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CALLED FOR MONEY AND RECOVERED BY A BULLET

Man and Woman Demanded That Banker Read, of Washington, Ind., Give up \$30,000 on Pain of Death—Read Notified Police and When Blackmailers Called for Money Officers Shot the Woman—The Man Escaped

Washington, Ind., March 30—A woman was shot last night as she picked up a decoy prepared after Banker M. G. Read had received a letter demanding that he deposit \$30,000 as a blackmail spot. A man accompanied the woman, but escaped unharmed. The police are looking for him. The woman was peppered with bird shot. The woman, besmeared with blood, was taken to jail. She was identified as Miss Zella Clark and has been employed as a domestic. Read is president of the First National Bank of this city. The letter he received demanded that he place the money in a box to be left at the east

\$20,000 FIRE IN AT CITY HALL ALBERTA TOWN

Several Buildings Destroyed By Fire in Town of Tofield, Alta.

Tofield, Alta., March 30—(Special)—Fire, which broke out at midnight, destroyed three business buildings belonging to Robert Logan, the store of Matthew McQuay, and the store of A. J. McCauley. Kennedy Bros., general merchandise, lost their entire stock, and grocery, also the stock of the Reliance store was destroyed. The total loss is \$20,000, which is partially covered by insurance.

ANTI-JEWISH RIOT IN A PERISIAN TOWN

One Jew Killed and Two Others Wounded by a Mob and 170 Houses Sacked

London, March 30—A special to the London Times from Tiberias, Syria, says that an anti-Jewish riot occurred at Kefr Sabra, the only important provincial town which is still loyalist. The mob accused of beating a Mohammedan to death, one Jew and wounded two others. The special goes on to say that the rioters sacked 170 houses and that the accused Jew was subsequently beheaded by the governor.

ROOSEVELT IN THE AZORES ISLANDS

Pontalagada, Island of Sao Miguel, the Azores, March 30—The steamship Hambrus with President Roosevelt on board, arrived here unexpectedly at 8 o'clock this morning. The vessel stopped briefly to give Mr. Roosevelt an opportunity to see the scenery of the island with its springs and gardens.

EQUITY COURT

Hearing was continued before Chief Justice Barker this morning in the equity court case of Robinson vs. McAlyer, Edna Brooks et al. Miss Mary G. Robinson, the plaintiff, and the defendants, testified and much of the evidence was contradicted. The plaintiff denied that she signed a lease of her property on Douglas avenue to A. H. Hannington's office.

FUNERALS

James Anderson was buried today at 2:30 p.m., from his late residence, 36 Waterloo street to Stone Church, where Rev. G. A. Kubring conducted the services. Interment was made in the Church of England Burying Ground. Among the floral pieces, were wreaths from the Telegraph Publishing Co., the employees of the Opera House, and the choir playing at the theatre. The choir assisted at the service in the church. Relatives acted as pall-bearers.

MONTREAL STOCKS

Montreal, Que., March 30—Prices of stocks were mostly steady today. Steel sold at 4 1/4 to 3 1/2; Pitt 110 1/2, and coal 60 to 65. Other features were Twin City 104; Toronto Ry. 121; Halifax Tram 109 3/4; Richelieu 79 1/2 to 80 3/4; Pacific 111 3/8; Power 116 1/4; Convertibles 122.

A BUDGET OF FEARS FROM THE PROVINCIAL CAPITAL

Legislature is Likely to Have a Busy Week—Government Asked to Assist in Beautifying Fredericton—The Valley Railway—Will Sheriff Sterling Lose His Job?

Fredericton, March 30—(Special)—The business of the session has commenced in earnest and by the middle of the week will be in full swing. The first committee to be called is the municipalities. It will meet on Wednesday and will have some business to transact as there are two bills from Moncton, one from Charlotte and another from Sackville all ready. Tomorrow it is expected that other bills will be presented from Hartland and Newcastle. The judiciary act was referred to the committee which will likely meet this week. Very little private legislation has been introduced as yet, but it is probable with the return of the members tomorrow, some new bills will see the light. All the members will be in their places today with the exception of Col. Sheridan, of Kent, who has been detained at his home by sickness and may not be able to attend until the closing day of the session. It is possible that the budget speech will be made on Thursday or Friday next. Notices were given last week that the house will go into supply on Thursday. It is also probable that the report of the agricultural commission will be presented this week. While there is not much to do today or tomorrow it looks as if the week would have a busy ending. The petition from the village of Hartland introduced by Mr. Fleming is to enlarge the boundaries of the village of Hartland for fire protection and water supply for which legislation is to be asked. The petition of the New Brunswick Me-

"CRAZY SNAKE" IS STILL AT LARGE

No Further Trouble Last Night Between U. S. Soldiers and Indians But Warlike Chief Has Not Surrendered

Henrietta, Okla., March 30—Up to 9 o'clock this morning no intelligence has been received in Henrietta, which is the nearest telegraph point to the scene of the explosion. The Crazy Snake had surrendered, and that the militia had engaged the Indians in battle. "Everything is quiet in the district surrounding Hickory Grounds," said Alexander General Ganton here this morning. "Telephone messages from the three towns in the trouble zone this morning, assure me that there was no trouble last night."

MONCTON NEWS

F. P. Reid Co., Receive Word of Overdue Schooner—The O'Brien Case—Less Drunkenness in Moncton

Moncton, N. B., March 30—(Special)—Word was received last night by the F. P. Reid Co. that the schooner, Banick, which had been overdue for several days, had been reported safe. Considerable anxiety had been felt as to the welfare of the vessel. Several Fredericton witnesses gave evidence this morning in the case of James O'Brien, a member of the Fredericton garrison, who was charged with theft. The Fredericton witnesses were all members of the garrison, and identified the man as having been seen in O'Brien's possession. The case will be continued this afternoon.

PROBATE COURT

Estate of William H. Charlton, of Lakeswood, in the Parish of Simonds, harness maker. Last will proved whereby deceased gives to his son, Everett C. Charlton his stock in trade, tools and machinery, or effects in connection with his business, but if the son at the time of the testator's death is not of age, or should not be old enough to continue the business, then the stock in trade to be sold, and the proceeds invested, and paid to the said son on his attaining the age of twenty-one years, he give all his other estate real and personal to his wife in trust to realize upon the same, and to pay to herself the income, and, if necessary, to take out of the corpus sufficient with the income to make up \$500 a year, and at her death the whole to be divided among his children. Real estate \$700. Personal estate, \$5,500. Jennie M. Charlton, the widow, is sworn executor. Mr. L. P. D. Tilley, in as Executrix. Mr. L. P. D. Tilley, in as Executrix. Mr. L. P. D. Tilley, in as Executrix.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

A TERRIBLE SHOCK. Mr. James Jones is suffering from a severe shock. Chairman Emerson, of the board, and Supt. Bridges were called in consultation on the case. It appears that James picked up a morning paper and read that "Canada is ready to fight for the empire," and that not only Sir Wilfrid Laurier, but Mr. Borden and all the followers of both shouted "Amen!"

YARMOUTH MAN BURNED TO DEATH IN BOSTON SHANTY

Harry E. Jenkins, Alias Henry E. Crosby, Found in a Shack with His Head Almost Burned Off—Richard H. Carroll Arrested and Held in \$2,000 Bonds, Pending An Investigation of the Case

Boston, March 30—(Special)—Richard H. Carroll was before Trial Justice Benjamin Hall in the Peabody court today and was held in \$2,000 bonds pending an investigation in connection with the death of Harry E. Jenkins, alias Henry E. Crosby, of Yarmouth, N. S., 40 years of age, who was burned to death in a shanty on Linfield street, Peabody, early yesterday. Chief of Police McLaughlin, Grady, after making an inquiry, caused the arrest of Carroll. Jenkins made the shanty, which was only ten feet square, his sleeping place, and was burned to death in the shanty. Carroll having lived with him there for some time. Yesterday morning two men passing saw the shanty in flames. They rushed in and found Jenkins on the floor with his head nearly burned off and his clothing badly burned. A beer keg and bottle were found in the structure. It is said that Jenkins was in the habit of

HALIFAX WOMAN DRINKS POISON

Mrs. William Cooley, Wife of Y. M. C. A. Janitor Drank Carboic Acid Today and Will Die

Halifax, N. S., March 30—(Special)—Shortly after twelve o'clock today, Mrs. Cooley, wife of Wm. Cooley, janitor at the Y. M. C. A. for the past fifteen years, attempted suicide by drinking carboic acid. Mrs. Cooley was found by one of her children, lying on her bed in agony, but a few minutes after she had left the kitchen. The terrified little one speedily gave the alarm and within fifteen minutes a physician had been summoned and administered to the woman was immediately taken to the hospital where, however, no hope of her recovery is entertained. Mrs. Cooley has shown such a lack of "bravery and mental balance" as to cause her family great anxiety and there is no doubt that the tragedy is the outcome of broken health.

WILL ALLOW CASTRO TO SET FOOT IN VENEZUELA

Bordeaux, France, March 30—A report is current here that Venezuela, at the last moment prior to the sailing of the steamer Guadalupe, on which ex-President Castro is a passenger, advised the French minister through its consul, that Senator Castro would be permitted to land on Venezuelan soil. According to the report Senator Castro has been notified to this effect. Paris, March 30—The French steampship company today confirmed the report of yesterday that the Venezuelan government had reconsidered its decision not to permit Cipriano Castro, the former president of the republic who is returning to land in Venezuela. Upon receiving official notification to this effect from Senator Castro, the Venezuelan commissioner in Bordeaux, the agent of the company at Santiaago, Spain, communicated the change to the captain of the Guadalupe, and to Castro. (Castro made no comment on the matter.)

ELEVATOR MAN SHOT BY PINKERTON DETECTIVE

New York, March 29—Frederick Johnson, 32 years old, an elevator man in 21th Avenue apartment house, was shot and killed tonight by Joseph Paris, a Pinkerton detective, during a hand-to-hand struggle in the elevator. The detective arrested Johnson for entering a flat which Paris had been watching. Paris had a finger of his left hand shot off in the fight and is in the Flower Hospital. Johnson readily submitted when detected, and the men started for the lower floor. Johnson managing the car. When the ninth floor was reached, Johnson attacked the detective, who drew his revolver and fired with fatal effect. Paris is a prisoner in the hospital on the technical charge of homicide.

ANOTHER OHIO COUNTY VOTES SALOONS OUT

Springfield, Ohio, March 29—With the highest vote in local history, Clark county today voted "dry" by eleven majority in the local option election. The total vote cast in the county was 17,881. The election affects 97 saloons in the county and three breweries. The excitement during the day was intense.

NEW YORK STOCKS

New York, March 30—Many of the most prominent speculative stocks started at prices unchanged from yesterday's closing and changes in all other cases at the opening of the market today were small and mixed but activity and breadth prevailed notwithstanding the narrow variations. New York, March 30—A rise of a point in St. Paul and later in the United States Steel did induced some sympathetic response but the general list met realizing sales on the advance which moved prices back again. American Woolen and New York, Chicago and St. Louis, rose 1/2, St. Louis, Northwestern and American Lumber and Leather did declined 1/4 and American Smelting and Colorado and Southern Second did 1/4. At noon the market was firm and dull. Bonds were irregular.

WESTON'S LONG WALK

Aged Pedestrian has Wrenched His Ankle, but is Still Keeping Up the Grind

Olean, N. Y., March 30—Suffering considerably from a wrenched ankle, Edward Weston arrived in Olean last night. He retired early and at three o'clock this morning started for Jamestown, 51 miles from here, where he expects to arrive tonight.

A PAIR OF KINGS

Madrid, March 30—King Alfonso has left for San Sebastian for an exchange of visits with King Edward, who is at Biarritz.

Absolutely Pure BAKING POWDER



Insures wholesome and delicious food for every day in every home

A Million a Minute

A Romance of Modern New York and Paris

By Hudson Douglas

(Continued) A cross-town car had fouled a liden wagon at Forty-second street...

But he had, what was probably more to the point, negotiable sight drafts for a very satisfactory sum.

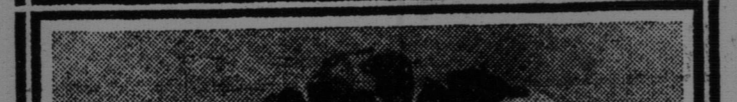
"I'd like to leave this with you too," he said carelessly to the banker, who smiled his eyebrows in quick surprise when he saw what the case contained.

"The cheque!" said he, and turned, as quickly as he might in the press, prodigally anxious to find out which way she had gone.

"Confound it!" he rapped out wrathfully. "I must be wrong in the head. It's long time now to moon over that machine."

Fashion Hint for Times Readers

A SMART HAT FOR A SIX YEAR OLD.



Very heavy Chivy lace edging wrinkling the edge forms the brim of this pretty hat, and the high crown is covered with folds and loops of white meshing ribbon.

The top of the crown is bordered with faint pink roses in the natural foil.

Just in front of a cluster of vivid blue forget-me-nots adds a very French touch.

of the charm of this child's hat is due to the big hair bows of pink and blue pompadour ribbon, which repeat the color tints in the flowers.

CITY COUNCIL HAD A FOUR HOUR SESSION YESTERDAY

Will Petition the Legislature Against the \$600 Exemption of Incomes—Assessment Passed at \$130,735—Grants Cut in Half and the Re-organization Committee Discharged

In a four hours' session yesterday, the common council disposed of most of the business on the agenda.

At 10 o'clock a petition was presented for the legislature against the \$600 exemption of incomes.

The water and sewerage board reported that the estimated cost of the water and sewerage works for 1910 would be \$1,000,000.

LOST HIS NERVE ONE OF THE PARKS EXPECTED TO BOOM

Either Rockwood or Seaside Park will become very popular this season.

"Until three years ago I was the picture of health—then I became what people call Neurasthenia. I grew sleepless, worried, lacked will power, felt great physical fatigue, experienced fears and felt always in danger of something unknown."

Only One "BROMO QUININE" and 5 Laxative Bromo Quinine & other on every Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days

A WINDFALL OF MILLIONS

Heiress to Great Fortune at 63—The Extraordinary Romance of Mrs. Elizabeth Bird, a Poor Northampton Woman

London, March 29—An extraordinary romance, as the result of which a woman in poor circumstances finds herself heiress to a great fortune, is revealed by investigation in connection with the following telegram from New York:

"The members of the family of the late Mr. Samuel H. Roebuck, the millionaire wire manufacturer of New York, threaten to sue Mrs. Elizabeth Bird, a poor Northampton woman, for a large sum of money."

Seven years ago, however, Mr. Roebuck communicated with his sister, Miss Roebuck, to give her the title and property of the late Mr. Samuel H. Roebuck.

Mrs. Bird had fifteen children. Ten are living, one of them being the champion swimmer of Northampton.

Mrs. Bird is now a widow, and has been living in the poor Northampton district for many years.

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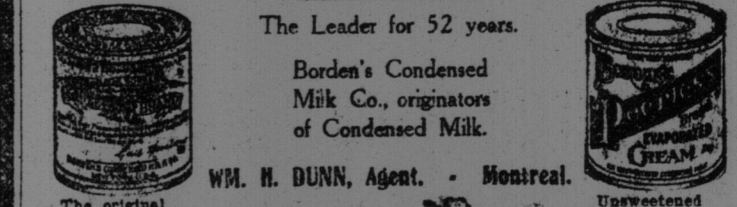
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ever shown in St. John or the Lower Provinces, representing the latest styles of the season from New York, London and Paris.

Call and See This Splendid Display.

The Marr Millinery Co.

Corner Union and Coburg Streets.

MRS. BOYLE MAY BE GIVEN HER FREEDOM

Woman in Whitla Kidnapping Case May Not Be Prosecuted

Mercer, Pa., March 29—The preliminary hearing and safe return to the Mercer jail of James H. Boyle and the rumor that his woman companion may entirely escape prosecution and soon regain her liberty, are the developments of the day in the Whitla kidnaping case.

GIRL ABDUCTED AIDED BY PRIVATE DETECTIVE, MOTHER CARRIES HER AWAY IN MOTOR CAR

Paris, March 29—The hearing of an extraordinary case of abduction was begun Saturday in the Ninth Correctional court. Mme. Basset, the wife of General Basset, a member of the Academy of Sciences and director of the conservatory at Nice, was charged with having carried off her own daughter by force and deprived her of her liberty. A private detective named Medard was charged with aiding and abetting the abduction.

EVERYTHING SHE ATE SEEMED A BURDEN TO CARRY. HAD STOMACH TROUBLE FOUR YEARS.

When your food has not been properly digested, your body has not received the nutriment it requires for its growth and maintenance, and you are likely to feel a burden to carry.

ONTARIO'S ESTIMATES SUPPLEMENTARIES OF \$417,917 Voted in the Provincial House Yesterday.

Toronto, March 29—(Special)—The provincial treasurer yesterday brought down a batch of supplementary estimates calling for an additional expenditure of \$417,917, the chief item is \$120,000 for a new hospital building.

PRESENTATION IN THE EVERY DAY CLUB

J. Wendell McCosh, Retiring Secretary, is Presented with an Address and Valuable Souvenir

COUGHS, COLDS BRONCHITIS CATARRHOZE--Just Breathe It

ALL HIS

PLEAS CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS

THE SPRING POST

THAT WOULD FIX HIM

Bliss—What would you do if you actually found a man under my bed? Stella—I'd drop my hat on him.

A Woman's Sympathy

Are you discouraged? Is your doctor's bill a heavy financial load? Is your pain a heavy physical burden?

ADmirAL DEAD

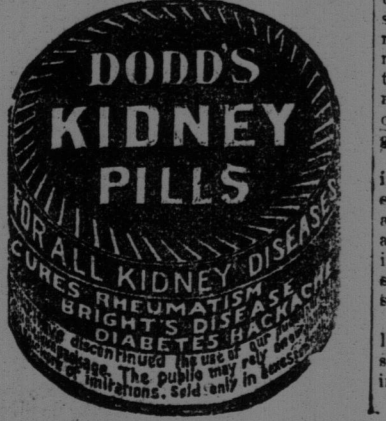
Washington, D. C. March 29—Rear Admiral George A. Converse died at his home here tonight of uremic poisoning.

THE GIRL POOLED HIM

Howell—Rowell married for money. Powell—Yes, and he didn't get enough to pay the minister.

PLEAS CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS

Pain of women, head pains, or any pain stopped in 20 minutes sure, with Dr. Shoop's Pink Pain Tablets. See full list of ailments in 25¢ box. Sold by all druggists.



DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

He caught sight of a well-known actress in her own and caught sight of her simultaneously.

(To be Continued.)

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

N. Y. STOCK MARKET

Table with columns for stock names, prices, and changes. Includes items like Am. Smelt & Rng., Am. Woolen, etc.

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London—Consols 84 5/8, Apr. 41 1/2, C. 74 1/2, U.S. 101 3/4, B.D. 112 3/4, CO 40, etc.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT: May Corn 1.19 1/2, May Wheat 1.19, etc.

STERLING EXCHANGE RATE: Cables 487.50, demand 487.12, sixty days 486, steady.

THE WINNIPEG WHEAT MARKET: The Ogilvie Flour Mills Co., Ltd., supply the following quotations of the Winnipeg wheat market—March, 113; May, 114 3/8; July, 115 3/4.

ENCOURAGEMENT IN RAILROAD EARNINGS: Those who look upon railroad gross earnings as a reliable barometer of business conditions may find much encouragement in recent reports.

ELECTRIFICATION OF C. P. R. LINES: C. P. R. Has Already Commenced to Use Electricity as a Motive Power in British Columbia.

SPRING FISHING NUMBER: The first sight of the fine cover of the excellent Spring (April) Fishing Number of Rod and Gun in Canada, published by H. W. Woodcock, Ont., will stir the blood of the thousands of fishermen throughout the Dominion and start them to work on the preparation of their tackle.

BIRTHS: In this city on March 29th, the wife of Mr. Sandring, a son.

INTERESTING ITEMS: "Maritime Rug Works," clean carpets promptly. Phone No. 1861.

DEATHS: McLAUGHLIN—In this city on March 29th, a young son, 8 years old, of Mrs. Wm. McLaughlin, leaving mother and sister.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS: FOR SALE—BLACK HORSE, WEIGHT 1200 lbs., 12 years old and sound.

FOR SALE—LADY STENOGRAPHER: I have a good New Brunswick girl, 20 years of age, who speaks English and French.

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SIR WILFRID LAURIER SAYS CANADA WILL BEGETTING SWING INTO LINE FOR NATIONAL EFFICE

In Stirring Address in House of Commons Premier Declares That British Supremacy is Necessary for Civilization and Peace

Canada Will Undertake the Defence of Her Coast and Build Her Own Navy—Willing to Make Any Sacrifice to Maintain the World Supremacy of the British Empire—The Last Man and the Last Dollar at the Service of Motherland

"I have no hesitation in saying that if the day should come when the supremacy of Britain on the high seas is challenged, it will be the duty of all the daughter nations to close around the old Motherland to ward off any attack. Should that day come I would deem it my duty to devote what is left of my life and energy to stump the country and impress upon my compatriots, especially in Quebec, the absolute certainty that the salvation of England is the salvation of our own country"—Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

Ottawa, March 29—In a crowded house, Canada's message of loyalty to the Empire was today voiced by the leader of both parties. The debate, which was maintained on a high level of eloquence and characterized by glowing interludes of sentiment, was opened by Hon. G. E. Foster, who moved a resolution declaring that the time had come when Canada should assume her share of the burden of imperial defence.

Mr. Laurier declared Canada had already done much for the defence, and was prepared to do more, but the principle of autonomy, which was the first object of the defence, Canada's policy was laid down at the imperial conference in 1902 and it had followed the lines of the declaration made at the imperial conference of 1907.

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SHIPPING

MINIATURE ALMANAC: 1909 Sun Tides March 30 4.13 4.44 4.50 2.29

VESSELS BOUND TO ST. JOHN: Athens, 20 Glasgow, March 27. Empress of Ireland, 20 Liverpool 24.

ARRIVED TODAY: Sunr Calvin Austin, 2883, Allan, from Boston, 27. Empress of Ireland, 20 Liverpool 24.

DOMINION PORTS: Liverpool, N. S., March 29—Artd. str. Empress of Ireland, 20 Liverpool 24.

FOREIGN PORTS: City Island, March 29—Artd. str. Empress of Ireland, 20 Liverpool 24.

RECENT CHARTERS: The following charters are announced by Steamship News in their weekly Bulletin.

SPOKEN BY WIRELESS: Prof. H. W. Wilson, 27—Signalled by wireless from Mount Temple (Br) Griffin.

DANGERS TO NAVIGATION: New York, March 29—Star Tribune, (Br) Griffin, reported March 29 at 4 P. M.

NOTICE TO MARINERS: Maine—Portland Head from the southward—The schooner, reported March 29 at 4 P. M.

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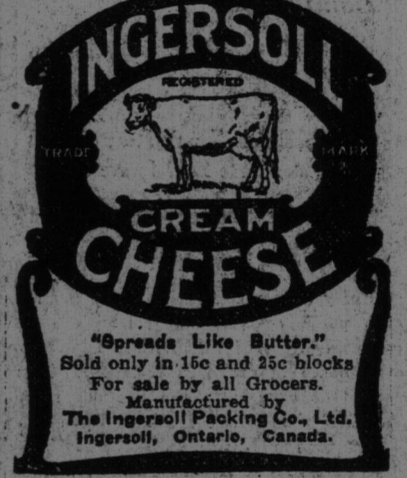
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CALL OF EMPIRE

Every citizen of Canada, every pupil in the public schools, should read the eloquent address of Sir Wilfrid Laurier in the house of commons yesterday. It is one that appeals to the patriotism and inspires the loftiest sentiments in the heart of the British subject.

The lofty spirit of yesterday's debate was worthy of the best traditions of the parliament of Canada. Mr. Foster and Mr. Borden refrained from any direct appeal to partisanship, and spoke as became the leaders of a great party; but it remained for the premier, speaking with all the authority of his high position, to strike the highest note, and in a speech that will become historic, set forth in words of splendid eloquence the sentiments and aspirations of the people of Canada.

Not in slavish fear, not in a moment of panic, not as the result of bargaining, but as the result of a settled purpose of a united people, the Canadian people will assume their due share of the burden of naval defence. Sir Wilfrid Laurier demanded the house that this was not a new question, but that in 1902, at the imperial conference, he and the other Canadian ministers declared the readiness of Canada to consider the question of co-operation.

They were making history at Ottawa yesterday. Throughout Canada today the people experience the thrill of patriotic fervor, and a deeper sense of the growing responsibility that rests upon this growing country. They respond with eagerness to the patriotic challenge conveyed in the noble words of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, which are the more notable coming from a citizen of French descent, but who is the foremost citizen of the greatest community of the Greater Britain overseas.

NAVAL DEFENCE The vote in the British house of commons yesterday does not mean that the government will halt in its naval programme. Mr. Balfour demanded that eight battleships of the Dreadnought class be laid down at once. The house decided to

lay down four, and leave the laying down of the other four discretionary with the government. Sir Edward Grey, foreign secretary, was unusually frank in his address, and left the opposition somewhat weak in argument. He declared that unless there was a cessation in naval armament Europe would become bankrupt, but so long as Germany pursued her present course England must be prepared for all eventualities. We quote a portion of the report of his momentous speech: "The speech of Sir Edward Grey had a reassuring effect. The foreign secretary did not attempt to minimize the seriousness of the situation created for Great Britain by the German naval programme, which he declared meant that when Germany had completed this programme she would have thirty-three Dreadnoughts, the most powerful fleet the world had ever seen, imposing upon Great Britain the necessity of rebuilding her fleet entirely. At the same time Sir Edward took the house more into his confidence than other members of the cabinet are in the habit of doing. He assured the house that the government had taken adequate steps to place British capabilities of construction beyond doubt. He then spoke of the progressive improvement in Anglo-German relations and said that in his opinion the only thing that could disturb these relations would be an attempt by either country to isolate the other, a thing which neither contemplated."

Sir Edward pointed out that Germany had given assurance that she would not accelerate her naval programme, and would only have thirteen Dreadnoughts in 1912, although four more would be in the trial stage six months earlier. With regard to British policy, he must accept the situation and be prepared to defend her national existence. Premier Asquith also declared that Germany must be met in this contest of naval armament, and the very strong stand taken by the government was so reassuring that the motion of want of confidence was defeated by a large majority. It must have been intensely gratifying to the people of the United Kingdom to learn that at the very moment parliament was discussing this crucial question the Canadian house of commons was putting itself on record in favor of a progressive naval programme in cooperation with the home government's policy.

CONCERNING HEROES Let us be decent. The Times, in connection with the story of the three young men whose visit to Fredericton has been the subject of so much comment, was misled into making several statements about their previous career which were afterwards found to have been incorrect. This paper promptly and unreservedly expressed its regret. The truth was had enough. But the fact of their visit to Fredericton, the drinking bout in which three young women figured, and the subsequent proceedings remain for public consideration. The young men, however, might now have been left to their own reflections, but for the manner of their return to the city and the untimely effort made to provide each of them with a halo. A morning paper announces in large type that "their popularity hasn't waned any" that they "were given a splendid reception," that the "gentlemen" "feel keenly their position."

This is surely pleasant reading for parents, and any other citizens who have any regard for the morals of the community. Boys who read of the "splendid reception" will not be encouraged thereby to tread the commonplace paths of sobriety and virtue, when such glory awaits them in the haunts of dissipation and loose morality. It would have been much better for the future of the young men in this case, as well as for the example to be set to the youth of St. John, if they had been made to feel on their return that they were anything but heroes in the estimation of any portion of the public. In contrast to the story of their reception the Times commends the remarks of the police magistrate of Fredericton in dismissing the case, and also the statement of the father of one of the young women.

FREIGHT WRECK ON THE B. AND A.

Two Trains Crash at Millinocket Station - Engineer Henry, of Houlton, Believed to be Killed

Millinocket, Me., March 29.—One of the most disastrous freight wrecks on the Bangor and Aroostook R. R. for some years occurred tonight a short distance above the station here, when a heavy southbound special freight struck a yard engine, meeting head-on. Engineer Vival Henry, of Houlton, on the freight, who jumped just before the crash came, is missing, and is believed to be buried beneath the wreck. The other trainmen escaped serious injury. The locomotives telescoped and are badly wrecked, while twenty cars were smashed. Scattered about a thousand bushels of potatoes, pressed hay and lumber over the yard.

MAIL POUCH STOLEN

Georgetown, Ky., March 29.—A mail pouch robbery in which the alleged thieves got probably more than \$50,000 in currency and checks, was made public today when the iron and charred leather of two pouches were found by a boy near the cause from which they had been taken.

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Looking from this vantage back, All has faded from the sight, Viewless lies the uncertain track In oblivion's night.

All to me was insecure, All to me was dark and dim, But the Pilot's way was sure And I trusted him.

Nearing port—the setting sun, Beckons from the dark'ning sea While the signal from the shore Faintly reaches me.

"Floyd D. Bates, in Boston Journal."

IN LIGHTER VEIN DRY FALL

"What are you doing with that cap on?" demanded the stern housewife as she took a fiercer grip on the non-complaisant hair.

"Why, mum," responded Griggs George, "I've dressed you like a queen, and I'm just as much as you are."

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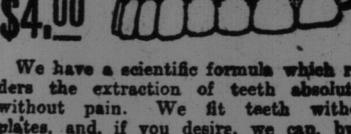
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MCKINNON DISMISSED AFTER SEVERE LECTURE FROM JUDGE

Magistrate Marsh Reluctant to Let Fredericton Case Drop—Sergt Major Duncan Issues a Statement

Gordon McKinnon, Fred Logan and Fred Kelly returned to the city from Fredericton last night. McKinnon was visibly affected, shuddering tears as he listened. Sergt. Major Duncan gave out the following statement: "Owing to the fact that the public are no doubt greatly interested in this unfortunate case, and that my attitude may be properly defined, I wish to make the following statements: 'First—For some time past my wife has been in failing health and is very much affected by the present unfortunate affair. My daughter's health is also in a very critical state, and I am not desirous of having her brought into court. 'Second—With a view to the unpleasantness it would cause to the fathers and mothers and families of others concerned particularly in this case, I have decided to withdraw the charge hoping at the same time that enough has come to the public eye to be a warning and safeguard to others in the future. 'Third—I blame my daughter for being in the company of these persons. Although sixteen years of age, she should have known better; but I am very happy to be able to state that prominent physicians whom I have called in were ready and willing to give sworn evidence that my daughter's innocence is unimpaired. 'I wish to thank those particularly concerned with the case, Mr. F. A. Guthrie who as my attorney took a deep interest in the matter, and all others concerned. 'Miss Duncan is gradually recovering her health and is now able to be about the house.'

A DARWIN NUMBER

The Popular Science Monthly for April is a memorial number in honor of Charles Darwin, the centenary of whose birth occurred on February 12. It contains articles on Darwin's life, work and influence by Dr. Henry Fairfield Osborn, president of the American Museum of Natural History; Charles F. Cox, president of the New York Academy of Sciences; Professor J. J. Stevenson, New York University; Dr. N. L. Britton, director of the New York Botanical Garden; Dr. H. C. Bumpus, director of the American Museum of Natural History; Professor I. H. Morgan, Columbia University; Professor W. M. Wheeler, Harvard University; Professor R. W. Menley, University of Michigan; and by Dr. Alfred Russel Wallace and Sir Joseph Hooker. The number is illustrated by nine full-page pictures of Darwin, and by a number of pictures of those intimately connected with his work.

HELPING OTHERS

Those who are always lamenting over their hardships and misfortunes with the statement that they cannot help them, might try helping other people by way of a change. That at least is always possible, and it is a process that reacts. When one can do nothing to further his own plans or carry out his own desires, he can still give a friendly, and helpful push to his neighbors interests, and so help to swell the sum of human happiness. 'Helping always brings happiness, and happiness always helps.'

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SIR WILFRED SAYS CANADA WILL BEGIN TO SWING INTO LINE FOR NAVAL DEFENCE

(Continued from page 3.)

"It has been, it shall be our unalterable determination to meet and to carry out every duty which is implied by the title of British subjects. No more, not only will Canada fulfil every obligation which is implied by that title but I think I can say that we will rise to every sacrifice that may be needed in order to maintain unimpaired the rank and status which is occupied by Canada in the British Empire, and the rank and status which is maintained by the British Empire throughout the world."

"But I may say, and I do not say it in reference to the speech we have just listened to, I may say that we are not to be carried away, we are not to be stampeded by the transitory events of the moment from what has been the settled policy and the deliberate course which we have laid down, by any hasty, feverish action, however spectacular such action may be. It behoves us as free men to look first at the situation calmly and deliberately to review the military side of the question to ascertain whether we should persist in the course we adopted long ago."

"Mr. Foster has told us, and I agree with him, that this question should be approached not only from the point of view of Canada but from the point of view of the British Empire at large. I agree with everything he has eloquently said with regard to the administration and devotion which every British subject, every Canadian, ought to hold in his heart for the British Empire."

"I agree that the greatest phenomenon recorded in the pages of history is the existence of the British Empire as it is at the moment. In its origin, perhaps, it may not have differed widely from other empires, but it is in its continuance and permanency that it is phenomenal. The empire of Rome, the empire of Alexander, the empire of Charlemagne, the empire of Napoleon were all built and maintained by force and the moment force gave way the empire fell to pieces."

"The empire of Great Britain has been founded less on war, than on discovery and on colonization, but wherever founded, in any part of the world, whether by force, or on discovery, or colonization it has been maintained only by the freewill and consent of the people who now acknowledge British supremacy."

"Today the British Empire is composed of a galaxy of young nations proud of their allegiance to the British crown, proud also of their local independence, and, though they may have a common aim, each reserves to itself the duty and the right to develop its own resources and to attain its aim according to its own views and by its own methods, which may be best suited for the circumstances of each."

"Now it may be said that defence, which is the duty of all nations, is a matter as to which there should be a common aspiration. Yes, I agree in that but at the same time the young daughter nations of England have insisted that even in the matter of defence they preserve in its entirety local autonomy and approach this subject each according to its own lights."

"Let us not disguise the fact from ourselves that at present there is a passing view in which we can trace anger, enthusiasm and fear and which may be called by some to force us to desert from our policy and to contribute at once to the British navy."

"Let us approach this question as it is, let us not blink at it in any way; let us realize that it is not the way in which in the past we have understood our duties. This question is not new. We are familiar with it. It is not of today or yesterday. I will not say it is as old as the hills, but it is as old as confederation itself and it comes to the front periodically. It presented itself in a concrete form at the imperial conference of 1902 to those who were there assembled from all parts of the empire, conferring with the government of the mother country."

"The proposition was placed before us that all the self-governing dominions of the British Empire should contribute to the army and to the navy. The Canadian ministers, who were present at the conference, did not view that proposal with any favor. They received it with respect but they declined to accept it and they presented their views in another form and stated what they were prepared to do so far as Canada was concerned."

These views on that occasion were stated in a paper which has often been questioned in this house. This is the statement:

"The Canadian ministers regret that they have been unable to assent to the suggestions made by Lord Selborne respecting the navy and by Mr. St. John Brodrick respecting the army. The ministers desire to point out that their objections are not so much from the incidents involved as from a belief that an important departure from the principle of colonial self-government, Canada values highly the measure of local independence which has been granted it from time to time by the imperial authorities and which has been so productive of beneficial results, both as respects the material progress of the country and the strengthening of the ties that bind it to the motherland, but while for these reasons the Canadian ministers are obliged to withhold their assent to the proposals of the admiralty and the war office, they fully appreciate the duty of the dominion as it advances in population and wealth to make a more liberal outlay for those necessary preparations of self-defence which every nation has a right to assume and bear. At present the Canadian expenditures for defence services are confined to the military side. The Canadian government are prepared to consider the naval side of defence as well. On the sea coast of every country there is a need of an early day a system may be devised which will lead to the training of these men to the making of their services available for defence in time of need."

"As I said a moment ago, the resolution which Mr. Foster has offered is not sufficiently explicit on this occasion and if it will permit I will permit it to be amended so as to include the following resolution:

"This house fully recognizes the glory of the people of Canada, as they increase in numbers and wealth, to assume in a larger measure the responsibilities of national defence."

"The house reaffirms the opinion repeatedly expressed by representatives of Canada that under the present constitutional relations between the mother country and the self-governing dominions the payment of any contribution to the imperial treasury for naval and military purposes would not, so far as Canada is concerned, be a satisfactory solution of the question of defence."

"The house has observed with satisfaction the relief afforded in recent years to the taxpayers of the United Kingdom through the assumption by the Canadian people of considerable military expenditure formerly charged on the imperial treasury."

"The house will cordially approve of any necessary expenditure designed to promote the organization of a Canadian naval service to co-operate with, and in close relation to, the imperial navy along the lines suggested by the admiralty at the last imperial conference, and in full sympathy with the view that the naval supremacy of Britain is essential to the security of commerce, the safety of the empire, and the peace of the world."

"The house expresses its firm conviction that whenever the need arises the Canadian people will be found ready and willing to make any sacrifice that is required to give the imperial authorities the most loyal and hearty co-operation in every movement for the maintenance and the honor of the British Empire."

"R. L. Borden, who followed, thought the criticism which Sir Wilfrid had applied to Mr. Foster's resolution, that it was too vague, might be applied to Sir Wilfrid's resolution. As to the constitutional aspect Mr. Borden said autonomy was rather a matter of unwritten law. Canada could give or withhold from the defence of the empire. Canada was doing her full duty and perhaps overdoing it in regard to military defence. Half the defence expenditure should go for naval purposes which was as important as land defence."

"As the premier suggested Canada's export trade was largely sea-borne, the proper line to proceed upon was to develop a Canadian naval force. Australia had adopted this policy. In providing an auxiliary fleet to work with the imperial force and by undertaking the defence of Canada's coast the dominion would be taking proper and necessary action for aiding in maintaining British supremacy; continuing the empire depended upon the supremacy of the British fleet."

"A desire by Canada to separate would almost precipitate dismemberment of the empire. In the main, he agreed with the resolution of Sir Wilfrid, but thought any resolution offered to the house should be so framed that it would find unanimous acceptance and be a message to the world that Canada is ready to back up Great Britain to the utmost in maintaining the supremacy of the empire. He suggested the omission of the second paragraph of Sir Wilfrid's resolution and would be better to say what Canada would do at the present juncture rather than what she would not do. Though he agreed in maintaining the principle of self-government it did not seem necessary to incorporate that declaration in the resolution. It might be well to omit the paragraph declaring what Canada had already done toward defence, as he thought it rather too trivial to bring to the notice of Great Britain. It would be better to follow the example of the first lord of the admiralty who in 1907, said Great Britain would be willing to defend the whole of the empire without asking contributions from the self-governing dominions but would be glad of voluntary assistance. The final clause of the resolution should be amended to make it clear that action looking to the commencement of a Canadian navy would be taken promptly. The statesman who introduced the motion, Mr. Brodrick, stated that formerly the British authorities £281,000 yearly to maintain fleets in colonial waters, but since the colonies had undertaken their own defence Britain had been able to withdraw vessels and the expenditure had been reduced to a little over £200,000 a year. The resolution was amended to meet in a measure the suggestion made by Mr. Borden. Instead of declaring that contributions to the imperial treasury for defence would not be a satisfactory solution of the problem of defence, it was changed to a declaration that it would not be the most satisfactory solution. Instead of declaring that the house would approve of expenditure designed to promote the organization of a Canadian naval service, it was declared that the 'separately' mentioned expenditure would be approved of. The clause stating what Canada had done for defence was dropped, and as amended the resolution was unanimously adopted at midnight."

CRAZED ITALIAN THREATENED TEDDY

Giuseppe Tosti a Steerage Passenger on S. S. Hamburg Had a Fancied Grievance Against Ex-President

New York, March 29.—Giuseppe Tosti, a steerage passenger on the Hamburg, is the man who threatened ex-President Roosevelt, according to a despatch from Havana to the World. The incident happened soon after the Hamburg was losing sight of America. Then Tosti broke from his companions in the steerage and started for the upper deck where Mr. Roosevelt was standing with his son Kermit. He has let them take away my child. Tosti is said to have shouted in English, 'Now he shall pay for it.' Sailors seized Tosti, quickly mastered him, carried him below and by the captain's orders, put him in irons. The incident, it is said, is only known to Mr. Roosevelt and a few of his fellow-passengers. Tosti refused to eat, crying, 'Roosevelt is trying to poison me.' The ship's doctor must now have all food offered to Tosti before he will eat it.

THE HOME PHYSICIAN

Some Hints to Keep People Well

Ninety-nine per cent of the ordinary sicknesses are caused by the bowels, the kidneys or the skin. As you know, these organs are the great purifiers of the human system. They filter impurities from the blood and pass them from the body. If the kidneys, bowels or skin weaken or get tired out or fail to do their regular work—then the blood becomes laden with impurities and poisons. If it is the fault of the skin, then the kidneys are strained by overwork and there is constant pain in the back, dizziness, neuralgia, headaches and rheumatism. If it is the fault of the bowels, the blood is poisoned, the skin and kidneys weakened, the stomach upset—and, of course, there is Constipation and Biliousness. How easy it is, then, to be free of all these troubles. "Fruit-a-tives" is not merely a remedy for any one of these troubles but a cure for all. "Fruit-a-tives" cleans the skin, the liver, and the kidneys. "Fruit-a-tives" keeps all these great organs well and strong, and thus insures you against all ailments pure and rich. "Fruit-a-tives" in the house to take at the first sign of not feeling well, you need not have a day's sickness. 50c a box, 6 for \$2.50, or trial box 25c. At dealers or from Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

NEW POSTMASTER WILL TAKE CHARGE OF OFFICE APRIL 1

Edward Sears will assume the duties of postmaster of the St. John office on Thursday morning next, when he will be sworn in by Dr. N. E. Colter, post office commissioner.

MINERS CHARGE DISCRIMINATION

The Dispute Between the Dominion Coal Co. and the United Mine Workers will Come Before Conciliation Board Today

Gloucester, N. S., March 30.—(Special)—The conciliation board in the trouble between the United Mine Workers of America and the Dominion Coal Company will likely begin its work today. The chief complaint of the United Mine Workers is discrimination on the part of the coal company. This charge is admitted by the company, who say they claim the right to favor the P. W. A. men, inasmuch as they are under contract with that organization. There are about one hundred and fifty witnesses who may be called for the mine workers. These men claim to be able to prove that each and all of them were dismissed solely because he was a member of the United Mine Workers' Union. "The only real reason in my opinion for favoring the P. W. A. men, inasmuch as they are under contract with that organization," said one of the leaders of the mine workers, "is whether the coal company was justified in dismissing our men for no cause than for joining the labor society other than the one chosen by most of our countrymen. Canada was discriminated against, hardly anyone denies. We intend to call the board, if in Canada, and give his receipts to the board, so that he can commence his duties at once on Thursday morning. T. B. Hamington, who will preside from office under supervision on Wednesday night, has been eighteen years in the position."

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ASQUITH IS ENDORSED BY AN ENORMOUS MAJORITY

The Want of Confidence Motion, on a Policy of a Greater Navy, Defeated by 353 to 135—Croyden Electors also Oppose It

London, March 29.—By a strict party vote of 353 to 135, the House of Commons tonight refused to express lack of confidence in the government's naval policy. The motion on which today's notable debate hinged, was proposed by Arthur Hamilton Lee, Conservative member of the House of Commons. It set forth that in the opinion of the house the declared policy of His Majesty's government respecting the immediate provision for battleships and cruisers was not a satisfactory solution of the question of defence. The result of the vote on the question was expected, but the debate preceding it was one of the most momentous the house has listened to for years. The assembly of diplomats and peers testified to its international as well as domestic importance. The leaders of both sides spoke in addition to several lesser lights. A. J. Balfour and Mr. Lee accused the cabinet of incompetency and demanded that eight Dreadnoughts be laid down immediately. Premier Asquith and Sir Edward Grey, secretary for foreign affairs, reproached their opponents for making a party question of the most vital matter of the country's foreign relations. London, March 29.—While the house of commons was debating the naval question today, the voters of the Croyden district convincingly registered their opinion by electing as member of parliament, Sir R. T. Hermon-Hodge, Conservative, who advocated the building of eight warships. His majority was decisive, the return being as follows: Sir R. T. Hermon-Hodge, 11,989; J. E. Raphael, Liberal, 8,041; Frank Smith, Laborite, 888. All the candidates had personally canvassed the entire constituency and for several days the district had been wrought up to a fierce pitch of excitement. The Conservatives looked for a big majority as a protest against the naval policy of the government.

CURE WAS QUICK AND COMPLETE

Dame Parents Heart Disease Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills

She Suffered for Two Years But Now Advises All Troubled as She Was to Give Dodd's Kidney Pills a Trial

St. Robert, Richelieu, Co., Que., March 29.—(Special)—"I recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills to my friends." These are the words of Dame Josephine D'Amico. And the good dame gives excellent reasons why she does so. "For two years," she says, "I suffered from Heart Disease, Headache, Backache and a dragging sensation across the joints. Seven boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills cured me. I hope all who are troubled as I was will give Dodd's Kidney Pills a trial. Some people may ask how Dodd's Kidney Pills, which are purely a Kidney remedy, can cure Heart Disease. And the answer is simple. Diseased Kidneys fail to drain the impurities out of the blood. If these impurities are left in the blood they will settle on the valves of the heart, and will act on the valves, causing disease. Pure Dodd's Kidney Pills make pure blood by putting the kidneys in condition to strain all the impurities out of it."

ARCHBISHOP'S ESTATE Including Life Insurance, the Late Archbishop Sweetman Let at \$20,000.

Toronto, Ont., March 29.—(Special)—Archbishop Sweetman left an estate of \$11,400, not including \$8,380 insurance which is not part of the estate, but passed direct to the widow. The estate is all personality and will be divided among the widow, Susanna, and the sons, John, Stanley and Charles and his daughters, Edith, Margaret Walter and Gladys Sweetman by Almon Lodge, L. O. C. G. It is to be fitted up as a gymnasium and reading room. The club will be known as the Millidgeville Young Men's Association and the following are officers:—Captain, Robert White, honorary president; Harley Knox, president; Ernest Giggly, vice-president; Robert White, secretary, and Arthur Codner, treasurer.

SCOTLAND'S FIRST BARON Lord Forbes, the Premier Baron of Scotland, who attained his eightieth birthday on the third instant, is the nineteenth holder of a title of considerable antiquity, dating as far back as 1442, when it was conferred on Sir Alexander Forbes, husband of Robert I.'s grand-daughter, who with a distinguished company had come down from the Scottish hills to lit against Lord Beaumont and a large array of English knights. Lord Forbes is the owner of a large estate, and a fine old castle at Aberdeen, but since his father's death he has seldom occupied Castle Forbes, residing chiefly in Edinburgh.

HE DIDN'T LIKE IT. Papa—If you're sick tell your mother. She'll give you sage advice. Little Willie—Yes, and sage tea, too, and I don't like it.

DR. PUGSLEY WANTS MORE INFORMATION

As to the Detailed Value of Harbor Facilities—Harbor Committee will Meet Today

A meeting of the harbor facilities committee has been called for 3 o'clock this afternoon, when the request will be considered. The report of S. A. Corbett and Adam McIntyre, recently submitted, placed an estimate of \$3,000,000 on the property, but a great deal of detailed information about private properties has not been obtained and will likely elicit considerably more labor.

TOOK HIS BREATH AWAY

A dapper little man was making his exit from the dining-room of a fashionable hotel when the head waiter stepped up to him, took him by the arm, and said, "I have tumbled over your little game, and I'm sorry to hear of it. You had your dinner here without paying." Sir exclaimed the little man, breaking loose from the waiter's grasp, and looking the official sternly in the face, "you are mistaken. It is the fifteenth." Before the waiter had recovered from the shock the man was in the next street.

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SUBMARINE PHOTOS After other photographers had failed for twenty years, an Eastern man, T. O. Bosen, has perfected an apparatus which has taken some remarkable submarine photographs of Santa Catalina Island California.

THE MILLIDGEVILLE Y. M. A. An athletic association has been formed at Millidgeville by the young men among the residents. The hall formerly occupied by Almon Lodge, L. O. C. G., is to be fitted up as a gymnasium and reading room. The club will be known as the Millidgeville Young Men's Association and the following are officers:—Captain, Robert White, honorary president; Harley Knox, president; Ernest Giggly, vice-president; Robert White, secretary, and Arthur Codner, treasurer.

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NEWS AND VIEWS OF SPORT

Attorneys for J. I. Finnigan, a St. Louis newspaper man, are reported to be preparing the necessary legal papers to compel Battling Nelson, the lightweight champion, to make an accounting of the proceeds of the book "Life, Battles and Careers of Battling Nelson." Finnigan claims that he and not the fighter is the author of the book and that he and Nelson were partners in the exploitation of the boxer's autobiography. This Nelson denies. He declares that Finnigan acted, as his biographer and typewriter and that while Finnigan wrote the book on the machine he did not originate it, Nelson says every sentence in the book was framed by him.

The Broncho, who was jugged all the past fall and winter, her work having been begun before her colt was weaned, is reported to be in wonderful fine fettle this spring, and it is said that she shows no signs of having lost her wonderful speed during her two years' retirement.

James B. Juvenal, the ex-champion sculler of Philadelphia, is to challenge Eddie Moran of Toronto, the American professional champion, for a race in July. Juvenal wants the race for \$500 a side, and suggests that the race be on either the Schuylkill or Delaware rivers, about the middle of July.

Another bright shining star of the hammer-throwing brigade is seriously thinking of giving up the game. John Flanagan, the Irish-American A. C. veteran, and many times a world's champion, finds that his appearance in the seven-foot circle this year will be few and far between.

"If I ever fight Johnston I will make him work his head off from the opening bell," Jeffries is reported to have said after having three rounds with Sam Berger on Sunday. "If I do fight it will be in San Francisco. No Australia or other remote part of the world for me. I think I can get in shape in four months or so, but if I find it out of the question I will not consider it a mistake. If I fight Johnston I want to be in my old-time condition, and if I am well, Jeffries concluded with a significant smile that carried with it a world of meaning.

Charles Stephenson, who has been for several years connected with the Harvard University crew as assistant coach, is considering an excellent offer to coach during the summer months at the Lachine Boat Club, just outside Montreal. This organization, with a \$50,000 club-house and grounds was formerly prominent in the city, but in recent years has taken no really active part in the game. It is now planned to place several crews in the water this year and to secure a competent man as coach.

Tommy Connell, at one time the greatest runner in America and the holder of the amateur mile record, is in the army engineer corps stationed at Nome, Alaska. Connell has never had an equal in America. Mile runners of late have received a lot of credit, notably Trude, for his splendid performance in the Madison square mile race of 4:15.34 made up of Connell at Travers Island, August, 26, refuses to give way to the best of them.

That record mile was run without pace, a track that was not as fast as any of the other tracks, and Connell wanted to postpone the attempt against time, "Count" Glavin, the coach, laugh and sent him after Father Time. Connell scarcely seemed to touch the ground as he jumped forward at the pistol crack. At the half it was certain he had the record at his mercy, and when about 100 yards from the wire, he tore off a terrific sprint, the crowd breaking into a roar, and the record finished apparently not the least tired.

A week before Connell had established a three-quarter mile record of 3:24.45, which mark also stands to this day. In winning he defeated Kilpatrick, Oregon, later and Remington. It has been conceded by critics that Connell being in the competition the day he established the present mile figure he could have run seconds faster. No man still has his best when not forced to do it. That same summer at Bergen Point, Connell ran one and one-half miles in 3:45, and one and three-quarter miles in 6:42.45, and neither performance has been equaled.

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JUDGE GREGORY'S RESIGNATION

APRIL 30th

Ill Health Causes Member of Supreme Court Judiciary to Retire From Bench—Many Named for His Place

Fredericton, N. B., March 29.—The report printed by the St. John Times, that Judge Gregory has tendered his resignation created little surprise here. It has been known for some time that his health has contemplated such a step, the state of his health making it impossible for him to continue his work. The Telegraph's correspondent undertook to get into communication with his honor this evening, but was unsuccessful. He called upon the judge when he was in the city, but the report, declined either to confirm or deny it. She said that her father's health had improved considerably, but he had not yet fully recovered from his recent illness.

The judge was recently granted three months' leave of absence on account of ill health. His son, Colonel Frank B. Gregory, who made him an extended visit, has returned to his home in Victoria (B. C.). While no direct confirmation of the report has been received, this evening it is known to be well founded. The name of J. H. Barry, K. C., is one of those mentioned as a probable successor of Judge Gregory.

Hon. George Frederick Gregory, K. C., the son of John Gregory, for many years connected with the education department of the province, was born in Fredericton on Aug. 31, 1830. He was educated at the collegiate school and the University of New Brunswick, studied law with the late Hon. John J. Fraser, was admitted an attorney on June 12th, 1863, and a barrister two years later. Soon afterwards he became a member of the law firm of Andrew G. Blair, afterwards minister of railways, and the firm of Gregory & Blair became known all over the province as comprising two of the ablest lawyers in the country. This partnership continued until 1887, and was succeeded by an appointment to the bench. Mr. Gregory had for a partner his brother, Albert J. Gregory.

Mr. Gregory's practice extended to all sections of the province, and he had to do with many of the important cases. He was most notable being the Traffic-Phillips murder trial at Amherst, twenty years ago, when he acted as counsel for the defendant.

He was created a K. C. by the Earl of Aberdeen in 1881. He was for a time a member of the executive council of the Canadian Bar Association.

Mr. Gregory was mayor of Fredericton from 1899 until 1878, and was again elected in 1880, in all eight years, and rendered excellent service to his native city in that capacity.

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A HAMILTON MIRACLE Gin Pills Save a Hamilton Man's Life

Remarkable Story of How Gin Pills Restored to Health and Strength a Man Dying of Bladder Trouble When Everything Else Had Failed

WRITE FOR FREE TRIAL BOX

For more than a year, Mr. John Herman, 513 James St. Hamilton, was a puzzle to the best physicians in that city. The poor man suffered agonies. Doctors said it was bladder trouble. Inflammation of the bladder," they called it. Unfortunately for Mr. Herman, all the doctors for bladder trouble did him no good.

The doctors helped him a little when he was dressing about the bed in tedious agony. They succeeded in easing the pain and getting him up and about, but as soon as he went to work, there was another cruel attack of pain, worse than that.

Only two and a half boxes of GIN PILLS—at a cost of 50 cents per box—did for Mr. Herman what all the doctors in the big city of Hamilton could not do—they cured him.

The National Drug & Chemical Company (who prepare GIN PILLS) have known about this cure of Mr. Herman for three years. But they wanted to be sure that Mr. Herman's cure was permanent before placing the facts before the public.



JOHN HERMAN

For over a year I continued to get worse, and my doctors could do nothing to relieve or cure me. My case seemed hopeless until my wife took me one day what Gin Pills had done for

others, and sent for a box to try and see if they could help me. From the very first, I noticed and felt that Gin Pills were doing me good. The pain was relieved at once and the attacks began to come at longer intervals, and hope that perhaps I might be cured, returned to me once more.

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Why Am I Ill? How to Tell. Does every cold affect your back, and cause a feeling of chilliness, followed by stiffness of the kidney action?

Whatsoever you do, whatever you think your disease is, look well to your kidneys. The first sign of anything wrong. Give them just the aid they require in Doan's Kidney Pills, the Great Quaker Kidney Pills, and see how well and fit you feel or even a few doses.

WIRELESS MAKES ANOTHER RECORD

Messages Have Been Exchanged Between Port Moresby, C. B., and Paris.

Halifax, N. S., March 30.—(Special)—During the past month the Marconi wireless station at Port Moresby, C. B., has on several occasions been in communication with the French government station in Eiffel tower, Paris, France.

The bill authorizing the city of St. John to proceed with the repairs to the Marsh bridge, the cost to be met one-third by the province of New Brunswick, and the remaining two-thirds by the city of St. John passed the committee.

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ARRESTED AT KENORA ON CHARGE OF THEFT John V. Rawlins, Whose Trunks Were Seized Here, is Charged with Stealing \$1,370

Kenora, Ont., March 29.—John V. Rawlins, a salesman in the employ of George Dewey, retail liquor store, was charged with having stolen goods and money to the value of \$1,370. Rawlins had purchased a ticket for Liverpool and had all preparations for departure on the ship when the arrest was made, and will be detained here pending a search of his trunks now held at St. John, N. B.

MANY CHANGES IN JUDICATURE ACT

New Act Provides for Six Judges Instead of Seven and Four of Them Must Live in St. John

Fredericton, N. B., March 29.—There was a slim attendance at the house today, but considerable business was transacted. Hon. Mr. Hazen brought down the Judiciary Act, which he briefly explained. The act differs from that adopted three years ago, but the change was accepted without question by the legal members of the opposition, who, however, express some doubt as to the power of the legislature to fix the residence of judges.

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WISE KID. Maunna—I gave you a nickel yesterday to be good, and today you are just as bad as you can be. Robby—I know, but I'm trying to show you that you got your money's worth yesterday.

THE BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA BALANCE SHEET, 31st DECEMBER, 1908

Table with financial data: To Capital, 4,506,666; To Reserve Fund, 2,433,333; To Deposits and Current Accounts, 2,835,820; To Bills Payable and other Liabilities, including Provisions, 6,875,572; To Reserve Account, 59,800; To Liability under Guarantees, in respect of which no claim is anticipated, 200,000; To Do, 200,000; Total, 16,840,191.

MAY REVOLUTIONIZE WOOD PULP INDUSTRY

University of Minnesota Chemist Said to Have Made Discovery That Will Increase Output 100-fold

Minneapolis, Minn., March 27.—A method which Dean George D. Frankfurter of the College of Chemistry of the University of Minnesota, said today he had discovered, and by which it is claimed that the United States will produce a hundred times as much wood pulp paper as was believed possible, is causing interested discussion here.

Dr. Frankfurter says he experimented for twelve years. He describes the perfected process as placing small pieces of waste wood or sawdust on a steel incline over a furnace and forcing distillation of the waste wood by saturating it with carbon disulphide or gasoline, thus causing the turpentine and resin to pass off as gases and leaving wood pulp free from pitch and perfectly adapted to the manufacture of paper.

NOTE A NIBBLE. Second Fisherman—Any luck? First Fisherman—None. Guess these fish must be abstaining from worms and such things during Lent.

THE BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA BALANCE SHEET, 31st DECEMBER, 1908 (continued)

By Cash and Specie at Bankers and in hand, 50,000,315.65; By Cash at Call and short notice, 2,124,994.37; By Investments—Consols £200,000 at 93, 11,222,917.50; National War Loan, £200,000 at 90, 219,000.00; Dominion of Canada Bonds £195,000 at 93, 181,425.00; Other Investments, 477,719.29; By Bills Receivable, Loans on Security, and other Accounts, 2,522,299.78; By Bank Premises, etc., in London and at the Branches, 28,248,471.96; By Deposit with Bondholders required by Act of Parliament for Security of general Bank Note Circulation, 116,835.00; Total, 116,840,191.00.

DOWLING BROS. The Largest Retail Distributors of Ladies' Coats, Jackets and House Waists in the Maritime Provinces.

Correct Styles in Ladies' New Spring Coats and Costumes

We have just received a large shipment of Ladies' New Spring Coats, and also a limited number of very Stylish Suits, all representing the newest productions of New York's best designers.

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DYKEMAN'S Cashmere Hose Two Big Bargains

No. 1 lot consists of English Cashmere Hose, in ladies' sizes, both black and colored, ribbed and plain, which are placed on sale at 29 CENTS A PAIR.

No. 2 lot consists of Children's Cashmere Hose, in the following sizes, only 6, 6 1/2, 7 and 7 1/2, 17 1/2 CENTS A PAIR, regular price 30 cents.

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English and American Style of Superior Quality. We have the largest and most complete stock in the city to select from.



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THIS EVENING

Myrtle-Harder Co. at the Opera House, in 'The Bower Queen.' Bennett, in Harry Lauder's songs at the Nickel.

LATE LOCALS

There are now at Sand Point six steamships loading and discharging cargoes, as follows:—Victorian, for Liverpool; Sardinian, for London and Havre; Cassandra, for Glasgow; Lake Champlain, for Liverpool; Manchester Mariner, for Manchester and the Montreal for London and Havre.

The small bay steamer Brunswick, Captain Potter, arrived in port yesterday from Canning to disembark passengers; after which she will go into commission and ply between this port and Canning, Wolfville and other Nova Scotia ports.

Comfort and fit are the main features of the 'Bias Filled Coats' which do not break as easily as the straight filled coats.

A dramatic and musical entertainment of exceptional merit will be given in the Every Day Club hall on Thursday evening by the Boston College Girls.

It was stated last night that the difference between the Charlotte coastwise owners and Weir Fishermen's Union and sardine packers of Eastport had been satisfactorily settled.

Mrs. William H. Bustin will continue in charge of the Lansdowne Hotel, King Square, which has been so efficiently conducted by the late Mr. Bustin for some years.

No. 3 Company, 3rd Regiment C. G. A. will hold their annual dinner in the Park Hotel this evening at 8 o'clock.

POLICE COURT

Joseph Riley, Before the Court on a Charge of Selling Liquor Without License

Before Judge Ritchie this morning Joseph Riley was charged with unlawfully selling liquor on Saturday night. Riley who was represented by E. S. Ritchie, pleaded not guilty, and Frank Hayes was sworn in as a witness.

Contrary to the statement of Patrolman McCollom, he considered that he was not excessively intoxicated when taken into custody at the corner of Richmond and Braselton street.

Charles Cain beatified the police this morning for refusing to honor one of his whims. He was anxious to consult with a lawyer in the cell in the police station, but his demands were not gratified.

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ST. JOHN SECTION FIRST IN ALL CANADA

The Local Section of the Canadian Army Signal Corps Wins First Place—Something About an Important Department of the Canadian Army

A branch of the Canadian military force, in which the St. John representative has the honor of 'showing the way' to all other units in the Dominion, is the Canadian Army Signal Corps.

Major Bruce Carruthers, of Ottawa, who is in charge of the signalling department of the Canadian army, has just communicated to Col. G. Rolt White, officer commanding in this district, the information that No. 8 section of the Canadian Army Signal Corps, located in St. John, has captured first place among all the signallers in Canada.

No. 8 section is under the command of Lieut. H. E. Fishby, and consists of eight officers and men. There are three such sections in the maritime provinces, at St. John, Halifax and Charlottetown respectively.

The value of a well trained and equipped signal corps has also been proven at Camp Sussex, where conditions were made to approach as nearly as possible the conditions obtaining in an actual campaign.

The members of the Signal Corps have proved of great service as inspectors and instructors in signalling to the signal staff of the different regiments. There are five signallers attached to each battery of artillery, and ten to each infantry regiment.

A signalling school will be opened in St. John in May, and although arrangements are not completed it will probably be located in the rooms of the Army Medical Corps.

The St. John 'vinegar' case which has been dragging along for three months came up before Magistrate Dibble today and after a heated argument between the counsel.

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- GLOVES—Spring weights, Deat's Perlin's, Reymier's Cape, Glace and Suede Leathers. Also the popular washable leather. Gloves in all the newest shades. Our \$1.00 values, unequalled. In two weights. Real Cape and Fine Lambkin. HALF HOSE—Plain Colored Cashmere, newest shades, colored silk embroidered and clocked. Special value. Pair 25c, 3 PAIR 75c. Fancy Cotton and Lisle Thread. Newest Colors and Designs. Pair, 25c to 60c. LATE COLLAR STYLES—Pure Linen, perfect fitting bands. Each 20c. 3 for 50c. Men's Furnishings Dept.

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