

Contractor and Paymaster Held Up by Striking Italians

Loch Lomond Laborers in an Angry Mood Stopped Mr. McArthur on the Road—They Are on Strike For Higher Wages.

McArthur and MacVay, the water extension contractors, have had a lot of trouble with the gang of Italians in their employ. The men have broken several agreements made with the contractors and on Wednesday last about thirty of them struck for \$2 a day.

WOLFVILLE LETTER.

WOLFVILLE, Oct. 30.—Mrs. Howard Wetmore arrived from Rothesay, N. B., this week and leaves shortly for New York, where she will begin training as a nurse.

RUSSIA HAS A CONSTITUTION; THE AUTOCRATIC REGIME AT AN END.

Emperor Nicholas Forced to Submit to the Demands of the People, Appoints Count Witte First Premier of Russia and Grants Parliamentary Representation to All Classes—Freedom of Speech and of the Press Also Guaranteed.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 29.—While the day passed quiet with a lull in the Russian capital, and while the city is outwardly calm, today's developments all indicate that a crisis is imminent. Although the streets are filled with troops and detachments are now pouring in from Finland, the government seems utterly powerless to cope with the situation.

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her daughter, Mrs. Charles Elderkin. The interment was at Hantsport. A very pretty home wedding was celebrated at the residence of George Hardwick on Wednesday at Annapolis, when his only daughter, Annie E. Hardwick, was married to Charles McKeown of Lawrenceville.

A Record Month In Selling Clothing.

Men's Winter Overcoats \$5 to \$20 Men's Winter Suits, \$3.95 to \$20

J. N. HARVEY, Men's and Boys' Clothier

present ministers, except those of war, navy and foreign affairs, will be retained. Prince Alexis Obolensky, one of the count's former assistants in the ministry of finance, will become minister of interior; M. Romanoff, another former assistant minister, will take the finance portfolio.

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an interesting event to a large circle took place on Saturday morning at the residence of Rev. D. W. Crandall, of Westwood, where the Rev. Joseph Crandall and the late Rev. Joseph Crandall, Frederickton, was united in marriage to Dr. Leslie Eaton, Acadia, '03, a graduate of the Dental College at Philadelphia, son of Dr. Stephen Eaton of Canada. At the beautiful strains of Lehnghrin's Wedding March, played by Miss Muriel Tredele, with violin accompaniment by Miss Boynton, semiprecious diamonds, the bride entered the parlors on the arm of her best man, Dr. N. P. Freeman of Bridgewater, and took her place beside the groom under an artistic arch of red berries and evergreens, surrounded by the college colors, blue and white.

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Never before have we shown such a variety including the latest models. Winchester, Marlin GUNS. Davenport, Iver Johnson, and Savage Johnsons@Lefevre GUNS.

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Mr. Wymen N. Thomas, Omphac, Addington Co., Ont., writes: "My wife had congestion of the lungs along with other troubles, and became very weak and run down. By the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food she was made strong and well as ever. Of course I had a doctor, but she was weak, and it was Dr. Chase's Nerve Food which built her up."





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THE SEMI-WEEKLY SUN.

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THE CAMPAIGN IN NEW YORK.

New York elects a mayor only once in four years, and therefore a majority campaign in that great city would be expected to show signs of excitement. In the contest now in progress the interest comes late and is still easily kept within bounds.

AFFAIRS IN RUSSIA.

It was a dark day for Russia when her fleet was destroyed by Admiral Togo. But in that hour and every other hour of defeat by a foreign foe there was a remedy in sight.

Today there is war in almost every Russian centre of industry, or transportation, or of any large activity. There is a strike, which is partly industrial and partly political, each element adding its share to the seriousness of the situation.

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The Salvation Army has had a mission to succor the fallen. But General Booth and his officers are equally anxious to keep men and women from falling. They understand that protection from destitution is one step in that direction.

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PROVINCIAL SUBSIDIES CAMPAIGN.

The provincial premier who goes about among other provincial premiers to promote a project for the increase of the federal subsidies to provinces is reasonably sure of an attentive hearing.

ST. JOHN MAN SHOT FOR A DEER

Tragic Death of Joseph Denaco in Maine—His Slayer is Under Arrest—Relatives Live Here.

Joseph Denaco, who was born in St. John in 1864, met death while hunting in the Maine woods some days ago. The shot that killed Denaco was fired by Charles Philpot, a nineteen-year-old lad, who resides near Orneville, Me.

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SACKVILLE NLWS.

SACKVILLE, N. B., Oct. 30.—The home of Job Allen, Port Elgin, was the scene of a happy event on the 25th instant, the occasion being the marriage of Mr. Allen's daughter, Bessie, and Percy Mitton.

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. Prescott Spence was the scene of a brilliant occasion on the evening of the 28th when their only daughter, Hannah Marin, was given in marriage to Oakley S. Allen.

The Sackville Rifle Association on Saturday was not as successful as it might have been had the weather been favorable. The following are the scores: L. Hutchison, 57; E. Anderson, 55; Amos Lawrence, 51; R. Brooks, 48; S. D. Woodworth, 31; A. Sears, 23.

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THE OLD FOLKS AT HOME

Are Never Without Pe-ru-na in the Home for Catarrhal Diseases.



Under date of January 10, 1897, Dr. Hartman received the following letter: "My wife has been a sufferer from a complication of diseases for the past twenty-five years. Her case has baffled the skill of some of the most noted physicians."

Why Old People are Especially Liable to Systemic Catarrh. When old age comes on, catarrhal diseases come also. Systemic catarrh is almost universal in old people.

FATAL ENDING TO LAST EVENING'S BOXING CONTEST IN QUEEN'S RINK.

In the 6th Round of His Bout With Fred Northrup, Charles O'Regan Collapsed and Died an Hour Later Without Regaining Consciousness--Northrup and Ring Attendants Placed Under Arrest--Nixon, Who Promoted the Fight, Has Disappeared.

(From Tuesday's Daily Sun.)

The boxing tournament at the Queen's Rink last evening had a tragic ending. In the sixth and last round of the preliminary bout between Fred Northrup and "Cap" O'Regan, the latter was knocked out, and never rallied.

HE WAS IN PERFECT HEALTH.

The dead boxer is a son of Florence O'Regan, a box stvedore, and a well known citizen, and followed the same trade as his father, although he formerly worked at plumbing. He was twenty-two years of age, and his father, who was present during the fight and at the boy's death, said he never knew him to have a sick day in his life.

THE NEWS OF HIS DEATH.

While the doctors were working with O'Regan, and until the fatal result was known, there was considerable excitement. The referee announced after a short time that the boy was coming around, and the crowd breathed more easily. The long delay, however, looked bad, but the crowd was not prepared for the sad news when it came.

CHIEF CLARK ORDERS ARRESTS MADE.

It was an anxious time, too, for all concerned in the affair. As soon as the young man's case looked serious, Chief Clark had Northrup, the referee, Wm. O'Keefe, the ticket seller, Lorenzo T. Richey, and the following seconds, Leonard Sugrus, Louis Seely, George Hicks and Andrew Coyle, who were in the private room at the time, brought into the ring room and as soon as the boy was dead, placed them under arrest. They were taken to the central station and locked up, it being too late to secure bail.

NIXON HAS DISAPPEARED.

Robert Nixon, a well known sporting character, who was the promoter of the tournament, and who brought Gardner from Lowell to box Littlejohn, disappeared from view at the first intimation that O'Regan was in a serious condition.

WANT MORE MONEY.

During the excitement created by the untimely ending of the Northrup-O'Regan bout, Gardiner and Littlejohn, who were to have been the principals in the main attraction, were all but forgotten. They did not forget the receipts, however, but were much chagrined at the small amount turned over to them by Richey, who sold the tickets. They expressed the opinion that Nixon must have gathered up most of the money before he went away. They claimed that \$180 was all they received from the vendor of the tickets. This amount they divided between them, Nixon being unrepresented at the division of the proceeds.

GARDINER QUILTS THE RING.

"You can say for me that I will never enter the ring again. I am through with the game for good and all. These four tragedies of the ring have sickened me of the game. I shall never put on a glove again."

THE MEMBERS OF THE POLICE FORCE WHO MADE THE ARRESTS LAST NIGHT WERE:

Chief Clark, Deputy Chief Jettin, Detective Killen, Sergt. Chaples, Sergt. Baxter, and Officers Scott, Crawford and Ross.



Provincial News

MONCTON, Oct. 27.—The report of the Moncton police court for the year ended September shows 552 cases before the court, of which 380 were drunk and 90 Canada Temperance Act cases. There were 21 indictable offenses.

Rev. W. A. Ross will farewell to the Presbyterian congregation at Humphreys on Sunday. Mr. Ross goes to Londonderry, N. B., having accepted a call to the church there.

Manager Sherwood of the Salisbury and Harvey railway, who was in town today on the way to St. John, reports that two new bridges have been built on his road this summer, one at Cupyville, the other three miles north of Hillsboro.

Geo. B. Willett, manager of Humphreys' clothing store here, returned today from Grandville, N. B., where he was attending the funeral of his uncle, Gilbert Willett, who died suddenly on Monday, aged 83 years.

Waterbury, N. B., Oct. 25.—St. Luke's church was very prettily decorated for their annual Thanksgiving service. Rev. H. H. Gillies delivered an appropriate sermon and a special offering was made for home missions.

T. M. Wiggins had the misfortune to lose a young horse on Saturday. This is the second horse Mrs. Wiggins has lost within a few weeks.

Messrs. Robert and William Gale of St. John, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mrs. Geo. Gale and daughter, Alma, have gone to St. John on a visit.

Rev. Mr. Worden of Upper Jemseg, held service in the Baptist church here on Monday evening.

The Methodist congregation held their Thanksgiving service at Young's Creek on Thursday night and at Young's Cove on Friday night.

A number of young people met at Daniel Mott's Friday evening and spent a very pleasant time.

Duncan Ferris and Brunswick Slocum are engaged painting the Episcopal rectory and parsonage at Lower Jemseg. The Episcopal church is also being painted.

Willie Mott of Portland, Me. is visiting his parents.

A number of young men from this place are preparing to leave for the lumber woods in the near future.

Samuel Starkey, surveyor, of Johnson's, is engaged by several parties running lines.

Mrs. Jas. B. Wiggins is ill and is being attended by Dr. T. J. O. Earle.

The friends of Mrs. Isaac Snodgrass will be sorry to learn that she is ill again. John Snodgrass, Sr., is also receiving medical attention.

Inspector Steeves visited the schools in this place this week.

Mrs. T. M. Wiggins and Master Victor Wiggins have just returned from St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Botsford returned on Monday from a visit to Salmon Creek.

Melbourne Orchard of Bar Harbor, and Walter Orchard of Chipman, were in this place a few days ago.

John Gale, Jr., who has been ill, is better.

Great quantities of potatoes are being shipped from Young's Cove wharf. The apple crop also seems to have been very good in this section.

that were not there had been present it would not have done them any harm to have heard some hard facts concerning the rum evil and the grand work that is being done by the all too small army of total abstainers. During the morning the lodge choir furnished appropriate selections.

Considerable interest is shown in connection with the coming couple's election in this parish. I. C. Prescott and Capt. E. T. Carter are opposing the old councillors, Messrs. Carnworth and Downey, and canvassing is pretty lively.

Rev. Thos. Hicks and Mrs. Hicks of Albert returned today from a driving tour to Moncton and Shediac. They were accompanied by Mr. Stewart, representing Mrs. Dobson's millinery establishment of Moncton, who went to Riverside yesterday to remain for a time.

MILLTOWN, N. B., Oct. 28.—Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hacker are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a young son at their home, Church street. Miss Eva Farnham left Wednesday morning for Boston, where she will make her home.

Mrs. Wm. Morrison left Wednesday evening by way of C. P. R. for Minneapolis, en route she will visit Mrs. J. C. Robertson at Toronto.

The wedding of Miss Sara McLeod and Ernest DeWitt of St. John, took place Wednesday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Campbell McLeod. Immediately after the ceremony refreshments were served and the happy couple left for a honeymoon trip.

Mrs. J. G. Staryk left Thursday evening for Hamilton, Ont., where her husband has a situation. Her sister, Miss Fannie Templeman, who is in poor health, accompanied her, and will spend the winter with her.

Little Emma Elsomore, the diphtheria patient who it was thought was recovering, took an ill turn last evening and died this afternoon at two o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Thompson Lodge are receiving congratulations on the arrival of strangers at their home, two boys.

MILLSTREAM, Kings Co., Oct. 27.—Charles Belding, who has been suffering from bronchitis, is recovering.

The marriage of Charles O'Brien and Bridget O'Donnell was celebrated on Wednesday, 18th inst. The bride was attended by Frances McHugh, cousin of the groom, while Charles McHugh acted as best man.

A concert and pie social was held in Perry district on Tuesday, 24th inst. A good sum was realized, which will go towards school purposes.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O'Donnell have arrived from New Hampshire to spend the winter with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Addy and family have gone to Salisbury, where they will make their home with Mrs. Addy's parents.

A very successful pie social was held in the hall on Tuesday, when the neat sum of \$18 was realized. Proceeds go for church purposes.

Miss Lizzie Fenton of Lynn is visiting her father and brother.

HARCOURT, N. B., Oct. 27.—Herbert Langin of Cranbrook, B. C., and Curtis Langin of Chipman, visited Harcourt this week.

James Barnes, M. P. P., and Alfred Haines inspected the site of a proposed highway road between here and Kent Junction this week.

Much needed repairs are being made to the bridges over Big Forks and Little Forks streams.

CHICAGO, Oct. 27.—Three lives were lost, property valued at \$150,000 was destroyed, scores of families were made homeless and freight traffic on the New York, Chicago and St. Louis railroad was delayed for several hours on account of the breaking of a three foot water main at 18th and Clark streets today. Water from the burst water pipe flooded several blocks, damaging a number of business houses and residences.

THE SINKING OF THE MIKASA

Naval Opinion is That Crossing of High-Voltage Electric Wires Caused the Fire to Spread.

A naval officer, writing on the sinking of Togo's flagship, the Mikasa, offers the following elucidation: In spite of the terrible loss of life from the explosion of the magazine of the Mikasa and the exceedingly worthy suspicions that may exist concerning the origin of the fire, there is something of solace well worth considering in the certainty of the knowledge that the good battleship is not lost to the Japanese navy, for she can and will be quickly raised and repaired.

In itself and to the outside this fact would ordinarily stand for nothing of particular interest, as it would only signify that the strength of the strength of the Japanese navy or its reduction by one battleship. But the Mikasa was Togo's flagship, the centre of the decisive naval battle off Tsushima, and as such there is some possibility connected with her putting her in the heroic list with names held dear among the nations.

Everyone is familiar with the general details of fire-proof buildings, and everyone knows that such buildings suffer from configurations due to the inflammable fittings installed. In this respect a well-founded battleship is far and away superior to the most perfectly outfitted fire-proof building in the world.

To the uninitiated, the mere fact that a warship contains tons of gunpowder and other explosives, presents a source of inherent danger. This feature, however, as may be imagined, is the best guarded of all the elements. In a well disciplined ship, an element of this nature is made to give general warning of an excessive and dangerous rise. There is another invariable precaution taken with all magazines. Being installed always below the waterline, provision is made for quickly flooding them with water. The cooks being worked from various distant parts of the vessel.

Finally, all city dwellers are accustomed to the promptness and efficiency with which fire departments attack conflagrations. It is true that the fire is not always overcome short of ruin, but, on the other hand, it seems often almost marvelous how quickly about one hundred men, well trained, can get a fierce fire under control. With a battleship like the Mikasa, there are not one hundred, but more than seven hundred men, thoroughly trained in fire work. They have no other means of low pressure to deal with, but are in readiness almost on the instant.

A fair average in time from the first sound of the alarm until all the water streams are available and pouring at full head, would be fifteen seconds on a well disciplined ship. Summing up, then, we have a thoroughly disciplined and highly trained crew; a ship where it is difficult to start a fire, or to feed it after it is started; ample fire fighting machinery; constant police patrol of the ship for this always exists—and, in spite of all this, the vessel did actually catch fire and her magazine blew up.

In view of the fact that the peace treaty has been happily unratified, and that rioting has occurred, it has been surmised that possibly the ship may have been deliberately destroyed by some of her crew. To the writer, this seems an impossible supposition, under the circumstances. Full weight must be given to the fact that this was a crew who had won the highest honors and their admiral's commendation, people many in respect, sailors and universal in one respect; the pride and love which they have for their commander, when such feelings exist, extend to the ship itself. One of those men would naturally no more attempt to destroy the ship, a real part of himself, than he would have raised his hand against Admiral Togo in person.

Assume that dissatisfaction existed, and that a high state of resentment existed. The ship was well disciplined. This cannot be gained. It follows then that of the great number of men and officers on board there could only be a very few so far affected as to adopt any such course. To deliberately attempt to set fire to their vessel was practically a most difficult operation, requiring free, untrammelled, long continued work, impossible under the circumstances. Even if a fire could be started by any of the common confidant methods, it would have been discovered and doused quickly. Still, again under any ordinary conflagration methods, it does not seem possible that the ship would have been permitted to explode. It would have been flooded in time. The treacherery feeds seemed untenable from a dozen different considerations. In fact it might seem reasonable to persons entirely unacquainted with naval discipline and surroundings, that those having such a knowledge either it is apparent that obstacles are insurmountable or the knowledge is biased by a false sense of moral duty.

COUNTRY MARKET

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THE HALIFAX GARRISON

CITTAWA, Ont., Oct. 27.—According to advices received by the department of militia, the war office will hand over the control of the Halifax garrison to the Canadian authorities on November 3.

Mr. General Grierson, who was here last week, prodded the home authorities so that they moved at last.

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Advertisement for Good Hope Remedy Co. featuring a 97-piece dinner and tea set. Includes text: 'How a Full Size, Beautifully Decorated, Latest Pattern, 97 Piece Dinner and Tea Set may be obtained without cost, and our reasons for giving it away for disposing of less goods than any other firm, are fully explained in our Dishes Circular, which we will send to every person who immediately after you have sold the \$2.50 worth and returned the money, we will then promptly send you the Full Size, Beautifully Decorated 97 Piece Dinner and Tea Set. Our methods are honest and we know perfectly well that the continued success of our business depends upon those who help us advertise and introduce our Grand Remedy. We arrange to pay all freight charges on these Dishes to your nearest station, and we box, pack and ship them free of charge. Don't miss this splendid opportunity. Write us to-day.'

Five Picture Post Cards

of local views, will be sent to any SEMI-WEEKLY SUN subscriber who sends one dollar on his subscription account before the 31st November, next.

A splendid picture of King Edward VII will be sent to any new or old subscriber sending 75 cents for a subscription one year in advance.

THE SUN, THE STAR

These papers have a combined circulation of about 10,000 a day.

A GOOD CITIZEN DEAD. In the death of Israel Nobles, in the 82d year of his age, which took place at Hatfield's Point, Kings Co. on Thursday evening, the 28th inst, the community loses one of its oldest and most respected citizens.

INSURANCE AGENT AND HIS VICTIMS KILLED. COATICOOKE, Que., Oct. 27.—A serious fatality occurred in a gravel pit belonging to the corporation at Coaticooke yesterday afternoon between 4 o'clock, when three men were buried beneath about 2,000 tons of gravel. It seems Jean Richard and Jos. Rickney, corporation workmen, were working in the pit when they were joined by Frank St. Cyr, insurance agent, who started to talk insurance. The conversation had proceeded a few minutes, when the men observed the bank falling. They made a desperate effort to escape, but could not get clear. Cyr's cries attracted the attention of the man who was hauling gravel and he gave the alarm. Very soon a large gang of men were at work with shovels, but it was not until two hours later that the bodies were recovered.

FEDERAL BY-ELECTION. TORONTO, Oct. 27.—It is semi-officially announced, that the by-election for the house of commons in West Lambton will be held November 21.





