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FREDERIC[illegible]

Fredericton, N. B., June 2[illegible]—The trial of George Riggs, charged [illegible] writing threatening letters to Miss Bessie Clark was commenced this morning before Judge Landry and jury at York Circuit Court. J. H. Barry, K. C., and A. R. Slipp appeared for the crown, and the prisoner being unable for some reason to procure the services of counsel was compelled to conduct his own defence.

The witnesses examined by the crown were Bessie Clark, Col. Marsh, J. Hal McGhee, John M. Wiley, Helen Clark, J. B. Hawthorne and Policeman Rideout.

The letters alleged to have been written by the accused to Miss Clark were put in evidence and his handwriting was identified by several witnesses.

The prisoner gave evidence in his own behalf this afternoon and absolutely denied that he had written any letters. He gave an account of his doing since 1901 and admitted that he had been sent to the penitentiary from St. John for threatening to injure his brother, but claimed he was drunk at the time the offence was committed and remembered nothing about it.

Under crown examination by Mr. Barry he became badly rattled and contradicted himself a number of times. Contrary to the usual custom the crown counsel addressed the jury first and Riggs spoke a few words in reply, denying his guilt.

When court adjourned at 6 o'clock the judge had not finished his charge to the jury.

The annual meeting of the St. John Presbyterial in connection with the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church, opened here today with over fifty delegates in attendance. An address of welcome was read by Mrs. [illegible] Howe Dickson, nad replied to by Mrs. McLean, of Lornesville. Standing committees were appointed and the annual reports of forty-two auxiliaries read. Mrs. Hunter Boyd read an interesting paper on Foreign Missions, while Mrs. McLean rea a paper on the Effect of the Russo-Japanese War on Missions in the East. Mrs. McCully, of Truro spoke on the work in Corea.

At this afternoon's session the president, Mrs. Macodrum, delivered an address reviewing the work of the year in an entertaining manner. She regarded the outlook for the future as very bright.

Treasurer Mrs. McFarlane reported that nearly $3,000 had been collected during the year for home and foreign missions.

Mrs. John Thomson, of St. John, read an instructive paper on The Lord's Money and Why needed. An address on missions by Miss McCully, of Truro, brought the proceedings to a close.

The local auxiliary were to have entertained the visitors to a drive about the city, but on account of wet weather it had to be postponed until tomorrow.

This evening a well attended public meeting, presided over by Mrs. Leo Johnstone, was held in St. Paul's church. The speakers were Rev. Jas. Ross, of St. John West, and Miss McCully, returned missionary from Corea. A musical programme was also carried out.

Maiden City Loyal Orange Lodge, No. 48 of Canterbury; Clarke Wallace Lodge, No. 72, of McAdam, and Union Brothers Lodge, No. 137, of Alma, Albert county, are to become incorporated.

Dominique L. Gogne, merchant, of Cocagne, Kent county, has assigned to Sheriff Legere for the benefit of his creditors.

At Nashwaaksis, visiting his relatives, is Mr. Edward S. Johnston, of the auditor general's department at Ottawa, a brother of J. B. Johnston, of Nashwaaksis. Mr. Johnston is accompanied by his bride, formerly Miss A. Graham, of Ottawa.

The annual sale of "no mark" and "mixed mark" lumber of the Fredericton Boom Company took place this morning at the office of A. F. Randolph & Sons. At the same time a large amount of other lumber owned by the Estey estate and Fred. B. Edgecombe was offered fro sale. The sale was attended by a large number of prominent lumbermen along the St. John River. The first lumber offered for sale was the Fredericton Boom Company's "no mark" and "mixed mark" lumber.

The amount of lumber of each kind offered, the purchaser and price paid were as follows: Hemlock, 459 pieces, 46,390 feet, Charles Miller, at $4.80 per thousand; cedar, 2,248 pieces, 74,150 feet, John A. Morrison, at $6.00 per thousand; pine, 194 pieces, 12,590 feet, George Perley, at $12.15 per thousand; spruce, 9,689 pieces, 29,148 feet, merchantable 300,701 feet, battons 59,070 feet, condemned, to Charles Miller, at $14.30 per thousand; battons sell at two-thirds of bid.

Below is given a comparative statement of prices paid per thousand for lumber offered at this sale in recent years: 1903, hemlock, $4.50; cedar, $10.25; pine, $11.25; spruce, $13. 1904, hemlock, $3.75; cedar, $6.90; pine, $7; spruce, $11.10. 1905, hemlock, $4.80; cedar, $6.90; pine, $12.15; spruce, $14.30. The next lumber offered was about 300,000 feet of cedar owned by the R. A. Estey estate. Of this amount up to June 17th, 2,458 pieces, or 171,520 feet, had been rafted. The terms of sale were similar to those of the Boom Company's sale. W. H. Murray bid in the lumber for Murray & Gregory at $8.05 per thousand.

Fred. B. Edgecombe then offered about 3,000,000 feet of spruce owned by the firm of Edgecombe & Eaton. The lumber is the balance of unsold logs owned by the firm. Bidding on this lumber was fairly brisk. W. H. Murray's bid was $12.10 per thousand, but Mr. Edgecombe bid $12.20 and holds the lumber. This lumber will probably be disposed of at private sale.

Another result of the recent visit of Superintendent Ross, of the post office department, to this city is being enjoyed. The train arriving here at 10.40 p. m. now brings the mails from up river and Charlotte county points, including St. Stephen, St. Andrews, Woodstock and Edmundston.

The wharf committee held a secret session on Monday evening. It was decided to defer the building of Phoenix Square wharf, the lumber for which was to have been purchased at the sale of "no mark" logs today.

The work at the booms will be discontinued at the end of this week. The men have enough work to last them until Friday or Saturday only. This morning Messrs. Jewett, Murray, Miller and other St. John lumbermen went to the Mitchell boom in the Boom Company's steamer Latonia and looked over the work there. They made the trip after the sale of no mark logs.

The total rafting operations for the season, unless there is a rise of water sufficient to bring out some more logs, at the Mitchell, Douglas and Sugar Island booms will be about 48,000,000 [illegible]

[illegible]YELOGG

[illegible] June 26—There [illegible] development [illegible] in the breach [illegible] case, except that Miss Leaman has taken up her abode at Seely's Hotel, where she is making herself generally useful. She says that the dispute arose between Mr. Martin and her mother; that Thomas attacked her mother in such a manner that she was induced to take a hand in the affray, and Thomas found himself lying on a settee near by slightly dazed.

White & King, of Sussex, attorneys for the plaintiff.

Mr. and Mrs. Bliss Ward, of Moncton, are visiting at the residence of W. L. Corey.

Henry Lewis is holding revival services in the vicinity of Killam's Mills.

M. S. Keith, of Moncton, returned home this morning after spending Sunday at Killam's Mills.

The Sussex Mercantile Company after giving their store a complete renovating, is now engaged digging a cellar the whole size of the building which will be about 115 feet in length and some 27 feet wide. The ell of the building has a cellar now.

Mr. and Mrs. Duxberry, of Moncton, have just returned home after a visit to Mrs. Duxberry's old home in Steeves Settlement.

James Carson, aged 87, a respected farmer of Springhill, K. C., was buried on Sunday. Service was held by Rev. Jos. Pascoe in the Methodist church here. There was a large gathering present to pay their last respects to their relative and friend. He leaves five sons and three daughters, all married.

At the annual school meeting at Upper Ridge, Stanley Alward was re-elected trustee and the usual amount voted for school purposes.

Mr. Delong, teacher of the Havelock Superior School, will sever his connection with the school at the close of the present term. Miss Bessie Howard will take Miss Jamison's place in the primary department and Miss Moore will remain in charge of one of the primary departments.

GRAND FALLS.

Grand Falls, June 24—Hon. John Costigan, who came down from Ottawa on Saturday to attend the funeral of Mrs. J. F. McCluskey, this morning, left on the express this afternoon for Plaster Rock.

Miss Mahoney, a proof reader on the Boston Transcript, who was summoned to Grand Falls on Thursday to attend the death of her sister, Mrs. McCluskey, will return to Boston Wednesday.

Mr. Paradis is building a neat and commodious residence on the terrace, in the rear of the C. P. R. tracks, and will have it ready for occupancy within a few weeks.

A large tow boat for service on the St. John is being built at the lower basin, and will be ready for launching in a few days.

Wild strawberries are now ripe in this vicinity, and have already appeared in the market in small quantities. The berries readily sell at twenty-five cents a quart.

Pat. Quinn, a tonsorial artist from St. John, has opened a barber shop in Gabe Poitras' store on Main street.

Mrs. F. H. Wheeler and child, of West St. John, intend to pass the summer months in Grand Falls, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Kirpatrick.

A trot will be held on the Grand Falls trotting park tomorrow under the auspices of R. J. McKee, Samuel Lovely, Wm. Pirie and W. J. Boyes. Purses totalling $100 will be contested for. A large crowd is expected to attend the races.

Alfred Burgess, of Burgess & Sons, returned today from a business trip to Salmon River.

Rev. J. P. Manning, C. S. C., and T. H. Manning, of Fort Fairfield (Me.), were visitors to town on Saturday.

W. H. Smith and W. J. Nagle, of St. John, passed Sunday in town, guests at the Curless hotel.

Dr. Frank Kilburn, of Presque Isle, was in town several days last week.

Sheriff Tibbitts, of Andover, was in town Saturday.

E. R. Teed and J. F. Tilley, of Woodstock, were recent visitors in town.

W. Murray Johnston and wife, of Los Angeles (Cal.), arrived here on Friday and will spend part of the summer here.

Misses Phillips, of Edmundston, are visiting Miss Helen Hallett in town.

Mrs. Hugh Taylor, who has been quite ill for several days, is somewhat better.

W. C. Brown and wife, of Limestone (Me.), passed Sunday in town.

D. J. Doherty, of St. John, spent Sunday in Grand Falls.

Rev. C. E. Maimon, of New Denmark, and Rev. J. R. Hopkins, of Tobique, are in town today.

The funeral of Mrs. J. F. McCluskey was held at 10 a. m. today, and was largely attended. The pall-bearers were Major J. L. White, John Long, Charles Mulherrin sr., Frank McCluskey, Henry R. Fraser and Geo. W. Day. The officers and members of Grand Falls branch of the C. M. B. A. (of which Mr. McCluskey is chancellor), wearing mourning and society badges, marched in a body and preceded the hearse. During the funeral all business places in town were closed, and the blinds were down in all the stores and residences along the route of the funeral procession. The body was conveyed to the Church of the Assumption, where a solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated by Father Joyner, after which interment was made in the new Catholic cemetery. The grave is the first one opened in the new cemetery, situated almost a mile from town. Hon. John Costigan, Rev. J. R. Hopkins, Rev. C. E. Maimon, and John Mulherrin were among those who came from a distance to attend the funeral. The sorrowing husband has the sympathy of the whole community in his bereavement.

Ex-Mayor A. J. Martin returned yesterday from Woodstock, having ridden on his bicycle from Perth.

A number of Grand Falls people will attend the picnic and bazaar at St. Basil tomorrow and the two following days. The affair, which is under the management of the sisters, is to raise funds in aid of the orphanage of the Hotel Dieu.

Dominion day will not be observed here this year, and the stores and places of business will be open as usual.

A few days ago a deer was seen on the street near the residence of Mrs. Gabe Smith. A number of ladies watched the graceful animal for a long time. The deer finally jumped through several gardens and disappeared in the Commons.

St. Martins, June 28—The St. Martins Division, S. of T., elected and will instal next Tuesday evening for the ensuing quarter, the following officers: W. P., Miss Hannah Sweet; W. A., Miss Arvilla Mosher; P. W. P., Wm. Hodsmyth; F. S., Miss Irene Schoales; treasurer, James B. Hodsmith; chaplain, Michael Kelly; F. S., Miss Jean Osborn; A. R. S., Florence Kelly; conductor, Miss Annie Osborn; I. C., Melvin Parks; I. sentinel, Miss [illegible] Bedford; O. sentinel, Miss A. B. Hodsmyth; organist, Miss May Millbury.

The schooner Abana, 97 tons, Captain Clayton, is loading piling at Tynemouth Creek for an American port.

Dr. H. Palmer, of Grand Lake, Queens county, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Brown, of West St. Martins.

Miss Loretta Barbour, of Cape Enrage, is spending a few weeks here with her aunt, Mrs. John Ross.

Mrs. T. Allen, of Hanford Brook, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. Bradshaw.

Vernon McCumber will go this morning to McAdam Junction.

A number of the enterprising farmers of Little Beach and Fairview have purchased cream separators.

R. Ritchie, of St. John, is a guest at the Kennedy House.

Mrs. L. Lewis, of St. John, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McCurdy.

Harry Calhoun, chief mate of the Moaina, which has been to South American ports, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Calhoun.

CHATHAM.

Chatham, June 25—The members of the A. O. H. marched to St. Michael's cemetery this afternoon, and decorated the graves of their deceased members. The C. T. A. band furnished appropriate music.

Rev. Father Morrissey, of Bartibogue, was in town yesterday.

A public meeting of the ratepayers of the town will be held in the Masonic hall tomorrow evening to consider the advisability of issuing debentures to cover the cost of the fire alarm system, the building of the isolation hospital, additions made in 1903 to the water and sewerage system, the purchase of a steam road roller, the purchase of machinery to increase the power of the electric generating plant and the extension of the water and sewer system.

W. C. Winslow and his son, Pelham Winslow, returned yesterday from Fredericton, where they were attending the funeral of F. E. Winslow.

Neighborly Neighbors was presented in the Masonic hall Friday and Saturday nights. The singing was good, dancing fine and the whole performance from start to finish intensely amusing.

Rev. J. R. MacKay was given on Saturday a very handsome McLaughlin buggy by the members of the Presbyterian congregation at Tabusintac. The presentation was made by Miss Lida Wishart, who spoke in laudable terms of his unwearied efforts for the spiritual and temporal wellbeing of his people, the improvements in the manse and church, and of the harmony that prevailed throughout the congregation, all of which bore strong evidence of his wise leadership. Mr. MacKay briefly expressed his surprise and appreciation of their gift, and thanked them for their kind words.

The annual thank offering service of the W. F. M. S. of St. Andrews church was largely attended and very interesting. The programme consisted of an address of welcome by the president, Mrs. George B. Fraser, one on missions by Mr. Young, catechist at Millbank. A reading from the Bonnie Brier Bush by Rev. W. W. Rainnie.

Richard, infant son of Richard D. Walsh, died Tuesday after a short illness. The funeral was held Wednesday. Service was conducted by Rev. Farther O'Keefe and interment was in St. Michael's cemetery.

Excursions to the sea shore in the steamboat Alexandra began yesterday.

Rev. Archdeacon Forsyth, of St. Mary's church, and Rev. W. Wilkinson, of Bay du Vin, exchanged pulpits today.

Work on the new Roman Catholic cathedral is progressing. Tenders for the approach to the main entrance are being asked.

Public schools will close Friday for the summer vacation. The public semi-annual examinations will be held Friday afternoon.

A meeting of people interested in the Lord's Day Alliance movement was held in St. John's church this afternoon. D. P MacLaughlan presided. Re. W. W. Rainnie gave the Schipture reading. Rev. James Strothard offered prayer, and Rev. J. G. Shearer, secretary of the Dominion Lord's Day Alliance gave an address. Among other things he referred to the Sunday street car service, Sunday excursions, Sunday letter writing, post offices being open at certain hours Sunday, and said he had heard it whispered that the Chatham post office was open part of the Lord's Day. He compared the Sabbath observance in Canada with that of other countries and showed that the sanctity of the day was better preserved here, than elsewhere.

Miss Blanche MacLean has graduated in stenography and typewriting at the Mack Business College.

Chatham, June 27—Mrs. James Nowlan died at her home at Escuminac Saturday, after a lingering illness. She leaves a husband and four daughters. Funeral was held Monday, burial being in the Escuminac Roman Catholic cemetery.

A meeting of the ratepayers of the town was held in the Masonic hall last evening for the purpose of considering the advisability of issuing debentures to cover certain former and proposed expenditures. Mayor Nicol presided, and our new town clerk, P. J. McIntyre, acted as secretary. After the mayor had clearly and concisely explained the object of the meeting, and considerable discussion took place, it was moved and carried that debentures to the amount of $11,100 be issued to pay for the isolation hospital, the fire alarm system and the additions to the water and sewerage system made in 1903.

The motion to the effect that the town council be authorized to issue bonds, not exceeding $35,000, for improvements to the electric light station, was lost, and the amendment that action be deferred until the opinion of an expert be obtained was carried.

On Saturday Earle Freaker met with a very painful accident at the pulp mill. His right hand came into contact with a rapidly revolving fan, two of his fingers were broken and his hand badly crushed.

While at work at Richard's mill yesterday, James Leggeatt was st[illegible] wrist with a d[illegible]

MONCTO[illegible]

N. B., June [illegible] occurred here [illegible] home of his son, George McKenzie, of B. S. McKenzie, in the seventy-fifth year of his age. Deceased was an uncle of Hon. A. G. Blair, and was a native of Woodstock. In recent years he had lived in Halifax, but for the past year he resided here with his son. Deceased is survived by Mrs. McKenzie and an only son, George, a clerk in the I. C. R. audit office.

Moncton, N. B., June 28—(Special)—A. E. Peters was married this evening to Miss Ella Kinread. The ceremony took place at Mr. Peters' handsome residence, Highfield street and was a quiet affair, only the immediate friends of the family being present. Rev. J. W. McConnell tied the nuptial knot. Mr. and Mrs. Peters left on the Maritime express on an extended wedding trip to the Pacific coast.

The First Baptist church was the scene of a wedding event at 8 o'clock this evening, when Stanley Lowery, an employe of Humphrey's clothing factory, was married to Miss Maggie Clark. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. B. McLatchy.

James McKee, of the I. C. R. freight-claims department, was married this evening at Boundary Creek, to Miss Lenora Gibson, daughter of Jas. D. Gibson, of the I. C. R. Rev. Mr. Allaby performed the ceremony.

A young girl named Janie LeBlanc was sentenced to three months in jail, this afternoon for stealing from a house in which she had been employed as domestic.

The police are looking for the thieves who broke into the restaurant on lower Main street. Quite a lot of stuff was carried off.

The Amherst Ramblers will play the M. A. A. A. baseball team here on July 1st.

The Imperial Coal Company are bringing miners from Port Hood, (C. B.), to work in their mine at Beersville.

HOPEWELL HILL

Hopewell Hill, June 27.—Chief Justice Tuck presided at the June session of the Albert circuit, which was held at the Cape today. There was no criminal business and only one case on the civil docket, that of Albert J. Gray vs. Stillman Ayles, an action of trespass. The members of the bar present were M. B. Dixon, clerk of the peace; W. B. Chandler, of Moncton, and A. W. Bray. The grand jury were John J. Steeves, foreman; H. E. Graves, Alonzo Brewster, Judson Bishop, Wm. D. Geldart, Alfred Gaskin, Spurgeon Lander, Heber J. Steeves, Clifford Steeves, Jordan Steeves, Heber Colpitts, Chas. Colpitts, Herbert C. Wilson, Herbert Prosser, Frank Brennan, Jeremiah Steeves, Ezra Q. Barber, Albert S. Mitton, G. V. Peck, P. W. F. Brewster, J. Edgar Martin. Following were the petit jury: A. B. Lander, John Berric, Wm. McLaughlin, M. J. Parkin, Geo. Geldart, Renforth Mitton, Thos. Long, B. McQuaid, Miles Akerley, Everett Alcorn, C. W. Anderson, W. A. Kinnie, Bliss Berry, Dimock Haley, Lane Colpitts, Albert Stiles, D. W. Stuart, B. T. Carter, W. H. Martin, Arthur B. Bray.

The case of Gray vs. Ayles was a nonjury case and resulted in a verdict of $100 for plaintiff. The case was not defended.

DEER ISLAND.

Deer Island, Charlotte county, June 26—Mrs. O. L. Haney returned from her home at Fairfield on Tuesday last.

Miss Della Haney spent Sunday at her home here.

Misses Lottie and Helen Dixon spent Saturday with friends at Cummings Cove.

Mrs. Webster Haskins, of Lubec, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McNeill were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Felix on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Thompson, Miss Allingham and Miss Maud Fountain spent Sunday at Kendall's Head.

A number of young people enjoyed a sail on Thursday last in Capt. Henry Hooper's boat to the Indian village at Pleasant Point.

A fish chowder was enjoyed on Saturday evening last on the beach at Cummings Cove by a number of our young people.

Miss Mamie Cummings, of Lubec, is visiting relatives here.

Mr and Mrs. Roscoe McNeill and children spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs. Bugbee Morang at Lambert's Cove.

Miss Carrie A Fountain, of Bangor, is spending a few days at her home at Chocolate Cove

CURZON MAY GET HIS WAY IN INDIA

London, June 28—Indian Secretary Brodrick informed the house of commons today that the government was considering modifications proposed by Viceroy Curzon of India regarding the recent army orders. The secretary reiterated his denial that Lord Curzon had resigned, but declined to say whether his retention of the viceroyalty depended on the acceptance of his proposed modifications.

RUSH OF BIDDERS FOR DURR'S HEARTS

He Has Two, and Advertises to Sell Them, Title to Pass at His Death

REFUSED $10,000 FOR ONE

He is Healthy, But Physicians Have Discovered His Abnormal Organi[illegible] Greatly Interested.

New Rochelle, N. Y., June [illegible] Telegrams and telephone messages in answer to his advertisement to sell his body and two hearts to be delivered after his death, have kept A. Durr, of New Rochelle, busy today. It is known that Durr has been offered large sums for his body, but he refuses to state the amounts. None of the offers received so far has been accepted, nor is it likely that a choice will be made for some time, as he wishes to give the entire medical profession of the country a chance to entertain the proposition.

Durr is a carpenter. He is thirty-five years old, single, and the picture of health. He works every day, and leads a regular life. Up to a few years ago Durr did not know that he pessessed two hearts. This was discovered when he called a physician to treat him for a slight attack of illness. Since then he has submitted to examinations by many of the most celebrated specialists in the country.

Recently a prominent specialist offered Durr $10,000 if he would allow him to perform an operation and remove one of the hearts. This the carpenter declined to do, as he feared he might die and not be able to enjoy the money. If Durr succeeds in getting his price for his body the money will have to be paid over immediately and he will give the person a deed, good after death. It is said that Durr expects to receive several thousand dollars from some medical college for his hearts, as his case will be of great value to medical science.

ALLIANCE AT BEULAH HAS BEGUN ITS WORK

A Report of the First Business Session —Officers and Committees Chosen —Ready for Camp Meetings.

Brown's Flats, June 28.—(Special) The annual meeting of the alliance of the Reformed Baptist Church of Canada is taking place this week at Beulah Camp ground Brown's Flats. The first session was held Tuesday evening and consisted of a social service. The president, Rev. G. B. McDonald, read scripture and emphasised the thought of following Christ. Testimony, interspersed with songs, was given.

This morning at 9 o'clock the first business session took place. The president occupied the chair and a good number of delegates were present; also the following ministers and licentiates: Revs. J. Gravinor, J. H. Coy, A. H. Trafton, W. D. Wiggins, S. A. Baker, C. D. Trafton, H. H. Cosman, M. F. Trafton, Z. C. Grass, H. C. Archer, S. Greenlaw, G. B. McDonald, A.L. Dubar and licentiates Henry S. Smith, I. F. Kierstead and H. F. Grass.

The following officers were elected: President, Rev. J. Gravinor; vice-president, Rev. S. A. Baker; recording secretary, Rev. A. L. Bubar; assistant recording secretary, Rev. H. C. Archer; corresponding secretary, Rev. G. D. Trafton; treasurer, E. Cosman; assistant treasurer, Rev. M. S. Trafton; auditor, W. D. Wiggins.

It was resolved to send a letter of thanks to Dr. N. R. Colter, post office inspector, for giving a daily mail during the alliance and camp meetings. The reports of the standing committees on Sabbath observance, temperance, the camp meeting workers, the treasurer of the executive and the treasurer of River Side Camp were adopted.

In the afternoon the nominating committee reported the following standing committees for 1906:

"The Highway"—Rev. S. A. Baker, Rev. G. B. McDonald, Rev. W. D. Wiggins, Rev. A. L. Bubar, Rev. M. S. Trafton and C. N. Goodspeed.

The Alliance executive—Revs. S. A. Baker, G. D. Trafton, W. D. Wiggins, G. B. McDonald and H. V. Nobles.

Temperance—Rev. C. J. Trafton, Rev. B. Colpitts and Mrs. W. D. Wiggins.

Sabbath observance—Revs. H. H. Cosman, I. S. Kierstead and S. H. Clark.

Camp meeting workers—Revs. G. B. McDonald, M. S. Trafton and W. D. Wiggins.

Committees were also appointed for the Tabernacle and grounds, the rooms, the hotel and the quarterly meeting. Miss Maud Colwell was appointed Sunday school agent.

After a discussion on the proper literature to be distributed on holiness camp grounds a committee was appointed to look after the distributions.

At the evening session a communication from Rev. H. C. Fanders, the denomination missionary in South Africa, explaining the expense and needs of the field, was read.

Tomorrow the last business session will be held and the camp meetings will begin in the evening.

Rev. H Hoople is expected and will be the chief worker during the meetings.

An adjourned meeting of the creditors of James Kennedy, lumberman, was held Tuesday afternoon in the office of T. P. Regan. A definite cash offer of twenty-five cents in the dollar was made and the majority of those present were inclined to accept. Those creditors who were not represented will be communicated with, and a further meeting will be held on Monday next at 4 o'clock. It is understood that all claims for wages will eventually be paid in full, and that if the offer of twenty-five cents is accepted by the creditors, the employes of Mr. Kennedy will be paid that percentage as a first instalment.

Adams-Scholey

A very pretty and quiet marriage was solemnized at the home of Henry T. Scholey, Centreville, on Tuesday, June 27. His second daughter, Margaret, was married to Lieut. Austin Adams, the Rev E. W. Siminson officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Adams left on the evening train for St John and Sussex and will return about the middle of July to reside at Tracey Mills.

Canada for Canadians

We have the grandest country in the world and a great future awaits us if we only prove loyal and patriotic. Years ago thousands of our young men left the country for the United States, and today they are flushing back as a stamp of prosperity roll over the country. Canadians should learn to patronize home products. Foot Elm is a Canadian Remedy and the whole world can now produce a better article for tired, swollen, sweaty, tender feet. Send stamp for particulars of our $100 in prizes.

Stott & Jury, Dept. 1, Bowmanville, Ont.

FOOT ELM

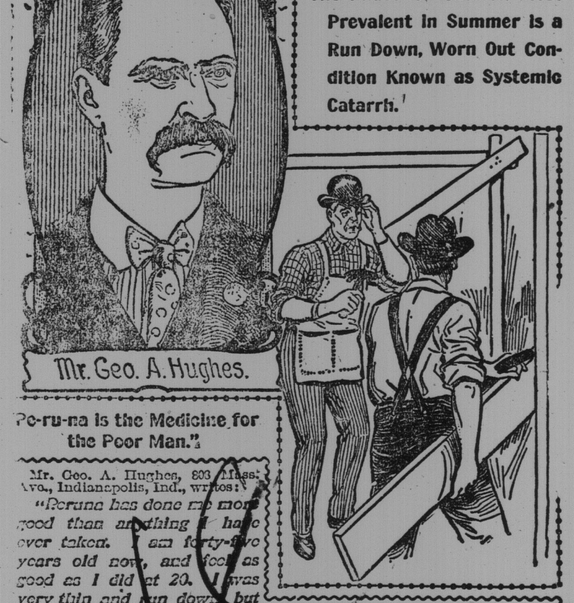
Makes your feet healthy and comfortable.

MR. GEO. A. HUGHES SAYS:

"I FEEL AS GOOD AS I DID AT 20."

Many Suffer With Catarrh and Don't Know It.

The Phase of Catarrh Most Prevalent in Summer is a Run Down, Worn Out Condition Known as Systemic Catarrh.



"Pe-ru-na is the Medicine for the Poor Man."

Mr. Geo. A. Hughes, 803 Bloss Ave., Indianapolis, Ind., writes:

"Peruna has done me more good than anything I have ever taken. I am forty-two years old now, and feel as good as I did at 20. I was very thin and run down, but Peruna acted just right in my case. I am a carpenter and some times need a tonic. Peruna is the medicine for a poor man."—Geo. A. Hughes.

Congressman Uses Pe-ru-na in His Family.

Hon. Thos. J. Henderson, Member of Congress from Illinois, and Lieutenant in the Union Army for eight years, writes from the Lemon building, Washington, D. C., as follows:

"Peruna has been used in my family with the very best results and I take pleasure in recommending your valuable remedy to my friends as a tonic and an effective cure for catarrh."—Thos. J. Henderson.

Catarrh assumes different phases in different seasons of the year. In the early summer systemic catarrh is most prevalent. That tired, all worn out feeling in nine cases out of ten is due to a catarrhal condition of the mucous membranes. Peruna cleanses the mucous membranes and cures the catarrh wherever located.

There are no remedies for catarrh just as good as Peruna. Accept no substitutes.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

RYAN HAS RISKED ALL ON THE DEAL

Walter Wellman Told by a Powerful Financier That Vast Interests Are at Stake.

Chicago, Ill., June 27—In his third letter to the Record-Herald on the Equitable situation, Walter Wellman says:—

"Thomas F. Ryan is the greatest plunger in town. He stands to make or break on this Equitable deal. It is a toss up as to which it is to be."

This was the statement made to me by one of the most powerful leaders of the financial world—a man who knows Mr. Ryan and his career and character thoroughly, and to whom the inner secrets of the financial district are an open book.

Mr. Ryan's plans and hopes are thoroughly understood. What he aimed to do in this venture was to raise himself from second or third place in the world of finance to the very first rank. He wanted to reach the small but alluring eminence on which stand the high and mighty few—Rockefeller, James Stillman, J. Pierpont Morgan, E. H. Harriman, George Gould, Henry H. Rogers, Jacob Schiff and August Belmont.

If he could do this at a jump it was worth $2,500,000. It warranted the risk of losing outright that sum of money. The courts may place control of the society in the hands of the policy holders and retire the stock, leaving Ryan and his $2,500,000 in the lurch. On the other hand, these current troubles may blow over. Paul Morton may be able to save the ship. In that case Ryan stands to win.

Mr. Ryan has not only the general ambition to become a king in the financial world, but he has a definite and particular ambition dearer than all others to his heart. This is nothing else than to combine all the transportation systems of New York city into one vast trust with himself at the head of it.

In his amazing career there are two central facts. One is the extraordinary ability and energy of the man, his genius for money making, for the peculiar promoting and combining activity which has marked the last decade not only in New York but throughout the world. The other is the use of political power as the base, the fulcrum, of all his operations in corporations and finance.

Ryan was the right hand man, the understudy of the late William C. Whitney. The foundation of Mr Whitney's fortune was his political power. Richard Croker ruled Tammany Hall. William C. Whitney ruled Croker. Much that has seemed peculiar or inexplicable in politics, state and national, during the last fifteen years, embracing the Grover Cleveland regime in the Democratic party and the country, will appear simple when referred back to the Whitney-Croker alliance, currently but half understood.

Mr Ryan's ambition to be king of transportation in New York has one practical and well night exceedingly valuable asset. What William C. Whitney was to Croker Thomas Fortune Ryan is to Murphy. Tammany is still hitched to the street car. Murphy from all accounts is getting wealthy as fast as Croker did. Whoever seeks favors in the transportation line in New York must reckon with Tammany. That means he must reckon with Ryan. The secret of Ryan's mastery of Murphy is as much a mystery as was the secret of Whitney's dominance of Croker, but the fact remains.

Tammany is not as abeolute as it was. The Tammany asset is not worth as much relatively to Ryan as it was to Whitney, though it is still worth a good deal. Hence Ryan's eagerness to strengthen himself in other directions. He must gain other power than the purely political. He must become potent in the circles of "high finance."

Hence his purchase of a majority of the stock of the Equitable. That was a bid for power. That was a purchase of prestige or an attempt to purchase prestige. The man who aspires to kingship of a transportation trust embracing all New York and capitalizing its prodigious flow of nickels into a billion of securities, needs power and prestige behind him. Tammany is a good thing. But there is Albany to handle, and Albany is Republican. "Boss" Odell is now in the saddle, and back of Odell is E. H. Harriman. The roads that run from Albany to Wall street are straight and well traveled.

If Ryan, as manager behind the scenes of Democratic politics in New York, is to be able to hold up his end against the Republican machine at the state capital, he must have a citadel of power down town. He must be able to buck up against Harriman or any one else.

Tammany, the Morton Trust, an interest in the Bank of Commerce, control of Seaboard, activity in Tobacco, Gas, etc., were not enough for Ryan. Belmont, his transportation rival, with the Rothschilds back of him, was stronger. Harriman, with his mastery of the railways of half the continental area, was in a class two or three degrees higher. But if he could add the Equitable to his string—the Equitable, with its subsidiary companies, its vast assets, its manipulatable surplus—indeed, that would be different.

Hence, Mr. Ryan, "the greatest plunger in town," coolly drew his check for $2,500,000 and passed it over for two shares more than a majority of the capital stock of the Equitable—$2,500,000 for 502 shares of stock which by law can net him only seven per cent. per year in dividends, or $35,014. From this standpoint it was a good transaction, an investment in prestige.

As to whether it is likely to prove a good or a bad thing for the Equitable and its policy holders, that is another story. It is not necessarily a bad thing. There are many indications that it may turn out well.

Paul Morton, as a personal and character factor vouched for by the president of the United States, is involved. So are a former president of the United States—Grover Cleveland—and his co-trustees. Big politics and big persons come into this most extraordinary episode in various ways, and shall receive attention in future despatches.

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