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WEDDED IN BOSTON.

The Fredericton Gleaser says: "An announcement of interest to Gleaser readers is made in another column concerning the marriage of Chas. Fitz-Randolph, of this city, to Miss Elizabeth O'Brien, of Baltimore, which took place at Boston on March 22. Miss O'Brien was formerly on the stage and made quite a reputation as a star. She visited this city some few years ago, it will be remembered, when she played the part of the "Little Cigarette Girl." In Under Two Flags, and in which she made a decided hit. The happy couple will make their residence in Boston."

Mrs. Randolph is a sister of Miss Nora O'Brien, the beautiful and talented actress that was leading lady with the Valentine Stock Co., and later was here with W. S. Hawkins.



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ON THE RIVER.

Lots of Steamers for the People's Accommodation.

And There Will be Red Hot Competition all Along the Line.

All the river steamers are now running on their regular schedule. The Victoria made her first trip of the season yesterday, while the May Queen has made three trips. Freight has not been very large this spring, as there is little stuff to come down. Potatoes brought a good figure last fall and in consequence the farmers sold about all their crop. Through freight to Fredericton and Woodstock has been fair.

With the completion of the Beatrice E. Waring and the arrival here of the ship, Princess from Quebec, the river people will have little to complain of in the way of river service. Never before in the history of the river have there been more steamers on the various routes than at present, and with the addition of the two new steamers named things will be made all the more comfortable for the farmer who starts for town and his wife has forgotten to tell him to buy her some bonnet strings or hair pins she can catch the next boat and land at Indian town almost on her husband's heels. It will be a case of "boats n' passengers every two minutes for all point north and south."

On the Fredericton-St. John route the old favorites, the David Weston and the Victoria, will run every day except Sunday. The Majestic makes daily trips to Gagetown. The Hampstead to Hampstead; the May Queen regular trips to Grand Lake; the Crystal Stream to Washdemack; the Springfield to Bellisle, and the Clifton to Hampton.

When the Princess arrives she will be in opposition to the Crystal Stream. The Beatrice Waring will be launched in a few days and will go on the Bellisle route and the Springfield on the Fredericton-Gagetown run, leaving Fredericton each morning. There she will come into opposition with the steamer Aberdeen, which will go on the route as soon as the Fredericton-Woodstock season is over, which only lasts for a few days in the spring and a few trips in the fall.

It will be a case of pay your money and take your choice and the survival of the fittest. One well known river steamboat man remarked to the Star this morning that he would not be surprised if there would be lots of shares in river steamers for sale cheap this fall.

It is understood that the residents of Chipman were agitating the subject of placing a fast steamer on the Grand Lake route.

BRIEFS BY WIRE.

King Edward left Rome today for Paris. There was a great farewell demonstration.

The obligatory exercises at the World's Fair, St. Louis, today were participated in by President Roosevelt, Grover Cleveland, Cardinal Gibbons, Bishop Foster, Gen. Corbin and other distinguished men.

According to an official statement, the weekly plague mortality in India exceeds 30,000 persons. The infected area includes nine British provinces and fifty-one native states.

THE READY REVOLVER.

NEW YORK, April 29.—John M. Smith and Rudolph Sherman were dangerously wounded by an unknown Italian in a shooting affair on Second Avenue early today. The quarrel began in a saloon because of a disparaging remark about a woman which was resented by Smith. The latter was wounded in the side and back of the head and Sherman received a bullet in the left eye. Their wounds may be fatal. The assailant escaped.

FIRE ALARM.

At half past two o'clock today an alarm was rung in from box 2 for a fire on the roof of St. John's Presbyterian church on King street east. A hoist was burned through the roof, but the fire was quickly extinguished. The interior furnishings were fully protected by the Salvage Corps.

THE REAL WIDOW BROW.

Mistaken identity has from time immemorial furnished a basis for amusing complications. In a late issue of the "Real Widow Brow," a young man by the name of Smith, who was the real widow, thereby furnishes the basis for a fun, and the events following are so amusingly true that they give a graceful and taking music enhance the attractiveness of the performance.

COMMERCIAL.

LONDON, April 29.—The weekly statement of the revenue collected at the Custom House during the month of April, 1903 and the present year.

	1903	1902
Customs	\$108,267,315	\$108,267,315
Stamps	828,592	828,592
Sick Mariners Fees	475,148	475,148
Total	\$109,570,055	\$109,570,055
Decrease this year	\$2,001,63	

Bank clearings for week ending Thursday, April 30, were \$98,129, corresponding week last year, \$93,884.

STOCK MARKET.

NEW YORK, April 29.—Wall street—Prices advanced a fraction, as quite animated dealing. Reaction in demand on the earnings statement for March and was lifted by the Central Railroad of Mexico stocks and People's Gas showed slight fractional gains.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

LONDON, April 29.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes:

Total reserve, decreased	\$7,000,000
Gold, increased	\$7,000,000
Other securities, increased	\$1,400,000
Credit deposits, increased	\$2,850,000
Public deposits, decreased	\$150,000
Notes reserve, unchanged	
Government securities, unchanged	

LONDON, April 29.—The rate of discount of the Bank of England was unchanged today at 4 per cent.

WIPED OUT.

The Town of Frank, N. W. T. Totally Destroyed.

By a Vast Slide of Rock From Turtle Mountain.

MACLEOD, N. W. T., April 29.—Latest reports from Frank indicate that a volcanic eruption occurred there at 4 a. m. today. The earth opened up for three-quarters of a mile in length, and then millions of tons of rock slid over the top of Turtle Mountain, which overhangs the little town. The coal pit mouth and several buildings near there were buried. It is estimated that the loss of life is about seventy residents of the town, and in addition about fifty miners who are entombed in the mine.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Co. at once arranged for trains to convey doctors, nurses and hospital stores, both from the east and the west, to Frank.

The Crow's Nest branch railway is temporarily blocked, but the railway company, who have sent large gangs of men here, expect to get it cleared shortly. Business to and from the Kootenays will be forwarded, until the branch is opened, by way of the line and Revelstoke, the old route before the Crow's Nest branch was built.

OTTAWA, April 29.—Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, who is in Ottawa, was received from General Manager McNicholl, the following telegraphic report of the disaster at Frank, N. W. T.:

Latest report from Frank indicates that the town is almost wiped out. The whole valley below the town for over a mile was shaken up. The earth opened for three-quarters of a mile in length, and then a terrific volcanic eruption occurred on the top of Turtle Mountain, overlooking the town, throwing millions of tons of rock and covering the mine entrance, burying buildings near its mouth 100 feet deep. All the men employed around the mine outside were killed. The loss of life is estimated at over 100, including a number of women and children. The mountain is still in eruption, throwing up rocks. Old Man river is dammed with 40 feet of rock, and the railway track for two miles east of the station is covered with from 5 to 60 feet of rock.

A later despatch states that 70 to 80 residents were killed, besides a party of sixty men entombed in the mines. Are sending doctors, nurses and hospital stores and extra gangs to the scene. Kootenay is being worked via Revelstoke.

Gen. Casey, ex-M. P., who camped at Frank in 1877, recalls in a recent evidence of former volcanic eruption about the mountains.

WINNIPEG, April 29.—A message received tonight from Frank says: "The eruption was not without injury. Two are dead from suffocation. One of the uninjured found his house covered with rocks and his wife and two children buried. There were a number of men safer than those out of it. No explosion and no signs of gas were felt by the entombed miners."

Additional advice from Frank state that the disaster is really worse than reported. Details are very meagre.

Gen. Supt. Osborne knows something about the mine and town of Frank, which was wiped out by the recent disaster. Mr. Osborne says that the Frank coal mine is located about two miles east of Blairmore Sulphur Springs, or about fifty-four miles west of Macleod, on the Crow's Nest branch of the C. P. R.

The mine was opened up in the spring of 1901 by a man named Gebro, who floated a company of which a gentleman named Mr. Frank, a prominent citizen of Spokane, Wash., was a principal.

The mine is a vertical one, having a vertical shaft thirteen feet wide, seventeen hundred feet above the level of the railway at that place. It was thought to run two or three thousand feet below the surface, and extended back for thirty miles. The mine furnished excellent steaming coal, which was about on a par with the celebrated Crow's Nest coal, although not so good for cooking purposes. The C. P. R. has been taking from 500 to 1,000 tons per day from the mine.

Mr. Osborne was in charge of the western division at the time the road was opened up, and he put in the preliminary yards at Frank. At that time the only persons near the mine were Mr. Gebro and two laborers. The coal seam was set in hard iron-like rock, being sharply defined, and the rock itself of such a formation that no impression could be made on it.

PAUL DUCHAILLU MONCTON

The Distinguished Author and Explorer is Dead.

A Writer Whose Works Have Been Read With Pleasure.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 30.—Paul du Chailu, the author and explorer, who was stricken with paralysis yesterday, died at midnight.

[Paul du Chailu was born at Paris, July 31, 1835, the son of a French trader of Gabon, West Africa. In 1851, when quite young, he made some exploratory tours around his father's trading factory, and became acquainted with the customs of the Negroes. In 1855 he came to America, which he made his home. Under the auspices of the Academy of Natural Sciences of Philadelphia, he undertook a botanic and zoologic expedition to the Amazon basin. This he continued successfully for four years. His accounts of the gorillas and Obongo darts were contradicted by Gray and Barth, but later explorations have confirmed them. In 1861 he published his Explorations and Adventures in Equatorial Africa. In 1863 he started on a second expedition; he visited the Nguny Falls and Ashanapoland, and returned in 1865. His principal work was his journey to Ashanapoland (1867); My April Kingdom (1870); The Country of the Dwarfs (1872); The Land of the Midnight Sun (1881), which was the result of a several years' stay in Sweden and Lapland; The Viking Age (1881), etc.

A CORPS OF GUIDES.

Will be Arranged in Connection With Canadian Militia.

The militia organization of the country will shortly be augmented by the addition of a local system of intelligence service. An order-in-council has been passed authorizing the organization of a corps of guides, and in the next general order will be forwarded for raising this corps will be laid down.

In each military district an officer will be appointed, to be known as the district intelligence officer. He will command the corps of guides in that district. The military district will be subdivided into sub-districts as far as possible, identical with the regimental districts, which as a rule, conform to county boundaries. In each sub-district an officer will be appointed to be known as the sub-district intelligence officer. Each of the sub-districts will be sub-divided, again in the smaller districts, to be styled as guide areas.

Ultimately the corps of guides will be formed into a corps of guides on active service will receive the same pay as active militia.

This is the first of the new establishments of Lord Dunsford's project of creating a corps of guides in the quarters of the guides will be in Ottawa.

A MILLION FOR IDEAL SERVANT.

Banker Fortune, of Chicago, Will Leave This Fortune to the Right Girl Who Will Serve Him All His Life.

CHICAGO, April 29.—One million dollars is waiting for the servant girl who knows her is a diamond. It sounds like a Cinderella book or something of that sort, but it is nothing of the kind.

There is a man in the city—John Fortune is his name—who has been studying the servant girl problem. He has come to the conclusion that the only girl worth having about the house is one who is a diplomat, who is prudent, who is opposed to tattling and who is a nurse, cook and a dressmaker. Now to the offer. It is a handsome sum, with all these qualifications will serve Mr. Fortune during the rest of his life he will leave her \$1,000,000.

John Fortune is the head of the firm of Fortune, Leach & Co., bankers, dealers and dealers in bonds on a large scale. He will do just what he proposes to do is not to be doubted. He has said he would do certain unconventional things before, and he has made good his word. For example, he started the quiet suburb of Oak Park where his mansion is situated, by announcing that he would place a chime of bells in the cupola of his stable, which was an ornate affair. The neighbors protested, but without avail. The chimers were not only installed but they have been ringing out the hour and half hour ever since.

It is a matter of local comment that Mr. Fortune's servants, apartments are more luxuriously appointed than most of the rooms of Chicago women who keep a servant or two. There is a stately in them and soft rugs and books and oil paintings that cost the banker sum.

Having the ideal servants' apartments, Mr. Fortune is now seeking the bright girl. Since it became known that he was willing to leave \$1,000,000 good American dollars to any girl who could measure up to the standard which he and Mrs. Fortune have decided is none too high, there have been many visitors to Oak Park.

To tell the truth Mr. Fortune believes it will be a difficult matter to find the servant to answer the description. But if she is found she will draw the highest prize ever offered for domestic service.

"I want a girl who wears quiet colors," said Mr. Fortune. "I have always found that the girl who wears bright colors has a bad temper. It is a condition to that, I want a girl who is neat and physically strong. If the right girl appears she will receive the \$1,000,000 with no more pleasure than that with which it will be given."

MONCTON

Declares in Favor of a Compulsory Education Law.

Have Lost a Son—The Exhibition Association is a Sure Thing.

MONCTON, April 29.—At a meeting of the school trustees and members of the Evangelical Alliance a resolution was adopted and ordered: That the Lieutenant-governor praying for compulsory education. The resolution states that many parents do not see the necessity of sending their children to school; that truancy is prevalent; that improvidence and crime are the result, and that the time has arrived when the school law of the province should be supplemented with some measure whereby upon vote of a city or district it shall be compulsory for parents to place their children under instruction in school for at least a definite portion of each year until the children are of the age of fourteen years. The petitioners also believe that urgent necessity exists for a further amendment of the school law aimed at securing for children under fourteen years of age, who may be working in factories or other industrial establishments in the province a given number of hours' schooling per week during the ordinary working hours of such factory or industrial establishment.

George E. Brown, of Moncton, who has two sons, Guy and Otto, in the U. S. man-of-war Vicksburg, has received word that the former, who was nineteen years of age, fell from a vessel off the coast of Formosa, on March 29th, and was carried away by a rush of water. The body was not recovered.

At an adjourned meeting of the board of trade and citizens, held tonight, great progress was made with the permanent exhibition movement, the success of which is now assured. It is proposed to form a joint stock company to be known as the Moncton Exhibition Association, limited. The constitution and bill for incorporation will be forwarded at once to Fredericton. The stock list has been opened and over two thousand dollars subscribed, almost without solicitation. No doubt the full amount required will be subscribed within the next few days. Several sites are available, but the opinion of tonight's meeting was unanimously in favor of a site within the city limits, about 25 or 30 acres being required for driving park and exhibition grounds.

CANADA IN LONDON

As to English Artisans—Devlin Asks Questions.

TORONTO, April 29.—The News London cable says:—The resolution passed by the labor unions of Toronto, condemning the government's course in inducing English skilled laborers to emigrate to Canada, is going the rounds of the English press. I interviewed Preston today in reference to the matter. He said he had always thought especially encourage hand workers to emigrate, but he had received many letters showing that there was great demand for artisans in Canada. Hon. Wm. Mulock's reply to a labor delegation at Ottawa the other day sufficiently justified the policy of the department here.

C. R. Devlin, M. P. for Galway, will ask the following question in the House of Commons Tuesday:—Has the postmaster general any intention of reducing postage rates on periodicals sent to Canada from the motherland? and "Did the Canadian government make any remonstrance to the British government concerning the personnel of the American side of the Alaskan Boundary Commissioner?" This marks Devlin's first activity in the House. It is interesting to note that the questions are asked of the Chamberlains, father and son.

A SURPRISE PARTY.

A large party of friends called upon Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Belding at their home on Carmarthen street on Tuesday evening and presented them with a very handsome parlor lamp. It was a surprise party, and was greatly enjoyed. The visitors took refreshments with them, and did not separate until after midnight.

GRAND RIVER CO'S STEAMER.

The steamer purchased in England for the Grand River Lumber and Pulp Co. is named the Viking, and is of about 250 tons. She is being brought to Halifax by former first officer of the steamer Briardene and is expected to arrive in two or three weeks. She is intended to sail from Halifax for Labrador on June 1st.

MARGARET ANGLIN.

Destined to Become One of the Great Actresses of the Time.

(Brooklyn Eagle.)

Clear the road for Margaret Anglin! That is the first impression made by "The Unforeseen," which the Empire Stock Company is playing at the Montauk stock week. The Canadian actress always had sympathy and quick feeling, but she used to lack style. She has promised great things from the first, but today she stands ready to meet the long drafts her friends have made on the future in her behalf. During the two years since she played in Dan's "Delectable" here, the actress has found herself the Kipling's ship. She has style and authority now, qualities which cannot be moulted when they supplement an endowment of strong emotional power and quick intelligence. If she goes on for two or three years more she has gone on in the last few years. There are only a few women who could play the crying heroine of "The Unforeseen" as finely as Miss Anglin plays it now.

"AN AMERICAN HUSTLER."

The management of the Opera House announces the coming performance of the clever comedian, George F. Hall in "An American Hustler." That very amusing comedy has met with much success this season, and as Mr. Hall is such a great local favorite his play is sure to be well received in this city. "An American Hustler" as the title would indicate, will afford many opportunities for laugh making efforts by Mr. Hall and the versatile comedian will arise to the occasion. The play is based on a sensational, yet funny incident, and both plot and action are ingenious in construction. A strong company will assist the star, and no effort has been spared to make Mr. Hall's forthcoming appearance a noteworthy event.

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St. John, N. B., April 30, 1903.

Moving Time

Many people are changing their place of living just now. The object is to GET BETTER SUITED. Now if you would change your home to get "better suited," would you not change your place of buying clothing if YOU COULD BE BETTER SUITED and save some money as well? Hundreds have changed to this store this spring and all have found the change to their advantage. YOU TOO will be pleased with the treatment received and the values got at this store.

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