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LAURIER AND FOSTER CROSS BLADES AGAIN

Finance Minister in His Old-Time Form... acks Government for Laxness in Not Providing Armament for the Defence of the Country, and Using Race Cry in Last Election--Premier Replies Briefly and Address is Adopted.

St. John, Jan. 16.—(Special)—The debate... Mr. Foster complained that there were not enough of guns at any port not enough of rifles in the country for a... Mr. Foster concluded as follows:— "Is there today in this broad country of ours one single port of entry with guns sufficient to guard it against a marauding..."

Mr. Foster... Mr. Speaker, I apologize to you and the members of this house as a new, untried and untrained member for the length of time I have taken in my speech. By and by I promise you that when I get more accustomed to the atmosphere of this house and when I find my bearings a little more, being a new member of this house and new to all its duties, I will probably be in better shape to say what I want to in less words and maybe say it in a little more pungently than I have this afternoon."

Says Race Cry Was Used... Referring again to the dominion contest, he said that the elections were won in some instances in a manner which ought to be protested to the bottom. There was trouble in the Yukon, in Manitoba and the Northwest. It was this case but the premier owed some of his followers to the race and creed cry raised in Quebec.

NO FREIGHT VIA ST. JOHN ON G.T.R.

Quotes Higher Rates Through This Port Than by Portland, Maine

PROTESTS NO USE

Evidence Given Before Commission at Montreal by I. C. R. Officials Shows They Refused to Quote Through Rates Via This Port.

Montreal, Jan. 16.—(Special)—Evidence showing Grand Trunk discrimination against St. John and Halifax was given before the commission inquiring into the claim made by the Intercolonial. L. D. Perry, chief clerk of the inter-colonial, assistant freight agent at Montreal, said that he had made an agreement with General Freight Agent Pallen, of the Grand Trunk, that butter, cheese, eggs, etc., from Ontario points should be routed to St. John and Halifax on the same terms as to Montreal. Within a month Mr. Pallen telegraphed him that the Grand Trunk would not carry out this arrangement.

NEW RAILWAY OPEN TO HALIFAX

First Train Between Liverpool and Nova Scotia Capital Passed Over Road.

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 16.—(Special)—The first regular passenger train over Halifax and Southwestern Railway Company's road (McKenzie & Mann's) arrived here at 10 o'clock this afternoon, with J. Brignell, superintendent; Mr. Butman, resident engineer, and thirty passengers. The train left Liverpool at 6 o'clock. The train was made up of all new cars, two first class, second class and combined baggage and postal, and drawn by a modern ten wheel engine. All the cars were hand-painted and finished and one of the finest trains coming to Halifax.

FROZEN TO DEATH COMING FROM CHURCH

Malcolm McMillan, an Aged Cape Breton Man, Found Dead in a Snowbank Sunday Afternoon.

Sydney, N. S., Jan. 16.—(Special)—Malcolm McMillan, an aged resident of East Bay, a country settlement some twelve miles from this city, was found frozen to death in a snowbank Sunday afternoon, alongside the road. He was on his way from church, and is thought to have been overcome by faintness and sank down in the snow to rest. He was seventy-two years of age.

Smash-up on I. C. R.

Moncton, Jan. 16.—(Special)—A slight accident occurred on the I. C. R. near Beaver Brook this evening. Two cars of hay on Sweeney's east bound special left the track, one going over the dump. The track was somewhat damaged but the wreck was cleared without causing much delay to trains. None of the train hands was injured.

GAMBLING DENS OUT OF NEW YORK

Jerome Shows Police How Easily the Places Can Be Closed

A BLOW AT TAMMANY

Present Move Against Vice Part of the Programme to Oust Them from Control of City—Hearst Wants to Run for Mayor, and is Hammering McClellan.

(From Our Own Correspondent.) New York, Jan. 16.—The periodic effort to put Tammany Hall under the meat axe has started this time with a grand lurch. There's the rest of the winter and all next summer before the majority election, but the campaign, disguised as it is to the general public, is in full swing. The effort has succeeded before, for the time, and is likely to succeed again. All the old familiar stage properties are used.

Jerome the Kingpin

The tycoon Jerome is the kingpin of the anti-Tammany movement. It is customary to refer to him as the "kingpin" of the movement. He is a Tammany man, but he is not a Tammany man in the way that the Tammany man is. He is a Tammany man in the way that the Tammany man is not. He is a Tammany man in the way that the Tammany man is not.

Jerome's Trump Card

But Jerome had a terrible weapon ready for use, the so-called Dowling law, which he personally caused to be passed last year. This law enables him to summon into court the patron of any gambling place and compel that patron to answer questions without being allowed to plead the privilege of incrimination. It was made especially for Jesse Lewisohn, the Wall Street broker, sometimes known as Mr. Lillian Russell, who refused to testify about the present intention of Wm. B. Hearst to run for mayor. He has not openly announced it, but it is well known in the inner-circle of politicians. Hearst is attacking the present city administration through the newspapers. He daily accuses Mayor McClellan of malfeasance in office. It is his idea to try to have himself nominated as a compromise Democratic candidate in the place of a straight out and out Tammany candidate. Failing in this, he may run alone, which, of course, would ensure the defeat of the Tammany man. The Republicans expect to put a straight party candidate, and expect to win with it. They are very likely to do both. It's good betting that Tammany will take another retirement this fall.

DEFENCE OPENS IN TUCKER TRIAL

Prisoner's Lawyer Tells Jury About the Innocence of Client

MRS. TUCKER TESTIFIES

Her Testimony Unimportant, and She Will Be Called Again—Hand-writing Experts on the Stand for the Defendant—Vast Crowd Present.

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 16.—"All we ask of you, gentlemen of the jury, is fair play; give us that and we will prove beyond all reasonable doubt that Charles J. Tucker is not the murderer of Mabel Page." With these words Attorney Thomas F. Vane opened the case for the defence at the Tucker murder trial today. He told the jury that the whereabouts of the defendant would be accounted for from the moment he left his home at noon on the day of the murder until he returned to his home the same afternoon. He would prove that a knife other than Tucker's was the weapon used. The defence would attempt to account for all the blood stains found on Tucker's clothing, but if the government wishes to prove Tucker guilty it should have established that the blood was from the body of Miss Page. The handwriting on the note addressed to "J. L. Morton" would be shown to have been written by Miss Page herself. The stick pin found in Tucker's coat and stick pin found in the body of Miss Page, was owned by Tucker two years before the murder. The testimony of the medical experts called by the commonwealth was attacked by Mr. Vane who said other experts would be called to disprove statements made.

Mr. Fowler's Address

Geo. W. Fowler, in his address, alluded to the sympathy felt for the widow and children, yet the prisoner was also an adopted, a changing blow would be given to the community. The prisoner was in the wrong from the very beginning of the difficulty. It had been argued that he and those surrounding him were not to blame, and in view of such a statement the speaker would say that it was through an attitude of tenderness toward human infirmities that it had happened. The jury reduce the case of life to what was known as the crime of manslaughter.

Mayor Lindsay Loses Election

A. E. Jones the Successful Candidate for Woodstock's Chief Magistrate by 25 Votes.

Woodstock, N. B., Jan. 16.—(Special)—The town election passed off quietly today, the only contest being for mayor, in which A. E. Jones defeated Mayor John A. Lindsay, who was seeking a second term, by the small majority of twenty-five votes, the vote standing, Jones, 304 and Lindsay, 279.

30 Below at Dalhousie

Dalhousie, N. B., Jan. 16.—(Special)—The thermometer registered thirty below zero on Sunday morning, the coldest this winter.

OSCAR WRIGHT "NOT GUILTY," SAYS JURY

Havelock Man Acquitted on Manslaughter Charge

Judge Comments Briefly in Discharging Prisoner, Who Says, "Thank You," as His Honor Orders His Release--Last Day Occupied by Counsel in Addresses to the Jury.

Hampton, Jan. 16.—(Special)—Oscar J. Wright stands acquitted. The man who, since Sept. 16, has been under arrest, charged with being responsible for the death of William McKnight, of Havelock, and who was placed on trial on an indictment of manslaughter, is now free. At 7 o'clock tonight the jury returned into court and by their foreman, A. L. Peatman, returned a verdict of "not guilty." Attorney-General Pugsley moved that the prisoner be discharged, and Judge McLeod, addressing Wright, said: "Prisoner, you have been indicted and tried for the manslaughter of William C. McKnight. The jury have returned a verdict of not guilty, but I must say that in my opinion the evidence was very strong against you. I hope this will prove a warning to you through life. You are discharged."

Mr. Coates' Evidence

Dr. Pugsley then entered into a detailed review of the evidence. The prisoner could not be allowed to excuse himself, for it had been shown that he was conscious of the trouble was created. The prisoner had admitted striking Samuel Keith, but as regarded deceased, no one could tell precisely what had happened. The deceased had the right to go to Samuel Keith's assistance if he thought a life was being threatened. No one could measure the force of the subsequent blow, but the only safe course of action was to refuse permission to the prisoner to state that he had acted in self defence.

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The attorney-general said the prisoner was fortunate in having had such able counsel to represent him, but there were two observations made by Mr. Fowler, with which he took issue. Mr. Fowler had said that the prisoner was a respectable, reliable resident of Havelock, and the speaker had no knowledge to the contrary. All of the witnesses had been courteous and (Continued on page 5 sixth column.)

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PAID \$7.800 FOR ROBERT BURNS' BIBLE

were invited: A large number of friends assembled at the station to bid the happy couple farewell...

SACKVILLE.

Sackville, Jan. 21.—Senator Wood left on Monday for Ottawa. Mrs. J. Wood and Miss Wood are spending the week in Boston.

Miss Ella Copp returned on Saturday from a two weeks visit at Port Edgar. Mrs. F. B. Carvell entertained on Friday evening, Jan. 20th. Drive whilst was in order...

Miss Annie Harvey Ross, Philadelphia, a former matron of the Carleton county hospital, is spending some weeks in town with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ross.

Miss Madge Connell is visiting in Fredericton, the guest of Miss Millie Tibbits. Mr. Richard Ketchum is visiting in Montreal.

Miss Edna Lindow, of Presque Isle (Me.), who has been the guest of Miss Ida Hayden, has returned to her home. Miss Alice Tracey has returned from a visit to Moncton.

PETITCODIAC. Pettitcodiac, Jan. 12.—Mr. E. S. Corey, who has been spending the holidays with his parents, returned Monday to Halifax to resume his studies at Dalhousie.

NEWTON. Newton, Kings Co., Jan. 12.—Rev. W. J. Morris, who has been spending the holidays in Newton, returned to Mt. Allison University on Monday.

WOODSTOCK. Woodstock, N. B., Jan. 11.—Miss A. Gertrude O'Brien returned on Saturday from Fredericton, where she spent the holidays with her parents.

the guest of her son, Mr. Murray Sanderson. Mr. Frank B. Carvell, M. P., left for Ottawa on Monday evening.

Rev. J. A. Corbett has accepted a call to the Albert street Baptist church. Mr. George Mercer, of the C. P. staff, is to locate in Woodstock in the near future.

Mr. Arthur Eastman has returned to U. N. B. Mr. J. J. McAfee has moved into his new residence at "The Heights." Mr. and Mrs. F. Collette, late of Hartford (Conn.) are moving into their residence on Church street.

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ARCTIC WEATHER IN THE PROVINCE

Some Low Readings of Thermometer in Various Places

44 AT FREDERICTON

Some Places in St. John It Was 20 Below—Official Temperature 11—33 at Rethesay—Sussex, Moncton and North Shore Points About as Cold.

(From Monday's Daily Telegraph.) Saturday night was certainly a cold one. The weather was so cold that it was not until 11 o'clock that the mercury had fallen to its lowest point.

The weather became a good deal milder, however, during yesterday, and last night it was not so cold. The thermometer at 11 o'clock on Saturday showed 16 degrees above zero.

A year ago tonight the Midwinter Excursion Association held their anniversary dinner at the Martello Hotel.

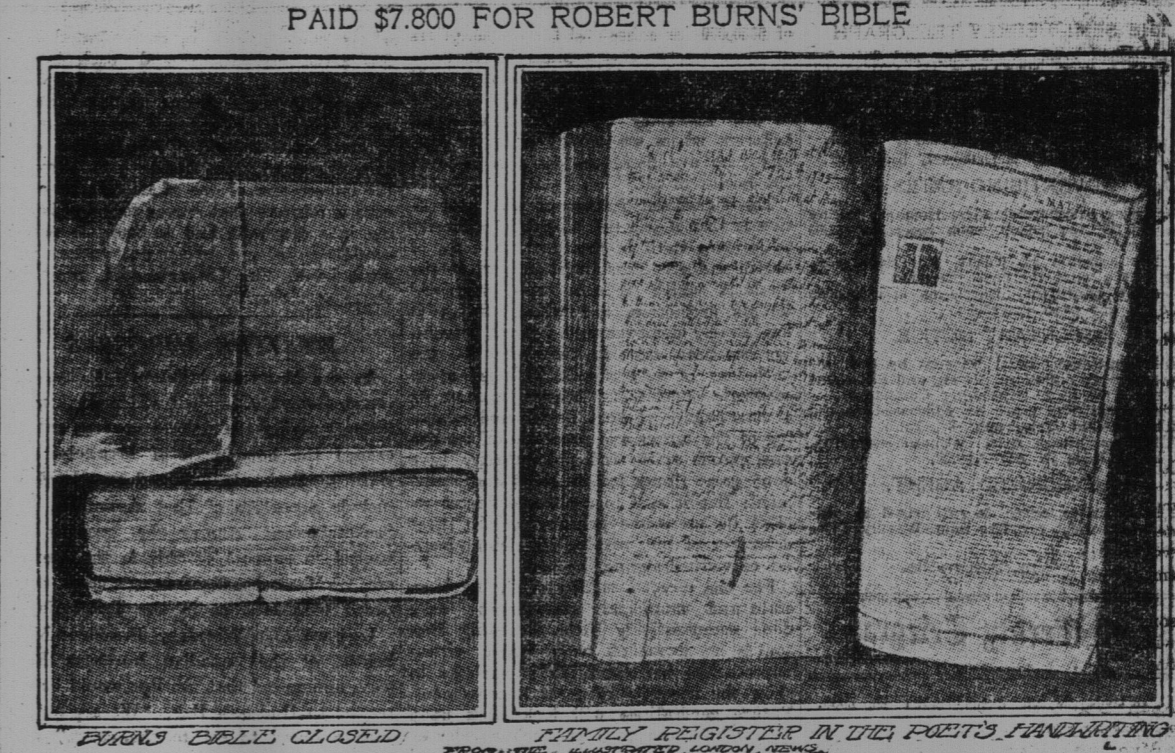
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Burns' Bible, for which Mr. Quaritch gave £1,600 (\$7,800) at a recent London sale, as an ordinary family Bible, such as may be seen in many Scottish cottages.

which was built in 1787 and still stands though sadly fallen into decay. He, with his brother Jesse, came to Springfield in early manhood and were among the first settlers in that locality.

Merritt B. McKenzie. Merritt B. McKenzie, son of Dr. James M. O. McKenzie, of New Brunswick, died in Winnipeg, Man., on Tuesday last.

Miss Anna Chisholm. Miss Anna Chisholm, who has been spending the holidays in town, returned to Montreal on Tuesday last week.

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HAPPENINGS IN NOVA SCOTIA

Quebec, where she has been engaged as a teacher in her special work. Miss Mary White is visiting her friend, Miss Mary White, in Sydney.

TRURO. Truro, Jan. 11.—The meetings held by the Evangelists Crossley and Hunter are being highly appreciated by the Truro people.

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OBITUARY

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Felt Weak and Nervous. Had Faint and Dizzy Spells

MILBURN'S HEART AND NERVE PILLS

These symptoms arise from a weak condition of the heart and nerves. Whether they are sickly people with weak hearts and deranged nerves.

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, 50 cents per box, or \$1.25. All dealers. The Telegraph Publishing Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Our stock of One Dollar Ingersoll Watches has become exhausted and we now have to offer a

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This watch will be given to every subscriber of the Semi-Weekly Telegraph who remits subscription in advance and \$1.25 additional.

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WIFE IN ST. JOHN; HUSBAND MADE A PRISONER IN NEW YORK, SAYS HERALD

Charles Lawton Work Arrested in Luxurious Apartments on a Five-year-old Charge—Paper Says His Wife, Who Was Miss M. Frances Russell of This City, Came Here Before the Arrest Was Made.

The arrest of Charles Lawton Work and the statement that his wife is a St. John woman now visiting relatives in St. John, is told in Sunday's New York Herald as follows: "Charles Lawton Work, a fugitive from justice for five years, sought for as the reported head of the 'Investors' Trust' of Philadelphia, a 'discretionary pool' organization which collapsed in 1899, closely following the disruption of the celebrated Franklin Syndicate in this city was arrested before Commissioner Shields, of the United States Circuit Court, yesterday. With the demeanor manner that once enlisted interest in his financial scheme to the extent of \$150,000, he heard the indictment against him in May, 1900, by the federal grand jury, which was returned in Philadelphia, which is likely to lead to a legal battle when the two weeks elapse. The postal authorities with Work to be examined in Philadelphia, J. Wells Leavitt, alias Eugene Reynolds, and who was jointly indicted with Work, the authorities say, will be present when the examination takes place.

Mrs. Work Said to Be in St. John. "Mrs. Work, who left the city last Thursday for a visit of several weeks to her home in Europe, was seen in St. John, N. B., on Friday evening at a luxurious furnished apartment which had been rented by him at No. 237 West End avenue. Work who had followed him when in Europe, Work began entering immediately upon his installation in his New York home, publicly appearing as C. Lawton Work, making no pretence at concealment.

Spent the Night in Cell. "Before his arraignment yesterday Work had spent the night at police headquarters having been unable to furnish bail, and had produced a proper amount, it would have been extremely doubtful if the person qualified to admit to bail could have been found, as the arrest was made by both the inspectors of the post office department and detective sergeants from police headquarters. The police jurisdiction was dismissed at police headquarters, taking Work into the Tombs court, which formally transferred him to the United States authorities.

At Club's corner Saturday, Auctioneer Potts sold 200 acres of land in St. Martins, belonging to the John Bain estate, to satisfy a mortgage claim, to Neil Smith, for \$800; also two five per cent. \$500 St. John Bridge and Railway bonds, at par.

Patrick Tierney died Sunday at his home in Winter street. He was 70 years of age, a native of Galway (Ire.), and for a long time had been in the employ of one son and three daughters survive.

The Women's Missionary Aid Society of Leinster street Baptist church has elected Mrs. J. E. Dean, president; Mrs. Herbert Everett, vice-president; Miss Longmaid, secretary; Miss Mary Eason, treasurer; Miss C. Burnett, assistant treasurer, and Miss Alice G. Rising, press reporter.

J. H. Carnall, the taxidermist, who has been sick for some time, was seriously ill last night. An attack of paralysis yesterday afternoon, attended with the bursting of a blood vessel in his head, made his condition critical.

A quiet wedding took place at the home of the bride Saturday, when A. M. Rowan, the well-known hardware merchant of this city, was married to Mrs. Annie Hathaway. Rev. R. P. McKim, pastor of St. Luke's church, officiated.

In the matter of Gertrude L. Whelan, John Whelan, Bertha L. Whelan and Irene Whelan, infants, Very Rev. W. F. Chapman was appointed guardian of the infants in the probate court Saturday. The estate is valued at \$3,000 personal; T. I. Regan, executor.

A conference of the provincial executive of the Lerd's Day Alliance was held Saturday in the Y. M. C. A. parlour. Canon Richardson occupied the chair and there were about twenty members present, including Rev. J. G. Shearer, general secretary of the Alliance. It was decided to hold the annual convention for the province and the annual meeting of the city branch here on March 30. Revs. J. G. Shearer and T. A. Moore have arranged to be present.

MEMORIES CALLED UP BY "THE DEAD ARE BLESSED" OF STUDIOUS FAMILY

Memorial Service Conducted by Rev. P. J. Stackhouse Sunday Evening.

Rev. P. J. Stackhouse, pastor of Tabernacle Baptist church, preached Sunday in memory of those at whose funerals he officiated during the year. The names he read were: Mrs. Gigg, infant child of Mrs. Forger, W. F. Vincent, Mrs. Wm. Pencock, G. B. Solmes, Mabel Watson, Capt. Wadley, Mrs. Blizard, Frederick Stackhouse, Robert Watson, George Vanwart, infant child of Mrs. Colpitts, Mrs. J. Dibbee, Wm. Lemon, Ada Hall, child of Mrs. Eastmore, Roy McKewen, May Gigg, Frank Reicher, Charles Burns, Mabel Haggard and Katherine Dunlop. The name of N. B. Colwell, who served in South Africa and died in the Canadian Northwest, was also mentioned.

Monoton Rig Heard From. Man Tried to Sell it at Coagoo, Kent County—Wedding Bells—I. O. R. Employee Injured.

Monoton, N. B., Jan. 13.—The bones of Joseph Murrigh, Sunny Brae, was the scene of an interesting and touching funeral service, when Miss Emily McLaughlin, daughter of C. McLaughlin, McLaughlin Settlement, was united in marriage to Ronald McLaughlin, of I. O. R. members, M. M. and formerly of McLaughlin, Scotland. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. A. Ross in the presence of immediate relatives on Wednesday afternoon, when the bride and groom, who were on their way to the I. O. R. camp, had his leg crushed on Wednesday night. He was working when the accident occurred, and was on his way to his work when the accident occurred.

Westmorland Circuit Court. Dorchester, Jan. 12.—Westmorland circuit court opened at 2 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, Judge presiding; Fred Deane, official stenographer, and Henry Godwin, Thomas Olley and Halbert Bowers, clerks.

Grand jurors: Joseph R. Taylor (foreman), Joseph Newcombe, D. LeBlanc, Andrew Herbert, Wm. G. Bell, Henry C. Clavens, A. Cavour Chapman, Frank W. T. Colpitts, Simon Melmore, Wm. G. Stoddard, R. Ayre, Charles W. Ford, Andrew L. Snowden, Robert Finley, Thomas Anderson, Albert H. Steves, Fred C. Palmer and Charles Scurr.

N. B. Fruit Growers' Association. Ottawa, Jan. 13.—The people of New Brunswick are awakening to the possibilities of fruit culture in this province. An informal meeting of the fruit growers of the province was held at the time of the recent New Brunswick Fruit Growers' Association, with an initial meeting of the association, which has a great influence in developing the fruit industry of the province.

W. Light Maltie and New Brunswick Towns. The Maine and New Brunswick Electric Power Company will, in the early spring, commence developing their property at the Arcoosook falls, and before the end of the year it is probable electric light will be supplied from their mains to a number of towns on either side of the boundary.

Chatham Barn Burned. Chatham, Jan. 13.—(Special)—A barn in the lower part of the town owned by Jas. Hay, was totally destroyed by fire this afternoon. A quantity of wood and hay were also consumed. No insurance.

Boston Woman Suicides. Boston, Jan. 13.—While temporarily detained Mrs. Edith Tombs herself in front of an elevated train at the Dover street station tonight and received shooting injuries from the effects of which she died a few minutes later, at the City Hospital. Mrs. Tombs was 35 years old and lived with her husband at 114 Cedar street, Roxbury.

Advertisement for Her Full Duty and Sheridan's Condition Powder. The hen which pays strict attention to business and does her full duty is the hen that gives her aid and assistance. Sheridan's Condition Powder. She mounts her duty, lays regularly, and is a source of pride and profit to her owner. Try it. Results pay and please. One pack for 10 cents, six, \$5.00. Express paid. JOHN JOHNSON & CO., Boston, Mass.

OSCAR WRIGHT "NOT GUILTY," SAYS JURY

(Continued from Page 1.) free from prejudice. Their manner, he believed, had impressed the court favorably. A remarkable amount of evidence had been taken and the most of it was to the effect that McKnight had not used a club. Mr. Fowler's action in asking the jury to discredit the evidence of Mr. Coates was most unwarranted. There was no reason why the jury should discredit the evidence. There was no fact or influence to justify the jury in branding Mr. Coates as a perjurer. Mr. Coates' evidence had been straightforward and not once did he contradict himself.

LAURIER AND FOSTER CROSS BLADES AGAIN

(Continued from Page 1.) favor than any of his predecessors and there is cause for this. His excellency has the good fortune to bear a name dear to all the friends of liberty and constitutional government, and every part of the attention to the interests of corporations, and little to the interests of the people. He concluded with some characteristic remarks on government ownership, and addressed subjects.

WRIGHT'S EVIDENCE

All the jury had from the prisoner's evidence was that he did not know what he was doing at the time McKnight received the fatal blow. This was no defence, for the prisoner had no knowledge of the facts, or of the man who had fired the shot, or of the fatal blow. He was not a party to the crime, and he was not a party to the crime.

BORDEN CONSENTS TO LEAD HIS PARTY

Ottawa, Jan. 13.—R. L. Borden met the Conservatives in caucus this morning and consented to continue the lead. There was a large attendance of Conservative members. They were practically unanimous in their request to Mr. Borden to continue the lead. Mr. Borden gave his consent to this. It is probable a convention of Ontario county electors will be held immediately.

TO MARRY ST. JOHN GIRL

Halifax, Jan. 10.—Albert Smith, of N. B. Smith, left this morning for St. John, where his marriage to Miss Brown will take place on Wednesday.

Advertisement for Sunlight Soap. Sunlight Soap will not burn the nap off woollens nor the surface off metals. SUNLIGHT SOAP REDUCES EXPENSE. Ask for the Octagon Bar.

WANTED: A position open for one good man each locality...

Second or first-class Female for school district No. 4...

First or second class teacher for school district No. 4...

OR SALE: Schooner Denton, 60 tons well fitted for sale...

MONEY TO LOAN: H. H. PICKETT, B. C. L. BARTON, Solicitors...

Below are only a few of the Many Articles you can buy for 25c.

The 2 Bakers, Ltd. 100 Princess Street

2 Bottles German Mustard for 25c. 3 Bottles Worcester Sauce for 25c.

BEATS ALL PREVIOUS RECORDS. Since its establishment 10 years ago the attendance at the FREDERICK BUSINESS COLLEGE...

Landing Ex Cars Middlings, Flour and Oats FOR SALE LOW ALSO Sugar in barrels and bags

JAMES COLLINS 208 and 210 Union Street

NOTICE: Stephen Cronk or his sons, Alex., Samuel Benjamin, have not been known to sell material whatever from the property...

RUSH, JAT FREE: The finest quality of Rush, Jat Free, is now available...

Farmers' and Dairywomen's Association of New Brunswick: ANNUAL MEETING, FREDERICK, N. B., JANUARY 25th, 26th and 27th, 1904.

MACDONALD GIVES MORE MONEY TO MCGILL: Montreal, Jan. 12 (Special)—Sir Wilfrid Macdonald has given an additional \$10,000 to McGill students Union building...

Dead from His Injuries: Montreal, N. B., Jan. 12 (Special)—Amos Lirette, who was so badly injured by being struck by a shunter on a run over while on his way to work in the I. C. E. this morning, died in the hospital about 4 o'clock this afternoon.

HOW INDIANTOWN RECEIVED ITS NAME

Rev. Dr. Raymond's interesting Account of Establishment of Trading Post for Red Men—Treaty with the English and Some Indian Interpretations Which Remain in Force Today.

W. O. RAYMOND, LL. D. CHAPTER XXV.—(Continued.) THE ST. JOHN'S RIVER SOCIETY.

Although the Indians, by the treaty they had just signed, ostensibly settled all the differences between themselves and "King George's men," there were still certain functions dear to the savage heart to be performed before the grand pow-wow was ended.

Did Not Spare the Money. During the continuance of the conference the Indians received every attention on the part of Franklin, Studholme and the white inhabitants.

Were Important Factors. The general result of the grand pow-wow was considered exceedingly fortunate for the Province of Nova Scotia under the circumstances then existing.

The Indians of the River St. John still possess a traditional knowledge of the treaty made at Fort Howe in September, 1778, and refer to it as the time when the Indian and the Englishman became all one people.

The Foundation of "Indiantown." In order to cultivate friendly relations with the Indians and to guard against the insidious attempts of the people of Machias to wear them from their allegiance...

Were Happiest in War Time. To offset the influence of Father Bourq, Col. Allan Innes induced the American Congress to obtain a missionary for the Indians at Machias and Passamaquoddy...

After the alliance formed between France and the old English colonies in America was known to the Indians of Acadia, Franklin's task of keeping them in hand became more difficult and as regards those on the River St. John he might have failed but for the powerful influence of the Abn—Joseph Mathurin Dubois.

It is Col. Franklin's memorandum of expenses incurred in negotiating the Indian treaty the following man appears: "To cash paid to James White, Esq., for services and wages as his great risk both of his life & being carried off Prisoner, \$20.00."

MARRIAGES

ROWAN-HATHEWAY—At "Hillside," Saturday, Jan. 11, by Rev. R. P. McKim, of St. Luke's church, A. Rowan, of St. John, to Mrs. Anne Hatheway, of "Hillside," Lancaster.

DEATHS

RAYMOND—At Belleisle, Kings Co., N. B., Saturday, Jan. 10, at the age of 57 years, after a short illness, leaving four sons and one daughter.

SHIP NEWS

PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived. Friday, Jan. 12. Coastwise—Scho. Viola Pearl, 25, Wadlin, Beaufort Harbor, cleared, St. Westport, 11, 15, Powell, cleared.

BRITISH PORTS

Liverpool, Jan 12—Arrd, str. Tritonia, St. John for Glasgow. Liverpool, Jan 12—Arrd, str. Gracia, Trapani, for St. John's (Nfld.).

CANADIAN PORTS

Halifax, Jan 12—Arrd, str. Cocoon, Louisbourg, 19, str. Victoria, 18, str. New York, 18, str. St. John's, 18, str. St. John's, 18, str. St. John's, 18.

IMPORTS OF CHAMPAGNE

Into the United States for the Year 1904. MOET & CHANDON 127,783. G. H. Mumm & Co. 125,200. Pommery & Gremont 25,428.

Mount Allison Notes

Sackville, N. B., Jan. 10.—At the regular meeting of the Burthornton Society, Jan. 14, the following officers were installed for the ensuing term: President, E. S. McDavid, '05; vice-president, V. E. Black, '06; secretary, R. Long, '06; treasurer, G. Patterson, '07; corresponding secretary, J. Smiley, '07; teller, C. McAlpine, '08.

NO INCREASE IN PRICE OF NOVA SCOTIA COAL

Halifax, Jan. 12 (Special)—Nova Scotia coal operators who have been in session here concluded deliberations on Saturday, and decided to make no increase in the price of coal and no reduction in wages is likely to be made by manual laborers.

WOMAN'S BEST FRIEND. WOMEN SUFFER ALL ABOUT US WITH HEADACHE, BACKACHE, LOSS OF ENERGY AND SPIRITS, NERVOUS DYSPEPSIA AND MANY OTHER AILMENTS WHICH MAKE LIFE ALMOST UNBEARABLE.

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RUSSIA SOUNDS CANADA HAS A NOTE OF WARNING GREAT EXHIBIT

Says Japan's Violation of The Centre of Interest at the Neutrality Has Gone Too Far. Liverpool Colonial Exhibition.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 12.—Russia's formal notification to the powers of the imminent danger of a general uprising in China as the result of a Japanese program, which will threaten all foreign interests, coupled with general protest against China's repeated violation of neutrality in connection with Japan's operations, is really a warning to the powers that Russia regards the situation as extremely serious and considers that the time has come for joint action by the powers for the protection of their own interests.

For herself, Russia considers that Japan has broken the pledge she made with respect to Secretary Hay's note at the beginning of the war, and further persistence in this course will, she considers, absolve her from further observance and leave her free to act for her own protection.

The present note followed two preliminary warnings addressed to the powers, one in October and the other in November, "neither of which was heeded." It has an entirely different ring, setting forth breaches of Chinese neutrality, including the case of the Japanese fleet, and the constant despatch of reinforcements from various Chinese ports, the employment of Chinese soldiers in the Japanese army, and the hiring of Chinese bandits to attack Russian communications.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, CHATHAM, HAD A PROSPEROUS YEAR. Chatham, Jan. 12.—The annual congregational business meeting of St. Andrew's church was held in the hall adjoining the church last evening, Premier Tisdale in the chair.

KENT COUNTY RESIDENT DEAD. Rexton, Kent county, Jan. 12.—Dr. James Bowser died here last night of consumption, after an illness of three years, in his forty-fifth year.

BABY'S OWN TABLETS. This medicine comes as a message of hope to all worried mothers. It is the best thing in the world for the stomach, bowel and teething troubles which little ones are so liable to.

NEW BRUNSWICK MILITIA CHANGES. Ottawa, Jan. 13 (Special)—The following appointments were gazetted: 2nd Regiment, St. John Fusiliers—By the provincial Lieutenant, Arthur Albert Seely Smith, lieutenant.

6th Regiment, Princess Louise Fusiliers—To be second in command, Major John Archibald McDougall, vice Wedderburn, promoted to the command.

4th Prince Edward Island Regiment, Canadian Artillery—Major Stephen Rice Jenkins is granted the rank of honorary lieutenant colonel.

IN SELF-DEFENCE, SAYS OSCAR WRIGHT



HAVELOOK STREET AND SPOT WHERE MCKNIGHT RECEIVED DEATH BLOW

Prisoner Says McKnight Hit Him With a Club and He Used Fists in Return; Then in General Row He Used Stick on Some One. But Thought it [Sam Keith]—A Witness Indignant.

Hampton, Jan. 18.—(Special)—The manslaughter trial gives promise of extending well into next week. The sessions today were devoted solely to the examination of witnesses for the prosecution, and the crown may close its case tomorrow.

Samuel Keith's Evidence Continued.

The examination of Samuel Keith was resumed this morning by the attorney-general. Early in the struggle, the witness said, he heard the prisoner say: "I know the man," and a little later the witness received a blow, sufficiently heavy to knock him down.

Mrs. Wright Testifies.

Mrs. Olive Wright was next sworn. She told of the prisoner's arrival in Havelook and how he came to her to get what he claimed to be his property. The prisoner's words, she said, were: "See here, old woman, I've come all prepared for you."

needed not raise your voice just because Mr. Curry does." Mr. Curry—"Will you keep quiet?" The witness—"The will wasn't read to me. I didn't see it, yet I contested it. I got Ora P. King to act for me."

The witness then told of Oscar Wright's presence in Havelook in May. "I was told he had a judge's order for the property," said the witness, "so I just thought it best to give up. He took nearly everything I had."

Disliked the Questioning.

Further queries were put, and Mrs. Wright seemed not to relish them. Matters relating to David Wright's illness during the summer came up. "Have I got to answer all these questions?" asked Mrs. Wright, turning to Judge McLeod.

Oscar Peterson Denies Bribery Story.

A matter not yet brought before the court is agitating a certain resident of Havelook, who on Thursday gave evidence to the effect that he saw deceased strike the prisoner.

Mrs. Wright Says She Wanted to Blind Prisoner.

Mrs. Wright now resumed the stand. She was much more composed, and began by declaring with emphasis that she had never struck the prisoner on the head. She repeated the statement several times. "Well, you struck him on the hands with that clothes line pole?" said Mr. Curry.

This finished Mrs. Wright's evidence. Frank Dunham, of Havelook, examined by Dr. Pugsley, related the struggle with the prisoner. He said the light appeared general. He gave blows and received them.

The witness appeared to enjoy the compliment. Herbert Fowler, constable, swore that when he arrested the prisoner about an hour after the tragedy, he saw the prisoner's head and knuckles bruised. As far as the witness could recall, the prisoner said Mrs. Wright was responsible for the blows on his head.

Says McKnight Used Club.

"And after that," continued the witness, "I saw McKnight hit Oscar with a club on the head or shoulder." As the attorney-general's cross-examination progressed, Mr. Curry took exception to what he termed to be the argumentative way in which Dr. Pugsley spoke to the witness.

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lative was in no way blameable, after which Mr. Curry and His Honor Judge McLeod discussed briefly, from an advisory point of view, newspapers and reporters.

The Defence.

Mr. Curry, in opening for the defence, spoke of the gravity of the charge of manslaughter, and said he had endeavored to treat the witnesses with fairness. No one regretted more than himself that human life had been taken, but now that the man was dead, it was necessary to investigate the circumstances surrounding his death.

The Prisoner on the Witness Stand.

"Call Oscar Wright." When the prisoner took the stand, it was 3.15 o'clock. He swore he was thirty-two years of age, that his mother died when he was a boy, and that from his fifteenth year, he had been self-supporting.

The Prisoner's Brother.

Ira Wright, the prisoner's brother, was called. He is thirty-six years of age, and a farmer. "Are you a fighting man?" asked Mr. Curry, after he had put the customary preliminary questions.

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Bank of New Brunswick Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Bank of New Brunswick was held yesterday, James Manchester, the president, in the chair. W. E. Foster was appointed secretary.

Marconi Engaged Again.

Rome, Jan. 16.—Signor Marconi, 66, least telegraph man, according to Patricia, is engaged to marry Princess Patricia, aged twenty-one years, the youngest daughter of Prince Francesco Ruspoli, master of the Holy Hospice, a high hereditary Vatican position.

Killed Wife and Then Himself.

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 15.—(Special)—Harry Slattery, an ex-prize fighter, stabbed his wife to death this evening and then committed suicide by cutting his throat.

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