

THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B. THURSDAY, JUNE 27, 1907.

MRS. COLEMAN'S STORY A FALSE, MALICIOUS LIE, SAYS CAPT. PERRY

Latter intimates that Mrs. Coleman Had in Mind Her Dismissal by Him from Steamer Star Some Years Ago When She Told Her Story on the Witness Stand—Says Aberdeen's Crew Did All in Their Power to Assist Those on Burning Boat.

Captain Perry of the steamer Aberdeen, against whom Mrs. Coleman made some rather damaging charges at the inquest at Cole's Island yesterday, reached Indian town yesterday afternoon and was interviewed by a Sun reporter. Referring to the story told by Mrs. Coleman he said, "It is a false, malicious lie." Captain Perry further stated that he had never made any threats against the steamer Crystal Stream, and had been on good terms, so far as he was concerned, with all the crew of the ill-fated steamer. So far as his own boat, the Aberdeen, was concerned, Captain Perry had never heard any talk on board or seen anything that might be regarded as a threat against the Crystal Stream that she would not run all summer.

"After the disaster had happened," he said, "and at the time, I did all I could to help the unfortunate crew, and everybody knows it. I regard the insinuations made in Mrs. Coleman's evidence as a malicious attempt to injure me."

In telling the story of the fire from his point of view, Captain Perry said he was awakened by Mrs. Perry, who was the first on board the Aberdeen to

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White Duck Trousers, \$1.00. **Fancy Vests**, \$1.00 to \$3.00.

Summer Furnishings. Men's Soft Front Negligee Suits, 50c, 75c, \$1.00. White Pleated Soft Front Shirts, 75c, 1.00. Light Weight Balbriggan Underwear, 25c, 40c, 50c per garment. Light Weight Merino Underwear, 50c. Light Weight Natural Wool Underwear, 75c, \$1.00. Soft Outing Collars, 25c each; Wash Ties, 25c; Fancy Summer Hose, 15c, 20c, 25c pair.

Suits and Furnishings for the Boys. Washable Suits in Sailor styles for boys, 2 to 10 years, 50c. to \$1.50; Washable Suits, in Russian styles, for boys 2 to 6 years, 75c. to \$2.00; Soft Negligee Shirts, 40c, 50c, 60c, 75c, \$1.00; Cotton Stockings, 50c pair, all sizes; Cotton Blouses, for boys 3 to 14 years, 35c, 75c, each.

Hats Straw Boaters, 75c to \$2; Straw Telescopes, \$1.50 to \$3.00; Black Fedoras, in felt, \$1.50 to \$3.00; Stetson Shapes, \$1.50 to \$5.00; Golf Caps, 25c to \$1.00; Yachting Caps, 50c to \$5c.

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LIBEL DISPROVED SAYS EMERSON

Legal Technicalities Prevented Square Deal

But He is Confident of Verdict From Public Opinion Based on Evidence Heard.

TORONTO, June 25.—Hon. H. R. Emerson was at the King Edward today on his way south on a business trip to West Virginia. Have you any statement to make regarding the present position of the libel action? he was asked.

"Well, I feel just this way," replied Mr. Emerson, "the preliminary proceedings fortunately allowed sufficient evidence to be heard to show beyond dispute that I was never ejected from the hotel nor was I in the company of women of ill repute. The great jury of my countrymen have read the evidence and have seen how unfounded the statements were, and I am not bothering much whether this goes any further or not."

"Of course it has been a great disappointment to me that legal bars have been put up preventing us from getting a square deal, and in matter of fact making it impossible for us to get any adequate satisfaction no matter what we proved. I do not think it advisable to be held against such a stone wall as the ruling that the private affairs of ministers are fair subjects for newspaper criticism, whether true or false. It simply means that even if I should prove that I was in Newfoundland on the night in question I could get no redress."

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TRAINS LEAVE ST. JOHN.

No. 2—Express for Pt. du Chevre, Moncton, Campbellton, and Truro. 7.15

No. 4—Mixed train for Moncton, Pt. du Chevre, 11.00

No. 24—Express for Point du Chevre, Halifax and Pictou. 12.00

No. 126—Suburban for Hampton. 12.15

No. 5—Express for Sussex. 12.30

No. 128—Suburban for Hampton. 12.35

No. 124—Express for Quebec and Montreal. 12.40

No. 126—Suburban for Hampton. 12.45

No. 10—Express for Moncton, Sydney, and Halifax and Pictou. 12.50

TRAINS ARRIVE AT ST. JOHN.

No. 9—From Halifax, Sydney and Pictou. 6.25

No. 126—Suburban from Hampton. 7.45

No. 7—Express from Sussex. 8.00

No. 128—Express from Moncton and Quebec. 12.50

No. 126—Suburban from Hampton. 12.55

No. 5—Mixed train from Moncton. 13.10

No. 3—Express from Moncton and Point du Chevre. 17.30

No. 25—Express from Halifax, Pictou, Point du Chevre and Campbellton. 18.15

No. 126—Suburban from Hampton. 18.15

No. 1—Express from Moncton and Truro. 21.30

No. 81—Express from Sydney, Halifax, Pictou and Moncton (Sunday only). 1.40

All trains run by Atlantic Standard Time. 24.00 o'clock is midnight.

CITY TICKET OFFICE, 3 King street, St. John, N. B. Telephone 271. Moncton, N. B., June 12th, 1907.

Life Saving Dogs at the Nickel.

Not a child or grown-up in St. John has read of the famous dogs of the St. Bernard hospice in the Alps and of their life-saving journeys in the terrible blizzards of those mountains, though none has ever witnessed a rescue of this kind. For Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week the leading feature at the Nickel will be a pictorial enactment of a thrilling experience in Alpine snowdrifts, in which a pack of genuine St. Bernards will be seen fulfilling their mission with almost human intelligence. It's a brand new attraction imported to America from Europe by the leading picture theatres, and is being shown in New York today to crowded houses.

The additional pictures are in a humorous vein and deal with the trials and tribulations of a man who is suffering from Too Much Mother-in-law, Father and Mother Want You is the third item on the programme, and though the title is rather uninteresting the pictures grow more laughable every half minute.

Mr. Austin will again make his bow after a fortnight's indisposition, presenting that hit song in the Golden Autumn Time, Sweet Elaine.

MAXIMS FOR THE MARRIED.

A fellow's always in the wrong when he quarrels with a woman, and even if he wasn't at the start, he's sure to be before he gets through. And a man who's decided to marry can't be too quick learning to apologize for the things he didn't say, and to be forgiven for things he didn't do.

You'll save a heap of trouble if you renounce it a rule never to refuse a request before dinner and never to grant one after dinner.

After you've been married a little while, you're going to find out that there are two kinds of happiness you can have—homely happiness and fashionable happiness. With the first kind you get a lot of children, and with the second a lot of dogs.

You can buy a lot of home happiness with a mighty small salary, but just a little more than you are making. Fashionable happiness always costs money. I don't care how much or how little money you make, I want you to understand that there's only one place in the world where you can live a happy life, and that's inside your income. A family that's living beyond its means is simply a business that's losing money—it's bound to go to smash.

WHY THEY GO TO CHURCH.

Answers to a London Rector's Query Not Very Flattering.

LONDON, June 26.—Dr. Cobb, the incumbent of St. Ethelburga's Church, Bishopsgate, invited his congregation to write the reasons why they go to church. A great majority, using various phrasesology, answered that it was because they wished to be lifted to a higher sphere, but some ingeniously confessed that they were impelled by one or another of the following causes: Habit, to get aesthetic pleasure, to show their new clothes, fear of public opinion, an eye to the main chance, to escape domestic worries.

Dr. Cobb does not conceal that very few attend his church because of a desire to hear him preach.

DISCHARGED FOR CHARGING PASSENGERS TOO HIGH FARES

COLE'S ISLAND, June 26.—James Stewart, commissioner of roads for Queens county, today discharged Isaac Van B. Hetherington because he attempted to charge passengers 10 cents for the use of the ferry at Cole's Island and which has been established since the bridge was burned in the Crystal Stream disaster. —Eliph Kierstead is now in charge. It is said that on Tuesday night when the inquest was in the Grange Hall, Mr. Hetherington stopped about 9.30. Just as he was walking up the bank a number of ladies came down the opposite shore and called to him to take them across. It is added that he refused to do so unless they paid him ten cents a piece. There is quite a little indignation here over Mr. Hetherington's conduct. It is pointed out that he was getting two dollars a day to run the ferry.

CANADIANS WIN HONORS AT HARVARD

BOSTON, June 26.—Among Canadians who figured in the graduating exercises of Harvard University today was William Hall Claxson, St. John upon whom the degree of Doctor of Philosophy was conferred. Dr. Claxson was Professor of English and French at the University of New Brunswick, 1903-05 and Shattuck scholar at Harvard.

The degree of Bachelor of Arts was conferred on the following: Robert C. Colwell, Fredericton, (U.N.B. '03); George D. Rogers, Sussex, (Mt. Allison, '06); Harold E. Bigelow, Spencer Island, N. S. (Mt. Allison, '06).

The same degree was given to Irving G. Sketton and Howard Stetson of a well known St. John and Bangor family of that name.

GAS EXPLODED; SCHOLARS INJURED

CORNWALL, Ont., June 26.—Science room of Chesterville public school was the scene of an accident Thursday afternoon. An experiment was being made in the manufacture of oxygen gas. Too much of the chemical mixture was put in the tube and the gas developed so rapidly that an explosion followed. The pupils had gathered around Russell Wood, who held the tube, and several of them were burned.

Wood's face, arms and chest were badly burned and cut by flying glass. Bernice Munroe's face was literally covered with fluid and badly burned. Charles Huxtable's face, eyes and hands were only slightly burned. Fortunately medical assistance was quickly secured, and it is said none of the injured will be disfigured.

MONTREAL, June 26.—It was announced today that the city of Montreal had effected a loan of two million dollars in London for twelve months at 4 1/2 per cent interest.

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BASEBALLIST FINED FOR ASSAULTING TORONTO UMPIRE

TORONTO, June 26.—Baseman Timothy A. Flood of the Toronto Eastern League ball team, will spend the next fourteen days in jail for assaulting Umpire Conway at yesterday's game at Diamond Park. This was imposed by Magistrate Denison after Flood had pleaded guilty.

J. W. Curry, K.C., made a determined effort to have a fine imposed in lieu of the sentence. The magistrate said: "Men have been killed in games of various sorts and there has been altogether too much rowdiness. I want to discourage this sort of thing. No, I won't impose a fine. This is a common assault, a prisoner needs equity and the sentence I have imposed is one provided by the law. If I impose a fine his club may pay it and the ends of justice will not be properly served."

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WHY KIEFF MUTINY WAS A FAILURE

Soldiers Failed to Obey the Signal—The Mutineers Had Bombs.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 26.—Details of the mutiny at Kieff on June 17 show that at 5 o'clock in the evening at the camp of the 1st Infantry regiment, Private Schevchenko, in accordance with a previously agreed plan, fired several shots as a signal to the soldiers raised a mutiny. The attempt failed and Schevchenko and four accomplices were immediately seized. Two soldiers were severely wounded while the men were being arrested. Schevchenko confessed that he had three bombs concealed in his tent. The same evening, about midnight, several bombs were fired unexpectedly in the camp of the 21st battalion of Sappers. A body of troops thereupon mutinied, forced the doors of two arsenals and supplied themselves with cartridges.

The 5th, 6th, 7th and 14th battalions of Sappers were ordered to suppress the outbreak. The mutineers came into contact with the 14th battalion and opened fire, killing Captain Alkutoff, commander of the 3rd company of the 21st battalion, mortally wounding Sergeant-Major Ostannikoff, and wounding four other soldiers. The 5th battalion then arrived and fired a volley, forcing the mutineers to disperse. Many fled into the town. Those troops of the 21st battalion who remained in camp were disarmed and confined in the barracks.

ANGRY AT RAMPOLLA

Vatican Irreconcilables Also Reassert Action of Pius X.

LONDON, June 26.—The Rome correspondent of the Telegraph says that on Monday Cardinal Rampolla, ex-Papal Secretary of State, solemnized the marriage of Donna Paola, daughter of Prince Odescalchi, to Prince Lucifero. The Vatican irreconcilables are furious because Cardinal Rampolla, who since Pope Leo died has lived as a hermit, has now for the second time emerged to bless a marriage in the family of a Liberal Prince, but their anger is stifled by news that the Pope received the bridal couple.

Legitimists at the Vatican consider this an offence to the memory of Pius IX., as Prince Odescalchi in 1871 fraternized with the Garibaldians, who were then marching against Rome.

LARGE NUMBER TAKING OATH OF ALLEGIANCE; BIG INCREASE SHOWN

OTTAWA, June 26.—The complete returns of naturalizations in Canada for 1906 have been tabulated by the secretary of state department and show that a very large proportion of Canada's new citizens from foreign countries are taking the oath of allegiance. During the year the naturalizations totalled 10,242, as compared with 6,832 for the previous year, an increase of 50 per cent. The naturalization act requires three years' residence in the Dominion before papers of citizenship can be taken out. Taking into consideration the fact that only the heads of families and young men over 21 years of age and of foreign birth need to take the oath of allegiance, the total of 10,242 for last year probably represents a foreign immigration of thirty to forty thousand, and since three years' residence is required, it will be seen that almost the whole foreign immigration of 1903 has now become naturalized by law. The total naturalizations of immigrants from the United States is 3,888, which compared with immigration figures of 1903-4, show that nearly all the American male settlers in the West are taking the oath of allegiance to the British crown. Other nationalities show the following totals: Austrians, 680; Belgians, 78; Chinese, 229; Danes, 86; French, 116; Galicians, 832; Germans, 219; Hungarians, 145; Icelanders, 139; Italians, 497; Japanese, 146; Norwegians, 151; Prussians, 81; Roumanians, 407; Russians, 1,037; Swedes, 314.

THE BIGGEST KIND OF A CHANGE

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THE SCRAP BOOK for July is issued in two sections—two complete magazines, each with its own cover and its own table of contents. One of these sections is an ALL-ILLUSTRATED magazine; the other is an ALL-FICTION magazine. Each is a mammoth magazine in itself. The one presents an overwhelming array of human interest articles and illustrations; the other an enormous tonnage of fiction—160 pages of absorbing stories.

Ten years ago I created a new type of magazine—the ALL-FICTION magazine. Now I am creating another distinct type—the ALL-ILLUSTRATED magazine. This is the age of specialization. The conventional magazine, with its smattering of illustrations and its smattering of special articles, doesn't contain enough of any one thing to make it satisfying. The ALL-FICTION magazine and the ALL-ILLUSTRATED magazine, joined together as a unit, strengthen each other, and make something really big and useful and convincing.

The Only Way to Know a Thing is to Try It

The two-section magazine idea is brand-new to the world. It is quite new with me, however, as I have given it, at odd times, four or five years of thought. It first came into my mind in response to a desire to couple, in some way, the strength of the all-fiction magazine with the illustrated features of the conventional magazine. It has been a difficult problem to work out. Now that the idea is perfected, I wish to see what there is in it. It looks to me to be very great, but 'tis only way to know a thing is to try it.

Two Magazines for a Quarter—Easy Money

The price of this two-part magazine is twenty-five cents, which is equal to twelve and one-half cents a magazine. Most magazines which were selling at ten cents have been advanced to fifteen cents. THE SCRAP BOOK in two parts means two magazines for twenty-five cents against thirty cents for two fifteen cent magazines.

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