

### Huge Snake Takes Command Of British Ship

For a brief period following her departure from Singapore the bridge of the British Steamship Bolton Castle was temporarily but completely under the control of a gigantic python. In the early hours of the morning on the second day out from the Straits Settlements port, Quartermaster J. R. West was at the wheel, watching his course, when he was startled by a massive head suddenly appearing through the pilot house door. The python clamped its possession of the pilot house, and the ship took a few round turns without a guiding hand before the unwelcome king of the snake species made its exit and allowed the officers to again take control of the vessel.

The last time the officers of the Bolton Castle saw of the visitor was the tail of the python, which measured thirty feet in length, as it disappeared overboard. The trunk of the snake extended from the bridge to the waterline. The python was one of the three shipped aboard the Bolton Castle at Singapore and consigned to a menagerie at New York.

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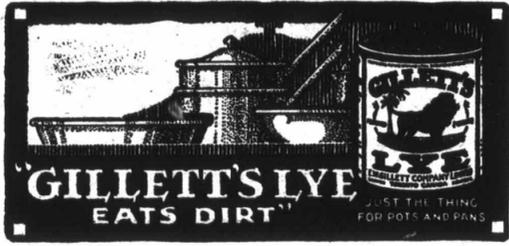
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### Stumpage Rate Increased To \$5

Announcement of stumpage regulations for the crown lands of the province of New Brunswick is contained in the royal gazette of last week issue. The rate has been increased to \$5 per thousand feet with increases in other minor particulars. This is the third increase in stumpage rate made by the Foster administration since it took office in 1917. The rate at that time was \$1.50. Since then it has been increased to \$2.50, to \$3.50 and to \$5.00.

The rate of stumpage for the ensuing year and that for last year are as follows: Spruce, pine and hemlock saw logs, per M. superficial feet—1920-21, \$5; 1919-20, \$3.50.

Hardwood timber, up to an average of fourteen inches square, per ton 1920-21, \$1.50; 1919-20, \$1.10. Hardwood timber, about fourteen inches, additional per inch per ton, 1920-21, ten cents; 1919-20, ten cents.

Hardwood logs per M. superficial feet 1920-21, \$1.25; 1919-20, \$1.25.

Fine timber, up to fourteen inches square per ton 1920-21 \$3; 1919-20, \$2.

Pine timber, additional per inch per ton 1920-21, fifty cents; 1919-20, fifty cents.

Hemlock timber, per ton 1920-21, \$1; 1919-20, \$1.

Spruce timber per ton 1920-21, \$2; 1919-20, \$1.50.

Cedar logs per M 1920-21, \$5; 1919-20, \$3.50.

Railway ties, eight feet length, each 1920-21, seventeen cents; 1919-20, twelve cents.

Hemlock logs, per M. superficial feet, including bark 1920-21, \$1.50; 1919-20, \$5.

White birch, for spool wood, per cord 1920-21, \$1; 1919-20, sixty-five cents.

White birch logs, for spool wood, per M. superficial feet, 1920-21, \$2; 1919-20, \$1.25.

Fir logs, per M. superficial feet 1920-21, \$4.50; 1919-20, \$3.

Poplar logs, per M. superficial feet 1920-21, \$4.50; 1919-20, \$3.

The penalty has been increased from \$7.50 to \$10 per thousand feet on lumber left in the woods contrary to regulations and on logs seized for cutting beyond licensed limits or on unlicensed land. Railway ties must pay twenty-five cents each as penalty if cut beyond licensed limits or on unlicensed land or if the mark for the ties has not been furnished to the department. An increase from \$7.50 to \$10 per thousand has been made in the penalty on spruce or pine used as skids when other varieties of timber are available, also on trees left lodged in the woods. The fee for assignment has been increased from \$4 to \$20. Double stumpage is to be imposed upon logs cut and delivered on a stream or lake where they are liable to float down before being scaled by a government scaler.

No diameter limit is imposed for fir, this being a change. The minimum diameter formerly was nine inches.

### Insane Murderers Headed This Way

A man who escaped with a doctor's automobile from the Bangor state hospital for the insane a few days ago is still missing. The patient, Benjamin Payson, escaped through a subterranean passage, the existence of which was unknown to the officials. The car was found abandoned near Rockland. There is much uneasiness in the country districts.

Another man, Perley Bickford, of Searsport, a violent man, made his get-away from the same institution on Sunday, but was captured later. Bickford is a wild man, and his action being noticed he was found hiding behind a bush.

One man was shot and killed in an attempt of insane criminals to escape from Bridgewater institution. Lots of lunatics, are running around loose in eastern Maine and a general warning has been sent to the authorities. Ralph Peters of Bowdoinham, one of the five who recently escaped from the state hospital for the insane, at Augusta, and was recaptured at Belfast on Sunday, says that two of the party, James Clabby and Peter Vallis, whom they left him were working their way westward and intended to get into New Brunswick by automobile or boat. Both fugitives are murderers. Sheriff Fernandes, of Bangor, has been notified that a motor car was stolen in Belfast on Saturday night and it is thought that the escaped insane carried back to Peters and the men were armed. Balls were shot at shooting and killing. Policeman McLaughlin of Portland and Sgt. A. J. Wainwright.

### Given Six Months In York Co. Jail

Fredericton, July 26—James P. Murray, who pleaded guilty to obtaining an automobile from J. W. McQuiskey, Boiestown, under false pretences, appeared before Police Magistrate Limerick and was sentenced by him to a six months term in jail. Before giving sentence Magistrate Limerick questioned the prisoner concerning his home and was told it was in St. John, where he had a wife and two children.

### Frequent Headaches A Sure Sign That the Blood is Watery and Impure

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### FAMILY MARKED BY ODDITY

There lived at Ipswich in the reign of William III a family known as the "odd family," a most appropriate name, as the following facts prove. London Answers states:

Every event, good, bad or indifferent came to the family in an odd year or an odd day of the month and every person was odd in manner or behavior or appearance. Even the letters of their Christian names always amounted to an odd number.

The father and mother were Peter and Rahab; their seven children (all boys) bore the names of David, Ezekiel, James, Jonas, Matthew, Roger, and Solomon. The husband possessed only one leg and his wife only one arm; Solomon was blind in his left eye and Roger lost his right in an accident; James had his left ear torn off in a quarrel. Matthew's left hand had but three fingers.

Jonas has a stump foot, David was humpbacked and Ezekiel was six ft. 2 inches at the age of 19. Every one of the children had red hair, notwithstanding the fact that the father's hair was jet black and the mother's white.

Strange at birth, all died as strangely.

The father fell into a deep swamp and was killed. The wife died five days after from starvation. Ezekiel enlisted, was wounded in 23 places but recovered. Roger, James, Jonas, David and Matthew died in 1712 in six different places on the same day; Solomon and Ezekiel were drowned in the Thames in 1723.

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### Shamrock IV Beaten In Final Race

Sandy Hook, July 27—Defender Resolute gave the challenger, Shamrock IV, the worst drubbing of the 1920 regatta in the final race of the series today, winning boat for boat thirteen minutes and forty-five seconds—and the America's famous yachting cup remains in the United States.

Overcoming a forty second lead the advantage of a windward berth which Shamrock had taken at the start, the defender held a lead of four minutes and eight seconds at the half-way stake of the thirty-mile course, and crossed the finish line thirteen minutes and five seconds ahead. Including her handicap of six minutes and forty seconds, Resolute won by eighteen minutes and forty-five seconds.

As the challenger crossed the mark her British crew let out three ringing cheers for the victory, and the conquerors responded with lusty cheers for Shamrock and her crew.

Sir Thomas Lipton announced immediately after the race that he would build a new challenger and come across again in 1922 to have another try at lifting the America's Cup provided some other yachtsman did not challenge and win the cup sooner.

"I was beaten by a better boat" he said. "I have no complaint to make, but I am greatly disappointed."

Shamrock won all the honors of the start. Resolute started in a very bad pocket underneath Shamrock and the green boat had everything her own way for the first fifteen minutes.

The wind was scarcely more than three knots at the start and both yachts failed to reach the line before the handicap limit of two minutes expired. Shamrock was the first to cross, followed forty seconds later by the defender. Both crossed to the starboard tack, and Shamrock being fifty yards to windward immediately tacked to port. Resolute followed and to the surprise of all began to fall off to leeward. The yachts had not been sailing ten minutes before a tow of barges loomed up ahead. Resolute had to tack to avoid them, but for some reason Shamrock instead of tacking also and following the old adage "always keep between your opponent and the mark", kept on and Resolute having her wind free, held off shore and kept clear of Shamrock thereafter. Shamrock was evidently heading for a better draft of air under the Jersey shore but she failed to find it, while Resolute picked up a favorable slant off shore. Till an hour after the start Shamrock was well in the lead and seemed able to head a couple of points nearer the wind.

Everything seemed to be going unusually well for the green boat and hopes ran high on the yacht Victoria, carrying Sir Thomas Lipton.

Then Resolute began to kick up her heels and overreach her opponent. Adams tacked twice before he succeeded in getting across Shamrock's bow, but he finally landed and after that the race, as between the two boats, were over.

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