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COLLINS IS STILL EVADING CAPTURE

Man Wanted in New Ireland Murder Case is at Large But is Being Hunted Everywhere---Sackville Suspect is Probably Wrong Man and Will Likely be Released.

MONCTON, Aug. 23.—(Special). — The tragedy at New Ireland is the sole topic of conversation here today, but as far as can be learned there are no new developments. Collins is still at large and as the police here have made thorough search for him it is pretty certain that he is not in Moncton. No stone is being left unturned in this county and Albert county to locate the man by whom, according to the coroner's jury, Miss MacAulay was brutally done to death.

Collins' disappearance is a mystery. Since the time Father MacAulay saw him at Elgin he has dropped as completely out of sight as if the earth had swallowed him.

The tragedy has aroused feverish interest here and there is a growing feeling of horror at the awful fate of the victim.

The New Ireland murder has aroused great interest in St. John which is increased by the fact that the victim was at one time a resident of this city and is known here.

Further particulars of the tragedy were difficult to obtain this morning, as telephone communication with Albert and Hopewell Hill has been imperfect.

Will Let Suspect Go Unless Identified

SACKVILLE Aug 23—(Special)—There are practically no new developments in the case of Sabeans, who is held here for the murder of Miss MacAulay at New Ireland. No one has so far arrived from Albert Co., to identify the prisoner. The authorities here have telephoned Sheriff Lynds that unless some one is sent or instructions sent here immediately in reference to the matter the prisoner will be released.

Word has been received here that Sheriff Lynds is now en route here to see whether or not Sabeans is the man wanted. He will arrive at four o'clock.

MICHAEL FOIGHT, WEST END, FOUND DEAD TODAY; VETERAN OF MANY WARS

Death came suddenly today to Michael Foight, a well known old character of the west side. The old man was found dead in his house by his son, Frederick, this morning, about 6 or 7 o'clock, when he returned home after being at work all night. The old fellow had been feeling unwell for the past few days, and complained of a difficulty of breathing. The son, on making his sad and startling discovery, notified the neighbors and Dr. F. L. Kenny, coroner, was summoned.

Dr. Kenny, in speaking of the matter, said the body had been found lying on the floor, and after an examination he had decided that death was due to heart failure, and he did not think an inquest would be necessary.

The old man resided with his son at 17 Prince street, west end and was about 70 years of age. He was a well-known character about the city, particularly the west side, and was always ready to talk of his experiences as a soldier in the Indian mutiny and the Crimea. He proudly wore two or three medals as evidence of the days when fighting was his trade. Of late years the old man has been working at odd jobs about Carleton and the familiar old figure will be greatly missed from the streets.

So far as can be learned the son, Frederick, is the only surviving relative. The funeral will be held tomorrow.

TROUBLE IN CUBA BECOMES SERIOUS

General Bandera, Famous Insurgent Leader, Killed this Morning in Encounter with Rural Guards --- Revolutionists and Government Troops Have Already Clashed.

HAVANA, Aug. 23—General Bandera, the famous leader of Havana province, who recently headed an insurgent band and began operating against the government, was killed early this morning in an encounter with rural guards.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Aug. 23—The Picayune special cable from Havana says:

HAVANA, Aug. 23—The fight with Bandera's band occurred at three o'clock this morning. A force of 100 mounted rural guards, which had for three days been seeking to surround the insurgent force commanded by Bandera, finally succeeded in doing so after the veteran commander had pitched his camp for the night. In addition to Bandera, two of his followers were killed, but not one of them captured.

In spite of government denials the revolutionary movement in Cuba has assumed formidable proportions. The whole island is in a ferment over the uprising, and it is impossible to predict at this time what the final result will be. The government claims that it will be able to suppress the revolt within two or three weeks, but conservative people do not believe that the revolution can be crushed so easily. The revolutionists have been preparing for the struggle ever since the presidential election, and the Palma administration has underestimated their strength.

It is known that several cargoes of arms and ammunition have been landed in Cuba from the Florida coast during the past two months, and the insurgents are abundantly supplied with war material.

It is believed by many Havana business men that it will be necessary for the United States to intervene and annex the island before the revolution will be crushed. Annexation is openly favored by the commercial interests in all of the larger cities and towns in Cuba. The revolutionary leaders even prefer annexation to the United States to a continuance of the present conditions. The American residents on the Island of Pines have taken sides with the revolutionists against the Palma government and they are giving the insurgents all aid possible. The Isle of Pines will be an important base of operation for the revolutionists.

HAVANA, Aug. 23—The man who yesterday evening attempted to assassinate General Emilio Nunez, Governor of Havana province, as the latter was entering his home, gives the name of Luis Morales, and says he is a resident of Havana. He does not attempt to justify his act.

The liberals are intensely antagonistic to Governor Nunez who was a political protege and a bosom friend of the late General Maximo Gomez, but who withdrew his following from the liberal convention during the last illness of Maximo Gomez on failing to secure a nomination to the presidency, Nunez and his followers have always been sincere allies of the moderates, under the name of liberal nationalists.

SIGHTED TWO BERGS AT SEA

Steamer Almora, from Glasgow, Passed Two Big Ones on Trip Across.

The Donaldson line steamship Almora, Captain Turner, arrived in port this morning from Glasgow with a large general cargo and one passenger, Harry Laidlaw, for Montreal. The captain reports he had a fine passage all but two days when it blew a gale from the north west with high seas. On the 17th, August he sighted two ice bergs, the first one about two miles off the vessel in lat 48.47, lon 47.35; the other was probably four or five miles off the ship in lat 48,45, lon 47.40. Both bergs were very large and would be dangerous to navigation. On making the Nova Scotia coast foggy weather was encountered and all the way up the bay the fog was most dense. The Almora is discharging her cargo at the Corporation Pier. She has a lot of cast iron water pipe for this city, Fredericton and St. Stephen. On her return to Glasgow the Almora will take a general cargo.

REPORTED RUN ON ONE CENT STAMPS

The picture post card fad has become quite an important factor in the business of booksellers and other merchants handling them and naturally as a result of the great quantities of these cards purchased by tourists, there has been a big demand for one cent postage stamps. The demand for stamps in fact has been so great that a day or two ago there was almost a famine so far as the one cent ones were concerned. A big supply was received at the post office yesterday, however, and there is now an abundance. Postmaster Hanington said this morning that the sale of one cent stamps during the past six weeks has been heavier than ever before in the same period. It was fully 25 per cent greater than at any previous time.

The reason is obvious, as almost every tourist passing through St. John buys some souvenir post cards for friends, and as every card requires a stamp, there is consequently a great many sold.

THE FISH MARKET

The fish market supply has been slim all week and from present indications fish will be scarce tomorrow. According to information gleaned this morning prospects are not very good for the coming week, the reason as stated in the Times last week being the prevalence of dog fish. Present quotations are as follows:—Halibut, 15c. per pound; mackerel, 22 cents each; cold storage salmon, 17 to 25 cents per pound; haddock and cod five cents per pound.

BIG TIMBER SALE

OTTAWA, Ont. Aug. 23—(Special)—Forty square miles of timber limits on the Kappewa were offered for sale by auction yesterday afternoon and knocked down to B. Grier of Montreal, member of Grier Brothers to whom the berth belonged.

PLAINTIFF WON IN CIVIL SUIT

Case of Dykeman vs. Grant Decided in City Court This Morning.

The case of Dykeman vs. Grant, a suit for debt, was again taken up in the city court today, and judgment was given in favor of the plaintiff for full amount of the debt and costs.

It appears that goods had been purchased from the plaintiff, F. A. Dykeman, by Mrs. J. McGregor Grant, and her daughter, the bill amounting to $45.28. Mr. Grant repudiated the debt on the ground that he had not authorized the plaintiff to sell them the goods.

The case first came up about four weeks ago.

Mr. Grant tendered in court $29.77, and today Judge Ritchie gave his decision as stated above, observing that in face of the fact that the defendant had repudiated the while debt, he tendered a portion of the amount; and if he took the responsibility for a part, it was reasonable to conclude that he should be responsible for the whole. J. B. M. Baxter for the plaintiff, and T. P. Regan for the defendant.

ARE SALMON THAT DIED IN POND SOLD IN CITY?

If salmon that have died in the new salmon pond are being offered for sale in the city, the people want to know it.

P. A. Smith, of Smith's Fish Market, Sydney street, told a representative of this paper that he had had a number of inquiries from customers, both personally and by 'phone as to whether he kept for sale any of the fish referred to.

Mr. Smith says he does not consider fish that have died are fit for sale and adds that he never at any time kept them for sale and has no intention of doing so. He stated further that he had been cautioned not to handle them, and understood that a number of local dealers had them for sale.

BRAVE CAPTAIN BALKED CHINESE PIRATES PLAN

HONG KONG, Aug. 22—A plan to hold up the British steamer Nanning, which trades between Canton and Wuchow, has been frustrated. A gang of disguised pirates boarded the steamer at Canton and were reinforced in numbers at way ports. The greatness of their numbers aroused suspicion, and a careful watch was maintained. At the first sign of a restlessness the captain threatened to shoot. This prompt action led to the arrest of three of the ring leaders, who were delivered to the British consul at Wuchow.

MURDER AND SUICIDE

PARRY SOUND, Ont., Aug. 22.—Murder and suicide took place at Parry harbor last night. Henry Anderson, in a fit of rage and jealousy, shot his wife dead at the door of a neighbor's house, then, returning to his own home, sat down and fired the pistol at his own head, killing himself instantly.

WILL NOT TAKE SOUNDINGS NOW

City Will Do Nothing of the Kind Until Dredging is Over and Cribs are Moved.

A meeting of the board of public works has been called for this evening at 8 o'clock to discuss matters in connection with the Sand Point wharves and dredging. It is hardly likely that anything will be done toward having soundings taken by the city at present as it is not considered necessary to do so until after the dredging now being done by the city dredge is completed. It is also pointed out that it would be impossible to get any adequate idea of the conditions there until the cribs now lying at the berths are moved away.

G. T. P. WILL BE CHEAPEST TRANSCONTINENTAL LINE

OTTAWA, Aug 23 (special)—"I am satisfied that in the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, when it is complete, the people of Canada will have the cheapest transcontinental line in existence."

These are the words of Collingwood Schreiber, C. M. G., chief consulting engineer to the Canadian government, who has just returned from an inspection of the work that the G. T. P. is doing in the west.

MONTREAL STOCKS

MONTREAL, Aug, 23—(Special)—Less than ten issues of any prominence figured in the stock market this morning and the price movements were only fractional. Some Dominion Iron changed hands at 29 and bonds went for 83 1-2. Nova Scotia Steel after long quietness sold at 69 1-2. Other issues dealt in were Montreal St. Ry., 281 3-8 to 281. Lake of the Woods Milling, 90. MacKay, pfd, 74. Montreal Power, 96 fractional decline.

ANOTHER BROKER GONE

NEW YORK, Aug. 23—The suspension of Franklin & Billings, members of the Consolidated Stock Exchange was announced on the floor of the exchange today.

AMERICAN CYCLIST WON

MADRID, Aug. 23—At the Villedrome Buffalo, last night, Bobbie Walthour, the American, won the 50 kilometres bicycle race by nine laps. Time 39.36 2-5. He was paced by a motor cycle.

The American schooner Georgia arrived this afternoon from New York with a cargo of hard coal.

The funeral of George Johnson took place this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Rev. A. M. Hill conducted the service. Interment was at Cedar Hill cemetery.

John McKane, accompanied by Mrs. McKane, Miss Aitken and H. Sinclair, left last week for the Bald Mountain region for a week's bear hunting. They have the efficient and popular guide, Ed. Menzies, with a number of men with them, and no doubt will enjoy good sport in that great game country.—Newcastle Advocate.

Business is still rather dull at the Eastport sardine factories. Small quantities of herring are received daily at the factories, but the supply is far from adequate. The fish are taken along the New Brunswick shore at Letete and Back bay and are variable in size, some of them being very large. The fishermen receive $4 a hogshead at the weirs, the price being about the same as quoted at the opening of the season. A few fish were taken in weirs in St. Andrew's bay on Tuesday.

H. C. Stone, of Montreal, arrived in the city this morning.

TWO GENTLEMEN BOARDERS OR MAN and wife can find good board and pleasant rooms at 41 Sewell street. 8-23—6.

FINE FIELD OF HORSES

Entry List for Exhibition Races Looks Favorable for Keen Sport.

The exhibition races which will be held at Moosepath on September 5th and 6th, under the auspices of the Gentleman's Driving Club, will probably furnish two of the best days of sport over seen on the track. The complete entry list is as follows:

2.30 CLASS.

Druggist, 2.29¼—H. R. Haley.
Burline, 2.34¼—A. B. Kitchen.
Meadowvale—Thomas Holmes.
Bekmar—Charles Henry.
Frank Khron—John C. Larder.
Little Egypt—R. J. Green.
Gypsy Brazilian—G. B. Fenwick.
Alice H.—M. A. Harding.
Right Wilkes—Peter Carroll.
Fleetfoot—Springhill Stables.
Pete—Frank Boutilier.
Fred S.—W. J. Furbush.
Donestic—W. J. Furbush.

2.22 CLASS.

Belfry Chimes—Thomas Hayes.
Victor—Charles Henry.
Wilkes Boy—J. R. Sederquest.
Daisy DeWitt—Frank Boutilier.
Claudie Hal—Springhill Stables.
Daisy Wilkes—Hugh O'Neill.
Warren P.—W. J. Furbush.
Golden Gate, 2.24½—H. J. Fleming.

2.19 CLASS.

Bonita, 2.18¼.
Happy Union, 2.20¼.
Belfry Chimes, 2.18½.
Park Campbello, 2.18¼.
Reta M., 2.19½.
Estell Boy, 2.19½.
Kremella, 2.21½.
Sir George.

2.15 CLASS.

Walter K., 2.14¼—Louis King.
Hal Rhea, 2.15¼—Thomas Holmes.
Will Be Sure, 2.16½—Nat McNair.
Lady Bingen, 2.14½—Springhill Stables.
Ada Mac, 2.17—Dan Steele.
Red Pepper, 2.17¾—W. J. Furbush.
Dr. Bend, 2.15¾.

FREE-FOR-ALL.

Terrace Queen, 2.06—C. DeWitt.
Czarina, 2.12¼—Springhill Stables.
Simaste, 2.08½—Frank Boutilier.
Gloria, 2.10¼—W. J. Furbush.

SCANDALOUS CONDITIONS

BERLIN, Aug 23—The government medical department has issued a report on the sanitary condition of the Prussian bakeries and slaughter houses, to which the newspapers are giving sensational prominence, one of them using the caption: "Amerika in Prussia." The report says that many of the butchering establishments were found in a very unclean condition. The government inspectors found the conditions in bakeries to be particularly objectionable. In one town boys kneaded the dough with their feet and one bakery was found to be occupied by cats and hens.

One baker admitted that his floor and vats were scrubbed only once a year.

ATE TOADSTOOLS FOR MUSHROOMS AND DIED

SARNIA, Ont., Aug. 23 (special)—James Carrick, aged eight, son of Miles Carrick, a farmer in Sarnia township, is dead as a result of eating toadstools in mistake for mushrooms. His brother Cecil, aged 11, died on Monday evening.

THE MANCHURIA STILL AGROUND

HONOLULU, Aug. 22 (9.15 p. m.)—The stranded steamer Manchuria is lying easy tonight in a very smooth sea. She unquestionably can be saved if present weather conditions continue until preparations are completed to pull her off.

The young chap Breen, who was arrested in Sydney some time ago on a charge of filling a man's pipe with powder, which on being lighted, exploded and disfigured the victim's face, has been sent up for trial at the supreme court.

VISITING HOME OF HIS FATHER

C. P. Carter of London England Will Spend a Month in the Province.

Among the guests at the Clifton House, is C. P. Carter of London, England. Mr. Carter is making his first visit to St. John and will spend about a month in New Brunswick. Though he has never been in this part of the world before, yet he is no stranger to New Brunswick as his father, Colonel Edward Carter, was born at Fredericton and went to England some years later where he has since resided.

Mr. Carter is a grandson of the late Sir James Carter, for some time Chief Justice of New Brunswick, who came out from England and was appointed in 1851, continuing in office until 1865. Mr. Carter, who by the way, is a young man, is over here simply on a pleasure trip on which he hopes to visit his father's old home at Fredericton, and enjoy some moose hunting later on. He will probably remain in the province until the end of September and then return home via New York. Mr. Carter says he is meeting many friends of his father and all have been very kind and are doing their utmost to help make his visit a pleasant one.

J. C. Carter who visited here about two years ago is an uncle of C. P. Carter's.

TENNIS PLAY POSTPONED

Bad Weather Prevented Continuance of N. B. Tournament This Morning.

FREDERICTON, Aug. 23 (Special)—Rev. C. W. Forster, curate of St. Anne's church, who will shortly remove to Worcester, Mass., was last evening waited upon by the members of Wellington Lodge, Sons of England, of which he is chaplain, and presented with a fountain pen.

The funeral of the late Charles F. Hewitson, who was drowned Tuesday night, took place this afternoon with services by the Rev. C. W. Forster. Coroner McNally will hold an inquest this evening.

The tennis tournament had to be postponed this morning on account of rain.

Prof. Roberts returned to New York last evening.

JAMES BAY RAILWAY PRACTICALLY DONE

TORONTO, Aug. 23 (special)—With the exception of about four miles at the city end, the James Bay Railway is practically completed as far as Parry Sound, and it will be possible to have the line open for traffic before the exhibition is over. The rolling stock is all in readiness for the inauguration of a new through service between the city and Parry Sound.

A span of horses attached to one of the St. John Ice Co's wagons, ran away this morning on Garden street. The horses, which were standing in front of Dean's grocery, took fright and ran towards the small triangular enclosure at the foot of the hill. The wagon came violently in contact with a telegraph pole and the shaft was broken and some other damage done, but nothing serious resulted. The pole was broken in the collision.

The dredge Beaver brought up a large sized boulder this morning while at work along the face of Union street. Some little time was spent in getting the big rock up and removing it from the dipper.

Battle line steamship Sellasia, Captain Purdy, arrived in port this morning from Manchester, England, in ballast, to load deal for the other side.

NEW CHURCH FOR AMHERST

Corner Stone of the Largest Methodist Church in the Maritime Provinces Laid There Last Evening.

AMHERST, Aug. 23—The corner stone of the new Methodist church, which will seat 1,200 in the auditorium and 600 in the school room, and will be the largest Methodist church in the lower provinces, was laid last evening with appropriate ceremony. The structure will cost upwards of $80,000.

Rev. Dr. Heartz, president of the Nova Scotia conference, laid the stone. After the ceremony an interesting service was held at the winter fair building. Those taking part were Rev. Dr. Steele, Rev. Dr. Heartz, president of conference; Rev. J. S. Coffin, chairman of Cumberland district; Rev. C. N. Meldon, D. D., Providence; Rev. Dr. Andrews, Dr. Allison and others.

CANAD'S GIFTS TO H. M. S. DOMINION

QUEBEC, Aug. 22—The presentation of the shield and silver service from the people of Canada and the cup from the people of Halifax was made on board H. M. S. Dominion this afternoon in the presence of a distinguished gathering. The Dominion was gaily decorated and presented a striking picture, officers and crew being dressed in full-dress uniform.

The most distinguished representatives of the dominion and of the empire on American soil graced the occasion. Sir Mortimer Durand, British ambassador at Washington; Earl Grey, governor general; Sir Wilfrid Laurier and representative people from all parts of the country arrived for the occasion.

Luncheon was served at one o'clock, after which the presentation ceremony took place. Earl Grey spoke briefly, after which the chairman, J. K. Osborne, told of the subscription movement and its popularity and enumerated the articles, a silver shield, loving cup, cigar and cigarette boxes, with lighters, etc. The dedication address was read by Colonel John Davidson.

The presentation of a punch bowl on behalf of the city of Halifax followed and Capt. Kingsmill made a felicitous reply.

BUTTER AND CHEESE

MONTREAL, Aug. 23 (special)—Cheese market strong. Quebec, 12 1-4 to 12 3-8; Township, 12 1-2 to 12 5-8; Ontario, 12 3-4 to 12 7-8.

Butter, 22 1-2 to 23.

THEY WANTED MORE FOR THEIR MONEY

English Audience Hissed Mrs. Langtry Because Play Lasted Only Twenty Minutes.

LONDON, Aug. 23—Mrs. Langtry, who had two wins at the Folkestone races yesterday also had an unpleasant experience in the evening. She had been advertised to give a dramatic performance in the Pavilion at Folkestone. The audience was incensed because the play she presented was only a trifling South African episode lasting twenty minutes and a hostile crowd followed Mrs. Langtry off the pier, vigorously hissing her. The actress was escorted to her hotel by policemen.

WILL CONVENE IN KEMPT, N. S.

The annual meeting of the Disciples of Christ of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia will be held in the church at Kempt, Queens Co. N. S. beginning tomorrow, Friday, August 24 and continuing until Monday, August 27.

The officers of the convention are J. F. Floyd, St. John, President; John Waugh, Milton, N. S. vice-president and W. A. Barnes, St. John, secretary. Delegates from this city are Mr. and Mrs. J. Floyd, Jas. F. Flaglor and W. A. Barnes.

H. E. Cooke, of Burtt's Corner will preach the convention sermon and J. F. Floyd will address the meeting of the C. W. B. M.

Delegates will leave by steamer Prince Rupert.

BRIGANTINE ASHORE IN NORTHUMBERLAND STRAIT

SACKVILLE, Aug. 23 (Special)—Brigt. Boston and Maine of Isaac's Harbor, N. S. Capt. O'Hara, ran ashore in a fog near Cape Germain, in Northumberland Strait Monday night. She was loaded with 250 tons of coal obtained at Glace Bay, N. S. and it is understood, was bound for Bathurst. Considerable coal has been thrown overboard in an attempt to float the vessel, which is now full of water. The brigantine now lies on a sand bar.

The old block pavement in front of the Hook and Ladder station, on King St. East, has been renewed with new blocks. A piece of birch planking has been placed on top of the granite at the entrance to the doors and this, it is claimed, will cause the water to flow onto the floors on rainy days, as the pavement and the plank are on a level with the floor.

VALPARAISO BUSINESS HOUSES ARE REOPENING

VALPARAISO, Chile, Aug. 23—Some of the business houses here re-opened today for the first time since the earthquake.

Telephon and telegraph communication with Santiago has been re-established, but the lines are almost exclusively used by the government officials. The city is still under martial law. Traffic ceases at six o'clock in the evening, and everybody is compelled to take some part in the work.

The department of public works at Santiago has appropriated $100,000 for the construction of sheds to shelter the refugees from Valparaiso and elsewhere who continue to arrive at the Chilean capital in large numbers.

The railroad line between Limache and Quilpue in addition to suffering severely from the earth shocks of August 16, has several enormous crevices, newly formed in its vicinity.

Valparaiso is still without street lights at night, but order is maintained, thanks to the severity of the authorities, who continue shooting all persons who are caught committing robberies.

Among the buildings which fell at the time of the earthquake are the palaces of justice and the Maritime Prefecture.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

A GOOD CITIZEN.

Mr. Jamesey Jones, who has been spending some time in the country, has returned to town much improved in health. Jamesey is much interested in the movements to pay off the debt on the Natural History Society Museum, erect a Seamen's Mission, and a Y. M. C. A. building. He is also greatly in favor of a movement to start some new industries, and may be counted on to give aid to all these worthy causes.

It may not be generally known that Jamesey has quite large investments abroad, from which he has for some time been expecting very handsome returns. He is a large stockholder in a punk mine in Arizona, a banana plantation in Timbuctoo, a railroad in Patagonia, and a company that will run a line of airships to the North Pole as soon as Wellman or Peary completes a survey of the route.

It is of great benefit to a town to have citizens like Jamesey. He is of a most generous disposition, and just as soon as he receives his dividends he will expend large sums for the good of dear old St. John, the place of his birth. He foresaw the present needs of the city, and when other people were frittering away their spare cash by investing it in one way or another in St. John, he wisely went into punk and bananas and that sort of thing. The town needs more public spirited citizens like Jamesey.

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One of the city horses died on Saturday last. The faithful animal is said to have fretted itself to death over the hopelessness of ever getting enough exercise to make its daily half bushel of oats digestible. Strange to say, there was no inquest.

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A NEW HORROR.

The new terror that walks in darkness, and in the watery depths of the west side ferry slip, has thrown Admiral Glasgow and all his officers and men into a panic.

It is a sunken log, that waits in ambush like a coiled serpent and flies at the propellor of the Ludlow, or some portion of her hull, the moment she enters the slip. Last night it renewed its attacks again and again, and threw the crew into such confusion that there were threats of mutiny and abandoning the ship.

Armed divers will be sent down today to combat the monster, which is believed to have been inspired by the Mayor's dredge, which still manifest a pernicious activity in the west side underworld.

PORTLAND, ME., CHILDREN SELLING BOOZE IN ALLEY

PORTLAND, Me., Aug. 23—Deputy Sheriffs Dingley and Fickett raided a back alley bar in the rear of 49 Center street Monday afternoon, capturing a small quantity of beer on ice, after frightening away the children who had been dispensing the stuff. No arrests were made.

The bar consisted of a long box filled with ice and bottled beer, located in a secluded place in the alley, and there was evidence that a good business had been going on. The boy bartenders escaped on being notified by a crowd of young girls who were on the street that the sheriffs were coming.

Children have always been more or less connected with the liquor business in Portland, but of late, according to the accounts of their findings by the deputy sheriffs, the conditions have been much worse.

Engaged by the leading liquor dealers, the young lads are only too anxious to get a chance to make some spending money and they are well initiated into the traffic. The boys sell the stuff and the little sisters stand out on the sidewalk ready to give warning of the approach of the officers.