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THE WEATHER. Light to moderate southwest wind, fine and very warm. Friday fine and warm.

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SIX HUNDRED LIVES LOST IN HARBOR OF BATAVIA

Word of Awful Disaster Reaches Victoria, B. C.—Storm Overturned Two and More Than 600 Perished.

Victoria, B. C., July 2.—(Special.)—News of a terrible boat disaster, involving the loss of over 600 lives at Batavia, was brought here by the C. P. R. S. S. Empress of China.

Batavia is the chief commercial export of the island of Java and is an important coffee exporting city. Its population is between 115,000 and 125,000.

AMERICAN FUGITIVE.

Puerto Cortez, Honduras, July 1.—Francis G. Bailey, the president of the Export Shipping Company of New York, who, together with his brother, Albert W. Bailey, Charles H. H. Myers and Captain Albert O'Leary, was placed aboard the Norwegian steamer Laitan yesterday in the custody of Lieutenant P. W. Beery, of the New York police department, made his escape in a small boat from the steamer last night.

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CAUSE OF WOMAN SUFFRAGE MAKES GAINS IN EUROPE

Interesting Letter Written from the Amsterdam Congress by an American Lady—French Catholics and the Movement.

(By Cable to the Detroit Free Press.) Amsterdam, June 29.—The delegates to the international woman suffrage congress have seen the glory of the thing which can be adequately described by the words of the poet: "The flower carpeted plains of our own country seem dull indeed compared to those long and level lands of dreads of acres ablaze with gorgeous hues. Three languages are recognized officially by the International Woman Suffrage Alliance—English, German and French. This is a little hard when its convention is held in a Dutch country, as now, in a Danish one, as was the case when it met in Copenhagen. One delegate from Bohemia wrote that if she could give her address in Czech she would do so. She was asked why she should travel a thousand miles to make a speech in an language that no one in the audience would understand. Possibly the joy of speaking in public would be sufficient compensation; many people feel that way.

AMERICANS ONLY TRUSTED.

It seems now as if only an American woman will have to continue to be president of the alliance. This is because the women of other countries have not the necessary qualifications, but because of the national jealousy. Dutch women, for example, would never serve under an English president; neither Norway nor Sweden would accept one from the other; Germany and France, of course, are hopelessly hostile. All of the 23 countries are friendly and trustful toward the United States and do not suspect its women of ulterior motives.

TWO FACTIONS APPEAR.

There is a great difference also in the way of women for organization. In the case of Great Britain may be said to be possessed by German women of high degree; in France it appears feasible for the suffrage service, for instance, to unite in a national association. The president of one bearing the significant name of Solidarite des Femmes declares she hates the presidents of all the other societies. The members of these range from the ultra radicals, who push their way into election halls and rattle the ballot urns in angry protest, to the ultra conservatives who remain at home and put their faith in prayer. A Dutch woman who was trying to describe two suffrage meetings which she attended in Paris said, "One of these meetings was of a wild feminist, which stated the situation pretty accurately.

SUBORDINATE IN SOCIALISM.

The socialist party everywhere includes women suffrage in its demands, but nowhere does it make the slightest effort to secure this specially. It must come in the wake of universal male suffrage or it

GOVERNMENT HAS NO CASH

Lord Desborough is Finding Difficulty in Raising \$50,000 for Entertainment Fund for Olympic Athletes.

London, July 2.—Lord Desborough on behalf of the British Olympic Council recently has been appealing to the British public to subscribe \$50,000 for the purpose of entertaining the judges and officials and the 2,500 foreign athletes who are coming here for the Olympic games. Yesterday, however, Lord Desborough stated that the response had been so small that the council had been compelled to abandon the proposed official reception excursions and entertainments, as the British government provides no funds for such purposes. In contrast, he pointed to the Greek government, which spent \$12,500 at Athens on a similar occasion in 1906. Lord Desborough said it is incredible that a great and wealthy nation should refuse to return the hospitality which British athletes have received in every quarter of the globe. The Daily Mail this morning editorially takes up the failure of the British people to subscribe a sufficient fund for the entertainment of the visiting athletes at the Olympic games. It appeals to the public to respond to this dire emergency to save the national reputation for hospitality and good fellowship. The Mail heads the list with a donation of \$500.

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EXPLOSION IN RUSSIAN MINE

One Hundred Miners Killed in Explosion in Rikovsky Mine.

Yonovka, Russia, July 2.—Last evening a violent explosion occurred in the Rikovsky mine in which 100 miners were killed. A hundred are reported to have been killed. The thousands of miners who are working in the mine were greatly excited because of the accident, and troops have been hastily summoned to prevent the disorders which are feared.

"COMMODORE" STEWART LASHES THE REPORTER

St. John Sun's Yacht Race Report Criticized by the Chatham World.

The St. John society reporter (fresh from college of the day) in his glib and confident manner, has been severely lashed by the Chatham World. The reporter's report on the yacht race was full of errors and misstatements. The World's Champion Wrestler Defeated Dr. Roller in Seattle Last Night.

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MEXICAN RAIDERS CAUGHT

Mexico City, July 2.—According to a despatch received here today, the authorities have captured and imprisoned sixteen men of the Viesca raiders.

NEW RECORD FOR AERONAUTIC FLIGHT

Count Zeppelin Yesterday Out-distanced All the World's Records for Accurate Steerable Balloon.

Friedrichshafen, July 1.—Count Zeppelin in day-out-distanced all world's records for steerable balloons. He remained in the air for twelve hours, traversed the greater part of Northern Switzerland and visited Zurich, Winterthur and Lucerne, attaining an average speed throughout of 34 miles an hour. His alighting displayed splendid qualities of dirigibility and maneuverability, while his stability was quite up to the greatest expectations.

In the most desirable weather conditions, almost a dead calm, the airship, manned by a crew of fourteen, under the leadership of Zeppelin, left its floating home on Lake Constance at 8:30 o'clock in the morning. Less than five minutes later Count Zeppelin shouted, "all clear," and the balloon rose about 1,000 feet in the air and turned her bow toward Constance. By nine o'clock it had disappeared from the western horizon.

Telephone messages from Frauenfeld, Winterthur and other towns soon reported the appearance of the airship and her passage over the town of Zurich. The craft remained ten minutes hovering over the town of Zurich and the lake and then vanished from view at a rapid rate in the direction of Lucerne. It was about 10 o'clock when the airship came into view at Lucerne, and the thousands of astonished tourists from all parts of the world, including Americans, greeted her with long cheering as she sailed quickly over the waters of the lake.

With the greatest precision, Count Zeppelin carried out a long series of evolutions which included complicated figures, circles, the figure-eight, sharp turns, descents and ascents. He then undertook a tour of the whole lake, visiting every bay and indentation along the coast, starting rapidly, but with work in his homework, crossing the Alps range of mountains in the high air and traveling at a rapid rate. He then reached Zurich again and then continued on his way to Winterthur and Frauenfeld.

By 10:30 o'clock the airship had again reached Lake Constance and turned eastward to Bregenz, a frontier town of Austria-Hungary. From there it traveled to Friedrichshafen.

FRANK GOTCH WINS AGAIN

World's Champion Wrestler Defeated Dr. Roller in Seattle Last Night.

Seattle, Wn., July 2.—Frank Gotch of Boston, Maine, retained his title as world's champion wrestling tonight when he defeated Dr. B. T. Roller of Seattle, winning two consecutive falls in 15 minutes and 25 seconds. The English boy was respectively. The men entered the ring weighing close to 200 pounds each. Gotch worked like a bull, but Roller broke away each time but it wore on him and finally Gotch downed him with a croch and half Nelson. Roller was on his feet in the second fall, but Gotch went from hold to hold with a bulldog grip, and he was finally picked up and downed to his shoulders from the same hold.

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THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

A DAY IN THE COUNTRY. A SAILOR'S WARNING.

Several enquiries have been made as to the reason why the street department has not repaired that portion of Prince William street near the new Seaman's Mission building. The explanation is that it is really nothing, however. The young man had spent the holiday in the country. The sun had scorched him, the flies had bitten him, the dust had choked him, and he had sustained two slight fractures while running for his train. On the whole he had a day that was crowned full of new experiences, and the doctor says his face will look as well as ever in a week or two.

RELIABLE OTTAWA NEWS

Ottawa, July 2 (Special).—The opposition kept up their obstructive tactics all day yesterday. Of course the house was not in session, but for the purposes of this truthful despatch it may be asserted that the most scandalous obstruction was kept up all day. It is dreadful.

A HOLIDAY DINNER

Mr. Peter Binks and some friends enjoyed a lobster dinner at Full Moon Lake yesterday. There were seven courses—one of lobster and six of liquor to make the lobster swim.

THE AYLESWORTH BILL IS AGAIN BEFORE THE HOUSE

WELKIN WILL RING WITH NOISE OF WAR

Annual Sham Battle Will be Held at Camp Sussex Tomorrow—Hot Weather Today.

Sussex, N. B., July 2.—(Special.)—Still another scorching day is being experienced by the soldiers at Camp Sussex and a record for continued fine weather has been established. Today the 8th Hussars are undergoing inspection drill by Col. Williams and the infantry are having their customary drill. Tonight, as the last night, all the troops will be in camp; it will be fittingly celebrated in merriment. Tomorrow the regular sham battle will be held, though no details have yet been given out. At 9 o'clock a board of officers consisting of Major C. F. O. East, Capt. E. S. Kirkpatrick and Lieut. G. Y. Chrysler will conduct examination for applicants as officers for the corps of guides.

Among recent arrivals in camp are Capt. McKenzie and McAvity, two St. John boys in attendance at the R. M. C., Kingston, who have been attached respectively to the engineers and the artillery. Referring to a report in Tuesday's Times, Mr. McArthur, who has the contract for providing refreshments on the grounds, states that exorbitant prices are not charged and that the soldiers making the complaint had a personal grudge against him.

It is also pointed out that if the committee on harbor matters goes through the work of the harbor master would be materially reduced and this is used as an argument for taking no action for a time.

AMBERST NEWS

Death of Two Well Known Amberst Women—Capt. Allen Ill.

Amberst, N. S., July 2.—(Special.)—Citizens of Amberst were shocked yesterday to learn of the sudden death of Mrs. Horton, wife of James Horton, barber. At 10 o'clock, the evening before, Mrs. Horton, who in appearance was about 60 years of age, was in her garden when she was suddenly struck with paralysis and at three o'clock yesterday morning passed away. Her death occurred before her husband, Lillian Simpson, of Worcester, Mass. She was aged 41, a woman universally respected, a member of the First Baptist Church. Besides her husband she leaves one daughter aged 14. Mr. Horton will have the funeral in his very many friends throughout the province.

FISH MARKET

The season for lobsters and gaspereaux closed Tuesday, June 30. Salmon continues scarce and is now retailing at 17, 22 and 25 cents a pound. Halibut is quoted at 15 cents a pound, haddock and cod, 3; human haddies, 1; mackerel, 15 to 20 cents each; herring, 30 cents a dozen and bladders 24 cents a dozen.

CITY HALL NOTES

The committee of the common council appointed to consider the suggestions contained in the mayor's inaugural address will meet this afternoon.

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Ottawa, Ont., July 2 (Special).—Mr. Pugsley, stated in the house today that the Dominion Dredging Company had paid \$28,343 duty on the dredging plant used in St. John harbor. Payments had been made to the company of \$24,834 for dredging at Rodney Ship and \$3,509 for dredging at the J. C. R. berth.

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Laplatte, Mo., July 2.—Three bricklayers at work on a building, were killed by lightning yesterday, and a fourth man was knocked from the structure and seriously injured by the bolt.

OTTAWA THIS MORNING

Secretary of the Public Works Department Succumbed to Heart Disease at Age of 39.

Ottawa, Ont., July 2 (Special).—Fred Gilman, secretary of the Public Works Department, died this morning of heart disease. He was 39 years of age and previous to entering the civil service which he did in 1888, he had been secretary to Hon. J. I. Tarte, he was on the editorial staff of La Patrie.

JUMPED FROM BRIDGE OVER NIAGARA FALLS

Bobby Leach Negotiated the Feat in Safety With the Aid of a Parachute.

Niagara Falls, Ont., July 2 (Special).—Bobby Leach made his promised jump from the upper steel arch of the bridge at 1 o'clock yesterday. The feat was witnessed by thousands of onlookers who lined both banks of the river. Leach was dressed in a blue suit and a red hat and dropped a parachute opened fifty feet before the parachute opened. The distance of the fall is 233 feet and the time occupied about one and half minutes.

EATON CREW WINS AT HENLEY TODAY

Henley, July 2.—Ston, which this year for the first time entered a crew for the Great Challenge Cup, qualified for the final heat of the race this morning by beating the crew of the Thames Rowing Club in a very close race. The crew of the Thames Club is considered a triumph for the Henley club of rowing as the Thames Club has partially adopted the style of the Belgian crew, which won the cup in 1907.

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Wonderful Sale

Children's Silk and Embroidery Headwear at prices that must appeal to every mother. Silk, Lace and Embroidery Bonnets your choice of all worth up to \$1.50 each for 50c. Silk Hats \$1 and 1.50 each. Buy now, you can never get such values again.

MILITARY FEATHER POMPONS

White, Alice, Blue, Brown, Navy, Grey and Green. \$1.00 each. Sale of Fancy Collars and Bows 15 cents each.

Marr Millinery Co.

Corner Union and Coburg Streets

The Midnight Guest

By FRED M. WHITE

Author of "The Crimson Blind," "The Corner House," etc.

(Continued.)

At any rate, the knowledge was worth having. Here was a clear avenue of escape. As soon as the house was quiet Vera would be able to steal away, and once outside, she would know exactly what to do. She had no money, but that was a mere detail. The slow hours crept on till dusk began to fall, and there had been no further sign from Silva. The clock outside were striking eight when someone tapped at the door, and in response to Vera's query the voice of Silva spoke. "We are dining in half an hour," he said. "Will you be so good as to come down?" I have unfastened the door. Vera was trembling with excitement and apprehension. She hastened to change her dress, and in a few moments she was hurrying down the stairs. When she reached the hall she found Silva awaiting her. He looked somewhat anxious. "Your mother is in the drawing-room," he said. "I hope you won't mind sitting down to a cold dinner. For motives of convenience we have sent the servants to London for an evening at the theatre. Will you see why we adopted such a course. Will you precede me." Vera had nothing to reply. Just for the moment she was in a state of speech. She was wondering whether or not she would awake presently and find it all no more than a dream. The drawing-room was brilliantly lighted. A tall, dark woman stood by the fireplace. Her regular features appeared to Vera as if they were those of a stranger. She was dressed in a gown that did not fail to notice the restless movements of the hands just for a moment. The two looked at one another. "Something like a smile came over the Countess Flavia's face," she said. "So you are my daughter," she said. "I am afraid I should not have recognized you. Come, closer, so that I can look at your face. That is the drawing-room in the least like your father. I cannot be sufficiently thankful for it. "I have thought about you often," Vera said coldly. "But, surely, if you are my mother, you have a strange way of making yourself known to me. What is the meaning of this outrage? Surely you could have come to Park Lane and asked for me in the ordinary way, without sending this creature of yours." Vera looked round for Silva, but he had discreetly disappeared. "I am glad that man has had the decency to leave us alone," she went on. "Oh, I have been thinking about this meeting all day. I do not know what to imagine, or what to believe. You say that you are my mother, but how I am to be certain of that?" "I swear it," the Countess said. "You are a touch of passion in her voice. "You are my daughter beyond the shadow of a doubt. Oh, there is a deal in what you say, but I could not come to Lord Ravenspur's house. There are most urgent reasons. You are wondering, perhaps, why I have not been near you all these years; but I can explain. You remember nothing of your father, for which you can thank your Maker. With the solitary exception of yourself, there was not a creature on earth that he cared for. He was the embodiment of refined cruelty. His greatest delight was in the tortured degradation of others. Ah, you little guess what a veritable hell the two years which followed your birth were. I will tell you all about that some day, and you will be sorry for me. If you had only had my experience you would not wonder why I fled and hid myself when my release came. You would not wonder why I refused to see you, for fear you should be like your father, and remind me of him every hour. I was so near the borderland of insanity then that I should have killed you, if by one look or gesture you had reminded me of the man who had ruined my life. And then, when the lapse of years had restored my strength and vigor again, a longing to see you took possession of me. And when at length I had found you, or, rather, my faithful servant, Silva had found you for me, there were certain circumstances which prevented my seeking you out at once. I was going to wait my time, but the man whom you call your guardian took such steps that I was bound to act at once. That is why I wrote you that letter last night. That is why you were brought here. And as to Lord Ravenspur, if he is lucky. The Countess paused and bit her lips. A horrible suspicion flashed into Vera's mind. "You must say nothing against him," she cried. "Lord Ravenspur is one of the best and noblest of men." "Lord Ravenspur is a scoundrel," the Countess cried. "Yes and before I have finished I am going to prove it to you. Oh, you may look incredulous, but I am a deeply injured woman, and that man is responsible for all my tortures." A crimson stain stained Vera's cheeks. Here was the old suspicion back again with redoubled force. She would have asked the direct question which was trembling on her lips, but the door opened, and Silva came in hurriedly. "I am late to intrude," he said, "but it is already half-past eight, and it is imperative that you should be in bed in London this evening. There is a train at twenty minutes past nine, which you must not fail to catch." Without argument, the Countess led the way across to the dining-room, where dinner was laid out. Vera noted with some surprise that there were only covers for two. She had expected that Silva would sit down to table, instead of which he moved from place to place, waiting upon them, as if he had been accustomed to that kind of thing all his life. A few moments ago he had appeared to be the dictator and leader in everything. Now he suddenly lapsed into a dutiful, respectful and exceedingly well-trained servant. It was not that Silva was acting in a part. The thing was so perfectly done that Vera saw at once that this was the man's proper position in life. She was too excited to eat or to drink. 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In regard to effecting improvement in the methods of farming he thought that an illustration farm should be started in Carleton county. This proved a very popular suggestion with the meeting, and the following motion was unanimously carried: "That, in the opinion of this meeting, it is desirable that an illustration farm be established to assist in the development of the agricultural possibilities of Carleton county." When apple growing was under discussion, Marshall Smith, Summerfield, said he had 700 trees, mostly Wealthy, that had grown and were bearing very well with him. He had, unfortunately, planted them only fifteen feet apart, they were entirely too close, and he would advise anyone starting an orchard not to plant closer than thirty feet. He was able to sell his apples from \$1.25 to \$1.35 per barrel. He found great difficulty in getting a supply of crates. This year he was going to ship in boxes holding one bushel each. This required a box twenty inches long, eleven inches wide, and ten inches deep, inside measurement. Continuing, Mr. Smith said that what was wanted was a variety of apples like the Northern Spy. It was pointed out by Commissioner Hubbard that as a general rule in keeping apples, such as the spy, were trees that were liable to winter killing, and thus far no really satisfactory variety had been found that would live long and bear well in either the Upper St. John or the Ottawa Valleys. Wealthy, McIntosh, Red, Wolf River, Fameuse and Alexander, all of which were thriving well and were in good demand when properly placed upon the market. Carey Estey had about 600 trees, practically all New Brunswickers. He shipped the fruit to Madawaska county and usually realized about 10¢ per barrel. It was shown that anyone who wished to could successfully grow apples at least for their own use, and some very fine Fameuse apples were reported from Johnville. In discussing the question of fertilizers, it was reported that twenty carloads were sold at Bath last week. As other parcels, the preference shown by the farmers of Kent was for heavy horses, and the Clyde strain-1 was the popular one demanded. In this, Shortborns and Ayrahira would be most in demand. At the present time, especially in Front and Wicklow, there are several good herds of Ayreshire, Caray Estey having a herd almost purebred. Last season he shipped his cream to the Woodstock Creamery and the returns per cow for the summer season averaged about \$35. Morris Pierce thought that good sires would be fairly well patronized, as the people were aware that their stock was too small and needed improvement. Shortborns were dropping sheep, some of them they had always done well in the herds. There was no cheese or butter factories in the parish. A few years ago there had been two, but they were closed in connection with the Woodstock Creamery, the introduction of hand separators had closed the cheese and butter factories, and the returns per cow for the summer season averaged about \$35. When sheep raising was under discussion, the farmers from the best districts of the parish were present, and they were all agreed that what was most wanted to encourage the improvement of stock was an agricultural society. A discussion in which everybody apparently agreed upon the advisability of forming a society, a committee of twelve was appointed to report at the next meeting. The following were the men named on the committee: Gladstone Perry (chairman), Morris Pierce, Stephen Kinney, Michael Keenan, Arthur Taylor, Joseph Curtis, Norman Thompson, Hewlett McNally, Carey Estey, Theo. Killipins, Chas. Gibson and Hugh Tewkesbury. 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MORE CARLETON COUNTY FARMERS SUGGEST IDEAS TO AGRICULTURAL COMMISSION

Last Meeting of the Commission Held at Bath--The Matter of Vacant Farms--Sheep Raising and Fruit Cutting.

The fifth and concluding meeting of the agricultural commission in Carleton County was held at Bath on Saturday last. Gladstone Perry presided and the following were present: Arthur Taylor, William Gibson, Carey Estey, Patrick Corbett, John Hayes, Fred Oakes, J. R. H. Simme, Thomas Egan, Isaac Smith, Merrill Taylor, B. F. Smith, M. P. P. Hrace Rourke, Avard Kearney, Eben J. Kearney, Herbert Olmstead, Ralph Gibson, Charles Seaton, Leonard Bourke, Alfred Gibson, Stephen Kinney, Robert Squires, William A. Squires, Thomas McGinley, Elmer Lloyd, Harold W. Crum, Rev. G. A. Gibson, Albert Olmstead, J. N. Frost, Charles Gibson, Rev. L. A. Fenwick, M. A. Smith, E. F. Shaw, Hamford Rankin, J. Keenan, Rankin J. Smith, with many others.

In discussing the matter of vacant farms and lands, it was generally agreed that vacant lands were largely in the outlying sections, though some good farms were available for sale on the river front. As a whole, the commission will have a considerable list of farms of various prices and degrees of improvement. It was reported that the present state of the cattle, sheep and swine all needed less production of improved breeding stock, and from the general impression of the commission that there would be a market for quite a number of animals of each of the above classes. A great shortage of good wood mares was reported and it was represented to the commission that a large number of good young mares could be found if they were bred fairly well patronized, as the people were aware that their stock was too small and needed improvement. Shortborns were dropping sheep, some of them they had always done well in the herds.

There was no cheese or butter factories in the parish. A few years ago there had been two, but they were closed in connection with the Woodstock Creamery, the introduction of hand separators had closed the cheese and butter factories, and the returns per cow for the summer season averaged about \$35. When sheep raising was under discussion, the farmers from the best districts of the parish were present, and they were all agreed that what was most wanted to encourage the improvement of stock was an agricultural society. A discussion in which everybody apparently agreed upon the advisability of forming a society, a committee of twelve was appointed to report at the next meeting. The following were the men named on the committee: Gladstone Perry (chairman), Morris Pierce, Stephen Kinney, Michael Keenan, Arthur Taylor, Joseph Curtis, Norman Thompson, Hewlett McNally, Carey Estey, Theo. Killipins, Chas. Gibson and Hugh Tewkesbury.

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NEW WAY TO BE WELL: Healthfulness of Oranges

The one lesson which most people never seem to learn is, how to guard their health. We have been eating oranges since time immemorial, yet how many of us know that orange juice contains a medicinal principle which has a marked action on the stomach, bowels, kidneys and skin. Some physicians go so far as to say that they can cure the average case of Indigestion, Constipation, Bilioussness and Dry Skin with orange juice and proper diet. This can be easily proved to the satisfaction of any sufferer. Take the juice of one or two oranges every morning before breakfast, take one or two "Fruit-atives" every night at bedtime, exercise a reasonable care in diet, and the proof will be found in health. The cure will be greatly assisted and hastened by taking "Fruit-atives" in conjunction with the orange juice. "Fruit-atives" is a fruit juice in which the medicinal principle of oranges, apples, figs and prunes are many times increased by the special way in which they are combined. Then tonic is added and the whole made into tablets. "Fruit-atives" may be obtained at all dealers, or sent by postpaid on receipt of 50¢—50¢, a box-6 for \$2.50. "Fruit-atives," Limited, Ottawa.

SHOE SHIPMENTS AND DULL TIMES

New York, June 29.—Shoes are a rather good standard of popular purchasing power, and the sudden improvement which has lately taken place in hides and leather is certainly an encouraging feature. The shipments of shoes from Massachusetts will, therefore, be an interesting item at this time. During the first six months of 1908 they aggregated 2,450,000 cases, and for the same period in 1907 2,375,000 cases. The total for 1908 amounted to 4,920,000 cases, and for 1907 4,580,000 cases, or a deficit of 330,000 cases, largely in the latter half of the year. The shipments of shoes for the year ending this month. A case of shoes averages 24 pairs, so that the shortage in shipments is something over 23,000 pairs of shoes, which, it is argued, must constitute a remarkably good foundation for a sturdy and healthy shoe industry as general industrial and trade conditions warrant.

BERESFORD HAS 301 WARSHIPS FOR MANOEUVRES

London, July 1.—The mobilization of all British warships in home waters available for immediate service was completed yesterday for the annual naval manoeuvres, and Admiral Beresford finds himself in supreme command of a total of 301 ships, with an aggregate complement of 98,000 officers and men. Officially, all thought of reproducing the sea operations that might be expected in the event of difficulties with Germany is repudiated, but from the general character of the instructions issued it appears that Admiral Beresford will be the enemy of the first-cruiser squadron, based at Aalbek Bay, at the extreme north of Denmark, is to enact the part of the enemy coast of Great Britain, which Admiral Bridgman, commander-in-chief of the home fleet, has to defend.

Weak women should try Dr. Shoop's Night Cure. These soothing, healing, antiseptic suppositories go direct to the seat of these weaknesses. My "Book No. 4 For Women" contains many valuable hints to women, and it is free. Ask Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis., to mail it. Ask the Doctor in strictest confidence any questions you wish answered. Dr. Shoop's Night Cure is sold by all Druggists. Oxford, July 1.—Oxford University today conferred a number of degrees upon prominent ecclesiastics. Two Americans were honored as Frederick Rogers Graves, then bishop of Shanghai, and John McKim, Protestant Episcopal bishop of Tokyo, who was given honorary degrees of doctor of divinity. The Archbishop of Toronto also was given this degree.

PLAYS AND PLAYERS

SELMAN STOCK COMPANY AT THE OPERA HOUSE NEXT WEEK. The most important announcement in many months pertaining to theatricals is that of the appearance of Joseph Selman and his company of distinguished players in a series of recent New York operas and London successes. The company will open Monday, July 6th. Every member of the company has a splendid standing in the theatrical world. Mr. Selman has just finished a season of forty weeks as leading man with Minnie Dusee in "The Road to Yesterday". Eugene Du Bois has just closed her season with Robert E. Mantell in Shakespeare's "The Squaw Man". Robert Robson, the celebrated character actor, Dorothy Lee, a fascinating little actress, who has appeared for the last few years in New York productions. Francis Sargent, the Cardinal Wesley of "When Knighthood was in Flower". Ethel Eastcourt, who understudied Olga Netherole in "Carmen". Frank Smith, for the past ten years with Robert Mantell. Slyphitte Radcliffe, of N. Y. musical comedy fame, is the wise and ringing and dancing songster. John Bryes, the well known leading man. Theodore Daly, one of the most pleasing juveniles now before the public. Don Carlo Du Bois, of the Hippodrome. Mildred Herman, a dainty little ingenue. Harry Wilson, the light comedian, who is shortly to be featured in a New York musical comedy. In fact, the entire company are all artists in their line of work, and will give St. John playgoers an opportunity of seeing good plays perfectly produced. Seats now on sale for entire engagement.

NEW VOCALIST AT NICKEL

In Miss Isobel Foley, mezzo-soprano, who made her bow to St. John people yesterday at the Nickel, the music lovers of this city have a young lady who will enrich the musical house programme for several weeks to the delight of thousands. Miss Foley, whose home is in Montreal, is a cultured, refined singer of unusual ability and in her home city is identified with the leading musical organizations and church choirs. In the ballad "Sweet Adeline" she sang with exquisite expression and sweetness at the same time in sufficient volume to be heard in every part of the large auditorium. She has a pleasing stage presence and is already a favorite. Mr. Cairns' new song for today and the remainder of the week is a pretty Irish melody, "Eileen My Own." The new pictures are: Thompson's Night Off, The Ruffian Thrasher, and A Joyous Surprise, all novel and engaging. In all yesterday's intense heat the big Nickel was as cool as the proverbial cucumber.

AT THE PRINCESS

Buster Brown still continues to pack the Princess Theatre to the doors at every show. Yesterday, in spite of the exceptionally hot weather, the house was crowded. This young gentleman will appear in a different act today, and on Saturday he will make a reception on the stage after the show, for ladies and children. This is in addition to the regular picture programme. A Miss Dore will also be heard in the latest illustrated songs. FOR TRICENTENARY program and information about accommodation in "Tented City" write W. E. D. Wiggs, Vice-Pres., Tented City Co., Quebec, Que.

The Times Daily Puzzle Picture



A friendly Portuguese rescued Crusoe and he sailed for Brazil. (Robinson Crusoe, by Defoe.) Find his friend.

ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE. Upside down, under rosebush.

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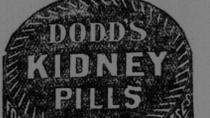
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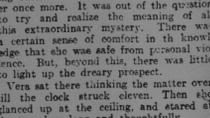
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A Simple Test Which Any Reader of this Paper May Try

Do you know whether you are inclined to, or have kidney trouble? Have you ever tried the simple test of setting aside your urine in a bottle or vessel for twenty-four hours? A sediment or settling in the urine indicates a diseased condition.

THE TROUBLE IN PERSIA

Summary of the Events Leading Up to the Present Critical Situation.

Persia is just now something of a storm centre. It is among the most recent countries to be the theatre of government under constitutional form, and it is passing quickly through an experience rendered familiar by the history of other countries.

Warmest in Seven Years

Not since 1861 has St. John been visited with such heat as yesterday. The highest official thermometer for the day was 82.8 degrees and the thermometer in various parts of the city showed 81, 82 and even 80.

Holiday Drop in Berries

The holiday caused strawberries to take a big tumble in price. The market was in this way. The Washbrook steamer Sinemmes, which arrived at Indian Point about 1 o'clock, brought more than 100 crates of berries but on account of the holiday there were no buyers on board to bid for them and so in comparison with other days, they practically went begging to dealers here, and the rest were bought by some of the Indian Point merchants.

FORGERY JOHNSTON IS NEW COUNTY TREASURER

The municipal council on Tuesday appointed George R. Johnston county treasurer in succession to the late J. S. Boies de Veber. There were a large number of applicants, and five ballots were required.

Hard, Soft or Bleeding?

No matter what kind or where located, any corn is promptly cured by Putnam's Corn Extractor being purely vegetable it causes no pain. Guarantee with every bottle of "Putnam's"—Use no other.

FINE WARM WEATHER HELPS TO MAKE AN IDEAL HOLIDAY

Dominion Day was Royally Celebrated by the People of Canada Yesterday—St. John Had the Warmest Day in Seven Years.

Brilliant summer weather made Dominion Day an ideal holiday, and the opportunity to get away into the country or take a sail on the river was taken advantage of by thousands. For those who preferred not to stray so far afield, the ball games and the parties with their numerous attractions offered plenty of amusement in the open air.

WEDDINGS

Haney-Chambers. Councillor Alphon H. Haney, of West Isles and Miss Florence Chambers, of Eastport, were married at the residence of the groom on June 24 by Rev. J. Fred Esley, of Oak Bay in the presence of a number of relatives and friends of the bride and groom.

Holiday in Fredericton

Fredericton, July 1.—Canada's National Day was quietly observed here under less than ideal conditions.

The Lure of the River

The lure of the river was strong upon the holiday pleasure seekers yesterday. All the boats leaving Indian Point for the morning carried a large number of passengers for various points, including excursions to the river landings.

Holiday in Halifax

Halifax, N. S., July 1.—A royal salute of twenty-one guns was fired from the Halifax Citadel today in honor of Dominion Day and the flag staff on the fortification was flying its colors.

How Ontario Celebrated

Toronto, July 1 (Special).—The National Union lacrosse match here today was a big tumble in price.

DARTMOUTH MAN DROWNED NEAR OTTAWA YESTERDAY

William A. Green, of the Union Bank Staff Drowned in Lake Deschene While His Fiance Looked On.

Ottawa, July 1.—Under exceptionally distressing circumstances William A. Green, of Dartmouth, N. S., aged 21, taker in the Union Bank here, was drowned in Lake Deschene today.

NOT LESS THAN \$1,500,000 FOR THE HARBOR PROPERTY

The common council on Tuesday sat a general committee to discuss the unfinished sections of the harbor commission bill.

Have You Rheumatic Pains?

And who at all times is free from twinges of rheumatism? Ordinary liniments are useless because they are not strong enough. Nerviline exerts an immediate influence upon rheumatic pains because it is immensely stronger than any other liniment.

Not Easy to Do. Jimmy (at the table)—Kin I have done. His Dad (interrupting)—Here, now! You've a plate full of food before you. Jimmy—Yes, but— His Dad—Well, then, kape yer mouth shut an' at it.

ST. JOHN GOLFERS WIN BY SMALL MARGIN

Local Players Defeated Woodstock Yesterday by 24 Holes in Keenly Contested Match.

Scorecard for St. John vs Woodstock golf match. St. John: A. Jack 0, Longley 11, Thomas 3, Currie 0, Schofield 0, Raymond 0, Francis 0, Knowlton 0, McLean 0, Totals 0. Woodstock: C. Sprague 0, Ireland 0, Newcombe 12, W. P. Jones 2, W. Sprague 0, Mitchell 0, Balman 0, Harrison 0, Dickinson 0, T. M. Jones 0, Totals 27.

Johnson-Warwick

In the Cathedral on Tuesday morning Miss Alice Lillian Warwick was married to Frederick A. Johnson, Miss Josephine Johnson, sister of the groom was bridesmaid and William Harrington groomsmen.

Baxter-Johnston

At the residence of Alexander Johnston, Loch Lomond, on Tuesday, his second daughter, Agnes, was united in marriage to William F. Baxter, son of Police Sergeant Baxter, by Rev. L. A. McLean.

Hamm-Knox

A quiet but pretty wedding took place at the summer residence of Rev. L. A. Maclean, Duck Cove, on Monday evening at 7 o'clock, when Charles E. Hamm and Annie Louise Knox, of Lunenburg, were married by Rev. L. A. Maclean.

McCullum-Burke

Newcastle, July 1.—Bernard McCullum, of Newcastle and Miss Emma Burke, of Newcastle, were married at St. Patrick's church by Rev. Father Power, on Tuesday, 30th ult.

Mackay-McGinty

Miss Carrie Eglar McGinty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McGinty, 56 Peters street, was quietly married last evening to James K. Mackay, by Rev. A. B. Oboe, Brussels street Baptist church.

OBITUARY

Dr. Samuel C. Primrose. Halifax, N. S., July 1 (Special).—The death occurred at the Victoria General Hospital today of Dr. Samuel C. Primrose, of Lawrenceville, Annapolis, one of the best known and most skillful medical men in the Maritime Provinces.

John Riley

John Riley, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. James Riley, of the Elford street, died yesterday. Deceased, who had been sick for two or three years, was well known and popular among his companions.

Mrs. Robert Guild

After a lingering and painful illness, Mrs. Robert Guild, wife of Robert Guild, died in her husband's residence, 11 Cranston avenue, yesterday, aged fifty-nine years.

Miss Eliza Travers

Newcastle, June 30.—The death of Miss Eliza Travers, of Lattinon took place Sunday night, June 28. The funeral was held today, Rev. H. D. Worden officiating.

THE GOVERNMENT WINS THREE IMPORTANT SUITS

Ottawa, June 30.—The following judgments have been delivered by Mr. Justice Gauthier of the Exchequer Court of Canada: Barrett vs. the King—Petition of right dismissed with costs.

ATHLETES & SPORTSMEN PRAISE ZAM-BUK. Some of the greatest sportsmen in the world use Zam-Buk because it heals bruises, cuts, abrasions, etc., so speedily, and prevents blood poisoning, festering, and all danger of wounds "taking the wrong turn." It also cures stiffness, muscular pains, insect stings, etc.

GEORGE E. MET HIS DEATH AT NFGROTOWN BREAKWATER

Well Known West End Young Man Tried to Make Double Somersault and Leaped to His Death.

In attempting to turn a double somersault while diving off the breakwater near Fort Dufferin yesterday afternoon, George E. Pike met his death from the force of the blow which he struck the water.

A MOVEMENT FOR A "SAFE AND SANE" CELEBRATION OF THE FOURTH OF JULY

Police and Other Authorities Working Quietly to, in Time, Suppress the Pyrotechnic Noise and Carnage Usually Associated With Big American Holidays.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.) Washington, D. C., June 25.—Mr. Straus, the secretary of the Department of Commerce and Labor, and Postmaster General Meyer have recently directed that cards be sent to every family living in the city and suburbs, advising them to fill in a blank setting forth their needs in the way of farm or domestic labor, with the result that the government will bring this demand to the attention of immigrants landing in New York and other ports.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous membrane. Such articles should be avoided except on prescriptions from reputable physicians. It is safer to take a reliable Catarrh Cure like Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, which is sold internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by Dr. J. C. Williams & Co., Patent Medicine Sales.

Stop That Cold

To check early colds or gripes with "Preventics" means sure relief for pneumonia. To stop a cold in its tracks is to prevent it from running its course. Preventics will cure even a deeply seated cold, but don't wait until you are sick to take them. Preventics are little candy cold cures. No dizziness, no sleeplessness, no nausea. They are safe for children and thoroughly safe too. If you feel the first signs of a cold, take a few Preventics. Preventics may also save half your usual sickness. And don't forget your child if there is feverishness, night sweats, or other signs of the disease. It is best to take Preventics. Insist on your druggists giving you

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A HOT ONE.

Diogenes—I've been all around and I am unable to find an honest man. What do you think of that? His Friend—It doesn't speak well for your circle of acquaintances.

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St. John, N. B., June 26, 1908.

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FINANCIAL and COMMERCIAL

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COTTON LETTER

The market closed a shade off from the best last night having shown very little response to a condition report which was bullish compared with expectations, if not as an actual indication of the crop. Some of yesterday's buyers who carried cotton over night are probably expecting to see Liverpool take quite a bullish view of the government's figures this morning. Liverpool advanced on Tuesday in response to the Journal of Commerce report making the average condition 81.4, but there has been a good deal of liquidation recently and a moderate show of firmness during the days trading would hardly be anything more than natural toward the close of the week particularly when the American markets will be closed on Friday and Saturday. While the lower condition figure, lower than expected, may restrict scattered selling for the immediate future, the figures will soon be forgotten if the weather continues favorable over the holidays and the market is likely to find little support beyond that which may be forthcoming from spot interests with reference to October contracts. Those who prefer the policy of purchases on breaks may of course run into a streak of bad weather or some other bullish news to make the position good but poor trade accounts and the approach of the new crop should otherwise make themselves felt in a sagging market.

W. W. PRICE.

LIVERPOOL QUOTATIONS.

Liverpool.—Due 1 1/2 to 2 points higher on near and 4 to 4 1/2 higher on late. Opened steady 2 to 3 points higher. At 12:15 p.m. was dull and unchanged to 2 1/2 higher on near and 2 to 2 1/2 higher on late. Spot cotton dull 8 points lower, middling uplands 8.25. Sales 4,000 speculation and export 200. American 5,000. Imports 2,000 including 1,000 American.

DETAILED STOCK GOSSIP.

Reading, Nor. Pac. and So. Pac. appear to display an upward tendency though hardly perceptible as different from rest of list. We are bullish on them, believing they should be bought now and on a scale down in case of a recession. U. Pac. appears to be limited to 146 at present but the reports received are very favorable to it. The same may be said as to Amal. information. The short interest in A. R. is such that it may carry it up any time. The same may be said of St. Paul, B. R. T. and Interboro continue to be well bought as reported yesterday morning. R. I. and C. O. may be depressed especially from time to time, but purchases at such times will give good results.

UPWARD MOVEMENT EXPECTED.

New York Fin. Bureau.—The strong undertone in the stock market may develop into an upward movement of fair proportions, according to our investigations, for the technical features, crop outlook, money reviving business all favor enhancement of standard issues. Should buying opportunities be presented by professional hammering they ought not to be neglected by either daily operators of those taking securities for investment or semi-speculators. News reports this morning show nothing startling with which to rouse the market out of its anti-holiday lethargy, but these "revisions" of sentiment come when least expected, and the market seems to be over-sold the shorts may not wish to remain outstanding over the holidays which sentiment would hold the market steady to say the least. There is no excess at the moment in the Northern and Southern R. R. reversion for selling. While, on the other hand, the report of the iron trade review that the labor outlook is improving is certainly an encouraging factor, as is the column article in the News showing a sharp revival in various lines of business. Crop reports continue to reflect alluring prospects, while the monetary ease is unquestionably stimulating the investment demand that always materializes at this season of the year. We do not regard politics as a factor, though they may be made responsible next week for surface fluctuations. As a question of importance, politics will not figure in the stock market according to present plans. The general financial condition is resting on a solid foundation now and the elementary factors are beckoning to prosperity and not depression.

LONDON QUOTATIONS.

London, 2 p.m.—Consols 87 7/8, Anc 41 7/8, C 65 3/4, Atch 81 1/4, BO 80, OR 34, GW 6 1/8, CPR, 160, D 25 3/8, Erie 19 1/4, KP 34 1/2, Illa 129 1/2, KT 37 1/4, LN 104 3/4, Mx 14 5/8, N 68 3/4, NP 136 1/2, Cen 103 3/4, OW 40 1/2, Pa 129 1/2, RE 113, RI 15 1/2, SR 14, SJ 43 3/8, SP 89 1/2, St 133 1/2, UP 145 5/8, US 37 3/4, UX 102 3/4.

SUMMARY.

Regular div. on U. S. Rubber expected to-day. Sales on Wednesday smallest for a full day since summer of 1904. Railroads will not cut wages for at least three months. B. R. T. earned about 5 per cent. on stock in past fiscal year. U. S. Steel expected to cut wages from five to ten per cent. No demand for stocks in lean crowd. M. K. & T. May deficit after charges, \$264,128, and surplus for last six months \$1,028,714, against \$3,484,011 last year. Further \$20,000,000 treasury deficit expected in July. Liverpool.—Wheat opened firm, 3 1/4 to 7 1/4 up. Corn opened quiet, 1 1/4 up. London.—Copper steady, spot 56, 56, unchanged. New York.—Private reports received by us this morning say that foreign investment orders have been sent over for U. Pac. for the last few days and that while they are not large, insiders are encouraged over the development. Inquires of specialists indicate that but few selling orders are on the books around the present prices. Some of them seemed to think the market could easily be raised, as support appears on every decline. Professionals are selling Balto. & Ohio on all firm spots, and that while they are not large, insiders are encouraged over the development. It is reported that good buying is occurring in Texas Pacific. We found some weeks ago prophesies made in important quarters that before the year was out the stock would be selling much higher on favorable developments.

N. Y. F. B. Bureau.

Upon application of the Trust Co. of America, the Norfolk and Southern Ry. Co. has been placed in hands of receiver-ship. The trust company is holder of \$15,000,000 first refunding mortgage bonds of the railway, upon which it is charged interest has been defaulted.

BANK OF ENGLAND STATEMENT.

This Week. Last Week. Circulation \$29,978,000 \$28,992,000 Public deposits 9,648,000 10,170,000 Private deposits 21,137,000 46,167,000 Gov't securities 15,251,000 15,237,000 Other securities 36,347,000 30,023,000 Reserve 27,081,000 28,861,000 Proportion of reserve to liab. 44.37 51.17 Bullion 39,125,000 39,226,000 Bank rate, 2 1/2, unchanged.

DEATHS.

PIKE.—In this city, suddenly, on the 1st July, George E. Pike, aged eight years. Funeral from his father's residence, Queen street, Carlisle, on Friday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock.

N. Y. STOCK MARKET.

Thursday, July 2, 1908. New York Stock Quotations. Chicago Market report and New York Cotton Market. Furnished by D. C. Clinch, Banker and Broker.

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Table with columns: Name, Price, Change. Includes Amalg. Copper, Anaconda, Am. Smelt & Rfg., Am. Car Foundry, Am. Woolen, etc.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

Table with columns: Name, Price, Change. Includes July corn, July wheat, Sept. corn, etc.

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS.

Table with columns: Name, Price, Change. Includes Dom. Tron & Steel, Dom. I. & S. Pfd., Nova Scotia Steel, etc.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

Table with columns: Name, Price, Change. Includes July, October, December, January.

STERLING EXCHANGE.

Demand, 68.85; sixty days, 68.55; cables, 67.75, steady.

IF YOU BURN WOOD IN THE SUMMER TIME let us have your order.

SAWED SOFT WOOD, most of it ready for the stove, \$1.35 A LOAD DELIVERED. SAWED AND SPLIT HARD WOOD, ready for the stove, \$2.20 PER LOAD DELIVERED. SAWED HARD WOOD, \$2.25 per load delivered. KINDLING, \$1.40 a load delivered.

We will deliver any of these kinds of wood in canvas baskets and put it in on the ground floor at 25c. a load extra. Kindling in bunches, 36c. a dozen; 3 dozen for \$1.00. Order at 63 Charlotte street or Smythe street, near North Wharf. Phone 676.

J. S. GIBBON & CO.

THE SHIPPING WORLD

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

Table with columns: Date, Sun, Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri, Sat, Tide.

VESSLES BOUND TO ST. JOHN.

Table with columns: Name, Destination, Date, Agent.

ARRIVED TO-DAY.

Table with columns: Name, Origin, Date, Agent.

SAILED YESTERDAY.

Table with columns: Name, Destination, Date, Agent.

DOMINION PORTS.

Table with columns: Name, Destination, Date, Agent.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Portland, Me., June 29, 1908. Narragansett Bay, Maine. Pond Island Light, North Point Buoy 2, a spar buoy reported adrift, was replaced June 28th.

CHURCHES JOIN FOR THE SUMMER MONTHS.

Because of the absence of quite a number of the members and families in the country for the summer, it has been decided by the congregation of St. Stephen's to suspend the services of the churches to unite for the months of July and August.

BRITISH PORTS.

Table with columns: Name, Destination, Date, Agent.

Our Men's \$12.00 Black Clay Worsted Suits

Equals any \$18.00 Suit made to order

Men's Black Suits \$6.50 to \$14.00

WILCOX BROS., 54-60 Dock Street, 1-5 Market Square

The General Accident Assurance Co'y OF CANADA

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Special Sale OF Muslin

This muslin is of the finest quality and is washable. Worth 12 to 16c per yard, now selling at 8c per yard. Do not miss this opportunity to secure your summer costumes. Only a limited supply.

Hatty, Lahood & Hatty 282 Brussels Street.

WESTERN ASSURANCE CO.

Established A. D. 1843. Assets, \$3,300,000. Losses paid since organization. Over \$40,000,000. R. W. W. FRINK, Manager, Branch St. John, NB. Place your Fire Insurance with MACBURN & FOSTER, St. John, N.B. Representing English Companies. Lowest Current Rates.

The Canadian Detective Bureau, Ltd.

We undertake all legitimate detective work for Banks, Corporations or private individuals. CONSULTATION FREE. Investigations strictly confidential. Offices: 15-17 St. Paul Bldg., Halifax, N. S. L. J. EHLERS, Supt. for Maritime Provinces.

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The Evening Times. Three hundred and twelve issues DELIVERED BY MAIL to subscribers outside of St. John, Fairville and Millford. DON'T BE WITHOUT ST. JOHN'S ENTERPRIZING EVENING PAPER

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Write your name and post office address below and mail this ad., together with a ONE DOLLAR BILL, and THE TIMES will be started at once.

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The Evening Times, St. John, N.B.

BRIGHT SALE ITEMS

Friday Night

Special Offerings to be put on sale Friday Night as this coming Saturday is the first half holiday of the season.

75c Long Silk Gloves 50c Sale Price 50c pair

20in Long Kid Gloves Sale Price \$1.60

Children's Dresses At Clearing Bargains Sale Price \$2.49

Half Price 100 Summer Vests Sale Price 15c each 3 for 40 cents

Children's Dresses At Clearing Bargains Sale Price \$2.49

Linen Costumes at Half-price

12-yard lengths of Costume Linen in Blue, Nio, Pink, Halo. Value \$5.50. Sale Price \$2.75

Lawn Waist Lengths at Half-price

Pretty checked White Lawn Waist lengths stamped for Embroidery, but stamping will wash out; to clear at half.

\$1.85 Waists for 93c

Clearing Bargains, Mercerized Whitewear Friday Night

Correct Covers, Gowns, Drawers, Underskirts 25c to \$1.45. Correct Covers for 18c. to 98c. \$1.75 to \$2.00 Gowns for \$1.25.

Drawers 29c to 60c

Fancy Colored Underskirts for Shirt Waist Suits at Half-price

In fancy stripes, etc., Light Shades for summer. Samples.

\$1.00 pair

Washing Corsets

A pretty White Washing Corset, latest summer design, with Garters.

75c pair

F. W. Daniel & Co., Ltd.

1, 3, 5 Charlotte Street

THE EVENING TIMES, ST. JOHN, N. B., THURSDAY, JULY 2, 1908.

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

SPECIAL SALE

Summer Muslins, Scotch Zepfers, Cotton Ducks, etc at half price

White Organdy Muslins White Dimity Muslins

with dainty printed flowers, small patterns, colors White with Pink, White with blue, White with Hello White with Green, Black with White, Navy with White.

Fine Scotch Zepfers, Checks and Plaids, colors, White and Red, White and Blue, White and Pink, White and Navy, White and Black, Grey and White. Former prices 15c, 18c, 20c, 25c yard. Now All At 10 cents a yard

Dowling Brothers 95 and 101 King Street

A Customer's Reasonable Wish is This Store's Pleasure

Dykeman's

Ladies' Jackets

Customers told us at the first of the season that we had the best value in Ladies' Jackets to be found in the city, but now that a big sale has been taken off the price, they are bargains worth looking after.

\$4.99, \$5.99, \$6.50, \$7.50 and \$8.50 are the new prices on these Coats. They are made from Covers, Kerseys and Tweeds. Short lengths in tight-fitting, semi-tight fitting and loose coats. Long coats in semi-tight fitting and loose.

White Shirtwaists

This has been known as the shirtwaist store of St. John, simply because we carry the best styles at the lowest prices. Strikingly attractive White Lawn Waists at 50 cents, 75 cents, 85 cents, \$1.00 and up to \$3.50 each. Those at \$1.00 were made especially to give extra value for this popular price. They are beautifully trimmed with Hamburg and Lace and made from fine English Lawns, three quarters and long sleeves. The sleeves are trimmed as well as the body of the Waists.

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO., 59 Charlotte Street

AWAY, AWAY away goes our Straws Tremendous Sale all this week in Men's, Boys' and Children's Straw Goods Fancy Shapes \$1 to 2.50 Boater Shapes 25c to \$2 Pencil Brims 25c to \$3.50

ANDERSON & CO. 55 CHARLOTTE STREET

A MINUTE PLEASE

We are now showing an exceptionally fine line of Men's Shirts in the fabrics and designs. Prices lower than our competitors!

- Soft Front Shirts - 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25
Pleated Front Shirts - \$1.00, \$1.25
Hard Front Shirts - \$1.00
Fancy Outing Shirts - 75c, 90c, \$1.00
Duck and Gingham Shirts - 50c, 60c, 75c
Black Duck Shirts - 50c and 75c
Black Sateen Shirts - 50c to \$1.00

S. W. McMACKIN, - - 335 Main St., N. E.

SPECIAL FOR WEDDING GIFTS Large Cut Glass Bowls Eight inches in Diameter ONLY \$5.00

DAVIS BROS., Reliable Jewelers, 84 Prince William Street (Under Bank of Montreal)

The Boston Dental Parlors 527 MAIN STREET Full Set of Teeth \$5.00

Best \$5.00 Gold Crown in Canada, Gold Filling \$1 up. Silver Filling, 50c up. Bridge Work, \$3 and 85. Teeth extracted absolutely without pain, 15 cents.

Dr. J. D. MAHER, Proprietor

THIS EVENING

Miss Marie Demby and others in concert at Every Day Club. Members of Uniformed rank K. of P. meet in armory, for drill. Baseball-St. Peter's vs St. John the Baptist's on Shamrock grounds.

LATE LOCALS

The Suspension Bridge will closed from 6 o'clock tonight till 8 tomorrow morning. The monthly business meeting of the King's Daughters Guild, will be held on Friday, at 3.30 P. M.

The prize winners at the Every Day Club sports can get their prizes by calling at the Times editorial rooms. Walter Exill, whose affairs have occupied much attention, was taken to the Provincial Hospital by Officer Howell on Tuesday afternoon, being adjudged insane by Dr. Berryman.

Harry Allen, a soldier at Camp Sussex, whose home is at Woodstock, was brought to the General Public Hospital this morning suffering from typhoid fever. His condition is not considered serious.

The C. P. R. messenger boys are today wearing new uniform caps. The new ones have a straight visor with gold card and gold lettering. The visor is very handy and gives the boys a more ship shape appearance.

At half-past eleven o'clock this morning Alfred B. Doherty, aged thirty-five, of Nova Scotia, was arrested by Deputy Jenkins, on suspicion of having stolen a horse with express wagon attached from Canterbury street. The team was owned by Samuel Linton.

Two good games of ball may be expected on Saturday when the Marathons meet the A. A. team and the Marathons meet on the Victoria grounds. This will be the first outside team to visit St. John this season, and the fans will be able to compare the kind of ball being furnished by the locals with that of other provincial teams.

Dr. Berryman issued a certificate this morning for the entrance to the Provincial Hospital of the unknown stranger who was arrested on Dominion Day by Sgt. Campbell. The man was found to be of unsound mind and is preserved a stolid demeanor during his examination by the physician, precluding all possibility of exacting information as to home, etc. His apparel was devoid of letters or papers which would identify him, but he is believed to hail from Liverpool.

POLICE COURT

Holiday Drunks Not Largely in Evidence This Morning

That the holiday was observed in orderly fashion was evidenced by the scarcity of prisoners on the police court bench this morning. John McDonough and Michael Donovan acknowledged charges of intoxication and were fined \$8 with the option of two months in jail. Donovan resisted violently when arrested on Mill street, Tuesday evening by Patrolman McNamee and was carted to the station on an express wagon. William Hart was remanded for drunkenness. William Colston admitted using profane language on British street and was sent to jail for twenty days.

Fred Keefe and Harry McNeil endeavored to account for their appearance in the rear of the Eagle Foundry on St. David street between midnight and one o'clock this morning but were convicted of the charge of being drunk and were fined eight dollars or two months in jail with hard labor.

While the Brussels street lock-up Joseph McAfee an old man whose hallucinations lead him to believe that he is a wealthy property holder was taken into custody on Mill street early this morning by Patrolman McNamee. In answer to queries from the officer, McAfee stated that he was guarding some real estate he had acquired on Mill street. Several hours previous to his arrest he had endeavored to enter a dwelling on Paradise Row claiming to be the landlord. He was remanded by the magistrate and will in all likelihood be sent to the Municipal Home.

CITY COURT CASES

Today in city court day at the police court. The cases on the docket were not as numerous as last Thursday and as many of the defendants failed to appear judgments were given by default. Hopkins Bros. sued Robert Guild for the amount of an unpaid note. Guild's wife died yesterday after a lingering illness, a fact which prevented the appearance of the plaintiff. Judgment was given by default for \$2.00. William Harrington a Westfield farmer was given a verdict for \$10 and plaintiff's expenses over Edwin Horncastle an Indian town butcher.

PERSONALS

Mrs. James Davies of Spring street, is visiting friends in Halifax, N. S. Mrs. W. H. Stone of Amherst, N. S., will be at the home of Mrs. D. G. Spencer, 57 Millidgeville ave., Friday afternoon and evening to receive her friends. Mr. and Mrs. Stone will leave on Saturday in their yacht for two or three weeks' cruise on the St. John river before returning to their home in Amherst.

Mrs. Harry Blizard, who has been the guest of Judge and Mrs. White at the "Cedars," Sussex, returned home yesterday, having enjoyed the "at home" and dance given by the 8th Hussars. J. Harry King returned yesterday from an extended trip to Chicago, Detroit, Toronto, Ottawa and Montreal in the interests of the Dominion Specialty Co., Ltd., and the Tourist Hotel Co., Limited. Mrs. Harry Bridges returned this morning from Sussex where she was the guest of Judge and Mrs. White.

MONTREAL STOCKS

Montreal, July 2 (Special)—Dominion Steel was weak and sold off to 14.58 but P.H. held at 23. The balance of the market was quiet the features being Detroit 42.34 to 1.2, Toronto Ry. 98.14, Pennans 33, Power 93 3/4, Rio 45.58, Pacific 100.

PROBATE COURT

Charles James Willis estate. The taking of evidence in this matter was continued today upon the claim of Mrs. Trot, a creditor. John Kerr, K. C., for the executors; Bustin & Fench and Heber S. Keith for creditors.

CAUSE OF WOMAN SUFFRAGE MAKES GAINS IN EUROPE

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did not say they must be in subjection to other men. Women may select the husbands whom they must obey, but why must they obey rulers whom they did not select?

ORTHODOX, TOO, MAY HELP.

"If we possess direct influence will that prevent our using also indirect influence? It seems that God chose the liberal women to inaugurate this great movement, but that does not mean that the orthodox women should not help it. The liberals ask this question not alone for themselves, but for all women, and we should assist them that we may have it for our own work."

This is but a fraction of the letter and one thing is certain, that it would not have been sent without clerical authority. What we may be its hidden meaning, one point is clear, that whenever it is to the interest of any class of men to give the franchise to women she will stand a much better chance of getting it than she will merely because it is just and right.

That woman suffrage is a live issue in Europe no one can doubt who studies the situation. Mrs. Chapman Catt said in her president's address: "It is a suggestive coincidence that June 15, the opening day of this congress, commemorates anniversary of the signing of the immortal Magna Charta. Given the Magna Charta man suffrage was bound to follow, and given man suffrage woman suffrage becomes inevitable."

GAINS IN EUROPE.

This is the first convention in all history where women delegates were prevented from coming because they had to remain at home and conduct their canvass for election to parliament, but the delegates from Finland. In the reports presented to this congress seven countries will show decided political gains for women since its last meeting less than two years ago.

At the time the Car had just signed the constitution for Finland which gave the complete suffrage to women and last year 19 were elected to its parliament. In 1907 Norway gave its women the full parliamentary franchise and made them eligible to parliament. Swedish women were elected to the municipal councils and the parliament made them eligible for election to the offices for which they could vote.

In Great Britain, where for 40 years parliament made them eligible as mayors and town and county councillors and seven were elected in a number of counties with an eighth afterward appointed to fill a vacancy.

UNITED STATES IN REAR.

In the present year Denmark has conferred the municipal franchise on women on the same terms as exercised by men. The parliament of Iceland, where women have had the municipal vote for a number of years, has made them eligible to the town councils and four of the fifteen members of the council of Reykjavik were elected in a few months ago.

In Germany the Reichstag has removed all restrictions which prohibited women from joining or forming political associations and they are now organizing societies in all parts of the country. What report was offered by the delegates from the United States to whom the whole world looks for leadership in progressive women's movements? Simply this, that the anti-suffrage association opened headquarters in New York and will be addressed by leading members of congress and the cabinet of President Roosevelt. We sit in sackcloth with shame on our heads.

IDA, HUSTED HARPER.

MARINE NOTES

The P. & H. liner Oromo sailed from Bermuda for St. John and Halifax last Monday. The first sailing of the direct steamship line between Boston and Cuba will be on July 21.

The steamer Governor Cobb, Capt. Thompson, is again on the route between here and Boston. Capt. Burke, of the schooner Alice, at Halifax reported that the light on Egg Island, combination gas and whistling buoy, has been extinguished.

Buenos Ayres, May 21.—Star, Andrea was in danger of sinking and the bark Brockside broke away from her moorings and ran into the other steamers, causing them damage.

Bark Glendover, Capt. Larkin, has been chartered to load at Portland, Me., for Conception and Port Payson and back morning of this week, about 10 o'clock for round trip.

As an encouragement to ship owners to place the contract for shipbuilding, among which have suffered considerably by competition with American shipbuilding companies, the government has authorized the granting of bounties upon all vessels having a whole or fixed deck, newly built, and registered in the colony. The bonus to be paid to the person for whom the vessel is built. The bounties vary, \$10 a ton being paid for vessels of 50 tons and upwards built to Lloyd's rules, and other vessels are provided for under a graduated scale.

INCREASING ITS EQUIPMENT.

The factory of T. S. Sims is down for a week while a new 150 horse power engine is being installed in place of the present 75 h. p. one. The firm have just installed three new broom sewing machines, one of them the very latest automatic style. Two new broom tying machines have also been put in. The factory now has the largest number of operators ever employed in the broom department. There are about fifty men and boys in the department.

HIS OWN TRAINER.

Times—Will you kindly answer the two following questions in your column of The Times? 1. What is Mike "Twin" Sullivan's trainer's name? 2. His manager's name? Very truly yours, JACK MAY.

Mike "Twin" Sullivan is his own manager, trainer and banker.

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS

Too late for Classification.

BROAD COVE COAL NOW LOADING. Best Scotch Hard Coal Our Hard Wood and Kindling challenge competition. G. S. COSMAN & CO., 23 Paradise Row. Phone 118-2.

WANTED—AT ONCE, FLAT IN CENTRAL locality. Apply to MISS BOWMAN, 111 Prince's Street.

WANTED—KITCHEN GIRL—WANA-MAKER'S RESTAURANT, Charlotte Street.

FOUND—The owner of the umbrella left at the People's Dairy, Union Street, can get same on payment for this advertisement.

AERATED DRINKS. MADE BY THE HAVLOCK MINERAL SPRINGS ARE THE BEST in Canada. All flavors in stock. Prompt delivery. ERNEST McCAW, Agent, 315 Charlotte st. Tel. Main 128-2. GOOD WAGES FOR CAPABLE GIRL. TO go to Onnetta for the summer. Cottage cool, fitted with modern improvements. MRS. C. P. LUMPHREY, 12 King Street. 241-5-0

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SUMMER OUTING SHIRTS. In Flannels, White and Fancy Stripes with or without Collar just the thing for Holidays. White Duck Shirts at 75c, \$1 and \$1.25, with separate Collars very nobby. Cream Duck Shirts at 75c. White Canvas Mesh Shirts, Cool and Nice \$1 each. Soft Bosom Shirts at 75c, \$1 and \$1.25 in Stripe spots & checks, also Plain Chambrays. All New Mid Summer Patterns and Stripes. ROBERT STRAIN & COMPANY 27 and 29 Charlotte Street

WASH SUITS and BLOUSES FOR BOYS 3 to 12 years. Boys' Suits - 75c to \$3.50. Boys' Blouses - 35c to \$1.50. This season we are showing a great range of styles and materials in Wash Suits and Blouses for Boys, 3 to 12 years. The prices are less than you would have to pay for the material. AMERICAN CLOTHING HOUSE, 11-15 Charlotte Street, St. John.

Crown Staffordshire China for Wedding Gifts. 18th Century Decorations. Very dainty and at moderate prices. W. H. Hayward Co. Limited 85, 87, 89, 91, 93 Princess Street

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