



The Evening Times



THE WEATHER. Fair today. Sunday, west winds, fine, slightly warmer.

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ADJUTANT BOWERING TO LEAVE THIS CITY SOON

Head of Salvation Army Shelter and Metropole Has Been Transferred to Another Field--He Tells of His Work Here And Says a Good Word For St. John People.

After two and a half years of successful work at the Salvation Army Metropole and Travellers' Shelter, Adjutant and Mrs. Bowering, who have been in charge of the institutions have announced that they will bid adieu to St. John, within the next few weeks and after a month's furlough will enter upon another field of the army's work.

Under their management both institutions have been placed on a much better financial footing, the annual income being today about double what it was when they were placed in charge.

During his twenty years experience in army work Adjutant Bowering has rubbed shoulders with all classes and conditions of men and has thus been placed in a position to maintain excellent order in both Shelter and Metropole.

Just where Adjutant Bowering will next be stationed he is at present unable to say, neither is it definitely known who will succeed him in the management of the S. A. institutions here.

WANTS OPIUM UNDER A BAN

Ontario Methodists Want Government to Prohibit Its Importation, Manufacture and Sale Except For Medical Purposes.

Lindsay, Ont., June 6 (Special).—The report of the committee on temperance and moral reform presented yesterday afternoon to the Bay of Quinte Methodist conference unqualifiedly expressed its opposition to the three-fifths clause in the Ontario license act. It was recommended that Dominion government be asked to prohibit the importation, manufacture and sale of opium for other than medical purposes, and to prohibit the sale of liquor and cigarette papers to persons under 21 years of age.

PROMINENT CANADIANS PICTURED IN CARTOONS

(By the Canadian Newspaper Cartoonist Association.)

Hon. Wm. Pugsley, Minister of Public Works--At Present a Rather Interesting Figure in Dominion Politics.

LORD TWEEDMOUTH ILL

London, June 6.—The veiled rumors of the physical and mental condition of Lord Tweedmouth, Lord President of the Council, which were held in political circles as partly accounting for his indiscretion in the correspondence with Emperor William with regard to the naval policy of Great Britain, while he was first lord of the admiralty, are now referred to more openly as "the dark cloud that has swept down upon him while still in the prime of manhood," and it is announced that he has been ordered to take the rest cure in the country owing to a sudden nervous breakdown.

WORSE THAN BEING JILTED

Jack--I'm all broke up! Fred--Has she jilted you? Jack--Jilted me! Here are letters from six girls to whom I promised graduating presents.

VERY SAD CASE

Our esteemed fellow citizen, Mr. James Jones, is much grieved over the financial condition of the Dominion of Canada. It appears that this great country, which since time immemorial has been the richest, most glorious, and most blessed of all countries by the bounty of Heaven, is not stretching forth the hand of a territory, not from ocean to ocean, and from the 49th

parallel to the pole, but its hired men are clamoring for their pay. It has boundless wealth in minerals, forests, fertile areas, lakes, streams and burning cities, but cannot raise the wind on any day.

MONCTON CITIZEN STEPS IN WHEN GOVERNMENT FAILS; OFFERS TO PAY I.C.R. MEN

Government Advertises to the World the Fact That It has No Money to Pay the Hard Earned Wages of I. C. R. Employees --Public Spirited Monctonian Offers to Cash I.C.R. Checks for Monthly Pay to Extent of \$60,000.

Moncton, June 6 (Special).—Considerable feeling has been aroused over a circular issued by the railway intimating there is no money to pay salaries and leaving it optional whether they work or not. A prominent citizen who learned yesterday of the sordid trick that is being played by the railway department, said he would make arrangements to pay all checks to I. C. R. men for at least a month's wages to the extent of at least \$60,000, so that if the government, for the purpose of forcing through parliament a bill to steal twenty or thirty cents in parliament, is willing to have it advertised to the world that it has no money to pay the men who operate the people's railway there is enough public spirit right here in the city of Moncton to furnish it. The Times this morning says this circular is the most insolent document ever issued

by a minister of the crown in this country or by any of its understrappers, and is absolutely unjustifiable. It is inviting the employees of this great public utility and common carrier to abandon their positions and thus embarrass and injure the business of the whole country. The revenue of the railway should be sufficient to pay the employees without any special appropriation by parliament, but the opposition is willing from time to time to vote necessary appropriations. The object of the circular may be to effect the voluntary resignations of some of the men whose places are desired for political bea

carpenters and had been working in Moncton for some time in a machine shop, and as usual walked home last night. On the way he felt a pain in his side, and on arrival at home reported to his wife that he was suffering from heart trouble. He rapidly became worse, and a messenger was sent to Moncton for a doctor, but before the doctor arrived he was dead. The deceased was about sixty-five years of age and is survived by a wife but no children. Daniel, Julius and Samuel are brothers.

COUNTESS ANNA CAN'T PAY BILLS

With an Income of \$6,000 per Month She Asks for Extension of Time in Which to Pay \$24,000 Jewelry Bill.

Paris, June 6.—Counsel for Madame Anna Gould has applied to the civil tribunal to grant her a delay in the payment of \$24,000 to Madame Nemhoff, a singer, for a necklace purchased by her former husband, Count Boni de Castellane, pointing out that her income now is only \$6,000 per month and that it would be impossible to pay such a large sum immediately. The court consented to the payment of \$6,000 each six months to the singer.

IRIDICULES IDEA OF YELLOW PERIL

Sir Robert Hart Gives Interesting Interview on Conditions in China--Chinese Will Never Cause World Special Trouble

London, June 6.—The Daily Mail's correspondent at Genoa telegraphs an interview he had with Sir Robert Hart, director general of Chinese Customs who arrived there yesterday on board the German liner Yoroka, bound for England.

STUDY OF POETRY IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Principal Peterson of McGill Says More Attention Should be Given to Language Study and Poetry.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., June 6 (Special).—The inaugural address of the Canadian Club was delivered yesterday by Principal Peterson, of McGill University, on Poetry in the School. He said the present day tendencies are too much in the direction of the mechanical element in education at the expense of the intellectual. Manual training should be retained so long as it is duly co-ordinated with other disciplinary studies and does not lead to the cessation of hard continuous work. Language study and poetry require more attention in the schools. Due attention to the right kind of poetry will tend to counteract any material and utilitarian tendencies that may wish to force themselves into undue prominence in our present day education. Poetry is the teacher's most potent art for instilling wholesome thoughts in the minds of his pupils. The next speaker will be Dr. Andrew McPhail, of Montreal.

SINCE ADAM DELVED

Here are some remarkable figures which if nothing more, are instructive. eminent authorities have been figuring on the world's population and have arrived at a number of conclusions. One is that the total number of people born since the year in which the first pair of human beings appeared on earth is 72,000,000,000. The earth's population today is estimated at 1,500,000,000. Of this huge total just over one-half are females. Experience tables show that there are three generations in every family each century.

FUNERALS

The funeral of Miss Anne Murphy was held from the Mater Misericordiae Home this afternoon at 2.30. Service was conducted by Rev. D. S. O'Keefe and interment was in the new Catholic cemetery.

STUDENTS ON THE RAMPAGE.

Fredericton, June 6.—(Special).—The male students of the Normal School went on the rampage last night in celebration of the closing of the institution, and this morning are being blamed for several acts of vandalism. One of the large cannons mounted on the river bank were partially upset and it will cost at least fifteen dollars to get them back in position again. There is much indignation over the hoodlum conduct of the students and if the guilty parties can be apprehended they will be taught a much needed lesson.

SAWDUST IN STREAMS.

There is much complaint along the Kennebec about the dumping of sawdust in the stream, and it is urged that the Fish, Forest and Game Protective Association should call the attention of the government to the matter.

COLD STORAGE PLANT IS AN INTERESTING PLACE

Some Idea of the Various Kinds of Business Carried on There--Manager Ross Talks--Expects St. John to Become Bait Centre--Furs in Cold Storage.

Some idea of the various kinds of business carried on by the New Brunswick Cold Storage Company, in its present extent, and the prospects in view, was obtained by a Times man who visited the company's big building.

Without particularizing but to give some inkling as to what is meant, fish, meat, fruit, vegetables, poultry and dairy products, might be mentioned as among lines of business to increase in volume.

MUCH ENTHUSIASM OVER OCEAN RACE

Hamilton, Bermuda Preparing to Welcome Competitors in Race From Marblehead.

Hamilton, Bermuda, June 6.—The approach of the sailing yachts which are racing here from Marblehead, Mass., has aroused enthusiasm in the sport and racing business conditions. The failure of the potato crop and the stagnant condition of the onion market seem temporarily to have been forgotten.

THE METHOD OF TAX COLLECTION

Appeals Committee Met This Morning to Consider Developments in it.

A special meeting of the appeals committee was held today to discuss developments in the new system of tax collection. It seems that certain of the methods have been working under the impression that they would get the fee of \$1 (which was decided by the council) should be paid them in addition to the usual 40 cents on all collections when they placed their men in jail. As a result some six arrests have been made since the first of June. The understanding of the aldermen was that the \$1 fee should only be paid to the marshals when they collected the money, as an inducement to secure payment rather than make arrests. Several of the marshals, it is understood, have taken legal advice and intend to demand the \$1.40, which they claim as due them according to the agreement. There is much indignation over either money is secured or an arrest made.

RABBI AMDUR'S SERMON AT PENTECOSTAL CELEBRATION

Eloquent Discourse Delivered Yesterday in the Hazen Avenue Synagogue on "Old Pictures in New Frames."

The following is the text of Rabbi Amdur's sermon delivered in the Hazen Avenue synagogue on the occasion of the celebration of the Feast of Pentecost, yesterday.

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