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**A Mysterious Disappearance**

By Gordon Holmes

A Great Detective Story

(Continued.)

"You must make the best of it. Say, off-handly, you don't know where she is—either with relatives or in Italy. Anything will do, and it will create a false impression."

"I am sick of false impressions. I cannot do it."

"You must," the stranger insisted, and they entered the doors of the Imperial, where, of course, Dyke was hailed at once by a dozen men.

"Hallo, Charlie! Been easy?"

"Good gracious, Deikel have you had business? I've missed you for months, now I come to think of it."

"I haven't seen your wife for quite a time. How is she?"

In the multitude of questions there was safety.

Sir Charles answered vaguely, and a chance arrival created a diversion by announcing that the favorite had broken down in his preparation for the Grand National.

Later in the afternoon, the two found themselves ensconced in a quiet corner of the smoking-room. Bruce seized the opportunity.

"You told me," he said, "that Memmore and you were at school together?"

"Did I?" said the baronet.

"Yes, don't you remember?"

"I got mixed up in thinking about things. But it is all right. We were?"

"Whereabouts?"

"Oh, a private establishment kept by an old chap called Septimus Childs—Lucky Number was our nickname for him."

Bruce betrayed no surprise at this startlingly simple statement. He said casually:

"I mean where was the school situated?"

"At Brighton in my time. But afterwards he shifted to some place near London—something to do with examinations, I fancy."

"But don't you know where?"

"How should I? I was at Sandhurst then. I believe the old boy is dead. Why do you ask?"

"Oh, it has something to do with the inquiry. I won't trouble you now with the details."

"Go on, I can stand it."

"But where is the good in paining you needlessly?"

"That stage has passed, old chap. My wife's memory has almost become a dream to me."

"Well, it is an extraordinary thing, but that place where that house at Putney, you know, must have been the new school of the Rev. Septimus Childs."

"How did you learn that?"

"I have known it for months, ever since the inquiry."

"And you did not tell me?"

"True, but at the time it seemed of no consequence. Now that Memmore turns out to be a pupil of his, and probably passed the remainder of his early school days at that very establishment, the incident assumes a degree of importance."

Sir Charles looked earnestly at his friend as he put his next question: "Full me, Claude, do you seriously believe that Memmore had anything to do with my wife's death?"

"I cannot honestly give you a satisfactory answer."

"But what do you think?"

"If you press me I will try to put my opinion into words. Memmore was in some mysterious way associated with the crime; but the degree of association, and whether conscious or unconscious, I do not know."

"What do you mean by 'conscious or unconscious'?"

"I am sure that Lady Dyke met her death in his residence; but it is impossible to say now if he was aware of her presence. He was in London at the time, that is quite certain."

"Do the police know all this?"

"No."

"I am glad of it. Memmore did not kill my wife. The suggestion is absurd—wildly absurd."

"Things look black against him, nevertheless."

"I tell you it is nonsense. You are on the wrong track, Bruce. What possible reason could he have had to decoy my wife to his flat and there murder her?"

"None, perhaps."

"Then why do you hesitate to agree with me?"

"Because there is a woman in the case."

"Another woman?"

"Yes; Memmore's sister, or half-sister, to be exact. She also lives in Raleigh Mansions."

"Indeed?"

"So all kinds of things have been going on without my knowledge. Yet you promised faithfully to keep me informed of every incident that transpired."

"I am sorry Dyke, but you were so up-

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**IT LOOKS LIKE CHATHAM FOR THE DOMINION FAIR**

**Majority of New Brunswick Liberal Members Favor It**

Minister of Agriculture and Sir Wilfrid Laurier Will Make Final Decision and Commissioner May Be Sent to Investigate Facilities of Rival Claimants.

Ottawa, Feb. 25.—The delegates from St. John and several residents of the city who are here are very much disappointed tonight at the unaccountable and unexpected opposition which has met their request for the exhibition grant.

After meeting the Liberal members of New Brunswick this afternoon and the delegates had presented the claims of St. John, in an able manner a majority of the representatives were in favor of the grant going to Chatham. No good reason was given, except that St. John "wanted" to have the grant, and so far as present opinion of the members goes towards a decision St. John is out of it.

The decision, however, Dr. Pugsley pointed out, rests with the minister of agriculture, who must take everything into consideration while at the same time paying respect to the opinions of Liberal members. There was solid support for Chatham from the three members present from the North Shore, LeBlanc being absent, and Emmerson, Curvell and Michael joined with them, at least until some better argument is advanced in favor of St. John.

The last conference was held at 4 o'clock in the office of the minister of public works and in defining his position Dr. Pugsley made it clear that as minister he had decided to take no part but simply as representative from St. John he would vote for having the grant there. He referred to a statement in the press that as minister he should take the responsibility of deciding in favor of St. John. This was a provincial matter and he did what he thought every minister should do in such a case, consult the wishes of the Liberal members from his Province. Without presentation of the advantages of St. John and the reasons why the grant should go there, and in that connection touched briefly upon the complaint he had met since he came to Ottawa that St. John wanted everything that was not nailed down. He argued that if the city's demands were greater, because of its greater size, and the enormous and crippling expenditures made by its people to equip a national port, there was much reason that their requests should bear

**ST. JOHN LADIES' EVENTFUL TRIP**

After an eventful and very enjoyable trip occupying about five months spent in England and on the continent, Mrs. W. H. Shaw, of Main street, and Mrs. Chas. F. Tilley, of Carleton, arrived home last evening on the Boston train.

The ladies left here in October last, going via New York to Liverpool and then to London. About a month was spent in sightseeing in various parts of the old country and then they went to the continent.

Paris was visited and then they journeyed through the Mediterranean to Genoa. From there they went to Rome, where they were at the Vatican and saw His Holiness Pope Pius X. and attended mass in St. Peter's on Christmas day. They next went to Florence, Nice, Monte Carlo and back to Genoa, where they took passage on the steamer "Crest" going to England, and then to the Azores and then to Boston and home.

It has been reported that Mrs. Tilley and Mrs. Shaw were in the earthquake zone in Italy at the time of the appalling disaster, but they were at least 100 miles away. However, they were in Genoa when the government landed some 8,000 of the refugees there and they describe it as a very pitiful sight to see the ragged,

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DR. DANIEL CONVERTED

It is pleasing to observe that Dr. Daniel is in harmony with Dr. Pugsley in regard to the government policy of wind building in St. John waters. Before the election Dr. Daniel was the greatest political skeptic of his time. He was then convinced that Dr. Pugsley was endeavoring to get political goods under false pretences, and with fine scorn relegated such matters as Courtesy Bay development to the realms of the impossible and absurd.

THAT EXHIBITION GRANT

If it is desired to present the Miramichi with a grant of fifty thousand dollars let the fact be stated and the grant made. If there is to be a Dominion exhibition for the benefit of New Brunswick St. John is the location for it. Chatham has a population of about seven thousand, and Newcastle, with less than five thousand, is too far away to be of service in housing exhibition visitors. There is no use in winking at this question. The New Brunswick members who favor Chatham must be placing the interests of a locality against those of the province. It is intimated that Hon. Mr. Fisher may send an imperial commissioner to look over the ground. That should really not be necessary. As the Times has pointed out, a railway map of New Brunswick and a copy of the census should be all the evidence required. It would not be in the best interests of the province to set the big fair down at Chatham. The people of the Miramichi deserve all credit for their persistence, and their ingenious presentation of the case, but they are asking too much. The assertion that St. John wants everything is not useful as an argument in this connection. Where the interests of St. John are also the interests of the province there should be no dispute at all.

MILITARY INSTRUCTION

In an address at Ottawa this week, Sir Frederick Borden, referring to military training in schools, announced that Nova Scotia had accepted the Dominion's offer to supply military instructors in public schools in return for the provincial government agreeing to compel all teachers to qualify in such instruction. He expected that in three months all the provinces would accept, and predicted for the near future a first line of defence of 100,000 men in Canada, and a second line of an equal number. Commenting on Sir Frederick's speech, the Montreal Witness says:

"Sir Frederick Borden has announced his expectation that within three months all the provinces will have followed Nova Scotia, which was the first to accept the proposal of the Military Department to furnish military instruction in the schools, on condition that all the teachers will be required to qualify in such instruction. As it is understood that Sir Frederick contemplates a drill for girls as well as boys, and as in all the provinces the teachers are nearly all women, it will be seen that there is no very alarming condition of militarism proposed. The main operation will be the improvement of the physical condition and bearing of the whole population. The military result will only be a by-product, but a sufficiently valuable one to make it worth the while of the Militia Department to furnish the instruction. There will always be that elementary training in organization and obedience to the word of command, which will make the supply of military material abundant

and at least 'semi-ready' when the country needs defence. But what will be chiefly valuable will be a more virile, erect and stalwart people with less of that contemptible contempt for authority than prevails so largely on this continent."

PUBLIC SERVANTS

"If city officials, in every department of the city, would manage your affairs as you manage your private affairs there would be lots of money for subways. I know there are men in public office who have not been near their offices for three years. Are you aware that there are men who pay who do not go to work? Can they answer for personal responsibility in public service?"

The above statement and queries were presented at a meeting of a men's club in Brooklyn, by an official who has himself a splendid record for integrity. This question of responsibility in public service is one of vital importance in every city. How many of those in the employ of the city of St. John feel their responsibility to the same extent as would be the case if they were conducting their own private affairs? The question is one that lies at the root of the whole problem of public work and expenditure, and the answer involves the interests of every taxpayer. Diligence, prudence and an honest effort to earn every dollar received would give results very different from those achieved where the sense of personal responsibility or faithful service is not behind the service rendered. The comfortable but far from patriotic reflection that getting the position and the money is the chief consideration is to be feared, entirely too much indulged in by public servants.

PROGRESS IN ITALY

Italy is making notable progress as an industrial and commercial nation. One reads with some degree of surprise that her foreign trade has increased 117.88 per cent in eighteen years. The following statements appear in an official report issued by the Italian minister of foreign affairs: "For the year 1907 the foreign commerce of Italy amounted to \$690,000,000, which is an unprecedented figure. Between the years 1871 and 1907 the exports and imports reached only \$450,000,000 annually. From 1886 to 1907 they increased to over \$300,000,000 annually and during the period from 1901 to 1907 to \$600,000,000 annually. In 1908 total tonnage of commerce was \$880,000,000 (precisions details excluded). Imports during the period from 1871 to 1907 amounted to \$326,000,000, and exports to \$224,000,000 yearly. In 1907 the imports grew to \$370,000,000 and exports to \$400,000,000 yearly. For the first ten months of 1908 imports reached the sum of \$495,000,000 and exports \$310,000,000. In the eighteen years from 1890 to 1907 Italy succeeded in increasing its foreign trade 117.88 per cent."

This is a greater percentage of increase than that in the foreign trade of Germany, Great Britain, France, Austria, Russia, Belgium or the United States in the same period. In all these countries the upward movement began many decades ago; in Italy, however, it started only in 1901. The report makes this comment: "The remarkable growth in the exports of raw materials for industrial and agricultural products speaks well for Italy's agricultural progress. None the less noteworthy is the increase in the exportation of finished products, which shows the progress of certain Italian industries, such as silk spinning for example. The high mark reached by the exports of manufactured products demonstrates the country's great advance in industrial activity. Among the various industries which have been built up during the past fifteen years the cotton industry stands in the first rank."

"Italy buys from foreign countries raw materials, machinery, tools and all kinds of instruments and apparatus. It gives in exchange its manufactured products. This active articulation, besides attesting Italy's growing potentiality in both agricultural and industrial progress, also shows that the power of consumption has increased. This development is attributable to the growth of population, which has increased 10 per cent from 1892 to 1907; and to the general improved economic condition of the nation."

If a large field of candidates should enter the field for civic honors, and if the list should include some business men in whom the citizens could repose confidence, there would doubtless be quite a number of new faces at the next council board. But are the business men willing to take up the task? As between the present members of the council and those persons most frequently named as possible candidates, would there be much room for choice? The present members would at least have the advantage of some experience. More mercenary opposition here and there will not return the civic government.

NOT THE THINGS TO SAY.

"I sang the 'Spring Song' at Mrs. Krowe's musicale last night," said Miss Krowe, "but I forgot; you were there and heard me, of course." "Mr. Crabbe: 'What an awful crush there was there! Once you got there it was impossible to get out until the whole thing was over.'" —The Catholic Standard and Times.

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IN LIGHTER VEIN

A WASTE OF WORDS. Mrs. Bacon—"Doesn't your husband waste words?" Mrs. Egbert—"I should say so. Why, he tells me every day 'I've been three times today, and then asked me not to repeat it.'" Tomker's Statesman.

HE WASN'T A BIRD.

"There was a strange man here to see you today, papa," said the boy, as she ran to the valley where life is fair. "Did he have a bird?" "No, papa; he had just a plain nose." Philadelphia Inquirer.

EXCEPTIONAL.

"I see you had a brand new joke in the last issue of your magazine. It was 'Can't be helped,' responded the magazine publisher to the editor's proposal of marriage." "On the contrary, he's always right in somebody else's way."—Cleveland Leader.

MUST HAVE BEEN BAD.

Scribbles—"I understand young Rhyme is doing much better than formerly in his studies." Drabbles—"Why, he told me he hadn't written a line for three months." Scribbles—"Yes, he told me the same thing."—Chicago Daily News.

WOULDN'T GO OFF.

"Have you a fresh cook at your house?" "Yes, but he won't go. He says he's all afraid to discharge her."—Puck.

WHERE HE WAS TO BE FOUND.

"Of course he's a kind of a bore, but he's all right in his way of thinking." "On the contrary, he's always right in somebody else's way."—Cleveland Leader.

LIMITED.

Skiffle—"Ah! you won't taste Madeira like that every day." "It's been three times today." "Humph! That may be, but I'll bet it'll hardly go once round the table."—Puck.

PROVINCIAL NEWS

New Brunswick

Moncton Transcript—All that Police Magistrate Key had to deal with in the police court this morning was one solitary drunk, he being Frank Hogger, who was arrested yesterday afternoon and who was fined ten dollars or ten days in jail. He paid up. Hogger is so well known here that his name appears in the local papers. Work will be resumed at the Fawcett Foundry, Sackville, next week. The temporary cessation of operations of late will render unnecessary the usual shutting down in March. Hitherto it has been customary to shut down the plant for a time about March, but this year a day has been made when the foundry opens up next week it will be for a steady run.

Nova Scotia

While Frederick C. McDonald, John Campbell and Dan McDonald were returning by the ice from Nyanza to Washinack, C. B. they were overtaken by a heavy snow storm. They were wandering about in the blinding snow storm with the mercury registering away below zero, they at last were fortunate enough to strike one of the bush lines, which they followed and by which they finally reached the earth. News was received last week of the tragical death in N.Y. Scotland, of William B. Thomson, who is well known in North Sydney, being for several years manager of the Greener mine and also manager for a couple of years at the Port Hood colliery. He was manager of a gas plant and was suffocated by the fumes. The Nova Scotia Postmasters' Association organized in October, 1906 will meet this year in Truro on Thursday, March 4th. This is expected to be one of the most important meetings ever held by the association. Ira Stratton, of Stonewall, Manitoba, who is the general secretary of the Canadian Postmasters' Association, will be one of the speakers at the meeting.

PREMATURE INVITATIONS.

Such was the confidence of the engineer in charge of the work that invitations were issued for the opening set for 1888. It was in 1881 that the building of camps and hospitals and the location of machinery began upon the arrival of the first group of laborers. In 1887, however, the work had been so delayed and the cost was so far in excess of the original estimates that it was decided to build a lock canal, and the date of completion was set ahead to 1891. Then came the trouble that was the beginning of the end of the French occupation. In the autumn of 1888 further borrowing became impossible, and following this check came the financial crash. On January 1, 1889, the company was forced into liquidation. No less than 800,000 French shareholders had been induced to invest largely, through appeals to their patri-

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SUMMARY OF ATTEMPTS AND FAILURE AT PANAMA

The Canal Project is Three Hundred Years Old—It Has Been Talked of Since the Days of Spanish Conquest.

New York Evening Post. In the heyday of the Spanish conquest, a practical turn of mind saw the advantages of a ship canal across the Isthmus of Panama. Disappointment at not finding the long searched for strait to the Pacific might have suggested the idea, or perhaps, it was the opportunity afforded of securing a royal commission and the appropriation of royal funds. Any way in 1517 a cousin of Cortez, Alvaro de Saavedra Colon, had noticed the narrowness and low elevation of the Isthmus of Panama, and had prepared plans for the construction of a canal at that point, when death ended his career. From that time down to the date of the occupancy of the canal zone by the United States, a waterway such as this has been the desire of many a nation and has been the dream of many an ambitious engineer.

In 1834 Charles V directed Andagoya, Governor of the Panama region, to make surveys in the valley of the Chagres River and elsewhere to determine the most practicable route. That functionary declared it to be quite impossible. On the other hand, the historian Gomez, in his official "History of the Indies," unhesitatingly declared a canal to be practicable either Panama or Nicaragua. He recognized the obstacles, but refused to regard them as insurmountable. Philip II, in 1567 sent an engineer, Batista Antonelli, to survey the Nicaragua route, but got from him a report of such difficulties that it and the rising power of the English at sea made him feel he should not be able to control the canal if one was constructed, and caused him to tender a decree that would be contrary to the Divine will to unite two oceans which the Creator of the world had separated.

WILLIAM PATTERSON'S DREAM

Then not until 1848 was there any revival of public works, and the next year, after the public clamor had died down, a new company was formed, and the work on the canal resumed. The old company had spent \$200,000,000, and had excavated a total of 25,000,000 cubic yards. The new company worked the cut from 1866 to 1892 with the tools of its predecessors, and is credited with having removed 8,000,000 cubic yards of material. It was practically at the end of its resources in 1892, when the United States took over the work by an act of congress, which authorized the president to pay \$40,000,000 for the property and plant.

REVOLUTION OF PANAMA.

About this time came the revolution in which Panama broke away from the United States of Colombia, and in 1893 a treaty was concluded with the new republic by which the United States obtained all necessary rights for building and operating a canal between Colon and Panama. A zone of five miles on either side of the canal and extending three miles out to sea at either end is included in this right-of-way. This territory does not include the cities of Colon and Panama, but does take in Ancon and Cristobal. Including the purchase price, the canal had cost the government up to August 1, 1908, \$144,491,636. In the time the United States has been working it more than 40,000,000 cubic yards of material have been excavated, and it is expected that the work will be completed in 1915. In addition to the physical work performed in excavating rock and dirt the United States government has made the canal zone a healthy place in which to live, organized a police and sanitary patrol of the territory, built comfortable houses for the laborers, put up schools, and government buildings and maintained law and order, such as one can find in the best governed city in the north. (Continued on Page 6.)

John Tempest Dawson, 75 years old, shot his wife while they were together in the National Portrait Gallery in London, yesterday, and then committed suicide. Mrs. Dawson died in a hospital soon afterwards.

The couple were believed to be Americans. Mr. Dawson was a wealthy retired business man, and had lived in Brighton, England, for the last ten years of his life. Papers on the man's body showed that the act was premeditated.

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19 King Street





THE EVENING TIMES, ST. JOHN, N. B., FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1909

ALL THE LATEST NEWS, VIEWS AND COMMENT ON

SPORTS

OF TRACK, FIELD AND ARENA AT HOME AND ABROAD

EACH TEAM GETS TWO POINT SCORE

Another Interesting Game in the Commercial Bowling League Last Night

There was another interesting game in the Commercial Bowling League series on Black's alleys last night...

MRS. GEO. F. SMITH HEAD OF LADIES GOLF CLUB

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Association of the St. John Golf Club was held at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon...

HUGO KELLY WON

New York's Hugo Kelly of Chicago, defeated Joe Thomas of San Francisco in five rounds before the Fairmount Athletic Club tonight...

NEWS AND VIEWS OF SPORT

Ed Hagen, the Seattle policeman, who is alleged to have been the controlling owner of the Philadelphia baseball club...

THE WAY TO DO IT

From the Detroit Free Press: In a message to the members of the Massachusetts Senate...

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SHRUBB TRIMMED DORANDO IN A FAST RACE

English Runner Won Fifteen Mile Race Last Night After Breaking All Previous Indoor Records.

Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 25.—Leading his opponent from the crack of the pistol to the finish, Alf Shrubbs, the English runner, easily defeated Pietro Dorando, the Italian...

MONCTON WINS

Defeated Dorchester in Intermediate Hockey League Game Last Night.

The Mohawks and Dorchester played a close game in New Brunswick intermediate hockey league here this evening...

PORTLAND Y. M. A. TRIMMED BY U. N. B.

Portland, N. B., Feb. 25.—(Special)—The Portland Y. M. A. basketball team arrived from St. John this evening and played a match with the U. N. B. team...

IS THE COST OF LIVING FALLING?

Cost of living, as measured by the London Economist's index number, has hardly varied since the close of 1907...

NO CONSUMPTION HERE IN THIRTY YEARS

Dr. Walker Tells Every Day Club That Province Will be Cleared in That Time if People Do Their Duty.

MONCTON WILL BE A GREAT HIVE OF INDUSTRY

A St. Catherine's Man Plans to Harness the Tides of the Petitcodiac River and Develop Cheap Power for Railway Town—Would Create Great Harbor.

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**SPECIAL VALUES**  
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New Printed Cambric, Light and Dark Colors, 31 inches wide, worth 14c. yard. Now 10c. yard

Printed Flannelettes for Wrappers, worth up to 17c. yard Now 10c. yard

Wool Blankets, 64 x 80, were \$3.50. Now \$2.50 pair

Super Wool Blankets, 64 x 80, were \$3.75. Now \$2.59 Pair

White Wash Waistings, all new patterns, mercerised stripes and figures, 18c, 22c. and 28c. yard

New Summer Muslins, Spots, Stripes and Floral designs, 12c. to 25c. yard

Kimmona Flannels, soft and warm, all new patterns and good colorings, 30c. goods. Now 22c. yard

Linen Towels, hemmed ends, special 17 x 36, 25c. pair

Linen Towels, hemmed ends, special 18 x 37. 29c. pair

Sheetings, Pillow Cottons, Table Linens, Napkins, at lowest prices, and hemming free on all orders placed with us during February.

**Dowling Brothers**  
95 and 101 King Street

**COME TO DAY**

**Our February Clearance Sale**  
**End Tomorrow, Saturday**

There are still some choice bargains left in *Men's Boots, Women's Slippers, Children's Slippers, and Girls' Boots.*

SEE OUR KING ST. WINDOW

**Waterbury & Rising**

**FIRE SALE**  
IS ONE THING, AND A  
**Lightning Sale**  
IS ANOTHER.

To Lighten our Stock and Make Room for Spring Goods, we are Putting all our Winter **GLOVES, CAPS and TAMS** at 1/2 price.  
\$2.00, \$1.50, \$1.00, 75c. for \$1, 75c., 50c., 38c.

All good sizes and new stock. **SALE BEGINS MONDAY**

**ANDERSON & CO.**  
Manufacturing Furriers  
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**MORE ABOUT PANTS**

For the workman we are offering some extra good value in

**HOMESPUN PANTS AND JUMPERS**

Heavy Domestic Homespun Pants, \$2.25 and \$2.50 per pair  
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527 MAIN ST. ST. JOHN, N. B.  
237 BARRINGTON ST., Halifax, N. S.

**THIS EVENING**

Cantrophane at the Opera House. Holmes and Buchanan, moving pictures, etc., at the Nickel.

Moving pictures and illustrated songs at the Star, North End.

Special Evangelistic service in Main St. and Victoria St. Baptist churches.

Men's Association of St. Andrews church hold first meeting.

Hibernian Knights meet for drill in rooms, Union street.

Unlimited Progress Association meets in C. B. U. rooms at 7.30 o'clock.

**LATE LOCALS**

Police Sergeant Hastings is confined to his home through illness.

The S. S. Adriatic mails left New York today and will be due here tomorrow at noon.

Norwegian steamer Ravn, Captain Olsen, arrived this morning from Parroboro with 1850 tons of coal for the C. P. R. Co.

Steamship Manchester Shipper arrived in Halifax with a general cargo.

Steamship Manchester Shipper arrived at Halifax yesterday from Manchester. She comes to this port with a general cargo.

British coasting steamer Beatrice, Captain Hickey, arrived in port this morning from New York to load a return cargo of lumber above the falls.

Louis Golding, accused of theft of \$30 from Walter Nelson, has been remanded until tomorrow by Judge Ritchie in the police court.

The fifteenth anniversary of Court Rockwood, I. O. F., was celebrated last evening by a social gathering in Forester's Hall. An interesting programme of music and addresses, followed by refreshments, made up a very pleasant evening.

The regular weekly prayer of praise of the Ludlow street Baptist church, West End, will be held this evening at 7.30 o'clock. Pastor W. H. Robinson, will conduct the service. Strangers are cordially invited.

The first meeting of the Men's Association of St. Andrew's church will be held tonight in the vestry. By-laws will be considered, after which a musical programme and refreshments. All males sixteen years of age and over are welcome. This meeting was incorrectly announced in the papers yesterday as to be held last evening.

Andrew W. Robb, Francis M. Smith, Herman A. Lovell, Donald Skinner, W. Grant Smith, Philip M. Simms and J. Wilbur Jones, delegates to the Y. M. C. A. Boys' Work Conference in Orono, left this morning to attend the meetings which open tomorrow.

At a meeting of the St. Andrew's lady curlers this morning, Mrs. E. A. Smith and Mrs. J. Walter Holly were chosen as slips to play against two teams of Montreal lady curlers on Tuesday next. Following the match the visitors will be entertained at the Union Club by the local ladies. Arrangements were also made at this morning's meeting for a match with the gentlemen of the club next week.

Up to 2 o'clock today the board of health had not received word from the department of agriculture at Ottawa regarding their action in connection with taking charge of the quarantined persons on board the steamer Senlac and the steamer is still lying in the inner quarantine under guard. The two passengers on board are Mrs. Murphy of Fall River, Mass., and William Laskey of Brooklyn, Yarmouth Co., N. S.

**SENLAAC MAY GO NORTH**

At a special meeting of the Campbellton, N. B., board of trade this week the matter of a suitable steamer for the Campbellton-Gaspere route was discussed, and a resolution passed that the steamer Senlac, of the Thomson Co., St. John, as against the Canada. It was the opinion that the Senlac would be the best class boat for the route. The resolution will be forwarded to James Reid, M. P., and he will be requested to use his influence in the matter.

The steamer, of which William Thomson & Co. are agents, was on her last trip here. There was some talk of placing her on the Campbellton-Gaspere route, but it was said in Messrs. Thomson's office yesterday that she will be laid up in Marble Cove.

**DEATHS**

PEER—In this city, on Feb. 25th, after a short illness of tuberculosis, Elizabeth A., wife of Charles Peer, aged 83 years, leaving her husband, three sons and one daughter to mourn the loss of a loving wife and mother.

Funeral Sunday at 2 o'clock, from her late residence, 220 Prince street, West End.

MCCARTHY—In this city, on the 24th inst., Nora, beloved wife of Charles McCarthy, and daughter of the late Michael and Mary A. Conroy, leaving her husband, two sons, four brothers and two sisters to mourn their loss.

Funeral on Saturday morning, at 8.45, from 600 Main street, to St. Peter's church for high mass of requiem at 9 o'clock.

**CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS**  
(See List for Classification.)

WANTED—NURSE GIRL, ONE WHO can go home at night. Apply 371 Dulse street. 343-1f.

TO LET—FLAT, MODERN IMPROVEMENTS, BURNED LANCETER HEIGHTS, opposite Tilton's Corner. Apply GEO. MAXWELL, Lancaster Heights, or Phone 42-41 west. 343-1f.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK. References required. Apply MISS BOWMAN, 111 Princess street. 343-2f.

WANTED—AT ONCE, THREE FIRST class housemaids and two first class cooks. Good wages. References required. Apply MISS BOWMAN, 111 Princess street. 343-1f.

WANTED—THREE CENTRAL UNFURNISHED rooms. Will rent for year suitable place. Address L. B. Care of Times. 343-3-1f.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER WITH some experience in bookkeeping. Apply MARR MILLINERY CO. 356-1f.

FOR SALE—AT A BARGAIN, ONE MOTOR BOAT. Hull, 3000 feet long, 40 inches wide. Planks of white pine, oak trim. Also fitted with one 25-horse power gas tank. Apply 25 Bruce street. 357-1f.

LOST—THURSDAY, SIX LADY'S COATS, Nickel and Exmouth street, via Carleton, Colburn, Union, Waterford and Richmond streets. Finder rewarded on leaving at Times office. 353-4-2f.

TO LET—FLAT CONTAINING TEN rooms. Apply at 36 Dulse street. 343-3-5f.

TO LET—THIRD STORY, MODERN IMPROVEMENTS. H. High street. Apply W. W. CHASE, 79 Paradise Row. 347-3-5f.

TO LET—TWO FLATS ON METCALP street. Apply J. C. COWAN, 99 Main. 351-1f.

**THE MISSION TEAM WON**

In the St. John Basket Ball League series last night the Mission Church and St. Stephen's first teams clashed in the latter's rooms. The first half was close, the score standing 6-4, but in the last half the Mission team made things humdrum. When time was called the score stood 24-9 in favor of Mission Church. The Mission team showed up in splendid form. The line up was:

W. Patterson . . . . . Henderson  
H. Patterson . . . . . Brown  
Centre  
Scott . . . . . Pratt  
Defence.  
McIntyre . . . . . D. Paterson  
Smith . . . . . Wetmore

**Mrs. Charles Peer**

The death occurred on Thursday, Feb. 25th, at 12 o'clock, of Elizabeth A., wife of Charles Peer. Deceased had been ill a short time with tuberculosis, and was 83 years of age. She was a daughter of the late Joseph Blizard, of Fredericton, and leaves her husband, four sons and one daughter, four brothers and one sister to mourn their sad loss. She was highly esteemed by all who knew her.

The funeral will take place Sunday at 2 o'clock from her late residence, 220 Prince street, W. E.

Night Detective Lucas escorted Robert Bere, an Englishman, whom he found suffering from the cold, to the police station between 12 and 1 o'clock this morning, where he was sheltered until 7 o'clock.

**LADY SHAUGHNESSY SAILS FOR ENGLAND**

Wife of C. P. R. President Was a Passenger by the Empress of Britain This Afternoon.

The C. P. R. royal mail steamer Empress of Britain, Capt. J. A. Murray, sailed this afternoon for Liverpool via Halifax. A special train carrying passengers for the steamer arrived at the west side about 2 o'clock and went directly to the steamer. Among the number was Lady Shaughnessy, wife of the president of the C. P. R., who is going to England. Sir Thomas Shaughnessy was also a passenger on the train, coming to bid his wife bon voyage. The steamer took away about 325 passengers divided as follows: 50 saloon, 75 second cabin and 200 third class. The steamer is also carrying a large amount of freight.

**HORRIBLE TALE OF DEPRAVITY**

A startling tale of depravity, due to the use of liquors, among the native women of Alaska, is told in a brief report by the United States house committee on territories. It is prompted by a bill to authorize the attorney general to appoint as special peace agents officers the employees of the Alaskan school service so they may aid in enforcing the law against the selling of intoxicating liquors to the natives of Alaska.

It is declared that 90 per cent. of the Indians of that territory of both sexes and all ages, from seven years up, use liquors. What has always been ascribed to the effect of liquor upon Indians in the United States is true, perhaps to an even greater extent, in Alaska, and the difficult nature of the enforcement of prohibitory laws is unquestionably greater. The effect of the liquor traffic among the natives is not only to care for themselves, but to indirectly bring all ages and sexes to a pitiable condition of disease and immorality.

"The moral and physical condition of the women," says the report, "traceable to the use of liquor among them by unscrupulous white men, although well known, is almost beyond belief. Teachers investigating the cause of light attendance frequently find their pupils intoxicated from liquor brought into the villages by whites.

The sanitary conditions among the natives, whether due directly or indirectly to the liquor traffic, or to other causes, are deplorable. The natives will do nothing to care for themselves. Their dwellings are insanitary in the extreme; there is practically no ventilation, and a high and unhealthy temperature is maintained. No care is taken of garbage and other refuse. Consumption prevails to an alarming extent, but the natives will do nothing to protect themselves against its spread, and the teachers cannot compel the observance of wholesome regulations."

**FUNERALS**

The funeral of Mrs. Arthur Delaney took place at 8.45 this morning from her home, 24 Adelaide street, to St. Peter's church, where Rev. Father Carleton, of Peterborough, officiated. Mrs. Delaney, nee Peterson, was 65 years of age. Interment was in the old Catholic cemetery. The funeral was largely attended and the pallbearers were Dr. J. D. Mahan, Joseph Corkery, Henry Sullivan, James Carleton, Maurice Coll and Thomas For.

Among the numerous floral tributes were a monster cross of daisies, hyacinths, and roses from Mr. Delaney's fellow freemen at No. 5 station, north end, and a large wreath surmounted by a cross from St. James' Hotel, Boston.

The funeral of Mrs. Nora McCarthy will take place tomorrow at 8.15 a. m. from 600 Main street.

The body of William Henderson, 154 Brussels street, was taken on the early morning train to Kingston, where interment will be made. Service was conducted at the house last evening by Rev. W. W. McMaster, and he accompanied the body to Kingston.

The funeral of Mrs. Letitia McCourt was held this morning from the residence of her son-in-law, 228 Princess street, to the Cathedral, where requiem high mass was conducted by Rev. Fr. Duke. Interment was made in the new Catholic cemetery.

**PROBATE COURT**

Estate of Thomas Bustin, customs locker. Petition of the widow and all the children in favor of administration being granted, the deceased having died intestate, to Miss Georgianna Bustin, junior, stenographer, a daughter, who is duly sworn in as administratrix. Personal property under \$1,000. Messrs. Bustin & French, proctors.

Estate of Mary Elizabeth Hancock, widow of Miles Hancock. Last will proved, whereby the deceased gave her property on the south side of Bridge street to her adopted daughter, Maggie V. Jones, wife of William E. O. Jones, commercial traveler, for life, and after her death to her children, and all the rest of her estate to her sister, Miss Ellen S. Turnbull, whom, with Frederick Sandall, are nominated as executors, but the latter renouncing. Miss Turnbull is sworn in as executrix. Real estate, \$2,800; personal \$1,600. Mr. H. H. Brittan, proctor.

**WAIT UNTIL MONDAY, March 1,**  
For the Greatest Bargains in Men's, Boys', Women's, Girls' and Children's  
**SHOES**

When **C. B. PIDGEON** will open the Greatest Shoe Clearance Sale in the Province of New Brunswick. Don't forget the date, **Monday, March 1st.**

This great sale comprises all the latest styles and best makes of Men's, Women's, Children's and Infants' Shoes, and represents positively the greatest and best selected shoe stock in this section of Canada.

Mark the Date---Monday, March 1st.

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This is the Time You Get a Lot For Your Money.

No. 1. The greatest Hamburg Bargain ever thrown open to the public. SEE OUR WINDOW.

No. 2. Lace Curtains, \$1.25 and \$1.50 quality, Friday and Saturday, \$1.00 pair; (5) fine different patterns, full size.

No. 3. Lot Ladies' Fleeced-lined Undervests, 30 and 33 cent quality, 22 cents.

Black Satin Underskirts, \$1.25 quality, 80 cents; 10 cent White Cotton, 12 yards for \$1.00; 40 cent Black Cashmere Stockings, 25 cents, all sizes. Clarke's Reels, 5 cents each. Pins, 2 papers for 5 cents, were 5 cts. each. White Victoria Lawn, 10 cents yard, 40 inches wide, regular 15 cent quality. Cashmere, in Sky and Royal Blue, Pink, Cream, Brown and Black, only 15 cents yard.

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**THIS SEASON'S BEST OVERCOATS & SUITS**  
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