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Arrangements have been completed whereby a regular fortnightly service will be maintained by this line between St. John and London during the coming summer season, the steamers leaving London every alternate Thursday and St. John every alternate Saturday. The first steamer under this new arrangement will be the **Evangelina**, leaving London on Thursday 15th May and St. John on Saturday 1st June, to be followed by the **Loyalist**, and **Dalhousie** as stated. The steamers are of the highest class at Lloyd's, and they not only have superior accommodations for passengers, but they are also

A PLUCKY WOMAN
Holds Up Two Burglars at the Muzzle of a Revolver.
NEW YORK, May 12.—At the muzzle of a revolver Mrs. Ella Karcher, of Ellsworth, N. J., halted two men at four o'clock yesterday morning at her residence, and marched them half a mile to United States Senator John Kean's house, from which place they were placed in charge of the Ellsworth police. Mrs. Karcher, who is a widow, was alone in the place when she heard a noise. Jumping out of bed, she grasped a revolver and ran down stairs. There she confronted a young man. She ordered him to step out and also hold up his hands. He did not want to be shot. He obeyed. Mrs. Karcher then made the intruders fall in line. When the procession arrived at Senator Kean's the police were telephoned for and the men arrested.

REV. DR. AMENT
Says Peking Is the Political Capital of Christendom.
CHICAGO, May 12.—Peking is the present political capital of Christendom; there you can put your finger upon the pulse of the nations; all eyes are turned toward that great city. It is the greatest practical school in the world; there the nations are gaining an education and an insight into Chinese affairs, which they have never possessed before.
Thus said Dr. William S. Ament, the returned missionary, speaking at the First Congregational church last night. "The present situation in China," he continued, "is a remarkable fact that in this great Chinese nation, one of the oldest among the civilized, the very home of conservatism, the natives are beginning to realize the need of new ideas and modernism is fast gaining a foothold. Only a few days before I left China a prominent Chinese gentleman said to me: 'We Chinese know that we need many things, but first of all we need a new religion.' And that, in truth, they do need a new religion, and Christianity is thoroughly adequate for the regeneration of the Chinese character. Christianity has more friends among the Chinese than it ever had; thousands of Chinese appreciate the Christian religion more than they did a year ago. The church is by no means exterminated or even weakened; it is still full of vigor and I look forward to bright and glorious future for it in the Chinese empire."

KING EDWARD'S PLANS.
NEW YORK, May 12.—It is said, says the Tribune's London correspondent, that King Edward intends to fit up White Lodge at Richmond as an outer London residence for the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall. The house is small, but it is admirably suited for the purpose, and, moreover, the duchess spent her childhood and girlhood there. At present the place is vacant. It belongs to the crown, and part of the furniture is also royal property. The King, attended only by one of the gentlemen of his court, paid a surprise visit to the house lately. As he drove through the gardens he was quickly recognized and loudly cheered. The people were wonderfully enthusiastic and the sovereign evidently was pleased at the warmth of his reception.

GOMPERS TO SCHWAB.
NEW YORK, May 12.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, was asked last night, says a World special from Washington, to reply to the statement credited by President Schwab of the Steel Corporation, before the industrial commission, to the effect that labor organizations put all men on a level and prevent one from advancing unless all advance. Mr. Gompers said: "It is a misstatement to say that we are endeavoring to fix one price for the wages of workingmen at any one place. What we aim at is to establish a minimum of wages, below which a working man will not be obliged to labor. Because a minimum is established it does not follow that a worker cannot receive more than that."

ANOTHER STRIKE THREATENED.
NEW YORK, May 12.—The World says:—If the mason builders' association carry out the threat of a lockout 7,000 brick layers will be thrown out of employment within a few days. With the men in their trades, who would be affected, at least 20,000 workmen, it is estimated, would have to quit. The mason builders, at a recent meeting, it is said, decided on the lockout proposal. If the bricklayers should fail to enter into their annual agreement before Thursday next.

SOUTH AFRICA.
LONDON, May 12.—Gen De Wet, according to the Daily Mail, has been reported to have crossed into the Transvaal with 3,000 men.
DURBAN, May 12.—Mrs. Louis Botha, who has obtained consent to interview Mr. Kruger and urge him to advocate peace, sailed today for Europe.
LONDON, May 12.—Lord Kitchener, in a despatch from Pretoria, dated May 12, says:—"Grenfell has occupied Louisafontein, capturing 60 Boers with 16 British with 40 surrendered Boers. Other columns report eight Boers killed, twenty wounded, 153 prisoners, 24 surrendered and a machine gun, 6,000 rounds of ammunition, 150 wagons, and 570 horses captured."

STOCK MARKET.
Northern Pacific Affairs Placed on Satisfactory Basis.
Market Opened Strong Today With a Decided Upward Tendency.

LONDON, May 12.—The stock exchange committee and J. Pierpont Morgan have come to the rescue of the situation and the difficulty in which operators and brokers who have given calls for Northern Pacific for the end of May and July found themselves satisfactorily settled.
The committee decided that the "buying in" of Northern Pacific common stock, which had been suspended for the present, this means that the stock need not be delivered immediately. The committee also fixed the making up price of Northern Pacific common at 140. Mr. Morgan is lending Northern Pacific at "evens" that is for nothing.
NEW YORK, May 12.—News from London market was scrutinized with lively interest in Wall street this morning. The beginning of a fortnightly stock exchange settlement was expected to show the effects of last week's events here, including the corner in Northern Pacific and the fall in prices of other stocks. The news that a settlement had been agreed to with the shorts on N. P. on the basis of 140 in London was therefore received with great satisfaction here. That stock was lending flat, for the stock exchange element. St. Paul had advanced 8 1/2 in London over Friday's closing parity here, and other leading American stocks from a fraction to points. Reading B. & O. and Penna. were the only stocks to show important declines outside of the Northern Pacific, which fell 1 1/4 as a result of the relief extended to the shorts.

Northern Pacific, which fell 1 3/4 as a result of the relief extended to the shorts. The course of prices was strongly upward generally at the opening here, but there were a few exceptions, showing sharp losses. Union Pacific sold at 114 1/4 to 118, compared with 113 on Friday on the first sale of 10,000 shares. Delaware and Hudson jumped 3 1/4 to 4, St. Paul 3 1/2 to 4, Louisville and Nashville 2 1/2 to 3, Atchafalaya 2 1/2 to 3, and American Lined pfd., sold six points higher. United States Steel sold at 44 to 45, compared with 45 on Friday on the sale of 10,000 shares, but the preferred stock was carried down to 33 and 32, compared with 33 3/4 on Friday on the sale of 6,000 shares. Tenn. Coal, Southern Railway, preferred, and New York Central lost from 1 1/2 to 1 3/4.

INDIANTOWN NOTES.
The Hampstead today brought down a number of passengers which was exceptionally large for Monday morning. She had a small freight.
It is reported that the claim for damages made by the captain of the schooner Lily E. into some days ago in Fox's Reach by the tug Joseph belonging to William Reddick, has been satisfactorily settled.
The schooner Effie Maud came down on Saturday with a cargo of Grand Lake coal, which she is discharging at the Star line wharf.
A man by the name of Adams, a dealer at the Indiantown mills, accidentally fell from a staging on Saturday while engaged at his work, and sustained injuries to his leg and ankle by which he will be confined to his house for some time.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.
The Rev. J. deW. Cowie, Diocesan missionary, occupied the pulpit yesterday morning, and preached on behalf of Diocesan Church missions. Taking his text from James 1, 22, he made a forcible plea for interest in personal work in our diocese, not less difficult and meritorious in many districts than that of missionaries in foreign lands. The offering amounted to \$209.28. In the evening the rector, who had returned with his family from the south on the previous Friday, occupied the pulpit, preaching on the subject of Fidelity to Pledges (Psalm xv. 4). Notice was given of a congregational reception to be held at the schoolhouse on Wednesday evening next.

A BRUTAL ASSAULT.
William Purdy, of Hampton, was set upon and knocked down on Saturday night by a young man named William Baisley. There was a dispute about a bill between Mr. Purdy's son and Baisley, and it is supposed that the latter mistook the older man for the younger, as the night was very dark. Purdy's cheek was cut and his face badly bruised. Baisley ran away. A warrant was issued for Baisley's arrest, but he has disappeared.

THE LATE MR. BROCK.
A gentleman connected with the wholesale millinery trade, said to the Star this morning, that the death of F. W. G. Brock would be keenly felt by all who are associated with that branch of business. Mr. Brock was always in favor of the wholesale houses working together to make St. John a millinery centre, and had, himself, a thorough knowledge of the business. With his competitors in trade he was always on the most cordial terms, and had not an enemy in the world.

WILL SEE THE PAN-AMERICAN.
The following members of the I. C. R. staff will in turn visit the Pan-American exhibition in the interests of the government railway:—Mr. Robinson, district passenger agent, Toronto; H. A. Price, D. P. A., Montreal; John M. Evans, G. P. A., Halifax; J. B. Lambkin, D. P. A., Halifax; R. F. Armstrong, city P. A., Halifax; Geo. Carvill, C. P. A., St. John, and W. H. Milligan, soliciting P. A., St. John.

ARCHBISHOP LEWIS
The Late Metropolitan of Canada Is Dead.
LONDON, May 12.—Archbishop Lewis, of Ontario, died May 4, on board of the Atlantic transport line, steamer Menones, he had embarked seriously ill as the result of pneumonia, and had intended to stay in London a short time and proceeded to Egypt. He was accompanied by his wife and a trained nurse.
During the night of May 3 he sank rapidly. He died at four o'clock the next morning. The body was embalmed and taken to his residence here.

The late Archibald John Travers Lewis was a son of Rev. John Lewis of Shandon, Cork, Ireland, and was born at Garrycloyne Castle, the country seat of his uncle, on June 20th, 1825. He was educated at Cork and Dublin, pursuing a brilliant course. He was ordained deacon in Christ Church college, Cambridge, by the Bishop of Chester, in 1848, and the next year was ordained priest by the Bishop of Down. His mother and family had come to Canada, and after a brief curacy in Ireland he followed them, and in 1854 became rector of St. Peter's church, Brockville. In 1861 he was unanimously elected the first bishop of Ontario, and was consecrated the next year, in presence of a brilliant assembly of bishops and clergy. He was then only 35 years old. Upon the death of the late Bishop Medley, his lordship was chosen metropolitan of Canada, and in the following year, 1893, became archbishop.

Archbishop Lewis was the original author and promoter of the Lambeth conference, and was mainly instrumental in inducing the British Association to meet in Montreal in 1884. In 1885 the governor general in council presented him with a copy of the bronze medal struck in commemoration of the confederation of the provinces, in acknowledgement of his "important services in the cause of literature and science."

Archbishop Lewis was a man of profound learning and an able preacher. One of his sons is John Travers Lewis, K. C., of Ottawa.

A FIENDISH MURDER.
BLOOMINGTON, Ill., May 12.—Merritt Chism killed his wife in a most brutal manner at his farm near Cartersville, in this county, today. A quarrel arose as Mrs. Chism was starting for church in a buggy with her two little stepdaughters. Chism jumped into the buggy and with a knife cut her wife's face and neck to pieces. He then threw her to the ground, jumped on the prostrate body and stabbed her repeatedly. Her son, Harvey, 12 years old, struck at Chism with a baseball bat, but the man wrested it from him and renewed his attack upon his wife, beating out her brains. He again tried to stab the woman, when Harvey caught the hand which held the knife. This was drawn through his fingers, almost severing them. Chism stabbed the boy in the arm and then fled across the fields. He was overpowered and brought to Bloomington, where he surrendered to the sheriff.

MANY LIVES LOST.
CARBONDALE, Ills., May 12.—It is reported that the lives lost in the sinking in the Mississippi river, off Grand Tower, Ills., of the steamer City of Paducah. An excursion party was aboard the boat. No particulars have been received here. Couriers have left for Grand Towers.

JOHN CHARLTON.
Tells the Government What He Thinks About Them.

OTTAWA, May 12.—The house met at 11 o'clock this morning. The Manitoba railway bills were again in committee. Charlton demanded a ruling in regard to private bills and urged that it was unconstitutional to consider them after the government had given notice of precedence for government business. He was over-ruled. Charlton characterized the deal as an outrage and steal. He expressed doubt as to what obligation the government was under to Mackenzie and Mann, and hinted that this might be the reason for the government championing the bill. Bourassa followed and talked until 1 o'clock.

THE WEATHER.
TORONTO, May 12.—Maritime—Moderate to fresh southerly winds, cloudy or foggy, with occasional showers Tuesday; southwest winds, continued unsettled.
WASHINGTON, May 12.—Forecast—Eastern states and northern New York—Fair tonight and Tuesday; lower temperature tonight in north portions; fresh southerly winds.

HERE'S AN IDEA.
It has been suggested that if arrangements were made to have a scow anchored in the middle of Lily lake in Rockwood park on fine Saturday afternoon, to be occupied by a band, that it would greatly add to the pleasure of the great crowd of citizens who will go there for recreation. The music floating over the waters of the lake would be infinitely more pleasing, and it would unquestionably give boating on the lake a decided boom.

THE KING'S THANKS.
A Gordon Leavitt, the former secretary of St. Andrew's society, has received from Harry Graham, captain A. D. C. acting governor general's secretary, the following letter:—
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