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St. John, N. B., March 19, 1934.
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Amalgam Copper	68 1/2	68 1/2
Am. Sugar Ref.	41 1/2	41 1/2
Am. S. & N. E.	84 1/2	84 1/2
Am. Locomotive	103 1/2	103 1/2
Brook. R. & T.	10 1/2	10 1/2
Chas. & Co.	6 1/2	6 1/2
Chl. and W. St.	4 1/2	4 1/2
Consolidated Gas	12 1/2	12 1/2
Gen. Elec. Co.	124 1/2	124 1/2
Ill. Cent.	24 1/2	24 1/2
Ind. & N. E.	14 1/2	14 1/2
Int. Harb.	14 1/2	14 1/2
Int. Paper	14 1/2	14 1/2
Int. Tel. & T.	14 1/2	14 1/2
Int. Trans.	14 1/2	14 1/2
Int. Water	14 1/2	14 1/2
Int. Wire	14 1/2	14 1/2
Int. Yarn	14 1/2	14 1/2
Int. Zinc	14 1/2	14 1/2
Int. Iron	14 1/2	14 1/2
Int. Steel	14 1/2	14 1/2
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IT'S EITHER SHUT DOWN OR STRIKE ON APRIL 1

Only Way Out of Anthracite
Difficulty is New Three-
Year Agreement

NEW YORK, March 18.—President George F. Baer, of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad, for the first time in a number of weeks did not pay his usual weekly visit to the city yesterday to meet the presidents of the anthracite coal carrying roads. It was learned on good authority that the operators will shut down the mines on April 1 unless the miners come to an agreement with them before that time or a strike is declared. It is conceded that with so much coal above ground this would be a bad time to strike, but the operators, in case their offer of a renewal of the agreement is not accepted on April 1 and there is no strike then, will not allow the union leaders to put off matters until after the strike. Only three things can happen on April 1—a shut down, a strike, or a continuance of the present agreement for three years longer.

Frank Oberender, general sales agent for the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Company, said that if there is not a strike on April 1 there will be a suspension of work at the collieries. The nature and character of the suspension would depend on what happened in the meantime. The suspension might be for two days, a week or a couple of months, he continued. "It will depend on what is going to happen before then. This week, with the exception of tomorrow, which the miners will make a holiday anyway, there will be a full week's work. Meantime until it is known what is going to happen we cannot take orders from dealers at April reduction prices. The wages offered with the reduction in price in accordance with the sliding scale of the present agreement, and this arrangement could be continued only if the agreement is continued."

A prominent official of one of the coal carrying roads was asked if in case the leaders of the mine workers deferred action after April 1 without accepting the offer of the operators they would be allowed to continue work. He replied: "It is hardly likely, in case of impending trouble, which may happen later, that the operators will allow the miners to fill his work chest in the meantime. You can figure that out as well as I can. It would be very poor policy."

Wholesale coal dealers said positively that there will be a lockout at the anthracite collieries if the mine workers do not come to an agreement with the operators or strike by April 1. The lockout of a wholesale firm who is in close touch with the operators said: "I know positively that there will be a lockout if there is not a settlement by April 1. There is a settlement in the meantime. With so much coal on the ground the operators are going to allow the union its own time to strike a blow, but will strike first."

GREAT BRITAIN WILL BENEFIT

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 18.—That party lines will be eliminated during the consideration in the House of the Payne tariff bill is indicated by the action of Representative Broussard of Louisiana in withdrawing today from the meeting of the tariff committee. Broussard, because he differed from their views on the tariff, with a few exceptions each member of the House will fight for the interests of his home district.

A number of Democrats will join with some Republicans in favoring the Dingley bill upon lumber. The fight for free lumber will be made by Mr. Clark it is understood. He has frequently expressed himself in bitter terms regarding the lumber situation in this country. During the tariff hearing he arraigned the lumber magnates and delved deep into the stumpage and railroad land grants. It is not thought there will be any serious opposition to the tariff placed on Great Britain and France probably will be the first countries to reap the benefit of the minimum rates of duty named in the Payne bill. As soon as the measure is enacted Great Britain will secure the minimum rates, according to the committee's report, made today, Great Britain has been unable to secure the benefits of the reciprocal trade arrangements provided for by the Dingley bill, although she has treated this country with fairness and impartiality in her customs acts.

SHEATH SKIRT GIRL BRINGS OUT POLICE

Pretty Young Thing, Just 22,
Surrounded by 5,000
Men

(Philadelphia North American.)
Pauline have been caused in Wall street by the recent rumors, and great excitement has followed the most trivial happenings in the financial district, but the turbulent half hour just before the closing of the market today had a real foundation.

It was a sheath skirt, and what happened after the water invaded the sacred precincts below the "dead line" caused the reverses from two police stations to be summoned, as well as every policeman in the neighborhood. Just where the wearer of the sheath skirt came from no one seemed to know. The first glimpse of her was when she stepped on the broad street curb, within a few feet of the outside brokers' enclosure, and gazed at the excited men sitting, buying and refusing all manner of securities.

Then the excited young men saw her, and their excitement became more so. Curb brokers are not noted as judges of age, but they placed the age of the wearer of the sheath skirt at about 22. The skirt was of a bright and glossy black material, with the regulation "skirt" on the side.

Immediately some fifty or so excited men made a rush from the regular "curb" to the one on which the young woman was standing. Realizing that she was the new object of their excitement, she started to move northward. Seizing her employers leaving, the messenger boys and runners followed in turn. Seeing everybody move made other brokers, their clerks and messengers leave their offices, while those who were too high in the office building to reach the street in time craned their necks as far out of the windows as possible. Soon 5,000 men surrounded her.

The police had become active by this time, and when the traffic man saw how large the crowd was getting their nerve left them, and they called for help. The call resulted in the reserves from the Church and John streets square being hurried to the scene, but it was half an hour before they succeeded in clearing the hall and corridor of the Mills building.

HIS WIFE'S BILLS UPSET HIS NERVES

Divorce Plaintiff Tells Court
Why He Took Brain
Food

NORRISTOWN, Pa., March 18.—Dr. William J. Elder, the dentist, who is suing his wife, Florence, had his nerves in the divorce trial today and contradicted almost all Mrs. Elder said earlier in the day.

Dr. Elder denied that he took a "brain food" because of excessive use of liquor. He said this brain food was for his nerves, which were shattered by a continual stream of bills contracted by his wife.

She declared that about the time President Roosevelt was indulging in one of his famous study of Jiu Jitsu Dr. Elder began to study it also. He tried it on his wife and also Miss Bosse. "He hurt us, too," she said, "even breaking the skin on mamma's wrists and he tried it on the dog, too, and twisted the dog's leg out of joint."

Harry Elder, of Pittsburgh, a brother of the dentist, said that at one time when he was a visitor at his brother's house Mrs. Elder entered the room and struck him in the face with her hand without any provocation whatever. Witness said that Mrs. Elder told him that he could not stay in the house any longer.

About a dozen witnesses were called who testified that they never saw Dr. Elder under the influence of liquor. Among those who testified were District Attorney J. B. Larzelere, Assistant Attorney General H. C. Chubb, Police William H. Rodenbaugh.

Mrs. Elder was on the stand for a long time today, weeping most of the time. She testified that she had never told Dr. Elder that she wanted to leave Norristown, because she could not stand the people here.

C. P. R. CONDUCTOR MAY BE HELD RESPONSIBLE

For Failure to Exercise Proper Care Previous
to the Smash Up at Montreal.

MONTREAL, Que., March 18.—The engine was removed from the Windsor station today and workmen are busy with repairs. There is nothing new except that the officials are inclined to think that the conductor is wrong when he says that he had an answering signal from the engineer at Westmount. They believe that the engineer was then off the engine and that prompt action on the part of the conductor would have prevented the fatality. There is speculation as to whether the conductor may be held criminally responsible.

FIRE BLOCKS TRAFFIC ON BROADWAY

NEW YORK, March 18.—Fire started at 5:40 a. m. today in a six-story brick building at 181 Broadway occupied by the American Book Co., a store of Dunlap and Co., and on the upper floors by an optician and tailor. The fire quickly spread through the building and burst through the roof.

HOLSTEIN COW CAPTURES A WORLD'S RECORD

BROCKTON, Mass., Mar. 18.—A world's record of 100 by a cow for seven consecutive days has been made at the Amherst Experiment Station by Monty Oladi, a Holstein cow, belonging to the herd owned by Fred F. Field, of this city. During the seven days of the test the cow yielded 55.3 pounds of milk from which 3.9 pounds of butter were obtained. The average per cent. of fat was 4.6. To insure correctness of figures, the cow was under watch continuously night and day.

MR. HANSON IS AWAY; ARREST IS POSTPONED

FREDERICTON, N. B., Mar. 18.—The warrant issued for the arrest of A. E. Hanson, on the charge of assault preferred by O. S. Crockett, M. P., has not yet been served. Hanson was called out of the city on business this morning and will likely be absent several days.

A considerable improvement in road to be made on the water front in St. Stephen. The management of the Canadian Pacific Railway has sought, and it is expected will secure, the right to build a road bed. It is also stated that the C. P. R. has purchased or secured options on several wharf properties in this section with a view to enlarging their yard room, and possibly preparing for the proposed bridge across the river. When the wall has been built and the filling is completed, the present freight dock will be moved out several feet towards the water—Courier.

SPECIAL SALE

Fine Art Milk and Cream Pitchers.
Former price 75c and 50c lines, now 25c.
40c lines, now 20c.

O. H. WARWICK CO. LTD.,
78 TO 82 KING ST.

REMOVAL NOTICE

The store of J. Carter, 48 Mill St., has been removed to the Parkman Store, 47 Brunsell St. All the orders left in the above place will be promptly attended to; also all the customers indebted to J. Carter are requested to pay their accounts at the PARKMAN STORE, 47 Brunsell St. J. CARTER, Mill St. Phone 1484.

Spring Hats

It's astonishing what is being done for hat wearers these days, you should see some of our samples of the hat makers art—among them are the "WATERLITE," a 2-4 oz. derby, the lightest weight hat in town, only \$2.50. And the new "SNAP-BRIM" Soft Hat in the new green shades, only \$3.00.

LIBERTY SHOES

In all the latest styles, the "Cuckoo," "Perry," and "Rare-Old-Bird," three of the winners, made in Patent Colt, Black Velour Calf, and the new Ox-Blood shade, \$4.00 and \$4.50.

Wm. A. WETMORE

THE YOUNG MEN'S MAN, 154 MILL ST.

Glover Farm Dairy Dr. John G. Leonard

124 Queen Street
High grade Milk and Cream.
Bottled for family trade.
Tel. 1506. H. M. FLOYD.

10,000 Rolls Wall Paper, Borders, Etc.

At store of A. McArthur, Reg., No. 54 Main street, South End, on Friday morning, at 10, and evening at 7:30 o'clock.

LOCAL NEWS.

Rev. M. S. Tratten and E. M. Smith left last evening for Southern California. They will also visit Mexico and return home by way of British Columbia.

THE BIG CLOTHING SALE OPENED THIS MORNING AT J. N. HARVEY'S.

The 8th anniversary sale and opening of brand new Spring Clothing and Furnishings started this morning at the J. N. Harvey store in the Opera House block, and is a great feast of bargains. These anniversary sales have become more popular each year and are looked forward to with much interest. Plans have been made to make this sale a record breaker.

You Should

take advantage of PIGEON'S Great Shoe Sale if you wish to save money and wear the best shoes that are made.

Look This List Over

INFANTS' SHOES to \$1.25 FINE BOOTS now 25c, 35c, 50c to \$1.00.
CHILDREN'S FINE BOOTS \$1.00 to \$1.50 values, 50c, 75c to \$1.00.
GIRLS' \$1.25 to \$2.00 BOOTS, 50c, 75c, \$1.15, \$1.35 and \$1.45.
WOMEN'S BOOTS \$1.50 to \$3.00 values, 80c, \$1.15, \$1.35, \$1.45 to \$1.50.
BOYS' \$1.25 to \$2.00 BOOTS, 50c to \$1.00.
MEN'S BOOTS, finest \$1.50 to \$5.00 values, are marked 90c, \$1.15, \$1.35, \$1.45, \$1.55, \$1.75, \$1.95, \$2.15, \$2.45 to \$2.95.
MEN'S RUBBERS, 50c and 75c.
WOMEN'S, 40c and 50c.

C. B. PIGEON,

Corner Main and Bridge Streets.

NO WOMAN CAN BE STRONG AND HEALTHY UNLESS THE KIDNEYS ARE WELL

When the kidneys are ill, the whole body is ill, for the poisons which the kidneys ought to filter out of the blood are left in the system. Then how important it must be to see to it that this system of sewerage be not clogged up. Those who have never been troubled with kidney trouble know not the misery and suffering which those afflicted undergo.

Doan's Kidney Pills are a specific for all kidney troubles. They begin by healing the delicate membrane of the kidneys and thus make their action regular and natural. They help the kidneys to filter out the acid and poisonous impurities which have collected, thus clearing out the kidneys, bladder and all the urinary passages. Doan's Kidney Pills are entirely vegetable, and may be safely taken by young and old.

JOHNSON WILL FIGHT KETCHEL

NEW YORK, Mar. 18.—A match between Jack Johnson, heavyweight champion of the world, and Stanley Ketchel, one side bet of \$5,000, is said to have been arranged by friends of both fighters.

The fight, which would be a ten-round bout, if fought in New York, is to be held within the next twelve weeks.

THE PARIS STRIKE

PARIS, March 18.—While the number of the government telegraph and post office employees on strike was largely increased over night yet the government with the aid of military telegraphers and soldiers acting as letter carriers has been successful in securing a substantial degree of resumption in all branches of the service.

GUARANTEED ALASKA BEDDING

MATTRESSES-PILLOWS-SPRINGS
Insist on this Trademark for your own sake.
Manchester, Robertson, Allison, Ltd.

ENRICO CARUSO HAS A NEW ACCOMPLISHMENT

Shaves a New York Waiter
and Barber Finishes
the job
(New York Herald.)
Enrico Caruso has a new accomplishment.

"A mere detail in itself, Caruso is a clever man," said the story teller, yesterday. "But this showed the relaxation a great tenor may turn to."

Easy to quit Coffee when POSTUM

is well boiled the flavor is similar to mild Java, and it gives satisfaction, health and pleasure, plus.

"There's a Reason"