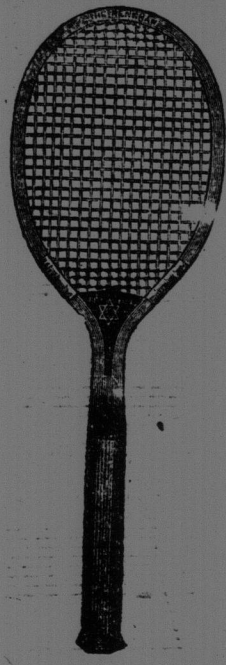


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MULAI HAFID WITH A GREAT ARMY HAS ENTERED FEZ

Held a Thanksgiving Service—Report That European Powers Will Now Recognize Him as Sultan

FEZ, June 12.—Mulai Hafid, the usurping Sultan, arrived here yesterday at the head of an army, which in numbers cannot be estimated. Entered the city between two long lines of soldiers escorted by a body guard of 600 or more. He went straight to the assembly, into which he penetrated bravely to offer up thanks. The German Consul Dr. Holtzman, arrived with Hafid Tuesday. A brother of Mammoud Tas, Ad-El-Asli's Minister of Finance, who has prominently supported Mulai Hafid, declares that he has received a letter from the German Legation at Tangier, stating that when Mulai Hafid entered Fez, Germany would recognize him as Sultan and the other powers would follow suit.

COMMERCIAL HOTEL MAY BE STARTED IN MONCTON

Advance of Rates Will Likely Result in Move by Travellers' Association—A Young Girl's Life Wrecked.

MONCTON, June 12.—The advance of rates by the three principal hotels in Moncton may result in the establishment of another hotel here, it is said. From June first rates in Moncton hotels have been placed at \$2.50 per day, the second advance within a short time, and commercial travellers are in arms saying there has been no adequate improvement in the service. Commercial men are making a move, they claim, to arrange for another hotel, their associations guaranteeing the entire patronage of all the members through their newly organized central hotel committee. While the recent advance was stated to be on account of increased prices, the general belief is that it was caused by the rigid enforcement of the Scott Act, which compelled the hotel barroom to close.

A pitiful story of being lured and ruined, told by fourteen year old Annie Gault in the police court yesterday, led to Mrs. Caleb Morrill, nineteen years old, being fined fifty dollars or three months in Dorchester for keeping a bawdy house.

GIRL SUICIDES TO ESCAPE ANARCHISTS REVENGE

School Mistress Kills Herself Rather Than Obey Orders of Revolutionists.

LONDON, June 11.—A despatch to the Times from Reval, reports a tragic incident that recently occurred. A school mistress committed suicide two days before the meeting of King Edward and Emperor Nicholas. She formerly was connected with the revolutionists, who finding that she would be admitted to the platform with the school children to welcome the Emperor on his arrival, ordered her to commit the 'terrorist' act. It is supposed that she had long repented her revolutionary ideas and that she committed suicide to escape the vengeance of the Terrorists.

MURDER AND SUICIDE AT NEVADA RESORT

RENO, Nev., June 11.—Harry McCausland late last night shot and instantly killed "Nan" Harrison, and then sent a bullet through his own head and also died. The tragedy occurred in a local resort where Miss Harrison sang.

McCausland came from Los Angeles and had been travelling in Armour and Company. Miss Harrison was well known in San Francisco having sang at Tait's as well as in New York.

WALL STREET NEWS

NEW YORK, June 12.—Opening prices of stocks showed a dropping tendency but the declines were limited to small fractions for the most active issues and sales were insignificant in volume. Erie declined 1/8 and the P.R. 1/4, as a result of the proposition to fund the maturing coupon on the bonds. There was a small sprinkling of gains mingled with the prevailing losses.

F. B. WINSLOW'S FUNERAL WAS LARGELY ATTENDED

W. T. Whitehead the Victim of an Attack of Heart Weakness This Morning.

FREDERICTON, June 12.—The funeral of the late F. B. Winslow took place at 2.30 this afternoon from the residence King street, and was largely attended. Services were conducted at the cathedral by Dean Schofield, assisted by Sub. Dean Street. Interment was in the cemetery at Springfield, the Rev. Mr. Street officiating at the grave. The pall bearers included the Rev. Mr. Street, Mr. W. T. Whitehead, J. Fraser, Ernest and F. E. Winslow. The chief mourners were Henry B. and William Rainford, Wm. and T. Carleton Lee, W. T. H. Fenwick, Byron Phair, Thos. and B. Rainford, Rev. G. D. Ireland, L. D. Doman, T. C. Allen, J. D. Black, Sherburne, G. Y. Dobbie, Del. Robinson, J. H. Barry, A. R. Silpp, F. B. Street, Dr. McGrath, Geo. N. Babblitt, J. H. Dixon members of the executive government, government officials.

CHARLES B. JEFFERSON DYING IN NEW YORK

Eldest Brother of Famous Actor Recently Seen Here Seriously Ill in New York Hospital.

NEW YORK, June 11.—Charles B. Jefferson, the eldest son of the late John C. Jefferson, the actor, is seriously ill at St. Luke Hospital and it is feared that he may not recover. He has been in the hospital since May 22 suffering from stomach trouble.

RETURNS TO FACE A CHARGE OF LARCENY

Boston Financial Agent Accused of Stealing \$25,000 Gives Himself up to the Police.

BOSTON, June 12.—Cardenio F. King, the financial agent of this city, who for some time maintained extensive offices in Boston and New York and left this city last February, appeared at the police headquarters here today, announced his identity to the official on duty and surrendered himself in connection with an indictment charging him with larceny of \$25,000. The indictment which is in 31 counts, was returned against King two months after he went away and is based on evidence of persons who claimed to have lent money to King for him to buy stock for them and that the stock had not been delivered. It is alleged that King left Boston to deal with the pressure brought to bear by these investors. For days before his departure it is alleged his office was besieged by individuals who were lost by dealings with him. A few days after his disappearance a receiver was appointed to take care of King's business and after an examination of the books, it was found that only a few dollars in cash and bank deposits remained.

I. C. R. PENSION BOARD CONSIDERS APPLICATIONS

MONCTON, N. B., June 12.—Upwards of half a hundred petitions for pensions were received and considered at the meeting of the I. C. R. pension board in Moncton for two days. This was practically all the business before the board. In connection with the operation of the pension fund it has been decided to do away with staff books in which the record of employees was kept and instead a system of time cards has been inaugurated. These cards are to be sent out among employees to fill in and return.

In the I. C. R. yard here early this morning fireman O. Wortman had his hand crushed between cars. He will lose two fingers.

BIG PLANT BURNING IN KANSAS CITY

Packing Concern in Flames—Firemen Can Do Nothing—Blaze is in the Flooded District and Cannot be Reached—Five Men Reported Killed.

KANSAS CITY, June 12.—Fire which started before daylight in the million and half dollar packing plant of Nelson Morris and Company in Kansas City, Kansas, had by nine o'clock progressed so far that it was feared the entire structure would be destroyed. At that hour dynamite was being used to stop the flames. Two laborers had been killed and another man was injured.

The plant is in the flooded district and is entirely surrounded by water. The fire was started by an explosion in the chemical department and the flames spread rapidly. Because of the flood, the firemen were unable to reach nearer than within two blocks of the building with their apparatus and had been asked of the Missouri side, but the engines from there could not get across the flooded district.

KANSAS CITY, June 12.—The main building of the Nelson Morris Packing plant is done up. Five men have been killed. There is talk of dynamiting some of the other buildings.

KANSAS CITY, June 12.—The sausage department was the first to go. The contents of this building furnished much of the inflammable material for the flames and when the first streams could be turned, this section of the plant was doomed. Then another part of the plant was destroyed by the flood, it was difficult to get at once an accurate estimate of the loss.

The Nelson Morris plant is situated near the Riverside section, on a low piece of ground. It was built three years ago and was one of the most complete in the country. For three days past of the worst phases of the present flood began, there had been no slaughtering at the plant and operations were practically a standstill. Men had been kept at work day and night trying to save the meats on hand and pumping basins in the basement.

When the plant was completed January 7, 1906, it was valued at \$2,250,000, of which the buildings represented \$1,245,000, the machinery \$488,000, and miscellaneous equipments \$525,000. The loss of meat is estimated at \$1,000,000. The loss of the plant and its contents before the water shut down the plant.

ANTI-GAMBLING BILL PASSED BY ONE BALLOT

Senator Crawled from Death-bed to Vote

Senate Tied on Bills—Senator Foelker Relieves Situation at Risk of His Own Life.

ALBANY, June 11.—After a struggle like of which no man in or about the legislature has seen, the Agnew-Hart anti race gambling bill has now laws of the state of New York.

A few minutes before 2 p. m. the extraordinary session of the legislature of 1908 adjourned without date. The decisive vote was cast by Otto G. Hughes, of the 4th Senate district, of Brooklyn, who crawled from a sick bed and made a 60 mile railroad journey to do it, so weak and distressed in mind and body, that he appeared on the verge of utter collapse.

Gov. Hughes late this afternoon recorded his appreciation of Senator Foelker's action in a letter to the Senator, in which he says: "Your courageous performance of duty at so grave a risk deserves the highest praise and will long be pointed out as a fine illustration of fidelity and patriotic devotion to the interests of the State."

FUNERALS.

The funeral of Mrs. Susan Flynn took place at 2.30 this afternoon from her late residence, Brussels street, to the Cathedral, where Father Holland read the service and thence to the new Catholic cemetery, where the interment was made.

The funeral of the late Levi T. Parlee was held at 2.30 this afternoon from the residence, 11 Frederic street, by Rev. T. G. Cracknell, and the interment was made in Fernhill cemetery.

The Neptune Rowing Club boat-house has been brought over from west St. John and placed in the slip at York Point. Until the berth is made ready for it the boat-house will lie at the eastern side of the I. C. R. wharf. The steps leading down to it are now being completed.

FRENCH MILITARY OFFICER DEGRADED FOR TREASON

J. J. CONNORS CANNOT FIND A LOCATION—His Liquor License Withdrawn in One Ward, Refused in Another; Petition Against Him in Third.

A special meeting of the liquor license commissioners will be held tomorrow afternoon to consider the application of J. J. Connors for a license to open a saloon in Duke's ward. Connors formerly had a liquor store on Sydney street but was forced to move when the number of licenses was reduced in that ward. He next tried to obtain permission to do business on Waterloo street, but was refused owing to the petition of the Eversy Day Club and others. He is having a hard time to find a site for the commissioners have received the following petition from the residents of Duke's ward, addressed to the chairman of the board of liquor license commissioners.

"We, the undersigned ratepayers of Duke's ward, being informed that J. J. Connors has made application for a license to sell spirituous and fermented liquor at Reeds Point, near the corner of St. James and Prince Wm. streets do hereby signify our objections to the granting of such license, on the ground that it will be against the peace and quiet of the vicinity and that there being already on such place on the corner of Britain street and several others along Prince Wm. street, another is not at all required and would be objectionable in such a place."

Signed: Fred L. Ederick, C. E. Reed, R. D. Lewis, Louis Nelson, Jas. Bowring, Adj. J. Royden Thomson, R. T. Leavitt, H. W. Macdonald, C. E. Barbour, Robt. Barbour, Frank C. White, S. H. Davis, W. W. Holman, Mrs. John Foster and Mrs. C. L. Holman.

TRACK OWNERS TO BLAME FOR ADVERSE LEGISLATION

Sporting Man Talks on New York's New Law—Believes It Will Not be Effective.

CHICAGO, July 12.—The action of the New York Senate yesterday in passing the Anti-Betting Bill came as a surprise to former patrons of the races in Chicago. It is the general opinion that racing will be revived some time, but under different auspices with men of standing at the head, and with short meetings of high class.

John Condon, owner of the Harlem track, said last night: "These waves of so-called reform swing in cycles and I expect to see racing again within my lifetime. I must confess the track owners have themselves largely to blame. I look for betting when races are revived. Of course one must regret the New York action which means practically the crippling of a great industry. In future we shall hope to see racing more of a sport and less of a business."

ANOTHER ADVANCE IN THE PRICE OF MEAT

Britishers Must Pay More—They Still Stick to the Embargo Non-sense

LONDON, June 12.—The retail trade organizations have been notified of a further general rise in the price of meat, the advance being attributed to the shortage of cattle here and the scarcity in America. In the House of Commons last night, several members protested against the board of agriculture's refusal to withdraw the prohibition against the importation of cattle from immediate slaughter from disease free countries, alleging that this refusal was playing into the hands of the American Meat Combination.

Sir Edward Strachey, a representative of the board of agriculture, in the House on behalf of the board, denied that the operations of the so-called most trusted tended to raise the prices. On the contrary, he said the policy of the trust in bringing dead meat into the country in preference to live cattle, is an economic method, tending to lower the prices.

ARRESTS MADE IN ONTARIO BALLOT SCANDAL

HAMILTON, Ont., June 11.—William Lawson and Harry H. Dillabaugh, for whose arrest warrants were issued in connection with the ballot scandal last Saturday, were arrested at their homes yesterday afternoon by Detective Coulter. Lawson, as deputy returning officer, is charged with supplying Dillabaugh with ballots for use in the Ontario election, and Dillabaugh with trying to dispose of them contrary to Ontario election act.

Lieut. Ulmo, Who Sold Plans of Fortresses and Other Secrets to Foreign Powers Stripped of His Uniform in the Presence of His Companions

TOLSON, June 12.—A pitiable spectacle, the degradation of the traitor Charles B. Ulmo, formerly a naval officer, occurred at Stoch Square here today in the presence of an enormous crowd. Ensign Ulmo was arrested at Tolson last October, charged with being a spy. An examination of his effects showed him to be in possession of many valuable documents. Last February he was found guilty by court martial of attempting to sell naval secrets to a foreign power, and sentenced to life imprisonment in a fortress and to be degraded in rank. Train exercises were run into Paris and thousands of people from the surrounding country came to witness the ceremony. They packed the sidewalks and covered the adjacent roofs, walls and ramparts. The pressure of the crowds was so great that it threatened to sweep away the lines of soldiers and sailors drawn up around the square. After the troops had been reinforced with two line regiments, a battery of artillery, and two squadrons of cavalry, Ulmo, wearing his uniform and sword was led into the rectangle, where the commandant read the order that Ulmo had betrayed his country and was not worthy to wear his uniform. Two subalterns then took Ulmo's sword and stripped him of his chevrons and buttons. One of the subalterns broke the sword across his knee and the broken blade at Ulmo's feet. In this plight Ulmo was compelled to march at the head of a squad of soldiers around the rectangle amid the jeers and jeers of the crowd. He walked with his bare head sunk upon his breast and his eyes staring straight in front of him. Tears were streaming down his face. Several thousand recruits who witnessed Ulmo's degradation were greatly impressed by the ceremony. Ulmo will be deported to French Guiana.

THE WATERS LIQUOR SELLING CASE IN POLICE COURT

J. Everett Waters, a Carleton druggist, was today charged with illegally selling liquor on his premises last Saturday and Sunday. Robert Thompson, James McCaffrey, John King and Walter Jones were put on the stand and all testified that they did not purchase nor obtain liquor in Mr. Waters' store on the dates in question.

Geo. A. Henderson conducted the prosecution and asked for a postponement as there were five other witnesses to be called.

D. Mullin, K. C., who appeared for the defence, objected to a postponement as he did not look like a fishing expedition for witnesses. He was informed that it was a case of vindictiveness on the part of the police in having Mr. Waters reported, that other drug stores in Carleton were not reported, and when it was mentioned that there was a rear apartment in the Waters' store, it was safe to say that there was not a drug store in the city that did not have a rear apartment where drugs are sold.

The magistrate said that a person going into a drug store could hear people talking in Carleton and these people have no right there. Certain drug stores in the city have the reputation of selling liquor. The police, he said, did their duty in reporting the place. It is common talk, said His Honor, that you can't get rum in Carleton unless it is in the drug stores. People may talk about the court in the club, or editorials may be written in the papers, but it isn't amount to tuppence. I think the case should be postponed to enable Mr. Henderson to get more witnesses, and it will be taken up again on Tuesday afternoon.

PROBATE COURT

Estate of Charles James Willis. Return of citation on passing of accounts. There are three claims which are disputed, one of them for some \$800. These will be agreed, should be left to the judge for his decision. Evidence of the executors taken. Adjourment till tomorrow. John Kerr, K. C., proctor for the executors, Austin and French, and Brier S. Keith, proctors for claimants.

WASHINGTON'S COMMISSION.

Washington's commission as commander in chief of the United States army was approved by Congress June 11, 1878, and on June 21 of that year he set out on horseback to take command of the forces encamped about Boston.

LATEST WEATHER REPORT

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New lines of silverware, the very thing for wedding presents. Walter H. Irving, the Jeweler, 85 King Street.

R. H. Armstrong of 39 Paradise row has purchased the Temple of Honor property on Main street. The demolition of the building will begin today.

Rev. A. L. Johnson, of London, Eng., a graduate of Spurgeon College, will preach at the meeting until some serious in Ludlow street United Baptist church on Sunday.

F. T. Dunlop, of this city has passed successfully the final seasonal examinations in the third year of the faculty of medicine, at McGill and is now taking a special course in surgery at the Montreal general hospital.

James Oullinan, who resides at 22 Celebration street, had three ribs broken about 4 o'clock last evening by falling under the wheels of a heavy sled he was driving along the south side of King Square.

Last evening on the Shamrock grounds, St. Peter's, leaders in the Inter-Society League, took St. John the Baptist into camp by a score of 7 to 0. There was a large crowd present. Despite the errors made by the South End boys, they were dangerous at times.

Last evening was Ladies Night at the Victoria Roller rink and a large crowd skated to the splendid music furnished by the band. The rink will be open this afternoon and tomorrow afternoon and evening. The band will be in attendance at night.

Van Carl left Monday morning for St. John where he has accepted a position in the York cotton mill as second carder. Mr. Carl has been employed as card grinder in the St. Croix mill for a number of years.—Beacon.

Yesterday morning another little girl lost her way and was found wandering about on St. James' street by Sgt. Caples. The child was taken to the police station to wait until some one called for her. She said her name was Catherine Rubina, and no difficulty was experienced in finding her mother. She was the daughter of Mrs. Robt. Rubina, 10 King street east.

Forty-five veterans of the South African war met in the drill shed last evening and decided to participate in the church parade here on Sunday. The veterans will meet at 1:30 o'clock on Sunday in the 6th hand rooms on Dantersbury street. Those who haven't uniforms may procure them at the drill shed. It is expected that about fifty veterans will turn out.

Netherwood, the Rotheray school for girls, will close Thursday afternoon, June 18. The closing exercises will be held in St. Paul's church school house, when certificates and prizes will be awarded and leaving certificates to the graduates of the school. Rev. R. A. Armstrong of Trinity church will address the school. A calligraphic drill will be given on the school grounds at 1:30, after which tea will be served.

Yesterday J. R. Greer, the Waterloo street grocer, George Boutiller and W. Gillespie returned from a three days' fishing trip to the Lepreau river. As a result of their sport on that stream the fishermen brought home with them enough of the speckled beauties to tip the scales at fifty-five pounds, the trout being cleaned. The fish were of a good average size. Edward Shillington and William Garnett of Silver Falls were also fishing on the Lepreau.

The examinations of grade VIII, for entrance to the High School will begin Monday. The number trying the examinations will be about 380. Supt. Bridges thinks that a new room will have to be opened in the exhibition hall in the High School. The High School contains 13 rooms and the rooms on the top story have been used for private lessons. There are 150 more pupils at High School now than ten years ago.

AT THE UNION. Another appeal suit for Saturday, at the Union Clothing Company, 15-17 Charlotte street, opposite City Market.

JESSIE ELDRIDGE SOUTHWICK, of Emerson College of Oratory, Boston, will read in Trinity school room, June 15th. Admission, 25 cents.

Every woman is interested and should know about this MARVEL WHITING SPRAY. It is the new Yagel's Whiting. It is a most valuable remedy for all skin diseases, itching, pimples, freckles, etc. It is a full and complete skin treatment. Write to the manufacturer, WINDSOR SUPPLY CO., Windsor, Ont.

COMMISSION APPROVED FOR SAINT JOHN HARBOR

City to be Reimbursed for All Its Expenditure--Plans for Future Framed

OTTAWA, June 11.—The important proposal of placing a portion of St. John harbor under a commission and plans for the general development of the harbor for export business were discussed tonight by Hon. Dr. Pugsley and a delegation from St. John consisting of Mayor Bullock, Ald. Frink, Ald. Eikin, Ald. Baxter and H. B. Sebold of the St. John Board of Trade. The location of the new drill hall was discussed at a meeting in the afternoon at which there were present the whole delegation with Dr. Pugsley and Sir Frederick Borden, Minister of Militia. The Ministers both expressed themselves in favor of placing an amount in the supplementary estimates for the purchase of a site. It is possible the city will be called upon to make an indirect contribution by purchasing from the government a portion of the Barracks Point military grounds. In discussing the question of the harbor trust or the C. P. R. it was suggested, should cover all the expenditures St. John has made by lump sum or instalment. The minister was asked to proceed as rapidly as possible. It was agreed that the government and the city should co-operate in including the C. P. R. to convey to the commission the unoccupied portion of the 1,500 foot strip down the bar which is leased to them. If the city should approve of its plan of harbor commission they will forward a draft of necessary legislation for enactment at this session. It was also urged that the Minister should use the balance of this year's appropriations for the wharf and warehouses and extensions and for paying the cost of dredging now under contract in the vicinity of the Beach light, looking toward the future extension of harbor improvements in that vicinity from the Clark and Adams wharf to the harbor front, according to the plans of the Public Works Department recently modified. This will make number six berth about 700 feet long and the north side berth over 600 feet in length. It is probable that the city will be called upon to contribute to the cost of the wharf which would be taken over by the commission, whether they were erected by the port or the C. P. R. It was also urged by the delegation that the Negro Town Point breakwater be extended to Partridge Island as early as possible and that improvements down the Beacon bar, which are outlined by Engineer Shewen's plan, be carried out gradually, as demanded by the business of the port. The matter of borings in Courtenay Bay was discussed. This matter will be taken up in Montreal with Mr. Morse of the G. T. P. Friday. Mr. Frink and Mr. Eikin will remain in Ottawa to consult with Engineer Shewen respecting the extension of the breakwater. They will also go to see the Minister of Railways with reference to the abutment at Marsh Bridge.

TIRE OF LIFE, DESPERATE MAN ATTEMPTS TO JUMP OFF BRIDGE

In a fit of despondency, R. B. Davis, or William Myles, determined to end his life yesterday afternoon by jumping from the suspension bridge over the wharfing rapids below, and would have executed his design but for the intervention of passerby. It seems that Watchman Burns, who is stationed near the bridge, had a call from Davis about four o'clock. Davis told the watchman that he was going to end his life by jumping off the bridge into the water. Although his assertions were not taken seriously by Burns and others in his office, one of the number, William Quinlan, who was in the office at the time, saw Davis and tried to dissuade him from the act. When Davis reached the bridge he made a rush for the railing and was partly over when Quinlan reached him. The desperate would-be suicide made frantic efforts to get loose from the man who had been taken to the North End police station. POLICE SUMMONED. Policeman Rankin was summoned by phone. Meanwhile the two men held Davis while he hung suspended from the bridge and fought desperately. He was released. When Policeman Rankin arrived Davis was drawn back to the station and taken to the North End police station. After being lodged in a cell an attempt was made to learn the reason for attempting suicide. He declared emphatically that he was tired of life and would go on in spite of the people who tried to prevent him. "I will starve myself to death," he said. "Not a particle of food will I eat. I want to die and if it takes me a week to get to this place I will succeed in killing myself." Several times he was asked his name but would not answer. In the evening he was put into a carriage and taken to the central police station, where Dr. D. E. Berryman was summoned. A thorough examination was made by the doctor. The man was found to be suffering greatly from nervousness. The doctor said that this condition might be permanent or it might pass off in a day or two. While at the station the man was again asked to tell who he was. He then gave his name as William Myles. He said he was fifty-nine years of age and had lived in Chelsea, Mass. BORN IN ST. JOHN. He said he was born in St. John and that about thirty years ago he went to Chelsea and opened business there. He had been successful for years, but the fire of a few months ago had destroyed all his possessions and he was now penniless. He added that he lost several good horses and also the safe in which his money was kept. This had preyed upon his mind. He felt that the amount lost could never be regained. Several times he asked why the men had interfered when he tried to end his life, and seemed to be very dependent and melancholy. Whether the story told by him to the police is correct or not is not known. It is evidently true, however, that he has been living in St. John for some time at the Park Hotel. He was identified last night by those who had known him at the hotel. He came to the Park Hotel on June 1 and registered as R. B. Davis of Fredericton, and occupied room 34.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY CONCLUDES BUSINESS

Members Worked Hard Until Midnight to Get Through. WINNIPEG, Man., Jan. 11.—At the General Assembly this morning the debate on Queen's University's future relations with the Church, was continued. The different factions opposed to Principal Patrick's report got together and agreed on an amendment reaffirming the position taken by the assembly in 1904, proposing to remit a memorial to the trustees to consider the steps to provide a retiring allowance for aged and infirm professors, which means the church would provide pensions and make the university independent of the Carnegie funds. This amendment carried by sixty-seven to fifty-three, and the resolution of the Queen's committee is thus defeated. By working vigorously until the approach of midnight, the thirty-fourth General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church came to a conclusion tonight. An immense amount of business was transacted during the day, and many heavy topics were passed in review. Nearly all the commissioners have already left the city and the attendance at the closing adjournment was small. The general opinion is that the meeting has been one of the largest and most important since the union, and every satisfaction is felt at the volume and nature of the work accomplished. The reports of Sabbath Observance were received and cordially approved. Alfred Chandler made an excellent address, presenting the report of the committee on systematic giving. John Lewden of Toronto gave an outline of the progress of the laymen's missionary movement. A large number of reports were considered during the evening session. These included the widows and orphans' fund, western section, the church and manse building fund, Presbyterian Church, hymnal committee, method of appointing standing committees, protection of church property, uniformity of worship, formal and routine business occupying the balance of the session.

WHEAT TO EXCEED 100,000,000 BUSH.

Estimate of Western Crops After a Careful Inquiry Great Increase in Acreage Due to Immigration Responsible, Together With Favorable Weather. WINNIPEG, June 10.—After conducting a thorough inquiry throughout the entire west, the Western Associated Farmers in a statement issued here tonight reported that the wheat crop this year is sure to be over 100,000,000 bushels. The increase in acreage is likely to prove 25 per cent, and some districts report such encouraging figures that it is not improbable that when the wheat has been harvested the figure can be placed at 35 per cent. This most encouraging state of affairs is due to the fact that the immigration into Western Canada during the past year has been very numerous. The majority of newcomers did not remain in the cities, but took up land in the country sections, and at once commenced to cultivate it. The early spring also was a great factor, and the farmers were enabled to get to work before the 1st of April. 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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—One flag pole, 43 feet long. Apply A. E. Hamilton, contractor, Brussels street, Phone 1623.

WANTED

WANTED—A trouser maker. Steady employment. Apply to LeBaron Wilson, 76 Germain street. 11-6-4.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Dwelling house on McLaughlin Road. Five minutes walk from street cars, two flats and basement along with stable, etc. Ground rent low. Insurance low. Apply on premises. MRS. JANE MOORE, owner. 9-6-4.

WANTED

WANTED—Persons to grow mushrooms for us at home—waste space in cellar, garden or farm can be made to yield 15 to 25 per week—Send stamp for illustrated booklet and full particulars. Montreal Supply Co., Montreal. 11-6-4.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A canvas covered rowing and sailing boat. In perfect order. Apply C. J. Elderkin, City Road. 6-6-4.

WANTED

WANTED—A bright, intelligent lad as office boy. Apply in own handwriting, naming references, to Box 475, Star Office. 12-6-4.

ROOMS AND BOARDING

FRONT PARLOR, furnished, at 173 Charlotte Street. 10-6-4.

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REAL ESTATE

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ARTICLES FOR SALE

PERFORATED SEATS DIFFERENT shapes and sizes, bring pattern. Varnish, Stains, Shellac, Oil, Turpentine, Enamels, Paints, Glass and Putty, Shell Hardware, Duval, 17 Waterloo Street.

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LOST AND FOUND

LOST—A pair of spectacles between Centenary church and Leinster street, by way of Princess and Pitt. Finder please return to Mrs. Piercey, 131 Leinster street. 11-6-4.

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Great Bargains in Clothing AT The Union!

We never speak of bargains in Clothing unless we have genuine bargains to show. A new line of Boys' and Men's Clothing just received will interest you.

Union Clothing Company, 26-28 Charlotte Street, Opposite City Market. ALEXANDER CORBET, Manager.

DOMESTICS WANTED

WANTED—Dining room girl. OTTAWA HOTEL. 11-6-4.

WEDDINGS OF BRITISH NOBILITY.

The approaching marriage of a peer, now in his seventh month year, is causing much interest in London society.

SCENIC ROUTE.

Steamer Maggie Miller leaves Mill Cove for Summersville, Kennebec Island and Baywater, daily except Saturday and Sunday.

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GERMAN FRANCHISE REFORM

Socialist Success Gained at the Expense of the Radicals.

WOULD TAX BARKS

OF DOGS AT \$5 UP Bites Put at Same Rate in Ordinance to Montreal-Ridden Town.

TO LET

TO LET—Large (furnished) room without board. Central. Box 412, Star Office. 26-5-10.

REMARKABLE CAREER.

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MONCTON SOON

TO HAVE A FREE POSTAL DELIVERY

MONCTON, N. B., June 11.—Moncton is to have a free postal delivery system to go into effect in the very near future. This was the welcome news conveyed to the city by a telegram received this afternoon from Hon. H. R. Emmerson, M. P., at Ottawa.

CANADIAN MEDICAL MEN

ELECT OFFICERS

OTTAWA, June 11.—The Canadian Medical Association concluded its annual meeting here today. Winnipeg was selected as the next place of meeting.

SHOT HIS WIFE, THEN

KILLED HIMSELF

CORBET, June 11.—The village of Corbet, about 25 miles north of here, was the scene of a double tragedy yesterday afternoon, when Chas. E. Marshall, aged 32 years, shot and killed his wife, Nellie Gray, aged 24 years, and then shot himself, blowing the top of his head off.

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AUCTIONS.

Fruit and Produce.

Fresh arrivals every week from Boston. Spinach, Cucumbers, Tomatoes, Rhubarb, Cabbage, Strawberries, etc.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

Piano Economy

In buying a piano, it is a mistake to pay too much and absolutely disastrous to pay too little.

WORMWORTH & CO. PIANOS

SOLE AGENCY HERE BELL'S PIANO STORE 79 Germain Street

CANADIAN PACIFIC

Passenger Train Service from St. John, N. B. Effective June 14th. Atlantic Time.

ARRIVALS

6:45 A. M.—Boston Express for Bangor, Portland, Boston, etc.

DEPARTURES

6:45 A. M.—Suburban for Welford and intermediate points.

ARRIVALS

7:30 A. M.—Suburban from Welford. 8:55 A. M.—Frederick Express.

DEPARTURES

10:40 A. M.—Boston Express. 11:50 P. M.—Suburban for Welford.

CITY TICKET OFFICE

3 King St. St. John, N. B. Telephone, 271. GEORGE CARVILLE, C. T. A. Moncton, Feb. 1st, 1924.

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THE HABIT OF THRIFT.

Reference has been made, on various occasions during the past year, to the fact that deposits in the government savings bank show a marked decrease monthly, while withdrawals appear to be increasing in volume at an even greater rate. In discussing this circumstance different explanations have been offered. Many are of the opinion that the shrinkage of deposits, and accompanying expenditure of money previously set aside, is due in a large measure to what is regarded as a period of depression in industry and commerce. No doubt this is to some extent true, but it must be obvious that other causes are more or less directly responsible for bringing about what can be looked upon only as an unfortunate condition. Men and women of the present day are not so particular about the absolute security of their savings, but are inclined to seek by industrial or other investment larger profits than are derived from the ordinary savings bank. The element of gambling which appeals to some, enters here, and induces numbers of those who formerly deposited their spare funds in savings accounts, to take the risk of outside investment on the chance of doubling their interest returns. The fact that withdrawals increase and deposits decrease does not necessarily mean that people are generally avoiding the savings bank, though this is in part correct. In St. John during the past few years a number of branches of commercial banks all of them operating savings departments, have been opened, and all are bidding for a share of that business which was formerly monopolized by the Dominion savings bank. These commercial institutions pay interest at the rate of three per cent, the same as in the federal institution, but under the Dominion system it is added only yearly. This feature attracts many customers who naturally suppose that interest compounded frequently means larger earnings. This, indeed, is true, but as a matter of fact the difference between the two systems would probably be two and one-half cents on a dollar, in fifteen years. Yet even this acts against the Dominion Savings Bank and produces a poorer showing.

As regards the demand for money because of depression, no doubt this is responsible for a fair share of the decrease in business. It has been found to be so in all periods of dullness, and there is no reason why the present season should prove an exception. Moreover, the gradual increase in the amount of withdrawals would seem to indicate that persons are feeling more and more the scarcity of money and finding it incumbent upon them to draw upon their savings. This might be regarded as an indication of the fact, scarcely perceptible, that St. John is to some extent affected by the prevailing gloom in trade. This is true but the effect is not yet such as to be regarded seriously. But over and above all these things it can scarcely be doubted that the principal cause of decreasing deposits and increasing withdrawals is the growing tendency toward extravagance. Most of us find satisfaction in complaining of the extremely high cost of living, yet seldom stop to think that we ourselves, by demanding in every day use many of those things which we formerly regarded as luxuries, are adding to our own burdens. In the past half dozen years advanced, but this advance has been in a large measure due to the increased demand resultant from the desire to spend, and not from necessity. Moreover, there have been added to the list of those commodities, as necessities, many new items which until recent years were not reckoned as part of ordinary living expenses. People dress better than they used to; they live better and demand larger and more comfortable houses. If the cost of living has advanced it is due to ourselves. This tendency towards extravagance is very marked and while it is almost impossible to overcome, being national in its extent, it is worthy of attention on the part of those devoted to the study of such matters. France was saved during a recent financial crisis by the stocking and teapot banks of the peasants. When money was needed for national purposes it was not found necessary to raise it in the foreign markets. Loans were subscribed over and over again at home, and statistics show that the per capita wealth of France is greater than that of any other country. The people there have the habit of thrift and practice it. In Canada it has never existed to such an extent, yet the people have in former years appreciated the importance of living within their incomes, and setting aside a little each week. It is to be feared, judging from the reports of the savings banks that this habit is growing weaker and that the practice of preparing for a rainy day

is giving way to the somewhat selfish desire for present enjoyment, which of course means extravagance.

THE POETICAL SITUATION. Magazine editors find that they have a surplus of poetry and are trying to dispose of it to other publications at less than half what they paid for it. Current Note.

Here's one result of financial stringency—Never a cent 'gainst the present contingency; Poets look delectably up, with a twinge, and see

Hopes that they cherished now fading away. Market overstocked! Did you e'er see the heat of it? Verse undigested—the mocking conceit of it! Now they're rereading it, yards of it, feet of it—Fled are our dreams of three square meals a day.

Villanelles, dodecaux and sonnets, yes, haiku of 'em, All works of art from the heads to the tails of 'em, Marked down to zero to hurry the sales of 'em, Tubs of 'em, pails of 'em, sold for a song. Haul down the banners, no longer there's room for us, Summer this year holds no sublime perfume for us; Nowhere the flowers seem to blossom and bloom for us; All around doom for us looms pretty strong.

Once we, with show of undaunted temerity, Flung the editor's chilling severity, Gave him the glad hand of ambling stercority, And the result was the usual check. Nor did we waste any moment in petting it, Soon as 'twas cashed we were gloriously letting it, Fly with a prodigal hand—now we're getting it. Sadly, assuredly, right in the neck.

Points of passion and daring precocity, Strong armed retailers of rhymed strenuosity, Weak, feeble mortals who strain at jocosity—Destiny now strikes her ultimate knell. Trusts literary some day will cease plundering, Editors too will get over their blundering. And as I pen these few stanzas I'm wondering If there's a ghost of a chance that the 'g' will sell.

A Scotchman, wishing to know his fate at once, telegraphed a proposal of marriage to the lady of his choice. After spending the entire day at the telegraph office he was finally rewarded late in the evening by an affirmative answer.

"If I were you," suggested the operator, "I'd think twice before I'd marry a girl that kept me waiting all day for my answer."

"No, no," retorted the Scot. "The lines who waits for the night rates is the lass for me."

"First Burglar.—Hark! I hear someone talking. Second Burglar.—What's he saying? First Burglar.—That he never will bet on another horse as long as he lives. Second Burglar.—Let's get out of this. No money here; he's lost every cent."

"She sings at the theatre to keep the wolf from the door of their little home." "Why doesn't she sing at the door of their little home?"

Attorney—What did the firm tell you? Client—That no lawyer would be hired unless he could take my case. Attorney—Yes; and then what did you do? Client—Came right over and engaged you.

"Poor Adam!" sighed Mr. Nuppon. "Why poor Adam?" demanded Mrs. N. "He didn't have anybody to whom he could tell the bright things little Cain said."

LITTLE, BUT GOOD. Time is money to everybody but a loafer. A poor opinion is better than none at all. When a man aims at nothing he seldom misses. Those who always pay cash seldom owe an apology. Flattery will make even a brunette light-headed. Most women would rather be tall-made than self-made. When a wise man gets really angry, he goes away and sits down. Fortunate is the man who never knows when he gets the worst of it. Never interfere with the busy bee unless you want a stinging reproof. Revenge may be sweet, but seeking it is apt to sour one's disposition. Happiness is not the only thing money can't buy; manners, for instance. If a woman would stop to think when she is talking, she might think of some people are too good to be clever, while others are too clever to be good.

The greatest proof of a big man is his indifference to the arrows the little men shoot at him.

TROUBLE IN THE NAVY. Lord Charles Bessford and Sir Percy Scott at Odds.

LONDON, June 11.—It is not generally known that there has been a sequel to the incident between Admiral Lord Charles Bessford and Sir Percy Scott, when the former asked the admiral to haul down Sir Percy's flag, which would mean ruin to the latter's career. The admiral declined to accede to Lord Charles's request, whereupon the admiral ordered Sir Percy to communicate with him in future in writing only. It is stated now that it is a question in regard to the efficiency of the fleet under Lord Charles Bessford's command as to how much longer this state of affairs will be allowed to continue.

FAUST TONIGHT.



The drama of "Faust" will be presented at the Opera House tonight and Saturday afternoon and evening with Mr. Chas. E. Hill, the young actor, in the stellar role. Mr. Hill has portrayed this part of Mephisto for the past six years, and has made a great success of it. The newspaper press of the country all speak in the highest praise of his clever work in this part, and he has surrounded himself with a good acting company. The production and electric effects are all carried by this company and all together go to make a first class production of the celebrated play. The story of the play is known to almost everyone, being a dramatization from the poem of the same name by the well known German author Goethe. This play composed of the plays of the modern school, is far above any of them and is therefore placed among the standard works.

FAIRNESS WRITES AGAIN

ABOUT TELEPHONE GIRLS

Denies That They are Negligent—Not Responsible for Any Defects in the Service

To the Editor of The Star. Sir:—If "One Disappointed" knew anything of the operation of telephone systems he would realize that the weaknesses of which he complains are in no way due to incompetence, or negligence of the girls at the switchboard.

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WHO GOT THE PANTS?

Remarkable Series of Robberies in Sleeping Cars

Passengers Going to North Bay Should Nail Down Their Clothes Before Turning in for the Night

NORTH BAY, June 11.—During the past few days an organized band of crooks have been working Pullman sleeping cars on the C. P. R. and G. T. R. T. Harris, of North Bay, division car foreman, was returning from a trip of inspection on Saturday night, and while sleeping in his berth on the Winnipeg express was robbed of his trunks containing \$30. He was obliged to keep to his berth until an extra pair of uniform trousers was found.

On the same train a man named McLeod lost three coats.

J. Canham, en route to Sprague, Manitoba, from Toronto, arrived in North Bay on Sunday morning poorer by two thousand dollars of negotiable paper, besides ready cash, watch and tickets. Canham was obliged to wait a short time to protect passengers from further trouble of a like nature.

Two men on No. 1 express on Monday night lost their trunks between North Bay and Sudbury while sleeping. The trunks contained a large amount of money and other valuables. The production and electric effects are all carried by this company and all together go to make a first class production of the celebrated play.

FOR THE RECEPTION OF THE PRINCE OF WALES

Warships and Cruisers Will be in Readiness at Quebec

QUEBEC, June 11.—The six British vessels which will form a saluting fleet to receive the Prince of Wales on his arrival in Quebec will be composed of two battleships and four cruisers, carrying the flag of Admiral Sir A. Gore Curzon-Howe, commander of the North Atlantic fleet, and the Albatross, carrying the flag of Rear-Admiral Sir John Jellicoe. The cruisers are the Russell, Duncan, Arrogant and Venus.

Cable has been received from the Earl of Crewe containing the information that these vessels, which it was intended at first should arrive here on the 21st of July, the day before his Royal Highness' arrival, will in his order that they may be coaled and put in readiness for the Prince's reception.

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BAPTISTS IN SESSION

At the annual meeting of the sixth district of the United Baptist Church, commencing yesterday afternoon at 7 o'clock, Rev. H. G. Kennedy presided. The officers for the coming year were chosen as follows:—Chairman, J. Titus, of St. Martins; Rev. H. G. Kennedy, vice chairman; Rev. J. W. Kierstead, re-elected secretary-treasurer. The executive committee is: Rev. R. G. Grant, Hampton; Rev. David Hutchinson, St. John; Rev. A. B. Cohoe, St. John; A. H. Chipman, St. John; Mrs. W. B. McIntyre, St. John; and Mrs. C. W. Weyman, Lower Millstream.

The annual sermon was preached by Rev. A. B. Cohoe and at the conclusion of the sermon A. J. Dearness and C. E. Wasson, of St. John, spoke on B. Y. P. U. work.

At the evening session Mrs. C. W. Weyman, president of the District B. Y. P. U., was in the chair. Mrs. C. H. Horsman, district secretary, read a report on the work of N. R. M. U., showing that there were twenty-four singing societies in the district. Miss Nan Estabrook read a paper on missionary literature.

Dr. Archibald gave an address on education as conducted in the Wolfville institutions, after which the session ended. The meeting will be concluded today.

The Paper Co. at Woodland is continuing its efforts to prevent the sale of liquor on the Canadian side of the river opposite their property and caused information to be laid before L. A. Mills against a supposed offender. Constable S. E. Mills went on Monday and arrested the man named in the warrant given him, and brought him to St. Stephen where he was tried Tuesday morning. The witnesses brought against him averred that he was the wrong man and that it was his brother from whom liquor was purchased, and the prisoner was released.—Beacon.

OXFORDS! The general impression has been that men don't take kindly to low shoes. It is a mistake. The men are all right. The trouble has been with the shoes. For summer wear we have a good kind—a kind so good every man will want a pair as soon as he sees them. This is going to be a great Low Shoe season. Come first and get first pick. New styles—new prices—that you will say are low enough. D. MONAHAN, 32 Charlotte Street. The Home of Good Shoes.

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BARGAINS! 80 pairs Lace Curtains, regular price \$1 and \$1.25 pair, your choice 75 cents pair. We want to clear these out regardless of cost. 3 yards and 3 1/2 yards. 100 dozen Ladies' Stockings fast black 15 to 18 cents pair. Sale price 10 cents. 50 children's straw hats, 15 to 25 cent value for 10 cents. 15 dozen Mixing Dishes, slightly chipped, 8 and 10 cents.

McLEAN'S DEPARTMENT STORE, Mill St. THE PENMANSHIP OF PRESENT-DAY NOVELISTS

Among present-day novelists the prize for good handwriting should be awarded to Sir Arthur Conan Doyle. His manuscripts are a perfect picture of clear, precise calligraphy, as easy to read as type.

Probably the most minute as well as the neatest handwriting is that of Fred M. White. Mr. White writes with his own hand, and no one can see when one gets accustomed to his many peculiarities. Another good penman is Max Pemberton, and no one can see so much as his signature without detecting the artist in every curve. He, too, is trying for the eyes for he errs on the side of minuteness.

LITERARY PARADOX. One of the most business-like "fists" is that of Frank T. Bullen, whose "Cruise of the Cachalot" aroused the enthusiasm of Rudyard Kipling. Bullen told the present writer that the very act of writing was a real joy to him, and that he was never happier than when covering page after page with his sloping, schoolmaster-like characters. Seeing that his schooling was almost nil, this very correct style is somewhat remarkable. Another man who routed it in his boyhood and had practically no other school but the street and the factory is Bert Kennedy. He is a literary paradox, for his books are nothing but art and style, and yet his manuscript could almost be read across a street. His writing is very clear and very large.

A popular writer who never uses a typewriter and has no need to do so, if clearness is the object in view, is Silas K. Hocking. He sends in hundreds of pages of MS. all beautifully written with his own hand—a perfect joy to the printer.

ARTISTIC "FISTS." Hall Caine writes a very plain, but not particularly distinguished, hand. Unlike F. T. Bullen, he declares the act of writing bores him, yet he never dictates. He can, however, write anywhere, even, like Mark Twain, in bed. L. T. Meade dictates a good deal, but she has a peculiar and by no means artistic upright style which is not easy to read, although it is not minute and not particularly feminine. Stanley Weyman and J. M. Barrie are both good penmen, but Compton Kernahan often causes brain-aching on account of the smallness of his writing. Guy Thorne and Sidney Warwick have particularly artistic "fists," while Tom Gallon writes a somewhat sloping hand not easy to read. Nearly all his fascinating stories, however, are typed before they are sent to the printers.

COMPASSIONATE PENSIONS. Awarded by War Office to Some Veterans in Canada. OTTAWA, June 11.—Col. Sam Hughes, M. P., has for some time past been interesting himself with the army authorities in England on behalf of a number of Crimean veterans resident in Canada. To strengthen his representations to the War Office, Colonel Hughes invoked the good offices of Lord Grey, and a despatch just received from the Colonial Secretary states that the Army Council has awarded special compassionate pensions, ranging from 9 pence to a shilling a day, to necessitous ex-soldiers, who have received a war medal. This compassionate pension will only be awarded to men who are 65 years of age and upwards. The minimum pension of 9 pence a day is given to those with less than 14 years service, and a shilling a day for 14 years service and upwards. On attaining 70 years of age men in receipt of less than a shilling a day may be granted an increase up to that rate. Veterans of campaigns prior to 1867, who have been wounded or discharged for disability, or are suffering from disability due to their military service, may be granted higher rates of pensions, varying from 18 pence to half a crown a day, according to their rank on discharge. All applications for these compassionate pensions should be addressed to the Secretary Royal Hospital, Chelsea, S. W.

80 CHINESE DROWNED. All the Europeans on the wrecked steamer Pow An, Escaped. HONGKONG, June 11.—The British passenger steamer Pow An, en route from Canton to Hongkong in a blinding snowstorm struck a submerged rock off Lantau Island last night and is a total wreck. All the European passengers and the ship's officers were saved by steamships. About eighty natives are missing. When the ship struck her funnel was snapped off the deck and the deck was crushed up like a bellows. Divers were put to work on the wreck.

BEST PLAN. Johnson—"Don't you think it easier to cuss a woman than to drive her?" Jackson—"Can't say, but I think it's a great deal safer!"

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THE SOLUTION OF THE BRAIN-FAG PROBLEM

Are periods of "brain-fag" inevitable, or do they result from extravagant misuse? What takes place when the mental faculties are actively engaged, and what is the process which involves attempted solution of these problems in the light of modern science forms the subject matter of the present article. An essential element in the composition of brain matter is a soft, delicate substance known as protoplasm. Protoplasm forms the physical basis of life, and forms the inherent power of reproducing itself. It is divided into extremely minute particles, each of which is technically termed a molecule; and because the integrity and the cohesion of a substance reside in its molecules, our thoughts must be directed to molecules of the brain.

MOLECULES WASTE. As the brain proceeds with its work a greater or less quantity of its molecules become impaired, their vitality is so seriously affected that they are rendered incapable of further service. In fact, by the performance of their normal function, they bring about their own destruction. Evidently then, molecular waste of this kind, if it continues without adequate compensation, would eventually terminate in terrible disaster. A time would arrive when insufficient molecules remain to carry on the brain's work. Happily for us, such a dire calamity may easily be averted. Infinite wisdom has ordained that reproduction should closely follow exhaustion, consequently, used-up molecules may be immediately replaced by others of new formation. Given certain molecular destruction as the necessary consequence of brain work, instead of the organ remaining impaired, the damaged parts are instantly made new. Every vacant place caused by decrease of a used-up molecule is quickly occupied by another one newly formed; the fresh tenant being the natural outcome of fertility on the part of molecules remaining intact.

FRESH PARTICLES. A similar natural provision is observable in the growth of a finger nail where living particles are constantly engaged constructing fresh material. As new matter is added to the root the finger nail gradually lengthens, all the surplus is removed from the opposite extremity. The ceaseless manufacture of new stuff goes everywhere in the body, and requires, naturally, a continuous repair of tissue presupposes an adequate supply of fresh material. Now, assuming a thoughtful reader to be engaged in contemplating these facts, a dual process of destruction and reproduction is actively proceeding in the substance of his brain. Each idea that strikes him, every effort of his intellect, causes the breaking up of some of his brain molecules. This destruction is promptly followed by a birth of fresh particles and the new constituents take the place of the old ones. Reproduction is carried out with such speed that the brain is enabled to proceed with its work.

SPENDTHRIFT BRAINS. Under normal circumstances, the disintegrating and reproductive forces exert themselves to such an extent, so that no ill effects are experienced from ordinary and reasonable use of the mental faculties. But in circumstances where an even balance cannot be maintained, there is occasion to fear lest serious complications may ensue. While the existing conditions of life continue, and our habits remain what they are, the desired equilibrium can only be secured with difficulty. Waste of structure proceeds at a greater pace than the work of repair. The brain forces are called upon at times to make a prodigious effort; or they are called upon to sustain a strain which is beyond their capacity. On an occasion arises when thought follows thought with unusual rapidity, precluding the possibility of sufficient reproduction to counterbalance the waste. Clearly, in any such case, the places of used-up molecules cannot all be filled by fresh ones during the course of a few hours' sleep. Therefore, any length of time reduces the number of working units, and renders those available for use too feeble to carry out the necessary repair.

MENTAL BANKRUPTCY. Hence, when brought to this pass, a man is practically on the verge of mental bankruptcy. The losses sustained are beyond his powers of recuperation. Nature warns him by a profound sense of mental weariness, suggesting complete cessation of work and extension of the period of repose. Assuming needed rest is secured, and the destruction of molecules has not gone too far, the reproductive forces again exert themselves, and the brain is permitted to resume its work. During our conscious life the molecular waste is always in excess of the repair. Each day's toll results in an appreciable deficit. During sleep the opposite is the case, for then reproduction is carried on with rapidity, the work of demolition being practically at a standstill. Therefore, a reasonable amount of legitimate work and natural sleep could always be secured, no such thing as mental breakdown would ever occur. The loss resulting from each day's labor would be compensated by the succeeding night's rest.

MOLECULAR EXPENDITURE. But supposing a man's periods of sleep have for some time been unsatisfactory, either too short in duration or too perfervid in character. How does he stand with regard to a deficit? Plainly, his expenditure of molecules has exceeded his income, and he begins each fresh day at a distinct disadvantage. Even then, if the condition be limited to a week or ten days, the deficiency may easily be retrieved by taking more lengthy rest. On the

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THE COURAGE OF "THE GUIDES" OF INDIA

It is exactly fifty years ago since peace and order were restored in India, after the great mutiny, and in the thrilling story of how the result of 20,000 native troops was crushed by some 40,000 European soldiers under Lawrence and Campbell, the name of "The Guides" looms large. The latter were a corps formed in 1846 by Sir Henry Lawrence who, at a time when soldiers fought, marched and lived in tight, tight, high boots, trousers tightly strapped over Wellington boots, and shako which would now be looked upon as a fine order, he decided to raise a troop of comfortably and suitably clad soldiers—trustworthy men who could, at a moment's notice, be sent as guides in the field, collect intelligence, and, in addition, give and take hard blows.

IDOLIZED COMMANDER.

Martinetts of the old school gravely shook their heads and trembled for the discipline of men without stocks and overall, says Colonel Ed. In his story of "The Guides." But, without exaggeration, it may be said that no body of British troops have in the history of the Empire, displayed greater courage and more ready obedience at all times than "The Guides," in spite of the fact that they were recruited from a great number of different tribes. Their first commander was Sir Harry Lumden, a son of a fine old Scottish stock in Aberdeenshire, Scotland who was idolized by his men. This devotion is well illustrated by the following incident. One day Sir John Lawrence said something to annoy Lumden, and this became evident to the faithful followers who did not regard the Lord Sahib as arranged to leave by the straight road tomorrow morning for Peshwar, but with your honor's kind permission we will march to the fighting spirit of "The Guides" but ten years after they had been formed.

NOBLE FIGHTING SPIRIT.

One of the most famous feats accomplished by the corps was their march to Delhi during the Indian Mutiny. The time when their arrival at the city was a great moral effect on the force they came to assist. In the hottest season of the year, they marched 580 miles in just over twenty-one days—an average of twenty-seven miles a day—over a route which was almost impassable in their tremendous march, how soon they would be ready to go into action was the fighting spirit of "The Guides" the reply was: "In just one hour." Such was the fighting spirit of "The Guides" but ten years after they had been formed.

ANNUAL REPORT OF STEEL COMPANY

MONTREAL, June 11.—The annual report of the Dominion Iron and Steel Company being mailed to the shareholders tonight, shows gross profits for the year ending May 31, of \$2,613,259, and net profits after paying interest on bonds and interest on borrowed money of \$1,917,041. To this is added the balance from last year of \$248,711. This sum is to the contingent account, \$63,712 to sinking fund of mortgage bonds and carrying forward \$789,178. The transfer to contingent account covers the extra cost of carrying the steel company being made by the Dominion Iron and Steel Company's assumption of the contract, which is now before the courts. The Steel Company claim against the Coal Company is now given as \$2,928,903. During the year the company manufactured 260,365 tons of steel, as compared with 255,265 tons the preceding year.

SATURDAY SPECIAL

For this Saturday only we have a snap on Children's Straw Hats.

98 Cents for regular \$1.25 and \$1.50 Hats

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St. John, N. B., June 12. We have this last few days received many new lines of shoes and we cannot show you the most of them for a little less money than you can get them for elsewhere.

PATENT LEATHER SHOES, \$12.50, \$15.00, \$18.00, \$20.00, \$22.50, \$25.00, \$27.50, \$30.00, \$32.50, \$35.00, \$37.50, \$40.00, \$42.50, \$45.00, \$47.50, \$50.00, \$52.50, \$55.00, \$57.50, \$60.00, \$62.50, \$65.00, \$67.50, \$70.00, \$72.50, \$75.00, \$77.50, \$80.00, \$82.50, \$85.00, \$87.50, \$90.00, \$92.50, \$95.00, \$97.50, \$100.00.

DEVOTED BRAVERY. Just Retribution at the Cedar. An exceptionally fine and long programme has been secured for the last two days of this week, and is sure to prove a very entertaining and instructive programme. Just Retribution is an exciting drama with many pathos scenes. Marvellous Pacific is a roaring comedy and is a sure cure for the blues, a thousand laughs per minute. Free Admission is another comedy in which the merry widow has taken a few weeks' rest. Views of Fiji, a beautiful panorama of the islands, showing the inhabitants in home-like surroundings. A large number of entries have been received for the amateur contest tonight, and it is promised to be a real treat. Mr. Wallace will be heard in the new march song, Sister.

At the Unique. For today and Saturday the management of the Unique Theatre have something especially good to offer their patrons. Bridal Coups Dolving the Camera is easily the best picture ever shown in St. John. It shows the experience of an American heiress and her husband, the Duke de Something, taken in a few weeks ago. The picture is a first class comedy, showing the experience of a maid and butler who let a bird get out of its cage. A Blind Woman's Story, one of Pathé's latest and best pictures, full of exciting incidents and interesting throughout. Hear Albin in his new song, "The Moon Has Its Eyes on You." Mr. Robert will sing "Good-bye, Glory." Special souvenir matinee Saturday at 2:15 for ladies and children.

Southland Highlands at the Happy Half Hour. Today's new picture at the Happy Half Hour are all new, and it is promised that they are the best ever seen at this house. It is a question of a better programme has ever been given in the city. Three of the pictures are feature pictures, and the very rarely seen on our programme. Southland Highlands is a picture that every one with a drop of Scotch blood in their veins should see. Space will not permit to describe its beauties, but the magnificent scenery, streams, lakes and sea shore are all shown, many of the water scenes being moonlight effects. Rugby Football shows the match between All England and All Ireland there were over 30,000 spectators. The Redskin's Revenge is a powerful melodrama picture splendidly colored and realistically acted. These films were made by the celebrated Urban Colopex Co. of London. Those who enjoy comedy should see His Unlucky Luck. Prof. Tutus sings Whisper and I Shall Hear, and Harry LeRoy sings There's a Room in My Heart for You. This will make a splendid matinee bill for the children tomorrow. Nevertheless the heat yesterday the big auditorium was delightfully cool, and the air perfectly fresh.

Mary Emerson. Interest in the appearance here of Mary Emerson in His Majesty and the Maid, is rapidly increasing. His Majesty and the Maid will be the opening play of Miss Emerson's engagement and will be followed the latter part of the week with Will O' The Wisp, the scenes of the latter being laid in England, the characters all being English. The costumes of both His Majesty and the Maid are in an old-fashioned style, a very attractive feature. Miss Emerson's gown being particularly beautiful. In two of the acts of His Majesty and the Maid there is opportunity for the wearing of elaborate gowns, which in the other two, in that first is a simple little peasant dress and in the third act, Miss Emerson impersonates a boy. This act, the third, which is enacted in an old tavern, the scene is a most picturesque one, opening with a scene between two old cronies and an old landlady. To this scene comes Alicia, the Maid, disguised as a boy. Then follows scene upon scene with great rapidity, culminating in the realistic duel with rapier between Alicia and the man she loves. Miss Emerson's appearance here is here on Saturday, June 13th.

AMUSEMENTS. Two Programmes at Nickel Today. In spite of the humid atmosphere large crowds enjoyed the Nickel show last night, for the big new ventilators and air shafts worked admirably. Today the show—or rather show—will be remarkable for their excellence. The time when their arrival at the city was a great moral effect on the force they came to assist. In the hottest season of the year, they marched 580 miles in just over twenty-one days—an average of twenty-seven miles a day—over a route which was almost impassable in their tremendous march, how soon they would be ready to go into action was the fighting spirit of "The Guides" the reply was: "In just one hour." Such was the fighting spirit of "The Guides" but ten years after they had been formed.

Howard at the Princess Two More Nights. The great Howard will be at the Princess just two more nights, and this evening he will for his one appearance repeat by special request the funniest sketch, MacGregor and the Telephone Girl. His second appearance of the evening will be in a new sketch. Without doubt another opportunity to see the equal of Howard as a ventriloquist will never again be had in this city at the price, and those who have not yet heard Howard should avail themselves of the opportunity to-night, and any who have listened to Howard cannot but wish to repeat that pleasure. Tomorrow afternoon and evening a grand farewell programme has been prepared. At the matinee Howard will give a special programme for the children. In the evening he will be heard in the best show of the week. Particulars tomorrow.

THE SALE OF THE SEASON

Instead of August we are going to try JUNE for the Clearance of all Summer Goods. So those who wish to keep cool when its hot should take every advantage offered. Don't be satisfied with a small share of the Bargains, but dip in deep and get all you WILL WANT. The Goods we are offering are NEW SUMMER GOODS up-to-date in every respect, and just what everybody will have to have in a few days.

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LADIES' 50c HOSE SUPPORTERS... Sale Price 35c
LADIES' 25c LISLE HOSE, BLACK OR TAN... Sale Price 15c
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LADIES' 50c P. C. and D. and A. CORSETS... Sale Price 35c
LADIES' 75c P. C. and D. and A. CORSETS... Sale Price 60c
LADIES' \$1.00 P. C. and D. and A. CORSETS... Sale Price 75c
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In Men's Department

- 200 DOZ. MEN'S 75c SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, NATURAL WOOL, BRITISH MAKE... Sale Price 45c
150 DOZ. MEN'S 50c BALBRIGAN SHIRTS AND DRAWERS... Sale Price 35c
75 DOZ. MEN'S 25c BALBRIGAN SHIRTS AND DRAWERS... Sale Price 15c
MEN'S \$1.50 SOFT FRONT OUTFITTING SHIRTS... Sale Price 95c
MEN'S \$1.00 SOFT FRONT OUTFITTING SHIRTS... Sale Price 65c
MEN'S 75c SOFT FRONT OUTFITTING SHIRTS... Sale Price 45c
MEN'S 75c BLUE DUCK SHIRTS... Sale Price 45c
MEN'S 75c SHAKED FLANNEL NIGHT SHIRTS... Sale Price 45c
MEN'S 50c WHITE DRESS SHIRTS... Sale Price 45c
MEN'S 15c BLACK COTTON HOSE... Sale Price 15c
MEN'S 25c BLACK CASHMERE HOSE... Sale Price 15c
TOOKIES' LINEN COLLARS, ALL STYLES... 3 for 25c
MEN'S 35c POLICE AND FIRE BRACES... Sale Price 25c
MEN'S 25c FANCY BRACES... Sale Price 15c
MEN'S 15c BRACES... Sale Price 10c
60 DOZ. MEN'S 35c TIES... Sale Price 15c
60 DOZ. MEN'S 25c TIES... Sale Price 10c
60 DOZ. MEN'S 15c TIES... Sale Price 5c
MEN'S 15c EXCELSA SILK HANDKERCHIEFS... Sale Price 3c
MEN'S \$1.50 WOOL SERGE PANTS... Sale Price \$1.24
MEN'S \$2.00 CANADIAN TWEED PANTS... Sale Price \$1.58
MEN'S \$3.00 HEWSON TWEED PANTS... Sale Price \$2.34
MEN'S \$3.00 OUTFITTING PANTS... Sale Price \$2.34
MEN'S \$2.50 OUTFITTING SUITS, VERY LATEST STYLE... Sale Price \$1.98
MEN'S \$3.50 CANADIAN TWEED SUITS... Sale Price \$2.74
MEN'S \$12.00 ENGLISH WORSTED SUITS... Sale Price \$9.58
MEN'S \$18.00 ENGLISH FANCY WORSTED SUITS... Sale Price \$14.48
MEN'S \$18.00 BLACK CHEVIOT OR CLAY WORSTED SUITS... Sale Price \$14.48

Boys' Department

- BOYS' \$3.00 TWO PIECE SUITS... Sale Price \$1.98
BOYS' \$3.00 BUSTER BROWN SUITS... Sale Price \$1.98
BOYS' \$4.50 THREE PIECE SUITS... Sale Price \$2.98
BOYS' \$4.00 THREE PIECE SUITS... Sale Price \$2.98
BOYS' FANCY TOP OVERCOATS... Sale Price 45c
BOYS' 50c KNITTED RAIN COATS... Sale Price 35c
MEN'S \$1.25 SELF OPENING UMBRELLAS... Sale Price 95c

In Shoe Department

- MEN'S \$5.00 TAN OXFORDS... Sale Price \$3.45
MEN'S \$4.00 PATENT OXFORDS... Sale Price \$2.98
WOMEN'S \$3.25 PATENT OXFORDS... Sale Price \$2.45

In Hat Department

- During this Sale the Great \$3.00 KING HAT WILL BE SOLD FOR... \$1.98
MEN'S \$2.00 HARD HATS... Sale Price \$1.48
MEN'S \$1.50 HAT BANDS... Sale Price \$1.00
MEN'S \$1.50 STRAW HATS... Sale Price \$1.00
MEN'S 65c OUTFITTING HATS... Sale Price \$45c
CHILDREN'S 75c OUTFITTING HATS... Sale Price \$45c
LINEN TAMS, WHITE AND BLUE... Sale Price 15c

In Mantel Department

- LADIES' \$35.00 COSTUMES, BLACK, BLUE OR BROWN PANAMA... Sale Price \$25.00
LADIES' \$30.00 COSTUMES, BLACK, BLUE OR BROWN PANAMA... Sale Price \$22.00
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LADIES' \$5.00 COSTUMES, BLACK, BLUE OR BROWN PANAMA... Sale Price \$4.00
LADIES' \$4.00 ALL WOOL TWEED SKIRTS... Sale Price \$3.48
LADIES' LUSTER SKIRTS FROM \$5 TO \$5.99... Sale Price \$3.98
LADIES' \$10.00 TWEED COSTUMES... Sale Price \$8.00
LADIES' \$15.00 LONG DRESSING COATS, LATEST STYLE... Sale Price \$11.98
LADIES' \$20.00 LONG SILK COATS RUBBER LINED... Sale Price \$15.98
LADIES' \$25.00 SHORT SILK COATS RUBBER LINED... Sale Price \$19.98

Bargains in Millinery Rooms too numerous to Mention. WILCOX BROS., Dock Street and Market Square

Pengraeve's Helping Hand.

By W. F. BRYAN.

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Pengraeve, coming slowly down the street, gave no heed to his surroundings. For twenty years he had been coming down the same street, sometimes a little earlier, sometimes very much later, but always he passed along with unseeing eyes, his thoughts fixed upon his business and his home.

en weighed too heavily upon her. Then she married and had moved uptown and some one else had taken over the shabby house with its shabby furniture. The change had annoyed Pengraeve, and he had promptly purchased the place, for he was errand boy no longer, but the proprietor of a business. He had retained the front door for his own use, and a real estate agent had rented the other floors. He handed Pengraeve quarterly checks, and Pengraeve worried no more.

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Since then it had pleased him to believe that his life had been wrecked, and so he kept Lena's faded photograph on the mantelpiece, and at times he took it down and gazed over it. Also he avoided all feminine society. At his uncle's death, the latter's business had passed to him, and under his even administration it had grown greatly. He lunched at better places, and he also dined downtown. He bought a new suit of clothes whenever his old cashier discreetly hinted that one was needed.

was the face which held him fascinated. The features were well cut, regular, the eyes were calm and unafraid, and of a deep, tender blue that moved Pengraeve strangely.

"Where do you live?" he demanded. "I don't live here," she explained. "I am a visitor from the Helping Hand Society."

Pengraeve was puzzled. "They never were well cut," she said simply. "Don't you know?" Pengraeve shook his head in bewilderment. Twenty years he had lived there, and poverty had come to be his neighbor, but he did not know it.

"Mrs. Brady asked me to thank you for your kindness," she said. "It pleased her so much that she almost forgot the hurt of the burn. Pengraeve smiled. He could not recall ever having been thanked before. He had never done anything to call for thanks because he did not know how.

"You must come again when you need help," he said warmly. "I am here always in the evenings. You have but to ask."

"I shall hold you to your promise," she said. "There is much good that you can do. We are so handicapped by lack of money, and there is so much that we want to do. You must see for yourself the misery of our people."

SPORTING MATTERS P. E. I. WINS INTERMEDIATE SHOOTING MATCH TOM LONGBOAT LIKELY TO DO WELL ON THE OTHER SIDE

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., June 11.—The inter-maritime match was won by P. E. Island today on the Charlottetown range. The day was very warm but hazy and a mirage obscured the targets at the long range, but the visitors did not score well. The result was a great surprise for Nova Scotia, but both visiting teams heartily congratulated the winners. The scores are: 200 Yards. P. E. Island, 248; New Brunswick, 239; Nova Scotia, 241.

600 Yards. P. E. Island, 227; New Brunswick, 238; Nova Scotia, 248.

ATHLETES OFF TO LONDON TORONTO, June 11.—Athletes for the Olympic games at London left this morning and were farewelled by a large crowd at the station. Those who went were Lawson, Tate, Archibald, Sebert, Barbour, Golding and Goldsboro.

"I must get some new clothes tomorrow," he said to the reflection. "Also I must find a place where it is well to live, a house such as she will like. I, too, need a helping hand," and the reflection in the mirror smiled back at him. Now that Pengraeve was awakened he knew it was well. The rest would follow in due course.

BASEBALL National League Games Today. At Boston—Boston, 5; Cincinnati, 1. At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 3; St. Louis, 1. At New York—Pittsburg, 5; New York, 2. At Brooklyn—Chicago, 2; Brooklyn, 1 (11 innings).

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National League Standing. Won. Lost. P.C. Chicago, 25, 16, .636; Cincinnati, 26, 18, .591; Pittsburgh, 25, 19, .568; Philadelphia, 21, 20, .512; New York, 23, 22, .511; Boston, 20, 25, .444; St. Louis, 20, 20, .500; Brooklyn, 18, 29, .386.

American League Games Today. At Cleveland—Boston, 6; Cleveland, 2. At Chicago—Philadelphia, 6; Chicago, 7. At St. Louis—Washington, 3; St. Louis, 6. At Detroit—New York, 1; Detroit, 3.

American League Standing. Won. Lost. P.C. Chicago, 25, 20, .558; St. Louis, 27, 21, .563; Cleveland, 26, 22, .542; New York, 25, 22, .531; Detroit, 24, 23, .511; Philadelphia, 23, 24, .489; Boston, 22, 28, .440; Washington, 18, 29, .383.

Eastern League Games Today. At Montreal—Worcester, 7; Lowell, 6. At Lynn—New Bedford, 3; Lynn, 1. At Haverhill—Fall River, 6; Haverhill, 6. Connecticut League Games. At Bridgeport—Hartford, 5; Bridgeport, 2. At Meriden—New Britain, 5; Meriden, 2. At New Haven—New Haven, 4; Waterbury, 3. Maine State League. At Portland—Portland, 7; Pine Tree, 1. At Bangor—Bangor, 6; Lewiston, 5.

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COMMERCIAL

NEW YORK June 12—Cotton futures opened steady July 10 to 10 1/4...

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS Chicago Market Report and New York Cotton Market.

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

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT

Table with columns for July Corn, July Wheat, Oats, etc., and their prices.

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS

Table with columns for Dom. Coal, Dom. I. and S., etc., and their prices.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET

Table with columns for July, October, December, and January cotton prices.

J. M. ROBERTSON AND SONS

Private Wire Telegrams

MONTREAL SALES - MORNING

Table with columns for Ogilvie Com, Penman Com, etc., and their sales.

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TRAVELLERS' LETTERS OF CREDIT

These Letters of Credit are issued for the use of Travellers and Tourists...

Wheat for the year will show about \$500,000 over charge.

Cruickshank Steel will not reduce prices. Rumored that Amalgamated will soon be in control of properties at present owned by Guggenheim.

BRITISH STEEL TRADE FORMS IMMENSE COMBINE

Similar Organizations in America and on Continent Will Assist British Trust to Control Trade.

WITH THE DEMOCRATS

ROSWELL, N. Mex. June 12—The democratic territorial convention yesterday elected 12 delegates to the convention...

BRIEF DESPATCHES

BERLIN, June 11—The rumor emanating from St. Petersburg that the Russian government had decided to conclude a formal alliance between Great Britain and Russia...

IN COMMONS TODAY

OTTAWA, Ont. June 12—Col. Sam Hughes at the opening of the Commons today...

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SUPREME COURT

FREDERICTON, N. B. June 12—A number of common motions were made before the supreme court this morning.

AT ROCKWOOD

This evening on the Victoria grounds the Exmouths and Portlands will battle in the league series.

THE CATERPILLAR

The female of one species of caterpillar tears off the fur from the extremity of her abdomen to make a soft bed for her eggs and to preserve them from the cold.

AWAKENING HIM

The honeymoon was over and the husband was bored. "Don't worry, darling," said the romantic husband, as he opened the piano.

VOTED SALARIES FOR CIVIL SERVANTS

Government Force \$1,000,000 Through the House, Which is Already Due to Officials.

Social and Personal

The marriage is announced to take place on June 14th, at St. James church, Rev. Mr. St. James officiating.

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LOCAL NEWS

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The Carleton Cornet Band will give a band concert on the square, West Side, at eight o'clock this evening.

It was Mr. James Sinclair, of the Union Clothing Co., who notified Officer Pitt that Short's horse had broken its leg and a clerk in Henderson and Hunt's, as stated in this morning's Telegraph.

Premier Hazen returned today from Montreal and Ottawa, where he has been on provincial business. Speaking to the Star he said that he could give nothing regarding the results of his trip at present.

The Beulah camp meetings will be held from July 4th to the nineteenth of this year. Rev. C. H. Harrison will be the chief speaker.

Repairs are being hurried on the S. S. Hampstead, which unshipped her rudder at Gagetown on Wednesday and it is expected that she will leave this evening for St. John.

J. W. Vanwart, J. A. Lippert, George Stocum and Donaldson Hunt went fishing to Pooloogan on Wednesday, and returned this morning with two hundred trout.

The charge preferred against Dr. Carruete by W. V. Hatfield, for dumping coal on the Union street sidewalk was to have been heard this morning, but was adjourned until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock.

Members of officers' families wishing to attend the service on Sunday afternoon must obtain tickets from the office of the D. O. C. Canada Permanent Building, and entrance will be by Charlotte street only as the Germania street gates will be closed until the arrival of the military.

Geo. Cook, of Fredericton, is in the city making arrangements to erect a merry-go-round on a vacant lot facing the mill pond at West St. John. The exact site will be settled by Engineer Peters this afternoon. The city will get a license fee of ten dollars per week from the owner of the lot.

A mixture of Boundary Line Run and the St. John fall bird bred on Tuesday evening made one of the worst cases of rowdiness the village has seen for some time. About three weeks ago three or four St. John boys landed here dead broke from the G. T. R., and obtained work from H. P. Gibson. They proved good workers and seemed quiet and industrious young fellows under hard luck. But on Tuesday night, their first job about finished and a few dollars in their pockets, they showed up in unenviable style, one of their number especially showing the car brand to perfection.—Victoria Co. News.

Friends of Miss Alice Helen Wetmore will be interested to learn that she returned home from Berlin about two weeks since, where she has been studying for the past year under Madam Nickish. Miss Wetmore will spend the summer months with her parents, and expects to return to Leipzig in the autumn, where she will spend the winter with her teacher, Madam Nickish. Miss Wetmore made decided good progress under Madam Nickish, who predicts a brilliant future for her. Professor Nickish, husband of Madam Nickish, was about 15 years since, the leader of the Symphony Orchestra in Boston, and now has the distinction of being without a peer in music in Berlin.—Transcript.

RIVER STEAMERS RACING

The rivalry between the Aberdeen and the Sincennes is resulting in some interesting races these days. Yesterday morning the Sincennes pulled out first with the Aberdeen close behind her. The latter caught her rival at the narrows and from there to the Boars' Head there was a neck and neck race. After passing the Head the Aberdeen pulled ahead and gradually increased her lead, carrying off the honors for the day.

THE MISCOUCHE MURDER

At the second day's trial of Alonzo Doherty charged with the murder of Joseph D. McMillan, of Miscouche, P. E. I., on May 10th, Stella McDonald, who was the only witness of the tragedy, gave evidence. She told of her engagement of marriage with Doherty and of McMillan, who was a neighbor, paying her friendly visits. She told of her walk with McMillan and of Doherty shooting him, of the removal of the body and then the telling of the priest of what had happened. She said she had seen Doherty with a revolver on two other occasions.

The defense put up a plea of insanity, and the prisoner's father told of his being injured when quite young.

The prisoner gave evidence that he never had a quarrel with McMillan. He did not remember firing a revolver and the murder was a blank to him. The case is being resumed today.

THE SEARCH CONTINUED

Search for the body of George Connolly was continued without success yesterday. It is the intention of the searchers to try a new place this afternoon. At dead water they will drag what is known as the flats, the cove above Cushing's mill, as it is thought the eddy might have carried the body in that direction.

MINISTER GOT PAID FOR HOLDING BURIAL SERVICE

A New Source of Revenue Discovered—Marriages Not Very Profitable This Year.

"I made five dollars at a funeral the other day," said a well known city clergyman to the Star yesterday. "It was the surprise of my life. We never expect any fees for such services, and I never before knew of anyone in this province receiving money. In weddings it is a different matter. People always expect to pay the minister who marries them, and as a rule the clergyman expect some remuneration for their work. It is of course pleasant to be qualified officials at such interesting events, but when they come in one's regular line of duty they cease to be wholly pleasurable and become what in any other business would be regarded as extra work. With funerals it is different. People cannot help dying and surely the relatives would be bear enough in sorrow and expense without having to pay for the burial service. Yet when you come to think of it there are lots of people who never attach themselves to any church and when death comes have no claim to the services of any particular clergyman. They have in their lifetime failed to do towards the support of the church, and it is not after all unreasonable to accept pay from them for the service. I know that this is done across the border, but the custom has never reached New Brunswick to my knowledge. In the case I speak of the body was brought here from the United States by relatives. After the service one of the friends offered me an envelope which I promptly declined to accept. He insisted; I refused. Later in the day as he was leaving he quietly forced it on me and was gone before I had opportunity to return it. I put it in my pocket, and on reaching home found it contained five dollars.

"Did it go to my wife, as wedding money does? Well, that belief about wedding money is only true in the sense that it follows the same route as all other cash received by ministers. I would like to know the clergyman in this province who does not have to give his wife, for ordinary expenses, every cent he earns, and who does not need more than he gets. "Weddings are a failure this year. They do not seem to be as numerous as usual, nor are the bridegrooms paying up as well."

ROGERS SENT UP FOR TRIAL ON THE CHARGE OF THEFT

Would-be Suicide Was This Morning Remanded—Two Drunks Fined—Sheffield St. Cases up Again.

In the police court this morning two drunks who fined \$5 or two months each. One of them was Wm. Harritz, whose mother had to have him ejected from her house last night. The other was an old offender, Mary Ann Reid. Wm. Myles, was charged with attempt at suicide here from the pilot boat H. D. Troop and would send a boy after them.

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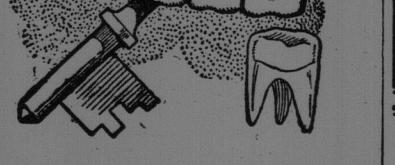
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