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ONE CENT

SHORT TIMBERS WERE USED IN BUILDING NEW WHARF AT SAID POINT

In One Tier Not a Single Stick of Timber Was up to the Specification Requirements as to Length---Timbers Butted Instead of Lapped.

A Times reporter paid a visit this morning to the much discussed wharf, which is now being built at Port Dufferin, on the West Side of the harbor.

The Times man walked over the No. 2 cribwork from end to end, and by making measurements found that there is not a single stick in one tier (that one being the second above the ballast floor) that is the required 22 feet in length.

THE SEASON'S LUMBERING

The Gibson Company Will Finish up This Week---Lumbering on the Machias.

FREDERICTON, March 2 (Special).--The Gibson company will conclude their season's lumbering operations on the Machias and Bartholomew rivers on Saturday night of this week. They will cut out for the season in the neighborhood of thirty millions of feet. The company's operators declare that the present season has been one of the most favorable for lumbering they have ever experienced.

WHERE WERE THE RUNNERS?

Aerial Ladder Truck Was Taken out on Wheels Yesterday and Delay Was Caused.

Considerable comment has been heard over the fact that the big aerial ladder truck was sent to yesterday morning's fire on Water Street on wheels instead of on runners. As a consequence the team was late in arriving and had the fire been a more important one the result might have been serious.

ORANGEMEN AND BAPTISTS

Manitoba Orangemen Opposed to University Powers for Baptist University.

WINNIPEG, Man., March 2 (Special).--The Orange order in Winnipeg has passed a strong resolution against the legislature granting university powers to the Baptist college at Brandon. The Orangemen declare that they stand for equal rights to all and that as they would oppose the Roman Catholics having a separate university in Manitoba so they oppose the Baptists receiving any favors whatsoever.

VACCINATION WAS DEFEATED

Plan to Make Vaccination Compulsory in Toronto Schools Badly Beaten.

TORONTO, March 2 (Special).--The opponents of compulsory vaccination in the schools were victorious by practically a unanimous vote in the board of education last night. Trustee Leve's motion to strike out the requirement of a vaccination certificate for admission to the schools after considerable debate was carried by a vote of 10 to 0.

SAFETY BOARD TODAY WILL PROBABLY HAVE MUCH TO TALK ABOUT

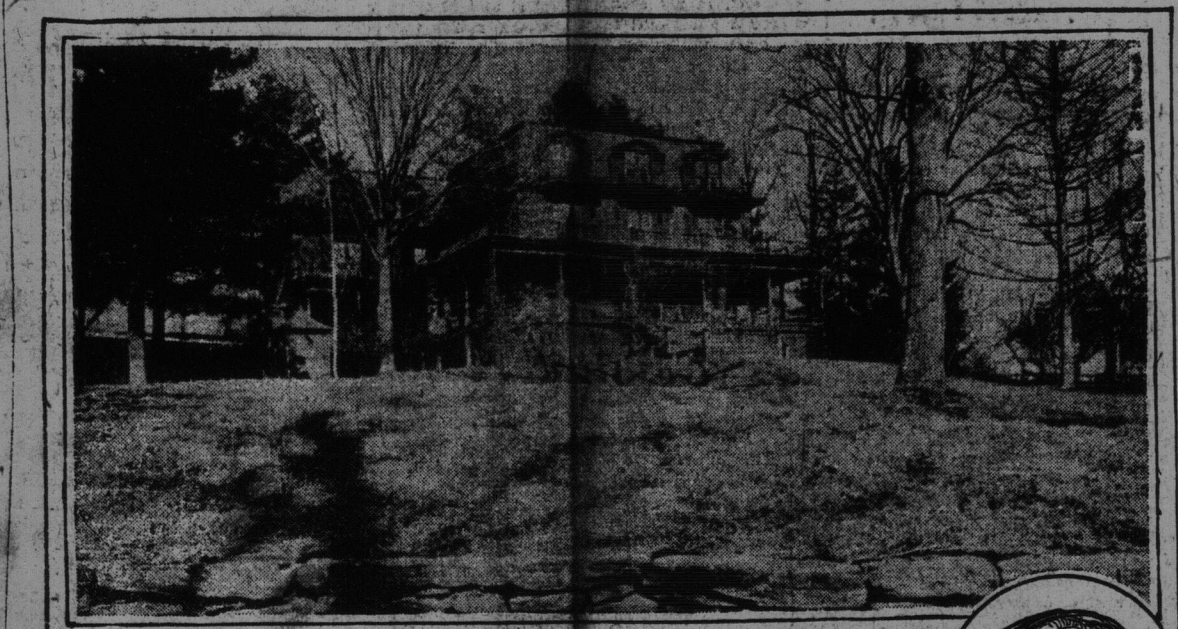
The board of public safety will meet this afternoon to pass the estimates for the year and the outlook is that they will be rather heavy.

WHAT FRANCE THINKS OF IT

French Paper Advocates Adoption of German Idea of Mobile Army.

PARIS, March 2--The Journal today published the result of an investigation made by its correspondents along the German frontiers. The paper says the Germans do not desire war, but the German army is ready and its superior mobilization plans permit a rapid invasion of French territory.

Beloved Eva Booth in the Quaker Home of Horace Greeley.



Miller Homestead at Chappaqua Occupied by Mrs. Eva Booth.

Up in Chappaqua, N. Y., that dreary little Quaker hamlet whose chief claim to fame rests on the fact that Horace Greeley made it his home for many years before he died, they are talking of the departure of Miss Eva Booth, commander of the Salvation Army in the United States, with her wonderful collection of dogs.

Ever since Miss Booth settled there a little more than a year ago, with her dogs, her male attendant and one or two other servants, the quiet folk of that remote little community have been talking about her.

Her dogs, her eight hundred dollars and the horse, her bright red riding jacket, her male attendant have all proved rich morsels for the local gossip, for Chappaqua never has anything really sensational to talk about and simple things are magnified into important incidents in its daily life.

DESERTED AND PENNILESS

CANADIAN GIRL TAKES HER OWN LIFE IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, March 2--A handsome young woman who was known at the house in West 21st St., where she had lived for four months as Lillian Anne Pebody Williams, of Toronto, was found dead in her room today. She had placed a gas tube in her mouth and turned on the deadly vapor. Death came many hours before the body was found.

Several telegrams found in the room were signed "Lottie," and on an envelope was written, "Charlie, forgive me." Propped against the back of a chair beside the bed in which the body was found were two photographs of a young man. In a gold locket about her neck was a miniature of the same face. Occupants of the house recognized it as of the man who had called upon Mrs. Williams frequently, and whom the woman had introduced as her husband.

One picture was that of a young man in the uniform of the Canadian police. The other was a portrait of a young man in a military uniform. The police officer was identified as being the man who had called upon Mrs. Williams frequently, and whom the woman had introduced as her husband.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

TO CURE THE LUDLOW.

LUTZ MOUNTAIN, N. B., March 2, 1906. Mr. Peter Binks, care Evening Times, St. John, N. B.

WANT CLOSE SEASON CHANGED

OTTAWA, March 2 (Special).--The United States government has asked the Canadian government, through the British government, to make August and September a close season for pelagic sealing, and to take May and June instead. The order was refused.

PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE

Harry Cromwell of the north end arrived home today from a visit to Fredericton.

WAR ADVERTISED

FREDERICTON, March 2 (Special).--Mr. Legge has cancelled the order calling out the Kent reserve, and Mr. Bink has sent word to the river drivers that they will not be necessary for them to don their peevish and march to his relief.

INTERNATIONAL TROUBLES

WASHINGTON, March 2 (Special).--President Roosevelt called a hurried meeting of the cabinet this morning, when he received from the U. S. consul at St. John the news of the capture of Admiral L. W. Pond's statement published in yesterday's Telegraph. It is now expected that congress will reconsider its former action and vote \$100,000,000 to strengthen the navy.

AMERICAN BOYCOTT STARTED FOR REVENGE

BY RICH CHINAMAN

His Family Was Badly Treated by Boston Customs Officials, and When He Got Home He Instituted Campaign of Revenge---Chinese Situation Serious

SAN FRANCISCO, March 2--William Hancock, for the past 31 years a resident of China, and a commissioner of customs there, arrived here on the liner Hong Kong on his way to England. Speaking of the situation in China last night, he said: "The principal cause of the present unsettled condition are the dissatisfaction in southern China over the indemnity to be paid to foreign countries resulting from the Boxer outrages, which occurred in northern China, the outrageous treatment accorded to the wealthy King family of China by a custom officer in Boston, when he and his family were en route from England to China by way of this country. King and his family were treated as ordinary coolies, and the head of the family was furious over the matter. I think he was the real instigator of the boycott."

Yuan Shi Kai, victor of Chi Li province, has done all he could to stamp out the boycott, but no one can do much when once public indignation is aroused in that country. Things are very apt to become serious before peace again reigns.

THIS LOOKS LIKE A WAR

French Residents of Calgary Told to get Ready to go Home.

CALGARY, Alta., March 2 (Special).--Native Frenchmen residing in Calgary have received notice from the home government to be in readiness to return to France any time within forty-eight hours after receipt of final instructions. Their expenses on the return journey are guaranteed. The notice is believed to be the result of strained relations in European affairs.

DELEGATION FROM ST. JOHN

Minister of Railways Will Receive One on Tuesday Next--After Harbor Improvements

OTTAWA, Ont., March 2 (Special).--Hon. H. R. Emmerson will address the Canadian Society in New York on March 17. He will speak of the transportation. The minister of public works to receive a delegation from St. John on Tuesday next. The delegation after certain harbor improvements.

MONTREAL STOCK MARKET.

Market Was Quiet Today and There Was Little Change in Prices.

MONTREAL, March 2 (Special).--The stock market was quiet today and alterations in price were not important. The chief features were Illinois Traction 99-3/4 Canadian Pacific, 170-3/4 to 1-8; Toronto Railway, 124 to 123 3/4; Dominion Coal, 72 1/2; Montreal Power, 93-3/4; Dominion, 31.

IN THE COURTS

The case of Brayton vs. St. John Telegraph Co. was continued in the supreme court this morning.

WEST END GAMBLING AND LIQUOR STEALING CASES IN POLICE COURT

This was indeed a busy day in the police court.

PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE

John McEvity, the watchman in No. 1 street, said that he knew little about the case.

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