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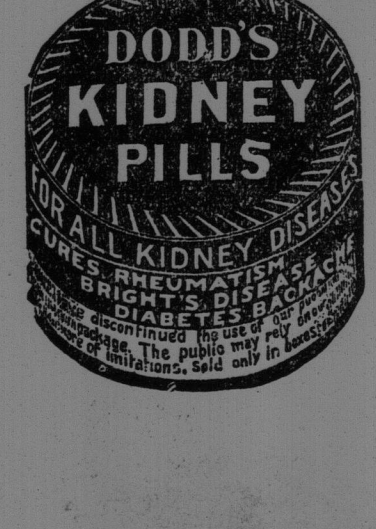
"And yet there is something magnificent in a vengeance like his," Ravenspur said, thoughtfully...

"I think, on the whole, you had better remain here for the present," Ravenspur suggested...

"One moment," Ravenspur said. "When Louis married you, Mrs. Delahay, did he not notice your extraordinary likeness to the Countess, whom he had befriended so many years ago?"

"He couldn't," the Countess exclaimed. "Not only was our interview in the dark, but I was wearing a veil..."

CHAPTER XLVII The Passing of the Vengeance It was well into the following afternoon when the trained nurse came quietly down the stairs...



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Anderson-Howland Fredericton, July 16.-At the parsonage on George street on Wednesday afternoon, the ceremony of marriage was performed...

Dixon-Chase Amherst, N.S., July 16.-The marriage of Charles B. Dixon, assistant station agent, Sackville, N.S., to Miss Josephine Chase, took place at the Baptist parsonage in Amherst last evening...

CHURCH SPIRE REMOVED St. John The Baptist Spire Taken Down and Will Not be Replaced. The spire of St. John the Baptist church in Broad street, owing to its being in an unsafe condition, has been taken down...

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Table with columns for GROCERIES and SUGAR, listing various goods and their prices.

Table with columns for CANNED GOODS and FISH, listing various goods and their prices.

Table with columns for PROVISIONS and GRAIN, ETC., listing various goods and their prices.

Table with columns for OILS, listing various goods and their prices.

The mayor, Ald. McGoldrick, and Ald. Frink, with Hurd Peck and William Murdoch, directors of the board of works and water, are at the board of works...

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### DR. PUGSLEY'S SERAPHIC SMILE WAS AGAIN IN THE FLEWIGHT

**Stinging Attack From Mr. Foster Evokes no Reply But a Smile From Minister of Public Works--The Aylesworth Bill Passed in Parliament Yesterday.**

Ottawa, July 16.—The Aylesworth election bill was given its third reading today after several amendments proposed by the opposition were voted down.

Mr. Borden moved to strike out the sections dealing with the New Ontario vote.

Mr. Borden attempted to secure provision for simultaneous elections except in the Yukon.

Mr. Foster proposed an amendment to make it a crime to offer public works to constituents as an inducement to voting with an election impending and Dr. Sproule proposed to strike out the marked ballot clause, but these were all declared lost.

Mr. Pugsley declared at the outset that the statement in the Toronto Globe on Saturday that the concessions were now declared by the opposition to be satisfactory, was without foundation.

Discussing the ballot clause, Mr. Henderson feared that it would provide a weapon to corrupt electors. In Ontario under the Ross regime he knew a case of the voters' list being taken to Toronto and checked with the original ballots.

On the defeat of Mr. Foster's motion, Dr. Pugsley smiled.

"You're safe for another year," said Mr. Foster to the minister of public works.

The opposition vigorously attacked Mr. Graham's railway aid resolutions this afternoon on the ground that the time has come to cease granting subsidies, except under very exceptional circumstances and for the reason that there was a few days before the prorogation to enquire into the merits of individual claims. There was very little ministerial support of the proposal, Mr. Henderson being the only Liberal outside the government to risk an opinion.

Mr. Wilson asked for a statement of the ministerial policy with regard to bonuses when the Liberals were in opposition they took strong ground against this class of legislation being introduced at a late day in the session. Mr. Wilson announced his strong opposition to the resolutions.

Mr. Graham pleaded that a new country must have railways to progress. He did not think Canada had arrived at a point where she could do away with granting aid to railways.

R. L. Borden said the resolutions were introduced seven months and seventeen days after the meeting of the cabinet. The government is forced to admit that all the delay of the session was due to their own neglect to bring forward the business. Either these resolutions were prepared two or three months ago or the argument was made up only a few days before they were introduced. The total subsidies amounted for 3,935 miles of railway, equal to the Transcontinental railway, and the proposal was not presented in 48 hours of the close of the session.

At \$5,200 per mile the subsidies would amount to \$20,000,000. If the cost exceeds \$15,000 a mile the cost would greatly exceed this figure. It was not exaggeration to say that the treasury would be pledged to no less a sum than \$22,500,000, which added to the bond guarantee, would bring the total obligations up to over \$50,000,000.

The house was without any information whatever, as to the necessity for granting subsidies. Evidently the government did not propose to have them investigated. It was impossible for parliament to give anything like proper consideration to the subject.

Mr. Haughton was entirely opposed to subsidies. There were no candidates for Lawrence proposed but at this late day it was impossible to intelligently discuss them.

### FLEWELLING'S SHORTAGE FOUND TO BE \$18,653.17

**Auditor Miller Finds That in 1904 Late Deputy Surveyor General Was \$13,000 Behind--System of Bookkeeping Was Very Loose--Former Surveyors General Blamed for Permitting It.**

Fredericton, N. B., July 16.—At the meeting of the local government tonight the report of Auditor Miller on the shortage of the late Deputy-Surveyor-General Flewelling was presented and the deficit amounting to be \$18,653.17. The report follows:

Hon. W. C. H. Grimmer, surveyor-general, St. J. N. B., in connection with the report of Auditor Miller on the shortage of the late Deputy-Surveyor-General Flewelling, stated that he had completed my investigation into the state of affairs between the crown land department and the late deputy-surveyor, Mr. W. F. Flewelling, with a view to adjusting the amount due by the late deputy to the department.

The state of the late deputy's debt being the 4th of May, 1908, and the date the London Guarantee & Accident Assurance Company granted the bond being the 1st of July, 1904, I have prepared schedules which I append hereto.

I will deal in the first place with the amount of the deficit on the 4th of May, 1908, which amounts to \$18,653.17, and which I arrive at in the following manner: Schedule 1 shows the balance unexpended on the account current, \$7,767.14. This being the balance of unexpended warrants the amount should be at the credit of the department in the bank accounts, but instead of that there is an overdraft which consequently has to be added amounting to \$8,748.78.

I will now pass back to the date when the London Guarantee and Assurance Company issued the bond guaranteeing the government in respect to the late deputy's transactions, namely, the 1st day of July, 1904, when Mr. Flewelling's shortage appears to have been \$13,447.87. This figure is arrived at in the following manner: Schedule 3 shows a summary of the territorial revenues collected from 31st October, 1903, to 30th June, 1904, and payments made on the same date (30th June, 1904) I find that the sum at the credit of the deputy in the bank of B. N. A. amounted to \$4,200.00. Therefore the difference which belongs to the territorial revenue account must be deducted from the above cash balance \$55.77, making a deficit on 30th June, 1904 as above mentioned, \$13,447.84.

From the above figures it will be seen that the late deputy's deficit increased itself as to how the deputy-surveyor-general manipulated these funds. The general idea appears to have been that he drew cheques for his personal use on the account with the Bank of N. B. A., but this is not so, as the personal cheques drawn were very few and in amount, while the territorial revenues, leaving a balance in the deputy's account, have deposited his

### LOCAL GOVERNMENT PITS BORINGS UP TO DOMINION

**Province Will Pay One-Third the Cost of Courtenay Bay Borings--Will Borrow \$2,000,000 to Pay Old Floating Debt and Build Permanent Bridges.**

Fredericton, N. B., July 16.—The local government held a meeting here this evening with all the members in attendance.

A St. John delegation composed of Mayor Bullock, Aldermen Eriks, and McGoldrick, City Engineer Priks, and Engineer Murdoch was heard in regard to having borings made in Courtenay Bay. The matter was fully gone into and the government promised to bear one-third of the cost of the work, providing it does not exceed \$10,000.

The delegation also made representations in regard to the Marsh Bridge way and the government promised that the matter would be considered.

It is the opinion of the members of the executive that the Dominion government should bear a portion of the cost of the work, as the abolition is necessary to protect the Intercolonial Railway. At the request of the delegation the chief commissioner promised to send the provincial engineers to St. John to inspect the work.

Provincial Secretary Fleming reported that the executive of the Bank of Montreal would renew the London loan and provide money to pay off the floating indebtedness and for permanent bridges, making a total of about \$2,000,000 at a rate of three and three-quarters per cent. The government decided that it would be inadvisable to issue debentures at the present time, so will make a loan with the Bank of Montreal for six months at the rate named.

The rate paid by the late government on the London loan was a trifle less than five per cent.

The report of Auditor Miller on the accounts of the late Deputy-Surveyor-General Flewelling was submitted by Surveyor-General Grimmer and he stated that he had written for a report on the crown lands suspense account and it is expected that it would be forthcoming in the course of a few days.

A petition was read from the St. John Board of School Trustees asking permission to issue bonds to the amount of \$40,000 for the erection and equipment of a new school building on Winter street in St. John. The government decided to grant the prayer of the petition.

The wedding of Miss Florence Whitehead, daughter of W. T. Whitehead, and Frank Shute, of the Royal Bank of Canada, will take place at the Cathedral on the 28th inst. After the ceremony they will leave for Vancouver, B. C., where they will make their home.

Dr. MacDonald, who recently resigned from the faculty of the University of New Brunswick, has been appointed to an instructorship at McGill University. Dr. MacDonald left here last evening to spend a short time at Burnt Church before proceeding to Montreal. He was offered the instructorship of Philosophy a few days ago, Prof. Taylor having resigned to accept a position at St. Andrew's University in Scotland.

On Wednesday afternoon at the parsonage, the marriage of Miss Mary J. Christie to William T. Allen, both of Peniac, took place. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. A. Rideout and was witnessed by a large circle of their friends. The bride was beautifully attired in white and carried a bouquet of carnations.

Last evening the parlors of the Empire Hotel in this city were the scene of a pretty wedding, when Miss Mary L. Murray, of Stouffville, was united in marriage to Holly Stewart, of Waterbury, Queens county. The groom was supported by J. Winslow Clark, of Margerville, while Miss Grace L. Miles, of this city, was the bridesmaid. Rev. A. A. Rideout officiated. Mr. and Mrs. Stewart left by boat this morning for Waterbury, where they will for the present reside.

### ADMIRAL HAUNTS THE AUTHORESS

**Miss Agnes Laut, the Canadian Writer, Appeals to Sheriff for Protection.**

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., July 16.—"Meet me at the stone crusher," and "Wait for me at the Frog Pond," are some of the unpoetic requests that Miss Agnes Christian Laut, the well-known authoress who lives at Wassaic, Dutchess county, has been receiving from a mysterious and unwelcome Mexican admirer who signs himself "Carrow."

So fast have the love letters been arriving and so thoroughly saturated are they with threats that Miss Laut fears for her safety, and she appealed to Sheriff "Bob" Chantler to save her from further annoyance.

Miss Laut says the several years ago she received a letter from "Carrow" praising one of her stories relative to the settlement of the Mississippi Valley. After that letters arrived from the same source from time to time and Miss Laut says she answered them, thinking the man might be a student of that period. Then the missives began to take on an affectionate tone and were coming in each number that the postman had to yell for help. The letters followed her to Europe and when she returned they were still coming. She appealed to the postal authorities in vain to stop the gushing communications.

### WILL BE BURIED HERE

O. J. Alexander of Montreal is in the city to attend to the removal of his brother's body from Westfield Centre, where he was accidentally drowned on July 2. The body will be buried in the Jewish burying ground at Fernald.

Mr. Alexander feels that all thanks are due to Coroner Ballantine for his successful action in tracing the relatives of the deceased.

A large number attended a successful social given last evening in Fairville Methodist church school room under the auspices of the choir. After the sale of ice cream and strawberries, an excellent programme was carried out. Rev. T. J. Deinstadt presided. Those who took part were Miss Schofield, Stanley Smith, Gretta Forest, Miss Buelin and the choir.

### ENCOURAGED HIS ADVANCES

**Strange Story of Love and Espionage--Woman Uses Her Beauty to Obtain German Secrets Regarding Smokeless Powder.**

London, July 16.—What is believed to have been an attempt to obtain the secret of the composition of the new German smokeless powder for the French government has been frustrated by the Kiel police, and two suspected persons were brought before a court martial on a charge of treason.

The prisoners are Fraulien Petersen, of Hamburg, a handsome woman, who gives her age as forty-seven, though she looks no more than 25, and a warrant officer, named Dietrich, connected with the German explosives department.

Petersen, whose parents conduct a humble restaurant in Hamburg, has been living in Kiel for some time as a teacher of languages. She made her home with a well-to-do German naval captain, and through her introduction got to know Dietrich.

The young man became infatuated with the handsome teacher, and it is alleged that she deliberately encouraged his advances in order to obtain the secret information she desired. So that she might meet Dietrich untrammelled, she left the widow's house and took apartments on her own account.

Her late landlady, who kept up an acquaintance with Petersen, was struck by the frequent visits of Dietrich, and also by the fact that the woman's dress and mode of living were quite out of proportion to the earnings she was supposed to get as a teacher.

Then the widow, becoming inquisitive, found that Dietrich occasionally brought what appeared to be official papers for his sweetheart to look over. She thereupon conveyed her suspicions to the police.

The latter thereupon watched the teacher when he went for a three weeks' holiday to Hamburg, as she said, and traced him to Paris, where they allege she conveyed certain papers. They also discovered that she was drawing \$125 a month from French secret agents by way of wages.

When she returned an ambush was laid, and she was watched both day and night, the police occupying a room adjoining hers, from which they could hear her every word. Dietrich continued to visit Paris, and their conversations were faithfully reported. At length, words were heard which signified that the two had noticed that they were being watched, and were considering how best they could destroy the compromising documents relating to the smokeless powder and German harbor plans which they had in their possession. They were accordingly arrested without delay.

The prisoners declare their innocence, but the German police declare that they have overwhelming evidence of guilt.

### STUYVESANT FISH IS NOT OPTIMISTIC

**No Immediate Prospect of a Revival of Business in the States.**

(New York Journal of Commerce.)

Mr. and Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish were passengers on the New York, of the American line, which sailed for Southampton on Saturday. They will be gone until September.

"There is no immediate prospect of a business revival in this country," said Mr. Fish to the group of newspaper representatives who surrounded him. "All that hard pressed for money. This is shown by the fact that many of the so-called wealthy are not paying cash for their regular household expenses. They are holding on as long as possible before they settle their bills."

"The result of this is a financial congestion. The merchant is unable to get money with which to make new purchases, and so business comes to a standstill. Why, I know many wealthy persons who are not even able to pay their ordinary bills."

"The more money you are used to having in the hand it is to cut down. Excessive prices and many wants are created. For example, it is a great deal harder for a man who has been living at the rate of \$200 a year to get down to a \$50.00 a year standard than it is for a man to get along on \$10. "We have got to get used to the cry of hard times, for it will be sounded again. In August, there were a revival of the cry of hard times. A Presidential year is coming, and the hard times may be used by the campaign collectors to get money from men of wealth. The plea will be that the election of a certain candidate to the Presidency will bring about a restoration of confidence and a subsequent return of prosperity."

"Of course, there will be some slight revival of business after election. Our natural resources, however, will have something to do with bringing about that condition. The crops are amply enormous, and the railroads will have all they can do to carry them. It is the farmer to whom the crops will bring prosperity, for while the railroads will have plenty of work to do, the farmer is much benefited. As a result of this activity the gross receipts of the railroads will show a tremendous improvement, but the price of labor will be so great that there will be no improvement in the net earnings. This will mean that all forms of industry will be at a loss to directed and she was at once relieved, and after a couple of doses were taken was completely cured."

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### THE SOBO IN PORT

The West India Line steamer Sobol, Captain Bridges, arrived off Partridge Island at 3:30 p. m. yesterday, and docked at the Pettigill wharf soon after 4 o'clock. The steamer had fine weather on the voyage and made a quick passage. The time from St. David's Head, Bermuda to Partridge Island was seventy-two hours.

Among the large number of passengers on board was Chief Justice Gollan, of Bermuda. He will leave for Halifax as soon as her freight is discharged.

A very successful ice cream and candy sale was held at Riverside on Tuesday afternoon for the tree kindergarten, five little girls. Misses Elizabeth Morrison, Audrey Ross and Helen Murdoch had charge of the candy table; Dorothy Ewing and Edith Barnes the ice cream; George Trueman, Hazel McArthur, Doris and Mary Barnes, lemonade and fruit. The amount realized was \$17.30.

### HEARST WILL NOT COME TO AID BRYAN

**Gompers's Appeal Has No Effect on Independence League Leader--A Scorching for the Democrats.**

New York, N. Y., July 16.—A cablegram has been received from William Randolph Hearst in reply to a message transmitted to Mr. Hearst from Samuel Gompers, stating that in view of the Democratic stand for labor, it would be "an act of greatest patriotism for the Independence party to endorse the Democratic platform" and urging him not to run a third ticket, as it would elect Mr. Taft. Mr. Hearst's cablegram follows:

"Paris, July 13.—Tell Mr. Gompers that I am not authorized to speak for the membership of the Independence League, but according to my personal standards, a pure patriotism consists in laboring to establish a new party which will be consistently devoted to the interests of the citizenship and particularly to the advantage and advancement of the producing classes. I do not think the path of patriotism lies in supporting a discredited and decadent old party, which has neither conscientious conviction nor honest intention in endorsing chameleon candidates who change the color of their political opinion with every varying hue of opportunism. I do not think the best benefit of laboring men lies in supporting that old party because of a sop of false promise, when the performance of that party while in power did more to injure labor than all the injunctions ever issued before or since. I have lost faith in the empty professions of an unscrupulous democracy. I have lost confidence in the ability, in the sincerity, and even in the integrity of its leaders. I do not consider it patriotic to pretend to support that which, as a citizen, I distrust and detest and I earnestly hope the Independence party will give me an opportunity to vote for candidates that are both able and honest, and for a declaration of principles that is both sound and sincere."

Signed—  
"WILLIAM RANDOLPH HEARST."

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12.00 Fancy Worsteds Suits	Reduced to 8.35	3-Piece Suits that were 5.00	Now 3.98
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AN ILLUMINATING SMILE Dr. Pugsley smiled yesterday when Mr. Forter's motion to make it a crime to offer public works to constituencies as an inducement to voters, with an election pending, was voted down.

It is true there are carping critics, who prate about principle and that sort of thing, after the manner of the Montreal Gazette, which gives expression to its views in the following terms: "The Graphic of Campbellton, N. B., citing the number of federal public works lately constructed in its locality urges that they are a reason why in the coming parliamentary election the voters should support the candidates of the Laurier government."

The provincial government will pay one-third of the cost of the Courtenay Bay boings, providing the total cost is not above \$10,000. Doubtless the work will soon be begun.

whose supporters can only say for it that it is a free spender of money among those who give it their favor. The words of the Gazette are interesting, of course, but the memory of them fades before the illuminating smile of Dr. Pugsley.

THE POWER OF LABOR The extent to which labor organizations control the situation in the United States is set forth in a remarkable statement made a few days since by Vice President Brown of the New York Central Railway, in reply to a protest by the Manufacturers Association of New York against an increase in freight rates.

The New York Journal of Commerce comments on Mr. Brown's practical admission, that the railroads dare not attempt to reduce wages, in this scornful fashion: "What this amounts to is a statement that at the height of railroad prosperity, when traffic was overwhelming the roads and it was hard to get labor enough, organized labor in the railroad service took advantage of the opportunity to add \$100,000,000 a year to the cost of that service in labor alone, with the powerful influence of the government to back it and the terrible weapon of a general strike that would paralyze business to enforce its demand."

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There's a boy on the street Who is idling his time, Who possesses no life for a game. The language he speaks Is most filthy, most foul, He frequently uses bad names. He is young, yet in evil He's leering and winking. What is wrong with the boy? 'Tis the home that is wrong.

There are boys everywhere With the exception of home, There are boys at the street, There are boys at the club, On the field, on the golf, There are boys every place where one goes. At home they are boarding; They sleep there and eat there. What is wrong with the boys? 'Tis the home that is wrong.

Ask yourself of your son: "Do we want him around? Are we content to have him in and out? Are there games he may play? Do we play with him? Are there books he desires to read? Oh, what is the reason He is not at home? What is wrong with the boy? 'Tis the home that is wrong.

When he bustles himself At his portion of work, And he succeeds in getting it done, May he ask his friends To come and enjoy it with him? Does he find fun at home, Or outside here and there? He goes where his heart is. The home must be wrong.

IN LIGHTER VEIN EASY. Rocker—"Doing wrong is simply following the line of least resistance. It's easy as asphy as taking off the Decalogue."—Lita.

FUN AHEAD. The Boy (travelling)—"You are the first one on this line I ever heard of in dead? She—'At what lots of fun you have ahead of you, Freddy?'"—London Opinion.

NOT WORTH IT. Young Fitzmoore (with a yawn)—"Ya-as, Freddy, I've a thousand a year just to Farmer Hardjap. Don't you pay it all with it."—Judge.

CONCLUSIVE EVIDENCE. Mother—"Are you sure that the girl will make you a good wife?" Son—"Sure, Absolutely certain. She is the most lively, generous, considerate, tender-hearted girl I ever met in my life."

NONE OF HIS BUSINESS. (Scene—Farmers' dinner table well filled. Chairman—"Mr. Thomson, please say the grace." Mr. Thomson, with bent head, commences to whisper to himself. Farmer next to him—"Speak out, Thomson!" Thomson—"Shut up; I'm no' speaking in 'ta' you."

CHALKING UP A RACE. Two Irishmen were about to run a race to a certain tree by different routes. Suddenly the stranger's face clouded over and he asked how they were to tell who reached the tree first. "Well, I'll make a mark on that tree with this chalk, and if you get there first you can rub it out."—The Old Trouble.

THE CHICAGO BRAND OF CANNED RELIGION (Victoria Colonist.) Chicago seems likely hereafter to get its religion canned. The Rev. Jenkin Lloyd Jones, who is in charge of All Souls church in that city, is greatly pleased with the suggestion that during the hot season ministers should dictate their sermons to a phonograph, and then go in charge of some one, who could start it at the appropriate time.

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The Regular \$5.00 Stetson is sold by us for \$4 BLACK or FAWN. F. S. THOMAS Fashionable Hatter 539 Main Street

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If you want to save money on your fuel supplies, do not neglect to give us your order this month. We have a large stock coming in, which we can sell at the lowest prices.

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Sawed Soft Wood, \$1.35 per load. Kindling, \$1.40 per load. Sawed Hard Wood, \$2.25 per load. Sawed and Split Hard Wood, \$2.50 per load.

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Winter Port, New Brunswick; Springhill; Pictou Egg; Broad Cove. A discount of 50c. per ton will be given from the regular prices on all orders of two tons or more.

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Purchase, \$5.25. Egg and Chestnut Sizes, \$5.25. Stove, \$5.75. These are lower than the lowest Spring rates.

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Scotch Jumbo or Furnace size, \$6.15. Scotch Stove and Chestnut sizes, \$6.25.

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We are offering these very low prices in order to move the coal quickly while we have so much coming.

Prices must be higher later, and it will pay you to buy your coal from us now when you can save to \$1.00 a ton on your purchase.

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FINANCIAL and COMMERCIAL

COTTON LETTER.

July 17th. With the advance of the season, and nearing the time when the new crop movement will become the decided factor in connection with the demand from consumers, the interest in cotton as a speculative proposition continues to broaden.

London 2 p.m.—Consols 87 1/16, Am. 7 7/8, C. 8 3/4, Atch. 88 1/4, B.O. 90 5/8, CO. 42 1/8, CW. 8 7/8, CPR. 167 5/8, D. 25 7/8, Erie 19 5/8, EP. 37, Ill. 124 1/2, K.T. 29 1/4, LN. ex. div. 108 1/2, Mx. 14 5/4, N.Y. 14 1/4, NP. 128 1/2, Gen. 105 1/8, OW. 39 3/4, Pa. 122 3/4, RG. 115, RI. 16 1/2, SR. 17 1/2, St. 45 1/4, SP. 90 1/8, St. Paul 126 1/2, UP. 149 1/4, U.S. 42 1/2, UX. 107 5/8, WZ. 23 1/2.

Chicago—The indications are for a bull market in grains for the next few days. Those who were out on the curb late looked for higher prices and gave good reasons.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET. Thursday, July 17, 1908. New York Stock Exchange Chicago Market.

NEW YORK COTTON. New York, July 17.—Cotton futures opened steady, July, 9.47; August, 9.37; September, 9.37 bid; October, 9.36; December, 9.18; January, 9.10; February, 9.08; March, 9.11.

THE ENGLISH MARKET.

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the best that can be produced. Also Cream, Butter and Ice Cream, to be obtained at The Maritime Dairy Co., Ltd. 201 Main Street, Phone 178.

Friday Night Sales

Many interesting lines of goods at especially low prices. Friday night is coming to be the shopping event of the week. Don't forget your visit to this store Friday evening.

300 yds Fancy and Checked Dress Goods

All the pretty cutting silks at present in stock have been cut in price in effect, a July clearance. Very neat pin-head checks, broken checks, etc., besides a number of other designs. Regular 65c. Sale Price, 58c yd

Bargains in Ladies' Elbow Silk Gloves

Fine "Milanes" silk gloves in champagne, cardinal, sky, grey, pink and tan. Regular 75c; Friday, 50c

For Making White Dress Skirts

Fine close make of duck for outside wash skirts. Takes 6 or 7 yards for plaited skirt. 17c yd

White Quilt-Samples

New white Marseilles quilts in 10-4 or 11-4 sizes. Perfectly fresh goods put on for this sale. Prices \$1, 1.25, 1.40, etc.

Light Colored Undershirts

Light colored undershirts in fancy stripes, or fancy colored, moosewax shirts. Prices, \$1.25, \$2.25, \$3.30, \$4.40, \$5.50. Now 85c., \$1.13, \$1.65, \$2.20, \$2.75.

Lace of 100 Curtain Ends

Sale curtain ends or corners. Very useful for bedroom windows or single windows. Sample corners of good curtains for 25c. or 30c. Prices 15c, 20c, 25c to 45c

MEN'S GOODS

Bargains in fine regatta shirts for large men—sizes, 16 1/2, 17 1/2, 18. Regular, \$1.25, \$1.50. Sale price, 70c.

Men's extra strong white shirts, linen front, reinforced, all sizes. Sale, 55c.

Men's black cashmere hose, 3 pair for 50c. Sale, 19c. pair.

Men's fancy embroidered cotton hose, 2pc. pair, 4 pair for \$1.00

Boys' summer underwear, 35c. garment.

Boys' regatta shirts, 58c. each.

F. W. Daniel & Co. Limited

London House Charlotte Street

BUSINESS IS REVIVING IN CANADA AND UNITED STATES

(Toronto Globe.) In the existing commercial and industrial situation there are many prominent features sustaining the view that the depression is of a general character.

SHIPPING

MINIATURE ALMANAC. 1908. Sun. Rise. Sets. Tide. 15 Wed. 4.58 8.02 0.97 9.33

VESSLS BOUND TO ST. JOHN. Steamer. Auguste, Sid Sharpness, July 12. Fern, Sid Ona, July 12.

ARRIVED TO-DAY. Stmr. Cape Breton, 1,000, McDonald, from Sydney.

ARRIVED YESTERDAY. Stmr. Sobo, Bridges, West Indies and Bermuda.

SAILED TO-DAY. Stmr. Camden, 1,145, Allen, Boston via Maine ports, noon and pass.

SAILED YESTERDAY. Stmr. Almera, Turner, for Baltimore, Newport News and Glasgow.

DOMINION PORTS. Mulgrave, July 15—Ardr., stmr. Magdalen, from Cheticamp.

BRITISH PORTS. Preston, July 15—Ardr., bark Polykarp, Buc-touche.

FOREIGN PORTS. Philadelphia, July 15—Ardr., bark Shawmut, St. John.

NOTICE TO MARINERS. Portland, Me., July 16—Gangway ledge spar buoy No. 1, Penobscot river, reported adrift half a mile southwest from the ledge July 11, it will be replaced as soon as practicable.

REPORTS AND DISASTERS. Quebec, July 15—Latest advices from stmr. Perthmouth, ashore at Cape Chateau, state that her hold is still dry, although there is considerable water in her forepeak.

LIST OF VESSELS IN PORT. Steamer. Almera, 2,350, R. Reford Co. Ganton, 1,940, Wm. Thomson & Co.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT. Sept. corn 75 1/2, 75 3/4, 75 1/2. Sept. oats 43 1/2, 43 1/4, 43 1/2.

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS. Saturday's To-day's Closing Opening Noon.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET. August 9.33, 9.34. October 9.36, 9.37. December 9.10, 9.11.

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Model Art Range, No. 8, 6 holes, high shelf, and water front, \$15.00. Model Art Range, No. 6, 6 holes, high shelf, full nickel plate, \$10.00.

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Call On R. Earl Ritch, Corner Paradise Row and Wall Streets, or Telephone Main 1940.

We are quoting a few Special Prices for Friday and Saturday. If taken advantage of you will no doubt contribute with us, for the following are correspondingly low prices:—

- 19 lbs. XXX Granulated Sugar \$1.00
1st-Class Tub Butter 23c per lb.
8 lbs. Star Flour 25c
Potatoes per peck 22c
Rolled Oats, Tilson's Brand 4c per lb.
Surprise Soap 6 lbs. for 25c
Western Grey Buckwheat 4c per lb.
Red Clover Salmon 3 cans 50c
Tomatoes, 3 cans 40c Corn, per can 10c
3 cans Peas 28c 3 cans Clams 28c

Garden Produce of all kinds at Lowest Possible Prices.

We are also stocked with all kinds of Fresh Meats at Lowest Prices. Fish of all kinds on Wednesdays and Fridays.

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SPORTS OF THE DAY

BASE-BALL ATHLETICS

THE RING THE TURF

AQUATICS WRESTLING

PROF WILKINSON WILLING TO SWIM FROM MONTREAL TO THREE RIVERS IN TWENTY FOUR HOURS

Swimming Instructor Well Known Here is Anxious to Undertake This Feat and Declares he Can Easily Accomplish it--Distance is About Ninety Miles.

(Montreal Standard.) To swim a distance of ninety miles, remaining in the water over twenty hours, and finish it within twenty-four hours, is the daring proposal of Professor Thomas Wilkinson, swimming instructor of the Montreal Amateur Athletic Association...

Four hours would sweep him down to Bout de l'île, with hardly more effort than is required to keep afloat; then the tussle would commence, but the professor thinks he would be equal to the task...

Professor Wilkinson is a native of Oldham, Lancashire, and is surprised to find that distance swimming has such little vogue in this country after the great popularity of this form of sport across the water...

SUCCESSFUL SPORTS BY EVERY DAY CLUB

Algonquins Secured Most Points in Athletic Meet Last Evening. The sports held on the Every Day Club grounds last evening developed into a spirited contest between athletes of the Every Day Club and the Algonquins...

ST. JOSEPHS WIN FROM ST. PETERS

Exciting Game in the Inter-Society League Last Evening. St. Joseph's baseball team lowered the colors of the league leaders last evening by doubling the score in an exciting game...

A FINE EXHIBITION

What the Acadian Recorder Has to Say About the Sullivan-Foley go. While the lightning flashed and the thunder rolled, and the rain poured in torrents on the immense roof of the Arena...

POLICE ARE AFTER TRACK GAMBLERS

Exciting Scenes at the Brighton Beach Race Track Yesterday. New York, N. Y., July 16.—There were exciting scenes at the Brighton Beach race track today resulting from the tactics of the police in their determination to run down and round up the track gamblers...

CANADA'S CHOICE FOR MACKINNON CUP MATCH

Montreal, July 16.—A special London cable says—The rifle match between Canada and the United States has been abandoned. The special individual match for a gold cup, the gift of Bennett Burleigh...

P. E. ISLAND GOLFERS DEFEATED HALIFAX

Charlottetown, P. E. I., July 16.—(Special)—A real weather greeted the visiting Halifax golfers at Belvidere links. In the forenoon singles were played and resulted in a draw...

PICKPOCKETS THOUGHT TO BE OPERATING IN ST. JOHN

Cases Where Money Has Been Lost in Crowd. In Each Case the Circumstances Pointed to the Presence of a Slick Gang of Thieves Working in Cars, Parks and Other Public Places.

The reporting of a number of cases of losses of money and valuables has aroused the suspicion that this city is recently being made the scene of operations of clever pickpockets who operate on the streets, in the parks and on the arrival of trains.

Advertisements announcing the loss of some hundreds of dollars worth of money and jewelry are appearing in the papers and in some cases the advertisers are inclined to the belief that they were robbed of their property by light fingered gentry.

DOUKHOBOR FANATICS HURLED FROM TRACK AT MILE A MINUTE GAIT

Rotten Tie Caused Serious Accident. White Mountain Express Ditched and as Result Many Passengers are Badly Injured and Three are Dead.

Greenwich, Conn., July 16.—One woman was killed, two many die from shock or injuries and nearly a dozen persons were seriously hurt when the White Mountain Express of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad was wrecked 100 feet west of the station here at 9:20 o'clock this morning.

Spreading rails caused the ten-car train to leave the tracks while it was crossing a bridge over the steamboat road and five of the passenger coaches, including four Pullmans, were hurled into a ditch, where they collapsed like paper boxes.

SOLDIERS ARE READY NOW TO LEAVE FOR QUEBEC

Col. McLean and Staff Will Leave Tonight. Advance Parties Went Forward Yesterday--Artillery and Fusiliers Will Leave Tomorrow Night--The Orders Issued.

Arrangements were completed last evening for the departure of the local troops to take part in the Quebec tercentenary celebration. The special train is scheduled to leave the I.C.R. depot at 8 p.m., on Saturday and will consist of one sleeping nine colonist cars, two baggage cars and a kitchen car.

The contingent from the 62nd regiment will number twenty-five officers and about 350 men. They will assemble in the drill shed at 6 p.m., and will march to the depot to entrain. The regiment will be accompanied to Quebec by both the brass and the drum and bugle bands.

ONTARIO POWER TO BE CHEAPER

Tenders for Construction of Line to Niagara Falls are Less Than Expected.

Toronto, July 16.—Hon. Adam Beck considers that judging by the tenders which have been sent into the Hydro-Electric Commission, the price for Niagara to Toronto can be constructed at a cost as low as 10 per cent. below the previous estimate.

SHIPBUILDING DULLEST IN YEARS

Clyde's Record The Lowest Since 1893--Only 140,149 Tons Launched During the First Six Months of 1908 Against 302,947 in 1907, and 336,258 Tons in 1906.

Glazgow, July 16.—The record of the shipbuilding half-year is the poorest since Clyde's record of 140,149 tons in 1908. The corresponding period in 1907 had 302,947 tons, so that this year is behind by 28 vessels and 182,088 tons.

THE INGLENOOK PHILOSOPHER OF KENNEBECASIS BAY

Mrs. Pollard relieved me of my hat and walking stick at the door. Then she kissed my expansive forehead twice. It is a really noble forehead and extends from my eyebrows to the nap of my neck.

MAINE PAPERS CANNOT PUBLISH LIQUOR ADVERTS

Portland, Me., July 16.—In the case of the state vs. J. P. Bass Publishing Company, Bangor, Chief Justice Emery of the Maine Supreme Court today handed down a decision which in effect affirms the constitutionality of the Maine statute prohibiting the advertising of intoxicating liquors in Maine publications.

MARRIES TRURO GIRL

Truro, N. S., July 16 (Special).—Rev. Alexander G. Russell, of Oyster Bay (N. Y.), where he is pastor of an influential Presbyterian church, was married in Truro today to Sarah B. Patterson.

MILITIA APPOINTMENTS

Ottawa, July 16.—The following appear in the Military Gazette:—New Brunswick Regiment (Heavy Brigade): To be majors, Captain W. H. Harrison, vice Major J. M. Robinson, who is transferred to the corps reserve; Captain S. B. Smith, vice J. B. Baxter, promoted.

TO HONOR U. S. RIFLE TEAM

Washington, July 17.—Signal honours will be given to the United States rifle team upon its return from the Olympic Games in London, where it won the shooting contests. It is expected that the team will reach New York on Saturday, July 25, and preparations are being made for a semi-official welcome of an imposing character.

FRANK GOTCH TO RETIRE

Houston, Texas, July 17.—Frank Gotch, champion wrestler of the world, announced last night that after the exhibition in Galveston on Friday night with Herman Lerner, he will retire from the mat.

REV. M. J. McPHERSON INDUCTED AT HARVEY

At a meeting of the Presbytery of St. John's at Harvey at 7:30 o'clock last Tuesday evening, the Rev. Malcolm J. McPherson was inducted into the pastorate of the church at Harvey and Acton. The presbytery sat with Rev. D. Lang, of St. John, Rev. L. B. Gibson, Rev. T. Hunter Boyd, and J. W. Taylor, comprising the church court. Rev. M. Lang was elected moderator pro tem and Rev. M. Gibson, clerk.

ARTILLERY INSPECTION

The inspection of the 2d regiment C.A., under command of Lieut.-Col. J. B. Baxter, was completed last evening by Col. T. Benson and Major Elliott, No. 2 battery having been inspected in gun drill and the officers and non-commissioned officers of Nos. 2 and 3 batteries answering questions.

Get acquainted with Black Watch

the big black plug chewing tobacco. A tremendous favorite everywhere, because of its richness and pleasing flavor.

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Band of Sixty Fought For Three Hours. Twelve Members of the "Naked Brigade" Sent to Jail for Six Months as a Warning to Their Followers.

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All Organdy and Dimity Muslins with colored floral designs and printed spots up to 30 cents yard at one special price 15c yard.

**Remnants of Cream Wool Dress Goods**

In lengths of 1 1/2 to 9 yards at special prices to clear. These goods are all this season's best sellers, Cream Nunsloth, Panama Cloth, Cashmeres, Roxanna, Serges, Etc., all at reduced prices.

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One of the strong features of our Women's Oxfords this season is the immense range of styles at

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Wide, Medium and Narrow Toes, High, Medium or Low Heels, Light, Medium or Heavy Soles,

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READ OUR PRICES			
Reg. Price	Re'd. Price	Reg. Price	Re'd. Price
60c.	40c.	\$1.25	65c.
65c, 75c	50c.	\$1.45, 1.50	\$1.15
85c	60c.	\$1.65, 1.75, 1.85	\$1.25
95c	75c.	\$1.95	\$1.55
\$1, \$1.10	\$85	\$1.95	\$1.55
White Silk Waists reduced from		\$1.80	\$1.35

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Full Set of Teeth  
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**THIS EVENING**

"Nero" or "The Burning of Rome," at the Nickel.

Moonlight excursion, Royal Foresters on steamer Champlain, leaving Indian town at 8 o'clock.

Baseball—Clippers vs. Portlands on the Victoria grounds.

**LATE LOCALS**

Steamer Calvin Austin landed 440 passengers from Boston this morning.

Steamer Camden brought 144 passengers from Boston last night and sailed on her return trip this morning.

No. 4 hose cart was summoned out yesterday afternoon by a still alarm for a fire in some hay on Hare's wharf. Little damage was done.

Edward Nairn has been fined \$20 for selling beer without a license. The case against Mrs. Lannan, reported for selling on Sunday, will be heard tomorrow.

Rev. Dr. G. M. Campbell is to give Bible Society addresses on Sunday next as follows: Kingston, 11 a. m.; Jubilee Presbyterian church, 3 p. m.; Clifton hall, 7 p. m.

The I. C. R. will operate a motor car service to Fernhill cemetery, commencing tomorrow. The car will run to Drury's road, and will return between the hours of 11:30 a. m. and 6 p. m.

On receipt of a wire from the Halifax police, Detective Killen arrested Alfred King, a negro, the sailor whom yesterday, charged with theft at Halifax of six pairs of shoes.

The ship Andria has been seized in admiralty at the instance of E. S. Ritchie, acting for Fred. Coles, the sailor whom the captain of the vessel refuses to pay off. The amount involved is \$150.

Charles H. Greenwood the father of Reuben W. Greenwood the young man who dropped dead at Reid's Point at noon yesterday arrived in a gasoline launch since Saturday in the city and Head Harbor, Campobello, accompanied by the uncle of the deceased and took the body of his son back in the launch at 1 o'clock to Campobello.

Ernest Weldon, of Winnipeg, is in St. John visiting his uncle, E. J. Ainsley. Mr. Weldon's family are former residents of St. John, leaving here 22 years ago, and have made their mark in Winnipeg. Mr. Weldon is accountant for a large shoe manufacturing company in Winnipeg, and speaks in glowing terms of the possibilities of the West.

**THE NEW DRILL HALL**

**Unconfirmed Report That It Will be Built on the Northeast Side of Barrack Square.**

A report is current on the streets that arrangements have been made for a site for the proposed new drill shed and that the building will be erected on the northern side of the Barrack ground. The plans are said to be now in the city and provide for a three-story stone structure.

It is said that the site selected would not interfere with the exhibition buildings as it would be situated to the north east of the fair buildings.

Col. G. Roll-White, D. O. C. said he knew nothing of the matter.

**POLICE COURT**

Abrer Secord appeared in court this morning on complaint of Chief Kerr for allowing hay to lie in Robinson's burned warehouse since Saturday in close proximity to Starr's coal sheds.

The chief stated the hay was on fire, and was a menace to buildings in the vicinity. Last night firemen were compelled to dump twenty tons of the hay nearest the coal sheds into the harbor as the hay was ablaze about thirty or forty tons still remained in the centre of the warehouse, which the chief desires removed immediately.

Secord, who purchased the hay from C. H. Peters' Sons on Saturday at twenty cents per bundle, declared that he had removed twenty tons since the day on which the chief reported.

The matter was allowed to stand pending the removal of the hay.

William Livingston was fined four dollars for drunkenness, and Morris Daley was also fined eight dollars, or two months in jail.

**PROBATE COURT**

Estate of John Edwards, hatter. Last Will proved whereby deceased gave to Fanny Edwards, widow, Manchester, England, \$500; to Frederick Doncaster, photographer, of North, Wales, £2,500, the sum of \$500 for the benefit of his daughter, Kate Doncaster; to Mary Ann Mulholland, widow, of Manchester, England, the sum of \$100; to his executor the sum of \$2,500 with which to purchase a life annuity for the benefit of his sister, Jane Edwards, of Manchester, England; the rest to his wife, Mary Amelia. Executors named in the Will, who are the widow and John H. Walker, grocer, sworn in. Real estate, \$2,500; leasehold, \$3,500; other personal property, \$3,700; total, \$9,700. Amon A. Wilson, K. C., Proctor.

**MARINE NOTES**

Cartage, July 15.—Stmr. Atrach, Watson, from Southampton, etc., for New York via ports, went ashore, but afterward came off without assistance and without damage, and proceeded on her voyage.

Vineyard Haven, Mass., July 15.—Sch. Mary E. H. G. Dow, from Boothbay to Washington, D. C., with cargo of ice, put in here to-day with Capt. Murray stricken with paralysis. He was taken to the Marine Hospital and the vessel is awaiting the arrival of another captain.

Victoria, B. C., July 16.—A despatch from Cape Nome yesterday stated that the U. S. revenue cutter Thetis had returned there and reported straggling. One Capt. Conradi is waiting for the ice to break in order to get to Cape Nome. The report that the Queen went to Dutch Harbor is considered without foundation.

St. Helena has arrived at St. Michael's.

The ice in Behring Sea has broken up and it is not expected that much further difficulty will be encountered by steamers in reaching Cape Nome.

**KILLED BY A FALL**

Portland, Me., July 16.—Michael J. Cummings, 23 years of age, while at work this afternoon fell from the framework of the steel coal diggers that are being constructed on the Maine Central and Boston and Maine wharf in this city. His skull was fractured and several ribs were broken. He was taken to the hospital, where he died a few minutes after his arrival. Cummings is survived by a wife and several children.

"Send me up two bags of oats and a bale of hay."  
"Voice—All right, sir. Who is it for?"  
"The horse of course, you idiot."—London Globe.

**INVITED TO SAIL ON KENNEBECCASIS**

**Newspaper Men Will be Guests of the Clifton Steamship Company.**

The newspaper men of St. John have been invited by the Clifton Steamship Company to sail on the Kennebecasis on Saturday. The invitation is also extended to the newspaper men's wives and lady friends.

The party will leave St. John for Rothesay on the 1:15 p. m. train. If the train happens to be crowded, Terminal Agent Ross has kindly offered to place a special car at the disposal of the newspaper party.

**C.P.R. OFFICIALS**

**LOOK FOR BIG YEAR**

**Views Based on Splendid Crop Outlook—Four Provinces Will Yield 125,000,000 Bushels.**

(Montreal Herald.)  
Officials of the Canadian Pacific are optimistic regarding the road's prospects for the next few months. Their views are based principally upon the outlook for the crops in the territory served by the road.

It is estimated that the wheat yield of Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia will reach 125,000,000 bushels, compared with 80,000,000 bushels last year. Most of this will be harvested during the latter part of August.

The road now has plenty of rolling stock to handle the tonnage, while a year ago it lost considerable grain traffic by reason of equipment shortage. In the entire fiscal year of 1907-8 its grain business totaled \$2,900,000 bushels worth.

Fiscal year of 1908-9 the grain business of the Canadian Northwest should make money. This means an increase in merchandise tonnage for the road.

**BRITISH ATHLETE WINS OLYMPIC TEN MILE WALK**

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ed five points to his opponents nothing. Three other nations were completed. The United States has protested the tug of war. Greece and Germany withdrew from this contest and the first pull was between the American team and the second team of the United Kingdom. The protest was made on the ground that the United Kingdom team was contrary to the regulations, wore prepared shoes. The American team had two more pulls, the conditions being the best two out of three, but in view of the cause for their protest they decided to retire.

The American team was composed of W. G. Burroughs, Chicago A. A., A. J. Dearborn, N. Y. A. C., John J. Flanagan, N. Y. A. C., M. J. Deane, Jr., N. Y. A. C., Ralph Rose, Olympic A. C., San Francisco, Lee J. Talbot, Boston A. A., W. W. Cole, Jr., Boston A. A., and M. F. Herr, Irish American A. C.

**AN "ALIEN LABOR" CASE**

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Henry J. Hardy appeared in the police court this morning to the charge of bringing alien labor into Canada.

The charge was laid by John M. Thompson, machinist. Mr. Hardy is employed on the Telegraph and Times. Mr. Hardy was charged with hiring Kenneth Huck on in Philadelphia to work in the city. D. Mullin appeared for the prosecution and J. B. M. Baxter for the defence. Mr. Huck and A. C. L. Taylor were examined and the case adjourned until this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

**SECOND BODY FOUND**

Halifax, N. S., July 18.—(Special.)—The body of Una Roy, one of the victims of Wednesday night's boating accident on Bedford Basin, was recovered by her father, J. E. Roy, early this morning. The body of Wm. Muir, the other victim, was recovered last evening.

**PERSONALS**

Mrs. Fred G. McLeod and infant son, of Black River, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Morrison, at West Quaco, returned home on train.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Finley and daughter returned home today on the Boston train.

**PROBING MURDER MYSTERY.**

Dover, Del., July 16.—In the arrest late this afternoon at Church, Md., of Caleb Watson, a negro farmhand, the authorities who are investigating the strange murder of William Williams, the aged farmer, who lived just over the state line in Maryland and whose body was found hanging to a tree, believe that they have made some progress. Interest is added to the arrest, because the negro was employed by John Wesel, a son-in-law of Williams as a farm hand and because he assisted his employer in a search for Williams all day Monday. He will be closely questioned in an attempt to ascertain his movements between Saturday night and Tuesday morning. On Williams' body was found a marriage license, authorizing a wedding ceremony between himself and Elizabeth Wells, aged 13, daughter of Samuel Wells, a tenant on Williams' farm. One theory advanced is that the aged farmer was murdered by some one opposed to the marriage and the authorities are investigating along this line.

**EARTHQUAKE IN CHILI**

Tacna, Chili, July 17.—A terrific earthquake occurred yesterday in the provinces Tacna and Arica in Chili, the southern part of Peru and Bolivia. Considerable destruction of property but no loss of life is reported. The cable between Arica and Lima has been broken and the telegraph lines to Bolivia damaged.

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