of the Supreme Court decision Saturday afternoon the retail liquor licenses in St. John will be reduced by ten. Five will be lopped off in Kings ward, three in Queens and two in Prince. The court upheld the Attorney General's contention.

The action was taken by the New Brunswick Temperance Federation, and the result was awaited with interest by temperance workers in every license county in the province.