

WILD SCENES IN BRITISH PARLIAMENT

T. P. O'Connor Moves To Reduce Estimate By Amount Equal To Anderson's Pension.

JAMES H. CAMPBELL HOOTED FROM FLOOR

London, April 21.—Memories of the turbulent scenes of Parnell's time were recalled in the House of Commons tonight during the discussion of a motion by T. P. O'Connor, to reduce the civil service estimate by \$4,500, the amount of Sir Robert Anderson's pension.

Mr. Balfour, leader of the opposition, agreed, at tonight's session, with Premier Asquith and Mr. Churchill, in condemning Sir Robert's action as improper, but Mr. Churchill, as home secretary, declined to interfere to deprive him of his pension.

The debate was proceeding quietly but with acerbity on the part of the Nationalists, one of whom declared that Sir Robert's articles were an attempt to revive old charges against the Nationalists, in order to help the Tories in the coming election.

The pandemonium was renewed on the part of the Nationalists, who shouted: "Pigott," "Dublin Castle," "We won't stand it," and cheered for Parnell.

The scene was continued for several minutes and finally Mr. Churchill moved closure and Mr. O'Connor's motion was rejected, 164 to 84.

WIRELESS STATION IS NEARING COMPLETION

Re-opening Of Marconi Station At Port Morien Set For May 1st—Wireless Wizard Superintending Work.

Special to The Standard. Halifax, April 21.—Rapid progress is being made with the Marconi wireless telegraph station at Morien and it will be opened for commercial business about the 1st of May.

It was at first expected that the work would have to be completed by the latter part of last week and that the opening would occur on Wednesday, but unforeseen delays in the arrival of machinery and construction interfered with the original plans and the re-opening has thus been unavoidably delayed.

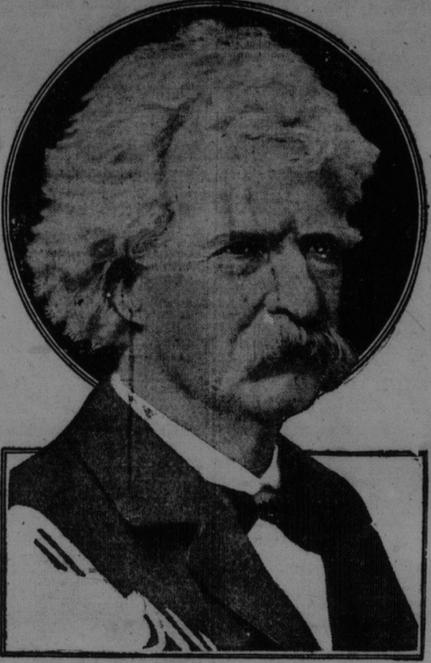
Mr. Marconi is at The Towers and has been actively engaged in superintending the work of the installation of the machinery and electrical fixtures in the operating room. He will likely remain in Cape Breton until some time in June when he leaves for England to visit the English stations.

ROBERT J. LINDSAY INTERRED AT WOODSTOCK

Funeral Of Well Known Citizen Largely Attended—Services Conducted By The Rev. H. G. Ailder.

Special to The Standard. Woodstock, N. B., April 21.—Robert J. Lindsay, who died at his home here on Tuesday after a brief illness was buried this afternoon. The attendance was large, testifying to the high esteem in which he was held by the community.

MARK TWAIN DEAD OF BROKEN HEART



SAMUEL LANGHORNE CLEMENS (MARK TWAIN).

Famous Humorist, Worn Out by Grief and Agony of Body Occasioned by a Series of Bereavements, Passes Peacefully Away—Pathetic Scenes at Deathbed—His Life.

Redding, Conn., April 21.—Samuel Langhorne Clemens (Mark Twain) died peacefully at his home here at 8:30 o'clock tonight, of angina pectoris. He lapsed into coma at 3 o'clock this afternoon and never recovered consciousness.

Where Mark Twain chose to spend his declining years was the first point of contention in the heart of his associates in the north of New England and it was among the hills of Redding that General Israel Putnam of revolutionary fame, mustered his sparse ranks.

There Mr. Clemens reared the white walls of the Italian villa, he first named Innocence at Home, but a first name of what a New England winter storm can be in its wildest fury quickly caused him to christen it Stormfield.

Through the lanes the innocent at home recovered, in the heart of the good listener, for Mark Twain was a mighty talker, stored with fairy tales for the little maids he adored, and ruder speech for masculine ears.

The death of H. H. Rogers, a close friend, was a severe blow to Mr. Clemens. The death of his daughter, Jean, who was seized with an attack of epilepsy last fall, while in her bath, was an added blow from which he never recovered.

When 29 he went to San Francisco, obtaining a job as reporter on the Call. He held this post but six months, and did not take kindly to routine journalistic work.

In 1857 the journal Alta California commissioned him to make a trip to Europe and Palestine on the steamship Quaker City. "Conducted" trips abroad were then growing fashionable.

It was on this trip that Twain obtained material for his famous "Innocents Abroad." This book was written in a thirty-four year, and close on to a million copies have been sold.

THANKS THE STANDARD FOR FINDING SON

Grateful Father Has Warm Praise For Paper Which First Published Tidings Of Son Believed Dead.

MORE NEWS OF H. P. HETHERINGTON.

THANKS STANDARD. "I must express my thanks and say I feel very grateful to your paper in having been the means of getting me in direct correspondence with my son, whom I had given up as dead."

Having learned of the whereabouts of his long missing son through the medium of The Standard, Mr. Joseph W. Hetherington, of Washadewak, writes expressing appreciation and confirming the wonderful story told of the dual personality of Horton B. Hetherington, who after a lapse of years has been discovered as H. Norton, superintendent of the city mission of La Crosse, Wis.

Mr. Hetherington was formerly a prominent lumberman and politician in Queens county and lost his memory while on a business trip to New York. According to the newspaper clipping forwarded by his father, Mr. Hetherington was covered in the Metropolitan temple, New York, at a meeting conducted by Dr. Robert Bagnelle.

Soon after he decided to give his post of Methodist in New England and it was among the hills of Redding that General Israel Putnam of revolutionary fame, mustered his sparse ranks.

Up in Queens county, however, a gray haired father who knows and rejoices in the fact that Horton B. Hetherington is living and well and carrying on a great and a good work in La Crosse, Wisconsin.

SYDNEY CONSERVATIVES IN FIGHTING TRIM

Enthusiastic Meeting Held Yesterday At Which Plans For Coming Local Election Were Discussed.

Sydney, April 21.—There was a meeting of the Liberal-Conservative party in the assembly room of Sydney Lyceum today. There was a representative body of delegates present and it was unanimously decided that a convention for the purpose of nominating candidates for the forthcoming local elections should be held on Tuesday, May 3, next.

Other business important to the party was transacted at the executive meeting, and a plan of organization mapped out. The convention on May 3 promises to be largely attended and will doubtless be just as successful.

At a meeting of the town council last night a motion was passed to lease a piece of school land near the railway station for twenty years to Henry and Son, Limited, of Liverpool, for a shipbuilding yard. At the end of twenty years the lease may be renewed for a similar period. The town's tax rate for this year was fixed at \$2.

N. S. PROHIBITION BILL MADE MORE DRASTIC

Special to The Standard.

Halifax, N. S., April 21.—The prohibition bill has had its three readings in both houses of the legislature, and now stands waiting concurrence in a single amendment made by the council which forbids the formation of clubs for the purpose of making it possible for the members thereof to obtain liquor for themselves. Instead of weakening the bill as it left the assembly, the council, therefore, has made it more drastic. The lobbies were thronged by men interested in the liquor business. There were tem-

Pugsley's Defence of Sawdust Wharf Deal Torn To Shreds By Mr. Borden In Telling Speech

K. OF C. HOLD BANQUET AT UNION CLUB

Visiting Knights Entertained by Local Council at Dinner Last Evening—Eloquent Speeches by Prominent Speakers.

The banquet given to the visiting members of the Knights of Columbus by the local council in the Union Club, last evening, was a brilliant function. About 100 were present including several prominent members of the order from the New England states and outside points in the provinces. The toast list brought out several able and eloquent addresses.

The visitors included J. T. Whalen, past grand knight of the district of



J. T. WHELAN, Dist. State Deputy, Cambridge, Mass.

Mass.; T. J. Carney, grand knight of the North Cambridge council; Patrick J. Mulcahey, past grand knight of North Cambridge council; H. P. Smith, J. H. Holt and A. J. Sylvester, officers; Hon. John Morrissey, of Newcastle; Hon. F. J. Sweeney, of Moncton; State Secretary G. Duffy, of Charlottetown, and Grand Knight Craig, of Halifax.

Grand Knight Charles A. Owens presided. The room and tables were elaborately decorated for the occasion. The Nickel orchestra furnished music and several K. of C. parodies on well known songs were sung.

After justice had been done to the excellent menu provided toasts were the order of the evening.

The toast to The King was received with musical honors. The church was proposed by Dr. R. F. Quigley in an eloquent address and a response from Rev. W. F. Chapman, V. G. and Rev. Father Ryan, of St. Mary's.

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STILL NO WORD FROM MISSING FISHERMEN

Many Theories Afloat Concerning Fate Of Island Man Blown Out To Sea—Still Searching

Special to The Standard. Charlottetown, P. E. I., April 21.—No word has been received from the missing man who went adrift in a dory from Priest Pond. There are different theories at the North side regarding the fate of the missing man. Some think that the boat may have foundered on the spot; others figure out that if they are still afloat, and have been drifting without a drag, before the wind that this forenoon they should be on in the gulf somewhere west of the Madalen and about sixty miles from East Point on the Grandley fishing banks.

Only one of the men, Strachan had any coasting experience, but some of them were experienced. Dory men, Campbell was the cheese maker at Priest Pond. Their dory was twenty-two feet over all. The Brant is still off the North side looking for them.

Opposition Leader Has Burning Words for Minister of Crown Who Stooped to Become a Party to Notorious Scandal—Pugsley's Story Incredible and His Case an Impossible One.

"Proud of Pugsley" Division Follows Brilliant Debate Featured by Conservative Chieftain's Vigorous Review of Case—Pays Warm Tribute to Part Played by Member for York.

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, April 21.—After a day spent in debate on the sawdust wharf deal there was a "proud of Pugsley" division and the government scored almost its exact normal majority, the vote being 111 to 83. The Liberals showed little appetite for the debate, their only speakers being the ever faithful Mr. Carvell and the minister under accusation. Mr. Borden would not debate with a capital twenty minutes speech, full of fire, and with a lightness of touch and a sharpness of wit which delighted his followers.

Argument Riddled. In the course of his brief speech Mr. Borden tore to tatters the argument that the sawdust wharf was worth the \$5,000 paid for it. Among other things he noted one significant fact Mr. O'Leary, the original owner of the property, was assessed on his real estate for a certain amount. He parted with the sawdust wharf. Soon after the assessment was revised and Mr. O'Leary asked the assessors to take note of the diminution in his real estate. They refused to do so, holding that its value had not been decreased. In other words that the wharf was valueless.

Mr. Pugsley interposed an explanation. The assessors knew that Mr. O'Leary had the money he had received for the wharf and so just as well off as before.

Mr. Borden treated the explanation with utter contempt. "Will any hon. gentleman," he said, "be good enough to tell me what answer I should make to that?"

Mr. Pugsley's speech proper was an elaborate pieceing together of such of the evidence as suited his side of the case and Mr. Meighen gave a most damaging and clear headed analysis of the case.

The feature of the debate, however, was Mr. Borden's brilliant little speech. It was short but long enough to show with absolute clearness and telling sharpness of phrase how absolutely timely his defence was. It was real debating all the better for some effective repartee. It was fighting debating too and left the opposition with its blood warmed.

Debate Resumed. The House resumed the debate as soon as it reassembled in the morning. Mr. Carvell described the issue as exceedingly patry and went on to attack Mr. Crockett, charging him with having shown pettiness and vindictiveness. He divided the case into two aspects, the charge of collusion against the minister and the price of the wharf. He did not contend that Murray, the man who bought the wharf, was immaculate. He agreed that Murray was working for himself. He would agree that Murray probably had in his mind when he bought the wharf a hope that he could sell it to the government, but there was no crookedness in the transaction. The wharf was valuable.

Dr. Reid followed, opening with a reference to the "Blockers' Brigade." A. K. MacLean had left the House. George McCraney, E. M. Macdonald were assumed to attend the public accounts committee; and the work was all left to Mr. Carvell. Dr. Reid's inference was that Mr. Carvell had the promise of a judgeship as a retainer.

Mr. Carvell demanded that this be withdrawn. He had no promise of a judgeship, he said. "I have refused a judgeship. I do not want a judgeship."

Carvell Riled. Dr. Reid accepted his statement but a moment later spoke of Mr. Carvell having been retained by Andrew Loggie. Mr. Carvell protested with heat and Dr. Reid maintained that Mr. Carvell had acted for Mr. Loggie in the offer to buy Richard O'Leary's wharf without fee. This Mr. Carvell admitted.

Later Dr. Reid became involved in a heated altercation with several Liberal members. He condemned them for condoning such rascals as this and suggested that in many cases promises of office constituted the reason.

Col. Talbot challenged this, and Dr. Reid retorted that it had been common talk in the newspapers that Col. Talbot was an applicant for the post of deputy minister of militia. This Col. Talbot denied absolutely.

Then Mr. Turcotte of Quebec county declared that Dr. Reid had no right to insult members. The speaker however refused to order Dr. Reid to withdraw.

Mr. Borden, "be good enough to tell me what answer I should give to that question?" and the Conservatives roared with laughter.

Mr. Borden went on to compare the evidence of Mr. O'Leary and of T. O. Murray, and to declare that that of the former was by far the more credible.

Mr. Carvell himself, would be a judge on the bench, would decide in Mr. O'Leary's favor. Catching the expression.

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THE HISTORY OF THE CRIME

The Fight For The St. John Valley Railway--Review of Struggles To Secure The Road.

By W. Frank Hatheway, M. P. P.

No. 5. In the winter of 1908-9 the \$6,000 people along the river saw that their choice of a new agent and new leader was amply justified in the exposure of reckless bookkeeping, mismanaged railroads and overdrawn accounts of the Dominion Government.

The Proposal of 1909-10. A delegation of representative men was authorized by the premier to say (I quote the St. John Telegraph, April 16, 1909) "that the government should continue the DOUBLE SUBSIDY for the construction of the line down the St. John from Grand Falls to St. John and that on the bonds of the proposed company BEING GUARANTEED by the province (\$25,000 per mile), the Intercolonial should UNDERTAKE the operation of the road and pay to the company forty per cent of the gross earnings."

Mr. Pugsley's offer was \$7 lb to the yard. 2nd--That the grades be not over 0.4 per cent with a lower grade even than the G. T. P. and that the road should be equipped with rolling stock, etc.

Looking at this 1909 "definite proposal" calmly, we say that it was fair for Sir Wilfrid to wait nine months, or six months, or even three months, before he replied? If he wanted to do all he could to have the road built, why take longer than one month to give his reply?

Again, why did he permit Mr. Pugsley to write in June to Mr. Chestnut, president of the Valley Railway, NOT ACCEPTING MR. HAZEN'S OFFER, but saying that before it could be considered it must be based on a 50 lb weight rail and a 0.4 per cent grade? Again, if Sir Wilfrid and Mr. Mann were really sincere, why did they not in July or August fix a date on which the Dominion Government Committee (already appointed by the premier) could go to Ottawa and arrange the details of grades, etc?

Consider the onerous conditions imposed by Dr. Pugsley and Sir Wilfrid. Does it not look as if they, or the G. T. P. had said, "impose such conditions as will make the road most costly to build?" Messrs. McKenzie and Mann wanted \$36,400 per mile and no interest for seven years, to build the 1907 Pugsley offer of \$7 lb rails and no fixed low grade. Even then they definitely stated that they would not agree to make it part of their own trunk line. Surely the 1909 proposal must be 50 lb rails, and the road to be equipped with rolling stock, etc. surely today in 1910 they or any company will ask perhaps \$46,400 a mile in guarantee and subsidy for this amount.

As absolute proof that in July 1907, the honorable Mr. Pugsley, premier of the province at that date, knew that it was impossible to get the valley to accept the offer that he made, viz., \$15,000 a mile guarantee, and I quote an unpublished letter from D. D. Mann to Dr. Pugsley dated 10th July, 1907, in which he says:

"A guarantee from the Province of New Brunswick of First Mortgage Bonds to the extent of \$15,000 per mile would be useless as it would not be practicable to raise further money on Second Mortgage Bonds."

It is estimated by some engineers that the line will cost at least \$40,000 per mile, exclusive of bridging the St. John River. Therefore, I think the road should start at Westfield and follow the St. John Valley to Centreville. The Railway Commissioners would not doubt give us trackage into St. John over the Canadian Pacific Railway and Cantleiver Bridge. The following would be necessary to justify us in considering the making of a contract for undertaking the work (in reference to Dr. Pugsley's Proposal of 1907.)

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For obvious reasons the contents of the above letter was never revealed to the public, for it appeared at once the railway bubble of 1907. How can anyone with that letter in hand, state that the cheaper road of 1907 could be built for \$21,400 a mile, that the Canadian Northern would make a part of their through line, and how could any sane man state that the more costly road of 1909-10 under the hard con-

DEFENCE OPENS WOLTER CASE

State Rested After Mueller G. Testified That Wolter Painted Tell-tale Fireplace--Prisoner Will Testify.

New York, N. Y., April 21.--The trial of Albert Wolter, with its morbid accounts of the slaying of little Ruth Wheeler by choking and burning in the fireplace of Wolter's room, moved expeditiously today. The prosecution rested its case today soon after Wolter's companion, Katie Mueller, a fragile girl almost sick with fright, had testified to seeing Wolter at night stealthily at work on the tell-tale fireplace.

Wallace Scott, Wolter's attorney, outlined the defense in an address to the jury, which lasted only ten minutes. Wolter will take the stand in his own defence. According to Mr. Scott he will call a second witness--a girl--to show that the body was on the fire escape until late Saturday, two days after Ruth Wheeler disappeared.

Further Scott said, he would prove that Wolter left the house Friday, early and did not return. Wolter squirmed nervously in his seat as he heard Katie Mueller tell of the fireplace incident. The stout, fiery maid, with a weak voice, with a careful questioning by Prosecutor Moss, said:

"I worked all of March 24. When I got home Wolter was down on his knees painting the fireplace. He had painted the hearth and was painting the iron frame and the apron--the shield that goes over the grate. The girl told of the call of Pearl Wheeler, who was seeking her sister and of her jealousy and continued:

"Late that night, I heard a noise. It was the fireplace cover falling down--the fireplace was in the other room, but I could not tell what it was by the sound. I looked and Wolter was getting up out of bed. He went and fixed it, but I didn't see what he was doing. "I went back to sleep and the fireplace fell again and woke me up. I got up and looked. Wolter was down on his knees at the fireplace working. I went to the bathroom and when I came back he was still at the fireplace. He was there three or four minutes, I guess."

There was a calling of a few minor witnesses, the placing of the jury for their inspection and the state closed its case.

FUNERAL SERVICE OF GEORGE R. VINCENT

Rev. Dr. Flanders Made Eloquent reference to deceased County Secretary--Many Floral Tributes.

A large number of friends gathered to pay a last tribute to the late George R. Vincent at the funeral which was held at the late residence, 16 Horseshoe street, by Rev. Dr. C. R. Flanders, at 8 o'clock last evening. Rev. Dr. Flanders paid an eloquent tribute to the worth of the deceased citizen and his interest in everything which made for the good of the community.

The floral tributes were very beautiful. The officers and crew of the steamer Elaine sent a handsome wreath and the following were also represented: officers of St. John River Steamship Co.; Court La Tour, I. O. F.; Dominion Lodge, L. O. A.; Pioneer Lodge, I. O. F.; Dr. L. A. Currey, Mr. R. Kettle Jones and many others.

Representatives of the various orders of which Mr. Vincent was a member besides a large number of personal friends will accompany the body to Brown's Flats this morning on the steamer Elaine. The Church of England service will be read at the grave.

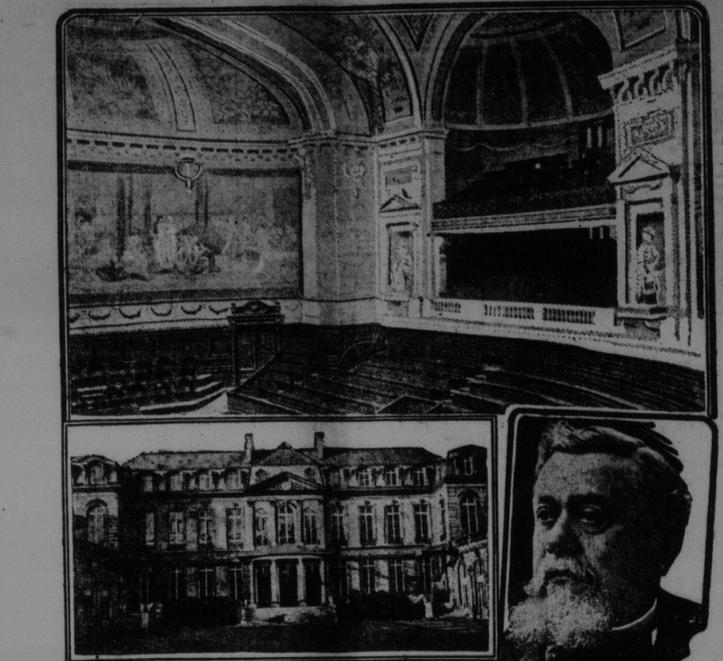
John Condon. The funeral of John Condon took place at 2:30 yesterday afternoon from his late residence, Brussels street. Conditions imposed by Dr. Pugsley and Sir Wilfrid, be constructed for \$31,400 a mile, or even for \$41,000 a mile? It is estimated by some engineers that the line will cost at least \$40,000 per mile, exclusive of bridging the St. John River. Therefore, I think the road should start at Westfield and follow the St. John Valley to Centreville. The Railway Commissioners would not doubt give us trackage into St. John over the Canadian Pacific Railway and Cantleiver Bridge. The following would be necessary to justify us in considering the making of a contract for undertaking the work (in reference to Dr. Pugsley's Proposal of 1907.)

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Roosevelt Deluged With Honors By Enthusiastic Parisians



At the top, the beautiful hall in the Sorbonne school, where Theodore Roosevelt will deliver his principal address in Paris. Below, the famous Elysee Palace, Paris, where the Roosevelts will be the guests of President Fallieres of France.

Paris April 21.--Theodore Roosevelt, president of the United States, entered Paris at half-past seven o'clock this morning and was received with all the honors of a reigning sovereign travelling incognito. A cord of troops surrounded the railway station and held back the multitude which, in spite of the early hour, had congregated to greet him. The representatives of the government and the municipality extended a formal welcome to their guest, after which Mr. Roosevelt and his son entered an automobile and were driven to the United States ambassador's residence, where Mrs. Roosevelt and Miss Ethel were awaiting them. This afternoon the official part of Mr. Roosevelt's programme consisted of calls upon President Fallieres and Foreign Minister Pichon, who immediately afterwards said return visits to the American embassy.

out drear world-care, and his message was of love and cheer and good-fellowship. Few writers have ever known so truly that of little children as he, and much of his inspiration was caught from the minds of little ones. His power of expressing himself in simple, direct, and forceful language, his ability to open the soul, often causing a tear to streak a smiling face. In fact, Mark Twain knew of this glowing and happy chapter he suddenly describes her untimely death, and we weep with the unhappy son of the departed, to describe his grief of that day. The hand that wrote "Tom Sawyer" also wrote "Joan of Arc," that hand that wrote "Eve's Diary" in 1870, "Princess and Pauper" in 1871, "Life on the Mississippi," 1882, "Huckleberry Finn," 1885, "Library of Humor," 1888, "A Yankee in King Arthur's Court," 1889, and other works in rapid succession.

In 1884 he founded the publishing firm of Chas. L. Webster & Co., furnishing the capital. This concern was at first successful. Twain had a magnificent house in Hartford, Conn., and was considered one of the most prosperous literary men of the time. Through the business depression of 1894, however, Webster & Co. failed, and Twain assumed its debts. His fortune was wiped out, but he paid his creditors in full. He lost an additional \$100,000 through trying to develop a new typesetting machine.

Outrageous Fortune. Truth is, Mark Twain's life had been anything but unmarred. Few men had suffered so severely from the "slings and arrows of outrageous fortune," and few had borne their tribulations with such a cheerful and easy-going spirit as he. He lost an eye in life in order to pay off the debts of someone else, and yet Clemens did not working desperately to accomplish it.

His first great shock was the death of his idolized "Susy." He was heart-broken over the death of his wife in 1857. "Her character and disposition were of the sort that not only invites worship, but commands it," he wrote later. "She was a saint." His daughter Clara married Oesep Gabriowitz, the Russian pianist, and Dec. 24, 1869, his daughter Jean was found drowned in a bathtub, having suffered a fit of epilepsy. "This left Mark Twain alone in the world and bowed his head."

Twain was of small stature, but had a massive head with long gray wavy hair. He was an inveterate smoker, using as high as 20 cigars a day. He always wrote with a pen. His favorite name was Brown and his favorite historical character Napoleon.

A Shock. Mark Twain lived 74 years to give bright and happy thoughts to his fellow men. His gentle spirit has now gone out, and to the millions who have known the sunshine of his humor and the evening shades of his pathos the news of his loss to earth comes as a shock, and to thousands is a personal grief.

He was born to obscurity, poverty, physical weakness, but his brilliant mind, his splendid talent and glowing spirit carried him into the hearts of his nation, gave his name fame throughout the civilized world, brought him gratifying honors, and finally comfort, though this latter was tardy.

No American in history has occupied the position that Mark Twain filled in the world of letters. His humor was distinctly American, but with such a wealth of human truth and feeling in it that it spread around the world. He became more than a writer of books; he was the American good story teller. He lived to drive

President Armand Fallieres. Mr. Roosevelt has issued a statement relative to a Rome despatch last week quoting his as saying that upon his return to America he would do his utmost to drive from Rome "the Methodists who disgrace any religion."

Mr. Roosevelt says this alleged statement was an unqualified falsehood. He says he never publicly referred to anything remotely resembling what this despatch said.

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The toast to the City of St. John was proposed by J. Murphy in a brief speech, in which he outlined the progress and development of St. John during the past 15 years.

The toast brought a response from Mr. Scully who welcomed the visiting knights and expressed the hope that they would carry away with them pleasant recollections of their visit. Referring to the work of the city council, Mr. Scully said that he thought St. John could compare favorably with any city in Canada as a well-governed city.

He referred to several reforms which he hoped would soon be brought about, and in closing, again expressed the hope that the visiting knights had enjoyed their visit to the city. Perhaps some of the visitors, he said, found it difficult to get acquainted with the fog as he believed that in Halifax they called it "haze."

A song by Matthew Morris was then rendered with fine effect. The Legislature. The Legislature was then proposed by Dr. Thos. Lanney in a brief but eloquent speech, coupling with it the names of Hon. John Morrissy and Hon. F. J. Sweeney.

Mr. Morrissy in reply said that before starting to discuss the merits of the legislature, he wished to pay a tribute to the visiting knights, who belonged to the Republic to the south, which in his opinion was one of the greatest countries in the world. Although Canadians were loyal to their home and motherland still they always extended the right hand of good fellowship to their brothers across the line.

Referring to Halifax the speaker said that notwithstanding assertions to the contrary Halifax was all right, and Nova Scotia had a legislature second to none in the world excepting one--the government of New Brunswick (Laughter). He quoted the Hon. John V. Ellis, who had said that the present government was composed of honest, able and capable men--and he only wished to add that it was the best the province ever had. He was not alone in this opinion either; everyone in the province thought the same.

Referring to the Valley Railway, Mr. Morrissy foretold the time when it would be running into St. John and connecting with the great transcontinental line. It was the duty, he said, of every man to take an interest in the government of the province. People of Irish nationality often complained that they were not receiving fair play. They did not stop to consider that if they were unfairly treated it was in a great many cases their own fault. They lived in a free country, where every man no matter what his creed or nationality was given an equal chance.

Hon. F. J. Sweeney when called upon remarked amid much laughter that he preferred not to pass any opinion upon the worth of the present pro-

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The toast brought a response from Mr. Scully who welcomed the visiting knights and expressed the hope that they would carry away with them pleasant recollections of their visit. Referring to the work of the city council, Mr. Scully said that he thought St. John could compare favorably with any city in Canada as a well-governed city.

He referred to several reforms which he hoped would soon be brought about, and in closing, again expressed the hope that the visiting knights had enjoyed their visit to the city. Perhaps some of the visitors, he said, found it difficult to get acquainted with the fog as he believed that in Halifax they called it "haze."

A song by Matthew Morris was then rendered with fine effect. The Legislature. The Legislature was then proposed by Dr. Thos. Lanney in a brief but eloquent speech, coupling with it the names of Hon. John Morrissy and Hon. F. J. Sweeney.

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Party to Brothers' Squabble Will Likely Recover--Salvation Army Wedding at Moncton--Outlook for Fishing.

Moncton, April 21.--Charles Cook, the Sackville man who was so badly injured in a quarrel with his brother, a few days ago, continues to improve at a hospital. The operation relieved the pressure on the brain and Cook is now quite conscious, though he has not yet made any statement it is likely he will be able to give evidence at the adjourned hearing of the case against his brother, William, who is now in jail at Dorchester. William is said to have been almost as badly injured as Charles. Two or three of his ribs were broken and he was badly pounded otherwise. His plea will likely be self defence.

Brigadier Adby of St. John was in town last night officiating at a Salvation Army wedding, the principals being Mr. Sidney Morgan, late of Highgate, London, Eng., and Miss Howard of the same place. Mr. Morgan has been a resident of Moncton for a little over a year, while his bride only arrived a few days ago. They had been engaged in the city for some time. Trout fishing has opened unusually early this year and some fair catches have already been reported. Among the lucky ones is Mr. John Abrams, a veteran angler formerly of St. John, who got a fine string of sea trout at Notre Dame, Kent County. The stream there is one of the earliest in the province.

Another Gas Well Tapped. Moncton, April 21.--A report from Albert county late this afternoon is to the effect that still another natural gas well has been struck at a depth of 1050 feet, with a capacity of 800,000 feet daily. This is the second well struck during this season's operations and with three reported last fall give the company a supply of between two and three million feet every 24 hours or enough to supply a city a good deal larger than Moncton.

vincial government, and in deference to Mr. Morrissy would not touch upon the Valley railway. New Brunswick was progressive and took a leading place among the well governed provinces of the Dominion.

Referring to the resources of the province, the speaker said that the coal and iron deposits were becoming some of the chief factors in its development and these were the resources which had made Britain the most powerful nation in the world. The province has had many great legislatures and these were the present government was second to any which ever guided its destinies.

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In 1884 he founded the publishing firm of Chas. L. Webster & Co., furnishing the capital. This concern was at first successful. Twain had a magnificent house in Hartford, Conn., and was considered one of the most prosperous literary men of the time. Through the business depression of 1894, however, Webster & Co. failed, and Twain assumed its debts. His fortune was wiped out, but he paid his creditors in full. He lost an additional \$100,000 through trying to develop a new typesetting machine.

Outrageous Fortune. Truth is, Mark Twain's life had been anything but unmarred. Few men had suffered so severely from the "slings and arrows of outrageous fortune," and few had borne their tribulations with such a cheerful and easy-going spirit as he. He lost an eye in life in order to pay off the debts of someone else, and yet Clemens did not working desperately to accomplish it.

His first great shock was the death of his idolized "Susy." He was heart-broken over the death of his wife in 1857. "Her character and disposition were of the sort that not only invites worship, but commands it," he wrote later. "She was a saint." His daughter Clara married Oesep Gabriowitz, the Russian pianist, and Dec. 24, 1869, his daughter Jean was found drowned in a bathtub, having suffered a fit of epilepsy. "This left Mark Twain alone in the world and bowed his head."

Twain was of small stature, but had a massive head with long gray wavy hair. He was an inveterate smoker, using as high as 20 cigars a day. He always wrote with a pen. His favorite name was Brown and his favorite historical character Napoleon.

A Shock. Mark Twain lived 74 years to give bright and happy thoughts to his fellow men. His gentle spirit has now gone out, and to the millions who have known the sunshine of his humor and the evening shades of his pathos the news of his loss to earth comes as a shock, and to thousands is a personal grief.

He was born to obscurity, poverty, physical weakness, but his brilliant mind, his splendid talent and glowing spirit carried him into the hearts of his nation, gave his name fame throughout the civilized world, brought him gratifying honors, and finally comfort, though this latter was tardy.

No American in history has occupied the position that Mark Twain filled in the world of letters. His humor was distinctly American, but with such a wealth of human truth and feeling in it that it spread around the world. He became more than a writer of books; he was the American good story teller. He lived to drive

DR. PUGSLEY'S DEFENCE IS SHATTERED

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Mr. Borden said that it had fully served the purpose for which it had been written. It was an undated document. It was ostensibly a census of Mr. Stead. He had been visited with condign punishment, his salary having been increased by the statutory increase and a special additional increase of \$200.

Mr. Borden then ran over the story told by Mr. Murray of the negotiations, pointing out its weakness and pointing out that he got the money in five and ten dollar bills. That meant that he got 750 bills, 500 fives and 250 tens. Then he gave \$2,000 in several hundred bills, to a campaign manager in payment of a debt the particulars of which he could not give. The story was incredible, and the Conservatives were cheered, and the Conservatives gave a derisive cheer to Mr. Leblanc, the man to whom the sale "was important," when he rose to vote. The Liberals cheered Mr. Pugsley vigorously.

House in Supply. The House went into supply. Here a sharp discussion rose over a time-honored practice. It long has been the custom when a member of Parliament is prevented by illness or business from attending to grant him his full indemnity by appeal vote. The supplementary estimates this year have an item of \$1130 for indemnities for Messrs. Allard, Ames, Broden, Foster, Monk and Paterson, but it was blocked for the time at least, by J. D. Taylor, of New Westminster and E. A. Lancaster, of Lincoln.

Mr. Taylor argued that this appropriation involved discrimination and might affect the independence of Parliament. If allowances of this sort were to be made it should be done by amending the general act rather than having members dependent on ministerial action at the end of the session. No discrimination was possible, Mr. Fielding replied.

Mr. Lancaster took the same view as Mr. Taylor, while Col. Hughes and Mr. Henderson supported the vote. Mr. Fielding said that the matter had been discussed with Mr. George Taylor, names of several members had been considered and the members concerned probably knew nothing about it. After some further discussion the item stood over, Mr. Fielding saying that he was surprised at the resistance offered to the motion.



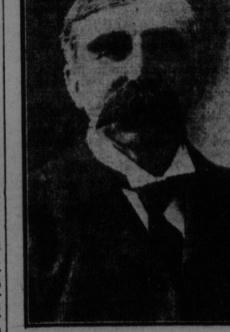
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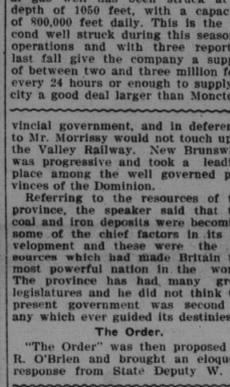


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DREXEL-GOULD WEDDING WAS A GORGEOUS AFFAIR



THE BRIDE WITH HER BRIDESMAIDS.

Full Details of Brilliant New York Society Event -- Fortune in Gifts Received by Bride -- First Days of Honeymoon Being Passed On Board Famous Yacht Atalanta

Miss Gould there was a gold tea service, and from Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Small an after dinner coffee service of gold. Mr. Nowell Griffith, who went around the world with Mr. Drexel, when in Japan, some years ago, bought a superb kimono for the bride, and this was one of the gifts. It was of soft pink crepe, elaborately embroidered.

At the chateau Mr. Drexel presented a large tray of old English silver, and from Mr. and Mrs. Reginald C. Vanderbilt there was a large center piece of silver. Judge Dillon, an old friend of the Gould family, sent a fine coffee service of old English silver, and from Mrs. Joseph Pulitzer there was a large silver vase. Mr. Leslie D. Ward's gift was a handsome bar pin set with diamonds, and from Mr. and Mrs. Edmund D. Randolph there was a gold vanity box set with small diamonds. Mr. Howard and Gould's gift was a center piece of silver, and from Dr. and Mrs. Frank Nordrop, cousins of the bride, was a gold jewel box set with turquoise.

Mrs. Vanderbilt and Lady Paget and Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont sent jeweled necklaces. Mrs. Charles and Mrs. Clarendon Mackay there were two dozen gold plates. Judge and Mrs. Elbert H. Gary sent a handsome gold cup, and from Mr. and Mrs. Charles Drexel there was a complete set of small table silver and a tea service of old English silver. Mr. and Mrs. Jacob H. Schiff sent a set of handsome gold plates, and from Mr. Harry S. Drexel there was a set of large silver dinner plates.

Col. John Jacob Astor sent an asparagus dish of silver, and from Mrs. and Mrs. John R. Drexel was a set of silver compotters and a large center piece. Mrs. Hermon Odierich sent four large silver centerpieces and from Mrs. and Mrs. Whitehall Reid there was a dish of old English silver.

Immediately after the ceremony a reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gould, No. 557 Fifth avenue. Owing to the rain the guests were rather late in arriving and the reception lasted much longer than was expected.

The bride and groom received in the ballroom, standing on a raised dais, just under a splendid panel of Gobelin tapestry. They were assisted by the bride attendants.

Mrs. Gould, wearing a gown of pink lace, mauve embroidered chiffon over a gown of the same shade, also a large hat of mauve satin with white egrettes and several strings of fine pearls, and Mrs. Drexel, in palest lilac embroidered chiffon over a gown of the same shade, also a large hat of mauve satin with white egrettes and several strings of fine pearls, and Mrs. Drexel, in palest lilac embroidered chiffon over a gown of the same shade, also a large hat of mauve satin with white egrettes and several strings of fine pearls.

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Mr. Drexel's gift to the bride was a large sapphire set in a ring, and from Mrs. J. Henry Smith there was a star sapphire scarf pin for Mr. Drexel. Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish sent a mesh purse of gold and platinum with a monogram in diamonds, and from Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Alexander there was a star sapphire set in enamel. Mr. Robert H. Russell's gift being a turquoise pendant.

From the brothers and sisters of the bride and groom, Miss Catherine Leterman has succeeded Miss Mary D. Spiers as social secretary to Mrs. Taft. Miss Spiers resigned on Saturday morning and Miss Leterman took up her duties on Monday.

While no official announcement was given out at the White House, it was understood that Miss Spiers' appointment was only temporary, but that she would remain with Mrs. Taft until the President's family left Washington for the summer.

Miss Leterman was a clerk in the Department of State. She is a native of New York, although she had made her home in Washington for several years. Her education was obtained abroad. She is familiar not only with the personnel of society, but with its usages. She has an apartment at Stoneleigh Court, a few blocks from the White House.

MRS. TAFT HAS NEW SOCIAL SECRETARY

CONVICTS ESCAPE FROM LEAVENWORTH

Leavenworth, Kans. April 21.—Two life convicts armed with a daring escape from the federal prison here this morning. It is possible that others also escaped and the officials started checks up the nine hundred prisoners to learn just how many got away.

As soon as the escape of the men became known the siren whistle at the prison was sounded as a warning to farmers to either halt or prepare to be on the lookout. This whistle can be heard many miles. At the same time guards were thrown around the prison to prevent other escapes.

The first report indicated that the two life men who got away had forcibly taken possession of a switch engine that had been run into the prison yards and pulled out at high speed. One out of the prison yards the convicts deserted the engine and made a dash for the woods.

US \$60,000 STOLEN A FAKE

New Yorker Sees the Name of the Master in a Barnyard Fiddle and Buys -- Is Set Straight.

New York, N. Y., April 21.—At that hour when the plowman homeward plies his weary way and the lowing herd winds slowly over the lea, a man appeared in the East 104th street station house and announced that in a pawnshop on Second avenue he had found a genuine Stradivarius.

"A what?" asked the lieutenant. "A violin," said the man. "The pawnshops in Second avenue are full of them," said the lieutenant, "them and mandolins and banjos."

"This," said the man impatiently, "is worth \$50,000 or maybe \$60,000. This violin in my hand is worth that much money."

The lieutenant smiled tolerantly. "So you got the fiddle with you?" he observed. "I'll call the captain. He'll make the pawnbroker give you back your money."

A treasure. "My man," said he, "you have a treasure. Look here on the inside it says plain as can be 'Antonelli Stradivarius.' Cremona, Italy, 1760. We are told that in 1803, 540 violins, 12 violas and 50 cellos as signed were in existence."

"Do you know the guy that made it, cap?" asked the lieutenant. "He's dead and gone," said the captain, sighing. "In Cremona, Italy. He was a busy wop making all them fiddles," said the lieutenant. "I'll ask Callahan to get some of the dogs on the block to come in and take a look. It'll be a treat for them."

"Get Davis and Sullivan from Headquarters, too," ordered the captain. They used to be detailed at the city police station. They know all about music. They'll know just how much our friend can get for the Strad."

Also came out to tell the news about the \$50,000 fiddle. Misunderstanding him, some of the Italians brought their own violins. The impression that Captain Corcoran was in need of music spread through the neighborhood. It occurred to the captain that the find might be tested.

"Play the 'Wild Cherry Rag' on it," implored the lieutenant. The two musical cops from Headquarters arriving by this time vetoed this suggestion. They told one of the Italians to stop tuning his own violin and play "something classical" on the Strad. The Italian did so. He declared his 'era violin' had a better tone.

"I'll sell you mine for \$11," he said to Captain Corcoran. "Who made that one from Second Avenue?" asked the lieutenant. "Antonio Stradivarius," somebody told him; "his name is inside. It's a way they had then, like the saloon men have their names on the excise licenses now."

"Lemme look," said the lieutenant. "When did this guy die?" he asked. "1760," said Captain Corcoran. "This tag in the fiddle says it was made in 1760. He was some fiddle maker all right if he could make twenty years after he died."

"Barbarian!" muttered the buyer. "Facts is facts," said the lieutenant. Captain Corcoran got a microscope. He found the inscription was pasted in the violin. Worse, it was written on a reverse side of a newspaper not a month old.

"I told you the hock shops in Second avenue was full of them," said the lieutenant, "them and mandolins and banjos."

MR. A. TURNEY IN ALBERT COUNTY

Prominent Horticulturist Gives Interesting Demonstration of Tree Spraying and Pruning at Riverside.

Hillsboro, April 21.—Mr. Turney, the provincial horticulturist visited this county last week, passing through Hillsboro on Wednesday to Riverside where he gave a demonstration of pruning and spraying trees, at the illustration orchard at that place.

On Friday he returned to Hillsboro, and spent the day in company with W. B. Dickson, M. P. P., inspecting many of the orchards in the outlying districts. On Saturday afternoon he delivered an out-of-door lecture in the orchard of Mr. W. F. Steeves, which was well attended by the fruit growers of the parish, who manifested great interest in all they heard and saw, and were apparently filled with a greater enthusiasm toward the producing of fruit.

On Monday morning he was driven to Coverdale, where a demonstration was given in an orchard of six or seven hundred trees, owned by Mr. Lorne Steeves. The same interest was shown here as in the aforementioned places and a determination on the part of the farmers to pay more attention to their orchards.

Albert county is proud to be the first county in the province to receive the visit of this kind from the provincial horticulturist and Mr. Turney expressed himself as being very much pleased with all the orchards he had the opportunity of visiting. He felt sure there were great prospects for the farmers, as Albert county is especially adapted for fruit growing.

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In An Hour of Ease He Sighs for More Trouble--A Real Live War on the Way--Little Money in Game Now.

New York, April 21.—"Business is rotten in my line," said a well-tanned stranger yesterday as he perched upon a sofa in the lobby of a hotel near Fifth avenue and tied his legs around the bottom of a neighboring chair. "That's what you see me here."

"Oh, I have just come up from South America. Been down there something like two years. Oh, yes, I have been up here frequently in that time, though it is pretty near two years since I saw New York the last time. Was doing a job a little bit out of my line and got into something I didn't enjoy."

"What do I do? Well, by profession I am a civil engineer, by occupation I am a gambler, and by revolutionism, perhaps I am what my friend Dick Davis would call a 'soldier of fortune.' Oh, yes, I know Davis very well. I've given him lots of stuff. No, I cannot give you my name, and I am not stopping at this hotel. So you can't get anything on me."

"You see, my friend, I have an idea that the police of something like half a dozen South American cities are looking for me. That is a fact, I have held a commission at some time or other in almost every army in South America. Not that I have done much fighting, though you see this scar behind my ear, and here is one on my arm, and I've had a bullet in each leg. But I've seen a lot of fighting in South America, some of it real, too. Fact is I have been mixed up one way or another in almost every exhibition of that sort they have had down there since 1890."

No Money Now. "And there used to be good money in revolutions, too. Now there isn't, it was not near enough civilization or even the Isthmus to get mixed up in that little mess in Nicaragua. Glad I wasn't, for I could never have collected any money. But I have seen Montevideo sacked twice, and many other towns, and I saw a hand to hand fight near Valparaiso once when one side lost 200 men and the other side lost 200 men. They are the only people in South America that really mean it when they fight."

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Friend of mine and I were travelling along through a very dense forest during a revolution when we heard the sound of musket fire. We were in the mountains and thought the shooting was much further away than it was, so all of a sudden we burst upon the battle field. There was one army on a hill firing away at another army on another hill, and in the center of the spurt as the Battery is from thirty-fourth street. It was about as much as the bullets could do to meet half way."

"I have been in the secret service of one of the South American republics, and it would not do for my name to be known. One job I did down there was working on a survey in a Brazilian jungle—not for a railway either, but I can't tell you its nature. But I was a year and a half in what the nearest approach to ladies that there is above the ground. I started in with twenty-eight men. Only five of us came out alive, only one other beside myself. The rest of the men had rifles and other arms of course, but our best ammunition was opium and quinine. I wouldn't go into that region again for anything in a hurry. One day I lost a white man from the party. When we found him two days later he was stark, staring mad, and soon after we had actually seized a revolver and killed himself."

Indians Gentle. "The Indians down there we found very gentle, but up there in the rubber country there are not many of them loose. The rubber country is worked by a system of peonage, by a man and a healthy Indian man is worth \$1,500. Three Indians got lost from our party one day, and I found they had been gone up by the rubber planters, and had actually to fight a pitched battle before I could get them back. If there were any way of getting the rubber down there to another country, it would be a very easy way to get a commission in the army that is going to win. Ecuador? Oh, they're always having trouble there, and it is going to end by Ecuador losing all her territory. Chile she thinks is backing her up, but Chile once backed Bolivia, and got a pretty good slice of that country. Ecuador is governed entirely by the revolutionists in Central America, but it is not so now. Why some years ago I got up one revolution in Central America and we wanted to open up a trail, so I went to see the president about it and he interposed objections, had gone in to him with my hat in my hand, but there was nothing doing. Well, we were working a force of 400 Javanese and other negroes, so the next day I marched them into the public square of the capital and I made another call on the president, and I didn't call him 'Your Excellency.' 'Well, I said, 'what's the answer?'"

"I told you yesterday it could not be done," he replied.

"I guess you'd better take a 'hit' drive with me," I returned, "put on your hat as the sun's hot. He objected, but finally came along, and I took him around and showed him how we had got his whole army penned in

The following is the account in part of the Drexel-Gould wedding as contained in the New York Herald of Wednesday:

The wedding in all its details was marked with the good taste for which Mrs. Gould is noted. All along the pews in the main aisle were stanchions topped with Mrs. Chateaus roses of a delicate shade of pink and on the walls of the church were baskets of daisies. The chancel and altar were massed with lilies and white lilacs, banked by lofty palms. The decorations were arranged by McConnell.

As invitations to the ceremony were general the ushers—Viscount Maitland, who is to marry Miss Margaretta Drexel in June, Messrs. Jay Gould, W. Rhinelandt Stewart, Jr., Craig Biddle, Kingdon Gould, Julius W. Noyes, John Pell and Nowell Griffith—had a hard time of it for an hour before the ceremony in seating the guests. Mr. Henry S. Lehr, while not one of the regular ushers, through his knowledge of such affairs gave much assistance.

While the guests were being seated there was beautiful music by the choir of St. Bartholomew's, with the addition of harp, violin and organ. The choir sang "The Hymn to the Sun," from Macagnani's "Iris," Horatio Parker's setting to the Twenty-third Psalm, a Wagner chorale and Hensche's "Morning Hymn." The other selections were instrumental, and included the intermezzo from Massenet's "Thais" and the Bach-Gounod "Ave Maria" for harp, organ and violin.

The vested choir of boys from St. Agnes' Chapel preceded the bridal procession to the chancel, singing Martin's "The Voice that Breathed O'er Eden," and during the ceremony Barnaby's "O Perfect Love."

Led by Flower Girls. The bridal party was most effective. First walked the little flower girls, Edith Gould and Ellen Mackay, who wore dainty frocks of white pleated chiffon and lace, with belts of pink ribbon. They also wore bouquets of white straw faced with lace and finished with pink ribbons, carrying huge clusters of pink roses.

The other bridal attendants, Misses Vivian Gould, Margaretta Drexel, Marjorie Curtis, Beatrice Claffin, Hope Hamilton, Elsie Nicoll and Dorothy Randolph, were in costumes of old blue and pink chiffon, with short and narrow skirts drawn in just below the knees with a wide satin ribbon. They also wore bouquets of pink and old blue straw vested with pink chiffon with large pink ostrich plumes at the left side. They carried close bouquets of pink moss roses and also wore the souvenirs of the bride, small watches of gray blue enamel set with tiny diamonds and attached to platinum chains.

The bride who entered the church with her father, wore a gown of soft white satin draped with point duchs

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A production excellent alike from a musical as well as an acting standpoint was given in St. Patrick's hall, last evening, by St. Patrick's choral society before an audience which filled the large auditorium. The bill for the occasion was Gilbert and Sullivan's tuneful comic opera, "The Pirates of Penzance," or "The Slave of Duty." Judged on its merits and without the application of the charitable mitigation of amateurism, the opera last night was produced in a manner which would not bring discredit to the ordinary professional opera company while the chorus more than made up by fresh, sweet beauty of tone and enthusiasm for anything they might have lacked in technical phrasing.

The production was under the direction of Miss Bessie C. Wetmore and was most creditable to her skill as well as to those cooperating with her. The cast was as follows:

Richard, a pirate chief--Fred L. Joyce.
 Samuel, his lieutenant--Joseph Keleher.
 Frederic, a pirate apprentice--J. Percy Lunney.
 Major General Stanley, of the British army--Gerald McCaffery.
 Edward, a sergeant of police--Leigh-Collbourne.
 Mabel, General Stanley's daughter--Bessie C. Wetmore.
 General Stanley's Daughters:
 Kate, Lovetta Fitzgerald
 Edith, Mary Murphy
 Isabel, Anna Cormier
 Ruth, a practical maid of all work--Florence Halpin.
 Pirates, Policemen, General Stanley's other daughters, etc.

Like all of the Gilbert and Sullivan operas "The Pirates of Penzance" is simple and contained in its action and built upon the very flimsiest of plots. Ridiculous and illogical in its situations and built for laughing purposes it nevertheless is filled with melody, some of its numbers being very fine.

It has been produced in this city on previous occasions and is so well known that no extended resume of the story is necessary.

The honors of the evening went to Miss Wetmore as Mabel. Her acting was well up to the requirements of the part and her two solos were exceptionally well rendered.

Mr. Lunney's clear tenor was well adapted to the role and numbers of Frederic, while Mr. Joyce and Mr. Keleher brought to the parts of the pirate chief and his lieutenant good vocal equipments and the necessary combination of dignity and ferocity.

Mr. McCaffery was very amusing as Major General Stanley and similar tribute may be paid to Mr. Collbourne as Edward, the police sergeant. Misses Lovetta Fitzgerald, Mary Murphy, Anna Cormier and Florence Halpin were all seen to advantage in their respective roles.

The Pirate of Penzance will be repeated tonight and on its merits should draw another crowded house as it is one of the best musical entertainments the West Side has yet enjoyed.

STRANGERS IN A STRANGE LAND

Immigrants at Sand Point a Motley Group--
 Many Nationalities and Many Temperaments--
 Given Old Welcome to Shores of Their Adopted Contry--Word Picture of the Scene.

"San John came gude sety." Straight from the heart of Europe, his mouse colored hat set jauntily on his unkempt hair, and his embroidered leather tunic hanging loosely from his broad shoulders, he marched out of the immigration shed and stretching out his arms as if he would embrace the land, lifted up his face with a look of ecstasy, and pronounced his benediction upon the meagre view of West St. John, intoning the alien syllables like a priest offering up a prayer of thanksgiving. And then as the multi-colored crowd surged out he marched down the long gangway, full of pathos, his hands outstretched by unworded motions, mazed by the strangers and wonder of new scenes, swayed at times into a barabatic chant of triumph.

Around him gathered a motley group, brave fifth color, but of a bedraggled and rumpled aspect as if they had slept in the clothes of their weeks. Sombre faces brightened, even the broad nose of the Russian Finn, staring into vacancy as if intent upon one of those visions that affect the men of his race, took on an expression that was not many miles removed from a smile of amusement. The tumbled heads of the women nodded approvingly, packs slipped from shoulders bowed with heavy labor. Blithe heels pattered the dust. Then a burly, unsympathetic C. P. policeman came along, driving them back over the sidewalk against the sheds, as if they were a brood of gossiping hens.

A Sorry Welcome.

If the truth is told, it is a sorry welcome that Canada gives to her new citizens from across the sea. Skipped off the boats, huddled into the sheds, impregnated with the pungent, heavy smell of heated humanity, run through the hopper of red tape under the scrutiny of lynch-eyed officials, they are glad to emerge into the open air, and while huddled around their household goods piled along the muddy apology for a sidewalk.

West St. John when the big liners come in, is converted into a clearing house of the nations. Humanity in a great range and variety flows across its wharves and over its streets from half-barbaric Russian peasants in sheep skin caps and great coats of bear skin gaily fringed and tasseled, to the latest type of luxurious English femininity in all the glory of gay Paris. A Hebrew housewife after looking around with wistful gaze, gathers up her family of six small children and flops down upon a heap of baggage to wait, with the patience of a long-suffering race, the departure of the trains for the west. Over there a plethoric German pleasantly hugs his grip and absorbs the scene with bovine placidity. Here a jaunty satisfied looking Englishman, with leggings all quite complete and quite correct, the same as you see on the stage, stands aloof blinking with supercilious amusement at the alien faces and outlandish garments of Canada's new citizens. There a tall Swede towers above his fellows, striving vainly to make himself understood in some simply inquiry.

And here and there, scattered everywhere, are the men and women and children of many nations, and tribes. Watch a long column of men filing out the lower shed, moving with curious gravity, and bearing burdens upon their backs. As they pass across a streak of sunlight, their heads and faces are thrown into hard light and shade; they are like a series of Durer studies, and some exhibit the marks of a high race--which is, perhaps, a fact of no great moment in this mad world where nature some

Executed For Eating Their Mother-in-Law

W. Frank Hatheway, M.P.P., in Interesting Travel Talk at Every Day Club Refers to Incident on Fiji Islands--Australia the White Man's Country--Conditions Compared.

In a lecture delivered before the Every Day Club last evening, W. F. Hatheway, M. P. P., gave an interesting account of his trip across the Pacific to Australia, and described briefly the influence exercised upon the industrial and social life of the southern continent by its famous labor agitation. A. M. Belding presided and during the evening an interesting programme was carried out in which Miss Martin, Mr. Robinson, Miss Cox, Miss Hall, Master Hill, Miss Colwell, Harold Colwell and Gordon Smith took part.

In opening Mr. Hatheway said that while travelling in northern Africa he had made an effort to effect an entrance into a Moorish harem. His wife and a lady companion had been able to satisfy his curiosity, but his efforts to persuade the big black man who kept watch and ward over the Moorish beauties that he was a Canadian patriarch who had come 6000 miles just to see the inside of a harem, failed to secure him admission.

"Talk about rain," he continued, "why among the Pacific islands the rainfall is often 24 inches in 24 hours. The showers we have had here during the past few days are a mere drizzle. We touched at Honolulu and watched the Kanawas fighting sharks and the come fly women, sitting under the coconut trees and singing their peculiar songs.

Eat Their Mother in Law.

"Then we touched at one of the Fiji Islands--a place full of strange creatures. On the beach you see crabs two feet long, powerful enough to break a person's leg and able to climb trees and pull down coconuts. The Fiji Islands make you think of cannibalism. But man-eating is a thing of the past--all the nations have become Methodists. At the same time, it is worth remarking that while our party were there two Samoans from the island where R. L. Stevenson lived so many years were executed for eating their mother-in-law.

"Then we crossed the Equator and sailed on till we came to the great continent of Australia, where the workingmen have attained so much progress, and where so many interesting social experiments are being carried on.

"Philip II. of Spain was at one time able to put his thumb on the map, and say to his councillors who were making great plans to destroy England, 'Where is England now? I've blotted it out with my thumb.' But since then the red mark of the English Empire has spread over the map and the Empire of Spain, the colossus that once bedrode the world has divided into insignificance.

"The cities of Australia are very beautiful. In some they use great casks for catching water and now and then a great wind comes and sends the big casks skurrying round the town. The hurricanes there are of great force and frequently bury vast areas under drifting sand. Droughts are common too.

Progressive Country.

"But the country is progressive and has great wealth. It is estimated that there are 12,000,000 cattle on the grazing lands. Its prosperity is due to the fact that Australia is a white man's country, inhabited by white men who have adopted legislation safeguarding the rights of all. The cities there are free from the disgrace, the stigma, the reproach, that we had in all our cities--a poor house.

"The white man's government helps the white man to make a man of himself. The government makes it possible for him to secure freeholds and lends him money to build houses at 4 per cent interest."

Referring to a recent debate on poverty and drink, Mr. Hatheway said that conditions existed in St. John that were calculated to drive men to drink. A man had recently committed suicide in St. John, because, as he said, he could not endure the conditions under which he had to work. We have factory laws and workmen's compensation acts, but we need more than this to make life worth living for all workingmen.

In Australia and New Zealand they do things differently. The government appoints a board representing the different interests and the public authorities; and this board determines the wages and conditions of labor in the various industries. Such a method of regulating industrial conditions was much needed here.

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CONCLUDING SESSIONS OF WOMEN'S AUXILIARY

Advertising Committee and Exhibition Association to Interview New Council--Illuminated Signs To Be a Feature.

AT THE OPERA HOUSE

The Opera House was packed from pit to dome again last evening when the Chicago Stock Co. gave its second presentation of "St. Elmo." The play repeated the hit already made on the previous evening and the players received nothing but commendation for their excellent work throughout. The various beautiful stage settings were received with applause and an air of appreciation and good fellowship pervaded the entire auditorium.

Tonight and Saturday the sterling Western drama entitled "Eugene of the Hills" will be given and for the Saturday matinee that always favorite "Kathleen Mavourneen" will be the bill.

On Monday the company will inaugurate its farewell week with a superb scenic production of "The Royal Box," which gained such favorable comment when presented at a special matinee Wednesday.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Annie E. Moore.

Mrs. Annie E. Moore, widow of W. A. Moore, died at her residence, 249 Main street, at 5:30 o'clock yesterday morning. She was born at Grand Bay on the 12th December, 1837, and was therefore in her 72nd year. Her husband was chamberlain of the town of Portland from its incorporation to the time of his death seventeen years later. Mrs. Moore suffered a stroke of paralysis fifteen months ago, from which she never fully recovered and which was the cause of her death. She was a member of the Baptist church and was widely known and highly respected in the North End. The deceased is survived by two sons, S. E. Moore of this city, and F. C. Moore, who is now in the West, and one daughter, Mrs. W. E. McIntyre of this city. Her daughter-in-law, Mrs. H. W. Moore, and her grand-daughter, Miss Helen Moore, are now travelling in Europe. Two other grand-children are Messrs. Gordon and Willard McIntyre, students at Acadia College.

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The Women's auxiliary of the Diocese of Fredericton concluded their convention here last evening with a largely attended missionary meeting in Trinity school room, when an interesting address on his life and work in India was delivered by Rev. R. H. A. Haslam. The address was illustrated by lighted views, and was most graphic in its depiction of the life and work of a church missionary in the so-called Indian land.

Mr. Haslam opened his address with a reference to Philip's request to James to show him the Father as he is in the Indian field, from the time of his first going to India until he left. Scenes in Amritsar, Peshawar, Kashmir and Kaniga were thrown on the screen in quick succession and were followed with deep interest.

It is Mr. Haslam's hope that the Canadian church will undertake the work of evangelization that district for which he asked for offerings in lives or money.

Afternoon Session.

At yesterday afternoon's session, Mrs. H. Beverley Robinson read a paper on "Current Events." There was a discussion on this subject, presided over by Miss Walker and a missionary talk by the Hon. Florence Macnaughten returned missionary from India. The announcement of the election of officers was then made. All the former officers were re-elected as follows: Honorary President, Mrs. Richardson; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. W. D. Forster; Recording Secretary, Mrs. V. B. Howard; Treasurer, Miss Louise R. Symonds; Treasurer-ex-tracurday-fund, Mrs. J. M. Robertson; Dorcas Secretary, Mrs. J. M. Hay; Juniors Secretary, Mrs. G. F. Scovill; Babies' Branch Secretary, Mrs. Kuhnring; Literature Secretary, Mrs. J. E. Robertson; Leaflet Editor, Miss J. Sadleir. At the morning session there was an interesting discussion on Dorcas work of the auxiliary.

Miss E. R. Scovill addressed the meeting on the work in the Diocese of Honan, China.

Mrs. G. A. Kuhnring presented the announcement of the election of officers, which were 112 helpers, which was later augmented by 11. The total enrollment was 266. St. Mary's branch having the largest membership.

The mite box collections yielded \$61, but only \$45 was placed at the disposal of the meeting. Of this amount \$37.50 was voted to the help of girls in China and India. The remaining \$7.50 was voted for the support of George Paris, a young Indian boy. Last year the mite box collections amounted to \$50.

The funeral of the late Nathan Parks took place yesterday afternoon at 2:30 from his residence, 144 1/2 Union street. Rev. Dr. Flanders conducted the service, and interment was made in a Seabill cemetery.

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County Court Criminal Side.
 Judge Forbes disposed of four criminal matters at a special session of the criminal side of the County Court held at the court house yesterday. Arthur Wright, aged 20, Louis Mullin, aged 18 and George Walker, aged 15, charged with unlawfully and wilfully destroying the "B" house (so called) at Milford, the property of the Andre Cushing Co., on April 12th, pleaded guilty and were allowed under a suspended sentence of two years in

Dorchester penitentiary. Lorne F. Smith, charged with stealing a bag containing a quantity of clothing on March 25th last, from the schooner Domain, the property belonging to Captain Stewart, was found guilty and allowed to go under suspended sentence.

DEATHS

Ward--Suddenly in Providence, R. I., Jessie Douglas, second daughter of the late Charles and Maria Douglas Ward.

Funeral from the residence of Clarence Ward, Esq., 27 Hershfield street on Friday afternoon, 22nd April. Service at house at 3:45.

BIRTHS.

Dunlop--At Passages, on 15th inst., to the wife of R. Melbourne Dunlop, a daughter.

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--Detroit Americans Win
--Other Games.

Pittsburg, Pa., April 21.—The world's champions won the opening game of the home season from St. Louis today, 9 to 4, but not until the visitors had worried the local fans by a succession of three hits and three runs off Adams in the third inning and held the lead until the sixth inning. A local batting rally, including a two-bagger by Gibson and five singles, then gave the locals a lead and the game was clinched by Philippe's two-bagger in the seventh. The latter had succeeded Adams in the seventh, and he held the visitors to no hits.

Wilson, in making a sensational one-hand catch in right field, went over on his back and was so severely injured internally that he was taken to a hospital.

The day was cold and the field wet following three days of rain, but several thousand enthusiasts were out to see the pennant-raising and the game. The flag, when it was first hoisted, was found to be upside down. Mayor William Magee pitched the first ball.

The score:
Pittsburg .. 10091430x-9 14 1
St. Louis .. 00010000-4 5 1
Batteries—Adams, Philippe and Gibson; Willis, Rieger and Phelps. Time—1:40. Umpires—O'Day and Brennan.

New York, 3; Boston, 2.

New York, N. Y., April 21.—The New York Yankees defeated the Boston Red Sox today 3 to 2 in a game marked by Marquard's pitching and Doyle's hitting. The New York pitcher twisted his ankle in sliding into second base in the sixth inning, and had to leave the field. During the six innings he pitched he held the Bostonians to two hits and struck out seven men, retiring the side in the second inning. The score:
Boston .. 00000002-2
New York .. 00000000-3
Time—1:55. Umpires—Rogers and Emslie.

Chicago, 6; Cincinnati, 1.

Chicago, Ill., April 21.—Score:
Chicago .. 2000200x-6 11 1
Cincinnati .. 00000001-1 5 1
Batteries—Brown and Needham; Beebe, Covelick and McLean. Time—2:05. Umpires—Johnstone and Moran.

Philadelphia, 1; Brooklyn, 0.
Brooklyn, N. Y., April 21.—Score:
Philadelphia .. 00100000-1 8 0
Brooklyn .. 00000000-0 2 1
Batteries—Moren and Doolin; Wehlem, Berger and Bergson. Time—1:57. Umpires—Klem and Kane.

CLEVELAND LEAGUE.

Detroit 5, Cleveland 0.

Cleveland, Ohio, April 21.—Cleveland's new baseball park was dedicated today in a grand ceremony before an enormous crowd. August Hermann, chairman of the National Commission, Ban B. Johnson, president of the American League, and the presidents of the Detroit, Washington and Philadelphia clubs were present. The dedication was not auspicious for Cleveland from a baseball standpoint, as Detroit won 5 to 0. Cleveland could do little with Willett, while Detroit bunched hits off Young in the third and seventh innings. Score:
Cleveland .. 00000000-0 5 1
Detroit .. 00200030-5 8 0
Batteries: Young and Clarke; Willett and Stange. Time—1:50. Umpires—Sheridan and Kerin.

Boston 10; Washington 3.

Boston, Mass., April 21.—Boston almost reversed the score of yesterday's game, winning today from Washington in another heavy batting match, 10 to 3. Stahl cleared the bases in the second inning with a home run and Carrigan and Karger each hit for four bases in the eighth. The score:
Boston .. 2500100x-10
Washington .. 02100000-3
Time—1:50. Umpires—Connolly and Dineen.

St. Louis 4; Chicago 1.

St. Louis, Mo., April 21.—Score:
St. Louis .. 00000004x-4 6 1
Chicago .. 10000000-1 4 4
Batteries—Lowe, Waddell and Stephens; Walsh and Payne. Time—1:50. Umpires—O'Loughlin and Ferrite.

New York 1; Philadelphia 0.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 21.—Score:
New York .. 10000000-1 4 1
Philadelphia .. 00000000-0 5 2
Batteries—Ford and Sweeney; Morgan and Livingston. Time—1:50. Umpires—Evans and Egan.

EASTERN LEAGUE.

At Baltimore—Buffalo, 4; Baltimore, 2.

At Newark—Toronto, 1; Newark, 2.

At Providence—Toronto 1; Providence 2.

At Jersey City—Montred 3; Jersey City 1.

Exhibition Games.

At Lawrence—Lawrence (N.E.) 3; Northampton, (Conn.) 1.

At Lowell—Lowell, (N.E.) 7; Utica (N.Y. State), 6, ten innings.

Monte Attell, who has just arrived here from the Coast, says he will make 115 pounds ringside for Johnny Coulon, and the National Sporting Club of this city is ready to stage the bout. Attell, a clever bantam, has never boxed Coulon, and if the latter is anxious to show New Yorkers what he can do with a really good boy he will make a match without further delay. Coulon has a busy press agent but he has shown considerable wisdom in sidestepping difficult propositions.

SPORTS

Basketball Champions of The Province Have Splendid Record



CHAMPION EXMOUTH BASKETBALL TEAM—From left to right, sitting: K. Wilson, forward; H. Alexander, defence; Hedley Hipwell, forward; Herb Lawton, defence; Frank Greason, centre. Standing: A. R. Carlos, manager; Elting Brown, spare; Roy Hendron, assistant manager.

Seldom, perhaps, has any athletic organization in this city attained such a large measure of success as has crowned the efforts of the intermediate Exmouth Y. M. C. A. basketball team. Indeed, it is doubtful if any basketball aggregation in the province ever attained the remarkable record of playing through a whole season without sustaining a single defeat.

The team was organized in 1907, and through hard training has developed into the fastest quintette in the province. A great measure of their success has been due to the capable and efficient management of A. R. Carlos, who is ably assisted by R. F. Hendron. During the season they played in all 14 games, without licking the dust of a single opponent.

Following is a brief history of the men who compose the lineup:
Capt. Hipwell, the snappy aggressive forward, is conceded by the critics of the game to be the speediest intermediate in the business. He played in his best form throughout the season and to his superb combination work, and excellent shooting is due in a large degree the great showing made by the team. Hipwell has played on the Exmouth team since its organization and is an all-round player. He is also a baseball player of some repute and pitched for the Exmouth team, two years ago in the amateur baseball league.

Keltie Wilson, who made his first appearance upon the lineup of the Exmouths at the opening of the season, having first learned the game as a member of the St. Stephen team in the church league he was given a good trout and quickly made good. His work throughout the season was of the stellar brand and he bids fair to become a star in the popular winter sport.

F. L. Greason, the big centre, has been a tower of strength to the team and distinguished himself prominently.

Herb Lawton, the spare, is a well-rounded player, who has shown himself to be a valuable asset to the team.

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The team's success is a testament to their hard training and capable management.

more often during the season than any other member of the team. Greason formerly figured on the speedy Argonauts lineup, but joined the Exmouths at the opening of the season.

H. L. Lawton has played defence for the team and his work scarcely needs particular mention. Always cool and on the alert, his defence work at times is of a brilliant nature, and to him is due the credit of having staved off many a defeat.

H. A. Alexander who has also played on the defence of the team during the past three years, played his usual steady game throughout the season. Always playing a clean, gentlemanly game, he is the idol of the fans, who like nothing better than to see him put up his stone wall defence.

E. A. Brown, who is used as a spare man, has demonstrated when opportunity presented itself that he has all the qualifications that combine to make up a good player. Although he has figured in about a couple of games during the season, his playing on these occasions was of the gilt edge brand and has marked him out for a future member of the team.

The team's first game this year was on New Year's afternoon when they defeated the Y.M.C.A. team in their gymnasium by a score of 16 to 9 in an exhibition game.

The independent league opened on Jan. 10. It was composed of the following teams: Exmouth, Argonauts, and St. Andrew's.

The Argonauts, on account of injuries to some of their players, dropped out after playing one game. The Exmouth team won this league with ten straight games and captured the cup which was donated by W. H. Thorne & Co.

The league standing was as follows:
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Exmouth .. 10 10 0 1000
Portland .. 5 3 2 500
Argonauts .. 5 2 3 400
Y.M.C.A. .. 9 2 7 222
St. Andrew's .. 7 1 6 145

Beside winning the league the Exmouths played Moncton, Aberdeen High School team in the Moncton Y.M.C.A. gymnasium, defeating them 30 to 14. They also played the Argonauts team of the Moncton Soccer League, in the Exmouth Y.M.A. rooms, winning with a score of 23 to their opponents 16.

A team picked from the Exmouth Independent and Intermediate teams played the Millidgeville team an exhibition game winning easily with a score of 33 to 12.

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Baseball
The Ring
Aquatics

INTER-SOCIETY
LEAGUE MAY 13

Final Details in Season's Series Were Disposed of at Meeting Held Last Night --- The Teams.

There was a meeting of the representatives of the inter-society baseball league teams, held in the office of Mr. J. A. Barry, last evening. The four competing teams were present. St. Josephs were represented by E. Moran and Manager D. McCarthy; St. Peter's by Manager T. F. Coughlan and Captain Chas. McCormick; St. John the Baptists, by Manager R. O'Brien and the Fairville A. O. H. by Messrs. Downey and Murphy.

A constitution was adopted and it was decided that a schedule of games be prepared to be announced at the next meeting of the executive on Tuesday evening next. The league will probably open May 13th, with a game between St. Peter's and St. Josephs. It is said that the four teams will present a much stronger lineup than last season. St. Peter's are trying out a likely young first baseman, whose name is one to be conjured with in baseball—being no other than Kelly. He is a graduate of St. Peter's minor league and is said to be a marvel in playing the initial cushion. Arthur Mahoney besides adorning the mound on some occasions will hold down shortstop for which position he has every qualification.

It is not known who will be their mainstay on the firing line, but Manager Coughlan promises something by way of a surprise.

Manager Denis McCarthy of the St. Josephs, has got together a speedy bunch, and many are already picking the purple and white to win the league pennant. Leo Callaghan, who pitched great ball last season will again be upon the staff and "Wild" Bill Donovan will also be used. A new catcher will make his appearance with the saints this year, while Harrigan, of last year's Marathons, will play the outfield.

The A. O. H. will be strengthened by a bunch of speedy youngsters, who promise to make the other teams hustle to win the race.

The St. John the Baptist lineup has not yet been announced, although such veterans as Mills, Cregan, Conboy and Harris will be seen with the south enders.

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DAILY ALMANAC.
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Sun sets today .. 7:13 p. m.
Sun rises tomorrow .. 5:30 a. m.
Sun sets tomorrow .. 7:14 p. m.
Low water .. 4:35 a. m.
High water .. 10:46 a. m.
Low water .. 4:56 p. m.
High water .. 11:07 p. m.
PORT OF ST. JOHN, N. B.
Arrived Yesterday.
Coastwise—Scho Shamrock, 53, Pratt, Maitland; Bay Queen, 31, Trihan, Barton; Hattie Marie, 84, Stiles, River Robert; Levuka, 79, Ogdvie, Apple River; str Connors Bros. Warwick, Chance Harbor and cleared.
Battle Line S S Trebia, Capt. Crossley, from Savannah to load dry lumber for Buenos Ayres, Wm Thomson and Co.
S S Bengore Head, from Belfast, to load general cargo, Wm Thomson and Co.
Cleared Yesterday.
Sch Arthur H Wright, Wamback, Antigua, L. G. Crosby.
Str Lake Erie, Carey, Liverpool, C. P. R.
Sailed Yesterday.
Str Pomeranian, Henderson, London and Havre, Wm Thomson and Co.
Vessels Bound to St. John.
Steamers.
Kanawha, London, sld April 6.
Victorian, Liverpool, sld Apr 15.
Schooners.
Lila B. Hirte, Barbados, sld April 4.

Vessels in Port.
Tunisian, 6502, Wm Thomson and Co
Ouzembo, 121, A. W. Adams.
Louisburg, 1181, R P and W F Starr
Waverley, 1445, W Malcolm Mackay
Empress of Ireland, 8023, C P R Co.
British Ports.
Capetown, April 15—Arr: Str Trojan from St. John, N. B.
London, April 21—Sld: Str Shenandoah for St. John, N. B.
Foreign Ports.
Havana, April 21—Arr: S S Leucitra, Hilton from St. John.
Boston, Mass., April 21—Arr: Sch Helen G. King from St. John, N. B.
New London, Conn., April 21—Arr: Sch Rescue from New York for Fredericton, N. B.

HUMPHREYS
WIN OUT IN
BOWLING
The J. M. Humphrey and Company five took the C. P. R. into camp in a poorly rolled game on Black's Alleys last evening, winning three points to one. The railway aggregation were away off and were only able to negotiate a score of 1120.

Marine Notes.
Nova Scotia steamer Leucitra, Captain Hilton, arrived at Havana yesterday from St. John.
Donaldson Line S S Cassandra, valued at \$10,576, and foreign goods valued at \$10,934, and foreign goods valued at \$5,541, making a total of \$10,975. Among her cargo are 23,708 bushels of wheat, 10,991 sacks of flour, and 8,935 sacks of oatmeal.
Allan Line S S Virginia for Liverpool, took away Canadian goods valued at \$10,576, and foreign goods valued at \$10,934, making a total of \$10,975. Her wheat shipments are 16,000 bushels.
Nova Scotia steamer Arthur H. Wright cleared yesterday for Antigua with a cargo of lumber. She will return to this port probably with a cargo of molasses.
The Allan Line steamer Victorian is due here tomorrow from Liverpool via Halifax. She has 1,600 passengers on board. Most of them will be landed at Halifax.

C. P. R.
Marshall .. 69 63 79 202-67-13
McKean .. 85 74 78 237-73
McGowan .. 65 69 62 226-75-13
Johnson .. 80 65 61 236-78-23
Armstrong .. 73 73 73 219-73
390 421 412 1223

THE WEATHER.

Maritime - Easterly to southerly winds, occasional showers. Toronto, April 21.-A disturbance is centered tonight over the St. Lawrence...

New England Forecast. Washington, D. C., April 21.-Forecast for New England: Fair Friday; Saturday, fair, warmer; Sunday, light to moderate variable winds.

AROUND THE CITY

Mill Broke Down. Charles Miller's mill at Pokok broke down yesterday afternoon and will not start again until the necessary repairs are made.

Walked over the Wharf. George Black, a sailor on the steamer Lake Erie walked over the wharf at No. 4 berth, Sand Point last night and fell into the slip. He was rescued by two of the Erie's sailors and placed a rope about Black's shoulders. He was then taken to the Lake Erie at No. 1 berth.

Lecture at the Citadel. "Condemned to be Shot," was the subject of an interesting lecture delivered last evening by Adjt. Mercet at the Salvation Army Citadel in which he told of a true incident in the life of Lincoln and the gracious pardon of a condemned man, Adjt. Mercet held the close attention of the audience throughout and made a very telling application of the story to the lives of men.

Supreme Court Chambers. Before Mr. Justice McLeod in supreme court chambers yesterday afternoon hearing on the return of a summons for discovery in the case of William E. McIntyre, Limited, vs. Louis Coreau was commenced. Before the argument of counsel was concluded the defendant agreed to permit the plaintiff to examine the books in dispute. H. O. McInerney and Attorney General Hagen appeared for the plaintiff and M. G. Teed, K. C., for the defendant.

F. G. Spencer to Control Amusements. While no announcement has yet been made it is understood that the management of the Dominion Fair has about decided to accept the offer of Fred G. Spencer to control the amusement end of the fair. Mr. Spencer will, it is understood, control the amusement halls as well as the attractions on the Pike. He has not yet completed definite arrangements, but he expects to put up one of the best programmes of special attractions ever presented in this city. The association's management will, of course, control the big free out-door attraction as in the past.

Portland Lodge, S. of E. Concert. An excellent programme was carried out at the concert given in Temple Hall, last evening, by members of Portland Lodge, S. of E. England, assisted by a party from the S.S. Empress of Ireland. H. Vanwart presided. Messrs. H. T. Shepley, H. Tunstall, M. Baizer and J. C. Goggin comprised the Empress party who provided instrumental music, songs and readings. Wm. Estey made a hit with a whistling number, assisted by H. W. Dykeman. Others who took part were: John H. Tonge, Frank Tonge, F. J. Funtner and W. Nutall.

Dr. Slattery's Lecture. There was a fair sized audience in the Prentice Boy's Hall, Guilford street, West side last evening to hear Dr. Slattery deliver his lecture on his reasons for leaving the Roman Catholic church. The lecturer confined himself to personal stories of matters which had come under his notice. There was nothing of a particularly startling nature in the lecture and those who expected to hear a violent arraignment of that church were disappointed. This afternoon Dr. Mary Slattery will deliver a lecture to women only and this evening Dr. Slattery will lecture to men only.

Tunisian Shipmates Dine at White's. Members of the crew of S.S. Tunisia, to the number of 150, celebrated their last sailing from St. John for the winter season by giving themselves a dinner at White's restaurant last evening. The chief steward was there, and a bevy of stewardesses, and everybody had a corking fine time, don't you know. A fine toast list and programme of entertainments was carried out all ship-shape and Bristol fashion; and White's crew of pretty waitresses had the busiest time of their lives. At 11 p. m. the day company broke up, and boarding three cars hired for their conveyance, oiled away to their ship all happy and hilarious at the prospect of not seeing the city where the water is good for another six months.

Fighting the White Plague. At the Board of Health rooms yesterday afternoon Dr. Stewart Skinner gave free treatment and advice to 7 patients afflicted with tuberculosis. Most of them were women. Miss Rogers of the Victorian Order of Nurses was in attendance. Dr. Skinner told the Standard that the clergyman of the city had taken hold of the proposition to make next Sunday a day for conducting a religious crusade against the white plague with a text for their sermons have been collecting literature on the subject, and many of them have gone to some trouble to arm themselves with information bearing on local conditions. Some of the churches will turn over the whole of their collections to the society.

Right Leg Broken. A longshoreman named Hanson of Fairville, while at work yesterday morning aboard the S.S. Empress of Ireland, was struck by a sling of Saur and had his right leg broken. He was taken to the General Public Hospital.

Conditions Not Rosy In British Columbia

Rev. W. H. Johnson of Vancouver, Here on Way to England, Speaks of Slow Development of Industrial Enterprises--Wages No Higher Than in the East and Cost of Living Greater.

"Don't go west, not as far as Vancouver at any rate. The average man has just as good chances in the East, if not better." So said Rev. W. H. Johnson, of Vancouver, who arrived in St. John yesterday on his way to England. "Vancouver and Victoria," he continued, "have grown rapidly of late, but it seems to me that the future for them is not particularly bright with promise. They will have to develop industrial enterprises or their progress will be seriously retarded, if they do not suffer a set-back. Both cities have a larger population than St. John, but I should judge that a great deal more business is transacted here than in either of the western cities. Vancouver is the headquarters of the C. P. R. Pacific fleet, but it is not as great a shipping port as you would imagine. "In both cities, probably two-thirds of the business people are engaged in real estate enterprises. There are very few manufacturing industries, and few enterprises giving a large amount of permanent employment to the people. Men with money are continually coming in from the Klondike and other places, and this influx, combined with speculation in land, keeps up the boom. But I'm afraid that unless the business men go in for manufacturing, the boom will not continue. "At present lumbering is the principal industry, and it has contributed largely to the development of both cities. Coal mining, too, is an important industry, but the markets for coal are not extensive. No doubt there are considerable possibilities in farming, but the British Columbia farmers can hardly compete with those of the prairie provinces in the eastern or European provinces, and at present there is not much hope of opening a market for farm products in China or Japan. Some sections of the province are specially adapted to fruit growing, but the area available for this purpose is not large. "So, failing the development of manufacturing industries, I don't see how the people can hope to make much progress in the future. Even at present the average workman on the coast is not better off than those in the east. His wage will only be \$2.75 a day, and he has to pay \$30 per month for board, and high prices for everything. "A suit of clothes that costs \$25 in Vancouver can be purchased for \$15 in Montreal, and everything else in the same proportion. Then the workmen here have to face the competition of Japs, Hindus and other foreigners, and except in the skilled trades, wages have a tendency to fall. Really, I think, the average workman is much better off in the east than beyond the Rockies. "Mr. Johnson said he was not particularly conversant with the political aspects of the Jap question, but he thought it was a serious problem and still a long way from being solved. He added that he had a great admiration for Hithornwaite, the socialist member of the British Columbia legislature, and thought the socialists there were doing good work, though he did not agree with them in every particular.

CHURCH HAS SOCIAL DUTY TO PERFORM

Rev. W. R. Robinson in Stirring Address at Tabernacle Church Anniversary--Ald. Potts Speaks at Social.

In commemoration of the founding of Tabernacle Baptist church 19 years ago and the dedication of the present church building 9 years ago, a large gathering attended a special service at the church last evening. Rev. G. Douglas Milburn, pastor of the church presided and introduced the two speakers of the evening, Rev. W. H. Robinson and Rev. D. Hutchinson. Rev. Mr. Robinson's subject was "The Social Side of Church Life." In the course of his address he advocated an industrial college for boys who are neglected by their parents and are in danger of falling into crime. Church people should take a night off, he said, from prayer meeting, shake off their feeling of self satisfaction, and go out to see how the other half of the world lived. In the early days of the church the responsibility for education of the people dissemination of knowledge and encouragement of industry rested upon the shoulders of the followers of the church. The state had gradually assumed these functions and if the church did not regard the social problems that were little left to do. Rev. Mr. Hutchinson spoke very forcibly on Modern Christianity. Following the service a pleasant social was held in the schoolrooms under the auspices of the ladies' aid. Ald. Potts was the only speaker. Refreshments were served during the evening.

REGRETS ON DEFINITE ACTION WAS TAKEN

Rev. T. Hunter Boyd Disappointed Civic Housecleaning Scheme Was Not Adopted--Tuberculosis Sunday.

Rev. T. Hunter Boyd, of Wawels, arrived in the city last evening and will spend a few days here in the interests of the anti-tuberculosis movement. Rev. Mr. Boyd expressed much disappointment that the idea of the civic cleaning bee had not been adopted by the city as a whole. "I expected to find that all preparations had been made for a general cleanup tomorrow," he said, and that grocery stores would be loaded with requests for wooden boxes in which to plant flowers. The Standard deserves credit for the interest manifested in the movement and it seems a pity that some definite action was not taken. The local council of women registered a protest against the condition of the yards and streets but what was needed was a plan of action along the lines suggested in your paper. Rev. Mr. Boyd said that the idea of a tuberculosis Sunday was being warmly adopted all over the continent. In the United States 2100 ministers would make references to the fight against consumption. While not able to speak for St. John particularly, Rev. Mr. Boyd said that he had received many requests for information on the subject from pastors in the province and he believed the day would be generally observed.

Apply for Incorporation. John J. McCaffrey, Mary L. McCaffrey and J. J. Fraser Winslow of Fredericton, Frank I. McCaffrey and Kate L. McCaffrey of St. John, are applying for incorporation as The Queen Hotel, Limited, to carry on a general hotel business in the city of Fredericton or elsewhere. The capital is \$50,000 divided into shares of \$100 each.

CHARGES POLICE PLOT AGAINST METROPOLITAN

D. Mullin, K.C., in Police Court Reviews History of Goggin Case--Strong Plea for Defence--Judgment Today.

Upon the Metropolitan Hotel inquiry resumed in the police court yesterday afternoon, Daniel Mullin, K.C., counsel for Mr. Goggin, in his closing argument, took occasion to score the police for what he termed their ingenuity in plotting a case, whereby a certain man was to be liberated from the wiles and fascinations of a certain woman, in the community. "The raid," he said, "was nothing but a plot against the Metropolitan, and the scene was set beforehand by the head of the police force. "When the case was resumed Mr. Mullin in opening his address, reviewed the evidence submitted during the hearing. He went on to make a strong plea that the charge against Goggin should be dismissed owing to lack of evidence. He contended that the fact that Mr. Goggin was unaware of any wrong doing upon his premises was sufficient to justify the charge against him being dismissed, and cited several Canadian, British and American authorities in support of his argument. "There was a missing link, he contended, in the chain of evidence. It has not been brought home that Goggin was aware that the women were of ill-repute, and therefore the charge of keeping a bawdy house had failed. There must be positive evidence, he contended, that illicit commerce took place in the Metropolitan hotel with the knowledge of Goggin, in order to justify his conviction. "Continuing, Mr. Mullin said that there was another important point which had a great bearing upon the case, and which should be given careful consideration. There was nothing to show according to the evidence that Goggin's charges for rooms were cash or unreasonably, because of the alleged renting of rooms to a certain class of men and women. This tended to show that Goggin was not making any gain out of the alleged use of his hotel. Referring to the origin of the case, Mr. Mullin said that it became necessary to "lead" a certain young woman, in order to open the eyes of a certain man, who had become infatuated with her, and was, as a consequence, neglecting his family. The great scheme was hatched, and the job put up on Goggin. "This is the way justice is administered in St. John, said Mr. Mullin, and the same zeal is still at work to fasten a crime upon Mr. Goggin. If the police were so zealous for the moral welfare of the people, why did they not go to Mr. Goggin and intimate to him that he should close up his house illegally, and carry away his family to prison. This is not British justice to call a man into court without a moment's notice. It is a most unfair and unreasonable position to be placed in. "His Honor remarked that Mr. Mullin raised some very strong points which he would take time to look into, and would deliver judgment this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Fire-side Club Banquet. The Fire-side Club of St. David's church, held their annual banquet at a great restaurant last evening. A. H. Gibson occupied the chair and H. A. Cook acted as vice-chairman. After the usual toast to The King, the following were honored: Canada--Proposed by H. A. Cook, and responded to by F. Girvan; The City--Proposed by J. H. Vaughan, responded to by E. McPherson; St. David's church and Sunday school--by F. Archibald, responded to by Robert Reid; Guests--by E. Jack, responded to by Dr. G. G. Melvin and G. A. Henderson; Hon. President--by W. J. Davis, responded to by M. A. Watson.

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