

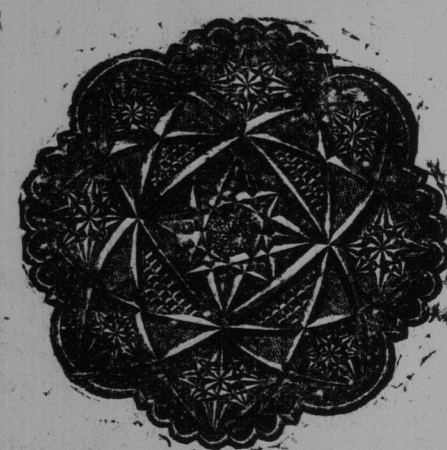
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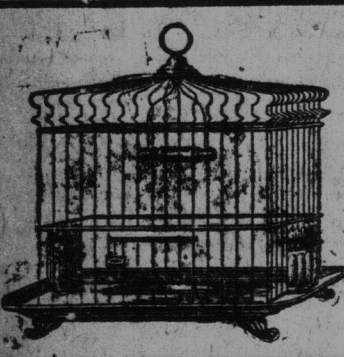
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## THIRTY HORSES DIE IN FLAMES.

An Awful Fire in a Moncton Livery Stable.

Humphrey & Kinnear's Stable Destroyed With Many Valuable Animals—Insurance Small

(Special to the Star.)

MONCTON, N. B., June 23.—Humphrey & Kinnear's livery stable on East Market street was razed to the ground by fire this morning and about thirty horses were cremated. The fire was discovered about eight o'clock and before the alarm could be given the stable and its contents were burning from all sides of the building and it was at once apparent that the stable and nearly all its contents were doomed. The only person near the stable at the time was Andrew Anderson, who was cleaning a carriage just outside the door and Anderson says the scene in the stable was indescribable. Smoke was pouring into the second story from the side where the fire was raging and the horses were making a great commotion. Mingled with the noise of horses kicking and jumping about the stable in an effort to break loose were the piteous shrieks of the animals. Not one of the poor brutes was saved. One horse given a chance for his life pulled back into his stall after being started down stairs and thus perished with the rest. In all some thirty horses were lost.

In addition to the horses belonging to Messrs. Humphrey & Kinnear there were about ten boarders. Among those who lost horses in the conflagration were Dr. Rand, Dr. C. G. O. Polys (matched team), C. W. Robinson, Dr. Smith, Dr. White, Dr. Botsford and A. C. Wilbur, of the W. U. Tel. Co.

There was no insurance on the horses but the building was insured for \$1,500 not more than half the cost of the structure.

Some of the cavalry men in the city on their way to the camp at Sussex kept their horses in the stable and some were lost. Nearly all the wagons and all the harness were saved. The total loss will probably be \$5,000 or \$7,000. It is supposed that the fire started by some one carelessly dropping a match where the cavalry horses were kept in the country barn.

## S. A. WILL INVADE RUSSIA.

General Booth Outlines Foreign Missionary Work of Army at London International Congress

LONDON, June 23.—The international congress of the Salvation Army is drawing immense audiences and is receiving much attention from the newspapers. The meetings yesterday were devoted to "foreign war." Gen. Booth reviewed the work of the Salvation Army in foreign countries and said that its flag now flies everywhere except in Russia, which he hoped the army would soon invade. As illustrating the growth of the army's work a remarkable demonstration took place at Exeter Hall last night while native delegates from Asiatic countries conducted the proceedings. A Japanese delegate made a speech in which he said that the army had caused many reforms in the moral life of Tokyo and other cities of Japan.

## LOST AND FOUND.

On last Friday, about 11 o'clock in the morning, Pilot John Smith, of the St. John's, lost a small black dog, which he had dropped his purse on Douglas avenue. He advertised for the lost purse, but had given up all hope of recovering it when, on Saturday night, it was returned to him by Edmund D. McGrath, the I. C. R. restaurant keeper. On Saturday morning, about five o'clock, Mr. McGrath espied the purse lying at the entrance of the depot. He walked over to pick it up, but it was taken by a woman, who, however, left it in his possession. Investigation disclosed the fact that the purse was Mr. Smith's and that its valuable contents were intact.

## TROUBLE IN NEWFOUNDLAND.

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., June 23.—Newfoundland fishing vessels having occupied the French stations on the treaty coast, in the mistaken belief that the treaty ratification had been exchanged, the Frenchmen appealed to the British commander who dispatched a warship to the scene to warn the offending colonial vessels from the coast. The incident is the occasion of much concern.

On July 1st the local league will play four games two on each ground. It is expected that Howe and Finnmore, who recently played for Farnham, will be secured for these games, which it is brought about will no doubt strengthen the local teams and add considerable interest for this occasion.

The members of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 3, of the West Side, wish to publicly thank A. C. Smith & Co. and the Union Ice Co. for their kindness in loaning their horses on the day of the parade.

A meeting of the St. John City Rifle Club is to be held in their room tomorrow, Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock to complete arrangements for holding a match on the range on Friday, Dominion day.

The Star is requested to state that the moonlight excursion last night was attended by over three hundred persons, instead of one hundred and fifty, as reported in this morning's papers.

H. A. McCulloch left this morning for Moncton, where he is to be married to Miss Quinn, of that place.

## RUSSIANS DEFEATED IN ANOTHER BATTLE.

Advance Driven Back by Japs With Heavy Loss—Another Russian Battleship Lost—Japs Accused of Killing Wounded

TOKIO, June 23.—11 a. m.—After a hot fight which lasted for several hours yesterday morning, June 22, the Taku Shan division of the Japanese army completely defeated five battalions of Russian infantry, which were supported by two regiments of cavalry and sixteen guns, occupied Fan-Shui-Ling, some twenty miles northwest of Sin Yen. The Russians finally fell back in the direction of Shi Mu Cheng. The Japanese casualties aggregated about seven hundred killed and wounded. Major Oba was killed during the battle.

LONDON, June 23.—A despatch received at the Japanese legation from Tokyo says the Taku Shan army occupied Fan-Shui-Ling, some twenty miles northwest of Sin Yen, June 22. After six hours of hard fighting the Japanese routed the enemy. The Japanese losses are estimated at one hundred. The Russian force, which consisted of five battalions of infantry and two regiments of cavalry, with sixteen guns, fled in disorder towards Tunching.

## RUSSIANS LOSE ANOTHER BATTLESHIP.

LONDON, June 23.—346 p. m.—A despatch to the Central News from Tokyo says it is reported that another Russian battleship has been discovered stranded off Tiger Rock.

## WORD FROM PORT ARTHUR.

CHIEF FOO, June 23.—3 p. m.—Chinese who left Port Arthur on June 24, say that only four battleships, five cruisers and the torpedo boats left the harbor on June 23. Of these three returned badly damaged, but none sank. The severely damaged ship, previously damaged carried no guns.

On June 24th the Japanese main army was within fourteen miles of Port Arthur. Their scouts were near. Natives of Manchuria have not been ordered out of Port Arthur, but the natives of other provinces, and thousands of these have left. The hospital at Liao Yang is overcrowded. Japanese troops are being sent to the Japanese transport service is demoralized owing to the wretched condition of the roads.

## THE PRICE OF NEWS.

TIEN TSIN, June 23.—It is reported that the correspondent of the London Standard, who is a young man, was on a visit to the home of his father, about four miles distant from where the defendant resides. The defendant keeps the post office and it has been the practice of the plaintiff, when visiting his father, to call there for mail. On Christmas day, when the plaintiff entered the post office for his mail he was ordered away from the post office by the defendant. He succeeded, however, in getting his mail, and left the post office followed by the defendant.

The defendant followed the plaintiff to the platform of the Central Railway, where he saw the plaintiff, and finally knocking him down. The defendant then ran into the post office and returned with a gun, and threatened to make the plaintiff a corpse. Subsequently the plaintiff was severely beaten and the defendant's post office was looted out of the defendant's post office when he went for mail, and on one occasion the defendant came behind the plaintiff, and said that "he did not want any Starlings round his place," and threw the defendant out.

The facts given above are as they are set out in the plaintiff's declaration. The plaintiff claims damages to the extent of \$1,000, a large portion of which is made up of medical expenses, which the plaintiff alleges he incurred. The defendant denies that he assaulted the plaintiff, and alleges that it was the plaintiff who assaulted and beat him.

Daniel J. Starke, the plaintiff, was on the stand this morning. L. A. Curry, K. C., and J. H. V. Belyea, for the plaintiff, and J. D. Hazen and John Dunn, of Gagetown, for the defendant.

## \$6,000 BURGLARY IN MONTREAL.

MONTREAL, Que., June 23.—Six thousand dollars' worth of silks, shawls, etc., were stolen from the large store of Giroux by burglars last night. The proprietor says that the men must have had an intimate knowledge of the value of silk. Two detectives are on the case.

## HOTEL KEEPER FINED.

In the police court this morning, the proprietor of the Victoria Hotel pleaded guilty to a charge of selling liquor in prohibited hours, made against him by Liquor License Inspector Jones. A fine of \$100 was imposed and paid. Similar charges have been made against the proprietors of the Hotel Edward and the Park Hotel, James Ryan, wholesale liquor dealer and M. A. Harding.

Mr. Harding's case will come up tomorrow at 2:30. The others will be dealt with on Saturday.

## ORIGIN OF GENERAL SLOCUM FIRE.

NEW YORK, June 23.—The coroner's jury investigating the General Slocum disaster yesterday visited the wreck of the burned steamer to examine it. It was found by observation that the fire started in the hold in a barrel of rubbers. The fire spread to the stowage of the ship, and the stowage was set on fire. The fire spread to the stowage of the ship, and the stowage was set on fire.

## CLARENCE WAS GRASPING.

It is told of the late Clarence King that he met John Ruskin in a picture shop and his comments were so delightfully phrased that Ruskin took him to his heart, inviting him to Coniston and offering him one of his two greatest water-colors by Turner. "One good Turner," said King, "deserves another," and took both.

## CHANGES AT THE ROLLING MILLS.

A General Shake-Up in the Management.

R. C. Elkin Has Resigned and Wm. Bruckhoff Appointed Treasurer and Manager.

William Bruckhoff has been appointed managing director of the Portland Rolling Mills Co., in place of R. C. Elkin, resigned. It seems that there has been a general shake-up in the management.

The Rolling Mills Company is closely connected with the Maritime Mail Works, and it is understood that the trouble which has resulted in this organization was caused over the reorganization of the mail works company, after the fire last winter. There have been numerous street stories as to the changes, but the principal one is as stated above. The president of the company stated to the Star today that the only trouble was that they were unable to fill the orders received. He further stated that the upper Canadian concerns were doing all they could to injure the St. John companies, but nevertheless business was flourishing, all statements to the contrary. He knew of these reports and but recently had a visit from an upper Canadian gentleman who came here in consequence of such reports. He took him to their works, showed him their books and he went away fully satisfied that the local concerns in question were all right.

## CROOKS ON TRIAL.

Examination of Alleged Pickpockets Begun Today—Prosecution Have Incriminating Evidence

(Special to the Star.)

FREDERICTON, N. B., June 23.—The preliminary examination of Williams, Howard and Grant, the pickpockets charged with robbing Mayor Baxter, of Portland, and secretary to the French consul general of Canada, Geo. W. Allen, K. C., appeared for the crown, while the prisoners were represented by H. F. McLeod and Jas. Sullivan, a Boston attorney. The prisoners when brought into court took precaution to prevent their being photographed by covering their faces with their hands. They have the appearance of crooks. Williams is stout with a moustache, protruding eyes and fair hair. Howard is slim with greyish hair and sharp, dark eyes. Grant is bald with a round criminal face. All give the impression of having been in court before.

The evidence of D. Russell Jack was taken this morning. He swore to first seeing Williams while purchasing his ticket for St. Stephen on Friday. The prisoner scanned the action of witness closely. Afterwards when boarding the train the prisoner crowded the witness and behind the witness is a young man, who was identified by the witness. Witness detailed what happened on the train and at McLeod's residence. He described the actions of the prisoners proving conclusively that they were acting in concert. He could swear to nothing of a direct nature to the case in hand. It is understood that the prosecution has sufficient evidence to place the prisoners on trial.

Mr. Jack is now being cross-examined by Mr. McLeod.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Corcoran took place this morning from St. Peter's church, where requiem high Mass was held, to be followed by a funeral, for burial at White's Point, Grand Lake. The remains were accompanied by her son and daughter.

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## THE WEATHER.

Forecasts—Moderate, variable winds, fine and warm. Wednesday, moderate winds, fine.  
Synopsis—The weather is fine throughout the Dominion. Winds are light and variable near the United States coast. To Banks, moderate winds; to American ports, easterly winds tonight and Wednesday.

## N. B. TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

The N. B. T. A. will meet in regular convention in Room 10 in High School Building tomorrow (Wednesday) afternoon at four o'clock sharp. County and city delegates, all officers of teachers' associations, and all teachers interested, are urgently requested to be present. Salary schedule will be revised, and many matters of importance to teachers will be brought up and passed upon.

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