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ANOTHER DAY WHEN WATER WAS SCARCE

St. John Householders Had Their Pails Out This Morning for Water Supply Was Again Off---Interrupted Ablutions---Hotels and Laundries Were Badly Inconvenienced.

The poor water service of yesterday was continued the greater part of today, and was the cause of serious inconvenience to the citizens...

The Cause of the Trouble Director Murdoch said this morning the trouble was due to air in the pipes. On Wednesday night the water was shut off to enable the workmen to connect the present mains with the Loch Lomond main.

These, however, are the less serious incidents of the temporary water famine. There are some others of more tragic nature.

As the director had been informed that all the valves were open he was at a loss yesterday to account for the trouble and was engaged in looking for a leak.

DETECTIVE KILLEN IS CLOSE ON THE HEELS OF MURDER SUSPECT

Collins Believed to be in Hiding Outside of St. George---Vigorous Watch Prevented Him from Getting Through to United States---Police are Hot After Him and Capture is Hourly Expected.

The murder of Miss Macaulay of New Ireland is still at large. A telephone message from St. George at 2.30 o'clock was to the effect that the man whom the police suspect is Thomas J. Collins, who is wanted for the murder, had not been captured.

The Chief's Trip Chief Clark and Detective Killen spent all day yesterday in driving between St. John and St. George. They drove fifty miles together, hardly making a stop of more than a few minutes at a time in order to make inquiries about the suspect.

Sure of His Capture At St. George, Chief Clark boarded the New Brunswick Southern Railway on his return to the city, leaving Detective Killen and Marshal McLeod of St. George to follow up any clue that might appear.

VALPARAISO HAD TWO MORE SHOCKS

Epidemic Certain to Occur There as Result of Unsanitary Conditions---Police Officers and Troops Shoot 150 Robbers---Two Light Earthquake Shocks Occurred Last Night.

SANTIAGO, Chile, Aug. 23, 1 p. m. (Delayed in transmission)---The news received here from Valparaiso continues to confirm the worst impressions formed of the situation there. As a result of the strong measures taken to preserve order, at least one hundred and fifty robbers have already been shot.

paraiso, has proclaimed the city of Valparaiso in a state of siege and has conferred supreme authority on Navy Captain Gomez Carrasco. The prefect of police is charged with the duty of collecting and distributing funds. One of the first acts of the military governor was to issue an order that any person found breaking water-tanks should be shot.

EQUITY COURT The equity court session was continued in the equity rooms this morning. Justice Barker presiding.

GOOD TENNIS PLAY TODAY Weather Was Favorable for Continuation of N. B. Tournament at Fredericton.

HEARD BEHIND CLOSED DOORS The case against Wm. Hanlon, charged with committing rape on little Annie Baker, came up this morning and the evidence was taken behind closed doors.

FUNERAL POSTPONED Because the Grave was Filled with Water and Body Could Not be Interred.

BABIES KILLED BY SKIM MILK NEW YORK, Aug. 24---The Paris correspondent of a local morning paper calls attention in a despatch to the fact that the Paris newspaper, the Matin, published yesterday a leading article with a map showing the chief supply centers of all France, and declaring that the alimentary products furnished by the majority of States had been a death dealing character.

NOT IN FAVOR OF MARITIME UNION Glace Bay Gazette Starts Agitation for it But There is Little Enthusiasm Shown.

TRAVEL FROM BOSTON S. S. Calvin Austin Had 183 Passengers this Morning --- Crowds Expected Next Week.

TOOK MONEY AND RING James O'Brien went in arrest at the north end police station on a charge of robbing a stranger of \$10 and a gold ring.

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DANCED THE EL NIDA. The Times new reporter was at a dance last evening. During the time he has lived in the city he has not had much opportunity to practice the Tepehchorean art as he had learned it in Hornbeam Settlement, and being assured that he would have to wear a clawhammer coat he hastened to present himself at a suburban villa and stop lightly around with the one who could dance anything, from a gallop to a minuet.

AN OVERT ACT. The fact that the water supply was cut off in a considerable section of the city yesterday was regarded at City Hall as evidence that the Loch Lomond farmers had carried out their threat, though not by dismantling the pipes near their homes.

WOOD TO BE RETIRED REGINA, Sask., Aug. 24 (Special)---It is reported that C. E. D. Wood, deputy attorney general and former professional associate of Ex-Premier Haultain, has retired from office. A. Gureon, law partner of Hon. William Lamont, is named as his successor.

COUNTRY MARKET The supply of produce at the country market for tomorrow's trade is fairly good. Butter and eggs still continue very scarce and prices are consequently high.

HON. H. R. EMERSON IS VISITING P. E. ISLAND CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Aug. 24. (Special)---The minister of railways inspected the eastern sections of the P. E. Island Railway yesterday and spoke for an hour at meetings of the Kings County Liberal Association. Today he inspected the Murray Harbor branch and tomorrow leaves for Moncton.

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