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**COUNTY COURT**

In the case of Clark vs. Pugsley hearing was commenced in the county court with Judge Armstrong presiding. In this case the plaintiff is bringing an action against his mother-in-law for services rendered her husband. The plaintiff alleges that he agreed to take up his residence with the defendant and her husband who were residing at Washade-moak, and that in return for services rendered, the defendant had agreed to turn over a farm to him, on condition that he pay \$900. After the death of the defendant's husband, the defendant, it is said, sold the farm, and the plaintiff is now claiming services rendered for one year and a half at the rate of \$5 a week. Owing to the illness of one of the witnesses, adjournment has been made until Thursday morning at ten o'clock. J. Starr Tait is appearing for the plaintiff and H. W. Robertson for the defendant.

On Thursday morning a date will also be set for hearing in the case of Smarald vs. Norton Griffiths Company Limited.

**THE WORLD IS NOT ALL DARK**



**SOUTH AFRICAN MINERS GIVE A TENTH OF THEIR WAGES TO THE BELGIAN BABIES**

**LOCAL NEWS**

**MRS. ELIZABETH MONAHAN.**  
Mrs. Elizabeth Monahan died at her residence, 228 Charlotte street, early this morning, after a lingering illness. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. William McGorman and Mrs. Stanhope, both of Worcester, Mass.

**POLICE COURT.**  
During the storm of yesterday and last evening four prisoners were gathered in by the local police. In the police court this morning they were all charged with drunkenness and each was fined \$5 or two months in jail. One, an old offender, was chased from the court in disgrace and told not to come back.

**MRS. ELIZABETH IRVINE.**  
Mrs. Elizabeth Irvine, wife of the late William Irvine, died this morning at the residence of Mrs. J. W. Milligan, in Millidgeville. She was in her 78th year, and is survived by four sons, Dr. W. H. I., Dr. W. J. of Fredericton, J. W. I., of Irving in France, and Charles H. at home, and one daughter, Mrs. C. W. Higgins, of this city. Notice of funeral in Wednesday's papers.

**MAJOR HAMILTON TO BE COMMANDANT AT SUSSEX CAMP**

A few days ago it was announced that Major Cuthbert Morgan of the 290th Rifle Battalion, was to be camp commandant of Sussex camp during the coming summer. This morning information was received at the office of the New Brunswick command to the effect that Major J. Hamilton of the Royal Canadian Horse Artillery depot at Kingston, Ontario, had been appointed to this position.

It appears that the military authorities in Ottawa asked the officials here to recommend an officer for this position and the officials here, acting upon the request, and after taking into consideration all the officers available for this office in this district, decided upon Major Morgan, returned officer of the 12th Battalion, and recommended him for this command. The military officials at Ottawa for some reason have appointed Major Hamilton. Major Hamilton has been a member of the Canadian force for some time.

**CARRANZA FLOGGED A GERMAN CONSUL**

He and Other German Citizens Had Helped Villa—Another German Executed

El Paso, Texas, March 5.—Because of aid they were alleged to have given Villa bandits, Edgar Koch, German vice-consul at Parral, and Dr. Hugo Schroeder, German subject, were flogged at Parral by order of General Francisco Murguía, Carranza commander in Chihuahua. This word was received from Parral from Chihuahua City. The floggings took place following the re-occupation of Parral by Carranza forces. Each was given fifty lashes daily for three days. Koch was charged with aiding Villa bandits secure bullion valued at \$75,000, owned by the Alvarado Mining Company. Dr. Schroeder was charged with treating Villa's wounded leg during the bandit leader's occupation of Parral.

Late word was received here that Johann von Storch, a German subject, was executed secretly near Chihuahua City by order of the Carranza authorities. Dispatches received here on Tuesday, bore the announcement by General Marguía that von Storch had been shot accidentally on Monday, while duck shooting at Hacienda Robinson, near Chihuahua City. General Marguía, it is said, had appointed a committee in charge of General Francisco Gonzales to investigate the shooting.

An arrival from Chihuahua City reported that the body of von Storch had been brought to the city with two wounds from rifle bullets in the left breast. He said that von Storch had been invited by Carranza officers to participate in a duck hunting expedition, and that he had been shot by these officers. Von Storch was cashier of the firm of Ketchum and Dagebau, in Chihuahua City.

**HOLLAND'S FOREIGN MINISTER**



Prominent in the controversy over seven Dutch merchantmen which fell victims to German U-boat ruthlessness and piracy, J. J. Louw, Dutch secretary for foreign affairs in Queen Wilhelmina's government, Holland's attitude has become so reserved and menacing as to be given as the cause for the German withdrawal on the Ancre front, where lines have been shortened, presumably to mass troops on the Dutch frontier.

**BRITTON LOSES BOUT**

Columbus, Ohio, March 5.—Bryan Downey of Columbus, was given the newspaper decision over Jack Britton of Chicago at the conclusion of their 12-round bout here last night. Britton made no effort at aggression, Downey leading in a majority of the rounds.

**C. P. R. LOCAL PLANS FOR WORK THIS SUMMER**

**Extensive Programme of Building and Repair Work MUCH AT BAY SHORE**

**Round House There to be Enlarged to Give Double Accommodation of the Present—Arbor Day to be Observed**

Quite an extensive programme of building and repair work has been mapped out by the C.P.R. for the New Brunswick division during the coming summer. H. C. Grout, general superintendent of the division, has plans for the enlargement of the engine house at Bay Shore, renewals of bridges and culverts, erection of a station at Upper Kent, new houses and Brownville Junction, balasting for eighty miles, and repair work on all buildings and structures throughout the division.

The engine house at Bay Shore at present has accommodation for six engines and it will be remodelled so as to hold twice that number. In addition to this a 40,000 gallon water tank will be erected there, and other improvements made.

Throughout the division bridges will be repaired and culverts built, and other repairs where necessary. On the main line some sixty miles of balasting has been appropriated for and about twenty miles on branch lines.

At Upper Kent north of Woodstock, a new station will be erected. It will be a one-story structure and will have been appointed a committee for the purpose of establishing a permanent system of gardens all over the line. Agents and those living in houses owned by the company will be encouraged to have gardens and in addition to the trees and shrubs they will be furnished with seeds and bulbs. It is also the intention of the officials to have Arbor Day observed by having station and track employees devote at least half of the day to gardening work in order to stimulate a spirit of beautifying the line. Experts will be employed by the C.P.R. and they will supervise the planting.

Other work is being contemplated for the New Brunswick division, but the plans and specifications are not completed as yet. So far as is known there will be no change in the Bay of Fundy service next summer.

**A TYPICAL STORM FOR TROUBLED MARCH**

**High Wind, Five or Six Inches of Snow—The Trains Bothered**

The snow and wind storm which swept over the city yesterday was one of the worst of the winter. Between five and six inches of snow fell and drifted considerably, causing a partial stoppage of the car service and interfering with traffic in general. Yesterday the temperature registered between ten and twelve degrees above zero, and this morning it was down to six above. The wind velocity registered forty miles an hour and was blowing first from the northeast and later from the northwest. Although the storm was quite severe it was by no means a record breaker for March.

As a result of the storm train traffic at Vaneboro, Me., was tied up for six hours. The Boston train which was due to arrive in the city last night at 11:30 p.m. was held at Vaneboro for six hours and did not reach the city until early this morning. Both the Boston and Montreal trains which left here last evening were also tied up from five to six hours at Vaneboro. As the trouble was on the Maine Central the C.P.R. officials were powerless to remedy the matter and as a result they were set back to a considerable extent.

Proton to the station, the C. P. R. had been moving along satisfactorily, but the delay occasioned at Vaneboro will cause some congestion for a time. This morning the line at Vaneboro was cleared and traffic was moving along as usual.

**ST. MONICA'S SOCIETY**

The monthly meeting of St. Monica's Society was held yesterday afternoon in the Knights of Columbus hall. Mrs. D. P. Chisholm presided in the absence of Mrs. James Dever. The charity committee reported that families had received attention during the last month. The sewing committee showed that thirty-five garments had been distributed to the poor during February. The committee appointed to visit the hospitals reported that eight visits had been made to the military hospital in St. James street, and several to the Home for Incapables.

The gross receipts of the bridge and assembly held on January 10, were announced, the sum of \$880 was realized. The proceeds will be utilized for the charitable work of the society.

At the conclusion of yesterday's meeting a resolution of deep and heartfelt sympathy was passed and conveyed to Mrs. F. J. Luce and the members of the family in the loss sustained by them and the community in the death of Dr. Hogan. His widow, wife and two sisters are all active members of St. Monica's Society.

**FUNERALS**

The funeral of Mrs. Isabel McCarthy took place this morning from her late residence, Sea street, to the Church of the Assumption, where a high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. J. J. O'Donovan. Interment was made in Holy Cross cemetery. Relatives acted as pall bearers.

The funeral of Samuel Couillard took place this afternoon from Messrs. Brennan's undertaking rooms. Services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Hutchinson and interment was made in Cedar Hill.

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