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REV. JAMES CRISP ELECTED PRESIDENT OF CONFERENCE

General Sessions Opened This Morning—Prayers Offered for Rev. Mr. Dobson—Other Officers Elected—Visitors Give Addresses

ST. STEPHEN, N. B., June 20.—The twenty-fourth annual conference opened in the Methodist church at 9 a. m. Rev. W. W. Lodge, in the chair, in the absence of the president, Rev. Wm. Dobson, who lies ill of typhoid fever. The conference prayer meeting was conducted by the chairman, and special prayers were offered on behalf of Mr. Dobson. On the roll being called seventy-four ministers and thirty laymen answered to their names. Rev. G. M. Young introduced Archdeacon Newnham of the Episcopal church, Rev. John Mullin, Methodist of Calumet, Me., Rev. W. C. Goucher, of the Baptist church, and Rev. Mr. Edgett, Methodist of Calumet. As visitors to the conference each one introduced a speaker. Rev. Mr. Dawson, transferred from the Newfoundland conference, also spoke. The election of president of the new session resulted in the choice of Rev. James Crisp, of Zion church, St. John. In his inaugural address, he said: "Thirty-one years ago, I was ordained in the St. Stephen church and since that time I have endeavored to do the Master's will and I throw myself in the hands of my brethren."

Rev. M. H. Knight was then elected secretary. Rev. Harry Harrison, chairman of the statistical committee, Rev. W. W. Lodge, chairman of the Charlotetown district, Rev. H. B. Thomas, journal secretary, Rev. F. A. Wightman, first assistant secretary, Rev. J. M. Rice, B. A., second assistant secretary.

The order of the day for the afternoon session will be the hearing of Rev. J. O. Shearer, secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance. Second order, hearing Rev. Dr. Huestis. Meeting adjourned to meet at 2 p. m.

LENGTHY LEGAL ARGUMENT TODAY IN THE CROCKET CRIMINAL LIBEL TRIAL

On the Demurrer Filed by the Prosecution—Should the Private Life of a Public Man be Subjected to Comment and Criticism—Mr. Pugsley Replies to Mr. Hazen

FREDERICTON, June 20.—Court opened at ten o'clock this morning when the libel suit was again taken up. Hon. Wm. Pugsley presented his demurrer to the plea advanced yesterday by the defense.

Mr. Hazen complained that he had been given no copy of the demurrer. He thought that two ex-attorney generals and assistants might have prepared the demurrer in time for him to have received a copy.

After this little clash a copy of the demurrer was furnished the defense.

Hon. A. S. White proceeded to argue. One point on which Mr. White spoke most particularly was the attempt made by the defense to distinguish between a cabinet minister and an ordinary person, as far as the right of publication of information concerning him was concerned.

The Frederician Gleaner, said Mr. White, "published certain statements concerning Hon. Mr. Emmerson, and he perhaps with over sensitiveness, resigned. If every cabinet minister under similar circumstances did the same the government of the country could not be carried on. Defamatory libel is justified only in being published for the public good. The destruction of the government is certainly not for the public good."

Mr. White was followed by J. H. Berry, counsel for the complainant. At the request of Mr. Hazen, his Honor made no limit to the number of counsel to be heard on either side.

Mr. Berry argued that the plea of the defense was untenable on account of its vagueness.

The names of the women were not given out, nor was it said in what way they were women of ill repute. There were many ways in which women might be of ill repute, as gamblers, as swindlers as many other things.

"Again," said Mr. Berry, "the existence of mere rumors cannot be taken as justification for libel." He also said that the counsel for the crown had come to the conclusion that it would be best if the case were decided by the proof of the truth of the libel than by any other way.

This concluded the arguments of the prosecution.

J. D. Hazen began the argument on behalf of the defense. If the plea of justification were allowed, he said, the proof of the truth of the libel could not be attempted before the court. Taking up the indictment, Mr. Hazen pointed out that there was only one hotel mentioned as being the one from which Hon. Mr. Emmerson was elected. His Honor announced that he was of the impression that the libel complained of was that Hon. H. R. Emmerson was elected from St. Lawrence Hall. However, he did not then rule that effect. The learned counsel next took up the argument that the libel was published for the public good and the public interest. This was a matter of public knowledge that the private conduct of members of parliament had been discussed in the House of Commons by Sir Wilfrid Laurier and by Mr. Bourassa. Such being the case it was certainly a fact that the matter should be discussed for the public interest and the public good. Mr. Hazen then took up the points of the demurrer. It was not necessary for the defense to state by whom the minister was elected. That would come out in evidence of which it was a part. Regarding the claim that it should be stated in what respect the women were of ill repute, Mr. Hazen said it was absolutely unreasonable to declare the respect. It was sufficient to say they were women of ill repute. Again the exact circumstances of the election should have been stated, according to the prosecution. That also was unnecessary. The assertion that an election took place was enough. In the past, Charles Stewart Farnell, the great leader of the Irish Nationalists, on account of his relations with a married woman, came to his political end. Another similar case in British history was that of Sir Charles Dilke, who on account of his immoral relations with certain women becoming known, lost his position and has never since been a member of the British government. These two instances of cases similar to the one being tried, were matters of public interest. It had been argued that such a matter should have been dealt with by parliament if it were a matter of public interest and grand success, over 400 delegates were present. The reports of the High Courts showed that the increase in the membership of the order was over 7,000. There are now over 1,000 Courts in the Dominion, which total the membership at 66,000. Out of the 7,000 new members, 145 are Maritime Province men. The death claims for the past year amounted to \$35,000. After paying this the Order was able to add \$24,000 to the mortgage fund. The surplus shown for the year was \$2,253,208.58.

L. P. D. Tilley was elected to the executive committee, an honor enjoyed by only five members of the Order in Canada.

TO HELP THE CLAM FISHERMEN AT SHEDIAC

MONCTON, N. B., June 20.—Premier Robison is in receipt of a telegram from Hon. L. P. Farris, commissioner of agriculture, saying that he has landed at North Sydney, Ontario, and in England he purchased five Clydesdale mares and went to France and bought a number of Percherons. The visit of an automobile party which went through from St. John yesterday morning in a new automobile, was the run to Chatham in nine hours actual running time, arriving there last night. John Pugsley, Governor Tweedie and Mr. Hutchinson were in the party.

That music is a success as being taught in Moncton public schools was evidenced by a report received last night at the meeting of the trustees from Miss McCarthy, the instructor. The board received the report and will forward it to the Board of Education with the recommendation that a suitable text book may be used in the published for use in New Brunswick schools next year.

Hon. C. W. Robison, Premier of New Brunswick, and Hon. Frank Sweeney, Surveyor General of New Brunswick, went to Point du Chene yesterday to meet the fishermen. In Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries, who after a tour of the Province left last night for Ottawa. The visit of the party was in connection with the clam regulations recently passed by the Department, prohibiting the digging of clams during the months of May, June and September. These regulations were evidently formed with a view to suiting conditions more particularly on the north shore of Prince Edward Island, but are not at all suitable to conditions at Shediac where the ice this year did not leave until after the first of June, deriving the season. Markets of New York and Chicago were glutted by shipments from Prince Edward Island before shipments and storing clams in scows and boats at Point du Chene. Under regulations no clams could be forwarded after the first of June and all Moncton clams which were thus held back would be forfeited. This meant practically ruin of the clam shipping industry, and a very serious loss to the clam fishermen, officers being lost market during these months. As a result of yesterday's visit, it is generally expected that the fishing season will be extended to the 15th of July or possibly the first of August and that clam merchants will have the privilege of shipping clams which they have stored in the closed season under the supervision of fishery officers. The present source of fishermen receive the present time, an average of about \$1,000 a day. In Shediac Bay yesterday it was estimated that there were at least two hundred fishing boats averaging two men to each boat.

The game scheduled for this evening between St. Josephs and St. Peters has been postponed on account of the weather conditions. The teams will play on Saturday afternoon.

OSCAR PETERSEN WAS TODAY FOUND NOT GUILTY

Evidence Showed That He Had Purchased Goods from Geldart Under the Impression That Everything Was Straight.

In the Circuit Court this morning, Oscar Petersen charged with having received stolen goods, knowing them to be stolen, was on the stand. He held up under a stiff examination and received out several new points in the stealing case.

In opening the case for the defense, Mr. Mullin stated that the defense to be presented was that Petersen had accepted the stolen goods thinking that they had been honestly obtained.

Oscar Petersen sworn, said that he has been in the I. C. R. employ for six years. He has never before been arrested. He knew the witness Geldart and had talked to him concerning the purchase of a stove. He asked Geldart that he would sell him a stove for \$30. The latter told him two days later that he would sell him a stove for \$30. Witness told Geldart that he would pay him \$5 a month for the stove and Geldart said it was satisfactory.

When Geldart arrived at witness's house with the stove, he said he would return after supper and take it to the house. He returned with Wm. Mahoney and the stove put up the stove. Witness' wife asked Geldart if everything was being done honestly and when Geldart said yes, she paid him \$5 as the first installment on the stove.

After he bought the stove witness again went to Geldart and asked him if he could get some enamel ware at wholesale price. Geldart told him he would find out, and a few days later he returned with some enamel ware for \$3 which was the wholesale price. After the enamel ware had been delivered to witness, he again spoke to Geldart concerning the purchase of a refrigerator at wholesale price. A suit was then filed against Petersen, who was charged with the goods and Mr. Irvin replied that he had not. He made the payment on the night of the five installments.

Mrs. Amanda Petersen, wife of the accused was next sworn, and she stated that she had bought the refrigerator from the McClary Co. knew that the price of the stove was only \$20. He said he did, and that it was all right. She paid Geldart five dollars after he had put up the stove. The ice cream freezer and enamel ware were not taken to her house until some weeks after the stove arrived.

She remembered the time when the police visited house. Mr. Irvin was with them and he asked her where she got the stove. She told him that her husband had bought it from Hansford, meaning Geldart.

Across examined by Mr. McKewen, Mrs. Petersen said that her husband told her that he was to pay \$30 for the stove.

This closed the case for the defense. Judge McLeod stated that if the counsel so wished they could address the jury. He felt in his duty, however, to state that Geldart's evidence had not been corroborated and he could not find evidence enough to convict a man. Mr. McKewen stated that he did not desire to address the jury and Mr. Mullin also expressed himself as not being desirous of speaking.

Judge McLeod then briefly addressed the jury saying that he was obliged to state there was no evidence submitted to convict the accused. The jury then retired and returned at 12:35 o'clock.

Ferman J. P. Morrison announced that the jury was unable on account of Petersen was not guilty. Mr. McKewen then moved that the goods taken by the police from Petersen's house be returned to the McClary Manufacturing Co. Mr. Mullin moved that the goods be restored to Mr. Petersen. He claimed that the seizure of the goods by Sgt. Kilpatrick was unwarranted and unless the goods were returned he would enter a suit against the sergeant. Judge McLeod stated that he would not decide the question at this sitting of the court. He would refer to the matter at the afternoon session. Mr. Petersen was then acquitted.

John Bentley charged with having assaulted Dr. Bishop on May 24th last, was brought into court. He pleaded not guilty to the charge and the case will be tried this afternoon. Hon. H. A. McKewen represented the crown and E. S. Ritchie the prisoner.

A CANADIAN PRINCIPAL FOR BISHOPS COLLEGE

Dr. Parrock, One of the Professors, Will Succeed Principal Gibbons, Who Yesterday Resigned

SHERBROOKE, Que., June 20.—Principal H. Deb Gibbons of Bishops College, Lennoxville, who came from Bristol, England, a year ago, tendered his resignation at a meeting of the corporation of the university yesterday afternoon. The resignation is in ill health. The resignation will be accepted. His successor will in all probability be Dr. Parrock. The name of Rev. Albert Smith is also mentioned.

The corporation has come to the conclusion that a Canadian ought to be appointed to such an important position. It has long been felt by the friends of the university that the only way to keep the institution in the forefront was to have a Canadian at the head of affairs, or at least one who was acquainted with the country.

The new principal will be appointed this afternoon. Dr. Parrock has for many years been connected with the university and his appointment would be received with favor not only by the staff but by the public generally.

BACK FROM ATTENDING THE HIGH COURT C. O. F.

J. N. Harvey and L. P. D. Tilley have returned from St. Thomas, Ont., where they attended the 23rd annual session of the High Court of the Canadian Order of Foresters. Mr. Harvey stated that the session was grand success, over 400 delegates were present. The reports of the High Courts showed that the increase in the membership of the order was over 7,000. There are now over 1,000 Courts in the Dominion, which total the membership at 66,000. Out of the 7,000 new members, 145 are Maritime Province men. The death claims for the past year amounted to \$35,000. After paying this the Order was able to add \$24,000 to the mortgage fund. The surplus shown for the year was \$2,253,208.58.

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DALHOUSIE MILLS WERE TOTALLY DESTROYED

CAMPBELLTON, N. B., June 20.—The people of Dalhousie awake this morning with heavy hearts over local loss of the magnificent mill owned by the Dalhousie Lumber Co. Ltd. The town has suffered a blow almost as severe as that which fell in the spring, when the Restigouche woodworking establishment was destroyed. The fire started on the roof by a spark from the burner. A heavy easterly gale was blowing and rendered the feeble attempts of the bucket brigade most futile. There is no fire apparatus in the town of Dalhousie. One hundred men are thrown out of employment. The loss is now believed to be forty thousand dollars. The most of the insurance is held in the Phoenix. In addition to the mill and machinery which are a total loss the long slab wharf, which protects the lumber in the boom is completely destroyed. Very little lumber has been destroyed. The owners have not yet decided as to rebuilding, but it is generally believed that it is only a question of time when the mill will be rebuilt. A large number of families will be compelled to leave the town as a result of the fire, as outside of a single mill it is the only industry upon which the people depended for their summer work.

ISAAC B. STEWART, OF AMHERST, DEAD

AMHERST, N. S., June 20.—Death occurred at Amherst Point this morning of Isaac B. Stewart, aged 85 years, one of the oldest and most respected farmers in this vicinity, and son of one of the oldest settlers in this section, a Presbyterian in religion and formerly a Conservative in politics, an old friend and supporter of Sir Charles Tupper.

E. J. Lawson, of the firm of Dunlap Bros., correspondent for the Chronicle and Telegraph, is ill with a serious attack of diphtheria.

The Supreme Court is in session this week. Judge Drysdale presiding, being his first visit to Amherst since his appointment to the bench.

C. S. Moore, Manager of the Royal Bank, is ill and ordered to quit work for some weeks. Mr. Moore is well known throughout the province, being formerly manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia.

AN EFFORT TO HAVE MR. CUSHING RE-APPOINTED

The Star learns that movement is on foot for the purpose of having ex-Director Cushing put back in his old job at the increased salary. Some persons, both in and out of St. John, who believe that they have influence with the aldermen or a number of them, are commenting on an agitation and it is stated that Mr. Cushing himself has been sounding several members of the council in a view to securing such an application from him might be received. There is no mention of him going back at the \$1,500 figure, but both Mr. Cushing and his friends are talking of the increased salary of \$2,400 which was under dispute at the time of his dismissal. But from what can be learned by conversation around city hall, it does not appear very probable that any great success will attend this movement, for there are now more aldermen opposed to Mr. Cushing as director than held that view a few weeks ago.

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SPORTING MATTERS

BASEBALL

SOUTH END LEAGUE.

In the South End League last night the Royals defeated the Every Day Club team by a score of 3 to 1. A large crowd was present and was treated to a good game. Francis, who pitched for the Royals, was well supported, but Melnyre, who pitched for the club team, was not so well supported. Tonight the Royals and All Stars will play for first, as the four teams now in the league are tie. The following is the standing:

Team	Won	Lost
All Stars	4	2
Victorious	4	2
Royals	4	2
Every Day Club	4	2

MARYSVILLE WON.

FREDERICTON, June 19.—The Victorias were defeated at baseball this evening on the college field by the Marysville club, 4 to 6. The game was a good one and drew a large crowd. The Victorias are the leaders of the local league, and their defeat came as a surprise.

BIG LEAGUE GAMES.

National League.
At St. Louis—Brooklyn, 4; St. Louis, 12.
At Cincinnati—New York, 2; Cincinnati, 3.
At Chicago—Boston, 5; Chicago, 4.
At Pittsburgh—Pittsburg, 1; Philadelphia, 2.

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Chicago	29	12	.706
New York	28	16	.636
Philadelphia	31	19	.620
Boston	26	20	.565
Pittsburg	25	21	.542
Cincinnati	21	31	.404
St. Louis	18	39	.310
Brooklyn	15	40	.273

American League.
At Philadelphia—Detroit, 1; Philadelphia, 4.
At Boston—Chicago, 8; Boston, 2.
At Washington—Washington, 1; Cleveland, 0.
At New York—St. Louis, 9; New York, 0.

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Chicago	33	18	.647
Cleveland	33	20	.622
Detroit	28	21	.569
Philadelphia	28	23	.549
New York	23	25	.479
St. Louis	20	33	.377
Boston	18	33	.353
Washington	17	29	.370

Eastern League.
At Rochester—Providence, 1; Rochester, 6.

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Toronto	21	15	.582
Tersey City	20	17	.562
Newark	20	17	.562
Buffalo	20	17	.562
Baltimore	20	17	.562
Rochester	17	22	.436

DEATHS.

LILLIAN HAMPTON.

Lillian Hampton, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hampton, died at her home on Tuesday, June 18th, at 5.30 p.m. Much sympathy is being expressed with the mourning parents in their sad bereavement.

DAVID LEAHY.

BATHURST, N. B., June 19.—The death of David Leahy, aged about 55 years, late of the customs, Bathurst, occurred at Quebec yesterday. His remains reached here this morning for interment. Owing to failing health Mr. Leahy was superannuated in June, 1905, after being twenty-one years in the service. He was a member of Branch No. 150, C. M. B. A. here. The members met the body on arrival of the train. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning and will be in charge of the C. M. B. A.

HENRY A. TAYLOR.

HALIFAX, June 19.—Henry A. Taylor, one of the oldest pharmacists in Canada, died this morning, aged 87 years. Mr. Taylor was born in Scotland, coming to Halifax in his youth and carrying on a drug business for over fifty years. He was a prominent Oddfellow and a member of the Sons of Temperance. George H. Taylor, manager Royal Bank here, is a son of the deceased. Another son, John, carries on a drug business in Halifax in succession to his father.

A telegram from Vancouver announces the death there, the result of an accident, of Herbert Harris. Mr. Harris was formerly a resident of this city and carried on the conservatory business here for years.

ST. JOHN CLUB TOURNAMENT.
The second round of the singles in the tournament at the local club was finished yesterday with the following results:

Miss Clara Schofield defeated Miss Phyllis Stratton.
Miss Jean Trueman defeated Miss Katie Hazen.
Miss Mary Trueman defeated Miss Gladys Hegan.
Miss Frances Hazen defeated Miss K. Trueman.
Miss Marjorie Barnaby defeated Miss Minnie Girvan.
Miss Nan Barnaby defeated Miss Constance Incha.

Third Round.
The following is the schedule of games for the third round:
1. Miss N. Barnaby—40 v. Miss M. Barnaby—30.
2. Miss M. Trueman—30 v. Miss C. Schofield—40.
3. Miss J. Trueman—15 v. Miss F. Hazen—15.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., June 18.—The ferry steamers Tiburon and James M. Donohue collided shortly after 4 o'clock tonight off Alcatraz. There were many passengers aboard. News was received that no passengers were hurt and that all got ashore. It was reported that the Donohue was sinking.

LOCAL NEWS

Nobedega Water the best remedy for all stomach ills. 37 Church St.

No broken points, no saw edges, brass buttons or such on collars laundered by Ungar, Waterloo St., Phone 18.

Mrs. J. Percy Pettiford (nee Coleman), will receive her friends on Thursday afternoon and evening, June 20th, at 25 Golding street.

Mrs. Ernest Handson (nee Mabee), will receive her friends Wednesday and Thursday afternoon and evening of this week at her home, 58 City Road.

Mrs. James Stackhouse will receive her friends on Thursday afternoon and evening, June 20th, at her home, 179 Sydney street.

Special sale of boys' wash suits from 45c. to \$3.50. Union Clothing Co., 26-28 Charlotte street, old Y. M. C. A. building.

Grand auction sale of pictures starts Friday, June 22, at 10 a.m. at St. John Picture Frame Co., 637 Main street, North End.

If your clothes need cleaning and pressing McPartland, the tailor, of 72 Princess street, (Chifton House Block) will do it promptly and thoroughly. Orders called for and delivered.

Two boys, Walter Pickup and Willie Forester have been reported by Officer Ross for stealing fruit from boxes outside the door of John Spardake's fruit and confectionery store on Charlotte street. A large number of passengers who would have been greatly disappointed at not making the connection.

The manager of the Bank of New Brunswick received a letter a few days ago from little Miss Doris Sackabury, of Redondo, California. Enclosed was a Bank of New Brunswick (N. B.) one dollar bill and a note which requested that a good bill be substituted. The request of the little girl was granted.

Herner's Dyspepsia Cure will make life a pleasure as far as your daily food is concerned. It allows you to eat anything you would like to eat, and helps you assimilate it, thus giving the tired, oftentimes worn-out stomach a rest. For sale at all good druggists, 50c and \$1.00 bottle.

Ladies' high class summer costumes in light colored worsteds—very finest man-tailored garments. These are to be placed on sale tomorrow at F. W. Daniel & Co., Charlotte street. These goods are adapted for mid-summer wear. See advertisement on page five.

Roy Ingrani of the Portland Rolling Mills was severely injured at the rolling mills on Tuesday last. He was taken to the General Public Hospital, where it was found necessary to amputate her above the knee. At an early hour this morning he was resting comfortably.

The three pin roll-off at Black's alley last night was a very exciting contest. Thirty-four bowlers had qualified and twenty completed. Fred Patterson and Frank Watson tied with 23 each. On the roll-off, Watson made a goose egg and Patterson one point, thus winning the prize, a valuable gold chain and locket.

The Carleton Cornet band gave the first band concert of the season in King square, West Side, last evening. The concert was greatly appreciated.

Owing to the sudden illness of one of the leading members of the cast, the entertainment to have been given in the Every Day Club Hall this evening by the Empire Dramatic Club has been postponed until a date to be announced later.

Mrs. Deborah Armstrong and Miss Armstrong of Ottawa arrived in the city yesterday and will spend a month here as the guests of John Collins, the well known I. C. R. policeman, who is brother of Mrs. Armstrong. Mr. Collins and Mrs. Armstrong left Ireland together over thirty years ago, but this is Mrs. Armstrong's first visit to St. John.

DEATHS.

SHEFFIELD DEATHS.
SHEFFIELD, June 19.—There were two deaths and funerals at Lakeville Corner this week. June 14th, Mrs. James D. Taylor, of the Canadian Express, brother-in-law, left last night for Everett, where the funeral will take place today.

HERBERT HARRIS.
Herbert Harris, a former resident of Halifax, died in Vancouver a few days ago. He was the father of Mrs. Ronald F. Clark, formerly of St. John, N. B., but now of Vancouver.

JOHN C. COLE.
SYDNEY, June 19.—John C. Cole, a former grocer of Woodstock, N. B., died here this morning in the 86th year of his age.

DAVID C. JARDINE.
NEWCASTLE, June 19.—David C. son of George Jardine, of North End, died recently at Stillwater, Minn. He is survived by his father, two brothers and four sisters.

MISS FRANCES C. GAYLORD.
Miss Frances C. Gaylord, formerly preceptor at the Women's Seminary at Mount Allison, Sackville, is dead at her home in Holyoke, Mass. Gaylord was born in South Hadley Falls, Mass. in 1842. While at Sackville she taught English and higher mathematics.

DIED IN THE STATES.
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ROBERT CURRIE.
Robert Currie died recently at his home in Richmond, aged 88.

MRS. SAUNDERS CLARK.
At Houlton, Me., June 18, 1907, pneumonia, Mrs. Clark, widow of the late Saunders Clark, died, aged 43 years. Deceased was a former resident of Houlton, York Co., but removed to Houlton a number of years ago. She leaves to mourn their loss a mother, two sons and two daughters. The remains were brought to Middle Southamton June 18th and buried beside her husband who predeceased her some fifteen years.

MRS. BURDEN ALLEN.
CENTREVILLE, June 19.—Mrs. Burden Allen died quite unexpectedly last week. She had been in failing health for a few weeks, but it was not thought that her illness was so serious. She left an infant about three months old to the care of a sorrowing husband. She was buried in the Baptist cemetery at Knoxford.

JOSEPH M. SLEEP.
Joseph M. Sleep, of New Jerusalem, Queens county, died at his home on June 18th. He was in his seventy-first year.

TENDER.

Sealed Tenders addressed to the undersigned and marked on the outside "Tender for extension of wharf, Dalhousie," will be received up to and including TUESDAY, JULY 2ND, 1907, for the erection and completion of an extension of the present Railway Wharf at Dalhousie, N. B. Plans and specifications may be seen at the Station Agent's Office, Dalhousie, N. B., and at the Office of the Engineer of Maintenance, Moncton, N. B., where forms of tender may be obtained. All the conditions of the specification must be complied with.

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BAND IN ATTENDANCE

No. 3 Co. 3rd Regt. C. A. will not meet for full company drill tonight but there will be a meeting of all non-commissioned officers at 8 o'clock, Fort Howe shed.

Sussex, Hampton, McAdam and Fairville, as well as St. John, will be represented in Saturday's sports on the Victoria grounds. Over fifty entries in the different events had been received up to yesterday, from more than a score of competitors. Quite a number of runners were on the track last evening. Members of the Every Day Club have done a lot of work on the track, and prepared a proper pit for the jumping centers.

The association of the United Baptists of N. B. will hold its annual meeting in Woodstock, N. B., July 9th to 11th. This will be the second annual gathering since the union of the Baptist and Free Baptist bodies. It is expected that this will be an important association gathering, as matters of great importance will come up for consideration. One will be the advisability of the union of the Baptists throughout the Dominion of Canada with an annual representative convention.

The following officers were elected at a meeting of St. Stephen's Church Guild last evening: Rev. Gordon Dickie, honorary president; Geo. M. Robertson, president; Mrs. Gunn, Douglas MacLaren, vice-president; D. McArthur, Jr., treasurer. The following convener of committees were appointed: Missionary, Mrs. Struan Robertson; social, Miss Gunn; literary, Mrs. Murray MacLaren; musical, Miss M. Gilchrist; biblical, Mr. Irvin; historical, Mrs. Leavitt; decorative, for school room, Miss Helen Dick; decorative for church, Miss Pearl Clark; seamen's mission, Thomas Graham, Mrs. John Irvine; reception, T. Mitchell and Mrs. D. McRobbie.

ANOTHER POSITION.

Wm. Blewett has been selected to fill the position of accountant for the Sussex Mercantile Company. Mr. Blewett received his training at the Currie Business University.

CLOSED ON SATURDAY, JUNE 22nd

OUR BRIEF STAY IN YOUR CITY WILL BE BROUGHT TO A CLOSE ON SATURDAY. We take this opportunity of thanking the public for their generous patronage. The Lots which we have placed in your city will on June 22 be advanced to \$100, and can be had at either our Winnipeg or Calgary office. We have left altogether 3 1-2 Blocks, which can still be had until that date at the old price of \$65 per Lot—Terms, \$20 cash, balance \$10 per month. These Lots are all inside the City Limits of Calgary, high, free from stone, and in the residential district.

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THE STAR, ST JOHN, N. B. THURSDAY, JUNE 20, 1907

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ST. JOHN, N. B., JUNE 20, 1907.

NEW ONTARIO.

New Ontario is creating an agitation and talking secession. The trouble seems to be that this rich stretch of country, midway between the east and the west, has had the experience of neither, but wants both. The district it appears contributes very largely to the provincial and federal revenues and does not receive a great deal in return. Last year it is claimed it furnished two-thirds of the money spent by the Government of Ontario, and got back only one-third. This forms no good ground for complaint. The history of Canada since confederation has been a record of sacrifices on the part of the east, and selfishness in the west. The Maritime Provinces and Upper Canada have contributed millions upon millions of dollars for the development of New Ontario, Manitoba, and the Western Provinces, and at the same time have suffered from neglected public works, and loss of influence. The west has somewhat thanklessly accepted all that was given, and now, being in a position to make some return, refuses to do so. Assuming that the statement is correct that New Ontario has contributed more than it has received during the past few years, has not Old Ontario been doing the same thing for a generation? The real trouble is that this recently developed district is just like a growing boy who having fed on his parents for years, begins to feel a certain strength, and being overly confident chafes at the ties which bind him to home. New Ontario is no doubt large enough and strong enough to be a separate province, but it should become such by friendly agreement and not by an unfortunate political struggle.

CANADA'S RICHES.

This Canada of ours is a great country. We don't really know anything about it yet, for so far only a little strip near the United States border has been settled, and prospectors have merely scratched gravel in a few of the outlying districts. The whole country is full of minerals, and before very many years elapse the production will be a hundred times greater than at present. Coal has been found in many places; gold seems to be abundant everywhere; silver in quantities is found in Cobalt; any amount of iron is lying ready for the smelters; and before another year goes by the Klipewa diamond fields will be as famous as the Yukon gold region is today. There are diamonds in Canada and other precious stones as well, all waiting to be taken out, and while we marvel at the great amount of development work which has already been done to the different provinces, we must look upon it as merely the preliminary scraping. Canada's wonderful mineral wealth is as yet practically undisturbed, scarcely conceivable in its extent. And in addition to all this, and best of all in a nation's assets, we have the finest farming country in the world. Nowhere can crops be raised equal to those from Manitoba and the new provinces, and there are vast regions yet unexplored, lying to the north, from which the food supply of half the world must eventually be drawn.

TO PREVENT SLUMS.

An number of the larger Upper Canadian cities are devoting some attention to the question of how to prevent the existence of slums. The method which seems to be most in favor is by the establishment of what are known as garden villages on the outskirts of the towns. It is recognized that overcrowding of people, with all the attendant evils, forms a condition natural enough in a large city. Real estate values are high, and property owners cannot hope for any reasonable returns on their investments unless they build on the land just as many tenements as can be placed there. In the ordinary course it follows that these tenements are very small, and when a lot of people are forced to live in cramped quarters, unhealthy conditions necessarily arise. St. John has not what are ordinarily termed slums, but there are many houses and groups of houses in this city which are unfit for human occupation. We are not in a position to establish garden village settlements beyond the smokes of the city where every cottage is surrounded by lawns—but we can, if our laws are properly applied bring about marked improvement. All persons who give their time to charitable works, know that in this town there is need for an active effort towards bettering the conditions of the poorer classes, and suggestions to this end have been made from time to time. Unfortunately these have been without

result. It would appear that the simplest way out of the difficulty would be by enlarging the duties of the building inspector who is now not over-worked. He might easily act in conjunction with the board of health and see that whatever alterations necessary be made in dwellings.

Thirty years ago today St. John was destroyed by fire. A good many of the supposedly substantial structures erected immediately after the conflagration might be destroyed again without much damage being done.

NEW NATURE FACTS.

The Sole is a fish; Of pale, pearly hue; From him we may get Sole leather for shoes. The Hornet is pretty; He hovers round hives; From him we obtain Horn handles for knives. The Mo is a boat Found in Tibet, I guess; From him we procure Mohair for a dress. The Tapir is useful; As you may suppose; From him we get tape To sew our clothes. The Bunting's a bird That lives in the trees; From which we make flags To wave in the breeze. The Butterfly seems To be useful, indeed; From him we get butter, Which all of us need. The Jellyfish lives In the depths of the sea; From him we get jelly To eat at our tea. The Penguin's a bird That walks, flies or floats; From him we get pens To write letters and notes. The Goldfish is pretty; With small, shapely fins; From him we get gold To make earrings and pins. The Porcupine is A queer-looking beast; But from him we get pork To eat at our feast. The Electric Eel shines By day and by night; From him we obtain Electrical light. The Ring-dove is gray; With dark, glossy wings; From him we get ruby And diamond rings. —CRAWLIN WELLS.

A PEERAGE IN PAYMENT.

Occasionally the creation of a British peer is accompanied by mystery. A case in point is a barony created last year. The recipient was a rich man, but there was no reason known to the public for conferring on him even the honor of knighthood. This peerage is still the subject of angry comment and may some day see the light as a chronic scandalous. The new peer is not a politician. He was unknown in any of the spheres in which men of quite such distinction as is conferred in Great Britain on an admiral who has won a battle, a statesman who has taken a great department, or a philanthropist who raises a down-trodden class. The real fact was, I am informed on good authority, that it was necessary to provide an annuity for a lady who has played a prominent part in smart society during the last few years, and that the peerage was paid to one of the two men who would consent to provide the money. —Arnold White, in the July Every-body's.

THE CAT.

The cat believes that she can sing Like bobolinks in June; She sticks to this like anything, She hankers for a tune; The lyric joys that in her throng, She takes them for the gift of song. I wish that she would put aside This vanity from her; To purr, and only purr, Seeking no operatic fame. Quiet, domestic, void of blame. —Arthur Colton, in the July Every-body's.

NOT CURIOUS.

"I never saw such a rubberneck," sneered Mrs. Gabbie. "Just because the doctor stopped at our house yesterday she immediately wanted to know who was the matter." "Yes," replied Mrs. Naybor; "I wonder how'd she like the rest of us to be that curious about her. You know the doctor stopped at her house today, too." "You don't say! I wonder what's the matter there?"

A HIGH AVERAGE.

Upardon.—"Here's an English paper that says 'one swallow will do away with at least six thousand flies in a day.'" Atom.—"English free lunch counters must be a great deal worse than ours. The average where I feed is not more than two to the swallow."

AT THE LOWER LEVELS.

Ordinary Citizen.—"How's the gold mine, old man?" Promoter.—"Nasty. We are working the lower levels." Possible?—"Yes, we've got the capitalists all squeezed dry, and now we're going after the laboring classes."

NECESSARY IN SAILING.

Chawles.—"Aw, what's the most necessary requisite in sailing a boat, yeh know?" Old Salt.—"Knowing the gentle art of swimming."

AN INTELLIGENT EXPLANATION.

"This paper says, 'Beef makes brayn and fish makes brain.'" I wonder how these authorities upon food figure out that fish makes brain?" "Probably because fish travel in schools."

The tennis tea yesterday afternoon was in charge of Miss May Harrison, Miss Mary Trueman and Miss Frances Hazen.

CLOSING EXERCISES OF THE MEMRAMOOK COLLEGES

COLLEGE BRIDGE, N. B., June 19. The graduation exercises of St. Joseph's College took place last night and today. In the afternoon the Moncton Mohawks and the college nine met in a base ball match. The latter aggregation won by a score of 14 to 5. At 6 o'clock the students, accompanied by the invited guests, assembled in the dining hall and partook of the annual dinner. The baccalaureate address was delivered by Maurice Porter in Ladyboro Hall. Mr. and Mrs. J. Slattery and Charles Owens, of St. John, were present at the closing. The convent of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart also held its closing exercises today. An excellent programme was carried out. The following ladies have completed the commercial course: Miss Lillian LeBlanc, Miss E. Stebbins, Miss Lizzie Stack, Melrose, N. B.; Miss Mary Quinn, St. John, N. B.; Miss Edmee Comeau, Moncton, N. B.; Miss A. Codrre, Boston; Miss Mary Mahoney, Amherst, N. S.

YESTERDAY'S SESSIONS OF METHODIST CONFERENCE

ST. STEPHEN, June 19.—At the morning session of the Methodist ministers' conference today, the following members of the Sackville district were recommended as supernumeraries—T. Allen, Dr. Stewart, Dr. Chapman, S. T. Teed, S. N. Rice and J. Pascoe. W. J. Dean was unanimously received and ordered to be ordained. At the afternoon session, the applications of Rev. C. W. Hamilton and Dr. Brecken for leave of absence were referred to a committee. The following were ordered to be sent to college—H. P. Ball, Geo. Morris, H. S. Stroud and Dr. Stewart. John T. Costain, Geo. Sutton, and Alfred Gould were candidates received on trial for the ministry. The committee appointed to examine the credentials of the Rev. E. E. Styles recommended that Mr. Styles be received into the ministry of this conference. After Mr. Styles had given assurance of his belief in the Methodist doctrine and his approval of the discipline, government and usages of the church he was, on motion, received into the conference. Moved by Rev. Marshall, seconded by Geo. Steele, that the ministerial standing of Rev. E. E. Styles be 1895 and that his date of the conference be the date of 1904, the year he began his work in this conference. Rev. W. W. Lodge, ex-president of the conference, presided at a public meeting, which was in the interest of the sustentation fund, and was addressed by Revs. C. W. Stewart, John E. King, and Charles Flemington. Rev. C. A. Bell, secretary-treasurer of the fund, reported that the fund had been raised during the year \$1,854.33. Mr. A. H. Lindsay has taken the leadership of the St. John's Presbyterian church choir in the temporary absence in Boston of Mrs. D. C. Peters.—Moncton Transcript.

William H. Randall, the oldest man in New Brunswick, celebrated his 94th anniversary June 18. The old gentleman was born in Aylesford, N. S. His wife was Miss Susan Tupper of Annapolis. He was married to Mrs. Charles Randall in 1868. Mr. Randall was formerly postmaster at Joggins Bridge, N. S. Miss Maude G. Floyd, aged 31, who came from New Brunswick five years ago is under arrest charged with the larceny of \$260. Alleged to have been taken from the room of Charles Edwards, a travelling salesman on West Main street, Boston. Miss Floyd denies all knowledge of the theft. Owing to the illness of Mr. H. G. Taylor, one of the leading members of the Empire Dramatic Club it has been found necessary to postpone the entertainment to have been given in the Every Day Club rooms tonight. Up to last evening it was hoped the postponement would not be necessary but Dr. J. H. Seammel, who is attending Mr. Taylor, insisted that his patient was not in condition to participate in any entertainment tonight. The entertainment will be given at a date to be announced later.

Waterbury & Rising occupy a large space in our advertising columns today announcing an event for which the ladies of St. John have been anxiously waiting. Included in the 15,000 pair lot of boots and shoes purchased by them from a manufacturer some time ago were some two thousand pairs of slippers of a variety of styles. Some pretty enough for dress and party wear, others of that easy comfortable style for every day house wear. Up to the present it was found utterly impossible to bring these goods forward, so much space was occupied with the other lines, but now that a clearance has been effected the sale will begin on tomorrow (Friday) morning at 8 o'clock. The entire stock has been divided into four lots and the prices determined upon, viz: 80c, 75c, 85c, and 90c a pair, should draw such crowds as will dispose of the entire lot by Saturday night.

Store Open till 9.00 p. m. Thursday, June 20, 1907. Boys' Cool Canvas Footwear. Boys' Cool Grey Cheek Canvas Oxford. . . . 85c A good leather sole and leather tip. The same in a Laed Boot. . . . 90c Boys' Blue Blucher Cut Tennis Oxford. . . . 75c Boys' Brown Leather Strap Oxford. . . . 65c With heavy rubber sole. All sizes—1 to 5. Canvas Footwear for all purposes. Different colors. Leather or Rubber Soles.

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SURPRISE OF SECOND PEACE CONFERENCE

THE HAGUE, June 19.—The surprise of the second session of the peace conference this afternoon was the formal reservation by General Horace Porter in behalf of the United States, of the right to present the question of limitation of armaments. Together with this, he also reserved the right to introduce the question of collection of contractual debts by force. Sir Edward Frye also served notice that Great Britain reserved the right to introduce subjects outside the programme, but less significance is attached to his action. Another interesting feature of the session was Baron von Beberstein's notification that Germany intended to offer the proposition of an annual prize court to which appeals could be made at the time of a maritime war and the decision of which should be final. General Porter seconded this proposition on behalf of the United States, and Sir Edward Frye declared that Great Britain proposed to advance a project on similar lines. Beyond these two matters, the session was perfunctory in character. For the plenipotentiaries later presented the organization and created the four general committees, where the actual work will be done, began behind closed doors at 4 o'clock this afternoon. The programme was carefully arranged in advance in order to avoid the possibility of surprises being sprung. M. Bourgeois, France, was elected president of the committee on arbitration. M. Bernart, Belgium and Herr Asser, Netherlands, were elected presidents of the committees on land and sea war, and General Horace Porter, U. S., an honorary president. For the Geneva convention, Professor De Martens was elected president of the committee on land and sea war, and General Horace Porter, U. S., an honorary president. For the committee on arbitration, M. Bourgeois, France, was elected president of the committee on arbitration. M. Bernart, Belgium and Herr Asser, Netherlands, were elected presidents of the committees on land and sea war, and General Horace Porter, U. S., an honorary president.

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On Saturday the 22nd, the temporary office of the Western Land Co. in the R. E. T. Pringle premises, 105 Prince William street, will be closed, and further business will have to be transacted with the Calgary or Winnipeg headquarters. Manager J. A. Dipscoil makes it very plain to the people of St. John in tonight's Star that the Calgary lots he is now clearing out at \$65 will be raised to \$100 upon the closing of the local office, and advises all who are interested to make their arrangements quickly. Fred Lake, the old time base ball player is at his home in Lowell suffering from malaria and it is said he will be unable to play again. He is captain of a nine at Little Rock, Ark. In the eighties he was on the Moncton nine of the old New Brunswick league, in which St. John had two teams, and later was catcher for the Boston National League club. Mrs. Nichols is visiting her parents, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Sprague.

Eight O'clock On FRIDAY Morning

The Women's Slippers will be brought forward and placed on Sale at the Money-Saving Sale now in progress at our Union Street Store.

Since the Sale began we have been besieged with enquiries as to when the Slippers would be offered. People came from every section, and we were sorry to disappoint them, but so much room was required to display the Boots and Oxfords, that it was simply impossible to arrange the Slippers satisfactorily. Now that we have succeeded in reducing the stock, we have decided on starting the Slipper Sale on FRIDAY MORNING at 8 O'clock.

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FIRES AT GRAND MANAN.

Dwellings and Barns Carried Off by Flames.

Grand Manan has suffered greatly from fire lately. In the woods back of Castella, a brush fire carelessly left led to quite an extensive conflagration, which destroyed not only a large stretch of woods but also two dwellings and a number of barns, besides fences and the like. Alden Griffin, who lives on the back road, lost his dwelling and barn and almost their entire contents. His neighbor, William Boynton, also lost his dwelling and barn but he was able to save some of their contents. At Grand Harbor, a spark set fire to

a pile of edgings alongside the Sawyer mill. About 300 cords were destroyed. Fortunately the fire did not reach the lumber pile, otherwise the loss would have been a heavy one.

JAPANESE IMMIGRANTS HAVE BUBONIC PLAGUE

MEXICO CITY, June 20.—According to a report a party of Japanese who reached Salina Cruz June 16 have been forbidden to land because of bubonic plague, which has broken out among them. The men are laborers who are brought to work in coal mines at Coahuila.

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GIRL SNEEZED AND BACKBONE CRACKED

Miss Maud Warrington Victim of Peculiar Accident—The Nerve System Affected.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., June 19.—Miss Maud Warrington, No. 138 1/2 1/2 street, sneezed her backbone out of joint last Monday. She dislocated the lumbar vertebrae by the violence of her sneeze, and heard the joint pop out of position. It was just a simple, every-day sort of sneeze that did the damage, a sneeze that should have been mildly enjoyable, but it has kept Miss Warrington in a state of excessive pain for three days, and has made her very much afraid of indulging again in what has proved such an expensive luxury. As the titillation the sneeze reached its emphatic degree, Miss Warrington was convulsed for a moment by the effort, and as she her-ker-choo-choo-choo she heard a sharp snap about her person, and the next instant was overwhelmed with pain and realized that something serious had happened in her spinal column. She became prostrated at once and could hardly summon help. Aid was sent for to the California hospital, and a physician, after a hasty examination, saw the trouble, and by a patch but not serious process replaced the rebellious vertebrae. The young woman is now said to be all right, but was advised to avoid catching any more influenza. Medical men generally say that this is the first instance of a sneeze producing such a serious result. Dislocations of the vertebrae are not at all common in medical practice, occurring only occasionally from violent causes. Miss Warrington, who is a very pretty young woman, is now entirely recovered, but her suffering was agonizing, as it affected her entire nervous system and especially the acutely susceptible sciatic nerve. The pain was described as being as intense in every portion of her body as it was at the seat of the injury, and her endurance would have been exhausted if proper aid had not been provided just when it was.

PROMINENT NEW YORKER KILLED BY ROBBERS

NEW YORK, June 19.—That robbery was the motive for the murder of Julius T. Rosenbamer, president of the London Needle Company, who was killed Tuesday night while strolling about his estate in Pelham with his wife, is the belief of Sheriff Lane, Coroner Weisenburger and the detectives, who are working on the case. Upon an examination of the clothing of the dead man it was found that his watch and money were gone. A teamster was also robbed near the spot where the murder was committed ten minutes before the millionaire met his death.

COMMERCIAL

BANK OF ENGLAND. LONDON, June 20.—The weekly Statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes. Total reserve increased £800,000; Circulation decreased £10,000; Bullion increased £284,000; other securities increased £409,000; other deposits increased £5,000; public deposits increased £1,064,000; notes reserve increased £175,000; Government securities unchanged. Proportion of the bank's reserve to liability this week is 47.39 per cent. as compared with 46.95 per cent. last week.

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS. Chicago Market Report and New York Cotton Market. Furnished by D. C. Cline, Banker and Broker.

Table with columns for various commodities like Amalg. Copper, Am. Sugar Rfcs., Am. Smelt. and Rfg., etc., and their respective prices.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

Table with columns for various commodities like July corn, wheat, oats, Sept. corn, etc., and their respective prices.

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS.

Table with columns for various commodities like Dom. Coal, Dom. Iron and Steel, etc., and their respective prices.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

Table with columns for various cotton grades like July, October, December, etc., and their respective prices.

Great Reduction Sale OF SUMMER COSTUMES

Handsome light colored tailor-made street suits to be sold at great reduction on account of the backward spring.

Very Finely Tailored "Gibson" Suits, in light striped worsted, newest "Gibson" shoulder, Eton style coat trimmed with silk braid. Regular \$25.00; Sale price, \$15.95

Fine Checked Worsteds Suits in light colors, made with Norfolk coat and pleated skirt. Regular \$17.95; Sale price, \$11.75

Special Value Light Grey Tweed Suits made in Norfolk style with strap over shoulders, pleated skirt. Regular \$13.75; Sale price, \$9.95

Pretty Summer Suit in Light Grey, short semi-fitted Pony coat with stitched straps over shoulders and around bottom, 7 gore skirt with welt seams. Regular \$20; Sale price, \$14.95

A Bargain Lot of the Finest English Chambray, Tomorrow.

Between 400 and 500 Yards of Very Fine English Chambray, to be sold special Tomorrow. Colors—sky, green, navy, linen pink and oxblood. 31 inches wide. Regular 20c. Sale Price, 12 1/2c

A pretty dress length for \$1.25 American Tennis Flannel Suitings. A Great Bargain.

Green Grounds with Black Checks and Black and White Plaid Effects. A most serviceable summer wash suiting. Just the thing for summer Shirt Waist Suits. Sale Price 19c per yard.

Ladies' Fine "West of England Suitings." Novelties Reduced.

NOVELTY SUITINGS—the very latest things out in English Tweed effect. Black and white stripes and black and white checks. Purest wool goods. Regular \$1.15; Sale Price, 75c yard.

Bargains in Men's Soft Front Negligee Shirts, 59c each.

A Special Purchase of Negligee Shirts. Just in time for June sales. New and attractive patterns. Sale Price 59c each.

F. W. Daniel & Co., London House, Charlotte St.

PREMIER BOND IS STANDING ON HIS DIGNITY

LONDON, June 19.—Premier Bond, of Newfoundland was interviewed today with reference to the proposal made by the foreign secretary, Sir Edward Grey, to Secretary Root for a settlement of the Newfoundland fisheries dispute. The premier said that he must assume that such proposal had not been formally submitted to the Washington government while negotiations still were being carried on with him. He declined to say whether similar proposals had been submitted to him but declared that such proposals could only receive a positive and emphatic refusal from his government. "If the modus vivendi of 1906 was so objectionable that the Newfoundland government declined to be a party to it and refused to enforce it," he said, "how could I, on behalf of this government consent to its renewal with an additional clause setting aside the international law by preventing the service of a process on board American vessels. In reply to further questions concerning the possibility of strained relations arising with the United States, Premier Bond emphatically declined to consider the possibility of war with that country. He said it would be the calamity of the age, adding: "Self-respect is the surest road to peace and no country appreciates self-respect more than the United States or regards people who sacrifice it with more contempt."

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SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Pett Roehar Breakwater Extension," will be received at this office until Monday, July 15, 1907, inclusively, for the construction of an extension from the Breakwater to the shore at Pett Roehar, Gloucester County, N. B., according to a plan and specification to be seen at the offices of E. T. P. Shewen, Esq., Resident Engineer, St. John, N. B., Geoffrey Stead, Esq., Resident Engineer, Chatham, N. B., on application to the Postmaster at Pett Roehar, N. B., and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa. Tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers. An accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, for two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00) must accompany each tender. The cheque will be forfeited if the party tendering declines the contract or fails to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender. The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender. By order, FRED. GELINAS, Secretary. Department of Public Works, Ottawa, June 14, 1907. Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the Department will not be paid for it. 20-4-3

PERSONALS

Mrs. F. C. Folkins, who was here attending the marriage of her sister, Miss Florence A. McKean, returned to her home in Boston last evening by the C. P. R. Mr. E. M. Ganong, of St. Stephen, is a patient in a Massachusetts sanatorium, suffering from a serious form of kidney trouble. His friends have been somewhat alarmed by a report that he had been found on the street in an unconscious condition. He had probably been overcome by heat or physical weakness. Herbert C. Tilley, of St. John, will occupy Lady Tilley's cottage this summer. Mrs. Hannah, nee Miss Bertha Boyd, of the Ladies' Duffery, returned yesterday from a pleasant trip to St. John. Mrs. Frank Cove and family of Shanghai, China, arrived in St. Andrews on Saturday last and are guests of Mrs. C. M. Gove. Mrs. Gove's journey was saddened by the death of her husband, which occurred as before reported, soon after his arrival in England. John C. Miles, the well known artist of St. John, greeted St. Andrews with his presence this week. Mrs. John Coughie, who has been on a visit to her parents, returned to St. John on Monday night—St. Andrews Beacon. While fishing in Digdequash river on Monday, Dr. Gove's canoe almost touched the grave of Cameron, the old revolutionary war veteran, who was buried there many years ago. Cameron received a grant of land at Digdequash at the close of the war and lived on it for a long time. When he was dying he requested that his body be buried upon the bank of the beautiful river. His life partner also sleeps by Dr. Gove says the river has almost eaten through its banks to the two graves—Gleaner.

AMERICAN WOMAN ROBBED OF JEWELS WORTH \$50,000

PARIS, June 20.—During a dinner last night skillful burglars entered the sleeping apartments of Mrs. Otto Stephens, an American, in the residence once occupied by the late Dr. Evans, the dentist, at 48 Avenue of the Bois de Boulogne, and succeeded in carrying off jewels valued at \$50,000. There is no clue to the burglars.

SHIPPING.

Domestic Ports.
ST GEORGE, NB, June 19—Ard, schr Charles J. White, for New Brunswick, via St. John, N. B., and Miramichi.

British Ports.
LIVERPOOL, June 19—Ard, str Lake Erie, from Montreal; Iberian, from Boston for Manchester.

SWANSEA, June 19—Ard, bark Ellen from Halifax, N. S.

LONDON, June 19—Ard, str Phyllis, from Quebec; Rappahannock, from St. John, N. B., and Halifax.

QUEENSTOWN, June 19—Ard, str Exonia, from Boston for Liverpool (and proceeded).

LIVERPOOL, June 19—Sld, str Lake Champlain, for Montreal; Republic, for Boston.

MONTREAL, June 19—Sld, str Sardinian, for London and Havre.

PACIFIC, June 19—Sld, str Matewan, from St. John, N. B., for Manchester.

KINSALE, June 19—Sld, str Ottawa, from Portland for Liverpool.

LEITH, June 19—Ard, str Fremont, from Montreal and Quebec via Newcastle.

DUBLIN, June 19—Ard, str Inghelven Head, for Montreal and Quebec via Waterford.

MIDDLESBOROUGH, June 19—Ard, str Ota, from Wabana.

SELDERSBOROUGH, June 19—Sld, str Emmanuel, for Montreal; 18th, Devona, for Montreal.

AVONMOUTH, June 19—Sld, str Friedrich der Grosse, for Bremen; LA Lorraine, for Havre; Navigator, for Windsor, NS; sch Cora May, for Sackville, N. B.

TARIFA, June 19—Sld, str Paolo Angelo, from Genoa for Resolute.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., June 19—Ard, sch Ida May, from St. John, N. B.

BANGOR, Me., June 19—Ard, str Ring, from Bangor, N. S.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., June 19—Ard, bark Carrie L. Smith, from St. John, N. B.; str River, NS; schs S. S. Hudson, from St. John, N. B., for City Island; Harold C. Beecher, from High Rock, N. S.; str W. W. Brown, from Bridgewater, NS, for Baltimore; Rebecca W. Huddell, from Tottenville, N. Y.; Lois V. Chaplin, from do for Bridgewater, N. S.; str W. W. Brown, from Bridgewater, N. S.; str W. W. Brown, from Bridgewater, N. S.

Shipping Notes.
LONDON, June 19—Sir Elmslie Hall, Crispey, from Savannah via Bremen, has arrived at Hamburg with loss of part of deckload and damaged a good deal about the deck.

Str Strathnevis, from New Orleans, before reported ashore near Annapolis and floated, sustaining no damage.

BOULOGNE, June 3—A number of small British vessels have succeeded in making a large part of the wheat cargo of the stranded bark Jane Gullion, from San Francisco, and have taken it to Ipswich.

BOSTON, June 17—On the passage from Jamaica to this port str Verona struck an obstruction off the Delaware Capes and was forced into dry dock at East Boston for examination. It is found that eight bottom plates were badly indented, the damage extending along the bottom and covering both sides of keel plate. No plates were broken, but it was decided to allow the steamer to make another trip to Jamaica, where she will load for New York. She will then go to Brooklyn to undergo repairs. It is believed the steamer struck a submerged wreck.

GENOA, May 21—Str Ben Crucian arrived at Spezia May 25 from Penascola via Savannah, where she put in for repairs, and Leghorn. After leaving Savannah she broke out on board, but was extinguished without causing serious damage. She is expected to finish her discharge this evening and a survey will be held tomorrow.

PORT TOWNSEND, June 9—Bark Alta, from Callao, and bark Fresno, from Port Ludlow for San Francisco, in tow, collided off Point Wilson this morning. The Fresno lost all headgear, foremast and mainmast, and the mast. The Alta damaged port bow, fore rigging and topsail yard.

SAVANNAH, Ga., June 18—Str Craigella, from Huelva (before reported), was pulled off the shoal at the harbor's mouth today and towed to the city, apparently undamaged. Part of the vessel's cargo of pyrites had to be thrown overboard before she floated.

NEW YORK, June 17—Str Rotterdam, from Amsterdam, reports June 23, lat 42.10, lon 49.02, passed an iceberg about 40 feet high.

A BAD REPORT.

Mrs. Muggins—"How is your husband's cold?"
Mrs. Duggins—"I'm afraid he'll never get over it."
Mrs. Muggins—"Gracious! Is it so bad as all that?"
Mrs. Duggins—"Well, you see, the doctor has advised him to take whiskey for it."

NOT TO BE CORNERED.

Principal Medical Officer—"Now, my man, I want you to put your finger on one of the arteries in your neck. (No answer). Well, there are some arteries in your neck, I suppose."
Canny Volunteer (who has heard the last man badly cornered)—"Well, there's some as think there is."

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- " 25c Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, 19c
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- " \$12.00 Two-Piece Outing Suits, 9.98
- " \$8.50 Can. Tweed Suits, 6.48
- " 10.00 " " " 8.50
- " 12.00 Hewson " " 9.98
- " 15.00 Fancy Worsteds, 12.00
- " 3.00 Hewson Tweed Pants, 1.98
- " 1.75 Canadian " " 1.25
- " 75c White Dress Shirts, 48c
- Boys' \$3.00 Two-Piece Suits, Canadian Tweed, \$1.98
- " \$4.50 Three-Piece Suits, Canadian Tweed, 2.98
- Embossed Metal Trunks from \$1.50 up
- Dress Suit Cases, . from 1.25 up
- Club Bags, Solid Leather, from 1.50 up
- 200 Men's \$10.00 Shower proof Overcoats, dark grey only, \$6.50
- Men's \$1.50 Self Opening Umbrellas, 98c
- Wear the King Hat, the best value in Canada, \$2.50

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JURY OUT THE
BODY EXHUMED

Dr. Disbrow Swears Positively re Bullet Holes.

Constable Seely on the Stand Tells How Shooting Occurred—Several Witnesses Examined at Balmer Inquest.

DALHOUSIE, N. B., June 19.—The inquest over the death of Peter Fontaine opened at 10.30.

The court house was well filled and the keen interest that is being taken in the affair throughout Eastern Canada is evident in the fact that La Presse, the Montreal French paper, has sent a special reporter, who has sent over eleven thousand words by telegraph on Saturday.

Benjamin Windsor, police magistrate of Dalhousie, was first sworn and identified the signature of the warrant as that of James S. Harquail.

James Savoie was next called and sworn. As he spoke English with difficulty, Bert Blackhall acted as interpreter. He testified that his home is at Balmoral, but for several months he was a resident of Dalhousie, where he is employed by Mr. Good, the livery stableman. He drove George Seely and Wm. Gallop to Balmoral on Saturday about 4.30 a. m. Mr. Gallop first knocked at the door and turned the knob.

Witness left to look after his team, but did not know how long time elapsed between shots. No liquor was taken with them on the way to Balmoral. To the best of his knowledge, neither of the constables had been drinking. They did not talk of the arrest on the way up. Did not hear them on an unusual scale. Lord Strathcona will preside at the banquet in the Hotel Cecil, when Sir Wilfrid is expected to make the most important speech of his British visit.

The committee of British government departments is now completing a report on the fast mail proposals submitted to the Imperial Conference by Sir Wilfrid Laurier. It is expected it will be ready for Sir Wilfrid's return to London at the close of next week.

I am informed on high authority that the report is favorable to the most important aspects of the enterprise. As one of the leading British officials puts it: "Of course a proposal of this character with Lord Strathcona's name behind it is immensely different to one without it. His influence in such matters is extraordinary, though it is often felt rather than seen."

The Canadian Associated Press understands Premier Laurier arrived in Paris Sunday and will confer with Mr. Pichon on the subject of improving commercial relations between France and Canada.

Only one "BROMO QUININE." That is LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Similarly named remedies sometimes deceive. The first and original Cold Tablet is a WHITE PACKAGE with black and white lettering and bears the signature of E. W. GROVE, 25c.

Constable Seely was recalled. He testified that when Gallop and Fontaine were struggling on the stairs that he was standing with his back to the door. He put the handcuffs on Peter Fontaine on the stairs as he was lying on his feet up the stairs. He put him on the bench.

To Mr. Lawlor, counsel for the Fontaines, he stated that he did not load his revolver after he had left home.

To Mr. Mot, he stated that Fontaine resisted vigorously when he had put the handcuffs on. At that time he did not know he was wounded. He fired the shot which wounded him. The revolver was discharged first when he was struggling with Peter Fontaine and Jaibert. The second shot was fired when Peter Fontaine ran around the house. The other three shots were fired in the stairway when he was with him. He knew of Gallop firing three shots.

To a jurymen witness said he had nothing to do with the firing of the first shot. His neck was swollen when he returned and marks are still on his wrist received in the struggle.

The coroner then adjourned to meet at 2 p. m.

At the afternoon session Dr. John B. Disbrow was the first witness to be examined. The crown prosecutor in explaining the cause of the recall of this witness stated that at the morning session a witness had given as his opinion that there was a third wound covered by a piece of absorbent cotton in the body of Peter Fontaine.

Witness swore that there were but two wounds. In examining the body he took a piece of absorbent cotton and used it to clean the surface of the wounds, probably a piece of cotton adhered to the skin. In reply to Mr. Mot, witness said that he had given the body a thorough examination. He was positive that there were only two bullet wounds. In reply to Mr. Lawlor he said that he did not examine the brain. He could not find the bullets.

There was no evidence that they came out of the body. It was the wound in the back that was fatal. He gave as his opinion that a man would live from a few minutes to half an hour after receiving such a wound. In reply to Mr. Lawlor he said that notwithstanding the sworn evidence of the witnesses that there was a third bullet in the body he did not think a further investigation was necessary. A bullet would not make such a wound if the man was crawling on his hands and feet. When he entered the house the body was lying on the bed. Did not see any blood on the ground floor save a few drops of blood on the stairs and on the upper floor. He believed that the blood upstairs was caused from a hemorrhage from the nose. During his examination when he moved the body over blood oozed from the nose. He was excused to obtain his notes.

Wm. Gallop was then recalled and testified that he handcuffed Peter Fontaine on the stairs. Seely stood on the floor behind the door, Fontaine resisted strongly. After handcuffing him he took him down and placed him on a bench. Peter Fontaine was climbing the stairs when he entered. He did not see any blood dripping from Peter Fontaine as he ascended the stairs or at any time. He grasped him by the collar as he was stooping over to pick up something to attack him. Mr. Mot said that his hearing was not good. Neither he nor Seely had fired any shot. The hearing was given to Dr. Disbrow was next recalled. In reply to Mr. Lawlor he said that his notes were in the best condition when first written. He found no reference in the notes to the nose bleeding. The reason he did not write it down was because he did not consider it important. If the body was exhumed he thought he could find the bullet. In his return he presented the following statement:

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WAS FOUND DROWNED.

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The crew of the steamer Hampton, which lies at Gagetown every evening, say the boy visited the steamer at an early hour that evening. Mr. Belyea says the boy was a favorite with the steambot men and thinks he may have intended to visit the steamer later, but fell over the wharf in the dark.

The boy was one of twins and was an exceptionally clever lad. The sad news of this death soon spread, and universal sympathy was extended to Mr. Belyea in his sad bereavement.

The boy is survived by his father, five brothers and two sisters. The boys are Arthur, at Spokane, Washington, Thomas and William at Hamilton, absent at home, Eldon, his twin brother, at home. The sisters are Mabel and Annie at home. The boy's mother died three years ago.

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LONDON, June 19—Sir Wilfrid Laurier is now at Geneva. Mr. Fielding is at Cannes and Mr. Broderie is proceeding to the Baltic to inspect a Russian ice breaker.

All three are returning to London at the end of next week for Dominion Day celebrations, which this year will be on an unusual scale. Lord Strathcona will preside at the banquet in the Hotel Cecil, when Sir Wilfrid is expected to make the most important speech of his British visit.

The committee of British government departments is now completing a report on the fast mail proposals submitted to the Imperial Conference by Sir Wilfrid Laurier. It is expected it will be ready for Sir Wilfrid's return to London at the close of next week.

I am informed on high authority that the report is favorable to the most important aspects of the enterprise. As one of the leading British officials puts it: "Of course a proposal of this character with Lord Strathcona's name behind it is immensely different to one without it. His influence in such matters is extraordinary, though it is often felt rather than seen."

The Canadian Associated Press understands Premier Laurier arrived in Paris Sunday and will confer with Mr. Pichon on the subject of improving commercial relations between France and Canada.

Only one "BROMO QUININE." That is LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Similarly named remedies sometimes deceive. The first and original Cold Tablet is a WHITE PACKAGE with black and white lettering and bears the signature of E. W. GROVE, 25c.

Constable Seely was recalled. He testified that when Gallop and Fontaine were struggling on the stairs that he was standing with his back to the door. He put the handcuffs on Peter Fontaine on the stairs as he was lying on his feet up the stairs. He put him on the bench.

To Mr. Lawlor, counsel for the Fontaines, he stated that he did not load his revolver after he had left home.

To Mr. Mot, he stated that Fontaine resisted vigorously when he had put the handcuffs on. At that time he did not know he was wounded. He fired the shot which wounded him. The revolver was discharged first when he was struggling with Peter Fontaine and Jaibert. The second shot was fired when Peter Fontaine ran around the house. The other three shots were fired in the stairway when he was with him. He knew of Gallop firing three shots.

To a jurymen witness said he had nothing to do with the firing of the first shot. His neck was swollen when he returned and marks are still on his wrist received in the struggle.

The coroner then adjourned to meet at 2 p. m.

At the afternoon session Dr. John B. Disbrow was the first witness to be examined. The crown prosecutor in explaining the cause of the recall of this witness stated that at the morning session a witness had given as his opinion that there was a third wound covered by a piece of absorbent cotton in the body of Peter Fontaine.

Witness swore that there were but two wounds. In examining the body he took a piece of absorbent cotton and used it to clean the surface of the wounds, probably a piece of cotton adhered to the skin. In reply to Mr. Mot, witness said that he had given the body a thorough examination. He was positive that there were only two bullet wounds. In reply to Mr. Lawlor he said that he did not examine the brain. He could not find the bullets.

There was no evidence that they came out of the body. It was the wound in the back that was fatal. He gave as his opinion that a man would live from a few minutes to half an hour after receiving such a wound. In reply to Mr. Lawlor he said that notwithstanding the sworn evidence of the witnesses that there was a third bullet in the body he did not think a further investigation was necessary. A bullet would not make such a wound if the man was crawling on his hands and feet. When he entered the house the body was lying on the bed. Did not see any blood on the ground floor save a few drops of blood on the stairs and on the upper floor. He believed that the blood upstairs was caused from a hemorrhage from the nose. During his examination when he moved the body over blood oozed from the nose. He was excused to obtain his notes.

Wm. Gallop was then recalled and testified that he handcuffed Peter Fontaine on the stairs. Seely stood on the floor behind the door, Fontaine resisted strongly. After handcuffing him he took him down and placed him on a bench. Peter Fontaine was climbing the stairs when he entered. He did not see any blood dripping from Peter Fontaine as he ascended the stairs or at any time. He grasped him by the collar as he was stooping over to pick up something to attack him. Mr. Mot said that his hearing was not good. Neither he nor Seely had fired any shot. The hearing was given to Dr. Disbrow was next recalled. In reply to Mr. Lawlor he said that his notes were in the best condition when first written. He found no reference in the notes to the nose bleeding. The reason he did not write it down was because he did not consider it important. If the body was exhumed he thought he could find the bullet. In his return he presented the following statement:

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STEAMERS

THE STAR, ST. JOHN N. B., THURSDAY, JUNE 20, 1907.

HIS DELAYED PROPOSAL

By H. M. Kerner

For a moment Nell's hand faltered, pounding of the machines and the endless effect of the shifting stenics seemed to pierce her very brain. She cast a quick glance down the long workroom of the Rotary Addressing Company.

Out through the door, she saw the other end could be seen a patch of blue sky, blurred now and then by a puff of steam from the pipes of the adjoining building; a modest seven-story structure. Here and there some building larger than their own reared its head to cut the skyline, and through the open window there came occasionally sounds from the street below, sharp notes in the monotone of the machines.

Within long rows of girls leaning over their work, their deft fingers forcing envelopes into the hungry maws of the machines with only a pause now and then when a fresh stack of stenics were needed. Between the aisles paced the sharp-eyed forewoman. A man had been in charge of the room once, but the firm had found that he was too easy, too commiserate of the women under his supervision, and they had moved him into the office, sending in his stead the angular Miss Pettit, who forced the girls in her charge to the limit of their endeavors. Her sharp eye detected Nell's pause.

"Barrows," she called acidly. She never wasted time on "Miss" if you have one of your silly headaches, put in your time at the office and go home. This is no hospital."

Nell's nervous fingers clutched a fresh package of envelopes, and the pounding of her machines added to the noise to that of the others. She could not afford to go home. The pittance that came to her each Saturday was little enough without indulging the luxury of an afternoon off.

Jimmy Nelson, coming into the room to consult with Miss Pettit about an order, looked with kindly sympathy at the tired girl. When he had had charge of the room, he had been more generous. She had told him something of her story in the noon intervals, when he had insisted upon standing treat to her, office to augment the scanty allowance that usually constituted her lunch. Coffee cost five cents a day, and the errand girl who made the trips to the luncheon must be tipped in addition. The Rotary Addressing Company paid only from three to five dollars a week, and coffee was a luxury to those who could not live at home.

There had been a time when Jimmy had dreamed of a little flat where Nell should be mistress. That was just after he had been promoted to fifteen dollars a week. He had lacked the courage to make his proposal in person and had written her a note.

"I shall consider silence a polite negative," he had added.

Once Jimmy had aspired to the stars, and he had obtained the phrase from the advertisements in the dramatic papers that he studied with religious care. It had struck him as being a phrase of singular elegance. She need not refuse him. She could just ignore the note. He was so sure afterward that he had not asked for an answer. It would have been something to keep as a memento, and with the same old friendliness and giving not hint of her reason for the refusal of his offer.

He longed to repeat it. He wanted to be able to take her out of the place, from under the very nose of Miss Pettit, he contented himself with coming into the room as often as his business with the forewoman gave him an excuse. Of late in the evening it was Jimmy's duty to chum with the girls from the operating room during the noon hour, and in the evening it was Jimmy's duty to see that all were out before he locked up.

So Nell struggled on. Just as many thousand envelopes must be completed to constitute a minimum day's work. A record was made each evening, and the advancement or reduction of salary depended upon that. She had barely

managed to complete the task when the gong struck and the girls began to cover their machines and put their tables in order. Nell staggered slightly as she took the last of her work to the timekeeper, who entered the record in the book. Miss Pettit eyed her narrowly as she went back to her machine.

"Unless you are feeling better you had better not come tomorrow," she said crossly. "I can put on another girl who can make faster use of the machine."

"It will be all right in the morning," Nell answered. Miss Pettit could not know that the girl had had no breakfast. There had been medicine to buy, and until pay day came again she would have to walk to her home and make dry bread serve for food.

She was slow in preparing for the street, and even Miss Pettit had gone when she stepped into the elevator. The street was dark and lonesome. Most of the places had closed at five, and there were few persons moving along the narrow strip of sidewalk as she stepped out.

On the corner a little knot of people had gathered about some object of interest, and she peered curiously over the shoulder of the office boy in front on her. The next moment she was pushing the men aside.

Miss Pettit had slipped upon the greasy sidewalk, and lay moaning and half unconscious with pain. The girls had all gone on and a bootblack was trying to make her comfortable until the attention of a policeman could be attracted.

Nell pushed him away and took the woman's head into her lap, disposing her so that the wrenched ankle was more comfortable. Then she turned to the lad who had stuck to her side, determined to at least share the interest with the newcomer.

"It is my forewoman," she said. "Run up to the Rotary Addressing Company and ask Mr. Nelson to come quick." The lad's statement that a lady was almost killed and was asking for help brought Jimmy on the run. White-faced he tore his way through the increasing crowd of curious people to come to a dead stop when he perceived the situation.

"It's only Miss Pettit," he growled, in mingled relief and disappointment. "I thought it was you."

"We must get her home, Jimmy," he roared. "She says she's going in an ambulance. Please call a cab."

"The ambulance is plenty good for her," he growled, though to them the ambulance was but a shade less disgraceful than the patrol wagon. "Didn't she talk to you like you were a dog this afternoon?"

"Get a cab for me," pleaded Nell, and Jimmy turned away.

It was not far to Miss Pettit's boarding place, and Nell hustled about making the tiny hall room more comfortable. Jimmy stood doggedly, too, waiting to take Nell home. Miss Pettit sank back on the bed with a sigh.

"That will do very well," she said faintly. The doctor will bandage my ankle, and then the girl will put me to bed. You were very good to me, my dear."

"It's all right," said Nell, coldly, as she turned to go, but Miss Pettit caught her hand.

"Wait a minute," she said. "I want to tell you something, Jimmy here, gave me a letter to hand you some weeks ago. I wasn't going to have anything in my room, so I didn't give it to you. Jimmy is a good boy, my dear, and here it is."

She sank back upon the pillow as Jimmy sprang forward. In his excitement he had forgotten Miss Pettit and his wrath against her. Now he only realized that Nell had not received his letter.

"And silence ain't a polite negative," he asked. Nell smiled. Jimmy had loaned her some of his paper, and she recognized the phrase.

"If you want proverbs, Mr. Nelson," she said primly, "I can give you a better quotation. 'Faint heart never won a fair lady.' Ask me to my face like a man, and maybe I'll say 'Yes.'"

Boys' Blue or Black Suits

FOR SCHOOL CLOSINGS AND CONFIRMATIONS:

WITHIN THE NEXT TEN DAYS there will be a sharp demand for dark, dressy "Sunday" suits for boys. Many lads in town are to receive their first communion on Sunday, and following close upon these religious exercises will come the exhibition programmes in connection with school closings. Our supply of suitable apparel for boys, is large and thoroughly up-to-date.

Our \$5.00 Special, made in Norfolk style, of extra good quality English Diagonal, with Twill Serge Linings and first-class tailoring throughout. All sizes up to and including 30-inch.

OTHER QUALITIES IN SERGES, CHEVIOTS, DIAGONALS, \$2 to \$7

Clothes Guaranteed Perfect Fitting.

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CHINA TO ENTER WINE MARKET Has Been Experimenting for Ten Years Past—Results Satisfactory.

OWING MONEY, WERE HELD IN SLAVERY Unfortunate Plight of West Indians on Galapagos Islands Investigated by Admiralty.

SCHOOLS FOR TEACHERS Announcement Issued Regarding Macdonald College at St. Anne's.

LONDON, June 19.—From a publication just issued by the Foreign Office it is learned that China will enter the world's wine market for the first time in 1907. The cultivation of grapes for wine has been going on experimentally for ten years on the shore of the Gulf of Chi Li, where acres are planted with black and white grapes from every wine-growing country of the world. The results have been satisfactory despite some attacks of phylloxera, and the cellars belonging to the vineyards are now stored with thousands of casks of wine, duly inscribed with their description and date. None has yet been marketed, nor will any be sold until the autumn of 1907. Mr. Garnett, a British official, who visited the vineyards, does not think that their prices will be low with the result that the West Indians, in order to be able to exist, had to draw their money in advance. At the end of the six months it was found that the West Indians owed their employers a certain sum of money which they were unable to pay. They were then informed that they would have to continue working until they had wiped off the deficit, and that then their services would be 'disposed with' and they could return to their homes. The representations made by a West Indian were to the effect that when they had completed the work for their taskmasters they would then have money to take them back to their own country. They moreover complained that they were badly treated and were in many respects slaves.

VICTORIA, B. C., June 19.—Under instructions from the British Admiralty, the Shearwater proceeded to the Galapagos group of islands to inquire into a state of slavery which was said to exist there. The alleged slaves were British subjects, natives of the West India Islands. The Galapagos Islands, belong to the republic of Ecuador in South America. It appears that nearly a year ago some thirty West Indians made their way to the Galapagos Islands, which they were engaged to work for a period of six months. Their work consisted in making the primitive bread upon which the natives of the country subsisted. It was found that the West Indians were to be paid for their work, but they were unable to draw their money in advance. At the end of the six months it was found that the West Indians owed their employers a certain sum of money which they were unable to pay. They were then informed that they would have to continue working until they had wiped off the deficit, and that then their services would be 'disposed with' and they could return to their homes. The representations made by a West Indian were to the effect that when they had completed the work for their taskmasters they would then have money to take them back to their own country. They moreover complained that they were badly treated and were in many respects slaves.

Dr. J. W. Robertson, principal of the new Macdonald College, St. Anne de Bellevue, has made provisional arrangements in regard to the institution, and has issued an invitation to intending students to make application for admission. The terms of the announcement are the college will have three departments, viz: (1) The School for Teachers, which provides practical and thorough training for teachers in the art and science of teaching. (2) The School of Agriculture which aims to provide a thorough theoretical and practical training in the several branches of agriculture. (3) The School of Household Science, in which young women receive training in those branches of household economy that make for good home-making. The first term in the school for teaching begins in September next, and ends on December 31, while the second term begins on January 1, and ends on June 30. In the school of agriculture the first term begins on October 1, and ends on December 31, and the second term begins on January 1, and ends on April 30. In the school of household science the first term begins on September 1, and ends on December 31, and the second term begins on January 1, and ends on April 30. The regulations in regard to the admission of teachers are on the same lines as those at McGill Normal School. Other teachers will be admitted for nature-study and school gardens, in household science and in manual training, according to the regulations of the Committee of the College. The conditions are that (1) Candidates must be 18 years of age; (2) Must be recommended by competent authority; (3) Must be certified as to health and morals. Candidates for admission in the school of agriculture must be 17 years of age, must be of good character and health, and must give evidence of past experience in Canada for at least a season. There will be an entrance examination test for students of the one and two-year course.

KINDLING FACTORY IN MAINE BURNED KINGMAN, Me., June 19.—The wood kindling factory owned by Wilbur Grant, was burned to the ground this afternoon, causing a loss of \$25,000. The entire establishment, including a lumber mill, one or two tenements and several other buildings valued at about \$30,000 was threatened, but was saved by the combined efforts of two or three hundred men from the Grant and other mills in the vicinity. The burned building was three stories high and contained some expensive machinery. The fire broke out about two o'clock, and was not under control until more than an hour afterward. Less than a score of men were thrown out of work. Operations in the saw mill will be resumed tomorrow.

INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION AFFAIRS WASHINGTON, June 19.—The Interstate Commerce Commission decided to institute a proceeding of inquiry and investigation into the affairs of the Hamburg-American Packet Company, which is charged by Peter Wright & Sons, general agents at Philadelphia of the Cosmopolitan Shipping Company and the Cosmopolitan lines, with pooling and maintaining monopolies in restraint of trade. The inquiry is expected to be one of the most stupendous ever undertaken.

CIRCUS FAMILIES DYING OUT. In this country the circus families are fast dying out. The reasons are many. Primarily, circus parents, instead of bringing up their children to become performers, encourage them to seek some other calling, because the opportunities for success are greater in business or the professions, and the danger is less. For in most of the acts a circus performer constantly risks life and limb. Moreover, salaries are not commensurate with the long years of preparation, and hard work, and the brevity of a performer's active life. Furthermore, the big circuses, with more than one ring, do not tend to develop really finished performers, since no act has the undivided attention of the spectators. All these influences are diverting circus people from their hereditary employment. So we go to Europe for the big acts. There, a child may be apprenticed at six; and there is still a high standard for the fine points, since they have but one ring. Also, and this is highly important, the rule is to give only one afternoon performance a week, thus allowing the performers the whole day for practice.—"The Aristocracy of the Circus," in the July Everybody's.

DR. FALCONER BUSY TORONTO, June 19.—Dr. Falconer, recently appointed president of the University of Toronto, is hard at work. At a luncheon he has been consulting with various members of the staff, one entering his office as another leaves. He has also inspected several university buildings. "Yes, I'm very busy," said Dr. Falconer today, "there is a great amount of work to look into, though I cannot say exactly how long I will be here. I expect to be in Toronto till the end of the first week in July."



NOT THE RIGHT TENDER. "Did you tell papa how tender your love is for me, darling?" "I did, sweetheart, but he only laughed and said it was legal tender he wanted to see before we could do business."

ANOTHER WRIT IN CONNECTION WITH THE ONTARIO BANK AFFAIR TORONTO, June 19.—A writ worded somewhat similar to that issued against G. R. Cookburn, former president of the Ontario Bank, was filed at Osgoode Hall today naming Ruffin Grass, director, as defendant and the Ontario Bank plaintiff. The bank's claim, according to the endorsement on the writ, is for \$4,750 and interest from 29th day of January, 1905, being the money had and received by the defendant for the use of the plaintiff.

PROVINCIALISTS WHO GRADUATED FROM TUFTS COLLEGE, BOSTON BOSTON, June 19.—At Tufts College today the following provincialists graduated: Dental school—Kenneth MacKillop, Loch Lomond, N. B.; Geo. W. Tingloy and Patrick J. Gallagher, both of Moncton; Thomas E. Robbins, Charlottetown; medical doctor, Roger Dexter, Brooklyn, N. S. Smith College graduated Miss Rosamond M. Archibald, Wolfville, N. S.

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CANADA THE HOME. Popular Children Are Well Treated, Says John Burns. LONDON, June 20.—In the house of commons today Mr. John Burns, replying to the Labor members in reference to a girl eight years of age being sent to Canada by the Paddington guardians, stated that when he was in Canada eighteen months ago he looked into the question of the reception of children from pauper and industrial schools, and he was more than pleased at the excellent homes to which the majority of the children were sent. In this case he was satisfied the child was being sent to a good home.

Every Woman. A new soap for the face, which is soft and soother, and which does not dry the skin, but keeps it moist and healthy. It is the best for the face, and is sold everywhere. E. W. GILLETTE COMPANY, TORONTO, ONT.

GILLETTE'S PURE POWDERED LIME. Ready for Use in Any Quantity. For making SOAP, whitening, bleaching, scouring, and for all other purposes. A can weighs 20 pounds. See Soda.

ANNUAL MEETING OF KINGS ALUMNI

Dr. Bouden, President of the College, Entertained Friends at Luncheon—Convention Today.

WINDSOR, N. S., June 19.—The annual meeting of the Kings College Alumni was held today in Convocation Hall. The only matter of interest brought before the meeting was a motion to recommend the governors to increase the fees. This was strongly opposed by Hon. Mr. Justice Hastings, St. John, and after considerable discussion it was decided not to do anything at present.

The following officers of the society were elected: Dr. Trueman re-elected president; E. J. Wilson, secretary; A. C. Fairweather, St. John; W. L. Payzant, Halifax, were elected to the executive. The meeting then proceeded to the election of representatives to the Board of Governors. The Right Reverend the Bishop of Fredericton, W. C. Milner, Halifax, and James Morrow, Halifax, were elected. Bishop Richardson, C. S. Wilcox, Windsor; W. C. Milner, Dr. M. A. B. Smith, Dartmouth; Rev. G. R. Martell, M. A. Macdonald were elected to the executive committee of the governors.

The president, Dr. Bouden, entertained a large number of the visitors at luncheon today. In the afternoon the bats cricket match between the college and the town was played. This game, which was very exciting and witnessed by a large crowd, was won by the town. The Cogswell bats given annually for the highest scores in the main assembly room will be 32 x 28 feet, with adjoining wings about 10 feet square. One of these small rooms will be used as reading and writing room for competitors, the other as a president's room, in which will be held meetings of the association.

The main entrance, consisting of double glass paneled doors, with small side doors, will be a large kitchen with pantries, etc. James L. McAvity has announced his intention of presenting to the association the entire furnishings of this room, including a large Glenwood range.

Other friends have asked to be allowed to express their good will in a tangible manner and the rooms and walls will no doubt bear eloquent testimony to the interest being taken in the work now being done by the P. R. A.

Where to Go Tonight. If you would keep cool and enjoy a good exhilarating glide over the smooth roller rink floor in Canada, go to the Queen's Rollway tonight, recommended by competent authority: (3) Must be certified as to health and morals.

Change of programs at the Nickel today, and it seems as if it comes almost too soon, for last night's attendance was so large that it indicated a still further eagerness on the part of the public to see the late series of motion pictures. However, the policy of the Nickel management is to vary the programme twice a week and patrons appreciate it. Commencing today will be shown until Saturday night: A Wayward Son, the name of which describes the film; A Terrible Experience—something to make everybody sit up and take notice, and two comical pictures entitled Pals, and Wet Paint.

"Fania," the new illustrated song, is out of the ordinary. It is Spanish in spirit and most elaborately pictured. The lyric is by Edward Gardner and the score by A. Keller, which is a guarantee of its worth. Jelf & Haer are the publishers, a house responsible for many of the biggest hits of the last few years.

THE METHODIST CONFERENCE. ST. STEPHEN, N. B., June 19.—At the Methodist conference today, Messrs. Patterson, Gould and Lertin were received as candidates for the ministry. The pastoral address was read by Mr. Kirby. Rev. E. Styles, a Wesleyan minister from the West Indies, was received by the conference. The sustentation meeting was held in the evening. Addresses by Revs. Squires, King and Flemington were delivered. Receipts for the year are \$1,850. There were pastoral addresses from Rev. Mr. Hicks and Rev. Wm. Penna.

PEN-ANGLE GUARANTEED UNDERWEAR

Underwear made-to-order, for you couldn't possibly wear it in our equal. Can't break our stretch and hold up longer than last other make, and is sold with a guarantee that it never gets against any possible fault. Trade-mark like this in red as a sign of value. Made in many fabrics and styles, at regular prices, in forming sizes for women, men and children.

NICKEL THEATRE HAS BECOME TOO POPULAR

Chief Clark Protests Against People Being Allowed to Remain in the Aisles.

The Nickel Theatre has certainly become a popular institution, so much so in fact that the authorities have been forced to complain that the crowds are permitted to remain in the place of amusement in numbers beyond the limit permitted by the city by-laws.

Chief Clark yesterday sent the following letter to Manager Bradford: ST. JOHN, June 19th, 1907. F. G. Bradford, Nickel Theatre, St. John:

Dear Sir—Complaints have come to me about the way you allow the aisles in the Nickel Theatre to be obstructed by persons standing in the same. This is contrary to the city by-law, section 47: "All passages, aisles, stairways or aisles in any public hall, public concert, lecture room, exhibition room, theatre or other place used for public assemblies shall at all times be kept free and clear of all obstructions or encumbrances."

You will please see that it is not contended and that persons attending your theatre will keep the regular seats. Yours respectfully, W. WALKER CLARK, Chief of Police.

FOREST FIRES DOING IMMENSE DAMAGE; THREE LIVES LOST

SAULT STE MARIE, June 18.—It is reported that three men have perished in forest fires near Webwood. Many miles of forest along Algoma Central have been burned and the flames seem to be increasing. A message from Port William says that along the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific there are houses containing large quantities of powder, have been blown up, the houses having caught fire and the powder completing the work of destruction. The powder houses which were destroyed were located at Shiba and Boden Lakes.

Two camps were also destroyed by forest fires. The camps were at Pinmark and Bay of English. The district around Kenora is also being swept by bush fires. W. T. Pearson, who has a G. T. P. contract in this district, lost his grainhouse in the fire. His loss will go over \$2,000.

THE REBUILDING OF UNION STREET

The sub-committee appointed at Tuesday night's meeting of the Board of Works met yesterday afternoon and decided that the acting director should put as large a force of men as possible and proceed at once with the building of a crib work from North Rodney wharf to the northerly face of the new Clarke wharf.

The committee also favored the building of a crib work from the southerly face of the new wharf into Union street. Beyond this to the southward along the line of Union street, piling will be driven to protect the head of the new berth.

General Supt. Downie of the C. P. R. was present at the meeting and agreed that his company would drive the piling and do the filling as much as might be required at cost price. Details of this arrangement will be settled by the engineers.

The committee is composed of Ald. McGoldrick, Bullock, Baskin, Holder and Baxter. All were present with the exception of Ald. Holder, who was out of town.

REVERE, Mass., June 17.—Hugh McLean of Chelsea won the one-hour motor-paced bicycle race at the Revere cycle track today, covering 33 3/4 miles. James Moran of Chelsea was second, and Elmer Collins of Lynn, third.

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