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LATEST WEATHER REPORT

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ENGLISH MAGICIAN EXPOSES THE WINDSOR GHOST FAKES

American Society for Psychical Research Finds That the Nova Scotian Town Is Full of Practical Jokers

Results of investigations made by Professor James H. Hyslop since he took as an assistant and secretary here, Carrington, a well known English magician, are given in the last number of the proceedings of the American Society for Psychical Research, which were issued on Thursday.

At the direction of the professor, Mr. Carrington paid a visit to Windsor, Nova Scotia, where wonderful things were supposed to be happening.

Hogheads rolled into the streets urged by unseen hands, apples went spinning through the air from nowhere and cases of eggs were smashed in the twinkling of an eye when no one was near. These were known as the "poltergeist" disturbances.

The entire town seemed to have become obsessed. The grocery wagon driver and the butcher boys were "mediums," and even the factory hands had developed psychic gifts.

Mr. Carrington is a young man of studious, abstracted appearance, and when he appeared in Windsor in company with "Mr. X," who was an enthusiastic local believer in the occult, manifestations of how physical objects could be moved without contact became numerous.

One of the first things that the investigator noticed was that the "mediums" were mostly boys and young men. One of the first places visited in company with "Mr. X," as guide was a grocery store.

Mr. Carrington says the proprietor of this store was a quiet man, rather secretive, who stated that two packages containing them had been found about the rear of the store to its centre without the aid of human hands. Said Mr. Carrington: "As we were looking at the cases I saw an egg which had every appearance of having been newly broken."

"I walked across the room and saw a box half full of broken eggs, which the grocer said had been broken when the scores of women and children scurrying about the store without the intervention of any human agency."

Mr. Carrington, while he was looking out of the store window, was astonished when a large yellow apple went whizzing past his head.

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THE OLD HOUSE IN LONDON IN WHICH ROBINSON CRUSOE WAS WRITTEN



LONDON, July 6.—The old house shown here is the one in which Daniel Defoe wrote "Robinson Crusoe." Unless somebody steps in and buys the property the old Manor House, near Tooting Junction, is doomed to demolition.

WARLIKE PREPARATIONS BY THE UNITED STATES

All Japanese Dismissed From Military Works—Naval Activities Causes Much Excitement.

NEW YORK, July 6.—According to a Manila dispatch to the Herald, all of the Japanese working on the fortifications and around the Olongapo and Cavite naval stations have been discharged, including experts who have been in the service for some years. It is asserted by officers stationed at Manila, the Herald declares, that the orders for this action came direct from Washington and are perceptible.

When interviewed, Rear-Admiral Hemphill and other naval officers denied that any extraordinary preparations were being made against the Japanese or the machinations of a third party which is trying to benefit from the quarrels of others.

TOKIO, July 6.—A report from New York that President Roosevelt has officially confirmed the dispatching of 16 battleships to the Pacific coast, provoked little comment here. Some are inclined to read between the lines either a sinister motive on the part of a certain section of Americans affected with a mania against the Japanese or the machinations of a third party which is trying to benefit from the quarrels of others.

SUICIDED BECAUSE HE COULD NOT BURN ASHES

Prominent Altoona Physician Who Backed John Ellmore's Scheme Was Twisted by Friends Over Its Failure.

NEW YORK, July 6.—An Altoona, Pa., dispatch to the Herald says that, being unable to stand the continued twittings of his friends about the failure of the scheme to make ashes burn, Dr. Hoy, one of the best known homeopathic physicians in the State and one of Altoona's wealthy men, committed suicide yesterday by swallowing the contents of a bottle of carbolic acid. Dr. Hoy went into the bathroom and took the poison. Mrs. Hoy heard him fall and summoned assistance, but when the door was broken in, her husband was lying dead on the floor, his hand clutching the empty bottle. Dr. Hoy was fifty-eight years old and had a fine practice as an eye and ear specialist. He accumulated a fair fortune and increased his wealth until he was worth about \$200,000.

MR. PATERSON, IT IS REPORTED, WILL RETIRE

May Not Offer for Re-Election—John Ray Spoken of as His Successor.

BRANTFORD, Ont., July 6.—It is reported in Brantford that Hon. William Paterston, Minister of Customs, will not again seek re-election in Brant. This is taken to mean that he will retire from public life at the close of the present parliament.

In connection with the Liberal nomination in succession to Mr. Paterston the name of Mr. John Ray is mentioned. He was formerly deputy minister of customs, and is now associated with Hon. Clifford Sifton in business enterprises.

RETURNS RECEIVED AT FINANCE DEPARTMENT

OTTAWA, July 6.—The returns of revenue and expenditure for the fiscal period of nine months, which closed March 31, have been about all received at the finance department. There will be only a few belated returns received after this so far as all practical purposes it is possible to indicate the size of the surplus for that period. It is almost sixteen and a half millions. The revenue amounted to \$67,963,328, and the expenditure on revenue account to \$51,542,161, leaving a difference on the right side of the government books of \$16,421,167. The expenditure on capital account during the period was \$14,238,625, leaving \$2,182,542 for the reduction of the Dominion debt.

LOOK OVER THIS LIST AND SEE IF YOU HAVE ANY MONEY IN THE BANK

A Lot of New Brunswickers Who Have Forgotten to Close Their Accounts—If Your Name is Here it is Like Getting Money From Home.

The report for 1907 of the dividends, unpaid drafts and bills of exchange, in the chartered banks of Canada, contains the names of the following New Brunswickers:—

BANK OF MONTREAL.
D. Buckley, Newcastle, \$9.67.
J. Noonan, Chatham, \$8.60.
St. Lawrence Lumber Co., Chatham, \$8.32.
Ames and Longmore, St. John, \$6.06.
C. Spencer, St. John, \$7.84.
Guy Bevan and Co., St. John, \$6.56.
W. A. Lockhart, St. John, \$425.25.
Allen Barton, St. John, \$8.75.
Jennie M. Dean, St. John, \$6.88.
H. W. Stewart, St. John, \$10.69.

BANK OF NEW BRUNSWICK.
J. L. Black, Sackville, \$0.75.
Mrs. M. J. Baxter and Mrs. J. Baxter Love, St. John, \$21.11.
Estate of Wm. Causey, St. John, \$20.11.
J. H. Case, St. John, \$13.64.
G. H. Clark, St. John, \$1.12.
W. Calhoun, St. John, \$40.75.
L. H. DeVeber and Son, St. John, \$24.75.
E. and M. Edgson, St. John, \$100.00.
G. G. Gilbert, St. John, \$10.96.
M. F. Hamilton, Chatham, \$100.00.
Hastings and Piro, St. John, \$5.10.
D. W. Harritt, Fredericton, \$80.
Trustee of T. R. Jones, St. John, \$18.20.
Licensed Vic. Association, St. John, \$191.72.
Liquidators of Maritime Bank, St. John, \$4.50.
A. J. Lundy and Co., St. John, \$0.90.
R. H. Marten, St. John, \$0.91.
Fred. Magee, Port Elgin, \$0.70.
W. A. McPate, St. John, \$2.10.
E. McGuigan, St. John, \$5.17.
A. McPhail, St. John, \$76.37.
G. A. Parker, St. John, \$2.09.
J. W. Sharpe, St. John, \$100.
St. John Gas Light Co., St. John, \$3.20.
B. Travers, St. John, \$0.08.
Trustees of School Dis. No. 2, Lunenburg, \$125.20.
A. D. Wilson, St. John, \$14.2.

BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA.
Nettie M. Brownell, Bale Verte, \$20.93.
E. F. Dunn, St. John, \$1.15.
C. F. Bradbury, Campbellton, \$1.04.
John Mott, Campbellton, \$8.00.
George Halloran, Campbellton, \$100.00.
Minnie V. McConnell, Moncton, \$24.90.
Jas. D. Stewart, Upper Nelson, \$50.00.
Charles Schachter, Chatham, \$2.11.
Wm. Scully, Fredericton, \$35.07.
Mrs. Eleanor F. Harrison, Fredericton, \$60.00.
Raymond J. Burpee, Gibson, \$11.61.
C. F. McKendrick, Fredericton, \$3.39.
Wilbur L. Jackson, Fredericton, \$23.88.
W. R. Johnson, Harcourt, \$1.34.
W. J. English, Moncton, \$17.05.
H. A. Hatheway, St. John, \$0.85.
C. Murry, St. John, \$0.31.
Robertson and Co., St. John, \$0.42.
Levi Young, St. John, \$0.88.
D. R. Munroe, St. John, \$0.61.
J. W. Dow, Fredericton, \$0.73.
G. L. Young, St. John, \$0.86.
A. Wilson & Co., St. John, \$1.00.
W. D. McLeod, St. John, \$0.86.
John Calhoun, St. John, \$1.35.
John Nixon, St. John, \$0.77.
P. J. McEvoy, St. John, \$0.76.
John Boden, St. John, \$3.00.
Samuel McBride, St. John, \$0.74.
George Corbet, St. John, \$0.62.
W. Watson, St. John, \$4.52.
W. H. Hegan & Co., St. John, \$4.23.
T. Joan Teed, St. John, \$0.82.
Thomas Gorman, St. John, \$10.
H. Hendrichs, Jr., St. John, \$17.77.
G. W. Fairweather, St. John, \$11.50.
Jane McCafferty, St. John, \$11.57.
John Gaffney, Sussex, \$3.75.
Wheaton & Co., Sussex, \$5.90.
Andrew McKnight, Sussex, \$5.54.
J. E. Parker, Bath, \$3.40.
A. A. Campbell, Woodstock, \$3.40.
Mrs. Agnes Bell, Glassville, \$1.00.
P. J. Kierstead, Woodstock, \$5.00.
Jeremiah J. Brownell, St. John, \$3.45.
George H. Beverley, St. John, \$1.07.
H. Nelson, St. John, \$7.50.
J. W. Whitney, St. John, \$0.06.
B. Woodhampton, St. John, \$4.18.
D. James Robertson, St. John, \$0.16.
E. Jacob, St. John, \$2.20.
L. Hensties, St. John, \$4.01.
McDonald & Co., St. John, \$3.38.
B. Lanton, St. John, \$2.45.

BANK OF N. B. A.
Sweeney, St. John, \$12.89.
Unknown, St. John, \$25.00.
D. A. Ross, St. John, \$6.68.

UNION BANK OF HALIFAX.
Jerusha A. Saunders, St. John, \$11.72.

ROYAL BANK OF CANADA.
E. C. Sampson, Fredericton, \$4.
James S. Wilson, admt., Newcastle, \$104.52.
Samuel Black, Nelson, \$2.45.
Wm. Henry Clancy, Grandfield, \$17.32.
A. Cormier, St. Mary's, \$19.00.
Thomas Atkinson, Harcourt, \$5.
Geo. Harper, Coganville River, \$25.
N. B. Hicks, Centerville, \$5.
John T. Miller, Portok, \$5.
Miller Extract Co., Woodstock, \$5.75.
Thos. McEneaney, Woodstock, \$5.
Augherin & Bull, Woodstock, \$6.29.

CHEERFUL FUNERALS ARE URGED BY PASTORS
LONDON, July 5.—There is at least one man in London who is in accord with Mark Twain's idea of a jolly funeral.

The Rev. Frederick Spurr, one of the best known Baptist pastors in London, started the mortuary at the funeral of one of the deacons of his church on Thursday by officiating in a gray suit of clothes.

Yesterday the reverend gentleman, who is the minister of the Maze Pond Baptist church in the Old Kent road, gave his reasons.

"In the first place," said Mr. Spurr, "I do not believe in death, and I think that if people busy themselves preparing how to live instead of preparing how to die, the world would be a better place."

"I am heartily sick of the paganism that is connected with a good many Christian funerals. If we honestly believe that a good Christian has gone into a higher and truer life, why should we wear clothes even suggesting that he is dead and done with? I would rather wear a white cassock—surplice than a black suit."

"In this particular case the deceased was one of our deacons. He was 82 years of age, and a man who had been a good Christian all his life. He died of old age. So at his funeral I wore a gray suit and we sang an Easter hymn."

"I do not believe in wearing black at all. I know one case in which a man and woman buried their child. They and their family were dressed in the deepest black and had an altogether too expensive funeral. That night they were both intoxicated."

"Incidents of this kind are simply gruesome, and I shall always contend against the waste of money on funerals, especially for buying black clothes."