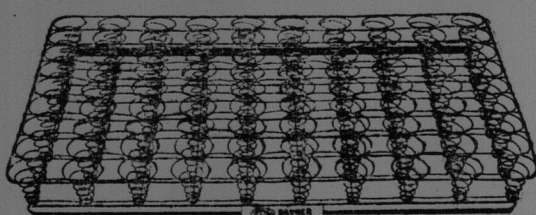


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BILL TO PROVIDE FOR CONSTRUCTION OF ROAD TO FORT CHURCHILL

OTTAWA, Ont., May 1.—The government will, according to the present intention submit to parliament shortly a bill providing for the construction of a road to Fort Churchill on the Hudson Bay, this providing a new outlet for the rapidly increasing annual yield of western grain. Although the details of the measure are not yet available, it is understood that the measure will be along the lines already suggested in Commons last session by Sir Wilfrid Laurier and by Hon. Clifford Sifton in March last.

The proposal as enunciated by Mr. Sifton is to find the proceeds from the sale of an area of about three million acres of Dominion lands, or even numbered sections in the west hitherto set apart as railway reservation lands for the C. P. R. and C. N. R. These even numbered sections of railway grant lands in the west, aggregating some thirty million acres, will shortly be released for homesteading. It is estimated that in a few years the proceeds from the sale of 3,000,000 acres of these lands

reserved by the crown for sale, would in a few years realize \$30,000,000, sufficient to pay the cost of the construction of a road to Hudson Bay by the government. The building of the road to Fort Churchill, improvements to the harbor, any necessary buoying and lighting the channels for steamers in the bay and straits. The feasibility of the Hudson Bay route for ocean steamers during from three and one-half to four months every year has been now well established by reliable reports of the investigation during recent years. The need of a new outlet for western grain to Liverpool is becoming increasingly recognized with each succeeding year and if a grain congestion in the fall, far more serious than any past season is to be avoided, the section along the line now contemplated by the government seems imperative. Moreover, the new line will open out for settlement another hundred million acres of good land in the west and the result would be of incalculable benefit not only to the west, but to the whole of Canada.

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THE HODGINS CHARGES

OTTAWA, May 1.—The special committee of the Commons to investigate the charges made by Major Hodgins in connection with the alleged fraud in expenditure of public money on the National Transcontinental Railway contract will meet on Tuesday next, and Major Hodgins, who has been summoned from Victoria, will be present to give his evidence.

THE WAGE QUESTION OF C. P. R. AND MECHANICS

OTTAWA, May 1.—The Department of Labor has on recommendation of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, appointed C. F. Fullerton of Winnipeg, to represent the company on the board of conciliation and investigation established to adjust the differences between the company and its mechanical departments. The men's representative on the board is James Somerville of Toronto. These two members will endeavor to agree on a chairman.

SHOT WOLF NEAR MONTREAL.

MONTREAL, May 1.—A farmer shot a grey wolf on this island. It was six feet long. This is the first wolf killed here in a quarter of a century.

TOKIO, May 1.—The French and Italian around the world motor cars arrived here today. They will leave within a few days for Vladivostok via Tsuruga.

JOHN S. LEIGHTON APPOINTED CLAIMS AGENT OF I. C. R.

OTTAWA, May 1.—John S. Leighton of Woodstock, N. B., has been appointed claims agent of the I. C. R., to succeed E. H. Allen, who resigned to contest York Co. in the interests of the Robinson government.

Mr. Leighton is one of the most prominent men of Woodstock and is well known all over the province. For a year he was business manager of The Sun and made a large number of friends in St. John. He is a business man of more than usual ability and will make a splendid official.

POLICE DISPERSE SOCIALIST MEETING IN MONTREAL

MONTREAL, May 1.—The socialists here tonight on the Champ de Mars. A procession was formed and with red flags marched to the Champ de Mars accompanied by a band playing the International. When the socialists attempted to make speeches on the Champ de Mars, a large force of police under command of Chief Campeau appeared on the scene and ordered them to disperse. The socialists then quietly dispersed.

COMMERCIAL MAN'S SUDDEN DEATH HERE

The death of Max Herger, commercial traveler, of Montreal, took place suddenly last night at the residence of D. R. Kennedy, 208 Duke street. Heart failure was the cause. The remains will be taken to Montreal on this evening's train. Mr. Kennedy will accompany them to Montreal. At 4.30 o'clock this afternoon a short funeral service will be held at Mr. Kennedy's residence.

The late Mr. Herger arrived in St. John on Saturday last and while in the city stayed with Mr. Kennedy. On Wednesday the deceased complained of a pain in the region of the heart. On the following day he was confined to the house and was examined by Dr. Preston. Last evening at 9.30 o'clock Dr. Preston again visited his patient, and the latter expired suddenly while the physician was present.

The deceased is survived by a widow, three daughters and two sons. The latter are in Victoria, B. C. One daughter is in Ottawa, another in Montreal. The late Mr. Herger was prominent in Montreal Masonic circles. He was also legal representative for the province of Quebec of the Canadian Order of Foresters.

QUEBEC WILL LOSE EMPRESS BOATS

MONTREAL, May 1.—There has been a new move on the part of the Canadian Pacific Railway in connection with the Empresses. Unless something entirely unforeseen transpires within the next few days, the Empress of Britain, which leaves Liverpool today, will come direct to Montreal. It is understood that this programme will be followed out during the early portion of the summer or until the water becomes too low. Meanwhile freight from the other side is not being accepted for delivery at Quebec. Fourth Vice-President Bosworth said today:

"As to the question of freight not being booked direct for Quebec I can only say that there is no necessity for us to undertake to deliver it at that port, no matter if we have to bring it further inland first."

The bringing of the Empresses to Montreal is the direct result of the "Longshoremen's troubles at Quebec."

TO PREVENT A NERVOUS BREAKDOWN

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Are you troubled with pallor, loss of spirits, waves of heat passing over the body, shortness of breath after slight exertion, a peculiar skipping of the heart's beat, poor digestion, cold hands or feet, or a feeling of weight and fullness? Do not make the mistake of thinking that these are diseases in themselves and be satisfied with relief for the time being. This is the way that the nerves give warning that they are breaking down. It means that the blood has become impure and thin and cannot carry enough nourishment to the nerves to keep them healthy and able to do their work.

There is only one way to prevent the final breakdown of the nerves and the more serious diseases which follow. The blood must be made rich, red and pure, and Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is the only medicine that can do this promptly and effectively. Every dose of this medicine brings new blood and strengthens the weak or worn-out nerves.

Mrs. David J. Tapley, Frederickton, N. B., writes: "I was suffering from nervous breakdown, which resulted in partial paralysis of the face. She says: 'The trouble came on quite gradually, and at the outset I did not pay much attention to it. Then it grew more serious, and there was a general breakdown of the nerves, which was followed by partial paralysis of the face, one side being completely drawn out of shape. I was under a doctor's care for a couple of months, and one treatment after another was tried without benefit. By this time I was confined to my room, and the doctor told me he could not cure me. Almost in despair I was persuaded to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. The improvement was slow, but the building up of a run-down nervous system is a slow process. Slowly but surely this medicine did its work, and after a time I was able to again come down stairs. From that on the improvement was much more rapid and now I am as well as ever I was in my life. My friends look upon my cure as almost miraculous. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills did for me what the best medical treatment failed to do—they brought me back good health. It is the blood builder, nerve restoring power in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills that enables them to cure such troubles as anæmia, rheumatism, the after-effects of a gripe, indigestion, neuralgia, St. Vitus' dance, partial paralysis and the secret ailments of girlhood and womanhood. Sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at \$1.00 a box, six boxes for \$5.00 from Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brookville, Ont."

FIVE INCHES OF SNOW FALLS IN ONTARIO

TORONTO, May 1.—Sir Frederick Frisgar, the noted English musician, received the degree of Doctor of Music at the hands of President Falconer of Toronto University this afternoon. Five inches of snow fell in Sharbot Lake district, Ontario, last night. Throughout the province of Ontario today the licenses of one hundred and twenty hotels are cut off. Ninety-four of these licenses are cut off as a result of the local option campaign. The remaining twenty-six have been dropped by reason of the license reduction votes by the people.

MRS. ELIZABETH VANWART.

Rev. B. H. Nobles yesterday received word from the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Vanwart, who was the wife of W. M. Vanwart, a brother of Mrs. Noble. Mrs. Vanwart was a son of the late Deacon L. S. Vanwart, one of the best known men on the river. His wife was an American lady, by whom he was married 25 years ago, and who enjoyed the good will of all who had met her. Death resulted from Bright's disease, from which he had suffered for upwards of a year.

Misses—Bridget, I hope you're not thinking at all of leaving me. I should be very lonesome without you. Maid—Patience isn't so lonely yet. Be. Most like I'll go when there's a houseful of company for luncheon or dinner.

LAKE GIVES HIS STORY TO JURY

Professes Ignorance of Criminal Operation

Jury's Verdict in Weatherly Case is That Girl Died as Result of Abortion

That Abbie Weatherly came to her death at the Public Hospital on April 1st by septic poisoning as a result of a criminal abortion was the verdict brought in by the jury at the continuation of the inquest held last evening before Coroner Barryman.

The responsibility for the criminal operation upon Abbie Weatherly has not yet been placed where it belongs and it is doubtful if it ever will be. According to the evidence received Abbie Weatherly, who belonged to St. John, had been in the city for some time. She was constantly with Lake, and there was no evidence to show she had been with any other man. Lake swore that he was Abbie Weatherly's guardian, but after her death he took no steps to find out who disgraced her or to see that she was properly buried.

Lake the First Witness

The first witness called last evening was Lake himself. He deposed that he had been living in St. John about four months. He came from Cheverie, N. S., with Abbie Weatherly and Edward Lake, a cousin of his. After arriving in St. John they went to Stephen Lake's house at Port Howe and remained over night there. Witness said that Stephen Lake had a family of five children, and while at his house witness slept on the lounge in the kitchen. No one else slept in that room. He afterwards went to board at Percy Weatherly's house and Abbie Weatherly went also. He used to go out walking with Abbie and sometimes took her to church. Abbie went to five at Mr. Vroom's and several times he visited her at that house. He said that later Abbie went to Stephen Lake's to work for a while, and one night she came to him at the boat where he was working and said she had no place to go. He took her to the Grand Union Hotel, but she did not like the place. He met William Rudd on the street and Rudd said she could go to his place on Pond street, where Lake also put up. She remained there a week and then went to work at the Park Hotel. During this time Lake saw the Weatherly woman quite often. He could not say whether he ever sent up his name as Uncle Alfred Lake to the hotel or not. He said that one Monday night in her room at the hotel and she was very sick. A woman told him he had to remove her to a quiet place. He took her to Rudd's room, where he sent for Dr. Douglas, who said she had rheumatism. He professed ignorance of the criminal operation having been performed. Lake when asked why he left the city when he promised Dr. Barryman to be at the inquest, said that he was in the city the night of the inquest and had not been summoned to appear. He said he had a wife and seven children. Abbie Weatherly's father and mother had asked him to try and find the girl's place in St. John. The three sisters of Abbie in the city had turned her out because she was going out with him. He said that he offered all the help he could when she died, and added that he would take the body home if they wanted him to do so. He did not attend the funeral.

Tablets Were Mrs. Ralph's

The tablets which Mrs. Stephen Lake said he had given to Abbie were given to her by Stephen Ralph's wife told Mrs. Lake that native herb tablets. He carried them in his pocket for her. Mrs. Stephen Lake, half-sister to Abbie Weatherly, then took the stand. She said that in a letter received by her from her mother in Cheverie no mention was made of Alfred Lake being appointed Abbie's guardian. Abbie had told her that Alfred Lake had coaxed her mother's father to let her come away with him. Stephen Lake, witness' husband, had told her that if Abbie persisted in going with Lake she must leave his house and Abbie left that night. Mrs. Stephen Lake never heard Abbie call Alfred Lake her uncle. Mrs. Lake went over to see Abbie on a Tuesday at William Rudd's and Abbie told her that Dr. Douglas said she

"SPRING FEVER"

The need of a spring medicine seems to be universal. This is due to the fact that during the winter the blood becomes impure on account of the hearty food eaten. This causes that tired, weary, all-gone, don't-care-to-work feeling which is so prevalent at this time of year.

BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS

THAT TIRED FEELING. Mr. F. H. Leard, Saskatoon, Sask., writes:—"I have used Burdock Blood Bitters as a blood builder and think it an excellent remedy. Everyone should take it in the spring to cure that tired feeling that comes so many at this time of year."

"SPRING MEDICINE"

BUSINESS MANAGER RESIGNS FROM SUN

On Account of Ill Health John P. Patterson Will Seek Better Climate

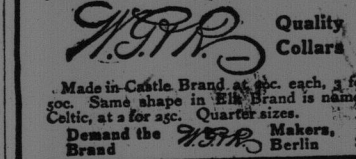
It is with sincere regret that The Sun announces the resignation of John P. Patterson, who for the last year and a half has successfully managed the business of this paper. Mr. Patterson's resignation is due entirely to ill health. For several months he has been a great sufferer from rheumatism and his doctors have advised that he must immediately seek a more favorable climate. Consequently he will leave St. John next week and will rest at Saratoga Springs before taking up any further active duties.

Mr. Patterson came to The Sun eighteen months ago from the Toronto Mail and Empire, and during his stay in St. John has made many friends, all of whom will be sorry to hear of his departure from this city. He is a newspaper man of wide experience, an indefatigable worker and is held in the highest esteem by the business and social community. His relations with the other members of The Sun staff have always been most cordial and they sincerely regret that for physical reasons he has found it necessary to seek a climate less severe.



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It is understood that the Dominion government will soon issue a proclamation outlining the limits of a tract of country extending on both sides of the line of the New Brunswick section of the National Transcontinental Railway, in which the sale of intoxicating liquors is to be prohibited during the time the railroad is under construction.

To enforce the terms of the proclamation a special police force will have to be employed. This has already been done in the West and in other sections where the road is under construction. Such action is necessary to ensure the rapid building of the line.

On each section of the Transcontinental Railway the force of detectives and police which preserves law and order within the boundaries designated by the government, is under the control of a commissioner of police, who is appointed by the department of justice under a special section of the criminal code. A commissioner is to be appointed for New Brunswick, and although the appointment is yet to be gazetted, The Sun learns that Hon. L. P. Farris of White's Cove, late commissioner of agriculture for this province, will occupy the position.

The report that Mr. Farris is to have control of the work of fire protection along the line of the railway is said to be incorrect. The commissioner of police is entirely separated from that work.

MYSTERY UNSOLVED

MONCTON, N. B., May 1.—The coroner's jury this afternoon returned a verdict that Rosell Gogain, who died suddenly Wednesday night after a three-days' debauch, came to his death through the excessive use of alcoholic beverages. No light was thrown by the evidence on the question of where Gogain procured the liquor, the only clue being that on Wednesday afternoon he told a woman he had procured it from a Jew. This witness said the fluid had not the appearance of whiskey, but had a bitter taste, unlike any other alcoholic beverage.

PUBLIC HOSPITAL BOARD IN SESSION

The commissioners of the General Public Hospital met yesterday afternoon and appointed the surgical, medical and other staffs for the institution. Other routine business was transacted.

The appointments were as follows: Surgical staff—Dr. W. W. White, Dr. W. A. Christie, Dr. T. D. Walker, Dr. Murray MacLaren.

Medical staff—Dr. G. A. B. Addy, Dr. Stewart Skinner, Dr. A. F. Emery, Eye and Ear department's staff—Dr. J. R. McIntosh, Dr. E. Crawford, Senior Pathologist—Dr. W. Warwick, Dr. W. E. Ellis.

Consulting staff—Dr. Thos. Walker, Dr. H. G. Addy, Dr. James Christie, Dr. J. P. McInerney, Dr. J. W. Daniel.

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