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The Central Trust Co. of New York asks that a receiver be appointed for the Washington County railway in Maine, which last year failed to pay interest on its \$2,142,000 five per cent. bonds. The road was begun in 1894 and cost \$18,000 per mile. There is an unconfirmed rumor that it will be reorganized and leased ultimately to the Boston and Maine railroad and operated in connection with the branches of that system in Maine.

BOY'S LONG JOURNEY.

(Winnipeg Free Press.) A little Norwegian lad was a pretty souseful little immigrant one day this week. The little fellow, who is twelve years old, came all the way from Norway alone with a label on his coat reading: "Going to his mother, Johanna, at Yorkton." The lad had no money when arriving at Winnipeg, and at the station the hat was passed around with the result that about \$5 was raised for him, and he went on his way cheered up. He could not or would not tell anything of his mother or where she lived. He only knew he was going to his mother at Yorkton.

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THE WEATHER.

Highest temperature, 54; lowest temperature, 44; barometer at noon, 30.2 inches. Wind—direction, east; velocity, 8 miles per hour. Cloudy. TORONTO, May 20.—Forecast:—Light to moderate, variable winds; cool with a few showers and partly fair today and on Thursday. Synopsis—Light showers have occurred in many portions of the Maritime Provinces. In Ontario the great heat continues while in the Northwest Territories it is still snowing. The winds to American ports are likely to be light to moderate, variable and to the Banks light to moderate northeast to east.

LOCAL NEWS.

Fishing tackle for the holiday at Hall's Book Store.

The Battle line steamer Sallasta arrived at Batavia on Saturday from Manila for orders.

The steamer Damara reached St. Johns, Newfoundland, yesterday on her way to Halifax.

A meeting of electrical workers and linemen's union will be held in Berryman's hall, this evening at 8 o'clock.

The Rev. J. B. Warricker of Toronto will address the B. Y. P. U. of Main Street church tonight. Subject: Power and Prayer. All are welcome.

At a meeting of the directors of the Fernhill Cemetery Company, held yesterday afternoon, W. E. Anderson was appointed secretary in succession to the late F. O. Allison.

Jack Tapley and Arthur Rowan, who leave Frederickton today for Winnipeg, were banqueted Monday night at the Birchies by about twenty-five of their friends. John Oldham presided.

Eastman, the colored sprinter from Carleton, and Kiley, the well known North End runner, have been matched to run a one hundred yards race on June 15th, Eastman to allow Kiley three yards handicap.

There was a well attended rehearsal of the Chapman Festival chorus at the York Theatre last evening. The choruses are coming along in good style and all interested are greatly pleased and encouraged.

F. A. Dykeman & Co. have placed on sale very large lot of white cambric waistlets which they are selling at a most extraordinary price. Their advertisement gives particulars and the goods are displayed in one of their windows.

The country market had rather a desolate appearance this morning. It is just the time of year when there is little produce to come in and the farmers are busy planting. Lamb, veal and poultry are very firm, in fact, the prices being paid are exceptionally good.

Special sale of Ladies' Shirt Waists, Belts, Gloves, Hosiery, Corsets and other goods for the holiday. See adv. on page four of this paper tonight.

Don't forget the excursion to Frederickton on the 24th of May by Dominion L. O. L. No. 141, and Carleton Cornet Band on the palace steamer Victoria. Meals served on the boat.

William Doherty, mother of William Doherty, the boy who was murdered last year. This woman has not been living with her husband for some time.

As there was no disturbance going on and no one but Mrs. Doherty in the house the officer went away but made another visit about eleven o'clock.

This time he found David Anketell with Mrs. Doherty and arrested both for being inmates of a bawdy house. From the officer's evidence today this charge was fully proven. The Donald woman was not in the house but was arrested in Mrs. Tutts' beer shop.

Mrs. Tutts whose name has frequently been mentioned in connection with police court cases.

This morning Annie Donald went on the stand and swore that she was at one time the wife of David Anketell but that she separated and she has since married a man named Donald, who is away at sea. Anketell is also married the second time and has several children.

Anketell claimed in defence that he had made a mistake and gone into Mrs. Donald's house instead of his own, as he lives next door.

Mrs. Doherty protested innocence and wept. She gives her age as forty-three but looks much older and has the appearance of a vagrant.

Annie Donald was sentenced to a fine of ninety dollars or six months in jail, and six months without option of a fine. The Doherty woman and Anketell were fined fifty dollars or six months each.

THE STEAMER QUEEN.

The steamer Queen of the Princess Steamship Co., is being rapidly put in shape at Indian town for the season's work. The Queen will in all probability go up river Saturday afternoon as far as the Narrows, Washademoak, and return to Indian town early Monday morning. This trip will afford an excellent opportunity for a short outing in one of the most picturesque spots in the province.

THIS EVENING.

Clippers v. Franklins on Victoria grounds.

Entertainment under the auspices of non-commissioned officers and Fusiliers at the Opera House.

Meeting of the Ship Laborers Society at Berryman's Hall and of the Ship Laborers' Union in their rooms on Water street.

A FREAK YACHT

That Will be Launched Next Week—Other Craft Under Construction.

When the Sydney yacht Cibou was here last summer there was considerable talk about freak boats. In Upper Canada some of the yachts competing in the international races were described as freaks and the experts were in their glory. The fact is that at last St. John and Elijah Ross has now well under construction at his sheds at Blue Rock a freak of freaks. When she gets on the river look out for sea serpent stories by the bushel.

The boat referred to is being built for Capt. Ellis of the Cushing Sulphite Fire Co., and was designed by that gentleman. The hull is shaped like a torpedo, or an immense barrel with pointed ends, a hole in the top and a narrow walk. The boat measures 39 feet in length, has no keel, but is fitted with a weight, something between a tin and a bulb which will weigh about four tons. Inside about two tons of ballast will be carried. The planking is of hard pine, timbers of oak and the floors hackmatack. The cabin is twelve feet long and six feet high. Forward of the cabin is a large air tight compartment, also a big water tank. Aft, is a large space for storage of supplies, etc., that can easily be fitted up so as to give sleeping accommodation for two men. The cabin offers sleeping accommodation for four men. The stairs leading from a little cockpit where the steering wheel will be, are novel and convenient. They come down just in front of the entrance to the storage space and are so arranged as to fold to one side. They are similar to those put in the yacht Mavis, built by Mr. Ross some few years ago for Mr. Cochran, of Philadelphia. The deck, if it can be called such, just a long narrow walk, will be covered with canvas and painted. It is expected that the craft will draw 11-2 feet.

She will be yawl rig. Her foremast 23 feet long and her jigger mast 21 feet. She will have no gaffs, but sprete yards. The foremast or main boom will be 14 feet long and the jigger boom 12-2 feet long.

This sea serpent, water bug, or what ever you call her, will in all probability be launched next week.

This description is written subject to correction by Commodore Stewart, of the Chatham World, the greatest authority in America on yachting.

Mr. Ross has also under construction a four oared shell for the Belyea crew and a cutter for R. A. Corbett, of Halifax.

The shell is 41 ft. 9 inches long, 17-2 inches wide and 8 inches deep. She will be equipped with the latest improvements in order sailing. The hull, and is timbered out on a new plan, and of Mr. Ross. The rigger timbers are all frame work, with cedar and elm braces. The planking is of pine.

The cutter being built for Mr. Corbett is 20 feet long, 8 ft. 9 inches wide and 20 inches deep. The planking is of British Columbia cedar. She will be of double skull rig and will carry a couple of chair backs and have a sliding seat forward. She will be finished in first class style in every respect.

TONIGHT'S EVENT.

There will be a constant procession of military music, wives, children and best girls to the Opera House after supper this evening to hear and see the grand concert and exhibition of realistic war scenes, fancy drill, first class band programme and fancy and high order singing. The number of tickets sold for the event give good grounds for the belief that the popular playhouse will be filled to its capacity. And it will be a pretty sight, too, for all the military men who are going to attend will wear their uniforms. At a full dress rehearsal held last evening everything went swimmingly and a smooth and interesting show is promised from the start. The 42nd Regimental band will play in front of the theatre prior to the rising of the curtain. The evening's entertainment will include a choice number of popular airs by the band, some excellent vocal numbers, the drills above referred to, the living pictures of war and a grand galaxy of choruses and songs by the men.

JAIL BIRDS IN PARK.

The hard labor committee of the municipal council will meet tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the office of the county secretary to complete arrangements for putting in inmates of the county jail to work in the park, as provided for by an act passed at the last session of the local legislature. The committee consists of Councillors Wm. Lewis, Warden LeBel, Councillors Macgregor, Tutts, Allan, Pounds, Gregory, Thompson, Bullock and Jones. It is understood that there are several applications in for the position of chief guard and the name of William Beckwith, the well-known constable, is mentioned as a very likely man.

JEWISH SERVICES.

The series of special services in the Jewish calendar are those held annually in commemoration of the giving rest to the law to Moses on Mount Sinai. This celebration begins on Sunday, June 7, and will continue for over two days, or until Tuesday evening. These days are holidays among the Jewish congregations and several services will be held in the synagogue in this city. Rabbi Rabinovitch will preach the sermon on Moses.

TOO MUCH INJUN NAME.

Arnur McDonald and family have moved to their summer home at Woodman's Point. R. B. Macaulay and family have taken up their summer residence at their pretty cottage at Woodstock, or better known as Westfield. This change of name by the railway people has not altogether been approved of by the residents of this popular summer resort, as it has caused considerable inconvenience. It was only the other day that some water pipe billed to Woodstock brought up at Woodstock.

AT SAND POINT.

At Sand Point the men employed by the C. F. R. have now completed repairs to the cattle yards and fences damaged by the recent fire. The trestle work which is to be renewed has not yet been torn up but a gang of men will shortly be put to work on it, and also on the new grain conveyor, whenever plans are completed. City workmen have cleared the burned portion of the wharf.

AT THE HOSPITAL.

The New Regulations are Said to Work Well.

There is considerable complaint among a number of city clergymen about the new regulation regarding visitors to the General Public hospital. It appears that on different occasions these clergymen have gone to the hospital to visit patients who were members of their congregations. Upon these occasions they have been refused admission and their attention has been called to the new regulations which permits no one to enter excepting within certain hours or certain days.

The secretary of the hospital board explained to the Star that this regulation is not intended to keep ministers or any one else in particular out of the hospital, but has been found necessary for the benefit of the patients. There were many people who used to crowd the hospital, not always for the purpose of seeing friends but often out of mere curiosity, and this became so persistent that it was the cause of much injury to the patients. Scores of people walked from ward to ward gazing at the sick ones, and the consequent excitement had a bad effect.

Then the new regulation was brought in which prohibits visitors, excepting from 4 p. m. to 5 p. m. on Mondays and Thursdays. Even at these times crowds are not admitted, and those who visit the hospital must do so for the purpose of seeing only the patients in whom they are interested.

On other days no one is admitted but should a patient ask for a clergyman notice will at once be sent to him. While the board did not wish to be strict in this matter it has been found impossible to draw the line and who shall be admitted and who shall not. In almost every church and society there are committees appointed to visit the sick and if clergymen were admitted in other than the regular hours the members of these committees might also claim some rights; and this would make things as bad as ever.

It has been noticed that since the new regulation was made the patients have not suffered from excitement as was the case previously.

PERSONAL.

John Russell, sr., is home from Montreal.

J. C. Landry, son of Justice Landry, left this morning for Boston to spend a well earned two weeks' vacation.

Alphonse LeBlanc, travelling passenger agent of the I. C. R., passed through the city on his way to the West Coast of England on business.

Mr. LeBlanc says the I. C. R. advertising car was at Lawrence, Mass., yesterday and would remain there until Saturday.

W. Z. Earle, formerly engineer of the Algoma Central, is in the city.

R. S. Ritchie came home from Boston yesterday.

Miss Allen left by C. F. R. yesterday for Woodstock, called by the death of her aunt, the wife of Hon. H. A. Connell.

A. F. Bremner, manager of the Boston Engineering Co., of Boston, is in town. Mr. Bremner is well known here through his connection with the International line.

E. P. Stavert left this morning for St. John. Mrs. and Mr. William Kitchen left this morning for St. John.

Miss LeBlanc, formerly an Ottawa week—Charlottetown Patriot, 13th.

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Ottawa Journal: The Misses Fielding presented some gifts friends at a delightful luncheon on Thursday. The table was charmingly decorated with white roses, carnations and ferns.

Montreal Witness: Hon. A. G. Blair arrived in the city on Sunday to meet Mrs. Blair, who came over in the Tunisian. The minister of railways and party returned to Ottawa in the afternoon.

WATER STREET SENSATION.

There is joy among the members of the police force and they have good cause to be happy. The unexpected has happened and the city is actually putting down a new floor in the Water street lock-up. This is not a fairy tale, no matter how strange it may seem, but a solid fact. It is supposed that the work is being done in celebration of the 120th anniversary of the landing of the Loyalists, as the police affirm that the old floor was laid soon after the Loyalists landed. Probably about the two hundred anniversary of this filthy hole will be cleaned up and put in such shape that the officers can eat their lunch inside instead of on the sidewalk.

IN NEED OF FUNDS.

The Seamen's Mission Society is at present very much in need of funds. Contributions towards this worthy institution will be gratefully received by H. C. Tilley or Rev. E. H. Roper. The society are anxious if possible to secure annual subscribers, but any money given either annually or otherwise will be most acceptable.

The missionary has been very much encouraged this past winter by receiving contributions from the officers and men of the winter port keepers, but these are not sufficient to keep up the institution. The liberality of the citizens in the past has made it possible to maintain the Seamen's Mission, and for this reason the management feel encouraged to believe that this appeal will receive a generous response.

H. C. TILLEY, President.

THE DEATH ROLL.

CHARLESTON, S. C., May 20.—Daniel M. O'Driscoll, for 30 years manager of the W. U. Telegraph Co. in this city, is dead here. He was 58 years of age, and probably the oldest of the wireless telegraphers this side of Potomac river. He sent the first telegram out of Petersburg, Va., announcing the surrender of General Lee.

CHARGED WITH MURDER.

OWOSSO, Mich., May 20.—Francis Thrill, of Great Mines Creek, has been arrested for the murder of Frederick Marker, aged 22, of New Haven township, who died here late yesterday. It is said that several young farmers entered the man's shack Saturday evening and during a fight that followed Thrill struck Marker on the head.

HARRIMAN HAS APPENDICITIS.

NEW YORK, May 20.—H. H. Harriman was operated on today for appendicitis. At the conclusion of the operation the physicians announced that it had been successful.

POLICE COURT.

Working the Laborer's License Law to Death—Other Business.

Officer Perry had quite a lively time arresting William Walker on the Westmorland road yesterday afternoon. Walker was drunk, but managed to put up a strong resistance and for this he will pay. He got ten days for the drunkenness and two months for resisting.

Richard Fitzgerald and Isaac Wilson were each fined four dollars for drunkenness. Olaf Kirstofferson, the same Olaf who was up a few days ago, has been drunk again and went in for another ten days.

Several tug-boat men were reported for working in the city without licenses. Two of them came from Nova Scotia, and say that they still pay taxes in their own province. They live on the tugboats and work not only in St. John harbor but up the river and down the bay. The men were advised to see the mayor.

The window breaking case brought by Fred Scott against six years' old Charles Carr was heard this morning. John L. Carleton appeared for the complainant and Edmond Ritchie for the boy's father. The glass broken was a pane ten feet long by five and a half feet wide and was worth over forty dollars. An arrangement was made whereby Carr's father will pay the difference between the value of the sound portion of the broken glass and the cost of putting in a new one.

A NEW BUILDING.

J. A. Lipssett, grocer, will erect a new shop and dwelling on the corner of Brussels and Exmouth streets adjoining his present store. The building will be of brick, three stories high, and will be built from plans prepared by F. Nell Brodie, Samuel C. Drury in the contractor for the carpenter work and Sproule & Durley for the masonry. Work has already begun.

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F. A. DYKEMAN & CO.

MAUD GONNE AGAIN. LONDON, May 19.—John Redmond, M. P., has furnished the Associated Press with a signed statement concerning the disorderly proceedings at the meeting of citizens held in the Dublin rotunda last night in support of the Irish parliamentary fund. Mr. Redmond says: "The disturbance would have been easily nipped at the outset, but people were naturally shrank from using force to remove Mrs. McBride (formerly Maude Gonne) and other ladies who led the disorder. After awhile these ladies were speedily removed. The disturbance was quickly over and for two hours thereafter unanimity and enthusiasm prevailed."

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