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ALTERATION IN MAIL SERVICE

No More Mails to Be Landed at Rimouski By Atlantic Vessels—Direct to Quebec

(Montreal Gazette)
George Hanna, passenger manager for the Allan line of steamers stated yesterday that in future there would be such changes made in the mail service between Canada and England, as would result in a saving of some eight hours in the case of the west bound mails, and about two hours in the case of westbound mails. The Virginian, which is expected to arrive in Quebec today, and which is bringing not only the Canadian mails, but also those for Japan, will be the first ship to operate under the new conditions.
The change will have its main object in the going away with the long delay which often takes place at Rimouski. Hitherto all mail steamers arriving from England have trans-shipped their mails to a tender there, and they have been sent from that point to their destination by train. Under the new system the mail matter which will be landed at Rimouski will be that destined for the maritime provinces, which at an outside calculation will hardly ever exceed sixty sacks. The remainder of the Canadian mail will be brought aboard the steamer to Quebec. Here a special train will convey the mails to their destinations. As this portion of the whole mail amounts on an average to some four hundred sacks at a low estimate, the saving of time at Rimouski will be considerable. Hanna said that the facilities for handling of such a quantity are far from perfect, will at once be apparent, and Mr. Hanna, and a slight delay in time occasioned by the difference in speed between the steamer and the train between Rimouski and Quebec, will be more than counterbalanced. "I believe that under the new system it will be possible for us to have the mails well on their way in the special train out of Quebec, before under the old system they could have been loaded on to the train at Rimouski," he said.
The saving of time under the new arrangement is expected to be even greater when it comes to the east bound mails, for there will in future be none of that vast waiting at that point for seven, eight and even on occasions ten hours, for the mails to be put aboard. The facilities have never been adequate to the demands that have been made upon them, said Mr. Hanna, and since these demands have been growing year after year, while no commensurate increase has been made in either the staff or the appliances for handling mail matter, it followed that the delay year by year the delay occasioned at Rimouski grew greater rather than less.
Now it is asserted that that mail shall be loaded on to the ship at Quebec, no stop being made at Rimouski at all. This should save at least eight hours in the morning of that day, and on the evening of the morning of Saturday, which has too frequently been the case of late.
Passenger traffic will not be interfered with in the slightest degree, indeed it will be advantaged, for there will be both a sleeping and a dining car attached to the special mail train which will meet the boat at Quebec, and passengers who wish to do so will be able to avail themselves of this train. They will by this means be spared what is very frequently a long and tedious wait at Rimouski, and will in exchange a longer boat trip and a shorter train journey.

CITY SCHOOL MATTERS

At a meeting of the board of school trustees last night, Dr. Briggs was authorized to have men employed to take an enumeration of the school children of the city. The work will be done before too many move to the country. It was reported that the committee had engaged temporary quarters for Kerr's Business College. It was said that the King Edward school would be ready by June, and the Bell building by that time also. A communication asking for a position in the teaching staff was received from Miss E. Currie, and placed in the application book.
Alice K. Lingley asked for \$100 increase in salary to commence next school year. This was sent to the teachers' committee.
Charles E. Myers applied for a janitorship and his letter was referred to the building committee.
The chairman next reported that the \$80,000 bonds had been all arranged for. The report of the finance committee on this matter was read and adopted.
Mr. Coll thought steps should be taken to finish up the lawn in front of the High school. It was pointed out that the contractor is required to sod or seed it. The secretary was instructed to write a letter to the architect, H. H. Mott, who acted as inspector of the work, to see that it was finished properly.
The chairman suggested that after the June meeting there should be no more meetings during the holidays except at the call of the chair.
The secretary's report for last month showed a total enrollment of 7,223 with an average attendance each day of 6,109.
Mr. Smith said he would like to give a prize to the boy or girl in grade VIII, making the highest number of marks in Albert school at the final examination. Mr. Smith received the thanks of the board for his action in the matter.

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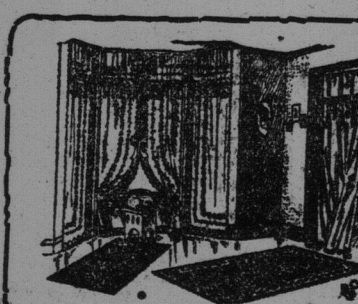
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Ladies' Plain Black Lisle Hose, self clock, pair 35c. 45c.
Ladies' Plain Black Lisle Hose, colored clock, pair 45c.
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Ladies' Tan Spun Silk Hose, colored clock, pair \$1.60.
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Daily Hints For the Cook

HOMEMADE RAISIN BREAD.

The raisins in this recipe make it a great favorite with children, and the grown-ups, too, appreciate a treat of this sort to start the day with. Take one part of water, one part of raisins, two tablespoonsful of sugar, a scant tablespoonful of salt, two tablespoonsful of lard, one cup of yeast cake, one cupful of soft bread flour, three quarts of sifted flour. Have the milk and water warm. Dissolve the yeast in the water. Mix the raisins with a little of the flour and add after all the other ingredients have been mixed. Let the dough rise over night and in the morning form into small loaves. Let them rise again and bake in a moderate oven. Serve this bread at breakfast the day after making.

DAISY CAKE.

This is made in two colors; for the white part take two cupsful of sugar, two cupsful of sour cream, two tablespoonsful of soda, and the whites of six eggs beaten to a stiff froth. Whip the cream and sugar together and stir in the soda; then flour enough to make a good batter, and lastly the beaten whites. Flavor with almond. For the yellow part, stir a cup of sugar with a cup of sour cream; add a teaspoonful of soda, the yolks of four eggs beaten very light and a teaspoonful of vanilla and flour enough to make a good cake batter. Bake the white part in two layers and the yellow in one and use orange icing for putting together.

PROMINENT MEN FROM CANADA WILL ATTEND

A National Arbitration and Peace Council Likely to be Formed at Lake Mohawk Conference

New York, May 8.—The Lake Mohawk Conference on International Arbitration, at its seventeenth annual meeting at Mohawk Lake, N. Y., May 24-26, will bring together with eminent Americans a distinguished body from other countries, including Baron d'Estourmelles de Constant of France; the Dean of Worcester, England; Dr. John Clifford of London; Herr Prediger F. W. Sinspohl, of Berlin; the ministers to the United States from a number of European and South American nations and a score of eminent Canadians. The American speakers will include United States Senator Theodore E. Burton; Charlesagne Tower, former ambassador to Russia and Austria; Oscar S. Strauss, member of the Hague court; Solicitor J. R. Clarke of the state department; John W. Foster, ex-secretary of state; George W. Perkins, formerly of J. Pierpont Morgan & Co.; Charles P. Neill, U. S. Commissioner of Labor; Richard Bartholdt, M. C.; James Brown Scott, secretary of the Carnegie Peace Endowment; and President Butler of Columbia University, who will preside.

The conference will give special attention to an unlimited treaty of arbitration between Great Britain and the United States, and to the proposed celebration of the centenary of the Treaty of Ghent. There will be a discussion of the duty of the United States to the treaty obligations and protect alien residents. And it is expected that a special committee will report on a plan for a national council for arbitration and peace, the purpose of which will be to bring into effective co-operation

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the different arbitration and peace societies of this country, thereby putting an end to the confusing and unbusinesslike methods now common to peace work in America.
Among those who will attend from Canada, are:—
Halifax—Joseph A. Chisholm, K.C., mayor.
Montreal—Senator Raoul Dandurand,

Hon. William A. Weir, justice supreme court, province of Quebec; Rev. Dr. William Sparling, pastor of St. James church; Henri Bourassa, editor of "Le Devoir"; William D. Lightall, secretary and founder of the Union of Canadian Municipalities, Ottawa—Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, Canadian minister of labor.

Toronto—Hon. Justice John J. MacLaren, of the Ontario court of appeal; Hon. Sir William Mulock and Hon. Justice William R. Riddell, justices of the high court of justice for Ontario; R. S. Gourlay, president of the Toronto board of trade; Eliot Rogers, ex-president of the Toronto board of trade and John Murray Clark, one of the leaders of the Canadian bar.
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