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# ST. JOHN SEMI-WEEKLY SUN

ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY MAY 9, 1906.

Or Carry on Any Other Business in Their Spare Time Charles L. Spier, Prominent New York Financier, and -Parliament by a Straight Party Vote Approves Hon. A. B. Aylesworth's Action in Continuing His Professional Work.

" (Special to the Sun.) ing the Grand Trunk Pacific to issue twenty-five millions for rolling stock was given a third reading. To a bill for the incorporation of the

Grand Trunk Pacific Telegraph Company Mr. Borden made the objection that this company proposed to do something for which the Grand Trunk Pacific railway had been incorporated to do. To incorporate this company might deprive the G. T. P. of profitable business and weaken the security of the government. The promoters behind the G. T. P. project might find it conven-ient to organize separate companies to carry on express, sleeping car, dining car, branch line or any one of a dozen businesses which the present G. T. P. company was authorized to carry on. Mr. McCarthy, in whose name the bill

ment or the deputy head of a department to practice law.

Mr. Lennox resumed his criticism of Mr. Aylesworth for continuing to appear as counsel before the suprement court while postmax of the suprement of the was calculated to demoralize the courts to have men practicing before the bar who controlled the advancement of the men on the bench. As the result of this and similar acts by ministers of the trown, Canada had a commercialized bench.

There were judges who were silent partners in business, who were racing in business by the postmaster general, who continued while a minister of the crown to practice his profession.

Hon. Mr. Fitzpatrick said the position of the judges and of civil servants was entirely different from that of a minister of the crown. They were provided for from appointment to the grave. A minister held this position at the hazard of political fortune. To adopt the resolution would be to treat lawyers in an exceptional manner. Traders, manufacturers, farmers, journalists and medical men after entering the government could continue in their business or profession.

that while Mr. Lennox in his speech once ceased could again recover his had mentioned constitutional reasons business. and high principles against a minister Mr. Fitzpatrick asked if there was practicing law he had not seen fit to any reason for singling out a lawyer place any of these things in his resolu- who happened to be minister for tion, which only asked the house to harsher treatment than men in other declare it inexpedient for a minister lines of business. Mr. Fitzpatrick did to practice the profession of law. If not think the house would agree to this. It were inexpedient, Mr. Aylesworth said, for a lawyer in the government solution was illegal. to practice his profession, it should be Mr. Fitzpatrick moved in amendment inexpedient also for journalists to give that in the opinion of the house public up writing editorials and the husiness should have the first claim Lennox had asked the house to declare the business of the country should ment should give to the performance have the first claim upon his services. If a minister of the crown discharged the duties of his office it was no one's business what he did with his spare

It was no one's business whether such a minister gave his spare time to golf or something else. In this matter the public had no more regard than whether a minister took a pork chop or beef steak for breakfast. Mr. Aylesworth said it was not true he had not been alluded to. The law or-gan of Ontario said a minister of the Peter Britt inmates in the house and

who was a member of the cabinet, sat OTTAWA, May 7.-The bill authoriz- upon appeals, colonial and imperial, and was speaker of the house of lords. Peers sat on the bench and made political speeches in the house of lords. Judges were in an independent posi-tion and not to be influenced by a member of parliament and a minister appearing before him. The govern-ment did not fix judges' salaries. That was done by parliament. The government controlled appointment and promotion. It was a calumny to intimate that judges were hanging on the skirts of any minister for promotion.

Mr. Aylesworth said he had made up his mind when entering the cabinet to take no more cases and appear only in those for which he has accepted retainers, cases which he could not get rid of without breach of faith. That was what he had done.

stood, said the C. P. R. had separate companies to carry on its telegraph and its express business. The Grand Trunk's express business was carried presented business are carried lawyers on appointment to the government of the companies of the carried lawyers on appointment to the government of the carried lawyers on appointment to the government of the carried lawyers on appointment to the government of the carried lawyers on appointment to the government of the carried lawyers on appointment to the government of the carried lawyers on appointment to the government of the carried lawyers on appointment to the carried lawyers on appointment lawyers on appointment lawyers on the carried lawyers on appointment lawy on separately.

The prime minister said the government had taken the G. T. P. branch line bill for consideration to determine whether a separate corporation should be established. The same principle seemed to be involved in this bill which he wished to have held. This was done. The house resumed the consideration of Mr. Lennox's motion declaring it inexpedient for a member of the government or the deputy head of a department to practice law.

The prime minister said the government in Canada. Ho agreed with Mr. Lennox that it was demoralizing for the bench to have a minister of the crown pructicing. There was inconsistency in the government's and Mr. Aylesworth's position. Civil servants were forbidden to engage in outside business. The postmaster of Connington had been dismissed for engaging in business by the postmaster general, who continued while a minister of the crown to practice his profession.

partners in business, who were racing business or profession and the enjoyfor trusteeships and claiming for proment of remuneration therefrom. A
fitable arbitrations. The bench had lawyer cut off from the courts had an end put to his business. It was with In reply Hon. Mr. Aylesworth said great difficulty that a lawyer having

man should give up commerce. He on the time and attention of each and would agree with the resolution if Mr. every member of the government, and that permanent officials of the governof the duties of their respective offices their whole time and attention.

The amendment carried by 99 to 54, on a straight party division. The finance minister stated the budget would not be brought down this week, and the house adjourned at 1.15.

BAWDY HOUSE RAIDED

Between one and two o'clock last he entered the cabinet. The matter White street kept by Fanny Wilkes. the mother of Willie Doherty, who In Great Britain the lord chancellor was murdered in Rockwood Park.

### Home Decorations

Everybody intending to tint or decorate his walls this spring certainly ought

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## STANDARD OIL MAGNATE MAY PRACTICE LAW MURDERED BY BURGLAR Glothing Here Each Year! To make our Men's Clothing merely good enoughed and one own?" To make our Men's Clothing merely good enoughed and one own?" To make our Men's Clothing merely good enoughed and one own?" To make our Men's Clothing merely good enoughed and one own?" To make our Men's Clothing merely good enoughed and one own?" To make our Men's Clothing merely good enoughed and one own?" To make our Men's Clothing merely good enoughed and one own?" To make our Men's Clothing merely good enoughed and one own?" To make our Men's Clothing merely good enoughed and one own?" To make our Men's Clothing merely good enoughed and one own?" To make our Men's Clothing merely good enoughed and one own."

Friend of H. H. Rogers, Shot Dead in Struggle With Midnight Marauder-May be Traced by Bloody Finger Marks.

(Special Correspondence of the Sun.) In the meantime the servants were NEW YORK, May 7.—During a aroused and sent at once for Dr. Pathis dining room Charles L. Spier of West Brighton, Staten Island, and one cal condition, of the most prominent men in the Standard Oil Company, was shot and instantly killed shortly after three o'clock this morning. Mr. Spier, who heard the burglar enter his house, arose and taking a loaded revolver from a drawer in his bed room groped his way down stairs to the dining

deathly struggle with a desperado in death had ben instantaneous. He, however, found Mrs. Spier in a criti-

his way down stairs to the dining room, where he ran into the intrduer. Mrs. Spier lay paralyzed with fright while she listened to the sounds of her husband the burglar scuffling murder was committed. H. H. Rogers, in the room beneath. Only a moment elapsed before she heard the report of the revolver and arousing herself rushed down stairs, only to find the dead body of her husband lying across the doorway. Beside him was his revolver.

The murderer was nowhere to be seen.

The murderer was nowhere to be seen. company's interests.

### RAPID ERECTION ANOTHER SUDDEN OF FRAME HOUSE

Merchants Showing Undaunt- In the Varying Political Sited Energy and Pluck

Relief Subscriptions Amount to Over The Fundamental Law, Although Consid-Four Million Dollars-How Work is

SAN FRANCISCO, May 7 .- Construction of temporary frame business employment, are seeking work as labby earthquake, fire and dynamite. What is to be done with the great successors. number of men and women who canthe city officers.

municipal officials and existing committees will be directed almost solely to the work of reconstructing the city. and accomplishment will be presented to Mayor Schmitz this week.

Relief work is proceeding smoothly had an agreement with the prime minister in the subject of practice before

Between the subject of practice before discussed in the subject of practice d rations in future will be dealt out. The railroad ticket line at Franklin Hall crown had the right to practice his arrested them. The Doherty woman is jous day since the railways announctoday was longer than on any preved that free transportation would be given to outside points to deserving persons. The increase in the number of applications was due to the order issued by the railways that all free transportation would cease after May

> The rule of helping women and children will not be changed, but they must show that they will be properly provided for at their places of destin-

"The new San Francisco should be built within a year of the beginning of he had consulted today with the committee which has in charge preparations of general plans of rebuilding. "The tall building is the building for San Francisco," he continued. earthquake showed that there ought to be wide streets. With steel frame buildings the city will be earthquake

The finance committee today reported that the amount of relief subscriptions confirmed today was \$4,406,248.

### 13 CASES OF SMALLPOX AT UPPER MILLS, N. B.

CALAIS, Me., May 6.—Thirteen cases of smallpox were reported today at Upper Mills, N. B., opposite Baring, Among those afflicted are Mr. and children. Waters recently returned ST. JOHN, N B. from a lumber camp and a stapped have brought the disease with him. rom a lumber camp and is supposed to

# **CHANGE OCCURS**

uation in Russia

ent Basis of the State.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 8, 4.20 a m.- Another of the kaleidoscopic buildings proceeded rapidly today in changes in the political situation to the burned district, merchants show- which Russia is becoming accustomed ing undaunted energy and pluck in an occurred late last night, when, with efforts to resume business. Thousands utter unexpectedness the draft of the of clerks, stenographers, bookkeepers, fundamental law which was supposed and other employes, as well as profes- to have perished with the Witte re- is about to materialize. sional men, finding themselves out of gime was officially promulgated and made the permanent basis of the Rusorers in clearing away the debris left sian state, unalterable except on the

Though the draft of the fundamental not get down to the level of common law has undergone considerable workmen, is a question that is puzzling changes, in essence it remains identical with the project telegraphed to the From this forward the efforts of the Associated Press on April 24, which evoked a storm of anger and condemnation by the dominant liberal party. Published at the present instant when Active sub-committees have been ap- the people had been led to believe that pointed and plans for practical work the unpopular draft had been dropped and when the dismissal of the cabinet of the authorities upon the subject of was accepted as an indication of the desire on the part of the government "Our idea," he said, "is to assist the control of the supersede it. to join hands with the national parliament, the news will arouse greater indignation and threatens to undo all the to the British fleet that a solitary work of Professor Milukoff and the constitutional democratic leaders in the

cause of moderation. The new fundamental law of the empire, signed May 5, contains eighty-two of citizens, the methods of legislation, the rights and limitations of the national assembly and council of the empire and the composition and responsibilities of the council of ministers. The only modification in the "consti-

tution" as published which meets with Cresswell has been in consultation, is favor is the elimination of the provision empowering the emperor salaries and pensions of officials, thereby subjecting even the judiciary to the the construction," said Arnold W. possibility of undue financial influence. Brunner, a New York architect, after tion of further buttressing the imperial power, protecting the crown lands ial power, protecting the crown lands and properties from interference by the parliament, and giving the emperor parliament and giving the emperor power to conclude loans independently should the parliament refuse to pass the budget.

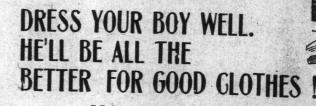
The retirement of seven members of ment of M. Schwanebach to be con- a week, will return to work on Montroller of the empire, M. Kauffman to be minister of education, M. Stichinsky to be minister of agriculture, and Mr. Chtcheglovitoff to be minister of justice, are gazetted this morning. Ministers Shipoff, Nemechaieff, Nikolasky, Obolensky and Tolstoi, whom at the last moment it was decided to replace, will remain attached to their former departments, is an unprecedented oc currence in Russian bureaucracy and perhaps an indication that the present ministry is not expected to be of long

CHICAGO, May 7.-In the first game Mrs. William Waters and their nine of the professional billiard tournament begun tonight at the Orchestra Hall, Willie Hoppe defeated Louis Cure 300 ed to reach the lock-up and consign to 296.

# Hundreds More Men Buy

To make our Men's Clothing merely good enough to "hold our own" wouldn't do. We make it so good that men who buy it feel called upon to tell other men. Thus we clothe hundreds more men each season than the season before. Our business has increased yearly, until now the largest clothing business in the Maritime Provinces centres here. The April just ended was by far the greatest Spring month in our history. These facts may suggest to your mind that the kind of clothing that is bought by so many hundreds of well dressed men is the kind that YOU should buy.

NEW SPRING SUITS, - \$5.00 to \$25.00. NEW TOP COATS, - - 8.50 to 15.00. NEW RAINCOATS, - - 8.50 to 18.00.



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SINGLE AND DOUBLE BREASTED SUITS, sizes 9
to 17 years, - - 3.00 to 9.00
TOP COATS, sizes 3 to 18 years, - - 2.00 to 12.00 RAINCOATS, 7 to 18 years, - - - - 3.75 to 15.00 ODOO MAIL ORDERS OOOO

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### **AUSTRALIA WANTS** NAVY OF HER OWN

erably Changed, Was Made Perman- Four Destroyers and Four Torpedo Boats to be Built-Will Assist the Imperial Fleet

> SYDNEY, May 5-According to advices received here from Captain W. R. Cresswell, Director of Naval Forces the long discussed project of a local navy for the Australian Commonwealth

Captain Cresswell has made the rounds of the important naval buildinitiative of Emperor Nicholas or his has now forwarded specifications and estimates for the construction of four destroyers and four torpedo boats to Senator Thomas Playford, with whom rests the responsibility of definitely placing the orders. It is not suggested that this force should in any way be a substitute for the British Australian squadron. It will be merely supplement-

Captain Cresswell, in the course of Imperial fleet, and not to supersede it. Our navy will stand in the same light watchman in a warehouse does to the

organised police system. We propose to begin by building up a torpedo flotilla. It will be bourne by the middle of June. The estimates will articles dealing with the nature of the then come on for discussion, and I imperial power, the rights and duties think I may say that the scheme I propose will be adopted. The additional expenditure incumbent upon the Commonwealth will be about \$500,000 per

> Sir George S. Clark, of the Imperial Defence Council, with whom Captain understood to favor this scheme.

## MONTREAL STRIKERS

MONTREAL, May 6.-The fifteen hundred employes of the Hochelaga and St. Annes mills of the Dominion Textile Count Witte's cabinet and the appoint- Co., who have been out on strike for day morning. The settlement of the strike was arranged at a meeting held on Saturday afternoon. The management recognized that the employes of earning, and agreed to grant a small advance which would equalize conditions with those prevalent elsewhere.

Laura Byron was arrested last night for being drunk. She was found out on a field off the golf grounds near Millidge Lane. Laura fought the two policemen who arrested her all the way to the station and they were well pleas-

ators will agree to give every man his atives of the coal companies with a old place and re-instate those who this basis, have been dismissed because they obeyed the suspension order of John Mit- in session until Tuesday and the scale

This was the agreement reached at today's session of the convention. They shall continue until an agreement shall did not adjourn, however, President Mitchell requesting that the delegates remain in Scranton until the scale committee reports the result of its meeting with the operators, which will probably be held in New York on Monday, if the operators agree to meet the miners' representatives. The no-strike decision was reached after President Mitchell and National Sec'y Treasurer Withon had addressed the delegates, recommending the 1903 award be continued. A resolution to this effect was offered and unanimously adopted, after which the convention adjourned. When President Mitchell returned to

his hotel he issued the following state-For several months we have been deavoring to negotiate a wage scale and adjustment of conditions of employment with the representatives of the anthracite coal mining companies During these negotiations we made a number of propositions, each of which materially modified our original de-mands. We did this not because we were convinced that our original propositions were unfair or wrong, but purely for the purpose of finding a common ground upon which we could reach an agreement that would secure and maintain peace in the anthracite coal industry. We will believe that our first proposition was reasonably fair, notwithstanding the modification we have since made in the interest of peace. Now we are face to face with the alternative of continuing at work under our former conditions or declaring a strike.

In this crisis your committee recommends the following policy:

THE COAL STRIKE | men who suspended work on April 1st or since that time, or who have been dismissed because they stated that they would refuse to work if a strike SCRANTON, Pa., May 5.—There will former positions and working places. be no strike of the miners in the an-, "Second-That the scale committee ilds, providing the oper- proceed at once to meet the representview of securing an agreement upon

"Third-That the committee remain committee shall report to the convention at that time.

"Fourth-That the suspension of work be made and its terms approved by the convention."

This recommendation was suggested by the full scale committee and was adopted unanimously by the convention. A telegram to Mr. Baer proposing a conference on Monday was sent. If a favorable response is received the sub-committee will proceed to New York to arrange the details of settlement and will report to the convention Tuesday morning. Tuesday morning,

## TWO MORE STEAMERS

MONTREAL, May 6.—Arthur Piers, superintendent of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's steamships, returned from England this morning, where he had been arranging for the first sailing of the company's new steam-ship, the Empress of Britain, which sailed from Liverpool on Saturday. Mr. Piers stated that it was very likely that the Canadian Pacific once order the construction of two more steamships of the same class and dimensions as the Empress of Britain and Empress of Ireland, which have a sea speed of eighteen and a half knots.

LEXINGTON, Ky., May 7.-S. B. "First—That we agree to work on the Harbison & Co. today sold two show basis of the award of the anthracite horses, Eckersall and Tattersall, for oal strike commission for such a period \$6,000, to T. L. Temple of Texarkana, of time as may be agreed upon mutual- Ark., who, it is said, will present them ly between the representatives of the to Mrs. Mary Baker Eddy, in recognianthracite coal mining companies and tion of her services in the cause of our scale committee, provided that all Christian science.

Stores open evenings till 8 o'clock St. John, N. B., May 9th, '06.

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Notwithstanding the disagreeable weather last week it was a record these two mills were working on a for Suit seiling. Each season brings largely increased trade, former class of goods which did not enable customers back and new ones with them. The people realize more and them to make the wages the employes more each year the advantage of buying at this Cash Store. No bad debts. No bookkeeping or collecting to pay on the Suit you buy at

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Men's Suits, at \$3,95, 5, 6, 7, 7.50, 8, 8.75, 9.50, 10, 11, 12, 13.50, 14.50, 15, 16 to 20. Boys' 3 Piece Sults, - - \$2.50 to 7.00. Boys' 2 Piece Suits, - - 1.10 to 5.50.

May 8th, 1906