MYSTERY IN MURDER OF 2 CHINAMEN

Winnipeg Chink Was Steamers Encounter Brutally Slain

One Theory is That Crime is Tobasco Tossed About For the Work of High-

binders

WINNIPEG, Dec. 20.—The brutal murder of two Chinamen in their laun- the ferry yesterday afternoon and evedry on North Main street last evening | ning expecting to board the Empres is puzzling the police today, and all of Britain met with a big disappointclues so far obtainable indicate that not to allow persons to pass. Hunthe terrible deed was committed by dreds tried in vain to get aboard, but nighbinders. The victims of the tra- only a few were able to enter the big gedy were Kung How and Chung steamship and that after much diffi-Lung, two coast Chinamen who arrived here from Vancouver about two ried a little too far, persons having months ago and opened a laundry in business on board in most instances, an old shack, where they have since not being allowed to pass.

The deed is marked by the cool nerve of the murderers, who defied the prob- and Tobasco. ability of being caught red handed in bloody work by striking down their vicitms shortly after nine o'clock, at an hour when patrons of the laundry might be expected to call. Both men had been knocked down with an axe and their throats had been cut with a butcher knife. The till and trunks on the premises had been rifled, but money which the men had on them had not been taken, which would indicate that robbery was not the sole prose of the murders. This makes the police believe that the highbinders

were responsible for the crime. The murder was first discovered about eleven o'clock by a man who called for a parcel of laundry. The strange fact about it all is that yes terday was the anniversary of a similar brutal murder of two Chinamen in the same locality, when robbery was believed to have been the motive

HOUSE OF COMMONS

Parliament Concluded its Labors Saturday-New Laws on Books

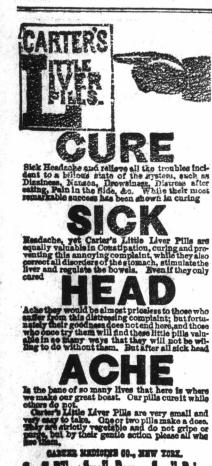
LONDON, Dec. 19.—So far as practi-The two houses will meet again gress is being made. on Monday, but only to receive the

ing the year, but of the ten important storms as the season advances. measures foreshadowed in the King's speech only five find a place on the

These are the old age pension bill; the Irish Universities bill, to which assent was given before adjournment for the summer vacation, and measures fixing eight hours as the time miners shall work under ground; providing for the purchase of \$115,000,000 of the London docks and placing them under central authority, and a bill for the

JOSIE CARR RELEASED

TORONTO, Dec. 20 .- Josie Carr, young Toronto girl sent to Toronto penitentiary four years ago, has been released and handed over to the care of the Sisters of Charity. Her crime was wheeling a baby carriage with a baby in it away from the front of Maton's and rolling the poor little thing down the hill, killing it. Josie money by stealing baby carriages or anything else that was lying



MARINERS SAY STORMS WORST IN MANY YEARS

Wretched Weather

16½ Days and the Parthenia For 15 Days

The big crowd that went across on ment, for the officers had strict orders culty. In fact, the orders were car

Other steamers now in port are the Manchester Mariner, Yola, Parthenia

The Empress of Britain was not the only steamer to encounter heavy seas and rough weather, for the Furness Line steamer Tobasco, in command of Captain Yeomans, had its share. The boat met a succession of storms and hurricanes and experienced one of the worst passages that any steamer running to this port this season has yet met with. She arrived at Halifax on Thursday evening after being out sixteen and a half days from the other On Friday she sailed for this port, docking at Pettingill's wharf at

seven o'clock last evening. The Cobasco did not come through the storms without mishap. She had her railing badly smashed, ventilators washed away, and one of her lifeboats damaged to some extent. The latter was lifted out of the davits by the

heavy seas and dashed on deck. The Tabasco certainly had a rough trip. Hurricanes came one after another and the daily mileago was slow. She sails again for the old country on Tuesday. Overdue several days the Donaldson

liner Parthenia, from Glasgow, arrived at this port yesterday and docked on this side at 10 o'clock. The Parthenia met with many storms. She took fifteen days to make the trip across, leaving Glasgow on December 5. The steamer brings a large general

cargo, included in that being thirtyone horses, which will be forwarded today over the Intercolonial. Also on board were 1,000 tons of coal. Although the steamer arrived at 10 discharging her cargo was not started on Sunday, the cal work is concerned, the first session sanctity of the day being observed. of parliament under the premiership of However, shortly after midnight a Herbert Asquith came to an end to- gang were put at work and much pro-

King's assent to bills already passed, be on the Atlantic during the past few equipped but five hours had elapsed after which they will be prorogued unweeks declare that the storms and weeks declare that the storms and before the scene of the tragedy was the Patriot today resulted in the in-Many minor laws were enacted dur- before. Some look for even worse

C. P. R. line steamer Menmouth, for Liverpool and Bristol, took away Canadian goods valued at \$195,931, and foreign goods valued at \$75,568, making a total of \$271,499. Her wheat shipments are 79,982 bushels

Furness line steamer Kanawha, for London, took away Canadian goods valued at \$108,955. Included in her cargo are 70,021 bushels of wheat. C. P. R. line steamer Lake Michigan, from Antwerp, is not expected to reach St. John before Monday evening.

CASTORIA The Kind You Have Always Bought

NO SMALLPOX NOW

EDMUNDSTON, N. B., Dec. 19-During the early part of the fall an epidemic of smalloox broke out at Ed- fugitives in irons by tomorrow mornmundston, N. B., and at one time some- | ing. what slarmed the residents of the town Foster Netified as over one hundred cases were reported. Energetic steps were at once Dr. Laporte, the medical health officer, once with Commissioner Farris and and it is to their credit that the town immediately headed a party in search was raised some days ago and no new cases have since been reported. Albe of a malignant type and at no time during the epidemic were any deaths reported due to smallpox, the authorities recognized the great importance of taking every means to stamp out the epidemic and keep it under control, as there is a large transient population in the town and vicinity at the present time, it being one of the centres of ago, accompanied by his Hebrew tinental Railway. For a few weeks business was affected, but it has now esumed active proportions.

OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 20.-Mr. R. L. Borden's election expenses in Carleton, as filed by his financial agent, amount- had evidently been notified in some ed to only \$72.50. Travelling and hotel | way of the approaching visits of Breen expenses were \$2.50 and printing and and his companion, as they had made rent of halls cost \$35 each. It is said every preparation for a hasty departhis constitutes a record for inexpen- ture, the object of which in the fatality

PAT GREEN, PEDDLER, SLAIN BY 2 ITALIANS NEAR PLASTER ROCK

Shot Down While Walking Along Track With Companion

Shot Fired at Latter, but He Escapes and Gives Alarm

Dead Man Robbed of Muney and Jewelry, Which Murderers Hide

Posse Discovers Booty and Country is Being Scoured for Outlaws

PLASTER ROCK, Dec. 20.-At a onely point on the Grand Trunk Pacific's line of construction seven miles from here Patrick Green, a peddler, of Craig street, Montreal, was this morning murdered and his pack rifled by two Italian laborers whose names are at present unknown. The boodle of the murderers has been discovered practically intact, but their whereeabouts are still a matter of much concern to the posses that are scouring the country in an effort to secure their

Near Headquarters The tragody occurred one mile west

Looted the Body

of Resident Engineer A. J. MacDonald's headquarters on the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific. Green, accompanied by a Jew companion, was walking along the right of way in the direction of Plaster Rock at ten o'clock this morning when two Italians appeared from the bush. The shorter of these, who is described as wearing a blue sweater and cap, discharged the right barrel of the shotgun he carried, the ball taking imnediate effect in the breast of Green, The next shot was directed at the Jew. It plunged through his clothing but only succeeded in grazing the skin.

The Italians then looted the body and pack of the murdered peddler and fied with their boodle into the woods. The escaping Jew ran seven miles to this village, where the first news of the murder was received.

Mariners who were unfortunate to A posse was hastily organized and Easily Traceable

The course of the murderer and his of the paper to pi. companion was easily traceable in the light snow. It described a wide pages of the paper were being sent

been wrenched out, but the two lowest, locked when found, had evidently the fugitives to open. When finally drawn they were found to contain thirty watches and eleven hundred ionlars ir. cash, the anticipated booty of the Italians. Some few hundred ards further on was discovered the gun of the murderer Midden beneath a fallen log.

Reached Portage Road Continuing its search the party final-

y reached the Poltage Road, but here the trail ended in the hard beaten track that lay before it. The capture of the murderer with his companion is, however, regarded as only a matter of time. Tonight four posses are touring the country in every direction. They are to converge to a point near Gilmour Brown's camp, and will probably succeed in having the

Chief of Police Foster, of the Grand taken by the mayor and council and of the tragedy. He communicated at of any contagious disease. The quar- dover sent out from Perth a posse in charge of Constable Myles MacRae, while a number of men headed by Ofthough the disease did not appear to gan. Policeman Gallagher of Fredericficer Bishop set out from Watskehegton has been dispatched to Stanley and is proceeding northward along the right of way, accompanied by a number of constables.

The murdered peddler was about forty years of age and was well known in Montreal, where he is said to have Together they have followed the Grand Trunk's line of construction disposing of their wares

The identity of the Italians can not at this time of writing be ascertained. They are known, however, to have been employed at Johnson's lumber camp. being paid off as recently as last Saturday. One of the fugitives is said to be unusually tall, while the other is of shorter and more solid build. They sive campaigns in the recent elections. of today is now only too apparent.



PROVINCIAL NEWS

CAMPBELLTON, N. B., Dec. 17.—Between 6 and 7 o'clock this morning, ing. shortly after Oswald Ray arose, he heard cries of a young infant and on an application for writ of prohibition opening the door found, in half a telescope valise, a well wrapped infant Riverside from trying a charge of aschild about four days old. Alongside sault preferred by Miles Dixon against the infant was a bottle of milk and a Peck, who is stipendiary magistrate of day.

of this town. Mr. Ray at once 'phoned Chief of Police Crawford, who immediately went down to investigate matters. The and Peck appointed in his place, that chief notified the chairman of the poor committee of the find and on Mrs. David Comley, caretaker of the police straightened out

child.

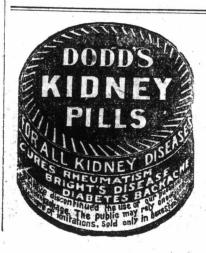
CHARLOTTETOWN, Dec. 17-An ac- of the police. Conviction was confirm- uary seventh. cident in the mechanical department of ed. jury of a fifteen year old boy named John Croken and reducing two pages

wire cable which does the hoisting tained the conviction. Five miles along the road taken by parted close to the box containing the In ex parte Horseman, Leger and out of the way the box struck him, knocking hime unconscious, breaking his arm in two places, dislocating his collar bone and cutting his head.

FREDERICTON, N. B. Dec. 18. -The Supreme Court met at eleven o'clock this morning with Judges Barker, Gregory, and White in attendance, and delivered judgment in a number of cases tried at the Michaelmas term. Several Moncton and Fredericton Scott Act cases were in the list, and in every case the points at issue were decided against the defendants.

The decision of the police magistrate

sustaining the conviction. He agreed with the opinion of the police magistrate that Schenc beer is a malt liquor and the evidence of analyst Paddock that it contains three per cent.



Ex parte Elson E. Peck. This was to prevent Daniel J. Stewart, J. P., of letter addressed to a prominent citizen | Hopewell. Court held that there was no ground for assumption that because Stewart was dismissed from the office of stipendiary magistrate of Hopewell he was biased against Peck, and discharged the rule.

King vs. Kay, ex parte Wilson. This station, consenting to take care of the was an application to quash a convicchild, it was felt best to allow her to tion under the Canada Temperance defendant was that the police magis-The letter found on the baby would trate was a member of the police comindicate a mistake had been made in mission of Moncton and had to do to another individual who lives nearby, the information. The Chief Justice in fair passed off very successfully. The letter stated where to send the delivering the judgment claimed that as a member of the police commission, Kay was not responsible for the acts to the country for re-election on Jan-

Ex parte Nugent. Defendant in this case is a clerk in a Moncton drug store and sold spirits of juniper to one Spence on a doctor's prescription. The Whilst the forms containing two liquor was for Spence's wife and evidetour returning to what is known as down from the composing room in the twice by Nugent, Court held that the dence showed that it had been filled the Portage Road, at a point but one third story of the building through a prescription did not comply with the mile and a half from the place of the long shute into the press room, the letter of the spirit of the law and sus-

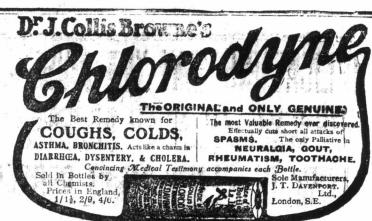
> be removed. Court unanimously confirmed conviction

In the case of the Anderson Furni- city would make. ture Company, of Newcastle, the court held that the payment of the now over

MONCTON, N. B., Dec. 18-After all the constables in Harcourt had of Frederiction declaring Schenck beer Shirley, who was terrorizing the peopositively refused to arrest Edward against him. Clerk of the peace at highly thought of in the community. charge of adultery against him. Shirley is a married man but is not living spected resident of Nelson, committed of ill-health. in company with another woman. GLACE BAY, N. S., Dec. 18-The

Globe Laundry building here was completely destroyed by fire about 4.30 this morning, and two small buildings adjoining were slightly damaged. The total loss will be about \$8,000. laundry property was practically all covered by insurance. The origin of the fire is unknown. The building occupied by the laundry company is owned by Mrs. Northrup, of Halifax.

MONCTON, N. B., Dec. 18-Revised returns secured by the Transcript, show that the Scott Act was retained in Westmorland election yesterday



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ith a majority of one short of seven, suicide by hanging this morning. Her nundred, the exact figures being 699, body was found by her daughter about The city and parish of Moncton gave 11 o'clock. Coroner Desmond of New-829 majority for the Act and the re- castle was summoned at once, and mainder of the county went slightly in after holding an investigation decided The results as revised are as fol-

Moncton parish, 345 against 548 for. Sackville parish, 263 against 602 for. Shediac parish, 792 against 118 for. Botsford parish, 353 against 284 for Salisbury parish, 90 against 485 for.

Totals, 3229 against, 3928 for. Majority for Scott Act. 699 SYDNEY, N. S., Dec. 18.-Steamers skin and flesh was removed from just Striklestad and Falco, from Glasgow, obove the elbows and clear around the cotland, with general cargo for the back of the head. As quickly as possi-Dominion Iron and Steel Company, ble the injured woman was removed to are not yet reported and some anxiety. Dr. Deacon's private hospital and at is expressed regarding them. The for- this time there are hopes of the replacmer is twenty-five days out and the ed scalp reuniting with the head and latter twenty, where the usual length the unfortunate victim's life being savof passage is fourteen days.

SYDNEY, N. S., Dec. 18-John M. atteman, chief officer of the American fishing schooner Robin Hood, and whelming support given the Scott Act six men of the crew arrived here last in Thursday's election and the Supreme evening from Bay of Islands, New- court upholding every judgment of oundland, and have made applicathe local court in Scott act cases, the tion to American Consul Kehel for outlook is a dismal one for local liquor assistance. The Robin Hood is a ves- dealers, and leading hotel men state sel of 82 tons register, hails from East- today that all the principal city hotels port, Maine, and is owned by the Ly- would close up within a very short ons Fish Company, of that city. The schooner left Bay of Islands on herst hotels some time ago. Judgments

heavy storm during the following day this week makes it possiblye that sevwhich before many hours caused such eral leading city hotel men who have damage that the vessel sprung a leak. After hanging to their vessel until Friday morning the captain and crew were obliged to abandon her and shortly after leaving her deeks the ressel was practically a total wreck. The crew were in a destitute condition on their arrival here. They are being cared for by United States Consul Kehel and will be sent home to-

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Dec. 18-At the last Federal election Warburton and Prowse redeemed Queens County from the Conservatives, whilst Bears the in the local election Premier Haszard and D. P. Irving carried the fourth district of Queens by the largest majority in the history of that usually close constituency. Last night the Libdo so until such time as matters are Act. One of the grounds urged by the erals of that district celebrated their victory by a banquet tendered the above four successful candidates in the C. M. B. hall at Vernon river leaving it at Mr. Ray's house, as the with appointing the policemen who Prominent members of the party were letter was not addressed to him but had made a seizure of liquor and laid present from many points and the af-Hon. John Richards, newly appointed Commissioner of Agriculture, goes

HALIFAX, N. S., Dec. 18 .- The C. P. R. liner Empress of Britain arrived at eleven o'clock tonight after six days' battle with Atlantic gales. The Empress brought 651 passengers, the largest of the season, and over three thousand packages of mails, the larg-

this port. MONCTON, Dec. 18 .- The City Counthe fleeting Italians the jewelry case of two forms. The latter, weighed in all Hodges-Points on these cases which tion of the White Candy Company for the peddler was found covered with about 200 pounds, came down the shute are against Moncton parties were sim- the removal of their factory from St. brush. The upper crawers of this had with great velocity into the press room. ilar to those raised in the Lindsay John to Moneton. The latest modified Croken, who is employed in Mitchell's cases except that they were also proposal is the city to guarantee \$20,job printing office, happened to be near- charged with selling Nova Scotia ale 000 bords and fix assessments at \$10,resisted every attempt on the part of by engaged in drawing a bucket of and stout. The Chief Justice remarked 000 for twenty years. The council, afwater from a tap. Before he could get that there was evidence both ways in ter discussing the matter, unanimousregard to these beverages, but he ly rejected the proposal to guarantes. thought that under no circumstances the tonds and decided to submit an-alecould the conviction of the magistrate ternative proposal to grant exemption. from taxation, free light, water, etc. This appeared to be the best offer the

est lot of British mails ever landed at

The temperance people tonight held another jubilation over the Scott Act edition of any paper to be printed in due instalment of the loan to the town victory in the form of a parade in this city. In the absence of Mr. Munand the interest thereon would satisfy which a large number of boys and sey, the owner, Louis M. Duvall, the the mortgage and it should be dis- girl, took part, marching through the business manager, expressed himself as principal streets. The city schools closed today for the

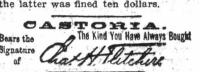
Christmas holicays. AMHERST, Dec. 18.-Citizens of Amto be intoxicating was upheld and a sale of liquor made by a Moncton druggist on a doctor's prescription was came in contact, the desperado was fiheld to be a violation of the Scott nally landed by I. C. R. Special Agent his life by taking paris green. Mr. Act. Following is a list of the cases Williams and Inspector Tingley, to Bishop had been in poor health for whom complaint was made by the sta- some time and unable to work, and re-Exparte W. A. Lingley and Lloyd tion agent at Harcourt, who said Shir-cently was told by his physician that Belyea. This was an application to ley was creating a disturbance on I. the trouble was cancer of the stomach quash a conviction made ,by Police C. R. property. Acting on this informand that nothing could be done for Magistrate Marsh of Fredericton in the place of Shirleys at four o'clock him. This with the fact that his wife September last, against the defendants tre place of Shirleys at four o'clock is also in very poor health no doubt for selling Schenck beer. Court was this morning and after some parley preyed upon his mind and dreve him asked to quash conviction on several and words with the much looked for to the rash act. He became suddenly grounds, the principal one of which man, succeeded in landing him, al- ill late last evening and would give no was that the beverage was bought and though he barricaded himself in the information regarding the nature of sold as non-intoxicating. The Chief attic of his house. He was brought be- his sufferings. On search they found Justice delivered judgment of the court fore Magistrate Wathen at Harcourt, a broken package of paris green in his where he was found guilty and a fine pocket and at once sent for a doctor, of fifty dollars or six months in jail who put the stomach pump into active imposed on him. It is probable he will operation. Mr. Bishop is resting quiet serve the sentence, while in the mean- and it is now thought that he will retime, other charges will be made cover. Mr. Bishop and his family are Harcourt has been asked to lay a NEWCASTLE, Dec. 18.—Mrs. John

that a regular inquest was unnecessary. The deceased had been suffering for years with an illness which gave her much pain and caused temporary derangement. She was sixty years old and is survived by a husband, two daughters and one son

ST. STEPHEN, Dec. 19.-A. serious Westmorland parish, 43 against 289 accident occurred late Friday afternoon to Mrs. Hugh McLeod, an employe in the cotton mill at Milltown, While at some rapidly moving machinery and her scalp was torn from her head. The

MONCTON, Dec. 19.-With the overtime following the example of Am-December seventh and encountered a handed down in the Supreme Court as yet escaped the penalty will be obliged to go to fail for Scott Act vio-

The police have started a crusade against the selling of tobacco, notably cigarettes to minors. A few evening ago a fourteen year old caught smox ing a cigarette was taken to fail and obliged to tell where he got the forbidden weed. He named Charles Jones and in the police court this morning the latter was fined ten dollars.



BOSTON, Dec. 19.-Max E. Hyman. aged 19 years, of 18 Allen street, Bos ton, was brought here from New York. where he was arrested by Inspector Waite, and is being held on the charge of forging and uttering a check and for fraudulently obtaining entertainment at the Parker House in this city. Hyman is alleged to have forged the name of the King Fur Company of Previdence, R. I., to a check for \$61, payable to one Robert Morgan at the Westminster Bank in Providence. The check was passed on Robert R. Herman of Boston on November 13.

About the same date Hyman is alleged to have stopped at the Parker House and secured entertainment fraudulently.

BALTIMORE'S FIRST SUNDAY NEWSPAPER

BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 20. - The first Sunday afternoon issue of the Baltimore News appeared today and was the first regular Sunday afternoon delighted with the success of the issue as to both circulation and advertising, The paper appeared in 16-page form, and is identical in appearance and, as nearly as possible, in contents, with the regular week-day editions.

SENATOR COX ENGAGED

TORONTO, Dec. 20.-The Sunday World announces the engagement of Senator Cox to Miss Amy Sterling, daughter of City Auditor Walter Ster-

DEATH OF HENRY TEAKLES

SUSSEX, N. B., Dec. 20.—Susser again mourns the loss of an estimable man in the death of Henry Teakles, which occurred tast evening at 9 o'clock at the home of J. A. Humphrey, who is a cousin, and where deceased had been residing of late. 'Deceased, who died of chronic bronchitis, was 68 years of age, and had to retire from business six years ago on account



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