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WORK ON THE G.T.P. WILL START SOON

Construction Work on the New Brunswick Section of the Transcontinental Road Will Be On in Earnest in a Few Days

Construction work on the G. T. P. transcontinental railway will be commenced in earnest in a few days, or just as soon as the snow is out of the woods. Over one hundred men will be employed on the work and residences for the men are now being erected. Every ten miles between Chipman and Moncton one of these residences is being built and also between Grand Falls and the Quebec boundary. There will be eleven houses in all, to accommodate about eight or ten men each. Mr. Babin is the resident engineer for the first-named district and will have his headquarters at Moncton. Mr. Langley will be in charge of the Grand Falls-Quebec boundary section with his office at the former place. At present but little can be done toward construction owing to the long winter and the great amount of snow still in the woods. The section between Chipman and Moncton is the worst in this respect on account of the small bush through which the line runs. Lyons and White, the contractors on the Edmundston section have men at work now. About the 15th of May, four parties are to be sent to make the final locations between Chipman and Grand Falls. Four right-of-way commissioners are at work now arranging for the purchase of the right-of-way on the Chipman-Moncton and Grand Falls-Quebec boundary sections, two in each district. The construction work on the various sections will no doubt be a good thing for the province, as although most of the labor will have to come from outside, owing to the scarcity of men all over Canada for this kind of work, local teams will be hired and the provisions for the men will be purchased here. At least 111 miles of the road will be under construction this year.

OUTLOOK IN COAL MARKET

Probability is That Spring Prices Will Rule About as Last Year.

Now that the season of cold weather is drawing to a close, the householders' thoughts turn toward the price of coal for next winter. Many were caught napping last winter with the very severe weather and had to replenish their supply during the late winter, and early spring months. At the present time the stocks of both consumer and dealers are very low. The probability is that prices this spring will be about the same as last year. The spring prices of American coal have been nominally about the same as last year, but owing to the very late spring, or perhaps it would be better to say, to the winter holding on so late, the demand all through April has been so great that stocks both wholesale and retail are very much lower than usual at this time of year. April has been spent here, as elsewhere along the Atlantic coast, in filling orders for winter bags, and little has been done toward spring business. At the present time it is difficult to get coal to supply the demand. While the prices are nominally the same as have prevailed all winter, in many cases the dealers are not so prompt in the delivery of coal. Under these circumstances the spring coal business has been very backward and people have not yet begun to lay in supplies for next winter, and they will probably not commence doing so until well on in May. The summer naturally do not want to start buying for next winter until all this season's stock has been used up. In a few days the new spring prices will be announced, but just now the coal dealers are supplying the black diamonds in small quantities and consumers are waiting until the coal bins before placing their next winter's orders. Last week's issue of the Coal Trade Journal says: "John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers, and a company of organizers are expected to arrive in the anthracite region next week to commence an active campaign on behalf of the union. A systematic effort will be made to revive interest in the organization among the rank and file of mine workers, many of whom stay away from the district meetings and refuse to pay their dues when there are no pending labor troubles to hold them in line." This looks as if there might be trouble in the winter.

STRIKE OF WESTERN COAL MINERS IS NOW PRACTICALLY SETTLED

GOOD PROGRESS IS BEING MADE

FERNIE, B. C., April 30 (Special)—The trouble between the coal operators and the miners in this district has been practically settled by an agreement which was reached last night. Since the conference between the operators and miners broke up last Thursday Mackenzie King, deputy minister of labor, has been working industriously to secure an agreement, and his efforts apparently have been crowned with success. The agreement has been accepted by President Lindsay on behalf of the operators and by President Sherman on behalf of the men. It will be submitted to the individual miners by referendum on Thursday next and probably will carry. The terms have not yet been given out, but the agreement is understood to be in the nature of a compromise. "I am pleased to be able to inform you that as the result of negotiation between the parties during the past two or three days, the outstanding points of an agreement have been so adjusted through conciliation as to make it acceptable to the operators of the seven companies comprising the Western Coal Operators' Association, and to the district executive board of the United Mine Workers' Association. The district executive has agreed to strongly recommend the agreement for acceptance by the men at all the mines and a referendum vote will be taken on Thursday of this week. In the meantime the settings of the board of conciliation which were to have commenced tomorrow, will stand adjourned." (Signed) MACKENZIE KING.

GOOD PROGRESS IS BEING MADE

Subscriptions to the Exhibition Fund Have Now Almost Reached the \$3,000 Mark--Several Good Sized Amounts Added to List Today.

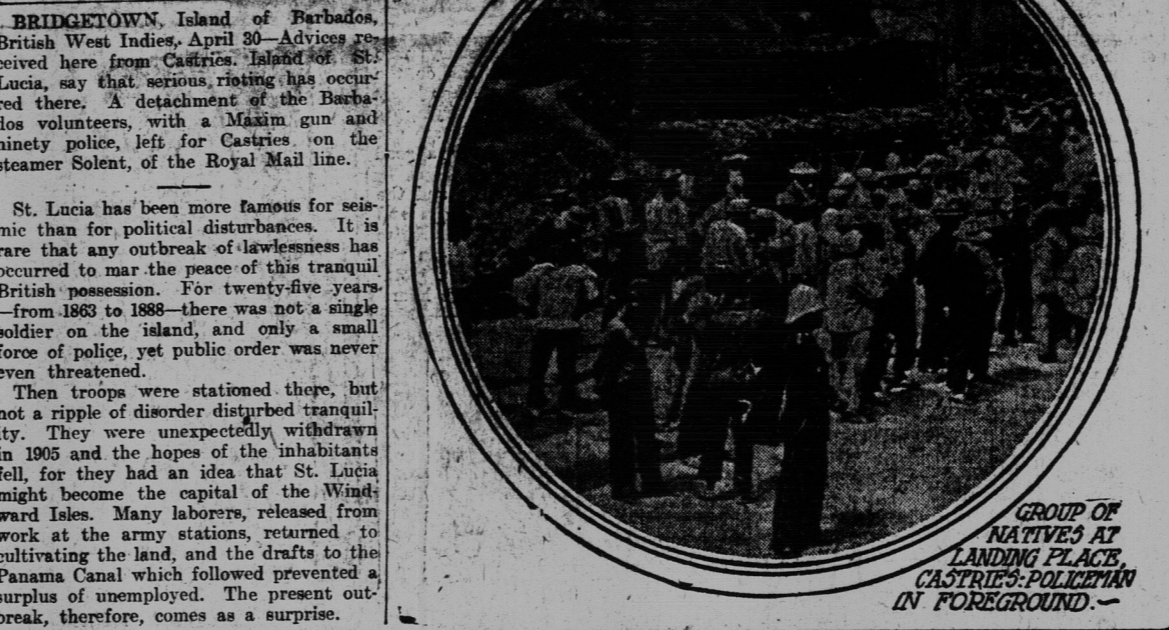
The exhibition fund is gradually increasing and the \$3,000 mark will soon be reached. Among the large subscriptions to the fund today were: Wilcox Bros. \$100, Grand Union Hotel \$100, Mr. Macaulay is very hopeful of the outlook and expects to be able to announce in a few days that enough has been subscribed so that the exhibition association can go on with the work of preparing for the big show.

Conditions on the River

With Heavy Rain This Season's Freshet Will Break all Records.

A heavy rain followed by warm sunshinewould break all records. The water is gradually rising and reports tell of very high water at all points on the river. The ice is still solid in White's Cove and it will require soft weather and a high wind to drive it out this week. The work at the Seven Islands drive is going on splendidly and the 17,000,000 logs belonging to A. Cushing & Co. which were held there last season will be available for service this season. "Tapley Bros." tug Hercules, will go up river tonight to bring down the first of the new rafts. The Victoria started on her first trip of the season this morning at 8 o'clock and word was received by the Star line this morning that the Majestic reached the capital last night. The Champlain left on her initial trip at noon today. The office of the Star line at Fredericton has been abandoned on account of the freshet and dryer quarters have been secured. After arriving from McDonald's Point yesterday the Aberdeen is lying on the outside of the Springfield swing around and struck the Elaine. The Aberdeen had a hole punched in her side above her water line. The steamer Hampstead will go on her route between Gagetown and Fredericton tomorrow afternoon.

Rioting in St. Lucia and British Troops Are Sent.



MARKET, CASTRIES, ST. LUCIA. BRIDGE TOWN, Island of Barbados, British West Indies, April 29.—A riot broke out here from Castries Island on St. Lucia, say that serious rioting has occurred there. A detachment of the British volunteers, with a Maxim gun and ninety police, left for Castries on the steamer Solent, of the Royal Mail line.

Captain George Fanjoy

Capt. George Fanjoy, a well known river captain, passed away after a week's illness with pneumonia at 7 o'clock last night at the home of his son-in-law, George Waycott, 70 Metcalf street. He called the river for a number of years and was deservedly popular with his many acquaintances. He is survived by three sons and two daughters. The sons are, Bayard, Scott and Simpson, of this city and the daughters are Mrs. George Waycott and Mrs. George Walters, also of this city. Edward Fanjoy at one time harbor master at Indian town is a brother of the deceased. The funeral will take place Thursday.

THEY WILL MEET IN BERRYMAN'S HALL

Liberal Ratification Meeting will be Held There on Wednesday Night. The mass meeting of Liberals to ratify the nomination convention's choice of Hon. William Pugsley as candidate for the vacant St. John City and County seat, will be held in Berryman's Hall Wednesday evening. The date of the ratification meeting had already been announced, but the place was not decided upon until last night. H. S. Keith, secretary of the Liberal executive, announced late last night that Berryman's Hall had been decided on. Hon. Mr. Pugsley will address the meeting, he having so announced at the convention last Friday evening.

NEW BAY STEAMER

Another new steamer the Ruby L. in command of Captain Murray Lewis, arrived in port today from Margareville. The Ruby L. was recently launched at Margareville, and was taken to Yarmouth to receive her engine and boilers. She made her trial trip of Yarmouth, N. S., last Friday and proved herself a speedy craft. The new steamer is fitted out with all the latest improvements, with good accommodation for passengers. She is about 90 tons register, and will trade between this port and Margareville, Canning and other Nova Scotia ports. The Ruby L. will probably make two trips a week, and will be a great convenience to the city merchants in shipping their goods over the bay. Word reached the city this morning of the death of Stephen J. Smith, aged 75 years, of Gondola Point. No particulars of the death were available in the city today. Aubrey Clarke was a passenger on the incoming Atlantic express today.

SANDFORD'S YACHT HAS RETURNED TO MAINE

(Portland Advertiser.) Most unexpectedly, as the word had gone forth that the yacht of Sandford's disciples were to remain on the other side of the water, did the barkentine Kingdom, formerly the Hebecca C. Crowell, best in to Portland harbor this morning about 7 o'clock with Commander A. K. Perry in charge. Very few people were to be seen about the decks and few on the water front recognized the craft. A brand new American flag was flying at the stern. Soon after she came to anchor, everybody was below decks and no sign of life was apparent. Word came to the harbor master, however, that a vessel was anchored in the channel and the fireboat went down to order a change in her anchorage. Harbor Master Wallace was much surprised to find the barkentine Kingdom. His few questions as to her purpose in coming here were not answered by the men on board. One of the crew let drop the fact that the vessel was going to Newport and when the fireboat came back the harbor officials were notified, and, with Dr. F. C. Kalkoff aboard, the harbor office went down to the vessel. While the officers were on their way down, a quarantine flag was raised. Capt. Killings of the harbor office and Dr. Kalkoff went aboard the yacht. Though they were received in a rather cool manner, the officers were given all the facts they asked for but were told nothing about the business of the vessel here. A baby boy was born to Mrs. A. C. Slick Saturday last aboard the vessel. The baby's parents are converts and his father is one of the crew. The Kingdom has

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

HIRAM AT A MOVING When the Times new reporter met Mr. Hiram Hornbeam this morning it was necessary not only to speak but to turn and about after that gentleman before he gave sign that he heard. He turned a weary and worried gaze upon the new reporter, and the latter was shocked to observe that Hiram's face bore marks of contact with some hard substance; his clothing was dusty and disarranged, and his general aspect that of a man who, to quote an eminent authority, had been up against the game. "I hope," said the new reporter, "that nothing serious has happened." Hiram mopped his brow, glared at the speaker, recognized him, and said: "Young man, let me give you a piece of advice. Never get married till you have a house of your own, that you can live in all your life. My daughter—Ernestine Amelia—she's movin' this spring, an' I thought I'd come down an' give 'em a hand. I won't do it if they ever move again. I thought it'd be just like a frolic house, an' I callate it'll cost him a hundred dollars—an' that's a heap o' money these times—to get things half straightened out. All the youngsters has got cold, an' they're barkin' around an' all the time gittin' in the way. Last night we couldn't sleep in the new house because the other people hadn't moved all their stuff out, an' we had to scatter around among the neighbors. One o' the boys got lost, an' Ernestine Amelia went almost crazy till he hunted him up. Then her man went off after somethin' an' when he come back she'd gone to a neighbor's an' he nearly had his fer for somethin' had happened to her. It's awful An' all the time—wherever you go—there's people grinnin' at you as if they knowed you was movin'. I don't s'pose the family 'll get settled down before it's time to move again—but they don't get me at it the next time. I wonder where I'm goin' now? I was told to get somethin', but I'm dretted if I don't forget what it was. I do, By Hen!" Receiving the new reporter's sympathy with a sigh, Hiram limped on down the street, trying to remember what he had been told to do.

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MAY EXPECT AN ELECTION SOON

Dr. Pugsley Says Bye-Election in St. John Will Be Called Soon.

OTTAWA, April 30 (Special)—Dr. Pugsley arrived here this morning and had an hour's talk with Mr. Emmerson at the railway department. TORONTO, April 30 (Special)—Hon. Wm. Pugsley, premier of New Brunswick, was in the city yesterday on private business, leaving last night for Ottawa on his way home. Interviewed before leaving, he said he probably would resign his present office in the federal political field that they should have him as their representative in the entry into the federal political field. The latter was very strong in New Brunswick and had the entire sympathy of the people with him.

E. B. DAVIS HAS DISAPPEARED

BELEVEILLE, April 30 (Special)—Deepest mystery still surrounds the disappearance of E. B. Davis, a noted mining expert, who left Belleveille some time ago, presumably for Bannockburn, where he was engaged in mining. Before leaving, Davis left with John Cookman, proprietor of St. Lawrence Hall, his collection of minerals and other valuables. Davis came in from the north in January last with rich samples of gold quartz but which he discovered them no one knows.

NEWS FROM P. E. ISLAND

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., April 30.—At a meeting of the directors of the Prince Edward Island Exhibition Association yesterday, Hon. H. L. Hazard was elected president; C. R. Smallwood, secretary. It was decided to hold an exhibition open to the Maritime Provinces, October 8 to 11, inclusive. The prize list will follow closely that of 1906. Four new teachers were appointed for the provincial Normal School to the additional rooms provided by the extensions made by the Sir William McDonald fund. Albert W. Seaman, a recent graduate in arts, at Dalhousie, was appointed assistant professor of English at Prince of Wales College.

ROBINSON BY ACCLAMATION

MONCTON, N. B., April 30 (Special)—Hon. C. W. Robinson was elected by acclamation today for the vacancy created by his appointment as provincial secretary. The official nomination took place at Dorchester and the opposition declined to nominate a candidate. The proceedings passed off quietly, only a few electors being present.

MONTREAL STOCKS

MONTREAL, Q. April 30 (Special)—The market was quite dull today, only a few transactions were recorded. The past couple of days the trading showed slight signs of broadening but business again fell off today and the brokers were idle. The City sold at \$8 3/4; Mackay, Power, X D 1-2 and Mackay 60 7/8.

THE EVERY DAY CLUB

The Every Day Club last evening entered with enthusiasm into the consideration of plans to finance the playground scheme and make it of the greatest possible benefit to the youth of the city. This evening, as usual on Tuesday, outside talent will participate in the entertainment of the club. A quantity of liquor was seized in Miller's boarding house on Britain street last Saturday. The case will be heard in the police court tomorrow.

NEWS OF THE WORLD AS TOLD IN SHORT METRE

The London Standard this morning says that the aspirations in the will of Cecil Rhodes, to which Earl Grey, governor-general of Canada referred in his speech at the national arbitration peace congress banquet in New York, April 17, were the ultimate recovery of the United States by Great Britain, British occupation of the whole of Africa, South America and of the seaboard of China and Japan. With the appointment of Lieutenant General Sir Edward Richell, military member of the Governor General's council in India as military expert; Capt. Charles Langdale O'Reilly, director of naval intelligence, as naval expert; and a large staff of attaches, included among whom is Sir Henry Charles Buller, the British delegation to the peace conference at the Hague is now complete.





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We are selling \$1.00 Soft Front Shirts, with separate cuffs, for 79c.

The Viper of Milan.

A ROMANCE OF LOMBARDY. BY MARJORIE BOWEN.

(Continued.)

"Where is she?" he asked for in the gloom he could not see the silent figure in the corner. "Where is she, Tito?"

"The girl with the pretty hair—"

"began his brother; but Visconti grasped him by the arm with a cry."

"Graziosa! Graziosa!" cried "a light—"

"With trembling hands Tito lit the lamp and brought it nearer. Its light fell over Visconti's green dress and Graziosa's bright hair."

"If it should be so!" muttered Visconti. "It should be so!"

The light was faint but it showed him enough. He looked into her face, and his own changed darkly.

"Tito," he said, "she's dead! Graziosa! Graziosa!"

He bent closer, eagerly.

"Get help, Tito! help!"

And Tito, eager, alert, put the lamp in the window, where it flung long, ghostly shadows, and sped calling down the stairs.

Visconti had sent for help, yet even while he sent he knew it useless; she was dead! He stood looking at her. Poison—she had poisoned herself. Something was tightly locked in her right hand! He forced the fingers apart, and looked at it—poison.

"How dared she do it!" he muttered, with an ever-darkening face. "How dared she—who gave it her? Who dared to give it her?"

He would never have thought it lay in her to do this. All Milan must know she had preferred to die rather than be his bride. He had failed in this, though he had sworn he could not, though he had sworn she would share his throne before them all—the woman who loved him for himself alone. He remembered Valentine. Valentine had done this.

At his feet lay the satin garments and the jewels Graziosa had flung aside; she would not wear them. Not all his power could do that; not all his pride, all his ambition, could make her wear the crown, without the love. Gian Visconti stamped his foot. How dared she! How dared she! Her eyes would never sparkle at his coming nor sadden at his good-by. And Valentine, coming back to look at her again was awed; affection stirred, awe, and something like respect at the sight of her still dignity.

He looked around to find the door full of anxious faces, and Tito behind him.

"Finely I am served!" he cried in a transport. "Do you let the Lady Graziosa go unattended? She hath been murdered and those who should have been with her shall die for it!"

Weeping ladies and frightened pages crept in and stood aghast, silent at what they saw—more silent at his face.

Visconti stood before Graziosa's body and looked at them with mad eyes; he held a white rose in his fingers. The flickering lamp was just over his head; its light fell on his face and on hers—her sweet face that told its own tale.

For some moments Visconti was silent, gazing at them wildly, and it seemed to more than one of those who crowded there appalled that there came a new expression to his face, a new look into his widely opened eyes—not madness and not rage—but fear.

"In a week I would have made her Duchess of Milan," he said at last, with a sudden break in his voice; and he dropped his white rose at her dead feet, with a shudder, and turned away, through the crowd that fell away from him, down the stairs in silence.

It was two hours later, in the hushed, awe-struck, half-expectant palace, when

HAD THIRTY-TWO BOILS AT ONE TIME

Two Bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters Cured Him.

Imperfect organic action makes bad blood, so, too, bad blood, in turn, makes imperfect action of every bodily organ. If the blood becomes impure, poisoned or contaminated in any way from constipation, biliousness or any other cause, some especially weak organ must soon become diseased thereby, or the whole system may suffer in consequence.

Phlegm, boils, skin-eruptions, itching sores, abscesses, tumors, rashes or some serious and perhaps incurable blood disease may result. There is no medicine on the market to-day to equal the old and well-known remedy.

BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS

for all cases of bad blood.

Mr. Ernest B. Tupper, Round Hill, N.B., says: "I think Burdock Blood Bitters a great medicine for boils. I had them so bad I could not work. I had thirty-two on my back at one time. I used only two bottles of B.B.B. and they completely cured me. I cannot recommend it too highly."

Small 50c bottle or 4 bottles for \$1.00.

Daily Fashion Hint for Times Readers.



SATIN AGAIN IN FAVOR.

The simplicity of this costume is characteristic of the fashions of this season. The material is a soft chifon satin in the new shade of grayish green, which the French designate as dying moss. Both bodice and skirt are trimmed with lace dyed in two shades, a soft cream and a pale green, which tones beautifully with the satin. The skirt is a tunic model trimmed with deep self-colored silk fringe and panelled at the front and sides with the lace bands. The jumper bodice, with a simple, flower-like glass with a long stem.

"Fill up with wine," he said. The page obeyed.

Before his sister's door he paused. Soldiers guarded it: within could be heard footsteps and anxious, frightened voices, the whispers of the tragedy. The key was turned; he entered, opening the door quietly, admitting himself and the page, the guard closing it behind him.

"The room was lit, and, like all Visconti's rooms, ill-lit. A great crucifix hung at the end and before it knelt Valentine. When she heard the door she turned and started to her feet."

"Put the wine down and go," said Visconti to the page.

"Ah, no!" cried Valentine. "Let the page stay, Gian!"

She stepped forward with imploring eyes toward the page.

"Go," said Visconti again.

"In the name of mercy, stay!" cried Valentine, in sudden desperate fear, seeing her brother's face. "Stay!"

The wretched page hesitated, but not for long. Visconti turned once more, and he tapped on the door to be let out, making no more ado.

Visconti watched him go, then stepped to the inner door and looked it on the women, whispering and quaking within.

Valentine tried to speak; the words died away on her tongue; she fell back against the tapestry, grasping it in stiff fingers, her eyes on his face.

Visconti seated himself at the table on which the page had stood the glass, and, resting his face on his hands, looked at her. The Viper on his doublet seemed to writhe, alive.

"Graziosa is dead," he said. Valentine's eyes grew wild with fear. "I did not kill her!" she cried. "I did not kill her!"

"I found her dead," said Visconti, still looking at her.

Valentine writhed against the wall, wringing her hands. "She slew herself," she moaned. "I did not kill her!"

"I shall not kill thee," said Gian. He looked down at the wine as he spoke, with a smile.

"Valentine threw herself on her knees. "I did not touch her!" she screamed wildly. "I did not lay a hand on her!"

"I shall not touch thee; I shall not lay a hand on thee," smiled Visconti. "Then I shall not die! I shall not die!"

She staggered to her feet, with an effort to be calm.

"Thou wilt not die?" said Visconti, softly, his eyes on her. "Thou wilt drink this." And he touched the glass beside him. "Thou cannot not be so cruel," pleaded Valentine. "I am thy sister, Gian—"

"Do I think so much of family affection?" said Visconti. "Still, she was to be my wife! Thou wilt drink this."

Valentine flung herself on her knees again, and dragged herself along the floor toward him.

"Have pity!" she cried. "Have pity, I am so helpless! Spare me, and I will never offend thee again—never!"

"Thou hast strangely lost thy courage," returned her brother. "What is there in drinking this wine?"

She was at his feet, clinging to him, imploring.

"Let me live till morning!" she pleaded. "Do not kill me here—in this dark chamber. Oh! I cannot die here, I cannot!"

Visconti looked at her calmly.

"Graziosa died not in a fair place, she died lonely and alone," he said. "Thou wilt drink this."

"I am so young," sobbed Valentine. "Think, Gian; I am so young, Gian!"

"Graziosa was no older," he said. She clung to his hand in agony, beseeching him, calling on him, wildly trying to move him to let her live until the morning—only until morning!

"Graziosa died after the sun had set," said Visconti. "Drink the wine, nor keep me here so long. Thou hast often wished to escape—where is thy courage gone, not to take this chance?"

"But not to die like this—not like this—give me a priest!"

"Had Graziosa one?"

She covered down on the floor, her beautiful hair falling over her shoulders, her face hidden; then suddenly uplifted it again to Visconti, who sat looking at her motionless.

"Gian, I loved thee once, when we were little children."

"I have forgotten it, and so hast thou until this moment—drink!"

Valentine sprang up in a paroxysm of uncontrollable terror.

"I cannot! I cannot! Kill me thyself!"

"With this?" and Visconti touched his dagger. "No; a smoother death for one so fair."

Valentine flew to the door and clung to it.

"Philippe! Philippe!" she shrieked. "Graziosa! Costanza!"

Visconti rose suddenly, with such force as to fling over the chair, "Casual!"

MRS. JARLEY'S WAXWORKS

Entertainment Last Night in Aid of the Free Kindergarten.

The entertainment given in St. David's church school room last night under the auspices of and for the benefit of the Free Kindergarten was a pronounced success. The large hall was quite filled with a delighted gathering. Mrs. Jarley's wax works proved very amusing. Mrs. L. A. Curry played the part of the proud proprietress to perfection and Dr. Malcolm and Mr. Macmichael as her assistants, Peter and John, were all that could be desired.

The artistic triumph of the evening was the performance of the Toy Symphony. This was an orchestra of sixteen instruments and two vocalists, among the instruments being such toys as rattles, cuckoo, quail, nightingales, trumpet and bells. During the evening Mrs. Curry announced that the King's Messengers will hold an entertainment in that church for the same object Friday evening. Those who took part in the wax work exhibition were: Miss Maud Magee, Miss Bonnie Hobb, Miss Lily Raymond, Miss Wynnie Fairweather, Miss Kathleen Gilhe, Miss Beatrice Skinner, Miss Mabel McAvity, Miss Ethel Jarvis, Miss Muriel Gilhe, Miss Daisy Sears, Dr. and Mrs. Sidney Emerson, Lawrence Allen, Master William Curry, Sidney Kaye, Charles Knight, E. S. Ritchie, Miss Jessie Foster and Miss May Winter. The following were the instrumentalists in the toy symphony: Miss Hea, pianist; Mrs. Buchanan, tri- angle; Miss McCarty, cuckoo; Miss Logan, Miss Beiderman, rattles; Miss Parlee, Miss Bazley, quail; Miss Bowman, Miss Whitaker, Miss Macmichael, nightingales; Miss Barstard, Mr. Taylor, violin; Mr. Crawford, flute; Mr. Dickerson, drum; Mrs. Knight, trumpet; Mr. Cooper, bells; and Mrs. Muller and Miss Cochran, vocal- ists.

An important meeting of the New Brunswick Press Association will be held in this city on Thursday evening, May 7. It has been called by President Stewart to discuss the proposed excessive postal rates on Canadian newspapers entering the United States, a subject of great importance to all publishers.

Many St. John friends will sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ralston in the death of their 13 year old son, Douglas A., which occurred on April 22, in Toronto. Mr. Ralston is managing director of the National Life Assurance Company, which is St. John; he was manager of the Great West Company.

F. W. Daniel returned to the city yesterday.

A Few Opinions

"The United States is a large body of land surrounded by the Senate and House of Representatives."

"Also, by numerous state legislatures that are sometimes bought up at whole sale and sometimes at retail."

"Columbus thought he had discovered something big, but if he had come four hundred years later he might have got his whack of the graft."

"Up to a late date the railroads of America owned the country. Now the President owns them."

"It is the general opinion of the residents of the U. S. that there are at least four Senators not elected by any railroad or trust, and who are trying to do business on the square. But no man has as yet been found who has nerve enough to name them."

"The U. S. has several philanthropists. They give public libraries and large sums for educational purposes, and then raise the price of iron and kerosene oil to get even."

"It is confidently believed that the U. S. has at least five district attorneys who are not afraid of the politicians or the gamblers, but, as one of them has lately proved himself insane while trying to prove a prisoner sane the public are not quite sure that they have got a good thing."

"If it wasn't for the lakes and the large rivers in the U. S. the trusts and corporations would have hard work to wear their stocks. As it is they can water a hundred thousand dollar corporation up to five million in about two hours."

"I have been greatly benefited by your pills, and all who suffer from this neighborhood speak very highly of them."

One of my neighbors, Mr. Z., who suffered for years with Rheumatism and who has spent hundreds of dollars with specialists without receiving the slightest benefit, was entirely cured by a box of GIN PILLS. He is presenting their virtues from the "household."

We don't even ask you to buy Gin Pills—but to try them at our expense. Write us, mentioning this paper, and we will gladly send you a free sample of these wonderful Kidney Pills that cure Rheumatism. The Boie Drug Co., Waterbury, Conn.

Sold by all druggists—50c. a box, or 6 boxes for \$2.50—or sent on receipt of price.

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SIX YEAR OLD BOY DROWNED AT OXFORD

Amherst, N. S., April 29—News was received here this afternoon of the drowning at Oxford (N. S.), Saturday evening of Cecil Teed, aged six, son of Walter Teed, who with other boys and girls was standing on the bank of Little River fishing. The bank gave way beneath them and Cecil was thrown into the water, which, owing to the spring frochets is exceedingly high. The other children made heroic efforts to save the little fellow without avail. His young sister succeeded in throwing a board out to him and he made frantic efforts to reach it, but did not succeed, and before other help arrived he perished.

Grappling parties searched unsuccessfully all day yesterday for the body. Deceased's mother is dead and he was living with his aunt, Mrs. J. Dixon Teed.

HALIFAX BARQUE OVERDUE

Boston, April 29—The British bark Osberga, with fifteen persons on board, including the captain's wife, has been more than twice as long as usual on her voyage from East Harbor, Turks Island, with a cargo of salt, and has not yet been sighted off the coast. It is believed that she has been driven off her course, and may have been the vessel which was sighted on April 2 by the steamer El Paso, off the eastern coast of Cuba. The Osberga is owned in Halifax and is commanded by Captain Hatfield, of Yagmouth (N. S.).

MAY COME TO CANADA

Toronto, April 29—It is reported here that Colliers Weekly will start a branch in Toronto on account of the increased rates for carriage under the new postal law. The firm is negotiating for land for a \$100,000 building now.

Let me mail you free, to prove merit samples of my Dr. Shoop's Restorative, and my book on either Dyspepsia, The Heart, or The Kidneys. Address me, Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. Trouble with the Stomach, Heart or Kidneys are merely symptoms of a deeper ailment. Don't make the common error of treating symptoms only. Symptom treatment is treating the result of your ailment, and not the cause. Weak Stomach nerves—the inside nerves—irritate stomach weakness, always. And the heart and kidneys as well, have their controlling or inside nerves. Weaken these nerves and you inevitably have weak vital organs. Here is where Dr. Shoop's Restorative has made its fame. No other remedy even claims to reach the "inside nerves." Also for bloating, biliousness, bad breath or complexion, use Dr. Shoop's Restorative. Write for my free book now. Dr. Shoop's Restorative sold by all druggists.

Toronto, April 30—A despatch from Fernie (B. C.) at 1 o'clock this morning says the strike is settled, and the miners will resume work on once.

D. F. Brown left last evening on an extended pleasure trip through Canada. He will go to the coast before returning.

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**Financial and Commercial**  
**SHORT CROP OF TOMATOES**

**But Cannery Contract for Supply at 25 Cents—Bad for Fruit and Meat.**  
**ST. CATHARINES, April 29**—This has been a very disappointing month to fruit-growers of the Niagara Peninsula. Owing to the remarkably cold weather in April, fruit trees, vines, etc., are not in as good condition today as they were a month ago, when prospects seemed to be of the very brightest. The fruit trees, owing to the unseasonable weather, are very backward in growth, though apparently not otherwise harmed; the growers say, and what around here looks decidedly bad. The cold nights during the past month are what killed the wheat, for in the day time the weather was comparatively mild, while at night there was heavy frost. "Hundreds of acres of wheat will be plowed up around here," said a prominent grower to your correspondent yesterday. "Then the weather has been so dry of late that grass is decidedly backward, and the farmers are seriously handicapped by lack of pasture for their cattle. This has caused butter prices to be phenomenally high for this time of year."

**SHORT TOMATO CROP.**  
 "Tomato-growers predict that the tomato crop will be short this year, too, on account of the cold weather. It is the practice of the tomato-growers to set out the seeds in hotbeds, relying on the warm April sun to nurture the little plants. This April there has been little or no sunshine with the result that thousands of the little plants died in the hotbeds, and when the plants are set out about the middle of May there will be considerable shortage of the usual acreage."  
 The canning factories have again contracted for their season's supply of tomatoes at 25 cents a bushel, the attempt of the growers to raise the price to 30 cents having met with defeat.

**ITEMS OF INTEREST**  
 Any one wishing to store furniture, etc., is advised to see J. N. Harvey, Union street, or telephone 150.

**ANOTHER POSITION.**  
 Frank O'Brien, of this city, has been selected by the Employment Bureau of the Currier Business University, Ltd., to fill the position of cashier for the Canadian Express Co.

**LECTURE YORK THEATRE.**  
 The lecture given by Mr. Mitchell last night was much appreciated. The fact was brought out that God's storehouse is rich in blessing for all His creatures. Tonight the subject will be "God's Eternal Purpose," Eph. 3: 11. Address will be given by Mr. A. N. Marchant, York Theatre, lower hall, 7:30. All are welcome. The address of E. O. Parsons on page 3 contains a feast of bargains. Those taking advantage of this sale will doubtless save some money.

**MARRIAGES**  
**HOCKEY-DONNER**—At Chapel Grove, on 23rd April, John Hickey to Lizzie, eldest daughter of William Donner, of St. John, West end.

**DEATHS**  
**HUSTON**—In this city on the 29th inst., at his residence, 63 Marsh street, Kennedy Huston, aged 62 years, leaving a widow, one son and a daughter to mourn.  
 Funeral on Wednesday, May 1st, from his late residence. Funeral service begins at 2:30 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.

**CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS**  
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**THEATRES**  
**THE LYCEUM COMPANY**  
**SCORES ANOTHER HIT**  
 The Lyceum Stock Company opened the final week of their present engagement here at the Opera House last night, with a good production of Aristocracy. There was a large audience present and the play met with the approval of all. Of course a first night production can hardly be expected to run as smoothly or with the same degree of finish as later productions, but the company did very good work last night and beyond a little hesitancy at times, the performance was up to the usual high standard.

The piece was splendidly staged, and set and the scenic effects were well worked out.  
 Mr. Powell, in the role of Jefferson Stockton, had no light task, when it is remembered that St. John theatre goers have seen A. H. Stewart in this role with Jessie Donnell as Diana, his wife. Mr. Powell acquitted himself well, and the audience was satisfied with his work. Miss Hicks was seen to advantage as Diana, her work in act three being particularly good.

Mr. Jelenko was, as always, clever, and his conception of the role of Prince Emil left nothing to be desired. Messrs. Stepling and Hockey did excellent character work as the Marquis de Normandale and the Duc de Vigny-Volante. Mr. Butler, Mr. Baumann, Mr. Dawson and Mr. Aiken were adequate in supporting roles.  
 Miss Arno, a new member of the company, made her debut as Virginia, and her work showed much ability.  
 Miss Atkinson was bright, pretty and vivacious as "Tenny," while Miss Lu had a minor role as Mrs. Laurance.  
 Aristocracy is an excellent society drama, and in the hands of the Lyceum Company it receives most artistic treatment. It will be presented again this and tomorrow evening and at the Wednesday matinee.

**KIRK BROWN NEXT WEEK**  
 Theatre goers will be pleased to hear that Kirk Brown, supported by an exceptionally strong and well-balanced company, will open three weeks of engagement at the Opera House on Monday evening next in the Christian.

Last year Kirk Brown scored the success of the season and this season's company is said to be even stronger than the splendid one he brought us last year, as he used his repertoire will be composed of high-class attractions, including The Christian, Othello, The Cherry Pickers, Under the Red Robe, The Man Who Dared, A Gentleman of France, The Eternal City, Sarah Bernhardt's version of Camille, in English, David Garrick and others.

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**KNEW HER STRENGTH.**  
 "Yes, I will call on you if you will promise me something," said the man to the beautiful widow.  
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**THE CARLETON FAIR**  
 The Carleton Corn and Band fair was largely attended last evening. The band's orchestra furnished music and prizes were awarded as follows:—Door prizes, F. Ferguson, 1st; L. Maxwell, water boiler; L. Clark, twenty-five pounds of soap; L. Toole, down bottles of pickles; excelsior, John Corr, parlor lamp; air gun, A. Clark silver biscuit jar; bean tows, L. Lovell, ladies' toilet set; bagatelle, W. Ring, pickle dish.

The voting contest stands: J. Campbell, 1180; C. J. Brown, 1189; J. McAndrews, 1170; C. H. Jackson, 889; J. Bond, 280. The voting contest will close this evening at 10 o'clock, sharp. Defeated tickets in connection with the voting contest cannot be returned. A ton of coal will be one of the door prizes this evening.

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THE FAST SERVICE

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The problem of responsible government and the development of free institutions in these various dependencies must be worked out, and the task will test the genius of the American people.

Until the statement is officially confirmed it may be classed with oft-repeated rumors of like nature in the past. There will, of course, be a fast Atlantic service; but its early establishment had not been anticipated.

An increase of over forty per cent in immigration to Canada in a period of nine months is a notable fact, and the tide will steadily continue to increase as the advantages of this country become better known abroad.

The Telegraph's New York Correspondent writes that Mayor McClellan has virtually surrendered to Tammany, after a savoring struggle against that organization, and that the result will be a return to a condition under which the worst element will rule in civic politics.

The "unwritten law" has freed another man in the southern states who became the avenger of his state's wrongs. If such a law could be justified this would be an instance, but in a country where the written law is respected and justice meted out to all the appeal to personal vengeance is unnecessary.

One reads with something like a shock of surprise that certain municipal officials in London are charged with receiving bribes. English cities were supposed to be largely free from anything like the suspicion of graft.

Governor Hughes of New York has vetoed a boxing bill which would encourage prize-fighting in that state. Governor Hughes measures up to the height of a wise and courageous statesman.

The summer residents of Westfield and vicinity manifest the right spirit in getting together and making plans to add to the pleasure of life at that lovely place on the shores of the peerless river.

This is the time of year when the man who is not moving is regarded with respect almost amounting to envy by those whose lares and penates must be set up in a new place.

The presentation of a bill of over \$2,000 for repairs to the ferry steamer Ludlow once more reminds us that a bridge could be constructed across the harbor at Navy Island.

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A TILLER OF THE SOIL (Christian Burke, in the Pall Mall Magazine.) This is the place where thou didst bid me stand. To work and wait; I thought it was a plot of fertile land. Flower and fruit, I said, are surely there. And I will make of it a garden fair. For 'Thee, my Lord' I said, I'll sow the seed. And over it the warring dike-down Like dust is blown. Long have I labored, but the barren soil No crop will yield; No crop will yield; No crop will yield; This have I won for my ceaseless toil—A barn, ploughed field!

IN LIGHTER VEIN SOLID FOR PEACE. "Pat, are you in favor of this movement for peace?" "Sure, sir, if we have to lick all creation to get it.—Baltimore American.

WHAT HE FEARED. Weary Walker—"Dey say dat bred grows on trees in de tropicall countries. Wouldn't dat be a snap fer us?" "Tired Taters—"Oh, I dunno. Does de trees haf 't be climbed?"—Chicago Daily News.

WASN'T HE A BRUTE. "Oh, mother, Jack doesn't love me any more." "What makes you think so, my dear?" "He ran out of mulligan, and he wanted to borrow some of that p-p-pudding sauce I made today!"—Cleveland Leader.

AT THE SEASHORE. Nodd—"I've just rented a cottage at the seashore and I must send my furniture down." Todd—"Why didn't you rent one furnished?" Nodd—"I did; but that doesn't make any difference."—Town and Country.

THE WOMAN OF IT. "By the way, I forgot to tell you. I was offered a partnership in the firm today." "Oh, Jack, how perfectly lovely! And will your name be on the door?"—Brooklyn Life.

CONCERNING ROMANCE. "Yes," sighed Mrs. Gollifer, "I suppose Gerald and I missed a great deal of romance. We were married without ever having been engaged." "Still," pensively answered Miss Wellcome, "it seems to me it must be more romantic to be engaged a long time without ever being married."—Chicago Tribune.

TEST OF ENDURANCE. "No, Weakly isn't robust in appearance, and he has his back strength, but his power of endurance is something remarkable." "In what way?" "Well, he played bridge what for two hours last night with three women."

WELL NAMED. The train had stopped at a little town on the prairie. The passenger with the skull cap stuck his head out the window and read the name over the door of the station. "Star View," he said. "Well, that's a good name, anyway." "Yes, sir," responded the dejected villager on the station platform, "and it fits the durned town like a glove. If you should come here to make a mister, it'd 'starve you' all right, all right."—Chicago Tribune.

CHURCH AND POLITICS. An interesting controversy has arisen in Winnipeg between the Free Press and the Central Catholic, the organ of Archbishop Langevin. The Free Press charged that in the recent provincial elections there was a compact between the Roblin government and the hierarchy, by which the latter undertook to deliver to the government the Catholic vote, and the Free Press asserted that "Catholic Liberals should deny the pretensions of the church that she has the right when she sees fit to direct her members how to cast their votes."

This the Central Catholic, in reply, declares is "a most pernicious" declaration. In a lengthy article he reaffirms the right of the church to enforce its political instructions by the use of its spiritual weapons, and declares that "a Catholic who denies this principle of Church authority is an ignorant and disloyal son of the church." The Free Press is sufficiently emphatic in its answer, which is as follows: "Archbishop Langevin is shown as an uncompromising Ultramontane. He would, if he could, play in Western Canada the role which was played in Rimouski a generation ago by his namesake, who, not content with the coercion of elections, sought to discipline judges because they gave their decisions in accordance with the law in place of in compliance with the desires of the hierarchy. That Archbishop Langevin is a political reactionary is a matter of some importance, though fortunately there is no ground for apprehension that at this date, and in this province, he will be able to impose his will in political matters, upon any large number of electors. The ranks of the Liberal party in this province include hundreds of Catholics and some of its most trusted and honored leaders are of this faith. They are Liberals because they are convinced that the general policy of the Liberal party would be to the advantage of the province and they are not likely to allow themselves to be rounded up and driven into the other camp by the cracking of ecclesiastical whips. They will render to the church the respect, affection and homage which is its due; and in politics they will continue to do their own thinking."

STARKEY-VANWART. Captain Thomas Starkey was married yesterday afternoon to Mrs. Isabella Vanwart, at 5 o'clock, in St. Luke's church, by Rev. R. P. McKim, in the presence of a large number of friends of the contracting parties. M. D. Brown gave the bride away. Music was furnished by St. Luke's surprised choir. The newly married couple left last night on a brief honeymoon trip to Fredericton, and on their return will reside on Adelaide street.

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Head of "Camorra" Arrested in New York Led a Merry Jekyll and Hyde Life in Rome, Naples and Nice.

(N. Y. American) Back to Italy, where he will probably receive a life sentence for the murder of two persons, Enrico Alfonso, "King of the Camorra," a blackmailing society, with branches in every foreign quarter of the world, will sail tomorrow in a specially built cell aboard one of the Italian steamers. During the nine-day trip to Naples Alfonso will constantly be kept in irons, and will be under guard.

SANDFORD'S YACHT HAS RETURNED TO MAINE

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effect that the Kingdom left Joppa, Palestine sometime the latter part of February. No log is kept aboard the Kingdom and all the dates are hazy in the minds of the men aboard. Frequently, the captain turned a man who appeared to be one of the leaders of the flock to confirm dates but neither man was sure of any statement made and were contradicting themselves when asked the same question twice in a little different way.

GENERAL LOUIS BOTHA HERO OF CONFERENCE

He Was Opposed to Kruger But When the Boer War Broke Out He Fought Gallantly and Won Great Distinction.

(Toronto Mail and Empire.) That General Botha, Premier of the Transvaal, and former Commander-in-Chief of the Boer army, is to be the lion of the conference, it is made clear by our despatches. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, as the representative of Canada, has had his share of London's and England's homage, and now it is the turn of the Boer hero. It is not on record that he displayed any more martial genius than a hundred of his young neighbors; nor is it to be supposed that the campaign gave him any hint as to his gifts as a leader. At any rate, he never considered himself a soldier, but was quite content to become a successful farmer like his father. He prospered, and when the war broke out Botha's place was one of the finest Dutch farms in South Africa.

Satisfactorily Explained

The New York drummer sat in the smoking room of the hotel and had just observed that he must take the night train for Oshkosh, when one of the merchants of the town entered and said to him: "What, you here? Why, I didn't know you were in town."

THE PRICE OF PEACE

As the war went on, and as the difficulty of putting heart in the Boers and keeping them to the scratch became more and more serious, Botha gradually came to full growth in the estimation of his followers. It was decided that he should be the next president of the Transvaal, vacante by his death should a national holiday, in the event of ultimate success. It is strange indeed that he should attain by defeat what he must have contemplated as the sweetest fruit of victory; but so it has come about, and Botha's determined struggle has only served to make him more popular with his conquerors. He knew when to fight, and when to cease firing; and if ever he takes up his rifle again, it will be in defence of those rights that are now the heritage of the Boers of the British.

The Man Who Knew

We were talking of one thing and another in the smoking car when the matter of the Greenville shooting again came up. Every man had his opinion, and every man stated it, with a single exception. When he was asked how he thought it was he replied: "Gentlemen I live right there in Brownsville." "Then you ought to know something about it." "I was right there at the time and do know something about it. In fact I know all about it."

WHY HE SUCCEEDED

Beyond his single brush with the Zulus several years before, Botha knew nothing of war when he took the field. He was, of course, a good shot, and a good rider, and had a remarkable knowledge of the Tugela district, where he had lived and hunted all his life. Here we have an explanation of the remarkable skill of the Boer generals; they were called upon to fight in districts of which they had special knowledge. Dr. Wet, at Dewet's side, and Botha, at the Tugela, were right at home, and the greatest successes of each were won in districts where each had lived from boyhood. Botha's prominence as a farmer and member of the Volkraad gave him a little start at the beginning, and his intimate friendship with General Meyer was also an advantage, but his ability as a fighting man was not suspected until a series of accidents had put him in command of the Boer army. Joubert, on his deathbed, had requested that Botha might succeed him, and as Meyer, the second in command, was a very sick man at the time, there did not appear to be any better choice.

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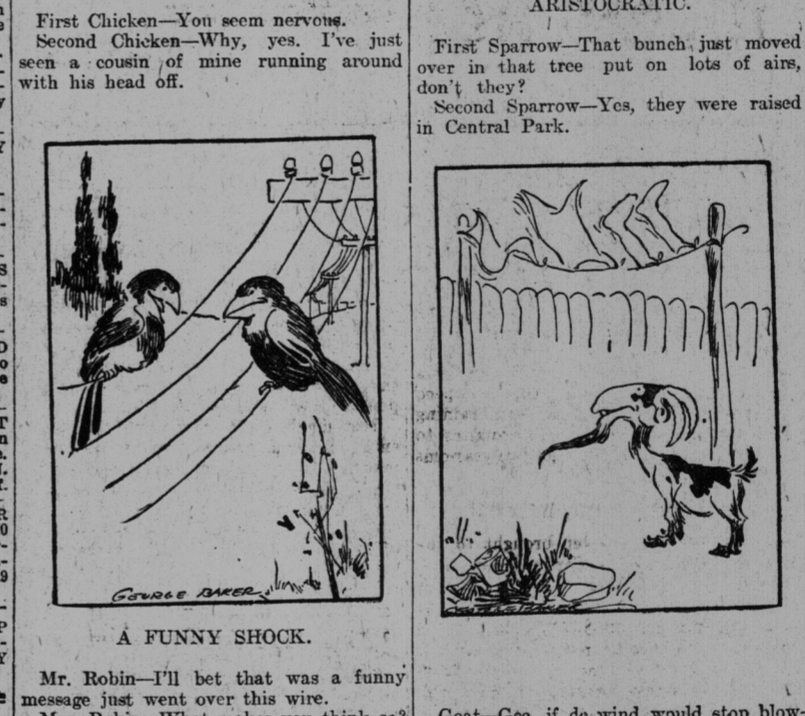
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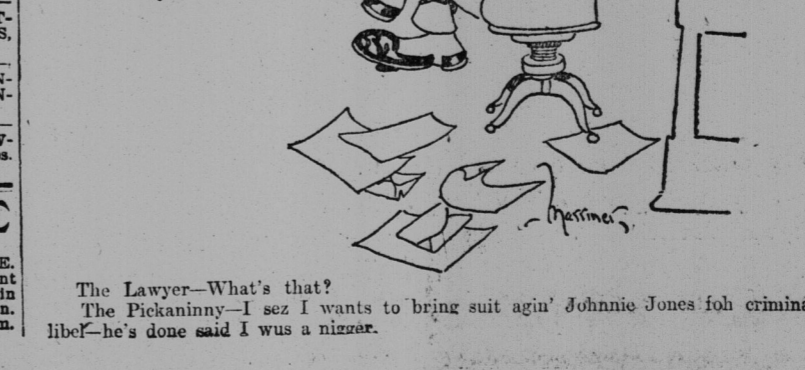
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THE WEATHER

Fresh to strong southwest and south winds, showers tonight and on Wednesday. Synopsis--The weather is fine and warmer in the western provinces, but has become cold and wet in Ontario and Quebec. To Banks and American ports, fresh to strong southwest and south winds. To St. John, southwest, 12 miles, cloudy, Point Lepreau, southwest, 8 miles, thick fog at 11 a. m. LOCAL WEATHER REPORT AT NOON. Tuesday, April 30, 1907. Highest temperature during last 24 hours 49. Lowest temperature during last 24 hours 40. Humidity at noon 82. Barometer reading at noon level 30.22 (29 degrees F.), 30.08 inches. Wind at noon--Direction southwest, velocity 24 miles per hour. Fog. Same date last year--Highest temperature 60, lowest 38. Cloudy, rain at 8 o'clock. D. L. HUTCHINSON, Director.

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LATE LOCALS

No. 1 Company, Major Robinson, will meet at their army tonight for issue of clothing.

The Boston steamer Governor Cobb is due to arrive at 8:45 o'clock this afternoon.

The steamer Mary Queen will leave tomorrow at 8 a. m. for Gagetown and Jemseg. Freight received only for Jemseg and intermediate points.

This is ladies' night at the Queen's Rollaway. At the 10th band the grand march will be put on by the band directed by Manager Follet. The band has prepared a special programme.

Steamers coming from the Bay of Fundy last night had a hard time to navigate, the fog was so dense. Some of them nearly went ashore on approaching the harbor.

The board of health authorities hope to release the Glynn house on Dunchester street from quarantine today. The two small patients, Holaday and Logue, are reported as doing well at the isolation hospital.

The St. John Railway Company started work yesterday on the construction of their trestle down Rodney ward. Roberts' pile driver is engaged in driving the piling and the work will be rushed along as quickly as possible. Work on the Carleton railway line is also going ahead rapidly.

There is a possibility of the body found near Grand Bay, Sunday, being identified. Louis M. Fortier, of Oldtown, Me., having sent word to Coroner Macdaniels yesterday asking for a description of the drowned man and his clothing. He said he was seeking information about William Theriault, who was lost or drowned at Annotook Falls last December. The coroner sent the description and received word this morning to hold the body, as Fortier was sending a mail for it.

THE TIME TO MOVE

Tomorrow is "Moving Day" a Time of Trouble to Hard Worked Housewives.

Tomorrow is moving day the annual event that means so much inconvenience to the busy men and so much hard work for the housewife. Probably the only ones who look forward with pleasure to the first day of May, are the owners of furniture moving vans, for they reap a harvest out of other people's troubles.

For several days past the moving spirit has been on the lips of householders who have been seen in all directions. As far as can be learned the number of people who are changing their homes this year, is about the average. The increasing rents have caused many to move who would otherwise have remained where they were, but in all sides a howl is heard about high rents.

Today and tomorrow will be the busiest days for the movers, but it will be a week or more before some of the families commence to enjoy anything like comfort, as beds have to be put up, carpets put down, stoves set up and other brought out of chaos.

Mrs. W. H. Smith, widow of Capt. Smith, R. N. R., at one time commodore of the Allan line, with her son and daughter left on the Victorian Saturday night for an extended stay in the Old Colony. Halifax Chronicle.

THE KNOCKER

THE FERRY SERVICE AGAIN. Ald. C. B. Lockhart, chairman, Ald. Thos. H. Bullock, Ald. Isiah W. Holder, Ald. H. H. Pickett, Ald. Chas. F. Tilley, Ald. J. B. M. Baxter. These are the men who compose the ferry board. Their term of office as members of this board does not expire until the first Monday in May. Consequently these are the men who are directly responsible for the present wretched ferry service and very largely responsible for the vagaries of the joke. This morning another opportunity was afforded to show just how bad the ferry service is. Between the hours of 7 and 8 a. m. the joke is scheduled to leave West Side at 7 a. m., 7:20, 7:40 and 8 o'clock. The 7:40 trip is very largely patronized by West Siders who are employed in the city and who are due at their places of employment at 8 o'clock. When the joke runs according to schedule, which is very seldom, those who catch this trip can report for work at eight o'clock. But when the joke is late, which is very often, there is another story to tell. A large number of the patrons of that trip are obliged to be at work at 8 o'clock sharp or forfeit one hour's pay. To this class the go-as-you-please ferry service is a positive hardship. In the last three days the joke has

WILL SUE THE CITY

John Segee Wants Damages Because His Name Was Omitted from Voters' Lists.

John Segee stated to the Times this morning that it was his intention to bring an action against the city because his name was not on the voters' list at the recent election and he will engage L. A. Curry, K. C., to conduct the case. Mr. Segee states that some time ago he received a notice which stated that if he received a notice which says were not due for six months, were not paid within 30 days that the city would restrain on his property. Despite the fact that the taxes were not due for six months Mr. Segee said that the city threatened to come on his property. He went before the board and argued his point. Mr. Segee states further that he was not permitted to vote at the last election because his taxes were not paid seven days before the election, and he claims that he can prove that citizens voted that day who paid their taxes the morning of the election.

HE DIED FROM HIS INJURIES

Four Year Old Son of William Gormley Badly Burned Yesterday Died Last Night.

As the result of severe burns received yesterday afternoon the four-year-old son of William Gormley, North street, died at 7:30 o'clock last night.

The accident occurred through the child playing with matches while Mr. and Mrs. Gormley were out. The cries of other children attracted the attention of neighbors, who upon entering the house found little Walter lying on the floor with his clothing afire and his curls burned off. As soon as the flames were extinguished, doctors, three in number, were summoned, but they could not be had, and finally the ambulance was called. Fifteen minutes after the accident occurred the child was taken to the hospital. His chest was a mass of blisters and in some places the flesh was burned off. No hope was entertained for recovery, and death came last evening.

NO SITE CHOSEN YET

But Methodist Clergymen are Looking for a Place to Build a Large Suburban Tabernacle Near St. John.

A committee composed of Rev. Thos. Marshall, Rev. S. Howard, Rev. C. W. Hamilton and Rev. James Crisp, went to Westfield yesterday, to look over the locality for a suitable site for the Methodist tabernacle which the church is proposed to establish for religious work during the summer. Rev. Mr. Marshall, when asked today, said the committee looked over several places but no particular site had been fixed upon and the matter would be discussed at a meeting of the committee to be held in the near future.

WEDDINGS

Harding-Keith

A very pretty house wedding took place this afternoon at the residence of Charles I. Keith, 55 Wright street, when his fourth daughter, Miss Alice Boissan Keith was united in marriage to Cecil Lawrence Harding, son of Thomas H. Harding, Wall street. The contracting parties were unattended and only the immediate relatives were present. The nuptial knot was tied at 4 o'clock, Rev. Albert B. Cohoe, pastor of Brussels street Baptist church officiating. The bride looked charming in a suit of pearl grey silk and she carried a bouquet of cream roses. Mr. Harding is employed with Barnes & Company, publishers and stationers, while Miss Keith was until recently in the employ of F. W. Daniel & Co. Charlotte street.

After partaking of a wedding dinner the newly-wedded couple will leave on the evening train for a visit to Shirley, Mass., where they will visit the bride's sister. The bride's travelling costume was of blue broadcloth with hat to match. That the young people are popular and have a large circle of friends who wish them well, was evidenced by the large number of beautiful and costly presents of which they were the recipients. Members of the firm and the employees of F. W. Daniel & Co. sent a very handsome jardiniere and pedestal. The male employees of Barnes' bindery sent a handsome parlor chair and the girls of the same concern a carving set. On their return from their wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Harding will reside at 88 Stanley street.

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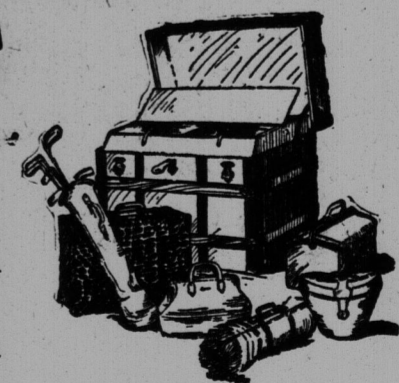
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