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LOCAL NEWS

NO IMPROVEMENT.

Daniel Daley, who has been critically ill in the General Public Hospital for some time, was said today to be in about the same condition as he has been for the last two days with practically no change for the better.

THE BOSTON BOAT.

The Governor Dingley left for Boston this morning at 8.15 o'clock about her regular time, having made up for the delay occasioned by her forced return to St. John recently. She carried nearly 100 passengers and about twenty-five tons of freight.

HEATING POTATO SHED.

Since the Federal Government has taken over No. 14 shed in West St. John for use in storing potatoes, prior to shipment, a crew of men have been engaged installing a heating system. The work is progressing favorably and all that remains to complete the contract is the installation of a boiler and the connecting up of the pipes.

**C. P. R. AND FREIGHT HAND-
LERS.**

A delegation from the Freight Handlers' Union waited on Mr. Woodman, general superintendent of the C. P. R. New Brunswick district, this morning and discussed a proposed new working agreement for the coming season. The agreement between the C. P. R. and the union will expire on November 1. The delegation consisted of President William R. Lee, William Hammond, Edward McInnis and J. McDade.

FROM WEST INDIES.

R. M. S. P. Caraque arrived this morning from the West Indies, and docked at the Pettigill wharf. The officers reported an average trip, with little out of the usual. The passenger list included thirteen first-class, eight second-class and twenty-six third class, among them five Chinese. Maritime province people returning from the West Indies were C. Regan of St. John and M. A. Bauld of Halifax. Besides a general cargo, the vessel carried a little sugar to be unloaded here for Niagara Falls and a larger quantity for Halifax.

CONTINUE GRAPPLING.

Friends of Hanson McIntyre (colored), one of the victims of the steam-er Dream tragedy, are making a determined effort to locate his body. They arrived at Gorman's Bluff yesterday and set out in a boat equipped with grappling irons. Their efforts were unsuccessful, but they set up a camp on Mistake Island where they say they will remain until they locate the body. Owing to a high wind today they were unable to continue their efforts, but will do so as soon as weather conditions are more favorable.

MRS. PARKER NOW CHARGED WITH MURDER

Change is Made in Connection With Case Arising from Death of Girl—Preliminary Hearing Begun.

Mrs. Bessie Parker, held in connection with the death of Mary Emily Frontin now faces a formal charge of murder. E. J. Henneberry announced this morning that he had been instructed by the attorney-general to have the charge against Mrs. Parker changed from one of procuring abortion to one of murder and the preliminary hearing was begun. E. S. Ritchie appeared for the defense. Evidence was given by Thomas Frontin, father of the dead girl, Dr. C. M. Kelly and Dr. Anna Creighton and the case postponed until Friday morning at eleven o'clock. The hearing this morning was marked by some sharp clashes between counsel as to the admissibility of certain portions of evidence much of which was of a technical nature.

The Evidence.

Thomas Frontin said his daughter died in the General Public Hospital on October 2. He had first observed that she was ill about eight or ten days before she had gone to the hospital. He had called Dr. McDonald in and after his visit the girl had gone to the hospital. She was twenty years old in May. She had worked for the N. B. Telephone Company. He had not known her condition before she went to the hospital.

To Mr. Ritchie he said he had not called any other doctor than Dr. McDonald in the eight or ten days before she had gone to the hospital. She stopped working for the telephone company in the latter part of July.

Dr. C. M. Kelly said he knew the girl in the hospital. He had seen her first on Friday, September 29. He had got an account of her condition from Dr. Creighton. He had found evidence of peritonitis and had told her that she would have to be operated upon. He told of the operation.

Dr. Creighton had assisted him and Dr. McDonald had been present at the first operation.

Dr. Anna Creighton, an interne at the General Public Hospital, said she had been present when the magistrate was at the hospital. The dead girl had made a written declaration and she had seen her sign it. She had been present when the accused had been brought to the hospital.

To Mr. Ritchie she said there had been a detective there at the time. She understood that the accused had been brought to the hospital by the authorities.

Mr. Ritchie took the objection that it had not been pointed out to the deceased that the accused was under arrest.

Dr. Creighton said she had heard the deceased say, "Yes, Judge," and that was all she could swear to.

To Mr. Ritchie she said she could not remember whether the accused was present when the statements of the deceased were reduced to writing.

St. John Needs Beware

A Striking Halifax Warning to The Voters in The Coming Election

(Halifax Herald.)

The persistency of corporation interests in the endeavor to control municipal utilities is exemplified in the continued efforts of the New Brunswick Power Company to bring our sister city St. John under its heel. The city commissioners decided some months ago to hold for the people control of light and power and refused to make a contract which would give the city over to the Power Company. But the company appears to have an aggressive advocate in the person of Mayor McLellan; the question has been kept pending, and the situation will no doubt continue to be manipulated in the hope of wearying citizens, city commissioners, city council, and possibly winning out in the end.

The matter was again before the city commissioners a few days ago; but they stood solidly by the policy of city control—the mayor alone favoring the company. Just now the commissioners are firm in their stand, and it may be hoped that they will remain steadfast; but they will need to be on guard. The interests back of such concerns as the Power Company do not rest or sleep; they are on the job morning, noon and night, waiting for an opening that will give them a chance to win, and ready to take advantage of the chance. We know too well how it worked out in this city.

UTILITIES BOARD IN SESSION HERE

Farmers' Rural Telephone Co. Refused Long Distance Connection With N. B. Company—Issue of Securities Approved—Other Matters Up.

The New Brunswick Utilities Commission, in session here this morning, dismissed an application from the Farmers' Rural Telephone Co., Ltd., operating on the Kingston peninsula, for permission to make long distance connection with the New Brunswick Telephone Co., Ltd. A. B. Connell, chairman of the board, presided. An application by J. S. Leighton on behalf of the Farmers' Rural Telephone Co. with head office at Hartland, for an order to increase their rates, was adjourned until the November meeting.

An application from the Maine and New Brunswick Electric and Power Co., Ltd., for permission to issue debentures amounting to \$225,000 was granted.

In the matter of application of the Farmers' Rural Telephone Co., Ltd., the board was of the opinion that the company had failed to sustain the burden upon them of proving that the interests of the public that the connection should be made. E. H. McAlpine appeared for the applicants, and Dr. J. B. M. Baxter, K. C., was present in the interests of the New Brunswick Telephone Co., Ltd.

The application of the Maine and New Brunswick Electric and Power Co., Ltd., was for approval of an issue of \$225,000 securities for further development of the plant and an issue of \$275,000 to retire outstanding indebtedness. After hearing further evidence the board approved the issue and an order was issued accordingly. E. L. Gould, vice-president of the company, presented its case.

A few matters of routine nature were disposed of and the board adjourned until next month.

NEW MAGISTRATE FOR MONCTON

John Doherty Succeeds J. C. Sherren—Other Appointments in Province.

(Special to Times)

Fredericton, N. B., Oct. 25.—The resignation of J. C. Sherren, as sitting police magistrate for Moncton, is accepted.

The following appointments are gazetted:—

Carleton County—Jesse Tedford and Henry Smith of Brighton, and Harry M. Foster of Peel, to be justices of the peace.

Kings County—A. D. Rouse of Cornhill, and Harry L. Evans of Hampton, to be registrars of probates for Kings in place of Mabel S. Gilbert, resigned; Robert Leckie of Salt Springs, and Arthur Hodgins of Upland, to be justices of the peace.

Westmorland County—John Doherty of Moncton to be sitting police magistrate in place of J. C. Sherren; Leonard Charles Jones of Moncton to be a commissioner for taking affidavits to be read in the Supreme Court.

York County—Thomas L. Fowler to be chairman of revisors for Fredericton in place of the late Allan J. Wheeler, deceased.

VISITING SISTERS

Two members of the order of the Missionary Sisters of Mary, of Quebec, passed through the city yesterday. While here they were guests at the Home of the Good Shepherd, Waterloo street.

BIG RALLY IN HYDRO CAMPAIGN

Campaign Headquarters of G. Fred Fisher to be Scene of Great Activity Tonight—Details of Organization.

This evening at eight o'clock a grand rally to mark the opening of the headquarters of G. Fred Fisher in the coming hydro campaign will be held. The organization has taken rooms in the hall in Coburg street near the corner of Union, and this location will be the scene of great activity from now until November 18, when the people of the city will be afforded an opportunity to strike a blow for hydro at cost. The people's candidate and several of the leaders in the fight for the right of the citizens to enjoy the benefits of the Musquash development will discuss plans for the campaign with the workers.

With the election only three weeks away no time is being lost in building up a fighting organization which is determined to make its work thorough. The definite stand taken by many representative citizens in signing the nomination papers of Mr. Fisher has strengthened the hands of those working for the interests of the people, and at the same time has taken a great deal of wind out of the sails of backers of the New Brunswick Power Company's cause.

Tonight's meeting will be of an informal nature, the idea being to lay down plans of organization. The issue of the campaign is clear beyond doubt. It is this—Is the city going to remain tied up to a public utility which has offered no means of industrial expansion or of cutting living costs to their proper level; or is it going to cut loose from this mill-stone and accept the opportunity of power and light at greatly reduced rates. "Power at Cost" is the slogan and it is the ace card in the hand of the Fisher organization.

STRING WIRES ON WESTFIELD HYDRO LINE

Representative of Company Supplying Wire Will Inspect Installation Free of Cost.

W. N. Maxwell, representative of the Northern Aluminium Co., of Toronto, which has the contract for the supplying of wires for the hydro transmission lines from St. John to Westfield and Moncton, is in the city and will superintend the installation of these lines. This company, it was explained today, sends out a man to look after the stringing of wires on the Westfield line, which has been commenced. This line stretches from the sub-station in Lancaster to about three quarters of a mile beyond Nerepis station, a distance of about 14 miles. He will then go on the Moncton-St. John line.

**ABANDONED FRENCH
SUBMARINE PICKED UP**

Cherbourg, Oct. 25.—The French submarine Roland Morillot, abandoned by her crew in the English Channel, is safe in the harbor of Guernsey, Island. She will be towed here this afternoon. The crew arrived here on a French merchantman yesterday.

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