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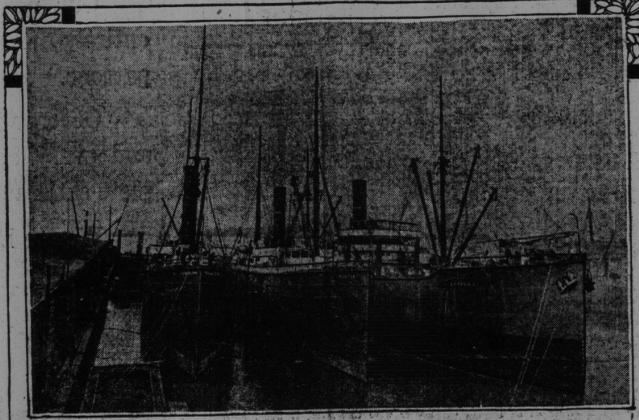
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Ships, With Steam Up, Ready for Cuban Service



THE WARD LINE STEAMSHIPS, CITY OF WASHINGTON, NIAGARA AND ANTELLA, CHARTERED BY THE GOVERNMENT FOR TRANSPORTS AT THE FOOT OF SEYMOUR STREET, BROOKLYN

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—Sixteen ships under charter by the United States government are moored at docks in South Brooklyn waiting orders, which are expected at any moment, to sail to Cuba or some southern port to take on supplies or serve as transports for soldiers. There are twenty ships in Brooklyn awaiting orders to sail.

A PLAN OF REFORM LOCAL DRUNKARDS

Hereafter When a Man is Arrested for Drunkenness He May be Forced to Take the "Cure"---Jail Prisoners Will be Made the First Subjects.

Dr. Eugene R. Hyland is in the city, introducing a new cure for drunkenness and the liquor habit. He claims that the preparation which was invented by Dr. John MacKay, of Montreal, has been used by the police authorities in Montreal and other Canadian cities to reform drunkards who have fallen into their hands.

MINISTERS' MEETINGS

Baptist, Methodist and Presbyterian Clergymen Held Their Regular Conferences This Morning.

The weekly meeting of the Baptist ministers was held this morning and there were present Reverends Mr. Stachowicz, Rev. J. P. Prosser, Mr. Camp, Long, Hutchinson, Dr. Black and A. B. Colton. The meeting was held in the Wesleyan street church and Rev. W. McMaster will be the speaker of the occasion.

SCHOONER ASHORE AT WEST QUODDY

A despatch was received from Lubec, Maine, this morning, by E. C. Elkin, stating that the three-masted schooner Bessie Parker was ashore at West Quoddy. No further particulars were received.

MORE BREAKS FOUND TODAY

Two more breaks occurred in the No. 3 water main about 1 o'clock today when the pressure was applied. One of the breaks is located in the vicinity of Shillington's farm and the other in what is known as Myler's field. They are both near the point where the break occurred on Saturday.

NEWS FROM FREDERICTON

FREDERICTON, N. B., Oct. 8.—(Special)—As a result of the heavy gale of yesterday the lines of the New Brunswick Telephone and Western Union Tel. Co.'s are grounded at several points between this city and Edmundston.

A ST. MARTIN'S PASTOR GIVES CONGREGATION A GENUINE SURPRISE

A bomb-shell thrown in the midst of the people who attended the monthly conference meeting in the Baptist church at St. Martin's, N. B., on Friday night last, could not have disturbed them more than the letter which was read by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Townsend, in which he stated that he would collect his salary of \$800 and also to employ legal advice in the matter.

CITY, C. P. R. AND PUBLIC WORKS WILL TAKE JOINT SOUNDINGS AT THE POINT

Director Cushing and the harbor master will probably start tomorrow to take soundings at the Point. It is pointed out that it will be well in the winter before the wharf can be completed and that it is not really needed this winter, as the steamship companies have made arrangements for wharf accommodation.

SERIOUS FIRE AT DORCHESTER

Main Building of Dorchester Stone and Brick Works Burned. DORCHESTER, N. B., Oct. 8.—(Special).—The main building of the Dorchester Stone and Brick Works, situated at Belmont, and owned by P. C. Palmer & C. L. Hannington, was burned on Saturday evening, entailing a loss of \$1,000.

THE "NELLIE" LOST SAILS

Nova Scotia Schooner Had Rough Time of it in the Bay During the Storm. The Nova Scotia schooner Nellie, Captain Barkhouse, left this port for Westport, N. S., on Saturday morning. While off Musquash she met yesterday morning's storm and had a very serious time of it.

APPEAL IS DISMISSED

Supreme Court Decides That Queens-Shelburne is Vacant and New Election Will be Ordered. OTTAWA, Ont., Oct. 8.—(Special).—The supreme court gave judgment when it met today in the Shelburne and Queens election case.

HE FOUND ARSENIC AND GROUND GLASS

Doctor Employed to Analyze Stomach of Mrs. Brouwer Found Evidence That All Was Not Right---Her Husband is Now on Trial for Murder.

TOMS RIVER, N. J., Oct. 8.—The trial of Dr. Frank Brouwer, charged with the murder of his wife, was on the court calendar here today. Mrs. Brouwer died in September, 1905, after an illness which was diagnosed at first by her husband as cholera morbus. Two trained nurses called to attend her declared themselves dissatisfied with the treatment administered by Dr. Brouwer and withdrew from the case.

SIR ROBERT HART HOLDS HIS PLACE

British Director General of Chinese Imperial Customs, is Still in Charge. SHANGHAI, Oct. 7.—Sir Robert Hart, director general of Chinese imperial customs, has issued a circular to the foreign colony here saying that he has received assurances that his status with regard to Chinese customs will not be changed and that he is satisfied there will be no undue interference with foreign control of his office.

LYNCHED THE WRONG NEGRO

Furious Mob Took Colored Man from Jail and Lynched Him--Then Found He Was Wrong Man. KANSAS CITY, Oct. 8.—A special to the Journal from Little Rock says: The night the lynch mob started that they were afraid to remain in Arkansas for fear of another outbreak by the whites.

SAWMILL WIPED OUT BUT NO LIVES LOST

VANCOUVER, Oct. 8.—(Special)—Fire almost entirely wiped out the sawmill at Cedar Cove, on Saturday evening. The loss is estimated at \$300,000 and the insurance is said to about cover half. The fire originated in the dry kiln but the cause is not known.

IMPORTING THOROUGHBREDS

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—Twenty-seven Arabian horses, ten mares and 17 stallions, were landed yesterday from the steamship Italia. They were shipped from Aleppo, Syria, on August 24. This importation is said to be the largest of the kind ever made, and is the result of the only trade ever made with an American.

MAGISTRATE RITCHIE GETS ANONYMOUS LETTER BUT CAN'T TAKE ACTION

This morning's session of the police court, though not particularly long, was by no means devoid of interest. Besides the usual group of drunks, several grievous cases were heard, and his honor gave a few hints for the benefit of liquor dealers, and pointed out the course of action for those who were charged with violation against them.

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A MOMENTOUS UNDERTAKING. Work has been suggested in all the city departments pending the accomplishment of the dangerous and momentous task to be performed by Director Cushing and Harbor Master Ferris. These brave men have agreed to go into a boat and take soundings together.

Joseph Colman was fined \$8 or thirty days for drunkenness. His honor stated that if he could find the man who sold him the liquor, had done so after hours on Saturday, he would fine him \$100. John Christie was fined \$8 or 30 days on a similar charge. Three drunks forfeited deposits of \$8 each.