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BECKER MAY CONFESS ALL

Is on The Point of Breaking Down

Ex-Chief Devery Says "Boys Are Not To Blame"—Lack of Discipline is the Trouble

(Canadian Press) New York, Aug. 9.—The Tomba prison keepers seemed to think today that Police Lieut. Becker was on the point of breaking down and there were reports at the public prosecutor's office that the police officer under indictment for the murder of the gambler Herman Koestach, might turn state's evidence.

District Attorney Whitman conferred with John F. McElroy, counsel for the accused lieutenant but the state attorney said that no terms for a confession were discussed. Mr. Whitman said: "I have hopes that Becker, who is a shrewd man, may decide that the best interests will require him to tell the whole truth. If he should do that, I would have to think over pretty carefully, what my attitude should be, while under a grave crime than blackmail, it might be that I would decide in the event of a confession, to ask some clemency for Becker. One of the greatest accomplishments for the good of the community would be to find out who are the big blackmailers in the police department and to abolish forever that treacherous and wicked system."

Mr. McElroy expects to be out of town until Wednesday, when he said he would return and talk over matters with his client. The grand jury is said to have learned many things about Becker. Becker has made money very rapidly during the last months. In one evening bank Becker was found to have \$3,000 on his person, while the prosecutor has been told of other savings bank accounts which will be investigated. "Red Jack" Rose in his confession, says that Becker told him that he cleaned up \$80,000 in four months. Within a few days the grand jury will have down about six additional indictments. The indictments will be drawn against Louis Rosenbergs, "Whiskey" Lewis, Harry Horowitz, Frank Crofco and probably Jack Sullivan and Sam Scheep. Indictments against certain police officers for trafficking, will be drawn later.

Verger Talks of Confession in his superior and absence of discipline are now reasons for the denunciation of the New York police department according to Wm. S. Devery, who was called by Mayor Van Dyke the "best chief of police New York ever had."

"You can't blame the boys much," says the former chief in an interview published here today. "They don't know where they are at. Some are pulling them one way and someone else is hauling them in the opposite way if they make a move. If they go out and see them as they are, they get the worst of it down town. These men are only a development of the old rackets. The great increase in population adding to them in all parts of the city. The first thing to be done is to restore confidence. Once that is done, the policemen will go ahead and do business the way they ought to."

From Natural Causes Sandwich, Oct., Aug. 9.—Death from natural causes was the verdict of the coroner's inquest last night into the death of Mrs. Margaret Denis, who was found dead at the home of Frederick Jamieson, here at week. The woman died of pneumonia.

Maritime Conference Washington, Aug. 9.—Representative Lavery of New York presented a resolution to the house today providing for an international maritime conference in Washington on April 15, 1913. This will be almost one year after the sinking of the Titanic, which occurred on April 15, 1912.

THE WEATHER

Maritime—Light to moderate winds, fair today, except showers near Bay of Fundy. Saturday, southeast winds, showery.

FIREMEN MADE MERRY A contingent of firemen from Halifax passing through the city at noon today from Fredericton made things merry during the short time they had between trains about forty minutes. They were out for a good time—that was quite apparent, gathered about the outside of the depot on Mill street dressed in grotesque and burlesque fashion, with Japanese lanterns, umbrellas, and flags either being worn or carried in their hands, they performed some interesting manoeuvres, and some of whom entertained the passer-by to an impromptu concert, the chief instrument of torment being an amateur cornet, child's size.

STREET CAR SERVICE RESUMED Street car travel was improved somewhat today when King street was thrown open to the company and the cars were once again on the rails going up and down that important avenue of traffic. The service was not through today, however, as owing to the work being done in Charlotte street only one set of rails is in use which prevents the Haymarket cars from running both ways so that the course on the "white line" is not double, but all one way, that is down King street. It will probably be five or six days at the least before the route is again complete after the work in Charlotte street has been finished.

GAME POSTPONED The Marathons and Fredericton were to have played a game here this afternoon at 4 o'clock on account of the inclement weather. The game was postponed. The two teams will play a game on the North End grounds tomorrow afternoon, weather permitting.

FURTHER CONCESSIONS TO AMERICAN SHIPPING

REPUBLICAN ACTIVITIES IN SPAIN

British Ships Officials Threaten to Tie Up Port of London

Widespread Resumption of Opium Traffic—To Investigate Canada's Industrial Legislation

UNIONIST TRIUMPH

Madrid, Aug. 9.—The government is much perturbed over republican activities in Barcelona and Valencia, where there are indications of a revolutionary plot, the signal for which is to be the declaration of a general strike.

The republicans in Argentina are said to have recruited Jewish funds to Spain for the furtherance of the conspiracy. Additional troops have been concentrated in the affected centres and regiments whose officers are known to be particularly attached to the monarchy, have been brought into Madrid. The war minister, General De Luque, is remaining in the capital to deal with eventualities.

New York, Aug. 9.—A London cable says—Ships officers belonging to the national union of masters and mates threaten a strike which, if put into effect, will tie up the port of London.

A cable to the Tritonia from London says—The unionist party has won its greatest victory since the general election of 1906, by capturing Northwest Manchester. So many historic contests have been fought on the free trade question in this division that it has come to be regarded as a pivot point in the industrial revolution.

London, Aug. 9.—There has been a widespread resumption of opium traffic, involving and smuggling in the province of the Nan, according to a Times' despatch from Peking, which also reports a general reopening of the divans at Chang Cha.

Sir George Asquith, chairman of the industrial commission of the board of trade, and famous as a "strike breaker" and "industrial mediator" in industrial disputes shortly by the British government to Canada to investigate the causes of the industrial disputes investigation act in the dominion.

EVEN SPAIN JOINS NATIONS IN RACE FOR BIGGER NAVIES

Committed to Comprehensive Naval Programme—First Spanish Dreadnought Ready in November

Madrid, Aug. 9.—Spain is committed to a comprehensive naval programme; a serious effort is being made to replace the vessels lost at Santiago de Cuba and Cavite. The first Spanish Dreadnought, the Espana, will be commissioned in November. The programme includes the construction of three more Dreadnoughts of 20,000 tons, against the 15,000 tons of the Espana and her sisters.

Meanwhile, no provision has been made for the manning of the ships of the 1910 programme; much less has provision been taken for the three bigger ships to be shortly laid down.

CHINESE REPUBLIC ANOTHER AMERICA, SAYS DR. ELLIOT

San Francisco, Aug. 9.—Conditions in China are hopeful for successful establishment of the Chinese republic on stable grounds, said Dr. Elliot, president emeritus of Harvard University, who reached San Francisco Monday, returning from a tour of the world in the interest of universal peace. He said America should be the first to recognize the youngest republic and he explained historical analogies between the two countries.

"Conditions in China are astonishingly like those in the colonies," he said. "We have the advantage that our people were for the most part trained in local government."

"The Manchurian empire is left nothing but a police, no roads, no uniform system of taxation, no sure revenue and what railroads there are are of different gauges. Everything that we understand by the name of government must be organized."

"The western powers must be patient, but they should be helpful."

POTATOES SCARCE The fact that many of the farmers through the province are engaged in hay-making, wherever a favorable opportunity is presented, which has thus far been seldom, has had the effect of making potatoes scarce on the local market. There has been a consequent advance in price of the new stock, which are decidedly high for this time of year.

On trial for saving the life of a would-be suicide Vienna, Aug. 10.—Franz Koestach, a laborer, was put on his trial at Graz for his part in saving the life of a would-be suicide. He had found a man dangling from a tree and had promptly cut him down and taken him to a hospital. The latter recovered from the effects of the hanging, but complained of a scalp wound he had received when falling to the ground, and he brought a charge of personal injury by assault against the man who had saved his life. Koestach was acquitted, but declared he would take care never to act the good Samaritan again.

FEARS OUTBREAK OF BALKAN WAR

Statement of Montenegrin Minister—Serious Fighting Has Occurred—Turkey Seeks Peace With Italy

(Canadian Press) London, Aug. 9.—The Belgrade correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says that events on the Turco-Montenegrin frontier are creating increased excitement. The latest Turkish news says that serious fighting is going on and that the Montenegrins are using artillery.

London, Aug. 9.—The Chronicle's Constantinople correspondent says that a special commission had been appointed under Kamil Pasha, president of the council of state to consider the possibility of arranging peace with Italy.

Both Turkey and Montenegro have withdrawn all their troops from the frontier, according to the Constantinople correspondent of the Daily Mail, and the Montenegrin government has assured the press of its pacific intentions.

AMERICA FACING FAMINE UNLESS CONDITIONS IMPROVE

General Opinion of Speakers at Meeting of National Soil Fertility League in Chicago

Chicago, Aug. 9.—That America is facing a famine unless agricultural conditions are vastly improved, was the general opinion of the speakers at the annual meeting of the national soil fertility league.

Statistics show that the agriculture in the United States has been so neglected that within twenty years we will be forced to import our principal food products from foreign lands. We are facing an inevitable famine, unless the soil is greatly improved," said H. M. Grogan, president of the organization.

TRYING TO SOLVE HOUSING PROBLEM IN TORONTO

Toronto, Aug. 9.—Dr. Hastings, M. H. O., recently appointed in "housing commission" is appointed in Toronto to deal with the housing problem to consist of six experts in various lines. A physician, an engineer, an architect, a real estate expert, a builder and a social worker.

"The most important housing need in this connection," said Dr. Hastings today, "is for a more efficient and adequate lodging house accommodation."

LITTLE GIRL DISAPPEARS FROM QUEBEC HOSPITAL

Quebec, Aug. 9.—Zelle Laforte, a little girl from St. Paul, who came to Quebec about a month ago to undergo an operation at the Hotel Dieu here, has disappeared in a very mysterious circumstance. The girl was assigned to a bed in the hospital, but later it was found that she was not there. Where she had gone was a mystery.

MOTHER LAY HELPLESS WHILE HER BOY BURNED TO DEATH

Pondichéry, La. Aug. 9.—While her eight year old son was burning to death in an adjoining room and crying out in his pain, Mrs. James Bagin lay helpless on her back with her two days old baby by her side. She was unable to move or to call for aid and was forced to listen to the screams of the boy as the flames made their ravages.

Explosion Kills Two New York, Aug. 9.—Two workmen were mangled to death and five others seriously injured at the bottom of a 200 foot shaft leading out of the new aqueduct, at 106th street and Central Park west early today, when a big steel drill struck an old clamp of forgotten power.

U. S. Refused to Intervene

London, Aug. 9.—A Tien Tsin despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company on the Russo-Japanese treaty says it is reported that China appealed to the United States to intervene in her behalf, but that the government at Washington refused to do so.

It was said that a general shake-up was badly needed. In commenting on the case His Honor said "I have always warned the policeman against using their batons in striking prisoners on the head. I have always considered it a very dangerous practice and have said that only in case of extreme violence, when the policeman's own life was in danger, was it permissible to use the baton. This case will be thoroughly investigated, however, to see just where the blame lies."

The prisoner was remanded until Monday morning at 10 o'clock when other witnesses will be called, including the two other policemen who assisted in making the arrest. It is said that White was arrested for being drunk and resisting police several years ago, and at that time was also beaten up. In court yesterday morning his face and clothes were all covered with blood, and he presented a sorrowful looking spectacle.

TO THRASH UNITED STATES

New York, Aug. 9.—A special cable to the New York Sun says that Japan and Russia have formed a pact to thrash the United States in the far East.

FUNERALS

The funeral of William H. Purdy took place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from his late home in St. James street, W. E. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. H. Heine and interment was in Cedar Hill. The funeral of Charles F. Galt took place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the General Public Hospital. Interment was in the New Catholic cemetery.

ROOSEVELT'S SPEECH DISCUSSED DURING TRUST INQUIRY

Progressive Platform Interpolated Into Debate—Meets With Some Frank Criticisms

(Canadian Press) Washington, Aug. 9.—The progressive platform and former President Roosevelt's trust views occupied the attention of the public last night in the closing hours of the first debate of the Stanley steel trust investigation. Representative Lafferty of Oregon interpolated the progressive platform into the debate and Representative Gardner of Massachusetts, a Republican, pointed out what he called inconsistencies in Mr. Roosevelt's position.

"He believes in the Sherman anti-trust law, and in the recognition of trusts," said Mr. Gardner. "He is riding horses going in opposite directions."

"Have you read the coloma's speech?" asked Mr. Lafferty. "Yes, and it is entirely different from what you expressed in the Outlook in November. He does not care for anything, he is not clear on immigration, the tariff or anything else."

H. & S. W. EXPRESS FROM YARMOUTH WAS WRECKED YESTERDAY

Halifax, N. S., Aug. 9.—The Halifax and South Western express from Yarmouth was wrecked with a serious mishap yesterday. When half way between Chester and East River station the wheels of the engine tender truck left the rails, and the tender toppled over on its side and was dragged over the rails for nearly a hundred yards before the train stopped. The accident happened close to Small Lake and in a very bad place, and had not the tender become detached from the train the accident might have been attended with dire results.

The wrecking train arrived from Bridgewater at seven o'clock, and at ten o'clock succeeded in restoring the tender to the rails and a start was made for East River. The engine of the wrecking train pushing the express and its disabled engine. At East River the engine of the wrecking train was attached to the express and Halifax was reached at 12:15 o'clock. There were several American tourists on the train who were having taken the night train for St. John.

The road bed was badly cut up and the tender will have to go up for repairs. A defect in the latter caused the accident.

GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS FOR NEW BRUNSWICK

Ottawa, Aug. 8.—The council at this afternoon and passed upon a number of matters which have been accumulating in the various departments.

The Coastal Dredging Company gets the work of dredging at River Bourgeois, N. S. at a price of 22 cents a cubic yard.

John Burns, of Ottawa, gets the work of building a breakwater at Lorneville, N. B. The cost being \$38,000.

It has been decided to purchase a wharf at Bear River, N. S.

J. D. LeBlanc and A. J. Leger have been awarded the contract for a passenger station at Nelson, N. B.

The arrangement to grant Saskatchewan \$34,296 for agricultural development has been completed. This leaves Alberta the only province to conclude the agreement.

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WE handle, as far as possible union made shoes. Our shoes are made by reputable manufacturers who employ skilful Union Labor, pay fair wages, and furnish their employes with sanitary surroundings.

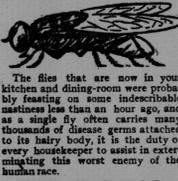
We're a Union Shoe Store!

Our good union shoes are the most profitable shoes to buy. They cost you no more at the outstart and they always prove to be far cheaper at the finish.

We Solicit Your Trade MR. UNION WORKINGMAN!

WIEZEL'S Cash Shoe Store Union St. Cor. Brussels St.

Birth-stone List Revised Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 9.—Revision of the birth-stone list, election of officers and the selection of the next meeting place constituted the greater part of the programme of the second session of the American National Retail Jewelers' Association today. To eliminate confusion due to the fact that the birth-stone list varies in different sections of the country, two and sometimes three, jewels being assigned to the same month, the delegates agreed to agree upon a uniform list.



Wilson's Fly Pads kill flies in such immense quantities as cannot be approached by any other fly killer.



LA MARQUISE DE FONTENAY Self-Styled Son of King Edward VII Again in the Lime-Light—An International Romance—The Career of Harry Cavendish

Some three or four years ago a man who claimed to be a son of King Edward VII. by a secret marriage contracted prior to his union with Queen Alexandra, occupied a considerable amount of attention in the American press, by reason of his pretentious pretensions, and his swindles, which led to his frequent arrests.

Styling himself alternately Prince de Guelf and Prince John of Great Britain and Ireland, he left unpleasant trails in many parts of the world, and undisturbed by the publicity given to his ejection from one of the leading Fifth Avenue hotels, he subsequently established himself in a cheap Brooklyn boarding house, where he ran an "Irish Social Bureau," the object of which was the presentation of his dupes at the court of the King of the Belgians at \$100 a head.

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It was as a "medical man" that he first turned up at Los Angeles, Cal., as the inventor and purveyor of a beverage entitled "Amritam," which he promises in the circulars bearing his signature, will effectually "cure" premature old age and senile decay. He is sending these circulars from Los Angeles all over the country and even to England.

I may mention incidentally that he has ways had a disposition to medical quackery. It was as a "medical man" that he first turned up at Los Angeles, Cal., as the inventor and purveyor of a beverage entitled "Amritam," which he promises in the circulars bearing his signature, will effectually "cure" premature old age and senile decay.

President George F. Kutz, and the other officers of the American Science and Civic Preservation Society, are not quite correct when they state in their interesting "Memorial" which they have compiled on the history of Philippe Manors, that he was a friend of Byron, who married him as "Hibernian Strangford," owing to the fact that the Viscountcy of Strangford, though bestowed on the Catholic family of Smythe, of Ashford, by James I., was an Irish peerage. It became extinct with the death of the two grandsons of Maria Philippe, fifth Viscountess Strangford, in 1857 and 1859 respectively.

This Year By RUTH CAMERON

Did you know that cerise and purple were an exquisite color combination? I never knew it before, but I have just acquired that information, and it is such a surprise to me that I want to share it. It was supplied to me by a young friend of mine who has a reputation for good dressing, and was imparted apropos of a large hat, composed chiefly of purple violets and trimmed with two cerise plumes. I commented upon the hat as an outrage of good taste, and my companion seemed much surprised. "Why, I think that's pretty," she said. "You know cerise and purple are all right together this year."

What, I wonder, has the year 1912 done to deserve that laws of nature should be suspended this year? For surely that must have happened last year and forever before. Despite the shop girl's emphasis before, cerise and purple is a combination to make even the least aesthetic shudder. This year it produces a harmony, a successful one by my inability to admire this combination that I am a dowdy-minded person who does not like stylish things. I think I appreciate a truly stylish hat, and now please do not conclude by my inability to admire this combination that I am a dowdy-minded person who does not like stylish things.

Yet one more example. When I see a very thin woman accentuating her thinness by dressing in an indecently skimpy gown and wearing, perhaps, no petticoats at all, I cannot think that even the fact that she is wearing a cerise and purple appearance attractive.

Fashion is a wonderfully powerful force, and there are undoubtedly many things which it can influence, but there are also many laws of good taste, of artistic harmony, and of decency, with which it does not even the most emphatic demands of fashion should interfere.

In other words, there are some things which cannot possibly be right, proper or beautiful this year, any more than they have been for the last million years.

honor, are not nobiliary titles at all, are not used in society, and confer no official rank or precedence upon the holder. Harry S. H. Cavendish, the African explorer, who stands second in succession to the peerage of Lord Waterpark, has again been divorced, and, as on the previous occasion, on the ground of brutality, drunkenness and desertion. His wife was Isabelle Jay, the well-known actress, who on securing a dissolution of her marriage in 1905 returned to the stage. A year later he married his second wife who has just parted from him; but no mention is made in the "Who's Who" of the name of "Burke," or other standard "Peersage." There is an American interest in this for as long as Henry Cavendish remains without a son, the way to the Waterpark peerage and baronetcy remains open to the forty-year-old Henry Siegel Cavendish, grandchild of Henry Siegel of New York, and son of the late Myrrill Cavendish who lost his life in the Titanic disaster. His widow is Henry Siegel's only daughter.

SUPERFLUOUS HAIR A HORRIBLE HAIRY MASK Completely Removed Without One Moment's Pain

No longer need women suffer the terrible humiliation and embarrassment of a repulsive, hairy growth on the face, neck or hands. The new scientific method of hair removal is so simple and so effective that it can be used by every woman. It is a simple and so effective that it can be used by every woman. It is a simple and so effective that it can be used by every woman.

At last a happy thought came to me, and after many long, wakeful hours I emerged triumphant with a wonderful discovery. It seems strange that it had never been discovered before. A few friends tested my discovery, with instant success. I noted French chemist, to whom I showed it, said it contained ingredients for dissolving the hair-root and all. One lady who tried it said: "A single application sufficed to destroy the hair instantly." "Removed every trace of the undesirable growth. I did not suffer one second," said another lady. "Hair completely disappeared, leaving my skin soft and white," said still another woman.

I have put my discovery to the hardest possible tests. I have seen this remarkable preparation put on an arm, face and neck, with the hair being washed off fairly easily and disappearing as though touched by the hand of magic.

It seems certain now that I have at last discovered a plan which will succeed in producing marvelous results, where all other plans have failed, and I believe that no matter how much or little superfluous hair is on your face, neck, arms or body you can, with my simple and wonderful discovery, remove completely every hair, positively, painlessly, and with perfect safety.

While I cannot agree to long continue this plan, I will for introductory purposes during the next 30 days send to every interested woman who writes to me information concerning the secret of my discovery absolutely free. If you like, you may enclose a 2c stamp for reply. Simply address me, KATHY B. PIERCE, Suite 1231C, Clarke Music Building, Syracuse, N. Y., and I will send you by return mail full particulars in a plain sealed envelope.

Don't Pull Out The Gray Hairs

A Few Applications of a Simple Remedy Will Bring Back The Natural Color

"Pull out one gray hair and a dozen will take its place" is an old saying, which, to a great extent, true, if no steps are taken to stop the cause. When gray hairs appear it is a sign that Nature is giving assistance. It is Nature's call for help. Gray hair, dull, lifeless hair, or hair that is falling out, are all signs of an advanced age, for there are thousands of elderly people with perfect heads of hair without a single streak of gray.

When gray hairs come, or when the hair seems to be falling or dead, some good, old-fashioned hair-restoring treatment should be resorted to at once. Specialists say that one of the best preparations to use is the famous "Weyth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Tonic," which our grand- and parents used. The best preparation of this kind is Weyth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Tonic, a preparation of domestic sage and Sulphur, scientifically compounded with later discovered hair tonics and stimulants, the whole mixture being carefully balanced and tested by experts.

Weyth's Sage and Sulphur is clean and wholesome and perfectly harmless. It refreshes dry, parched hair, removes dandruff and gradually restores faded or gray hair to its natural color.

Don't delay another minute. Start using Weyth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Tonic at once and a difference in a few days' treatment will make in your hair.

This preparation is offered to the public at fifty cents a bottle, and is recommended and sold by all druggists.

Agent, Watson's, 100 King Street.

Daily Hints For the Cook

DATE CAKE. One cup sugar, two-thirds cup butter, one cup dates cut fine, one egg, salt. Beat together and add one teaspoon of soda, two teaspoons cream of tartar, two cups bread flour, half cup milk, half teaspoon cassia.

BROWN BREAD. Two cups of rye meal, one cup Indian meal, one cup molasses, one teaspoon soda. Mix all together. Add one teaspoon salt and not quite one pint of boiling water. Steam two or three hours.

BAKED INDIAN PUDDING. For Somebody's Mildred—Bring one quart of milk to a boil, mix two tablespoons cornmeal, three eggs, four tablespoons of sugar, a little salt and ginger well together, pour in the milk and bake one hour. To be eaten with whipped cream.

RHUBARB PIE. Line a plate with paste and fill with rhubarb cut into half-inch pieces. Mix one tablespoon of flour with one cup of sugar and one egg beaten together. Turn over the rhubarb and dot over with a little butter. Cover with paste.

Dominion Note Popular. Ottawa, Aug. 8.—The \$5 Dominion note has met with a hearty welcome. Up to the present the circulation of these notes is \$6,300,000. One development is that the total value of Dominion notes in circulation is little changed, the banks having substituted the new notes for the much larger certificates of gold deposits which pass only between banks.

The champion berry picker of Fayette, Me., is Edith Bamford, 18 years old. In one day she picked 115 quarts of strawberries, and was paid for her work at the rate of two cents a quart.

THOSE EXCESSIVE BILLS

would be no longer excessive if you would get into the habit of coming here for everything you require in the way of men's wear, whether you want overalls for work or a shirt for evening wear, you will find it here at the lowest prices.

Men's Wash Vests, regular \$1.50 values, for 98c. Men's Fancy Cotton Half Hose, 2 pairs for 25c. Men's Working Shirts, 48c., 73c., 84c. Men's All Wool Pants, \$1.29, \$1.59. Men's English Worsted Pants, \$1.89 to \$3.74. Men's Derby Hats, regular \$2.50, for \$2.

Corbet's, 196 Union St.

RAINY WEATHER DISCOUNTS

We are going to beat the weather man. On all rainy days during our August Furniture Sale we will give, as a special inducement for shopping, A Discount of 10 p. c. Off Our August Furniture Sale Prices.

All Prices Marked in Plain Figures on Large Yellow Tags. J. MARCUS - 30 Dock St.

SHIPPING

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, AUG. 9. A.M. High Tide.....7.56 Low Tide....2.13 Sun Rises.....5.25 Sun Sets.....7.34 The time used is Atlantic standard.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived Yesterday. Stmr Astaire, 717, Young, from Parramatta, Dominion Coal Co. Coastwise—Stmr LaCour, 98, McKinnon, Westport.

CANADIAN PORTS.

Montreal, Aug 8—Ards etms Ionian from London and Antwerp; Spheroid, from West Indies.

BRITISH PORTS.

Liverpool, Aug 8—Ards stmr Caronia, from New York. London, Aug 8—Ards stmr Corinthian, from Montreal.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Rosario, Aug 8—Sld stmr Leuctra, Hill ton, for Rotterdam. New York, Aug 8—Ards stmr C Sundt, from New York. Boston, Aug 8—Ards stmr Cymric, from Liverpool.

NEW YORK.

New York, Aug 8—Ards schr Jas Williams, from Bridgewater (N.S.); Willie L Maxwell, from St. John; Exilia, from Eatonville (N.S.). Eastport, Aug 8—Ards schr Francis Goodnow, from St. George (N.B.). Philadelphia, Aug 8—Sld schr Mary Curtis, for Yarmouth (N.S.). Vineyard Haven, Aug 8—Sld schr Chas C Lister, from St. John for New York. Norfolk, Aug 8—Sld stmr Francis, for Halifax (N.S.).

SUFFRAGISTS REPLY TO ATTACK OF LIQUOR DEALERS

Grand Rapids, Mich., Aug. 8.—Officers of the Michigan Equal Suffrage Association, after the saloon dealers of the state met yesterday for the purpose of organizing against woman suffrage, issued the following statement: "The right of women to vote does not depend upon their views on the saloon. The campaign for woman suffrage is not being waged upon the temperance issue. Women will divide on that question just as men do."

Saloon men make a mistake in fighting woman suffrage. They may beat the cause but it will be a victory that will cost them dear. The liquor men do not seem to be able to get it through their heads that men as well as women are getting tired of the saloon in politics.

"If women have the right to vote they certainly should not be denied it because the saloon men are against it. Many voters, who may be indifferent to woman suffrage will be likely to vote for it just because the liquor interests are determined to defeat it."

It has been announced that the saloon men will hold another meeting here within thirty days.

In the gymnasium at Buckingham Palace in London is an upright measuring board, on which the children of the King and queen record their heights every 12 months. Each has a burning ambition to be tall, and there is said to be a keen rivalry among them as to who shall be the giant. Before the Prince of Wales left Paris the first time, his younger brother had a slight advantage of him in size. But during his absence he gained in width as well as in height. On his return, one of the first things the Prince and his sister did was to take measurements.

NEAL CURE

For Drink Habit No Hypodermic Injections—No Injury to Health

Stimulants afford only temporary relief to tired nerves. When a man gets to the point where he begins to feel that he needs a brace, before he tackles his job, he ought to regard that as a danger signal. The effect of the brace passes away. The craving grows on what it feeds on. Depression is sure to follow. Next time the drink will be bigger; then it will take two and next three to brace up the system to the striking point. The drink habit, once acquired, soon becomes the master of its victim. His friends fall from him and he goes downward. The road down hill is easy. It leads to unhappiness, to pauperism and to crime.

BUT—the habit can be cured. The poison can be eradicated from the system. Instead of a craving for liquor, a revulsion against it and a loathing for it may be set up. This has been demonstrated in the cases of over three thousand patients who have taken the Neal Cure.

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MISS GRACE ROBERTSON SUCCEEDS MRS. HALL

As Secretary of Associated Charities—New Offices Down-Town to be Secured

At the meeting of the board of Associated Charities yesterday afternoon Miss Grace O. Robertson was selected to fill the position of secretary, made vacant by resignation of Mrs. Hall, who has been compelled to give up the work on account of ill health. A committee was selected to look for a suitable office in the downtown district.

Miss Robertson, who has been Mrs. C. H. Dearborn for two years, and is well qualified for the work, will go to Boston or elsewhere for a month to study the workings of similar organizations before assuming her duties the first of October.

The board decided to send expressions of regret and sympathy to the families of the late Mrs. C. H. Dearborn and Mrs. J. N. Golding, who were prominent in charitable work and for many years valued members of the board.

PRIZES OFFERED TO BOYS AND GIRLS FOR SELECTED SEED

Official notice has been given by the Canadian Seed Growers' Association, that substantial prizes in the form of cash and special trophies, are offered for seed grown in the province and exhibited at the next annual winter fair or provincial seed exhibition. The date of this exhibition will be made public later.

In addition to the regular prizes offered to members of the association, special cash prizes are offered to boys and girls between twelve and eighteen years of age, for exhibits of spring wheat and white oats. A sweepstakes prize, in the form of a beautiful gold medal donated by Dr. Jas. W. Robertson, is also offered to the boy or girl having the best exhibit of oats in the Maritime Provinces, Quebec and Ontario, and wheat, in each of the provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. Each of these exhibits is to consist of a sheaf which must be at least 10 inches in diameter at the base, and a gallon of threshed grain. The plants for this sheaf should be selected by hand from the field before the crop is cut.

Those proposing to compete for these prizes should arrange at once to make the necessary selections and should also write to the secretary of Canadian Seed Growers' Association, Ottawa, Ont., and obtain a copy of the prize list rules and special arrangements regarding the transportation of exhibits.

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DEATHS

COX-At the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Stanley McGuire, 10 King st. West, on the 7th inst., Annie Adora Cox, in the 60th year of her age, leaving three sons, three daughters and a host of friends to mourn. Funeral will take place Saturday afternoon at 2.30 from her daughter's residence, 10 King street, West. (Nova Scotia papers please copy.) McENERNEY-In this city on the 5th inst., James F. McENERNEY, in the 32nd year of his age. Funeral from his residence, 119 Princess street, Sunday at 2.30. ABBOTT-In this city on the 9th inst., Mary Gertrude, wife of Francis C. Abbott, leaving husband, mother, one sister and one brother to mourn. (Boston papers please copy.) Funeral from her late residence, 127 Broad street, Sunday at 2.30; friends invited to attend.

I. C. R. INQUIRY

Moncton, N. B., Aug. 9.-Magistrate Kay in the police court this morning dismissed the case against Elmer W. Ferguson, arrested last evening on a charge of perjury made by Dr. C. A. Murray.

PREMIER FLEMING met a select gathering of the faithful at dinner at Bond's today. The affair was unheralded, and those present included ward chairmen and those in authority within the Conservative city organization. There were, of course, a few speeches, but the affair was all of a most informal nature. When those in attendance were expecting to be recipients of favors at the hands of the Premier and his chief advisers otherwise was not made clear. In any event it took three large tables to hold the dinner.

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SIR WILFRID ON A HOLIDAY TRIP IN NEW ENGLAND

Boston, Aug. 9.-Sir Wilfrid Laurier and a party of friends are touring Northern New England on a sight-seeing tour. Yesterday the party toured Vermont in a motor car and today are in New Hampshire. With Sir Wilfrid are Lady Laurier, Sir Frederick Borden, Lady Borden and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Roberts of Montreal. The experience said that he was going to relax and enjoy himself. "For the time being," he said, "I intend to forget politics."

LOCAL NEWS

Bell boy wanted Royal Hotel. August shirt-waist dance Monday, 12th, 8:15-12. Excursion steamer Victoria to Cedars Saturday afternoon. See page 4. Great snaps in dress suit cases at Corbett's, 136 Union street. T. Evans, electrician; phone West 1034-1. Big sale of slightly worn silk and muslin dresses, children's clothes-Boston Store, 115 Brussels street. 8:05-8:15. Arthur E. Henderson, removing to Regina, is advertising his household effects in this issue. See condensed advts. Some one found out where umbrellas are recovered in St. John. Did you? - also nice repair work. 8:02-8-12. Seaside Park Saturday afternoon, weather permitting, band concert, ball games, races and novelty balloon ascension. CARD OF THANKS. Mr. and Mrs. Bernard McQuillan wish to thank their many friends whose kindness extended during their recent bereavement. Entire change of photos in our display window Saturday. See the new ones. The Reed Studio, Cor. Charlotte and King streets. THE P. A. P. B. Lodge of 'Fraternal Boys, Lorraineville will not hold their picnic on August 12, owing to the death of one of their members, Winford Evans. ST. MARY'S GARDEN PARTY. Saturday afternoon and evening, Holy's grounds, Loch Lomond road, band in attendance. "Busses leave Haymarket Square every half hour. 8:07-8-12. POST-CARD SHOWER. Mrs. W. E. Baxter, of Pleasant Point, enjoyed a birthday yesterday, and the occasion was not forgotten by her many friends who gave her a delightful shower of post-cards. When we opened this great half yearly clearance sale we advertised \$15 suits for \$9.98; many of the purchasers were surprised to actually find up much better bargains than these-C. B. Edgson, corner Main and Bridge streets. DON'T FORGET. The members of the Jordan Sanatorium Commission at River Glade are meeting this afternoon in the government rooms, Church street. Matters of importance are being dealt with, but none of the commissioners cared to talk of what was to be considered until the close of the meeting. MEETING TODAY. The members of the Jordan Sanatorium Commission at River Glade are meeting this afternoon in the government rooms, Church street. Matters of importance are being dealt with, but none of the commissioners cared to talk of what was to be considered until the close of the meeting. AFTERNOON-EVENING SAIL ON THE RHINE OF AMERICA. The palatial steamship "Vatria" will leave for (Boston) at 2.30 p.m. tomorrow (Saturday) for a sail on the river, returning about 9.30 p.m. Gentle breeze, 20 to 25 miles 25 cents. Supper, sandwiches, ice cream, etc., served on board. Harrison's orchestra. Dancing. L. A. Curry, Manager. ATTENTION! Form four, quick march to Jeffrey's, the grocer, 57 Paradise Row, best American oil 1 1/2c a gallon; Olives Blend tea 25c a lb; three pounds mixed starch 25c; three big bottles of extract 25c; eight pounds Bermuda onions 25c; Jeffrey's Scotch candy 9c a pound. Specialties in canned and bottled goods always kept in stock. Phone Main 2135. FAMILY REUNION. The home of Mrs. E. Wilson, in St. James street, was the scene of a happy gathering last night, when a family reunion was held in honor of the return of her brother, Charles Stears, to the city after an absence of some forty-eight years. He has been in the States for that length of time, following his trade as a mason in New York, Louisiana, Chicago and elsewhere. He naturally saw many changes of importance and advancement on his return here, and it is very probable that he will remain here. A BIG MUSICAL COMEDY. The Latin Quartet of "Gay Paree" furnishes the locale for the principal scenes in the Red Rose, the big musical gaily show which John C. Fisher will bring to the Opera House for three nights August 15 to 17 and scenes unparalleled in richness and splendor will be presented as accompany Miss Zoe Barnett and her company of fun makers in what promises to be the most successful summer show ever brought to St. John. There are 28 musical numbers in the Red Rose and most of them are of the haunting, whistlable sort. Something doing for three long delightful acts is the way in which a local critic who witnessed the production in Halifax sums up its merits.

NOTICE!

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MEN'S LOW PRICE BOOTS

Blucher Cut, Slip Sole good easy last \$1.50 a pair. Men's sizes 6 to 10. Dongola leather, Slip Sole Blucher Cut, neat heel \$1.75 a pair. Box Kit, Slip Sole, nailed Blucher Cut, easy fitting \$2.25 a pair. Box Calf, Slip Sole, nailed Blucher Cut, comfortable \$2.50 a pair. PERCY J. STEEL Better Footwear 519-521 Main Street.

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- 6 cakes Surprise Soap, 25c. 3 cakes Fairy Soap, 12c. 15c. cake Pear's Transparent Soap, 10c. 2 pks. Cleaner, one Old Dutch and one Panshine, 15c. BAKER'S CHOCOLATE 25c. cake 18c. 20c. bottle Camp Coffee, 10c. 15c. tin Evaporated Milk, 10c. 25c. bottle H. P. Sauce, 18c. 25c. bottle Malt Vinegar, 20c. 25c. pkg. Quaker Oats, 20c. PICNIC HAMS A small lot at 13 1/2 cts. lb. 1 bottle Lemon Syrup, 9c. 1 bottle pure Tomato Catsup, 15c. 3 five-cent Fly Coils, 10c. 3 pkg. Christie's Sodas, 8c. 30c. jar Plum Preserves, 23c. 20c. bottle White's Pickles, 17c. 25c. tin Coleman's Baking Powder, 20c. ORANGES 1 dozen Small Juicy Oranges, 20c. Sunkist brand, 20c. SWEETS 1 lb. Peanut Butter Kisses, 16c. 1 lb. special Caramels, 28c. 1 lb. old fashioned Caramels, 40c. Nonpareils, 30c. 1 lb. Dairy Milk Chocolate, 50c. 1 lb. Marshmallow Snowballs, 50c. GILBERT'S GROCERY Phone Main 512 143 Charlotte St.

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TAX REFORM

It may be hoped that New Brunswick will be well represented this year at the annual meeting of the Tax Reform League of Eastern Canada, which meets in Toronto on Sept. 3rd.

The development of the power at Grand Falls and the erection of great pulp and paper mills is now declared to be assured, and the work will soon be begun.

The United States senate has decided to do what some of its ablest members have declared to be a gross violation of treaty obligations.

The long struggle against hopeless odds is ended, and Dr. J. P. McInerney has gone to his rest. He is sincerely mourned by very many citizens who in the quarter of a century of his active practice learned to regard him with confidence and esteem.

Of the minimum wage commission which has just been appointed by the governor of Massachusetts an exchange says: "The commission has not large powers except advisory."

To secure for the municipalities of Eastern Canada the power to reduce or abolish the taxation of improvements, business, personal property and all values other than land values, and to correspondingly increase taxation on land values, and to advocate the adoption of this system of taxation by the municipalities.

Great progress has been made in Ontario, despite the stand taken by Sir James Whitney in opposition to the proposed reform, and the government has been forced to appoint a special committee to consider the general question of tax reform.

A food investigating commission in New York has come to the conclusion that food products, which cost \$339,000,000 annually when they reach the terminals in that city, cost the consumer \$600,000,000.

Having hoisted baseball for years because of their position and size the National and American leagues, classified as "the majors," have been out-generaled and whip-sawed by the class A. leagues.

It is a case of "Tough Bill" the school bully and "Sweet Face" Haswell, the punch in either hand again. The bullies have been handed a fine trimming.

The ultimatum was given to the majors when the A. A. leagues started in business on a new and broader scale in the spring. It has revolutionized baseball recruiting and has forced every major league club which does not own or control a class A. team to get busy and buy one, or lose out in the player game.

The ultimatum has flooded the major with raw bush leaguers this year and prevented a single player from the American association, the International league or the major leagues, unless entering the major league, unless the team he left and the one he went to were controlled by the same capital.

It is the position taken by the A. A. club that has forced Frank Navin of Detroit to buy the Providence club in the International league. The legislation that created three class A. leagues provided that no player could be sold to a major league team save for immediate delivery. It put a stop to the practice of the major buying a player early in the season, keeping him "covered" and drawing him in when wanted.

THE MODEL CHURCH

Well, wife, I've found the model church, I worshipped there today. It made me think of good, old times before my hair was grey.

The sexton didn't seat me away back by the door. He knew that I was old and deaf, as well as old and poor.

I wish you'd heard the organ, it had the finest tuning; The preacher said with trumpet voice, "Let all the people sing!"

The sermon wasn't flowery, 'twas simple gospel truth. It fitted poor old men like me, it fitted the happy few.

The preacher made sin hideous in Genesis and in Jew; He shot the golden sentences down in the house to tell the news to a passing neighbor.

Dear wife, the fight will soon be fought, The shining goal is just ahead the race is nearly won.

IN LIGHTER VEIN OH, BEHAVE! A young lady, visiting in the country for the first time, was alarmed at the approach of a cow.

A farmer went into a hardware store and while purchasing some tools was asked by the proprietor if he did not want to buy a bicycle.

SERVANTS DO, FREQUENTLY Mrs. Sutton advertised for a woman to do general housework and in answer a colored girl called, announcing that she had come for the position.

"Are you a good cook?" asked Mrs. Sutton. "No, indeed; I don't cook," was the reply.

"What is it?" "It's a new baby brother!"—and she set back upon her heels and folded her hands to watch the effect.

"You don't say so! Is he going to stay?" "I guess so,"—very thoughtfully. "He's got his things off."

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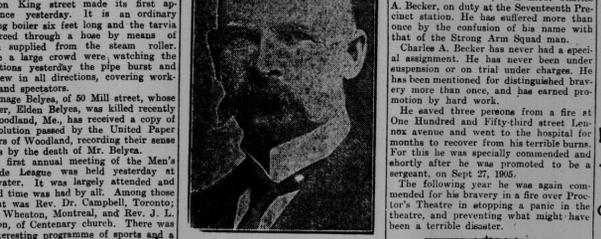
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Dr. Fred Torrance, of Winnipeg, appointed veterinary director general of Canada, in place of Dr. J. G. Rutherford.

LAST TIME TONIGHT

The rejuvenation of Aunt Mary, made famous by May Robson as being one of the greatest comedies the stage has seen in the past ten years will see its final performance given by Miss Robson and her company at the Opera House to night.

LOAN SHARK RAIDED

New York, Aug. 9.—The crusade against alleged loan sharks was renewed today when a squad of detectives arrested four men and two young women, all charged with violating the banking laws.

NOVELTIES IN Ladies' Footwear

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**U. S. SENATE DISCUSSES C. P. R. INFLUENCE ON CANAL**

Washington, Aug. 8.—The extent to which the Canadian Pacific Railway might control traffic, through the Panama canal, was the subject of much debate when the anti-railroad section of the canal bill was reached late today. Little objection developed to the proposed plan to prohibit any American railroad-owned ships from engaging in American coastwise trade through the canal.

The plan adopted by the senate committee, however, to attempt to restrict the operation of foreign-owned railroad ships, proved the subject of wide difference of opinion. Senator Simmons proposed to strike out all reference to the foreign railroad ships.

Senator Bristow urged adequate control of American coastwise traffic, so that the transcontinental roads could not control rates in the canal, but he did not believe the Canadian Pacific's ships would prove a menace. If they were permitted to engage in American coastwise trade, he said, they would immediately be subject to American law.

The senate finished practically all the canal bill except the railroad ship section before the recess at the end of the afternoon session. With the evening session tonight, it was believed a final vote would be had on the bill tomorrow.

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**APPOINTMENT OF FRENCH BISHOP MEETS OPPOSITION**

Since the announcement was first made of the appointment of Rev. E. LeBlanc, of Digby (N. S.), to the bishopric of St. John, succeeding His Lordship Bishop Casey who has been appointed to the arch diocese of Vancouver, there has been considerable comment among Catholics on this appointment which, it is said by many, does not seem to meet with the general approbation of the Catholics of this city, who have been widely expressing their disappointment of a French-Canadian priest coming to St. John as bishop of the diocese.

The first step in the way of a protest was taken at a meeting of the A. O. H. Division No. 1, held last evening, when a resolution was passed, embodying the sentiments of the lay members of the appointment. They respectively ask for a reconsideration of the decision of the Papal authorities.

The resolution is as follows:

Whereas, The A. O. H. in America (Canada and the United States of America) in all their relations with the sovereign pontiff and the holy see and its representatives are and ever will be respectful and submissive subjects of holy church; and

Whereas, Division No. 1, Ancient Order of Hibernians of the city of St. John, deeply grieving the sudden and unprecedented removal of our separated brethren, the Right Rev. T. Casey, D. D., from our diocese and Episcopal city; and

Whereas, The Episcopal see of the surrounding country, within a radius of one hundred miles is exclusively English speaking, the English language is the vehicle of business, politics, and all our intercourse with our non-Catholic brethren; and

Whereas, After years of the severest struggle, the English Catholics of this diocese have arrived at the point of most amicable relations with our separated brethren in the matter of public schools, etc.; and

Whereas, The total support of the bishop of St. John, since the year 1843 has fallen upon the shoulders of the Catholic people of St. John, who, of their generosity have reared a magnificent cathedral and institutions of charity; and

Whereas, The introduction of a French bishop will be altogether at variance with the wishes of the people of this diocese, as being subversive of all their ideals, plans, and aspirations for the good of the holy church; in these parts;

Resolved, That we urge most strenuously upon the rightly constituted authorities that they should not accept of the appointment of a French bishop, and the cardinal secretary of state, our strong, sincere and determined opposition to such a course; and

Resolved, That these resolutions be forwarded to Most Rev. Francis P. Sagan, apostolic delegate for the diocese, and the Most Rev. Edward J. McCarthy, archbishop of Halifax.

(Signed) FRED L. BARRETT, President.  
 JOHN C. FERGUSON, THOMAS RICHMOND, JOHN R. McLOSKEY, FRED J. McINERNEY.

There was considerable talk last night of a mass meeting being held in St. John to further urge a reconsideration by the church authorities of the appointment.

**COAL COMPANY TO DOUBLE THEIR FACILITIES HERE**

The Dominion Coal Company recognizes the fact that the trade through the port of St. John is increasing, and that J. H. Plummer, president of the big concern, last night, "and in order to meet the demand the company proposes to increase its facilities here so that it can handle about double the present tonnage."

Mr. Plummer, with M. G. Butler, general manager of the Dominion Coal Company, Mr. McGuckin, sales manager, and Alexander Dick, sales manager, were in the city yesterday inspecting the company's plant in Melville street.

Mr. Plummer said the idea of the trip here was to inspect the property and see what improvements could be made. His company proposes to make extensive improvements, a larger storage space will be provided and the machinery will be improved so that the plant will be capable of handling 600 tons of coal an hour instead of 300 tons as at present.

It is likely that the slip between the present coal pocket and the old Robinson wharf will be filled and the wharf extended to unload two steamers at once. It will be necessary two steamers will be docked in front of the property.

"With the improvement in equipment," said Mr. Plummer, "it will not be necessary to unload two steamers at once, but we will have wharf room for two boats when needed. The bunkering business is increasing rapidly here and special facilities will be provided for carrying on this kind of work."

Mr. Plummer said that the company anticipated an increase in this end of the business and special accommodations would be provided for bunkering any steamers which may wish to coal at this port.

When asked if the C. P. R. was likely to take over the coal company property on the east side, Mr. Plummer said the idea was absurd and he had not heard of it before.

It is not likely that anything will be done with the plant on the west side at present but the improvements in the east side will be started as soon as the details of the plans can be worked out.

With the storage space greatly increased and the improvements in the coal handling plant the Dominion Coal Company will be able to supply all demands on them at this port and there is no doubt that the business of the company here will continue to increase.

Speaking of the advance in the price of hard coal, Mr. Plummer said that he could not see that this would affect the price of soft coal and he believed that the price would remain as at present.

Mr. Plummer and Mr. Butler went out last night in the private car Oceanic which was attached to the C. P. R. express which left here at 11:30 o'clock.

The annual award supper on the Thames in England was held last week. Every year a journey is made up the river and the young aviators march. All the swans on the Thames belong in about equal proportions to the King and the Dyers Companies. The river and its backwaters and tributaries were carefully screened from Southampton's Bridge to Here and all the young birds were marked on the beak with a distinctive mark denoting the owner.

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 When it is necessary to use the odd size units together, a 12 1/2 inch combination unit is required at bottom, and costs \$4.10. The top or finishing unit about 4 inches high to complete the case, costs \$2.00. The base unit, about 7 inches high, costs \$2.00 or with drawer, \$1.10 extra.

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Embroidered and Hemstitched Linen Sheets, good designs. Size 72x100 inches, \$3.75 and \$5.25 each; size 80x100, \$4.25 and \$6.25 each.

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Hand Embroidered Linen Spreads, \$7.75 to \$21.00 each.

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**Tonight**

Sale of Blouse Waists  
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**DR. J. P. McINERNEY DIED LAST-NIGHT AFTER LONG ILLNESS**

Dr. J. P. McInerney passed away at the General Hospital about 9 o'clock last evening. His wife and children, his brother-in-law and other relatives, and Dr. Inerney belonged to the dominion, medical times and New Brunswick, medical associations, and was at one time president of the county. He was a brother of George V. McInerney, who was for years a member of the house of commons. In the general election for the local house held March 4, 1908, Dr. McInerney was elected on the Conservative ticket for the city of St. John, along with John E. Wolfe, Robert Maxwell and W. F. Hatheway. Dr. McInerney leaves three brothers: John, of Boston; Edward of Richmond, and William, of the Evening Sun, New York City, and one sister, Mrs. John Sutton, of St. John, H. G. McInerney, barrister of this city, is a nephew. The funeral will be on Sunday afternoon from his late residence, Charlotte street.

**S. S. EMPRESS OF BRITAIN BLAMED FOR COLLISION**

Montreal, Aug. 8.—That the Empress of Britain was to blame for the collision with the Dominion Coal Company's steamer Hava, which resulted in the sinking of the latter vessel in the Gulf two weeks ago, is the substance of a judgment handed down this morning by Captain H. S. G. Lindsay, dominion wreck commissioner, following an investigation held at Quebec into the circumstances surrounding the accident.

In his judgment, however, the court commends the skilful manner in which Captain Murray, of the Empress, handled his vessel, after the impact, and the efficient way in which steps were taken to rescue the crew of the Havelia.

The judgment says: "The court, having carefully weighed the evidence adduced, which was given in a perfectly straightforward manner by both sides, found that the Empress of Britain is alone to blame for the collision, inasmuch as the speed at which that vessel was proceeding prior to the accident was excessive, considering the state of the weather at the time."

**ODDFELLOWS FROM FORT FAIRFIELD TO VISIT ST. JOHN**

The members of Canton Wabasco, No. 22, Patriarchs Militant, I. O. O. F., of Fort Fairfield (Me.), and on Saturday in the forenoon they will commence their homeward journey. They will be accompanied by the department commander, officers and cantons of the maritimes provinces on their return home.

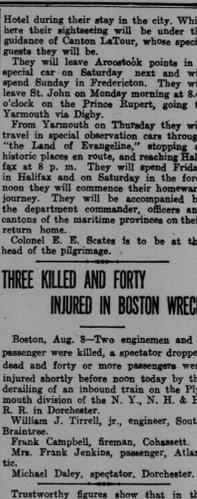
Colonel E. E. Scates is to be at the head of the pilgrimage.

**THREE KILLED AND FORTY INJURED IN BOSTON WRECK**

Boston, Aug. 8.—Two engineers and a passenger were killed, a spectator dropped dead and forty or more passengers were injured shortly before noon today by the derailing of an inbound train on the Plymouth division of the N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R. in Dorchester.

William J. Tirrell, jr., engineer, South Braintree; Frank Campbell, fireman, Cohasset; Mrs. Frank Jenkins, passenger, Atlantic; Michael Daley, spectator, Dorchester.

Trustworthy figures show that in the five years from 1907 to 1910 the consumption of ice cream in the United States advanced from 55,000,000 gallons to 100,000,000 gallons. Last year about 120,000,000 gallons of this delicacy were eaten by Americans—an average of five quarts per capita.



**BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA INCREASES ITS CAPITAL**

Toronto, Aug. 8.—The Bank of Nova Scotia has sent out notices to its shareholders announcing that the capital is to be increased by \$1,000,000.

The authorized capital of the bank is \$5,000,000 and the paid up capital \$4,000,000. The new issue brings the total up to the authorized limit.

Each present shareholder is entitled to one of the new shares for every four that he holds. The new issue is at \$240, while \$276.50 was offered on the local exchange yesterday for the regular stock.

H. A. Richardson, the bank's general manager, confirms this statement. He thought the bank was doing well to get \$240 for the new issue. He said that it was just two years since another million was issued and the general expansion of the bank was the only reason for the latest new issue.

French farmers find animal culture a profitable undertaking. As many as 600,000 "first quality" ewes, the price of which throughout the year averages \$1.75 for 1909, can be reared on an acre of land. They have to be fed only once a day, preferably in the evening, and though extremely voracious, are said to be by no means fastidious. After a fall of rain, which seems to sharpen their appetites, a bed of 100,000 will demolish a barrow load of cabbage in a very short time.

Berlin has a remarkably large number of cigar stores. They are used as betting places and for the sale of lottery tickets at a trifling profit.

**August Clearance Sale**

200 Trimmed Hats at \$1 ea.  
 10 Boxes Flowers at 10c ea.  
 Untrimmed Hats at 25 and 50c.

Large New Shapes in black, white and colors in Tagel and Mohairs at \$1.00, 1.50, 1.75.

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SUBURBAN COTTAGES TO LET

TO LET—At Brookville, self-contained house, 8 rooms. For further particulars, apply 128 Charlotte, or 'Phone 1648-61.

FLATS WANTED

WANTED—For occupancy Sept. 1st, small flat, centrally located, modern improvements. Apply Box 11, Times. 821-11. WANTED—Two or three unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping; no children. State particulars and terms to J. B., Times Office. 22-11.

LOST

LOST—Wednesday, period earning \$1.50. Please leave at Times Office. Review. 8008-10. TO LET—Owner of (Hampden) between St. James street, to Rockwood Park. Dear to owner. (Review). Return to Times office. 7987-12. LOST—Small gold monogram pin with the letters I. M. M. on record plate. Finder will please call at Aspley Store, cor. Mill and Union streets. 722-11.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

MAN WANTED—The undersigned writes an honest, ambitious man in each city and town, where not already sufficiently represented. Previous experience unnecessary. We will teach you the business thoroughly by mail and assist you to start the business for yourself as our local representative. Splendid opportunity for a man without capital to get into big pay-top business for himself and become independent for life. The National Co-operative Realty Company, 100 Main street, Boston, Washington, D. C. FOR SALE—Splendid business opportunity for party with small capital and good references to take over business and lease of premises at 227 Union street. Apply on premises. 1177-14. SPLENDID Opportunity for anyone wishing to start in the barber business without capital. Store and all accessories for barber business to let at 67 Brunsell street. Also store No. 223 Union street. Apply Ashkin, 221 Union street.

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CHAUFFEUR wants position in private family; best of references. Apply Chauffeur. 8018-10.

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HAIRDRESSING—Miss N. McGrath, 124 Charlotte street, New York Grad. Hair Dressing, Shampooing, Facial and Soap, etc. (electrical); Manicuring, Hair Work a Specialty. 'Phone 1414-31. 7064-10.

TO LET

TO LET—Store at 197 Union street immediately possession, present lease leaving the city. 8334-11. TO LET—Very reasonably priced club room on Union street; can be used for business or other purposes; also piano for sale, which almost new. 'Phone 1847-41. TO LET—Workshop or storage. Apply Mrs. Reynolds, 17 St. Patrick street. 690-11. ROOMS AND BOARDING TO LET—Furnished room with use of kitchen and phone suitable for nurse; phone 2422-11. FURNISHED ROOM TO LET. Apply 38 Spring street. Telephone 7004-11. FURNISHED ROOM TO LET in private family. Apply 305 Union street. 8008-15. TO RENT—Furnished room, pleasantly situated, 132 Bridge street, North End. 7784-15.

ROOMS AND BOARDING

LARGE ROOM TO LET—Over Watson's Drug Store, suitable for light business. Apply 238 Union street. 8008-12. ROOMS AND BOARDING, 44 Elmwood street. 8021-15. ROOMS with board in private family. Apply 238 Union street. 8008-12. BOARDING and lodging, moderate rates, 219 King street East. 7908-14. ROOMS for light housekeeping, 38 1/2 Peters street. 7901-14. TWO LARGE ROOMS, furnished or unfurnished, 10 Queen street. 7085-12. TO LET—Furnished rooms. Every convenience, 20 Orange street. 7920-12. LODGINGS—108 Union, Corner Charlotte. 'Phone 7421. Mrs. McDonald. 7985-10. A FEW Boarders, men, can be accommodated for \$3.50 per week, at 43 Hill street. 7804-15. TO LET—Furnished rooms, 78 Sydney street. 1120-11. ROOMS AND BOARD, Mrs. Kelley, 178 Princess street. TO LET—Furnished room with dressing room and running water, 26 Coburg street. Enquire mornings. 7920-12. FURNISHED rooms to let, Adams House, 1077-11. TO LET—Double rooms suitable for three young men. Address 'A. M.' care Times Office. 22. ROOMS AND BOARDING, Apply 100 Germain street. 614-11. PLEASANT ROOM 3 Elliott Row. COSMAN HOUSE, Woodman's Point, Westfield, is open for summer season. Team attends trains. Yachting parties or Monthly Excursions could also be accommodated. At Short Notice. 'Phone 4520. TO LET—Large back parlor, suitable for two young men, with or without board. For further particulars, apply to 114 Carmarthen street, between Princess and Orange street. FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET—Apply Mrs. Smith, 55 Britton street, top floor. 677-11. ONE LARGE Furnished Room, electric lights and phone; 66 Dorchester street. Also store No. 223 Union street. Apply Ashkin, 221 Union street. TWO FURNISHED ROOMS—in private family; electric light, steam heat, bath. Nice locality; terms moderate. Address 'Lodgings', Times Office. 22-11. A FEW UNFURNISHED boarders can be accommodated at 41 Gervell street. 23-11. BOARDING—44 Elmwood street. 804-11. ROOMS with board, Mrs. McAtee, 109 Princess street. 605-11.

BOYS WANTED

BOYS WANTED—McCreedy & Son, Ltd. 8021-15. WANTED—Reliable young man to learn clerical in a retail store; references required. Good start and chance advance. Apply 'The Cigar Box', 62 Mill street. 1122-11. MAN WANTED—The undersigned wants an honest, ambitious man in each city and town, where not already sufficiently represented. Previous experience unnecessary. We will teach you the business thoroughly by mail and assist you to start the business for yourself as our local representative. Splendid opportunity for a man without capital to get into big pay-top business for himself and become independent for life. The National Co-operative Realty Company, 100 Main street, Boston, Washington, D. C.

LOCOMOTIVE FIREMAN AND BRAKEMAN

LOCOMOTIVE FIREMAN AND BRAKEMAN for railroads in St. John and vicinity, \$85-100 monthly. Experience unnecessary, no strike. Promotion, Enquire mornings, apply to Healy Association, 227 Monmouth street, Brooklyn, New York. Dept. C. X. BOY WANTED—Apply Horace C. 1109 street. BOY WANTED for factory. Apply Corzer Clarence and Albion streets. 1109 street. WANTED—A young man with experience as an accountant, to take charge of office, stock, etc., permanent position with good salary to the right person. Write particulars, apply to P. O. Box 348. 1090-11. 100 MEN WANTED for hard labor; also concrete mixer and men for all kinds of trade work. \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50. Apply to Lewis Corp., 27 Delhi street. 1124-11.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Upright Piano, will be sold low for cash. Apply Conroy's Drug Store, Main street. 8021-15. TYPEWRITER FOR SALE, Apply O'Donnell, 61 Sheriff street. 8024-14. FOR SALE—Steam engine 10 1/2 hp. Leonard & Sons, 36 Britannia street. 'Phone 824-11. FOR SALE—Two second hand 35 h. p. automobiles. Second hand carriages. Twenty new and second hand express wagons. Four full previous carriages. Edgecombe's Factory, 115 City Road. 'Phone Main 547. FOR SALE—Piano, square, good condition, at low price. Apply 62 Carmarthen street. 7983-13. PRIVATE SALE of Household Furniture; also sewing machine; 74 Camden street. FOR SALE—A bargain for quick buyer. Cabin Motor Boat, two years' old, in good condition. Address 'Motor Boat', care Times Office. 7877-10. TENTS FOR SALE—Apply J. T. McGoldrick, Lower Cove slip. 7812-15. PUREKA Cyclone Bug Death is guaranteed to kill Bed Bugs, Water Bugs, Moths, Ants and insects of all kinds. Be sure you get the green can. One-half pint can with small sprayer 25c. at Colwell Bros., 61-63 Peter street. FOR SALE—All kinds of Nails, Spikes, Putty and Window Glass at McGrath's Furniture, Toy and Department Stores, 170, 172 and 174 Brunsell street. GREAT BARGAINS in sample dresses and children's coats; ladies' house dresses or waists; also in waists, upper remnants. H. Baig, 74 Brunsell street. FOR SALE—25 H. P. Leonard Steam Engine, only in use short time. In perfect order. Apply P. O. Box 233. 790-11. FOR SALE—Eight Oak Dining Chairs, Leather bottoms, 1 sideboard, 1 extension dining table, 1 wardrobe, all in good order at a bargain. Address Box D, Times Office. 1502-11. FOUND FOUND—A Gold Watch. Owner can have same with proving property. Apply Edwin E. Wetmore, 277 Rockland Road, St. John, N. B.

WANTED—MALE HELP

WANTED—Boy to learn Barber Business. H. A. Pierce, 29 Dock street. 8034-15. LADY AGENT WANTED to systematically canvass a couple of easy selling novelties to every office in St. John. Must have good references. Reply 'Smart', care Times. 8073-10. WANTED—Young man 16 to 18, for office work in manufacturing business. A good opportunity for advancement. Apply in handwriting with reference and state salary expected. Manufacturer, Times Office. 8048-15.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

SMART SALESMAN WANTED to sell a newly patented office specialty in St. John; also in provincial towns. Reply Unique, care Times. 8073-10. GIRLS WANTED in flat work department. Apply Globe Steam Laundry, 257 Waterloo street. 1151-11. WANTED—By middle of August, a maid for general housework; no washing; 34 Coburg street. 1150-11. WANTED—Girl for light manufacturing work, reasonably quick at figures preferred. Address M. F. G., Times Office. 8073-11. WANTED—Girl to care for children, 2 1/2 Cliff street. 8048-22. HOUSEKEEPER WANTED. Apply to 500 Main street. 1147-11. WANTED—Smart girl to act as cashier, best of references required. Apply to 'The Bankers', Ltd., 100 Princess street. 1138-11. EXPERIENCED GIRLS for flat work department; also checkers and sorters. American Steam Laundry. 8014-12. GIRL for housework part of the time. Address Times Office. 8038-10. WANTED—Nurse girl. Apply at 98 Main street. 1142-11. GIRL for general housework, 1 Elliot Row. 8012-14. CLEAN and Fancy ironers. Apply American Steam Laundry, 257 Waterloo street. 1124-11. WANTED—Smart girls to learn millinery. MacLaughlin's, 107 Charlotte street. 7971-13. GIRLS WANTED—McCreedy & Son, Ltd. Portland street. 1133-11. GIRL for general housework. Apply Mrs. J. A. Sharpe, 233 Pitt street. West. 1133-11. WANTED—A bright young lady as bookkeeper. Apply by letter to 'W. C.', care of Times Office. 7928-12. WANTED—Good Ladies Tailors, 20 Waterloo street. 7918-12. WANTED—A good cook, no washing. Apply 77 Orange street. 1123-11. WANTED—General girl, good wages. Apply Mrs. R. H. Fleming, No. 11 Pagan Place, Germain street, opposite Harding. 8038-15. FIRST-CLASS ORDER COOK and two dish washers. Apply Edward Hotel. 1122-11. WANTED—A good dining-room girl. Elliott Hotel; high wages; good wages. 1122-11. WANTED—Competent housemaid wanted. Apply to good appearance, good work light, no washing done on the premises. Best wages will be paid to capable woman. Apply in person to Manager, Neal Institute, 46 Crown street, Victoria Park. 1118-11. WANTED—Kitchen Girl. Apply Mrs. McAfee, 100 Princess street. 1044-11. WANTED—Two salesladies. Apply The 2 Barkers, Princess street. 1114-11. WANTED—Competent maid for family of four. 'Phone Mrs. Jeffrey, Robson street. 1099-11. SMART GIRL WANTED, good wages. Henderson's Restaurant, 439 Main street. 1091-11. WANTED—Waitress; also good smart appearing girl as clerk in confectionery store. Apply Bond's Cafe, 90 King street. 8033-12. WANTED—A competent housemaid with references. Apply in evening 128 Mount Pleasant Ave. 1063-11. WANTED—A general girl. Apply Mrs. McAfee, 100 Princess street. 1044-11. WANTED—Girl for general work. Apply to Hazen street. 1045-11. HOUSEKEEPER wanted, middle aged woman as housekeeper, 310 Duke street. 1009-11. WANTED—At once, cook and laundress for Carter's point. Highest pay. Apply Women's Exchange, 128 Union St. WANTED—Two smart girls to work at Sea Side Park ice-cream parlor. Apply T. J. Phillips, 213 Union street. 747-11. GIRL WANTED in confectionery and ice-cream store. Apply T. J. Phillips, 213 Union street. 748-11. KITCHEN and Dining Room Girls wanted. Apply at Grand Union Hotel, Mill street. WANTED—Cook, Dining Room Girl, also general girl. Apply Mrs. F. R. Roberts, Fairvale P. O., Robson, N. B. WANTED—Chamber maid, Victoria Hotel. 82-11. WANTED—A dining-room girl. Apply Winter Port Restaurant, West End. 600-11.

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MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES

J. J. Fanning, a balloonist, while at a fair in Binghamton, N. Y., yesterday, was killed in the presence of several thousand people. He had made a flight and was descending by means of a parachute, but it did not work properly. A man named Delanger, an engineer aboard the steam yacht Semiramis, owned by C. B. Gordon, of Montreal, and a fireman, Albert Marcoux, were scalded so badly yesterday that they may die. One of the steam pipes blew out and the victims, who were close at hand, were severely, if not fatally, injured by the steam. They are in a critical condition. The investigation into the issuance of I. C. R. passes at Moncton was resumed yesterday afternoon when Elmer Ferguson, formerly of the Transcript office, was examined. He told of having had a conversation with Dr. Murray, and having received passes through the mail a few days later. He was led to believe that they had come from Murray, Ferguson last evening on complaint of Dr. Murray was arrested and charged with perjury, but was later released on bail. The Eastern S. S. Co. of Boston will this month take over the D. A. R. line between Boston and Yarmouth, according to a statement by Calvin Austin, president of the company, yesterday. Two new steamers will be built for the company by 1914, and a line from Yarmouth to New York will be established. The Stetson Cattle Co. mill at Perth suffered a heavy loss yesterday through a large number of apron and cedar logs, measuring about 1,000,000 cu. ft., going adrift. The loss will be between \$6,000 and \$8,000, and the mill, which is operated by the J. J. McLaughlin Co. will have to close for the rest of the season. Ottawa, Aug. 8.—It is not expected here that the bye-election in Macdonald (Man.), necessary by the appointment of W. D. Staples to the grain commission will be held until late autumn. Manchester, Aug. 8.—The Unionists gained a seat in the house of commons today by the election of their candidate for the northwest division of Manchester to fill the vacancy caused by the retirement of Sir G. Kemp. Sir John Randle defeated Gordon H. Ewart, the Liberal candidate, 5,273 to 4,271. Moncton, Aug. 8.—(Special)—The Electric & Tramways Company at a meeting today determined to commence work at once on the completion of the city street railway system and will also utilize the Moncton & Buctouche railway track to Humphrey's Mills for a suburban service.

THOUGHT HE SAW GHOST OF KING EDWARD VII

Paris, Aug. 9.—A taxicab driver recently saw what he thought was the ghost of the late King Edward VII of England in the Champs Elysees, and he was so astounded that he called a policeman. The driver pointed out the vision and the policeman who had seen the English king many times, was seriously hesitating what to do when a well-known boulevardier took her hat to the ghost and stopped for a chat. Then from the overlander the policeman learned that the king's double painter. There was really good reason for the appearance of the official, for Bonnard is strikingly like the late king in face and carriage, and it is impossible to see any difference between the two. Bonnard is busy painting an allegorical picture for the Hall of Sessions at Peace Conference at the Hague. He is sixty-three years old and works harder than when he was a student in the Latin quarter.

DESPERATE

Economical Father to his daughter set to work—'I say, Alice, play some song that everybody can sing. They're doing nothing but eating and drinking.'—Flegende Blatter.

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TIME TABLE FOR AUGUST DAILY. Except Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays.

Table with columns: Leaves, Leaves, SCOTT'S CORNER MILLIGVILLE, 6:00 a.m., 6:30 p.m., 6:45 a.m., 4:00 p.m., 7:15 a.m., 3:15 p.m., 7:45 a.m., 5:30 p.m., 8:00 a.m., 6:15 p.m., 11:15 a.m., 6:45 p.m., 1:30 p.m., 7:15 p.m., 2:00 p.m., 9:00 p.m.

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AUCTIONS

Silk Maline, Millinery Supplies, Silks, Quills, Millinery Stands, Hats, Novelty Coats, Dry Goods, Skirts, etc. BY AUCTION without reserve, at salesroom, 96 Germain street, on Monday afternoon, August 12th, at 2:30 o'clock, I will sell a consignment of the above goods. F. L. POTTS, auctioneer.

FOR SALE

Freehold property at Hampton Village, with two-story house, and barn, near wharf, suitable for summer residence, to be sold at PUBLIC AUCTION at Chubb's corner at 12 o'clock Saturday, August 10th. For particulars apply Telephone 1861-31 St. John, or 1461-11. 7898-10.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

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A MATTER of MATHEMATICS

An Adventure of Peter Crewe—"The Man with the Camera Eyes." By Harold Carter

Copyright, 1911, by W. G. Chapman in the United States and Great Britain. Of the many problems which were solved through the aid of Peter Crewe, I think that which involved the capture of Rowell, the defaulter bank cashier, was the most remarkable. Crewe's skill rested in the main upon a certain optical gift of vision of which he was enabled at any time to call up before his mental vista the picture of any person or thing that he had once inspected, and that complete and in every detail perfect. But while this faculty was largely instrumental in Rowell's capture, the case involved besides a clear and close piece of mathematical reasoning that it deserves to be set down as one of the masterpieces of detective induction. Crewe and I were in England upon some business at the time when the robbery of the Penny and Shilling bank started the country. Rowell, the cashier, had somehow managed to obtain possession of no less a sum than a hundred and sixty thousand pounds, or \$260,000 in American money. He had quietly secured this in his suit-case, walked out of the bank on Saturday at noon, and completely disappeared by the time the discovery of the theft was made on Monday. Rowell had no relatives and no close friends. He had no ties, no acquaintances among the criminal class. He looked like many another young Englishman of the middle classes: Of medium height, straight, alert, aggressive, clean. He left no photograph behind. There seemed to be no way in which he could be traced. The superintendent of Scotland Yard made a happy suggestion to the bank manager. I had been called into consultation as the bank's attorney, and I had brought Crewe to the conference with me. We both strongly approved the plan. "Every Englishman who has committed a felony makes the United States his ultimate objective," the superintendent said. "Why this should be so I do not pretend to know. I do not mean to cast a slur upon your country. Still, the fact remains that when he thinks the time has come to flee, he takes ship for America. Now, the proposition is to herd him into what I will call a rat trap. So long as he lies low in England he is never likely to be discovered. But if we make the west port at every point except the eastern ports, if we publish items in the newspapers stating that no guard is being kept at Liverpool or Southampton, because the fugitive is believed to be in France if we do this, he will be tempted, he will investigate to discover whether this is true. Finally, emboldened, he will take ship for New York. "And then," said Crewe. "You arrest him as he disembarks." This plan was carried out and worked to perfection. Although Rowell could not be positively identified, there was every reason to believe in a cable statement from the captain of the Penzance to the effect that the fugitive had taken passage on his ship. The information was cable back to New York and a couple of days later he was arrested. Rowell was detailed to arrest Rowell the moment that he landed. Unfortunately the plan miscarried. As we learned afterward, Rowell had somehow possessed himself of the uniform of a ship's officer, and attired in this guise, had stopped boldly ashore under the name of a lieutenant and disappeared among the four million inhabitants of the city. The bank urged me to hasten to America in order to assist in the work of recapture. I had, however, interested the manager in Crewe by recounting some of my component's former successes, and, at his invitation, I brought my friend to the scene of the robbery. "You say you have no photograph of the thief?" asked Crewe, when he heard the details of the story. "None whatever. And I fancy," said the manager, "that you will not obtain much of a clue by examining his stool and counter." "I hope you are mistaken," answered Crewe, laughing. "May I ask you a few questions?" "With pleasure." "What was Rowell's salary?" "Two hundred pounds," answered the manager with some hesitancy. "We had intended to increase it on the first of the year." "Still, a single man could live well on that," said Crewe. "Did he dress well?" "Not extravagantly, but neatly. He usually wore a suit of blue serge, a collar of moderate height, and a gray tie." "That is very important," said Crewe. "But here is a more important matter still. Has the height of this stool been changed since Rowell vacated it?" "No. It is an immovable seat, as you will see, and nicely proportioned to the height of the counter." "In that case," said Crewe, "I think that we shall catch your man. By the way, did he ever wear anything but blue serge?" "Rarely. That was his office coat and he also wore it upon the streets. As you know, Mr. Crewe, he had the habit of the silk hat and morning coat is not insisted upon now by many places of business." "And one more question—you have had an unusually sunny summer, I believe?" "They say so," answered the manager. "I have been looking at me as though to ask, 'Is the fellow a dangerous lunatic?'" "Without further remark Crewe seated himself upon the stool and leaned over the desk. The sunlight streamed through the grille in front of the desk and in upon Crewe. He adjusted his position until he was seated exactly in the center of the stool; then, after an instant's silence, though he seemed lost in meditation, he slipped down to the ground. "Good morning, Mr. Simpson," he said, extending his hand to the bank manager. "If we get to New York before the police capture him, I hope to have the pleasure of presenting Mr. Rowell to you. And that," he added, "is probable enough, since the police are dealing with an extremely astute gentleman." "We made our way to New York and had an interview with the head of the police department. He informed me of the situation in regard to the missing man. "That he was in the city was a certainty. Had any authentic portrait of him existed, he would undoubtedly have been captured long before. At present it seemed almost impossible to take him. But if Rowell was in New York, he would be found. We did not leave New York. Detectives were watching every road, every railroad station, every ferry house from which boats left for the New Jersey shore. Rowell's only possible point of escape was Long Island. He could doubtless evade the detectives and cross the Brooklyn bridge during the rush hour. But that would be a risky proceeding, for though Brooklyn lay open to the coast, he could not pass any point of Long Island to the Connecticut shore, while his return to New York itself would be fraught with difficulties. It was highly probable, therefore, that Rowell was still within the limits of the borough of Manhattan. "Where are you searching?" Crewe asked the police chief. "We have two dozen men looking through the whole city," said the chief. "We're raising it as fine as a comb, but we are a toothcomb. Sooner or later he must be found." "The only drawback to that scheme is that while you are raising one district Rowell is likely to be in another." "I see you know your business," Crewe responded. "Don't let any one else know that you are raising one district. The reward will be paid on the mortgage on that house of yours." "O'Rourke leaped back in astonishment. His mouth opened and he looked at Crewe in amazement. "Don't jump like that," said Crewe. "You frighten me. I mean the house in Jamaica." Then, as he turned away, he added: "I saw him talking to his wife one afternoon two years ago. Very good." "Remember, your long shot, though—the house might have been paid for. Now for our other two." "We took the elevated to Sixth avenue and Twenty-third street, where we found Kelly looking ostentatiously into a shop window. "Very good," Crewe, slapping him upon the back. "You saw us coming? Some men are too dense to know that one can see the numbers by just as well when they are reflected in a plate-glass window. Happily the precaution is unnecessary, but I am glad to see so much intelligent zeal in your work. Kelly, you are keeping the numbers separate?" "Seventy and thirty—thirty-one this



"We want you, Mr. Rowell."

"Instantly," said Kelly, and we moved away. "A cross-town car and a break walk soon landed us at the Fourteenth street subway entrance, where Cohen was seated in a shabby chair getting a polish. "Sixty-eight and twenty-seven, sir," he whispered as we passed by. Crewe nodded almost imperceptibly and we turned back into Union park. At Crewe's invitation we took our seats upon a bench. "And now, Langton," he said, "I want to know what this apparently unintelligible process means and I will let you take the reins. You may have observed that I chose four points in New York at which to station my detectives. The selection of those points was influenced by two causes. In the first place, they are the four chief places where men walk, by preference, on one side of the street alone, and consequently it is easier to count the passers-by than if my men had to watch both sides of the street. At the crossing of Broadway and Forty-second street everybody who is not bent upon business—and Rowell is definitely a pleasure-seeker in these days—walks on the west side of the street, because extensive building operations are in process upon the east side. At our southern end of the subway entrance to the Brooklyn bridge, almost every one enters and emerges on the city hall side. At Sixth avenue and Twenty-third street, on the other hand, the population walk on the south side, because that side of the thoroughfare is devoted to large stores whose windows are the tempting areas of good goods. On Fourteenth street everybody walks on the south side in order to pass the numerous moving picture shows, which attract a special class of people, to wit, the pleasure-seekers. "So much for the minor reason of my selection. Now the major reason. These four points embrace practically the entire amusement and shopping district of the city. Where would a stranger go, an Englishman without a friend in town, but in this region? Would he seek his amusement in the dreary walks of the Fourteenth street, or in the Central park, a prey to his thoughts? No, Langton, it is the surest prophecy in the world that Rowell, if he had a bad conscience and an overall purse, spends all his waking life within this region. And it is safe to say that he would be between the Twenty-third street region and Broadway, with the preference for Broadway. Now I was in a fever of anxiety during the day with me on Friday evening at the Hotel Memphis, and I think I shall be able to afford you an evening's entertainment. "I knew better than to attempt to question my companion further, but I was in a fever of anxiety during the three ensuing days to understand Crewe's purpose. His reasoning was excellent upon the subject. But how did this counting of faces go toward the capture of Rowell? "It was not until after dinner that I was able to follow the plan. Crewe had rinsed his fingers in the silver dinner bowl, folded his napkin leisurely, and took from his pocket a pad of paper on which were jotted several series of figures. "Do you believe in statistics, Langton?" he asked abruptly. "I have heard it said that they can prove anything." "They can; but not in the derogatory sense you mean. Are you aware that the number of numbers are practically unvarying? "For instance, in the gambling palace, Monte Carlo, the red and black fifty times more than black during a single day. But in a week the relative numbers will be almost equal. In fact, a certain number at forty, increasing at the end of a year there is usually hardly a sensible difference between the number of times that each has to its credit. "Take life insurance. Individually a human life is a most uncertain thing. But when you take the masses, you can state with mathematical precision that a definite number of these ten thousand persons will die at thirty, a certain number at forty, increasing number at fifty, and so on, until, at the age of ninety-six, the last survivor perishes. "Langton, I have simply applied this fact to the work of Rowell. "What do we know of him? That he is an average-looking Englishman and wears a blue serge suit. Undoubtedly he possesses other suits; but doubtfully surely he will be astute enough to wear blue as differentiating him less than a suit with a check, stripe, or pattern. Thus his own cleverness assists in his undoing. "I am already engaged in this work and as soon as they have decided upon the scheme of development and plans, the work of construction will immediately begin. The engineers mentioned are of wide experience, having had charge of some of the biggest power development schemes, and pulp and paper mill construction in the country. 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LOCAL NEWS

ST. JOHN CLEARING HOUSE. Clearings for the week ending August 8, 1912 were \$1,700,971; corresponding week last year, \$1,640,170.

GOOD NEWS FOR FAIRVALE. Messrs. Russell, Carter and McQuade, owners of Fair Vale park, have donated to the residents of Fair Vale land for a tennis court, and will also donate a lot on which to erect a dancing pavilion.

ON A HOLIDAY. The following ladies are registered from North End at the Marquand Hotel, at the Narrows: Mrs. T. A. Black, Mrs. Charles Flowers, Mrs. H. Estabrook, Mrs. G. W. Mullin, Mrs. Margaret Berry, and Misses Harriet Vanwart, Helen Macdally and Dorothy and Audrey Mullin.

SUMMER GRAIN SHIPMENTS. Tried at first as an experiment, the practice of bringing grain from the western centres to St. John in summer and shipping it from the I. C. R. elevator here has proven a marked success, so much so that the shipper in this way is now being made. There are now 50,000 bushels being shipped by the steamer Shamashah to London, Reg., through Wm. Thomson & Co. received over the I. C. R.

BY CANOE FROM FREDERICTON. A party of six boys, among whom were Coleman Jordan and James Hizen, son of Hon. J. D. Hizen, left for Fredericton on Wednesday on the steamer Victoria. They planned to leave tomorrow in canoes for the trip down the river and expect to spend about two weeks camping at different places before reaching home.

PLAYGROUND PICTURES. The playground pictures, which have been shown in the Natural History Society rooms and in the vestry of the Congregational church, will be shown in the Every Day Club hall tonight. C. H. Fiewelling has given the use of the hall to the Band of the Y. M. C. A. will give the explanatory talk. The entertainment will be free, and it is hoped by the committee in charge that all citizens interested in playground work will attend.

THE SCHOOL CHILDREN. A special meeting of the school board has been called for this afternoon at three o'clock to consider the matter of the assembling of the school children of the city to take part in the programme in connection with the reception of the vice royal party. As the idea seems to meet with very general approval, a committee will be formed to see that the children are together, more especially as it is the wish of their Royal Highnesses to see them.

HE LIKES ST. JOHN. Lee Parvin, advance agent of the Red Rose Company, left this morning for Portland, Me., to make arrangements for the visit of his company. Mr. Parvin while here was greatly impressed with the city and the improvements that are going on, both in the city and at East St. John, and predicts a bright future for St. John. Another feature that he enjoyed was the hand concerts which were given in the King Square while he was here.

BORING FOR COAL. W. F. Mullins of Montreal has Alexander Kent and a gang of men with a boring outfit testing for coal between Mount Middleton and Berwick in Sussex county. The Sussex Record says: "The present indications are that an exhaustive investigation of the whole area will be made. At the point where the first hole is being sunk there is a marked outcrop of shale, and finally, as well as other indications of coal."

SIGNALLERS' INSPECTION. The annual inspection of No. 8 Signalling Section was conducted last evening in the Lower Cove Armory by Capt. T. E. Powers, commander of signalling in Eastern Canada, assisted by Lieut. Allan Leavitt, of the local corps. The inspection was entirely successful and the members of the section acquitted themselves once again in a creditable manner, going through the message work and taking the test groups in clever style and ably maintaining their title of champion signallers of the Dominion. In their last inspection they led Canada by 200 points over all competitors, but their showing in this inspection will not be known for some time.

BAY SHORE AROUSED BY BRUTAL DRIVERS

Residents of Bay Shore and vicinity are loud in condemnation of what they assert is brutal treatment by the drivers of teams hauling sand and gravel from the beach. The statement is made that carts are overloaded and the whip is used unsparingly on the unfortunate horses. It is said by eye witnesses that the manner in which the all too willing animals are used is inhuman in the extreme.

BUTTER PRICES WILL. Sussex Record—Butter will be away up in price this winter, according to present indications. Only a few months ago a New York paper predicted 70 cent butter for that city in the winter of 1913. Prices at present are ruling so high and stocks are being so readily taken care of on an active market, that little or no butter is finding its way into cold storage. This means a big decrease in the usual supply of butter and the market will have to draw from regular morning winter supplies for a large part of the stock necessary to meet the demand. That means that butter is likely to climb to prices this year, much above those to which New Brunswickers have been used. Of course the farmer will benefit, but he is not getting any too much for his produce at that.

A GIFTED SINGER. The Falmouth, Mass., Enterprise, has this to say of a recent song recital by a Woodstock young lady: "Miss Helene Wise, a young and promising singer of New Brunswick has been giving song recitals in the hotels on the nights. Her voice is a large and clear soprano, very pleasing in quality, and her distinct enunciation adds much to the pleasure of hearing her sing. Miss Wise's work was much appreciated and every number called forth well deserved applause."

SACKVILLE LADIES' COLLEGE. Tribune:—Prospects are exceedingly bright for a large enrollment at the Ladies' College next term. It is expected that about one hundred and ten former students will return to the college, and Dr. Campbell has received sixty applications from new students, and additional applications are being received daily.

IN HIS 83rd YEAR. Fredericton Mail—Alexander Gibson, an elderly gentleman, celebrated his ninetieth birthday at his home in Marysville on August 1st. His friends and admirers throughout the province will be glad to learn that he continues to enjoy excellent health.

NEW RABBI ARRIVES

Rev. Herman Benmosche Will Assume Charge of Hazen Avenue Congregation

The weekly Sabbath service in the Hazen Avenue Synagogue this evening will be of special interest to the members of the Hebrew congregation owing to the fact that the newly appointed rabbi, Rev. Herman Benmosche, late minister of the Kjabal Kodesh Adath Israel congregation in Nashville, Tenn., will officiate for the first time in his pastorate here. The rabbi, with his wife and family, arrived in the city last evening and will take up his duties as successor to Rabbi B. L. Amdur, who has given up his clerical office at once. The new incumbent is a man of experience, who comes to the local synagogue with excellent references, and after a notable career in other places where he has been. He has a striking personality and is a Times reporter with whom he conversed this morning, he said that he was looking forward to his stay in St. John with pleasure, hoping to please his congregation, and to attend to the duties of his office with the blessing of God. He was a plain man, he said, and believed in his name being written without any qualifying adjectives.

Rabbi Benmosche was born in Cairo, Egypt, but his life for the most part has been spent elsewhere. When fourteen years of age he was studying at Riga, Russia, and at sixteen was at Konigsberg. Then he went to London and studied there, as well as in Germany. He became rabbi of the Federation of Synagogues and held other important positions as well as occupying the charge of the Synagogue in Nashville, Tenn. The rabbi is a son, Dr. Moses Benmosche, who is practicing as a physician in South Africa. Besides having met with pronounced success in his ministerial calling, Rabbi Benmosche is the author of a Grand Opera, based on the Biblical story of Esther, and entitled "Hadassah the Faithful Jewess." He has written both the libretto and the music, and in this connection it might be mentioned that he is a graduate of the London Conservatory of Music. He has received many flattering and complimentary references to his opera which he expects to see produced some day at the New York Metropolitan Opera House. The new rabbi is being cordially welcomed by the members of the Jewish congregation in St. John and he is expected to make a marked success of his pastorate here.

FAVORABLY IMPRESSED

Prominent Railway Man Inspects Port and Facilities—Sees Great Opportunities

A distinguished visitor to the city today was Henry Tattall, third vice-president of the Pennsylvania Railroad, in charge of the Pennsylvania Department of offices in Philadelphia, who is accompanied by his wife and their son, H. Chase Tattall, on a trip of about three weeks' duration through the maritime provinces. Mr. Tattall and family are travelling in his private car, No. 20, and came to this city this morning on his return from Nova Scotia, where they have been for the past few days. They will leave this evening in their car, attached to the Boston express, for Moncton, N. B., to spend the balance of August. Mr. Tattall said that while he had not yet had very much time to look about St. John, he thought there were remarkably fine opportunities for development at this port, both for railway and shipping trade. He had been about the harbor and was most favorably impressed with its appearance and possibilities, and he regretted very much that he had been unable to visit about Courtenay Bay. This was his first trip through this part of the country, and he had been delighted with it all through, the time having been spent very pleasantly and the scenery having been particularly appealing.

REAL ESTATE NEWS

G. W. Badgley, the well-known real estate man, accompanied by Mrs. Badgley, came in at noon today and is registered at the Boyce. Mr. Badgley said that he had recently added to his holdings here but might have something to announce at an early date. He had some propositions under consideration both in the city proper and outside, and was also considering an offer for some of his holdings in the city. Thomas A. Dunlop, a former resident of this city, but now of Oakland, California, who has been in the city some days, yesterday sold his half interest in the property in Charlotte street, occupied by Henderson & Hunt. The purchaser was his brother, George Dunlop, who owned the other half interest in the property.

WEDDINGS

Pringle-Bragg. Alonzo Robertson Pringle, boys' secretary of the Y. M. C. A. here, was married at Springfield, Mass., on Wednesday last to Miss Estelle Gladys Bragg of that city. The wedding was the culmination of a pretty romance that had its beginning at the Technical High School where both studied. Adair-McGowan.

In the Baptist church at Hopewell Hill last evening Miss Helen Jane McGorman was united in marriage to George Hazen Adair, a popular lawyer of Sussex. Rev. A. D. McCully, of Elliboro, officiated, and a large number of witnesses saw the wedding march. The brides were Wm. J. McGorman and Albert Adair, of Apohaqui. The bride was given away by her father, Wm. McGorman. After a short time spent in Moncton, Mr. and Mrs. Adair will go to Sussex, where they will in future reside. Ross-Brooks.

At the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Robert Douglas, 40 Adelaide street, on Wednesday evening, William Edward Ross was united in marriage to Miss Frances Laura Brooks. The marriage was performed by Rev. Dr. W. O. Raymond in the presence of only the most intimate friends owing to the late bereavement in the family. The bride who was gowned in a handsome dress of white silk trimmed with blue tulle, was assisted by Miss T. E. Ross, sister of the groom. The groom was supported by his brother, Harry Ross. The bride received many handsome presents, among which was a handsome mahogany table and rocker from No. 1 Fire Department and from Mr. Ross's employer, John Hannah, a Morris chair. Mr. and Mrs. Ross will reside in this city.

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They will go quickly so we advise an early visit or you will miss an exceptional opportunity.

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