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ioner Ritchie Investigated Small Out

breaks—All Carried Insurance But Damage Was Not Great in Any Case.

an he left the house to visit his sister at 189 St.

The damage, she said, was not heavy.

mwth of suburban villas has been phenomenal.

stattractions, and it has helped in other respects

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nd other problems that are not easy of solution.

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EXPANSION OF SUBURBS HAS



Sherman W. Tracy, - vice. o Tunnel Co., in a financial 's automatic telephone sys-stment therein, including innt therein, including Bell interests have agreed berly has never paid. It has ers, comparatively few of ers, comparatively few of service, and its fallure to get as required under the terms was the immediate cause of y as well as of its financial

uipment in eight excha ve 34,520 subscribers, and its nges to the neighborhood of should be able to serve 65. g for the ordinary ratio

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its franchise in 1892 lephone plant in July, 1904; which Mr. Tracy compu 321,102. Receivers appoint horized President Harris. build a real plant, expe-\$3,000,000 would ustomers or more, and er interest charge and con reports that \$5,660.224 ha \$1,695.143 by the receive company since the receiv red at \$1,192.961. Operat and June 1, 1915, was abo

nt \$8,482.928 proposed sale to the C forfeit the Automatic Tele. nchise, are more con the concern its property value \$6.236 "intangible values " city electrician, said it w ng concern, but only \$1.87 . considering the dup Sunny's statement that per to operate they the aut ver, that the Automatic El mitted that the Auto option on their stock. What never been officially stated to Bell interests must have public utilities com attorney-general of the t

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# PLODING LAMP AND BOYS \*

# **REAL ESTATE** \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Zephirin Pesant sold to Joseph A. Pesant lot 461 parish of Sault au Recollet, fronting on La Montee St. Michel, town of St. Michel, for \$2,000

Alfred Girard and others sold to Amabe Renoud exploding of a lamp was the cause of a blaz exploding of a lamp was the cause of a blaze lot 25-631, village of Cote des Neiges, containing 11, damaged the home of Lazar Ship, fruit and 021 square feet, with buildings on Northmount ave. le dealer, No. 5 Imperial avenue, on July 23. Mount Royal Ward, for 5,500 12.34 a.m. Mr. Ship, who was the principal wit-Onesine Ouimet sold to Mrs. Cleophas Ouimet lo at the Investigation held before Fire Commis-

325-146, village of Cote St. Louis, containing 15 by Ritchie yesterday afternoon, explained that 85 fest. with buildings thereon created on Bienvill street, St. Denis ward, for \$3,300

street, he hung the lamp on a hook in the When the firemen arrived they found the lamp Louis J. B. Senez sold to Mrs. J. V. Beaucage floor. Mr. Ship said he carried an insuranc lots 3405-198, 199, parish of Montreal, each lot con-11.000, but the damage caused by the blaze would aining 25 by 112 feet, with buildings, civic Nos. 290 to 296b Ethel street, Verdun, for \$13.500

sioner Ritchie was unable to ascertain use of the blaze which broke out in the premises Benjamin Benoit sold to Jos. Henri Olivier lots Norbert Pepitre, 37 Langevin street, on July 31, at 38-236 and 237, parish of Montreal, each lot containing 25 by 102 feet, without buildings and front- treason and will be punished. hen the firemen arrived they found the flames

ng on Rockland avenue, Outremont. for \$6.375. ling on the second and third flats of the build-Teddy Bean et al. sold to Israel Figler lot 37-1, vil-lage of Cote St. Louis, containing 22 by 30 feet, with buildings, civic Noz. 1765 to 1769 Claise street, Laur-The evidence of Henry Clairmont, grandson of where the store entert that the fire started in a principal and the flames leaped up through a pipe we over the store and spread on the store of the store and spread on the store of the s ver the stove and spread on the third flat. The er Ward, for \$6,000. age was estimated at \$250, covered by \$41.000 in

Eugene Lacasse sold to Louis W. Julien lots 407-251 252, and 253, parish of Longue Pointe, each lot con taining 25 by 60 feet, without buildings and situate n the public road, for \$2,550.

m the cause of the fire which gutted the home of Meric Lepine, 248 Chateauguay Montreal West Realty and Contracting Co. sold to gipm., was the opinion expressed by expert wit-Farquhar Robertson lots 140-400 to 405, parish of Montreal, each lot containing 50 by 100 fect, without Mrs. Lepine said she went out fifteen or twenty buildings and fronting on Northview ave town of before the blazez broke out. Her two boys Montreal West, for \$5,000. t been smoking cigarettes in the room. One

she said, was 18 years old, while the other was J. M. Alphonse Daoust sold to Aurele Lacom ot 151-280, parish of Montreal, measuring 40 by 120 Suggestion for Inducing Policyholders to Pay Adi-The furniture and effects were insured for feet, without buildings and fronting on Avenue of Poi Edouard at New Westmount, Notre Dame d Grace, for \$2,235.

RETARDED GROWTH OF ST. JOHN St. John, N.B., July 27 .- A city's growth cannot h to Farquhar Robertson lots 140-395 to 397, parish of Montreal, each lot containing 50 by 30 feet, without asured always by the development which takes place within its borders. This is particularly true uildings and situate on Westminster avenue, towr st John, where the suburban development in re-Montreal West, for \$1 and other good and valuat years has been far in excess of that of the city able considerations

Within the last ten years many hundreds of at twe and in some instances costly suburban homes FIVE YEARS PROGRESS CUT esses an increase of that number. long the line of the Intercolonial Railway, from & John to Hampton; along the C. P. R. as far a

San Antonio, Tex., July 27 .- During the last five who are in a position to support the loan will reasford: on either bank of the St. John river for 30 more miles; at Millidgeville, Sandy Point. Red years the fire insurance key rate of this city has been frain from doing so. They are, however, accustomed reduced from the highest to the lowest in Texas and to financial dealings with friendly societies, build-Head, Glens Falls, Loch Lomond, Lancaster, Bay rive, the rate will be 17 cents. ent in the highways; it has added to the tour

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veston with 40 cents, Houston with 31 cents and Dal- Prudential

16 cents. It was April 1, 1911, when the first reduction from Refuge

1 p.m. Equivalent. Change Off 1 Up 11/8 was lowered 10 cents from 35 to 25 cents. The pur-chase of two combination automobile pumping en-Off gines and hose wagons, the addition of 20 firemen to Emplo vers' Liability Corporation Off 1/4 

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 trucks was the cause. The last reduction came with Scottish Union and National .... the lowering of the rate by 1 cent to 18 cents because of the purchase of a combination automobile hose wa. Clergy Mutual gon and chemical engine and motorizing of the aerial fitesham ..... hook and ladder truck by the purchase of a tractor Colonial Mutual National Mutual of Australasia ..... Provident Clerks and General ... British Legal and United Provident .... BECKER'S EXECUTION DEFERRED.

THE JOURNAL OF COMMERCE, TUESDAY, JULY 27, 1915

PERSONALS

Colonel Feline, of Paris, is at the Ritz-Carlton.

Mr. M. Dupre, of Quebec, is at the Ritz-Carlton.

Sir Rodolphe Forget, M.P., is at Ste. Irence let

Mr. W. J. Magee arrived at the Windsor yesterday

Mr. M. B. Scarth arrived at the Windsor yesterday

Mr. J. A. Munro, of Fredericton, was at the Wind-

Mr. Murray H. Kennedy, of Quebec, was at the Ritz-

Sir Herbert Holt, president of the Royal Bank,

H. S. Ambrose, vice-president of Tuckett's, Lim

Sir Thomas Shaughnessy has gone to St. Andrews

Hon. C. J. Doherty, Minister of Justice, who was

at the Ritz-Carlton for the week-end, left last even-

The following Cabinet Ministers are in Ottawa to

The following were introduced on 'Change yester-

day: D. E. Cayne, Wilmington, Del., by R. M. Smith

and Dr. H. M. Beck, Wilkes-Barre, by Thos. William-

MISS ALLAN'S REMAINS IN MONTREAL.

All flags on the steamship Missanable were flying

half mast when she sailed into port bearing the re-

mains of the late Miss Gwen. Allan, daughter of Sir

Montagu Allan, who was drowned when the Lusitania

Sir Montagu Allan is returning to Canada by on

was sunk off the Old Head of Kinsale.

INCREASED REVENUE OF SCOTCH

Crothers, Lougheed, Burrell, Doherty and Kemp,

Hon. Messrs. Foster, Casgrain, Blondin, Reid.

Hon. Arthur Meighen has returned to Ottawa

from Toronto

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Carlton last evening.

the Maritime Provinces

rrived in London

ted, Hamilton, is in London, Eng.

by-the-Sea for a short vacation

ing for Ottawa.



COL. E. W. WILSON. Who announces that Anti-recruiters are guilty



Latest List of Subscribers Shows 36 **Companies Taking Large Amounts** of War Loan

# SHARE OF INDUSTRY

tional Premiums Amounting to \$2,500,000. Which Would Go to Government

London July 12 (by mail) - The latest informati

Montreal West Realty and Contracting Co. sold available places the total amount of insurance offices subscriptions to the war loan at £11,882,400. It pointed out that it is of great importance that th industrial classes should assist in financing the way either directly or indirectly. They can do so di rectly, if they wish, by means of the special facilities the funeral of his daughter will be completed later.

offered by the new war loan. If every war worker were to decide to contribute £5 only of his increased carnings he could do so on most advantageous terms. WINDSOR WILL INSURE ITS were to decide to contribute £5 only of his increased Unfortunately, the industrial classes have not formed the habit of investing on their own account. and it is possible that the greater number of those

reduced from the highest to the lowest in Texas and indications are the rate will be lowered another two or three cents. It is now 18 cents. In less than two ordinary channels of investment. If, therefore, they will be insured for \$1,000, those with three or more are disinclined to invest directly in the loan, the children will be given an extra \$500 policy, while sinve, the rate will be 17 cents. An investigation is now under way to determine next best thing is for them to place their money with gle men with dependents will be insured for \$500.

The following list of subscriptions by insurance purposes.

£ 5,000,000 North British & Mercantile (making, with previous subscription, £1.100,000) .. .. Sun Insurance Offices .....

Yorkshire Insurance Company, Limited Sun of Canada

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of Three Units With a Total Car 000 Tons-Undertaken at a Cost of \$1,500

PAGE THREE

Victoria, B.C "July 27 .- The Grand Trunk Pacific Railway's drydock and its surrounding plant, foundry, machine shops, etc., is expected to be ready for busi-ness early in August. Prince Rupert will then have on its harbor front what is described as the finest drydock plant along the Pacific Coast, either in Canada or the United States.

The construction of the dock has been undertaken at a cost of about  $$1,500,000_{\odot}$ . It consists of three units, with a total capacity of 20,000 tons. There will be two end sections of 5,000 tons each, and a middle section capable of holding a heat of 10.000 tons. All the units are interchangeable, and each dock is complete in itself, with pumps and air compressors if necessary all three sections, or units, joined to hold a boat 600 feet long and weighing 20,000 tons.

In addition to the actual dock, there are four other parts to the plant, namely: The foundry, which will be able to make castings as heavy as 12 tons; a boiler shop for marine repairs as well as for the construction of boilers; a machine shop, which is equipped amongst other things with a lathe having a 72-inch head, a ship shed and carpenter shop 160 x 300 feet, and a power house equipped with two large turbogenerators and a 15,000 foot air compressor.

Construction work in connection with the drydock and its accompanying plant has been under way since the beginning of 1912, and the builders will soon be replaced by a staff of operators.

## CANNOT RECOUP LOSSES

## FROM SALVAGED CARGOES.

Washington, July 27.-The United States Bureau of War Risk Insurance cannot recoup its losses, by taking possession of receipts from salvaged cargoes, Comptroller of the Treasury Downey decided. The bureau applied to the comptroller for authority to recover part of its loss of \$401,000 paid as insurance on the American steamer Evelyn sunk by a mine in the North Sea last winter.

Fifty thousand dollars' worth of cotton has been recovered from the vessel, the bureau reports. This money must be covered into miscelianeous receipts of the Treasury, the comptroller ruled. The legal reason for this decision, he says, in that to permit the the New York steamers, and the arrangements for bureau to take the money would be tantamount to increasing the \$5,000,000 appropriation made by Congress for its support. This, Mr. Downey ruled, would

## OPEN NEW LOCKS ON SEVERN.

SOLDIERS ON ACTIVE SERVICE Midland, Ont., July 27.-- The official opening of the new locks on the Severn River at Port Severn on the Georgian Bay took place yesterday, about h Windsor, Ont., July 27 .- Windsor has decided to 500 were present, and 100 launches were locked nsure all married and single men leaving dependents through. who volunteer for service at the front. These provi-

# V J. H. Wallace & Company, Limited.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that under the First Part of chapter 79 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, 1996, known as "The Companies Act," letters

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 NCREASED REVENUE OF SCOTCH
 (c) To carry on any other nusiness, whether management to the com-facturing or otherwise, which may seem to the com-pany capable of being conveniently carried on in edu-nection with the said business of the company or cal-nection with the said business of the company or cal-culated directly or indirectly to enhance any of the company's business or property;
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or property: use of the company's business as Navigation Trust for the year just closed shows an increase of almost £14,000, according to a report submitted to a meeting of the trustees held recent by Sir Thomas Mason gresidins.
 James S. Crais, convener of the finance commits to 261,669 584, heng 500,000 according to the previous 212,511 28 more than that of the previous 41, heng 500,000 this sam included a full yor's revenue from this bane is adding to applare? Wath Craig on his financial statement when 50,0000 they had a sight increase over last year, and show 700,000 they had a sight increase over last year, and show 700,000 they had a sight increase over last year, and show 700,000 they had a sight increase over last year, and show 700,000 they had a sight increase over last year, and show 700,000 they had a sight increase over last year, and show 700,000 they had a sight increase over last year, and show 700,000 they had a sight increase over last year, and show 700,000 they had a sight increase over last year, and show 700,000 they had a sight increase over last year, and show 700,000 they had a sight increase over last year, and show 700,000 they had a sight increase over last year, and show 700,000 they had a sight increase over last year, and show 700,000 they had a sight increase over last year, and show 700,000 they had a sight increase over last year, and show 700,000 they had a sight increase over last year, and show 700,000 they had a sight increase over last year, and show 700,000 they had a sight increase over last year, and show 700,000 they had a sight increase over last year, and show 700,000 they had a sight increase over 500,000 Navigation Trust for the year just closed shows an (compared by billing) (d) For the purpose of almost £14,000, according to a report aforesaid to acquire, dispe

ST. LOUIS LAND FOR MOVING PICTURE HOUSE. of the business, good-will, assets and labyles in re-stand to business, good-will, assets and labilities of any part

shore and other points adjacent to the city, the Suburban development has helped to improve the nilway and steamboat service; it has led to an im-

eable though it is, has militated against the many respects, and has projected assessment

> fire department and fire preventive improvements. El scription to the present or any later issue he department and the perturbative set of subscrip Paso was the next highest in Texas, with a 50-cent. The following list of subscrip Paso was the next highest in Texas, with a 50-cent. The following list of subscrip paso was the next highest in Texas and the paso was the next highest in Texas.

> las with 27 cents. Since then El Paso has instituted improvements which have reduced the rate to 18 cents, or a reduc-tion of 32 cents. The Dallas rate is now 19 cents or a reduction of but 8 cents. Houston's rate is 22 cents Cottish Amicable Life Assorance Society or a reduction of 9 cents. Galveston's rate is 19 cents

the 52-cent rate was given to San Antonio. It was a British Dominions General . reduction of 17 cents which placed the figures at 35 Poyal London

cents. ed to the reduction by fireproofing its pumping staed to the reduction by interplacing a cast iron struc-tion. This was done by replacing a cast iron struc-ture with a brick building. In addition the water Liverpool Victoria Legal .....

company laid new mains and installed acctional line Canada Life

FIRE RATE FROM 52C. TO 18C.

months, when the two new chief's automobiles ar-

The San Antonio Water Supply Co. contribut- Royal London Mutual

coutnern Pacific	87 1/2	831/2
Union Pacific	131	125
u. a. Steel	67 1/4	64 1/8
Demand sterling 4.77.		

## JUTE STILL QUIET.

New York, July 27 .- Jute is still quiet and uninter-Good firsts are quoted at 61% c for August tent, but little attention is paid by the mills cutta expects the next crop to be small, and nabalers are holding back in contracting. ute is about 10s per ton lower in London, but at there is a better demand, and the decline

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# LOSS BY FIRE

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started in a winding stairway in the rear, was vered at 5.43. When the firemen of the north sion of the brigade arrived, under District Hooper, the flames were raging through the alleries the entire length and height of the buildand had also gained hold in the rof. Four ms were laid, and the firemen worked for nearly

ur before the fire was extinguished. None of cupants could say how the fire started. Some the tenants were obliged to rush from the buildleaving their effects behind, while others were ing their furniture out of the windows when the vice arrived.

FIRE DOES \$175,000 DAMAGE.

eepsie, N.Y., July 27 .- Fire to-night that led out the entire fire-fighting force of the city mpletely destroyed the D. W. Wilbur Company and lumber yards, the coolers and meat plants nour & Co. and Nelson, Morris & Co. and the T Warel use of Forsyth & Davis. The loss is esat \$175,000, on which there is partial insur-

New York, July 27.- The execution of Charles Beck- City Life Assurance Company ..... of Herman Rosenthal, gambler, has been postponed Atlas-a "substantial amount" from Wednesday until Friday maning of the

from Wednesday until Friday morning of this week. in order to allow Supreme Court Justice Ford to Total ..... weigh the additional evidence in the case advanced

# by the former police lieutenant's counsel. The execution can take place legally any day this week at the

TO ESTABLISH IN REGINA. The Robert Simpson Company, Limited, of Toronto,

are arranging to conduct their western mail order business from Regina, Sask.

.....£11,°82,500

(Quotations furnished by ... C. Mackintosh & Co., members Montreal Stock Exchange, 166 Hollis Street, Halifax, N.S.)

xEastern Canada Savings & Loan ... 145 Toronto, Ont., July 27.—To aid in recruiting the City<br/>Council has voted the sum of \$15,000, and \$5,000 to<br/>assist needy Toronto prisoners in Germany, the Red<br/>Cross to administer the money.The business will be transacted from a \$150,000<br/>warehouse and at least 300 employes, of which 90 per<br/>warehouse and at least 300 employes, of which 90 per<br/>warehouse and at least 300 employes, of which 90 per<br/>warehouse and at least 300 employes, of which 90 per<br/>warehouse from the office time be draw\*Eastern Trust Company<br/>warehouse from the office time be drawCross to administer the money.Company100 Do., Common .. .. .. .. .. .. Stanfields, Ltd., Pfd. .. .. .. .. 95 Do. Common .. ....

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 FOR MOVING PICTURE HOUSE.
 The largest realty transfer registered yesterday was the sale of \$65,011.50, from Mr. John L. Heutcheon to the ladgement Amusement. Limited, of lots 12-615, 12-6-16, village of Cote St. Lours, forming an emplacement containing 5,217 feet in superficies, fronting on Park avenue.
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which this company may have the power of disposed ing;
(j) To do all or any of the above things as princlpals, agents, contractors, ub-contractors. Importers, exporters or otherwise, and by or through trustees, agents, contractors or otherwise, and either alone or in conjunction with others;
(k) To do all other things or acts as may be deemed below the or sittiging of the above. 90 30

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1 (b) To do all other things or acts as may be deemed incidential or conducive to the attainment of the above objects or any of them, the whole subject to federal, and provincial laws, rules and regulations. The operations of the company to or curried on throughout the Dominion of Canada and elsewhere by the name of "J. H. Wallace & Company, Limited," with a capital stock of twenty thousand dollars, div-ided into 200 shares of one hundred dollars each, and the chief place of the spid company to be 65 95 ided into 200 shares of one hundred course sace, and the chief place of business of the said company to be at the City of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec. Dated at the office of the Secretary of State of Canada, this 20th day of July, 1915. THOMAS MULVEY. 4-2. Under-Secretary of States 100

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discretion of the warden of Sing Sing prison.

Cross to administer the money.

The company is bonded to the extent of \$100,000 to fulfill these and other conditions of the agreement Do., Common ..., 25 Do., Common ..., 25 Porto Rico Tel, pfd. ..., 105 Do., common ..., 50

A by-law was drafted providing for \$1,000 for dependents of Toronto men killed or dying on active ser-

entered into by the company with the city of Regina.