

GRAIN IS BEING DIVERTED TO BOSTON OWING TO INCREASE OF INSURANCE RATES ON THE ST. LAWRENCE.

ANXIETY GROUNDLESS SAY BOSTON EXPERTS

Boston, Mass., Nov. 4.—Grain shipments from Boston during the past two weeks have been very heavy and a despatch from Montreal stating that that port was losing trade to this city is regarded as correct by men engaged in the grain-traffic, but the movement is not believed to be one which will extend to any other season than the present time of year or to a brief period in the spring when the insurance men feel obliged to increase rates on vessels engaged in the St. Lawrence trade because of the greater risks.

Grain shipments from the port of Boston this week will reach 590,000 bushels, the greatest total in two years. Last week the shipments were 224,193. Shipping men here regard the present state of trade as "normal," meaning by that that conditions for a long time have been normal. At one time as great a quantity as a million bushels has been shipped from this port in one week and three or four years ago the totals occasionally exceeded the amount of the shipments this week. The abnormal conditions of the past two years are attributed to the granting of better rates by the trunk lines to other sea ports and therefore to the detriment of Boston.

Montreal Gets The Bulk.

During the summer season Montreal gets the bulk of the grain trade from the Canadian Northwest and a large share of the wheat grown in the American West, due to the cheaper rates from Fort William to Montreal. The grain is transported to Montreal by water, by way of the Great Lakes, the Canals and the St. Lawrence River, the Canadian Pacific and Grand Trunk railways entering Boston at seven stations in the American West. J. W. McLachlan, the exports manager of the White Star and Leyland Lines at this port, when shown the Montreal statistics tonight said he thought that Montreal had nothing to worry about. He explained that navigation in the St. Lawrence usually closed after November 1st, the underwriters advanced their rates on account of the increased risk at this season of the year in the Gulf and river. Should a steamer meet with a mishap during the winter months, it is difficult to get away from the St. Lawrence waters before the ice formed. The Government usually picks up the boats in the river in November thus adding a great deal to the spring time there is also more danger, naturally than in the summer season. The lake traffic late in the fall is also a factor in diverting trade from Montreal. The reason that Boston received so much grain recently was largely due to a rush of vessels to Buffalo at the declining part of the season on the lakes.

No Cause For Worry.

As soon as the St. Lawrence river is closed to shipping the Canadian Pacific Railway will use St. John, N. B. for most of its grain export traffic and the Grand Trunk system will divert most of its Montreal business to its Atlantic terminus, Portland. Boston business men anticipate more or less activity in grain shipments here but in view of the position held by the railroads they do not expect that grain shipments from this port will become abnormally heavy. The Canadian Pacific Railway has close relations with the New York, New Haven and Hartford and Boston and Maine systems, and in time it is hoped that part of the transcontinental line's grain traffic will be shipped by way of this port during the winter season, but no great business from this source is expected as long as the Canadian Pacific Atlantic terminal facilities at St. John are able to handle the road's Western trade. The insurance rates complained of by Montreal do not apply to either St. John or Portland and it is understood that those cities are receiving grain which would go to Montreal except for the high St. Lawrence insurance rates as well as Boston.

Portland, Me., Nov. 4.—John L. Torrance, local agent of the Dominion Line, when shown the despatch from Montreal tonight said that insurance rates always go up tremendously on the St. Lawrence after November 1, and he was not aware that they are any higher than they have been in the past.

But one steamer has loaded grain from this port so far this fall, but some 700,000 bushels will be taken out in the next ten days.

Mr. Torrance said that the high insurance rates furnished were perhaps one reason for this shipment of grain from Portland, but it was not the only one.

Agent J. M. Biddle, of the Grand Trunk, said that the amount of grain to be shipped from Portland this month is a good showing, but not abnormal.

Montreal, Nov. 4.—Hon. Geo. P. Graham said this morning that he would not reply to the attack on the I. C. R. alleged to have been made by Lord Northcliffe at Halifax. He would wait till he knew whether Lord Northcliffe had said it. He believed that it was a carefully edited article sent out with an object and was not from Northcliffe.

Dramatic Moments in Steinheil Trial

Witness Bears Out Prisoner's Story By Confessing That He Aided In Murders Attributed To Woman

—Mme. Steinheil Survives Rigorous Cross-examination—Admits Intrigue.

Paris, Nov. 4.—Dramatic situations followed fast one upon another in the assize court today, where the trial of Mme. Marguerite Steinheil, accused of having murdered her husband and her step-mother, Mme. Japy, was continued. As on the opening day of this sensational case, all Paris was wrought up to a high tension over the promised disclosures and although it was known that but few could pass within the precincts of the court, hundreds remained outside to watch and to discuss in excited tones, the progress of the case as it came to them through the newspaper extras which flooded the streets.

Mme. Steinheil was again on the stand, dressed in mourning, a dramatic, though pathetic figure, fighting hard for life. And in the midst of her indignation by the presiding judge, her attorney, M. Aubin, with melodramatic effect, suddenly pushed to the forefront a man who, he said, wished to confess that he had taken part in the murders of which Mme. Steinheil was charged.

Jean Lefevre.

M. Aubin read a letter signed "Jean Lefevre" asking that he be permitted to confess and then he pointed to the man and said:

"This is Jean Lefevre."

Mme. Steinheil gazed at him wearily and after he had made a rambling statement in which he said that disguised as a woman and wearing a wig of red hair, he helped to commit the murders, she declared that she could not identify him as one of the murderers who she had previously described.

The presiding judge promptly ordered Lefevre's arrest and an immediate investigation of his statement and warned the jury that this might prove to be another attempt to baffled justice. A search of the man disclosed two photographs, one of Mme. Steinheil and the other of the house where the crime was committed. Lefevre was locked up as a vagabond.

The police thus far are inclined to believe that the man's self-accusation belongs to the category of incidents well known to criminologists where an individual had demerited by the reading of the case and probably fancying himself in love with the prisoner, has resolved to sacrifice himself for a fascinating woman. Lefevre's description of the crime, however, coincides with the original version upon which Mme. Steinheil now insists.

The Late President.

Just before the close of the day, came the first direct mention of the late Felix Faure, president of France. Much of the interest in the present case lies in the friendship that is known to have existed between Mme. Steinheil and the late president of the republic and several times the prisoner made vague references to "a high colored man" in the friendship of whom she had merely acted in a political personage who had been merely invited to an exhibition at the Steinheil home, with pieces of a visiting card of Mme. Maseline, with the name of a customer written, in which Mme. Steinheil asserts was dropped by the fleeing assassins. Responding to a question as to whether it was at the home of Mme. Maseline at Havre she met President Felix Faure, the prisoner replied:

"No, it was during a trip in the Alps."

The judge did not pursue this line of inquiry further. Owing to the many trying ordeals of the day and the fatigue which the prisoner showed, her lawyer asked for an early adjournment and the hearing was brought to a close by the judge making reference to the accusation against Frederick Harrison Barlingham, an American newspaper man, but the prisoner persisted that she never actually accused him but only said that he resembled one of the assassins.

Falls to Shake Version.

A summary of the day's evidence shows that the judge failed to shake Mme. Steinheil's original version of the crime. She admitted intrigue, but heatedly denied that she sent her mother to solicit money from her lovers and she insisted that her husband never profited by her own immoral life. Admitting that she had done wrong, in a tearful voice, she besought the jury to pardon her faults. She defended herself by saying that since she did not live with her husband, his wife she longed for sympathy and love.

When confronted with the inconsistencies in her stories she justified them by saying that she had been harassed by journalists and detectives and had thus been led to believe that those whom she had accused were perhaps guilty. The judge led the woman again and again over the story of the crime itself and after suggesting that she had probably worked out a fantastic plot, in which she introduced a red-headed man and a red-haired woman, taken from books or adapted from some other similar crime of which she had read in her youth, confronted her with charges of having dyed her dressing-gown after the murder, to get rid of the tell-tale inkstains and of having changed some of her step-mother's bedding. He also pointed out that the gag which was taken from Mme. Steinheil's mouth was not moistened by saliva, and declared therefore the gagging was a farce and the whole story trumped up.

Mme. Steinheil indignantly denied these charges and boldly declared that if the gag did not fit her it was because the doctors examined the wrong gag. She asserted that she had no motive in dyeing her gowns.

On further examination before a magistrate, Lefevre said that his name is Rene Collard and that he is an actor. He admitted that he had not the slightest connection with the crime and had merely acted in a criminal impulse to save Mme. Steinheil, whose innocence he was convinced. He was ordered detained pending a verification of his identity.

BUDGET PASSES THIRD READING IN COMMONS

Government's Majority Larger Than Anticipated—Tense Excitement Prevailed Throughout Debate.

DECLARES BALFOUR MUST SHOW HAND

London, Nov. 4.—The House of Commons tonight passed the third reading of the finance bill by a vote of 379 to 149.

The scene in the House was a memorable one. Seldom has there been a larger attendance of members and peers and the diplomatic galleries were crowded to their utmost capacity. Chancellor Lloyd George, Premier Asquith and Mr. Balfour, leader of the Opposition, all spoke during the evening, and tense excitement prevailed throughout. All present appeared to be imbued with the historic character of the occasion.

Closed Debate.

Mr. Asquith, in a brief speech, closing the debate, said that it was incumbent upon those who objected to the Government's taxes to provide some alternative scheme to meet the nation's necessities. Where was this scheme? he asked. Sooner or later Mr. Balfour must show his hand and it would have to be a hand that would suit the game of the tariff reformers.

The Government, continued the Premier, might well be content to rest themselves in patience. There were only two issues before the House—the taxes proposed by the budget, or tariff reform.

Division was then taken and the announcement of the vote, showing the Government's majority was larger than had been expected, was greeted with prolonged ministerial cheers. The Conservatives had counted upon a score of Liberal abstentions, but apparently only two Liberals joined the "Nationalists in abstaining from voting."

The bill will be formally passed on its first reading in the House of Lords tomorrow. The debate on the second reading, which will determine its fate, will begin November 22.

The Liberal Press Pleased.

London, Nov. 4.—The Liberal papers this morning are pleased that the budget has left the House of Commons backed by a solid majority representing the full strength of the party, including the Labor members. The only matter of discontent is the refusal of the Nationalists to support the budget. Their support would have been hardly expected in view of the fact that they opposed the government on the second reading.

Daring Hold-Up And Robbery At Niagara

Two Strangers Enter Office of Canadian Express Company, Fell Cashier and Walk Off With \$14,158 in Cash—Many Held As Implicated by Police.

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Niagara Falls, Ont., Nov. 4.—The boldest and most daring hold-up and robbery ever occurring in the Niagara Falls district, took place in broad daylight late this afternoon, about 4.55 o'clock in the little brick office of the Canadian Express, situated a few feet west of the Grand Trunk station, when two strangers entered the front door by the cashier to the train just before the balance of the staff would finish loading the express freight on train. All this had to be figured on and consequently it has been planned out probably for weeks.

The bank messengers taking the money to the express always have an armed guard accompany them and no doubt the desperadoes were aware of this. Dobson is resting quietly this evening and has confirmed his first statement and the description of the men. They were seen around town during the afternoon. The affair has created a great deal of excitement around that city during act of hold-up could occur right in the midst of twelve men not over twenty feet away. The entire provincial and city forces under Inspector Mains and Chief Kimming were promptly on the job.

The abstention of the Nationalists is a declaration of war against the House of Lords when the struggle is carried into the country at the general election. Timothy Healy, Nationalist M. P. for the north division of Louth, tried ineffectually at yesterday's meeting to induce his party to vote against the budget, but he got only nine colleagues to support him. In announcing his party's decision to abstain, John P. Redmond, in a speech in the house later, emphatically declared that if it were to be a question of the Lords power to block the country's legislation permanently he would not be on the side which proposed satisfaction of the Commons, and he would not allow himself to be cajoled from this attitude by reason of his opposition to increased taxation in Ireland.

At the meeting the Nationalists also resolved to call upon the Government to reject the amendments made in the House of Lords to the Irish land bill.

In connection with the idea that the Lords have decided to reject the budget, a mysterious paragraph appears in the Daily Telegraph, a strong Unionist organ, declaring that nothing has yet occurred that can be taken as defining the Lords' attitude. On the contrary, says the statement, the peers will approach the consideration of the bill unpledged and untrammeled. This paragraph possibly foreshadows the intention of the House of Lords to amend, rather than totally reject the budget.

THE McDUGALL RESERVED CASE UP FOR HEARING

Attorney General At Fredericton To Combat Application Of "Editor's" Counsel—Mr. Ritchie Still In Halifax.

Fredericton, N. B., Nov. 4.—Premier Hazen reached here this evening and with Col. J. B. M. Baxter, K. C., will appear for the Crown tomorrow before the Supreme Court in the reserved case of the Crown vs. McDougall, editor of a publication known as Free Speech, and now in jail in St. John awaiting sentence.

Mr. Ritchie Missing.

J. C. Sherrin, McDougall's counsel is here but J. J. Ritchie, his leading counsel, did not arrive tonight from Halifax, where he is taking part in a United Mine Workers conspiracy case against the Nova Scotia coal barons. Unless Mr. Ritchie arrives tomorrow morning it is said application for an adjournment may be made but the acceptance of the court of such an application is considered doubtful as tomorrow was fixed as the date, with the knowledge that Attorney General Hazen could not be here at a later date in the term. The points on which the reserved case is based are: That the indictment sets out a libel according to the tenor and effect and does not allege that the words used exposed about whom they were written to hatred, ridicule or contempt. The paragraphs were published. That there is no evidence that the obnoxious terms to be obscene and that the paragraphs alleged to be obscene are not obscene. The argument will be principally of a technical nature.

Admitted Attorneys.

This morning the following were sworn in and admitted attorneys: Ralph St. J. Freeze, E. C. Weyman, Albert E. Pearson, John C. Landry, Arthur N. Vincent, Lloyd A. Covey, Z. King, I. Theo. Leger, D. King Hazen, Henry W. Lunney, G. Earle Logan, James S. Fair.

The following cases were taken up and argued:

The King vs. Kay ex parte Dollen—On motion of Mr. Chandler, K. C., ruler for certiorari was discharged.

Ex parte Gallagher—Mr. Chandler K. C. showed cause against an order nisi for writ of prohibition. Mr. Sherrin contra. Order nisi discharged.

The King vs. Kay ex parte Vandett—Mr. Phinney, K. C., moved to discharge the order nisi. Motion granted by the court.

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The late Sir Henri's colleagues in the judiciary and in the legal profession had gathered in to pay tribute to his memory. There were also present representatives of His Excellency, the Governor General, of the Lieut-Governor, of the Federal Government, and of the Provincial Government, as well as members of Parliament and of the Legislature, and many others, personal friends of the deceased.

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Kings Memorial Synod Over For Year

Diocesan Synod in Session At Capital Splits On Proposal To Erect a Church House Here And Whole Matter Goes Over Until Next Year—Committee Appointed For Year—Bishop Richardson Tenders Banquet To Visiting Delegates.

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Fredericton, N. B., Nov. 4.—At the Synod this afternoon, Rev. G. A. Kuhring in moving the resolution with reference to the erection of a memorial in the form of a church house at St. John to the late Bishop Kingston spoke in eloquent terms the work done by the late bishop, not only in full occupation, but also during the eleven years when he was bishop co-adjutor. He referred particularly to the depth of the bishop's scholarship and to the many valuable contributions he made to the literature of the church.

St. John, The Place.

Mr. Kuhring in reference to the suggestion of a church house at St. John as the form which the memorial should take, spoke strongly in favor of St. John as the place for such a house. Fredericton, he thought was sufficiently provided for as a centre for church work in the diocese by reason of its central and the claims of St. John, the business centre of the province, ought not to be overlooked. In concluding a somewhat lengthy address the speaker begged the Synod to give the matter the earnest consideration which the importance of the subject demanded. He moved the following resolution:

1. This Synod in session conscious of the valuable services rendered by the late Bishop Kingston, deem that the time has come when a suitable memorial from the whole of the diocese be erected to his memory and the glory of his work.

2. That a committee be appointed to prepare plans for a building to be known as the Bishop Kingston Memorial House, and to secure funds for the payment of the cost of such a building to be erected in the City of St. John, the said committee to have full power to proceed with the erection of the building and to secure funds for the same, and to report to the Synod at its next meeting.

Mr. Hooper's Resolution.

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Impressive Scenes At Funeral

Yesterday — Societies And Citizens Pay Last Tribute Of Respect—The Procession.

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Halifax, N. S., Nov. 4.—The funeral of the late Dr. MacRae was held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Both sides were ready for a cessation of hostilities this afternoon and the interval will be used to reinforce the position of the opposing forces. E. M. MacDonald, K. C., took the witness stand in hand this afternoon after W. B. A. Ritchie had sat down.

Still on Stand.

Mr. Morrow was still on the stand at the noon adjournment. In regard to the pivotal act of September 10th, 1902, which cannot be found, Mr. Morrow said he did not know where it was. Mr. Dick's solicitors had gone through the files before they were produced in court. He did not know if the letter was in the files before they got it. Mr. W. B. A. Ritchie finally produced a copy which was acknowledged as a copy by the witness. The letter had reference to complaints from the Pictou collieries on account of the Dominion Coal Company cutting prices.

At The Church.

After the private service the body was taken to the church where a large concourse of members of the fraternal societies had already gathered. Mr. Dick had told him the companies had decided not to cut into one another's territory. He had not told him of the formation of an association nor had he mentioned anything in regard to the price of coal had not advanced since the conference.

The Procession.

The procession was marshalled as the members filed from the church and proceeded along City Road in the following order: Knights of Pythias, Artillery Band, Independent Order of Foresters, Members of Orange Lodge, Havelock Lodge No. 27, with banner, St. John District Lodge, County Lodge officers, Rev. Gordon Dickie, Rev. A. A. Rideau, Rev. A. A. Rideau containing flowers, St. John Law Society, Mourners, St. Andrew's Society, Citizens.

For New Quarters.

Numerous judges and court officials spent today hurrying around in search of new quarters. An enormous number of cases is still on the criminal court calendar and the cessation of business even for a few days means a serious entanglement. District Attorney Jones, who has his chambers at the corner of the second floor, the coroner and the offices of the Tombs prison court are among the others who suddenly find themselves without offices. The city's engineers expressed a fear today that the Tombs prison, which occupied a full city block along the waterfront, might be damaged by the construction of the city's subway. It is said that the foundations of the building are being undermined by the construction of the subway. The constant jar caused by passing trains, it is said, has disturbed the earth beneath. The engineers expressed the hope tonight that the court building may be saved by driving the foundations deeper into the earth. This work, however, will take six months, and will cost the city many thousand dollars.

Colonel Longworth Dead In Charlottetown

Well Known Prince Edward Island Barrister And Military Man Passes Away After Short Illness.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Nov. 4.

Lieutenant Colonel Longworth passed away at the Prince Edward Island Hospital this morning. On Tuesday afternoon he underwent an operation for appendicitis. He was a member of the Queen's militia and was decorated for long service. As an officer he was most efficient and extremely popular with his brother officers and men of all ranks. He was married to Miss Louisa O. Palmer, daughter of the late Charles Palmer and their family consists of one son and four daughters, namely Fred, at home; Ethel, a student at the Royal Victoria College, McGill; Isabel, Dorothy and Joan at home. One brother, Brenton F., and one sister Elizabeth, wife of Mr. A. B. Warburton, M. P., survive him.

Chief Justice Sullivan remarked

at the trial in session today that "he doubted if in all the courts of Canada there was another prothonotary who equalled in the knowledge of his office and courtesy, the late Colonel Longworth."

Col. W. D. Gordon has been appointed

to succeed the late General Buchan in the Quebec command.

Final Stage Reached In Hornbrook Case Yesterday—Attorney General Will Report To Government Next Month.

Before Attorney General Hazen in the afternoon rooms yesterday morning the taking of evidence in the inquiry into the complaints against Magistrate Hornbrook, of Sussex was concluded, and arguments of counsel were heard. Mr. George W. Fowler was present, representing the advisory committee of the Municipal Council of Kings county, who demanded the investigation. Mr. A. L. Wilson represented Magistrate Hornbrook.

The charges against Mr. Hornbrook are of not observing secrecy concerning prosecutions, failing to submit proper accounts, retaining moneys illegally and general inefficiency. Mr. J. M. McIntyre and Magistrate Hornbrook were each on the stand for a few minutes in connection with the evidence but the information was unimportant. Counsel then addressed the court.

Mr. Wilson contended the prosecution failed to make out a case. The evidence did not show any intent willful or otherwise, to deceive or act wrongly in the carrying out of the Canada Temperance Act. Laxty and looseness could be found in the carrying out of business by every magistrate. Some judges even did not act in the most judicial way, and laxty and looseness were sometimes found in the magistracy.

Magistrates had not a legal training and that should be taken into consideration. He would say for Mr. Hornbrook that he has a better judicial mind than most magistrates.

No Matter For Dismissal.

The charges were serious but the evidence did not prove a single iota of any of them. Dissatisfaction had only been shown in two cases tried in his court and he had been tried. Even if the magistrate erred in his law, and the appeal courts said many judges err, it was not a matter for dismissal.

Mr. Wilson said he argued the Myrers case for the prosecution, and while he fought hard for a conviction he was bound to admit the case was a close one. The eloquent appeal of the defence was apt to influence any jury.

Myers was not caught in an unlawful act in having liquor in his cellar. Mr. Wilson contended that even if the magistrate construed the evidence wrongly it was not proper to say that he was acting in the interests of the liquor party. He (counsel) had had a conviction that the magistrate was wrongfully in the carrying out of the liquor party. There had been a number of appeals, but these had been sustained.

The Doherty Case.

In the Doherty case, the other on which the complaint was based, the evidence would show the matter was one of judgment. He believed the magistrate always tried to sift out the evidence and to impose the law. There was legal reason for doing so.

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Willing to Pay on Demand.

There had been no keeping back of funds. Mr. Hornbrook admitted having used some moneys, while in his hands but he was always able, ready and willing to pay over on demand, and he had not been guilty of any real wrong, while he had committed a technical wrong such as many lawyers and other men commit.

The only difficulty in his own accounts was in connection with the Weyman matter, and as a matter of fact Mr. Hornbrook had paid more money to the municipality than he owed it.

The prosecution had not attempted in any way to prove that Mr. Hornbrook had laid himself under pecuniary obligations to notorious violators of the Canada Temperance Act. It was a monstrous charge to make and then not offer a single bit of evidence to support it.

Mr. Wilson argued that a financial transaction between Mr. Farmer and Mr. Hornbrook was a perfectly legal one, and there was nothing wrong in it. He expressed the belief that the evidence would show nothing out of the ordinary about Mr. Hornbrook. He had done nothing to deceive the public or clients.

Mr. George W. Fowler, who was not a private prosecution. The petition was an official one from the advisory board of Kings county consisting of Messrs. Macaulay, Price and Jamieson, old members of the Municipal Council who possessed the full confidence of the community in which they lived.

For a time after his appointment, Mr. Hornbrook tried cases judicially, but a change came and it began to be difficult to get convictions even against rank offenders. Frank Myers was for years regarded as an offender and finally was caught red-handed with the goods, and admitted in plain words his guilt, promising to go out of business if let off.

It was the general impression that there were stronger arguments than any put forward by the lawyers that affected the judgment of the magistrates.

Held Up For \$3.

The evidence in the Doherty case was equally strong, and Doherty, who was attempting to escape from locked premises was caught with liquor on his person. Farmer, a thoroughly respectable man, swore he was held up by the magistrate for \$3 and paid it because he thought it advisable to pay it.

Foster, another witness, declared the magistrate accepted \$2 for him to hold back judgment. The witnesses

St. Andrew's Soc'y

Handsoma Badge Presented At Quarterly Meeting Last Evening—Dr. J. R. McIntosh Re-elected—Will Start Fund For New Building—Celebration To Be Scotch Night—Resolution On Death Of Dr. MacRae.

The Late Dr. A. W. MacRae.

The quarterly meeting of St. Andrew's Society was held last evening in the Oddfellows' Hall, with the president, Dr. J. R. McIntosh, in the chair. The attendance was large, probably the largest in the history of the society.

After the usual routine business, including the presentation of the treasurer's report, which showed substantial balances in both the general and Donaldson funds, the society took up the question of the inauguration of a building fund and it was resolved that the society at its general quarterly meeting, after the usual and unannounced interest of the general and Donaldson funds for the relief of the present exigencies of the poor amounted to \$10,000, might direct the society to carry such proportion of each member's dues as the society shall from time to time direct, to a fund to provide for a building or home for the society.

Dr. Murray MacLaren called the attention of the society to the lecture series that had been established two years ago in Celtic or Gaelic literature at Dalhousie University, the present incumbent being the Rev. MacLaren Sinclair. The North British Society of Halifax, contributes one hundred dollars a year towards the support of this lecture series, and MacLaren thought that Scotchmen here should also take an interest in the matter.

The New Jewel.

An interesting feature of the meeting was the decoration of the president with a badge which in future will be worn by the holder of the first office for the time being.

The badge is unique in design and is suspended round the neck with a ribbon of blue and white, the society's colors. It consists of a star shaped pendant made of gold with the St. Andrew's cross studded with diamonds in the center. The pendant hangs on a gold fastening forming the society's initials, with a cairn gorm stone on each side. On the back of the pendant are engraved the names of the forty past presidents of the society, the first of whom held office in 1798.

The idea is that in time the ribbon will be replaced by a chain of gold, each president on retiring from office adding a link.

Past president, Mr. C. K. Cameron, in a neat speech, hung the badge round Dr. McIntosh's neck, adding the words of the prayer book, "I commend you to the care of the Lord, who will preserve you from all temptation, and will bring you to glory with honor to the end."

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Proved to the Hilt.

The allegations were proved to the hilt and that being so he was no longer fit to be a magistrate, and it was important to the welfare of the town of Sussex that he be removed. The evidence of Mr. Otty and Mr. Price was that it was impossible to understand Mr. Hornbrook's accounts. Even the suspicion that the magistrate was under pecuniary obligations to liquor law violators was sufficient to destroy his usefulness.

Concluding Mr. Fowler again pointed out that there was no malice in the petition which was really the petition of the municipality of Kings Co., and every allegation was substantiated and the evidence of the magistrate himself was the strongest evidence possible against him. He thought the report should be in favor of Mr. Hornbrook's absolute removal.

Mr. Hadden announced that as soon as he receives all the evidence he would look into it and would probably make a report at the December meeting of the Government.

Hampton To Honor Dr. Scovil Murray

Hampton, Nov. 4.—The banquet to be given here tomorrow evening to Dr. J. Scovil Murray, on the eve of his departure for his new home at Okotok, Alberta, under the management of a committee of our leading citizens, bids fair to be a most successful function. The dining room and offices of the Heath Hall hotel will be thrown open for the occasion, and Mrs. Wm. Langstroth has kindly consented to cater to the wants of the guests. A fine programme has been prepared and a handpicked concert party will be found at the plate of each guest.

There will be ten toasts with many responses, excellent music by an orchestra from St. John and monologues and recitations by clever elocutionists, at intervals during the proceedings. The acting committee consists of Messrs. G. M. Wilson, chairman; J. C. Donald, secretary-treasurer; and E. Allan Schofield, secretary. Some eighty invitations have been sent out, of which over fifty have been accepted.

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HOW CHICAGO IS DEALING WITH HER DESTITUTE MEN

Reforming the Windy City By Clubbing the Heads Of Its Unemployed.

Police Adopt Billy Club Methods While The Charitably Disposed Smile.

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 4.—If you want to reform a laborer who is out of a job, destitute and starved, wait until the first cold days make him think of suicide and then—hit him over the head with a billy club.

This, in brief, is the doctrine of philanthropy put into effect the other day by the Chicago police, with the approval of the city officials.

This kind of reform—billy-club reform—may be tough on the starving men who think the world has turned its face from them, but it gives the second city in the United States a clean face before its critics.

Chicago has just passed through a frenzy of reform. Great meetings were stirred by the words of a paid evangelist, who later led great crowds of women and boys into the levee district on a mission of religion.

Business men met and decided that Chicago was going to be one of the finest places in the world to live in. They pointed out that miles of boulevards and domains of parks were in better condition than for years, and they wanted visitors to know it. Chicago had to be a city of prosperity at any cost.

It isn't hard to believe, either, when you stand at Michigan boulevard and Congress street, at the Auditorium corner, and watch the motor cars whiz by on any evening. If you walk down Michigan boulevard a few steps, into the Congress hotel, the crowds of pally dressed women and convicts in the Pompeian room will fairly radiate prosperity.

Perhaps some inquisitive visitors might want to wander west a few blocks where the men out of jobs, the failures of Chicago congregate. That would hurt Chicago, so Chief Steward found out a way to make his police prevent it.

Two kinds. One is the kind that would set a work if they had a chance; men who would work if they were employed. These gather around the barrel house of Alderman Michael Kenna, "Hinky-Dink," on South Clark street. The other kind are the men who spend perhaps their last half dollar for a chance at a job in the big labor agencies on Dearborn and State streets.

Hunger comes when that half dollar goes, perhaps, but hope lingers. So they crowd at the doors of the labor agencies waiting for the news that means salvation for them. And it is a long wait.

Chief Steward's way—the billy-club way—is simple. A big police sergeant from the Harrison street station takes a squad of police, who they wait until meal time comes. The sergeant knows then that the work socks will be driven by hunger to wait at the very doors of the labor agents.

No Resistance. Then the squad starts. Their attack is systematic but simple. There is no resistance. The hungry men don't dare mutter, even, for in nine cases out of ten their pockets are empty. A growl from the sergeant, a chorus of commands from the harsh throats of the policemen, clubs fly, heads are battered, and half-shod feet pattered down the sidewalks in a path of distress.

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Special photographs taken on S. Clark street, showing types of the "Tramps" who are being clubbed daily by Chicago police.

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Oberammergau Already Busy With Passion Play



"THE KISS." From official "Passion Play" photograph, published by village of Oberammergau. The characters are Anton Lang, as Christ, and Johann Zwick as Judas.

London, Nov. 4.—Oberammergau is already busy with preparations for the performances of the "Passion Play" which will take place next year. Thirty dates have been fixed between May 16 and September 25, of which nineteen are Sundays. Extra performances are sometimes given on Mondays, when there are more people in the village on the preceding Sundays than can find places in the theatre.

The great problem of the Passion Play committee is to prevent the performances from degenerating into commercialism. The play commemorates the departure of the plague from the village in 1632, and the devoutness of the actors is no less now than it has ever been; but already this autumn agents have canvassed the entire village to buy up sleeping accommodations for next summer, and prices have been offered for single rooms which have almost turned the heads of the peasants.

Houses Registered. No one can witness the Passion Play who has not spent the previous night in the village itself. Every house is registered as possessing a certain amount of sleeping accommodations, and the total number of beds in the village is approximately 4,200. One-third of the beds in each house must be placed at the disposal of the local official lodging bureau. The householders make their own terms for the other beds, with a maximum charge rigidly fixed by the committee.

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President's Society

Meeting Last Evening Will Start Fund For Potch Night—Resolutions

honorable society. The Jewish admiring and will be a feature of future celebration.

Dr. A. W. MacRae. The society passed the following resolutions on record of their regard upon of their esteemed brother Alexander W. MacRae. Mr. ever took an active share in and counsels of the so-called opportunities offered among our ranks and a warm interest in its. The society cannot but be the worthy position our late friend held in his community.

This, in brief, is the doctrine of philanthropy put into effect the other day by the Chicago police, with the approval of the city officials.

This kind of reform—billy-club reform—may be tough on the starving men who think the world has turned its face from them, but it gives the second city in the United States a clean face before its critics.

Chicago has just passed through a frenzy of reform. Great meetings were stirred by the words of a paid evangelist, who later led great crowds of women and boys into the levee district on a mission of religion.

Business men met and decided that Chicago was going to be one of the finest places in the world to live in. They pointed out that miles of boulevards and domains of parks were in better condition than for years, and they wanted visitors to know it. Chicago had to be a city of prosperity at any cost.

It isn't hard to believe, either, when you stand at Michigan boulevard and Congress street, at the Auditorium corner, and watch the motor cars whiz by on any evening. If you walk down Michigan boulevard a few steps, into the Congress hotel, the crowds of pally dressed women and convicts in the Pompeian room will fairly radiate prosperity.

Perhaps some inquisitive visitors might want to wander west a few blocks where the men out of jobs, the failures of Chicago congregate. That would hurt Chicago, so Chief Steward found out a way to make his police prevent it.

Two kinds. One is the kind that would set a work if they had a chance; men who would work if they were employed. These gather around the barrel house of Alderman Michael Kenna, "Hinky-Dink," on South Clark street. The other kind are the men who spend perhaps their last half dollar for a chance at a job in the big labor agencies on Dearborn and State streets.

Hunger comes when that half dollar goes, perhaps, but hope lingers. So they crowd at the doors of the labor agencies waiting for the news that means salvation for them. And it is a long wait.

Chief Steward's way—the billy-club way—is simple. A big police sergeant from the Harrison street station takes a squad of police, who they wait until meal time comes. The sergeant knows then that the work socks will be driven by hunger to wait at the very doors of the labor agents.

No Resistance. Then the squad starts. Their attack is systematic but simple. There is no resistance. The hungry men don't dare mutter, even, for in nine cases out of ten their pockets are empty. A growl from the sergeant, a chorus of commands from the harsh throats of the policemen, clubs fly, heads are battered, and half-shod feet pattered down the sidewalks in a path of distress.

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EVIDENCE ALL IN IN WALBERG CASE

Details of the Work at Moncton Undertaken by the Walberg Company, the Cost of Which is Regarded As Excessive.

Moncton, N. B., Nov. 4.—City Engineer, Eddington, Contractor Theophilus M. LeBlanc, of Moncton, and others, who were recently in Ottawa giving evidence before the Registrar in regard to the claim of E. A. Walberg & Co. have returned home. No report of the evidence has been given out, but it is understood that it was quite voluminous and largely technical. The claim, which is for a sum in the vicinity of \$105,000, is for the construction of a sewer and the laying of several water pipes at the new shops of the Intercolonial Railway in Moncton. The cost of this work, which was alleged to be excessive, was partly investigated by the Parliamentary Committee on Public Accounts, but after several witnesses had been examined, the Chairman ruled it out of order on the ground that no payment on account appeared in the Public Accounts then published. The Government is now resisting the claim as excessive.

No Tenders. No tenders were invited for the work, but after the construction of the shops had been commenced in 1907 the sewer was found to be a necessity for the drainage of the grounds, and the engineer in charge gave verbal instructions to Walberg, who had contracts for the erection of the buildings, to put in the sewer. The arrangement for the work was, to a certain depth, the rate to be paid was the same as that for building excavations, beyond that to be done by day's work on the basis of a commission of 15 per cent. to the Walberg Company on the wages paid. The sewer is about a third of a mile in length, laid in concrete, and in some places excavation was necessary to a depth of eighteen feet, though at other points it is not more than four or five feet deep. It is claimed that where the sewer was of extreme depth, it was necessary to excavate on the surface a width of twenty to twenty-five feet, in order to prevent caving in of the earth. On this point Henry Holger and Percival St. George, civil engineers of Montreal, gave expert testimony in Walberg's favor. They justified the width of the excavation to prevent caving in, and said the cost under all the circumstances was not excessive.

Contractor LeBlanc. For the Railway Department, Contractor LeBlanc said the work could be done for \$25,000. He had had extensive experience in building sewers in Moncton streets and in other places where the soil is similar to that at the railway shops. Some of the Moncton sewers are fifteen feet deep, and caving in of the earth had been prevented by shoring up the sides with timber. He had never found it necessary to excavate to a greater width than the size of the sewer to be laid.

Another claim laid on behalf of the Walberg Co., was that the season of construction was very wet, and it was shown that the rainfall of July, August, September and October, 1907, during which time the work was in progress, aggregated 19.43 inches, or nearly five inches a month.

Mr. A. H. Chipman, C. E., of Toronto and City Engineer Carroll, of Ottawa, also gave evidence in behalf of the Railway Department. They had spent several days in Moncton looking over the ground and making tests and enquiries generally in regard to the difficulties and extent of the work. They expressed the opinion that a fair estimate of the cost of the work done would be about \$56,000.

The Government Engineer, W. B. McKenzie, of Moncton, who was in charge of the work, was present during the hearing, and also gave evidence, in the main that the claim was not excessive for the work done. His attitude on the part of the Government Engineer was evidently a surprise to the counsel acting for the railway.

No decision has as yet been given in the case, though it is believed all the evidence is in.

York County Loan Dividend.

The first cheques for the preliminary payment of the St. John shareholders of the York County Savings & Loan Company were cashed yesterday at the Canadian Bank of Commerce. The payments are to be made from this bank for the reason that it has acted for the National Trust Co. in the liquidation of the company. The shareholders' books, on account of the appreciation of land values of the company, dispatches indicate that shareholders will get in the vicinity of 50 per cent. The first payment is 25 per cent., less certain charges allowed by the court.

IN THE HOTELS

Royal N. B. Mills, A. H. Brittain, Montreal; W. C. Matthews, Toronto; S. Matthews, Montreal; W. M. H. Lord, Boston; H. Wylie, Halifax; Dr. and Mrs. H. Bower, Montreal; A. S. Race, Chicago; G. M. Howard, Sherbrooke; H. C. Thornton, London, Eng.; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Touse, Port Elgin, N. B.; W. B. Hill, St. John; J. Edmund White, Bathurst; N. B. J. Mackay, R. H. Gill, Montreal; A. M. Elliott, H. M. Blight, E. R. Clark, Toronto.

Victoria Hotel John Kennedy, Salisbury, N. B.; W. H. Vaughan, H. P. Rowley, Montreal; L. M. Hastings, J. A. Pearson and wife, Toronto; W. H. Hubbard, Fredericton; F. Berryman, Victoria; Mrs. F. S. Hutchinson, Master Jack Hutchinson, St. Stephen; R. A. Warren and wife, Boston; W. H. Morgan and wife, New York; W. C. Casey, Moncton; John M. Ryan, Moncton; W. A. Nash, Chicago; A. B. Comeau, Moncton; Andrew Morgan, Kincardine, Scot.; C. H. Lynn, St. George.

Personal. W. W. Hubbard, of Fredericton, was at the Victoria yesterday. Messrs. F. S. Hutchinson and Master Jack, of St. Stephen, are at the Victoria.

BRUNSWICK TO HAVE APPLE EXHIBIT IN COLONIAL SHOW

W. Hubbard, provincial secretary of agriculture, who was in the city, speaking with a Standard, said that the New Brunswick growers were making a list of new Brunswick apple varieties to propose sending to the Fruit Show that will be held on December 1st, by the horticultural society.

L. Peters, of Queenstown, ge. of all arrangements and that 40 boxes of the apples will be sent to be shipped from here on or 10th. Great interest is being taken by the different fruit growers of the province and the fact that the New Brunswick apples will make a favorable showing he brands.

Hubbard will address a meeting at the Bathurst, agricultural society on Saturday evening at Bathurst. A proposal to hold a county exhibition in 1910 is under consideration.

DEATHS.

At 34 St. Patrick street, a Thomas, wife of the late Thomas, aged 75 years. From her late residence Friday, 2:30 p.m.

WINTER Meetings and Picturings in all the BEST STYLES

are now being shown by Campbell & Son at Tallers, 261, 263 & 265 St. John street.

For incurables Full. November meeting of the board of management of the Home for Incurables, was held yesterday afternoon. It was passed for the admission of a male patient, filling the only vacant bed. The men's ward. Acknowledgment was made of the bequest of \$500 by the late Captain Harding. Thanksgiving services were received from a number of friends of the institution.

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THE BRITISH COLUMBIA CONTEST.

Premier McBride has strong influences against him. He is a Conservative and the head of a Government which is organized on party lines. Therefore he has against him the influence of the Liberal party on the Coast and the Liberal party at Ottawa. Besides this his railway policy is displeasing to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, whose lines will for some distance be paralleled by the Canadian Northern extension into British Columbia. The Grand Trunk Pacific Company object to another railway through the Yellowhead Pass, dividing a Mountain territory in which the G. T. P. expected to have a monopoly.

Two of Mr. McBride's colleagues have left his ministry. Mr. Tait and Mr. Fulton have no quarrel with the leader of the Government except on the railway policy. The announcement that Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper is also strongly opposed to this programme is not surprising. His condemnation of Mr. McBride is probably not due to this incident alone. It will be remembered by some that Sir Charles differed with Mr. McBride on previous occasions, and that he has not been in close harmony with the Provincial ministry for some years, if indeed he ever was. But Sir Charles has not personally taken any public part in politics of late, and he intimates that he does not propose to do so now.

It is impossible at this time and this distance to know whether Mr. McBride's railway programme will result in a net gain or net loss of support of the British Columbia electorate. On the record of his ministry, his Government seemed to be quite sure of endorsement. He has given the province stable Government which it did not have for a good many years before his time. After ten or twelve years of frequent and abrupt changes of Government, with all manner of political complications, it was a relief to have a Premier who could hold his cabinet together through two legislative terms. In six years before Mr. McBride became the leader of the Government, there had been eight different premiers, and several of these had made or attempted reconstructions. Three premiers had been dismissed by the Lieutenant Governor, and one Lieutenant Governor had been dismissed for improper use of his power. One man had been called upon to form a ministry and had failed in the attempt. Another succeeded only to dissolve the House and be beaten on appeal to the electors, and to resign after three months in office. Still another held on six months. One minister had dismissed a colleague, another ordered two members of his cabinet to resign. One minister resigned in protest against an appointment. Another gave up office after holding it a week. Two of Mr. McBride's colleagues were defeated on seeking reelection when he formed his cabinet.

That was the condition of things which Mr. McBride found when he became Premier six and a half years ago. He has given the province a stable, progressive and generally popular administration. British Columbia has become an orderly province, and great progress has been made in all activities, but most, perhaps, in farming and fruit growing. The Government has taken a strong stand on Provincial autonomy. Its leader has taken the grip with the Dominion and the Convention of Provinces on the question of subsidies. He has stood, first and last, against all influences of corporations, of parties, and of federal, imperial and foreign authorities in favor of making British Columbia a white man's country. Should he not win another term of office, it will be because of the unpopularity of his railway policy. But he and his friends claim that this programme is both wise and popular. The future will throw more light on that aspect of the case.

THE LORDS AND THE BUDGET.

The House of Lords is now in possession of the Lloyd-George budget. This measure has gone to the Upper House with the solid endorsement of the Liberal party in the popular chamber. It is true that the majority for the bill is only 230 and that the Government majority in the Commons is over 330. But this only means that the Nationalists did not vote. The absence of the Home Ruler is not due to their opposition to the bill so much as because they desire to retain a position of independence or neutrality. It is true, however, that they do not, as a party, approve of the liquor clauses of the measure. There are 350 straight Liberals in the House. Labor representatives and Socialists number 50. If all the Nationalists abstained 379 out of a possible 400 to 410 voted for the measure. That is a large proportion.

After the general election the Conservatives and Unionists had only 157 members. They have gained ten or twelve in the three years since, but are still not over 170. The vote of 149 against the budget bill shows that when allowance is made for those ill or abroad, the available members must have attended in force. Among the Conservatives and Unionists members are a number who are still opposed to tariff reform as advocated by Mr. Chamberlain. Either these do not agree with the Chancellor of the Exchequer that it is a choice between tariff preference and the budget, or else they consider a tariff the lesser evil of the two. There were no supporters of the budget on the Conservative side, and no followers of Lord Rosebery among the Liberals. The argument and protest of the former premier did not win a single Liberal vote, though they may have helped influence the two Liberals who abstained from voting. It is still uncertain what the Lords will do. Wednesday encourages the rejection of the measure. The Peers might, perhaps, wish some more authoritative instruction than one riding can give, especially when that

counsel is open to various explanations. But if they were in a position of balance between two opinions the London verdict would shake the wavering scale. The Lords have not been wanting in courage in such emergencies, and they have as good opportunity as the members of the other house to judge what the people will say and do. The last time that they sent a government to the people the government was condemned. It was not the Lords but those who threatened them that had to go. If the Lords are against the people they cannot stand, but if they are with the people against the Government, they are safe.

THE WALBERG CONTRACTS.

The case of Mr. E. A. Walberg against the Railway Department concerning which the court at Ottawa has been taking evidence, grows out of a proposition that the intercolonial authorities have shown to give these contracts to that pushing gentleman either without tender or when others tendered below him. Some half a dozen of his contracts were before the public accounts committee in 1908 and all of them were irregular at some point. He was the middleman in one case, where he was not needed at all, and was paid \$1,414 for \$911 worth of goods. He was paid \$4,470 each for tanks which another contractor offered to provide for \$4,000 each. He got a contract for a heating system at \$5,765, though there was another tender at \$4,300, the department taking Mr. Walberg's opinion that his was better. He was paid \$6,390 each for five hoisting cranes, and passed along the order to a firm which sold them for \$5,200. Mr. Walberg had contracts for buildings at Pictou, Moncton and Charlottetown. The Pictou schedule tender was worked out by the Government as an offer to do the work for \$62,523. Mr. Walberg was paid more than \$100,000. There was a similar development in the Charlottetown contract. He had contracts on a like basis at Moncton, which were let at \$211,000, but which also counted well in extras. No tenders were called for the sewer. Mr. Walberg had his bargain with Chief Engineer Mackenzie, with whom he has had negotiations singularly agreeable and profitable to the contractor.

In 1908 the public accounts committee of the Commons tried to find out something about this sewer, which was then well on to completion. The investigation made some progress but was headed off at a critical and interesting stage on the technical ground that the contractor had not yet received his pay, and that the committee could only inquire into payments. The contractor was still unpaid last session, and no inquiry was allowed. But in the course of the inquiry into the other Walberg contracts, Deputy Minister Butler gave the estimate that the sewer would cost \$18,000 to \$20,000. Mr. Walberg now claims \$150,000. The Moncton Times says that in the recent hearing Contractor Le Blanc said the work would be done for \$25,000, while two Ontario engineers considered it might cost \$56,000, and the Intercolonial Chief Engineer, Mr. McKenzie, testified that Mr. Walberg's claim was not excessive. In view of the evidence given by the chief engineer concerning the purchases from Mr. Walberg as a middleman, and also his testimony in respect to the land deals at Moncton and Halifax, this opinion is not surprising.

A part of the work on the Moncton sewer was done on the 15 per cent. bonus system. The other part was done by Walberg at the rate per yard that he was paid for excavation in his building contracts. The evidence of the chief engineer was that the top part was done by the yard. The hard digging was by the bonus system. The bargain was that Mr. Walberg would put on his own men and teams and that the Government would pay him the cost of this labor plus 15 per cent. for his own profit. He hired men from himself, teams from himself, and purchased supplies from himself, and then was paid the fifteen per cent. bonus above the price. The committee tried to find out what check the Government had, and the chief engineer after much hesitation produced the most astonishing time book that was ever placed in evidence. It was hardly legible. Men and teams were mixed together so no one could tell which was meant. No names of men were given, which would be utterly impossible to show by this book what men were engaged any day. It was after the production of this book that the friends of the Government had the whole inquiry ruled out. Judging by these exhibits, and by the testimony given in the committee, it will be impossible for any court to get at the real expenditure of Mr. Walberg except from his own statements. The contract was grossly improper, and the Deputy Minister himself admitted that it should not have been made. Of course it will not be for the court to decide whether the contract was good or bad, and Walberg must be paid all that the contract gives him.

INTERCOLONIAL FINANCE.

The Intercolonial deficit on that part of the business which the minister is pleased to call current account was \$800,952 for the year ending with last March. This is a much larger deficit than the minister led the House to expect when he made his statement March 16, within a fortnight of the end of the year. He then had no figures to give later than the end of December, though the Canadian Pacific Company, with many times the mileage, could have given him down to the end of February. For the nine months Mr. Graham admitted a deficiency of \$436,954. It appears that he went behind nearly as much in the following three months. The revenue for 1909 is \$8,527,069, which is \$646,490 less than the year before. But it cost \$9,228,021 to operate the road, and this is \$170,586 more than the cost of handling the larger traffic of the year before. There was a decrease of \$220,000 in passenger earnings, and of \$560,000 in freight earnings. Mails and express earned a little more than the previous year. The only cheerful feature in the comparison is that while there was increased expenditure on way and structures, and also on equipment, the operating expenses were slightly reduced. Election years are apt to swell maintenance outlay.

CORROBORATED.

The Times says that The Standard's statements concerning the steamer Premier are false, but admits that Mr. Pugsley was a shareholder, that he made the speech at the launch, and that the Clifton people have lost the money they put into the ship. It cannot contradict the statement that she cost five times the price for which she has been sold. It admits that Mr. Hazen increased the subsidy given for the service by the late Government. The one thing that the Times contradicts is the statement that the Premier will act as a tender next year to Mr. Pugsley's dredge, and his contradiction is no good.

Here is danger of another split in the Conservative party. The Ottawa Citizen is delighted with the increase of \$40,000 a year in the federal grant to beautiful Ottawa, and of the new grant of \$15,000 to Ottawa City, and of the understanding that the inside service shall win by income tax. The Citizen says:—"The present Liberal Government has amply supplemented the promise of its distinguished leader to make Ottawa a city beautiful." To Hon. Mr. Pugsley and Mr. McGovern also the Capital owes its sincere thanks. The Minister of Public Works has ever evinced a deep interest in the development of Ottawa—an interest second only to that of our esteemed fellow citizen, Sir Wilfrid Laurier."

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ROMAN INSCRIPTION THAT CANNOT BE READ

Archaeologists Baffled Over Meaning of Inscription Come Upon at Sepulchre

London, Nov. 4.—A sepulchre discovered recently outside the Church of St. Cecilia in Rome was interesting on account of the inscription engraved on it. This inscription is formed of capital letters without any intervals between the words. Prof. Marucchi after some difficulty succeeded in dividing the words and reading the entire inscription, but the last word is still almost a mystery. The inscription runs as follows: "Hic in pace Argentina, qui vixit per fity years in this sepulchre, which was ceded to her by the Abbess Gratiosa, who prepared it for herself while she was alive. I conjure by the Father, the Son and the Holy Ghost and by the terrible day of the Judgment that nobody dare violate this tomb wherein I lie, and if any one dare despite this conjuration may he be cursed like Judas and ——" The word that follows is "Repranamansyriabeat."

Two Readings. Prof. Marucchi proposes two readings of the word. He divides it in the first into "Repranamansyriabeat" and explains its meaning as a threat that the fate of Haman the Syrian should befall the violator of the sepulchre. Haman was hanged on the gallows fifty cubits high, which he had made for Mordecai as related in the Book of Esther. The second reading is as follows: "Repra," a mistake, instead of "lepra," "Naman Syri abeat" and it refers to the leprosy of Namaan, captain of the host of the King of Syria (II Kings). This single inscription, which dates from the sixth century, has important value both topographical and historical, but more than all it is of interest as it shows how careful the early Christians were not to have their tombs violated and how their wishes were respected for fourteen centuries until the advent of modern archaeologists.

INTERNATIONAL RAILWAY READY IN THREE WEEKS

Mr. Thomas Malcolm at Montreal Declares That Road is Nearing Completion—Heavy Lumber Cut Anticipated.

Montreal, Nov. 4.—That the International Railway from Montreal to St. Leonard's, N. B., across the Province to St. Leonard's on the St. John river, will be completed in three weeks' time if the weather holds good, was the statement made last evening by the Windsor by Mr. Thomas Malcolm, the contractor of this undertaking. The distance from the Bale des Chaleurs to the St. John by the new line is 114 miles, and of this distance some eighty miles have been steeled and ballasted, while nearly all the grading has been completed on the amount of supplies this fall for the lumbering in Canada. Parliament, he believed that there were fully three thousand men in the woods this season, consequently the cut would be very heavy. In fact, the people were just beginning to realize that the completion of the railway in question would mean to the northern section of the province of New Brunswick.

The next move to be taken following the completion of the road from Campbellton to St. Leonard's will be the building of the bridge, for which Mr. Malcolm already possesses a charter from the Canadian Parliament. The bridge will connect the International with the road on the other side of the bay, and now being completed down to Gaspe basin. This connection made, a direct outlet for the fresh fish from the Gaspe and Bonaventure shores would be found in the connection made at St. Leonard's with the other Canadian as well as American railway systems.

PROBATE COURT.

Will of Miss Gertrude King. In the Probate court yesterday the will of Miss Gertrude King, formerly of St. John, but lately of Boston, was proved. She had personal property in the city and county of St. John. She gives her jewelry and personal effects to her mother, Mrs. Eleanor L. King, and all the rest of her estate also to her mother to be held in trust to dispose of according to the private instructions given to her mother. Mrs. King was sworn in as executrix. There is no realty; personal estate under \$12,250; Dr. L. A. Curry, K. C., proctor.

Estate of Richard Wallace. John Richard Wallace, a nephew, was sworn in administrator of the estate of Robert Wallace, farmer, of Gardiner's Creek, who died intestate, leaving a sister, Mary W. Bradshaw, two nephews and two nieces. The sister renounced in his favor. One of the nephews is a resident outside of the province. The nieces, both married women, are children of the late William Wallace. Real estate is \$1,500, subject to a mortgage of \$150; personal estate \$310. A. W. Baird, proctor.

Bishop III. Quebec, Nov. 4.—Bishop Blais, of Rimouski, was stricken with partial paralysis on Tuesday and is now at the Hotel Dieu Hospital here. His condition is reported a little better this morning, but he is not yet out of danger.



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STATUE OF NERO THE SOURCE OF ILL FORTUNE

The Calamities That Befel the Sculptor, Purchaser and All Who Had To Do With An Italian Masterpiece.

London, Nov. 4.—The Italian sculptor, Signor Gallori modelled about thirty years ago a colossal plaster statue of Nero which made him famous. An English connoisseur succeeded in dividing the words and reading the entire inscription, but the last word is still almost a mystery. The inscription runs as follows: "Hic in pace Argentina, qui vixit per fity years in this sepulchre, which was ceded to her by the Abbess Gratiosa, who prepared it for herself while she was alive. I conjure by the Father, the Son and the Holy Ghost and by the terrible day of the Judgment that nobody dare violate this tomb wherein I lie, and if any one dare despite this conjuration may he be cursed like Judas and ——" The word that follows is "Repranamansyriabeat."

Signor Gallori then instructed a lawyer to recover the statue if possible and if not to claim damages, but the lawyer, too, died suddenly. Artists are generally superstitious, and Signor Gallori ended by believing in the bad luck of his Nero and gave up all hope of recovering the ill fated statue, which now is still lost. Its disappearance has never been explained, and hardly any one now remembers the colossal statue of Nero except Signor Gallori, who still considers it his masterpiece, but cannot be prevailed upon to attempt its replica.

WEDDINGS.

Jones-Fraser. The wedding of Mrs. Florence A. Fraser to Mr. T. M. Jones of Woodstock took place at four o'clock yesterday afternoon at the residence of the bride's father, Dr. H. G. Yeddy, 143 Union street. The bridegroom is a barrister and is judge of probates for Carleton county. The ceremony was performed in the presence of the immediate relatives and friends by Rev. C. R. Flinders. The bride, who was unattended, wore a travelling costume of amethyst cloth with hat to match. After the ceremony a wedding supper was served and Mr. and Mrs. Jones left on the six o'clock train for an extended wedding trip before returning to Woodstock, where they will reside.

Pierce-King.

A pretty wedding took place yesterday morning in St. Peter's church at 6 o'clock, when Miss Margaret King was united in marriage to Mr. John B. Pierce. The ceremony was performed by Rev. M. Maloney, C. S. R. The bride was becomingly attired in a mauve princess dress with a white satin hat. The bridesmaid, Miss Lena Harrington, wore a dress of navy blue. The groomsmen were Mr. Charles Pierce, brother of the groom, was groomsmen. The groom's present to the bride was a check, to the bridesmaid an amethyst bracelet and to the bridesmaid an amethyst scarf pin. Many beautiful presents were received, particularly noticeable among which was a beautiful piece of silverware presented by the members of No. 5 engine house. Mr. and Mrs. Pierce will reside in North End. Last evening there was a reception at 73 Chapel street, when Mr. and Mrs. Pierce received their friends.

DEATHS.

Mrs. Annie E. Stephenson. Mrs. Annie E. Stephenson, wife of Mr. John H. Stephenson, died suddenly yesterday at her residence, 435 Main street. She had been ill but a short time. She is survived by her husband, her father, Mr. E. H. Eagles, two brothers, Jordan of this city, and William of Winnipeg, and four sisters, Mrs. Frank H. McFarland, of this city, Mrs. Kenneth McKay, York county, and Misses M. and Jenny M. at home. The funeral will be held on Saturday at 2:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Charlotte A. Fairweather. Mrs. Charlotte A. Fairweather, widow of Mr. E. K. Fairweather, was found dead in bed at her home, 22 Charles street, yesterday morning. She had retired as usual but passed away during the night. Death was due to general debility. Mrs. Fairweather was in her 66th year and was very well known. She leaves two sons, Kenneth of this city, and Thomas of Portage La Prairie. The body will be taken to Hampton for interment.

ESTATE NOTICE.

All persons having any claims against the Estate of Annie Elizabeth, late of Woodstock, in the County of St. John, will present the same duly attested to the undersigned solicitor, and all persons indebted to said Estate will make immediate payment to said solicitor. Dated October 27, 1909.
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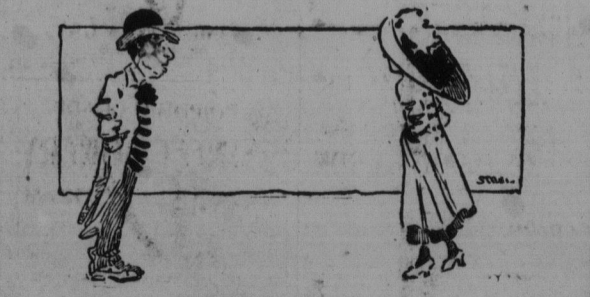
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his long and active life, faithfully sus-
tained the reputation of his forefath-
ers in this respect, in paying tribute
to his memory in the following words:
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"You would not for a moment sug-
gest that Mr. Stead has possessed a
willful or conscious fraud upon the
public in this Gladstone interview."
"For all I know to the contrary, it
may be a genuine spirit communica-
tion. The whole thing is surrounded
with possibilities of deception—wher-
ever ghosts, spirit communication,
clairvoyance or telepathy. Mediums
seem to get in touch with their spirits
and practice palpable frauds in order
to keep up a reputation which has
been established on a genuine basis."
"I believe that such deceptions may
be unconscious, and it may easily be
in the case of Mr. Stead. On the
other hand, when the notorious med-
ium Home was kicked out of the
Browning residence, he must have
been conscious of what he was trying
to commit, and so it must have been
in the later seances given by Florence
Cook, the medium of Sir William
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ses have never been challenged, and
they were more remarkable than any
that have been recorded."
"Now I would like to see the full record
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Henry James, the famous American
novelist. He is on his way to Chicago
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to keep up a reputation which has
been established on a genuine basis."
"I believe that such deceptions may
be unconscious, and it may easily be
in the case of Mr. Stead. On the
other hand, when the notorious med-
ium Home was kicked out of the
Browning residence, he must have
been conscious of what he was trying
to commit, and so it must have been
in the later seances given by Florence
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Crookes. Now the extraordinary mani-
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The council is taking action upon the report of George Nelson, the medical officer of the borough, who states in his report: "Vice, crime and immorality abound in much of this area. The scum of South London takes up its abode here generally for short periods. The death rate in this neighborhood, especially in the case of phthisis, is very high. The regular inhabitants are abjectly poor and miserable."
Mr. Nelson said to an interviewer: "There is really only one remedy, and that is the clearance of the whole district. The same measures have been found efficacious in Seven Dials, Clare Market, and "Little Dorrit's Playground." But the cost of it should be a metropolitan and not a local matter. The state of the district is really not the fault of the ground landlords. The thing has been going on for years and years."
"The name of the street has been and street. Successive generations have in many cases occupied the houses. The properties are old. The sanitation is bad. We all like a whiff of the Middle Ages, but we don't like its sanitation; and bad sanitation leads to bad morals."

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MONTREAL STOCK MARKET

Table of stock prices for Montreal. Columns include Stock Name, Shares, Price, and Change. Includes items like Canadian Pacific Railway, Dominion Iron and Steel, and various bonds.

MONTREAL MARKET NOTES

By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co. Montreal, Nov. 4.—Rhodes Curry Company shares advanced today, selling up to 53.

Quebec, Nov. 4.—Mr. C. E. A. Carr, manager of the Quebec Gas Co., has been appointed assistant manager of the Quebec Railway Light & Power Co.

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NEW YORK STOCK MARKET, YESTERDAY'S TRADING ON WALL ST.

(Quotations Furnished by Private Wires of J. C. Mackintosh and Co. Members of Montreal Stock Exchange, 111 Prince Wm. Street, St. John, N. B., Chubb's Corner.)

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AMERICAN PRODUCE MARKET

New York, Nov. 4.—Flour, Receipts, 5,414; exports, 17,283. Dull and nominally lower.

Wheat—Receipts, 200,100; exports, 15,005. Spot, irregular. No. 2 red 1 1/2c, asked, domestic, elevator; No. 2 red, quiet, job; No. 1 Northern Duro, 1 1/2c, nominal; job, 1 1/2c.

Corn—Receipts, 64,650. Spot, quiet. Mixed, 26 1/2c, nominal; natural white, 26 1/2c, 44 1/2c; clipped white, 34 1/2c, 46 1/2c.

Beef—Steady. Lard—Firm; middle west, 12.80 a 12.90. Pork—Firm; short clear, 24.50 a 26.50; mess, 25.75 a 26.00.

Sugar—Raw, steady, fair refining; 3.80; centrifugal, 96 test, 4.30; molasses sugar, 3.55.

Butter—Unsettled, unchanged; receipts, 10,775. Eggs—Firm; receipts, 11,000; brown, Pennsylvania and nearby hennery, state gathered, 28 1/2c.

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Toronto, Nov. 4.—In spite of the weakness of outside markets, the Ontario grain situation is as stationary as ever. Grains of all kinds, still appear to be scarce and the tendency is for an advance in prices instead of a decline.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 mixed, winter wheat \$1.02 to \$1.04 outside; No. 4 white, \$1.03 to \$1.04 outside.

Manitoba wheat—Spot No. 1 Northern \$1.03 1/2; No. 2 Northern \$1.01 3/4 on track for November delivery; No. 1 Northern, \$1.03; No. 2 Northern \$1.01 1/4 on track at Lake ports.

Oats—Canadian Western, No. 1, 39 1/2 cents; No. 2, 39 cents; No. 3, 38 cents on track at Lake ports; No. 2 white, 37 to 38 cents outside; 39 cents to 40 cents on track at Toronto.

Manitoba Spring wheat patents, 1st, \$5.70; Manitoba spring wheat patents 2nd, \$5.20; winter wheat patents \$5.50 to \$5.60; Manitoba spring bakers \$5.50. Straight rollers \$5.10 to \$5.25; straight rollers in bags \$2.40 to \$2.50.

A fair demand prevails for baled hay and prices are unchanged; No. 1 hay \$12.00 to \$13. Extra No. 2 hay \$11.50 to \$12. No. 3 hay \$10.50 to \$11. Clover, mixed, \$9.50 to \$10; Clover, \$9 to \$9.50.

Yesterday's local egg receipts were 162 cases as compared with 570 on the same date last year. A fair demand prevails and prices are firm. Sales of selected stock were made at 27 cents to 28 cents and No. 1 candled at 25 cents to 28 cents per dozen.

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Table of Chicago Grain and Produce Markets. Columns include Commodity, High, Low, and Close. Includes Wheat, Corn, Oats, and Pork.

THE COTTON MARKET

New York, Nov. 4.—Cotton market. Galveston—Easy, 14 1/2. New Orleans—Easy, 14 1/2. Savannah—Easy, 14 5/8.

COTTON RANGE

Table of Cotton Range. Columns include Commodity, High, Low, Bid, and Ask. Includes Jan, May, July, Aug, Oct, Dec.

THE WHEAT MARKET

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 4.—Wheat prices on the Board of Trade dropped to new low levels today on renewed liquidation in the December delivery, but made a complete recovery and closed 1-4 lower to 1-4 higher compared with the final figures of the previous session.

BANK CLEARINGS

Clearings for week ending Thursday, Nov. 4, 1930, \$1,666,760. Corresponding week last year, \$1,493,294.

DEMERA ELECTRIC COMPANY'S EARNINGS

The following are the gross and net earnings of the Demerara Electric Company for the nine months ending September 30th, compared with the same period last year, showing an increase of \$6,750.95 in the gross and \$5,157.66 in the net, viz:—

EVILS OF CIGARETTE SMOKING REVIEWED

Professor Jenks the Eminent Sociologist Says It Leads To Other Excesses Even More Deleterious.

Ithaca, Nov. 4.—In a lecture to Cornell students today, Prof. Jenks, the sociologist said: "The evils of cigarette smoking from the physical side as illustrated by careful medical investigations in a large Eastern university during a period of nine years were made clear. It was shown that non-users of cigarettes gained physically about 25 per cent more than cigarette smokers."

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INTEREST

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Special to The Standard Sackville, Nov. 4.—The football team of Joseph 15 on the former afternoon by the score of 10-0. Three touchdowns were first half by Fraser of two and in the other half by Fraser and McLeod.

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INTERESTING BOWLING NEWS

Mount Allison Wins Out Over St. Josephs

Sackville Aggregation Troupe College Fifteen To the Tune of 9-0--Game Ouly Fast In Spots, the Wet Ground Interfering Considerably With the Play.

Special to The Standard. Sackville, Nov. 4.—The Mount Allison football team defeated the St. Joseph 15 on the former's grounds this afternoon by the score of 9 to 0. Three touchdowns were made in the first half by Fraser of the half line and two in the other half by McKean, quarterback and McDougall, halfback. Mr. J. D. McBeath of Moncton acted as referee.

The First Half.

During the first half the ball hardly passed Mt. Allison's half line. Within 10 minutes of the start the home team dribbled the ball past their opponent's 25 and 15 yard lines and Fraser picked it up and carried it over the line. Trappell, Mount Allison's fullback failed to convert. Three safety touches were made during the first half and another touchdown would have been made had not Leblanc, St. Joseph's fullback come to the rescue of his team with hard and swift kicking.

At the first of the second half the

ball was kicked past St. Joseph's 25 yard line and was at once taken past the 20 and 15 yard line, when McKean connected and made a touchdown. Trappell again failed to convert. For some time the ball was kept about the half line but was taken far into St. Joseph's territory by Cochrane, one of Mt. Allison's forwards. Fraser who had done fine work in the first half got kicked in the shoulder and had to leave the field being replaced by Hartley. McKean got the ball over the touch lines again but as he had held before he reached it, it was not counted. Soon after McDougall scored a touchdown, but failed to convert. When the ball was on St. Joseph's 5 yard line, Nugent, St. Joseph's halfback, connected and dodging the opposing forwards and quarters was only stopped at the half line by McDougall. The pigskin was kept at the half line till the whistle blow. Owing perhaps to the ground being rather soggy the playing all through was not up to the standard.

MAPLES TAKE MEASURE OF THE ROSES

An exciting game was rolled on St. Peter's alleys last evening between the Maples and Roses, the former winning by three points to one. The first string was very exciting and went to the Roses by the narrow margin of three pins, but in the next two strings they were badly trimmed and also in the total pinfall, giving the Maples three points. Jas. McIntyre, of the Maples, had the highest individual score, he rolling up 261 or an average of 87. The score follows:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. Includes McIntyre (261), Morris (181), Howard (74), P. McGowan (73), M. Delaney (53).

Held First Tournament.

The St. John Bowling Club held the first of a series of tournaments on Black's Alleys last evening. Fourteen teams took part in the tournament, there being two men in a team, each man rolling three strings. Mr. F. R. Moore and E. Smith pulled out victorious with the substantial score of 705. The Bowling Club will have the use of the alleys the first Thursday of every month. Following is a tabulated score of the different teams:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Total Score. Includes F. R. Moore (393), T. Jordan (312), F. L. Wilson (354), E. Smith (331), J. Hurley (357), G. Smith (327), A. Wilson (378), D. McEellan (305), H. C. Olive (374), J. Thornton (286), W. Phinney (341), J. Cronin (319), S. Griffiths (330), S. McKell (327).

FAST GAME PROMISED FOR TOMORROW

There will be some good football on the E. D. C. grounds when the Algonquins will play either the All-St. John seniors or a picked team from the intermediate teams of the city. This year a number of old senior players have been turning out with the Carleton, Curries and McEwan, and also drawing from Rothesay, M. C. A. and High School, a team could be picked which would make the Indians hustle. A line-up has not yet been agreed upon, but there are any number of good men out of the half dozen teams who are fit for senior company and it will be an easy matter to pick a strong aggregation.

FREDERICTON HAS CHOSEN ITS BOWLERS

Fredericton, Nov. 4.—The Fredericton bowling team to take part in the tournament at Black's alleys, St. John, this month has been selected. The tournament was to have taken place this month, but the dates were recently changed and play will commence on the 17th of November and continue on the following day. Manager Jack Sullivan of the Queen Hotel alleys is in charge of organizing the team and will act as captain. The other four members of the team are Bill Foster, who has been taking about all the prizes on the local alleys this fall; Sandy Staples, who for years has been one of the best bowlers in the city. Don Winslow, who has had a place on teams representing the city in former tournaments, and Deacon Dougherty, who has become one of the most consistent rollers on the local alleys.

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INTERESTING NEWS OF THE RING

PROFESSIONAL ELEMENT IN N. S. HOCKEY

Prospects Are Bright in Sister Province For a Successful Season--The Outlook From the Several Camps.

The semi-professional element will be strongly evident in the Nova Scotia Hockey League this winter. As a result much interest is being aroused and a successful season is looked for. The Halifax Herald has some comment on the various teams and notes that the Crescents have all of their old men on hand, with the exception of Ves Laing, their star point. Laing had some difficulty with the club and they were at loggerheads with the result that Laing will likely be in line to battle against his former teammates this coming winter, and at present the Amherst Ramblers seem to be the lucky ones. Ves has been in the manufacturing town for some time now, and it is expected will remain there for the winter, although there was a rumor about that he might be seen with the New Glasgow uniform on, but not likely.

Ramblers Strong.

In addition to Laing, Frank Hughes, the former Fredericton man, is located in the Ramblers town, and as he is one of the best in the business he will greatly strengthen the purple and white. Then the old guard, headed by the veterans, Twaddle and Murray, two players that sit among the best in maritime circuits, and the Carries, McLean, Chisholm, Black, Christie, the Carrans, "Hoot" and Ed. will as usual, be there, and their star goal, "Mike" Morrison, the ex-Sydney, ex-New Glasgow and ex-Fredericton goal tender, is also in Truro.

In the camp of the New Glasgow Colts, Jimmy and Mike Murphy, and Jimmy Williams will likely form the main vertebrae of a team that is going to make another strong bid for championship honors. McLean, Fraser, Chisholm and others will greatly strengthen a strong team.

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Yale Looks To Kickers For Gridiron Victories



WALTER JOHNSON. That Yale will depend much upon her kickers in the gridiron struggle this fall is apparent from the games already played. In almost every contest the blue has booted the ball whenever possible. In the West Point contest Johnson was kept busy punting. He is the best kicker in the big squad, and his educated toe will be depended upon in time of danger by the New Haven men.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL IN UNITED STATES

New York, Nov. 4.—In preparation for the return of the Pilgrims of England, who will play two games in Brooklyn to wind up their tour on November 14 and 16, the Amateur Association Football League arranged for a trial match between picked elevens at Meyerrose Park yesterday which resulted in a tie between the Manhattan and Brooklyn teams, each side tallying twice. The Brooklyn monopoly in the scoring in the first half. J. Tait of the Caledonians, an outside right shot the first goal after thirty minutes of play, and D. Leggett increased the lead of the Brooklyns before half time, making the net from a mixup. The tables were turned in the second half, when Black of Bronx United found the net with a fine shot from thirty yards out. B. MacCallloch of the Clan MacDonnalds equalized from a pass by Maskell. Another test match will be played next Saturday.

LANGFORD AND JOHNSON MAY GET TOGETHER

Boston, Nov. 4.—There is a chance that Sam Langford and Jack Johnson may meet in the ring before Johnson meets Jeffries. Langford's challenge to Johnson was met with a demand that Langford post an appearance forfeit of \$10,000. This amount Joe Woodman, Langford's manager, professes to be able to post at once. Langford demands that the fight take place at the National Sporting Club in London, conditional upon Johnson's agreement to the N. S. C. for his failure to keep his contract with them last spring. Johnson positively refuses that condition, so that if the match comes off at all, it will be in this country. On the whole the possibility is very remote.

JEFFRIES TO TRAIN WITH FRANK GOTCH

Chicago, Nov. 4.—The Inter-Ocean this morning says: "With the hope of being good and strong when he meets Jack Johnson in their battle for the heavyweight championship of the world, Jeffries has decided to smugge Frank Gotch, the champion wrestler of the world, to work with him for a few months when he begins to train for the fight. Jeffries intends to work twice a day with Gotch so as to be in fine condition when the bell clangs. Gotch will probably accept Jeffries' offer to assist him in his training."

O'TOOLE AND WALSH TO MIX IN BOSTON

Boston, Nov. 4.—One of the classic matches decided in Boston in a long time will be contested at the Army next Tuesday night, when Tommy O'Toole, of Philadelphia, meets the local favorite, Jimmy Walsh, in a 12-round bout. Walsh has always been very popular among the local following of the boxing game, ever since his first amateur appearance at the B. A. A. In O'Toole he will meet one of the very best boxers of his weight in the country. In the preliminaries, eight rounds each, Max Moker meets George Alger, and Eddie Shevlin meets Mike Cunningham of Lewiston, Me.

Company Wins. Welland, Ont., Nov. 4.—In the high court yesterday afternoon the suit of the town of Welland against the Mutual Natural Gas Company to recover \$15,000, in which the town had to pay as the result of the burning of a Methodist church through the steam roller puncturing the gas main and setting the gas on fire, was decided in favor of the defendant company.

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The Mercantile Marine

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Port of St. John. Arrived Yesterday. Str Governor Cobb, 1556. Allan, from Boston via Maine ports; W. G. Lee, pass and mds. Vessels Bound to St. John. Steamers. Sobo, Bermuda, sld Nov. 3. Shenadoah, London, sld Oct. 26. Schooners. Abbie C Stubbs, Salem, sailed Oct 13. Caroline Gray, Sparrows Point, sld Oct 19th. Lotus, Bridgeport, sld Oct 20. Margaret May, Riley, City Island, sld Nov. 3. Walter Miller, Salem, sld Oct 20. Reva, Boothby Harbor, sld Oct 23. R. Carson, New London, sld Oct 26. Lady of Avon, Philadelphia, sld Oct 26. T. W. Cooper, Boston, sld Oct 31. George Pearl, Fall River, sld Nov 1st.

Vessels In Port. Steamers. Nyassa, 1786, F. C. Beatty. Urania (Nor), 1579, Wm. Thomson & Co. Kanawha, 2488, Wm Thomson and Co. Schooners. Adillar, 99, master. Abbie and Eva Hooper (Am) 276, R. C. Elkin. Ann J. Trainor (Am) master. C J Colwell, C M Kerrison. Parry, 91, A W Adams. G. H. Perry, 99, C M Kerrison. Hunter 187, D J Purdy. J. Arthur Lord (Am), A. W. Adams. Nettie Shipman (Am), 228, A. W. Adams. Sallie E. Ludlam, 199, D. J. Purdy. Vere B. Roberts, 124, P. Chemical Fueler Co. Virginian, 99, master. Canadian Ports. Quebec, Nov. 4.—Arrd: Str Mount Temple, from Liverpool.

British Ports. Manchester, Nov. 3.—Arrd: Str Bosc from Boston. Nov. 4.—Str Manchester Trader from Montreal and Quebec. Queenstown, Nov. 4.—Sld: Str Cymre for Boston; Str Majestic for New York. Manchester, Nov. 3.—Sld: Str Manchester Port for Montreal. Foreign Ports. City Island, N. Y., Nov. 4.—Bound South: Selis Earl Grey for Advocate, N. S.; Goldie Bell for Mahone Bay, Me., pass and mds. Boston, Mass., Nov. 4.—Arrd: Strs Norombega from St. John, N. B.; for New York (latter anchored in roads. Vineyard Haven, Mass., Nov. 4.—Arrd: Strs Mayflower, N. S.; Lady of Avon (Br), from Philadelphia for St. John, N. B.; Ronald (Br), from St. John, N. B. for New York; R. Bowers from do; do; Archie Crowell (Br), from Halifax for do. Marine Notes. West India steamship Sobo sailed for St. John from Bermuda Wednesday. She is due here Saturday. Norwegian steamship Ragnarik, which brought a cargo of rails here for the Canadian Pacific Railway, arrived at Baltimore yesterday with a cargo of lumber from Cheverie, N. S. Str. Theresa Wolfe was hailed further up on the beach at South Portland last Tuesday and was partially pumped out. The White Star liner Arabic is to make a cruise from New York to the Mediterranean and the Orient, leaving New York with party in Jan. 20 next. The cruise gives seventy-three days of travel, with all arrangements made, shore excursions, drives, hotels, etc., visits to Madeira, Cadiz, Seville, Gibraltar, Algiers, Malta, Constantinople, twenty days in the Holy Land and Egypt, and five days in Italy. A very fine map of the cruise has been issued and this and other literature can be had at the office of J. H. Scammell & Co., St. John.

Notice to Mariners. Notice is given by the lighthouse board that Governors Island Point buoy 12, a spar, Boston harbor, has been moved to a point about 200 feet northwesterly of its station, temporarily to facilitate dredging operations, and will be replaced as soon as practicable. A Rich Find. Montreal, Nov. 4.—From a homeless pauper to a wealthy capitalist in less than a year, is the record of Peter Ciosowski, a Galician, who came here last fall and settled in Fairbanks, Alaska. He struck gold and mined twenty thousand dollars in the winter, and there is estimated to be two millions in sight. He is on his way home to holiday.

JEFFRIES HAS VIEWS AS TO A DECISION

In an interview given while he was in England and just published by "Census," the greatest of the English boxing authorities, Jim Jeffries gives his views on how a decision should be awarded in a boxing match. Jeff is no believer in "hair line decisions." According to his way of thinking, a boxer should show clear superiority over his opponent to gain a decision without a knock-out intervening. There's a great deal to be said in favor of Jeff's idea. It is certainly too bad to punish a boxer who has had only a shade the worse of it by causing him to be posted on the records as a loser. In reading fight records the sporting public never goes into the details of a decision. The crowd may demand hair line decisions, but the boxer who gets the worst of a close award is the chief sufferer. Reminds me of a favorite argument by Jack Sheehan—"Whenever you see two boxers go the limit, whether it is 10, 12 or 15 rounds, make up your mind that one man or both has been stalling. When two men settle an argument on the street the fight doesn't last 30 seconds."

TO OUR ADVERTISERS!

For the convenience of our Advertisers the business office is kept open until 8 o'clock p. m. To insure prompt changes copy must be in before that hour. THE STANDARD, Ltd. Admiralty Sale There will be sold at Public Auction at Chubb's Corner (see call). The City of St. John, on Saturday, the 5th day of November, 1909, at 10 o'clock noon, under a decree of the Exchequer of Canada, the New Brunswick STEAMSHIP "FOR SALE" "SAL SLICK" her tonnage 1000 tons, as she now lies in company's Pond at the foot of Portland street in the Harbor of the City of St. John, N. B. Bachelors' Auction Day of October, 1899. Terms Cash. ROBERT R. FITCHIE, Sheriff of the City and County of St. John, N. B. T. L. COUGHLAN, Auctioneer.

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THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Fresh westerly and northwesterly winds mostly fair but a few local showers, stationary or a little lower temperature. Toronto, Ont., Nov. 4.—Light local showers occurred only today in Ontario and in Quebec, but the weather has been for the most part fine and mild throughout Canada.

Minimum and Maximum temperature: Winnipeg 26 54 Port Arthur 40 48 Parry Sound 44 40 London 47 47 Toronto 45 48 Ottawa 46 42 Montreal 40 44 Quebec 34 44 St. John 46 52 Halifax 50 58

AROUND THE CITY

Dr. Jan. Christie Vice-President. Dr. James Christie has been elected vice-president of the commissioners of the General Public Hospital in place of Mr. W. C. R. Allan, resigned.

Dr. McTigue to Address Meeting Here. At a meeting of the Campaign Committee of the Evangelical Alliance held yesterday afternoon it was decided to invite Dr. McTigue, secretary of the Evangelical Alliance of Boston, to address the local body on Tuesday next in St. Andrew's church.

Lost Tip of His First Finger. While engaged in cutting bread in his father's restaurant yesterday afternoon, Leon Henderson of Main street had the first finger of his right hand severed at the first joint. Mr. Henderson was cutting very fast and had his hand resting on the loaf when the knife descended with painful results. He was taken into Durick's Drug Store, where the flow of blood was stopped. The wound was dressed by Dr. C. M. Pratt.

High School Alumnae Meet. The first of a series of meetings to be held by the St. John High School Alumnae took place last evening at the residence of Mrs. R. Chipman Skinner, 223 King street east, and was largely attended. The subject of the evening was "Eugene Field and His Writings." Miss Louise Bent gave an interesting synopsis of his life and writings and Miss M. Hatheway gave readings from his works. Solos were given by Miss Hatheway and Miss Ethel Creighton, and refreshments were served during the evening by the young ladies of the alumnae.

King's Daughters' Sale and Tea. Arrangements for the King's Daughters' sale and tea in Kestler's Assembly rooms on November 11 and 12 are now well advanced and final preparations will be made at the monthly meeting of the guild this afternoon. Pretty designs are being planned for the booths where fancy work, candy and other tempting wares will be on sale and a musical programme in which several well known entertainers will take part is also being arranged for. It is expected that the mayor will attend to perform the opening ceremony. The committee in charge will be glad to receive as soon as possible all donations promised by friends of the guild.

Salvation Army Meetings. Commissioner and Mrs. Coombs, Lieut. Col. Pugmire and Major Finley, of the Salvation Army, who will take part in the convention which will open in St. John tomorrow, will address meetings at Woodstock today. The commissioner will speak in the Baptist church there in the afternoon and give a lecture in the Opera House in the evening. Col. Turner will leave for Fredericton today to meet Col. Mapp, chief secretary of the Army in Canada, who will speak at a meeting in the Citadel this evening at which Mayor Chestnut will preside. The Army leaders who are visiting the province will arrive here on Saturday morning.

Marble Cove No Place For Yachts. Speaking of the proposed movement to establish a yacht club with headquarters at Marble Cove, a prominent yachtsman of North End, expressed the opinion that while the idea was a good one, it was hardly practicable under the present conditions. Marble Cove, he said, would make a first rate harbor for yachts, but owing to the many sewers which emptied into it, sediment is continually being formed and there is not enough water to accommodate yachts except during the freshest season. If the cove were dredged out, he added, it would be an ideal spot.

Carleton Methodist Social. The Carleton Methodist church congregation held an enjoyable social last evening in connection with the 68th anniversary. During the evening Miss Malda Baskin entertained the congregation with two solos. There was also an address by Rev. C. W. Squires, of Carmarthen street church, who took for his subject "Potentialities and Actualities." Rev. J. Heaney, the pastor, also spoke briefly. After the programme had been carried out a social half hour was spent and refreshments were served.

"Around the World" Fair. The attendance at the City Cornet Band fair was larger last evening than on any preceding night. The band was present during the evening and rendered some pleasing selections and in addition a musical programme was carried out. Arthur Furlong made a decided hit in his rendering of Harry Lauder's Scotch songs. There were solos by Miss G. McNeil, Miss B. Callaghan and Mr. Harry McQuade and a piano duet by Miss Annie McMahon and Miss Annie Galbraith. The prize winners were: Lucky door ticket, Nos. 670 and 456; Ladies' bean board, Mrs. E. Gallivan, 1st, 240, silk umbrella; Gentlemen's bean board, Mr. Dan Connolly, 1st, door ticket; Ladies', Lottery prize, Patrick Higgins, a tea kettle.

Mrs. J. B. McLeod's first lesson on household economics will be given at Oddfellows' hall, at 3 p. m. Rev. A. Aldous, of Fredericton, grand champion of the Orange order in New Brunswick, Mr. N. J. Smith, acting grand master, and Hon. H. F. McLeod, were in the city yesterday to attend the funeral of Dr. A. W. MacRae.

HESTIA'S SURVIVORS CONFIRM STEWART'S STORY OF WRECK

Arrived in the City Last Evening—No Whistle at Light On Old Proprietor Buoy And No Sign of Life From Gannet Rock On Night of Disaster—Village Barber Sometimes Left in Charge of Lighthouse.

Showing little signs of their harrowing experience during the hours which elapsed between the wreck of the Hestia and their being taken off by the Grand Manan fishermen, the survivors of the crew of the steamer arrived in the city yesterday afternoon and today will attend a preliminary private inquiry into the cause of the wreck, to be conducted by Capt. W. R. Lugar of Halifax.

The views of the survivors have been fairly expressed in a letter from Mr. S. G. Stewart, the third officer, already published. An interview with Mr. Stewart was obtained by a Standard reporter last evening, and he stated that he had nothing to add to the charges contained in the letter, but that he was prepared to stand by them. He had anticipated being questioned and had drawn up the letter after careful deliberation to ensure not being misquoted.

Statements Corroborated. Mr. Andrew Morgan, second engineer, who had been in Yarmouth identifying the bodies washed ashore also corroborated the statement of the third officer that the light and whistle on the Old Proprietor buoy were not working.

"Why," said Mr. Morgan, "one of the Marine Department officials said himself that the buoy had not been working, but there have been so many stories published about us that it seems almost unwise to say anything. From my experience at sea, I would say that it was the duty of the lighthouse keeper at Gannet Rock to have given us the alarm by sending off explosives. The keeper says himself that he saw the steamer heading for the rocks and did not give the alarm for fear of calling the doctor for the mainland. That is just what was needed at that time, so that the people on shore might awake to the fact that a steamer was rushing to her destruction."

Was Practically Worthless. Mr. George Dunlavey, wharf superintendent for the Donaldson Line, who has been at the scene of the wreck from the first and who returned yesterday in charge of the men, also spoke strongly on the conditions of the Grand Manan life-saving service. "Anyone who had been out on the

Lord Kitchener," he said, "on her trips to the wreck would never say the Old Proprietor light and buoy were in working condition. We stood right by the buoy, and it is practically worthless. I can take my oath on that. I was also on Gannet Rock and heard the bodies being displayed, although the keeper could see six men clinging for their lives to the half-submerged rigging."

Free and Easy Methods. Mr. Dunlavey added that before leaving Seal Cove, he discovered that the keeper had a free and easy way of leaving Gannet Rock light to substitute. The day he left Seal Cove, the village barber had deserted the strop and razor and had gone to relieve the keeper, while the latter was visiting his mother. The villagers did not see anything out of the way in the sudden transposition of the barber from the sign of the striped pole to the trimming of lamps, accustomed as they are to the peculiar methods which seem to prevail at this lighthouse.

Mr. Dunlavey brought word that everything floatable has drifted out of the ship and that the salvage operation is now confined to saving the coal and the heavy machinery.

The wrecking steamer Coastguard from Briar Island was expected at Seal Cove yesterday to assist the Bridgewater in the salvaging.

Mr. Galloway's Sad Errand. An elder brother of the Galloway boys who were drowned on the steamer was in Grand Manan yesterday on the sad errand of burying the bodies, only to find that the other boy has not yet been sighted.

Word was received from Yarmouth that a fisherman had sighted the body of one of the lads and tried to catch it with a boathook. The hook caught in the life-belt which parted and the body sank at once and was not recovered. The body of the other boy has not yet been sighted.

Good results in the way of development of business at this port by the Elder-Dempster line are expected to follow the visit here of Mr. D. W. Campbell, a prominent official of this company who was in the city yesterday.

Mr. Campbell's visit is understood to have been more particularly in the interests of the West India trade and he expressed himself as confident that his company would establish a service which would prove eminently satisfactory to the shippers interested. There was a matter now in abeyance, he said, between the Federal Government and the company, and when this was settled prompt action in providing a service was to be expected.

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