



Evening Times



THE WEATHER: Easterly winds, increasing to gales, rain, Friday, wind shifting to northeast and west, clearing.

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HOW THE KAISER HOPED TO FORM NEW ALLIANCE AGAINST GREAT BRITAIN

Echo De Paris Prints a Story Today Which Shows That German Emperor's Professions of Friendship for Britain do not Square With His Conduct.

Paris, Oct. 29.—The Echo de Paris this morning publishes a lengthy article giving the other side of the story concerning the negotiations between France, Russia and Germany to call upon Great Britain to put an end to the South African war...

A POLITICAL CELEBRATION

Election of Hon. H. R. Emmerson and Dr. McAlister Celebrated at Havelock Last Night.

Moncton, N. B., Oct. 29.—(Special)—Westminster and Kings county electors joined last night in a most enthusiastic demonstration at Havelock to celebrate jointly the victories of Dr. McAlister and Hon. Mr. Emmerson.

BOTH TO LAURIER

Ex Boer Leader Congratulated Premier on His Election.

Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 29.—(Special)—Sir Wilfrid Laurier has received the following telegram from Pretoria: "My colleagues and I heartily congratulate you on your success. (Signed) BULLING."

LIQUOR SMUGGLING

Bangor, Oct. 29.—James Hallett, of Lincoln, N. B., and Dan Howland, of Carleton Place, Ont., were arrested at Bangor on Tuesday afternoon charged with smuggling one-half dozen bottles of gin and whisky across the line near Fort Fairfield.

ARGUING THE QUESTION OF ALIMONY IN THE CURREY DIVORCE SUIT TODAY

This Morning was Occupied With the Reading of Affidavits and the Arguments of Counsel.

Fredericton, N. B., Oct. 29.—(Special)—Mrs. Currey's application for alimony in the divorce suit against her husband was argued before Judge Gregory in the divorce court here this morning.

BIRTHDAY WISHES FROM THE KING TO ROOSEVELT

King Edward the First of Many to Congratulate U. S. President on His 50th Anniversary.

Washington, Oct. 27.—President Roosevelt observed the 50th anniversary of his birth on Tuesday very simply. He attended to his executive duties as usual, and except for the reception of a delegation from the Hungarian Republican Club of New York and the receipt of a large number of congratulatory messages, some floral tributes and gifts from the members of his family, the day was the same to him as any other day.

THE ARTIFICIAL MAN

Wonderful Substitutes for Flesh and Blood in London Exhibition.

London, Oct. 28.—At the Medical Exhibition now being held at the Horticultural Hall, Westminster, there are excellent examples of substitutes for every part of the body—including blood and semi-vital organs excepted. It is a man's bones cannot be completely replaced, they may be reinforced by bone pegs, moulded silver, and platinum steel.

RUSHING WORK ON THE G.T.P.

Excellent Progress Reported on the Moncton-Chipman Section.

Moncton, Oct. 29.—(Special)—Great strides have been made during the season on the Moncton-Chipman section of the Transcontinental R.R. So much so that in a year's time the Coburn Electric Co. will have the contract for this portion of the work.

FOXY PAPA.

Deftly—Your father doesn't object to Tom's coming to see you now, does he? "Marion—No, but Tom doesn't come any more. He happened to call the other evening while papa was in the kitchen, and she made him hold the coal scuttle for him.

BANK OF ENGLAND

London, Oct. 29.—The rate of discount of the Bank of England remained unchanged today at 2 1/2 per cent. The weekly statement shows the following changes: Total reserve increased £27,000; circulation decreased £235,000; bullion decreased £28,247; other securities decreased £45,000; other deposits increased £42,119,000; notes, reserve, deposits £38,000; government securities decreased £1,200,000.

FUNERALS

The funeral of Miss Kilbenny C. Barber was held from the home of Mrs. Strain Robertson this afternoon at 2.30. Service was conducted by Rev. Gordon Dickie and interment was in Fernhill.

SERVIA WILL FIGHT IF NECESSITY FORCES IT

She Will Not Enter Upon any Rash War of Adventure but Will Battle Hard for Independence.

London, Oct. 29.—M. Milovanovic, the Serbian premier, who is now in London in an interview, said the Serbian government regarded the cession of a strip of territory along the Drina as absolutely indispensable, thereby linking herself to Montenegro and acquiring an outlet to the sea.

A BOY IN JAIL ON A CHARGE OF MURDER

Chester Urquhart of Stanley Awaiting Trial at Fredericton. He was out Shooting With a lad Named Clare When Gun he was Carrying Went off and Clare Fell Dying.

Fredericton, N. B., Oct. 29.—(Special)—A fourteen year old boy named Chester Urquhart of Covered Bridge, parish of Stanley, is in jail here charged with causing the death of another boy named George Clare at that place on October 16th. The two boys were out shooting together and a 22 rifle which Urquhart was carrying was discharged, the bullet striking Clare in the neck inflicting a wound from the effects of which he died in twenty minutes.

ARREST OF TWO JUNIOR CLERKS

Mexican Bank Robbery Cleared Up and \$170,000 of Stolen Money Recovered.

Mexico City, Oct. 29.—A despatch from Chihuahua says: Moses Navarro and Martin Mateus, both clerks in the Banco Minero, both clerks in the Banco Minero, all under 25 years of age, are under arrest and the mystery of the robbery of the bank of \$183,000 on the night of March 1st is solved. One hundred and seventy thousand dollars of the money has been recovered. Navarro was arrested last week and he disclosed the hiding-place of the money.

STOLE A PHOTOGRAPH OF HON. WM. PUGSLEY

An ardent desire for a photo of Hon. Wm. Pugsley apparently carried some admirer of the minister of public works beyond all bounds of propriety, for the glass in a case at the entrance of Harold Climo's photo studio, German street, was broken some time last night and a fine large picture of Hon. Wm. Pugsley stolen. Everything was all right when the studio was closed at 6 o'clock last night. Those on the ground floor thought that a noise was heard about 11 o'clock, and if this should prove to be the time the theft was committed, the culprit was prepared to take all kinds of chances to obtain liquor, which is sold only with the license of the New Brunswick Liberal League.

SCOTT ACT IN MONCTON

It is Still Difficult to Buy a Drink in the Railway Town.

Moncton, Oct. 29.—(Special)—A number of city electors met this morning to discuss what steps would be taken in the Scott Act campaign if an attempt is made in this town to repeal the act. No decision was reached.

RAIN WAS WELCOMING

Calais, Me., Oct. 28.—A dreaching rain which started early in the morning prevailed here Tuesday, doing an inestimable amount of good. Forest fires which were getting beyond control were subdued and much valuable wood and timber lots saved. The rain was very acceptable to the manufacturers who were in danger of financial losses on account of the low pitch of the river.

LATEST RETURNS SHOW GAIN FOR LIBERALS IN THE WESTERN RIDINGS

At Least Two Constituencies in which it was First Thought Conservatives would be Elected now Show Liberals to be Ahead.

Yorlton, Sask., Oct. 29.—(Special)—Returns are coming very slowly, but two-thirds of the polls give Dr. Cash (Liberal) 800 majority in Mackenzie, and this will be much increased. Turriff (Liberal) now has 600 majority over Richardson in Assiniboia and many more returns are to come in.

DREDGE FIELDING WORKING AT POINT

Government Dredge Moved Over This Morning to Clean up Sand Point Berths.

The government dredge W. S. Fielding moved over to Sand Point this morning and started dredging out the berths there to have started dredging for the opening of the winter season. This is in accordance with the arrangement made with the minister of public works by the common council, in consequence of G. S. Mays refusing to complete the work.

VALUABLE BARN BURNED

Fire on Well Known Hertz Farm Near Charlottetown Does \$18,000 Damage.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Oct. 29.—(Special)—The barns of the well known Hertz farm, owned by Frank E. Hertz, three miles from here, were burned to the ground this morning with all this season's crop, machinery, etc. The total loss, \$18,000, insurance, \$12,000. The valuable herd of Clydesdale broodmares and stallions were saved. Five buildings were destroyed.

NORTH END POLICE LAND A CRAP GAME

North End Barber Reported for Permitting Gambling in his Place of Business.

"That 'shooting craps' and other gambling games have been flourishing during the evenings at Indian town of late is the opinion of some of the residents and the North End police. Of course, the sports who have been participating have been carrying things on in a very quiet way, so much so that the police have just now been able to locate the place where the gambling is being carried on.

ST. JOHN CARPENTER WOULD NOT PAY TAX

The American schooner Lizzie H. Patrick, in command of Captain Breen, a native of St. John, arrived from St. Andrews this morning to have the bottom of her hull cleaned. This is the schooner that was damaged by the steamer Eaton at St. Andrews while coming out of the harbor.

A STEAMSHIP CHANGE

Moncton, Oct. 29.—(Special)—Dominion Line steamships Southwark and Kennington, which for many years have carried passengers between Moncton and Liverpool, will be transferred to the service between Liverpool and Philadelphia. This transfer is to make room for the Laurent and the Megantic, built for the St. Lawrence route.

ST. JOHN CLEARING HOUSE RETURNS

Week ending October 29, 1908. \$1,245,717 Corresponding week last year \$88,921.

THIS EVENING

"Thorns and Orange Blossoms" at the Opera House, by Klark-Urban Co. Dramatograph, pictures and songs at the Nickel.

"CANADIAN PEOPLE REFUSED TO PUT THEIR WINE IN OLD BOTTLES"

Rev. Dr. McPhail of Montreal Says the Conservative Party Must Rejuvenate Itself Before it is Placed in Power.

Charlottetown, Oct. 29.—(Special)—Dr. John Andrew McPhail of Montreal, who is visiting at his home here, was interviewed respecting the result of the elections and said that the people were not convinced that Mr. Borden had at his command material for a better government than that which the country has had for the past twelve years.

NOT A PROHIBITIONIST.

"What is your boy's position on his football team?" "It's a half-back during the game and a full back after the game."

BAD BREAK. Miss Oldgirl (very rich)—You have me now, but will your love ever change? Tim Ribley (absent)—How are your investments?