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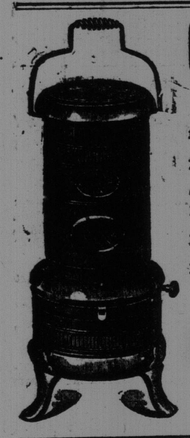

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TWO MEN IN NIGHTSHIRTS RESCUED UNKNOWN SAILOR

Capt. Powell and Engineer of the Westport, Fished a Drowning Man Out of the Union Street Slip Last Night.

A Nova Scotian sailor had a narrow escape from being drowned last night and only the prompt action of Captain Bayard Powell and the engineer of the steamer Westport saved the man's life.

The Westport is taking in freight for St. Mary's Bay ports and Yarmouth, at Hare's slip, foot of Union street, and Capt. Powell had retired to his cabin early. Shortly after nine o'clock he was awakened by a cry for help. Without waiting to dress in any outer garments Captain Powell, in his night clothes rushed to the deck and on the way he grasped a life buoy near his door. As soon as he reached the deck he discovered a man struggling in the water some yards away from the steamer. Capt. Powell threw the cork buoy. It struck within a few inches of the man's head which seemed to be disappearing beneath the water, an arm reached up quickly and with a death grip the hand clutched the life preserver.

Captain Powell shouted out to the man to hold on to the buoy and then threw a small line.

The engineer of the Westport had also tumbled out of his bunk at the alarm and with the captain, barefooted and in their night clothes they towed the half drowned man to the head of the slip where there was a scow. The line was placed round the sailor's body and after some difficulty he was pulled upon the scow, then to the wharf and finally taken to his vessel, which was docked close by.

The sailor refused to give his name, but said he had been ashore with some shipmates and had left them as they were becoming drunk. He mistook the wharf at the foot of Union street for the entrance to Long wharf and walked in the darkness over into the water. He had been struggling for some time before he called out for help and was quite exhausted when the welcome life buoy splashed along side of his head. If it had not been for the timely assistance of Capt. Powell and the Westport's engineer, the sailor, who claims Liverpool, N. S., as his home would undoubtedly have been drowned.

SHOT HIS SISTER-IN-LAW; TRIED TO KILL HIMSELF

Harry Wood, Wanted on the Charge of Murder, Was Found With His Throat Cut.

WINCHENDON, Mass., Oct. 12.—Harry Wood, who is suspected of having shot and killed his sister-in-law, Mrs. Ira Wood, at her home last night, was found at his home early today with his throat cut by a razor. The wound is not dangerous. Later Wood was placed under arrest on the charge of murder and removed to the police station.

Near the bed in which Wood was found stood a loaded shot gun and in the road between the house and Ira Wood's residence was found a shell which fitted this gun. Mrs. Wood was killed by a charge from a shotgun.

The motive for the crime is not known. Harry Wood would say nothing about the affair after his arrest today. He is said to be regarded by his neighbors as somewhat mentally defective.

COMMISSION CHOSEN TO SOLVE JEWISH PROBLEM

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—A London despatch to the Times says the geographical commission which Israel Zangwill was empowered to appoint at the recent session of the international council of the Jewish territorial organization has been constituted. Mr. Zangwill has appointed Lord Rothschild, Oscar S. Strauss, Herr James Simon, Dr. Paul Nathan and Professor Mendelstamm. The Jewish Chronicle says of the commission:

"No better body of men could have been chosen for the work. The commission combined enormous influence without practical knowledge and power and represents a splendid Jewish international effort to find some sollution or palliation for a heartbreaking difficulty."

AVOID SUSPICION.

Mother—I hear that Mr. Jones had the impudence to kiss you at the station. What did you do?

Daughter—Oh, I kissed him, too, so as to make the people think we were relatives.

THE SCHOOL-BOOK DRAIN.

The Halifax Echo says: The school-book question is a very live one just at present when demands are being made on the over-worked parental purse, for all sorts and conditions of text books, with their lightning changes. Many a harassed father in Halifax would be glad to see a system like this introduced in our own schools. Is it not possible?

150 BUILDINGS WENT UP IN SMOKE

The Summerside Fire Loss Amounts to $225,000

Insurance is $76,000—Two Schooners in Trouble, One Supposed to be Lost With Three Men on Board.

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Oct. 12—A conservative estimate of the loss by the Summerside fire is $225,000, insurance $76,000. The British American has $10,000 and the following companies altogether $30,000: Norwich Union, Home, New York, New York Underwriters, Caledonian, Law Union and Crown, and Equity. The following have $5,000 altogether: Queen, Liverpool London and Globe. The following have $4,000 each: Royal, Nova Scotia Fire, Anglo American. $15,000 is held by the North British and Mercantile, Union of London, Phoenix of London. $1,200 by the Commercial Union, $1,100 by the Western, $2,000 by Phoenix of Halifax and Canadian.

The total number of buildings burned in Summerside, including barns and outbuildings, is one hundred and fifty. The Charlottetown city council at a meeting last night offered to assist the destitute if help is needed.

Schooner Eventide owned by Captain Joseph Read, of Summerside, is ashore at Paspebiac, and is a total loss.

Schooner Western Light which left Chatham for Miminigash Saturday evening, with no ballast, is missing. On Sunday a vessel with sails gone was noticed drifting northward. The Western Light, commanded by Chas. Veno, of Elmsdale, P. E. I., carried two men.

SCOTTISH PROFESSOR FAVORS NEW SPELLING

Dr. Donaldson, of St. Andrews University, is a Supporter of Carnegie and Roosevelt.

ST. ANDREWS, Scotland, Oct. 12.—At the opening of the winter session of St. Andrew's university today, the principal, Dr. James Donaldson showed himself to be an ardent supporter of spelling reform. Dr. Donaldson said that he cordially favored phonetic spelling as children and illiterates could learn through a phonetic alphabet in a quarter or third of the time required under the present system, and as millions of children were learning to read phonetic spelling would save millions of hours of wasted labor and irritating vexation. It would also aid materially in governing the colonies and dependencies as it was of the utmost importance that every citizen of the British Empire, whatever his native tongue could learn English. The greatest obstacle to the learning English would be removed when the words was spelled phonetically.

Dr. Donaldson at the conclusion of Carnegie had donated $50,000 to the additional erection of a library of the university.

ROYAL BUTCHERS KILLED MANY DEER

Alfonso of Spain Took a Regiment of Men With Him to Shoot the Animals.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—A Madrid despatch published here today tells of an unique hunt that was given in the royal forest near Langrange by King Alfonso. His Majesty invited a battalion of troops known as the Casediors in Madrid to join him and the court in a big shoot, and every member of the battalion from the Colonel to the latest recruited private travelled to Langrange to take part. The slaughter of deer was terrific, dozens falling at a time. The reason for holding the shoot which lasted through Wednesday and Thursday, was that the forest had became so overstocked with deer that the pasturage was insufficient.

A large audience in Coburg street Christian church last night heard Rev. T. H. Bates speak on The Trial of Faith. Much interest was manifested. The public are cordially invited to this evening's meeting

Teacher—Now, William, spell the word "advertiser" and give a definition.

William—A-d ad, v-e-r ver, adver, t-i-s, tis, advertis, e-r er, advertiser. One who keeps his store full of customers and makes money.

WOULD-BE LAWYERS SEEK ADMISSION

A Long List of Students to Enter This Year.

Three St. John Men Will be Sworn in Shortly— Teachers' Institute Elects Officers.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Oct. 12—The examination for admission as students at law and attorneys will open here on Tuesday next and will continue during the week.

K. J. MacRae, S. Hart Green and J. D. Pollard Lewin, all of St. John, being graduates of Kings College Law School, will not be required to pass the attorney's examination and will be sworn in, in due form.

The first intermediate examination will be taken by Francis J. Murphy, Moncton, and U. Z. King, of Petitcodiac, while the second intermediate examination will be taken by Antone J. Legere, of Edmundston, and P. A. Gutherie, of Fredericton.

The following will take the examinations for admission as students at law:

J. B. Roberts, B. A., Welsford.
Jas. S. Tait, B. A., St. John.
E. R. Richards, B. A., Dorchester.
H. F. S. Paisley, B. A., St. John.
E. S. McQuade, B. A., Cambridge, Mass.
W. A. Nelson, Fairville.
H. W. Lunney, B. A., St. John.
Joseph Marry, St. John.
J. T. Legere, Richibucto.
Chas. J. Gallagher, St. George.

Those with B. A. degree being graduates of the college and Mr. Nelson, having a superior school license, will not be required to pass the examination.

The examiners are J. D. Phinney, J. B. M. Baxter and Geo. W. Allen, while the written examinations will be conducted under the supervision of Ernest McKay, assistant clerk of the pleas.

At this afternoon's session of the York, Sunbury and Queens counties teachers' institute at the high school building the following officers were elected:

President, John E. Page, Principal of Model School, Fredericton.

Vice-president, Miss Buchanan, Keswick Ridge.

Secretary-treasurer, Miss Ella Thorne, of Fredericton High School.

Additional members of the executive, Miss Inch, and James A. Hughes, Principal of the Regent street school, Fredericton.

Besides the successful candidate those nominated for the office of president were J. T. Horsman, M. A., of Gagetown and J. W. Hill, B. A., Principal of the St. Marys and Gibson school.

Papers by J. W. Hill on geography and W. J. Osborne on writing, were read.

FAIRBANK'S SON HAD A QUIET WEDDING

In Order to Avoid a Big Splurge, He and His Pretty Girl Went Away Quietly and Got Married.

STEUBENVILLE, O., Oct. 11—Announcement is made here that Frederick Cole Fairbanks, son of the vice president of the United States, came here from Pittsburg with Nellie Scott, and coming here, were married.

It is stated that the vice president objected to the marriage.

The bride is a daughter of a prominent east side resident of Pittsburg.

It is learned from intimate friends of the family that there was no elopement, the unusual wedding being carried out merely for romantic reasons and the desire of the young people to escape a big wedding ceremony.

The father of the bride is one of the old Carnegie Company vice presidents and at present general manager of the Lucy Furnace Plant of that company.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 11—Miss Helen E. Scott is the highly accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Scott, who are prominent in east end society. Mr. Fairbanks is a young business man of Springfield, Ohio, where the couple will make their home.

The marriage is the result of a romantic courtship of less than a year's duration. When Miss Scott returned home about a month ago from visiting relatives in Indiana, it was the understanding among intimate friends that the engagement of the couple would be announced early in October and the marriage take place in November. The young couple have been in telephonic communication with the Scott household and it is learned that they will reach Pittsburg tonight to remain a day or two before starting on their honeymoon, which it is said will be a tour of Europe.

WALL STREET.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12—The stock market opened active and at higher prices. Gains were generally moderate fractions, but special stocks made large advances of U. S. Steel sold at the opening at 50 yesterday's high price and an advance over yesterday's closing of 1-4. Northern Pacific and Great Northern, pfd., rose 1 1-2, Baltimore & Ohio, Gen. Elec., and Beet Sugar 1, and Reading, Brooklyn Transit, Amalgamated Copper and Pullman large fractions.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12—All grades of refined sugar were reduced ten cents a hundred pounds today.

WILL ENFORCE THE LAW TO KEEP CHILDREN OFF STREETS

Magistrate Ritchie Gives Some Straight Talk to Parents —Youngsters Must Be in Their Homes at the Proper Hours.

The boy problem was once more before Magistrate Ritchie in the police court this morning, when Albert Ritchey, aged 9 years, Wm. Stone and Edgar Friers, each eleven years, formed in a line in front of the big desk in the police court. All were bright and neatly clad youngsters and their parents were in court with them.

About nine o'clock last night a Hebrew who was passing Myer Gordon's meat shop on Main street saw a small boy in the store and immediately informed Gordon, who caught young Ritchey coming from the shop through a broken window. The little nine year old said that Friers had thrown his pen knife in through the window and he was only in there to find the knife. This did not satisfy the butcher, who seemed to want his pound of flesh, and despite all explanations he insisted that Policeman Hamm place the boy under arrest. The result was that the little fellow spent the night in a north end station cell crying his heart out. An investigation showed that the boy's story was true, for his pen knife was found on the sawdust floor of the shop and was taken possession of by the policeman.

In court this morning young Ritchey told the same straightforward story, as did his two companions. The magistrate dismissed the idea of the boy being in the store for any other purpose than looking for his knife, but took up the matter of small boys being on the street at nine o'clock at night. He quoted the law, which clearly showed that from March until November all youngsters must be in their homes before nine o'clock, and during the months of November, December, January and February they are liable to arrest if out on the street after seven o'clock in the evening. He said he blamed the parents for allowing their children to be on the street at night, and quoted the law where the child was liable for imprisonment and the parent to a fine of $8. He said St. John was called a city of churches by strangers, who could see the numerous spires, but what must they think when they see so many young boys and girls about the street at night, especially the young girls who parade the principal streets and look into the hotel office windows. If the young people are not looked after when young they can't be expected to be good when they grow older. A few days ago a mother called on him and asked if he could not arrange to send her daughter to the Rescue Home as she could do nothing with her. "I was disgusted with the woman," said his honor, "for undoubtedly if she had given the girl good training at eight years of age she would not have been uncontrollable at eighteen years." He said that the majority of persons sent to the reformatory and other places of detention were neglected when young, and that he intended to use the law and fine the parents for such neglect. The law dated back for 60 odd years and was just as good as ever.

After lecturing the three boys at some length he had an officer conduct them down to the cells where they might see where they could be sent, with a board for a bed and bread and water for a diet. He said the place for such bright little fellows as the three before him should be in their cosy beds at nine o'clock, and not on the streets, and that he blamed the parents. After holding the boys in court for about an hour and impressing on their minds what might happen to them if they did not remain home in the evenings and attend school during the day, he allowed them to go home with their parents.

After this case had been disposed of Thomas Cosgrove, an elderly man, said that for years he had boasted that his property on Sheffield street had never been tampered with, but he was now sorry to make information that a number of boys had broken into his premises and destroyed turnips, cabbage, cauliflower, and had broken his fence. He gave the name of Thomas Mills as a witness against Joseph Nixon, Thomas McCarthy, a boy named Rourke, and two boys named Carling. The boys are to be notified to appear in court at nine o'clock tomorrow morning.

A Mrs. Stokes complained to the police last evening that a number of boys were acting disorderly on St. Patrick street and had broken her windows.

Mrs. W. Allan Black has returned from a trip to Halifax.

Edgar J. Read, of Fredericton, arrived in the city today.

Rev. Father Carson, of St. George, is in the city.

The Scots Company, Boys' Brigade, will have a special meeting in their rooms this evening at 7.30 o'clock.

SANTIAGO, Chili, Oct. 12.—The Chilean congress at its coming session will discuss a propect to raise a loan of $25,000,000 to be devoted to the work of reconstructing the public buildings, etc., destroyed by the recent earthquake.

PARIS, Oct. 12—The Lebaudy airship has been sent to Chalais, Department of Charente, where it will be employed as a school balloon to train crews for France's aerial war flotilla.

INJUNCTION AGAINST MRS. NELLIE BARKER

To Prevent Contamination of the City's Water Supply

Judge Barker's Decision Rendered This Forenoon Grants the Application of the City.

In the case of the City of Saint John against Mrs. Nellie Barker, in which the City of Saint John filed a bill asking for an injunction to restrain Mrs. Barker from draining the water closets in her hotel at Loch Lomond into Loch Lomond, Judge Barker gave judgement this morning.

The plaintiffs put their case upon two grounds. First, that they were the owners of the land on both sides of the Mispec River below Mrs. Barker's land and on the shore opposite to Mrs. Barker's land and further up the lake than Mrs. Barker land extended, to have the water of the lake and Mispec River run past and through their land without any contamination being placed in it of any kind; and upon the second ground that inasmuch as they were authorized by the act of the legislature to take the water of Lake Lomond and the Mispec River down to Robertson Lake and thence to the City of Saint John for the inhabitants of the city and other purposes, that they had a right to have the water taken to the city in an uncontaminated state.

The judge in giving judgment discriminated between the two grounds, holding in the first instance that inasmuch as the city were the riparian owners on the Mispec River below the defendant's land that the said city had a right to have it so flow uncontaminated by any filth or other effete matter and also holding that by the act of the legislature that as the city was empowered to bring the water to the City of Saint John for culinary and other purposes, they also had the right to have that water in a pure state not contaminated as above referred to. He directed an injunction to be issued restraining Mrs. Barker from contaminating the said water by means of so draining the effete matter into the lake.

WAR ON BEEF PACKERS

Chicago Building Commissioner Will Close all Buildings Where There is Danger

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 10.—Open war was begun on the packing plants at the Union Stock Yards today by the Building Commissioner here. It is declared that the packers have broken their promises to the city.

A report from building inspectors was made to the Commissioner today showing that the packers have only pretended in a small way to obey the orders of the department given at the original inspection of the stock yards three months ago.

Commissioner Bartzen will make a personal tour of the yards tomorrow and will order every building closed where he considers there is any serious danger.

DISAPPOINTED NEPHEW MAY BREAK WILL

BOSTON, Oct. 10.—Herbert A. Dunn of Thurlock, Calif., has instituted proceedings to break the will of Edward H. Dunn, president of the Corporation of Boston University, and a leading layman of the Methodist church in this state. The contestant, who is a nephew of the testator, was left a legacy of $100 in the will. Dunn had a large estate, and in his will $260,000 was bequeathed to public institutions, including $120,000 to Boston University.

SENDS CHECK FOR CAMPAIGN EXPENSES

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—John B. McDonald, the contractor who built the subway in New York, and who for nearly forty years has been a member of the general committee of Tammany hall, today sent a letter to Timothy L. Woodruff, chairman of the Republican State Committee, enclosing a check for $1,000 for Republican campaign expenses, and announcing his determination to support Charles T. Hughes for governor.

It developed at the meeting of the Tammy general committee today that Mr. McDonald resigned his membership in the committee on Monday.

HALIFAX, Oct. 12—James B. Lahamann, a passenger on the Silvia from St. Johns, Nfld., was captured on arrival here this morning. He is wanted in the States for being implicated in the Yacht Frolic smuggling case.