

HARD AGROUND, BIG LINER POUNDED BY HUGE SEAS.

Leyland Line Steamer Devonian Struck on Scituate Beach, Ten Miles South of Entrance to Boston Harbor—Vessel Finally Saved.

BOSTON, Feb. 15.—For fourteen hours today the big Leyland line steamer Devonian, from Liverpool, lay helpless on Scituate beach, ten miles to the south of the harbor's entrance...

While the position of the Devonian today was not considered perilous to the lives of those on board, still her escape from becoming a total wreck was regarded tonight as extremely fortunate...

The Devonian, which left Liverpool on Feb. 5th with four cabin passengers, nearly eighty in the crew and a cargo of freight valued at one million dollars...

As the Devonian proceeded her speed was constantly reduced until at one o'clock this morning she had just started on her way...

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Playing Cards, 20c. to 55c. per Pack. Playing Cards in Cases, 65c., \$1.00, \$1.35. Bridge Sets, \$1.25 to \$5.25. Whist Sets \$1.25 to \$4. Duplicate Whist Sets, \$5.75.

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COUNT BONI'S DEBTS ARE SAID TO BE ENORMOUS.

His Attitude Leaves Lawyers of Countess to Consider Only His Outstanding Indebtedness—She is Making Compromise With Creditors.

PARIS, Feb. 15.—The financial negotiations in the Castellane case do not relate to Count Boni's allowances after separation from his wife, formerly Anna Gould of New York...

The court thus disposes of the statement to the effect that he contemptuously refused \$40,000 a year on the ground that it was not sufficient for his pocket money.

The attitude of the count leaves the lawyers of the countess to consider only his outstanding indebtedness, which reaches an enormous sum.

ROYAL COIFFURE ARTIST TO DRESS MISS ALICE'S HAIR

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—Miss Alice Roosevelt will have her hair dressed and her bridal veil draped on her wedding day...

MISS ALICE'S FAVORITE. M. Auguste then turned his attention to a coiffure designed to meet the requirements of either day or evening wear.

MSIEU AUGUSTE CHARMED. When Miss Roosevelt looked at her reflection in the glass she is said to have turned delightedly to Auguste and exclaimed:

HOW IT IS DONE. To demonstrate his skill and the artistic beauty of his coiffures, M. Auguste arranged the hair of two selected models.

OTTAWA MAN REMEMBERED BY LATE MARSHALL FIELD. (Special to the Sun.) OTTAWA, Feb. 15.—C. A. Douglas, real estate agent of the city, is a beneficiary by the will of the late Marshall Field of Chicago.

CAPT. MURRAY VISITED HALIFAX DOCKS. (Special to the Sun.) HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 15.—Your correspondent learns on good authority that Captain Murray of the C. P. R. liner Lake Manitoba, made a flying visit to Halifax...

FATHER RECOVERS KIDNAPPED BOY

Succeeded in Overtaking His Wife at Bangor Sent Telegram to Relatives in Fredericton That Lad Was in His Possession.

(Special to the Sun.) FREDERICTON, N. B., Feb. 15.—Another chapter was written last night and today in the adventures of the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harris...

Miss Margaret Kinnear read a highly interesting paper yesterday afternoon before the Natural History Society in their rooms, Charlotte street.

The speaker announced as the subject of her lecture: "New Creations in Plant Life; the Life and Work of Luther Burbank, by W. S. Hayward."

SUSSEX BUSINESS MEN REMEMBER P. B. ROSSBOROUGH

SUSSEX, N. B., Feb. 15.—R. B. Rossborough, manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia, received a double surprise this afternoon.

During your four years' residence in Sussex you have proved yourself a desirable factor in the progress of the community, and we assure you that you will not soon be forgotten by those who know you best.

THE WINTER PORT

With two months out of the five months and a half shipping season remaining, the exports from St. John so far total almost \$11,000,000, as compared with \$13,700,000 for the whole of last season.

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Royal Baking Powder

We are now able to quote the same prices to our customers as are paid by consumers in New York, London, San Francisco, and other large markets of the world where staple goods are sold lowest.

Burbank's Wonderful Work in The Cultivation of Plants.

His Ideas on Forestry as Told by Miss Margaret Kinnear Before the Natural History Society. (From Fridy's Daily Sun.)

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The general character of his work is included under two heads: I. Breeding: That is uniting two plants producing a new variety of the pollen of one plant upon the stigma of the other.

THOUGHT GROOM WAS SLIGHTED

And Presented Him With Buffalo Skin Vest. Penca Indians Refused to Give Alice Roosevelt a Present—"She Gets Them All"

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