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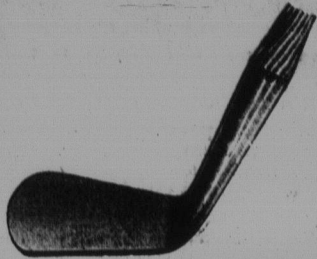
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One of the most picturesque places in the world is undoubtedly the Egyptian city of Cairo, and not the least of its attractions are the varied and often musical street cries which assail the ears on all sides. Not only the street musicians who tap their tambourines to the admiring "Allahs" of the crowd, but the merchants and peddlers contribute to the chorus.

A fruit seller, basket on head, with grapes and figs, will saunter by singing in a quaint minor: "Oh, grapes, oh, sweet grapes, that are larger than doves' eggs and sweeter than new

cream! Oh, angels' food, delicious figs, bursting with honey, restorers of health!"

Another street cry which may be heard in the main street of Abbassieh, a suburb, contains the following enticing announcement: "Tomorrow, O people, I am going to kill a camel. Oh, its flesh will be tender as the quail and juicy as lamb. Its price is but 11-2 piasters (71-2 cents) the pound. Do you love the sweet flesh of a camel? Then come early and be satisfied!" Not the least picturesque figures in the streets are the city police in their neat white and red uniforms in summer and blue serge in winter.

Boys' 2 and 3 Piece Suits.

We have been adding almost daily for the last two weeks new lines of Boys' 2 and 3 Piece Suits, and have now a most complete assortment of the kind that will stand the wear and tear of the robust and healthy boy.

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Men's and Boys' Clothing,
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MUST CUT MEAT PRICES.

Or the Packing Business of Chicago Will Be Demoralized.

CHICAGO, April 30.—The business of Chicago packers has been staggered by the refusal of the people of the country to eat meat at the prevailing high prices, according to the Chronicle. The demand for dressed meats in the last few days has fallen off 33-1-3 per cent., and the discharge of men in the packing houses is general.

According to admissions of prominent packers in nearly all the big plants, large numbers of men are being laid off and the packing business is in a state of demoralization, such as it has not experienced in years. The shipments of dressed beef from the yards have so decreased during the last ten days that cars are piling up in railroad yards.

Shipments of cattle have been curtailed by the packers, the Chronicle says, and every branch of the great industry is suffering severely. The only hope for restoration is in cutting the prices.

ENGLISH FLOUR IMPORTERS

Protest Against Taxation on That Article of Food.

LONDON, April 30.—An influential delegation, representing the flour importers of the large cities of the United Kingdom, had an interview with the chancellor of the exchequer, Sir Michael Hicks Beach, this morning, to protest against the taxation of flour, which, the delegates say, would seriously affect the extent of their trade. The chancellor, in replying, pointed out that the deputation represented solely wheat flour, and that it was impossible to consider the grain and meal duties entirely from that view point. It was impracticable, in imposing duties on grain, to differentiate between grains. The imports of flour compared with the imports of wheat had grown enormously in recent years, and he did not think it was to the benefit of the people of the country. He had reduced the duty on oats, so that the flour importers were now better off than under the late Mr. Gladstone's tax, and he doubted whether they were entitled to further advantages.

THE BLACK REPUBLIC.

CAPE HAYTLEN, Hayti, April 30.—The Dominican revolutionists are at present in the vicinity of Cotuy and Santo Domingo, which cities, it is reported here, they contemplate attacking tomorrow. All the Cibago region, except Puerto Plata is in the hands of the revolutionists. Another uprising has broken out in the south of the Dominican republic. The position of the Dominican government appears to be very critical. Telegraphic communication by land has been cut by the revolutionists, and news is difficult to obtain.

DYING BY HUNDREDS.

SANTA FE, N. M., April 30.—Reports from all parts of the territory indicate that sheep are dying by the hundreds. This is the lambing season, and the number of lambs that will be saved will be unusually small. The land has practically dried up on account of the drought. Added to the losses of the sheepmen in the territory are reports that grasshoppers are already creating havoc in the Northern Rio Grande valley. Around Santa Cruz the insects are thick as leaves on the fruit trees and they are eating off clean early vegetables, etc.

QUEEN WILHELMINA.

THE HAGUE, April 30.—The morning bulletin issued from Castle Loo regarding the condition of Queen Wilhelmina, says she passed a quiet night and that the feverish periods were more frequent. Both chambers of the states general on receipt of today's bulletin from Castle Loo charged their presidents to convey to the queen an expression of joy at the glad news of her majesty's improvement.

A BAD DEFEAT.

CARACAS, Venezuela, April 30.—Genl. Gonzalez, president of the district of Cumana, was made a prisoner during the fighting of April 29 near San Antonio, when the government sustained a bad defeat and Genl. Castillo was mortally wounded. The revolutionists are marching on the city of Cumana. A panic prevails at Carapung and Baracena.

ARCHBISHOP CORRIGAN.

NEW YORK, April 30.—Dr. Keyes, Archbishop Corrigan's attending physician, said this morning: "The archbishop is progressing nicely. Today is the most comfortable he has had in three days. He slept well last night, though his rest was somewhat broken by restlessness. He is partaking of solid food. He is stronger today but cannot sit up yet to take his meals."

MORGAN'S MILLIONS.

LONDON, April 30.—The Associated Press understands that J. Pierpont Morgan gets \$2,500,000 in stock of the shipping combine in return for his services in organizing and financing the combine.

THE WEATHER.

TORONTO, April 30.—Easterly and south-easterly winds; cooler with rain. Thursday, unsettled and showery.

THE OULTON CASE.

Evidence Contradictory to That Given By Gillespie—Oulton Alive at 6 p. m. Wednesday.

Considerable important and unexpected evidence in the Oulton case was discovered yesterday, which narrows the time of the murder to very few hours and changes somewhat the opinions formed in regard to the crime. Witnesses have appeared who are positive that Oulton was alive on Wednesday evening at six o'clock. This scarcely bears out Dr. Scammell's opinion that the man had been dead for from six to ten hours, but it proves conclusively that death took place between six and eight o'clock. According to the evidence given by young Gillespie, when his father felt the body on the third visit to the house he pronounced it still warm, and this was between eight and nine o'clock. The elder Gillespie's statement is that he left home on Wednesday evening at 7.30, carrying Oulton's supper. It would take him five minutes to go from his house to Oulton's. He remained there for six or seven minutes, then returned home, got a lamp, and went back with his son. They spent about ten minutes getting into the house, returned to their own place, got a hatchet and went again to Oulton's, accompanied by Willie Marshall. Then the body was found. Taking Gillespie's calculation of the time, Oulton was dead at 8.25 p. m., and his body was still warm. This evidence shows that Oulton met his death, whether accidentally or otherwise, between 5.45 p. m. and 8.30 p. m. on Wednesday, a space of less than three hours.

The other important feature is the evidence of Oakley Marshall, a sixteen-year-old lad, who lives in the same house as the Gillespies, and a brother of the boy who was with Gillespie and his son when the body was found, and who went with Mrs. Gillespie to the Oulton house when the fire was discovered. Gillespie's statements have been to the effect that after he and the boy discovered the old man dead that he gave the can with the supper in it, that he had taken up for Oulton, to the boys to take home, and after accompanying them to the corner had gone into Dr. Roberts' office. Oakley Marshall, however, swears that Gillespie came home with the boys, bringing the supper can with him, and after placing it on the table and getting a drink of water said he would go and notify Coroner Roberts. Young Marshall was positive as to this and placed the time at which Gillespie left for Coroner Roberts' office at about twenty minutes of ten.

THE INQUEST.

The inquest was resumed by Coroner Roberts last evening. Miss Susan C. Gallagher saw Oulton alive at four o'clock on Wednesday afternoon. He was in her yard and was using a wheelbarrow. She lives in one of his houses on Elm street. She saw Gillespie on Wednesday evening, shortly after six o'clock and again at seven o'clock. Had seen Oulton with quite a lot of money. She says her rent to Gillespie. Formerly said Oulton. Mrs. Emma A. Wells, 83 Simonds street, had lived with Oulton for a time, taking care of him. Her husband and child lived in the Oulton house with her. Husband supplied food. Witness had seen Oulton with large sums of money. He carried it in the bosom of his shirt where there was a pocket, and in his trousers pocket. Had seen him with \$150. Oulton promised to leave her the house. She fed Oulton from Nov. 1900 till April, 1901. Gillespie did not contribute to his support during that time.

W. B. Wallace had done Oulton's business. Paid his rent on April 17th. Had handed some money for him a few years ago. Since Oulton's death has made enquiries about his money. Finds account of about \$115 in Savings Bank.

Patrick Canning, 62 Elm street, saw Oulton at 4.45 p. m. Wednesday. James H. Williams, Sheriff street, saw Oulton alive on Wednesday evening at a quarter to six. Saw him going out the road with a sack. Was wearing something black on his head. James H. McGuire said Oulton three loaves of bread on Monday. George A. Chambliss had searched Oulton's clothes on Wednesday night after the body was brought to his rooms.

Oakley Marshall told of the three trips Gillespie made to Oulton's house. Came back from the last one at twenty minutes to ten o'clock, with the supper can. The boys came ahead. Gillespie said Oulton was dead. Said he was going to notify Coroner Roberts. Witness went with Mrs. Gillespie to Oulton's house; could not get in. Came back with her for a light and on second visit discovered the fire.

An adjournment was had at ten after one until Friday evening at 1.30. There are yet five or six witnesses to be examined.

GLACIER ICE.

Glacier ice is not like the solid blue ice on the surface of the water, but consists of granules joined together by an intricate network of capillary water filled fissures. In exposed sections and upon the surface of the ice can be observed "veined" or "banded" structure veins of a denser blue color alternating with those of a lighter shade containing air bubbles. The cause of this peculiar structure has been the subject of much theorizing among investigators, but hitherto the greatest authorities consider that the explanation of the phenomenon is yet wanting.

OTTAWA.

Geo. Robertson M P P Interviews the Government

(Special to the Star.)

OTTAWA, April 30.—George Robertson, accompanied by Colonel Tucker and other New Brunswick members, met the premier and other ministers this morning at Sir Wilfrid's office. Mr. Robertson presented the claims of the St. John dry dock in a comprehensive address, in which he described with great eloquence the possibilities of the enterprise. The ministers have promised to give sympathetic consideration to the proposals.

A RESCUE WORKER

Assaulted and Almost Killed at the Instance of Dive Keepers.

PORTLAND, Ore., April 30.—Miss Stewart, a rescue worker among the denizens of Portland's slums, is in a dying condition at her home as the result of an assault made upon her Sunday night by five men. She was walking along the street about 10 o'clock, when five men met her and knocked her down, kicked her and choked her. Yesterday she became unconscious. Several dive keepers are known to be bitter against Miss Stewart, as she induced a number of girls to leave their places. The police are searching for her assailants.

TAKING THEIR MEDICINE.

American Naval Officers Get Four Months in Italian Prison.

NEW YORK, April 30.—The commander of the cruiser Chicago at Venice continues to keep all his men on board to avoid further trouble, says a Rome despatch to the Tribune. The officers who were sentenced to imprisonment for disorderly conduct are being treated with a certain regard, but according to prison rules. It seems that American officers have never been arrested and condemned abroad except years ago in Brazil, when an officer shot a deserter. Through the good offices of Washington Dom Pedro released him.

The question is now whether the officers may be allowed to ask pardon of the king, or whether the request must go through the embassy. The cruiser will sail on Friday for Trieste. ROME, April 30.—The officers of the United States cruiser Chicago, who were arrested at Venice, remain in prison there. An application for their discharge has been rejected. The Italian law does not allow the court to grant pardon in cases of assaults on the police. Some of the newspapers mention the lynchings of Italians in the United States as sufficient reason for a refusal of royal clemency. It is considered probable, however, that the prisoners will be released, by order of king, June 1, the date of the fete of the constitution.

WASHINGTON, April 30.—Secretary Long has received the following cablegram from Captain Dayton of the Chicago, dated Venice, yesterday, in answer to the department's inquiry: "Rome, Wynne, Dedbetter, Kress and one marine on leave arrested. Principal charge resisting police. Serious under Italian. Sentences, Wynne four months, ten days. Remainder three months each. Have not yet their full statement or a report from court, but applied for. Resisting arrest largely due to pressing in of crowd and not understanding language. Appeal made to Rome. Impossible to explain all circumstances by cable. Will make full report."

PLANTED OVER A MILLION TREES.

ITHACA, N. Y., April 30.—The New York State college of forestry is responsible for the planting of more than a million forest trees this spring. During the last week it has shipped from its nurseries at Axton 50,000 pine and spruce seedlings, to be planted by the New York state forest commission, the Yale School of Forestry and other individual planters. The planting by the forest commission is superintended by three graduates of the college of forestry. The college itself is preparing to plant several hundred thousand plants and sow three hundred pounds of seed.

SUBMARINE CABLE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 30.—S. S. Dickinson of New York, superintendent of the Mackay cable system, is here en route to Honolulu, where he will select a landing place for the cable which will connect the Hawaiian Islands with this city. He predicts that the line will be in operation before the first of next December. It may be extended from Honolulu via Midway Island and Guam, to Manila and thence to Japan.

ARRESTED FOR THEFT.

BURLINGTON, Iowa, April 30.—W. B. Manahan, formerly an express messenger, has been arrested here by government secret service men. His arrest is said to be in connection with the theft of a \$20,000 package consigned from a Chicago bank.

A THIRTY-DAY FAST.

BELLEFONTAINE, Ohio, April 30.—Four hundred employees in the Big Four shops here have signed an agreement to fight the beef trust by refusing to eat any meat for thirty days, beginning with May 2.

Men's Soft Hats.

NEW, FRESH GOODS

—AT—

50c., 75c., \$1.00.

See Our Windows.

ANDERSON'S,
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MILLINERY

A large and choice stock to select from including all the latest styles in TRIMMED and UNTRIMMED

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It will pay you to have your work done at DUNHAM'S. Upholstering, Carpet Laying, Furniture Polishing and Packing, Repairing, etc. First Class work at moderate prices.

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CARPENTER, BUILDER

and GENERAL JOBBER.

Special attention given to the placing of plate glass windows.

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A liquid without grit, which cleans Silver and Glass quickly, causing a lustrous polish. It is now used by many of the most careful housewives of St. John. Price 25c. per bottle. Sold at drug stores and C. K. SHORT, Jeffrey's Hill. Telephone 480.

Here You Are!

The greatest sale of Hats ever held in St. John. We have 1,000 Hard and Soft Hats. Have been sold at \$2 each. Now going for 60c. each. Also we have a big line of Caps that we offer at 60c. to \$1. We also have a large line of Men's Clothing, Gent's Furnishings, Boots and Shoes, Trunks and Valises. Watches and Jewelry of all kinds and descriptions. A lot of other goods too numerous to mention. We buy and sell for cash. Come and see for yourself the bargains we offer. You can save 50 cents on the dollar by buying your spring stock at the MONTREAL SECOND HAND STORE, 16 Mill street.

E. W. PAUL

Still at the Old Stand,

39 WATERLOO ST.

Painting, Paper Hanging
and Whitewashing

Done by skilled workmen. All orders promptly executed. Patrons never disappointed. Have your work done now and avoid the rush.

BREAKERS AHEAD.

(Exchange.)

Auntie (anxiously)—Do you think you have had the proper training for a poor man's wife?
Sweet Girl—Yes, indeed. Papa hasn't given me any spending money for years. I always get things charged.

TO LET.

Advertisements under this head: Two words for one cent each time, or Three cents a word for ten times. Payable in advance.

TO LET—One small flat, suitable for one small family; \$4 per month; water, gas, in the house. Enquire MRS. W. ROBERTS, East Main Street, last house.

TO LET—Upper and lower flats, for small families. House, Harding street, Fairview; rent from 1st of May. Apply to STEWART NELSON, Harding street.

TO LET—Flat 257 Prince William street, containing six rooms and bath room. Can be seen any time.

TO LET—From the first day of May next, that valuable store and premises No. 59 Charlotte street, at present occupied by F. A. Dykeman & Co. Apply to E. T. G. KNOWLES, No. 8 Palmer Chambers, City.

TO LET—Lower flat of seven rooms. All well lighted. Closets and bath room. Hot and cold water. Pleasantly situated. Can be seen Thursdays and Fridays. MRS. THOS. BRUNDAGE, 306 Princess street.

TO LET—From 1st May next, upper flat of brick house No. 54 Addick street, at present occupied by Geo. Carvill, Esq. Heated and with all modern improvements. May be seen on Wednesday from 3 to 5 p. m. For terms, etc., apply to ROBERT SEELY, Tel. 42.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

Advertisements under this head inserted free of charge.

WANTED—A situation as stenographer and typewriter by a young woman who has had three years' experience in the work. Good references. Address A. B. Box 5.

WANTED—By a young man, a position as stenographer, without previous experience; willing and capable. Address, Q. X. Z., care STAR OFFICE.

WANTED—An experienced grocery clerk would like position in wholesale or retail store. Best of references given. Address J. J. S., Star office.

WANTED—A position as stenographer and typewriter, by a young lady having had experience in an insurance office. Position in an insurance office preferred. Address E. A., care Star.

WANTED—An experienced Stenographer and Typewriter wants copying to do at home in the evenings. All work promptly attended to. Address "X. Y. Z." Star Office.

HELP WANTED, MALE.

Advertisements under this head: Two words for one cent each time, or Three cents a word for ten times. Payable in advance.

WANTED—A good smart boy. Apply at once to QUEEN'S RINK, Charlotte street.

WANTED—Cookmakers wanted. Apply at once. N. A. SEELEY, 85 German street.

WANTED—Bookkeeper—A competent and experienced bookkeeper accustomed to office work in a store. A married man preferred. Send references. GEO. E. FORD, Sackville, N. B.

GENERAL AGENTS WANTED in each town for special, accident, sickness, indemnity policies and general insurance business. Liberal terms to reliable men. Write box 776, Montreal.

HELP WANTED, FEMALE.

Advertisements under this head: Two words for one cent each time, or Three cents a word for ten times. Payable in advance.

WANTED—A capable girl able to do plain cooking. Apply to MRS. A. A. STOCKTON, 152 Mt. Pleasant.

WANTED—A Girl for general housework. Good wages for right party. Apply at Charlotte Hotel, 10 Charlotte street.

WANTED—A house maid. Apply at the GENERAL PUBLIC HOSPITAL.

WANTED—A Kitchen girl at CLARK'S HOTEL, 35 King square.

FOR SALE.

Advertisements under this head: Two words for one cent each time, or Three cents a word for ten times. Payable in advance.

FOR SALE—Piano, in good condition. Address PIANO, Star Office or apply at 15 Prospect street.

MISCELLANEOUS.

ALL KINDS SEWING MACHINES REPAIRED.

Needles and parts for all makes at W. B. BELLIS, 23 Dock Street.

WANTED.

Advertisements under this head: Two words for one cent each time, or Three cents a word for ten times. Payable in advance.

WANTED—Ladies to know that Miss Duncan, 346 Waterloo street, is having a great sale of Cutting Hides, latest style. Call at 346 Waterloo street.

WANTED—Canvassers, male or female, through the city to handle a rapid selling book on the war. Good commissions. Address "M. M." Star Office.

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY—Advanced on mortgages in large or small sums. Apply to Chas. Macdonald, barrister, Walker Buildings, Canterbury St.

On Freehold and Leasehold Property, repayable by monthly instalments or otherwise. Apply to CHAPMAN & TILLEY, Barristers, Palmer's Building, Princess street.

LOST.

LOST—Friday afternoon between Mount Pleasant and Douglas Avenue. Three Gold Hill and Rockland Road, a Lady's Black Handbag, containing a pair of new kid gloves and money. Finder will receive a favor and reward by leaving it at the Star Office, Canterbury street.

LOST—On Thursday, 24th inst., between four and five o'clock, a pair of gold rimmed spectacles. Finder will be rewarded by returning them to REV. DR. WILSON, Zion Church.

BRUSSELS STREET CHURCH ENTERTAINMENT.

The Junior Mission Band of Brussels street Baptist church gave an entertainment last evening, the proceeds of which will be devoted to the mission fund. The children had been trained by Miss Payson and Miss Stillwell, and a creditable concert was the result. The programme included: Recitations, Vera McKay, Mabel Morgan, Leta Dykeman, Berris Cameron, Howard Smith, Grace Campbell, Minnie Reid, Walter Belyea, Helen Gantner, P. Belyea and Mabel Smith; solos, Beryl Blanche, Mabel Currie, Ida McKay; duet, Eddie and Beryl Blanche; drills and exercises. Rev. Mr. Waring presided.

MARRIAGES.

SULLIVAN-GRAY—On Friday, 25th April, 1902, at St. Patrick's Presbytery, Quebec, by the Reverend J. Gunning, C. S. R., W. F. Cleaver Sullivan, son of the Hon. Chief Justice W. W. Sullivan, of Charlotte town, P. E. I., to Helen Lilian Frost, daughter of Lt. Col. F. Wood Gray of Quebec.

BOACH-STAILING—At Annapolis, April 30th by Rev. M. P. Freeman, assisted by Rev. Dr. Trotter, Rev. Howard H. Roach, of St. John, to Mrs. Susie Staling of Annapolis.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., APRIL 30, 1902.

THOSE INCREASED FACILITIES.

There should be at least one more steamship berth provided on the West Side before next winter's business begins. This could be done if the government would send the dredge Cape Breton back here, and if some agreement could be arrived at between the government, the C. P. R. and the city for the building of the wharf. If the dredging were done the cost of building a berth 500 feet long opposite the berth at present used by the Donaldson boats, would not be excessive. Such a berth would relieve the congestion, that will otherwise occur next winter just at it did during the season now closing. One berth would not fill all the requirements, but it would be of great benefit, and in the intervening year some definite arrangement might be made for further extensions. The city cannot afford not to have this work done. Hon. Mr. Tarte said in parliament on Monday night that St. John will undoubtedly be the future winter port of Canada. He said the country must not be afraid to spend money to develop its ports. Let St. John take Mr. Tarte at his word, show him again how urgent is the present need for at least one berth, and point out to him that it is time the city had something more than friendly assurances. If there is any confusion in the public mind on this question, let the city council and board of trade come together, with the representatives of the C. P. R. and thresh out the whole question. Then let the government be called upon by the unanimous voice of the people for whatever aid is decided to be necessary. What is to be done should be done quickly.

DO IT WITH A WILL.

It is very gratifying to know that an effort is to be made to have trees planted along the Marsh Road. A number of citizens are interesting themselves in the matter and desire the support of all. This avenue is one of the favorite drives in the vicinity of the city, and any attempt to make it more attractive should be hailed with pleasure. It is understood that desirable trees can be got, and all that is required to start a movement which will add greatly to the beauty of that thoroughfare is that a group of active citizens take it in hand, and that they receive the countenance and support of the people generally. There should be another association, in addition to and working in harmony with the Horticultural Society, whose attention is necessarily largely confined to the park and gardens. Doubtless if enough enthusiasm can be aroused to ensure successful tree planting the results of that work would be so pleasing to the public that similar work would be done elsewhere, and matters of kindred interest in connection with beautifying the city and its surroundings receive the attention so much needed.

The Star hopes that a ready response will be given when the meeting is called to consider the question of planting trees along the Marsh Road.

A DIETETIC SUGGESTION.

Among the lessons which the reflective mind will draw from the strange career of Isaac G. Oulton will doubtless be one having to do with the question of diet. It cannot be said that the old man was particular to a fault on that score. He is said to have eaten all sorts of food, including some that was fished out of the dumping ground for rubbish. Some fruit found in his stomach is believed to have been a decayed article that had been thrown out. But he lived to the age of eighty-nine years, and the testimony of the doctor is that the various organs of his body were in a healthy state. That certainly cannot be said of very many younger persons, who are both nice and exacting in their choice of diet. Why should not "dumps for dyspeptics" be a development of the hygienic science of the new century?

The Horticultural Association offer a reward for the detection of the vandals who destroyed property in Rockwood Park. As the Star has already suggested, the city council should aid the association in having the park properly patrolled. It is useless for the association to spend time and money if their work is to be undone and frequenters of the park frightened by persons of bad character.

The school of domestic science, described in yesterday's Star, will prove very useful to a large number of young women, and will be a benefit to the community. The ladies who have inaugurated the movement are doing good work, that deserves hearty commendation and support.

George Robertson, M. P. F., will lay his dry dock proposition before the government at Ottawa today.

PARLIAMENT.

OTTAWA, April 29.—This afternoon Hon. Mr. Mulock introduced a bill for the settlement of railway labor disputes. This measure applies to all steam railways and electric roads, including the Intercolonial. The bill makes strikes and lock-outs illegal and punishable. The conciliation boards are provincial and dominion. The provincial boards deal with railways within one province, the dominion board with those contained in more than one province. The bill provides for seven provincial boards, each of three members. One member is to be chosen by railway companies, one by employees, and the third by the other two, or if they do not agree, by the governor in council. The dominion board will be composed of five members, two elected by the seven representatives of railway owners in the provincial boards, and the fifth by the other four or by the governor general in council. Each board is to have a permanent secretary. The measure provides the machinery for the election of the members of provincial boards. Railway owners in this province vote at Ottawa, each company having as many votes as the number of its employees. For the second class of arbitrators each employee has one vote. Elections are to be held every three years, that being the length of time which each member of the board may sit. Hon. Mr. Mulock explained that the bill would not be passed this year. He stated to make the country familiar with the provisions and to receive suggestions from all parties. Next year the measure would be introduced and pressed to a conclusion, with such amendments and alterations as may be found necessary.

On the second reading of Hon. Mr. Sifton's immigration bill, which undertakes to protect the dominion from the admission of diseased or undesirable immigrants, a general discussion of the immigration policy was introduced, continuing the greater part of the afternoon.

Mr. Oliver, liberal, of Alberta, strongly contended that not only physical but mental and educational tests should be imposed. He declared that the immigration policy of the government would be improved, for it could not possibly be worse than during the past year.

On the item for the purchase of rails, Hon. Mr. Blair explained that none had yet been made by Clergue, and those purchased last year were bought independent of him. It is expected that ten thousand tons will soon be got from Clergue. The price after that would be the same as quoted in England and the minister hoped to buy at \$23. Replying to Mr. Omer, Mr. Blair said that about 15,000 tons of rails were purchased last year from Campbell and from a Barrow concern in Britain at an average price of \$25.

Mr. Omer pointed out that Mr. Blair had saved \$105,000 by the failure of Clergue to deliver rails, since he was to pay Clergue \$32.60 per ton for this 15,000.

Mr. Blair said the government could not be blamed because the price fell after the purchase.

Mr. Omer said it was proved last session that when Mr. Blair contracted for rails at \$32.60 the current price in England was \$25.

Mr. McLean said the complaint with Clergue was a protectionist deal, made before the election and kept secret for months while the ministers stated that this sum more than represented the betterments by increased weight of rails. The remaining portion was merely replacing worn out plant and should be charged to maintenance. This charge should be made to make the financial statement represent the facts of the case.

Mr. Blair said the income of the government could not provide this money. He contended that it made no difference how the estimate was charged, and Hon. Mr. Fielding enlarged on the same argument.

Messrs. Omer and Barker agreed that the money must of course be voted in one form or another, but it should be so voted as to show the result of the operation, so that people would know what the deficit was. Money ought to be voted honestly for maintenance that was needed for maintenance, and to capital that which was required for original construction and betterments.

Mr. Barker's amendment was lost by a straight party vote, fifty-six to twenty-one.

Mr. Fowler asked whether it was the intention of the department to replace the engine house at Sussex destroyed by fire, and whether that important centre could not soon expect a new station house suitable to the importance of the place. Mr. Blair promised consideration.

April 30.—The I. C. R. capital expenditure vote was completed and the house adjourned at 1.10 this morning.

Bicyclists and all athletes depend on BENTLEY'S Liniment to keep their joints limber and muscles in trim.

KEOKUK, Ia., April 29.—The California Limited, on the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fee road, eastbound, was derailed on a curve at Cana, a switch five miles west of Meadville, Mo., while going at tremendous speed. Five persons were killed and 23 injured.

Use Kure's Headache in ten minutes to cure KUMFORT Headache Powders.

BISHOP ATTACKS ROOSEVELT.

Calls the President "the Recreant Son of a Southern Woman," Says He is a Lightning-Change Artist and That His Fame Will Rest on Shooting Beasts.

SAVANNAH, Ga., April 27.—The Rt. Rev. Benjamin J. Kelley, Catholic bishop of Savannah, was the Decoration day orator for the Confederate veterans of Savannah this year. He spoke on Saturday night to the veterans and their friends at the Guards' Hall. His address was upon conventional lines until near the end when, after paying a tribute to the memory of Jefferson Davis, he said:

"It is true that the gentleman who now happens to sit in the presidential chair at Washington has written of President Davis:

"Before Jefferson Davis took his place among such traitors, etc., it was not unnatural that to dishonesty he should add treachery to the public. The moral difference between Benedict Arnold, on the one hand, and Aaron Burr and Jefferson Davis on the other, is the difference between a politician who sells his vote for money and one who supports a bad measure to get a high political position."

"When Mr. Davis was living, and a prisoner, a fellow named Miles placed shackles on him in prison, though there was no necessity for it, and no one but a brute would have done it. But I have never heard that Miles, after Mr. Davis' death, brutally maltreated him, or even that he resented the treatment."

"The species of venomous malice was reserved for the recreant son of a Southern woman; the rough rider of Republican politics in the accident of 1902; the lightning change artist of the White House, who can hob-nob with the Kaiser's brother, and sit cheek by jowl with an Alabama negro; who can indulge in meaningless platitudes while south on the bravery and common heritage of Southern heroes and denounce them before the Grand Army as anarchists; who can profess a broad American spirit, which brands sectionalism as a crime, and laud the loyalty of our veterans of 1861-65, while the damning evidence of his own written word shows that he compared 'the noblest Roman of them all,' Jefferson Davis, to a Benedict Arnold."

"Jefferson Davis was a statesman, a soldier and a man of high character, a senator, a cabinet officer, a president, not put in office by a bullet, but by a ballot. Theodore Roosevelt's title to immortal fame will rest on shooting beasts and profiting by the murderous act of a reprobate who shot a man."

"The revolutionary, unconstitutional and the subversive tendencies of the abolition or Republican party are as evident today as they were forty odd years ago. Their envenomed and Peckhamian hypocrisy with regard to Cuba—which they intend to annex—is only surpassed by their atrocious treatment of the Philippines, on which they are forcing a system which the people do not desire."

"They have sought to degrade us by placing our former slaves on a political level with us, and fostering such on as federal office-holders. The present occupant of the chair of Washington, Jefferson, Madison, Jackson, and Cleveland, is familiarly and properly known by the sobriquet, 'The Rough Rider,' he on claims to be a future orator, and he will be, I sincerely trust, that he broke up the Republican party."

"But on the war and its issues we do not wish to be misunderstood. We have nothing to retract, nothing to apologize for. We are bearing our share of the burdens of our country (thunderous applause). We have not profited a day, much by the lessons taught us by the yearly increasing legions of patriots in blue, who thirty-seven years after the war yet manage to drag their weary bodies to the Pension office and draw \$140,000,000 from the treasury."

"Our ideas of patriotism do not seem to be of the same order. We have set apart a day to recall the memories of the past and drop a tear over the graves of our heroes. From our poverty we have raised modest shafts in village and city all over the South, which tell in language better than e'er fell from human lips how we treasure the memory and honor the brave deeds of our own."

BOARD OF WORKS.

Consider the Report of the Sub-Committee on Ferry Matters.

At the board of works meeting yesterday reference was made to Dr. Hetherington's accident. The director will make inquiries as to the condition of the trench on Douglas avenue. Ald. Christie and the director were appointed to consider Messrs. Flemings' petition for a retaining wall at old Dorchester street, and with Ald. Robinson to ascertain the needs of Celebration street.

The sub-committee on ferry matters submitted their report, which was considered and will be sent to the Council for adoption. Under its suggestions the captains will on appointment and for the first five years of service get \$50 a month, during the next five years \$55, and after that \$60. Mates on appointment get for five years \$40, and after that \$45 a month. Engineers on appointment and for five years \$65, and after that \$70. The present staff will be paid the \$70, except Mr. Lewis, who has yet to serve a few months before completing his five years. Firemen on appointment \$40, after five years \$45.

Machinist \$45 for five years, and after that \$50.

Gatemens \$36 a month. This not to interfere with the pay of the present men, who get \$38.50.

Deck hands \$36; on obtaining mate's certificate \$40.

Night watchman \$36, and \$38.50 if he has a mate's certificate.

Collectors \$42. They now get \$38.50. This scale is not to affect the pay of any of the present employees except Leander Estabrooks, one of the mates. He is to get \$40 a month till he completes his five years of service.

CHINESE FOR JOHANNESBURG MINES.

Two hundred Chinese brought by the steamer Empress of China are in the custody of the customs authorities at Vancouver, B. C. They will be shipped in bond to Johannesburg, where they are under contract to work five years in the mines.

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EXHIBITION ASSOCIATION.

A meeting of the directors of the Exhibition Association was held in their rooms in Magee building yesterday afternoon. The members present were: D. J. McLaughlin, president; W. W. Hubbard, secretary; S. S. Hall, Alderman Hillyard, R. B. Emerson, R. O'Brien, James McAvity, Alex. Macaulay, Lt. Col. Markham, C. A. Everett, Lt. Col. Campbell, H. Gallagher, Bert A. Lockhart, R. R. Patchell.

W. W. Hubbard was confirmed in his appointment as secretary-manager. A resolution of thanks to C. A. Everett for his arduous duties as secretary-manager for a number of years past was unanimously carried. Mr. Everett replied briefly, recounting the work of the association during his term of office, and gave suggestions as to what he thought might be done in some directions to make the exhibition this year a success.

The executive were authorized to have the prize list completed, approved by the government and printed. It was suggested that races be held at Moosepath in connection with the exhibition. It was also proposed to have a show of gentlemen's driving rigs, with prizes for the best four, taking in the whole outfit, horse, harness and carriage.—Adjournd.

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DR. WEBB AND HIS FRIENDS.

At the railway committee meeting in Ottawa yesterday, Hon. Mr. Tarte and Hon. Mr. Blair opposed the bill of the St. Lawrence Bridge Company on the ground that the Dominion Securities Company, which is the real company seeking power to build the bridge, had issued a fraudulent prospectus and was unworthy of public confidence. The New York counsel for the company declared that the prospectus was not authorized by them, but it was shown that the circulars had been received by many firms in the ordinary way of business and had advanced the selling price of the company's stock. After considerable discussion the question went over till Thursday.

WANTED.—A case of Headache that KUMFORT Powders will not cure in ten to twenty minutes.

NEWFOUNDLAND.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., April 29.—Assistant Justice Donald Morrison of the Colonial Supreme Court will resign his seat on the bench to re-enter politics. It is understood Mr. Morrison advocates the union of Newfoundland with Canada and that he will undertake to lead a party pledged to this idea.

This announcement is the most startling that has been made in colonial politics for many years past. Mr. Morrison is an influential chief and his present action forces the question of union into the very forefront of politics.

A GREAT CONCERT.

The Westminster Abbey choir sang again last evening to a crowded house at the York Theatre, and the music of their wonderfully trained voices thrilled and delighted the audience. There were frequent encores, and among the solo numbers were some old favorites. The concert work was a revelation of sustained harmony; while the utter absence of any reaching after theatrical effects added much to the pleasure of the hour.

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HOW CECIL RHODES WENT TO ORIEL.

(London Daily Mail.)

An Oxford correspondent gives in Mr. Rhodes's own words the story of how he became a commener at Oriel. Mr. Rhodes related the incident in Oriel common-room on the occasion of his last visit to Oxford.

"The morning I arrived here first from South Africa I turned my steps not to Oriel but to University College. I had a letter of introduction to the master of the university. I was shown into his study, and he read my letter. Then he looked at me and said: 'Well, Mr. Rhodes, you have come a long way.'"

"Yes, sir," said I.

"And you want to become a member of this university?"

"Well, sir, I shouldn't have come all the way from South Africa if I hadn't."

"The master's answer to that was: 'We are very particular about the men we take. We only take men who seem capable of getting honors in the schools.'"

"The upshot was that Rhodes was set down in a corner of the master's study and told to do a piece of Latin prose and an English essay, and then return in the afternoon for the verdict. He returned and the master informed him that his Latin prose was not up to the required standard.

To continue in Mr. Rhodes's own words:

"Well, sir, I said, 'your Latin prose would be shaky if you had spent the last few years as I have done.' The master continued: 'Your essay is not without merits. I regret we cannot take you ourselves, but I will give you an invitation to the Provost of Oriel.'"

"So I found myself out in the High street. Suddenly I remembered the one Oxford name, Jewett."

"So I stopped a passerby and said: 'Who is this Jewett one hears of outside Oxford so much?'"

"Oh, you mean the Balliol man," said he. 'Yes, that's the man.' Well, he put me on the way to Balliol, and as I went along I looked up and saw 'Oriel lane.' And I said to myself, 'Now, which is it to be. I'll toss up.'"

"And toss up I did. A man who was watching me grumbled, but it came down for Oriel, and I turned down Oriel lane."

"When I got before the provost, he read my letter, then he said: 'Pit, twice, very contemptuously. So the master of University sends me his leaveings.' I broke out at this. 'I don't know anything about that,' I said."

"All I know is that I have come all this way to become a member of Oxford University. And in the first day I am told that my Latin prose is bad and that I am 'leavings.'"

"He looked at me hard for a few minutes; then he said more gently: 'Well, Mr. Rhodes, I think you will do. The master says that your English essay is not without points.' And that settled it."

THE EMPRESS OF GERMANY.

(Chicago Journal.)

In Germany everybody loves their empress with the same love that English people give to Queen Alexandra. She is held up by every mother in the Fatherland to her children as an example of all that is good. She herself has taught her children to wait upon themselves and do useful things, and has endeavored to make their lives simple and unostentatious as far as her position will allow. In a quiet little house in the suburbs of Potsdam there lives a widow, Frau Frommel by name, whose husband was a pastor to the emperor's children. One afternoon quite recently a carriage drove up to her front door, and out of it stepped the empress, followed by three of her sons.

"We have come to take tea with you, Frau Frommel," said the empress, smiling.

"The good woman knew not whether

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CANADIAN WINE.

MURAL TABLET

In Memory of a Man Who Fell
in South Africa,

Unveiled at Quebec Sunday—Rev.
F. G. Scott's Sermon.

There was a militia parade to church in Quebec last Sunday, and an interesting feature of the service at St. Matthew's was the unveiling of a mural tablet to the memory of Private Alexander McQueen, who was killed at Paardeberg. The ceremony, which was conducted by the rector, Rev. F. G. Scott, was brief, but impressive, consisting of a portion of the Anglican burial service. At its conclusion Lieut. Col. Jones drew aside the Union Jack which covered the tablet and Mr. Jamieson, the organist, played a portion of the Dead March in Saul. The tablet is a handsome one of brass mounted on polished oak, and the inscription is as follows:—

"In Memory of Alexander McQueen, of the Second (Special Service) Battalion of the Royal Canadian Regiment, aged 21 years. Killed in action at Paardeberg, South Africa, February 18th, 1900. 'Faithful unto Death.'"

The tablet unveiled, the regular service proceeded. Several members of the R. C. A. Band assisted with their instruments in leading the singing and the music as a whole was exceptionally fine. The hymns sung were Onward Christian Soldiers, God Save the King and Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus. The lesson was read by Rev. J. S. Brewer and was taken from the 5th chapter of St. Matthew.

THE SERMON.

Rev. F. G. Scott took his text from the tenth verse of the second chapter of the Revelation of St. John the Divine: "Faithful unto death." The sermon was in part as follows:—

"There can be no human greatness without love, and since God is love, all human goodness is merely an imperfect reflection of the divine nature. Love is the cement that unites all life. It forms the basis of all education, all law. Behind love, and as the highest manifestation of it there is self-sacrifice. And this self-sacrifice grows more and more in those who are living the Christ-like life until it culminates in a man's laying down his life for others."

Today our hearts have been touched while we unveiled the simple brass tablet which commemorates the name and the noble death of your comrade, one who wore your uniform and who worshipped in this church. His was not a conspicuous life, he was not born in any position of worldly eminence, but he did what he could for God and his land, even laying down his life for queen and country, for his father and mother, for his comrades, for you and me. Here we see the transfiguring and ennobling power of self-sacrifice. And, my brethren, believe me that such self-sacrifice is needed by Canadians of all ranks of life, especially at this time, when a new era is opening out before our empire. We need that spirit of heroism that has animated our Canadian soldiers in South Africa. In order to do our part in keeping the empire united, pure and forceful. For Alexander McQueen now sleeps far away beneath the veiled of South Africa. The tramp and tumult of war still breaks in upon his sleep, but in this city, which he loved so well, his short and devoted life is still an inspiration and a power."

We here in Canada have been given by God extraordinary privileges. We possess a vast territory, whose shores are watered by the great twin oceans of the world. On the north our land is guarded by ice-bound solitudes, whence can come no foe, on the south it is bounded by a nation speaking our language, pursuing the same ideals, having the same home life and the same religious faiths. Our vast territory is in the hands of only five million people, and God has given us a breathing time before our cities become congested, before our social life becomes crystallized, in order that we may set our house in order. We have the time and opportunity to make of Canada what we will."

In the achieving of results, let me point to the importance of the individual. He who is faithful unto death has the destiny and the honor of his country in his hand, and at this time, when all we members of the British

empire feel the stress of conflict and unrest, we must be united and stand together. Let there be a thrill of brotherhood from Halifax to Vancouver, a sense of duty to perform, and behind our love of king and country let there be the determination to prove our sentiments by our actions, and if necessary by the sacrifice of even life itself."

In this new age, when the British empire is being brought into closer union, our lives must be ennobled by the example and the deeds of those who have given up all for the empire. Our patriotism must not be the empty jingling of the man on the street that glories only in wide territory and powerful resources in war. We must rather bend all our energies to fulfill the supreme duties which God has laid upon the great British race. To the huge empire of India we have brought education, justice, the freedom of the press and the arts of modern civilization. Some day we hope to bring it under the yoke of Christ. We dare not shrink our responsibilities. And some would have us leave our scattered brethren to shift for themselves and become the prey of covetous nations. I tell you it would be no light thing for us to allow others to pounce down upon our possessions and perhaps crush our brethren in a servitude unknown under our empire. This is it above all that causes us to uphold the British confederation, and it is the death of our soldiers in Africa that gives strength and determination to stand firm. Let us individually resolve to make our nation pure, noble, lofty, just and free. It rests with you, young men, members of the Canadian militia, who wear the king's uniform, who cast your votes at every election, that you stand for a broad nationality in the British empire. You must be faithful at all times. In your daily work, your duty to your superiors, not only in the ranks of your regiment, but in every walk of life. Then if you prove yourselves faithful in times of peace you will be faithful in danger, in war, in the hour of death. A dazzling future lies before us. As Canadians we have it in our power to make our country a part of the empire, a home of freedom and toleration, of justice and liberty. Let us not forget those who have fallen in our behalf, who have given up their lives for us. We intend to erect in this city a long memorial to those noble Canadians, that their deeds constantly may be to us a source of inspiration and strength. Let us remember them, and remembering let us also be faithful as were they. Then shall we make of our country the land of freedom, the home of a prosperous and great people, whose God, as of old, is Jehovah."

Gen. Smith's Orders to Kill All Over 10 Capable of Bearing Arms and to Make Samar a Wilderness—He Will Plead That Military Order 100 Justified Him.

MANILA, April 25.—The court-martial of the highest-ranking American officers in the Philippines, which was summoned to try Gen. Jacob H. Smith, commander of the troops in Samar, who has been accused of issuing orders to Major Waller to kill natives without trial, assembled today. Col. Woodruff appeared as counsel for Brig.-Gen. Smith, who pleaded not guilty.

Col. Woodruff forestalled the prosecution by admitting that the majority of the accusations were true. He said that his client had issued orders to kill the natives and burn their homes. The country was hostile to the Americans, and the general did not desire any prisoners. He had issued orders to make Samar a howling wilderness. He had ordered that all persons capable of bearing arms should be killed. The age limit was made 10 because many such boys had borne arms against the American troops.

Gen. Smith will apparently plead justification as the basis of his defence, taking the ground that his action was justified by Military Order 100 and by historical precedents, including Sheridan's Shenandoah Valley campaign and Sherman's march to the sea.

HALIFAX, April 29.—At Dalhousie convocation today the degree of LL.D. was conferred on Martin J. Griffin, parliamentary librarian, Ottawa, and on Robert Murray, editor of the Presbyterian Witness, Halifax.

S. H. & M. Bias Velveteen vs. Millinery Velveteen.

Millinery Velveteen is made for appearances only, not for wear. S. H. & M. Bias Velveteen is made expressly for skirt binding wear from rich silk-finished velveteen, and combines durability with style and elegance. Next time you want a skirt binding use S. H. & M. Redfern—a bias corded velvet.

If you do not find the letters

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on the back of Bias Velveteen or Brush Edges Skirt Bindings they are not the best.

SHIPPING NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived.
Sch. Adelaide, 132, Williams, Perth Amboy, N. J.
Sch. Edw. Burton, 344, McLean, New York, R. C. Elkin, bal.
Sch. Ontario, 22, Watson, Boston, J. W. McAlary Co., bal.
Coastwise—Sch. Maude, 25, Boardley, Port Louis, 22, Watson, Boston, J. W. McAlary Co., bal.
Rowena, 56, Hall, do.
Cleared.
Coastwise—Sch. Levuka, Graham, Parramatta, do.
Domestic Ports.

LATE SHIP NEWS.

ST. JOHN, April 27—Arr. str. Cumberland, from St. John, N. B., via Ice Sea, and pass.
Sch. Adelaide, 132, Williams, from New York, R. C. Elkin, bal.
Sch. Edw. Burton, 344, McLean, from New York, R. C. Elkin, bal.

HALIFAX, April 27—Arr. str. Glen, from St. John, N. B., via Ice Sea, and pass.
Sch. Adelaide, 132, Williams, from New York, R. C. Elkin, bal.
Sch. Edw. Burton, 344, McLean, from New York, R. C. Elkin, bal.

LIVERPOOL, April 27—Arr. str. Glen, from St. John, N. B., via Ice Sea, and pass.
Sch. Adelaide, 132, Williams, from New York, R. C. Elkin, bal.
Sch. Edw. Burton, 344, McLean, from New York, R. C. Elkin, bal.

WATERFORD, April 27—Arr. str. Glen, from St. John, N. B., via Ice Sea, and pass.
Sch. Adelaide, 132, Williams, from New York, R. C. Elkin, bal.
Sch. Edw. Burton, 344, McLean, from New York, R. C. Elkin, bal.

BROW HEAD, April 27—Arr. str. Glen, from St. John, N. B., via Ice Sea, and pass.
Sch. Adelaide, 132, Williams, from New York, R. C. Elkin, bal.
Sch. Edw. Burton, 344, McLean, from New York, R. C. Elkin, bal.

FOREIGN PORTS.
VINEYARD HAVEN, April 27—Arr. str. Glen, from St. John, N. B., via Ice Sea, and pass.
Sch. Adelaide, 132, Williams, from New York, R. C. Elkin, bal.
Sch. Edw. Burton, 344, McLean, from New York, R. C. Elkin, bal.

NEW YORK, April 27—Arr. str. Glen, from St. John, N. B., via Ice Sea, and pass.
Sch. Adelaide, 132, Williams, from New York, R. C. Elkin, bal.
Sch. Edw. Burton, 344, McLean, from New York, R. C. Elkin, bal.

CITY ISLAND, April 27—Arr. str. Glen, from St. John, N. B., via Ice Sea, and pass.
Sch. Adelaide, 132, Williams, from New York, R. C. Elkin, bal.
Sch. Edw. Burton, 344, McLean, from New York, R. C. Elkin, bal.

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INSANITY, DEATH.

One Victim a Minister, Another
a Young Woman.

The Revivalist Was of the Sam
Jones, Sam Small Type—The
Young Woman Had Been Zealous
at the Meetings and Her Mania
Was That She Must Save the
Town.

(New York Sun.)

Ramsey, N. J., was struck about four weeks ago with what might be called a revival cyclone. The town never had anything like it before, and as to the advisability of having it again, there is some division of sentiment. One person died last Monday in Morris Plains asylum, who took an active part in the revival work and lost his reason soon after the revivalist left. Another person, a woman 24 years of age, was taken to Morris Plains asylum yesterday noon a raving maniac. She, too, had been one of the most excited workers in the revival.

There are plenty of people in Ramsey who believe that the revival excitement was at least the culminating cause of these two people losing their minds. The first victim was the Rev. Carleton Bannister, who for two years had been the pastor of the Lutheran Church in Ramsey and was very much respected and beloved in the community, irrespective of religious creed. His funeral occurred in this village on Friday last and was largely attended.

The second victim was Miss Grace Montross, the daughter of William S. Montross, in Ramsey. Miss Montross was brought up to a high pitch of religious fervor during the ten days the revival meeting was going on. She did not, however, manifest signs of downright insanity until after the revivalist had left. Before he went away he exhorted Miss Montross to continue the good work. He told her that if she would go on with it in the proper spirit she could save the town.

On the Sunday after the evangelist left, Miss Montross was then clearly deranged, started out on her salvation mission. She went to one of the village hotels and battered on the door in the early morning. When the door was opened to her she told the proprietor that she had two sermons to preach that day and that one of them she intended to deliver in his hotel. She was with difficulty induced to go home. From that day on she went mad. She had to be taken to the Morris Plains Asylum.

Her mother, accompanied by Town Committee John Ryerson, started with her on the train, which left at 12:50 yesterday afternoon and there was a painful scene as the raving woman was half carried, half led into the car. Miss Montross was of a high-strung temperament and had been treated for nervous trouble in the past, but her present unhappy condition is attributed directly to the revival excitement.

The revivalist who so shook up the village of Ramsey is the Rev. O. W. Elcheberger of Pulaski, Tenn., and he is a recognized clergyman of the Lutheran Synod. His methods in Ramsey at first caused some criticism. His language was repulsive, with slang and if they didn't respond he would shout to them:

"Get out of the hall, then. I can't do anything for you."

When the revivalist first came to the village of Rev. Carleton Bannister invited him to hold meetings in his church. The offer was accepted, and it was there that the work began. Brother Elcheberger constantly found fault with Mr. Bannister.

He said that he, Mr. Bannister, was his greatest bugbear, that he was too easy-going. Too tolerant of sin and sinners. Mr. Bannister was much troubled by this. He was a religious and a conservative clergyman who at a time and avoided anything bordering on sensationalism. The uproar Brother Elcheberger made in the village and his constant nagging at Mr. Bannister about his easy-going habits troubled the latter very much.

Its effects were noticed as soon as the evangelist left town. To the astonishment of his congregation the first Sunday following Elcheberger's departure, the quiet, scholarly Mr. Bannister made what clearly was intended for an attempt at dramatic pulpit antics. Such methods were so foreign to his character that he made but a sorry attempt at them.

This was to be beginning of the end for poor Mr. Bannister. He preached once more, but he was not himself. Then he collapsed and was taken away as above related.

There were great doings when Mr. Elcheberger took the early morning train to leave Ramsey for good. In "Journal Hall," close to the railroad station, there was a "sunrise meeting" to begin with. Then after that there was a tumultuous scene of farewell and the women were prodigiously agitated and wept as they were in the verge of hysterics. Mr. Elcheberger's visit to Ramsey will be long remembered there.

WHY THIS RESTRAINT?
(London News.)

Mr. Whitney is feeling time. We haven't heard a word from James Finlay since the Manitoba said "wet."

ON THE PART OF ALL.
(Montreal Witness.)

Nothing but an increase of loving-kindness and a more general application of the golden rule will put a period to the strike evil.

A PECULIAR COMBINATION OF NAMES.
(Galt Reporter.)

Comfort the Secretary and Damn the President. For Key to this see programme of the Annual Convention of the Waterloo County Temperance Association.

MORNING'S NEWS.

LOCAL.

Compare Red Rose tea with any other tea of equal price.

It has not yet been decided by the new owners what to do with the stranded steamer Lake Superior.

The engagement is announced of Miss Louie, daughter of Premier Tweedie, to Stewart Benson of Chatham, manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia at that place.

While riding a bicycle on Main street last evening, Miss Selma O'Frey, of Simonds street, lost control of the wheel, and ran under the feet of a horse driven by L. B. Knight. The team went over her, but, apart from some cuts and bruises, and a general shaking up, she happily escaped serious injury.

Michael McCarthy, who died late on Monday after a short illness, at his residence, No. 2 North street, was one of St. John's best stone cutters and a valued worker with Stanton Bros. He was about 35 years of age, a widower, and leaves three children. A large number of friends will mourn his early death. The funeral will take place at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow from his late residence.

The hospital commission will resume its session next Tuesday at 11 a. m. Chief Justice Tuck has recently visited various hospitals in this province. Little "Edgar Stewart," the founding left in a doorway on Metcalfe street on Monday evening, has been adopted by Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Bond, who are at present boarding at the Hotel Charlotte, but who will this week set up housekeeping at 136 Broad street. Mrs. Bond applied to Secretary Wetmore of the S. P. C. A. and received permission to adopt the child.

Alexander Gibson's lumber drives are all in safe water, after a short and successful run.

Miss Mary McCarty died at the residence of Judge Landry at Dorchester last evening. She was a sister of Mrs. Landry.

Captain J. J. Fraser, of Winslow, was given a grand send-off at Fredericton last night, when he left for Halifax, en route for South Africa.

Theodore Roberts, who was in Washington, has returned with his mother to Fredericton, and it is hoped the change of air will be beneficial.

George T. Hartley, Reformed Baptist minister, died in Woodstock yesterday, aged 77 years, leaving a wife, three sons and one daughter. His wife was a Miss Kimball, of Waterville.

At St. Gertrude's church, Woodstock, yesterday morning, Charles W. Bowlin, of Fredericton, but now of Boston, was married to Miss Annie Owens, daughter of Patrick Owens, of Newburg Junction.

The Dominion government has signed a contract with the Ross Rifle Co. to provide the Canadian militia with the Ross rifle, which is to be manufactured in the province of Quebec, with two or three hundred hands, and in a short time the number will be increased to a thousand.

LONDON OLD BOYS' ASSOCIATION.

A number of the young men of this city whose homes are in London, Ontario, met at Rev. Dr. Morison's last evening and organized a St. John branch of the London Old Boys' Association. The following officers and committees were appointed: President, J. J. Foote, vice-pres., W. F. Jarvis; secretary-treasurer, C. L. Armstrong; transportation committee, H. G. Beresford, W. H. Minihick, G. C. Clarke, O. J. McNeil and H. M. Stanger; fraternal committee, Geo. H. Evans, J. P. Charlton, F. Page, W. Seaciff, A. Beal, F. Pickard, R. Little and W. Mullins.

It was decided to hold an outing on June 28th. The committee would be obliged if any London Old Boys who have not yet made themselves known would send their names and addresses to the secretary, 153 Duke street.

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GOING TO EUROPE.

Miss Minnie Smith and Miss Amelia Moore, of Fredericton, Miss Turnbull, of St. John, and Miss Travers, of Hampton, will leave in a short time on a trip to the old country. They will visit England, taking in the coronation, and then cross to the continent.

Miss Fowys and the Misses Bridges, of Fredericton, Dr. A. P. and Mrs. Crockett, Dalhousie, were among the Canadians who registered recently at the High Commissioner's office in London.

MONTREAL, April 29.—The executive of the National Council of Women met here today under the presidency of Mrs. Robert Thomson of St. John and decided to hold its annual meeting at St. John, N. B., July 3 to 9.

PATTERSON'S
Cor. Charlotte and Duke Sts.

LADIES' APRONS.

Another lot of Dark Gingham Aprons. Good size, with bibs on at two drawing prices.

35 & 39c. Each.
Well made and strong material.

STONE OPEN EVENINGS.

LOCAL NEWS.

Grand Chancellor LeB. Wilson will officially visit Union Lodge, K. of P., this evening.

The steamer Victoria will be put on the route between Fredericton and St. John on Monday next.

The band of the 52nd Regt. will meet in uniform at the I. C. R. depot this evening at 10 o'clock.

The loss on the Sweeney furniture, by the fire in the north end Monday night, has been appraised at two hundred and ten dollars.

No. 1 Co., 3rd Regiment C. A., will meet at their armory for the issue of uniform tomorrow (Thursday) evening.

There will be a practice of the festival chorus at the York Theatre tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. New music will be taken up.

The death occurred at the residence of her son, F. C. Godfrey, Wednesday morning, of Mrs. Nancy A. Godfrey, in the sixty-eighth year of her age. The funeral will be held at Wellsford.

The death is reported of Mrs. Margaret Clarkin, wife of Philip Clarkin, which occurred this morning at her home, 175 Erin street. Mrs. Clarkin leaves a family of three sons and five daughters.

The steamer Bulgaria reached Halifax at an early hour this morning and docked at eight o'clock. She brought over sixteen hundred immigrants bound for the Canadian northwest, all of whom will pass through St. John.

Argument in Harris v. Jamieson will probably be heard this afternoon. D. Mullin, K. C., for the plaintiff. C. N. Skinkens, K. C., and A. G. Blair, Jr., for the defendant. There are several other cases on the docket to come up at this circuit.

Says Yesterday's Fredericton Herald:—"The nuptials of Simon Gallagher, of Bath, Carleton county, and Miss Frances McGinn, daughter of Patrick McGinn, of this city, will be celebrated at St. Dunstan's church at five o'clock tomorrow morning. Rev. Father Carney will perform the ceremony."

Our store is crowded and blocked to the ceiling with household goods of every description. There are many little things you need after house-cleaning, or moving. Why not buy them here? Our prices are cheapest in town. McLean's Department Store, 565 Main street.

A McArthur, bookseller, North End, has inaugurated a big cheap sale of Window Blinds, Curtain Poles, Room Novelties and Wall Papers from 31-2 cents up, and Oil Window Shades at 35c. up. The assortment of the above lines is large and varied and contains all the new and important designs and colorings. Also an immense assortment of Picture Mouldings. Picture Framing a specialty. Lowest prices. Give him a call. He will save you money.

TRADE WITH JAMAICA.

A well directed effort is being made to boom trade in Canadian flour in Jamaica. The following is from a recent Jamaica newspaper, under the title of "Our big sister, Canada":

"It always gives us sincere pleasure to recommend Canadian goods, because in the first place we have found them to be worth commending and in the next we have with pleasure signs of increasing trade between Canada and Jamaica. We at present draw attention to the flour and other goods advertised by A. Byron Ventresse in another column. Samples of this flour we have before us at we write. The following information in connection with this flour will prove interesting. It is made from the best hard wheat in Manitoba by the Lake of The Woods Milling Company. There has from time to time been some opinion expressed in Jamaica that Canadian flour won't keep. The offer made by Mr. Ventresse is the best proof of his confidence in the flour he sells. He says take a sample of this flour and place it beside any flour imported into the island. 'If it does not hold its own with the best I will pay £10 to any charitable institution you may name.' That is a fair challenge and a frank offer."

ROACH-STAILING.

At Annapolis Royal this morning Rev. Howard H. Roach, pastor of the Tabernacle Baptist church of this city, was united in marriage to Mrs. Susan Stalling of Annapolis. The ceremony was performed by Rev. M. P. Freeman, uncle of the groom, assisted by Rev. Dr. Trotter, president of Acadia college. Mr. and Mrs. Roach will arrive here tonight and will reside at 93 Elliot row. They will be at home to their friends on the 13th and 14th of May.

LARGE LAKE TROUT.

(Quebec Chronicle.)
A few days ago a fine specimen of salvelinus namaycush, commonly known as the touladi or lake trout, was taken out of Lake St. Charles, weighing 17 pounds. Some years ago, just as the ice had left the lake, one of 16 pounds was taken on a fly out of this same body of water. Unlike the speckled or brook trout (salvelinus fontinalis), the brown or lake trout may be taken from the time the ice leaves the lakes. Lake St. Joseph contains many large specimens of this fish, which are usually taken by deep water trolling.

MONTREAL, April 29.—The stone masons have decided to go out on strike on Thursday for a nine hour day and twenty-eight cent wage. The plumbers will also go out. They want a nine hour day and 35 cent wage.

MONTREAL, April 29.—The jury in the coroner's inquest into yesterday's shooting case came to the decision that young Sharpe did not know that the revolver, which belonged to another boy named McDermott, was loaded, and returned a verdict of accidental homicide.

ROBERT THOMSON

Emphatically Urges the Need of More Wharf Accommodation.

A Statement That May Well Be Considered Over By City Council and Board of Trade

With reference to wharf accommodation both at East and West St. John, Robert Thomson, of the firm of William Thomson & Co., stated to the Star today:

"The wharf berths on the east side to accommodate steamers for St. John consist of the new pier and the Pettigill wharves. A moderate sized steamer landing her cargo at the Pettigill wharf or the new pier would completely block both sheds, and, having to put her cargo in such a small space, importers have not the facilities for carting away their goods which they would have with a greater shed space.

"From the time a steamer arrives until both these sheds are cleared again would be from ten days to a fortnight, and it can therefore be safely said that the city accommodation for steamers is only good for one boat every fortnight. The result of this is clearly shown in the case of the Furness line steamer Rammoor having to discharge her St. John cargo on the present voyage at West St. John, as the new pier and Pettigill wharves and the ground surrounding them are piled up with goods. The city therefore requires on the east side at least another deep water wharf, with a larger shed. The shed at the Pettigill wharf should be extended back to the street and up to join the warehouse on the McLeod property, which, I understand, the city intends to build. The shed at the new pier wharf should be carried out towards the front of the wharf within three feet of the existing track and up to the Pettigill warehouse.

"The depth of water at the new pier and Pettigill wharves is insufficient for the steamers now operating, there being only about twenty-two feet at low water spring tides at each of these wharves; so when the city is building the new wharf it would appear advisable to get a depth of water at least thirty feet at low water spring tides, and also dredge out the new pier and Pettigill wharves to equal this.

"With regard to the I. C. R. wharves in the North End, there is an opportunity another wharf and shed to be built on the western side of the present structure, and while this accommodation may not be needed this year, it is, in my opinion, a matter which the government should have in view in consideration of the rapid increase of their import trade during the past season.

"The western side of the harbor has been all winter in a deplorable condition. The wharf owned by the C. P. R. is not of sufficient size to deal with the large steamers now visiting this port. It requires considerable repairs on the western side of the wharf, and should be extended along the Beach between the C. P. R. No. 1 and the C. P. R. berths should be filled in so as to give one continuous line of No. 1 and C. P. R. berths. As it is at present a steamer of over 350 feet in length cannot lie at No. 1 shed without seriously endangering her propeller on the C. P. R. wharf, or taking chances of carrying away the elevator conveyors with her hull at high tide. This is on account of the angle in the wharf.

"Nos. 2, 3 and 4 berths are good ones, but they require to be doubled, that is, there should be similar structures built on the opposite side of the wharf which would give three more berths, and even this, in my opinion, will not be sufficient accommodation, but the wharf to be built on the other side of the slip should have berths on both sides of it, which would allow six steamer berths more than there are at present.

"In these days of fierce competition it is necessary that every facility should be provided if we desire to build up the trade of our port and the railway could make much better delivery of their freight in Montreal and other western points if they had inward wharves separate from those at which the outward cargoes are now loaded.

"As matters stand at present in the case of large steamers of the Allan line, the work of discharging is practically done in two days. Then follow two other days of wild confusion in the shed, trying to get the inward cargo forward and the outward cargo on board the ship. On account of this, importers cannot get their goods until well on towards the latter part of the week.

"This matter of wharf accommodation is one that requires immediate attention for, as soon as we fail to provide for the increasing traffic it will fall off even faster than it has grown.

"There were assigned to our firm during the past season 23 of the Allan line steamers, 9 Manchester liners, 12 Furness line, 4 Head line and 2 of the Franco-Canadian line, besides numerous hay and deal steamers. The Allan liners have been provided for at No. 2 berth. The Manchester line have been allotted No. 1, which has only been sufficient accommodation for their smaller steamers. The Manchester Trader, for the other larger boats we have had to get space at any other wharves in the harbor where there might be room for two or three days. This proved most unsatisfactory, as it entailed large expenditures of money in towing from one berth to the other, as well as having to pay for shifting cars and occasioning great loss of time. The Head line have occupied the C. P. R. berth and No. 1 and have had considerable detention in waiting for a shed at which to load. The Furness line have had no regular berth on the west side, but have discharged principally at east St. John, except in the present case of the Rammoor, where everything here was in such a congested state that there was no room in the sheds. The Franco-Canadian steamers discharged at West St. John in No. 1 berth, which was too small both for the ship and her cargo, and on the last voyage there was no room in the West St. John shed. She was com-

led to discharge everything in the North End, and in order to get the cargo out the owners of the steamer had to pay part of the cost of putting the traffic on the cars to find enough space both on the wharf and in the shed to handle the steamer's cargo.

"The Furness line have intimated that they are increasing their sailings to a ten days service during summer and winter, instead of a fortnightly one as is now in operation. They have also told us that they are making arrangements to put on weekly boats if the trade will warrant it, but with the present accommodations here we cannot see that we can recommend a weekly service, as we should have no space to put out our outward cargoes. We have also interested the Manchester liners to run a trial service this year during the summer months between St. John, Charlottetown and Manchester, but unless we secure permission from the city to berth these steamers at the I. C. R. wharf there is no accommodation in any other part of East St. John."

THE MOTHER FOUND.

Mrs. C. Dewet of Freeport N. S. Abandoned the Baby Monday Night.

There appears to be little doubt that the woman who left the three-weeks-old baby on the doorstep of Harry Green's house, Metcalf street, Monday evening arrived in the city Saturday evening on the American boat. The stewardess of the steamer directed her to a German street hotel, and she registered there as C. Dewet, Freeport, Digby county, N. S. She informed there that her child's name was Edgar Stewart. While coming up on the boat the stewardess referred to the light amount of clothing on the child, and Mrs. Dewet replied that she was thinking of placing the baby in a valise. She said she could cut air holes so that it would be made quite comfortable.

All day Sunday and Monday she stayed at the hotel, and then she said that her husband would arrive in the city from Freeport either Monday night or Tuesday morning. At any rate, whether he was coming or not the woman went to the Salvation Army Rescue Home, Monday afternoon, and inquired of the matron whether she could not place her child in the institution. She was informed that under the rules of the home the child could not be received at that tender age unless the mother came also. To this the woman would not agree, and as she left the house said to the matron: "You need not be surprised if some one finds a parcel."

She returned to the hotel, and during the evening gave the child a rather large dose of paregoric. People in the house remonstrated with her, but she said the child was used to the drug. She paid her bill and shortly after left with the child, which was a little after nine o'clock found on the doorstep of Harry Green's house.

Mrs. Dewet is described as a woman about twenty-two years of age, short in stature, wears glasses and evidently is well supplied with money. She is still in the city, or rather she was this morning.

POLICE COURT.

The Escape of Two Hoary Headed Drought Breakers.

Two naughty boys, Charlie Seeley and Tommy Hogan, became dissatisfied with their treatment at home and yesterday ran away. The police were notified of this unruly conduct and requested to take the lads in charge if they were seen. From subsequent events it appears that the two youngsters started out together and towards evening became individually and collectively drunk. Then they separated, and while Seeley went to North street Hogan started for Reed's Point. Seeley is only seventy years of age, while Hogan is even younger, his date of birth being in 1831. Officer Thorne found Seeley on North street, wanting to fight everybody, and took him in charge. In spite of his youth the policeman put up a good fight, and gave the boy no little trouble. A short time afterwards Officer Sullivan picked up Hogan at Reed's Point, but the younger lad took things quietly. They sat on the bench together this morning, a pair of hoary headed scamps, and admitted that they had enjoyed the outing. They don't like the Alms House, from which they escaped, and dislike the idea of being sent back there. But they were sent.

A number of boys who were reported for stealing coal, the property of George Dick, from the Ballast wharf, pleaded guilty. As Mr. Dick did not wish to have the boys punished they were given some good advice and sent home.

AT RIVERVIEW PARK.

Three trees that were sent down river to be planted in memory of soldiers in Riverview Park were carried off from the steamer, it is said, by a man who went to Silver Falls. They will be sent for and doubtless brought back.

On Friday last the ladies of the North End W. C. T. U. planted trees in the park in memory of Mrs. Geo. Dunham and Mrs. John Coleman, the first president and vice-president of the union. A religious service was held in connection with the planting.

Mrs. Baisley told the Star today that trees to be planted in memory of soldiers are coming along in numbers, to the great gratification of the ladies. The work of preparation for the memorial fountain is being pushed, and it is hoped that the foundation of the monument may be laid on Coronation day.

SAULT STE. MARIE, April 29.—F. H. Clergue, addressing a deputation of the Korah township council today, said he was confident there would be a city of two hundred thousand inhabitants on the Canadian side of the Soo inside of a few years. The steel plant when completed will employ 5,000 men and will be the largest in one location in America. The tube works will eventually employ another 5,000.

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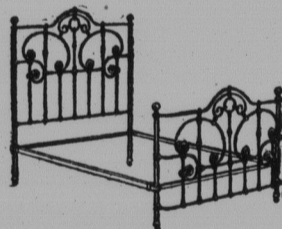
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TREES FOR THE MARSH ROAD.

Several gentlemen who desire to see the Marsh road beautified by trees are talking the matter up, and will call a meeting to discuss the planting of trees along that avenue. It has not yet been decided when the meeting will be held, but it will be very soon, and it is hoped that all who are interested will accept the public announcement as an invitation and show their sympathy by attending.

TO STOP PROCEEDINGS.

An attempt, fraught with considerable danger to the passers-by, was made this morning to wash the second story windows of the post office. During the operation a steady stream of water poured down on the sidewalk, impeding to a considerable extent any

traffic into this public building. It might be well if the consent of the Sabbath observance people could be obtained, to adjourn further proceedings until Sunday.

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