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**A PLEASING STREET COSTUME.**



2368—Many of the new models for street and house gowns are elaborate in construction, though they may appear so. One of the smartest seen recently is pictured here. The material used will wash, in London smoke, with panne velvet for trimming. The neck shows a round yoke which might be cut away in an evening dress but which is very pretty as a finish for the waist. The fullness of the front and back is laid in side pleats fastened only where they join the yoke. This insures a soft, graceful fullness which, tucks or even garters do not produce. The sleeves may be long or in shorter length, being finished at the elbow with the plain band cuff or the fanciful turnback one. The skirt is a six-pored one with inverted plait in front and back and a side plait at the side. The top fits smoothly while a pretty flare appears at the hem. For developing the dress 78 yards of 42-inch material are needed in the medium size.

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**THE WANDERING LUNATIC**  
BROUGHT TO ST. JOHN

William Mallet Was Found by a Party of G. T. P. Surveyors—Is in Weak Condition

William Mallet, the lunatic who made such a sensational escape last week by jumping from one of the windows of the Maritime express while the train was going at a high rate of speed, was found yesterday and brought to the city by Chief Rideout of Moncton. The two arrived on the Maritime express, and judging from appearances Mallet has had a hard time of it since he made his escape. He limped through the depot and seemed hardly able to walk to a cab which was waiting to convey him to the Provincial Hospital. Chief Rideout told the Star that several G. T. P. surveyors came across Mallet in the woods about five miles from Moncton yesterday afternoon. He was drinking at a brook, and was still handcuffed to a tree. He had great endurance, as he had been roaming about in the woods for over four days, probably without food. The Moncton police were notified of the capture and Chief Rideout went to where Mallet was found and brought him back to Moncton, where he left with his charge for this city. Mallet was very quiet on the way down, evidently being too sore to endeavor to repeat his antics of a week ago.

**THREE BURGLARIES IN**  
**FREDERICTON LAST NIGHT**

But the Intruders Do Not Want to Steal—Mrs. Fraser's Home Gunned by Fire

FREDERICTON, N. B., May 27.—A house owned by Westley Kitchen, situated on Brunswick street and occupied by Mrs. Mary Fraser was badly gutted by fire this morning. The loss to the building is estimated at \$15,000. The furniture, which was uninsured, was badly damaged.

No less than three burglaries occurred last night. The stores of James S. Neill, hardware, Lee & Co., five and ten cent store, and C. H. Burtt, grocer, were broken into. In each case the entrance was made through a back window but outside of the entry the owners report very little missing. In another a few cents were obtained. The burglars seem strange as the chances for taking property after entering were easy. Three burglaries have become quite numerous here in the past few weeks but in all of them the securing of property does not seem to be the object. There is no clue to the guilty one.

A meeting of the board of public safety will be held this evening and among other matters to be taken up will be a recommendation from Chief Constable that the fire engine No. 2 be done away with as being unfit for use.

The engine is the oldest in the department and is only about fit for the scrap heap. The board is taking no official notice of the resolution which was passed at the recent citizens meeting as no application has been sent to the board touching the matter.

Edward Leclair, who for years has been an lecturer in the fire department, is reported to be in a very serious condition at his boarding house, King street, and fears are entertained for his recovery. For the past year he has been ill.

**DEATHS.**

COHEN—At General Public Hospital, Mrs. Flora Cohen, aged 33 years, leaving a husband and nine children to mourn their sad loss. Funeral from General Public Hospital at 4 p. m. on 27th inst.

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**TRAGEDIES.**

MARBLEHEAD, Mass., May 26.—The body of the woman found in the water near Marblehead Neck yesterday was identified today as Miss Annie Mahon, of Brookline, by her nephew, James Mahon, also of Brookline. The woman was about 45 years old and was to have been married tonight to Dr. James E. Simpson, of Salem, who performed the autopsy on the woman's body refused to say whether he thought it was a case of suicide. The woman's face was badly bruised, but the coroner would not make public whether he thought the marks were caused by contact with rocks. So far as could be learned there were no other marks of violence on Miss Mahon's body. It was generally believed that she committed suicide or fell off the rocks while taking a walk. James Mahon, the nephew, who made the identification, when asked if he thought it a case of suicide would give no information.

**BUENOS AYRES, May 26.**—Several hundred strikers Saturday night attacked the refrigerating and meat packing factory in which they had been employed. They were repulsed by soldiers and police in which four were killed and many wounded.

NEW YORK, May 26.—Dominick Zizza, 23 years old was found dead in bed today by his mother, his head having been crushed by repeated blows from an axe, which was found on the floor beside the bed.

His husband Antonio Zizza, was arrested. The mother stated that her son was the sole support of the family, her husband and she were having some time. Father and son frequently quarrelled, the father demanding money and the son refusing it, she said.

NEWTON, Mass., May 26.—The police investigation today of the mystery of the death of the man whose body, covered with bruises and having three bullet wounds, was found in a piece of woods at Newton Centre Saturday, resulted in the discovery that the man was Lili Larro and that he lived in a court off West Street, Boston, but no clue to his assailant has been obtained.

EMORY, Texas, May 26.—According to latest reports tonight yesterday's storm, which passed through Emory, snuffed out four lives and injured many persons, some of whom may be dead.

BELLOWS FALLS, Vt., May 26.—William O. Fairbanks, a Gratton teamster, who shot and killed Mrs. Mary Groat at Saxtons River last night and then fired two bullets into his own body above the heart, was today removed to a hospital in Brattleboro. It is thought he has a fair chance of recovery. Before his removal from Saxtons River, Fairbanks was formally placed under arrest.

Last evening Fairbanks, who was an old acquaintance of Mrs. Groat's, called at the house where she roomed and they had a loud-voiced conversation at the door for about five minutes. Suddenly, the people in the house heard a revolver shot and this was followed quickly by two others. Rushing to the door, they found the woman dead and the man in an apparently dying condition on the steps. The motive of the deed is not known but it is thought to have been jealousy. Fairbanks was fifty years old and married.

**GIRL'S CORPSE USED FOR WITCHCRAFT RITE**

Body Stolen From Grave, Bones Purified and Head Returned to Coffin.

NAPLES, May 26.—The Naples Municipal Council is being prosecuted for a ghastly crime committed by unknown ghoul in a cemetery.

A little girl was buried there in July, 1906, and twelve months later it was arranged to transfer the remains to a niche in the little mortuary chapel. At the exhumation suspicion was aroused by the extraordinarily light weight of the coffin, which on being opened, was found to contain only the child's skull wrapped in straw, with the customary bottle, containing particulars of the deceased. Professors Antonelli and Finzi, who examined the head, declared that it had been ruthlessly torn from the trunk soon after death.

The police investigations have resulted in the discovery that the girl's body was disinterred and the bones purified to serve for the rites of necromancy and witchcraft, which are still so much in vogue among superstitious peasants of that region.

As the actual malefactors have not been brought to justice, the parents are prosecuting the town council.

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When we learn of an opportunity which is beyond the ordinary we feel we are doing a service to our readers in pointing it out.

By far the best thing we have heard of for many months is the proposition of the Cove Hydro-Electric Co., whose offices are at 104 Tremont Bldg., Boston, Mass., and 128 Prince William St., St. John, N. B.

Our readers should look into this. The company is offering their stock and those who grasp the opportunity now will indeed be on the Ground Floor.

**TENDERS**

Tenders for all the general dry goods, stock and shop fixtures of Ernest W. Patterson, No. 23 City Road to be sold on bloc.

Inventory of stock and shop fixtures can be inspected at the office of H. J. Smith, assignee, Canada Life Building. Goods can be inspected in store after May 25th on application of above assignee.

Sealed tenders addressed to the said assignee will be received not later than Friday, June 7th, 1917. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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**DISCOLORED NECKS.**

One of the common physical defects to which women are prone is a discolored neck, due, it may be, to defects in the clothing or to hair lotions, pomades, etc., which work down from the head. Of course, barring the possibility of sunburn, the skin on the neck should have the same hue as that on the face and shoulders. It is well, however, before resorting to artificial means, to see what hot water, a coarse wash cloth and plenty of good soap will do in removing the discoloration. If a month of this natural treatment does not bleach the neck anon it daily with peroxide of hydrogen. In case this irritates the skin a little vaseline or sweet almond oil may be rubbed in after the chemical has dried.

**THE BLUSH.**

The blush is a sign which nature hangs out to show where chastity and honor dwell, and yet how many people, thoughtlessly perhaps, will tease and torment a beautiful and blushing child until the girl is taught to conquer her blushes and chase away the tears hiding a soft heart beneath a brazen face. Goethe, in company with a mother and a daughter, when the latter, being reproved for something, blushed and burst into tears, said:

"How beautiful our reproach has made our daughter. That crimson hue and those silvery tears become her much better than any ornament of gold or pearls; those may be hung on the neck of any woman, but these are never seen disconnected with moral purity."—Rev. Madison C. Peters.

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**COMMERCIAL**

WALL STREET.

NEW YORK, May 27.—Prices ran off sharply in the opening dealings in stocks under a heavy volume of offerings in all parts of the list. Am. Smelting lost 2 and declines ran from 1 to 1-2 in all of the Pacific and Trans-Continental stocks. Reading, Erie, D. & H., Atlantic Coast Line, Brooklyn Transit and U. S. Steel, pd. There were numerous declines also reaching a large fraction. Brooklyn-Union Gas sold at a decline of 1/2.

The market opened weak.

**BUSINESS FAILURE.**

LONDON, May 27.—An important firm of stock brokers, Hubert Brunton & Co., announced their failure, on the Stock Exchange this afternoon. This firm, which was established in 1874, dealt principally in copper shares, including American and Rio T. Their failure tended to weaken the American market.

**TRAMPS START FIRE WHICH CAUSES A LOSS OF \$18,000**

OLDTOWN, Me., May 26.—A fire that is believed to have been started by tramps destroyed 750,000 feet of dry pine lumber owned by the Jordan Lumber Company and George W. Barker & Son, in Milford, just across the Penobscot River from Oldtown, late today, causing a loss of \$18,000. The loss is partially covered by insurance.

The lumber was piled in a lot from which it had been cut, and there were no buildings in the path of the flames. Help was sent from Oldtown, and, aided by a favorable wind, the fire was kept from spreading to other large lumber piles in the clearing.

**STILL LOTS OF ICE OFF THE GRAND BANKS**

ST. JOHNS, N. F., May 25.—Incoming vessels report a large number of icebergs and ice floes sweeping south over the Grand Banks into the track of the transatlantic steamers.

Immense floes are also reported off the northern coast and off Labrador. Similar conditions prevail on the western coast, fronting on the Gulf of St. Lawrence. Navigation, except along the south shore, is extremely hazardous.

**LONGSHOREMEN OF HALIFAX WENT ON STRIKE LAST NIGHT**

HALIFAX, N. S., May 26.—The Halifax longshoremen went on strike at midnight. The shipping men refused to grant the request of the union men for an increase of five cents per hour in their wages, and they decided not to go to work. Victor Dulreux, of the labor department, of Ottawa, addressed the men today, but they repulsed the good offices of that department to enable them to apply the Lennox-Boyd Act. A telegram was also received from the Montreal longshoremen advising the Halifax men not to strike, but to apply for conciliation and investigation under the labor disputes act. So far there are only two steamers in port that will be affected by the strike. About 600 men are out.

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Walter Downing said that he knew nothing about assaulting Geo. Cooper, a porter in the New Victoria Hotel. Cooper told of the assault, and the prisoner was remanded to jail.

Harry Hampton, a youth, was fined \$5 for being profane on the Westminster road yesterday.

Gilbert Lauchner and Walter Thompson, arrested on Friday last and charged with fighting, were brought before the court. Lauchner said that he didn't fight, but was assaulted by Thompson.

Cassie Diggs gave evidence of seeing Thompson hit Lauchner, and the latter not doing a thing. The two were remanded again to jail.

John Bentley, the sailor charged with assaulting Dr. Bishop on Carmarthen street early Friday morning, was brought in from jail and the doctor's evidence taken. He stated that while on his way to Mr. Cole's house, Broad street, Bentley called out to him and asked where he was going, then ran and grappled with him, at the same time calling for a companion to join him in the attack. He tried to get the doctor's coat opened and managed to get one button unfastened. The doctor proved too much for his assailant.

The prisoner said the doctor's evidence was correctly given but the police officer and another man whom he had been talking to that night at the gas house gate to appear in court as they could give evidence that would clear him. He was remanded while an endeavor will be made to get the witnesses to court.

Stanley Brown, a North End longshoreman, pleaded not guilty to stealing a brass cog wheel and a bar of steel from Edward Lantulum. He was defended by E. S. Ritchie.

Mr. Lantulum gave evidence that the goods in question were part of a steam boiler that he had been repairing at the time of the theft. The cog wheel and bar of steel were brought to at Barrington Passage, N. S. and placed on Law-

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