'S COLUMN
BY
cARTHUR

hire out asked as high as two dollars a day during the harvest and apple picking and they got it without question. The whole difficulty is that there are no men to hire. They have all gone away somewhere to chase rainbows and have left us to wallow around in the rain.

My correspondents have certainly been making it hot for me for having rashly remarked that there is very little in literature regarding apples. Letters and postcards signed and unsigned have come to remind me scornfully that Thoreau has left us a masterpiece on the "Wild Apple." Had I never read it? Of course I had read it and add to the absurdity I had quoted from it from memory in an article written in the same week as the one that gave such widespread offense. I had simply forgotten it for the moment but that was perhaps due to the fact that I was trying to recall quotations of poetry. None of my critics have mentioned anything good in poetry dealing with the apple. One correspondent who insisted that I should take back that statement sent me a copy of Thoreau's essay. I have reread it with so much pleasure that I cheerfully recommend the essay to the perusal of people who cannot afford apples at city prices. My attention has also been called to the fact that John Burroughs has an essay on apples and I have no doubt it is excellent but I have never read it. That does not worry me, however. I shall read it some day, for Burroughs says: "Serene, I fold my hands and wait,

My own shall come to me."

Speaking of apples, I am reminded that I was too busy picking and packing to reply to the letter which appeared in the Tobonto Globe, dressing me down for my views on the apple question. The letter was signed by "A Hired Man." When I saw that signature my heart warmed to him.—I was so glad to know that there is a hired man left in the country. But when I read the letter I noticed a peculiar slip in it that made me suspect that the Hird Man was simply an apple buyer who chose, like a celegrated American politician, to travel "Nux Vomica." He told of some of his experiences in inducing farmers to sell their apples, and an apple-buying hird man is something that has not yet come within the range of my experience. All I have to say in reply to his assertions is that such prices as he quotes have never been heard of in this part of the country. He told of farmers getting from a dollar to two dollars and a half a barrel for apples from the tree is the highest price I have heard of this year and the highest price on record was a dollar and a half a barrel for apples with the farmer helping to pick and pack and then hauling the apples and loading them on the car, besides boarding the packers.

I see by a recent issue of The Globe that apples are selling from three dollars and a half to four dollars a barrel in Toronto and here they are hardly worth the trouble of picking. The freight is only forty cents a barrel but the experiences that farmers have had of dealing with commission men has kept them from making shipments. My friends the "Hired Man" says that if the farmers are being skinned in the apple business it is the first time they have suffered in this way. I do not agree with him but there are times when I think that the farmers have been skinned so often they have learned to like the sensation. That is the only way I can account of their lack of initiative in trying to overcome the problem of marketing. The same thing applies to the city customers. They talk a great deal about the high cost of living, but nothing is done to make them markets easier to reach. Up to date I know nothing of the fate of the carload of apples I have shipped to Edmonton. I try not to think about them, especially as there is a strike in progress. It will be at least a couple of weeks before I get any hint of the success or failure of my attempt at independent marketing.

Peter McArthur

LABOR LEADER ASSAULTS ANOTHER IN CONVENTION

Haywood Struck Socialist and Run—Gompers Re-elected President—Resolution Against Pensions for ex-U. S. Presidents.

Rochester, N. Y., Nov. 23—A fistic encounter between William D. Haywood, a leader in the Industrial Workers of the World, and J. Mahlon Barnes, who was national campaign manager of the recent Socialist campaign, took place tonight in the lobby of Convention Hall, while the American Federation of Labor was holding its final session. Haywood and Barnes met just outside a door to the auditorium. The door was open and President Gompers, on the platform, saw Haywood strike Barnes.

"A delegate to this convention has been assaulted by 'Big Bill' Haywood," shouted Gompers. "Delegates will keep their seats and the sergeant-at-arms will remove the disturber."

Haywood ran into the street followed by several delegates. Haywood took refuge in a laundry and some one barred the door. Policemen prevented further trouble.

After the disturbance in the night session, a resolution opposing the pensioning of ex-presidents of the United States, ex-college presidents and ex-professors of political economy by private citizens was unanimously adopted.

Samuel Gompers was re-elected president of the American Federation of Labor this afternoon over Max Hayes, of the International Typographical Union. The vote was: Gompers, 11,974; Hayes, 5,074. It was the first time in ten years that there has been opposition to Mr. Gompers, who has been re-elected annually since 1895. All other officers were re-elected.

Seattle (Wash.) was chosen as the 1913 meeting place.

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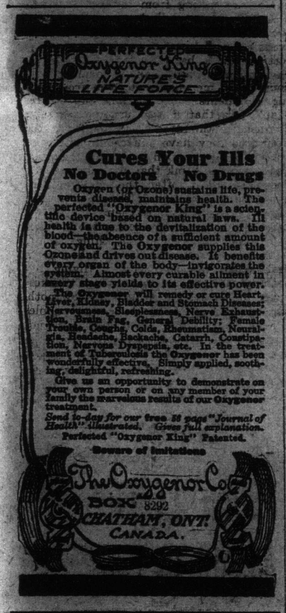

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Thursday, Nov. 21.

Schr Ida M Barton, 102, Cameron, from Boston, with fertilizer, C M Kerrison.

Schr Priscilla, 102, Granville, from Boston, A W Adams, bal.

Schr D W B, 96, Gordon, from Boston, master, bal.

Schr T W Cooper (Am), 150, Wade, from Boston, A W Adams, bal.

Coastwise—Stmr Connors Bros, 49, Warnock, Chance Harbor; schrs Page, 26, Thompson, Beaver Harbor; Stanley L, 19, McNally, Advocate; H M & E, Hains, 30, Hains, Freeport; Lizzie McGee, 13, French, Back Bay; L M Ellis, 34, Lent, Freeport; Bay Queen, 31, Trahan, Westport.

Nov. 22.

Str Empress of Ireland, 8,028, Forster, Liverpool via Halifax.

Coastwise—Strs Westport III, 49, MacKinnon, Westport; Margaretville, 37, Baker, Windsor; Amelia, 103, O'Hara, Halifax via ports of call; Chignecto, 36, Canning, River Hebert; schs Alice Jennie, 38, Guther, Belliveau's Cove; Effort, 63, Ogilvie, Meganic, 22, Simmonds, St. George; Emily R, 30, Sullivan, Salmon River.

Nov. 23.

Str Rappahannock, 2,490, Hanks, London via Halifax, Wm Thomson, general cargo.

Str Sokoto, 1,969, Pierce, Montreal via Sydney and Halifax, J T Knight & Co (to finish loading for Nassau, Havana and Mexican ports).

Str Governor Cobb, 1,556, Allan, Boston via Maine ports, W G Lee, mdse and pass.

Tug Cruzier, 24, Moore, Quebec, C P R.

Coastwise—Sch May M Lord, 21, Poland, Westport, and cld.

Nov. 24.

Str Corsican, 7,296, Cook, Liverpool via Halifax, pass and general cargo, Wm Thomson.

Sch Cheslie, 295, Brown, New York, J W Smith, with fertilizer for D B Carritte Co.

Sch Sallie E Ludlow, 199, Funk, St Martins to New York, in for harbor.

Cleared.

Thursday, Nov. 21.

Schr W E & W L Tuck (Am), Haley, for City Island f o, Stetson, Cutler & Co.

Coastwise—Schrs Prescott, 72, Hatfield, Walton; Bay Queen, Trahan, Belliveau's Cove; Stanley L, McNally, Advocate Harbor; Lizzie McGee, French, Back Bay; Dorothy, Hill, Chiverie.

Nov. 22.

Coastwise—Strs Margaretville, Baker, Margaretville; Amelia, O'Hara, Westport; Chignecto, Canning, Maitland; Westport III, MacKinnon, Westport; Connors Bros, Warnock, Chance Harbor; schs Alice Jennie, Guther, Sandy Cove; Packet, Reid, Albert; Athol, Copp, Alma; Page, Thompson, Beaver Harbor; Ethel McLeod, Brewster, Albert

Nov. 23.

Sch Isaiah K Stetson, Hamilton, City Island, f o.

Coastwise—Schs Friendship, 65, Wilbur, Waterside; Margaret, Simmonds, St George.

Sailed.

Thursday, Nov. 21.

Stmr Kancouraska, Morgan, for Sydney.

Nov. 22.

Str Helen (Nor), Stavnem, for Cape Maranquine.

Nov. 23.

Str Governor Cobb, Allan, Boston via Maine ports.

Nov. 24.

Sch Sawyer Bros, Calor, New York.

Sch William L Elkins, Baisner, Stamford (Conn.)

Sch Calabria, Gayton, Vineyard Haven, f o.

CANADIAN PORTS.

Chatham, Nov 20—Ard stmr Progress III, Kolderup, from Portland, Maine.

Montreal, Nov 21—Ard stmrs Cervona, from Newcastle; Venango, from Fowey.

Cld—Stmr Virginian, for Liverpool, Ultonia, for New York.

Halifax, Nov 21—Ard stmr Empress of Ireland, from Liverpool for St John; stmr Eoko, from Mexico, Cuba and Montreal for St John.

Parrsboro, Nov 21—Ard, str Easington, Portland; schs A J Stirling, Durant, Moncton, to load lumber; Bessie G, Winters, Windsor, in to complete crew.

Cld—Str Easington, Portland, with 1,693 tons coal.

Quebec, Nov. 22—Ard, strs Atette, Hull; Lake Michigan, London and Antwerp; Batiscan, Sydney; City of Sydney, St John's (Nfld); Ramore Head, Dublin; Atheniana, Hull.

Halifax, Nov 22—Sld, str Rappahannock, St John; Sokoto, St John.

Montreal, Nov 22—Cld, strs Glenarm Head, Dublin; Hesperian, Glasgow.

Campbellton, Nov 11—Cld, sch Frederick A Duggan, Coombs, Havana; 13th, str Fredness, Hansen, New York; 18th, sch Alfareta, Mosher, Barbados; 21st, str Ella, Jacobsen, New York.

St George, Nov 18—Cld, sch George M Edmonds, Coleman, Norwalk (Conn.)

BRITISH PORTS.

Liverpool, Nov 22—Sld, str Victorian, Halifax.

Glasgow, Nov 20—Sld, strs Numidian, Hall, Boston; Sardinian, Hatherley, St Johns (Nfld), Halifax and Philadelphia.

London, Nov 21—Sld, strs Lake Erie, St John; Minnewaska, New York.

Liverpool, Nov 23—Ard, str Caronia, New York.

Southampton, Nov 23—Ard, strs St Paul, New York; Majestic, New York.

Liverpool, Nov 23—Sld, str Laurentic, Halifax.

Glasgow, Nov 23—Sld, strs Scandinavian, Halifax; Saturnia, St John.

London, Nov 20—Sld, str Durango, Chambers, St John via Halifax.

Glasgow, Nov 23—Sld, str Saturnia, St John.

Liverpool, Nov 22—Sld, str Victorian, for St John via Halifax.

Manchester, Nov 23—Sld, str Manchester Trader, St John.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Boston, Nov 19—Ard schrs Parana, from St John; Nellie Eaton, from St John via Cutler and Rockland; Susie P Oilver, from Bangor (Me); Harry W Lewis, from Port Greville; John G Walter, from River Hebert (N S); Empress, from Jacquet River (N B.)

Cld 19th—Schrs Elva Blanche, for Sydney (C B); Walter Miller, for St Martins; Emily F Northam, from Shulee (N S.)

Sld 19th—Schrs Vera B Roberts, for Windsor.

Pascagoula, Miss, Nov 19—Ard schr Delta, Knowlton, from Havana.

Buenos Ayres, Nov 18—Ard bark Snowdon, Vezie, from Boston.

Colon, Nov 21—Ard stmr Trebia, Starratt, from New York.

Bandholm, Nov 21—Ard stmr Eretria, Cressley, from Nikobing.

New York, Nov 21—Ard stmr Stephano, from Halifax (N S.)

Vineyard Haven, Nov 21—Ard schrs Dorothy Belle, from Richibucto (N. B.); Gypsum Queen, from New York.

New York, Nov 21—Sld schrs Dora C, for St John; Hazel L Richey, for Halifax (N S); Hortensia, for Eastport (Me.)

Boothbay Harbor, Me, Nov 21—Ard schr Geo D Edmands, from St George (N B.)

Rockland, Me, Nov 21—Ard schr Seguin, from New York.

Vineyard Haven, Nov 21—Sld schr Ann Louisa, for St John (N B); Nellie R Sawyer, for Rockland (Me); Madeline, for New York; Jost, for New York; Arthur M Gibson, for New York; Charles H Trickey, for Huntington (N Y); Addie P McFadden, for New York; Irene R Messervey, do.

New York, Nov 22—Ard, strs Mauretania, Adriatic, Liverpool.

Rosario, Nov 21—Ard, str Leuctra, Butler, from Cardiff.

Philadelphia, Nov 21—Ard, str Tanagra, Dalton, from Hamburg.

Boston, Nov 20—Ard, sch Cora M, Millbridge.

Cld 20th—Sch Leonard C, Moncton; Edyth, Lunenburg; F G French, Apple River; Alice P Turner, Walton; Lewis, Halifax.

Sld 20th—Schs Lyra, for Lynn, in tow tug Marie; Walter Miller, St Martins; Emily F Northam, Shulee; Alice P Turner, Walton.

Salem, Nov 20—Sld, schs Luella, from Boston for New York; Minnie Slauson, Wickford (R I.)

Saunderstown, Nov 20—Ard, schs Gypsum Emperor, Ingrahamport for New York.

New York, Nov 22—Ard, sch T W Allen, Calais.

Portland, Nov 22—Ard, sch Ann Louisa Lockwood, New York.

Eastport, Nov 22—Ard, sch Fred B Balano, New York.

New York, Nov 22—Sld, sch Maggie Todd, Calais; Falk, Charlottetown; Storm Petrel, Vinal Haven.

Boston, Nov 21—Cld, schs Bessie, Plympton (N S); Henry S Little, Bridgewater.

Sld 21st—Schs F G French, Apple River; Lewis, Halifax; Leonard, Moncton.

Boothbay Harbor, Nov 21—Ard, schs Arthur J Parker, St John's for Lynn; Geo B Edmunds, St George for Newark.

Camden, Me, Nov 21—Ard, sch Flora M, Windsor.

Perth Amboy, Nov 22—Ard, sch Elma, New York.

Newark, Nov 22—Ard, sch Kenneth C, New York.

New York, Nov 23—Ard, schs Madeline, New Mills; Invictus, St John; Charles C Lister, do; Margaret May Riley, do; W O Goodman, do; Arthur M Gibson, Campbellton; Henry Lippitt, Port Daniel; Rhoda Holmes, Walton; Brookline, Weymouth; Lucille, Parrsboro; Carrie Strong, Sherbrooke; Bravo, do; Ernest T Lee, Calais; Centennial, Lubec; Addie P McFadden, South Gardiner; F C Pendleton, Stonington.

New London, Nov 23—Ard, sch St Bernard, Parrsboro.

Vineyard Haven, Nov 23—Ard, sch Helen J King, New Bedford.

New York, Nov 23—Sld, sch Exilda, Windsor.

City Island, Nov 24—Ard, sch Brookline, Kerrigan, Weymouth (N S.)

City Island, Nov 24—Ard schr Brookline, Captain Kerrigan, from Weymouth, N S.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Bermuda Submarine Bell Buoy—A submarine bell buoy has been moored in approximately lat 32 30 N, long 64 40 W, off the northeastern reefs of Bermuda. The buoy is painted black and marked "Northeast Breaker, Bermuda."

REAL ESTATE

Friday, Nov. 22.

Another real estate deal of large proportions was put through yesterday when the holdings of the Investments Securities Ltd., in Adelaide Road were sold to Major C. J. Mersereau, of Chatham. J. W. Keirstead, of St. John, president of Investments Securities, Ltd., put through the transaction.

The said last night that there were about forty acres in the piece of land and that it was on the hill overlooking the Kennebecassis river. The property is on the main road leading to Millidgeville, and is said to be an ideal position for a residential section. It is understood that the price paid for the land was in the vicinity of $16,000.

Mr. Kierstead also said that of the 215 acres recently acquired by his company in Moncton, a piece of five acres had already been turned over at a price which almost covered the original cost of the whole tract.

John E. Moore and other local men have purchased the Hon. A. T. Dunn property at Musquash.

A project is on foot for the establishment of a magnificent summer hotel on Lancaster Heights. In the past it has been felt that one of the chief drawbacks of St. John as a resort for the better class of summer visitors was the lack of a summer hotel away from the centre of the city. If such a building were erected in a location where the guests could enjoy the cool summer breezes to the utmost, where the view was attractive and where outdoor amusements could be provided at hand, it was felt that many wealthy people would be glad to spend the summer here.

With a beginning of this kind it is expected that many of the visitors would ultimately build summer homes of their own in the vicinity of the city, and St. John would benefit not only by the amount of money spent in this way, but also in a more substantial manner as a result of the practical interest which many of the visitors might be induced to take in the development of the city.

The proposed site for the hotel is a fine level stretch of about fifteen acres of ground to the extreme summit of Lancaster Heights which is owned by George E. Armstrong, of West St. John. The site gives a commanding view of the harbors, falls, the bay and the city, and is easily accessible by the street cars.

Charles W. McMorran, of New York, a former St. John man, who spent a vacation here this summer, was deeply impressed with the possibilities of such a plan, and it is understood that he is considering arranging the financial end of the project in New York. Local capitalists have also expressed their willingness to give substantial support to the scheme.

The St. John bank clearings for the week ending yesterday were $2,018,659; corresponding week last year, $1,861,824.

Saturday, Nov. 23.

The board of school trustees has purchased from the heirs of S. S. Wilmot the property on the corner of Bentley street and Douglas avenue, paying $6,000 for it. This property has been secured as a site for the new school.

Transfers recorded during the last few days are as follows:

D. J. Stockford to J. H. A. L. Fairweather, property in Charlotte street, w. e.

J. H. A. L. Fairweather to Herbert Guernsey, property in Charlotte street, W. E.

J. M. Hastings to G. E. Mosher, property in St. Martins.

Peter McLeod, Jr., to F. G. McLeod, property in Simonds.

J. M. Perry to Mrs. F. L. Perry, property in Charlotte street, W. E.

The building in Charlotte street recently occupied by Fraser, Fraser & Company as their dry goods department and previously by R. Strain & Co., has been entirely remodelled and repaired, the work practically amounting to the construction of a new building. The structure was gutted by fire earlier in the year and since then workmen have been busy rebuilding it.

The main part of the building has been greatly improved and a three-story addition forty feet in length has been added in the rear. The building has made it possible to do away with pillars and supports thus giving three large and well lighted floors entirely clear of obstructions. The basement has also been excavated, providing ample storage room. The work on the building has been almost completed and it will again be occupied early in December. The building will be used by Messrs. Fraser, Fraser & Co for their men's clothing and furnishing business, the first two floors being devoted to the retail branch and the top floor to either the manufacturing or the wholesale department. Fittings of the most modern type are being ordered and when it is completed the store will be one of the most up-to-date in the city.

The policy of the city with regard to the sale of leased lands was the chief subject of discussion at the meeting of the city commissioners at noon yesterday. There have been a great number of applications from the lessees of city lots for the right to purchase the property which they hold under lease. Some of these applications have been dealt with in the past, but the commissioners wish to settle on a definite policy regarding the matter before making any more sales.

The commissioners also had before them the application of the Norton Griffiths Dredging Company for a lease of the Anchor line wharf, which they wish to use for mooring one of their dredges. No decision was reached, but it is likely that some arrangement to this effect will be made.

Monday, Nov. 25.

The last week has been a fairly active one in real estate circles. The number of transfers announced during the week has been up to the average and in addition to this several important deals have been put through but the details cannot be announced just yet.

Throughout the province the same activity has been noticed and sales of farms indicate a large increase in the agricultural population. One of the most pleasant features of this activoity is the number of former New Brunswickers who are returning to the province after experience in other sections of the country and have found nothing as satisfactory as their home province. An example of this is found in a sale of a farm which was made last week by Alfred Burley. The property includes 100 acres with substantial farm buildings, at Cumberland Bay Queens county. The purchaser is John D. McIntosh, a former resident of the province who has lived for the last twenty-four years at Bear River, N. S. He will take possession on April 1.

George W. Noble and E. M. Olive have purchased from Herbert Guernsey a stretch of land along the front of what was formerly the Hathaway property on the Musnawagonish Road. It includes eight or ten good building lots.

At Chubb's Corner Saturday T. T. Lantalum sold for the city lot No. 753 on the north side of Duke street between Wentworth and Pitt. The lot was purchased by H. J. Garson for $800.

The lot of land and wharf premises at Indiantown, known as the Bedroom were also sold at auction in connection with the closing of the estate of Tapley Brothers. The property was offered subject to a mortgage of $3,000 and interest and before the bidding commenced C. F. Sanford gave notice that John A. Gregory held an agreement with Tapley Brothers to take 50,000 yards of stone off the Smith property at 7 1-2 cents a yard and this he intends to enforce. The property was knocked down to W. E. Golding for $4,800 above the mortgage.

George McKean, lumber dealer of King street, has an option on the property of I. O. Prescott at Albert comprising about 20,000 acres and including valuable timber limits and mills. It is said that J. L. Peck of Hillsboro, and J. N. Smith of Coverdale are interested as well.

Referring to St. John, the Financial Post of Canada says: A new building is to be erected by the Bank of British North America on the corner of Dock street and Market square. The present building will be torn down this winter, and a handsome structure erected in the spring. The Merchants Bank of Canada, which has purchased a building on the corner of Prince William and Church streets, will completely remodel the structure in the spring, providing itself with more commodious quarters.

A syndicate in which St. John investors are interested has purchased 90 acres within the town limits of Moncton, most of it surveyed into streets and part having buildings already erected. The deal is said to be the largest one in city property that has yet taken place in the province. There is great activity in real estate in Moncton at the present time.

There have been inquiries recently concerning the prospect for establishing a shoe factory at St. John, and also an excelsior factory. The erection of a paper bag mill near the pulp mill at St. George is now under consideration. The new underwear factory at Moncton is expected to be in operation by the middle of December. The carding machines are already in operation in the main mill, which is a four-story structure 165x35 feet. Another building 100x65 feet, is nearing completion. This factory will use natural gas as its source of power.

Labor is so scarce at St. John at present that the company constructing the new elevators for the Canadian Pacific are advertising for both carpenters and laborers. They are erecting a boarding house to accommodate from 450 to 500 men.

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DEATHS

CALHOUN—At Rothesay (N. B.), on Wednesday, November 20, 1912, after a short illness, Captain Henry A. Calhoun, in the 90th year of his age.

FOWLIE—In this city, on the 20th inst., Julia Catherine, wife of Emisa Fowlie, leaving her husband, five sons and four daughters to mourn. (New Hampshire and Maine papers please copy.)

WATTERS—Entered into rest on the 20th inst., at her residence, 37 Cranston avenue, Annie G., beloved wife of Everett H. Watters, aged 32 years, leaving besides her husband, one child, father, mother, one brother and two sisters to mourn.

DOHERTY—In this city, on the 22nd inst., Phillip Hughes Doherty, leaving one brother and five sisters to mourn. (Dundalk Democrat and Dublin papers please copy).

DOIG—In this city, on the 22nd inst., Elizabeth, wife of David B. Doig, entered into rest.

HANFORD—At the family residence, Hampton (N. B.), on Thursday, Nov. 21, Margaret Louise, daughter of the late Thomas Hanford, of St. John (N. B.)

DUNCAN—In this city, on Nov. 22, Mary A., widow of George Duncan, aged 95 years, leaving four sons to mourn.

McMILLAN—In Fairville, on Nov. 24, Phoebe, widow of Robert McMillan, aged 82 years.

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JUDGE INCENSED

Scores Defendant's Attorney for Article in Union Magazine Criticizing the Court Proceedings—Woman Writer Termed an Anarchist by the Prosecutor.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 22—Explosions on non-union iron works in Milwaukee (Wis.); Omaha (Neb.), and Springfield (Mass.), were explained by Ortie E. McManigal at the "dynamite conspiracy" trial today as having been done by him shortly before he and James B. McNamara, arriving in Detroit to "clean up" that city were arrested with suit cases filled with dynamite.

For weeks before his arrest, he testified, he had observed he was being followed and had seen strange heads dodging around the corners of elevator shafts in the Iron Workers' headquarters in Indianapolis. "I told James B., before we started for Detroit that William J. Burns had detectives after us, that detectives were even coming up near the vault where we stored the dynamite, and that one of them followed me on the street when I was going with a suit case of dynamite to blow up the South Chicago job," said McManigal.

"McNamara said, if we saw any more of them we would go to Chicago and rent a room next to Burns' office, put an electric wire through the wall and arrange to set off from our room a bomb in Burns' desk when he was sitting there. That would make an end of our troubles with him, he said. I told him I didn't think we would do anything of the kind, or ever get near Burns."

That was April 5, 1911, McManigal said. He and McNamara were arrested seven days later.

Indianapolis, Nov. 23—Imprisonment of Herbert S. Hockin, one of the chief defendants, in default of an increased bond, which was required by the court, "because he had deceived everyone;" the denouncement by the district-attorney of a woman writer in the court room as an "anarchist," and a repudiation by attorneys for the defence of some of the acts of the defendants were among sensational incidents at the "dynamite conspiracy" trial today.

Hockin was declared to have been in the employ of detectives soon after the Los Angeles Times explosion. He was also accused of having told a witness of overhearing John J. McNamara talk to President Lynch, of the International Typographical Union, "about an explosion on the Pacific coast."

Miss Mary Field, of New York, was branded by the district-attorney as an "anarchist who ought to be excluded from the court room," for certain articles she published concerning the trial in the union magazine.

All of the officials of the union now on trial, including Frank M. Ryan, the president; J. T. Butler, of Buffalo, vice-president; M. J. Young, of Boston, and P. A. Cooley, of New Orleans, were denounced for publishing what the court said was "an outrageous contempt of court."

No sooner had the court spoken than Senator Kern and William N. Harding, among the attorneys for the defence, arose and said they had not been consulted about publishing the article criticizing the trial, and that they disavowed the sentiments expressed in the article.

Scores Attorneys.

Pointing to the table where sat about ten attorneys for the defence, Judge Anderson said: "He had in mind certain persons who represented themselves to be attorneys and if I learn it to be true, things which I have learned these attorneys said, the arm of the law will deal heavily with them."

An extract from Miss Field's article referred to the court proceedings: "On Oct. 6 these forty-five defendants walked into court. Then began the farce of the trial, a trial in which money, prestige, power, was the prosecutor of want and obscurity—a trial in which the steel trust masquerades as the government."

The magazine had been published a few days ago and was circulated in the court room.

"In view of Mr. Jewel's testimony about Hockin and in view of what has happened here today, I wish to ask the court to increase to $20,000 not only the bonds of Hockin but of all the defendants who are members of the union's executive board," said District-Attorney Miller, after the jury had retired.

Judge Anderson said: "I did not intend to take any notice of the articles read to the jury, but since they have been referred to I will say I never heard of such an outrageous contempt of court. I will increase Hockin's bond. The evidence has shown that he is a man who cannot be trusted by anybody at any time of the day. He has betrayed every person with whom he has had to deal, but as it is Saturday I will not consider increasing the bonds of the others. Hockin will be taken into custody."

THE NEW HOUSE KEEPING PROBLEM of the PAID DOMESTIC WORKER

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THE BUSINESS RELATION

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Objection has been taken to the statement made last week that girls in domestic service prefer to have the agreement between themselves and their women employers more of a business arrangement than it is at present. The objection is, briefly, that the present arrangement, partly business and partly one of guarding authority on the part of the woman employer, is of greater advantage to the domestic worker. Does the domestic sometimes suffer a business injustice because the man of the house and the woman of the house have no clear idea of what the home-help business relation really is? The following story answers this question. It was told, not by the girl who suffered the injustice, but by the woman employer when she was old enough to recognize how unjust and unbusinesslike she had been.

The woman said that when she was first married the household consisted of her husband, herself and one maid. Her husband was away all day. The woman spent the best part of her time at her mother's. As a consequence, the maid did the work, ordered the provisions, planned the meals and stayed in the house every day but one in the week. One day when the woman came home the girl said that she must go out for a little while and please to come with her. She had been so much indoors and so much alone that she did not know what she would do if she stayed indoors alone any longer. The woman went out with the girl, but she did not understand that some change should be made in the household arrangements. Things went on as before. In the evenings the husband and wife frequently went out together, leaving the house in charge of the girl. One night when they came home late they found the girl asleep with her head on the dining-room table. She was tired out. It was summer and the doors and windows were open. The husband was so angry when he found his property not under what he considered proper surveillance that he woke the girl and discharged her on the spot. The woman who told the story said that the girl was the best maid she had ever had She never knew what had become of the girl. But when she learned more of how households ought to be managed she was ashamed, and has always wished that she could tell the girl how sorry she was for having treated her so unfairly. This kind of story would not be true if there was a proper business arrangement between the girl and her woman employer. We may as well acknowledge the fact that there are Canadian households in which such harmful misconceptions as this prevail concerning the work a girl ought to do and the kind of life she ought to lead.

THE SUPPLY OF GIRLS

Let us consider the supply of girls on which Canadian households are able to draw for their home help. Typical Canadian households report that in the last twenty years the supply of native born Canadian girls has very largely diminished. Canadian girls do sometimes enter household work, but now only in rare instances. The daughters of Canadian farmers no longer are available in any appreciable number for house work. Our Canadian women managing households could count on strong, willing, good-hearted, capable Canadian girls who knew little, except to be splendidly clean in their work, but who could be taught. They were independent, sometimes saucy without meaning to be, headstrong, and not well trained. But they wanted to learn, and to see what city homes were like. Where are they now, these Canadian girls? They have gone into factories and shops. They are stenographers and bookkeepers. They have gone west, but not to become home helps.

The supply which is available is largely drawn from England, Scotland and Ireland, Norway, Sweden and Finland. It is on the whole a supply of good quality. A large percentage of these girls is well trained. They come to Canada, stay in house work a little while, then a large number of them enter other occupations. The woman employer finds that some former maid of her own who is now a telephone operator, perhaps, calling in a friendly manner—for many Canadian women do keep the friendship of their former maids—advises the present domestic paid worker to leave housework. It is an occupation beneath a girl in Canada. That is a wrong view of life, of course, but it is a very influential view as stated by the Canadian girl who was once in house work herself. The girl from the Old Country has to adjust herself to life in Canada. Is it any wonder that in this land of promise she begins to think that house work as an occupation is socially undesirable? The problem of Canadian women with households is to re-organize household work in such a way that it will come into its own as the best wage-earning occupation for women.

THE SOCIAL STATUS

The question of the social status of the paid domestic worker is more serious than at present realized. Perhaps the following incident will help Canadian women to see what threatens the household if we acquiesce in the estimating of domestic work as the most undesirable occupation from a social point of view for women in Canada. A woman in one of our Canadian cities asked a settlement worker in that city if she knew of any girl who would like a good position as a maid. The reply of the settlement worker was that she could take no interest in any girl who had so little ambition to better herself as to enter domestic service. Understand what this means. Nothing is too good for our homes. The best must be kept for home life. Shall we allow the girls who live in our households to be described as undesirable socially? If we are so foolish and so wrong we will pay the severest penalty. It is not possible for any member of a household to be placed at a disadvantage without the whole household losing something. One does not mean to say that this penalty has begun to be paid in Canada. But this is the direction in which the Canadian household will have to pay. The settlement worker referred to above was quite within her rights when she chose to limit her social activities to girls who were ambitious to get on in the world. Where we have made the mistake has been to allow anyone—settlement worker or anyone else—to rate the domestic worker as a girl not anxious to get on and not capable of becoming the best type of a Canadian woman citizen. This end we must work for, or our homes will be sorry.

But the settlement worker never saw Caroline Dill who came from one of the St. Lawrence counties, did house work as a paid domestic worker for ten years, then married an Ontario farmer, and now visits her former woman employer clad in black silk, with a long gold watch chain and white kid gloves. Caroline is one of the most successful farmer's wives of Ontario. The settlement worker does not know Mary Train who came from Monmouthshire, was in house work four years, and married a man who works in a foundry. They have a little home and two of the finest, fattest babies belonging to any home in the city where they live. This is the kind of future to which any paid domestic worker can aspire. Is there anything the matter with this which would justify the social disability of the domestic worker? Quite the contrary. The writer would like to know if already in the present discussion the problem of the paid domestic worker has not begun to alter its aspect.

IN THE COURTS

Saturday, Nov. 23.

In the probate court yesterday in the matter of the estate of Mrs. Mary A. Pope, widow, Theophilus Marshall, of St. John, moulder, the executor filed his accounts with a petition for passing them and for order for distribution. A citation was issued returnable on Monday, December 23 at 11 a.m. Francis Kerr is proctor.

The court took up the matter of the estate of Eldon Clayton DeWare, tugboat captain. He died intestate on November 4, 1912.