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The Dignity of Parliament Compromised

BY THE PRESENCE OF WILLIAM PUGSLEY IN THE MINISTRY

MR. CROTHERS MOVES STRONG RESOLUTION ON CENTRAL RAILWAY COMMISSION REPORT—"THE DUTY OF PARLIAMENT TO PURGE ITSELF FROM THE UNFORTUNATE POSITION IN WHICH IT IS PLACED BY THE CONTINUANCE IN THE GOVERNMENT OF A MINISTER OF THE CROWN AFTER SUCH SERIOUS IMPUTATIONS HAVE BEEN CAST UPON HIM"— PUGSLEY'S DEALINGS IN PROVINCIAL FUNDS AND MR. TWEEDIE TO BE SUBJECTS OF SEPARATE MOTIONS

Ottawa, Ont., May 5.—The Government still stands by Mr. Pugsley. The Opposition today brought forward the damning report of the Landry commission. Mr. Crothers, standing on the report as the findings of a duly constituted court, brought home to Dr. Pugsley no less than fifteen grave indictments. Later Mr. Pugsley having impeached the findings, Mr. Crocket produced the evidence, and from it disproved statement after statement put forward by Mr. Pugsley in his defence.

The attitude of the Liberal party had been one of absolute defiance. It clustered behind him, cheered every statement he made, tried to shout down every person who interposed a question and in every respect showed itself proud of Pugsley.

The Minister of Public Works spoke at great length, from 4.30 o'clock to nearly eleven. His speech was a multitude of contradictions of the report in detail; he piled up rather over twenty such contradictions. In plunging in this mass of detail it is needless to say that he lost sight of the main fact, that his company had kept its accounts in so utterly chaotic a state that large sums cannot be traced. One announcement was important. He has at last taken to the courts. He directed suit to be entered, yesterday, on the eve of this motion. He has entered suit, he explained, in the Supreme Court of New Brunswick, making the New Brunswick Coal and Railroad Company defendants, to take account of its receipts and expenditures, and to obtain a decree as to the state of the accounts. His reason for the delay, he said, was that he had been waiting to see if the Provincial Government would act.

The debate was not concluded. Mr. Crocket, who followed the Minister of Public Works, traversed his statements step by step in a close and destructive analysis, backed by constant citations of the evidence. At 12.15 he adjourned the debate, his speech not being completed. The debate accordingly goes over until tomorrow.

A curious performance was Mr. Pugsley's action in quitting the chamber as soon as his speech was concluded. He did this on the pretext that by so doing his presence would not embarrass the members in discussing his conduct; at the opening of his speech he had sharply criticized Mr. Crothers for leaving the House for a few minutes.

At 11.20 Mr. Foster moved for leave to lay before the House a copy of the Landry Commission's report, concerning the New Brunswick Central, etc. Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that this was absolutely out of order. This was for several reasons, one being that no report of a Royal Commission should be laid before the House. It would be a pity to set a precedent of this kind in the public life of Canada that a report of a Royal Commission GRAVELY AFFECTING A MINISTER OF THE CROWN could not be brought before the House.

The Speaker said that the point of order could be discussed. "I am discussing it," said Mr. Borden, and went on to say that it was competent to bring such documents before the House as a matter of privilege.

Mr. Pugsley explained that yesterday he had given notice to the House, subsequently at the request of the clerk he had put his notice into writing, and this written notice had not run the necessary length of time to constitute a formal notice.

Mr. Borden began to say that Mr. Borden's remarks were superfluous and had got as far as "even a more astute mind than his" when the Speaker broke in to rule the motion out of order unless unanimous consent was given.

Mr. Crothers' Motion.

The matter next came up on a motion to go into supply, which came about noon. Mr. Crothers brought the matter up. He rose, he said, to draw the attention of the House to a matter compromising and reflecting on the dignity of Parliament, and of the whole country as well. The duty was ungracious and unpleasant, and he was animated by no animus, but purely by a strong sense of public duty. The public conduct of public men was of the highest interest to the country. In England, so tender is the regard for the reputation of public men, that if any member of the Government were reflected upon from the bench he DID NOT WAIT TO BE ASKED TO RESIGN. There were several examples, such as the Mandel and Hayes-Fisher cases. Mr. Cro-

thers was going on to read the Hayes-Fisher case, when the Speaker intervened.

A Point of Order.

He would like to hear the argument, Speaker Marcell said, where the proper course was being pursued. This was a criticism of a minister and an amendment to supply was hardly the proper method to follow.

"There is a motion to go into supply," said Mr. Crothers. "I HAVE A GRAVE GRIEVANCE TO PRESENT."

When he contravened any rule of the House, he said, it would be time for the Speaker to stop him.

The Speaker said that he understood that Mr. Crothers was impeaching the conduct of a minister.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that Mr. Speaker's point was well taken, but it was Mr. Pugsley's wish that the matter should go on.

The Speaker demanded to know the authority for the point of honor.

Mr. Speaker said that he was relieved of responsibility, but the course being pursued was clearly in contradiction to the authorities.

Mr. Borden said that, before the House should come to any such conclusion some authorities should be considered. He had given some consideration to the question and was not of the Premier's opinion. He took this course purely to save his rights for a future occasion.

Mr. Pugsley said that so far as he was concerned he desired the fullest and most ample discussion.

Mr. Speaker said the debate proceeded with the consent of the House.

An English Case.

Mr. Crothers continued with a recital of the Hayes-Fisher case in England. Mr. Hayes-Fisher was a minister in Mr. Balfour's Government. A company in which he was a director failed, and a judge censured him for not paying more attention to its affairs. He had lost money by the company. He compensated every person who had lost. He resigned, and in speaking in the House, after explaining that no man has lost money by him, said that the CENSURE OF THE JUDGE RENDERED HIM OPEN TO ATTACK IN THE CONDUCT OF HIS OFFICE. Mr. Balfour and Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman praised his action. So did Mr. Edward Blake, who said that Mr. Hayes-Fisher's conduct had MAINTAINED THE HONOR AND STANDING OF THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.

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THE BRITISH HOUSE OF COMMONS? Mr. Crothers asked.

In answer to his question he cited Sir Wilfrid Laurier's statement that the report of the Landry Commission WAS OF NO CONCERN FOR THE GOVERNMENT OR HOUSE.

Central Railway History.

Mr. Crothers then outlined the checked history of the Central Railway and read extracts from the report of the commission. He called attention to Mr. Pugsley's position as Attorney General from 1900 to 1907. HE WAS A TRUSTEE. THE FIRST OF A TRUSTEE WAS TO KEEP CLEAR ACCOUNTS; HIS SECOND DUTY WAS ALWAYS TO BE READY TO PRODUCE THOSE ACCOUNTS.

Mr. Pugsley said that he had not been manager of the company. That statement was absolutely untrue.

"I am here standing on the judgment of a court," said Mr. Crothers. "If my hon. friend can find anything in the evidence to justify some of the statements in the report," said Mr. Pugsley.

"I AM DISCUSSING THE JUDGMENT OF A COURT," Mr. Crothers reiterated, "WHILE IT STANDS I AM JUSTIFIED IN ASSUMING THAT IT IS RIGHT. HIS COURSE IS IN SOME WAY OR OTHER TO APPLY FOR A NEW TRIAL."

Mr. Pugsley said that he had begun proceedings in the Supreme Court of New Brunswick for an accounting. He waited till yesterday to see if the New Brunswick Government would do that.

Mr. Crothers said that the first thing for him to do was TO STEP ASIDE AND RESIGN. While that judgment stood his occupancy of his portfolio was a compromise and reflection on the dignity of the House and the country.

A Disputed Question.

Mr. Crothers went on to speak of the subpoena issued to Mr. Pugsley by the commission, and said that the commission had adjourned several times to let him be heard.

Mr. Pugsley: "That statement is absolutely without foundation." He added that when he went to give evidence the counsel for the commission did not wish to hear him.

Mr. Crocket: "The counsel for the Province denies that."

Mr. Carvell, who was Mr. Pugsley's counsel, corroborated Mr. Pugsley's statement.

Mr. Crothers said that he refused to discuss evidence. HE WAS STANDING ON THE JUDGMENT OF A COURT. THE REMEDY WAS AN APPEAL. He went on to read from the report of the commission. In one passage dealing with the early history of the company mention was made of an assignment of a subsidy to "Hon. Wm. Pugsley." Mr. Pugsley rose.

"If my hon. friend will allow me," "I won't allow you to explain as I go along," said Mr. Crothers.

A Question of Title.

Mr. Pugsley rose to a point of order. It turned out that it was wrong to call him "Hon. William Pugsley," because at that date he had not been in the Legislature.

"That is the first time in my experience that a gentleman felt it any im-

putation on him to call him 'honorable,'" said Mr. Crothers.

Mr. Pugsley got angry and wanted it taken back.

Mr. Crothers continued with citations from the judgment of the Landry Commission, beginning with the record of the meetings of the directors of the New Brunswick Coal and Railroad Company, which went to show that THE GENERAL MANAGEMENT OF THE COMPANY WAS LEFT IN MR. PUGSLEY'S HANDS. He traced the curious history of the company up to the unaccounted for balance of \$134,035.35 and went on to quote passages relating to Mr. Pugsley's emoluments, including the "W. P." CHEQUE. He also quoted passages relating to Mr. McAvity, and his strange statements as to his salary.

Summing up, Mr. Crothers held that the sworn evidence had resulted in a finding of the court with regard to Mr. Pugsley, which he stated as follows:

The Conclusions.

1.—That he was appointed a director ex-officio of the New Brunswick Coal and Railway Company, especially to guard the property of the company, and that HE WAS IN EFFECT GENERAL MANAGER OF ITS AFFAIRS.

2.—That while he was occupying this position of trustee and in the performance of a public duty, the expenditure of public funds provided by the people of New Brunswick for a public enterprise, HE WAS CULPABLY NEGLIGENT AND OPEN TO THE GRAVEST CENSURE.

3.—That, although he was the controlling influence in the N. B. C. & R. Co., it never performed the functions usually exercised by an incorporated company, and was, in fact, nothing BUT A DISORGANIZED DEPARTMENT OF THE GOVERNMENT.

4.—THAT IN ORDER TO CONCEAL THE TRUTH, HE ADOPTED NO SYSTEM OF BOOKKEEPING FOR PUBLIC INFORMATION.

5.—That, as a member of the Legislative Assembly and Attorney-General of the Province, HE MADE INCORRECT STATEMENTS TO THE LEGISLATURE TO ALLAY SUSPICIONS AND TO CONCEAL FROM THE PROVINCE THE TRUE STATE OF AFFAIRS.

6.—That, a report prepared by him and made to the Lieutenant Governor-in-Council, on the 2nd day of July, 1901, was absurd, and was not founded on any reasonable grounds for the presentations made therein.

7.—That, as such director, he is responsible to the Province for an accounting for that portion of \$958,799.75 supplied by the Province.

8.—THAT IN STATING TO THE LEGISLATURE ON MORE THAN ONE OCCASION THAT \$180,000 HAD BEEN PAID FOR THE CENTRAL RAILWAY, HE STATED WHAT HE KNEW WAS IN FACT UNTRUE, AS HE HAD CONDUCTED THE NEGOTIATIONS WHICH RESULTED IN THE ABATEMENT OF \$39,000 FROM THAT SUM.

9.—THAT HE MIXED UP HIS PRIVATE AFFAIRS WITH THOSE OF THE COMPANY AND OF THE PUBLIC SO THAT LARGE AMOUNTS RECEIVED BY HIM ARE NOT SATISFACTORILY ACCOUNTED FOR.

10.—That, while he stated before the court respecting the salaries of directors that they received something, and that he himself did not receive much, HE WAS REALLY PAID \$5,000

UNDER COVER OF SALARY WHICH HOWEVER, HE WAS UNABLE TO EXPLAIN.

11.—That he was a party to the MISAPPROPRIATION OF \$134,035.35 and that the balance of \$39,000 aforesaid forms part thereof.

12.—THAT HE AUTHORIZED AND PARTICIPATED IN THE ILLEGAL ISSUE OF \$25,000 OF SUBSIDY BONDS part of which was used to pay orders given to himself before he became a member of the government.

13.—That he engaged in THE ILLEGAL ISSUE OF PROVINCIAL BONDS in connection with the Chipman-Gibson Railway.

14.—That he authorized and participated in the illegal loan of \$50,000 to the company.

15.—In breach of the act of 1902 he did not retain any of the \$250,000 bonds to provide the mining plant estimated to cost \$50,000 nor did he retain any thereof as security for the \$40,000 for rails advanced by the Intercolonial Railway.

A Judicial Tribunal.

"In this report," said Mr. Crothers, "WE HAVE THE FINDINGS OF A JUDICIAL TRIBUNAL, composed of three men of the highest standing in their native province, men enjoying to the fullest extent the esteem and confidence of their fellow-citizens, one of them a distinguished judge of the Supreme Court, eminent for his learning, integrity and absolute fairness, AND SOLEMNITY OF THE SUPERIOR COURTS OF THE LAND."

Action Required.

"Judgment had been given against the Hon. Minister of Public Works on all the foregoing indictments; serious imputations having thus been cast upon the business capacity and integrity of a Minister of the Crown charged with the highest responsibilities, we are fully warranted in urging the Government TO TAKE ACTION THEREON TO THE END THAT THE PUBLIC INTERESTS MAY BE SAFEGUARDED AND THE HONOR AND STANDING OF THIS HOUSE MAINTAINED.

The Government having refused to do its duty as it appeared to me, and believing that THE PEOPLE DEMAND MINISTERS OF THE CROWN OF UNSUBSIDED REPUTATION AS WELL AS OF UNIMPEACHABLE CHARACTER, I conceive it my duty to make the motion which I will read at the close of my remarks.

"By this report and these findings THE DIGNITY OF THE HOUSE IS COMPROMISED. As a member of this House I could not respect myself if I had not the courage in the face of this report to do all in my power to remove the stigma it brings to this House and to the people of Canada. IT MUST BE THE DUTY OF PARLIAMENT TO PURGE ITSELF FROM THE UNFORTUNATE POSITION IN WHICH IT IS PLACED BY THE CONTINUANCE IN THE GOVERNMENT OF A MINISTER OF THE CROWN AFTER SUCH SERIOUS IMPUTATIONS HAVE BEEN CAST UPON HIM. If there are Hon. members of this House willing that the indignity cast upon it by the findings of this court, should continue, with-

out action or remedy? If such there be, I venture to think he will not receive the approbation of the better thinking people of this country.

"This report is really a CONVICTION OF SERIOUS OFFENCES BY a Minister of the Crown, and must be regarded as A RIGHTEOUS JUDGMENT BY A COMPETENT COURT, AS SUCH IT SHOULD BE ACTED UPON BY THE ACCEPTANCE OF THE MINISTER'S RESIGNATION, or if its righteousness be disputed, the Minister should resign pending a new trial, which in that event he should be the first to seek."

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partisan and wholly unreliable. It was UTTERLY UNWORTHY OF THE CONSIDERATION OF ANY MAN WHO DESIRED TO SEE JUSTICE DONE. As for Mr. Hayes-Fisher, he had resigned because he had confidence in the tribunal which had condemned him.

He went on to argue that the Landry Commission had left out an item of interest which amounted to \$80,000. The items which had been omitted he said were: 1—Interest on cost of the Central Railway; 2—Interest on improvements; 3—Interest on loss on operations; 4—Interest on rolling stock; 5—Interest on expenditure in connection with the railway as he went into figures, the discrepancies, he claimed, amounted to about \$12,000.

Mr. Pugsley went on to say that NO CHARGE HAD BEEN MADE AGAINST HIS PERSONAL HONOR. It was not asserted that a dollar of the company's money came improperly into his possession.

He went on to assure that the Commissioners HAD TREATED HIM WITH GREAT UNFAIRNESS. He especially complained of the publication on October 14th, of a statement in the assignment of subsidy to himself; the \$5,000 payment of advance of his examination. Mr. Borden asked when Mr. Pugsley was examined. The reply was that it was between Christmas and New Year.

Why then, asked Mr. Borden, DID NOT MR. PUGSLEY HAVE SUCH AMPLE NOTICE. DEAL WITH THESE POINTS IN HIS EVIDENCE.

Mr. Pugsley replied that the Commissioners did not act as if they wanted the information.

Many Complaints.

Next Mr. Pugsley declared that there were TWENTY STATEMENTS in the report which were utterly false. The first of these was a reference to a post for "Tweedie's commission," "F. P. T." which the Commissioners could not trace. The initials meant Senator Thompson; the note had been discounted and the proceeds had gone to the James Barnes Construction Company and into construction work.

Other complaints which he made were the references to Mr. Blair; the reference to the assignment of subsidy to himself; the \$5,000 payment of advance of his examination; the \$25,000 payment of subsidy bonds on the Gibson branch; the statement that the whole \$250,000, 2 per cent bonds had been guaranteed and delivered to the company by August, 1903. With regard to the last statement he said that by that date only \$138,500 had been guaranteed.

Another misstatement was that the whole \$450,000 bond issue had been used in advance of legislation of 1904.

Referring to the assignment of a mission, Mr. Pugsley said that he had acted in the course of his private practice, and had made a full accounting.

It Was Intentional.

Among Mr. Pugsley's other charges of misstatement was the famous error of \$430,000 for \$43,000 which he declared could not be an ordinary mistake inasmuch as the printed report was in his hands, and he had signed and filed in the Provincial Secretary's office. Further the Commissioners had not inquired into the bonds in the late Judge Truman's case. Mr. Pugsley said that he had completed the title of the railway. Considering the high position occupied by Judge Truman he believed that the originally agreed price of \$150,000 had been paid for the Central.

One contradiction which he declared existed, was that one page of the report spoke of the "absolute" nature of bookkeeping, and another said "the company's books were kept in the company's office at Norton, and were well kept."

As to the statement that the books of the Barnes Co. had disappeared, he said Mr. Evans had reported monthly to the Attorney General, and the Commissioners had accepted Mr. Evans' estimate of the cost of the road.

The Commissioners.

Part of Mr. Pugsley's speech was devoted to an attack on the Commissioners. Mr. Crothers had styled Judge Landry as "an eminent judge." Mr. Pugsley said, "He is a judge as any other judge is, but he is not especially eminent. I respect the bench, but I respect rather judges who uphold the honor of the bench, and do not coquette with a political party with regard to candidature."

Mr. McDougall, was "manager of a branch bank, and had long been described as a small merchant. Discussing the \$5,000 'W.P.' cheque he protested against the statement that his trust and loan company kept no books. It made no loans but was simply a real estate holding company, to hold the Pugsley building. As to the cheque he produced cheques and stubs sufficient to clear the matter up. The payment had been made in connection with loans which the loan company had made.

In conclusion Mr. Pugsley said that he would withdraw while the matter was under discussion, so that his presence would not embarrass any one. He accordingly left the House.

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Continued from Page 1. MR. CROCKETT Dealing with the "P. P. T." cheque Mr. Crockett said that he had the Barnes account with him Mr. Pugsley had said that had the Commission looked in that account he would have found that amount. HE CHALLENGED MR. PUGSLEY OR MR. CARVELL TO FIND THAT PAYMENT IN THAT ACCOUNT.

"I accept that challenge," cried Mr. Carvell springing to his feet. He went on to tell Mr. Crockett to look up a certain page of the account. "I have it," said Mr. Crockett, after turning to the place. Then after looking at it he said: "FIND ME A PAYMENT OF \$10,000 IN NOVEMBER 1935 FEBRUARY 21," said Mr. Carvell. He got no farther. A shout of derision came from the Conservatives.

The Speaker (Mr. McIntyre) ruled that Mr. Carvell should confine himself to meeting Mr. Crockett's question exactly. "I will explain it later," said Mr. Carvell, and Mr. Crockett continued.

A Rake-Off. Going on, Mr. Crockett said that Mr. Pugsley would have been well advised to have omitted his enunciation on Senator Thompson. Dr. De Wetton had been required to assign to Senator Thompson and a friend in Fredericton \$25,000 out of the subsidy. Both Senator Thompson and Sheriff Sterling had admitted this in their evidence. This had been pure graft; there was no justification for the payment.

Mr. Crockett then examined the evidence with regard to the subsidy payments in 1932, showing that the statements in the report were abundantly justified.

The Bond Question. Dealing with the bond guarantee, Mr. Crockett said that the evidence bore out the statement of the commission. He gave the history of this guarantee. Mr. Pugsley had complained of a phrase used by the commission that an important modification in this legislation had been effected by an obscure clause. The act in question had dealt with the Restigouche and Western. The clause in question referred to the latter railway; then another clause was added, causing a provision which apparently applied to Restigouche and Western, to apply also to the Central. The stipulation that part of the bond issue was to be held back till the 1st of January 1936, had never been rescinded. Yet, despite Mr. Pugsley's denial before the act of 1934 was passed, EVERY DOLLAR OF THE \$250,000 BOND WAS BEING GUARANTEED AND THE PURCHASE OF THE CENTRAL RAILWAY HAD ALSO BEEN LARGELY SAID. On August 6th, 1933, when \$235,500 of bonds had been guaranteed or \$138,500 out of the \$250,000 issue, the amount that should have been guaranteed, Mr. Crockett held as a result of a close examination of the documents, was only \$38,000.

At this point Mr. Crockett adjourned the debate, and the House adjourned at 12:15 a. m.

CREW OF AMERICAN VESSEL IMPRISONED IN VENEZUELA

Kingstown, St. Vincent, B.W.I., May 5.—It may be that Captain Collin Stephenson and the crew of the whaling ship Carrie D. Knowles, long since thought to have been lost at sea are alive in a Venezuelan prison.

An American seaman, who gives the name of Payne, an escaped prisoner from Venezuela, has made his way to Kingstown, where he laid before the authorities an astounding story of the seizure of the Carrie D. Knowles at a Venezuelan port, where she arrived five years ago in distress and the incarceration by the Venezuelans of the captain and his men. So convinced are the authorities here that there is other evidence, that they have taken down his full statement and have already taken steps looking to a speedy and thorough investigation of the case.

Payne's Story. On January 27, 1934, the Carrie D. Knowles sailed from Provincetown, Mass., on a whaling voyage. Her captain was Collin Stephenson and her first mate H. A. Martin. In addition, she carried a crew of about a dozen men. These are the names given by Payne to the authorities here and as far as he could remember the names of the members of the crew were: Wallace Warner, Robertson, Hazell, Sam Davis, Pierre, Grant, Lewis, and Jon.

Payne asserts positively that all of these men are at present confined in a Venezuelan prison.

B. C. TOWN UNIONS WANT WIPED OUT BY FREED AT BOUNDARY

Special to The Standard. Nelson, B. C., May 5.—Fire yesterday almost completely wiped out the B. C. town unions which began in the Hardwick mill west of here on the boundary. Only two buildings were left, the office and the cook house belonging to the Yale-Columbia Lumber Co. The company's mill valued at \$10,000, stock of lumber valued at \$50,000 more, as well as all the employees' homes, and other buildings belonging to the firm were completely destroyed.

POLE MURDERED FARMER. Hardwick, Mass., May 5.—An altercation which began in the Hardwick Inn was finished in the street tonight, when William Goodfield, a prominent young farmer was fatally stabbed. A Police Constable, John Grynalis, was arrested half an hour later and was taken to the town lock-up in Chittenden, charged with the stabbing.

FIRE AT HAIFAX LAST NIGHT CAUSED UPWARDS OF \$100,000 DAMAGE TO PROPERTY ON THE HARBOR FRONT

Special to The Standard. Halifax, N. S., May 5.—A fire that in less than an hour wiped out one hundred thousand dollars worth of property started on the waterfront at midnight and threatens to destroy the block between Pickford and Black's and John Tobin and Company.

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CHANGES IN TURKISH CABINET

Constantinople, May 5.—Hilm Pasha and Mollah Sahib were today installed respectively as Grand Vizier of the empire and Minister of the Interior, head of the faith. The former succeeds Tewfik Pasha; the latter Zia Edidin Effendi. The changes in office were made with the usual ceremony. In ordering the changes the Sultan expressed his firm desire for the restoration and maintenance of peace and tranquility, the welfare of the country and regularity of administration.

Mollah Sahib is a distinguished politician who in the past has suffered considerably on account of his liberal views.

Other Changes. There have been some other slight changes in the cabinet as called yesterday. Nall Bey, member of the Chamber of Deputies from Sinope and an active worker for union and progress, replaces Asim Bey as Minister of Public Instruction and Vice Admiral Arifmehk Pasha replaces Riza Pasha as Minister of Marine.

Big Surprise. This sudden change in the Cabinet came as a surprise today, it having been announced definitely only yesterday that Tewfik Pasha would retain the post of Grand Vizier until after the investment of the Sultan with the sword of Osman. The change is taken to indicate that a full understanding has been reached between the two groups of the Unionist party to support Hilm Pasha.

Washington, D. C., May 5.—British riflemen in the international small bore match just ended demonstrated their superiority over the Americans by securing an overwhelming victory. The match was a friendly one with small bore rifles on gallery ranges in the respective countries. The targets were issued by the British Society of Miniature Rifle Clubs, were signed by the respective associations and interchanged, and the results were announced by cable. Australia, the other contestant, has not yet been heard from, but the National Rifle Association of America, under whose auspices the contests were conducted in this country, is of the opinion that the British team did not equal those of the British team.

The British team made the grand total of 14,583 points, out of a possible 15,000, or an average of 291 per cent. The score of the American team was 14,179.

ALIENIST ON STAND IN HAIR TRIAL

Flushing, N. Y., May 5.—This was "hypothetical day" at the Hains trial. For nearly two hours the jury listened to the reading of the hypothetical question, containing more than 10,000 words as propounded by the defense upon which three alienists are to predicate their opinions about the mental condition of the defendant, Peter C. Hains, on August 16th, when he shot and killed William E. Annis on the float of the Bayside Yacht Club. During the long cross-examination of the first alienist, Dr. L. Samuel Manson, of New York, by Assistant Attorney DeWitt, many forms of insanity and their classifications, ranging from ordinary melancholia to the ravings of the hopeless lunatic, were discussed, the witness appeared at times to be lost in the maze of psychological phenomena.

In answer to the hypothetical question which covered practically all the acting and speech of the defendant tending to show irrationality as placed in evidence, Dr. Manson declared that Captain Hains was suffering from "impulsive insanity" at the time he killed Annis. He had been the victim of manic depressive insanity, the physician said, from May 31, 1928, the day on which his wife (Annis) is alleged to have confessed to him her relations with Annis, up to the time of the shooting. "Manic depressive insanity" the alienist explained was a form of "stuporous melancholia" subject of "violent mania" which he called Annis. The periods of "impulsive insanity," the witness said lasted from the time of the shooting to the time of Annis mentioned on the Bayside Yacht Club float, until the last of the eight bullets had been discharged from his automatic revolver into the body of his victim. Then, according to the alienist, a relieving "quietness" of mind, from the "pent-up mental fury" followed and the defendant lapsed into a state of "manic depressive insanity." His mental condition had improved since that time, he added.

Dr. Manson was still on the witness stand, under cross-examination by the court adjourned for the day. The defense has cut down its staff of alienists from five to three.

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Isleaux Harbord—Lobsters fair, few herring reported. West Arichat—Herring fair, lobsters scarce. Arichat—Cod and lobsters fair, herring scarce. St. Anns—Herring plenty. Prince Edward Island. Georgetown—Herring fair.

Port Daniel—Lobsters fair, herring scarce. Quebec. Grand River—Herring plenty, lobsters fair. Magdalen Islands. Herring plenty, no ice around the islands. All branches dull at Deschamps, Digby, Hawkesbury, Lockport, Spry Bay, South West Point, Anticosti, Mabou, Miramichi, Petit de Grat, Port La Tour, Cheticamp, Port Hood. Bait at Bras d'Or Lakes, Georgetown and Lunenburg. Canso, Digby, Liverpool, Lunenburg, Hawkesbury and Yarmouth. Frozen bait at Canso and Hawkesbury.

FINE VICTORY FOR BRITISH RIFLEMEN

London, May 5.—Captain J. W. Dumme, of the Royal Engineers, was interviewed today regarding the version of his alleged feats with an aeroplane, printed in the Times this morning. He said: "I did not make a flight of twelve miles, as the Times says. My longest flight was 140 yards."

Aeroplane of Little Value. The captain is continuing privately his flights with his aeroplane, which works on the principle of a boomerang in that it soars in a circle. He thinks the aeroplane today is of little value for military purposes as it does not rise beyond revolver range.

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Recommendation to Mercy. The jury added a strong recommendation to mercy. Judge Peetzel will pass sentence tomorrow. He remarked that the verdict was justified by the evidence.

An Eye Witness. Miss Louisa Fields, of Bomber gave the strongest evidence for the crown. She said she saw the shooting. Healey had rushed out the back door and Kimball after him. Healey was on the fence, the revolver in his right hand. The weapon went off, and the ball hit Healey, who died almost instantly.

DARING ROBBERY IN BOSTON

Boston, May 5.—Nicholas de Naso, 18, was arrested Tuesday, charged with participating in one of the boldest daylight robberies the North End has known for years, when Dr. A. McMillan was lured to a doorway on a sick call and robbed of \$250.

Last Wednesday a man called at the doctor's dispensary, begging him to hurry to a person who was ill on Lewis street. He accompanied the doctor and as soon as they entered a doorway two others jumped on the doctor and took his money.

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Boston, Mass., May 5.—A final resort to save his life, Chester S. Jordan yesterday convicted of murder in the first degree, in having killed his wife, Honora, on September 1st last, will submit to a most delicate surgical operation, which it is thought may give evidence to show brain disease, which would substantiate the insanity plea of the defense in the recent trial.

FORESTERS CONVENTION. Special to The Standard. Montreal, May 5.—The local order of Catholic Foresters are making extensive preparations for the entertainment of delegates to the Convention to meet here in June. A special train will run from Montreal for the accommodation of the delegates. The local order is planning an excursion to Point St. Louis for the visitors.

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rd, Mass., May 5.—"There is a movement towards peace in Italy, and universal peace is possible..."

SEPPPEL AND AROSHA MADE NO PUBLIC STATEMENT ABOUT SANDY MURRAY AND HATCHES

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ADLEEN RECORD WAS BROKEN

on, Mass., May 5.—The individual string candlepin record broken by a comfortable margin Somerset alloys tonight in the tournament of the Montreal and Candlepin congress...

AS 66 YEARS OF AGE

on, May 5.—William Cochran, one of the oldest residents of the Parish, passed away at this morning in the 86th of his age...

Notice of Meetings

ecture which promises to be interesting will be given on Monday evening at the vestry of the St. Basil church...

DISCUSSES NAVAL DEFENCE; STIMULATES LOYALTY

"Those who anticipate a Canadian navy as pre-eminently an engine of Canadian patriotism may have a different point of view from many of those, who in the Imperial City, all the time think of the Empire first and its component parts secondarily..."

Written at Friends' Suggestion. In a postscript Mr. Mann explains that the article was written at the request of friends who were making remarks of mine at a public gathering in Victoria before the disclosures of the naval situation...

It only accentuates that the chief naval necessity for Canada is still training schools for her youth; and the provision of one, two or three battle-ships would do much to stimulate the naval spirit of which I have written...

Develops Naval Spirit. "We must develop the naval spirit. We must begin by training our youth with sight of our shores, rather than by looking for posers on the high seas..."

Training On the Great Lakes. "The pact which keeps armed vessels off the Great Lakes never has been broken. But the examples of the United States in using the lakes, even as far as Duluth, the western extremity of Lake Superior, as training grounds for her naval youth, should be followed..."

Not A Difficult Question. "The question of control—of relation to the Imperial Navy—is not difficult to solve. It may appear difficult to eyes accustomed to the measures of red-tape, and to men of little faith in the cementing power of blood..."

Not Subject to Admiralty. "There is no more reason why a Canadian navy should be wholly responsible to the Admiralty in London, than there is reason why a Finance Minister of Canada should be a creature of the Chancellor of the Exchequer..."

They expressed their gratitude to those who sympathized with them in their trouble and forgive all who had been in any way the instruments of their conviction. They also expressed gratitude to the Sheriff and jailers for the kind treatment they had received at their hands...

At the request of Tony and Leon Father Ryan took the pictures of the condemned men a few days before the execution. These will be forwarded to their relatives with some letters. The relatives will be informed that the executed men died in a hospital. The pictures were taken in such a way that the features of the cell were excluded...

Much of the condemned men's fortitude is due to Father Ryan. He was a great consolation to them in their grief and much admiration is expressed for the sterling qualities of Father Ryan and the motives which led him to so neutralize and serve the interests of his Master. His gentleness and benevolence towards the condemned men moved the hearts of all. Much also is due to him in bringing to light many facts and details of the crime and robbery. He was only an

humble seeker after the truth. His attitude was on the side of justice and he worked for no interest in particular.

At the execution many strong men almost broke down when the lever was pulled. Radcliffe himself rushed down the steps of the gallows as soon as he heard the lever. He paced up and down the court hall and his face displayed various emotions. He mumbled something about having feelings as well as any one else. On reaching the gallows he broke down completely and tears coursed down his cheeks. Much relief is expressed at the way the condemned men acted as many feared that Tony and probably Leon also would refuse to leave the cells.

Those present at the execution were Sheriff Tibbits, with his assistants, McCrea, Wm. Armstrong, Jacob Kilburn, Wm. Johnston, Jack Weaver, Patrick Heffernan, George Dionne, Wm. Spike, Mr. Walker, reporter, Stephen Shannon, Mr. Brown, operator, Alex. Stevenson, Herman Stuart, Mr. Harvey, Fort Fairfield Review, Dr. Earle and your correspondent.

In The Police Court. Sarah Lobb, a 19-year-old white girl was before the court yesterday morning. On Sunday last she went to the home of a colored man by the name of Hogan of the West End saying that she had missed the last trip of the ferry. Hogan allowed her to remain for the night, but Sarah determined to make her visit a lengthy one. On Tuesday evening Hogan called in Policemen Marshall and Lee, who arrested her. Policeman Marshall said he knew the girl to be a street walker, and had often seen her under the influence of liquor. She was remanded to jail.

Probate Court. Estate of Lawrence Coy, late of the Parish of Lancaster, barber. Petition for administration. The deceased died on the 22nd of February, 1907, intestate, leaving his widow and one son, George Theodore. No real estate. Personal property \$250 and \$1,000 life insurance in the Catholic Mutual Benevolent Association. The petitioner is sworn as an administrator. Messrs. Barnhill, Ewing & Sanford, proctor. Estate of Edward McWilliams, yeoman. Last will proved whereby the testator gives his property, real and personal to his niece, Sarah A. Mc-

CONDUCTOR H. P. TRUEMAN PASSES AWAY

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Fredericton, May 5.—The Fenety-Johnston equity case was continued today before Chief Justice Barker. This morning, Mr. H. G. Fenety, who acted as solicitor for the estate in drawing up the necessary papers of transfer, was the first witness examined. His evidence told of the instructions received to draw the deeds and of having completed the same and handing them over to the estate. He was cross-examined by Mr. Phinney but nothing new was brought out. Mr. J. F. Winslow who is acting as solicitor in the present suit was the next witness. He told of tendering the deed of the property to Mr. Johnston and of the latter's refusal to accept it. This closed the plaintiff's case for the present and at 12 o'clock Mr. Johnston took the stand on his own behalf and was still under examination on adjournment at noon. Most of Mr. Johnston's evidence corroborated that given by the plaintiff's witnesses. He acknowledged a memorandum of agreement of sale being drawn that he desired to purchase the property, but claims that the advice of his lawyer, Mr. Barry, who acted for him, was that the title to be given would not be satisfactory. The case was continued this afternoon and will probably last over tomorrow.

SIR ROBERT TO ADDRESS CAN. CLUB

Sir Robert Perks, M. P., who is perhaps the leading English layman of the Methodist Church, will be in this city on June 8th. While here he will address the Canadian Club and will be tendered a banquet in Centenary church parlors, where he will also deliver an address. He is a member of the Active Church Worker. Several years ago Sir Robert was most active in raising the fund of one million guineas for Church purposes. He is a capitalist and has business interests in this country. On arriving in Canada he will first go to Ottawa, later coming to this city, where he will spend some time. He has interests at Chipman, Queens Co., where he will also visit.

FINE NEW SCHOONER LAUNCHED

Parsons, N. S., May 5.—The tern schooner Eva C., was successfully launched today from the shipyard of George M. Cochran, at Port Greenville. The Eva C. is a fine vessel of two hundred and forty-nine tons register, is iron-hulled throughout, all galvanized and classed two years, in American records. She is owned by her builder and others. Captain Frederick Hawx, of St. John, one of the owners, will command her. She will load piling at Port Greenville for New York.

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Case Ended. Today's decision means that the case is ended and that the accused cannot be tried again for the same offence. The case, it will be remembered, created some sensation at the time of the trial, owing to the admission of a number of witnesses that they had received bribes in the election which was the famous Hyman-Gray by-election of 1905. The members of the Carleton-Corbett Band intend holding a five-mile race on May 27. Entry blanks will soon be distributed, and contestants are expected from different parts of the province.

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Deadly Contests of Rivals. One of the most singular events in the annals of athletics occurred a few years ago in Sydney, Australia. The occasion was the great "electric light" bicycle race, and the attendance was not less than ten thousand people. There were fifty entries, two of whom James Somerville and Percy Cliff, were not only professional rivals, but deadly enemies. Both were considered expert riders. From the start of the race Somerville led, with Cliff a close second. Somerville kept the lead throughout, while the other came close to the back of Cliff only a few yards behind him. When about twenty yards from the finish, Somerville put on a terrific burst of speed and drew away from his rival. Suddenly at this point his grip on the handle bar relaxed and he fell forward. The machine, however, under the tremendous impulse which it received, raced ahead like an arrow, the rider hanging limply over the handle bar.

Died in the Saddle. Four yards from the machine slowed down a little. At this point the front wheel of Cliff's machine struck the hind wheel of Somerville, sending both wheel and rider across the tape. Somerville won the race; but he was dead several seconds before he crossed the tape. The Hazardous Triple Turn. Of all the feats known to gymnasts the most dangerous is the "triple turn." This means the starting with a run from a spring-board, the acrobat makes three complete turns in the air. This turn has killed more first-class tumblers than any other trick known to the profession. The first man to try the triple turn was a performer in Van Amburg's circus. He struck on the back of his head and broke his neck. This was in 1842. Three years later a performer at Adley's in London, tried it, but he was instantly killed. John Azymer, a famous acrobat, attempted the feat in 1859; he was killed. The famous Bob Stickney accomplished the feat once in a gymnasium in New York; but he got such a scare that he never dared attempt it in the ring. The only person living or dead who has ever done the feat more than once is John Morland, who accomplished it six times.

Dan O'Brien Successful. Last year Dan O'Brien one of the star leapers at the Hippodrome, New York, found that he was "over-throwing" the double, and determined to try the triple. He did the trick and keeping his feet. But O'Brien, while naturally elated at having accomplished a stunt that places him among a very few of the most daring and skillful performers in the world, is not anxious to try it a second time. "Never again!" says "Little Dan," as he is known in acrobatic circles. "Of course," he added "in our business you are always likely to break a leg; but in the triple somersault you are taking a big chance with your life. Never again for me! It's too dangerous."

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A Clearly Indicated Sent.

(Argonaut.)

The class in very elementary chem-

istry was having one of its early ses-

sions. The matter of sea-water came

up, "Peters," said the teacher, "can

you tell me what is it that makes the

water of the sea so salty?"

"Salt," said Peters.

"Next!" said the teacher. "What

is it makes the water of the sea so

salty?"

"The salt quality of the sea wa-

ter," answered "Next," "is due to the

admixture of a sufficient quantity of

chloride of sodium to impart to the

aqueous fluid with which it commin-

gates, a saline flavor, which is readily

recognized by the organs of taste!"

"Right," said the teacher "Go up

one! And let me advise you my son,

to study law when you leave school."

APOLOGUES TO BOBBIE.

If we could see ourselves

As other people see us,

I hardly think that we

Would really want to be us.

Rev. (Dr.) D. J. Fraser left last evening for Montreal.

THE TYPOGRAPHICAL ERROR

(From The News of Toronto.)

Mr. Pugsley's reliance upon typographical errors as a first line of defence is ludicrous and pitiable. The Mayes affidavit, it is said, is "wholly discredited" because of an error in date which was corrected immediately. Enthusiastic journalists have called it a lying affidavit and have sputtered over it with a pleasing affectation of anger. But the essential point of the affidavit is that Mr. Pugsley sent Mayes to McAvity, who secured a rake-off of \$35,933. No typographical error ever can change this fact, which is supported by documentary proof.

The existence of typographical errors in the Central Railway Commissioners' report has been an occasion for exultant enthusiasm. In one place \$43,000 is printed as \$430,000, but it relates to Founders' Shares in the company which were to be distributed free to the shareholders. There was no money paid by anyone for this stock, and therefore it has nothing whatever to do with the disappearance of \$134,000 of public money. No one, although full opportunity was afforded, could explain to the Commissioners where that money went, Mr. Pugsley had plenty of opportunity. Again and again the inquiry was adjourned by Judge Landry in order to accommodate the Minister. When he came he swore that he had given the Commission everything he knew about the financial affairs of the company. Yet the money has disappeared.

The main duty of Mr. Pugsley, now that he is accused so boldly and with such vigor in the Report, is to find out what became of the \$134,000 that is missing, rather than to act as a proffereur of one of the unimportant sentences of the Report. He might also be good enough to explain why he informed the Legislature that the company had spent \$180,000 for a certain purpose when \$140,000 was the correct figure. He might explain who got the difference of about \$40,000. He might find a reason why Mr. McAvity, the president, collected \$7,500 in one year as salary, when he was entitled to no more than \$2,500. He might give some reasonable and credible explanation of why he got \$5,000 on the eve of his departure for Europe, and whether or not he repaid that sum to the company. But instead of doing these really important things he and his defenders pick out typographical errors wholly immaterial, and rely on these as a protective bastion.

Mr. Pugsley says that he would like to see the evidence. He has seen it. He applied for copies at the commencement of the inquiry, and his application was granted by Judge Landry. Some instalments were given to Mr. Pugsley himself, the rest to Mr. Carvell, his counsel. Copies of the documents in the case were also handed to Mr. Pugsley's solicitor. The truth is that he is in an ugly situation, and is trying to wriggle out. The endeavor must be a vigorous one when he tries the narrow opening left by the verbal errancy of a portion of the Report.

THE YANKEE SAILORS AND SOLDIERS ARE BIG EATERS

Anyone having 15 miles of sausages on his hands and seeking to dispose of them would do well to confer with the storekeeper at the Charlottown navy yard. That official is looking for about that number of miles of sausages of all kinds, beef, pork, frankfurter and bologna, which will make up an important item of the year's meat supply for the soldiers and sailors who are quartered at the navy yard and the navy hospital at Chelsea, and for those sailors whose warships may be ordered to the navy yard for repairs or coaling.

In the advertisements for bids to supply the prescribed food supply for the coming year, which are to be opened on May 9, the item of sausages is officially listed at 65,000 pounds.

A Distance of 15 Miles

Figuring this out on the basis of six sausages to the pound, each sausage of an average length of four inches, it will be found that the 65,000 pounds of them would extend a distance of 15 miles, if laid on end. This would equal the distance between Newton Centre and Malden, by way of the Boston & Albany tracks to the South station, up Summer street to Washington, to the North station, and thence to Malden, over the Boston & Maine tracks.

Beef, fresh, corned, pressed and otherwise, is by far the largest item to be considered by the contractors who are to bid on the supplies called for in the specifications, calling for 337,400 pounds of beef, with more than 300,000 pounds of this to be fresh beef.

Five Hundred Steers

The specifications also state that the creatures from which the beef is to be supplied must not be less than 600 pounds and not be more than 800 pounds in weight. Taking for an average a steer of 700 pounds, a herd of 500 steers will be required to furnish the beef which the Doughboys and bluejackets will stow away during the coming year at the Charlottown navy yard.

This beef will be served up in roasts, soups, stews, and as beef steak, while amenting this will be 179,000 pounds of pork, mostly fresh.

Some Other Items

As supplementary to the beef and pork the men will be served with 57,000 pounds of veal, 35,000 pounds of lamb 6,700 pounds of chicken and 8000 pounds of turkey. A flock of 800 turkeys would be necessary to supply the Thanksgiving and Christmas dinners.

10,000 Bushels of Spuds

Ten thousand bushels of potatoes is the year's requisition for spuds, and in order to secure this amount a potato field almost three times as large as Boston Common, yielding 75 bushels to the acre, would be necessary.

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EIGHT SCOTCH IMMIGRANTS ARRIVE HERE

Eight Scotch immigrants arrived here on the C. P. R. yesterday at noon. They left Glasgow, Scotland, about ten days ago, and arrived in Quebec on Tuesday.

Speaking to The Standard, Mr. A. B. Wilnot, superintendent of the Provincial Immigration office here, stated that he was well pleased with these immigrants as they were a very desirable class of settlers, and he is positive that they will do credit to themselves and to the country. It is only a week ago since six others came out together, and Mr. Wilnot expects many more during the summer.

These Scotchmen were brought out through the influence of a sub-agent in Glasgow, and have positions awaiting them in the province, which Mr. Wilnot will arrange for in a day or so. The majority of them will engage in farming, and three of them who are married intend to buy farms in the province, and bring out their wives and children, when they acquaint themselves with the mode of farming in the province.

Rev. H. R. Read called at the Immigration Office last evening and met the immigrants and made arrangements to write to the Presbyterian ministers at the destinations of each of the men, and refer them to the new settlers.

This accomplishment reflects great credit on Mr. Wilnot.

The names of those who arrived are: John Nichols, Frank Chalmers, Robert Douglas, David Miller, John Douglas, John Allison, John Miller and Thomas Brown.

PERSONAL

Ald. J. W. Vanwart went out on last night's Montreal train.

Mr. J. M. Robinson left last evening for Montreal.

Mr. E. M. Sipprell left for Woodstock on last evening's Montreal train.

Mr. R. E. Magee left for Quebec last evening to take steamer for Europe, where he will spend a month.

Mr. G. J. Estabrooks and Mr. W. B. Tennant left for Montreal last evening.

Mr. William Dean, son of Warden W. J. Dean, of Musquah, left by last evening's Montreal train for Saskatoon.

Rev. Samuel Howard left on Monday to spend the week in Prince Edward Island.

Robert Melrose, of the local staff of the Royal Bank of Canada, has been transferred to the Halifax branch of the same institution.

Mr. W. E. Wain, of Roxbury, Mass., is at the Dufferin.

Mr. D. J. Stevens, of Halifax, is in the city.

Mr. N. F. Shaver, of Montreal, is in the city.

Mr. Hardy McHardy, of Toronto, is at the Royal.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Massie, of Fredericton, were registered at the Royal on Wednesday.

Mr. Wm. F. Grose, of Montreal, is in the city.

Mr. T. McConkey, of Halifax, is at the Victoria.

Mr. L. D. Hatfield, of Yarmouth, is at the Victoria.

Mr. W. P. Jones and wife, of Woodstock, were registered at the Royal yesterday.

Mr. James A. Swan, of Halifax, was at the Victoria on Wednesday.

Mr. S. S. Miller and son, of Hart-

land were registered at the Royal yesterday.

Mr. T. W. Hart, of Halifax, was in St. John yesterday.

Mr. J. E. Petrie and wife, of Montreal, are at the Dufferin.

Mr. J. A. Upham, of St. Stephen, was in the city yesterday.

D. J. Stevens and T. McConkey, of the Marine and Fisheries Department, Halifax, are at the Victoria.

Mrs. Susan Brown, who has spent several months in California, returned home yesterday on the Montreal express.

Mr. H. M. Stanbury came in on the Boston express Wednesday.

Winnipeg Free Press, April 30—Mrs. C. E. McPherson entertained at a delightful bridge yesterday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Rutherford, who is leaving in about two weeks for a trip to Europe.

Moncton Transcript—Mrs. E. Tiffin who has been ill during the winter, left on Monday for Toronto, where she will be a guest at the King Edward Hotel for a time. She will then visit her daughter, at Preston, Ont., for a short time before leaving for Europe.—Miss Evelyn O'Neil left Monday on the C. P. R. to spend the summer months with Hampton and St. John friends.

Professor Walter Murray left this morning for Saskatchewan.—Halifax Echo, May 4.

Mr. Spencer H. Sterling is leaving in a few days for Missoula, Mont.

THE KNOWING HOW

One man sits down at the piano to play and succeeds in producing only a discord of sounds

Another seats himself and straightway the piano is made to give forth music that moves the hearers to laughter or tears at the player's will.

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THE MONREAL STOCK MARKET Morning Sales. Royal Bank, 16@22 3-4. Toronto, 116@124; 35@123 7-8. Montreal Bank, 1@24 1/2. Twains, 25@102 3-4; 50@103 1-4; 50@108. Mackay, 75@78. Crown 500@292; 300@293. Ogilvie Bonds 5000@100 1-2 flat. Mackay Pfd. 50@74. Coal 100@67 1-2. Textile, Pfd. 25@102 7-8; 75@102 3-4; 50@102 1-2. Nipissing, 50@101 1-8; 50@101 1-4. C. P. R. 175@180. Dom. Iron Pfd. 46@117 1-2; 50@117. Detroit, 50@88; 5@87 1-2. Woods, 25@108 1-2; 25@108. Canadian Converters, 5@40. Textile 3@66; 25@132; 30@67. Toledo, 25@112; 14@11 1-2. Montreal Steel, 75@210. Illinois Pfd. 115@96. Dom. Iron Pfd. 50@117 1-4; 25@117 1-8; 50@117. Power, 4@118; 50@117 1-4; 425@117 1-2. Pennants 125@50 1-2; 75@50 1-4.

Afternoon Sales. Dom. Iron, 25@93. Montreal Power, 60@117 1-2; 50@117. Woods, 10@108 1-8; 10@108 1-4. Scotia, 100@62 1-4; 5@62 3-8. Twin City, 25@102 1-2. Quebec Railway, 150@53. Toronto Railway, 25@124. Mackay, 10@78. Richlieu & Ontario, 35@83 1-2. Dom. Iron Bonds, 9000@92 flat. Crown Reserve, 1500@293. Montreal Street, 60@117 1-2. Rio Bonds, 500@95 and Interest. C. P. R., 25@120; 25@119 3-4. Paper Pfd. 50@74. Merchants Wheat @163.

WINNIPEG WHEAT MARKET. St. John, N. B., May 5.—The Ogilvie Flour Mills Co. Ltd. supply the following quotations of the Winnipeg Wheat Market:— May, 13 1/2. July, 15 1/2. Oct., 10 1/2. WHEAT, CORN, OATS, LARD. Chicago, Ill., May 5.—Wheat—May, 1.23; July, 1.15 1/2 to 1.16; Sept., 1.05; Dec., 1.02 1/2 to 1.03. Corn—May, 71 1/2; July, 69 to 70; Sept., 67 1/2; Dec., 58 1/2. Oats—May, 57 1/2; Sept., 54; July, 50 1/2 to 51; Dec., 43 1/2. Lard—May, 10.27 1/2; July, 10.37 1/2 to 10.40; Sept., 10.50 to 10.52 1/2. Short Ribs—May, 9.77 1/2; July, 9.82 1/2 to 9.85; Sept., 9.92 1/2 to 9.96.

COBOLTS. Beaver 19 asked 21; Cob Lake, 15 asked 16; Cham 75 asked 78; Cob Co., 40 asked 43; Kerr Lake 780 asked 800; Rose 7 1-8 asked 708; Helen 25 asked 23; Ns 49 asked 50@; Ottawa 72 asked 73; Pts 27 asked 28; Roch 16 asked 15; Leaf 11 3-4 asked 12; Queen 40 asked 42; Treth 138 asked 140; Tem 133 asked 135.

STRENGTH OF TEXTILE. Montreal, April 5.—One reason given for the strength of Textile in spite of strike talk is the fact of a large stock of raw cotton on hand at lower prices which could be sold in the event of a strike. Sales have a strike clause and would not have to be filled.

AN IMPORTANT DECISION. New York, May 5.—The Interstate Commerce Commission has decided that all cars must now be equipped with air-brakes.

HIT INSURANCE CO'S HARD. New York, May 5.—Chicago reports that the hit insurance companies are in a bad way.

AMERICAN STOCK TRANSACTIONS; CHANGES IN A DAY'S BIDDING

Table with columns: Sales, Opening, High, Low, Close. Lists various stocks like Amalgamated, American Car and Foundry, American Locomotive, etc.

New York Cottons. Table with columns: High, Low, Close. Lists cotton prices for various months.

Chicago Market. Table with columns: High, Low, Close. Lists prices for WHEAT, CORN, OATS, PORK.

Special to The Standard. Toronto, May 5.—The reports from the Province received over night indicate that the warm weather is being felt in the West.

Montreal Quotations. Montreal, May 5.—Manitoba wheat for delivery after the opening of wharf for delivery date a year ago.

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New York, May 5.—The stock market today showed the waning influence of the commodities clause decision in some subsidence of activity and in a mixed tone in the speculation. The stimulating influence of the Supreme Court's action had the edge taken off it by the reports of the cabinet meeting at Washington yesterday, and the discussion said to have taken place there of ways and means to amend the Hepburn Act in a way to make the object of the commodities clause effective and within the limits permitted by the Supreme Court's decree. There were elements of strength in the day's price movement and to prompt greater activity rather than the less influential members of the list, except for a late advance in Southern Pacific. In the usual market, especially in Bonding and Union Pacific the fact soon appeared that effective selling orders were placed in the market to meet any further advance in price. The volume and persistence of these selling orders led to their characterization as important. Their effect was to dampen the enthusiasm of the bull party and to prompt greater activity in the extension of their operations. Thus selling seemed to be invited by the extent of the rise which has occurred and the resulting profit in the market. It is generally believed that the check to an upward tendency to prices established. The crop outlook came in for renewed consideration. Advances from various sources continued to show the delay in seeding and in growth caused by the unseasonable weather and while the chances for making good the delay were kept in mind, the point was enforced that account should be taken of the fact that crops are several weeks later than the normal in development. Not only grain crops but cotton planting is affected by these conditions. Stock market operators desire to see the complexion of the government report on crop conditions, to improve the demand for bank loans, and to see the prospect of bankers estimating to feel that they are entitled to better interest rates for their money, and time money brokers report that the supply of funds for that purpose has been diminished in the last few days by the practical withdrawal from the market of some of the important banks and trust companies. The action is based on the assumption that any effective revival of trade such as is now hoped for must improve the demand for banking facilities. The disposition to hold funds in hand for this purpose warrants a hopeful view of the trade outlook. It is commonly believed, however, that any growth of activity in the demand for money, aside from speculative uses, will modify the speculative portion of the demand for funds. The result of the day's operations was practically dead even on the speculation. Bonds were firm. Total sales, par value, \$6,963,000. U. S. Bonds were unchanged on call.

They were playing a game in which some one gives out the initial of some object in the room and the rest of them try to guess the object. The host's gray-haired father said, "I'm a little bad in my spelling, I'd make no hand at such a game." "You pick out some object and tell us the letter it begins with and we'll guess it." So the old man, who finally yielded, "Well," said he, "I will tell the letter it is 'F'. They tried and tried to guess what he meant. Knowing his weakness in spelling, his son picked 'phonograph', thinking the old gentleman might imagine it began with an 'F' but no, he was wrong. Finally he had to give up and appealed to him to tell the letter. He looked wise and said, 'Well, since you all give up under the thing is that begins with an 'F' I'll tell you. It's the 'f' what-not.'"

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MARINE NEWS

PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived May 5. S. S. Molina (Nor.) 677, Heraldor, Pensacola, Fla. Wm. Thomson and Co. supercargo. Schooner Eclair, 349, Tower, Newark C. M. Kerrison, coal. Coastwise—Schooner Fin Back, 34, Ingersoll, North Head, and cleared. Cleared May 5. Sch. Peter S. Shultz, (Am) Donovan, City Island fo, Stetson, Cutler and Co. Coastwise—Schooners Hustler, Hill, Kingsport; Mildred K. Thompson, Westport, Steamer Bear River, Coastwise—Steamer Bear River, Woodworth, Digby; schooners St. Bernard, Benjamin, Parrabrook; Stanley L. Lewis, Apple River. Sailed May 5. S. S. Helmdal, (Nor.) Rils, Buenos Ayres, Steamer Governor Cobb, Pike, Boston via Maine ports, W. G. Lee. Steamer Cruzier, Stevens, Montreal.

Foreign Ports. Ready Island, Del. May 5.—Passed down—Sch. James William from Philadelphia for Charlotteville, P. E. I. Calais, Me. May 5.—Cleared—Sch. W. E. and W. L. Tuck, for St. John, N. B. Hyannis, Mass. May 5.—Arrived—Sch. E. H. Warford from Chatham. Sailed—Sch. Mayflower (Br.) from Matland, N. S. for New Haven. Saundersville, R. L. May 5.—Arrived—Sch. Harry Miller from St. John, N. B. for New York. Passed—Schs Bluenose from Five Islands, N. S. for Fall River. Shields, May 4.—Sailed—Str. Dperv for Sydney, C. B. Boston, Mass. May 5.—Cleared—Sch. Lucia Porter for St. John, N. B.; D. W. B. (Br.) for St. John, N. B.; Sailed—Schs. Garfield White (Br.) for Port Greenville, N. S.; Yolando (Br.) for Kingsport, N. S.; Princess of Avon (Br.) for Annapolis, N. S. Delago Bay, May 5.—Arrived previously—Str. Melville from St. John, N. B., via Capetown, etc. Philadelphia, Pa. May 5.—Cleared—Sch. Margaret C. for Moncton, N. B.

Charters. British schooner Unity, 248 tons, from Bay Chaleur to New York, 14th, 85c; British schooner W. H. Baxter, 325 tons, same, two trips, option Philadelphia. Vessels in Port. Steamers. Kanawha, Wm. Thomson and Co. Long wharf. Hirt, C. P. R. wharf. Telmer Murch, 1349, Wm. Thomson and Co. Manchester Corporation, 3467, Wm. Thomson & Co. Bark. Robertsons, 733, J. A. Likely, Long wharf. Bark Westland, 1116, J. F. Beatty at No. 5 Sand Point. Schooners. Sch. Lord of Avon, 325, R. C. Elkin, Long wharf. Jennie W. Huddell, 265, A. W. Adams, Long wharf. Witch Hazel, 223, S. Stetson, Cutler and Co. mill. Ralph M. Hayward, 538, Lawton's wharf. Sch. Henry H. Chamberlain, Pleasant Point. Almada Willey, 493, John E. Moore, Lawton's wharf. E. B. Wood, 242, Stetson, Cutler and Co., above falls, 273, A. W. Adams, Lawton's wharf.

Vessels Bound to St. John. Bark. Afhelm, Rosario, March 30. John S. Bennett, at Barbados. Ladyship, chartered. Almora, Sld. Glasgow, April 27. Ortoling Sophia, Sld. Novik, April 12. Pontiac, chartered. Veraton, chartered. Molino, Pensacola, April 26. Marine Notes. The Norwegian steamship Helmdal, Captain Rils, sailed yesterday for Buenos Ayres with a cargo of pine and spruce deals. The Norwegian steamship Molina, Captain Heraldor, arrived yesterday from Pensacola, Florida, with a cargo of sulphur for the Farrington Pulp and Paper Company. The steamship Borna put into Halifax from Mexico for Montreal, with her low pressure engine partly out of commission. When off Cape Hatteras the Borna ran into heavy weather and her engine was damaged. She will be repaired and proceed to Montreal. The salvage steamer Lord Strathcona left Quebec May 1st, and the schooner G.T.D., for Anticosti, where they will unload a cargo of coal tar. The C.P.R. steamer Cruiser, Capt. Stevens, sailed yesterday for Montreal. The British schooner St. Bernard, Captain Benjamin, arrived in port yesterday with a cargo of coal tar. The tern schooner Peter C. Shultz, Capt. Donovan, sailed yesterday for City Island, taking 319,772 feet of spruce deals, shipped by Stetson, Cutler & Co.

Telltale Straws. Straws show which way the current runs; A theme too good For jokes and puns. An empty creel Shows faith for talk; That run of fish Was but a walk. The rifle range at Bedford opened on Saturday for the season. The first of the three practice matches for places on the Nova Scotia Inter-Provincial match team will be shot at Bedford on May 15th. The team consists of eight men and the Inter-Provincial is to be shot on the Bedford range this year.—Halifax Echo.

HOTELS

The ROYAL Saint John, N. B. RAYMOND & DOHERTY. PROPRIETORS. Victoria Hotel 127 King Street. Electric passenger elevator and all modern improvements. D. W. McCormick, Proprietor.

FREDERICK'S LEADING HOTEL IS THE BARKERHOUSE QUEEN STREET. Centrally located; large new sample room, private bath, electric lights and bells, hot water heating throughout. T. V. MONAHAN, Proprietor.

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REVISED AGREEMENT SET ASIDE

Cincinnati, Ohio, May 5.—The National Baseball Commission yesterday gave out the following notice to all National Agreement clubs and players relative to the revised National Agreement. "Some weeks ago the commission promulgated the Revised National Agreement and had incorporated therein various requests and charges that had been agreed to between the commission and the representatives of the National Association and the Eastern League in Cincinnati in January, Eastern and American Associations. Did Not Ratify. "This revised agreement was submitted to the presidents of the American Association and the Eastern League, with the suggestion that both these leagues ratify and approve it. Neither one of them has done so and for that reason a notice is now issued by the commission that the said revised agreement is set aside as an entirety and the commission will operate in the future under the National Agreement as in force previous to the meeting of the National Commission in Cincinnati, in January last; and the amount of work done on the agreement under organized baseball will be required to pay attention to any of the new features embodied in the revised agreement herein referred to."

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A New York despatch of May 3rd says:— Before a group of aeronauts and inventors in carrying out the project, McCurdy, who will soon leave for England to compete for aviation prizes, made some disclosures concerning his work which are of great interest to those who are interested in the progress of aviation. He told of things actually accomplished with the aeroplane, not what he or somebody else had dreamed of doing, or thought possible to be done.

A SKETCH OF THE BISLEY TEST

The selection of Lt-Col Alexander Bertram to command the Canadian Prize team has given general satisfaction to military men throughout the Dominion. Lt-Col. Bertram is one of the most capable and successful military officers in the service. He is very popular in his native town, Dundas, Ont., and the citizens and members of the Seventy-Seventh Regiment, of which he is an officer, are extremely pleased that the Militia Department has honored him by giving him such an important charge. Born in Ontario. Lt-Col. Bertram was born in 1835 in Dundas, Ont., and in March, 1869, joined the Thirtieth Battalion as butler, and was attached to No. 7 Company of the Seventy-Seventh Regiment. In 1872 he became ensign of Company A, Dundas, and in 1874 was promoted to lieutenant.

SOME FACTS ABOUT WHO WON

The Canadian Marathon Derby is a thing of the past, and the man who topped John D. Marsh out as a favorite evidently knew what he was doing. Marsh ran one of the best races in his life, and made better time than St. Yves did in the big race at New York a few weeks ago. Course a Little Short. The course at Toronto was found to be short by not enough to take any credit away from the winner. It lacked three feet and three inches of being one-half of a mile, but that would not make a difference of three-quarters of a minute in the time. St. Yves' time in the race was 2:40.50-3.5. While Marsh was looked upon as a likely winner, his victory time came as a surprise to even his closest friends. It was the first time that he covered the Marathon distance since he came to Canada four years ago. Forgetful Regarding His Age. After the race at Toronto on Saturday.

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Water Pipe Broken. A water pipe burst yesterday afternoon on Dock street, in front of Preece's barber shop.

Child Bitten by Dog. Officer James McNamee shot a dog yesterday afternoon at the request of the owner, Mark McIntyre, Erin street. The dog had bitten a child by the name of McDonald, on Erin street.

Fredericton Delegate. Frederickton Typographical Union has elected Frank Lister as delegate to go to the convention at St. Joseph, Mo., this summer.

Dog Was Shot. A dog belonging to Joseph Addison of St. Paul street, was shot yesterday afternoon by the police. The animal was suffering from an injured leg, which had been mangled by a street car.

May 14 Alternate Day for Arbor Day. Owing to the lateness of the season School Inspector R. P. Steeves of Sussex, has appointed May 14 as an alternate day for Arbor Day, May 7, in Inspectorial District No. 5.

Fire in Coal Shed. Shortly before eight o'clock last evening an alarm of fire was rung from Box 7 for a small blaze in Gibbons' coal shed on the North wharf. Chemical Engine No. 1 quickly extinguished the fire.

Disorderly Conduct. George Haynes, 288 German street, age 14, and James Power, 189 Carman street, age 15, were reported last evening for disorderly conduct and setting off fireworks in a public place at the corner of Leinster and Sydney streets.

Off for the West. Those patronizing the third of the home-seekers' excursion which the C. P. R. is running to the west on every second Wednesday, passed through last evening with the Montreal train. About forty persons took advantage of the cheap trip, which extends as far as Calgary.

The Willett Fruit Company, Ltd. The Willett Fruit Company, Ltd., has had letters patent granted to it. It will have head offices in St. John and will take over the fruit business carried on by John G. Willett and W. Rupert Willett under the name of John G. Willett. The total capital stock is \$40,000.

No-License Proclamation. Proclamation has been issued by His Honor the Lieutenant Governor that no licenses for the sale of liquor shall issue in Lorne, Dukes and Victoria wards in this city after January 1, 1910. This is the formal announcement of the verdict of the electors at the local option plebiscite.

New J. P.'s For St. John. In yesterday's Royal Gazette the following appointments for the City and County of Saint John were announced: S. Herbert Maves, James Moran, John S. Seaton, Harry H. Reid, Wm. A. Shaw, Edward Shillington and Frank Josselyn, to be Justices of the Peace.

He Had Close Call. Mr. Scott Panjor, mate of the tug Joseph, had a close experience yesterday in which the novelty was eclipsed by the unpleasantness. As he was walking the side of a scow, about which he was working in Carleton, he lost his balance and plunged into the icy water of the harbor. No person was about at the time to assist, but he was fortunately able to climb back to the scow, after an exhaustive struggle.

Apply For Incorporation. Application for the incorporation of the St. John Produce Company, Limited, has been made. The applicants are all of St. John. They are as follows: Fred E. Law, merchant; Oliver B. Akerley, dealer; Frank E. Williams, merchant; A. W. MacRae, barrister; George Swanton, steward. The company will take over the export business at present carried on by F. E. Williams Company.

Charged With Assault. Frank O'Leary, age 19, was arrested last evening between seven and eight o'clock by Officer Belva, on a charge of assaulting James Miller, a pilot. Mr. Miller ordered O'Leary off a motor boat at Reed's Point. He refused to go, and struck Miller, and as a consequence Miller swore out a warrant for the arrest. O'Leary was allowed \$200 on depositing \$200 and on promising that he would appear in court to answer to the charge.

Got Degree of D. C. L. Among those who received the degree of D. C. L. at King's Encoenia was Mr. John T. Mellish, M. A., senior member of the law firm of Mellish and Mellish, Charlottetown. Through an error Mr. Mellish's name was not included in the list of those who received degrees. Mr. Mellish wrote an excellent and exhaustive thesis on the common law requisites of a valid marriage in the British colonies which was favorably commented upon by Dean Alward of the law school. Mr. Mellish enjoys the distinction of being among the first who received the degree of B. C. L. through the St. John Law School.

LATE PERSONALS. Rev. Canon Cowie was registered at the Victoria yesterday. Fred Rowell returned yesterday from Fredericton, where he had been attending the Fredericton Business College.

Mr. J. T. Morrow of Montreal is at the Victoria. Mr. E. B. Scott of Toronto is in the city. Mr. D. McE. Minard of Ottawa is at the Royal. Mr. F. H. Wetmore of Hampton is in the city. Mr. A. J. Landrian of Ottawa is at the Royal. Mr. Robert Melrose left for Halifax last evening. He has been transferred from the local branch of the Royal Bank of Canada to that in Halifax.

St. John Before the Great Fire at the Nickel. The idea which to save money on the purchase of four new spring suits, don't fail to visit C. E. Nelson's, Cor. Union and Waterloo streets.

WM. PARKS ESCAPES FROM CHAIN GANG

About 11:15 yesterday morning Carl Schultz attempted to escape from the chain gang while the rest were at work. Officer Collins, noticing the attempt to escape, immediately started after the prisoner, but in the course of his pursuit, fell on the loose stones. Seeing this mishap, the other guard officer, Beckett, followed in pursuit, and after a short chase captured the prisoner; but while Officer Collins was coming to the front of the shed, near the place where the prisoners were working, William Parks, another prisoner, made a spring around the shed and made a speedy escape. Officer Beckett at that time was holding Schultz, and Officer Collins had to remain and watch the remainder of the gang. This gave the prisoner Parks an excellent opportunity to make his escape. The officers were handicapped, and in short time Parks was out of sight and has not been seen since.

William Parks was arrested on the thirteenth of March last, by Sergeant Baxter, on a charge of stealing a pair of boots and rubbers, from George Colwell, on board the S. S. Hesperian on the West Side. He was found guilty of the charge and was sentenced to one year in jail.

Carl Schultz was arrested on April 21st last by J. C. R. Officer Smith on a charge of begging money from a C. P. R. passenger, while standing in the depot. He was found guilty and sentenced to two months in jail.

DYNAMITE EXPLODED IN HIS HANDS

The Fredericton Herald says: Mr. Holly Mahoney, son of Mr. Thomas Mahoney, of Mauderville, had a narrow escape from a horrible death a few days ago, and as it is he may lose the sight of one and perhaps of both of his eyes. The young man was working for a bridge building concern near Grand Falls and was employed one day last week, breaking a lam of ice. Dynamite was being used for the purpose and Mr. Mahoney picked up a stick of the explosive to see why it had failed to go off. As he did so the dynamite exploded in his hands. The young man was thrown several feet and his fellow workmen expected when they reached the scene to pick him up dead. They were agreeably surprised, however, to find that Mr. Mahoney was alive.

The unfortunate young man was conveyed to a place of safety and a physician summoned. He found that Mr. Mahoney's injuries were principally about the face and head, and that his sight and hearing had been affected.

The young man was taken to his home and has since consulted a specialist at St. John where he has been told that while he may regain his hearing the sight of one and possibly both eyes may be lost.

Mr. Mahoney has a large number of friends in the city and down river who will regret to learn of his accident and will hope for the most favorable results.

NUMBER 13 BOWLED AN EASY WIN

Ames Holden Company's team No. 13, took all four points in their Commercial League match with the McAvity King street team, last night. The score:

Ames Holden.					
Lawson.	. . . . .	80	80	240	80
Simmons.	. . . . .	59	95	78	263
Daley.	. . . . .	63	77	68	208
Murphy.	. . . . .	82	68	65	215
Codner.	. . . . .	81	92	81	254
		396	412	392	1200
McAvity, King Street.					
Rowley.	. . . . .	89	70	228	76
Daley.	. . . . .	72	78	79	230
Fooley.	. . . . .	79	68	85	232
Warren.	. . . . .	80	80	240	80
Stubbs.	. . . . .	80	68	68	216
		350	383	373	1136

This evening's game will be between the Brokers and the O. H. Warwick team.

GAZETTED OFFICIALS YESTERDAY

The following appointments appeared in the Royal Gazette yesterday:—

- In the county of York: David McElwaine to be a Justice of the Peace.
- In the county of Albert: Whitney E. Calhoun to be a Justice of the Peace.
- In the county of Northumberland: Isaac C. Prescott, of Albert, to be a commissioner for taking affidavits to be read in the Supreme Court.
- In the county of Kent: Ernest Flett, William Goggin and John C. Taylor, to be Justices of the Peace.
- Howard Williston, Newcastle, to be an issuer of marriage licenses.
- In the county of Gloucester: John Miller to be a Justice of the Peace.
- Edward L. O'Brien to be a commissioner for taking affidavits to be read in the Supreme Court.
- In the county of Kent: Joseph Crossman to be a Justice of the Peace.

FREDERICTON TRACK OPENS ON MONDAY

(Fredericton Gleaner) Yesterday Mr. Hugh O'Neill, superintendent of the track, Mr. D. McCathran, vice-president, and Ald. A. B. Kitchen, a director, visited the local track and made a thorough inspection. The stalls will be put in readiness for occupancy at once and will be allotted to applicants upon payment of the usual charges. The track will be opened for use on Monday next, the directors who inspected it yesterday being unanimously of the opinion that it would be unwise to allow horses on it before that date.

NEW BRUNSWICK LOAN FULLY COVERED IN LONDON.

Special to The Standard. London, May 5.—The stock list of the issue of £450,000, 4 per cent. stock of the Province of New Brunswick, was closed today at the Bank of Montreal, ahead of time and fully covered.

VESSELS AT MONCTON.

Special to The Standard. Moncton, May 5.—The first vessels of the season arrived here yesterday. The schooner Anne Louise Lockwood, from New York with hard coal, and the schooner Bazil with molasses from Barbados. The first mentioned vessel had some difficulty in getting to her wharf and landed badly but was finally made safe and no serious damage is anticipated.

JOHN M. WILEY CHAIRMAN OF HEALTH BD.

Fredericton, N. B., May 5.—Spencer H. Sterling is leaving in a few days for Missoula, Mont., where he has accepted a position with the Missoula Mercantile Co. of which his uncle, Fred Sterling, is the vice-president. This afternoon he is being entertained at the Saint-Joseph Hotel by Friends of Mr. James Dever, who for many years carried on the dry goods business of Dever Bros., will regret to learn that he was seized with a paralytic stroke yesterday. Today his condition is not improved.

Several city officials who put in applications for increases in salary, will be disappointed as a result of the city council's work last evening. Chief Rutter, of the Fire Department and Supt. McMinn, of the Street Lighting Department, both asked for increases. Another move in the plan of curtailment has been to do away with having firemen sleep at the central hose station.

Ex-Policeman George Foss has sold his property on Union street for \$1600. Mr. Foss has taken up work as a carpenter again.

The three-masted schooner Elma has discharged her cargo of hard coal and has gone to Victoria Mills to load with lumber for the American market. The Royal Gazette today contains the appointment of John M. Wiley as chairman of the Board of Health of Fredericton in place of Dr. W. J. Weaver who resigned some time ago. Rev. A. G. Smith, of Gagetown, has been authorized to solemnize marriages.

Application has been made by John Robertson, Dr. John McNichol, William C. White, Sheriff Doucet, A. J. Stewart and J. B. Hackley for incorporation as the Bathurst and St. Peter's Water and Sewerage Company with a capitalization of \$20,000.

JURY COULD NOT AGREE IN O'BRIEN CASE

Special to The Standard. Dorchester, May 5.—The Circuit Court here was engaged all today with the case of James V. O'Brien, a soldier of Fredericton charged with stealing silverware from the residence of T. R. Wilkes in Mr. O'Brien's last summer.

Mr. Arthur Willner, Ex-Chief Writter and three soldiers of Fredericton gave evidence for the prosecution. O'Brien took the stand in his own defence and swore that he purchased the stolen goods from two tramps at McAdam Junction last autumn. He did not know the men but he hailed from Dorchester, Mass., the other from Roxbury. He also told of drinking and a fight with the tramps when one of them drew a revolver on him, which he knocked out of the tramp's hand. The jury disagreed and Judge McLeod discharged them. O'Brien is held for a second trial.

PUGSLEY HAS TAKEN NO STEPS

In view of Mr. Pugsley's statement that he had instituted proceedings in equity before the Supreme Court of New Brunswick for an accounting in the Central Railway matter, inquiry was made last night among the local lawyers who might be supposed to have charge of the case. None of them seemed to know of any instructions for the issue of a writ or the preparation of a bill.

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THE EMPEROR DETERMINES RUSSIA

St. Petersburg, May 6.—The of the Russian ministerial now entirely dependent upon peror's line of action, as Stolypin an exhaustive report on the cabinet meeting of May submitted to His Majesty to no doubt in the emperor's mind the cabinet it a unit in favoring the naval bill. The had a long audience with the or at Tsarskoye and while the emperor to discontinue the hostile campaign of the aries and the courtiers close. The painful necessity for the ment of the cabinet, in case very decision was delicately to the emperor announced. In with the premier, that h the matter under consideration for a few days. The confer yesterday and today furnish indication of the nature of peror's ultimate decision.

Have Not Resigned. A member of the cabinet s evening that the resignations ministers had not been tendered was there any reason to exp

HE DOUBTS THAT COMBINE DOES EX

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, May 6.—In the Session for second reading of to give effect to the tariff changes announced in the budget, Sir Ma Bowell said he was surprised Sir Richard Cartwright introduced a bill to give more protection to manufacturers, such as sugar refin approved of the principle, but think that Sir Richard would not Kenzie said he doubted the claim of a combine among the ere.

Sir Richard said that Mr. In when in London, had inquiry had become convinced that the foundation for the claim that Quebec's combine existed. The on sugar was much lower than in force in the Conservative. The cost of sugar to the co was lower than before 1896, in quence of bounty and tariff remits of the present govern. Personally Sir Richard said he like to see sugar, which is a ty on the free market. The bill was given its second ing. Senator Davis moved the reading of his bill respecting incorporation of railway com. The bill proposed to do away incorporation of railways by ment giving the power to the Department on recommendation of the railway commission. Davis said his bill would dis the charter-monger, and save t parliament but he was giving men who were after charters build, but to sell. In nine ye Hament has granted 116 railwa outside of those given three big companies; there thirty to build 37,862 miles, that only 463 miles had been and that by only 13 con. His bill would give the Board of the bond issue to see that it leak into someone's pocket, as Heved was frequently the case seat.

THE HOSPITAL WILL GET VERY LARGE AMOU

Dorham, Mass., May 6.—Th in the Norfolk county probat today of the will of Miss Eliza Brigham, of Brookline, disclo fact that previously published of the contents of the document respects enormous. She left \$7,500,000 to the R Brigham Hospital for incurabl Boston, to found and maintain her brother, Robert B. Brigham's barntue, she makes t of the residuary legate. The bequests in the will a relatively small and her estate mated at about \$3,000,000, the al will receive rather more than at first supposed.

ADVOCATES OF PEACE UNIVERS

Washington, May 6.—Advoce International peace through tion met at the New Willard as guests of President James Cready, of Kentucky, and the of the American Peace and Arbi League Secretary of State was the guest of honor today, his 55th birthday. Among the speakers were