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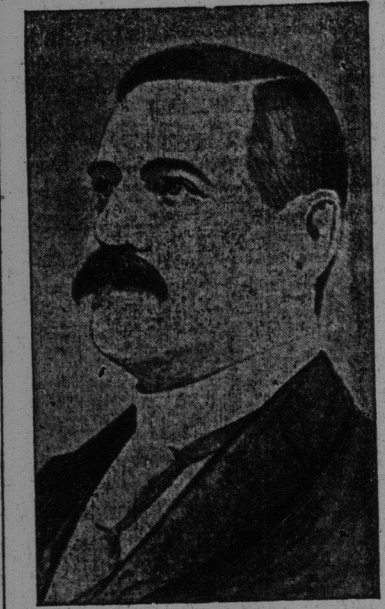
ONE CENT

WILL GIVE BANQUET TO HON. C. S. HYMAN

St. John Will so Welcome New Minister of Public Works --- Banquet May Cost \$8 or \$10 Plate---Tickets Will be \$3 Each.

It was decided this morning at a representative meeting of the citizens held in the court house that a public banquet be tendered to Hon. Chas. S. Hyman on the occasion of his visit to St. John, and a committee was appointed to make the necessary arrangements.

Major Sears, as convener of the meeting stated the purpose for which they had been called together and on motion he was elected chairman. R. O'Brien was elected secretary.



HON. C. S. HYMAN

FOUND \$20,000 REWARDED BY \$5 Attendant in Port Chester N. Y. Railway Station Was Paid \$5 for Returning \$20,000 to its Owner.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—According to the Sun today, Wm. Fenlon, an employe of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad at Port Chester, one day last week, found a cigar box lying on the station platform. He took it into the baggage room and opened it. The box was packed with \$100 bills.

MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP DEFEATED IN SEATTLE SEATTLE, Wn., Sept. 13.—Municipal ownership of street railways as represented in a proposal to bond the city for \$4,272,000 of which \$1,172,000 was to be charged against the general funds of the city and the rest to be an indebtedness against 20 per cent. of the gross receipts of the system when in operation, was defeated at a special election here yesterday.

MAGISTRATE RITCHIE TALKS ON TEMPERANCE

A temperance lecture with living illustrations and the story of a scuffle for a watch, formed the chief items of interest at this morning's session of the police court.

William Harvey, a sailor had falling from "Frisco," was locked up last night on a charge of drunkenness and admitted that he had been drinking. He told his little story to the magistrate; listened to a brief but pointed lecture and was given his liberty on the strength of a promise to take the pledge.

"MY LIFE ALL HAD TO GIVE; OUGHT I LIVE THE SOCIAL REVOLUTION"

These Were Last Words of Russian Girl Hanged for Assassinating General Min--- Uttered as Rope was Placed Round Her Neck.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 12.—Long live the social revolution for land and liberty. These were the last words of Zenaida Kopolnikova, the girl who assassinated General Min last month and who was executed to death by a court martial. They were uttered as the rope was placed around her neck.

Conditions in Siedlec ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 12.—The resumption of telegraphic communications with Siedlec has enabled the press of St. Petersburg for the first time to present a picture of the conditions in the ravaged town. As in the case of the massacre at Bialystok, later messages greatly reduce the number of dead from that given in the early reports. The property losses, however, from the fury and cupidity of the mob and the destruction wrought by bombardment and subsequent fire, are placed higher, running to several hundred thousand dollars. Although it is reported officially that 44 persons were killed, correspondents estimate 42 corpses, most of which have been gathered on the streets, in the houses and in various hospitals for burial. The number of corpses buried privately or consumed in the burning buildings may add another score to this number. A pitiful feature of the ex-

MAY RESULT IN HIS DEATH

Hull Probably Has a Murderer on its Hands---Man Badly Beaten and Will Die. OTTAWA, Ont., Sept. 13 (special)—Alexander St. Martin, of Inkerman street, Hull, a mill hand, lies at the point of death in the Water street hospital, his skull fractured, his ear cut and his face bruised and battered in such a way that doctors say he cannot live many hours. St. Martin was attacked by thugs on the provisional bridge, and Peter Doyle and one Dumoline have been arrested on suspicion of being connected with the affair. Dumoline was recently discharged from the Central prison.

RAILS WERE WET WHEELS SKIDDED

This With Failure of Air Brakes Caused C. P. R. Accident at Azilda. OTTAWA, Ont., Sept. 13 (special)—Ward Smith, postmaster at Manahad, N. B., in command of 80 rural guardmen and 140 militiamen, led a mediate charge against a rebel force under Sabine Oshero. Three rebels were killed and one wounded. Seven prisoners were taken.

LIVELY TIMES IN CUBA NOW

Insurgents Burn Bridges and Capture Trains---A Stiff Little Fight. HAVANA, Sept. 12.—In a fight near Banchuelo, in Santa Clara province, Capt. Noy, in command of 80 rural guardmen and 140 militiamen, led a mediate charge against a rebel force under Sabine Oshero. Three rebels were killed and one wounded. Seven prisoners were taken.

FREDERICTON NEWS

FREDERICTON, Sept. 13 (special)—Policeman George Rideout has resigned his position here to accept the appointment of chief of police of Campbellton. He has been a most capable officer, and his departure from the city will be regretted.

A FATAL THUNDERBOLT

CHICAGO, Sept. 13.—Five men were injured, two fatally, six horses were killed, and the entire plants of the Illinois Brick Company was practically destroyed last night when a thunderbolt fell into two of the largest buildings of the South Evanston plant. Sixty men were about the premises and not one escaped injury. The storm was one of the most severe experienced in Chicago for years.

A POINTER FOR OTHER BRIDES

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—A cable despatch from Berlin printed here today says: Frau Krupp, widow of the great gun maker of Essen, and her daughters, Bertha and Barbara, have just been here, the object of their visit being to buy the daughter's reversion. Notwithstanding their immense wealth, not more than \$200 was spent for each outfit. This modest expenditure is quite in accordance with the simplicity with which the girls were brought up. Frau Bertha Krupp is the richest woman in Germany, she being the principal heir under her father's will. She is engaged to marry Gustav Von Bohlen Und Halbach, under secretary of the Prussian legation to the Vatican. Barbara Krupp, although not nearly so rich as her sister, is worth \$12,000,000, her fiance is Baron Tok Von Willowich, son of the governor of Prussia's Saxony. Neither bridegroom is wealthy.

BANK OF ENGLAND

LONDON, Sept. 13.—The rate of discount of the Bank of England was raised from 3 1/2 to 4 per cent. today. LONDON, Sept. 13.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes: Total reserve, decrease ... £2,005,000; Circulation, decrease ... 254,000; Other securities, decrease ... 2,623,000; Public deposits, increase ... 312,000; Notes reserve, decrease ... 2,623,000. The proportion of the bank's reserve and liabilities this week is 47.83 per cent. as compared with 50.10 per cent. last week.

BOLD DIAMOND ROBBERY

WINNIPEG, Man., Sept. 13 (special)—Sherry & Vicker's jewelry store at Portage La Prairie was entered by burglars last night, who secured \$3,000 worth of watches and diamonds from the cases. The entrance was effected through a window and the men got clear away.

DEATH OF PRINCE ALBRECHT

BERLIN, Sept. 12.—Albrecht, Prince of Prussia, regent of the Duchy of Brunswick, and the richest prince in Germany, died today, death followed a stroke of apoplexy.

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A THRILLING EPISODE. The deluge continued. A man was sent in hot haste to telephone to headquarters. The word that reached the department, as it was understood there, was that Indianapolis was being flooded and the driver of the watering cart was cut off by the flood and in imminent danger of being overwhelmed.

Nothing was known at the water office about the eruption at Bald Mountain, which had caused a panic in the Sun of Erie at about the same hour, or a relationship between the two events might have been assumed.

As it was, there was nothing to do but send a relief party to Indianapolis. As quickly as possible the men were gathered as quickly as possible to the scene of the trouble.

THE TRADES AND LABOR CONGRESS

Encouraging Reports From the Executive and From the Organizer for New Brunswick Presented at This Morning's Session.

The convention of the National Trades and Labor Congress was continued this morning at 8:30 o'clock, with President John Mee in the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

A portion of the report of yesterday afternoon's meeting, which appeared in the St. John Star, was then taken up and discussed. The report stated that M. Bowman moved that "the next executive should communicate with the minister of railways and canals regarding the auditors on the E. C. R., as he claimed that these officials had come into their private car and disturbed them on their trip to this city. The motion was carried."

A TRAGEDY IN THE ALPS

Four Alpine Climbers Swept by Avalanche on to Glacier Fifty Feet Below --- One is Dead. NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—A cable despatch to a morning paper from St. Michel de Maurienne, France, says: Four Alpine climbers, while returning from the ascent of the Aiguilles Daves on Sunday, were swept by an avalanche of stones upon a glacier fifty feet below. All were stunned.

REPORTED THAT VISITORS WHO HEARD NOISES HAD SUPPLY OF "VOLCANO STARTER" IN THEIR LARDER.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Sept. 13.—(Special)—Dr. Bailey was interviewed by the Times this morning in regard to the report that volcanic noises had been heard by a party of American sportsmen at Bald Mountain. He said he did not believe there was anything in the story. The doctor has several times visited the country at the head of the Tobique and is familiar with the conditions there. He thinks that Bald Mountain is undoubtedly of volcanic origin but it has been some millions of years since it showed activity. He thinks that even if strange noises were heard in that vicinity it is not a matter of much significance.

QUESTION OF TIME LIMIT

MONTREAL, Sept. 13.—(Special).—Among the chief questions up for consideration by the Methodist General Conference today is that of time limit. Memorials have been sent in from six annual conferences in favor of the removal of the time limit, and the issue has already been frequently discussed in committee. At present the limit is four years. It has previously been set at five and was originally three. This afternoon the report of the Women's Missionary Society is being presented by the president, Mrs. W. G. Ross, and the field secretary, Mrs. M. E. S. Strachan.

WILL ENTERTAIN THE PREMIERS

OTTAWA, Sept. 13 (special)—Sir Wilfrid Laurier will entertain the provincial premiers to dinner on the evening of the 8th October. On the evening of 9th they will be the guests of the Canadian Club. All the provincial premiers with the exception of Ontario, British Columbia, Saskatchewan and Alberta have already accepted. Sir Wilfrid Laurier will be also a guest of the club the same evening.

BALL PLAYER FINED

BUFFALO, Sept. 13.—President Harry L. Taylor of the Eastern League announced that he has fined player Wagner, of the Newark Club, \$25 and suspended him for three days on account of his trouble with Umpire Buckley, at Jersey City, last Saturday.

WANTED --- A GOOD STRONG BOY

WANTED --- A GOOD STRONG BOY, about 16 years of age, to learn the saddle-hardware business. Apply from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. H. HORTON & SON, 9 and 11 Market square.

BRITISH FORCES DEFEAT NATIVES IN FIERCE FIGHT

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 12.—The steamship Tarquah, which arrived from South Africa, brings details of severe fighting in the borderland of Bechuanaland, Southern Nigeria, which ended on Aug. 8 in the surrender of the rebellious natives to the British. A native officer called the "Sikent Ones" murdered Commissioner Crewe Road last June.

Capt. Rutkin, with another native force, was hurried to his assistance and after heavy fighting, succeeded in relieving Wuyling.

The combined British force then vigorously attacked the native town of Owa, and defeated the enemy, who, though taken by surprise, fought with great courage. The severe fighting and heavy rain caused the British a loss of 25 dead and 100 wounded. After the capture of Owa, Reddy's body was recovered and the murderers were tried and put to death. The native losses are believed to have been heavy.