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HELP TO FREE FATHER FROM THE ASYLUM

Interesting Case For Montreal Court To Determine - Noted Doctor's Battle For Liberty

(Canadian Press) Montreal, Aug. 22.—Robert Noble, Jr., son of Dr. Charles Noble, who is attempting to secure his release from Verdun Insane Asylum last night announced that he was quite convinced that his father was sane and that he would join with him in his efforts to secure his freedom.

BLESSING THIS IF PROVES TRUE

French Physician Says He Has Found Cure For Foot and Mouth Disease

London, Aug. 22.—A Paris despatch says that a veterinary specialist from Pau de Calais has arrived at Charolais with a remedy for the foot and mouth disease. Eighteen infected cattle at Martigny Lezoux have almost recovered after two days of treatment. Official trials of the remedy will be held in the near future.

"DARK" ICEBERGS ARE HARD ONES TO AVOID

McGill Professor Speaks of Matter Which Escaped Notice of Titanic Commission

Montreal, Aug. 22.—Dr. Howard T. Barnes of McGill University, the inventor of an instrument for the detection of icebergs at sea, who has recently made experiments in the Straits of Belle Isle on the government steamer Montcalm and whose report will soon be in the hands of the government, tonight in an interview drew attention to a point which he considered had escaped the notice of the commission carrying on the Titanic inquiry.

WHOLESALE COURT MARTIAL FOR MUTINY

Tashkent, Asiatic Russia, Aug. 22.—Two hundred and twenty-eight Russian non-commissioned officers and soldiers were tried by court martial here today on the charge of mutiny. Fifteen of them were sentenced to be hanged, seven were acquitted and 208 sent to jail for varying terms.

ALEXANDRA'S CLOSE FRIEND

San Francisco, Aug. 22.—Death of Countess De Ferre, a close friend of Dowager Queen Alexandra of England, at Petaluma, California, yesterday, was reported here today. The countess lived in semi-seclusion and devoted herself to writing. She had compiled a book of poems and was engaged on a novel. Her body will be taken to New York for burial. She was 73 years old.

VICTIMS NOW NUMBER EIGHT

Montreal, Aug. 22.—Another Russian, Lilia Guerdin, is dead in the General Hospital here, making the eighth victim of the wood alcohol debauch in which some fifty workmen indulged in last week.

THE WEATHER

Toronto, Aug. 22.—An area of low pressure which was north of Manitoba yesterday is now passing across the Great Lakes and Northern Ontario. The weather continues fine and warm in the western provinces and rather unsettled with occasional showers from Ontario eastward.

QUESTION OF DOUBLE TRACK NOT SETTLED

Extension to Courtenay Bay Under Consideration—Rails Are Here

Permission was some time ago granted to the St. John Railway Company for extending a single track from Brussels street to Kane's corner along the Marsh Road. This morning at a meeting of the commissioners in City Hall application was made for permission to double track the roadway in question, but no decision was arrived at, adjournment being made until this afternoon at four o'clock, when they will again convene to deal with the matter.

GEO. M. McDADE GETS APPOINTMENT

Engagement as Industrial Commissioner For Fredericton Permanent—News of Capital

Fredericton, N. B., Aug. 22.—At a meeting of the board of trade last evening George M. McDade was given permanent appointment as industrial commissioner for the city. He has already entered upon his duties.

WAITING FOR THE HARVESTERS IN WEST

Wages Ranging From \$2.50 to \$4.00 Per Day With Board—There is a Shortage of Binder Time

Winnipeg, Aug. 22.—An eager lot of farmers, government officials and secretaries of western boards of trade are awaiting the arrival of the harvesters from the eastern provinces and Ontario. The big excursion from Toronto is expected here tonight and other supplies will arrive early on Saturday morning. The balance between the supply of laborers and the demand of the farmers has been admirably thus far. The harvest will not be generally underway until Saturday or even the beginning of next week.

FUTURITY DAY AT ROCKINGHAM PARK

Salem, N. H., Aug. 22.—Today was futurity day at the grand circuit race meeting at Rockingham Park, for it was expected there would be decided the three year old racing and three year old trotting divisions of the American Horse Breeders' futurity valued at \$11,000. In addition the program called for "The Rockingham" for 218 class trotters worth \$2,000 and the "Mount Washington" for 212 class pacers valued at \$2,300.

BURIED TODAY

The funeral of Andrew J. Stewart took place this afternoon from the residence of his son, Walter R., 22 St. James street. Rev. Gordon Dickie conducted the services at home and grave. There were numerous handsome floral tributes. Interment was in Fernhill.

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THE MAN WHO MADE THE SALVATION ARMY

NEW YORKERS GET VALUABLE CAPE BRETON PROPERTY

Estimated There Are 2,000,000 Tons of Silver and Lead in It

Halifax, N. S., Aug. 22.—(Special)—A deal has just been put through at Sydney, whereby silver and lead properties in the East Bay district, formerly controlled by J. B. MacCormick and J. H. Joy, of Sydney, pass into the hands of New York capitalists.

PROBE INTO POLICE GRAFT OF NEW YORK

Squad of Detectives Today Turned Loose in the Search

JOHN DOE INQUIRY

District-Attorney Involves Four Inspectors and Three Civilians in Police Corruption—Grand Jury Busy Today on Becker-Zelig Case

(Canadian Press) New York, Aug. 22.—All the forces of the state attorney's office with the aid of a squad of private detectives were directed today to ferret out the evidence of police graft. When Justice Goff convenes the extraordinary session of the grand jury on Sept. 3, District-Attorney Whitman proposes to lay information before the grand jury that several persons can supply valuable information of police blackmail.

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WANT DOCTORS TO WRITE MORE PLAINLY

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SUMMER SACRIFICE SALE

OF MEN'S READY-TAILORED CLOTHING.

OUTING TROUSERS must change ownership—25 per cent. discount—now \$1.50 and up.

OUTING SUITS now \$6.40 and up.

Summer Suits with vest, most of them just one suit in the pattern, some two—reductions range as great as 40 per cent. just a little over half-price—come soon, though.

Washable Vests, except white, half-price.



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MARRIAGES

WOODBOYNE—At the home of the bride's mother, by Rev. Hugh E. Steele, of Coburg street Christian church, assisted by Rev. J. C. B. Appel, C. Maude Boyne to Fred J. Wood.

DEATHS

FARRY—At the home of her brother-in-law, James Ready, of the Manawagomah Road, on the 21st inst., Miss Mary A. Farry, leaving three sisters to mourn their sad loss.

Funeral Friday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the residence of James Ready, Manawagomah Road, to St. Rose's church. Friends and acquaintance invited to attend.

WHITE—In this city on the 21st inst., Mrs. Elizabeth White in the 72nd year of her age, leaving three sons and a daughter of 10 years.

(Boston papers please copy.)

Funeral from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. A. Burnside, 15 Ritchie street, Friday Aug 23rd at 2 p. m.

IN MEMORIAM

BROWN—In loving memory of Frederick Osborne Brown, who departed this life on August 22, 1911.

One year has passed, our hearts still sore. As time goes on we miss him more. His loving smile, his gentle face. No one can ever fill his place.

SCHOOL CHILDREN SUFFER

from imperfect vision and are called dull in studies. We give careful attention to the fitting of Children's glasses, assuring good results in all cases.

D. BOYANER OPTOMETRIST AND OPTICIAN 38 DOCK ST.

QUEBEC ODDFELLOWS

Montreal, Aug. 22—J. Irving McCabe of Coaticook was elected grand master of the I. O. O. F. grand lodge of Quebec at the annual session. The grand lodge will meet in Montreal next year. The membership has increased to 5,500.

We make a specialty of Suburban trade in Fruit Confectionery, and ICE CREAM. Just call Main 428-31 and have goods delivered J. M. NORRIS, 23 Paradise Row, Phone Main 428-31.

AROOSTOOK POTATO CROP MUCH BELOW THAT OF LAST YEAR

(Bangor Commercial)

Judging from estimates made by 100 potato growers of Aroostook county, the potato crop in Maine's greatest potato producing section will be at least 25 per cent. below last season's mark. This information is from F. K. Embree, of Riverhead, N. Y., who with his father, C. E. Embree, the general manager of the Farmer's Union of Maine has been making a trip to Aroostook county.

"I have just returned from Aroostook county," Mr. Embree told a Commercial man, Tuesday, "and I found that there has been a slight increase in the acreage in that section. In talking over the situation with 100 potato growers, I found that there is a slight increase in the acreage over last year of 130 acres. They also estimated that through the excessive wet weather they had lost completely a acre a piece of potatoes, which left a small percentage of increase.

"The potato crop yield for this season due to weather conditions they placed at 25 per cent, and it was the opinion of 75 per cent. of them that there would be about a 75 per cent. crop this year.

"Such potatoes as they will get promise to be exceptionally fine.

"Shipments from Aroostook county will not come freely until about the middle of September, but there is some talk of a car being sent out of Presque Isle the last of this week or the first of next. The market conditions at the consuming end has a tendency just now to cause buyers to get things moving as soon as they can, both Boston and New York markets being particularly good just at present.

"Along the Maine Central points I figure that there will be 30 or 40 per cent. increase in acreage over last year. The fields in central Maine are looking exceedingly well and the indication is that the yield will be a good one.

"Notwithstanding the increased acreage along the Maine Central the crop there will not be taken up until the middle of September, and the application of manure will not make up the difference between the two years.

SCHOOLS RE-OPEN

Children should not be sent nor accepted at school unless their teeth have been properly attended to.

Few days remain. Expert advice and workmanship may be obtained at either of our offices.

Free tickets given with each operation entitling holder to a chance for the big prizes which will soon be drawn.

Consultation Free.

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from such a simple thing as a corn on your toe when a few applications of ROYAL CORN SALVE kills the corn.

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LATE SHIPPING

PORT OF ST. JOHN Arrived Today.

Coastwise—Schr Yarmouth Packet, 70, Thurber, Yarmouth; Shamrock, 33, Benjamin, Matland and old; Rody, Now, 18, Denton, Seal Cove; Ethel May, 16, Hudson, Annapolis Royal and old; Ethel, 22, Halford, Adirouack Harbore and old; Stena Harbinger, 40, Rockell, River Harbort and old; Connors Row, 49, Warnock, Chance Harbor.

Cleared Today.

Coastwise—Schr Fannie May, 25, McLellan, Campbell.

There are about 200,000 hens in Newfoundland, or just one hen and a quarter to every inhabitant.

TWENTY-FIVE WHO FOUGHT NAPOLEON ARE STILL LIVING

Search for Veterans of the Invasion of Russia Discloses that Many

St. Petersburg, Aug. 22—Twenty-five hoary old veterans, still grappling with death as bravely as they once struggled with foreign invaders, link and weave the heroic Russia of 100 years ago with the mighty Slav nation of today. Official research has ascertained the fact that about twenty-five survivors of that memorable battle are scattered over the length and breadth of the Czar's dominions.

One peasant in the province of Vitebsk, who first saw the light 110 years ago, was hiding in a village during a skirmish there, and gathered bullets on the battlefield when the French troops had withdrawn. Another who was twelve years old then, says he fought as a boy against the French and British troops. He lives hidden in Besarabia on the proceeds of his wife's labor. She is ninety, and vigorous.

In the Province of Ekaterinohlav lives a peasant who was fifteen years old when Napoleon invaded Russia, but the oldest survivor of all is a veteran named Koromedev, who fought against the foe for a sixteen-year-old soldier by profession. An old woman named Zakharovitch, in the Province of Minsk, remembers the sensation act of her father, who, when 250 French soldiers and officers entered his barn to spend the night, set fire to the wooden building when they were fast asleep. Not one escaped.

Yesterday the first sod was turned on the proposed extension of the Rolling Mills plant in connection with the Canada Car Works. This addition to the company's already extensive mill will mean an increase of 100 per cent. in the output of the plant at present employed. The building operations will commence today and the new addition which will be of brick, will comprise 100 x 300 feet annexed to the present mill. There are now in the neighborhood of 120 skilled mechanics employed in the Rolling Mills, the most of them being the highest paid artisans in Amherst. With the consent of the management the new addition of men supplemented in the new addition, think what this will mean to our town. But this is not all; a big iron and steel scrap store 100 x 300 feet which has been in the course of construction for some time, will soon be ready for occupancy. The above improvements are finished it is the company's intention to erect a large boiler shop for the manufacture of car boilers, brake beams and trucks. This is a portion of cars never made in Amherst before, the same always being procured from Montreal—another evidence of the enterprise of the Amherst management in connection with the new plant.

At the beginning of next spring to erect a new steel under-frame plant which will enable the company to manufacture steel cars. Hereafter nothing but wood passenger and freight cars have been turned out here. The Montreal and St. John car is becoming larger and the Canada Car & Foundry Company, with its already extensive plant in this town, see in Amherst great possibilities for the construction of the steel plant.

PERSONALS

Miss Marguerite Coran left last evening on the Montreal Express to visit her brother, R. M. Coran of Winnipeg.

Miss Edna Fullerton, of Long Reach, left on the Montreal Express for New Westminster, to take up duties as a teacher.

Mrs. Charles Darley and Miss Alberta Darley, of Lynn, Mass., are guests of Mrs. John Walker, McMillan street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. W. Waring will leave tonight for Montreal, Toronto and Hamilton and expect to be away two weeks.

Miss Marguerite Staples, of St. John, is spending a short vacation in Fredericton, the guest of her cousin, Miss Leonia Dunbrack.

Dr. J. R. Inch, of Shelburne, formerly chief superintendent of education for New Brunswick, is in the city.

Frederick C. Colborne, chief engineer of the C. P. R. Telegraph Company is in St. John, acting as special operator during the visit of the vice-regal party to that town. He is accompanied by his wife, who is here on a short vacation.

Joseph Dillon, of Richmond street, has left for Winnipeg to reside.

Miss Lillian Walsh, of Cambridge, Mass., is visiting at the home of her uncle, C. H. Ramsay.

Mrs. L. S. Huettis and Master Ronald Huettis, who have been spending the summer months at Rockdale Hotel, Brown's Plat, have returned home to Truro.

T. R. Fullerton, of the Bank of New Brunswick, has been transferred from Yarmouth, and left on Friday morning for St. John. Mr. Fullerton was tendered a farewell dinner before leaving—Yarmouth Times.

Rev. R. J. Plint and Mrs. Plint, of Chipman, have come to St. John to spend a three weeks' vacation.

Miss May Simpson, of DeLham, Mass., and Mrs. John Danahy of Canton, Mass., who have been spending a short time with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Conlon, left this morning to return home by way of Digby and Yarmouth.

FALL ARRIVALS Ladies' Boots HIGH TOE

Patent Leather blucher cut - \$3.00 Patent Leather Button Boot - \$3.50 Tan Calf Button Boot - \$3.50 Tan Calf Laced Boot - \$3.50

Just arrived for fall wear at

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CASH SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY, AUGUST 23RD. Also for Saturday night.

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CHRISTIE'S SODAS 10c. fancy pkg. Sodas, 8c. 10c. pkg. Puffed Wheat, 8c. 10c. pkg. Old Dutch, 8c. 10c. bottle Ammonia, 8c. 10c. pkg. Corn Starch, 8c. 10c. pkg. Laundry Starch, 8c.

PLY STOPS 3 five-cent Fly Coils, 10c. 1 lb. tin Royal Baking Powder, 44c. 12 boxes Safety Matches, 5c. 25c. jar Preserved Ginger, 20c. Pickles, mixed or chow, 20c. 3 pkgs. Dessert Jelly, 21c. 35c. bottle Lea and Perrin's Sauce, 28c. POTATO CHIPS 3 pkgs. Fresh Potato Chips, 25c.

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LIVE NEWS OF ST. JOHN TODAY

Band tonight at Queen Roller Rink.

PROPERTY SALE The Depot House, Sussex, was sold under mortgage at 12 o'clock today to E. P. Raymond for \$4,000.

Sydney Isaacs of the Cigar Box Mill street, left last evening to spend a few weeks in Upper Canada.

Special meeting of the Trades and Labor Council Thursday evening. 8484-8-23.

Buy a lot now at "Fairville Plateau." Agent at office on property, Harding street, every evening on Saturday afternoon. 8485-8-23.

St. George's Church S.S. will hold their annual S.S. picnic at Westfield, Friday, August 23. Trains leave West St. John at 9 a.m. and 1.30 p.m. 8486-8-23.

\$10 suits, now \$5; \$18 suits for \$10; \$23 suits now \$15; our loss is your gain—C. B. Pidgeon, corner Main and Bridge streets. 8487-8-23.

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES The office of the Associated Charities has been removed to 182 King street east, telephone 1203 main. Miss Robertson, the secretary, will be on Monday to spend five weeks in Boston, studying the system there. During her absence the office will be closed.

EARLY CLOSING The matter of the taking of a referendum on the early closing question will be considered on Monday afternoon next at the weekly meeting of the council. It is expected that a decision will be arrived at either adopting the by-law or ordering a referendum to be taken, which probably will cost nearly \$900.

SCHOOL OPENS ON MONDAY Are the children ready? If not, you can telephone the schools at F. W. Daniel & Co.'s store, head of King street. All sorts of wearing apparel, from handkerchiefs to dresses, all ready to put on. An attractive new line of raincoats has just been opened in a variety of colors, sizes fit girls from 6 to 14 years. Ask to see them. See advertisement page 5.

THE DOG SHOW The entries for the dog show, which is to be held in St. Andrew's Rink on September 5, 4, 3 and 2 under the auspices of the New Brunswick Kennel Club, are coming in fast and the show promises to be one of the best and most successful that the association has held. It is likely that the decorations which were put up in the rink for the reception to the royal party, will be allowed to remain in the rink for the show. The work of putting up the kennels will be begun the first of next week.

ADVANCE SHOWING OF EARLY FALL MILLINERY AT M. R. A'S Ladies who are anxious to know what the new season promises in millinery styles will be interested in viewing the advance showing of ready-to-wear and tailored hats offered for Friday in the millinery salon. The hats are suitable for early fall, and afford a first inspection of some of fashion's most charming of the new creations.

MCGOY CASE DISMISSED London, Aug. 22—Kid' McCoy (Nora Kelly), the boxer, was discharged from custody by the magistrate of the extradition court at Bow street today. He had been arrested on July 20 on a provisional extradition warrant, charging him with larceny alleged to have been committed at Ostend. The proceedings were taken at the instigation of the Belgian legation.

Vincent's Tea Rooms will be closed every night at 7 o'clock except Saturday's, beginning today. 8413-8-28.

Dainty folder photos, \$1.50 per dozen up—Loggia Photo Studio, 38 Charlotte street.

CARD OF THANKS Mrs. Vail and family wish to thank their many friends for kindness shown them in their recent bereavement.

Don't forget the big time to be had at the moonlight excursion to be held by the Temple Band on the May Queen, Monday August 26. 8488-8-27.

The ninth annual blueberry picnic and Foresters' excursion is to be held at Westport on Saturday the 24th inst. Trains leave St. John at 9.15 a. m., 1.10 and 5.05 p. m.

Why, yes, they are lovely: Climo's half-price photo offer. I got some last week and he is going to have another run this week. Don't miss it. \$1, \$2, \$2.50. 85 German street. Tele 835. 8410-8-26

THE BATTLE LINE S. S. Hiners, Captain Bennett, called for Europe from Bahia, Brazil on August 14. Stmr Trebis, Captain Staratt, from Rosario via ports, arrived at Rotterdam today.

CHEAP FARES TO QUEBEC EXHIBITION Cheap fares will prevail on the I. C. R. in connection with the Quebec exhibition, August 24 to September 3. Round trip tickets at first class one way fare to Lewis will be issued for August 23 and 26, good for return Sept. 6. 8411-8-24.

NOTHING IN IT According to the Standard this morning the commissioner of public safety, H. R. McLellan has in review the proceedings of the services of members of a detective agency to aid in the investigation which he intends to conduct into the police department. The commissioner laughed at the idea this morning when he read of it. "There is no truth in the report," he said, "and it will be seen when the items of expense are made known that there will be no provision shown for any detective."

FARM LABORERS Inquiries indicate that large crowds will leave the maritime provinces on the second farm laborers' excursion, August 28. Three thousand harvesters left on the first excursion, but, owing to the bad weather prevailing, many were unable to get away at that time. Advice from the west state that the demand for labor is greater than ever before, and those who left on the first excursion found ready employment upon arrival. The west is still clamoring for thousands of hands, who are promised several months work at most excellent wages.

Bargain Tickets Withdrawn Saturday. The five tickets for \$1 offer of the Exhibition Association will be withdrawn Saturday of this week. The \$5c. saving on each dollar's worth, as per this plan, is a great help to family folk. Tickets can be had at most all the drug stores in the city and some other centrally located places.

THE MERGER OF THE ROYAL AND TRADERS

Treasury Board at Ottawa to Take up Matter Tomorrow

Ottawa, Aug. 22—(Special)—It is expected that the dominion treasury board will on Friday morning, take into consideration the application for the merger of the Royal and Traders banks. The board will report its decision to the cabinet council, and that the application will be approved is generally believed in government and financial circles as no serious objection can be made to the taking up of the merger of the bank act as it stands today.

One objection to bank mergers is that they result in the loss of jobs. It is contended, however, that both banks have branches at only a few points in Canada and that the application will not be impaired. The objection to the centralization of capital is one which cannot be very well dealt with under the provisions of the bank act as it stands. It is a general question which will be raised in connection with the revision of the act at the next session of parliament.

Mr. B. Walker, mechanical accountant at the bank, will consider the application tomorrow.

L. C. R. INQUIRY AT MONCTON IS ON AGAIN

Moncton, N. B., Aug. 22—(Special)—The L. C. R. pass inquiry was resumed this morning by Commissioner H. H. F. Freese appeared but Mr. Fowler was absent. J. J. McKenzie, clerk in the I. C. T. office, directed the inquiry. It is in which the conductors' returns regarding passes are examined. Formerly passes, when taken up by conductors and returned to the audit office, were kept about three months and then destroyed. About two years ago a change was made in the system and the passes were sent from the audit office to the board of management. The witness did not remember the system as it stood at the time of the inquiry. He stated that he had been instructed to furnish to the commissioner returns of the passes for 1909.

J. J. Walker, mechanical accountant of the I. C. R. told of the practice in connection with issuing passes to employees. There was one kind for employees going on vacation and another for employees going on railway business. Questions at length regarding passes issued in the office of the late A. B. McHaffie, master mechanic, in whose office Vye was employed as chief clerk, he said he never found irregularities. McHaffie would have authority to issue employee passes only.

PROVINCIAL UNIVERSITIES

Acadia Bulletin.

The closing exercises of the various provincial universities have all passed and a number of Bachelors have left behind them their college work. Of these 57 are young women. The statistics are as follows:

BA. BSc. Total Male male

St. Francis Xv'r 17 1 18 16 2

St. Allison 23 2 25 15 9

Dalhousie 34 2 36 20 21

U. N. B. 42 30 12

Acadia 36 9 45 33 12

Sum 8 7 15

In the above statistics only the Bachelors of Arts and the Bachelors of Science are included, except in those of the University of New Brunswick.

In addition to these Acadia had three Bachelors of Theology and other universities had Bachelors in other subjects. The statistics for the University of New Brunswick included several engineering men and some in forestry.

ANOTHER GREAT GAIN

The St. John bank clears for the week ending today were \$1,870,346, corresponding week last year \$1,439,610.

Miss Farrer Beils Down

Munich, Aug. 22—Miss Geraldine Farrar, American prima donna of the Metropolitan opera company, is seriously ill, and has been forced to cancel contracts for her fall concert tour.

SCHOOL CHILDREN SUFFER

from imperfect vision and are called dull in studies. We give careful attention to the fitting of Children's glasses, assuring good results in all cases.

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QUEBEC ODDFELLOWS

Montreal, Aug. 22—J. Irving McCabe of Coaticook was elected grand master of the I. O. O. F. grand lodge of Quebec at the annual session. The grand lodge will meet in Montreal next year. The membership has increased to 5,500.

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KILLED MOTHER BY MISTAKE; SIX MONTHS IMPRISONMENT

Calcutta, Aug. 22—A man named Mondrudin Sircar, who killed his mother by mistake, has just been sentenced in the high court to six months' imprisonment.

He was awakened in the night by his mother, who told him that a number of deacons had come to their village. Mondrudin Sircar ran outside the house, awaiting them with a weapon in his hand.

He fell asleep, and when, about an hour afterwards, his mother came to wake him, he struck her two blows, believing her to be a robber. The woman died immediately.

CONDENSED DESPATCHES

School Opening On Monday!

We would like to shoe every child that goes into school on Monday. Of course that may be too much to expect but if parents were desirous of getting the very best values obtainable for their money our stores would be crowded tomorrow and Saturday.

On Saturday King Street Store Closes at 1 O'clock Union Street and Mill Street Stores Close at 10.30 p. m.

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SIRLOIN IN BOSTON AT 29 CENTS A POUND

The price of beef went soaring in the Boston market on Monday, when twelve cattle, dressed and weighing on an average of 1,100 pounds each, were sold on the market at the highest price ever known in that city.

The cattle, which had been slaughtered by Swift & Co., of Chicago, for Arthur E. Dorr & Co., wholesalers, cost, when alive, \$10.40 per 100 pounds. The sirloins from these steers, used in weighing eighty-five pounds each, were sold to a hotel for 29 cents a pound, which is also the highest price that marketmen ever remember.

When word was passed among the beef dealers, many of them at first refused to credit the news of this record rise in the price of beef, declaring that they had neither been paying nor charging higher prices for beef. They said, however, that there was no knowing when prices might rise up.

One Pasadena Hall marketman said that \$1,000.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS The twenty-sixth annual meeting of the Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias, closed in Montreal on Tuesday evening with a grand parade of the Dokes. The 62nd band was in the lead. The band proceeded to Victoria Square where they gave a concert. The Dokes later assembled in "Jellows" Hall, where members were initiated.

ASSIGNMENTS Miller Brothers, of Campbellton, produce merchants and butchers have assigned to Sheriff James E. Stewart. Lee Dyer, of Brighton, Carleton county has assigned to Sheriff J. R. Tompkins and a meeting of the creditors is called for August 30 at the office of the official in Woodstock.

H. G. McBeath, grocer, of Charlotte street, has assigned to C. F. Sanford, H. Jellows are about \$4,000 with assets of \$1,000.

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DUCHESS MAY ONCE AGAIN BE IN SOCIETY

Once Thought Her Grace Of Newcastle Would Become Nun

DEVOTED SLUM WORKER

Terrible Threats of Irish Ladies in Connection With Home Rule Bill Alarm Their Society Friends—News of Canadians in Old Country

(Times Special Correspondence.)

London, Aug. 20.—We recently have had instances of the daughters of prominent families taking the veil and as an effect we now have the action of the Dowager Duchess of Newcastle, who has severed her active connection with the Catholic institution which she was instrumental in founding in the East End of London some years ago. For some time, with her snow white hair and distinguished features, she was a conspicuous figure in the processions of the society through the streets of the district, and she was one of the worst slums in the world. Although her identity was hidden from all but those in closest touch with the workings of the institution, it was instinctively felt by all the poor with whom she came in contact that she was some "gracie lady" and was worshipped by those who had felt the soft touch of her ministering hands.

It was not many months ago that the duchess was telling an intimate friend that she thought strongly of taking the veil and retiring for ever from the world. Lately, however, there has come a change in her mental attitude toward the world and its politics and some of her friends predict even that next year she will once more figure in the more staid and conventional social life.

Although the rumors of wars to come in later as not "bothering" society over much, there is wild talk to be heard from some extremists among the women folk. Everybody is discussing the astonishing remarks of the Duchess of Abercorn, the wife of one of the greatest of Irish land owners and heretofore a leading member of the society. Speaking in Lifford, County Donegal, of which His Grace is His Majesty's lieutenant, the duchess, discussing the present warlike defiance of the Liberal government, and its home rule bill, said, "are not to be trifled with. Many of us are descendants of women whose heroism in one of the worst of the most memorable wars is described by Lord Macaulay: 'The women of Derry were seen amid the thickest fire serving out water and ammunition to their husbands and brothers.' Ladies, it has been done; it can be done again."

Let us hope these fire-eating passions do not carry their warfare into their social life and that, although we may meet in sanguinary conflict next year or two, we may dwell in peace and amity on moor and in country house during the next few months.

A Story of Kitchener

Here is a story that you might without told associate with Lord Kitchener, and for which I can personally vouch. A few weeks ago I was invited to a luncheon by a lovely figure at a society function, who was the guest of a prominent London hostess the other day, looking as some one remarked, a veritable wall flower. Although he is really the kindest of men, people seemed to be looking at him or perhaps were nervous at intruding on his habitual reserve—you know his stern countenance and his military bearing. However, as conventional Canadian approached him.

"Look here, I'm a Canadian. I don't want a formal introduction, but I would feel proud to shake the hand of Kitchener, whom we in Canada feel so proud of. Kitchener's both hands seized his immediately. 'That's just what I like, no formalities,' he said, and he entered into a heart to heart talk about Canadian co-operation in naval matters.

The steamship Niagara, which will be christened by Mrs. Borden at Clydebank next week, will ply between Vancouver and Australasia ports, and the latest addition to the Union Steamship Company's fleet, demanded by the rapidly expanding passenger traffic in those waters, more than 500 feet long, she is modernly equipped and will easily be the biggest steamer sailing into the Pacific port. A novel feature is that she will be equipped to either oil or coal.

Canadians in London I hear that John Rose Robertson, proprietor of "The Telegram," Toronto, met with a slight accident on the steamship on the way over, which necessitated his resting for some little time. Mrs. Robertson, too, has been indisposed, but both have recovered and have left town for the country.

Mrs. Lydia Barr, of Toronto, who has been traveling on the continent visiting among other places, Berlin, Eberswalde, Munich and Paris, will return to London soon, prior to leaving for home. Miss Margaret E. T. Addison, of Toronto, who has been over here for some time, has been staying in Derbyshire, and is at present in the lake district. The Hon. I. B. Lusk, of Quebec, Mr. C. Van Norman, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Mann, Toronto; S. W. Scott, Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Balfour, Lewis; J. S. Forde, Hamilton; Mrs. L. Luker, Toronto; Miss S. H. Richardson, Newmarket; Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Lusk, Quebec; Mr. and Mrs. W. Yule, Montreal; Mrs. V. Schiller, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Foster, Fredericton; Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Palmer, Oak Point; Miss Jessie W. Forrest, Toronto; Miss Jessie M. White, Athens; Messrs. H. and E. H. Seibert, Quebec; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. and Misses Cargill, Carleton Place; Misses A. and E. Tomkins, J. E. Minnie, Mrs. O. Sheariff, Goshen; Miss E. F. McInery, Miss E. M. F. Maguire, St. John; Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Wash-

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Heavy Natural Union, winter weight, per garment, 40c. to 60c. Grey All-Wool, winter weight, per garment, 35c. to 60c. Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers, per garment 35c.

Sweaters, coat style, light, medium and heavy weights, all popular colors, prices 85c. to \$2.75. Button neck styles, prices \$1.25 to \$1.65.

Roll collar shirts, extra qualities, prices \$1.35 to \$1.50. Jerseys, navy cashmere and worsted, English make in several qualities and weights, prices 65c. to \$1.65.

Collars, newest shapes, perfect fitting, 2 for 25c. Soft double collars in white and colored, price 15c., 20c. Soft double collars and tie to match, prices 25c., 50c.

Handkerchiefs, colored borders, mercerized, 3 for 25c. White Cambric, hemstitched, 4 for 25c.; White Linen, hemstitched, 3 for 50c.

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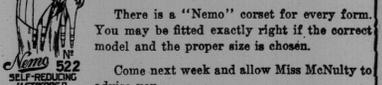
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One-piece Serge Dresses, navy only with trimming of wide silk braid. Sizes 5 to 8 years, \$3.45 each.

Middy Dresses (one-piece) brown, or navy, trimmed fine brown and white or navy and white stripes in revers of feet. Sizes 14 to 16, \$4.75 each.

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Poplin Raincoats, rubber lined. Colors tan, fawn and navy. Sizes 8 to 14, \$4.50 to \$6.50 each.

Children's School Umbrellas with fancy horn and metal mounted handles, 65c. to 85c. each.

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ANOTHER UNIONIST

M. P. VISITS CANADA
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PLEASANT FLAT—Corner King and Ledlow streets, West, double parlors, bath, hot and cold water. Enquire E. O. Parsons, West. —4-1.

GOOD LABORERS WANTED

FOR construction work. Abertshaw Construction Co., Fairville.
MEN WANTED, steady employment, St. John Hide Co., corner Wall and Dorchester Street Extension N.
WANTED—A good teamster to drive double team; good wages to the right man. Apply A. E. McCreary, 61 St. Rick street. 119-1-1.

WANTED—Competent nurses

WANTED—Competent nurses maid for care of baby during day. Apply Mrs. J. C. Bradley, 46 Carleton street. 120-1-1.
WANTED—Office girl, references required. Apply Dr. Manning, 128 Germain street. 1207-1-1.

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WANTED TO PURCHASE—Gentlemen's case-off clothing, overcoat, fur coats, sweaters, diamond musical instruments, camera, bicycle, guns, revolvers, tools, etc. Call or write E. Gilbert, 28 Mill street, Phone Main 626-11.
ENAMEL LETTERS
ENAMEL LETTERS supplied, St. John Signs Co., 102 King street, Phone 578 Main.

COMMISSION FAVORS DAY OF EIGHT HOURS

Result of Inquiry Into Hours of Labor in Industries Which Are Run Continuously
London, Aug. 22.—The report of a special commission appointed by the International Association of Labor Legislation to inquire into the subject of hours of labor in continuous industries has just been published. The commission was appointed at a delegates' meeting of the association in Lugano in 1910, which declared the twelve-hour day customary in continuous industries to be injurious to health. The best methods of arranging shifts, the night work of adults in certain continuous industries, and of regulating such work where, for technical reasons, work must be carried on at night; and

BALIFF SALE

On Saturday, 24th instant, at ten o'clock, 17 British street, two barber chairs, three looking glasses, chairs and other articles. E. V. Godfrey, Baliff. 818-8-24.

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FIVE BEST CHEQUE PROTECTOR ever sold. Does the work of a \$25.00 machine. Price \$1.50. Rubber Stamps of all descriptions. Stencil, Stencil Ink, Brushes, Automatic Numbering Machines, High Class Brass Stamps. Print your own price tickets and Advertising Cards with Sign Markers. I buy and sell second hand cash registers cheap. R. J. LEAGAN, 73 Germain street, opposite Bank of Commerce.

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LARGE Western flour mill with established reputation for the quality of its products, will require experienced salesman for Maritime Provinces about September 15th. Desire to get in touch with man of proven ability who is familiar with conditions, capable of handling bakers and flour and feed dealers. Require high class man, and willing to pay salary commensurate with ability. Address in confidence with full particulars. Quality, care Northwestern Miller, Lunenburg Building, Toronto, Ont. 839-8-23.

FOR SALE

J. MORGAN & Co., 629-633 Main St. announce a sale of this season's sample waste, white and colored, practically at half price. 8428-8-28.
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SCOTCH ANTHRACITE, Book your order early to insure prompt delivery. James S. McGivern, 5 Mill street. Telephone 42.
MONEY TO LOAN
MONEY TO LOAN on satisfactory security. Stephen B. Burt, Barrister, 62 Princess street. 203-4-1.
SCAVENGERS
FOR REMOVAL of Ashes. Phone 2310-3. 1 D. Sparks, 280 Duke street. 79-1-1.

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TIME TABLE FOR AUGUST DAILY. Except Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays
Leaves Leaves
SCOTT'S CORNER MILLIDGEVILLE 8:00 a.m. 4:30 p.m. 7:00 a.m. 4:45 p.m.
7:15 a.m. 5:15 p.m. 7:45 a.m. 5:30 p.m.
8:00 a.m. 6:15 p.m. 11:30 a.m. 6:30 p.m.
11:55 a.m. 7:15 p.m. 1:20 p.m. 9:00 p.m.
1:30 p.m. 7:15 p.m. 2:00 p.m. 9:00 p.m.

STOVES

GOOD LINE of Second Hand Stoves, well repaired, will sell cheap; also new stoves of all kinds. 185 Brussels street. Phone 1208-11. H. Miller.
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PROPERTIES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Large freehold property, 224 Brussels street. For particulars, apply 14 Cliff street.
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DRESS-MAKING DONE at 64 Pitt street. 8400-8-26.
ENGRAVERS
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Beginning Monday, June 17, leave Redd's Point every week day at 7 a.m. and 4 p.m. for Rosebay and intermediate points. Leave Rosebay every week day in the morning after the arrival of the 9 o'clock Suburban from St. John, and in the evening after the arrival of the Sussex train from St. John. Special midday trip Saturdays. Leaving Rosebay for Redd's Point and intervening stops, after the arrival of the 1:15 Suburban from St. John. Departures from Redd's Point Saturday afternoon as soon after 4 o'clock as possible.

Bargains in Groceries, Peas, Coffee, Flour, Sugar, Etc., at The 2 Barkers, Ltd.

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We beg to thank the public in general, in fact, everybody who have kindly assisted us in making a grand success in our opening sale. We are now settled down to business amongst you, we again ask you to continue your patronage, in the meantime we will aim to carry such lines of goods, such good values that will be money saving to you and a benefit to all concerned. Come in and see us, make yourself at home, you are more than welcome, buy or not buy.

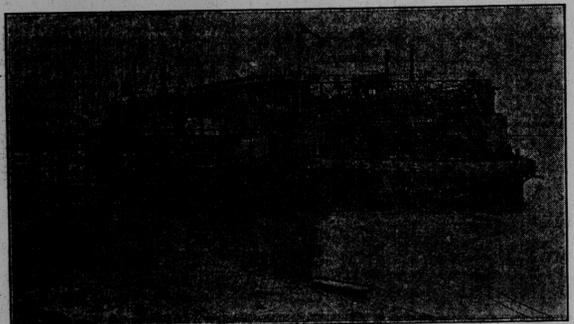
We purpose running weekly specials during the season, every week will have different special lines. This week's specials, commencing Saturday, a big line of faultless stockings, value from 25c. to 35c., for 19c.

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703 Main Street.

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MONTREAL'S IMMENSE NEW FLOATING DOCK



The big dock is here shown at the English shipbuilding establishment of Vickers, Ltd., where it was constructed. It will be towed across the Atlantic immediately and it can be towed to any point in Canada where it may be needed. The dock is large enough to accommodate the largest ships. It will handle the biggest ship at present in the British navy.

VAST STRIKE IS THE PLAN

Belgian Socialists' Scheme For a Social Disorganization to Force "One Man One Vote"

Brussels, Aug. 22—The Belgian Socialists are actively organizing a huge strike of every kind of labor, by which they hope to secure universal suffrage pure and simple, as against the present plural vote which gives the upper classes such an advantage over the lower. They are not only accumulating funds for the purpose at their chief headquarters, but also prevailing upon all workmen rapidly to increase their savings by every means until November, when their leaders will open the session of parliament by the demand for "one man one vote."

As the government and majority are firmly resolved to reject such a proposal, the signal will then be given to cease work in all mines, factories, docks, railways, small or great trades, so as to bring life to a complete standstill until opposition to franchise reform gives way. The Socialists expect the strike to last for five or six weeks at least, but affect the greatest confidence in the issue.

Their Liberal allies are disconcerting this foolhardy scheme, from which they expect only strife, misery, and public repression and reaction against any idea of reform. The Liberal bourgeoisie of Brussels and surrounding municipalities have met and refused to grant the Socialists the right to organize street collections party turns a deaf ear to all objections, and is intent upon preparing social disorganization for next winter, despite the opposition set by the wretched failure of more than one attempt of the kind abroad.

On the other hand, the official authorities and large labor employers are expressing their intention to wreck the movement by applying for masses of foreign hands (French, English, and especially German) as soon as labor is suspended here; while the general public are showing much anxiety and thinking of laying in an unusual stock of winter provisions; so that next month will already witness an abnormal and disturbing rise in prices.

WEDDINGS

Spears-Smith.

A very pretty wedding took place at three o'clock this afternoon in St. Andrew's Church, when Miss Ethel Smith, only daughter of Dr. A. D. and Mrs. Smith, was united in marriage to John Walter Spears, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Spears of Kingsville, Fifeshire, Scotland. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. H. McVicar, D. D., in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends. Miss Pauline Dickson acted as bridesmaid, while Harold Mills supported the groom. Dr. S. B. Smith and James McMurray acted as ushers. The church was handsomely decorated.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Spears left on the Montreal express for a honeymoon trip to Scotland, England and the continent and on their return will live in Toronto. The groom is accountant in the Bank of British North America in Toronto.

Wood-Boys.

The wedding of Miss C. Maud Boyne of this city and F. J. Wood of Fort William, N. S., took place at the home of the bride's mother, in Cornouth street, yesterday. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. E. Steel, assisted by Rev. J. C. E. Appel. Mr. and Mrs. Wood left on a honeymoon trip through the province and on their return will reside in this city.

"What makes you think the baby is going to be a great politician?" asked the young mother, anxiously. "I'll tell you," answered the young father, confidently. "He can say more things that sound well and mean nothing at all than any kid I ever saw."

NEW JERSEY DAY AT SEA GIRT; WOMEN'S LEAGUE GREET'S WILSON



Sea Girt, N. J., Aug. 22—One day recently was set apart at the "Little White House" here as "New Jersey day." On that occasion Governor Wilson received hundreds of visitors from different parts of the state, many of them members of the Women's Wilson and Marshall league. The governor made a speech, in which he emphasized the fact that the help of women was needed in this fall's campaign because they know about the cost of living. Mrs. J. Borden Harriman, the president of the league, also spoke.

FIVE TICKETS FOR THE EXHIBITION ONLY ONE DOLLAR!

SALE ENDS SATURDAY A Substantial Saving For Family Folks. An Extra Ticket—or 25c in pocket. Sale limited to 24th only.

AT ALL DRUG STORES

5 EXHIBITION TICKETS FOR \$1.00

BRAMWELL BOOTH IS THE NEW LEADER

General's Son Accepts Post For Which Father Named Him—An Able Man

London, Aug. 21—In the presence of all the Salvation Army commissioners and the principal officers in London at the international headquarters on Queen Victoria street, General Booth's testament entrusted to the army's solicitor twenty-two years ago, appointing the late commander-in-chief's son, Bramwell Booth, to succeed him, was opened today and read.

Bramwell Booth, who has been chief of staff of the Salvation Army since 1889, accepted the succession formally with much feeling. His speech was a prayer, and the scriptural reading was followed by an impressive service. Mrs. Bramwell Booth and Mrs. Booth-Holbert and other well known army leaders were among the participants.

General Booth's funeral will be held on the afternoon of Aug. 29 at Abney Park cemetery in Stoke-Newington, where his wife is buried. The funeral procession will pass through some of the principal thoroughfares of the city, will start at noon. Many thousands of persons are expected to participate in the funeral service for the army, which will be held on the preceding night at the grand hall of Olympia, the scene of the international horse shows, various pageants and exhibitions, and chosen for its spaciousness.

King George was one of the first to telegraph his condolences to the bereaved family. Messages were also received from Premier Asquith, the Archbishop of Canterbury and other prelates of the Church of the Lord Mayor of London, Sir Thomas B. Crosby, the Earl of Meath and the Earl of Aberdeen and many others including representatives of all the Protestant creeds and prominent persons of the Jewish faith.

The following sketch is from a sketch of the life of Bramwell Booth published in the War Cry:

Bramwell Booth, the general's eldest son, and chief of the staff of the Salvation Army, familiarly known in the ranks as "the chief," was born in Halifax, Yorkshire, in 1836.

As a boy, he early manifested that spirit of sincerity and love of the truth which are today among his chief characteristics, and the secrets of his strength as a leader. But a severe attack of rheumatic fever at the age of thirteen left him practically an invalid—so much so that the chance of his ever taking any prominent public position seemed very remote.

With returning health, starting at the bottom of the Salvation Army ladder, he gradually rose until he became the general's most valuable assistant, and as the general advanced in age he grew with it. From the moment he enters his office at the great centre of activity, the international headquarters, each morning, until the close of the day, he is ceaselessly engaged in administrative work, the closest concentration of heart and brain.

His mental gifts, which are of a very high order, enable him to see further than even the wisest of his colleagues, and it is a rare thing if the chief cannot put a stone to the most perfect proposition brought before him.

As an organizer, the chief is an apostle of efficiency. Some one has said that he is the "Von Moltke of the Army," and some one else has said, in another connection, that to promote efficiency you must "fire out the fool." The chief would rather than that—he would make them efficient; he often does. At any rate, he would bear with them until patience ceased to be a virtue.

A man of affairs must perforce be a man of system, and it would be impossible for the chief of the staff of the Salvation Army to get through a tithe of his duties, if he were not systematic in his finger tips. In the chief's office there is a place for everything and everything in its place. Even in the piles of papers which litter his great broad table, there is an orderly discipline. A special clock systematically ticks off the minutes. Bells are rung in reach for secretaries, telephones lean everywhere, books of reference are within hand reach.

A swing chair turns him from his desk to the tiny lunch table on which is placed his frugal meal, while a handy chair is always ready for the "next man in." Interviews are by appointment, and business is dealt with in rotation. There are no surrenders in the chief's secretarial hand; if we are correctly informed, some of his personal assistants even matter "work" in their sleep! With rarely done duties every secretary is to the system, while boards and conferences are taken at their appointed hour.

His inflexible sense of justice is a safeguard to every Salvationist throughout the world, and no one need fear for a moment that the army's heritage will ever suffer in his keeping. Bramwell Booth, though he may have sworn to his own hurt, will change not. With him love of the truth is indeed a born passion. Truth is, in his estimation, a jewel whose price is above rubies.

CANADA AND THE CANAL

Ottawa, Aug. 21—The department of justice and other departments of the government have, it is stated, received instructions by cable from Premier Borden and Hon. C. J. Doherty, to collect all information and statistics, contained in the records in possession of the government having any bearing on the Panama canal controversy.

It is understood that this action is taken for the purpose of supplementing and strengthening Great Britain's case, which will be put in motion through diplomatic channels in the event of the bill granting special privileges to United States ships becoming law.

It is understood that the Canadian Pacific Railway is interested in the question and may add the weight of its representations to Canada's action. How the clause prohibiting railroads from ships from passing through the canal will affect Canadian railways cannot at present be ascertained, but in any case, it is understood that the big lines, especially the C. P. R., are watching developments closely. Full consideration of the terms of the bill and complete information as to the effect on Canadian shipping will be necessary before action is taken.

MISS HELEN TAFT AND BROTHER ROBERT TOUR GLACIER NATIONAL PARK



Glacier Park, Mont., Aug. 22—Miss Helen Taft and Robert Taft, daughter and son of President Taft, are spending a month in a tour through Glacier National Park. Miss Taft arranged the party, which also includes Miss Martha Bowers, daughter of the late attorney general of the United States; Lloyd W. Bowers, her brother; and also Miss Isabel Vincent, daughter of President and Mrs. George E. Vincent of the University of Minnesota. Mrs. Vincent is chaperon of the party.

NAVIES OF WORLD EIGHT YEARS HENCE

Italian Vice-Admiral Writes of Conditions Then Based on Present Fleet and Still Gives England Place as Arbiter of Situation

Rome, Aug. 22—Vice-Admiral Viotti publishes an article in the "Giornale d'Italia" dealing with naval construction. He begins his article with a review of the strength of the European fleets in 1920, according to the present programme.

England, without counting ships engaged in the protection of her colonies, will have sixty-six battleships, thirty-two armored cruisers, and sixty-four smaller vessels, according to Admiral Viotti. The position of Italy, says Admiral Viotti, makes it necessary that she shall have ready by 1920 sixteen battleships (including naturally the six now completing) added to the eight units of the present battle line and an adequate number of scouts, torpedo-boats, etc. Her programme will, however, according to Admiral Viotti, be augmented.

Taking these figures and giving the German fleet the value one, Admiral Viotti establishes the coefficient of power of the European navies in 1920 as follows: England 100, Germany 1, France 20, Russia 16, Italy 40, Austria 20. From these coefficients, and taking into consideration the value of the "personnel," Admiral Viotti draws the following conclusions: In a naval conflict between Great Britain and the Triple Alliance the fleet of the Triple Alliance would be equal in size, with a slight preponderance on the side of Great Britain, due to the consideration that a homogeneous fleet is superior to one belonging to different nations united together. The fleet of the "entente" (Great Britain and France) would be 60 per cent superior to the fleet of the Triple Alliance, and this would be sufficient to ensure victory to the "entente." Italy and Austria would be able to face France, the fleets being equal, but there would be a slight advantage in favor of France, thanks to the homogeneity of her fleet and the comparatively small coast line she has to defend (the European coast of France washed by the Mediterranean is only 625 kilometres, while Russia would hold Germany in check, having a slight preponderance of power (0.06), but they could not face Great Britain, which, thanks to her superiority at sea, against any possible coalition, and to her policy of peace, in and out of the situation.

Admiral Viotti urges, in conclusion, the necessity of preparing the new Italian naval programme on the basis that sixteen new "Dreadnaughts" must be built by 1920.

CADETS HOME FROM ALDERSHOT

About 300 of the local cadets and boy scouts from various parts of the province arrived here yesterday afternoon from Aldershot (N. S.), where they were in camp for five days. The lads all expressed themselves as delighted with the trip. They arrived here on the Prince Rupert at 5 o'clock and paraded the streets, the local corps escorting the outside companies to the depot via Prince William, Dock and Mill streets. Sergt. Frank Hunter, who captured the Strathcona silver cup for the best shot in the competition open to all cadets in the maritime provinces, was honored by being placed at the head of the whole battalion in their march through the streets yesterday. He carried with him the coveted trophy. Sergt. Hunter, who belongs to the St. Stephen's Scots Cadets, also captured the battalion cup for his shooting in the St. Stephen's competition. He was intended to arrange a reception for the boys of the brigade meet him at the boat, but the limited time between the report of victory and the homecoming made it impossible to arrange the affair. The victorious sergeant nevertheless received many handshakes from his delighted friends. The trophies were presented by Lieut-Colonel Manserue, of the 72nd regiment, of Chatham, who acted as camp commandant.

The cadets who arrived here yesterday were: St. Stephen's Scots Cadets, St. Andrew's, Rothery College and A. O. H. Cadets and boy scouts from Fredericton, Woodstock and St. Stephen. The outsiders on arriving at the station left for their homes on the Montreal train.

MORE EVIDENCE IN THE NEW YORK POLICE CASE

New York, Aug. 21—On evidence unexpectedly strengthened by the testimony of Stan Schepers and "Jack" Zelig, the East Side gang leader, the grand jury yesterday indicted Police Lieutenant Charles Becker for the murder of Herman Rosenthal, and handed down also the expected indictments against six of the alleged tools, the four gun men accused of actually doing the murder, and two who are alleged to have taken part in the plot.

They are "Gyp the Blood" and "Lefty" Louis, who are still at large; "Dago Frank" Crockett and "Whip" Lewis now in the Tombs; Jack Sullivan, the former "King of the Newsboys," who is alleged to have given the "murder signal," and William Shapiro, driver of the "murder car."

The testimony of "Jack" Zelig was a story of how Becker attempted to get him into his power and to take part in the murder plot. All that Zelig had to do with it, he said, was to recommend to Jack Rose the names of the gunmen, "Gyp the Blood" and his crew, who would do the "job."

HER BABE TO A PEASANT

Berlin, Aug. 22—A story reading like the beginning of a modern parallel of an eighteenth century romance, comes from Rottenburg, Thuringia.

A peasant woman was working in a lonely field when she heard a motor-car driving fast along the road. To her surprise it stopped and a young and beautiful woman, who, with a young man, was the occupant of the car, beckoned to her and handed her a basket and an envelope.

"In the basket is a baby," said the girl. "Keep it and bring it up kindly. The envelope contains \$2,000, which will pay for its keep." Before the woman could answer the motor-car had driven swiftly away.

FAIRVILLE'S NEW RECTOR

Fredericton, Aug. 21—The first Sunday in September Rev. W. P. Dunham, now rector of McAdam, York county, will take up his duties at Laurier, St. John county, and the second Sunday in September, Rev. Mr. Ferguson, who comes to the diocese of Fredericton from the diocese of Springfield (Ill.), will be inducted as rector of the parish at Peterville, Queen county. He will reside at Welsford, being the successor of the late Rev. Mr. Coulston.

Advertisement for Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. The text describes the medicine's effectiveness for various ailments including diarrhea, dysentery, summer complaint, colic, pains or cramps in the stomach, cholera morbus, cholera infantum, and all looseness of the bowels. It claims to be a rapid and effectual cure. The advertisement includes the name of the manufacturer, The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont., and the price of 35 cents. There are also small illustrations of the product packaging.

DOWLING BROS. The Largest Retail Distributors of Ladies' Coats, Skirts and Blouse Waists in the Maritime Provinces.

Another Big Sale of Ladies' Shirtwaists

About 700 Shirtwaists, mostly in White, in Lingerie and Tailored styles, none but the very latest ideas and fully sixty different styles to select from. Prices range from

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SILK DRESSES

Those Silk Dresses on display in our window are calling forth expressions of admiration from every one who pauses to look at them. They are made from fine Shepherd check and hair line stripe silk of a good wearing texture, piped with plain taffeta, trimmed with small silk trimming buttons and with a fine lace yoke. The colors are blue and white and black and white. Regular value of this dress is \$10.00.

Sizes 34 to 40

\$6.75

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YOU will be needing something in the way of Stylish, Dressy Headwear to complete your autumn outfit, especially in view of the Vice-Royal visit. We were never better prepared to meet your needs in this direction, our display comprising all the newest and most favored effects, in model and coloring. The prices will really surprise you.

Come in and see them—Today.

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FROCKS FOR LITTLE FOLKS

Nowadays a child must be more than merely "sweet and clean," it must be suitably and prettily dressed. Our children's department tries to make this possible for all mothers whether they spend much or little upon the small wardrobe.

- Girls' Dresses: Sailor Dresses in white linen with pale blue and braid trimmings, sizes 6 to 14 years, \$2.50, \$2.85, \$2.75, \$2.55. Sailor Dresses, blue and white stripe with plain blue trimmings, sizes 24 to 30 inch, \$1.90, \$1.85, \$2.25. Striped Print Dresses, 6 to 14 years, 75c. Children's Dresses, tan and blue linen with patent leather belt, sizes 2 to 6 years, \$1.25 and \$1.45. Boys' Blouses, Shirts, Pants, Overalls etc.

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The beautiful assortment of Heintzman & Co. Pianos which have just arrived fresh from the factory. Also Wormwith & Co. Pianos. Both of which we are sole agents for in New Brunswick. We have also a few slightly used Organs which we are offering at greatly reduced prices.

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LOCAL NEWS

MAY OFFICIATE. Rev. Hugh Ellsworth Steele and Rabbi Herman Benmoshe, both of this city, have been authorized to solemnize marriages.

EXCHEQUER COURT. Sittings will be held in the exchequer court in this province in September as follows: Edmundston, Sept. 10, and St. John Sept. 24.

POLICE REPORTS. Joseph Stackhouse has been reported by the police for breaking trees in Blanchard Fowler's orchard in Wright street, and also for stealing apples therefrom. J. G. Lendrum, George Scullier, John Hood, Charles Robichaud, H. A. Jackson, and D. S. McDonald have been reported for working in the city without a license.

EXCURSION TO CONVENTION. It is expected that a large number of members of the A. O. H. in this city will go to St. Stephen on August 29, to attend the maritime convention to be held in that town. An interesting programme has been arranged for the convention, and it is believed that many friends of the members of the order will accompany them.

NEW FIRMS. For the purpose of conducting a joint business as carriage makers, carpenters and carpenters, Alexandre Lavoie and Nere Normandin, of Campbellton, have united in partnership. Emil David and John P. Shialla, of Campbellton, have united in partnership and will conduct the dry goods business formerly carried on by Mr. David. The name of the new firm is David & Shialla.

DECORATION DAY. The members of the A. O. H. in this city will conduct an annual decoration day ceremony on next Sunday. Floral contributions will be received at their hall in Union street by a committee from the ladies' auxiliary on Saturday and Sunday morning. Those desirous of sending flowers from along the I. O. O. F. and C. P. R. can leave them in baggage room, where they will be gratefully accepted.

APPLES AND POTATOES. The first arrivals of the New Brunswick apples were placed on the market this week and are bringing the usual prices. The opening of the season, mainly from the country concerning the apple crop are not very encouraging at the present time and the new stock are late in being received, in comparison with other years. Potatoes are becoming more plentiful and have dropped from their former price of \$2.20 to 80 and 90 cents a bushel.

THE BOY AND THE AUTO. An amusing incident, but one that had also serious aspects, occurred yesterday afternoon near the North End police station in Main street. An automobile proceeding very slowly down a street, but was able to stop before the rear wheel had gone over him. When the car came to a stop, the young fellow jumped up, and finding that his hat was gone dove beneath the car and rescued it. He then ran with all his might into his house and peeked from behind the curtains to see what had become of the car. Doubtless he was under the impression that he had injured the car in some way. At first it was thought that the child was injured, but it was found that he was only badly scared.

PYTHIANS RETURN HOME WELL PLEASED

The Proceedings of Grand Lodge Meeting in Moncton Very Successful—The Dokes

The trains from the east this forenoon and afternoon brought home most of the St. John Pythians who were attending the grand lodge at Moncton. Every fraternal heartily praises the hospitality extended to all sides by the railway city's K. P.'s and citizens generally. Nothing was overlooked in making the two days' stay of the visitors a delightful one. The entertainment was done by the visitors, such as hand concerts, parades, etc., was received with much appreciation. The grand lodge of the maritime provincial domain met on Tuesday and Wednesday. At the delegates arrived from all points an energetic reception committee met them at the depot and presented to strangers a specially made badge containing the Pythian colors, red, yellow and blue, to which was suspended a shield bearing a miniature photograph of the famous Petitcodiac river bore on its daily rampage. The Brunswick Hotel was headquarters.

The parade of the visitors and Uniform Rank at 2 p. m. Tuesday was a brilliant affair. The Grand Band of St. John led the procession. The uniformed men alone numbered more than 200. Tuesday evening there was no meeting of the grand lodge, so the visitors spent the time about town. The Grand Band gave a fine concert in the park and at ten o'clock the Moncton brethren sprang a surprise in a singing and entertainment in the Grand Opera House. There were motion pictures, vaudeville, choruses and a dainty spread. After the election of officers on Wednesday morning the grand lodge adjourned to meet at St. Andrew's next year. The visitors were entertained at the horse races in the afternoon and in the evening the Dramatic Order, Knights of Khurasan held their big ceremonial in Oddfellows' Hall, preceded by a street parade, the like of which the railway town had never seen. The whole Arab band, headed by Grand Viceroy Ritchie of this city—the affair being put on by Adila Temple No. 167 of St. John—were arrayed in their gorgeous habiliments, the unofficial members wearing the royal blue and gold fetes. The temple's new camel five feet high, was in line and the thirty candidates roped together in a melancholy line were publicly displayed en route to the scene of mystery. It was a great sight for the Dolce, but a greater one for their victims. A grand banquet wound up this part of the convention.

LOCAL GOLF

The final in the local golf championship will be played some day this week. The survivors of the semi-finals are Andrew Jack and H. N. Stetson, and a close match is anticipated. The ladies' maritime championship meet is to be held in St. John beginning next Monday. Contestants are expected from several outside clubs. Clarence Sprague, who won the St. John championship last year, and who was recently transferred to Sherbrooke, P. Q., established a new record for the local course there a few days ago. The men's maritime championship meet is to begin on the local course on September 2.

REAL ESTATE

VERY ACTIVE

More Sales of Acreage Reported Today, Lancaster, Manawagoshish Road and Chapel Grove

Real estate has been very active within the last few days. Several big deals have been recorded and numerous other small ones. Fifteen acres of land in Lancaster were sold today to a Montreal syndicate by Messrs. Armstrong & Bruce. The land was purchased a short while ago for a local syndicate and turned over at a large profit. The price is said to be in the vicinity of \$700 an acre. It is thought that the Montreal owners will sub-divide the property for residences. A farm of 100 acres commonly known as the Hatheway farm on the Mahogany road, but recently owned by Messrs. Guernsey & Harding, has been purchased by the firm of Armstrong & Bruce. The price paid is said to be something over \$100 an acre. There has been another large farm of 290 acres sold by the firm of Allison & Thomas. This farm was owned by Dr. Moore of Montreal, and is situated at Chapel Grove, with a frontage of 900 feet on the Kennebecasis River. About fifty acres of it is cleared. On the property is a small frame house with two large barns. It is estimated that the lumber is worth \$800. The land went to an outside capitalist, and it has been suggested that he intends making a fashionable summer resort out of the section. There are rumors of other transactions in the vicinity of Brunels street, but at present nothing definite can be said about them.

CIVIL COURT CASES

Sixty Cents for Judgment on Bill of Half a Dollar

The old adage "revenge is sweet" proved true in the hearing of a case in the civil court this morning when an old man sued a teamster for fifty cents and had to pay sixty cents for the judgment. He told the court that he had engaged a teamster to do a little hauling for him and had paid him fifty cents in advance, that the teamster did not do the work and he was forced to engage another, to whom he paid forty cents. When he went back to the teamster No. 1 he could not get the fifty cents back, so he took the matter to court. He gladly paid the sixty cents for his judgment and left the court smiling. Another case that came up for hearing was that of David Lore against Percy W. Thomson for \$3.25. The plaintiff contended that a coach belonging to him was damaged on July 10 in Union street by the defendant's car backing into it. The defendant was not in court this morning and the matter was allowed to stand over until Thursday next.

LARRY CONNOLLY'S CASE

Further Postponement of Baseball Matter Till This Afternoon

The case of Larry Connolly, an ex-member of the Marlboro, baseball team, against David B. Dixon, J. Russell, Jr., H. J. Fleming and Dr. D. C. Malcolm, owners of the Marlboro baseball team, came up for hearing in the civil court before Judge Ritchie this morning. The plaintiff is suing for \$88 which he contends is due him as salary when he was with the team. G. H. V. Byles appeared for the plaintiff and Charles Mullin, K. C., for the defendant. The case was before the court last Thursday, but was adjourned because the plaintiff is a non-resident could produce security for costs in case a non suit was granted. This morning Mr. Byles presented to the court a surety signed by Daniel Connolly, but Mr. Mullin contended that it was not drawn up in conformity with the application of J. A. Barry, calling upon the law, several words required by the law being omitted. He also objected to the sufficiency of the security. Mr. Byles asked for an adjournment until this afternoon at two o'clock in order to have Mr. Connolly in court, and have the matter straightened out. The hearing was therefore adjourned until that hour.

MATTERS BEFORE JUDGE MCKEOWN

In the case of Tilly vs. Lowell, hearing was held before Mr. Justice McKeown this morning for the purpose of reviewing the big list of cases. The matter was adjourned until tomorrow morning. Geo. N. Y. Byles is appearing for the plaintiff and Dr. L. A. Curvey, K. C., for the defendants. Hearing in the matter of the Kerr Co., Ltd., in liquidation was also adjourned until tomorrow, and hearing on the application of J. A. Barry, calling upon the law, several words required by the law being omitted. He also objected to the sufficiency of the security. Mr. Byles asked for an adjournment until this afternoon at two o'clock in order to have Mr. Connolly in court, and have the matter straightened out. The hearing was therefore adjourned until that hour.

THE PLAYGROUNDS

The formal closing of the Harriett R. Allison supervised playground will take place tomorrow afternoon, but this ground will be kept open for some time longer for the latter portion of the day. Tomorrow afternoon there will be a short programme, and the work of the children will be exhibited, and all the apparatus will be in use, showing the children at play. Members of the Playground Association executive will be present and one or two short addresses will be given. F. G. Spencer gave another treat to the playground children this week. On Tuesday days of the children's ground were given a free admission to the Lyric on Wednesday those of the Centennial, and this afternoon those of the Aberdeen. A special programme was presented and greatly enjoyed; and Mr. Spencer's kindness was greatly appreciated.

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