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Lively Time in Magistrates Court

An interesting case was heard before Mr. Hutchings, J.P. to-day when Robert Wright summoned S. B. Kesner for causing damage to his (Wright's) motor cycle some two weeks ago while driving on the Bay Bulls Road. The case was noticeable by the conflicting nature of the evidence given under oath. Mr. Wright stated that he was coming homeward at about six miles an hour when he met the defendant Kesner, who was driving in a buggy with some other parties. Mr. Kesner, according to Mr. Wright, did not give him sufficient room to pass on the left hand side of the road with the result that his motor cycle was driven over the road and ditched, causing damages to the amount of \$10.00, and he asked for compensation.

Mr. Kesner, on the other hand, swore that Mr. Wright swooped down and past him at the rate of about 50 or 60 miles an hour, and as he (Mr. Kesner) was passing a bridge at the time and kept as near as possible to the edge, he could not understand why Mr. Wright fopped into the ditch and he never even looked back to ascertain the fate of the flying cyclist and was only apprised of the plaintiff's sad predicament when a cab overtook him some two hours later. After some argument by counsels—Morrisson and Blackwood, who appeared for Kesner and Wright respectively—Mr. Hutchings decided upon a dismissal.

TALES OF DARING ON BOARD BRITISH TRAWLERS AND MINESWEEPERS.

From the Naval heroes who returned by yesterday's express we learn of some of the deeds of daring which is performed by the fleet of trawlers and minesweepers in the North Sea. Most of the tars have been in service eighteen months and over, and have served on all kinds of ships but mostly on trawlers. Strange to say, neither of the returned men met each other during life at sea, but when granted furlough were delighted to meet and enjoyed the trip from the Old Country to here. During winter, kicking about in the North Sea is anything but pleasant, but in a short while the sailors get inured and feel as comfortable as if on a fishing trip, in August on Labrador. The more serious part of the business is "in picking up mines and doing scout work, and many of the Newfoundland Reservists have had many narrow escapes, but have always upheld the high tradition of the sons of the Old Colony.

GARDEN PARTY AT KILBRIDE.

The Kilbride Garden Party which will be held to-morrow promises to be a great success. It is in aid of the new R. C. Church which the parish proposes building. For 24 years the Catholics of the settlement have been without a place of worship, the old church having been destroyed by fire in 1892. They have been obliged to walk to Littledale and the Gouls on Sundays during these years, and it is now the intention to erect a new building, if the funds are forthcoming. The ladies of the place, assisted by many from the city, are sparing no effort to make the day a success, and are looking forward to the support of many friends. There will be trains running every hour which will enable everyone desiring to visit the place to do so with convenience.

THE NEW SANATORIUM.

The Sanatorium now about to be erected at Bowcock's farm is undertaken by the Government and not the Messrs Reid Bros as stated by us yesterday. The building will cost something like fifteen thousand dollars and is being erected at the urgent request of those in charge of the consumptive camps, as the present quarters are inadequate for the needs of those who unfortunately are suffering from this dread disease.

Messrs. M. & E. Kennedy have secured the contract and work has already commenced and the building will be rushed to an early completion.

PERSONAL NOTES.

Among the visitors to the city the last few days are Rev. A. Nolan, P.P. Bonne Bay, and Mr. J. R. Goodison, M.H.A.

The Rev. Dr. James arrived in town from Blackhead yesterday. He will go to the hospital for treatment.

Mr. T. Cartwright, the popular agent of the Gillett Co., arrived yesterday from Nova Scotia.

The work of excavation for the Imperial Oil Company's premises on the South Side is under way and is affording employment for a number of men.

A BIG EXCLUSIVE FEATURE WEEK AT THE NICKEL THEATRE.

The Lubin Players present
"THE COLLEGE WIDOW."
In five acts, from the famous play of the same name by GEORGE ADE. Star cast includes ETHEL CLAYTON, GEORGE SOULE SPENCER. Direction of BARRY O'NEIL.

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The eleventh thrilling and powerful episode of that wonderful serial,
"THE STRANGE CASE OF MARY PAGE,"
GEORGE OVEY IN A COMEDY SCREAM ENTITLED "THE TREASURE BOX."
WEDNESDAY—Reverend Townsend Brady's "ISLAND OF REGENERATION," a Vitagraph Blue Ribbon feature with EDITH STOREY and ANTONIO MORENE, in six powerful acts.

FRIDAY—CHARLIE CHAPLIN in his great two act comedy, "POLICE."
COMING—"HEARTS AND THE HIGHWAY," Vitagraph, 5 parts.

New Beverage For Kansas

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 10.—Contracts were let today by Anheuser-Busch Brewing Company for the construction of a \$2,500,000 addition to their St. Louis plant, to be devoted exclusively to the manufacture of a new soft drink.

The greatest demand for the soft beverage, officials say, has come from Kansas, the "dry" state, where enormous quantities of the drink, which looks and tastes much like beer, are being sold. Whole trainloads of the beverage are shipped into Kansas every day.

The new plant will employ continually 2,500 employees in filling, labeling, packing and shipping bottles, cases and barrels of the product, at the rate of 135 carloads, or two million bottles, every twenty-four hours.

RUSSIAN TROOPS NOW AT SALONIKI

ATHENS, via London, Aug. 22.—The occupation of Kasloria and Corcyra by Bulgarian troops is confirmed in a news despatch from an official source which also says that the German Field Marshal von Mackensen is with the Bulgarians. An initial brigade of Russian troops has arrived at Saloniki to join the Entente Allies in the fighting in the Balkans.

THE ENGLISH MAIL

The outgoing English mail by Tabasco has been extended till 6 p.m. Thursday.

Two Lunenburg fishing schooners, the Francis W. Smith and W. C. McKay are at present at Job's wharf. They are seeking bait. They report fish fairly plentiful on the Banks.

Judging by accounts, the front of Archduke Karl must by this time be pushed in close to his backbone.



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THANKS TO THE BRITISH NAVY

LONDON, Aug. 22.—The Daily Mail quotes from the Berliner Tageblatt's description of Hamburg written by a recent visitor to that port, if anyone wants to realize a picture of Hamburg as a sleeping beauty he need only take a run round the docks, the sound of sirens, groaning of cranes, clanking of anchor chains is heard no more, only from shipbuilding yards come occasional sounds of blows of hammers through the silence of quays and ships. Everything is completely still; before the war boats made an uninterrupted chain right to the mouth of the Elbe, but now tenants of the villas on the Blankenez tell me they rush to the window every time a ship goes by. The whole place is deserted, excepting for some warehouse caretakers and the sentinel guarding the margarine depot and a few women packing salted cod fish. The "Imperator" lays empty in the docks.

WHAT WILL SWEDEN DO?

BERLIN, Aug. 22.—What will Sweden do? is the leading question being asked in official and diplomatic circles here to-day. The apparently authentic report by Stockholm that England plans to blanket the embargo on all goods to Sweden and will only permit in each case if Sweden gives guarantee that goods in question will not be re-exported, is considered the most sensational and significant news of the onomous world war, not excepting the blacklisting of American and other neutral firms. "I cannot believe that Sweden will tolerate it," a leading German said to-day, and this is the view held in other well informed circles.

The alleged British embargo is regarded here as of the utmost importance as a test case, and if Sweden, the strongest and most independent of neutrals, bows down to what Germans characterize as England's economic yoke, it is felt that Holland's turn will come next in the not distant future and that then England will go out to get complete economic control of Norway, Denmark and Switzerland.

PRIZE MONEY FOR STURDEE'S SQUADRON

LONDON, Aug. 22.—The prize court to-day awarded £12,000 prize bounty to officers and crews of the squadron of Vice Admiral Sir Frederick Sturdee which destroyed the German Pacific squadron in the battle off Faulkland Islands in December 1914. The bounty was determined by the number of men aboard the destroyed ships.

GREEKS ARE FIGHTING THE BULGARIANS

LONDON, Aug. 22.—Greek troops have been fighting Bulgarians in the vicinity of Seret since Sunday morning, says an Athens despatch.

SALONIKI FRONT

PARIS, Aug. 22.—The heaviest fighting is on the front north-east of Saloniki on the left bank of the Struma River from Kackala to Bafakile. On the western end of the line, Austilities are confined for the most part to artillery.

SOMME FRONT

PARIS, Aug. 22.—Progress was made by the French last night on the Somme front north of the River in the outskirts of Clercy, the War Office announced to-day. South of the River the French captured trenches near Estrees and Soyecourt.

Stock Broken.

"Hallo old man, the last day I saw you was that day in the stock-brokers office. You were in zinc, weren't you?"
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