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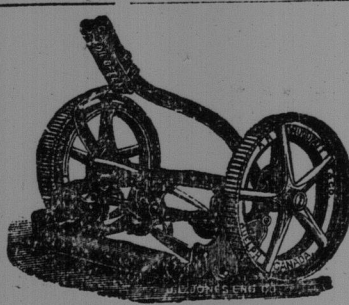
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Cast Iron—Two sections. Regular \$28.00... Sale Price, \$20.00
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NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS

THROUGHOUT the summer months The Times will issue on Saturdays at 12 o'clock. Advertisers, in order to ensure of prompt change of ads, should have their copy in this office not later than 4 p.m. on Fridays.

CLASSIFIED ADS.

Ordinary classified ads. will not be taken after 6 p.m. on Friday for Saturday's issue.

LOCAL NEWS

CORPUS CHRISTI.

Today is the feast of Corpus Christi. In St. Peter's church there was Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament after the last mass. The solemnity of the feast was transferred to next Sunday.

BANK CLEARINGS.

The St. John bank clearings for the week ending today were \$1,775,600; for the corresponding period of last year \$2,332,182; and in 1916, \$1,896,057.

HOME FROM ENGLAND.

Mrs. Guy R. Turner, wife of Captain Turner of the Canadian Engineers, France, who has been living in England for a year and a half, will arrive by train this evening to take up her residence with her mother, Mrs. Louise Osborne.

FOR A JUNE BRIDE

Mrs. T. Russell Smith was hostess at her home, 84 Duke street, to about twenty young ladies on the occasion of a novelty shower given in honor of Miss Annie F. Irwin, whose marriage is to take place early in June. Many pretty and useful gifts were received.

NOVELTY SHOWER.

A very pleasant surprise was given in the form of a novelty shower on Monday evening at the home of Miss Mary Gramman, Main street, in honor of Miss Teresa Murphy. Many beautiful gifts were received. A dainty lunch was served and an enjoyable evening spent by all present.

A CHARGE OF DISCOURTESY.

Complaint was made to the Times this morning that a group of boys and girls from St. James church, who went to the Red Triangle last evening to give an entertainment were not treated with courtesy by some of the men assembled there. The lady who made the complaint was very emphatic about it.

CREDITORS MEET.

At a meeting of the creditors of Christopher Richter, who conducted a grocery and provision store in Union street, West St. John, which was held in the office of Roy A. Davidson yesterday afternoon, Mr. Davidson was confirmed as assignee. Fred Smith of C. W. Cole, Ltd., and L. U. Pierce of Gunna, Ltd., were appointed inspectors. The disposal of the stock was left to the assignee and inspectors.

COUNTY COURT.

The trial of the case of the King vs. Webber and Whitman was resumed in the county court this morning before His Honor Judge Armstrong and jury. This morning's session was taken up largely with identification of goods found in Whitman's premises. Detective Biddecombe was the chief witness. Dr. W. B. Wallace, K. C., and G. H. W. Peires are for the prosecution, and D. Mullin, K. C., and B. L. Gerow for the defence.

WANTED MOTHER TO KNOW HE DIED AS A MAN

L. Corp. Leonard Ogler Writes Home of Death of Bayard Moore—The Soldier's Graves

In a letter received from L. Corp. Leonard E. Ogler, who is in France in the army, he writes to his mother in West St. John about meeting a fellow soldier who was with Bayard Moore when he was killed in action. He writes:

"He died game as the best of them. Although he knew he had but a few moments to live he showed no fear. He spoke of his mother and wished her to know he died a man. He lived only about three minutes after being hit, but remained conscious. The whole way through with his battalion Bayard had positively shown no fear while in the line or at the time of his death. I trust when I am called to go I will be as brave as Bayard was. I was proud to hear the way a Carleton boy carried on right up to the last."

In a previous letter Leonard writes about Easter Monday being the anniversary of the attack on Vimy Ridge. "The grass is all green," he writes, "on the graves. There is something majestic about all those quiet graves, which are waiting like us for the one and great Easter morning. I thought it would be nice for those at home to know what over the circumstances allow the dead are respected and their graves cared for in a manner you would hardly think time or place would allow. Looking over the rows of quiet sleepers I think of these lines: "In graves unmarked, they'll lay them here to rest, The purple cross of Christ upon each breast."

TROUBLE ON SHIP IS TOLD OF IN COURT

In the police court this morning Captain A. Jensen of a vessel in port, laid a charge of desertion against a member of his crew, Andrew Jensen. Mate Luotonen also preferred a charge against the sailor, that of assaulting him and cutting him on the forehead with a knife. The case is the sequel of proceedings in the police court yesterday when the sailor was fined \$8 or two months in jail for drunkenness, and from information he gave out in court was made against Captain Jensen for supplying liquor to him.

When the case was brought up this morning K. A. McKee, Norwegian vice-consul, appeared on behalf of the prosecution. The mate testified that the defendant was drunk when he boarded the ship on Tuesday, and he assaulted him and slashed him across the forehead with a knife. As it was city court day the case was set aside and will be continued tomorrow morning at ten o'clock.

KILLED IN THE NEW ELEVATOR

Frederick Lomax, Superintendent of Construction

PLUNGE OF SEVENTY FIVE FEET

He and St. John Man Fall—Latter, Morris Judge, Escapes With Ankle Broken

Frederick Lomax of Fort William, Ont., superintendent of construction for the Peoples Bellows Engineering Company, was instantly killed this morning, and Morris Judge of Duke street, city, had his ankle broken, as the result of scaffolding giving way, while the men were at work in the new C. G. R. elevator.

The two were repairing one of the bins in the elevator, seventy-five feet above the floor. Somehow the staging gave way and the two men fell to the floor. Lomax was killed instantly, striking on his head.

Just what caused the accident was not ascertained this afternoon, as the coroner had not viewed the body. When the accident occurred Hon. Dr. Roberts was telephoned and on his permission the body of Lomax was taken to Messrs. Brennan's undertaking rooms. A call was sent in to Lieutenant Patterson of the Mechanical Transport and in ten minutes from the time the call was telephoned the ambulance with a doctor was on the scene of the accident. He was taken to the General Public Hospital. Reports from there at noon today were to the effect that his condition was not serious.

Lomax is survived by his wife and one child.

That Judge was not killed was only a miracle. He was falling head downwards when he caught in one of the ropes and this broke his fall. The shock when he struck, however, was severe enough to break his ankle. The bottom of the bin on which the two men struck is a mixture of concrete and steel.

Judge was a laborer and has been working on the elevator for some time. What adds to the sadness of the accident is the fact that Lomax, the superintendent, has been working day and night in an attempt to finish the job in order that he might return to his home and join his wife and family.

One of the carpenters, speaking of him this morning, said he was a very fine man and was well liked by the men in his employ. Not a day passed, he said, but Lomax passed some remark about wishing he was home. He expected to finish the job in about one week. The body is to be sent to Fort William, probably this evening.

SEEKING PROFITS CARRIED TWO FAR

A Citizen Comments on the Evil of Over-stocking in War Time

A double wagon heaped high with a great load of onions on their way to the dump or a compost heap yesterday moved an onlooker to make some general observations regarding over-stocking by merchants with any line of goods in this period.

He pointed out that in such cases as this it withdrew from consumption a food product which should have been available at a low price to consumers. This was by no means confined to onions. Behind the tedium of those who stock heavily is the desire to take advantage of market conditions and make as large a profit as possible. Primarily, in the case of onions, the fault lies with holders in Ontario, who held too long, and then unloaded too largely on other markets.

The citizen who discussed the matter with the Times had a word of censure for those wholesale merchants who urge retail dealers to stock heavily with certain lines, urging as a reason that prices are sure to advance. He declared that the retail trade of the provinces was never better stocked with goods, and to induce the merchants to buy heavily was to put that much more pressure upon the manufacturers, tended to boost prices because of the increased demand, and tied up that much more capital that might be invested, for example, in Victory bonds. Putting it bluntly, he declared that such conduct helped the Germans and every wholesaler and every commercial trader who pursued such a course was deserving of the severest censure. It was a direct violation of the spirit of the regulations made by the food board.

NO ONE AUTHORIZED TO VISIT HOUSES IN FOOD HOARDING SEARCH

There is a report that two prominent women of West St. John have decided to make a house to house inspection to ascertain if there is any hoarding of food. W. S. Potts, provincial representative of the food control board, wishes to announce that he has not authorized or appointed any person to make such a canvass.

C. H. Vroom, chief fruit inspector of the maritime provinces, arrived in the city last evening from his home in Middleton, N. S., and held a conference with Mr. Potts today with reference to business pertaining to their duties.

DEATH OF AMERICAN CONSUL AT CAMPBELLTON

Theodosius Botkin, United States Consul in Campbellton, who died recently, was born in Catawba, Ohio on June 25, 1846. His home was in Salt Lake City, Utah, where he received his public and high school education. After graduating from the latter he took up a course of studies and started practicing law in addition to taking an interest in mining. He served in the Civil War and in the Spanish American war with the rank of captain from May to December 1898. He also served as police judge, probate judge, district judge and as a member of the Kansas legislature. He was appointed consul at Port Louis, Mauritius, on June 10, 1905, and consul at Campbellton on March 29, 1907.

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(SECOND FLOOR)—A lot of Slightly Damaged Fine Swiss Ribbed Knit Cotton Drawers and Undervests for Girls, 4 to 12 year sizes at 20c. each.

Large Bungalow, English Print All-over Aprons for town or country, 98c. each. Print Cotton Dust Caps, 20c. each.

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(THIRD FLOOR)—5 yards, a pair of Curtain Length of White or Ivory Double Border Scrim for \$1.25. Five yards of Scotch Madras, a pair of Curtain Length, for \$2.00. All are first-class goods, handsome patterns that wash perfectly and will give great satisfaction in wear.

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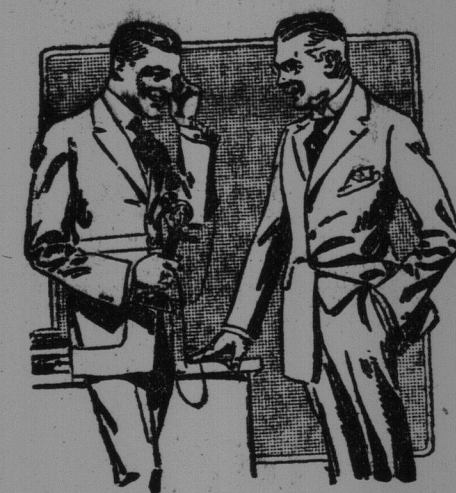
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