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LABOR CONGRESS DECIDES THAT NOTHING IN CANADA HAS EVER BEEN DONE PROPERLY

Alien Labor Law Condemned, Lemieux Act Gets a Black Eye, Nova Scotian Gov't Denounced and Whole Management of the Glace Bay Strike Severely Censured--An Enquiry Demanded.

QUEBEC, Que., Sept. 24.—Dramatic resolutions were passed at this morning's session of the Dominion Government to abolish the alien labor law on the ground that it was worthless and useless in its present condition. The Lemieux Act, which is characterized by British Columbia delegates as one of the most mischievous pieces of alleged labor legislation that has ever been adopted in any country. Calling out of the militia at Glace Bay, N.S., was the visit of Hon. Rodolphe, the postmaster general to the Mikado relative to general immigration and alleged agreement was said to be a complete farce, as hordes of coolies and other undesirable were pouring into British Columbia.

TORONTO NEWS CHARGED WITH CONTEMPT OF COURT

Counsel for Mrs. Turner, Indicted for Murder, Begins Action Against Paper.

TORONTO, Sept. 24.—Mr. John Godfrey, of Robinsons, Godfrey and Co., counsel for Mrs. Turner, who is charged with the murder of an infant yesterday, instituted proceedings against the editor of The Toronto News for alleged contempt of court in commenting on this case before trial.

HARBOR BOARD AGAIN DISCUSSING TRANSFER

Agreement With the Government Being Taken Up This Afternoon—Inquiring About Mr. Durant's Company.

The Harbor Board is holding a special meeting this afternoon to give further consideration to the transfer of the West St. John harbor lots to the Government. As there is considerable revision to be done to the agreement it is not likely that any other business will be taken up.

While on his way home from Boston D. C. Clark stopped off at Portland yesterday and was present at the reception tendered Commander Peary by his townsmen. Mr. Clark stated he did not remember ever seeing a greater crowd than that which turned out to greet the explorer. It was crowded, shouting and cheering in this setting of hands of humanity, said Mr. Clark. He shook hands with Peary and extended him the greetings of St. John. The auditorium in which the reception was held was crowded almost to suffocation, several people having to be carried out.

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ONLY ONE NEW JUROR TURNED UP ON TIME

And He Was Challenged—Second Man Who Came in Late Was Promptly Sworn.

The case of Peters vs. Harbour was at last commenced. When the court opened this morning at ten o'clock, John Robinson was the only juror of the additional panel announced by the Sheriff last night who obeyed the summons. He was challenged.

OFFICERS TO BE CHOSEN ACCORDING TO EFFICIENCY

Hibernian Cafets Anticipate a Very Interesting Winter.

A meeting of the Hibernian Cadets will take place in the A. O. H. hall, Union street, at 7 o'clock tonight. The company is rapidly increasing in membership. The manner in which the officers of the corps will be selected is an interesting one. Competing drill will be held between those qualified for the position. A date for the drill will be named immediately.

WILLIAM S. YOUNG, OF TAYMOUTH, IS DEAD

FREDERICTON, N. B., Sept. 24.—The death occurred today of William S. Young, of Taymouth, aged 83. He was a well known resident of York County and a cousin of John Young, M. P. P. He was an unsuccessful candidate in the recent municipal election.

CAN MAKE MORE MONEY BY REFUSING TO DO JURY DUTY

Delinquents, on Legal Advice, Find They are Liable Only to a Fine of One Dollar Per Day—The Law May Be Amended

"The jurors of our Lord the King" who were summoned to attend in person at the present session of the Circuit Court evidently are busy men. When the McDougall case commenced, the original panel and two new panels were exhausted before the required number were sworn, and only ten out of the thirty-five summoned were challenged. The majority of those summoned refused to appear.

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Threatened to Explode When Lighted—Ontario Parliament Building Will Be Fireproof.

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SPAIN AND MOROCCO ON VERGE OF WAR

Recent Complications Threaten Hostilities

MADRID, Sept. 24.—It is generally believed here that the complications which have arisen between Spain and Mulai Hafid, the Sultan of Morocco, are likely to result in a Spanish-Moroccan war. Spain has today over 60,000 troops in Northern Africa, with 11,000 more mobilizing for service there and the government feels that only the brilliant completion of the work begun can defeat the plans of its political enemies at home. The situation at Barcelona is causing renewed anxiety. Bomb explosions on the streets of Barcelona are almost of daily occurrence and although the newspapers that print news of such occurrences are seized by the authorities, the minister of the interior insists that the government is not fighting its political enemies, but rather a widespread anarchistic plot.

STORM WILL CAUSE RISE IN THE PRICE OF PEACHES

Damage Done in Ontario—Officers Attending the Kingston Military School.

ST. CATHARINES, Ont., Sept. 24.—The tall end of the Texas cyclone struck here yesterday and orchards suffered considerably. Fine fruit being knocked off in great quantities. Peaches suffered most and are likely to go up in price as a result.

DAMAGE TO THE WITNESS PLANT REACHES \$150,000

Linepipes and Presses Suffered—Three Firemen Were Injured.

MONTRÉAL, Sept. 24.—The fire damage to the Witness plant reached \$150,000. It is found this morning that the linepipes and presses are badly damaged by the heat as well as the water. Rebuilding will begin as soon as the insurance inspectors are through. Three firemen were hurt but none seriously.

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ANOTHER FARM LABORERS' EXCURSION.

The Canadian Pacific Railway today announces that another farm laborers' excursion will leave the province on Friday next, September 24th. The general arrangements will be the same as for previous excursions this year.

Your appearance will be improved your clothes last longer by having your cleaning, pressing and repairing done by McFarland, the Tailor, 72 Princess. Phone 1618-11.

Mrs. H. D. Sullivan, nee Foster, will receive her friends on Wednesday afternoon and evening and Thursday afternoon, Sept. 22nd and 23rd, at her home, 19 Elliott Row.

This present summer has been a record breaker with Unger's Laundry in the line of new customers. Were you one of them, Tel. 58.

Several hundred people gathered in King's Square last night to listen to the City Chorus band render a choice programme of music, including selections from the Bohemian Girl.

If your liver is sluggish and out of tone, and you feel dull, bilious, constipated, take a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets tonight before retiring and you will feel all right in the morning.

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Rev. (Dr.) Charles Flinders of Centenary church and Mrs. Flinders left by last evening's Montreal train for Stanstead, P. Q., to which place they are called by the death of Mrs. Flinders' mother, Dr. Flinders was formerly principal of the Methodist College at Stanstead.

About 500 people were served at the Harvest Supper given by the Alexandra Temple of Honor in the new hall, Main street, last night. The affair was a grand success. The committee in charge of the affair were: Mr. Samuel Holder, chairman, assisted by Thomas Black, Silas Perry, G. Carlin, John Irvine. The ladies who assisted on the tables were: Miss Hattie Van Wart, Miss Dot Mullin, Miss Etta Jones, Miss Alice Roberts, Miss M. Wilson, Miss Alice Burke, and Miss Mildred Estabrook.

About ten o'clock last night an alarm from box three brought the fire department out to extinguish a small blaze in the room occupied by J. M. Powers at 33 Dorchester street. Mr. Powers, who is a member of No. 2 Hose Company, was sitting in the parlor reading when the lamp on the top of the piano exploded, sending a burning oil in all directions. Mr. Powers immediately gave the alarm, but was able to extinguish the small blaze in various parts of the room and by the time No. 3 engine and hose cart arrived, only the musical sheets on the piano and a picture on the wall were on fire.

The death of Mrs. Wm. V. Dodge of Nauviggawauk occurred suddenly on Wednesday morning as she advanced in age of 82 years. Mrs. Dodge has been somewhat poorly for about two weeks. She was able to be about, however, and was up the morning of Sept. 22nd. Mrs. Dodge is survived by her husband, two sons and three daughters. The sons are G. W. Dodge, solicitor at Nauviggawauk, and G. A. Dodge of Montreal. The daughters are Mrs. G. W. Sherwood, Sussex; Mrs. J. W. West, Sydney, C. B., and Miss Annie of Sussex. She is also survived by five brothers and one sister. The deceased was a daughter of the late William Fowler of Little River, Kings Co., and was held in high esteem by a large circle of friends.

Either there can be little lack of employment in St. John or an opportunity to participate in the construction of that great national highway, the Transcontinental Railway, does not appeal to local men of the laboring class. An employment agent of the Transcontinental who was in the city yesterday for two or three days went back to Chipman yesterday rather disgusted. He had come here to secure 100 men to work upon the section between Moncton and Chipman. He had no doubt whatever that he would be able to pick up that many laborers easily in a city of 50,000 population. After he had resorted to every expedient he knew of, even canvassing the lazzaroni on the benches in King's square, he began to realize his mistake. He took back with him just twenty men, and the majority of these were Italians or Syrians.

TEACHERS HEAR ABLE ADDRESS ON CONSUMPTION

Dr. Walker Explains Nature of Disease and Steps Necessary for its Prevention.

RIVERSIDE, Albert Co., N. B., Sept. 24.—A very largely attended public meeting was held this evening in connection with the Teachers' Institute, when Dr. Walker, of St. John, delivered an address on the nature and prevention and treatment of consumption. Dr. Murray, of Albert, occupied the chair and there were besides on the platform Hon. A. R. McNeilan, Alexander Rogers, Inspector O'Brien, Mr. Peacock and Rev. Mr. Kirby. Dr. Walker said in the beginning that he had no great faith in the eradication of consumption or the curing of those now ill. This could only be accomplished by education in the way of prevention and this he considered would be largely in the hands of the teachers of the country. The doctor traced the history of the much dreaded disease which was microbic in nature and like all microbic diseases its ravages could be arrested in time. The speaker went fully into the matter of contracting the disease, such as inhaling pulverized sputum, impure food and direct inoculation and gave detailed information as to the steps that should be followed by the consumptive and those living with him. The sanatorium was invaluable not because it would cure all cases of disease, but because they are object lessons in assisting in the dispelling of the fear of the disease generally in Great Britain and in the treatment of consumption. The three most important features in the treatment of the disease was fresh air, wholesome food and cleanliness. The speaker urged the teachers to teach this gospel to those under their care. The doctor's address was of absorbing interest.

Don't Get Sea or Train Sick

Bishop Taylor-Smith, Chaplain General of the British Army, has kindly given his permission to publish a statement that he has at various times ordered supplies of Mothersill's Sea and Train Sick Remedy and that he has found it most effective.

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SCOTTISH RITE ELEETS OFFICERS FOR NEXT YEAR

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 23.—With the election of General Samuel C. Lawrence, of Medford, as grand commander, the choice of other officers and the selection of Detroit, Mich., as the place of the next meeting, the Supreme Council of the Sovereign Grand Inspectors-General of the 3rd Degree, Scottish Rite of Free Masonry, of the Northern Jurisdiction, closed sessions here tonight.

DOUBLE FATALITY FOLLOWS AUTO WRECK

ROCKFORD, Ill., Sept. 24.—Charles W. Blodgett, of Chicago, a travelling salesman, was killed, Albert Westenburg was fatally injured, and Oscar Johnson, Eric Christensen and Fred Langton were hurt last night when an automobile in which they were returning from Belvidere returned turtle.

The English mails via Rimouski are due here tomorrow on the Maritime.

About 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon the steering gear of Miss Mabel Thomson's sail yacht was disabled and the craft was left helpless and drifting about near the Kennebecasis Island with the owner as the only occupant. When Miss Thomson did not return at dark her friends became alarmed and a number of gentlemen started out on the river in search, but could not locate the missing yacht. About 9:30 o'clock Miss Thomson telephoned from Donoula Point that she had drifted ashore at that place, and was safe at the home of Mr. George Matthews.

Last night a woman called on Officer Ross to capture a couple of young girls who she said were in the habit of standing on the corner at all hours of the night conversing with boys. The officer caught the girls and after giving them some sound advice allowed them to go home.



SOME FIGURES ON THE LEADER'S PERFORMANCES

Geo. Mullin Leads American League Pitchers—Triple and Double Plays.

George Mullin, Detroit's crack pitcher who leads the American League this season, has worked in 36 games, allowing 234 hits, giving 83 bases on balls, and striking out 125 batsmen. Walter Johnson, of Washington, has taken part in 37 games, allowing but 229 hits, issuing 90 passes and striking out 147 men. Mullin has won 27 games and lost eight. Johnson has won only 12 and lost 23. What a great pitcher Johnson would be with a first division club? Three triple plays have been made to date in the American league this season, each on by Chicago, Cleveland and Philadelphia. Tammehill and Indell of Cleveland, made the only unassisted triple play of the major league history against Boston, while Collins, Baker and Davis of the Athletics, made a triple putout at the expense of the Blue. The Phillies also have the record in double plays; American League—St. Louis, 109; National League—Cincinnati, 102; Boston, 95; Philadelphia, 89; New York, 87; Detroit, 82. Pittsburgh seems to have a shade on Detroit in the matter of team hitting. The Pirates have a grand batting average of .347 to .339 for the Tigers. Detroit has secured nine more double than Pittsburgh, but the Businessmen have made 23 more triples and three more home runs.

BASEBALL

Boston, Mass., Sept. 23.—(American)—Cleveland won the last game of the series today, 7 to 3, after a thorough re-ent, pitched and was a puzzle to the eyes except in one inning. Hall struck out of the field, and another re-ent. The game was remarkably well played, in view of the fact that the field was very muddy and wet. Score:

Table with columns for CLEVELAND and BOSTON, listing player names and statistics.

INDIAN ACQUITTED OF MURDER CHARGE

Evidence Points to Accident—Isadore Bourassa, Who Blew Up House, N.W. Charged With Attempted Murder

KEENORA, Ont., Sept. 24.—After hearing all the evidence submitted in support of the charge of murder preferred against Isadore Bourassa, the young Indian lad who killed a squaw belonging to his tribe on September 11 at Swan Lake, Magistrate McLean this afternoon decided to dismiss the charge, the crown prosecutor MacKenzie, being of the opinion that the case was entirely one of misadventure. The Indian had been out shooting with his brother and took the squaw for a bear in the heavy brush.

TORONTO, Sept. 24.—Isadore Bourassa is now on trial on the charge of attempting to murder F. F. Lemieux, recorder for the mining district, by blowing his house up with dynamite a year ago last July.

THE DOCTOR'S WIFE

Agrees With Him About Food

A trained nurse says: "In the practice of my profession I have found so many points in favor of Grape-Nuts food that I unhesitatingly recommend it to all my patients. It is so delicate and pleasing to the palate (an essential in food for the sick) and can be adapted to all ages, being softened with milk or cream or nibbles or the aged when deficiency of teeth renders mastication impossible. For fever patients or those on liquid diet I find Grape-Nuts and albumen water very nourishing and refreshing. This recipe is my own idea and is made as follows: Soak a teaspoonful of Grape-Nuts in a glass of water for an hour, strain and serve with the beaten white of an egg and a spoonful of fruit juice for flavoring. This affords a great deal of nourishment that even the weakest stomach can assimilate, without any distress. My husband is a physician and he uses Grape-Nuts himself and orders it many times for his patients. Personally I regard a dish of Grape-Nuts with fresh or stewed fruit as the ideal breakfast for anyone—well or sick. In any case of stomach trouble, nervous prostration or brain fog, a few days' trial of Grape-Nuts will work wonders toward nourishing and rebuilding and in this way ending the 'There's a Reason,' and little troubles. Look in piggy for the famous little book, 'The Road to Wellville.' Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. It is genuine, true, and full of human interest.

EXHIBITION RACES AT CHARLOTTETOWN

Brilliant Weather and Big Crowd—Winners Were Ozen D., Tom Trim and Priorita.

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Sept. 24.—The exhibition races yesterday were pulled off in summer sunshine before four thousand people. The summaries are as follows: Ozen D., by Ives, Montague, 1 1 1; Meadowdale, Geo. D. Parrish, Chatham, N. B., 2 2 2; Queen Marie, R. H. Sterns, Charlottetown, 2 4 3; The Governor, P. A. Belliveau, Moncton, 2 2 2; Tom Trim, H. S. Brown, Charlottetown, 1 1 1; Gracie Mac, H. C. Hooper, Charlottetown, 2 2 3; Orwell Belle, J. Rooney, Orwell Cove, 3 2 4; Aquiri, J. M. Nicholson, Charlottetown, 4 4 3; Brazilian, Fred Wash, North Tryon, 6 5 5; Lady Belle, E. J. Ready, Charlottetown, 3 1 1; Binky Boy, J. O'Connell, 2 2 4; Montague, 3 3 8; Time—2:27, 2:28 1/4, 2:27 1/2, 2:40, 2:40. Priorita, O'Brien, Charlottetown, 3 1 1; Hilda S., Alf Stewart, Charlottetown, 2 2 4; Lena Wood, Victoria Hotel, Charlottetown, 4 4 4 1/2; Time—1:29, 1:26 1/2, 1:29, 1:25.

PITCHERS WHO BECOME CATCHERS

If the experiment of turning Ed Tierney into a catcher is a success, the Highlanders next year will have a pair of "catchers who formerly were pitchers. Tierney never had any big league experience as a baseman, but had Fred Mitchell, the capture from Toronto, but in Cincinnati he was considered a wonder on the slab. Mitchell is not the right name of the new Highlanders catcher, now with Joe Kelley's Maple Leaf team. His former cognomen is Yapp. "Yapp" wouldn't have sounded right to the fans, so Freddy changed his name when he got a job with the Boston Americans in 1902. Jimmie Collins released Mitchell to Connie Mack, who is now first of the eccentric one and announces his determination to chase him to the mines, so his by-ename Rube, old cat.

THE PENNANT SITUATION

The Highlanders have two more games to play with the Chicago White Sox, 4 with the Detroit, 6 with the St. Louis Browns and two with the Boston. As the team is playing fast ball just now Manager Stalins thinks the Highlanders can reach the .500 mark or even surpass it before the campaign ends. Last year the Highlanders finished last with 51 victories, 103 defeats, and .331 per cent. If they win half of their games this year, a trifle less, which seems probable, they will fulfill the expectations of their hustling manager, who, in the opinion of many critics has laid the foundation for a winning team that will be a factor in next year's pennant race. A commendable feature of the Highlanders play is the undagging energy they are showing right up to the end of the season. They are playing no favorites and are doing their best. When the Detroit begin an all important series here on Friday, therefore, they will find the Highlanders at their best. The Tigers will have to fight for all they get and will be subjected to a test that will prove the honesty of professional baseball.

FOR WORLD'S CHAMPIONSHIP

TORONTO, Sept. 24.—Eddie Durman, said today that there was no chance for a race this year. He said that Arat, the world's champion, wanted to run him on October 15, but he had declined because of the late date. Durman is ready to row anybody, but he says his first race will probably be with Arat next July.

SCRUBS HAS BROKEN DOWN

TORONTO, Sept. 24.—Mrs. Alfred Shrub yesterday received a wire from her husband, who is now in Victoria, B. C., announcing that he would leave for home today. Shrub had many matches arranged on the coast and in various United States cities through which he had planned to return by way of Seattle, but these matches have been cancelled, owing to his more or less for a year, having gone back on his own initiative.

"RUBE" WADDLE IS GOING BACK FAST

"Rube" Waddell, the eccentric left hander, who in his day was considered one of the greatest pitchers that ever lived, is now winning a place in the big leagues. The Rube is going back fast, and it is rumored that a minor league will be the big fellow's next berth. So they go, the stars of yesterday are not even memories of today. It is but a few short years ago that this same Rube was the talk of the baseball world. It was his great pitching that landed a pennant for

"NICKEL"—BIG HOUSE WITH BIG SHOW

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Drusilla laughed at him. "That is the most dull, commonplace remark I have ever heard. I take back my first assertion. I don't believe you are clever, Mr. Keston."

"I was trying to see if you were a little bit like your mother. I have not seen her herself, you know, but I saw her picture when I was staying with Jim's people. His sisters know her well. I don't see the faintest resemblance."

INSINCERITY.

"Our civilization demands a greater or less degree of mendacity," remarked the Abruzzi person. "We are constantly encountering some empty phrase, some conventional remark, which is absolutely devoid of sincerity."

TYPHOID AT COBALT.

COBALT, Ont., Sept. 23-The typhoid situation here is still serious, and so far as the cases entering the hospital from the mines are concerned, there appears to be no sign of improvement.

SHOT HIS SQUIAW; SAYS IT WAS AN ACCIDENT.

KENORA, Ont., Sept. 23-The police have captured the Indian who shot his squaw near here on the 11th inst. The Indian says the shooting was accidental as he mistook the woman for a bear, but the remainder of his tale was a pure case of "Mr. Jealousy being the motive."

KNOW HIS WAYS.

"Do you believe everything your husband tells you?" "Yes, except his promise to 'veg' the garden when he comes home from work."

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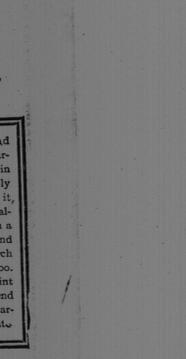
"Yes," she said; "Aunt Edith did talk about you, but she said nothing unkind, for a wonder! She only told me that your father had been ruined, because he had been persuaded by some unscrupulous friend to invest everything he had in a disastrous speculation. Mr. Keston looked at her for an instant, with that same fire reflected in his eye."

"I have grown tired," she said, "of cursing George Sparrifit! If he had only been unfortunate, if he had only been honest, if he had believed in himself, if he was such a cur, such a traitor! And he managed to get off before the storm broke. My dear father believed in him up to the very, very last. It was written in such big, black letters that even his faith-blinded eyes were forced to grasp the truth. That was the stuff he was made of, the father I adored, the father I loved."

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### ST. JOHN STAR.

ST. JOHN, N. B., SEPT. 24, 1909.

#### JURORS AND EXCUSES.

The protest made by a number of jurors in the Circuit Court yesterday was along the line of comment in yesterday's Star. This paper pointed out that the sheriff meets with considerable difficulty in securing a sufficient number of men to act, but it is also to be suspected that the excuse offered by numbers of those who are summoned are frequently arranged for the occasion. The natural desire of a merchant is to attend to his business and jury duty means neglect. Consequently the average man racks his brain in order to discover some satisfactory reason, by which he may escape serving in court.

Yesterday five who had been selected to serve on a case protested. Two, at least, of them had been chosen for the third consecutive case. They had been practically confined to the courthouse for fourteen working days. They thought this was a little too much of the good thing, and so it was. It might not have been if the other thirty-one men of the thirty-five originally summoned had understood the same treatment. But the majority of the petit jury called at the opening of the court found means to evade service, some by convenient business trips to outside points, others by speedily arranged illnesses and perhaps one or two for honest reasons.

There are some men who rather like jury duty; they are so situated that their pay goes on all the time they are absent from work and while serving on the jury they are able to avoid their creditors. These men are, however, comparatively few in number and they do not make very good jurymen anyway. As a rule those who are summoned are men who have business interests which must be looked after, and it is extremely unfair to demand of any small group of such men more than a fair proportion of their time. Mr. Hall, Mr. Kaye and the others, who protested yesterday, had good reason for complaint and it is such conditions as have been imposed upon them that make jury service unpopular as it is today. The effect on justice is a long panter!

#### MISSIONARIES ON TRIAL.

Today at Leopolville in the Congo State, two United States missionaries, Revs. W. M. Morrison and W. I. Sheppard, attacked to the Presbyterian mission station at Leobo, face their trial for calumnious denunciation of the Congo Government, as represented by the Kasal Brigadier. This trial was originally set for May 25th, but at the request of the United States Secretary of State several postponements have been granted. At the opening today, Emile Vanderweide, one of the foremost Belgian lawyers and a leading critic of Congo misrule, will appear for the defendants. He is acting, not for the missionaries (whose bill is in the interests of those who have so long been attacking the Congo administration).

In 1904 Dr. Morrison in a lecture at Boston graphically described the oppression and cruelty practiced upon the natives of the Congo State. As a result of his campaign the International Peace Congress adopted resolutions calling for international intervention. Dr. Sheppard, a negro. In 1908 he reported to Dr. Morrison on the conditions he had found during a visit to fifty-nine villages. He charged the administration with permitting and practicing slavery, with criminal neglect of the people, with murder and butchery of the blacks, and with persecution and oppression everywhere.

#### MRS. VANDERBILT IS NOT TALKING OF THE DIVORCE.

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Mrs. Wm. K. Vanderbilt, Jr., with her son and daughter returned to New York from abroad today on the Cunard liner Lufitania. When asked to make a statement concerning the recent report of her marital troubles, she replied: "I cannot say anything at this time. I have been so much in the public eye that I do not wish to make any statement."

#### LOUISVILLE LEADS IN AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 24.—Louisville five points ahead of Milwaukee, Milwaukee nine points ahead of Minneapolis. This was the standing of the three leading clubs in the race for the American Association pennant when today each club entered its series.

#### PLENTY OF DOGS BUT FEW BARKERS.

The canine population of France is on the increase, although the human birth rate has decreased. In 1901 there were 2,545,029 dogs, in 1902, 2,223,990, while in 1903 their number exceeded 2,500,000. The tax on dogs brings more than 10,000,000 francs annually to the French budget. France 60 centimes being levied on each of the 2,685,282 watchdogs, and a franc 50 centimes on 88,344 animals kept merely as pets.

istration has not been recognized by the United States, the latter country cannot allow the validity of the Congo courts.

The present state of affairs between the Congo administration and outside governments is that the British Government in its last protest, did not use language sufficiently impressive to meet the ideas of many who took an interest in the well being of the oppressed, that as a result of this mildness of language, the Congo administration emphatically declined to make several concessions demanded by the United States in a protest sent just previous to that from Britain. Secretary of State Knox has not yet forwarded another protest, but the Congo Reform Association with headquarters in Boston, is carrying on a campaign with the object of forcing the government to take a firmer stand and insisting on the immediate carrying out of reform measures which have been suggested.

#### BACK TO THE FARM.

"Back to the land" they're crying. Where sways the golden grain, Back midst the joys and the pleasure Of childhood's years again.

Back on the rippling river, Where the playful billings croak, And the fire flies fit in the twilight, On the shores of the Washademoak.

Where I watched in the early spring-time, The ploughshare rend the sod, And the waving oats in the autumn Entwine with the golden rod.

The voice of the crowded city Cries: Back once more to the land, But here is the side of the question We cannot understand.

If they're granted a thousand acres Freshhold—not under lease, What will we do in the future Should the city be short of police? RICHARD TIPPLING.

#### LOSING NO CHANCES.

He (pointing on field)—That's Green over there. In a few weeks he will be our best man.

She—Oh, Charlie, this is so sudden!

#### MILD SUGGESTION.

"Do you like that quotation from Shakespeare, 'The friends thou hast are their adoption tried, scapple them to thy soul with hoops of steel?'" he asked softly.

"I think hoops of gold would be better," said the summer girl shyly.

Mary, aged 14, was found one day by an elder sister sobbing and crying. "What is the matter?" she asked with great concern.

"Three boys have asked me to go to the dance tonight," was the unexpected reply.

"My dear child, certainly that is not such a terrible misfortune," Dr. Melville, Dr. Esch and others, who were present, said in unison.

#### GRAMMAR.

Hetty's uncle, who was a school teacher, met her on the street one beautiful May day and asked her if she was going out with the Maying party.

"No, I ain't going," said her uncle, "Oh, my little dear, you must not say 'I ain't going.' You must say 'I am not going.'" and he proceeded to give her a short lesson in grammar. "You are not going. He is not going. Now, can you say all that, Hetty?"

#### PAINFUL MEMORIES.

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#### DIFFERENT.

Percy—I braced the old man this morning and asked him if he was going to dress me up for the summer.

Fred—What did he say?

Percy—He gave me a dressing down.

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## Uncle Walt

### The Poetic Philosopher

A poor old broken wanderer came peering to my door; the burrs were in his whiskers, and his feet were tired and sore; his rags, of all the rags on earth, were certainly the worst, and I heard him mutter sadly: "I am perishing of thirst!" On speedy feet I hastened with a dipper to the well, and I offered him the water, but he gave a frenzied yell; and he waved me from his presence with a hand grotesquely soiled, a single drop of water, deadly germ is piled on germ—get a microscope and see them—watch the measly critters squirm! I shall ne'er again be happy till with water I am filled, but you'll simply have to boil it, and it ought to be distilled. I had heard so much of microbes, I had read so much of germs, so much twaddle of bacilli, broached in scientific terms, that my heart was hot and restless, and my eyes were seeing red, and I heard the constant rumbling of the pulleys in my head; so I smote that aged pilgrim, and I clove him to the chine, and his pangs of dissolution eased, this aching heart of mine.

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### C. P. R. TO BUILD LINE FROM TORONTO

#### Academics Will Erect Statue to Father Lefebvre

CHANCELLOR BOYD DECIDES THAT HARD CORE MAY BE LEGALLY SOLD ALONG THE G. T. P.

TORONTO, Sept. 23.—This morning Chancellor Boyd quashed ten convictions and directed \$500 and costs collected from defendants be returned to them by the crown. The cases were those of Paalangi and others in and around Cordeiro, at the point where the Temiskaming & Northern Ontario Railway takes the National Transcontinental.

Under royal proclamation a belt of land twenty miles on either side of the Transcontinental and Industrial center, no liquor can be legally sold therein. Defendants were gathered in for selling hard liquor and were fined and convicted and fined without further ado.

MONTRÉAL, Sept. 23.—At a meeting in St. Jean, held at the Hotel de la Paix, attended by Judge Landry, Hon. A. D. Richard, Dr. Melville, Dr. Esch and others, it was decided to erect a marble statue at St. Joseph in honor of the late Father Lefebvre, a former president of the institution, who died some years ago. The statue will be erected in front of the Lefebvre memorial hall.

#### BOY HAULED ALOFT BY GROUP OF KITES

Twelve Year Old Lad Weighing 60 Pounds Raised 20 Feet and Carried 50 Yards

WORCESTER, Mass., Sept. 23.—Ralph A. Cooper, of Worcester, who has been experimenting in kite flying at the home of his mother in Rochdale, near the top of Clark's Hill, the highest land in that vicinity, near Greenville Pond. He fastened six kites together in the form of a Maltese cross. They measured about nine feet in width and height. The kites were sent up and it required two boys to hold it.

When at a height of 300 feet Cooper relieved his companion and thought he was able to handle them himself. He was raised to a height of twenty feet and the boy was lifted from the ground. He called for help and clung to the rope attached to the kites. He was raised to a height of twenty feet and was carried with the wind fifty yards toward Greenville pond. He was screaming and several boys ran to assist him.

They followed the path of the kites, and in short distance from the pond the wind abated and the kites dropped a few feet until they were protected under a hill from the wind and gradually came down. When ten feet from the ground young Cooper dropped and was badly bruised. The kites sailed away out of sight, and the boy was taken to the home of his uncle, badly frightened by his experience.

### CONGRESS ASKS GOV'T ENQUIRY

#### Royal Commission Urged for Glace Bay

RESOLUTION PASSED ASKING FOR PROTECTION FROM Hordes of Coolie Laborers.

QUEBEC, Sept. 23.—Two important discussions took place at the evening session of the Trades and Labor Congress. One was in regard to the mine workers' trouble at Glace Bay, a resolution being adopted calling upon the federal government to immediately appoint a royal commission to investigate the situation at Glace Bay, the calling out of the militia, the conduct of the militia and the whole state of affairs existing between the mine workers and the company.

The other question which created discussion was the immigration of Orientals, the resolution of the British Columbia delegate pledging the congress to use its influence to secure protection for Canadian workingmen from the hordes of "coolies" from the east. The text of the resolution was not altogether new, but some of the delegates, who thought that there should be some definite statistics for the executive to report when they went before the government. It was stated that the situation was not so serious as it was formerly or until the coming into effect of the Lemieux agreement. This was not the general opinion of the delegates, who said that Japanese immigration had troubled since then. The Oriental immigrants had already ruined the coals and walrus and the tailors' union in British Columbia and had practically secured control of the fashion industry. According to the British Columbia delegates there were 500 miles of border, with only two generations of officers, and that hundreds of Orientals come through on whom no record could be had.

#### FOREIGN WARSHIPS ARRIVE AT NEW YORK

Four British Ships Now Off Sandy Hook, and Four German Ones in the Harbor.

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—The German cruiser squadron composed of the Victoria Luis, Hertha, Bremen and Dresden, which will participate in the Hudson-Patton ceremonies, arrived at New York today, reaching quarantine station at 8.15 a. m.

The British battleship inflexible under command of Admiral Sir Edward Hobart Seymour, arrived off Sandy Hook this morning and joined the three other British warships which have been awaiting their arrival since yesterday. The British ships remained at anchor off the Hook.

The coming of Sir Edward Seymour is being looked forward to with much pleasure by the American officers. The flagship comet is a vessel of the British Asiatic Squadron. "We love him for his attitude at Manila while we have the greatest admiration for him as a man and a sailor."

The British fleet weighed anchor at 10.15 and started in toward Sandy Hook.

Have only one doctor—just one! No sense in running from one doctor to another! Select the best one, then stand by him. No sense in trying this thing, that thing, for your cough. Carefully, deliberately select the best cough medicine, then take it. Stick to it.

## Don't Hobble Don't Limp

If it's a corn that causes the trouble, Porter's Corn Paint will give immediate relief. It eliminates corns quickly. Use With Brush.

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California Peas, Best stock All other seasons Fruit of best quality at lowest prices at 37 Waterloo Street.

C. L. JENKINS, Phone 1986 41 We make our own Ice Cream.

### ARCHAEOLOGICAL SOCIETY FORMED

#### Dr. W. W. White is President of St. John's Latest Organization.

Following an interesting address on recent discoveries of Rome by Prof. H. L. Wilson, of Johns Hopkins University in the Natural History Society last night, was the formation of the St. John branch of the American Institute of Archaeology. The object of the society is to promote the study of the history of the city of St. John, and to collect and preserve the remains of the city. The society will be organized on Monday next.

#### PETER THE GREAT DOES SIMIAN SHINES

Cambridge Man Monkey Likas the Strength Test of Dr. Sargent, of Harvard

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Sept. 23.—Peter the Great, the monkey, is another notable who has visited the Hennebury "gym" and shaken hands with Dr. Leroy Sargent, the Harvard strength expert.

The doctor has met and examined "fo'k from all climes. Among those who have taken his strength tests are James J. Jeffries, Annie Kelleman and George Hackenschmidt. Peter was accompanied today by his trainers, Mr. and Mrs. McAlpine, and was met by Dr. Sargent and Prof. Huntington and Hall. Peter gracefully doffed his hat, as the doctor led him into the gymnasium and gravely acknowledged his introduction to the students on hand to welcome him and give him the first apparatus he saw with a little simian was given the run of the gymnasium to see how he would act when left to his own devices for amusement.

Peter took off his "plug" hat and his coat and started on the warpath. The first apparatus he saw was the parallel bars. Pulling himself upon them, he did a few circles and ended up with a back somersault. He did numerous other odd tricks.

What surprised Dr. Sargent most was the readiness and the manner in which Peter obeyed orders, showing that he was more than imitative and comprehended what was said to him. Peter was given the grip test, but his lack of familiarity with it caused him only to register twenty, at which everybody laughed, while Peter chattered vehemently with disgust. He took a fifty-pound ball and carried it ten feet up. Then he was weighed, and the scales showed fifty-one pounds.

Dr. Sargent said: "Peter is certainly a wonderful little fellow and possesses a much intelligence as some people who are rated as human. My life has been given to gymnasium work and I have examined some of the best exponents of physical development, but never a subject I was more interested in than this same little simian. My one regret is that Peter couldn't give me his autograph."

#### GREAT PATH FEATURE AT THE "STAIR" TONIGHT

One of the sensational films of the year—that is sensationally good—is "The Wild Animal's Skin," a magnificent staged and acted adaptation of Dehnbach's groovy story "A Home Dinner," will prove a pleasing novelty in the comedy line and "Far From The Madging Crowd" is one of Lubin's latest and best outputs. Miss Dearwin Lipsett in new song and a dear hour of pure entertainment. Grand Saturday matinee.

### POPULAR COMPANY WARMLY WELCOMED

#### Robinson Opera Company Score Big Triumph in Fra Diavolo.

The opening night of the Robinson Opera Co.'s engagement at the Opera House found this popular company greeted by an audience which filled every seat in the building and the performance was an agreeable surprise. Everyone expected an improvement over previous years, but the strength displayed by the reorganized company was beyond all anticipations. It was the opinion that these changes are a long, brave, and heavy demand than are made by Fra Diavolo, and that greater enjoyment could be produced by companies of an even higher class.

The company is almost wholly new. Frank Nelson is there, of course, for the Robinson troupe would never be complete without him, and he was given a reception which must have warmed his heart. He is the same Frank Nelson, the same Diavolo who has been seen and heard here for so long, brave, attractive, humorous, cruel and dramatic, and his every tone and gesture are as familiar as the name of the Robinson Company.

There are several excellent voices among the principals, and of these particular reference should be made to Miss Lucia Nola, a new soprano here; Miss Esie Barton, a former favorite; Edward Beck, the leading bass, and Jack Loeble, tenor. The comedy element was capably attended to by Jack Loeble.

The chorus, while apparently well trained, is scarcely strong enough in bass and tenor, but is particularly effective in the choruses and solos and alios are concerned. Miss Nola, in the part of Zerlina gave an entirely satisfactory performance, and her singing, which was of unusual merit, was highly enjoyed. Miss Barton, in a less prominent role, increased the favor in which she is held.

But perhaps the best received solo of the evening was Mr. Beck's effort in the final act, an extra, if it may be called, which won for him repeated encores. Mr. O'Donnell, too, with really one opportunity during the evening, made a very decided hit, and St. John will look forward with pleasure to hearing him at better advantage later on.

#### SCHUMANN-HEINK PRICES

It Will Be Quite Possible for All to Attend the Big Event.

Many have had an erroneous impression in regard to the prices asked for the Schumann Heink concert, Oct. 4th. The particulars are as follows: All the body of the house will be three dollars except the first three rows next to the stage, which can be had for two-fifty. The first three rows in the balcony are twenty and entire balcony only two dollars. Gallery seats will be unreserved and are obtainable the night of concert for one dollar. Remember the seat sale opens next Wednesday morning at nine o'clock, but for subscribers only.

#### NICKEL'S SHOW ATTRACTING BIG CROWDS.

Owing to a misunderstanding the film-lecture on "The Leopard Queen," booked for the Nickel yesterday, was not presented, but will be given later. Instead that powerful temperance story, "Ten Nights in a Barroom," was substituted and it proved a most engaging and helpful story, as told with pathos and force by Miss Grace Leonard. Miss Kuris sang, "I Love But You" in a pleasing manner, and Mr. Fred Driscoll was encored time and again in his comical new number entitled "Strawberries." Today there will be brand new pictures, etc., Big Saturday matinee.

#### E. CLINTON BROWN, DRUGGIST, Cor. Union and Waterloo Streets. Phone 1006.

#### Don't Have Your Sight Tested in a Hurry, unless you want the wrong glasses, the idea of testing sight in a few minutes is ridiculous. D. BOYANER, the Optician, takes plenty of time and makes the Glasses right. Call at 38 Dock street.

### MARS HOLDS THE CENTRE OF THE STAGE TODAY

#### Cook and Peary Outshone by Little Planet Now on a Visit to the Earth.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—Nearer to the earth by fifteen million miles than it has been for fifteen years, the planet Mars is today the object of immense interest to the astronomers throughout the world, particularly at the U. S. Naval Observatory. Its average distance from the earth is fifty million. Its distance from the earth today was only thirty-five million miles. With this proximity interest in the planet which is always keen, will become, even among those who cannot claim to be students of astronomy, all the keener, on account of the probability that discoveries concerning matters Mars will be made.

#### SURE THING.

"What does your husband like for his breakfast?"

"Anything I haven't got in the house."

#### CANADIAN ORDER FORESTERS Assessment System, Fraternal Insurance.

NIGHT OF WESTERN CITY COURTS

COURT ST. JOHN, No. 47—Orange Hall, German street, 1st Friday in month.

COURT UNION JACK, No. 58—Orange Hall, German street, 4th Wednesday.

COURT NORTH END, No. 67—Union Hall, Main street, last Tuesday each month.

COURT YUKON, No. 73—Orange Hall, Simons street, 3rd Wednesday.

COURT HIWATHA, No. 83—Temperance Hall, Market Building, 1st Wednesday.

Office of the printer PALMER'S CHAMBER, 44 Prince Street.

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### THE BEST UP-TO-DATE MILLINERY IS TO BE HAD FROM US

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#### REMEMBER!

when buying biscuit to ask for the BEST 10c VALUE — THE — Village Biscuit

#### MARRIAGES

WILLIAMS-KELLY—At the residence of Mr. A. E. Williams, 14 Harding street, by Rev. C. W. Squires, Wm. W. Williams, to Ruth Kelly, daughter of James Kelly.

FRASER-PRICKE—At Grand Falls, N. B., Sept. 21st, 1909, by Rev. H. C. Fraser, M.A., Sarah Lillian Price to George Percy Fraser, both of Grand Falls.

FRASER-SCOTT—At Canterbury Station, Sept. 22nd, 1909, by Rev. J. E. Flewelling, assisted by Rev. H. C. Fraser, Catherine Alberta Scott to Otty John Fraser, St. John, N. B.

#### DEATHS

DUDGE—At Nauwigawak, Kings Co., Sept. 22nd, of heart failure, Mrs. Wm. W. Dodge, aged 82 years. Funeral on Friday at 2.30 p. m. Interment at the parish church, Hammond River.

McKRE—In this city, at the General Public Hospital, on Sept. 22nd, William L. McKre, of St. Martins, late of St. John, in the 48th year of his age, leaving a brother and sister to mourn their loss.

Funeral will take place from Mr. Brennan's undertaking rooms to the station, where the body will be conveyed to St. Martins on Friday, 24th, on the 1.15 o'clock train. (Woodstock and New York papers please copy.)

McMANN—At Brookville, N. B., on Sept. 21st, Elias C. McMann, in the 73rd year of his age. Funeral from his late residence at 3 p. m. Friday, 24th inst. Coaches will leave Woodstock's stable at 2 p. m.

HARRISON—At the Home for Incurables, on Sept. 23rd, Moses C. Harrison, late of Sheffield, Sunbury Co., in the 72nd year of his age.

ELDERFIELD—At General Public Hospital, on 22nd inst, Stronell H. Elderfield, a native of England, aged 25 years. Funeral on Friday, 24th at 3 p. m. from Chamberlain's Undertaking Rooms, Mill St. Friends and Sons of England respectively invited to attend.

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## Boots for Little Girls

The children should be provided with good durable shoes. The early fall brings wet bad walking and it's the duty of every parent to protect the health of the child by providing footwear that will keep the feet dry and warm.

Box Calf and Dongola Kid in Laced and Button  
SIZES 5 to 7½ 90, \$1.00, 1.15, 1.25, 1.35, 1.50  
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Another Lot of P. G. Corsets.

If you want a Corset for 50c pair ask for the Dora or Trixie, or more stylish Corset, the Pearl, 75c. pair.

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WANTED—Dry inch and a half planer, or smooth shipper pine. Any quantity up to one hundred thousand.

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## NEW YORK REPUBLICANS NAME THEIR CANDIDATES

NEW YORK, Sept. 23 — With the announcement that practically all the fusion and independent forces with the exception of the Independence League would work in harmony to elect its candidates in the coming municipal election, the Republican city convention unanimously nominated tonight these candidates for the three leading municipal offices:  
For Mayor—Otto T. Barnard, Republican, President of the New York Trust Company.  
For Comptroller—William A. Frenckner.  
For President of the Board of Aldermen—John Purroy Mitchell.

**PILES**  
Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain and guaranteed cure for each and every form of itching, bleeding and protruding piles. See testimonials to the press and ask for ointment about 15c. You can use it and get your money back. If not satisfied, 50c. at all dealers or Dr. Chase, Hayes & Co., Toronto.

## FRANK FOX THROWN ON ROCHESTER TRACK

ROCHESTER, N. H., Sept. 23 — All the races on the programme of the third day of the Rochester Fair were won in straight heat. Thoughtful taking the 2½ mile pace, Oxford Boy, Jr., the 2.31 trot, and Lucius Todd, the 2.12 pace. In the 2½ mile pacing event there was a collision between the sulkes of Bard Allerton and King's Heir, but little damage resulted. Frank Fox was driving Bard Allerton and was thrown from his seat, receiving slight bruises. James Carpenter, the driver of the other horse, lost the cushion of his sulky in the collision, but finished the race.

## NEW ICE BREAKER ARRIVES

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Sept. 24—The new ice breaking steamer Earl Grey built by the Dominion Government at a cost of over half a million for the service between the Island and Mainland, arrived last night.

## WITNESS OFFICE GUTTED BY FIRE

The Damage Is Estimated at \$75,000

Fully Insured—New Plant Installed, and Change Was About to be Made.

MONTREAL, Sept. 23.—The two upper floors of the Witness office were gutted by fire tonight and the two lower floors flooded with water, the damage being estimated at fully \$75,000, with insurance that will fully cover the loss. The fire came at an unfortunate time for the newspaper, as it had just finished installing a new press which was to have been started on Monday, changing the style and size of the newspaper and inaugurating many changes in its management.  
The fire was first noticed a few minutes before seven o'clock. So rapid was the spread of the flames that when the firemen arrived in a minute or so after the alarm had been turned in the whole upper part, on which was located the job department, was a mass of flames. At one time it looked as if the whole block would go, as there was a brisk wind blowing at the time.  
Directly in the rear to the west the high building of the Merchants Bank, but this was saved from danger by a splendid water curtain, while on the west side the big building of the J. C. Wilson Paper Co. was protected by a massive fire wall. The firemen finally managed to get the flames under control after the two top floors had been gutted. The new press was deluged with water, but it was not thought to be seriously damaged. The linotype machines, however, which were the first to be installed in Canada, are reported to be practically ruined.  
Arrangements have been made for the use of the Gazette's plant until repairs can be made sufficient to allow the use of the building. Some small firms located on Craig street also suffered losses.

## THE DEFINITION OF KOSHER MEAT

In First Place, Animal Must be Killed by Shochet

After Gaillo are Slain by Having Throats Cut With Sharp Knife, Inspector Examines Vital Organs.

At a meeting of a social club in Washington which recently attended there arose a discussion as to the healthfulness of refrigerated meats, says George Marcus, Witness in the Washington Post. The conversation took a wide turn, involving the comparative merit of various meats, when Admiral X. remarked that the most reliable of all meats was kosher meat. He was asked, "What is kosher meat?" The admiral explained: "The first condition of 'kosher' meat is that it must come from an animal killed by the shochet. The shochet is an expert meat inspector under the laws of the Talmud and can only practice his art when he is accredited by the members of the Beth din, provided a learned rabbi or has become versed in the law and learned in his handicraft in one of the Talmudic schools, to be found in small numbers in the east of Germany and in Poland."  
"Every one of the nine kosher butchers in Chicago employs his own shochet, who occupies as a rule, a position of importance in the congregation in which he belongs, although he has no priestly functions. He seldom carries on any other business than that of a shochet, and beneath his dignity to assist at the cutting up of the animals killed by him, leaving that business entirely to the members of the Beth din. He receives for his services generally a fixed salary of from \$40 to \$50 per month, but has a private income by occasionally practicing his art for private families and butchers who do not deal exclusively in kosher meat."

## SHOCHET KILLS ALL ANIMALS.

"It is his duty to kill and examine every animal intended to furnish food for the Orthodox Jewish stomachs. All laws of the Talmud and can only practice his art when he is accredited by the members of the Beth din, provided a learned rabbi or has become versed in the law and learned in his handicraft in one of the Talmudic schools, to be found in small numbers in the east of Germany and in Poland."  
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## TAKING A NEW LEASE OF LIFE

Indians of Canada are Now Beginning to Increase.

OTTAWA, Sept. 23.—The annual report of the department of Indian affairs, issued today, indicates that the years of paternal guardianship and education of the government's wards are bearing fruit in a steady betterment in their morals, health and economic conditions. The dying race have now passed the stage of annually lessening numbers and for the last, fiscal year the out-numbered deaths by 179, while the total Indian population of the Dominion increased from 114,000 to 115,042. Infantile mortality and tuberculosis are still prevalent among the tribes to a large degree, but with the spread of education through the Indian schools and through the efforts of the Indian agents better sanitation and morals are effecting a steady improvement. The wigwam, tepee or tent, says Deputy Minister Pedley, is being superseded by comfortable houses, many of them well furnished and boasting sewing machines, musical instruments and other evidences of a growing civilization.

## SIGNS OF STORMS.

As stormy weather comes on, seabirds fly inland in search of food; wild fowl leave the marshy grounds for higher localities; swallows and rooks fly low before and during bad weather; frogs are unusually noisy before rain; sheep huddle together near bushes and trees.

Not a minute should be lost when a child shows symptoms of croup. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy gives as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, will prevent the attack.

**GOLDIE'S CHOICE BLEND FLOUR**

STAR Flour is a general household flour—that is, it is suited for baking both bread and cakes or pastry. If you want the good old fashioned home made loaf of bread and the fine spongy cakes and flaky pastry buy STAR Flour.

THE GOLDIE MILLING CO., LIMITED, Ayr, Ontario

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## NOW IS THE TIME FOR UNDERWEAR.

Warm mornings and nights are gone, and will not come until the birds' nest again. Now if you are going to keep warm during that long wait, you need some good all-wool Underwear to keep warm. We can now show you a splendid assortment. Our reputation and money stands behind every garment and our low cash prices are without a doubt the lowest in the city.

ALL-WOOL PENMAN'S and FLEECE-LINED, 50c and 75c. STANFIELD'S ..... \$1.00 and \$1.25  
HAND KNITTED SOX, SPECIAL PRICE, ..... 25c a pair.

**C. MAGNUSSON & CO.,** 73 DOCK STREET, ST. JOHN, N. B. Open every evening.

## CALVES AND SHEEP SIMILARLY SLAIN.

"Calves and sheep are killed in the same way as cattle, only that calves and lambs must not be under eight days old at the time of the killing. Nor are the hind-quarters of the calves and lambs rejected unless the animal has passed its youthful days before it came under the hands of the shochet. Chickens, geese, turkeys, ducks and pigeons are killed by the shochet by simple decapitation with his keen-edged knife, but in all cases the greatest care is taken to cut down the animal in a moment of complete rest and blissful ignorance of the coming fate, and to make its death as sudden and speedy as possible. The greatest care is also used in freezing the meat of all killed animals of every variety of blood and other substances declared 'treif' by the Jewish law.

## NO BLOOD OF ANY ANIMAL IS CONSIDERED FIT FOOD FOR ANY JEW, BUT THE HEART, THE LUNGS, THE LIVER, THE KIDNEYS, ETC., ARE KOSHER IF CAREFULLY 'BOILED'.

"The advantages are that the intervention of the shochet secures to the orthodox Jew fresh food in an absolutely healthy condition, the reason for the law having been, in fact, nothing but a desire to protect the children of Israel against the many diseases so apt to result from the consumption of the meat of unwholesome animals.

## COMMANDS HIGH PRICES.

"It is quite natural that kosher meat should command a higher price than is ruling in the general meat market. The butcher has to pay a cent higher for the live cattle bought, on account of the trouble the slaughtering by the shochet causes in the slaughter house, and, aside from that, the 'borsting' requires a vast amount of labor, not counting the loss in weight caused by the careful cleaning the meat receives before it is put on sale.

"The rarest article in a kosher butcher shop is a soup bone. The demand is very large, but the supply is limited, as the dealer's conscience and the jealousy with which he guards his reputation, prevents him from palming off on his customers bones of even the hind-quarters of kosher animals, unless those hind-quarters have been pronounced perfectly kosher. He generally compromises by reserving the soup bones for those of his customers

## WHOSE CIRCUMSTANCES DO NOT PERMIT OF THEIR BUYING THE REGULAR CUTS OF BEEF, BUT OTHER AN IMPORTANT PERSON.

"The orthodox Jew looks upon his butcher as a trusted person, and the latter has rarely, if ever, been known to betray the trust imposed on him. He is generally sincerely religious, has learned his trade from his father, and is descended from a long line of butchers. Feeling conscious of the importance of his position, he bears himself with considerable dignity, looking upon the rest of mankind as people dependent entirely upon him for protection against the evils arising from the consumption of 'treif' food. But he in turn depends with implicit confidence on the shochet, who treasures the parchment credentials of his high office with anxious care.

"If the butcher undertakes to corn beef for his orthodox customers, he has to employ extraordinary care. The meat must first be soaked in fresh water for an hour, then it has to be bedded in salt for half an hour, and then washed again before it goes into a brine in which it remains 24 hours. But little kosher corned beef is made in consequence."

## OR CORNERS.

Artist—I'm thinking very strongly of going on the strike.  
Model—Well, I hope you'll draw better houses than you do pictures.

## A REMARKABLE SALE

Is Now Going on At 32 Mill Street, St. John, N. B.

Where everybody can get marvelous bargains in seasonable wearables.

Men's, Women's and Boys' Boots, Shoes and Slippers are almost given away.

Men's Clothing, Pants, Raincoats, etc.

You can get a pair of Trousers here for little or nothing. Take a run in.

**DON'T MISS THIS SALE.**

There are great bargains here for you. Don't forget the place

**32 MILL ST., ST. JOHN, N. B.**

Store closed. On account of new stock arriving, this store will be closed Saturday, but will open at 7 o'clock the same evening.

Big sale now going on at 32 Mill St. Store closed all day Saturday, but will open Saturday evening at 7 o'clock.

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WHEN THE ADMIRALTY IS PLAYING WITH FIRE

What it Costs for Heavy Gun Practice

AGED AND INFIRM WARSHIPS SACRIFICED FOR THE EFFICIENCY OF GUNNERS.

It was no little shock to the theorists when, at Portsmouth the other day, the gallant little Ferret, a torpedo boat destroyer of obsolete pattern, burst through the so-called 'impenetrable' boom.

As the task was supposed to be one of great danger to the men taking part they were a volunteer crew, and though it was arranged that they should come on deck before the moment of impact, the brave fellows elected to remain at their posts.

THE HERO SACRIFICED. This is not the first time that the Admiralty, in order to check theory, has resorted to practice of a most realistic nature.

After four bombardments, which did terrific damage, and left the water between with wreckage and dummy men, the hero sank.

Some idea of the cost of these experiments may be gathered from the figures of the Bellisle tests, carried out about seven years before those of the Hero.

From 12in. guns, 15 projectiles 2,400 From 6in. guns, 200 shells, 1,000 From 12p. guns, 100 shells, 40 From 8p. guns, 150 shells, 40

As the firing lasted only from six to eight minutes, the cost for shells and gun wear alone will be seen to work out at about £300 a minute.

The first vessel to be put to a test similar to those above described was the armor-clad coast-service vessel, Glatton, but she remained in service long after the experiment.

Table Silver At Manufacturers' Prices In buying of Sterling Silver Spoons and Forks, it is obvious that there are advantages to be gained in buying direct from those who manufacture it.

Birks' Sterling Silver Spoons and Forks are made in their own workshops, equalling ANY imported silver in workmanship and finish - far surpassing it in heavy weight of metal and good values.

HENRY BIRKS & SONS, Limited, PHILLIPS SQUARE, MONTREAL.

STRENUOUS METHODS OF SUFFRAGETTES

Asquith and Gladstone in Tussle With Women

Venturesome Woman Pokes Head Through British Premier's Window and Afterwards Breaks Glass.

LONDON, Sept. 23.—In the interest and excitement aroused by the news of Commander Peary's discovery of the North Pole such things as the progress of the London suffragettes escaped attention. It might have been supposed that the dauntless ladies had "ceased from troubling and were at rest."

Mr. Asquith and Mr. Gladstone had gone to pass the week-end at Lympne castle, near Hythe, on the south coast of England, and as they were leaving church after the Sunday morning service were rushed at by three women, one of whom struck the premier repeatedly.

Mr. Asquith had to be rescued from the church. There was another scene in the afternoon, when the two ministers motored to a nearby golf club. One of the suffragette trio, Miss Kennedy, tells the story as follows:—

"We stationed ourselves near the entrance to the clubhouse on the golf course and waited until the golfers began to leave. Almost the last to go were Mr. Asquith and Mr. Gladstone and some other men. The place was almost deserted, and everything was quiet. The sun was setting; it was the time when people were just beginning to think about dinner.

"I was a real old jester. There they were, trying to push us out, and we were endeavoring to get in. Blow me, struck and Mr. Gladstone fought like a pugilist. It got more serious; Mr. Gladstone lunged out and I lunged out, for we were determined not to be pushed down the steps by them.

Mr. Asquith was entering the main door of the clubhouse when the three women rushed after him into the clubhouse and again molested him. Mr. Gladstone, who happened to enter the passage leading to the entrance door, saw what was happening and, coming quickly up, forced the three women outside the double entrance door, only to find them again molesting him.

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DR. COOK'S PHOTOGRAPH OF THE NORTH POLE



The Star presents to its readers today a picture of the most notable photograph ever made—the photograph of the North Pole, the goal of explorers for centuries. This photograph was taken by Dr. Frederick A. Cook at the North Pole, April 21, 1908, and shows the American flag flying on top of the ice hut erected by Dr. Cook at the polar apex.

L.R.C. SUBURBANITES WILL HAVE IMPROVED SERVICE

Messrs. Brady and Tiffin Announce Winter Schedule.

While E. Tiffin and F. P. Brady of the Intercolonial Railway board of control were in the city yesterday they received a request for a hearing from representatives of the suburban residents along the I. C. R., as far as Hampton.

The suburbanites were anxious to have the winter schedule remain almost the same as that in operation during the past summer. Their request was that a suburban train be run from Hampton every morning to return in the evening.

Instead of this there is to be given a morning train which will arrive in the city at 7.45, and a suburban which will leave here for Hampton each day, except Sunday, at 1.15 p. m.

The suburbanites present were Allan Schofield, John McAvity, J. H. Northrup, R. Patterson, J. S. Gibbon, Walter F. Emery, T. E. G. Armstrong, E. S. Carter and Geo. W. Ketchum.

While the railway has not granted their requests with exactness, the suburbanites are yet pleased with the fullness of the service which they are to receive. The change is considered to mean something of an improvement over last winter's arrangement, when a morning train, an evening train out, and an accommodation in the afternoon were on the schedule.

Winter on the Intercolonial will date from October 17th, the change of timetable taking place just two weeks later than in the case of the C. P. R. With the exception of the slight changes which will be necessary to accord with those on the C. P. R., only one difference from the summer timetable will exist. Trains No. 3 and No. 4, the Point du Chene, arriving here at 6.50 p. m., and the Boston leaving here at 11.20, will be discontinued.

BORDEN BACK FROM ABROAD Declines to Talk Defence Congress—To Report First.

QUEBEC, Sept. 23.—Sir Frederick Borden arrived here at noon today on board the White Star Dominion liner Laurentis, and took the train this afternoon for Ottawa.

"I cannot talk now," said Sir Frederick, "not a word of the imperial defence conference. Lots were said and printed about it, but I feel my first duty is to report to Sir Wilfrid Laurier and my colleagues before delivering any message to the country."

"Anyhow I believe very strongly that every Canadian citizen and voter will be satisfied with the way Canadian interests were handled and protected by the Canadian delegates."

When questioned about the Blashy and Ross rifle, Sir Frederick said that Canadian crack shots were the admiration of the entire, and that all the criticism of the Ross rifle had been answered.

KILLS HIMSELF BY HIS WIFE'S GRAVE

E. B. Hamilton Found Dead by the Caretaker of Cemetery.

OTTAWA, Sept. 23.—Lying across the grave of his young wife in Beechwood cemetery, with a bullet hole through his brain, E. B. Hamilton, a former resident of Ottawa and lately employed in New York by a book and shoe company, was found dead this afternoon by the caretaker of the cemetery.

A revolver lying beside him on the grave told the story of the tragic suicide. Hamilton's wife died a few months ago, after they had been married less than a year. Yesterday he came from New York to look after his grave in the cemetery here. At noon today he called on the clerk at the cemetery and asked for the bill for the care of the plot.

Chippendale was reviewing his work. "True," he declared, "I have built some pretty good furniture, but I never made a bureau the collar-button couldn't get under."

Hereupon he went to think how little real use he had been making. "Capt. Kidd was on his deathbed. 'What a fool I was,' he muttered, 'to bury my treasure when I could have incorporated it into a watered stock company.'"

Realizing too late the beauty of this scheme, by which he could have made the money disappear entirely, he turned over to die.

Lord Chesterfield was complimented on his politeness. "Yes," he explained, "you see I have never had to ride on the elevated road or use a telephone."

This is shown the baneful influence of environment upon the lives of the unhappy multitude.—New York Sun.

STEADY DECREASE IN CATCH OF LOBSTERS

Commissioner Wakeham Here After Summer of Investigation.

Commissioner Wakeham of Gaspé, who during the past summer has been investigating the condition of the lobster fishery of Canada, has completed the collection of evidence. The last territory to be covered by the commissioner was Charlotte county, from which he returned yesterday. He left last evening for his home in Gaspé, C. A. Matthews of Ottawa, who has been acting as secretary to the commissioner, leaves today for Ottawa via Boston and New York.

Commissioner Wakeham states that the evidence collected in Charlotte county, like that obtained in other parts of Canada, is very conflicting. One thing is true of all districts, however, the catch of lobsters is steadily falling off. This falling off is due to the catching of undersized lobsters and to the destruction of berried lobsters. The only remedy is legislation increasing the size of the lobster which can be legally caught.

About half of the evidence taken by Commissioner Wakeham has been printed. The other half will be put in the printer's hands as soon as possible in order that the evidence may be ready by the time the house of commons sits in November.

THE REMEDY. The Grand Duke of Mecklenburg was one day gambling at the Döberan tables and was betting on the same numbers as a rich master potter who stood next to him.

Both having lost their money, the grand duke inquired, "Well, potter, what shall we do now?" "Oh," replied the master potter, "your highness will screw up the taxes, and I shall make pots."

WOULDN'T ELOPE, SO HE SHOT HER

She Is Fatally Wounded and He Is Dead by His Own Hand.

FRAMINGHAM, Mass., Sept. 23.—When Mrs. Otto Gjerts refused to accompany Harry Hill, believed to be of New York, Wednesday, Hill shot her three times and then turned the revolver upon himself dying soon after. Mrs. Gjerts was taken to the Framingham hospital where it was said that her condition is critical. She is 23 years old and the wife of Otto Gjerts, a night tinner on the Boston and Albany railroad at Riverside Hill was about 35 years old and is understood to have been employed as a book-keeper in New York.

Preparing breakfast in readiness for her husband's return from work, Mrs. Gjerts was interrupted in her kitchen duties by Hill who had been staying at the house since Friday. Mrs. Gjerts states that he made protestations of love and asked her to run away with him. After she had repeatedly refused he drew a revolver and tried to threaten her with this into consent. A further refusal by Mrs. Gjerts resulted in his firing three shots, one of which entered her body just above the stomach, another penetrating the skull, but not touching the brain. It is thought, and the third entered the left hand. Hill used the remaining two bullets upon himself dying soon after.

A lodger in the house, Arthur Dobbin, was aroused from sleep and after hurriedly ministering to Mrs. Gjerts' injuries, secured physicians and the police. Mrs. Gjerts was taken to the Framingham hospital, where, after an examination of her wounds, it was stated that her chances for recovery were slight.

Hill had stayed at the Gjerts' home several times previously and by people in the neighborhood he was regarded as a relative of the family. Evidence that Hill had unremitted his act was found in letters in his clothing written Sunday night. One to his mother, addressed to Blaine, Del., asks her forgiveness. Another to the local chief of police provides for the disposition of the body and other details.

Mr. Gjerts when he returned home Wednesday stated that he and his wife had met Hill in New York several years ago. Since that time he had visited their home several times, stopping each time for but a few days. His visits were regarded as those of a friend.

CAPITAL PAIR A BIG SUCCESS

The Attendance Breaks All Records

Reaches 30,016—Yesterday Last Day—The Stock Left Last Night for Halifax.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Sept. 23.—The best exhibition ever held in the capital of the province closed this evening, and it is the opinion of all that the management deserve the congratulations of the public in their great success. President Campbell of the Agricultural Society, in conversation with your representative this evening, said he wished to express his thanks to all who had so energetically worked in behalf of the exhibition. With the exception of the secretary every man had given his time and ability free of charge. He visited especially to thank the people of the North Shore and those of the St. John Valley for the interest they had shown and from the encouragement received he promised that the exhibition to be held two years hence would be even a greater success than the present one. The attendance today was 1,009, making a total of thirty thousand and sixteen and 4,500 in excess of the exhibition held two years ago.

At the close of the exhibition this evening the exhibitors of live stock got busy and at a late hour a special train of twenty cars left for Halifax with live stock.

The Normal School students, on the invitation of the management, visited the exhibition during the afternoon. With the exception of one day the Fredericton brass band provided music, and the band came in for much favorable comment from the thousands of visitors who have been in the city. The organization is one of which the city may well feel proud and their part in the programme added much to the attraction of the exhibition. The manager, Mr. W. S. Hooper, could not have fulfilled the duties of his office more satisfactorily. Ever obliging and working night and day, to his untiring work no little credit is due for the success the exhibition has attained.

At a meeting of the directors of the Fredericton Park Association, held at noon, Ald. H. C. Jewett and J. D. Black, the secretary, were elected to represent the association at a meeting of the track managers on Thursday, Sept. 30th, when the preliminary work of the formation of the Maritime Circuit of 1910 will be taken up.

The first delegation of local horsemen left here for Halifax this evening, including W. K. Allen, L. B. C. Blair and A. H. Jewett, owners of speed. "Fredericton will have a big representation at the Halifax meeting this year."

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is today the best known medicine in use for the relief of colic, diarrhoea, dysentery, and cure of bowel complaints. It should be taken at the first signs of looseness of the bowels. It is equally valuable for children and adults. It always cures.

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Advertisement for Anheuser-Busch's Budweiser. The ad features a large illustration of a Budweiser beer bottle. The text reads: 'Anheuser-Busch's Budweiser. The Most Popular Beer in the World. It commands the highest price, yet leads all other bottled beers in sales, which proves that its superiority is recognized in all parts of the world. UNQUESTIONABLY THE KING OF ALL BOTTLED BEERS. Bottled Only at the ANHEUSER-BUSCH BREWERY, St. Louis, U. S. A. Comeau & Sheehan, Distributors, St. John, N. B.'

**Absolutely Safe Investment**  
**\$15,000**  
 Province of Nova Scotia  
 4 1-2 Per Cent Bonds Due Jan. 1915  
 \$1000 each, interest half yearly price to yield about  
**4 PER CENT**  
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 Members Montreal Stock Exchange.

**FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL**

**WINDSOR DIVIDENDS WILL BE CUT IF NECESSARY**

New Management Determined to Make the Hotel One of the Best on the Continent.

MONTREAL, Sept. 24.—Mr. Henry Joseph, the new president of the Windsor Hotel, when seen today, said: "The policy of the board will be to make the Windsor as good as any hotel on this continent, and we are determined to spare no expense to do this even if our dividends in the future have to be reduced. For some time past the manager has been handicapped on account of my alterations, but these will be completed in the course of a few weeks. The new bar, writing room and concert hall will be finished shortly. We will then have a very complete abatement, and should be able to give every satisfaction to our patrons."

**FINANCIAL BRIEFS.**

LONDON, Sept. 24.—Much regret is expressed here over the death of Mr. Amerson Alexander, London, manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, aged 59 years, after a short illness. He was formerly manager of the Bank of British Columbia.

A rather interesting paragraph appears in the "Canadian Agent Limited" of London, Eng. viz.: "The shares of the Dominion Textile Company have continued firm on small purchases from Paris."

A "squeeze" in Chicago and the hesitancy of farmers in the West in selling their wheat tended to keep prices up again today. Although receipts at primary points are heavy only a fraction of the crop is on the market.

The directors of the International Nickel Co. have declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1 per cent on the common stock, and an extra dividend of one-half of one per cent. They also declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1-1/2 per cent on the preferred.

It is rumored that Mr. William Caldwell for some years Montreal manager of the Canada Paper Company, has severed his connection with that company. He, with several well known financial men, have organized a company to be called the William Caldwell Paper Co.

Mr. Caldwell is one of the best known paper men in Canada.

The scheme started by a company of Americans to dam the Long Sault rapids for power purposes will scarcely be appreciated by the Richelieu and Ontario Co., as it will destroy one of the most interesting parts of the company's famous scenic route.

The Americans say that they can harness the rapids and produce 400,000 horse-power.

There is some talk of an early advance in the Bank of England's rate of discount.

**LATE SHIPPING.**  
 Arrived Today.  
 Str. Calvin Austin, Pike, Boston, W. G. Lee.  
 Str. Kanawha, London via Halifax.  
 Wm. Thomson & Co.  
 Coastwise—Dreadnought, Grand Harbor, W. E. Gladstone, Westport, Corolla, Annapolis; Mary M. Lord, fishing cruise; Ethel May, Parkers Cove, Westport, H. Westport.  
 Cleared.  
 Str. Mary M. Lord, 21, Poland, fishing cruise.  
 Str. R. G. Fuller, 1223, Mitchell, Boston via Maine ports.  
 Str. Calvin Austin, Pike, Eastport.  
 Coastwise—Prince Rupert, Digby; Aurora, Grand Manan, 22nd May; Annapolis Royal, Westport III, Westport; Rofs, Sackville; Corolla, Annapolis.  
 Salted.  
 Str. Ransom B. Fuller, Dosto.  
 Str. Calvin Austin, Eastport.

**BALL GAME POSTPONED**

On account of the rain, today's ball game was postponed. A double header will be played tomorrow, commencing at two o'clock.

The Furness liner Kanawha arrived in part this morning from Halifax and docked at the Pettit wharf.

The Lusitania mail via New York are due here at noon tomorrow.

**CANADIANS GET TOGETHER FOR BIG SHIPBUILDING CO.**

Prominent Montrealers Interested in Scheme for the Erection of Plant—May Tender for Warships

(Montreal Herald)  
 A big Canadian shipbuilding company is being formed. Canadian defence warships will be built in Montreal in Canada, and the capital is to be raised in Canada. The officers of the company will be Canadian. The men interested are for the most part Montrealers, prominent in shipping and commercial circles. After the return of Broderick, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, and the presentation of his official report on the Imperial Defense Conference, the decisions which will effect Canada, some decisive steps will be determined on by those who are forming the new company.

For several months rumors that certain English firms would establish a plant in Canada, to carry on shipbuilding work, and ultimately undertake the construction of the Canadian navy, have been circulating. There is no doubt that such projects are most seriously entertained by several of the big English builders.

The men behind the new Canadian shipbuilding company, however, have kept their scheme a secret so far, and it will come as a surprise to all Canadians to learn that a number of their fellow-countrymen are alive to the possibilities of Canada as the scene of a great shipbuilding industry in future.

Sir Montagu Allan, interviewed by The Herald this morning, admitted that he had been consulted by the English firms, and had promised to unite in financing the scheme. "There has been nothing definite done yet," he said, "but I hope very shortly to see the company well under way."

Montagu said that as yet no decision as to the site of the shipbuilding plant had been determined on, but admitted that a large one would undoubtedly be established.

"It is rumored that the plant will be built in time to tender for the construction of warships for the Canadian navy, and that this company will make a strong bid for the contract. In three months, however, that point," Sir Montagu was asked.

In reply he only smiled and said it was a trick to say his colleagues had been consulted by a Canadian company capturing the proposed industry of building war vessels, even if they were for Canada hereafter, he said.

Major Stephens refused to be interviewed on the subject, saying he had had nothing to say for some time. He well known, however, that the Harbor Commissioners of Montreal would do all in their power to support any company which proposed to build the equipment of the St. Lawrence route.

The new company's first move would probably be to discuss the construction of a dry dock, and the offer will be accompanied by a petition that the Government grant them the usual three per cent subsidy. They will thus enter into competition with other companies for the work of placing a dry dock, sufficient to accommodate any vessel visiting Montreal, in the St. Lawrence.

With the financial backing provided, it is certain that the Canadian company will be able to compete on its own merits with any in the world.

Some of the finest engineering experts of Great Britain and Europe will be appointed to supervise the work of the new company, when they have one established themselves in Canada. Canada had a great many competent engineers, but it is felt that the construction of shipyard matters should be employed to superintend the great works, which the new company will undertake, and men of long experience in shipbuilding are not to be found in a country where the art of constructing even small vessels is yet in its infancy.

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**LABOR CONGRESS THAT NOTHING IN CANADA HAS EVER BEEN DONE PROPERLY**

(Continued from page one.)  
 and under similar circumstances, it was deemed inadvisable to call a military despite the fact that there was property to protect and workmen to defend; and it is further resolved, that we express our admiration of the United Mine Workers in their protracted struggle and assure them of the support of thousands of the unskilled affiliated with the Congress, and be it further

Resolved, that we urge upon the Dominion government the propriety and necessity of immediately appointing a royal commission to investigate the conditions of the millitia in the Bay; the condition of millitia while there; the utter disregard of law, both municipal, provincial and Dominion; the conduct of officers supposed to administer law; the kidnapping of Dan McDougall, and the circumstances surrounding the dispute between Dominion Coal Company and U. M. W. at Glace Bay.

**PEARY A BIG HERO IN HIS NATIVE CITY**

50,000 Great Him at Portland Maine  
 Public Reception One of the Greatest in History of Maine

PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 23.—Crowding, pushing, jamming, fifty thousand eager men, women and children, their path ablaze with red stars, cheered Commander Robert E. Peary from the Maine Central R. R. Station, a grand scene, the only of its kind in the history of the State of Maine, was held. It was indeed a grand welcome home.

After receiving a continuous ovation from the Canadian border-line on his railroad journey across the state, the only Maine man to go "north of 83," stepped from the platform of the Maine Express into a clamoring mob of impatient citizens. They had been awaiting his home-coming for nearly an hour. Almost immediately he was surrounded by a cordon of police who had to pull their mightiest sticks to keep the swaying crowds away. Meanwhile two bands stationed in front of the depot struck up a lively air and slowly the Commander made his way towards the side of the great granite building. Here he was met by Mayor Adam P. Leighton, of this city, and Mayor Fred G. Hamilton, of South Portland.

Finally, after the crowd had been satisfied and had been sent outside the building, Peary was taken to the Falmouth Hotel, where a big banquet was held in his honor.

**LOCAL NEWS.**

Ernest Stirling left at noon for Amherst with his trainer Harry Daye. Stirling is to race Cameron in a five case race for which Cameron holds the Maritime championship. To a Star reporter he claimed to be in excellent condition and felt confident of success. A. W. Covey, who is to act as timer, also left at noon.

The entries for the dog show, to be opened in Queen Hink next Tuesday, close tonight. The secretary will accept entries at 43 Carleton street, up to 11 p. m.

Six new cases of typhoid fever were reported in Andover yesterday. So far there has not been a trace of the disease in Perth. The most possible being made of the means at hand to stamp out the disease, but the impression made does not seem to be very satisfactory. No trace has yet been found of the complaint in the check and the news of the epidemic is going around that he has either gone to Boston or has met with foul play.

S. E. Vaughan & Co. have sold their large saw mills and timber lands, comprising ninety-three square miles, in Kent county, to the Swedish & Canadian Lumber Company, of which Mr. Norden, of Rosebank, Northumberland county, is the manager. The purchase price was \$50,000. The mills include what was known as the McLeod mill. The timber lands referred to are important and valuable ones, and with interest by lumbermen all over the province. The firm of S. E. Vaughan & Co. was made up of S. E. Vaughan, of St. Martins, and William O'Neil, of Black River.

UNQUENCHABLE ENERGY.  
 The Currie Business University systematically compiles the result of each student's tenet efforts and places same before the merchant or professional man, which secures a position in accordance with a reputation. This is the only school with regular service, which enables every student to be enabled to earn money and secure public experience, thus raising their ability value fifty to one hundred per cent over the ordinary business college graduate.

PERSONAL  
 Miss Molly McCade has returned from an enjoyable visit to Chatham, Bathurst and other points on the North Shore.  
 Miss Kitty E. Butler, of Milford, left on the 23rd inst. for a month's visit to relatives in New York and Boston.  
 Rev. Dr. J. A. Morrison and Mrs. Morrison of Chicago, are in the city and are being greeted by many of their friends here.  
 Dr. and Mrs. Chas. M. Mulhan, of Baltimore, arrived in the city today.  
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**TENDERS!**

Sealed tenders for all trades for the erection of a Fire Station on the corner of Ludlow and Victoria streets, West End, for the City of Saint John, N. B., will be received by H. B. Wardrop, Common Clerk, City Hall, until 12 o'clock, noon, Monday, September 28, 1903. Each tender is to be accompanied by a certified bank check payable to the City of Saint John for five per cent of its amount.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the architect P. Neil Brodie, 43 Princess street.  
 ADAM P. MACINTYRE,  
 Comptroller,  
 Saint John, N. B., Sept. 20th, 1903.  
 ROBERT WHEATLY,  
 Director Dept. Public Safety.

**TENDERS.**

for the stock of J. CARRETT, contained in store lately acquired by him, 115 Brunsell St., will be received by the undersigned at their office, 11 German St., City, up to twelve o'clock, noon, September 23, 1903.  
 Stock can be examined on application.  
 Highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

IRAEEL H. KAPLAN,  
 JACOB SHANE,  
 Assignees.  
 25-3-2.

**TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.**

WARNING—The young lady who picked up the pocketbook on the ferry boat belonging to Mrs. J. O'Brien, had better return it and save further trouble. Her identity is known.

WANTED—Smart, honest Salesgirl for dry goods department. Address Box 772, Star Office. 23-9-2.

WANTED—One checker and one sorter. Apply Globe Laundry. 24-9-2.

GIRLS WANTED—Apply General Public Hospital. 24-9-2.

WANTED—A boy at once—grocer. H. Dykeman, 43 St. James street. 24-9-2.

**STAR WANT ADS. BRING RESULTS**

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**FUNERALS**

The funeral of the late Strenson H. Elderfield took place this afternoon at 3 o'clock from Chamberlain's undertaking rooms. Rev. J. E. Hand conducted the service and interment was made in Cedar Hill cemetery.

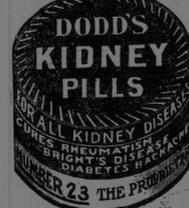
The funeral of the late Moses C. Harrison took place from the Home for Incurables this morning. The remains were taken to Sheffield by steamer for interment.

The funeral of the late Silas C. McMann took place this afternoon at 3 o'clock from his residence at Brookville. Rev. W. W. McMasters conducted the service and interment was made in Fernhill cemetery.

The funeral of the late William J. McKee took place this morning from his residence, 107 Erin street, at 10 o'clock. The remains were conveyed on the 12:05 express to St. Martin for interment. Mr. McKee was a guide at the General Public Hospital and died on Wednesday from typhoid.

**HOPEFUL**  
 Mrs. Newed—"Mamma says she does not think we will very quarrel as she and papa do."  
 Mr. Newed—"Never, dear!"  
 "No, no, says you will be much easier to manage than papa was."

team was stopped. When she was taken from the pole it was found she had sustained a broken thigh. Persons who witnessed the feat say it was one of the most hair raising bits of grit ever seen.



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### THE WEATHER

Maritime—Fresh to strong south to westerly with, showery. Saturday, fine and cooler.

### LOCAL NEWS

Court Log Cabin will meet in Foresters' Hall, Charlotte, this evening for initiation.

Officer Linton found a key on Smythe street yesterday and it awaits an owner at central station.

Herbert Stevens, of 111 Prince Wm. street, has been reported by Policeman Belyca with throwing waste paper on Main street yesterday.

On account of the weather the Ridgeway Club have decided to postpone their assembly Wyandotte, until Monday evening, Sept. 27.

The Doorkeepers Circle of King's Daughters will hold an apron and cake sale at the guild on the afternoon of Tuesday, Oct. 1th. Five o'clock tea will be served.

Miss Lydia M. Brown was agreeably surprised last evening when her home 190 Charlotte street, W. E., was invaded by a merry party of friends, who had prepared an elaborate dinner and shower to preface a happy event soon to take place in which Miss Brown will be a principal.

Good materials and good tailoring make the best clothes. C. B. Pidgeon's fabric selections are the choicest known to the trade. The construction of a Pidgeon suit is most thorough, because the work is done by the best hands and along with this Pidgeon's prices undersell all competition. Why then wear ordinary clothes at any price?

The Calvin Austin reached port at 9 o'clock this morning from Boston. She landed one hundred and forty-five passengers. The members of the Worcester baseball team were among the number. The Austin will return tomorrow evening to Boston. Judging by the large numbers who have booked accommodation the trip will be a banner one.

A painter named Thompson picked out a rather unpleasant day to get on a jag. Starting out early this morning he was successful in getting loaded by ten o'clock and picking out about the wettest spot in the old burying ground he lay down to sleep among the tomb stones. Policeman Henry located the drunk and carted him to central station.

Two very unfortunate accidents happened at St. George the first of the week. Roland Lee, son of Chas. Lee, of St. John, who has been spending the summer at Mount Vernon Lodge, tripped while in his motor boat and injured his foot so badly that it was necessary to have the foot amputated. Fred Allen, young son of Howard Allen, had his arm broken at the elbow while trying to mount a pony Monday afternoon.—Courier.

Captain Bradley, of the Worcester team, who has managed the aggregation since the completion of the New England League, is at the park. He states that his team is on a barn storming tour and would be quite willing to face other local teams on the diamond, providing satisfactory arrangements can be made. "Our team is out to win," said Bradley, "but we can lose as well as the others." It's to be hoped that other matches may be arranged with the visitors.

John O'Leary, Plumseep, has good cause to fight shy of amateur woodsmen. On Sunday last some parties who managed to secure a hunting licence butchered two valuable heifers belonging to Mr. O'Leary. The animals have been companions all summer and excited the curiosity of unknown nimrods who made short work of both animals. One of the animals was shot dead, and the other brought home two bullets in her body, dying shortly after reaching the barn. The heifers had evidently been mistaken for deer and got the full benefit of the doubt. An effort is being made to locate the perpetrators of the outrage, who made no attempt to recompense the owner for his loss. In addition the destroying private property, the huntmen were guilty of a violation of the game law, in shooting on Sunday.—Sussex Record.

The investigation into the stranding of the steamer Margaret on August 10, on Thuron Cap Shoal, was concluded yesterday afternoon before Capt. Lazar, Capt. Larimer and Capt. Neil Hall. The Board is today considering the evidence taken at the enquiry, and they will send their decision to Ottawa. It is understood that they will find that the compass was wrong, having been deviated by some unknown cause. A number of parcels, contents unknown, were in the cabin where the compass was kept, and it is thought that these might have caused the compass to deviate some 15 points. The Board, it is understood, will recommend that hereafter no parcels be allowed in the cabin unless the captain is assured that the contents are such as will not cause the compass to deviate.—Recorder.

In an interview with J. D. Chipman yesterday, the Courier was assured that the difficulties against which the management of the Gold King have contended are steadily being overcome and that the re-organization at the mine is about completed. One block-ade on the railroad to the mine was just overcome, when another cloud-burst carried away two and a half miles of track at another point. No shipment in or out can be made until repairs are completed which will be accomplished this week. The necessary repairs to the mill are about completed and everything will be ready for the new machinery to arrive next week. J. M. Johnson is at the mill and writes that as soon as the machinery is installed the mill will be started and that every indication points to good results. Mr. Gagnor, a man of wide experience is at work as superintendent with new mine and mill foremen under him. Mr. Chipman returns to Boston Friday and will be there most of the time during the

### MR. HOOPER'S APPLICATION WILL BE CONSIDERED

If He Sends One in to the Exhibition Ass'n

—Waiting for Ideas G. B. Allan is to Bring Home.

At the close of the Fredericton Exhibition yesterday, stockmen and other exhibitors showed their appreciation of the efforts of Secretary Hooper by signing a recommendation that the St. John management secure, if possible, his services in the Dominion Fair to be held here in 1910.

When shown the report by the Star this morning, A. O. Skinner, President of the Exhibition Association, stated that at the present time no decision had been made regarding a manager. In fact, said Mr. Skinner, "mention of this appointment has not yet come before the board. Our efforts will be towards securing a capable man of wide experience."

So far as he knew, no names had been mentioned for this position, but should Mr. Hooper make application, he would have an equal chance with others in the field.

Asked how things were progressing for the 1910 fair, Mr. Skinner replied that everything was being forwarded in a most satisfactory manner.

Upon Mr. C. B. Allan's return from Seattle, the board would meet to receive suggestions gathered at the Pacific Fair, also suggestions from W. F. Burditt, who had attended Upper Canadian exhibition. In the meantime the various committees were carrying forward their work and ample time remains to have everything ready for next year.

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### MOOSE MEAT WENT BAD; HUNTERS DEEPLY GRIEVED

Enthusiastic Men Who Anticipated High Prices Were Glad to Get Rid of Their Game.

Two of the largest moose that have reached the city this season arrived this morning by the Dominion Express. The owners were two young men from Ennisville, who paid nine dollars expressage on the carcasses and had visions of receiving a nice price for the game. They were sadly disappointed when they reached the market as the officials would not allow the carcasses to be taken into the building. The two carcasses were in pretty bad shape and unfit for consumption. The hunters with the carcasses on their hands were glad to give them to James McGrath, who carted them to the bone-yard. The bones will be ground up into fertilizer.

The carcass of a moose will not keep good very long in this weather unless it is immediately and properly cared for.

### LOCAL NEWS

Court Log Cabin will meet in Foresters' Hall, Charlotte, this evening for initiation.

Officer Linton found a key on Smythe street yesterday and it awaits an owner at central station.

Herbert Stevens, of 111 Prince Wm. street, has been reported by Policeman Belyca with throwing waste paper on Main street yesterday.

On account of the weather the Ridgeway Club have decided to postpone their assembly Wyandotte, until Monday evening, Sept. 27.

The Doorkeepers Circle of King's Daughters will hold an apron and cake sale at the guild on the afternoon of Tuesday, Oct. 1th. Five o'clock tea will be served.

Miss Lydia M. Brown was agreeably surprised last evening when her home 190 Charlotte street, W. E., was invaded by a merry party of friends, who had prepared an elaborate dinner and shower to preface a happy event soon to take place in which Miss Brown will be a principal.

Good materials and good tailoring make the best clothes. C. B. Pidgeon's fabric selections are the choicest known to the trade. The construction of a Pidgeon suit is most thorough, because the work is done by the best hands and along with this Pidgeon's prices undersell all competition. Why then wear ordinary clothes at any price?

The Calvin Austin reached port at 9 o'clock this morning from Boston. She landed one hundred and forty-five passengers. The members of the Worcester baseball team were among the number. The Austin will return tomorrow evening to Boston. Judging by the large numbers who have booked accommodation the trip will be a banner one.

A painter named Thompson picked out a rather unpleasant day to get on a jag. Starting out early this morning he was successful in getting loaded by ten o'clock and picking out about the wettest spot in the old burying ground he lay down to sleep among the tomb stones. Policeman Henry located the drunk and carted him to central station.

Two very unfortunate accidents happened at St. George the first of the week. Roland Lee, son of Chas. Lee, of St. John, who has been spending the summer at Mount Vernon Lodge, tripped while in his motor boat and injured his foot so badly that it was necessary to have the foot amputated. Fred Allen, young son of Howard Allen, had his arm broken at the elbow while trying to mount a pony Monday afternoon.—Courier.

Captain Bradley, of the Worcester team, who has managed the aggregation since the completion of the New England League, is at the park. He states that his team is on a barn storming tour and would be quite willing to face other local teams on the diamond, providing satisfactory arrangements can be made. "Our team is out to win," said Bradley, "but we can lose as well as the others." It's to be hoped that other matches may be arranged with the visitors.

John O'Leary, Plumseep, has good cause to fight shy of amateur woodsmen. On Sunday last some parties who managed to secure a hunting licence butchered two valuable heifers belonging to Mr. O'Leary. The animals have been companions all summer and excited the curiosity of unknown nimrods who made short work of both animals. One of the animals was shot dead, and the other brought home two bullets in her body, dying shortly after reaching the barn. The heifers had evidently been mistaken for deer and got the full benefit of the doubt. An effort is being made to locate the perpetrators of the outrage, who made no attempt to recompense the owner for his loss. In addition the destroying private property, the huntmen were guilty of a violation of the game law, in shooting on Sunday.—Sussex Record.

The investigation into the stranding of the steamer Margaret on August 10, on Thuron Cap Shoal, was concluded yesterday afternoon before Capt. Lazar, Capt. Larimer and Capt. Neil Hall. The Board is today considering the evidence taken at the enquiry, and they will send their decision to Ottawa. It is understood that they will find that the compass was wrong, having been deviated by some unknown cause. A number of parcels, contents unknown, were in the cabin where the compass was kept, and it is thought that these might have caused the compass to deviate some 15 points. The Board, it is understood, will recommend that hereafter no parcels be allowed in the cabin unless the captain is assured that the contents are such as will not cause the compass to deviate.—Recorder.

In an interview with J. D. Chipman yesterday, the Courier was assured that the difficulties against which the management of the Gold King have contended are steadily being overcome and that the re-organization at the mine is about completed. One block-ade on the railroad to the mine was just overcome, when another cloud-burst carried away two and a half miles of track at another point. No shipment in or out can be made until repairs are completed which will be accomplished this week. The necessary repairs to the mill are about completed and everything will be ready for the new machinery to arrive next week. J. M. Johnson is at the mill and writes that as soon as the machinery is installed the mill will be started and that every indication points to good results. Mr. Gagnor, a man of wide experience is at work as superintendent with new mine and mill foremen under him. Mr. Chipman returns to Boston Friday and will be there most of the time during the

### PUBLIC LOVE-MAKING ON THE INTERCOLONIAL

A Comedy by Which Passengers on Yesterday's P. du Chene Train Were Vastly Amused.

Passengers on the incoming P. du Chene train yesterday afternoon were treated to no little amusement and incidentally to some excitement. Two women boarded the train at Moncton and were soon engaged in conversation with other passengers. One of the women, who evidently worked on the farm, the affections of one of the men for one of the ladies in question could not be restrained. To the amusement of the other passengers their embraces continued throughout the journey. With an affectionate patting the man left the train at Salisbury. Hardly had the express started, when the woman discovered that her pocketbook had disappeared. In loud tones she declared her new acquaintances must have taken it, and hurriedly commanded the conductor to stop the train. But her joy was great when her travelling mate produced the pocketbook, saying she had kept it for a joke. That did not end the fun for the passengers, another individual was induced to take a seat by the woman. He, too, was soon doing the "lovey-dovey" act amid the roars of the onlookers. The finish was reached when the train was nearing the station. The news agent had offered candy and peanuts for sale. "I've got two sweetest now," said the girl's companion, and he meant it.

### TONIGHT'S BAND CONCERT

Weather permitting the Artillery Band will give a concert on King Square this evening, when the following program will be rendered:—

March—Regimental Piece, J. C. Heed.

Overture—Lionel Cavoy, Suppe.

Waltz—U. and L. Hildreth.

Largo—Hendel.

Highland Patrol—Wee Macgregor, Amers.

Selection—Echoes from the Opera—arr. MacIsaac-Joyce.

Spanish Intermzzo—Pearl of the Pyrenees, Chas. Frank.

Audante—Trauerlied, Schumann.

Euphonium Solo—Love's Old Sweet Song—Molloy.

March—The flag, J. B. Lampe.

The King.

Le Baron Thompson, travelling freight and passenger agent, of the Pacific Steamship Company, and Mrs. Thompson, are today observing the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage. They are receiving many congratulations and wishes that they may reach their fiftieth anniversary.

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