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POST OFFICE INSPECTOR COLTER INJURED IN RAILWAY ACCIDENT.

Passenger Car of Train on Elgin Branch Railway Topped Over Embankment at a Bridge—Mr. Colter's Back Hurt.

Word reached the city last evening of an accident which happened on the Elgin branch yesterday afternoon shortly after 3 o'clock, in which at least two passengers were injured, including Dr. N. Colter, post office inspector of New Brunswick.

STRONG PROTEST TO ENGLAND AGAINST SCHEDULING OF CANADIAN CATTLE.

Parliament Discusses This Matter—The Vote for Mail Service Between Canada and Britain—Proposal to Have Atlantic Liners Change Course to Prevent Cutting Down Fishermen.

Ottawa, May 9.—(Special)—The Conservative whip forced a division in the house of commons this afternoon on a rather trifling matter and the result was that in a thin house, the government had a majority of 44.

WITH EVERY CLICK OF THE TICKER THE RUIN OF HUNDREDS WAS SOUNDED.

Stories of Ruin in Yesterday's Panic—Some Came Out of It Well -- A Clerk Who Cleared \$37,500 -- Big Losses in Toronto.

Boston, May 9.—Not for years has the Boston market gone through such scenes of turmoil as today. Thousands of speculators all over New England who traded through Boston houses, lost all they had staked.

GREETING WILHELMINA.

Enthusiasm—Two Journalists Run Over by Cavalry Escort.

PARSONS MURDER TRIAL.

Boston, May 9.—For nearly three hours this afternoon Hon. James A. McLaughlin, chief counsel for the defendants, argued the case for the jury.

HALIFAX INSURANCE CONFERENCE.

Halifax, May 9.—(Special)—The upper provinces insurance men, who came to the city for the purpose of suggesting to the local board that rates be advanced, had a conference with the board last evening.

DIVIDING MASSACHUSETTS DIODES.

Boston, May 9.—The annual convention of the Protestant Episcopal churches of Massachusetts, decided tonight, after a prolonged debate, to divide the diocese and then entrust the details of division to a committee which will report to a special meeting of the convention in the month of June.

MRS. NATION LEAVES JAIL.

Wichita, Kans., May 9.—Through the persuasion of her brother, J. W. Moore, Mrs. Carrie Nation was permitted to leave the county jail tonight.

SEAMEN ON STRIKE.

London, May 10.—The Daily Express publishes the following from Amsterdam: "The Seamen's Union has proclaimed a general strike for an increase of wages and it is expected that other ports will join."

APPEAL TO ROMAN CATHOLICS.

Members of Church in Canada and United States Asked to Help.

THE S. S. ASHANTI.

The Survey Completed—The Vessel's Injuries—Instructions Awaited.

GRAIN FROM SYDNEY.

Board of Trade After Quotations of Rates from Montreal Elevators.

THE MAYOR WILL APOLOGIZE.

Ottawa, May 9.—(Special)—Mayor Morris said today that he will call upon Ald. Champagne to apologize for calling him an upstart and an informer at last night's meeting of the finance committee.

LADY MINTO OFFERS PRIZES.

Ottawa, May 9.—(Special)—Lady Minto, from a desire to encourage city gardening, more especially such as tends to beautify the surroundings of a house, has decided to offer some valuable prizes to the residents of Ottawa.

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH.

Frederick, Md., May 9.—The general conference of the United Brethren church convened in this city this morning.

HALIFAX MYSTERY.

Unveiling of Portrait of Sergt. Major Duncan McGreggor.

FREDERICTON POLICE.

Asked to Enquire About "Lillian"—Assertion Made That Suicide Was a Mrs. Marsh—Regarded as One Who Sought Pleasant Street Boarding House.

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MONEY FOR THE KING.

Civil List Discussed in British Commons.

PRIVY PURSE £110,000.

His Majesty Anxious for Further Investigation into Management of Royal Household—John Redmond Explains Why Irish Members Dissent.

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LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

Meeting of the Executive Here Yesterday Afternoon.

The members of the provincial government held a meeting in the city yesterday afternoon for the purpose of dealing with matters which required their attention. The members in attendance were Hon. Premier Tweedie, Hon. George F. Hill, Hon. C. H. LaBelle, Hon. A. T. Dunn, Hon. L. P. Harris and Hon. H. A. McKewen. Hon. Wm. Pugsley, who is in Ottawa, was the only member absent.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS.

Convention at Moncton Closed—Proceedings Wednesday.

Moncton, May 8.—(Special.)—The Church of England S. S. teachers concluded their convention this afternoon. At the morning session a paper, prepared by Rev. E. W. Simonsen, of Antigonish, Carleton county, was read by Rev. E. B. Hooper, Canon Forsyth being selected speaker. Mrs. H. H. Pickett, of St. John, read a bright and instructive paper on How I teach the lesson, which was spoken to by Mr. Cotton, of Dorchester, and Rev. Mr. Sampson, of St. John.

MUCH COTTON BURNED.

Over \$150,000 Loss by Fire in Augusta, Ga.

Augusta, Ga., May 8.—What looked to be a fire that would stop only when it had wiped out the cotton storage district at Augusta broke out in one of the storage compartments of the Union Compress Company's buildings at 1 o'clock today.

SAW FLOATING BODY.

Word Reaches Digby of Man's Body Passed by Schooner V. T. H.

Digby, May 9.—Alex. Martel, of Digby, a seaman on the schooner V. T. H., which arrived from Cienfuegos Tuesday morning and towed to Bear River, reports that in latitude 37 they passed the body of an unknown man floating. The body was dressed in an overcoat, wore a hat and was face downwards, with arms above head.

Labor Troubles.

Reading, Pa., May 8.—Sixteen hundred employees of the Reading Iron Co.'s Tube mill are on strike for a restoration of wages to last fall's schedule. Hamburg, May 8.—The copperminers struck this morning but the threatened shipbuilding lockout was not declared. Work is proceeding at all the shipyards. London, May 8, 5:15 p. m.—The miners have decided against a stoppage of work. If the owners should attempt to reduce wages in any district another conference will be called. Genoa, May 8.—The dock laborers who have been out on strike have resumed work. Albany, N. Y., May 8.—The situation here this morning in the strike of the street railway employes is unchanged. Neither the men nor the company have yielded a point. The strike now extends to Albany, Troy, Watervliet, Rensselaer and Cohoes. Over 50 miles of track lies idle and 1,000 men are out of work.

WEAPON OF AN ENEMY

IN ONE'S OWN HAND IT IS MIGHTY TO WIN BATTLES.

SCIENCE UNITES WITH RELIGION

First It Was Like Goliath's Sword, But It Afterwards Became a Weapon For God and Has Proved a Very Effective One For the Truth—Universality of Religion.

Washington, May 5.—In this discourse Dr. Talmage calls the roll of influence once antagonistic but now friendly to the gospel and encourages Christian workers; text, I Samuel xxi, 9, "There is none like that; give it me." David fled from his pursuers. The world runs very fast when it is chasing a good man. The country is trying to catch David and to slay him. David goes into the house of a priest and asks him for a sword or spear with which to defend himself. The priest, not being accustomed to use deadly weapons, tells David that he cannot supply him, but suddenly the priest thinks of an old sword that had been carefully wrapped up and laid away—the very sword that Goliath formerly used—and he takes down that sword, and while he is unwrapping the sharp, glittering, memorable blade it flashes upon David's mind that this is the very sword that was used against himself when he was in the fight with Goliath, and David can hardly keep his hand off it until the priest has unwrapped it. David stretches out his hand toward that old sword and says, "There is none like that; give it me." In other words, "I want in my own hand the sword which has been used against me and against the cause of God." So it was given him. Well, my friends, that is not the first or the last sword once used by giant and Philistine iniquity which is to come into the possession of Jesus Christ and his glorious church. I want, as well as God may help me, to show you that many a weapon which has been used against the armies of God and yet to be captured and used on our side, and I only imitate David when I stretch out my hand toward that blade of the Philistine and cry, "There is none like that; give it me!"

I remark first that this is true in regard to all scientific exploration. You know that the first discoveries in astronomy and geology and chronology were used to battle Christianity. Worldly philosophy came out of its laboratory and out of its observatory and said, "Now, we will prove by the very structure of the earth and by the movement of the heavenly bodies that the Bible is a lie and that Christianity as we have it among men is a purely imposition. Good and beautiful as the telescope, the Leyden jars, the electric batteries, all in the hands of the Philistines. But one day Christianity looking about for some weapon with which to defend itself, happened to see the very old sword that these atheistic Philistines had been using against the truth and cried out, "There is none like that; give it me!" And Copernicus and Galileo and Kepler and Isaac Newton and Herschel and O. M. Mitchell came forth and told the world that in their ransacking of the earth and heaven they had found overwhelming presence of the God whom we worship, and this old Bible began to shake itself from the Koran and Shinto and Zoroastrianism and what had been covered up and lay on the desk of the scholar and in the laboratory of the chemist and in the mind of the Christian philosopher. The world was passing, the feds sea bank on which were tossed the carcasses of the drowned Egyptians. A man said: "I went to the Holy Land an infidel. I came back a Christian. I could not help it."

Worldly philosophy said: "Your Bible is a most inaccurate book. All that story in the Old Testament, again and again told, about the army of the locusts—it is preposterous. There is nothing in the coming of the locusts like an army. An army walks; locusts fly. An army goes in order and procession, locusts without and behind the locusts. There are men right before me who must have noticed in that very part of the country the coming up of the locusts like an army, and it was found that all the newspapers unwittingly spoke of them as an army. Why? They seem to have a commander. They march like a host. They are like a host. No arrow ever went in straighter flight than the locusts come, not even turning aside for the wind. If the wind rises, the locusts drop and then rise again after it has gone down, taking the same line of march, not varying a foot. The old Bible is right every time when it speaks of locusts coming like an army; worldly philosophy said, "The light comes straight." Christian philosophy says, "Wait a little while, and it goes on and makes discoveries and finds that the atmosphere curves and bends the rays of light around the earth, literally the clay to the sea." The Bible right again; worldly philosophy wrong again. "All, says worldly philosophy, 'all that allusion to Job about the foundations of the earth is simply an absurdity. Where wast thou,'" says God, "when I set the foundations of the earth?" The earth has no foundation. Christian philosophy comes and finds that the word as translated "foundations," may be better translated "sockets." So now see how it will read if it is translated right. "Where wast thou when I set the sockets of the earth?" Where is the socket? It is the hollow of God's hand—a socket large enough for any world to turn in.

Another machine for manufacturing cigars has been patented. To CORE A COLD IN A NIGHT—Use Vapo-Creoline. It has been used extensively during more than twenty-four years. All Druggists.

FOUNDATIONS OF THE EARTH

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Worldly philosophy said: "What an absurd story about Joshua making the sun and moon stand still! In the world, had stopped an instant, the whole universe would have been out of gear." "Stop," said Christian philosophy, "not quite so quick. The world has two motions—one on its own axis and the other around the sun. It was not necessary in making them stand still that both motions should be stopped—only the one turning the world on its axis. There was no reason why the halting of the sun and moon should have disarranged the whole universe. Joshua right and God right; indefinitely wrong every time. I knew it would go into an observatory and the time has come when Christians need not be scared at any scientific explanation. The fact is that religion and science are friends, and the deeper down geology can dig and the higher up astronomy can soar all the better for us.

The art of the world has been in the possession of the victors. What to unclean Henry VIII, was a beautiful picture of the Madonna? What to Lord Jeffrey, the unjust judge, the picture of the "Last Judgment"? What to Nero, the unwashed, a picture of the baptism in the Jordan? The art of the world on the whole, looks at the pictures and brings back to his American artist, the picture of the old masters. The Christian artist goes over to Venice, looks at the "Crucifixion of Christ," and comes back to his studio and paints a picture as never before of the sufferings of the Saviour. The private tourist goes to Rome and looks at Raphael's picture of the "Descent from the Cross," and he goes back to his room in the hotel and prays God for preparation for that day when

Shriveling like a parched scroll, The flaming heavens together roll. Our Sunday school newspapers and walls are adorned with pictures of Joseph in the court, Daniel in the den, Shadrach in the fire, Paul in the shipwreck, Christ on the cross. Oh, that we might in our families think more of the power of Christian pictures! One little school of named children in my own town, on devotion, one patient face of Christ by the hand of the artist will be more to your child than 20 sermons on forgiveness. The art of the world is to be taken for Christ. What has become of Thackeray's "Christ in the East"? There is none like that; give it me."

So I remark that it is with business as with everything. Who Christ was on earth, the people that followed him for the most part had no social position. There was but one man naturally in the front of the crowd, Joseph of Arimathea, the rich man, risked nothing when he offered a hole in the rock for the dead to water in the mountain. Joseph of Arimathea, the rich man, risked nothing when he offered a hole in the rock for the dead to water in the mountain. Joseph of Arimathea, the rich man, risked nothing when he offered a hole in the rock for the dead to water in the mountain.

And the firearms with which the infidel traveler brought down the Arab horseman and the jacks of the desert have been surrendered to the church, and we reach forth our hand, crying, "There is none like that; give it me!" Samuel L. Southard was mighty in the senate chamber, but he resolved his strongest defence for that day when he stood before the literary societies at Princeton, and he pleaded for the grandeur of our Bible. Daniel Webster won not his chief laurels while responding to Hayne, but that day when he the famous Girard will case he showed his affection for the Christian religion and enlarged the Bible. The eloquence of the leaving that have been on the other side come over to our side. Captured for God! "There is none like that; give it me."

So after that it been with the picture making of the world. We are very anxious on this day to have the printing press and the platform on the side of Christianity, but we overlook the engraver's knife and the painter's pencil. The antiquarian goes and looks at pictures of the Thebes and Nineveh and Pompeii and then comes back to tell us of the beastliness of ancient art, and it is a fact now that many of the finest specimens—merely artistically considered—of sculpture and painting that are to be found amid those ruins are not fit to be looked at, and they are locked up. Had Paul must have felt worst standing near these pictures that staved on him from the walls and pavements and bazaars of Corinth, he preached of the pure and holy Jesus, the art of the world on the side of obscenity and crime and death.

Some men are so full of excuses they can't live without apologizing for the knotholes. More than 20,000 dogs have been licensed to live in New York city this year.

AFRAID OF BEING KISSED.

Clever Story of a Man, a Maid and an Iron Kettle.

Here is an ingenious Circassian story: A man was walking along one road and a woman along another. The roads finally united, and the man and the woman, reaching the junction at the same time, went on from there together. The man was carrying a large iron kettle on his back. In one hand he held by the leg a live chicken, in the other a can, and he was leading a goat. Just as they were coming to a deep, dark ravine the woman said to the man: "If you are afraid of that dark ravine with you. It is a lonely place, and you might overtake me and kiss me by force."

"If you are afraid of that," said the man, "you shouldn't have walked with me at all. How can I possibly overtake you and kiss you by force when I have this great iron kettle on my back, a can in one hand and a live chicken in the other and am leading a goat? I might as well be tied hand and foot."

"Yes," replied the woman, "but if you should stick your can in the ground and tie the goat to it and turn the kettle bottom side up and put the chicken under it, then you might wickedly kiss me in spite of my resistance."

"Success to thy ingenuity, O woman!" said the man to himself. "I would not have thought of this expedient. And when they came to the ravine he stuck his can into the ground and tied the goat to it, gave the chicken to the woman, saying, "Hold it while I cut some grass for the goat," and then he tucked the chicken under his shoulders, he wickedly kissed the woman, as she was afraid he would.—Stray Stories.

THE UNTOLO.

Why Mrs. Cavil Failed To Be Informed by Her Husband.

"I didn't tell you, I did, Mildred," said Mr. Cavil to his wife, "that I saw your sister Jane down town this day week?" "No, you didn't, Charles Augustus Cavil," replied Mrs. Cavil. "Why didn't you?" "Well, you see—"

"Yes, I see. You meet the only sister I have in the world, and instead of coming straight home and telling me about it the same day, as any respectable husband would have done, you keep the matter secret a whole week and then ask carelessly if you have mentioned the fact that you saw her?" "But, my dear—"

"Don't you see, Charles Augustus Cavil, I have not had time to write you a message by you, and you not only failed to deliver it, but by this time you have forgotten what it was about. Tell me if this isn't the case?" "Yes, I see. It was that way."

"Don't tell me it was that way, Charles Augustus Cavil. I know exactly how it was. You simply didn't care a straw whether I knew that you had seen Sister Jane or not or you would not have waited a whole week to tell me you had seen her." Mr. Cavil said at length.

"Then I'd like to know what you did say, Charles Augustus Cavil."

"I asked you if I told you that I saw her," explained Mr. Cavil. "Well, why didn't you tell me?" "The reason I didn't tell you was because I didn't see that's all."

Mrs. Cavil gasped and was speechless.

A TRICK OF INDIAN THIEVES.

In some of the thieves' schools in India a regular course of training is gone through in the art of "pouching," or concealing articles of value in the throat. The Englishman, a newspaper published in Calcutta, thus describes the process:

"At first a small piece of lead, attached to a thread, is swallowed and guided by the action of the tongue to the office of the sac in the throat. As soon as this has been done the lead is unsuitable for casting, while others, like iron, can readily be cast in any desired shape. The property of casting well is said to depend upon whether the metal contracts or expands on solidifying from the liquid form. Iron, like water, expands in solidifying, and hence the solid metal may be seen floating in the liquid iron about it. The expansion causes it to fill the die into which it is poured, and so it can be cast easily. Gold and silver contract in cooling and therefore are not suitable for casting."

As to Strikings.

"What's the matter with that man?" asked the clock. "He doesn't seem to have anything to do but wind me up."

"No," replied the calendar, "he isn't working. He and his companions struck some time ago."

"Huh! Suppose I should stop working every time I struck?" "That's so, but I notice it freshens me up every time he takes a month off."

Corroborative Evidence.

Hoax—Borrowwell gets a lot of credit for the way he keeps his family dressed.

Joax—Yes; they tell me there are two or three collectors at the house every day.

Very Special Delivery. "Did she get your bill?" "Yes; I directed it to her husband and marked it 'personal.'"—Chicago Record.

Vanderbilt Home.

New York, May 9.—William K. Vanderbilt, the head of a great railroad system, arrived today from Europe on the Deutschland.

Hardware Bargains

Having recently purchased a large bankrupt stock of hardware, consisting of SHELF HARDWARE, CHURNS, HAY AND MANURE FORKS, SKATES, BUILDERS' HARDWARE, ETC., I can offer some good bargains in same.

A. M. ROWAN, - 331 Main St., N.E.

POPE TOO BIG A MAN.

Must Be Free from Interference by Governments.

Baltimore, May 8.—Right Rev. Sebastian Martinelli, titular archbishop of Ephesus and cardinal-elect, today received at the hands of Cardinal Gibbons the red beretta and donned the robes which will hereafter mark his rank. The ceremony, which is the second step in his elevation to his new position, was marked by the pomp and brilliancy usual upon such occasions.

The ecclesiastics present included half a score of archbishops and half a hundred bishops, priests, monks and seminarians. The initial step in the ceremony took place in the palace of the cardinal immediately prior to that held in the Cathedral and consisted of the transmission of the beretta to Cardinal Gibbons by Monsignor Marcellini, the papal legate. Brief addresses were made by the participants in this affair.

While this was in progress, a procession was formed in front of Calvert hall, a block away, in which were ranged in the order named the seminarians, priests, Franciscans, and Augustine monks, the members of the faculty in the Catholic University in Washington, abbots, bishops and finally the archbishops. At 10 o'clock they moved to the cathedral where Cardinal Gibbons occupied the throne on the gospel side of the altar and the cardinal-elect that upon the epistle side. The papal briefs to Cardinal Gibbons and Cardinal-elect Martinelli were then read.

Archbishop Ryan preached. In the course of his sermon he alluded to the independence of the papacy. He said the pope must be free from interference on the part of all governments; he is not one big man to be the subject of any power. At the close of his sermon the archbishop asked God's blessing upon the United States.

CHATHAM NEWS.

Methodist Forward Movement—Accident—The Oil Business.

Chatham, N. B., May 9.—(Special.)—On Wednesday and Thursday a convention was held in St. Luke's church in the interests of the forward movement, and the people of the Methodist church. Many delegates were present, but the leading spirit was Dr. F. C. Stephenson, of Toronto, to whom much of the success is due. He delivered addresses, illustrating them with maps and charts, and imparting much information of the work. Other addresses were delivered and the result will doubtless be an increasing interest in the missionary work of the church.

Fredericton News.

A joint stock company, called the Sackville Free Stone Company, Ltd., has been formed, with a capital of \$25,000, and is seeking incorporation to carry on a stone quarrying business, etc. The members of the company are Fred. P. Thompson, Fredericton; Andrew M. Bell, Halifax; John W. Lowe, Aylesford; Chas. Picard, Sackville; and P. J. Mooney, St. John.

Rev. Dr. Chapman, of Point de Bate, will next month succeed Rev. G. M. Campbell as pastor of the Methodist church here. Rev. Mr. Campbell goes to St. John.

Word received today was that Councilor McNally, being reported ill at his home in Queensbury, was very low.

If you bestow a favor, forget it; if you receive one, remember it.

SWEET PEAS.

Beautiful Home Mixture, contains 75 best new and choice sorts; 3 ounces of this equal to 25 packages. Mailed for 10c. Five packages Vegetable Seeds: Cabbage, Cauliflower, Lettuce, Onions and Tomatoes, mailed for 10c. New varieties, 5 cents a package.

GEO. E. PRICE, seedsman, 127 Queen Street, St. John, N. B.

RIGHT ARM TAKEN OFF

Shocking Accident in Marysville Mill.

Fredericton, May 7.—(Special.)—This morning, at the single mill at Marysville, operated by the Alex. Gibson Railway and Manufacturing Company, a workman named Robert McCoy, of Avery's Portage Station, attempted to put a belt upon the single machine while it was in motion. His clothing caught and he was thrown against the large circular saw. His right arm was completely severed just below the elbow. Drs. Fisher and Asherton rendered surgical assistance.

In the equity court this morning, Justice Barker presiding, the case of Felix McGarr vs. John Pugh and A. A. Steing was taken up. A. J. Gregory moving for foreclosure and sale, which was ordered, with leave to all parties to bid.

Sounders vs. The William Richards Company (Ltd.) was taken up. G. W. Allen, K. C., arguing the case for the defendant. R. W. McLellan is associated with Mr. Allen as counsel for the defendant, and A. B. Connell, of Woodstock, appears for the plaintiff.

A committee from the Exhibition Association waited on the city council last evening and asked that the council grant the association \$3,000 instead of \$1,500, as already voted. It is understood that the aldermen are divided as to the additional amount, and that they will not take any further action until another joint meeting with the exhibition committee.

CYANIDE PLANT AT CARIBOO MINES.

Truro Foundry is Building—Midland Railway Handles First Freight.

Truro, N. S., May 9.—(Special.)—Truro foundry is building a 100 ton cyanide plant at Cariboo Mines for the extraction of gold from tailings. The first freight shipped on the Midland railway was on May 7 from Truro, when the company took a car of corn meal to Princeport for H. H. McNut.

General Manager Harris is issuing receipt for freight charges. Construction trains have been running for some time, but this was the first paid freight carried over the road.

Private Still Captured.

Ottawa, May 9.—(Special.)—Chief Preventative Officer Fred Jones had a cruiser sent to Mead Cove, Cape Breton, two days ago. The captain wires tonight that he had seized "a" from a man named McLellan. The still had been located when the cruiser was sent.

Women's thoughts of men are mostly thoughts.—Chicago News.

Doctors agree on two points: That gripe and consumption kill more people than all other diseases. That SHILOH'S CONSUMPTION CURE cures more colds, coughs, gripe and all manner of lung troubles than all other remedies. It soothes the inflamed tissues, heals the sore lungs, loosens the cough and restores health and vigor. 25c per bottle. S. C. WELLS & CO., Proprietors, Toronto, Canada.

OVER THE PROVINCES. A SUMMARY OF EVENTS AT HOME AND ABROAD.

What is going on Among Ourselves—The Daily Doings of Our Neighbors Talked About—People you know or of Whom have heard.

Yarmouth, N. S., May 9.—Mrs. Geo. Larkin died this morning after an illness of twelve years, from diabetes. She was 62 years of age and leaves four daughters.

Charlottetown, May 9.—(Special)—Premier Panopoulson delivered the budget last night to a crowded house. It was the best address ever delivered by him.

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Church of England S. S. Convention at Moncton. Stock Market in a Panic—Men Reduced to Absolute Ruin—Women With Blanched Faces, Fainted at Learning of Fortunes' Loss—Unprecedented Rise and Fall in Prices Looked For Today.

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The decline, once in force, gained cumulative strength. Speculators' margins were wiped out and brokers had to sell the securities placed with them as collateral to save themselves from loss.

The importance attached to the Northern Pacific episode was made clear by the eagerness of all classes to learn all developments concerning it and the immediate effect of any announcement regarding it upon the stock market.

Announcements by J. P. Morgan & Co. and Kuhn, Loeb & Co., who respectively represent the two contending parties in Northern Pacific, that they would not require deliveries of the stock today, meant a respite of one day at least from the pressure for the relief of the mortgage.

The hope of relief from the conditions prevailing on the stock exchange today was the possibility of a compromise or a compromise between the contending interests as to sharing the benefits of the Burlington deal, which is expected to be the first step in the compromise.

The first effect was devoted to circulating reports that the conferences between the contending interests in Northern Pacific had resulted in a compromise which would free the shorts in the stock from their embarrassing positions.

The concerted effort to support the market by buying all stocks which might be offered undertaken, according to the current belief in Wall street, by some of the most powerful capitalists of the country.

The struggle of financial giants which broke the most remarkable movement that American stocks ever had, dates back but a fortnight. E. H. Harriman and his associates, so they relate the story in the street, discovered that brokers representing J. P. Morgan & Co. were buying

Union Pacific. Harriman at once began increasing his own holdings, buying on a market that rapidly advanced, and when sure of control submitted a proposition for some basis of agreement as to the control of Burlington, just acquired by the Great Northern and Northern Pacific.

The banks acted together today, but there was no conference or agreement about it. We placed about \$10,000,000 in the aggregate and the normal effect was good.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE. Published by D. C. Clinch, Banker and Broker. New York, May 9.—The following were the opening and closing quotations:

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Table with columns: London, 60 days, etc. Includes exchange rates for various locations.

England's Population is Larger. London, May 9.—According to the returns of this year's census, the total population of England and Wales is 32,525,191, an increase over the population of 1891 of 3,225,191.

CONSTIPATION. When Chronic is CAUSED BY CATARRH OF THE LIVER.

Few doctors know this. They think the trouble is too much bile. THE BILE IS NATURE'S PURGATIVE. It is extracted from the blood by the liver and poured into the bowels.

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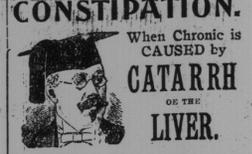
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\$50,000 FIRE IN BOSTON.

Broke Out at 5 A. M. in Granite Block on Washington Street. Boston, May 9.—A fire that started just before 2 o'clock this morning gutted the two upper floors of the five-story granite block, 323 and 325 Washington street.

Women Faint at Fortune's Loss. The excitement was apparent all through the financial district during the period of panic, but there were few sensational reports.

Men Came to Absolute Ruin. In the brokers' offices sat many men who were reduced to absolute ruin as a result of the unparalleled rise of prices.

Cardinal Gibbons to Europe. Baltimore, Md., May 9.—Cardinal Gibbons left Baltimore this afternoon for New York whence he will sail for Europe.

Wreak Back on Spinal Pains. Pain in the back number their victims in thousands. Only very powerful and penetrating remedies will reach these distressing conditions.

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NEWS OF THE WORLD.

THE HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK IN BRIEF.

Despatches from points of interest in different parts of the World—Domestic and Foreign events—The Dark and Sunny Side of Life.

Stockholm, May 7.—Gerhard Dorsen, minister of marine, has resigned. He was appointed Oct. 1, 1898.

London, May 8.—The Daily Express declares that an alliance between the Grampian Shipping Company and Vickers Sons & Maxim, limited, is ready for signature.

Calais, Me., May 7.—The young daughter of Frank Bailey, of Ballyville, fell from a bridge which spans the west branch of the St. Croix river this morning and was drowned.

New York, May 7.—A conference this afternoon to apportion Andrew Carnegie's gift of \$2,000,000 for 65 libraries, decided to give 45 to Manhattan and to Bronx, and 20 to the other boroughs.

New York, May 8.—W. E. Spier, former treasurer of the International Paper Company, died at his residence here today.

Berlin, May 7.—Several journals assert that Germany is about to invite Italy to name commissioners to a conference with Germany's representatives regarding the renewal of the commercial treaty between the two powers.

Farmington, Me., May 7.—John Overington, of Frankford, Philadelphia, died in Guy's Camp, Albany Mills, today. He had gone into the woods to try the early fishing. Heart trouble is thought to have been the cause.

Fremont, N. J., May 7.—Articles were filed here this afternoon incorporating the Allis-Chalmers Company with an authorized capital of \$50,000,000 to manufacture stationary and other engines, machinery of all kinds.

Shamokin, Pa., May 7.—Five hundred employees of the Royal Oak colliery were thrown out of employment today by the plant's going on strike because the breaker in the breaker is in danger of collapsing.

London, May 7.—A painful sensation was caused tonight at a meeting of the Masons in Eastbourne by the sudden death of Mr. F. S. Schreiner, elder brother of the former premier of Cape Colony, Mr. Wm. P. Schreiner.

Cologne, May 7.—The military captive balloons with two men in the car, which ascended here Sunday afternoon, broke loose in a gale and was lost to sight in the clouds, as has happened already in other instances, the car was not injured.

Harrisburg, Pa., May 7.—A notice was posted today at the Pennsylvania Steel Works announcing that beginning June the wages will be restored to the rates in force before Jan. 1, an advance of about 10 per cent. The company employs nearly 7,000 persons.

London, May 7.—The election in the Monmouth district to replace Mr. Frederic Rutherford Harris, former M. P. of this district, who was unseated April 2, resulted in Mr. Lawrence, Conservative, getting 4,024 votes and Mr. A. Spier, Liberal, polling 4,261.

New York, May 7.—Private advices received in London, says the Tribune's London correspondent, state that the Empress Frederick of Germany has had less suffering for the last ten days. The doctors are hopeful that her life may be spared for some time.

London, May 9.—Special despatches Madrid describe serious conditions at Barcelona and assert that several rioters have already been shot after dramatic scenes in the streets. Collisions with fatal consequences have occurred between the troops and the strikers.

Boston, May 7.—The sessions of the National Association of Stone Manufacturers began today at the Parker House, with members present from all over the United States. Secretary T. J. Hogan, of Chicago, who was asked regarding the reports that a mammoth stone trust had been organized or was contemplated, emphatically denied the story.

Paris, May 7.—The Gaulois publishes an interview with General Du Bariat, who declares that the situation in Algeria and Morocco is bad. He said that he was convinced that if there was a European war tomorrow, the whole of Algeria would immediately revolt. He believes that the government desires a war with Morocco.

St. Louis, Mo., May 8.—A deal involving \$9,230,000 was made in insurance circles yesterday when the Mutual Fire Insurance Company of St. Louis sold its business to and renewed its policies in the National Fire Insurance Company of Hartford, Conn. The Hope Mutual Fire Insurance Company of St. Louis was organized in 1857.

London, May 7.—Mr. A. B. Markham, addressing his constituents at Mansfield tonight, boldly fulfilled his pledge to repeat to them his recent attack in the House of Commons on the firm of Werner, Bell & Co.

He charged Mr. Alfred Beit and Mr. Eckstein with being thieves and swindlers and challenged the former to bring an action against him for libel.

Cañon, May 7.—An electrician named Smith has invented two X-ray tubes for which he claims several advantages over the ordinary tubes, especially that they are non-conspicuous, one of them actually tending to heal burns and wounds. One makes bones and not flesh visible on a photograph plate, while the other makes a mother visible on the plate showing only foreign substances.

New York, May 8.—Charles M. Schwab, president of the United States Steel Corporation, talked interestingly tonight to 200 poor boys of the east side. The occasion was the commencement exercises of an evening trades' school. Mr. Schwab advised the boys to depend upon their own exertions and merits. The boy who depends upon influence is handicapped sadly from the start.

Watertown, N. Y., May 7.—William Kelly, a well-to-do farmer, living two miles from De Kalb Junction, committed suicide by cutting his throat with a pocket knife.

St. Louis, Mo., May 7.—Between 700 and 800 employees of the United States government, factoring firms in St. Louis struck today for an advance of 10 per cent.

New York, May 8.—In a fit of insanity John C. Messerieu, a salesman who lived in Brooklyn, tried to murder his wife and sister-in-law today and then killed himself by inhaling gas.

Berlin, May 9.—The Berliner Tage Zeitung, which prints a Washington despatch asserting that the United States government is thinking of securing one of the Azores as a coaling station, says that "the appetite grows with eating."

Lowell, Mass., May 7.—Tonight the employees of the local division of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company voted to quit work next Saturday unless their demands for a 9 hour day at the minimum rate of \$2 per day are granted.

Denver, Col., May 7.—Thomas J. Shelton, publisher of The Christian, who claims close kinship to Jacob and Moses, and the power to cure disease by sending vibrations to any distance, today pleaded guilty to the improper use of the mails and was fined \$25 by Judge Hallett in the U. S. court.

Albany, N. Y., May 7.—The state canal opened at noon today. Superintendent Partridge stated that levels reported by the canal at Rochester were not of a serious character and caused no delay.

New York, May 7.—It has been decided that the Madison court shall be argued before the court of appeals in June.

New York, May 7.—The West Chester county grand jury at White Plains today found indictments against Francesco Spinola and her uncle Giovo Battistini for attempted murder in having buried alive an infant of which they were the parents. This is the crime committed at Hastings, April 22. The child died of exhaustion in an institution to which it was sent.

Havana, May 7.—The special committee of the urban constitutional convention will not make any recommendations to the convention. Although the majority of the commissioners are in favor of accepting the Platt amendment, the report will emphasize only the facts of the conference at Washington and heretofore.

London, May 7.—In the House of Commons today Sir John Gorst, the vice-president of the committee of the House introduced the education bill. He explained that the bill was intended to bring the chaotic educational system of the United Kingdom into unity.

Mr. Bryce (Liberal) called it a gigantic, complicated scheme.

The bill passed its first reading without a division.

New York, May 7.—To avoid further annoyance and attendance in court during the warm weather, it is claimed, Howard Gould today settled in full the claims of a firm of dress-makers against his wife, for gowns and wraps made upon her order in March, 1900. The dress-makers sued for a balance of \$1,250.

The case against the Carnegie trustees was subsequently sealed down and Mr. Gould through his lawyer effected a settlement for \$1,150, which covers the claim and the cost of the action.

London, May 7.—A Reuter despatch from St. Petersburg May 6 says: "The agitation against the government continues, especially among literary and educational circles, some of whose representatives are said to be secretly agitating among the laboring classes."

"Many arrests and domiciliary visits have been made and the police are extraordinarily active. The correspondence of several foreign newspaper correspondents and of members of the diplomatic body has been secretly examined, many letters never reaching their destinations."

Gloucester, Mass., May 7.—The 900 members of the stoneworkers' union will not go out on strike tomorrow. As the result of conferences today with the granite company officials, slight concessions were made by the latter and taking in view the fact that the granite industry is in poor condition at this time, that the demand for granite is slack and prices have been low for the past two years, the centers decided to accept the propositions submitted by the companies. In the main the agreement makes a slight increase over the wages during the past two years.

Buffalo, N. Y., May 7.—The programme for the dedication day ceremonies, May 29, at the pan-American exposition grounds was made public today. It will consist of an exposition parade and a concessions parade.

The ceremonies on the grounds will consist first of a grand flight of carrier pigeons, conveying the news of the dedication to the world. The arrival guests will then proceed to the Temple of Music where the programme will be carried out.

At noon there will be an exhibition of scientific life flying.

The death is announced at Lawrence, Mass., of John S. Rowe, formerly of this city. Mr. Rowe was born in Ireland in 1830 and came to St. John about 1848. For many years he carried on the business of watchmaking in this city. In 1877 he removed to Lawrence, Mass., where he has since resided. Mr. Rowe was well known in musical circles, and was organist in the Stone and St. Stephen churches during his residency here. He leaves a widow, one son and five daughters. John Rowe, his son, is the well-known artist of New York. Mrs. J. Hay, T. William Bell, Walter R. Miles, of this city; Mrs. William Twiss and Miss Gertrude Rowe, of Lawrence, are his daughters.

WANT MORE TIME.

Applications for Extension of Lobster Season.

Ottawa, May 7.—(Special)—The department of marine and fisheries is receiving requests from certain parts of the Atlantic coast, urging that the lobster fishing season be extended for two or three weeks beyond the period specified by law. This on the shores of Halifax and the western portion and the counties of Lunenburg, Queens, Shelburne, Yarmouth, and part of Digby, the season by law ends on June 21st, and it is asked that fishing be allowed until June 15th or 21st. The fishermen and packers begin operations so early as December 15th, and in the winter, according to the weather, they have done poorly, and many have, it is claimed, put up very few lobsters. Thousands of traps have been set which have caught hardly any lobsters at all, though, in former seasons, large catches were made. The dates of the existing lobster fishing season were settled by the lobster commission of 1898, and the minister of marine and fisheries feels that he would not be justified, except under the strongest evidence, in setting aside the conclusions of that commission.

Through investigation and received evidence at every lobster fishing centre from the day of the opening of the season, the department of marine and fisheries has announced that to extension to the lobster fishing season is not possible.

Some packers have cannot a much larger number of cans than they are allowed, and in some cases three times for permits to pack further quantities.

Along the coast there are many canners who have not started at all this season. Indeed the evidence along the coast generally is that a crisis has arrived and that the packers and canners are being kept only by using vastly increased amounts of gear, and by unparing exertions to catch every lobster—even small ones—that could be had.

The more thoughtful fishermen and reasonable canners are satisfied that the decision not to extend the season is the best interest of the lobster supply and of the lobster fishermen themselves.

Some Remarks at Council Meeting—Appointments, Resignation, and Resolution.

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Lord Kitchener Sends Review of Operations.

London, May 7.—Lord Kitchener's first review of the South African operations, dealing chiefly with the invasion of Cape Colony, and dated March 8, was published in the Gazette today. He says it has been his constant endeavor and taking over the command, to improve the fortification works along the lines of communication, thus reducing the guards, also evacuating the garrisons remote from the railways, thereby obviating convoy escorts. He commanded upwards of 25,000 horses in Cape Colony since December.

Lord Kitchener favorably mentions two hundred officers, non-commissioned officers and men.

London, May 7.—Lord Kitchener reports the capture of another hundred Boers, one twelve pounder, one nine pounder, one Maxim and a quantity of ammunition.

London, May 7.—The Daily Chronicle says it learns that the health of Mrs. Botha, wife of Commandant General Botha, has broken down owing to worry and her constant journeying between her husband and Lord Kitchener and that she is about to sail from Delagoa Bay to visit Mr. Kruger and to appeal to him to persuade the Boers to surrender.

Cape Town, May 7.—Sir Alfred Milner, addressing a mass meeting today, said there was absolutely no reason for the anxiety felt in some quarters lest any change be introduced in South Africa that would in any way weaken the imperial policy. Such a change was impossible. Great Britain would carry out the policy she had laid down.

Cape Town, May 7.—Sir Alfred Milner understands that the Cape Argus and the Cape Standard are going to be annexed to Natal.

Boston, May 7.—The story to the effect that some thirty men were going with one Edward Van Mass to join the Boer army is not correct. Mr. Van Mass, who is a Boer, left Boston today, but not for the Cape Colony, where he expects to go to work.

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LOYALIST SOCIETY.

Elected Officers, Arranged for Celebration May 18, and Did Other Business.

The annual meeting of the N. B. Loyalist Society was held last evening in the rooms of the N. B. Historical Society, 187½ Market building, with the president, Dr. William Bayard, in the chair. The meeting appointed a committee consisting of Dr. A. A. Stockton and Mr. D. B. Jack, vice-presidents; the president, Dr. William Bayard, in the chair. The meeting appointed a committee consisting of Dr. A. A. Stockton and Mr. D. B. Jack, vice-presidents; the president, Dr. William Bayard, in the chair.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Dr. William Bayard, president; Dr. A. A. Stockton, Dr. W. S. Harding, Dr. W. P. Dolé, vice-presidents; Dr. H. Northrup, treasurer; H. J. Anderson, recording secretary; D. H. Waterbury, corresponding secretary; Col. Curran, Col. Underhill, marshals; D. J. Sady, J. Drake, J. S. Flinger, C. A. Macdonald, Jas. Anderson, Miss M. Peters, Miss E. Anderson, Miss A. Lester standing committee.

Notes from Port Elgin.

Private Treasurer, of the first contingent, is visiting friends at Upper Cape and here.

Spence and McLeod, general merchants, are making improvements in their business. Their store is being repaired, plate glass front takes the place of the old one, and the whole store will be lighted with gas. The firm is also building a large warehouse.

The church services on Sunday were, as usual, Rev. B. Smith preaching in the Baptist church, and Rev. Mr. Little in the Presbyterian. There were no services in the Methodist church, the Rev. Mr. Howard filling other appointments.

The Country Club Association will meet with the Baptist church here on Tuesday, the 14th.

D. A. Morrison, a returned soldier from South Africa, will lecture on the war in the Presbyterian church on Friday evening, May 10.

Dr. H. B. Carter intends to build a new residence. He has having sold the one he now occupies to Thomas Magee of St. John, who will reside here.

Steps are being taken to have the sidewalks of the town repaired and new ones laid where needed. This movement is a worthy one, as repairs and new walks in many places would add greatly to the appearance and convenience of the town.

L. Hanington, of Dorchester, barrister, has taken an office here and will visit the town two days of each week. There are now two men of this profession, who have located here within the past month.

H. F. Alward, of Fredericton, being in the city, will lecture on the Goodwin building.

THE GOVERNOR'S WIFE A PRISONER.—Mrs. Z. A. Van Laven is the wife of the governor of the county of Napawa, and was a great sufferer from rheumatism. When the best doctors in the community and "specialists" failed to help her, she buried her scepticism of proprietary remedies and purchased South American Rheumatic Cure. 4 bottles cured her.—42 Sold by C. Fairweather, Union street.

The weather bids us note each hour, And gently employ it, The sun's up earlier every day, In order to enjoy it.—Washington Star.

Speechless and Paralyzed.—"I had valvular disease of the heart," writes Mrs. J. S. Goode, of Truro, N.S. "I suffered terribly and was often speechless and partially paralyzed. One dose of Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart gave me relief, and before I finished one bottle I was able to go about. To-day I am a well woman." Sold by C. Fairweather, Union street.

"What is reserve?" "Reserve is holding in and not telling all you know for fear you will keep other people from telling all they know."—Assignee.

Twitchy Muscles and Sleeplessness.—The hopeless heart sickness that settles on a man or woman whose nerves are shattered by disease can best be pictured by contrast with a patient who has been in the "depths" and has been dragged from them by South American Nervine. George Webster, of Forest, Ont., says: "I owe my life to it. Everything else failed to cure."—44 Sold by C. Fairweather, Union street.

Dyspepsia may be the punishment of a guilty stomach.—Chi-go News.

Pill-osophy.—There are pills and pills—but Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills at 10 cents a trial lead in demand. The sale borders on the phenomenal. Sluggish liver, constipation, or irregular bowels are the precursors of many physical disorders. These little wonder's remove the cause. 40 in a trial for 10 cents.—45 Sold by C. Fairweather, Union street.

Paris has a law which prohibits the employment of women compositors at night.

Manly Strength and Womanly Beauty depend on purity of the blood, and this is secured by the use of Dr. Agnew's Kidney Cure, which not only purifies the blood, but will not perform their functions, man will seek in vain for strength and woman for beauty. South American Kidney Cure drives out all impurities through the body's "filters"—relieves weak spots.—46 Sold by C. Fairweather, Union street.

Money talks and it speaks the only universal language.—Chicago News.

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ARTHUR MAYNE'S TEMPTATION.

A sunny morning in June, with the Temple Gardens looking their best, sparks of silver flashing from the eaves, and bright-funnelled steamers and dingy barges trailing up and down the Thames, which turned from brown to peat-grey as it neared the Surrey shore. Had the skies suddenly clouded over and poured down torrents of rain Arthur Mayne would hardly have noticed the difference. He sat in his luxurious den on the first floor of one of the old buildings in King's Bench Walk, staring at a heap of paper on the big oak writing desk before him, and thinking of the while of a period of eight or nine months that belonged to the past. These were the days when his chum Dick had shared with him these same apartments—the brilliant, erratic, jovial Dick Vallenger, journalist and fiction-writer, clever at both lines, but with the ill-luck that persistently dogs some men.

"The year," wrote the publisher, in a letter accompanying the proofs, "and I believe that 'The Touchstone of Life,' will place you at once in the foremost rank of our fiction writers." "Will place you?" Mayne's face was ghastly as he rolled and lit a cigarette. There was something to be said for him, perhaps. No sordid consideration entered into the question, for he was the son of well-to-do people in the Midlands, and he had a more than comfortable income of his own. But above all things, he craved literary fame, and that the book his friend had written could give him. He had put aside the novel he was writing himself, having temporarily wearied of it, and he knew that it was not half so good as "The Touchstone of Life."

Johnson's Anodyne Liniment advertisement with an illustration of a person in pain.

SPORTING EVENTS OF A DAY.

Southampton, May 9.—The 60-mile racing trial of Shamrock I and Shamrock II from Southampton to Weymouth, was suddenly terminated off the Needles by a bad squall, during which the gaff tumbled over the new challenger was carried away and the gaff crumpled up. She was forced to abandon the contest and returned to Southampton in tow of the Erin, for repairs. The accident was primarily due to the carrying away of a heavy backstay, a block of which fell and struck the deck at Sir Thomas Lipton's feet. Had the block fallen a foot nearer Sir Thomas Lipton would probably have been killed.

But, after hearing Judge Van Wagner, T. S. Grimby, of Boston, and Doble himself, the board decided that Doble should remain suspended for 12 months, beginning from last October. The other case was a complaint made by Denis Harrington, of this city, against Dick Wilson, of Rushville, Ind. The board decided that the National Trotting Association should instruct its membership to refrain from having any further dealings with Wilson.

INDEPENDENCE LAUNCH AT NIGHT.

Boston, May 7.—The date of the launch of the Independence is May 18. The question of public safety has become so important that the chances are that the yacht will be launched at night. Sharkey Lost on a Foul. Cripple Creek, Col., May 7.—Tom Sharkey lost to "Mexican Pete" Everett on a foul in the first round here tonight. Terrible Turk Wins Easily. New York, May 7.—Nourallah, the big Turkish wrestler, made short work of Tom Jenkins, of Cleveland, the champion wrestler of America, at the Madison Square Garden tonight. He downed Jenkins twice in a catch-as-catch-can match, the first time in four minutes, 35 seconds, and the second time in five minutes, two seconds.

FREDERICTON NEWS.

Apportmentment of the Exhibition Grant.

Fredericton, May 8.—(Special)—At a meeting this morning the local government apportioned the \$5,000 voted at the last session of the legislature for exhibition purposes, in the following manner: Fredericton, \$2,800; Sussex, \$800; Woodstock, \$800; Madawaska, \$500; Shemogue Agricultural Society, Westmorland, \$400.

NEW SHIPBUILDING COMBINE.

New York, May 7.—A circular has been issued by H. W. Poor & Co. regarding the organization of the United States Shipbuilding Company under the laws of New Jersey to acquire the Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company, the Union Iron Works, San Francisco, the Bath Iron Works Limited and the Hyde Windlass Company of Bath, Me., the Crescent Shipyard and the Samuel J. Moore & Sons Company, of Elizabethport, N. J., and the Canada Manufacturing Company of Cartaret, N. J. The total annual capacity is estimated at 380,000 tons. The aggregate of orders now in hand of the constituent companies is said to exceed \$63,000,000, covering an average of 18 months, for completion on which the estimated profit is over \$10,000,000.

WESTMORLAND CIRCUIT COURT.

True Bill in Case Against Ex-Scott Act Inspector of Moncton—Other Cases.

Dorchester, May 7.—(Special)—Justice McLeod opened the court here today. Dowling, official stenographer, of Fredericton, was in attendance. Two criminal matters came before the grand jury, the King vs. Arthur McLeod, and the King vs. A. W. Belyea. McLeod is a well-known character of Moncton, and is charged with stealing a silk dress and \$15. Belyea also belongs to Moncton, where he was for some years Scott act inspector. Belyea is charged with assault, it being alleged that he carried a revolver at a Moncton hotel he drew and snapped a revolver at one Magee. True bills were found against both prisoners.

WOMEN STRIKERS MOB.

WOMAN AND GIRL. Crowd of 3,000 Gather About Girl Who Had Taken Work.

Derby, Conn., May 7.—Two serious demonstrations occurred today in the strike of the textile workers at the Pawcuss mills. At noon Mrs. Ambrose Griffiths, who has been teaching girls who have taken the places of the strikers, was set upon by several hundred women, led by two Mrs. Griffiths' sisters, and was followed to her home amid cries of "scab" and the shouting of horns. At 6 o'clock strikers attempted to mob Amy Briggs, one of the recently employed. The police anticipated the action and formed a cordon about Miss Briggs. So accompanied and followed by a throng which was augmented until it numbered 3,000 she made her way to the Shelton bridge where the Derby police had to leave her. Here she was surrounded more closely and threats of violence were made, but she ultimately escaped when persons in the crowd became engaged in a fight among themselves. The girl's home is now under police guard.

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Vegetables and Fish.

Among the Japanese the rikishi men, with muscled like steel bands, will whirl their scullers over the ground at the speed of a horse's trot, 40 miles a day, for days together. Their diet consists of rice, vegetables and occasionally a little fish. The Lacas, on a similar diet, make the best scullers in the world.

Cooked Under Water.

An Englishman made a wager that he could cook a plum pudding ten feet beneath the surface of the Thames and win the bet by placing the pudding in a tin case and putting the whole in a sack of lime. The heat of the lime, making when it came in contact with the water, was sufficient to cook the pudding in two hours.

Most Men Overlook the Mother.

He had been devoted to a pretty girl for some time when he read this advice to a young man: "Before marrying a woman, see that she is the mother of a child." He did so, with the result that he married the mother.—Chicago Times-Herald.

Not to Mention Other Fellows' Sisters.

"The first loss on for a boy to learn in saving his money is to resist the hints of his sisters every time he earns a dollar.—Athens Globe.

A Mighty Man.

You want to bruce up, Mandy, when you see me come round. The waters have grown troubled an' they're hollerin' for oil. So, Mandy, don't you bother me with talk about other fellows. An' start me out offhand a-doin' errands out of doors. An' when I'm meddlatin', don't you give my rattlin' pants or kettles or a-windin' of the clock. My livin' here should make you jes' as proud as you kin be. The country is in peril, an' it all depends on me.—Washington Star.