

The Evening Times and Star

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CONFUSING THE ISSUE

There is no connection whatever between the appeal of the Flemish government for a larger federal grant to construct the bridges across the St. John and Kennebec rivers, and the appeal of the St. John and Quebec Railway Company for an additional bond guarantee of two million dollars.

THE NEWFOUNDLAND TRAGEDY

All hearts are moved to the profoundest pity by the story of the awful tragedy that comes from Newfoundland. A thousand men from the sealing steamers were out on the ice-floes pursuing their work, when an Arctic storm broke so swiftly that a hundred and fifty men from the steamer Newfoundland were unable to regain the vessel, and were compelled to spend from Tuesday until Thursday without food, or shelter from the deadly blizzard that swept the fields of ice.

IMMIGRATION

The province of Nova Scotia continues to lead New Brunswick in the matter of immigration. The report of Secretary A. S. Barnard of the department of industries and immigration, dealing with the immigration during the nine months ending September 30 last year, shows that 5,106 immigrants entered Nova Scotia, 2,820 being from English speaking countries and 2,286 from other countries.

AGED WOMAN KILLED

Richibucto Review: Madame Frederic Richard, of St. Ignace, seventy years of age and handicapped by being lame and more or less of an invalid, on going to her hen house the other day, found a wild cat in the hen coop. Without any hesitation she attacked the animal with a small stick which she carried. When the animal showed fight, the old lady retreated and shut the door locking the wild cat in. She then proceeded to the shed and secured an axe. On her return the animal sprang at her. As it did so she struck it with the axe and killed it.

BIRTHDAYS OF NOTABILITIES

MONDAY, APRIL 6. Hon. F. D. Monk, French-Canadian statesman, who recently resigned his seat in the House of Commons on account of ill-health, reaches his fifty-eighth birthday today.

LIGHTER VEIN

Song of the MIBTANT. Where is my militant girl tonight? Is she burning a church or leading a fight? Oh, where is my militant child tonight. Is she using the hatchet or plain dynamite?

Trying to Get There

The fervent temperance orator stopped in the midst of his speech, and said impressively: "My friend if all the saloons were at the bottom of the sea, what would be the inevitable result?"

The Test

Nurse—Well, doctor, must we give him up? Doctor—Not while he can sign a check.

Don't Mention That

First Goffer—Dubb is bragging about getting a fine 200-yard drive this morning. Second Goffer—Yes, I saw it; he was playing the 185-yard hole.

Mother's Busy Day

The monologue artist was moving his audience to tears. "Dear old mother," he was saying, "I will never forget how she used to rock all of us children to sleep. There were nineteen of us, and by the time she had rocked us to sleep the alarm clock rang and she had to get dad's breakfast."

Wife's Mistake

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Ottawa, April 5.—Hon. W. T. White, minister of finance, will deliver his budget speech tomorrow afternoon, when the general financial conditions of the country will be outlined and tariff changes, if any, will be announced. The speech of the finance minister will probably take up the whole of the afternoon sitting, and at night the opposition's financial critic, A. K. McLean, of Halifax, will reply.

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