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TEN PAGES—ONE CENT

HE STABBED GIRL WHO HILTED HIM And Then Disappointed Lover Jumped Into Stony Creek and Drowned

CHICAGO, March 21—Plunging into Stony Creek at Blue Island yesterday to escape several policemen after he had stabbed and fatally wounded a girl who had hilted him to wed another man, Nicholas Fortune, 23 years old, was seized with cramps and drowned.

The wounded bride is Mrs. Donato De Daines. Her niece, a six months old baby, the young woman was carrying at the time she was attacked, was also seriously injured.

Fortune had been engaged to Rosa Orsen for several years.

He received a letter from her yesterday announcing that she had changed her mind and married his rival. Immediately Fortune went to the Orsen home, summoned the bride to the door and stabbed her five times.

The cries of the family attracted the police, who went in pursuit of Fortune. He ran across a footbridge and on to an island. Finding himself surrounded he leaped into the river in a vain effort to reach shore.

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MONCTON, March 21—(Special)—Death came suddenly to Frank Cormier, I. C. R. baggage master, as he sat in his home at the corner of Main and Mechanic streets last evening conversing with his family. Mr. Cormier who runs the Maritime express between Moncton and Halifax, had been enjoying good health up to yesterday afternoon when he complained of feeling unwell. Nothing serious was anticipated however, and he was not confined to his bed. About half past eight last evening he was sitting in his chair with members of his family Mr. Cormier was seized with a weak spell and suddenly expired before medical aid could be summoned.

The deceased was well known on the I. C. R. and throughout the city. He was very highly respected and in his capacity as I. C. R. baggage master was an obliging and courteous official. His death will be learned with hearty regret by many friends and acquaintances. He was fifty-nine years of age and was born at Cocagne, N. B. He had been in Moncton about thirty-five years and for the past thirty years has been in the employ of the I. C. R. He is survived by Mrs. Cormier, three daughters and three sons. The daughters are Mrs. Rene Fréchette of this city, Edna and Agnes at home, Albert Cormier of Cocagne, Oliver of New Bedford, and Henry at home are the sons. Heart failure was the cause of death.

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PROBABLE REDUCTION IN THE NUMBER OF LIQUOR LICENSES The Attitude of Mr. Hazen and Mr. Maxwell in the Legislature --- The New Government Understood to Stand For Strict Enforcement of the Liquor Law in St. John.

Temperance people in St. John are rejoicing just now, for it is freely stated that Mr. Hazen, as attorney general of this province, will insist upon the strict and rigid enforcement of the liquor license regulations.

Although opinions may differ as to the wisdom of the license act, Premier Hazen will, it is believed, take the same ground as Premier Whitney of Ontario, that inasmuch as the act is on the statute books it should be enforced.

According to the provisions of the liquor license act, St. John is allowed 75 retail licenses. There is also a clause which prohibits the issue of more than 75 licenses in each ward but not exceeding a certain number in proportion to the number of rate payers in one or two city wards the licenses in force are in excess of the number allowed by law.

There is also said to be an interesting possibility that ward prohibition may be sought by the ratepayers of some wards; that is, the rate payers of a ward may vote the saloon out of that ward. The result of this, if put in force, would tend to reduce the number of saloons and to confine the saloons to certain localities.

Another matter which is rumored will receive attention is the abolition of the "side door." This is supposed to have been eliminated, but a number of saloons have more than one door at the present time.

There is much interesting speculation as to the personnel of the liquor license commission. One of the commissioners will retire in June and it is whispered that the number of licenses will not exceed 75.

The commission in St. John issue more than the legal number and contend that under the act they are able to issue 75. Such a contention, it is thought, will not be upheld by any competent lawyer.

Now if the member for St. John is correct, and I believe he is, it is clear that the commissioners in St. John are violating the law. It is in the interests of all that the law should be observed, and it is the duty of the government in this case to instruct the commissioners that the law must be observed.

Mr. Hazen said, in reply, that the commissioners had informed him they had taken the advice of counsel and would hold they were acting within the law. He was anxious, he said, not to interfere with the work of the commissioners. "I have no objection to the law being enforced," he added, "that in my opinion the commissioners have no right to issue more licenses in a ward than the law provides. To test the matter I am willing to have a case stated to be decided by the supreme court."

The applications for liquor licenses in St. John are coming in rapidly, especially the past few days. Over half the number allowed have now been filed and the list for receiving expires on Wednesday next. Already a petition has been filed with the inspector signed by a number of residents of the city, asking that no license be granted in the street protesting against the granting of any license in that neighborhood during the ensuing year. This protest has arisen probably because of the fact that an application had been made by a citizen of that locality. It may be stated that no license has been granted on the Strait Shore during the present year.

GEN. STOESSEL IN PRISON NOW Russian Veteran Sentenced to Ten Years Commenced His Service Yesterday.

St. PETERSBURG, March 21—Lieut. Gen. Stoessel, whom a court martial recently sentenced to death on charges of cowardice and treason in surrendering Port Arthur to the Japanese, but whose sentence was commuted by Emperor Nicholas to ten years' imprisonment, yesterday began serving his term in the St. Peter and St. Paul fortress.

General Stoessel occupies a room in the fortress adjoining that of Rear-Admiral Nebogatov, who is serving a like sentence for surrendering to the Japanese at the Sea of Japan. The room is about twenty feet square and overlooks a little garden where the officers are permitted to promenade. Stoessel's family has received permission to reform the cell. The officers in the fortress run a private mess of their own, and to this General Stoessel has been admitted.

NEW YORK, March 21—Haste cost the life of Thomas Crisman at his brother's hand yesterday when the two attempted to set a trap to catch a piece of the Manhattan Bridge, Thomas, twenty-seven years old, of No. 417 Park avenue, Brooklyn, was hurled from the structure before the eyes of hundreds of onlookers and dashed to death on a wooden stairway ninety feet below.

Henry, his brother, saw the body fall into the pavement. When the ambulance surgeon, Dr. Arndt, arrived he found Thomas was dead. His skull and spine were broken and many other bones broken. His agony on learning that his brother was dead and realizing that he was the innocent cause of the accident, was pitiful. He could not stand on his feet. He was carried to the street by his fellow-workers and conveyed in a carriage to the hospital.

The bridge building crew quit work for the day.

With the prize for finishing one end of the bridge first almost within their grasp, the stone-setters on the New York end of the structure went to work with a will yesterday morning. It was an incident of the haste with which all were working to get the prize that Henry swung the boom before his brother had received fair warning.

As it came toward him Thomas was seen to reach out a hand, thinking his brother had stopped the machinery. The hundreds of persons who saw him fall were on ferry boats and the Brooklyn Bridge. They had been watching the moving granite mass.

The police were in doubt at first whether or not to arrest the brother on a technical charge of homicide, but they decided to leave the question to the coroner.

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POWERS MUST TAKE ACTION Prompt Intervention Necessary to Save Port au Prince from Reign of Anarchy.

PORT AU PRINCE, HAITI, March 21—The city is tranquil, but the natives are still greatly excited and the situation remains tense.

The German cruiser Bremen will sail today to take on board the refugees in the consulate at Port de Paix and Saint Marc, and convey them to Kingston Septimus Marus, who is a refugee at the French legation here says the combined intervention of the powers is absolutely necessary to prevent anarchy.

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR HACKMEN Police Magistrate Says That Regulations at the I. C. R. Depot Must be Strictly Observed.

Hackmen attending trains at the I. C. R. station must in future live up to the letter and spirit of the law, which will be vigorously enforced.

This morning Judge Ritchie said that it must now be understood that neither Officer Smith, Officer Collins, Terminal Superintendent McLeod, even the minister of railways could allow hackmen to violate the laws governing them at the Union depot. Not even the Boston express would let them do this.

The matter arose out of a case against Harry Barry, Thomas McHugh, William Dalor and Murray Northrup who were reported by J. C. R. Policeman Seville Smith for violating regulations at Union depot by going beyond the place appointed for hackmen to solicit passengers.

The case created a good deal of amusement and after hearing evidence the offenders were allowed their liberty, with the distinct understanding that even though Officer Smith might have been very easy with them in the past he would extend to them no leniency in the future.

In the evidence it was stated that on the arrival of the train, the hackmen would allow hackmen to go right through the "keeper" while on the arrival of the train the hackmen would not let them past the coachman's rail. It was also stated that on several occasions the gate at the hackmen's door had not been lifted and they would have to go through the baggage room or to the front of the station in order to solicit passengers.

One witness complained that Smith did sometimes overstep the line, there were certain circumstances to be considered. One woman had asked for a hack from a certain stable and the hackmen had come inside the rail simply to take her baggage. This could hardly be regarded as a violation.

Mr. Ritchie produced and read letters from C. J. Oeman, ex-M. P. P., and Hon. F. J. Sweeney who had been at the Royal Hotel on the 19th, and stated that they arrived at the Union depot, they asked for certain coaches and that the hackmen had come inside and taken their baggage.

Mr. Ritchie expressed the opinion that if hackmen were instructed that they must not come inside the rail they would obey.

HAROLD ROBINSON BUYS FINE YACHT Speedy Addition to R. K. Y. C. Fleet Secured in New York

Harold Robinson, of the firm of J. M. Robinson & Sons, returned yesterday from New York, where he purchased a very handsome and speedy new yacht, which is expected to make a good showing when the speedy ones of the R. K. Y. C. fleet during the coming summer.

The new boat, which is named the "Possum," is about the same size as the "Cassidy," of the R. K. Y. C. fleet, and is expected to give the present cup winner a hard run for first place in the summer's racing.

The "Possum" is 30 feet on the water line; 43 feet 3 inches over all; 10 feet, 3 inches beam, and has a draft of 7 feet. She carries about 1200 square feet of canvas. She is of double planked cedar construction, painted white and has a nice rosy cabin and is finely fitted up in every way.

Mr. Robinson will leave for New York about the twenty-second of May and will sail the new boat here. She is at present lying at Point Jefferson, Long Island Sound. The purchase price is not known.

NOTABLE ACHIEVEMENT IN AERIAL NAVIGATION PARIS, March 21—Henry Farman, the English aviator, yesterday completed his previous records for aeroplane flying by making a circular flight with his machine of over two kilometers, (a kilometre is about three-quarters of a mile). The machine mounted to a considerable height and Mr. Farman turned and swerved with the greatest daring to show that the machine was under perfect control.

The spectators gave the aviator an ovation which had not been accepted by the late government, when asked yesterday by a telegraph reporter as to his position, said he felt that as he had taken part in the recent contest, it was but fair, if his resignation had not been accepted, that the new government should have it before them to deal with.

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A SERIOUS COMPLAINT Residents of the Eastern End of the County Have a Grievance About the Condition of the Bridges.

ST. MARTINS, N. B. March 20—Complaints are being made by the residents of Tynewood Creek and the travelling public generally about the way the bridges in this section of the county are used. There is a strong protest against the allowing of lumber being piled and shipped off certain bridges whereby they are destroyed and made unsafe and of little use.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER HIRAM IS PLEASED.

Mr. Hiram Hornbman is displeased to regard the new government with great favor. He was a little anxious about the matter, and was not sure that Mr. Hazen would make a selection that would take well in the Settlement. On reviewing the list

this morning he said he guessed it would be. "The old fellows is weeded out," said Hiram, "an' I think it's a good idea, even if I aint as young myself as I used to be. Say this is the age of the young man, an' I cal'late Hazen's got a spy lot of 'em. I see the three lawyers in the bunch, but he had to have two, an' one feller named Grimmer ain't altogether to blame for bein' a lawyer. He's a good feller. Did you notice how nice they're balanced? There's two 'Piscopalian, two Catholic,

one Baptist, one Methodist an' one Presbyterian. I don't e'pose that makes any difference—leastways it don't with me, but some feller's 'avus hollerin' if their church aint reconized. I e'pose when they get to Heaven they'll be lookin' around to find their pew. Well—we gotta take the world as we find it, young man; an' if any feller wants to blieve he's got all the truth they is—why, you jist let 'em think so. Life's short, an' we got to lode to, but about this new gov't, I'm in gonto tell Hazen he done all right. He did. By Hen! Hey, what?"

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Shirley Dykeman's

ANOTHER BIG LOT OF THAT ENGLISH LONG CLOTH is now on sale at 10 cents a yard. It comes in 40 yard lengths, but the price being so low it cannot be sold for anything less by the piece than by the single yard.

A VERY SPECIAL LOT OF HAMBURG EMBROIDERIES AND INSERTIONS, two widths of embroidery and insertion to match, in about 20 patterns, at prices ranging from 5 to 12 cents a yard.

CORSET COVER EMBROIDERY, at 22, 27, 30, 38, 50 and 55 cents a yard. It only takes one yard and a quarter for a corset cover, so you can easily see how cheap one can be made from these materials.

SHOULDER STRAPPING is shown to match all of these embroideries. 10 to 20 cents a yard.

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO., 59 Charlotte Street.

PROF. GERALD B. SMITH, PH. D., ON SCIENCE AND THEOLOGY. A Frank Treatment of the Subject by a Theologian of Chicago at the Congregational College in Montreal.

(Montreal Witness.) Professor Gerald B. Smith, Ph. D., of Chicago, the distinguished theologian, who is this week giving a series of lectures at the Congregational College under the auspices of the McKimkie Lectureship, opened the course last evening by dealing with what he termed 'The Crisis in Protestant Theology.' His lecture proved to be one of exceptional interest both to the students and to the various members of the outside public who also attended, in that it dealt with the effects which the modern view of the Bible as a fallible book were having on the Protestant religion.

He first briefly sketched the historical events leading up to the modern critical attitude in regard to the Scriptures, pointing out that Protestantism grew out of Roman Catholicism, and in its theology shares very largely the elements of Roman Catholicism. Now the Roman Catholic theology was based on the infallibility of the Bible as a book of authority, that is, as the men in Biblical times thought of it—as a fiat rolled in by the sky, and having a supernatural department. Heaven was the other world beyond the sky, and the supreme question of questions to him was how he might have authentic information about that other world, so that he might know better how to live his life here in preparation for it.

PROTESTANTISM AND CATHOLICISM. In what did Protestantism differ from this? It was true Protestantism grew out of Roman Catholicism, but nothing was farther from the mind of Luther when he began his reforms than to break with the Catholic Church. Luther's belief was that the church was not standing on divine revelation. He believed that the inner conviction was the word of God. Thus, it was not fair to say that Protestantism was the religion of the spirit, and Roman Catholicism the religion of authority. Both were religions of authority, but Protestantism declared that each individual Christian had the right to pronounce that authority which the Catholic Church said was placed in the church alone. The position of the Protestant gradually came to be that the inner voice of the Spirit must authenticate to us everything in Scrip-

ture, and the real question today was, could they now say of the inner voice of the Spirit actually authenticated to the word of God? They, many of them, could not, for the growth of the modern and critical spirit had, even by the eighteenth century, led men very generally to doubt the doctrine of an infallible Bible. Out of that critical spirit had come the statement familiar to us today that 'A thing is not true because it is in the Bible, but a thing is in the Bible because it is true.'

BEWARE OF CONSTIPATION. It is one of the most common sources of disease, because it fills your blood with impurities and poisons every organ of your body. Its effects are seen and felt in dull eyes, offensive breath, skin rashes, headache, Take Mother Seigel's Syrup; it strengthens the bowels, and makes constipation impossible. WHICH POISONS YOUR WHOLE SYSTEM. "I can testify that Mother Seigel's Syrup has cured me of constipation. I was always pale, with no appetite, and friends said I was getting thin. I felt quite downhearted. But now I am not like the same person, for I am fat and healthy."—From Miss T. Marie Comeau, Sheila, N.B. My 22/07. TAKE MOTHER Seigel's SYRUP THE SURE CURE. Price 60 cents per bottle. Sold Everywhere. A. J. White & Co., Montreal.

SHIPPING

Table with columns: Date, Ship Name, Destination, Agent. Includes entries for March 19, 20, 21, 22.

VESSELS BOUND TO ST. JOHN. Steamers. Carthaginian, sid Glasgow, Feb 19. Dabona, sid Halifax, March 19. Hestia, sid Cuba, March 19.

PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived today. Star Sardinian, 3,786, Henry, from London via Havre, March 19. Star Victoria, 4,300, Victoria, from London via Havre, March 19.

DOMINION PORTS. Yarmouth, March 19—Old, schr Falmouth, Newell, St. John. Lunenburg, March 19—Ard, schr Bohemia, Seely, Gloucester; star Dawson, Mathews, Lockeport.

FOREIGN PORTS. New York, March 20—Ard, star Bermuda, Liverpool, March 20—Ard, star Cape Town, Al-berca Bay, East, star Cape Town, Al-berca Bay, East, star Cape Town, Al-berca Bay, East.

REPORTS AND DISASTERS. Not an article allowed to pass out of Ungar's laundry doors without passing the close scrutiny of our inspector. Clean, well-ironed and beautiful work.

RECENT CHARTERS. British bark St. Croix, 63 tons, from Pernambuco to Las Palmas, lumber, private terms.

LET OF VESSELS IN PORT. Athens, 192, R. Stearns Co. Buenos Aires, 192, Wm Thomson & Co. Garibaldi, 466, master.

MARINE NEWS. Schr Gladys B. Smith, Captain Corkum, from Cadiz with sail, arrived here this morning after a very rough passage.

BOWLING. Newcastle Defeated Chatham. Newcastle, March 20.—The return bowling match between Chatham and Newcastle teams was played at the Miramichi bowling alley on a score of 3,667 to 2,964.

W. J. Green, 170, 185, 187-192. J. Follenberg, 171, 181, 208-242. J. MacIntyre, 172, 182, 183-193. Frank K. Power, 173, 183, 184-194. Wm. Berwick, 174, 184, 185-195. Albert Miller, 175, 185, 186-196. Geo. Campbell, 176, 186, 187-197.

Advertisement for DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS. Includes an illustration of a man and a woman, and text describing the benefits of the pills for kidney ailments.

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Industry and thrift go hand-in-hand, and the man who wants to prosper must practise both. There's neither sense nor reason in paying twice over for anything. Money saved is money earned, and if you save 50 cents in the dollar you are doubling your spending capacity or increasing your bank balance.

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Alongside the Titanic. Fortunately, when she was within a hundred feet of the rocks, the ship was stopped, and she sighted the land, backed off and put to sea.

Seven Hair Facts. ONE Dandruff is a contagious disease caused by a microbe. TWO Dandruff is a forerunner of itching scalp, falling hair and baldness.

THREE Chronic baldness is incurable. FOUR The cause of dandruff can not be washed out of the scalp with soap and water.

FIVE The only way to cure dandruff and falling hair is to kill the germ that causes it. SIX Each day that dandruff is neglected adds to the permanent injury of the scalp, for dandruff does not cease voluntarily while the hair lasts.

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CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS. MILLINERY OPENING - WEDNESDAY and Thursday, 25th and 26th, REDMOND, 177 Union street.

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THE EVENING TIMES, ST. JOHN, N. B. SATURDAY, MARCH 21, 1908

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THE EVENING TIMES, THE DAILY TELEGRAPH. New Brunswick's Independent newspapers. These newspapers advocate British connection. Honesty in public life. Measures for the material progress and moral advancement of our great Dominion.

THE CABINET The cabinet which Mr. Hazen has selected gives promise of being one of the most capable and business-like the province has known for a generation.

A HELPFUL ENEMY Premier Hazen and his colleagues have many reasons for entering upon their official duties with confidence and satisfaction. Not least of these is the assurance that they are to be opposed by the St. John Sun.

Mr. Gritmer has won the reputation of being one of the most diligent members of the house, with a large capacity for work and a clear grasp of public affairs.

It was not expected that a portfolio would come to St. John, for the reason that, although Mr. Hazen represented Sunbury county, he resided in St. John, and is therefore in a sense a local member.

The public will look with confidence to the new government to begin its career with a vigorous determination to get at all the facts concerning the present condition of affairs in all the departments, and to be in a position when the legislature is summoned to lay before the province a complete statement of the financial and general situation.

majority of the people. Necessarily the pruning process must be introduced in the departments, but it should be done in the same business-like way as in an ordinary commercial or industrial establishment.

Three matters will at once command the attention of the new government. These are the Central Railway, the school book question, and the highway act.

Regarding Mr. Fleming the Sun says: "We venture here and now the prediction that he will no longer assume office that he will abandon his opposition pretensions concerning the department and that the next budget will place him beside Mr. Hazen as a pledge breaker."

So far as the Times can learn the new government of New Brunswick will insist upon a strict enforcement of the liquor license law. Both Mr. Hazen and Mr. Maxwell are on record as agreeing with Mr. McKeown concerning the number of licences in any ward in St. John.

In parliament yesterday, Dr. Thompson, member for the Yukon, abandoned his hitherto independent attitude, and in a speech in which he denounced the government in the most vigorous manner declared that hereafter he would support Mr. Borden in his efforts to defeat that government.

The Times has two words of counsel for the members of the new government—namely that there is any present evidence of their need, but on general principles they are these—"Don't talk."

7th Anniversary Sale OPENED THIS MORNING. Great bargains in Men's, Youths' and Boys' Clothing, Furnishings, Hats, etc. CALL TONIGHT. STORES OPEN TILL 11 P. M.

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Our Waistings are Very Pretty and Cheap. White, Black and Fancy Muslins. Pretty Gingham in Checks, Stripes and Plaids. Persian Lawn, White Duck, Bedford Cords. A. B. WETMORE, White Aprons Kitchen Aprons 59 Garden St.

YOUTH AND LOVE The song—the rose—the star With youth and love rejoice: The rose is sweet and the star is bright They are naive, they are naive to the old, they are naive to the old.

IN LIGHTER VEIN HIS WEIGHT. "What do you think young Chumpley weighs?" "About two hundred pounds on the scales and about ten ounces in the community."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

MONEY IN HIS VOICE. Eliza—"Did you say Sam was makin' a lot of money out of his voice?" "Close 'n' sure thing! At the opera?" "Yes; he calls de carriage!"—Yonkers Statesman.

ADVICE. If you take a room in some hotel And find yourself without a bell, Don't pound the door and ask a hwp, But save your strength and ring the towel.

IT WAS. Merchant—"See here, I'm told you've been slandering my business." Customer—"I guess not. What did I say?" Merchant—"That the pepper I sold you was half peas."

CHICKEN HATCHED IN OPEN SIGHT AT NICKEL. Interesting Nature Picture Reproduced Last Night -- Matinee Today. The mystery of a hatching chicken will be photographed in plain to the children this afternoon at the Nickel.

CAPITALS AND GREEKS TONIGHT. The Fredericton Capitals, the holders of the Starr trophy, will play the Marston hockey team this evening in the Glacier rink. As this will be the last game here this season a large crowd is expected to witness the winners of the famous Starr trophy play against the Capitals.

THE STANDARD BUGGY CO., St. John, N. B. \$75 prize—E. Armstrong, guess Woods 83, Slipp 73. \$50 prize—between A. Case and S. J. Scovil.

Schooner Helen Shaffer, Capt. De Costa, which put into Barbados in distress while on a voyage from St. John's to Barbados, also encountered a hurricane the day after she left Barbados.

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Queens County Guesses Majority: WOODS, 85 SLIPP, 71. Owing to the closeness of the contest, and also the great number of replies, it has been impossible to make the awards earlier.

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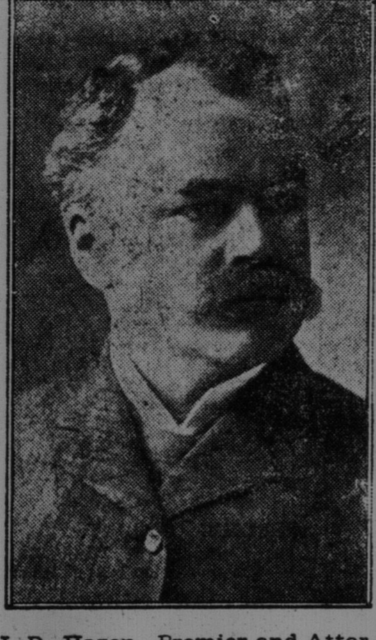
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MAY CHANGE WHARF PLANS
 The west side improvement committee held a session in city hall yesterday afternoon to meet A. S. Laurent, the expert commissioned by Hon. William Pugsley, minister of public works, to look into the question of changing the plans for the new wharf on the west side. Capt. Walsh, marine superintendent of the C. P. R., who had objected to the proposed extension of the 600-foot berth on the ground that the entrance to Sand Point slip would be too narrow to safely manoeuvre the Empress steamers, was also present.
 Capt. Walsh explained his views and suggested that the plans be modified by cutting out the angle and shortening the wharf on the southern side 100 or 200 feet. The 630 foot berth on the southern side could still be provided. Mr. Laurent did not express any opinion, but members of the committee think that the plans will be changed. Mr. Laurent returned to Ottawa last evening.

ST. JOHN WINS POOL CHAMPIONSHIP
 The match for the billiard championship in the Real Estate pool room last evening between Leonard Dryden and Herbert Purcell was won by Dryden. Purcell has accepted a position in St. John and will make his home here for the present.

SPEEDWAY RACES AT MILLIDGEVILLE
 This afternoon horse races will be held at the Millidgeville speedway. Horses already entered for the free-for-all are Walter, owned by Louis King; Wilkes Boy, owned by Thos. Hayes, and Black Diamond, owned by Jas. Flood. In the 235 class, Dan D.

PREMIER HAZEN HAS NAMED HIS MINISTRY
 The New Cabinet Will Be Sworn In March 24—Mr. Hazen Will Be Attorney-General; McLeod, Solicitor-General; Flemming, Provincial Secretary; Morrissy, Public Works; Grimmer, Surveyor-General; Landry, Agriculture, and Maxwell, Without Portfolio.



J. D. Hazen, Premier and Attorney General.

The Hazen government will be sworn in at Fredericton next Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The new ministry will be as follows:
 J. D. Hazen, premier and attorney general;
 J. K. Flemming, provincial secretary;
 John Morrissy, chief commissioner of public works;
 W. C. H. Grimmer, surveyor general;
 D. V. Landry, commissioner of agriculture;
 H. F. McLeod, solicitor general;
 Robert Maxwell, without portfolio.

The appointment of the speaker of the house is a matter which will be decided by the government at a later date.

It will be seen by this list that the new cabinet will give the whole province adequate representation both in point of the individuals honored, and with respect to territorial considerations.
 John Douglas Hazen, B. A., B. C. L., is descended from Edward Hazen, who moved from Northumberland (Eng.) to Massachusetts in 1648; and more immediately from John Hazen, who, with his brother, William, came from Haverhill (Mass.), and settled at Portland, St. John in 1775. He is a son of the late Hon. John A. Beckwith. Mr. Hazen secured his education at the collegiate school, Fredericton, and at the University

of New Brunswick. He took his B. A. degree in 1879. He was called to the bar in 1883 and took his B. C. L. degree in 1890. From 1882 to 1890 he was registrar and treasurer of the house of the senate. He was elected an alderman of the city of Fredericton for three years and filled the position of mayor for two years. On Sept. 22, 1894, he married Ada, second daughter of James Tibbits, of Fredericton. He moved to St. John in 1890. In the following year, at the general elections, Mr. Hazen was returned to the house of commons for St. John city and county. He was an unsuccessful candidate at the general elections in 1896. He was elected a representative for Sunbury county in the local legislature at the general election of 1899 and soon after became leader of the opposition. He was re-elected in 1902. As premier and attorney general Mr. Hazen, from his career in the legislature, his position at the bar and his record as a citizen will command the respect of the province at large.
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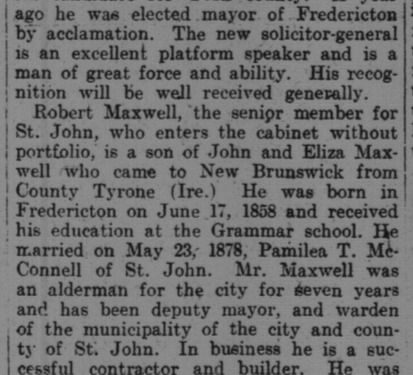
carries on a successful business as a merchant. He was an unsuccessful candidate for the legislature at the general election in 1895, and for the house of commons in 1900. He was elected to the legislature at the general election in 1903. He is a Liberal Dominion politician.

Dr. D. V. Landry, the new commissioner of agriculture, is a native of Kent county. He was educated at St. Joseph's college, and took medical courses at Victoria college, Montreal. He has practised his profession in Buctouche for some years and is well known throughout the county where he is deservedly popular. He is a leading and representative Acadian, a very fine public speaker with a thorough knowledge of public affairs and public needs especially in regard to agriculture in which he has long been actively interested in that section. He owns a large farm and is engaged practically on agricultural pursuits.
 Ward Chipman Hazen Grimmer, surveyor-general, was born in St. Stephen, Charlotte county, which he now represents, on Oct. 31, 1858, and is a son of George S. and Mary A. Grimmer. He was educated in Fredericton and took his B. A. and M. A. degrees at the university. He married Jessie F. Gova on Nov. 24, 1884. In the general election of 1899 he was an



John Morrissy, Chief Commissioner of Public Works.

unsuccessful candidate for Charlotte county, and was first returned in 1903. Mr. Grimmer is widely known through his excellent record in the legislature and his profession as a lawyer has a reputation for capacity and hard work. He was formerly Mayor of St. Stephen and also warden of his county. In religion he is an Episcopalian.
 Harry F. McLeod is a son of Rev. Dr. McLeod of Fredericton, where he was born on September 14, 1871. He graduated from the University of New Brunswick in 1891, as a first honor man in English and Philosophy, and winner of the governor-general's gold medal. He was admitted to the bar in 1893 and has since a large law practice in his native city. He is auditor for York county. In 1895 he was gazetted a lieutenant in the 71st York regiment and is now senior major and second in command. In the provincial election in 1903, he was an unsuccessful candidate for York county. A year ago he was elected mayor of Fredericton by acclamation. The new solicitor-general is an excellent platform speaker and is a man of great force and ability. His recognition will be well received generally.
 Robert Maxwell, the senior member for St. John, who enters the cabinet without portfolio, is a son of John and Eliza Maxwell and was born in New Brunswick in County Tyrone (Ire.). He was born in Fredericton on June 17, 1858 and received his education at the Grammar school. He has been deputy mayor, and warden of the municipality of the city and county of St. John. In business he is a successful contractor and builder. He was first elected to the legislature at a bye-election for the city of St. John on Dec. 30, 1904. He has established a high reputation during his legislative career and his wide knowledge of public affairs will be of great advantage in the government council.



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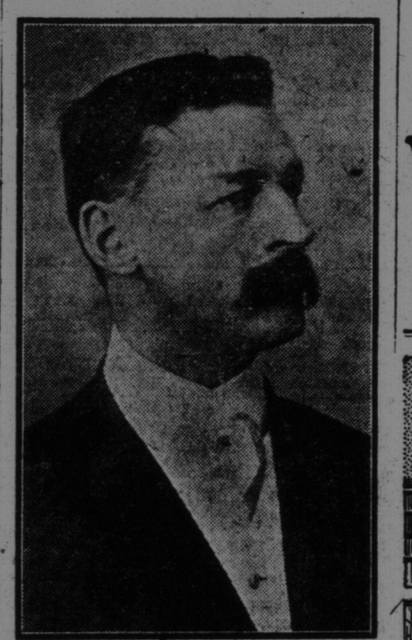
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W. C. H. Grimmer, Surveyor General.

Hon. C. W. Robinson, formally tendered the resignation of his government to His Honor Lieut. Governor Tweedie yesterday morning. Later in the day Mr. Hazen was summoned by his honor and expressed his readiness to form an administration. A number of appointments recommended by

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H. F. McLeod, Solicitor General.

the retiring premier were not sanctioned by the lieutenant governor on the ground that, having lost the confidence of the country at the recent elections, the outgoing administration should leave the vacant positions to be filled by their successors. The appointments recommended were: Mayor Sears, for the chairmanship of the St. John school board; W. H. Truman for judge of probates for St. John; W. J. Mahoney, for equity court reporter; Hon. W. P. Jones, supreme court reporter; and P. J. Hughes, a partner of R. W. McLellan, who resigned to run in York county, for registrar of probates for York. In an interview yesterday Hon. Mr. Robinson explained the attitude taken by his government in the matter of appointments. They felt, he said, that they were not prepared to make the recommendations as they had not sought to create any new offices, but only to fill such positions as constituted the government as they stood. In view of the fact that the lieutenant governor expressed doubt about the right to make such appointments, he had not pressed them, but had withdrawn the recommendations. He felt, however, that the course proposed by the government was a perfectly legal and constitutional one, and he regretted very much that those who were intended to be appointed were deprived of the offices the government had designed to give them.

Lieut. Governor Tweedie is understood to have informed Hon. Mr. Robinson, when the recommendations for appointments were presented to him, that he entertained very strongly the idea that it would not be right to enable them in view of the unmistakable way in which the people at the polls had expressed their desire for a change of government. The governor is said to have pointed out that while there is room for doubt about what is the proper course to pursue, and while another government might sanction appointments as legal and proper, he could not so regard them. Hon. Mr. Tweedie, it is understood, took the view that if the government had been defeated by a vote of the legislature, instead of by the people at the polls, the situation might be different, and that then there might be reasons for supposing they still held the confidence of the country, but the overwhelming vote against them left no doubt that the country was against them, and so he felt appointments should not be made.
 It is understood that in discussing the propriety of the defeated government filling existing vacancies in the new government, when sounded in regard to the matter, strongly advanced the view that binding constitutional precedent was against that course, the best authorities holding that a government defeated at the polls had not the right to fill the public positions of emolument. This view at any rate

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was the one which prevailed. It now remains for the new administration to fill the vacant positions. It is understood that as yet no selection has been made.
AT THE PRINCESS
 There will be a special matinee for children at the Princess this afternoon at 2.30. Do not deny the little ones a treat, by failing to let them attend this; five first class pictures and two illustrated songs; will make more than an hour's entertainment.
 For next week, Carl Jacobson, the Russian wonder has been engaged to perform the thrilling act, that made him famous with the Barnum & Bailey circus—sliding along a wire rope, stretched from the operator's booth, to the stage, suspended by his teeth only.
 The motion photograph part of the bill for today is as follows: "Babies Will Play," in which a youngster, after many adventures in which Ma or Pa come out second best, finally winds up by flooding the house by leaving an innocent looking tap open in the bath room.
 A Home at Last is one of the cutest things now before the public, telling the story of a young pup whose life is made miserable by many a hard bump and kick, and an occasional tin can attached to his tail by the mischievous youth; finally finds a good home.
 A lady is standing at a corner, drops her purse, starts off in haste without discovering her loss. The dog picks it up and follows the lady; she reaches home, discovers her loss, starts out to look for the purse but is met at the door by the dog. The tale ends with a very fine.

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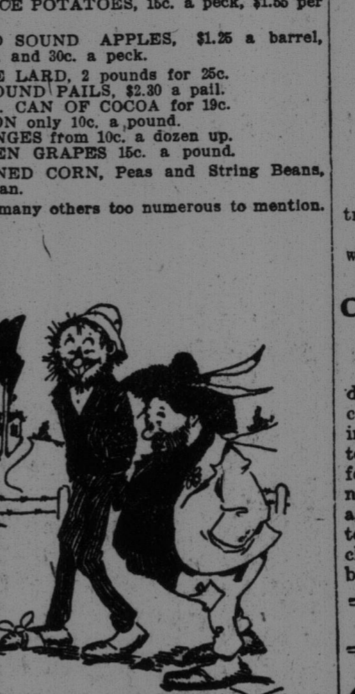
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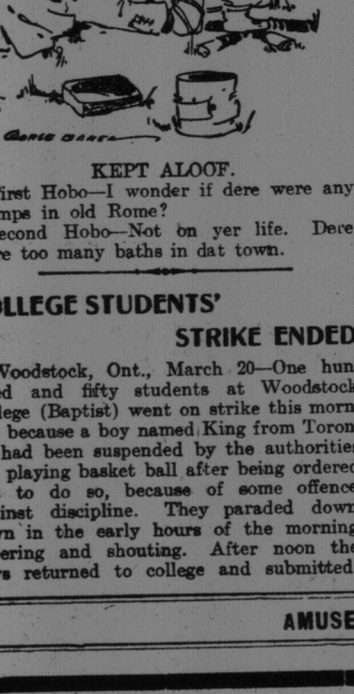
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YUKON MEMBER REVOLTS AGAINST RECKLESS RULE

Dr. Thompson Says Land and Mining Scandals and Extravagant Waste of Public Money Have Forced Him to Support Mr. Borden--Hon. Mr. Sifton Continues Budget Debate.

Ottawa, March 20--Dr. Thompson (Yukon) created a sensation in the house tonight when he announced that he would hereafter follow R. L. Borden as leader. He said that the budget was one calculated to make the people of the country sit up. Our taxation now represented an annual levy of \$80 upon every family in Canada. Could it not be reduced? Mr. Thompson said that money was being wasted upon our immigration policy. The United States had filled up and there was a tendency for people from the western states to come to Canada. This tendency would increase. What sense was there then in our paying \$3 a head for immigrants from Europe? By doing so we cheapened Canada. He criticized the reckless alienation of the lands, timber, minerals and fisheries of the west. These great resources had passed to party favorites and unscrupulous speculators.

In conclusion Dr. Thompson announced that he did not consider himself any longer as an independent. He would hereafter support and follow R. L. Borden. Dr. Thompson closed with loud cheers and prolonged applause from the opposition. Hon. Clifford Sifton continued the budget debate today. At the outset he complimented the minister on the clearness of his exposition of the trade and financial conditions of the country. Referring to Mr. Foster's speech the member for Brandon said that he did not think that it was necessary, in connection with the budget debate, to discuss old issues in which the country has lost interest.

Touching on the tariff question briefly he described the present tariff as one of moderate protection with certain modifying features being taken as preference, to give it elasticity. Mr. Foster had failed to successfully find fault with any feature of it or to declare that he would, if he had an opportunity, inaugurate any changes, in view of this failure it was to be presumed that Mr. Foster was not in a position to suggest anything better. Dealing with the difficulty which had been experienced in the recent past in floating markets on the British market Mr. Sifton expressed the opinion that this difficulty was caused largely by the desire of the people to invest in speculative stocks.

Turning to the question of trade Mr. Sifton expressed himself in favor of immediate action being taken to reorganize the department of trade and commerce, particularly in respect to the development of our resources. He said that he had noticed a few grounds on which Mr. Foster's chief and one was his suggestion that steps should be taken to collect more statistical information in regard to trade and investment.

Mr. Sifton proposed that a system of Canadian consular trade agents be established in foreign countries. The time had come, he said, when such a system ought to be established if Canada was to get her proper share of trade with such countries as Japan, France, South Africa and South America.

In this same connection the speaker said that he had put a civil service reform plank in his platform. Mr. Sifton said he would like to see the leader of the opposition and put the civil service of Canada outside the control of party politics. All would admit that the question of patronage was a nuisance and not an advantage to the government in power or to the members of the dominant system. Under the present system men were appointed who had no qualifications for the work. "Whatever we may say today or tomorrow," declared Mr. Sifton, "Canada will outgrow this system." In Great Britain a great many of the graduates of the leading universities are appointed to the government service.

He had been told that if this system were discontinued that it would be a great blow to the English universities. Canada had many creditable universities of her own and for some reason or another more than half the graduates came to go into business or professional life on their own account but sought clerical employment. Thousands who were unable to find clerical employment in Canada had left the country on that account.

His contention was that there should be a closer relation between the universities and public life in this country. Dealing with the question of immigration, Mr. Sifton expressed a high idea of the people who had come into the country from the western states. They were, he said, vigorous, resourceful and law abiding. Recently there had been some falling off in this class of immigration but he was glad to know that the outlook was again beginning to improve. He believed that in order to double the prosperity of the west it would be a good idea to throw open the remaining railway land grants, consisting of some 30,000,000 acres, for homestead entry and allow them to be taken up by the western American farmers. If this policy were pursued nothing more would be heard of hard times in the west. In throwing open this land for settlement Mr. Sifton said that he would reserve one-tenth of it to be sold ten or twelve years hence on the same plan as school lands are now sold, with the object of creating a fund to recoup the government for expenditures which must be incurred in the near future in the construction of necessary public works, such as the Hudson Bay Railway.

The time has come, Mr. Sifton said, when this railway must be constructed, but it should not be built in a manner to be a burden on the exchequer of the country. Three million acres sold at from ten to twelve dollars an acre would create a fund--\$30,000,000--which would be sufficient to cover the cost of construction, the building of wharves and elevators and the improvement of the navigation in Hudson Bay straits. Mr. Sifton contended that the land lying along this proposed railway is not barren land, and that there are great resources in Hudson Bay itself. North of the surveyed part of the west, which would be settled under this proposal, there existed 100,000,000 acres to be opened up in the future for settlement. He was not an advocate of government ownership of railways. He had no sympathy with the idea of taking properly managed railways out of the control of private companies. There were men in the house who held the same views as himself and he wished they would come out and express them. Unfortunately, nevertheless, he continued, there were cases where government action was necessary in the matter of railway construction. The case of the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario was one instance. It was opening up a new district and the Hudson Bay railway was in the same class.

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Canada was now paying \$800,000 a year in subsidies to her Atlantic and Pacific mail services, so that the improved service would mean an addition of \$800,000 or \$900,000 a year to this outlay.

Such a service, as now proposed, would mean that Canada instead of being on a side street, would be on the main avenue of the world's travel. No doubt there were serious obstacles to be overcome. Some of the leading men in the C. P. R. had made statements, which indicated their hostility to the project, but the country could not always look to the large corporations for guidance and for its own part he saw no reason why the Canadian Pacific Grand Trunk, Canadian Northern and Intercolonial should not all have a part in this enterprise, and join in bringing it to a successful issue.

Mr. Bergeron criticized the government's tariff policy and said that he would continue to do so in and out of the house so long as \$50,000,000 woolen and millions of dollars' worth of cottons were imported to the detriment of Canadian industries and Canadian working men.

Mr. Smith (Westworth), quoted statistics to show how poorly the trade returns of Canada compared with Argentina, Japan and Mexico. If the government was surer in their pretense that the excess of imports over exports was desirable, why did they not make a complete job of it and close our factories and increase our imports by establishing free trade? "Was it a good thing," he asked, "to close up our woolen mills in order to increase our imports from Great Britain, apparently? Mr. Fielding thought that it was."

Mr. Smith then turned his attention to Mr. Fisher's administration. Our agricultural exports had not increased; the cold storage business was shamefully mismanaged, and the maladministration of the fruit market set was notorious. Canadian apples had received a black eye in the British market. Our trade agents in England reported that the grading and packing of Canadian apples this year "had never been worse."

"I had intended to touch upon other subjects," said Mr. Smith, "but as there is not a single mention of the crown in his seat except the minister of agriculture. I will have to defer discussing them."

Mr. Smith, however, pointed out the great waste of the public works department at Burlington Harbor, where the new light house fell down and the new piers, as soon as built, slid into the water. The engineer in charge was a country postmaster receiving \$25 a year, a farmer by trade. But it was a common thing for our public works to fall down. The Laurier tower on parliament hill was a case in point.

Continuing, Mr. Sifton said that a definite offer had been made by a responsible company to construct 20,000 ton floating icebergs for the purpose of conveying the Luskian in everything but size. So far as fog was concerned there was a distinct advantage in the proposed Canadian as against the New York routes and this was borne out by the reports of the American hydrographic service which showed that the average fog for the voyage to Halifax was 3 1/2 per cent as against 8 per cent a day to New York. The heaviest fog of all occurred just west of the harbor of New York. Even in the Gulf of St. Lawrence investigation showed that there was a much lower percentage of fog as against the American route than was popularly supposed.

Ice offered no serious impediment to the Canadian route. This was proved by the fact that the captain of the Empress of Ireland, an experienced navigator, that as J. J. Macdonald, an experienced Canadian route at all. The vessels merely followed a more southerly course during the period from December to May.

The Canadian geographer had gone over the records of wrecks on the St. Lawrence route with the officers of the British Board of Trade and found that the figures prepared on this question in Canada were quite accurate. But when they talked in England of the losses on the St. Lawrence route they counted in every little coasting vessel that happened to run on the rocks, whereas this was not done in the case of the New York route. The truth was that between the years 1880 and 1897 there had been but five passenger vessels lost between Quebec and Liverpool. Three of these wrecks were due to lack of experience or carelessness on the part of the navigators. One other was caused by neglect to take proper soundings and only one wreck, therefore out of the five could actually be charged up to the dangers of the St. Lawrence route. The dangers of the route had been naturally exaggerated by the opponents of the route. But the facts were as he had stated.

The proposed subsidy, said Mr. Sifton, for a service such as he had described would be \$1,000,000, which it was suggested might be allocated as follows: Australia, \$700,000; New Zealand, \$200,000; Canada, \$225,000 and Great Britain \$500,000. New Zealand was understood to be willing to contribute this amount. Australia's part in the enterprise was not quite so clear.

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These objects can be served by the new national Transcontinental Railway, by a fast steamship service, by other legitimate public expenditures and by reasonable fiscal adjustments for the benefit of Eastern and Western provinces, and to take every convenient means of establishing closer commercial and social relations between these central provinces and the maritime communities.

We have the right to ask that the Intercolonial Railway should be operated as a commercial highway, but we should also see that it is thoroughly equipped for through traffic, and that its local rates are so adjusted as to serve local interests, and develop local industries.

The millions that we have frittered away in petty and unproductive electioneering projects would have built a tunnel between Prince Edward Island and the mainland. We have treated the island, with its thirty and spirited population, as a poor relation, and have attempted, by periodical cash bribes, to ignore the vital feature of the union compact.

WICKLEY Hats advertisement featuring a lion's head and the text 'UNAPPROACHABLE' and 'Sold by F. S. THOMAS, St. John'.

EXPENDITURES IN EAST AS VIEWED IN THE WEST

The Toronto News Declares There Has Been Enough Waste to Construct the P. E. Island Tunnel—A Plea for the Latter.

(Toronto News.) In the House of Commons the other day a vigorous attack was made on various petty local expenditures in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick. There is hardly any doubt that many of these expenditures were practically useless, and had no other object than to serve the interests of Liberal politicians.

It is only lately that the Intercolonial Railway was extended to Montreal. It is only lately that we have realized the national advantages of developing the Atlantic seaports. During the last few years St. John has shown a more robust national spirit, and has assumed heavier obligations in order to create a great port for the handling of transatlantic freight than any other community in the country.

CHILDHOOD INDIGESTION MEANS SICKLY BABIES

The baby who suffers from indigestion is simply starving to death. It loses all desire for food and the little it does take does it no good, for the child is nervous, cross and restless, and the mother feels worn out in caring for it.

entering of the island into Confederation must admit that such a tunnel must be constructed if the thing is reasonably practical.

But the pledge has not been kept, and still for weeks at a time during severe winters, the island is closed to the outside world, and all its business activities paralyzed.

ment into which we have entered on its behalf.

THE EMPRESS HAD 600 PASSENGERS

C. P. R. Liner Sailed for Liverpool Last Night

The C. P. R. steamer Empress of Britain sailed at 11:30 o'clock last evening carrying the overseas mail and about 600 passengers. The second section of the Montreal train was late and the steamer was held until the midnight tide.

M. Carrick, Vancouver; Miss E. C. J. D. Ivey, Mrs. Ivey, London; Miss Charles, Wallaceburg; Lieut. W. Dalton, R. N., London; W. A. Dobson, Vancouver; Rev. G. S. Edgewood, London; R. Fort, Mill, Mrs. Forthill, London; Charles Harper, Shanghai; Mrs. A. J. Harvey, Mrs. Hayward, Miss Hayward, St. John's; Leslie Hill, Nelson; Mrs. Hutcheon, Miss Hutcheon, Victoria; G. N. Illingworth, B. Wollen, Montreal.

How to Get Strong!

There is no opportunity of accomplishing much in this world if handicapped by poor health. Fancy a man compelled to work hard with worn-out blood in his veins—picture a woman anything but miserable when her delicate organism is out of gear.

MOTOR RACING

With races at Savannah held this past week, a contest of endurance now on between cars of different nations on what seems an impossible journey from New York to Paris and the Briarcliff trophy in Westchester county, New York, scheduled for next month, the man whose sporting enthusiasm expends itself on automobilism as a sport or a recreation is starting this year 1908 most auspiciously. Now to add still greater interest to this calendar only a few weeks possibilities have been suggested.

side to see the palm of victory rest with a French maker and driver that the French club is making such strenuous efforts to make the race a very big success. Moreover, last year's success, assured, and it will be one of the biggest meets of the year.

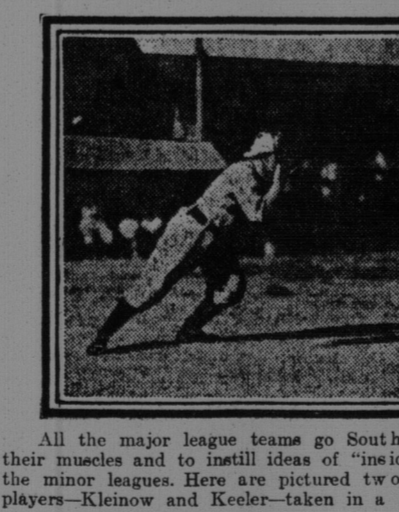
IN THE WORLD OF SPORT AND CREATION

BY PAUL THOMPSON

SWIMMING

Since early in February the swimmers of the Eastern States have been devoting their spare time to perfecting themselves for the annual championship. To this end hardly a week has passed that they do not make a dash for a dual aquatic meet. On April 4, in the Princeton tank, when the individual championships are held, it will be possible to see just what has been done in developing new swimmers.

this makes up 90 per cent of the work done in the South. It is in this manner, working under a Southern sun, that the swimmers from north of the mountains in the winter is taking out there is not a player, no matter how long he has been in the water, who is not in need of special training.



markable big salaries they draw, salaries which they could earn in no other profession or business. Yet ballplayers are notorious for this very thing. They eat more pastry and indigestible foods than any ordinary man without any necessity for keeping in condition would dream of consuming.

at Benning, the Washington, D. C. track. One very interesting event now slated for decision at this meeting which is followed so rapidly by racing at the New York tracks, is a race for army officers. Can this have been suggested by the president? It is for horses four years old and up which have been unconditionally the property of regular army officers from January 1 to the time of the race.

of the Intercollegiate Golf Association, the body in whose hands rests the management of the college golf championships, will go to England this summer. They will not leave until after college has closed, in June, and so will be able to take part in the English amateur championship at Sandwich the week of May 22. On the other hand, they will be in England in time to compete in the Olympic championships at Deal in July, and doubtless will do so. While not looking for championship matches, the American college men will, however, play a series of friendly matches with the best known clubs and expatriates of the ancient Scotch game in England.

BILLIARDS

In a recent letter I took occasion to comment on the game of billiards in this country, who some of the stars of the green cloth are and when they first came into prominence. On Friday of this week Willie Hoppe and George Sinton will clash at Madison Square Garden Concert Hall for the U.S. billiard championship. Inasmuch as the amateur championship is to be settled at Chicago this month, and Hoppe has already met Jacob Schenck, who is at Chicago at the 181 ball line game, and with more duels and championships to follow, the billiard table is a claimant more than their share of the sporting public's attention.

BASKETBALL

In a few more weeks the baseball season will be on, and the heart of the fan and he is truly legion in this country, where it is the national game — will be made glad. In the Southern trips for training purposes, to try out the men who have been secured from the minor leagues and to get in shape, the veterans whose positions are more than secure, the baseball enthusiast has had a foretaste of what is to come.

THOROUGHbred RACING

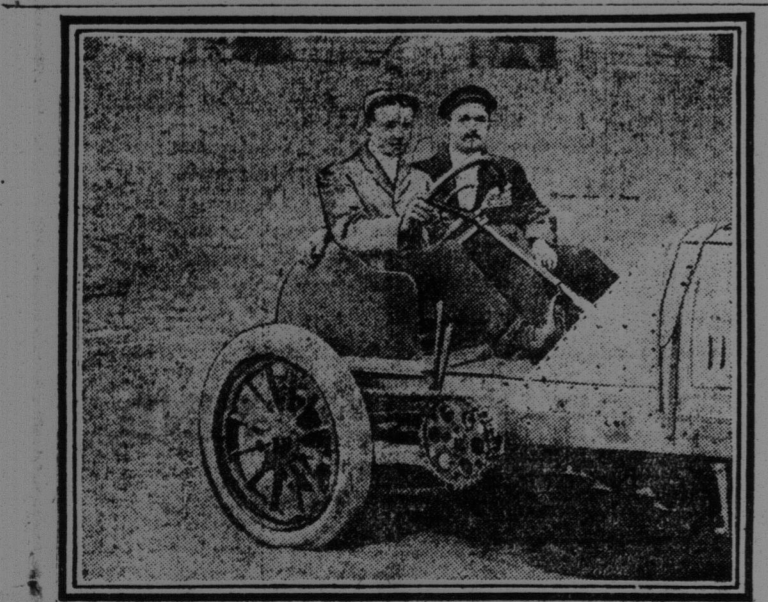
Thoroughbred racing in the East begins tomorrow with the opening of the season April until the middle of October. Baseball players engage in many vocations in the off season when they are not playing, but it is to be questioned if many have had to seek and secure a release from the position of superintendent of sewers, as Ungaug, of the Boston Americans, had to do in Williamsport. The board of aldermen, of course granted his request, and will welcome him back to his winter position on October 1.

if Europe takes our jockies from us as she has done countless times in the past, often when the boys have grown so heavy that they could not make the weight required here, but were yet able to ride abroad, we sometimes get a few of the stars back. It is quite probable for example, that Milton Henry, who has been riding with such great success for Baron Rothschild in France, scoring among other successes the Grand Prix and the French Derby, will have one of the top weights in the Suburban, one of our blue ribbon turf events. Negotiations have already been started looking toward this end, by one of the best known owners in the east. Going abroad because of his avoirdupois, Henry has become one of, if not the leading jockey of France, receiving for his services to the Rothschild stables, the princely salary of \$20,000 a year. He is, moreover, one of the most popular jockies riding there.

People ask why Charles Courtney, the famous Cornell rowing coach, success comes so consistently with his crews at Poughkeepsie. It is not a very difficult question to answer, but I think that a recent incident at Cornell will throw some light on the subject without very much additional comment on this being needed. Weed, stroke of the freshmen crew of two years ago, and naturally good variety timper, was a member of the Cornell Masque, an undergraduate dramatic association, that had scheduled performance of their annual play at Rochester and Auburn. Courtney had already started work with his oarsmen, and when asked if Weed could leave Ithaca with the dramatic organization, most emphatically said no, and that Weed must, moreover, cut out all theatricals and confine himself to rowing. Courtney does not want his protegee leaving Ithaca at this time, even for a day, and doesn't care to have them divide attention between theatricals and aquatic. Weed, needless to state, gave up his role as actor.

GOLF

Golf is one form of sport in which there will be much interest displayed this summer because there will be a series of international meetings, in no sense, however, championship struggles. Several members of the Metropolitan and other crack crews from the Harlem. A start will be made at two miles and the distance finally pushed up to four. It is an experiment that will be watched with keen interest by other rowing authorities.



Montague Roberts, the American driver who will go to France to compete in the Grand Prix.



At a race meeting in Stockholm, Sweden. There is a marked difference between the tracks and the tracks in this country thronged with thousands and thousands of thoroughbred followers. The Eastern season begins at Benning, Washington, D. C., tomorrow.



Looking at the score-golfers at Pinehurst, where the first tournaments of the year are usually held. It may be worth noting that only a colored caddy is utilized in this part of the country.

