

DR. SPANGLER DEFIES SCIENCE OF OSTEOPATHY AT CORONER'S INQUEST

Osteopath Who Attended
Mrs. McLaughlin Spends
Evening on Stand

Tells of the Nature of
Treatment He Gave
Deceased

Describes in Detail His-
tory of Case—Did Not
Treat for Rheumatism

The intense interest displayed at the
early sessions of the inquest into the
death of Mrs. Annie McLaughlin was
not lessened at the coroner's inquest
held last evening. The large room was
filled to its utmost and every word
of the proceedings was listened to with
deep attention.

Dr. Spangler was on the stand for
over an hour and a half and told of
the nature of the deceased's ailment.
He also defined to the coroner and
jury the science of osteopathy and
stated that he knew he could not be
registered under the medical act of
the province.

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of the case. He declared he never
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in evidence. Such remarkable in-
terest has been shown in a case
for a long time.

The other witnesses examined were
Charles McDonald and Dr. Murray
MacLennan, the president of the Medical
Council. The evidence is being
complete, but the case will be resumed
at 8 o'clock this evening, when it is
expected a verdict will be reached by
the jury.

FIRE WITIN A ST. JOHN WOMAN

LENEX, Mass., April 12.—Mrs. Ed-
ward C. Ventres, one of the six vic-
tims of the half million dollar fire
which swept this wealthy village yester-
day, is a native of St. John, and
friends here say that she often men-
tioned having relatives there. Her
maiden name was Wilhelmina Leale.
She met Mr. Ventres in Pittsfield,
Mass., and married him there more
than a dozen years ago. Her only
daughter, little Wilhelmina, aged
twelve, a pupil in the Lenox school,
also met death in the fire. Mr. Ventres
himself, a prosperous business man,
was a third victim. Today effort is
being made to secure the bodies from
the smoking ruins of the Clifford
block. The heat of the ashes is intense
and it is doubtful if the bodies will be
recognizable when they are found. The
Ventres lived on the second floor of
the Clifford block. It is impossible to
determine how they became so be-
trayed, but it is believed they were
in the house when the explosion took
place. Then an explosion shook the
building and those who wanted to ad-
dress them were forced to flee for their
lives.

IMPORTANT CORNISH DOCUMENT

One of the ancient documents at De-
vizes, instead of being a "charter," as
was supposed, is, in reality, "letters
patent" by James I. under the Great
Seal (1609-10), granting charity lands
to the mayor and burgesses of De-
vizes. The discovery may have impor-
tant results.

"I'm in a scrape this time for sure,
observed the vaccine germ, as the doc-
tor scratched him into the patient's
cuticle.

You cannot possibly have
a better Cocoa than

EPPE'S
A delicious drink and a sustaining
food. Fragrant, nutritious and
economical. This excellent Cocoa
maintains the system in robust
health, and enables it to resist
winter's extreme cold.

COCOA
Sold by Grocers and Storekeepers
in 1-lb. and 3-lb. Tins.

HOLD GIRL, WHO TRIED TO END LIFE; AS THIEF

She Alleged Deception in Her
Association With

Negro

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., April 12.—
Identified positively by Mrs. Charles
Bockius of Wistar street, Germantown,
as the girl who robbed her of diamonds,
a watch and her jewelry, Miss Jean-
ette Henderson, the girl who swal-
lowed laudanum a few days ago, when
she discovered that Walter Reeves, an
admirer, who had cast her off, was a
negro, is now out of danger.

Police are also looking for Reeves
in an attempt to discover what he
knows of the girl's alleged stealings.
The young woman is out of danger,
but is being closely watched, follow-
ing her threat made to hospital-nurses
to again attempt to kill herself.

The young woman came here this morn-
ing with a special policeman, but was
not allowed to see the girl until this
evening, when hospital doctors de-
clared the young woman out of danger.
The girl looked to the coroner and
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SPRING BLOOD IS BAD BLOOD

How Best to Get New Health
and Strength in Spring

The winter months are trying to
the health of even the most robust.
Confinement in doors in over-heated
and nearly always badly ventilated
rooms—in the home, the office, the
shop and the school—taxes the vitality
of even the most robust. Good blood
comes thin and watery or clogged with
impurities. Sometimes you get up in
the morning just as tired as when you
went to bed. Some people have head-
aches, others are nervous, irritable,
have pimples and skin eruptions.
These are all spring symptoms that
the blood is out of order. You can't
cure these troubles with purgative
drugs which merely gallop through
the system leaving you still weaker.

What you need to give you health and
strength in the spring is a tonic medi-
cine, and the one always reliable
tonic and blood builder is Dr. Williams'
Pink Pills. These Pills not only banish
spring ills but guard you against the
more serious ailments that follow,
such as anemic, nervous debility,
rheumatism, indigestion and kidney
trouble. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills
made new, rich blood which strength-
ens every nerve, every organ and
every part of the body. Try this
medicine this spring and you will have
strength and energy to resist the
torrid heat of the coming summer.

Mr. J. R. Johnson, Loch Broom, N.B.,
says: "I have been a sufferer from
this ailment for many years. I began
to feel that my constitution was weak-
ening. I could not stand any exposure
or knocking about. I finally sought
the aid of a doctor who said my sys-
tem was very much run down, and
that the trouble might end in nervous
prostration. As his medicine did not
help me I decided on the advice of a
friend, to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.
I had used less than a half
dozen boxes, when my health was fully
restored, and I think no other medi-
cine can equal these Pills when one is
run down and the blood is out of
order. I sold by all medicine dealers or
by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for
\$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medi-
cine Co., Brockville, Ont.

CHIEF ARRESTS OWN DOMESTIC

MONCTON, N. B., April 12.—The
Scott Act case recently brought against
the American Hotel upon the evidence
of an aged woman employed as a do-
mestic in the house, has resulted in
something of a tangle. The proprie-
tress of the American Hotel was put
upon the defence and the case comes
up again tomorrow. Today Mrs. Wal-
lace swore out a warrant for Mrs.
Charles F. Black, the witness who gave
information to the police alleging the
Scott Act violation, charging her with
perjury. Recently Mrs. Black had been
working at the residence of Chief Ride-
out, when the warrant for her arrest
was placed in the chief's hands. This
afternoon he arrested Mrs. Black and
then made a search of his own house
for stolen goods. In the attic he found
the articles Mrs. Wallace charges Mrs.
Black with stealing. The charge of
perjury against Mrs. Black will be in-
vestigated before the police magistrate to-
morrow.

COMMISSIONER'S REPORT PARTIZAN AND UNFAIR. DECLARES R. PUGSLEY

Not Justified by Evidence—Profit in
Bond Deal Explained

Minister Declares That the Evidence Will Show
That There Has Not Been a
Shortage At All

OTTAWA, Ont., April 12.—The find-
ings of the commission appointed by
the Conservative government of New
Brunswick to inquire into the rela-
tions between the province and the
New Brunswick Railway and Coal Com-
pany are partizan and unfair and that
the evidence is the ground which will
be taken by Dr. Pugsley in the state-
ment of the House of Commons tomorrow.

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amination of the evidence will not show
that there has been any such short-
age or any shortage whatever.

The report shows that their estimate
of a shortage of the commission fixed
the total amount of interest paid by the
company at \$800,000 to cover the whole
amount of the interest, paid from
March 31, 1903, to 1908. When it is
borne in mind that the report of the
audit of 1908, by the late P. S. Sharpe,
an experienced and skillful accountant,
who spent many weeks investigating
the accounts of the company in the
summer of 1904, declared that the in-
terest paid in connection with the con-
struction of the fifteen mile section to
May 31, 1904, was \$33,000, and that the
report of the commissioner shows that
the interest charged from August 1,
1905, to March 31, 1908, was \$88,000,
which two sums added make \$121,000,
or \$9,000 more than the \$22,000 arbit-
rarily fixed by the commissioners as
the interest on the loan of \$200,000.
The report of the commissioners shows
that the interest on the loan of \$200,000
at the rate of six and a half per
cent, can be placed on the conclu-
sions of the commissioners. When you
further consider that in addition to the
interest on the loan of \$200,000, the
company was also borrowing money from
the Central Railway and for exten-
sive repairs and additions to rolling
stock since 1901, and likewise interest
on the total payments, consisting of
purchase money and expenditure on
the Central Railway and cost of new
line, which it is admitted totaled at
least seven hundred thousand dollars,
it will be seen what a great difference
there necessarily is between the in-
terest actually paid, running in many
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MEET DEATH ON WAY TO ST. STEPHEN

BOSTON, April 8.—Bishop Edward
W. Osborn, of the Episcopal diocese of
Springfield, formerly superior of the
Covey Fathers of this city, announces
that Rev. Frederick E. J. Lloyd, D.D.,
formerly of Charlotte, N. C., who left
the Episcopal Church two years ago
and joined the Roman Catholic body,
has returned to his former denomination.

Dr. Lloyd was elected Bishop Co-
adjutor of Oregon in 1906 but declined
owing to objections made by certain
clergymen to advanced churchmanship.
He suffered from a nervous break-
down two months ago but has recov-
ered.

The steamer Calvin Austin in tow of
tugs arrived at 1 p. m. The steamer
was taken to East Boston for new sail
shaft. The trip was uneventful.

An Eastport (Maine) dispatch says:
Evidence of the drowning of William
and Noel Nicholas, Passamaquoddy
Indians of Pleasant Point, was found
today when the bodies and their be-
longings were washed up on the
northerly end of Deer Island, N. B.
No trace of the bodies were found.
The Indians started from Pleasant
Point Saturday for St. Stephen, a dis-
tance of four miles, to do some trad-
ing. It is supposed they were seized by
a squall.

MISCHIEVOUS SPOOK DISTURBS HOUSEHOLD

Salamander Spirit Who Throws Hot Coals
and Smashes Windows and
Crockery.

LONDON, April 12.—Extraordinary
stories are told concerning mysterious
and ghostly happenings at a house at
Bosworth, an old World-courtesy town
in Staffordshire.

For weeks past the occupants of the
house have been amazed at inexplic-
able occurrences, the crockery and
coal in the house seeming bewitched.
Coal placed in the fire grate persists
in leaping out in full view of resi-
dents and smashing windows at right
angles to the fire in last night's
episode. The fire grate was a week
after the weird visitation began every
window downstairs was broken, and as
fast as new windows were put in they
were broken again.

The extraordinary affair has created
widespread astonishment.

SWAN RIVER, April 12.—The Em-
pire Hotel was destroyed by fire Sun-
day morning. The flames had a good
start and the occupants had to
escape through the windows. Walter
Livingstone, a young householder
journeying from his parents' home in
Minnesota, was burned to death while
the comrade was rescued with diffi-
culty.

SICK DOCTOR Proper Food Put Him Right.

The food experience of a physician
in his own case when worn and weak
from sickness and when needing nour-
ishment the worst way is valuable.
"An attack of grip, so severe it
came near making an end of me, left
my stomach in such condition I could
not retain any ordinary food. I knew
of course that I must have food nour-
ishment or I could never recover.

"I began to take four teaspoonfuls
of Grape-Nuts and cream three times
a day and for 2 weeks this was al-
most my only food; it tasted so deli-
cious that I enjoyed it immensely and
my stomach handled it perfectly from
the first mouthful. It was so nourish-
ing I was quickly built back to nor-
mal health and strength.

"Grape-Nuts is of great value as
food to sustain life during serious at-
tacks in which the stomach is so de-
ranged it cannot digest and assimilate
other foods.

"I am convinced that were Grape-
Nuts more widely used by physicians,
it would save many lives that are
now lost from lack of nourishment."

Absolutely the most perfect food in
the world. Trial of Grape-Nuts 10
days proves "There's a Reason."
Look in pkg. for the little book, "The
Road to Wellville."

Ever read the above letter? A new
one appears from time to time. They
are genuine, true, and full of human
interest.

INCREASES IN PAYNE TARIFF PRINCIPALLY DEAL WITH LUXURIES

Boosting the
Valley Route

Monthly Meeting of Frederic-
ton Board of Trade

EXPO ASSOCIATION

FREDERICTON, April 12.—The
quarterly meeting of the Board of
Trade was held this afternoon at the
City Council chamber with President
Hodge in the chair. Mr. Dobbie re-
ported that no action had yet been
taken by the board in the matter of
telephone rates as they were waiting
to see what the legislature would do.

The board elected as delegates to pro-
ceed to Ottawa along with the other
delegates of the proposed St. John Val-
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Amended Bill to be Con-
sidered by Senate
Thursday

Does Not Contain All the
Changes it is Proposed
to Make

Entire Liquor Schedule
is Materially Ad-
vanced

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 12.—The
amended tariff bill is now on the sen-
ate calendar and by an agreement
reached on the floor, consideration of
the measure will begin on Thursday.
The bill was laid before the finance
committee with the Democratic mem-
bers present, at 10 o'clock this morning
and after thirty minutes' parleying, a
vote was taken on the question of
making a report to the senate today
all the Republicans voting in the af-
firmative and the Democrats in the
negative. Soon after the senate met Sen-
ator Aldrich presented the amended
bill. Senator Daniel on behalf of the
minority protested that the Democrats
had not been given an opportunity to
examine the measure and Mr. Aldrich
replied that they could make their ex-
amination by Thursday. He said also
that as the majority is responsible for
the bill, its course in hastening the
report was warranted.

As reported, the bill does not contain
all of the changes in rates which the
finance committee proposes to make.
Although several important amend-
ments, such as the restoration of the
Dingley rates on women's gloves and
hosiery, the placing of works of art on
the free list and the