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EFFORT HAS BEGUN TO GET REDUCTION IN PULLMAN RATES

Complaints Have Been Filed Before the Interstate Commission at Washington.

UPPER BERTH SHOULD BE SOLD AT CHEAPER PRICE

WASHINGTON, May 28.—A definite effort was begun a few days ago before the interstate commerce commission to secure to the public a reduction in the rate of fare charged by the Pullman Company for its sleeping car accommodations. This is the first time in the history of the commission that a proceeding has been brought against the Pullman Company, and it promises to be an action of more than ordinary interest and importance.

Three complaints were filed against the Pullman Company and various northwestern railroad lines, which are made co-defendants by George S. Loftus, a business man of St. Paul, Minn. Mr. Loftus avers that in the course of his business, he is obliged to travel from St. Paul to various other points, and to use the accommodations of the Pullman Company. He declares, are unjust, unreasonable and excessive, and he asks that the commission reduce them.

Upper and Lower Berths. His first complaint is against the Pullman Company, the Chicago, St. Paul and Minneapolis Railway and the Great Northern Railway. He avers that the charge made by these companies for a sleeping car berth from St. Paul, Minn., to Superior, Wis., is \$15.00, whether the berth be an upper or a lower. He says that the lower berths are far more desirable than the upper berths, and the latter ought to be considerably less in price, but that no distinction between them is made.

At the offices of the commission, officials in the complaints, but through the country.

DOCTOR GETS BOMB.
Police Now Inspect Infernal Machine Left by Black Hand.

NEW YORK, May 28.—Detectives are trying to obtain a clue to the sender of a dangerous infernal machine, which was received to-day by Dr. D. D. Darrian, a local physician.

TAXATION CAUSE OF REVOLT.
Chinese Malcontents Attack the Prosperous Towns.

SWATOW, China, May 28.—The revolutionists are making Chungking and Tinghsing wealthy towns in the Chinese district.

ALMOST A CENTENARIAN.
OTTAWA, May 28.—(Special.)—Mrs. James Sage died at Lakeside yesterday, aged 99 years. She leaves six sons and two daughters, the oldest son being 74 years of age.

Briers Employing Police.
SAN FRANCISCO, May 28.—Assistant District Attorney Henny said today that it had been discovered that the police force was being used in an attempt to reach prospective jurors and witnesses in the prosecution of alleged briber.

EMMERSON LIBEL SUIT OPENING IN TOWN HALL TO SATISFY THE CROWD

Magistrate Consents to Provide as Much Accommodation as Possible—Evidence for Defence is Barred by Limited Charge.

FREDERICTON, N. B., May 28.—(Special.)—New Brunswick's ancient capital is in a state of ferment to-night over the Emerson-Crockett libel case, set for trial to-morrow. J. H. Crockett, managing director of the Frederick Gleason Co., belongs to an old and prominent family of New Brunswick, and his brother, O. S. Crockett, M.P., represents this (York) county in parliament.

Hon. Mr. Emmerson is also well known here and his cause commands a certain support because it is supposed to be favored by both the Dominion and provincial governments.

The trial to-morrow is but the preliminary hearing before the police magistrate, Col. John L. Marsh, eighty years of age, who has been on the bench for nearly forty years. He is considered to be impartial, but has freely expressed his regret that the case is to be tried before him. At the request of many citizens and in response to the expressed intentions of the people of the surrounding country intending to be present, Col. Marsh has consented to hold the afternoon session of the court in the town hall.

The information as filed by Mr. Emmerson for the arrest of Mr. Crockett omits many statements in The Gleason article that might appear to be libelous and complains solely of the statement that he was ejected from the St. Lawrence Hall in Montreal, in company with two women of ill-repute. Had the information contained The Gleason's statement, that Mr. Emmerson was "an intolerant reprobate," the door would have been opened to much testimony for the defence that will now be incompetent.

J. H. Crockett arrived this morning from Montreal, accompanied by several probable witnesses, including John Leppie, night clerk at the St. Lawrence Hall, and Harry Deane, an English soldier, who was employed as night watchman. It is said that Emmerson and Pugsley will bring with them a number of witnesses, and that Mrs. Allen and Mrs. Beucher, who are being exposed as the "doer" would also be here to-morrow.

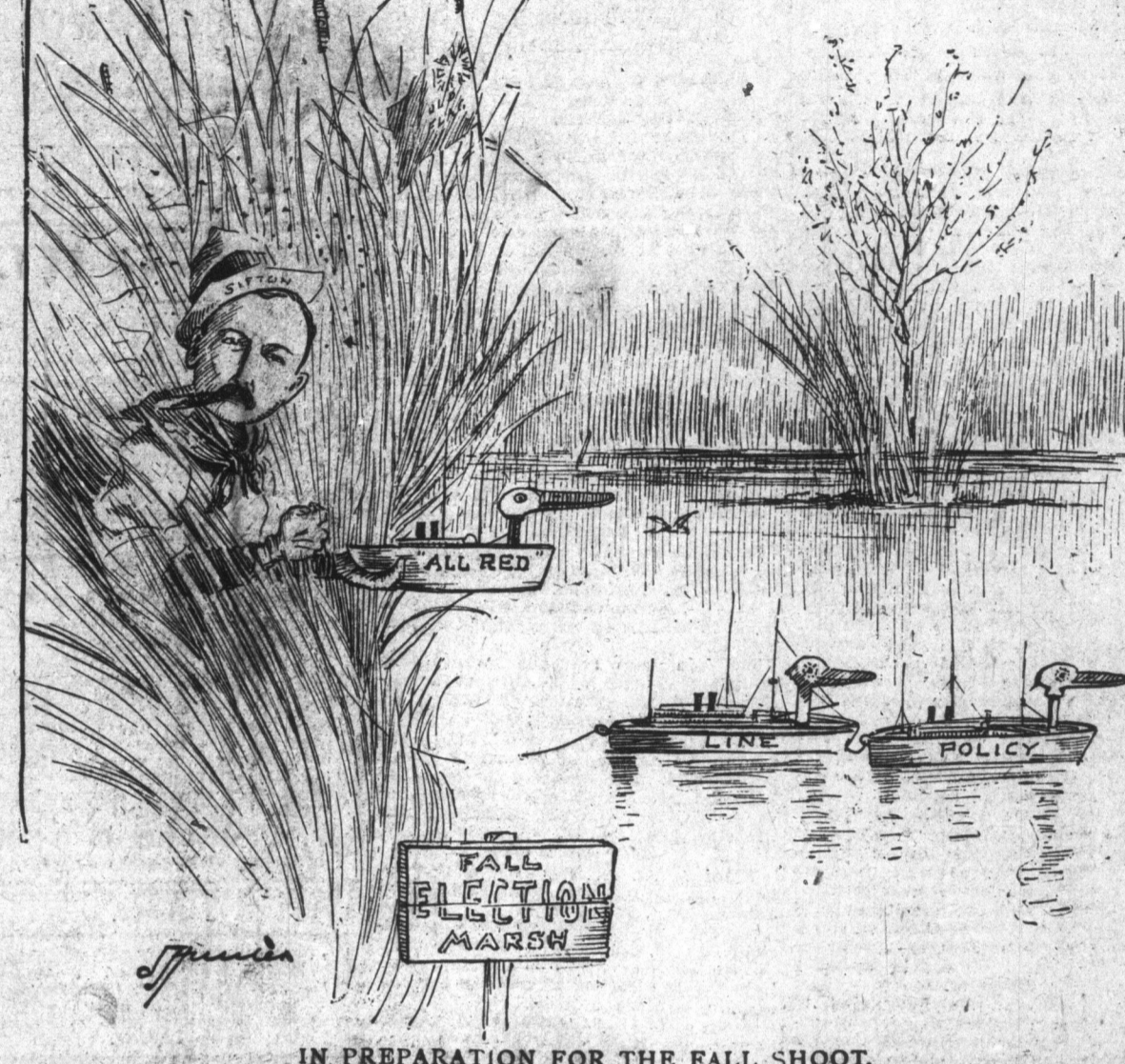
Some sensational testimony is expected respecting the registration at the Montreal Hotel, where the "doer" went after leaving the St. Lawrence. The prosecution is represented by Hon. Mr. Fugate, J. H. Barry, K.C., attorney-general; A. B. Copp, the Liberal organizer of New Brunswick; and M.L.A., leader of the opposition; O. S. Crockett, M.P., and Harry F. McLeod, mayor of Fredericton.

Both sides insist that the city is flooded with detectives and, as a matter of fact, there are many mysterious strangers moving about.

LIGHTING UP.
Dr. Acland Ornhayatekha, Deseronto, has installed a large Siche Gas plant. Mons. George Martineau, Notre Dame-street, Montreal, has installed Siche Gas.

The Town of Vermilion, Alta, has ordered the largest Siche machines, through Mr. Morden of Brandon, to be installed as a town plant. These machines will be coupled in the same way as the four large machines now lighting the Town of Massey, New Ontario.

ALREADY GETTING THE DECOYS IN SHAPE.



HAS RAPID PROCESS FOR BLEACHING FLAX BIG THING TO CANADA

Nottingham's Linn Expert's Experiments in Toronto Originate a Big Industry Here.

IN HANDLING THE MASS. He pointed out that flax spun dry was not suitable for the strength or finish as that spun wet, and he doubted, supposing that Canadian flax is up to the standard of continental goods, that these conditions could be observed here. At the same time, he stated that Canadian flax made up into goods for domestic use is sent across to Ireland to be spun, is returned here to be woven and goes again to Ireland or Scotland to be bleached, and to Canada again to be made up.

Another man said that there was a difference between bleaching tow to a white and bleaching the manufactured article, but if the latter could be done by Mr. Pearson's process, he considered it opened up immense possibilities for the farmer, the manufacturer and the consumer.

C. C. James, deputy minister of agriculture, said yesterday that in Ontario there are about 7000 acres planted with flax. The tow is made up into binder twine, toweling and like products, but twines of flax have not been greatly considered as yet in this country.

The color of the Canadian-made goods is creamy, while the fine product is ivory white.

EIGHTEEN INDICTMENTS.
Perjury and Forgery Alleged Against Former Equitable Controller.

NEW YORK, May 28.—The May grand jury, which has been investigating the affairs of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, returned 18 indictments to-day against Thomas J. Jordan, formerly controller of the Equitable.

SEEDING MONTH LATE DOMINION OFFICIALS SOMEWHAT ALARMED

Southern Ontario is Best Off—Scarcity in Red Clover to Be Impressed on the Farmers by Circular.

OTTAWA, May 28.—(Special.)—G. H. Clark, seed commissioner of the agriculture department, told a world correspondent to-day that reports from the Dominion inspectors all over Canada stated that all kinds of cereals, especially wheat, were affected by the unseasonable weather.

There are seven inspectors, four stationed east of Fort Arthur and three west of that city. All of the reports say that seeding is from three to four weeks later than last year, and in some districts seeding has not even started yet.

Mr. Clark said that the least affected part of Canada was Southern Ontario, on account of its altitude, while Manitoba, Alberta and Saskatchewan were the worst affected. Seeding in Ontario was three weeks late.

However, he pointed out that the seeding was so late it did not mean that harvest would be correspondingly late. He expected that it would only mean ten days late, and perhaps not even that.

As an evidence of the serious situation in the west, he remarked that he had a letter from a farmer at Davidson, Sask., dated May 11, who had sown no grain, as snow was still on the ground, and he thought it would be several days before he could begin.

Mr. Clark laid emphasis upon the clover. For the first time the department is sending out 25,000 circulars to farmers in connection with the red clover crop. Agriculturists are warned to be careful in planting, as there is a large quantity of heavy fall of snow, and dry weather was absolutely necessary to ensure a good crop.

CHICAGO PACKERS' ACTION.
Will Not Affect Price of Meat in Canada.

OTTAWA, May 28.—(Special.)—The threatened action of the Chicago packers to refuse shipments of cattle because of their objection to standing the loss on condemned animals will not affect the price of meat in Canada, was the opinion voiced at the department to-day.

When the new Dominion Inspection Act goes into force, which is expected to be about Aug. 1, the packers on this side will take the same action as those in the neighboring republic.

ALLEGED BOY BURGLARY.
Half Dozen Alleged Members of Gang of Boy Thieves Taken.

Detective George Guthrie went into the boy catching business on a wholesale basis in the north end of the city yesterday afternoon. He gathered in a half dozen between 9 and 15 years. All but one are charged with shop-breaking.

NO RACE SUICIDE HERE.
Bless the little ones! A World man counted 36 boys and girls between the ages of 6 and 16 playing in the street at the corner of George and Dundas streets about 7 o'clock last night.

SHOULD SEE ALL THEY CAN.
"People are foolish if they do not see all they comfortably can when they come to the city for a brief stay," remarked a wise young person in "Dinah" yesterday as she commented on the number of people who were being made upon the presence of so many visitors just now and praise was being bestowed upon Dineen's beautiful show and warerooms at Canada's greatest fur and hat store, Yonge and Temperance-streets. A hearty invitation is extended to all visitors to call.

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