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Advertisement for J. N. Harvey's clothing store, featuring a man in a suit and the text 'IF YOU WANT TO ECONOMIZE IN CLOTHING YOU MUST BUY AT HARVEY'S'.

WOODSTOCK MAY HAVE NEW TANNERY

Conference Being Held With Shoe Manufacturer

Death Claims Three Well Known Citizens of Carleton County.

WOODSTOCK, N. B., June 14.—Delegations from the town council and the board of trade this morning met Mr. Garant, one of the proprietors of a large shoe firm in Quebec city, and John Dickinson, who has recently been burnt out and will report to a meeting of the board of trade to be held at 9 o'clock this evening in the council chamber with a view toward the immediate erection of a new tannery at the Lower Corner.

Edward Lindow passed away very suddenly of heart failure at his home at 2:30 yesterday afternoon. Although unwell for some time his daily appearances on the street led his friends to believe that death would not have claimed him for many years yet and it will be heard with mingled feelings of surprise and regret. He was sixty-one years of age. Although a reserved man his friends were numerous wherever he was known. He is survived by a widow, two daughters, Mrs. Bunnell of Woodstock, and Mrs. Howe of Presque Isle, and two sons, John and Warrick. Fred of Presque Isle, and Alfred of St. Stephen, are brothers, and Mrs. Skivden, Mrs. Townsend and Mrs. Mary Gidden of Woodstock are sisters.

Very many friends will regret to learn that Mrs. James Forrest of Tapley Mills, died of paralysis on Saturday morning aged 81 years. She leaves a husband, two sons and three daughters to mourn their loss. The funeral took place this morning.

The funeral of Michael McSheehy, a well known resident of South Newbridge, who died on Friday of tuberculosis, aged fifty years, leaving a widow and one daughter, Mrs. A. O. McKinney of Woodstock, took place this morning after services in the Catholic Church, the interment being in the cemetery in Woodstock.

SCHOONER LOST EIGHT MEN IN DENSE FOG

Wore Out in Dories—Two Days Search Failed to Discover Them

BOSTON, June 14.—With eight of her crew missing, the fishing schooner Nestle is being sought in port early today after a fruitless two days search for the men. The eight men were out in their dories hauling the trawls on Thursday morning when a heavy fog shut in. Captain Antonio P. Silva, of the Franklin, at once bore down upon the place where the dories were last seen but could find no trace of them. The Franklin remained on the fishing grounds cruising around in an effort to pick up the missing members of her crew until Saturday morning, when the search was given up and the vessel was headed for Boston. It is believed that the fishermen have been picked up by the vessels of the fishing fleet.

STEAMER BRINGS GOLD

WORTH \$500,000 Makes Total of \$2,700,000 So Far—Yukon Steamers Now Running Regularly

DAWSON, Yukon, June 14.—The steamer Tanana has arrived with \$500,000 worth of gold dust making a total of \$2,700,000, received so far this season en route to Seattle. The ice is gone from Lake Lebarge and Yukon Steamers are running regularly.

DISTINGUISHED VETERAN OF THE CIVIL WAR DEAD

TOLLEDO, Ohio, June 14.—General John S. Kountze, past commander in chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, died in this city of Bright's Disease early today. General Kountze enlisted in Company 3, Ohio Volunteer Infantry, when he was a lad of 15, and was elected commander-in-chief of the G. A. R. in 1884, serving one term.

AMERICAN COMMISSIONERS BACK FROM LIBERIA

LAS PALMAS, Canary Islands, June 14.—The American scout cruisers Chester and Birmingham arrived here today on their way from Liberia back to the United States. They have on board the members of the American Commission who conducted an investigation of conditions in the Liberian Republic.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE I. R. C. INSPECT ST. JOHN FACILITIES

New Arrangements for the Ocean Limited—The Summer Schedule—Held Conferences With Premier Hazen and Wm. Downie.

Inspected, and the commissioners expressed themselves as highly satisfied with the condition of affairs. The freight and passenger rates were also visited. There the commissioners spent some time enquiring into details.

In an interview with the Star representative after the inspection, Mr. Tiffin stated that he was thoroughly satisfied with the road here. It was not proposed to make any radical changes. During a portion of the morning Messrs. Butler and Pottinger were in consultation with William Downie. The time-table for the summer months were thoroughly discussed. The commissioners stated that the changes on the Intercolonial would come into effect on June 17. Connections will be made with all C. P. R. trains.

Another important change will be the consolidation of the Montreal express at Moncton with the Ocean Limited. It has been the custom for the express to continue through to Halifax, but the consolidation with the Ocean Limited will save the extra train. Likewise a consolidated train from Halifax will run to Moncton, where the Ocean Limited will be made up.

Messrs. Butler and Pottinger also had an interview with Premier Hazen. The commissioners brought to the attention of the premier an old claim, which the Intercolonial has standing against the Central Railway. The claim is relative to rails and it is stated the amount involved is between \$40,000 and \$50,000. Mr. Butler stated at the conclusion of the meeting with the premier, that no definite course in the matter had been decided on. The claim will be taken up at Ottawa at a later date.

It is the intention of the board of commissioners to leave for Moncton this afternoon. A change, however, may possibly be made. Mr. Butler contemplates making an inspection of the Canada Eastern line in the near future.

PARENTS TO BLAME FOR CRIMES OF CHILDREN

Corrective Influences Should be Applied to the Fathers and Mothers, Says Speaker at Charlottes Conference

BUFFALO, N. Y., June 14.—Children lawbreakers, ruffians and neighborhood immigrants and state supervisors and administrators, were the subject of discussion at today's session of the Conference of Charities and Correction.

Frank E. Wade, member of the state probation commission of Buffalo, was the first speaker in the section devoted to lawbreakers. He claimed that most of the offenses of children are due to the fault of parents, and that the child problem can never be solved until corrective influences are also applied to parents. Mr. Wade's exclusive jurisdiction in all cases in which children, or parents who contribute to the delinquency of their children are concerned.

LIZARD DISCOVERED EMBEDDED IN ROCK

Revived and is Apparently None the Worse for Sleep Lasting Thousands of Years.

GREAT FALLS, Mont., June 14.—In a coal mine near here yesterday Moses Martindale, a miner, uncovered a lizard about nine feet from the surface and embedded in solid rock. There is no conceivable method by which the lizard could have entered the cavity since nature closed the gap thousands of years ago. When first uncovered the poor health of the reptile, but when brought to the light showed more signs of life. There is no evidence that it had been in the country, stops of a long fast and imprisonment in the solid rock.

STREET CAR EMPLOYEES OF ST. PETERSBURG ON STRIKE

Demand Better Pay and Different Hours—Strike Organized by Social Democrats.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 14.—A general strike of the electric street car employees of St. Petersburg began today. The men demanded increased pay and a different arrangement of shifts. The authorities declare they will not concede either point. Although the demands are purely economic, the strike has a political basis, and was arranged by the social democrats to test their organization and the moral effect on workmen generally.

THREE PERSONS DROWNED AT BEACH RESORT

ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 14.—Three persons were drowned near Lake Ontario Beach resorts yesterday and one was killed at an amusement park. The first victim was John Diemer, 21 years old, who, clad in heavy rubber boots and a rubber coat, tried to stand up in a canoe. The canoe overturned and Diemer was drowned. James Perth, 15 years old, while walking on a pier, was seized with an epileptic fit, fell into the water and was drowned. An unknown man fell off a pier at Summerville and was dead when life savers reached him.

CAPTAIN WHITE ARRIVES ON INTERESTING MISSION

Captain Moses S. White arrived in the city on the Montreal express today. He was accompanied by Mrs. H. O. Barnaby. Captain White is here on an interesting mission. On Wednesday of next week he will be married to Miss Winifred C. Barnaby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Barnaby. The wedding is attracting considerable interest, as both the parties are widely known.

ITO NOW PRESIDENT OF PRIVY COUNCIL

Korean Bank Will Have Capital of \$5,000,000

Former Judge Given Last Outing Before Going to Penitentiary—Hammerstein's Plans—Lightning Struck Church.

TOKIO, June 14.—Prince Ito today was formally installed as President of the Privy Council of Japan and Viscount Sone as resident general of Korea, succeeding Prince Ito.

TOKIO, June 14.—A central bank of Korea will soon be established at Seoul with a capital of ten million yen (\$5,000,000), six per cent of which will be guaranteed by the Korean government. The bank will be endorsed by the Japanese government.

CHICAGO, June 14.—Former Judge Abner Smith, who probably will be taken to the Joliet Penitentiary tomorrow to begin his sentence for bank wrecking, spent many hours yesterday riding through the parks of the city and visiting scenes he may never see again.

Sheriff Strahelm has arranged to take charge of the former Judge at midnight tonight when his reprieve expires.

PARIS, June 14.—Oscar Hammerstein has engaged Alice Baron, soprano of the Paris Opera, and Henriette Dalm-Varez, the alto of the Antwerp Opera to sing at the Manhattan Opera House, New York, next season. By the signing of these contracts, Mr. Hammerstein has secured 27 principals with whom to inaugurate his "Educational" Grand Opera scheme.

MURDERER DIED IN THE ELECTRIC CHAIR

Wm. Scott Pays the Penalty for Killing His Step Mother

AUBURN, N. Y., June 14.—William Scott was successfully electrocuted in Auburn this morning for the murder of his step-mother near Chautauque Lake, a short distance from Norwich in October of 1897. Two shocks were used to kill. The first one was of 1844 volts at 8 1/2 amperes and lasted for 3 seconds beyond a minute, and the second one, of full strength, was on but ten seconds.

Scott walked to the death chair fearlessly and without evidencing the least sign of emotion. Scott shot his stepmother while they were in a wagon together on a trip, the ostensible purpose of which Scott said was to purchase a stove. The body was thrown into some brush in a wooded part of the country and it was not found until Scott, under arrest on suspicion for murder, led officials to the place several days later.

SIR THOMAS WILL NOT CHALLENGE AGAIN

Under American Rules, Which He Declares Obsolete—Willing to Try Under International Rules.

BELFAST, June 14.—In view of the renewal of the rumors that he was preparing again to challenge for the American's cup, Sir Thomas Lipton to an interview today made it quite clear that he had no intention of competing under present conditions.

OPPOSITION TO STEEL

TRUST SHOWN IN PARIS

Listing of U. S. Steel Corporation on Paris Stock Exchange is Delayed.

PARIS, June 14.—The delay in the final formalities of listing the common shares of the United States Steel Corporation on the Paris Stock Exchange has afforded a certain section of the French press an opportunity to open a campaign upon the measure and several vicious articles have appeared in L'Action and L'Autorité, charging that the introduction of these securities is purely for speculative purposes and inimical to French steel interests.

L'Autorité intimates that the matter will be the subject of an interpellation in parliament.

Morgan Harjes and Co. deny that there has been any hitch in the proceedings and say they expect the negotiations to be consummated any day.

FURTHER DETAILS OF MANILA INSURRECTION

White Men Fortified a Convent and Defended Themselves Against Armed Natives.

MANILA, June 14.—Details of the mutiny of the company of native constabulary stationed at Dakao on the night of June 6 show that the attack on their officers was made unexpectedly by the mutineers. The mutineers fed to the hills after taking thirty rifles and 5,000 rounds of ammunition.

Governor Walker hastily summoned the neighboring planters as soon as the mutineers were out of sight and proceeded to fortify a convent in preparation for a long siege. Most of the mutineers were armed only with revolvers but when the natives made an attack on the convent on the afternoon of the seventh they fought with much spirit and drove the mutineers away.