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## DOMINION PULP WORKS BADLY DAMAGED AGAIN

The Acid Plant Burned Today for the Second Time in Two Years—The Industry Will Likely Remove from Chatham to Newfoundland

CHATHAM, N. B., June 19.—Fire was discovered in the acid plant of the Dominion Pulp Mill across the river, about six-thirty this morning, but at that hour it had made great headway and was breaking out of the doors and windows. The mill whistle was at once sounded, and the mill pump was started. The men worked hard and were getting the blaze under control when the pump broke down, and had it not been for the arrival of the steamer St. Nicholas with her powerful fire and wrecking pump the whole plant would have been lost. The flames were shooting high up in the air, the chemical used in the pulp working process burning with great avidity, shooting up through clouds of smoke which hung low over the river. At eight o'clock the situation was so serious that an engine was sent over from the town to help the mill men, and at nine o'clock the fire was under control, the acid plant being burnt to the ground. The Dominion Pulp people had their acid plant destroyed in January, 1906. The present buildings were completed a year ago in May and the mill has been in operation but a year and is now rendered useless again.

Telephone connection from the town is destroyed and the management cannot be reached but it is felt around town that the fire will cause the loss of this industry to the Miramichi as the company is already contemplating the erection of a plant in Newfoundland and St. John's. The mill employs 75 to 100 hands and its shut down at this season will be severely felt.

## NO MORE STUDENT WAITERS

Summer Hotel Landlords Say They Frighten Too Much

UTICA, N. Y., June 19.—Young college students who for years have passed their vacations acting as waiters at the hotels along the St. Lawrence river are to be banished from that profession up that way—at least the good-looking ones—because the hotel proprietors say they are too much given to flirting with the girl guests. Mr. Crossman at Alexandria Bay, who has instituted the reform, says: "I have engaged 10 Swedes, none of them any too prepossessing, but while they are short on good looks I expect they will be long on their duties as waiters. College students are too much given to cigarette smoking and flirting with the girl guests to suit me. I have cut them out. Less spilling of soup down guests' necks and less smashing of dishes by feather-brained mashers are some of the things I want."

## KILLED HIS PLAYMATE OVER A GAME OF MARBLES

Nine Year Old Lad, on Trial for Murder, Fell Asleep During the Proceedings.

BALTIMORE, Md., June 19.—The youngest murderer in the history of the local criminal courts, was tried yesterday and convicted of manslaughter. He is Sydney Hollis, colored, aged 9 years. He shot and killed Wm. H. Griffiths, another negro lad of 11 years after a quarrel over a game of marbles. Hollis did not display the slightest concern in the court room today. During the trial he fell asleep several times. Sentence was suspended.

The following are the events to be contested for in the regatta during the Halifax summer carnival on August 7th: Labrador whaler, junior single scull, six oars (boys under 18), double canoe race, junior four-oared shell, senior single scull, four in a canoe, inter-club race, tilting tournament, senior four-oared shell. Entries close July 30th, 1907, with Geo. H. Parsons, secretary, 171 Hollis street, Halifax, N. S.

BRAZIL, Ind., June 19.—Mike Donovan, of Buffalo, N. Y., was awarded the decision over Joe Walcott, of Boston, at the end of 10 rounds of slow fighting last night. The decision of Referee Hugo Kelly did not seem to meet with the approval of the crowd.

## THE LIBEL SUIT FURTHER ADJOURNED TILL TOMORROW

Pleas Presented by the Defense This Morning Allege That the Gleaner Article Was in the Public Interest—Mr. Pugsley Asks Time to Prepare a Demurrer.

FREDERICTON, N. B., June 19.—In the Emmerson-Crockett libel suit this morning, J. D. Hagan, appearing for the defendant, James H. Crockett, presented on behalf of his client the following plea, for the first time the defendant was not guilty, and for a second plea that he should be dismissed and discharged because the alleged libel concerning H. R. Emmerson was true and that it was in the public interests and the public benefit that such matters should be known so that the government could be purged of men whose characters were of a degrading and disgraceful quality.

Hon. Wm. Pugsley on the part of the crown asked the court to proceed with the civil business in order that he and his colleagues might have time to prepare a demurrer against the last named plea. Mr. Hagan then explained that owing to the number of witnesses brought from a distance the case ought not to be delayed.

## PLAYGROUND COMMITTEE PRESENTS ITS REPORT.

Miss Mabel Peters Tells of What Has Been Done and Hopes for Better Work in the Future

A meeting of the executive committee of the Women's Local Council was held yesterday afternoon in the King's Daughters Guild at 330. The President, Mrs. David McLellan, was in the chair. There was a fair attendance.

Miss Mabel Peters, convener of the Playground Committee, read the following interesting and instructive report regarding the work done by this committee.

**REPORT OF PLAYGROUND COMMITTEE.**

Some years ago a preacher in a big city complained to the police that children playing in the streets distracted his congregation when at prayer, and asked that the nuisance be abated. The captain curtly replied: "They have no other place to play, you had better pray for sense to help get them out of the streets." This minister then went down in the slums and played and prayed and sang with the children in the streets. And the public awoke to the fact that children must play.

They turned school house basements and roofs into playgrounds, they made gardens of vacant lots for the children, and set aside special parts of the parks for them. Only in part has this been done in St. John and only for a very short period of the year.

The work of your committee does not end with the closing of the vacation playground. Your convener has written over fifty letters and as many post cards on local playground matters.

Your convener also wrote letters for the St. John press besides selecting playground articles for the same. Your convener suggested through the press the desirability of opening the present exhibition grounds as a play centre, using the buildings for a gymnasium and salt water baths when not needed for exhibitions. Your convener also sent a full report of the work done in St. John last summer to the National Annual Meeting of the council which will be found in the year book.

Your committee petitioned the St. John Common Council for a playground grant of \$500. They were granted \$200, for which they are very grateful and will endeavor to use to the best advantage. Your committee has at the present time \$1,000.00 at its disposal and Winter street school grounds for vacation playgrounds for six weeks this summer. It will depend upon subscriptions if the grounds can be kept open for so long a time. The Every Day Club has offered your committee a portion of the Victoria grounds for use as a summer playground. Your convener visited the grounds and found them admirable for such a purpose, and every evidence at hand that a supervised playground was needed. On speaking to one woman on the need of a playground in her neighborhood she exclaimed, "Oh don't start one here, the boys are so bad you could do nothing with them."

Your convener is gratified to find less distrust this season in regard to playgrounds, and more ladies are willing to act as teachers. Your committee has already engaged several teachers

and should like to engage others if funds were more plentiful. It is the desire of the committee to bring the work to such perfection that the advantage of playgrounds will be readily appreciated, and in the future have the Provincial Government make it possible for the School Board to incorporate playgrounds in their legitimate school work. Playground not only for vacation, but for all the hours of the year when school is not in session, playgrounds with free baths. This will be realized some day in St. John, for it being proven that for citizens to be good as children, as adults, and in old age, they must be happy, joyous, and controlled by love in childhood.

The convention of the United States National Playground Association which opens tomorrow in Chicago is a proof of this. Many cities of the United States are sending delegates to this convention. The convention consists of an exhibition of model playgrounds of all nations, folk dances and songs. As soon as the convention closes the exhibit is to be taken to Jamestown.

Your convener hopes to give you a full report of successful work accomplished in the summer playground in St. John at next fall's meeting, and she hopes to be able to state that many members of the Women's Council were volunteer workers in the grounds.

Respectfully submitted,  
MABEL PETERS,  
Convener of Committee.  
St. John, June 18, 1907.

A motion was unanimously carried expressing hearty appreciation of the noble work that Miss Peters has done in this connection.

By unanimous motion the executive approved of and expressed hearty sympathy with the recent probationary movement regarding children under the age of sixteen years.

At the close of the meeting of the Executive Committee the quarterly meeting of the Council was opened in due form, with the president, Mrs. D. McLellan, in the chair.

The following were then duly elected delegates to the annual meeting of the National Council of Women of Canada, to be held in Vancouver: Mrs. David McLellan, Mrs. Henry A. Austin, Miss Annie Puddington, Miss Gillis, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Crockett.

All of the ladies elected as delegates as above signified their intention of taking the trip to the west to be present at this meeting.

Miss Murphy read an interesting report as convener of the committee on citizenship.

The meeting adjourned at six p. m.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., June 18.—The ferry steamer Tiburon and James M. Donohue collided shortly after 8 o'clock tonight off Alcatraz. There were many passengers aboard. News was received that no passengers were hurt and that all got ashore. It was reported that the Donohue was sinking.

## FIVE ST. JOHN LAW STUDENTS WILL RECEIVE THEIR DEGREES TOMORROW

Messrs. Trueman, Turner, McKenzie, Pugsley and Barry, Having Completed the Course Will Be Honored by Kings College—Something About This Bunch of New Lawyers.

Five young men, comprising this year's graduating class from the King's College Law School in St. John, will tomorrow receive their degrees at Windsor at the closing exercises of Kings. Several of the graduates went across the bay this morning while others intend going this afternoon. The results of the examinations recently held here were highly creditable and the standing of the five young men who have now completed the course is fully up to the high standard of the school.

At Windsor this evening the lady students will give a reception in honor of the St. John men. The graduates are as follows:

J. MacMillan Trueman, son of Judge Trueman, after attending the public schools graduated from the high school in 1900 and at once went to Dalhousie. Following a creditable course there he obtained his B. A. degree in 1904 and returning to St. John entered the law school. He was articled in Judge Trueman's office.

William D. Turner is a native of Baie Verte in the County of Westmorland. He received his earlier education at the common school there, and in the fall of 1894 successfully passed the matriculation examinations for entrance to the University of M. A. H. After spending four years at this institution of learning, he received the

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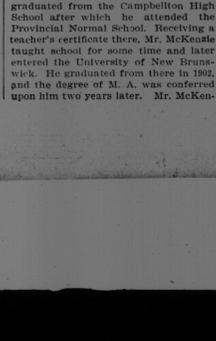
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