

Largest Afternoon Circulation in St. John THE EVENING TIMES

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LOUIS SMITH IS IN TWILIGHT OF LIFE

Well Known North End Resident Celebrated His 93rd Birthday on Monday Last --- Has had Long and Adventurous Career Ashore and Afloat.

Late in the twilight of an eventful life, Louis Smith, an old resident of St. John, recalls thrilling events of a varied career on land and sea, some of which are as vivid in his mind as when they occurred.

The next and probably the most thrilling experience of his whole sea-faring life was in the fall gale ship Coronet, owned by the Thomsons of St. John.

On several occasions he has been shipwrecked and had some narrow escapes. He was not quite clear as to what he recalled that his first experience of the kind was in the ship Massachusetts, owned by Brooks & King of St. John.

HELD ON A VERY SERIOUS CHARGE

MONCTON, N. B., August 25 (Special).—There was considerable excitement in Buctouche yesterday over the preliminary examination of Fabian P. Gallant, a well-to-do resident of that town.

OTTAWA WILL SEND CREW TO COMPETE IN THE BIG MIDDLE STATES REGATTA

OTTAWA, Ont., Aug. 25 (Special).—Ottawa is going to compete in the big Middle States regatta at Washington, D. C., on Labor Day.

COLLINS ADMITS HIS GUILT BUT HE WILL SAY NOTHING OF MURDER

The suspect Collins, who was arrested last night near St. George, will be brought to the city today. He admits his identity, but will say nothing that will throw light on the New Ireland tragedy.

ALBERT IS PLEASED

A telephone message from Edin, Albert county, to police headquarters at 7:30 this morning asked if the capture had been made, and expressed much pleasure when informed that Collins was in the custody of St. John officers and would be brought to this city today.

GOOD WORK OF POLICE

The news of Collins' capture was not generally circulated in St. John until the appearance of this morning's papers, but rumors were flying about all yesterday afternoon and an especially persistent one about six o'clock had him captured at St. George.

GOVERNMENT WILL CONTINUE THE RESTRICTIVE MEASURES

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 25.—The attention of the military authorities has been drawn to the service uniform of the American army and its qualities of serviceability and invisibility are greatly admired.

A LIVELY SCENE IN POLICE COURT

There was considerable excitement in court this morning when Mrs. Myers, Schwartz, and Mrs. Silver aired their grievances before the police magistrate.

MRS. LANGTRY LOSES VOICE

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—A cable despatch to an American paper from London says Mrs. Langtry, the actress, has suffered an entire loss of voice, which is due to nervous shock.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

Mr. Peter Binks bought some Canadian Marconi stock at 11-8 to 2, he took a day off to count his profits and figure out how he could invest them for the benefit of St. John.

SCANDALOUS INSINUATION

The statement that Supt. Murdoch of the water department, has permitted aid to go into his pipes is repudiated by every member of St. Andrew's Society, and of Clan Mackenzie.

TRAIN AUDITORS ARE IN TROUBLE

Lady Passenger on I. C. R. Pullman Accuses One of the Train Auditors of Insulting Her---The Matter Has Been Reported to L. B. Archibald the Superintendent.

MONCTON, Aug. 25 (Special).—The "train auditors" have got into more trouble with passengers on the I. C. R., and the matter has been reported by the train officials to their superior officers.

BANK CHANGES

Some changes are announced to be made in the Royal Bank staff here. Mr. Haliburton has been promoted and sent to the Fredericton branch.

CALLED ON GIRL; MET BY POLICE

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—Locked up at police headquarters is a young girl charged with the larceny of \$5,000 worth of diamonds several months ago.

FOUND CHICKENS IN EGG SHIPMENT

TORONTO, Ont., Aug. 25 (Special).—A freight chucker at the G. T. B. freight sheds, while superintending the transhipment of eggs forwarded as local freight from London, found strange sounds.

THE APPLE CROP

(Sackville Post). On Wednesday, Dr. Borden ran over to Sackville from Avonport, N. S., returning on Friday.

WILL FAREWELL TOMORROW

Lieut-Colonel and Mrs. Sharp have received their farewell orders from Commissioner Coombs and will lead their farewell meetings in old No. 1 Barracks on Monday.

GOOD BYE TO HOLIDAYS FOR THE ACTIVE SCHOOL WORK BEGINS ON MONDAY

The city schools will reopen on Monday next after nine weeks' vacation. The expectation is that the attendance will be fully up to the average, if not greater than usual.