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BRIBERY CHARGE; 5 INDICTED

Three Ohio Senators and Two Representatives Must Answer

GO-BETWEEN, TOO

Sergeant-at-Arms Makes Number Six—Four Sisters, All Widows of Engineers Killed in Railroad Wrecks, Meet at Funeral

(Canadian Press)

Columbus, Ohio, May 4.—Three state senators and two representatives were included in bribery indictments returned last night by the grand jury which has been engaged in investigating corruption in the assembly.

The senators are Isaac Hoffman, of Butler County; L. Band Andrews, of Lawrence County; and George K. Cotone, of Montgomery County. The representatives are: Dr. Geo. B. Nye, of Pike County, and A. C. Lowery, of Lawrence County.

One indictment was returned against each, charging the solicitation of bribes. In addition, Rodney Giege, of Erie County, sergeant-at-arms in the senate, and alleged go-between in negotiations with senators, was indicted with the senators for aiding and abetting in the bribe solicitation.

All the indicted men appeared at the court house soon after the bills were returned and furnished bonds.

Huntington, W. Va., May 4.—Four sisters, all widows of railroad engineers killed in wrecks, will meet at the funeral of Engineer Thomas Pletcher, of this city, who was killed in a wreck on the Chesapeake & Ohio Road near Thurmond last Tuesday. Mr. Pletcher was one of four engineers who married four sisters, the Misses Gardner.

Each victim met death in his cab, each was the engineer of a fast express train and the fireman of each was killed with them, although no passengers were hurt.

Chatham Ferry TIE UP; BOAT NOT RUNNING TODAY

(Special to Times.) Chatham, N. B., May 4.—The situation regarding ferry matters has become somewhat serious since the Navigation Company announced they could not continue the service without an increase in tolls.

Having failed in an application to the government for a larger subsidy, on Monday they served the town of Chatham with a notice of increase in tolls. The council promptly turned this down, and instructed the company to run the ferry at the same schedule and at the same rates as hitherto, pending further arrangements.

Yesterday the company published a notice that the ferry would cease running last night, and it is not at work today. The council met last night, considered the situation, and decided to serve notice on the company that, unless the tolls were at once removed, a penalty of \$20 for each trip missed, as provided by by-law, would be enforced. This was done this morning.

The council is also said to be willing to give the company every assistance in its power.

Rusie an Umpire Seattle, Wn., May 4.—(Canadian Press)—Amos Rusie, formerly star pitcher of the New York Giants has signed as an umpire in the Northwestern League.

WEATHER BULLETIN Issued by authority of the department of Marine and Fisheries. R. F. Stupart, director of meteorological service.

9 A. M. WEATHER REPORTS. Temperature Past 24 Hours. Max Min Dir Vel.

Toronto... 42 39 N.W. 14 Clear Montreal... 38 28 W. 16 Clear

Forecast—West to northwest winds, fresh to strong; fair today and on Friday, and comparatively cool.

Local Weather Report At Noon May 4, 1911. Highest temperature during last 24 hrs 42. Lowest temperature during last 24 hrs 31.

Wind at noon: Direction, W. Velocity, 24 miles per hour. Fine.

Same place last year: Highest temperature, 45; lowest, 28. Rain.

RUNS AWAY WITH WIFE OF MINISTER

Choir Singer and Mrs. A. P. Kennedy of Niagara Falls Church go Away Together

(Special to Times)

Niagara Falls, Ont., May 4.—A sensation was caused through the city last night when it was reported that Mrs. A. P. Kennedy had left with Albert Seagrave, a young Englishman, for parts unknown. Seagrave had been a resident of the city for some time. He sang in the choir of the Baptist church, of which the woman's husband had been pastor for a number of years. It was reported that Seagrave and Mrs. Kennedy had been seen boarding a train together on Tuesday night. Rev. Mr. Kennedy said the story was true.

TWO DROWN IN COLLIERY AT GLACE BAY

(Special to Times.)

Glace Bay, N. S., May 4.—Another fatal accident occurred this morning when two miners of Dominion No. 12 colliery—Frank Groves and James Hamilton—lost their lives by drowning while at their work in the mine. They were both well known miners in the district.

The men were driving a cross cut directly above which there was a small ledge of water. While driving their picks into the wall, one of the men broke through into the water reservoir and there was a miniature flood which engulfed the men.

An inquest is being held. Frank Groves who was 38 years of age, leaves a wife and five children; Hamilton was 48 and leaves a wife and family in the old country.

HOW THEY STAND IN THE FIFTEEN TEAM BOWLING LEAGUE

Interest is being manifested in the bowling league on the Victoria Bowling alley, with fifteen teams vying for the highest value has been offered for competition for the highest team standing, and the highest total.

Stands highest in the list of those scoring for single string honors, having 113 to his credit, while Kelly leads the three string competition with 289. The Royals are in first place for highest three strings in team work, having rolled up 1264, but they are just one pin ahead of the Sweeps with 1263.

The standing in the league is as follows: Special... Won Lost. Pctg.

Red Sox... 1 0 100% Sweeps... 1 0 100%

Royals... 1 0 100% Parsars... 1 0 100%

Dark Horses... 0 1 0% Dubs... 0 1 0%

Beacons... 0 1 0% Stars... 0 1 0%

Athletics... 0 1 0% Dark Horses... 0 1 0%

The Dark Horses will play their first game tomorrow evening when they will meet the Specials at 8:30. The Regulars and Red Sox will roll at 8 o'clock.

BALLOONISTS WELL OUT OF A VERY BAD FIX

Dittelfeld, Prussian Saxony, May 4.—(Canadian Press)—The dirigible balloon Parseval, on returning with a party of officers of the army and government officials from Leipzig last evening was about to land when the motor broke down and the airship swept away to the northwest, driven by a strong wind.

New York, May 4.—A cable from London says one of the eighteen balloons of Great Britain's first naval airship, which contained 40,000 cubic feet of hydrogen, broke away yesterday while being inflated. A huge rent was made in the cover, and all the gas escaped. It is thought the damage can be repaired in a few days, but the hydrogen must be obtained from Amsterdam, involving a delay of a fortnight. Consequently it is feared the airship will not be ready to make its first flight until the end of the month.

It is doubtful if the airship will be ready to fly over the fleet assembled at Spithead for the coronation review.

FEDERALS LOSE 50 MEN IN BATTLE

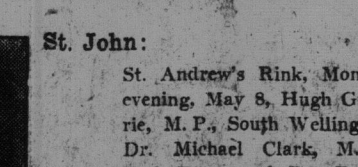
(Canadian Press) Presidio, Texas, May 4.—Fifty federal soldiers were killed yesterday in the battle of El Guato between the rebel forces besieging the city of Ojinaga and the column of government troops under Col. Gordillo marching to the relief of the beleaguered city.

The insurgents were defeated after a six hours battle and the leader, General Jose De la Cruz Sanchez, was wounded. The insurgents retreated to the town of Muro, an insurgent stronghold, twenty-five miles distant. Gordillo entered the city last night with 500 soldiers and two field guns. For nearly eight weeks the federal forces under Gonzalo Lake have been besieged by Sanchez at Ojinaga.

THE RECIPROCITY MEETINGS AND NOTED MEN WHO WILL SPEAK



DR. NEELY, M. P., Humboldt, Sask.



HUGH GUTHRIE, K. C., M. P.



DR. MICHAEL CLARK, M. P.

St. John: St. Andrew's Rink, Monday evening, May 8, High Guthrie, M. P., South Wellington, Dr. Michael Clark, M. P., Red Deer, and Dr. D. B. Neely, M. P., Humboldt, (Sask.), and other speakers.

Woodstock: Opera House, Tuesday evening, May 9, Hugh Guthrie, M. P., and P. B. Carvell, M. P., and other speakers.

Sussex: Saturday evening, May 6, Hugh Guthrie, M. P., Dr. Neely, M. P., and Dr. D. H. McAllister, M. P.

Fredricton: Opera House, Saturday evening, May 6, Dr. Michael Clark, M. P., and other speakers.

THE VISITING SPEAKERS of South Wellington, whose striking speech on reciprocity in the House of Commons some weeks ago was one of the outstanding features of the debate, is one of the strong men of the Liberal Party. He was elected to the House of Commons first in 1900 and has been re-elected at each election since. His constituency is South Wellington, which was represented by his father before him.

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DEATH TO ONE; LITTLE INJURY TO ANOTHER

Telegraph Wire Kills James Duffy But Only Burns Corbit's Hands

Albany, N. Y., May 4.—(Canadian Press)—Trying to get a fallen telegraph wire out of the way of passing horses in Green Island yesterday, James Duffy, a farm laborer, was electrocuted.

DIRECT ELECTION TO UNITED STATES SENATE

Resolution Will Have Attention Pending Canadian Reciprocity Discussion in Committee

Washington, May 4.—(Canadian Press)—The senate met today for the first time since Monday. Senator Borah in charge of the fight for the direct election of senators, had announced that he would today endeavor to have the resolution embodying that legislation made the unfinished business of the senate.

BOXING ALLOWED BUT IT MUST BE "ON SQUARE"

Chicago Mayor and Police Chief Announce Decision—Bout in Oakland

Chicago, May 4.—(Canadian Press)—Mayor Carter H. Harrison and Chief of Police McSweeney yesterday put the stamp of approval on boxing in Chicago provided the bouts were "on square."

ARRESTED AS SPY

Parisian Woman Gives Germans Rather Romantic Excuse

(Canadian Press) Cologne, Germany, May 4.—(Canadian Press)—Madelonische Thiron, an attractive Parisian resident here, was arrested yesterday charged with being a spy and obtaining the secret mobilization plans of the German army from an army officer.

PEOPLE OF NOTE

Times' Gallery of Men and Women of Prominence

D. D. McKenzie Member of parliament for north Cape Breton and Victoria

REDMOND AND BALFOUR SHAKE HANDS; FIRST TIME IN 20 YEARS

(Canadian Press) London, May 4.—The presentation of the Order of Merit to Mr. Redmond by members of parliament, in honor of their silver wedding anniversary yesterday led to an interesting scene in the lobby.

RETURNS HOME TO FIND BRIDE MURDERED

New York Woman Lay in Pool of Blood—Man Seen Creeping Through Yard

(Canadian Press)

New York, May 4.—Stephen Mulhler, janitor of an uptown apartment house, returned home from his work last night to find his wife Annie lying dead in a pool of blood in the basement of the building. The woman, a bride of three months, apparently had put up a terrific struggle for life, as the furniture was thrown out of place and tufts of her hair, torn out by the roots, were scattered over the floor. A bloody knife was found in the open drawer of a cupboard a few feet away from the body.

DIAZ MUST MAKE CHOICE AND AT ONCE

Ask United States to Restore Order or Give in To Rebels

(Canadian Press)

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NO DANGER OF ILL FEELING BETWEEN CANADA AND STATES

Neither Between John Bull and Uncle Sam, Says Ambassador Bryce in Ottawa

(Canadian Press)

Ottawa, Ont., May 4.—"There is no serious danger of any ill feeling between Canada and the United States or between Great Britain and the United States. It is not on that account that the present Anglo-American peace movement has been launched, but rather on account of a desire of its originators to set an example to the rest of the world, which will ultimately result in the abolition of war."

DEMANDS FROM BERLIN AND MADRID, MARCH OF INSURRECTS AND WEAKNESS OF MINISTRY MAKE ACTION NECESSARY—THE PEACE NEGOTIATIONS MEANWHILE

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INSURRECTION ENDED

(Canadian Press) London, May 4.—(Canadian Press)—A special despatch from Hong Kong says that the insurrection in Canton is ended and that there is no fear of a renewal of the rioting.

HAS HEART IN COURT

Trial of Mrs. Dodge on Charge of Murdering Wm. Heath Marked by a Realistic Session—Impossible, Says Doctor, That He Could Have Shot Himself

(Canadian Press) Guidhall, Vt., May 4.—That William Heath was the man who was shot in a coach and remained outwardly calm when Dr. Stone unwrapped the heart and started one or two of the farmers in the jury box.

AUSTRALIA FEARS ORIENT, SAYS PREMIER

(Canadian Press) Victoria, B. C., May 4.—(Canadian Press)—That Australia fears the Orient is the opinion expressed by Frank Wilson, premier of Western Australia, who arrived yesterday by the steamer Zealandia en route to London to attend the coronation.

CHANCE FOR WUN LUNG

It is rumored that the ferry steamer Wun Lung may be purchased by a syndicate and placed on the St. John river route. A few more competitors are said to be needed on the river, in order that lawless and threats of levies may cease to afford entertainment to the public and dividends to the stockholders.

THE TIMES' NEW REPORTER

A GRAVE SCANDAL. Ottawa, May 4.—A sensation was sprung in parliament today when a Conservative member rose in his place and declared that he had received information to the effect that every member of the government had a bank account. He asked for a committee of enquiry to learn—

THE WEATHER

There will be a warm wave in the maritime provinces in July. In the meantime artificial heat can be got on the usual terms. Ask your dealer.

"Have you tried the new chewing gum with the mint flavor?"



"Yes it's the most fascinating and refreshing flavor I ever tasted. It has whitened my teeth, perfumed my breath, and helped my digestion!"

Look for the spear The flavor lasts

Made in Toronto, Canada. Your dealer should sell it.

JUST FOUR MORE DAYS OF OUR BIG ANNIVERSARY SALE OF SILK RIBBONS

JEWELRY AND BARETTES. The seasons latest... MARR'S The House Famed for Millinery 1, 3, AND 5 CHARLOTTE ST.

SHIPPING

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, MAY 4. Sun Rises... 5.14 Sun Sets... 7.27 High Tide... 3.45 Low Tide... 10.38

HAIR HEALTH

If You Have Scalp or Hair Trouble Take Advantage of This Offer. I could not afford to so strongly endorse...

The Evening Chit-Chat

By RUTH CAMERON

In a little town in Massachusetts a suit has recently been instituted to compel the three sons of an old man who is now in the poorhouse, to pay for his support...

Arrived ship McDonald, Captain Robert Stevenson, from Greenock with emigrants...

Well, Miss Cameron, my blood just boiled. I told her they had obtained money under false pretences and could be compelled to take care of her...

QUEBEC'S NEW GOVERNOR

Sir Francois Langlois, Chief Justice of the Superior Court of Quebec, is to be lieutenant-governor to succeed the late Sir A. P. Pelletier.

Give This to Rheumatics

Those victims of dull rheumatism who feel their case is hopeless should not despair if they have never tried this successful formula...

THE SCOTCH IN MAKING OF CANADA

Well Depicted by Frescoes in The Scottish National Exhibition

THE PROVINCES

First Lumberman Cutting Masts for British Navy is Subject Representative of New Brunswick-Nova Scotia is Landing of Settlers in 1773

London, May 4.—How largely Scotland has contributed in men to the building of Canada will be illustrated admirably in Glasgow when the Scottish National Exhibition is opened.

Nova Scotia

Nova Scotia's early connection with the land of heather is represented by the landing of Scottish settlers from the brig "Hector" in 1773.

One curious condition attached to grants by the government to early settlers was that they must plant within ten years from the date of the grant one rood of every thousand acres with hemp and mustard...

New Brunswick

New Brunswick is represented by William Davidson, the first lumberman in Canada, cutting masts for the British navy.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought bears the Signature of J. C. Watson.

GREAT VALUES IN MEN'S SPRING AND SUMMER UNDERWEAR

AT CORBET'S 196 Union Street

Good Things in House Furnishings

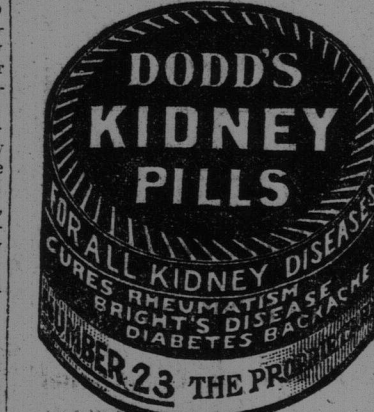
S. L. MARCUS & CO., 166 UNION ST. "Our easy payment plan" has proven an agreeable and pleasant surprise...

THE FREE KINDERGARTEN

"If you make children happy now, you will make them happy twenty years hence by the memory of it."

He Want's a Wife

(Fredericton Mail.) The following communication lately received at The Mail office is self-explanatory:



A Great Value In Men's Working Shirts

A Heavy Duck Shirt 38c. Black and White Stripe. Extra Heavy Shirts at 48c, 58c and 65c.

N. J. LAHOOD

282 Brussel Street Corner Hanover

Special Sale on Men's Suits

Men's Worsteds Suits worth \$15 for \$12.00. Men's Worsteds Suits worth \$12 for \$9.98. Men's Tweed Suits worth \$10 for \$7.50. Men's Tweed Suits worth \$8 for \$5.98.

WILCOX'S Market Square

A GOOD PLACE TO BUY GOOD CLOTHES
A Spring Suit You Will Like
is included in the line we are selling at \$16 to \$20. The fabrics are the most correct effects in Cheviots and Worsted, including the most modish shades of brown and grey.

Gilmour's - 68 King St.

COMMERCIAL
NEW YORK STOCK MARKET
Quotations furnished by private wires of J. C. Mackintosh & Co. (Members Montreal Stock Exchange), 111 Prince William street, St. John, N. B. (Chubb's corner) Thursday, May 4, 1911.

HALF PRICE SALE OF SPRING CORSETS

A Very Special Event That Should Arouse Considerable Interest
A sale of vital interest to every woman whether she is preparing her new spring costume or not, is the sale of corsets by W. Daniel & Company which will hold on Friday and Saturday.

NEW COMPANIES
J. Hedley Secord, Edward R. Hart, Sias W. Copp, Herbert M. Wood, C. C. G. Avari, of Sackville, are applying for letters of incorporation as Sackville Concrete Ltd., with a capital stock of \$50,000 and principal place of business at Sackville, to carry on the manufacture of concrete blocks, etc.

SAFE INVESTMENTS I
Cape Breton Electric Company Limited, owns and operates under its lease of the property of Sydney & Glace Bay Railway Company Limited, 31.9 miles of track and 19 closed passenger motor cars, one express car, two flat front cars, three snow ploughs and one sweeper. The power is furnished by a modern central station of 1200 K. W. capacity located at Sydney. This station in addition to supplying the railway requires maintenance of the company also supplies current in the city for commercial and municipal lighting. A station of 1200 K. W. capacity and a sub-station adjoining are located at North Sydney, the former being held in reserve by power transmitted from Sydney, a distance of 84 miles. This sub-station distributes power for lighting and railway purposes in North Sydney and Sydney Mines. An auxiliary power station of 400 K. W. capacity at Glace Bay supplies part of the power necessary to operate the 19 mile interurban between Sydney and Glace Bay, the balance of the power being applied from Sydney.

SHOCKING CASE IN ONTARIO
Smith Falls, Ont., May 4.—Children Aid Society inspectors have unearthed the worst cases of moral depravity ever known in the district. In one family, three children, two boys and one girl, one of whom was 22 years of age and the other 12. The younger girl was the mother of two children and one of these is supposed to have died some months ago but was buried only a short time ago, the body having been kept in the attic of the girl's home all winter. The other child is still living. The child born to the other sister five months ago died and was placed in a box and then put on the rafters of a shed where it was found.

TRADE AND LABOR COUNCIL
There will be a meeting of the Trade and Labor Council tonight at 8 o'clock in the Longshoremen's hall, Water street.

LIVE NEWS OF TODAY IN ST. JOHN

Build up the system by using Hawker's Nerve and Stomach Tonic.
Ramsay and Sherwin Williams Point, 82 gallon—F. A. Young, Main street, 5745-6.

BONFIRE EXTINGUISHED.
Boys lighted a bonfire last night in Market Place, but it brought fear to the hearts of some of the citizens, and Police-man Clarke was called on to extinguish it.

LUMBER SHIPMENT.
The American schooner Hunter, Capt. Henry Gayton, cleared today for Fall River with a cargo of 217,134 feet of spruce boards, shipped by Stearns, Cutler & Co.

HUMORS COME TO THE SURFACE
The American schooner Hunter, Capt. Henry Gayton, cleared today for Fall River with a cargo of 217,134 feet of spruce boards, shipped by Stearns, Cutler & Co.

TRAMSTERS MEETING.
The regular meeting of the Trampers' Union will be held this evening in rooms at Chubb's corner, 111 Prince William street, at 8 o'clock.

THE DUCK COVE ROBBERY
No arrests have yet been made in connection with the robbery in the summer cottage of D. B. Jack at Duck Cove. Mr. Jack is today offering a reward of \$10 for recovery of the mahogany cabinet taken from the house.

THE CASE AGAINST DEWITT BROWN, LTD.
was continued before Mr. Justice White in chambers yesterday afternoon. The evidence of W. S. Culbertson of Harland and the testimony of J. B. Baxter appeared for the creditors and F. R. Taylor for the liquidator.

MR. MERCHANT.
Let us whisper to you the fact, that if you don't place your order for shoes for festive occasions—your shoes will be minus that glistering finish which will help you out, if you will get it at other prices. Tobin Limited, Jewellers, etc., Saint John. Phone M. 467.

ON THE RIVER
Things were comparatively quiet around Indiantown this morning. All the boats, with the exception of the Hampton and Victoria, were up river, several of them having left with big cargoes this morning. The Blaine and the Majestic are expected this afternoon. The steamer Hampton, Captain A. F. Malone, expects to get away this afternoon between 2 and 3 o'clock on her first trip of the season. She will come on the same route as last year. The Victoria did not get away today but is expected that she will be ready by Saturday.

QUINN FINED
In the Parvillie court this morning, Archibald Quinn, who was arrested on a charge of being drunk and also for being in a state of intoxication in Millford which was raided yesterday, was fined \$10 or two months in jail. The proprietor of the house, Mrs. Elizabeth Carney, was fined \$50 or six months in jail. The fine was allowed to stand on condition that she leave the town within thirty-six hours. Justice Allingham presided. The house was raided yesterday afternoon by Constable Hardy and Policeman Lawson. In the house at the time were Mrs. Carney, her fourteen-year-old child, and Quinn.

WOMAN ARRESTED.
Ada Goss, a colored woman, was arrested early this morning on a charge of being drunk and was remanded to jail this afternoon.

WHEN FORGED TO TRAVEL ALL NIGHT
The Siberian natives always make a practice of stopping just before sunrise and allowing their dogs to get a sleep. They argue that if a dog goes to sleep while it is yet dark, and wakes up in an hour and finds the sun shining, he will suppose that he has had a full night's rest, and will travel all day without thinking of being tired. The hunter's stop at any other time will be of no use whatever, the natives say.

LOOKS LIKE CONTINUANCE OF THE SESSION

(Special to Times.)
Ottawa, May 4.—The question as to what will be done in regard to the unfinished business of parliament: now that Sir Wilfrid Laurier has decided that it is necessary for him to attend the imperial conference and the coronation is still a matter of speculation at the capital. While twenty-four hours ago the indications pointed to an adjournment of the house for a time, the chief surface indications at present visible indicate that parliament will remain in session and the regular business of the session will be proceeded with.

A more thorough canvass of the situation indicates that a majority of the Liberal members are of the opinion that it would not be wise to adjourn, although on the floor of the house and elsewhere the Conservative members still loudly proclaim that they will never allow the reciprocity agreement to pass at this session of parliament. It is known that complete unanimity does not exist with regard to the party as to the wisdom of the decision to maintain a position commencing hostilities to the measure.

The British Columbia members are now favorably disposed to the proposal to continue the fight against reciprocity until the government is forced to appeal to the country. They want to see a "redoubtable" before the general election.

COULD THE CUZA HAVE BEEN SAVED; OPINIONS DO NOT ALL AGREE
Could the three-masted American schooner Manuel R. Cuza, which foundered off the Ploeghsharps early Tuesday morning, have been saved? Shipping men here are of the opinion that the vessel might have been saved if the crew had been brought here to safety.

There seems, however, to be a wide difference of opinion as to the propriety of going down the bay on that day. At the office of Peter McIntyre, agent of the Harlow vessel, it was said this morning that about every towboat in the harbor by the fact that she was not there. Those who hold the view that tugs should have been sent to the rescue of the schooner, say that the tugs were not sent to the rescue of the schooner.

THE THREE-MASTED AMERICAN SCHOONER MANUEL R. CUZA, WHICH FOUNDERED OFF THE PLOEGHSHARPS EARLY TUESDAY MORNING, WAS SAID THIS MORNING THAT ABOUT EVERY TOWBOAT IN THE HARBOR BY THE FACT THAT SHE WAS NOT THERE.

THE PROSECUTION DEPENDED ENTIRELY UPON GRAFF'S EVIDENCE, AND THE CASE RESULTED IN A VERDICT OF GUILTY. THE RETENTION OF THE MINE ARTICLES BY THE COURT, PENDING A CIVIL ACTION TO BE ENTERED FOR THE RECOVERY OF GRAFF. BOTH WEISE AND GRAFF WERE FINED \$5 AND COSTS FOR SIGHTING.

THE MINING SHARES AT ISSUE ARE PART OF THE PURCHASE PRICE OF CLAIMS ON THE MONTREAL RIVER SOLD BY GRAFF TO AN AMERICAN SYNDICATE, RESULTING IN THE ORGANIZATION OF A COMPANY FOR WHICH WEISE IS A MINOR SHAREHOLDER. HE WAS PRESENT AT A MEETING OF THE COMPANY IN PHILADELPHIA WHEN THE POKER GAME INTERFERED.

GOLD, BUT RIVER IS STEADILY RISING
(Special to Times.)
Fredericton, N. B., May 4.—The weather here is still cold but the river is rising steadily having come up seven inches last night.

EDMUNDSON REPORTS A RISE OF EIGHT INCHES WITH A FLOOD RISING. AT WOODSTOCK THE RIVER ROSE FIVE INCHES.

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY THIS MORNING LISTENED TO INTERESTING PAPERS. THE HONORABLE TAYLOR OF FREDERICTON, AND MRS. DONAHOE OF ST. JOHN, WEST, MRS. G. F. SCOVILL OF ST. SIMONS, MRS. W. B. LOWMAN AND MRS. HAY WERE APPOINTED DELEGATES TO THE TRIENNIAL COUNCIL.

JEFFRIES AND JOHNSON (Canadian Press)
New York, May 4.—James J. Jeffries stepped for Europe today. He will take a bath at Carlsbad, and a handful of friends will see him goodbye.

NEW YORK, MAY 4.—Jack Johnson is going back to the stage before sailing for England. He will do a vaudeville turn in the Victoria Theatre during the week of May 22, starting with his training partner, Johnson is anxious to do a singing part.

MISS ROSE A. TIERNEY.
The death of Miss Rose A. Tierney occurred this morning at her late residence, 22 St. John street, where she spent a few months. She was an esteemed member of St. Peter's church, and an active interest in church work. She is survived by three sisters, Miss Margaret, at home, Mrs. G. G. Murphy, of California, and Mrs. E. Kiernin, of this city. One brother, John, of Boston, also survives. The funeral will take place on Saturday morning.

YOU CAN AFFORD IT.
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A NEW POST OFFICE.
A new post office will be opened in Kings county, between French Village and Smithtown on June 1, with Rowland W. Fowler as postmaster. There have been a number of applications received for new rural mail routes and some will be opened soon.

BURIED TODAY.
The funeral of Mrs. J. Rogerson took place this afternoon from her late residence in Carleton street. Burial services were conducted at the house and grave, interment was in Fernhill.

FISHERMEN SUFFER
St. Pierre, May 4.—(Canadian Press)—Fifty or sixty of French fishing schooners, which were damaged while off the Grand Banks during the April storm, have been sent to St. Pierre for repairs. The damage, amounting to \$20,000, consisted mainly of lost chains, cables and anchors.

SCOWS BROKEN UP.
The two scows that broke adrift from the Fishery (see Shenandoah on Tuesday night, and went ashore at Bed Head, were smashed to pieces on the beach at Anthony's Cove in last night's heavy blow. The intention was to have a tug go down for them yesterday, but the weather was too rough.

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QUEEN ELIZABETH'S RING

Fatal Band Failure to Deliver Which Cost Life of Earl of Essex
London, May 4.—Queen Elizabeth's ring, that would have saved the Earl of Essex from death, if it had been delivered to the queen, will be at auction at Christie's on May 19. It bears a legend which reads: "Duly on the part of the Countess of Nottingham in returning this pledge of pardon given by Elizabeth to her favorite, the Earl of Essex, in Tower Hill, and hastened the end of the grief-stricken virgin Queen." The fatal circlet has been in possession of either the Devereux or Carteret-Thynne families for 300 years. It has a band of a foliate enamel with a sardonyx, the cameo being a presentation of Queen Elizabeth in profile.

NORTH BAY, ONT. MAY 4—Joseph Weise, a railway news agent between Toronto and Cochrane, was tried before Magistrate Weagand on charges preferred by Frank Graff, proprietor, in which \$275 in cash and \$75,000 in shares of the Hudson Bay Silver Mining Company stock were involved, having passed from the possession of Graff to that of Weise in a game of poker.

THE PROSECUTION DEPENDED ENTIRELY UPON GRAFF'S EVIDENCE, AND THE CASE RESULTED IN A VERDICT OF GUILTY. THE RETENTION OF THE MINE ARTICLES BY THE COURT, PENDING A CIVIL ACTION TO BE ENTERED FOR THE RECOVERY OF GRAFF. BOTH WEISE AND GRAFF WERE FINED \$5 AND COSTS FOR SIGHTING.

THE MINING SHARES AT ISSUE ARE PART OF THE PURCHASE PRICE OF CLAIMS ON THE MONTREAL RIVER SOLD BY GRAFF TO AN AMERICAN SYNDICATE, RESULTING IN THE ORGANIZATION OF A COMPANY FOR WHICH WEISE IS A MINOR SHAREHOLDER. HE WAS PRESENT AT A MEETING OF THE COMPANY IN PHILADELPHIA WHEN THE POKER GAME INTERFERED.

"DOLLAR DIPLOMACY" (Canadian Press)

Baltimore, Md., May 4.—"Dollar Diplomacy," the newly coined phrase applied to the expansion of American business interests through the efforts of the state department of the United States, "means the substitution of dollars for bullets" the creation of a prosperity which will be preferred to predatory strife, and a "pragmatic mode of pursuing the ideal of world peace" according to the interpretation of Huntington Wilson, assistant secretary of state, as presented to the third national peace congress today.

CALL TO PHILADELPHIA

It was stated today that Rev. J. W. B. Stewart, curate of Trinity church, had received a call to a church in Philadelphia. As Mr. Stewart was not at home it was impossible to verify the report.

A PROVINCIAL LEAGUE

There is talk of a meeting at McAdam Junction on Tuesday to discuss forming a provincial baseball league.

DEATHS

WILLIAMS—In Boston, on May 1, James J. Williams, aged 47 years, and Louisa Williams, aged 47 years. FOX—On May 3, Jane, wife of John Fox, aged 84 years, leaving husband, one son and one daughter to mourn. Funeral from her late residence, 169 Queen street, on Friday 5th inst.; service at 2.30 o'clock. TIERNEY—In this city on the 4th inst., Rose A., eldest daughter of the late Philip and Ellen Tierney, leaving one brother and three sisters to mourn. Funeral on Saturday morning at 8.45, from her late residence, 311 Main street to St. Peter's church for requiem high mass at 9 o'clock; friends and acquaintances invited to attend.

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BRIDGE, FERRY, OR BOTH?

The new city council appears to be rushing gaily into a large expenditure in connection with the ferry without looking over the situation and considering the future.

Does the council overlook the fact that there is now available the sum of \$600,000 toward the cost of a bridge across the harbor?

The citizens have but lately voted in favor of a civic expenditure of \$300,000. There is a standing offer of another \$300,000 by the federal government, provided a like sum is granted by the provincial government.

Though the matter has been under consideration for a number of years, the actual cost of a bridge and its approaches has not yet been learned. Would it not be wise for the city council to get this information, and confer with all parties interested and find out all the facts concerning a bridge without further waste of time?

One hears all sorts of assertions about this matter, but the only way to get the facts is by intelligent and determined enquiry. Despite the fact that there is likely to be a new bridge at the falls, there are five parties interested in a harbor bridge.

They are the city, the C. P. R., the street railway company and the provincial and federal governments. Settling out with the knowledge that there is \$600,000 available, the city council should possess itself of full information, get the views of all parties concerned, and tell them exactly what the situation is with respect to the harbor bridge.

SIR WILFRID TO LONDON

There is a general feeling of satisfaction throughout Canada today as a result of the news from Ottawa. The leaders of the two great parties have come to an agreement which makes it possible for Sir Wilfrid Laurier and one or two of his ministers to attend the imperial conference and the coronation.

It would have been most unfortunate had partisan obstruction at Ottawa prevented the premier of Canada from taking part in the great events which the whole empire looks forward with such deep interest. An imperial conference without a representative of Canada would not be at all satisfactory, and there would be equal disappointment if this country were not adequately represented at the coronation. It seemed from the attitude of the opposition that Sir Wilfrid Laurier would be compelled to remain at home, to vindicate the right of the majority to rule in this country; but an agreement has been reached under which obstruction will at least be postponed until Sir Wilfrid's return from London.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier will be the most striking figure among any of the overseas states in attendance at the conference and coronation. He is recognized as one of the foremost statesmen of the empire, and will be honored for his own sake, in addition to the honor done him as the representative of Canada. Before he returns the United States senate will doubtless have adopted the reciprocity agreement, and it will then be forced to an issue in this country.

LEACOCK VS. LEACOCK

Referring to Prof. Leacock's statement in St. John that he had thought reciprocity dead and buried, and that it ought now to be buried so deep it would never rise again, the Montreal Witness reminds him that he has not always assumed this attitude. Four years ago, in his "Balduin, Lafontaine and Hincks," published in the Makers of Canada series, his language with regard to reciprocity was somewhat different from his rough herons at St. John. He then said:—"Anxious at the same time to stimulate trade with the United States in order to compensate the country for the loss of its commercial privileges with Great Britain, Hincks endeavored to bring about a system of reciprocal free trade in natural products between Canada and the republic. An act of the legislature accordingly declared all duties on this class of imports to be removed as soon as the congress of the United States should take similar action. Unfortunately the opposition of the American senate interposed a long delay, and it was not until five years later that an international treaty at last brought the system of reciprocity into effect."

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Where the sun shines and the broom breezes blow, By every ray and every raindrop kissed That God's love doth bestow; Think you I find no bitterness at all, No hours to be borne, like Christian's pack?

Think you there are no ready tears to fall, Because I love my life's ill with cold reserve, To curse myself and all who love me? Nay! A thousand times more good than I deserve.

God gives me every day, And in each one of these rebellions tears, He keeps me from the gates of Hell; He makes a rainbow shine; Grateful I take His slightest gift; no fears, No any doubts are mine.

Dark skies must clear, and when the clouds are past, On the longer waiting years; Patient I listen, sure that sweet at last, Will sound His voice of cheer. —(Celia Thaxter.)

THE PRANKSON SPRING

Yes, the gentle spring is here, You can feel it in the air, Of the ambient atmosphere. You can tell it by the jakes, Nature plays on trawling falls, Making spring a jolly haze.

Morning genial as a spruce Running full of verdant juice, Evening colder than the dew, Driving off all thoughts of woe, Evening just a touch of snow.

Every prospect fair to see, Say from 9 a.m. to 5, Killing all our hearts with glee; Then in spite of all our trust Comes along a windy gust, And our eyes fill up with dust.

On the lawn the robin sings, Happy songs of gentle springs, While he flaps his pretty wings, Later on his nest to port, His achieving and his sport, Glad of his red flannel shirt.

Strawberries come on the scene, Looking pallid, sour and green, In the spring air, nipping, keen, When the gardener blithely goes Down to cheer the thirsty rose, Lo, there's ice upon the hose!

So it goes from A to Z, Somehow rather seems to me, Spring ain't what she used to be; And the springs the poets sung In the days of yore, Ain't no longer being sprung! —A Suffering Man in New York Sun.

IN LIGHTER VEIN

LOST. Mistress—Julia, where's my diamond comb? I left it in my hair. Julia—Yes, ma'am, but I don't know where your hair is.

A SHARP THIRST. (Christian Register). This is a quotation from a Connecticut woman's diary, dated 1793: "We had roast pork for dinner; and Dr. S., who carved, held up a rib on his fork and said, 'Here, ladies is what Mother Eve was made of.' 'Yes,' said Sister Patty, 'and it's from very much the same kind of critter.'"

REMINISCENT. "And where," demanded his wife, with flashing eyes, "would you be now, only for me?" (Fraser's Magazine).

The man glanced at the clock. It was verging on midnight. He sighed and was silent.

LOSING THE FUN. (Detroit Free Press). "He said he could teach me to swim in three lessons." "Are you going to let him?" "I should say not. Most of my summer vacation fun is learning to swim."

SLEIGHT MISTAKE. (Punch). Clergyman (taking friend round poor parish, and stopping to put arches): "Yes, a nervous little fellow. I remember his father was highly strung." Woman—"Yes, but he was a nervous wreck, then, 'E got off with ten years."

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(Montreal Witness).

The "Queen's Quarterly" just to hand contains the calm reasoning, and the courteous exposition, of the opinions of Professor Skelton, of Queen's, on the subject. He points out that if there is one market which Canada, acting in the forward spirit of all other commercial countries, has persistently endeavored to enter, it is the market of the United States.

"When, therefore, the United States makes an offer to open her markets on approximately the terms on which Canada had long insisted, it is the opposition on the part of many Canadians to the proposed arrangement, not the endorsement of it, which would seem to require explaining.

"Speaking of the economic balance, Professor Skelton is quite willing to admit that the position of Canada is now quite different from what it was in the early nineties, and that new markets have removed our old dependence upon the United States as the only one market. But he says, 'Some Canadians, in the reaction from the earlier view, seem to be forgetting the elementary truth that it is one, and with the possible exception of Britain, the one of the greatest and most rapidly growing importance, with its ninety millions of prosperous, English-speaking customers at our very doors.'"

Dealing with the awful exploitation and destruction of our natural resources which is promised by so many opponents of the treaty, Professor Skelton says, "To forego promising markets for reproducible products of farm or forest or sea now going to economic waste, is not conservation but imbecility." On the annexation bogey he says that the vocabulary of pessimism is exhausted in picturing the sorrowful end of a promising but too trustful young nation. "He asks what ground there is for this 'most astounding criticism of a trade agreement. It is true, of course, that

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WAS WAR VETERAN

Gustave Lettau, a veteran of the Franco-Prussian war, who died in Toronto on Sunday.

BANQUET ENJOYED

Young Men's Society of St. Joseph Dine—Presentation to John R. Pauley

From the moment when the society orchestra began playing the society two-step, "Blue and White," composed by their popular leader, M. F. Kelly, until the singing of Auld Lang Syne, in which the hundred or more present heartily participated, the first annual banquet held by the members of the Y. M. S. of St. Joseph's in White's restaurant, King street, last evening, was a distinct success, and every minute of the four hours was keenly enjoyed.

The banquet was capably presided over by W. J. Magee, president of the society, and a tempting menu was partaken of. Out flowers and other tasteful decorations served to make the room attractive. The following was the menu:

Oz joint a la Anglaise.
Olive, Iced celery.
Baked English turbot. Cardinal sauce.
Potatoes au Gratin.
Roast young turkey.
Potted dressing.
Green string beans. Creamed potatoes.
English plum pudding, wine sauce.
Mince pie.
Fasciolo jelly.
Ice cream. Assorted cake.
Biscuit and cheese.
Fruit.
Cigars.

After ample justice had been done to the viands, a program of readings, songs, solos, and orchestral selections was enjoyably given. Mr. Magee acted as toastmaster. The first toast, "The King," was honored in music. Alex. S. Simonds was heard to advantage in a solo, "I Hear You Calling Me," and responded to an encore, after which E. J. Moran proposed "Canada, Our Country," to which John A. Barry responded in patriotic and eloquent terms.

Frank V. Conlon gave a reading, "A very accurate," and Wm. F. McDonald asked that the glasses be filled for the drinking of the health and welfare of the Society Orchestra, which called for a fitting reply from J. L. Mullaly, and the pleasing rendering of the overture, "Romantic," by the orchestra.

J. R. Pauley, who for many years held high rank with distinction in some of the leading dramatic companies of the American stage, and who successfully directed the society performance of "The Na-Goppel," in the Opera House for the benefit of the orphans, was called upon and made the recipient of a handsome memento, which was presented to him by the society. This was followed by David Higgins in a solo which was well received, after which Joseph P. Lewis proposed the toast, "Our Dramatic Circle," which was responded to by Jas. B. Dever.

M. F. Kelly was forced to respond to several toasts in solos which he gave in his characteristic manner, and this was followed by the toast, "The Ladies," proposed by George Flood and championed by Dr. S. H. McDonald, in a witty speech. The toast to the "Press," proposed by Edward Fitzgerald was spoken to gracefully by L. A. Conlon. C. P. O'Neil then proposed the health of Rev. Wm. Duke, after which came the closing number by the orchestra, and the singing of "Auld Lang Syne."

WHY QUEEN MARY

CHOOSE GARNATION AS CORONATION FLOWER

The pink carnation is the official coronation flower, so Queen Mary has decreed. Immediately this decree was heard pink began to flood the London shops, until the whole world of clothes began to take on a tinge of rose.

Some lady of the court, knowing the queen to be quite fond of violets, asked her how she came to select the carnation. "Because it is within the reach of the common people," was the reply. "I want every loyal subject to wear the coronation flower as often as he can. Another reason for my choice is the gateway of the bright little flower. We have been in mourning so long that we must go to the other extreme in order to dispel the shadows of our bereavement."

Having in remembrance the avidity with which Dame Fashion adopts of the black and white of the English court during the past winter and the prevalence of these colors in clothes, it is safe to say pink will be the color of the coronation visitors, and we may look for coronation visitors to return with their trunks a medley of this refreshing color.

Added to the present popular fancy for Helen pink, there seems to be no limit to the pink season. The vivid shade named in compliment to Miss Helen Taft, daughter of the President, is seen on a majority of the smart millinery and dress creations. With two first ladies of two powerful countries declaring their preference for the shade of happiness, buyers feel perfectly safe in crowding their shops with pink, and as the color is almost universally becoming it is apt to have a long vogue.—Washington Star.

MEERELY REPEATS

She—"And so you are really and truly an old friend Jack? It doesn't seem a minute since I saw you last!"

He—"It hasn't been a day, according to the basis on which you ladies compute time."—Montreal Star.

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Japanese Hand Drawn Tray Cloths, pure linen, special prices. 65c each
Circular Pillow Cotton 40 inch, 16c a yard
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10 Yards of Fine White Cotton for \$1.00
Fancy Belts, 25c, 35c and 50c Each

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Flags of all kinds, all sizes, best grade of All Wool. English Hunting for schools, public buildings, shipping houses, for ships, summer cottages, motor boats, yachts, etc.

CANADIAN ENSIGNS
1 yard long \$0.90
1 1/2 yards long 2.00
2 yards long 4.50
3 yards long 8.50
4 yards long 12.50
5 yards long 16.50
6 yards long 20.50

BRITISH ENSIGNS
1 yard long \$0.75
1 1/2 yards long 1.75
2 yards long 2.40
3 yards long 3.80
4 yards long 5.20
5 yards long 6.60
6 yards long 8.00

UNION JACKS
1 yard long \$0.90
1 1/2 yards long 1.25
2 yards long 1.85
3 yards long 2.75
4 yards long 3.65
5 yards long 4.55
6 yards long 5.45

ST. GEORGE'S ENSIGN
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2 yards long 1.85
3 yards long 2.75
4 yards long 3.65
5 yards long 4.55
6 yards long 5.45

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Daily Hints For the Cook

SPINACH, TREMONT STYLE

Thoroughly wash one peck of spinach. To wash spinach so that it cannot be gritty, it needs to be put in a good-sized strainer or colander and put under running water, almost every piece of spinach being handled during this process, in order to remove all the grit. When thoroughly washed put in a covered kettle, without adding any more water. Cook for 10 minutes. Remove from the fire, drain and chop very fine. Melt two rounded tablespoons of butter in a saucepan, add the juice of one lemon, a very little salt, and one-half teaspoonful of mild paprika. Heat the spinach in this and serve at once.

FRENCH PEAS, NORMANDY STYLE

Cut two thin slices of bacon into small strips and place in a sauce pan with four small onions, sliced. Cook until the onions begin to brown; add the liquor from one can of small peas, and cook until the onions are thoroughly tender. Add the peas, salt and pepper to taste, and simmer for 20 minutes. If necessary to thicken, take from the fire, add the well beaten yolk of one egg at once, and stir until the mixture thickens. There should be enough meat to cook the egg without keeping it over the fire. There is danger in too much cooking, for the egg yolk will cook hard, and therefore separate. Serve at once.

CHEESE DESERT

A tasty dessert is made from cottage cheese and cream. The cream is beaten till almost stiff and then cottage cheese is added. This is well mixed and then the mixture is piled in a glass dish. Over all a little orange peel is grated to give a bit of color and flavor. It is served with currant or plum jelly.

Supreme Court Cases

The suits of the Dalhousie Lumber Co. vs. George McKean, and Seely vs. Kerr, are to be continued before the supreme court in Ottawa today. Seven St. John lawyers left last night for the capital to argue for their clients on their respective sides.

In the case of the Dalhousie Lumber Co. vs. George McKean, the latter had sued the lumber company for \$7,000. The judgment was against him in the first trial, and on appeal the case went to the supreme court at Fredericton. Here the first judgment was sustained, but some of the judges dissented, and held that Mr. McKean was entitled to the judgment. The case now goes on appeal to Ottawa.

THE DOCTOR'S TWINS.

(Belfast Times).

An Irish doctor, while enjoying a holiday in the country, took the opportunity along with a friend to go fishing. During operations the doctor's sinker came off and was lost. Here was a dilemma—no sinker, no more fishing that day. Happy thought; he had a bottle in his pocket. The bottle was filled with water, carefully corked and sent down on its mission.

After a few minutes' interval the doctor had a bite and pulled up his line at racing speed, finding a pair of fish, one on each hook. "His doctor, twice this time," explained his companion.

"Yes," north the doctor, "and brought up on the bottle, too."

HALF-PRICE SALE OF Spring Corsets

A very special event that should arouse considerable interest

A sale of vital interest to every woman, whether she is preparing her new costume or not, is the sale of Corsets we will hold on **FRIDAY and SATURDAY**. For this special occasion we have obtained 300 pairs of beautifully made, graceful Corsets from a well known manufacturer, at a price that enables us to offer them at practically half price.

These Corsets illustrate the latest ideas in designing; the long skirt and medium bust now strictly in vogue. The material is the Finest English Cotton, exquisitely finished with val lace, ribbon and large bow. There are six suspenders and all corsets have perfect working draw strings.

They are built on lines that absolutely assure the greatest freedom of arm and shoulder movement and yet preserve the "style," which every woman desires. Positively guaranteed not to rust.

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SINGULARLY FITTING.
(Youth's Companion).

They were discussing Brown's charming manners, and his lack of responsibility in all matters connected with money. "He means to be honest as the sun," said one of his friends, "but he doesn't get around to paying his debts."

"Yes," north the doctor, "and brought up on the bottle, too."

other man. "He ought to have what my boy in college wrote me for the other day—'Kathleen Mavourneen' loans."

"What are they?" asked one of the party.

"A 'Kathleen Mavourneen' loan may be for years and it may be forever," said the father.

TO BE SURE.
(Puck).

Reverend Guide—"The question is, brethren, how shall we send salvation to the Fiji Islanders?"

Deacon Tightwadde—"Though I am not intimately familiar with the present case, I would suggest that we send it collect."

Cure Your Rheumatism
50,000 Boxes Given Away to All Who Apply
John A. Smith and His Remarkable Rheumatism Remedy Cured Himself First—Now Proposes to Cure the World—A Box of This Great Remedy Mailed Free to Any Suffering Reader Who Will Send Name and Address.

Cared Many Cases of 30 and 40 Years' Standing
On the theory "that seeing is believing," John A. Smith of Milwaukee, wants everyone to try his remedy for the cure of rheumatism at his expense. For that reason he proposes to distribute 50,000 free boxes among all persons sending him their address. Mr. Smith had suffered

all the agony and torture from rheumatism, yet utterly failed to find relief. At times he was so stiff that he had to take morphine to get through the day. He was in despair. He had been studying into the matter of rheumatism and after months of experimenting finally found a combination of drugs which completely cured him. The result was so beneficial to him that he called his new "Gloria Tonic." Those who are afflicted with rheumatism and neighbors suffering from rheumatism were next cured. Mr. Smith concluded to offer his remedy to the world. But he found one as nearly everybody had tried his remedy and they could not be made to believe that there was such a thing as a cure for rheumatism. Mr. Smith had suffered over thirty years and advertised a fortune with doctors, but he would not say anything more until he knew it was worth something. The sample was sent and the remedy was sent. It was completely cured. A new idea was sent—that time it was sent free sample boxes to all who apply.

At the U. C. College, Toronto, it cured Mrs. J. Whitler, who had suffered acutely. Fred K. Donald writes from Sunny Brae, N. S., "Gloria Tonic has cured him of rheumatism of many years' standing." From Amherst, N. S., comes a letter that he has been cured of a severe case. Even the first box cured Mrs. B. Brett, at 12 Power St., Guelph, Ont. Two boxes let Mrs. Gies, Wright, of Caledonia, N. S., be cured. Mrs. T. Delina, W. Plain, Ont., writes that she could not dress herself because of rheumatism, but "Gloria Tonic" has completely cured her. Mr. George Lee, of Dorchester, Ont., says that he tried many different remedies, but "Gloria Tonic" cured him. Scott writes from Toronto, N. S., that he has cured his rheumatism. A case of 15 years' standing is reported by James McLaughlin, of Inverness, Ont., but "Gloria Tonic" cured it quickly. Even prominent physicians have written that "Gloria Tonic" is a positive success among them. Doctor Quinterio of the University of Venezuela, in whom the result is named by the United States Consul, in hundreds of other instances the result has been the same. It has cured many cases which defied Hospitals, Drugs and Electricity, among them persons of upwards of eighty years of age.

Mr. Smith will send a trial box, also his illustrated book on rheumatism, absolutely free of charge to any reader of The Evening Times and Star. It is anxious that everybody should profit by his good fortune. Mr. Smith's address is in full below.
JOHN A. SMITH,
847 Laing Bldg., Windsor, Ont.

Fusiliers' Smoker
A smoker and meeting of a company, 82nd Fusiliers, took place in their club rooms, Charlotte street, last evening. There were about sixty members of the company present, and they enjoyed the evening to the fullest. Colonel J. L. McAvity, Adjutant Major, Captain Fleetwood and Captain Peters were heard in brief addresses. Colonel McAvity spoke on the efficiency of the company and outlined the trip to Boston which will take place in June. Lunch was served and the gathering broke up at midnight. The following musical programme was well given: Flute solo, E. Robinson; comic solo, J. Sears; solo, B. Wetmore; dramatic reading, Jack Sears; harp solo, H. Stone; duet, Messrs. Wetmore and Sears; flute solo, A. Burnham. C. Carrigan was at the piano and he rendered several enjoyable numbers during the evening.

Gain of Half Million
Ottawa, May 3.—Canada's customs collections for the month of April total \$3,600,124.38, and port deposits of March collections \$87,038.57, a total revenue of \$3,687,262.95. This is upwards of \$500,000 greater than in the corresponding period last year, when the total revenue was \$3,024,787.19, and port deposits of March collections, \$88,413.34.

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WONDERFUL WORK MAKING FESTIVAL CITY
Three Hundred Buildings in Great London Show Town—The Visit of Colonial Troops

London, May 3.—It is only those who have watched the growth of the Festival of Empire, the All-British exhibition and the Pageant of London can realize to the full what 6,000 British workmen, under the guidance of experts, can accomplish. The imperial city of 300 separate buildings in the 250 acres of grounds has risen as though at the waving of the magician's wand, yet everything is solid, safe and constructed by designers who possess a genius for attracting and entertaining the millions.

Colonial Troops
The thousand troops who are coming from various overseas dominions to take part in the coronation ceremonies will find it an interesting and profitable visit to the Festival of Empire. These guests of honor will be entertained at a banquet by Sir Abe Bailey, K. C. M. G., when, at least one of the quite novel to Old England, will be set before them.

Very Successful
The tea and sale at the Private Hospital last evening was a most successful affair. Many attended, the tables were well patronized, and a large sum was realized to enlarge the sick nurses' fund. Following the tea and sale a programme of dances was enjoyed by the nurses and their friends. The rooms were tastefully decorated, the tea room in blue, the dining room in blue and white, and the candy and fancy tables in red, white and blue. Tea and coffee were poured by Mrs. George Fleming and Mrs. Armstrong. Miss Nellie Graham and Mrs. Meredith were in charge of the candy tables, and the following nurses served: Misses Georgia Collins, Mary McKinney, Charlotte Cooke, Jennie Emley, Frances O'Keefe, Jennie Burpee, Frances Jenkins, Kate Holt, Nellie Wilson, Emma Mitchell, Kate McClatchey, Mary Duke, Evelyn Freeman, Catherine Tait, and Misses Frances May, E. P. Hogan, and others.

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Restores Hair to Gray or Faded Hair—Removes Dandruff and invigorates the Scalp—Promotes a Luxuriant, healthy hair growth—Stops itching scalp. Is not dye.
\$1.00 and 50c at Drug Store or Street upon receipt of 10c in stamps or 2c in stamps. Refuse All Substitutes.
For Sale and Recommended by E. CLINTON BROWN

WORST CITY IN THE WORLD IS IN RUSSIA
Irkutsk Overtakes Paris, New York and Vienna for the Title of Dishonor

Persons who are familiar with the various and devious ways of life in Paris, London, Vienna and New York may be inclined to doubt the claim that any other city has a better right to the unenviable title of being the fastest city in the world. For years a certain section in each of those places has been given over to the exploitation of the most greedy and avaricious and the reputation thus gained is none too savory. Many travelers will find hard times in the capital of eastern Siberia, is now brought forward as a champion for this dishonor.

Wm. McArthur's Death
The inquest into the death of William McArthur was begun before Coroner Jernyn last night at 7.30. The examination of Dr. William Warwick, who made the post-mortem, was completed. Edward Corbett and Stanley Moore, two of the members of the coroner's jury, were sworn in at 8.15. The coroner took the stand and the coroner read over to him the evidence of Dr. Warwick. After hearing this evidence the coroner gave his verdict that the cause of death was pneumonia, which had been brought on by exposure to cold or wet.

Hospital Commission
The annual meeting of the General Public Hospital Commissioners took place yesterday afternoon. Dr. Thomas Walker presided and Dr. James Christie, Dr. H. G. Adly, Dr. I. M. Curran, Joseph Lee, John McLaughlin, C. B. Lockhart and J. King Kelly were all present. Matters chiefly routine were discussed.

West Indies Service
Montreal, May 3.—Much consideration was given by the meeting of the council of the board of trade today to the tenders called for by the department of trade and commerce for a mail service between Canada and Jamaica and the council expressed itself as being emphatically of the opinion that it is in the interests of the whole country that for the season of navigation the service should be from Montreal with calls at St. Johns or Halifax, as only by such an arrangement will the large exports of Canadian products now shipped via New York be carried by Canadian steamers.

HER LIMITATION.
(Somopolitans).
Senator La Follette, criticizing a trust said: "It dignifies under abuse and attack is, somehow, funny. It reminds me of a little Sioux City girl."
"One morning she hung about the kitchen continually, following the busy cook to death. The cook lost patience. 'Clear out o' here, ye sassie little litten!' she shouted, thumping the table with a rolling pin."
"The little girl gave the cook a haughty look. 'I never allow anyone but my mother to speak to me like that,' she said."

Do You Feel All Tired Out? Do You Feel Dull and Listless? Have You That All-Gone, No-Ambition, Don't-Care-to-Work Feeling? If So You Have Spring Fever
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IN PARLIAMENT
The Outcome of the Conferences
—Investigation Asked for by Mr. Oliver Will be Held
Ottawa, May 3.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier, with probably Sir Frederick Borden and Hon. L. P. Hood, will leave next week on the Virginia, sailing from Quebec on May 13, to attend the imperial conference and the coronation.

Taft and Dr. Macdonald AT PEACE CONFERENCE
Baltimore, Md., May 3.—President Taft in his speech at the opening of the third national peace conference here today, declared that the United States would keep hands off and not seek to extend its domain or to acquire foreign territory. The president made no mention specifically of Mexico, but to those who heard him it was evident that the troubled situation there and the suspicion in the South American republics as to the intentions of this nation in regard to its southern neighbors had inspired him.

LONGSHOREMEN'S ASSOCIATION
At the semi-annual meeting of the Longshoremen's Association, held in their rooms, Water street, last evening, the annual reports were received and adopted, and the officers were elected as follows: John Montague, president; Homer Frick, senior vice-president; William Reardon, junior vice-president; Harding Downey, financial secretary; David Daley, treasurer; C. G. Langbein, recording secretary; M. P. Donovan, business agent.

TRIANGLES WIN IN Y.M.C.A. BIBLE EXAMINATIONS
By less than three-quarters of a point the Triangle Bible class, under the leadership of Stanley K. Smith, led the eleven groups in the boys' department of the Y. M. C. A. this year, thus winning the Bunnell cup for the second time. Last year Mr. Smith's class had a long lead in both attendance and examination results, but this year they were beaten in attendance, leading in results by just enough to give them the advantage over the Maunsell-Keetleys, led by Herbert Wetmore.

DOCTOR ADVISED HOSPITAL
B. L. E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Cured Her.
Upper Sandusky, Ohio.—"Three years ago I was married and went to housekeeping. I was not feeling well and could hardly drag myself along. I had such tired feelings, my back hurt, my side ached, I had bladder trouble awfully bad, and I could not eat or sleep. I had headaches too, and became almost a nervous wreck. My doctor told me to go to a hospital. I did not like that idea very well, so when I saw your advertisement in a paper, I wrote to you for advice. I have done as you told me. I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills, and now I have my health. I am sick and ailing women would only know enough to take your medicine, inflammation, ulceration or displacement, don't wait too late, but try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once."
For thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, has been the standard remedy for female ills, and such unquestionable testimony as the above proves the value of this famous remedy, and should give everyone confidence.

DR. CHASE'S OINTMENT
The Ointment is certain to cure all kinds of skin diseases, such as eczema, itching, and all other skin troubles. It is the only ointment that will cure all kinds of skin diseases. It is the only ointment that will cure all kinds of skin diseases.

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More than (500) five hundred different qualities and colorings to choose from. All the latest weaves and shades to be found in this stock. Ladies' Cloth, Broad Cloth, Satin Cloth, Chevots, Panamas, Serges, Irish Poplins, Henriettes, Wool Taffetas, French Twills, Bangkok Suiting, Hair Line Stripes, Silks and Wool Nette, etc. No reserve.

For Three Days Only—Thursday, Friday and Saturday—at three special prices: **45c., 60c. and 89c. yard**

All Wool Dress Goods, from 60c. to 70c. . . . Sale Price 45c. yard
All Wool Dress Goods, from 75c. to \$1.00. . . . Sale Price, 60c. yard
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Now is the time to secure your new Costumes at these Special Prices. For this sale no samples given. Cash only.

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DYKEMAN'S

SOME THINGS WORTH WHILE AT THE SMALLWARE COUNTER

The goods mentioned below are of a superior quality, and will be sold at about one-half the usual price.

Corset Cover Embroidery, nice fine patterns, 15 cents a yard; regular price 30 cents.

A' Big Lot of Lace, mostly Orientals and trimming galloons, all 5 cents a yard; some of the lot worth 20 cents.

Hamburg Embroideries, rich fine qualities; your choice of the lot of 500 yards at 5 cents a yard.

Ribbons, five and six inches wide, extra heavy quality, in all conceivable colors, including shot and plain ribbons. 15 cents a yard; some of them worth as high as 42 cents a yard.

Frillings at 10 cents a yard. A clearing lot, including black, white, blue, Persian, cords, etc., all 10 cents a yard. Some in the lot were as high as 39 cents.

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO., 95 Charlotte street

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WILL FIND A SUPERB COLLECTION OF **BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S HATS**

Trimmed cleverly in effective styles and at satisfying prices.

While the assortment is large—call today.

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BEAUTIFUL FLOOR COVERINGS

This season we have prepared to make the selection of home furnishings a proposition filled with pleasure. The natural made by us in our large showings is given fresh impetus by the large display of Squares and Carpeting in the newest color combination and handsome new patterns. The prices are astonishingly low considering the beauty, as you will see when you will come.

Tapestry Squares, \$7.50 to \$22.00
Tapestry Carpet, \$2c. to \$1.10
Brussels Squares, \$14.50 to \$22.50
Brussels Carpet, \$1.15 and \$1.25
Wool Carpets, 65 cts.

S. W. McMACKIN
335 Main Street

25 PER CENT OFF!
SHOES AT A GREAT DISCOUNT

We'd rather have their room than their company. This is the reason for this GREAT CUT PRICE SHOE SALE.

Buy shoes now—buy them for this season, or buy them for next season; you'll make big interest on your money. Men's, Women's, Boys' and Children's Shoes all come under the discount rate. No old stock or trash to work off—simply an Honest Discount on all our splendid shoes.

ONE-FOURTH OFF means a big slice off, but we will give it—Honesty, Fairly and Squarely. Sale went last long. Come soon or your shoes may be gone.

D. MONAHAN, 32 Charlotte Street
Phone 1802-11. THE HOME OF GOOD SHOES

THIS EVENING
N. B. Military Veterans' Association will meet in Market building at 8 o'clock.
Teamsters' Union will meet in their rooms, Opera House, at 8 o'clock.
Trades and Labor Council will meet at 8 o'clock.
Helen Grayce Co. at the Opera House in "Little Brother of the Rich."
Holmes and Buchanan, picture features and illustrated songs at the New Theatre.
Vaudeville and pictures at the Lyric.
Motion pictures and songs at the Gem.
Wagon street.
Motion pictures and songs at the Unique.
Motion pictures and singing at the Star.

LOCAL NEWS

ASSIGNMENT
John Lord, of Hampton, musical professor, has assigned to Sheriff Freese. A meeting of the creditors will be held in Sussex on Saturday next.

GET ACKER'S THEATRE
The Keith interests, which lost two theatres in the Bangor conflagration, have acquired Ackers' Theatre in the Maine city.

FURTHER REMANDED
George Hector, charged with murdering a woman on Mrs. Ann Davidson; and Charles Toner, charged with theft, were further remanded yesterday afternoon in the police court.

A SLIGHT FIRE
An alarm will probably be heard yesterday afternoon for a slight blaze in the Protestant Orphan's asylum in Britain street. The damage was not great, and the fire was easily extinguished.

WOODSTOCK POWER
Woodstock Press—Engineer Barbour, of St. John, by request of the town council, arrived here on Friday to make an examination as to the relative cost of steam and electricity for town purposes.

OF INTEREST TO BACHELORS
Rev. John Lord of Deer Island; Rev. Walter M. Donahue, of St. Mary's; Perry and Rev. Miles P. Howland, of Fredericton, have been registered to solemnize marriages.

POLICEMAN RECOVERING
Policeman Lawson, who was run over by a sloven in Fairville a few days ago, is still unable to be on duty. He is able to leave the house, however, now, and expects to report for duty again in a few days.

AN INCINERATOR PLANT
A meeting will probably be held next week between the special committee of the common council and the board of health to consider some action with regard to the establishment of an incinerator plant in St. John.

SIGNING A PETITION
Residents of East St. John are circulating a petition asking that the slaughter house in that district be abolished, and siting for an up-to-date abattoir to take its place. The board of health will probably be asked to take action in the matter.

TO RESUME WORK
It is expected that work will be resumed about the latter part of the present month on the several contracts along the line of the National Transcontinental Railway in New Brunswick. The contractors are now getting ready to take up the work where it was left off last fall.

WOMEN'S COUNCIL
The Local Council of Women will meet in the King's Daughters' Guild on Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Mrs. Robert Thomson, who recently returned after the national executive meeting in Toronto, will read her report and delegates will be appointed to attend the next meeting at Port Arthur, beginning on June 14.

A PRESENTATION
Mrs. Henry Kilpatrick, who has held the position of president of Colton Lodge, L. O. B. A., No. 38, for the last ten years, was surprised last evening when her home was invaded by the members of the lodge and a silver casket presented to her. The presentation was made by Mrs. Mabey on behalf of the members and Mrs. Kilpatrick made a suitable reply.

MRS. JOHN FOX
The death of Mrs. Jane Fox, wife of John Fox, occurred yesterday. She was a native of County Tyrone, Ireland, but had been a resident of this city for more than sixty years. Her husband and one son, Samuel, of West End, and one daughter, Mrs. Mary Doherty, of Rochesay, survive. The funeral will be held from her late residence, 188 Queen street tomorrow. The service will begin at 2:30 o'clock.

A FORGETFUL MAN
A man went to the post office today and mailed a letter for Boston. Then he suddenly occurred to him that he had not stamped the letter. He told his trouble to an official. As there were some hundreds of letters, the official said:—"If you will write the address on a slip of paper and give me a stamp I will see that the letter is stamped."

NO FISH STORY
While cutting up one of a large number of fresh haddock, which were brought to the stall this morning, Fred P. Fuller, who manages the fish market in the lower part of the country market, was surprised to discover a distinct curio in the form of a small shell, which seemed to be growing on the inside of the fish, and it was decorated on its top with an outline of an object resembling a four-leafed clover.

MCGILL REUNION
Great preparations are being made for the reunion of graduates in medicine, at McGill University, Montreal, on June 3 and 6 next. The formal opening of the new medical building will take place at that time. His Excellency the Governor General has consented to be present. Special notices are being sent to all graduates urging them to attend and make the reunion a big success. The programme provides for lectures, lectures, convocations, clinics and demonstrations and class reunions, etc. During the latter part of the week of the reunion the Canadian Medical Association will meet in Montreal and arrangements have been made to secure reduced rates on left rail ways to cover both meetings. Standard certificates should be secured when tickets are purchased.

SHOW LARGE GAIN
The St. John Bank clearings for the week ending today, were \$1,733,489; for corresponding week last year, \$1,475,190.

WOODSTOCK SHOOTING MAY MEAN MURDER

Thos. Woodman McCluskey is Shot By Wm. Blagdon

FAMILY TROUBLE

Blagdon, So Despatch Says, Found McCluskey, Who is a Merchant, at His Home Last Night on Returning Earlier Than Expected

(Special to Times)

Woodstock, N. B., May 4.—A shooting scrape that may result in death and a charge of murder occurred here last night. Wm. Blagdon is now a prisoner in the county jail. Thos. Woodman McCluskey is lying in the hospital shot in the stomach with small chances of recovery. An operation was performed by Dr. Rankin last night with a hope of finding the bullet. Jealousy is said to be the cause of the shooting.

Until a preliminary hearing has taken place the facts of the case will not be known, but it is said that Blagdon had taken a raft of lumber to Fredericton and on returning last night earlier than he was expected, he found McCluskey at his home and shot him.

Chief Kelly was notified at 3 o'clock this morning and Blagdon gave himself up to the chief and handed over the revolver. The request of the chief he made no statement.

Sheriff Tompkins and Chief Kelly went to the hospital early this morning and took a statement from McCluskey, in which he said that the shooting took place in the yard of the Blagdon home in Water street about 10 o'clock last night and that he was on his way home after paying a friendly visit to Mrs. Blagdon and daughter. Magistrate Holyoke took the deposition of McCluskey later this morning. He is forty years of age, a well-to-do farmer and trader. The prisoner is fifty years of age, with wife and two children.

The preliminary hearing will take place as soon as the result of the wound is known. The shooting has created great excitement as McCluskey, whose wife died a few years ago, is a well known citizen and a member of the firm of Phillips, Estey & Co., dealers in farm produce.

FIRE RAGING AT MEDUCTIC

House Burned and Whole Village Threatened by Flames This Morning—Woods on Fire

A telephone message to the Times from Meductic this morning reports a serious fire now raging in the residence of H. O. White. The fire broke out at 10 o'clock, and his sawmill was threatened. All the available men in the village were endeavoring to save the mill, and up to noon the fate of the structure was in doubt.

The woods near the village are on fire, and as a high northeast wind is blowing it was feared that the whole village might be swept by the flames. Mr. White's furniture was saved.

LATER
White's Mill was saved after a hard fight.

P. E. ISLAND MATTERS

Interest in New Appointments—Planning Celebration for Coronation Day

(Special to Times)

Charlottetown, P. E. I., May 4.—The city is interested today in the announcement of the appointment of Premier Hazard as a supreme court judge, succeeding E. J. Hodgson, master of rolls, retired owing to ill health; and of Benjamin C. Brown, a senator succeeding the late Senator Ferguson, who died eighteen months ago.

Mr. Brown is vice-president of the dry goods firm of Prowse Bros., and brother of L. E. Prowse, one of the sitting federal members for Queens county. He is an ex-counselor and has been an active politician although not a candidate for parliament.

At a meeting of citizens yesterday plans were outlined for the celebration of coronation day. It was decided to follow the principal feature of the 1902 programme, including the marching of the school children, a parade of militia and fraternal societies and special services in the churches.

Ben Irving of Cambridge road, near Murray Harbor, whose name was associated with the death of his sister, Della, has made a statement declaring that she fell out of bed while ill. People in the locality seem disposed to reject the foul play theory.

POLICE COURT TODAY

Robert Ellish paid four dollars in the police court this morning for being drunk, but he still had left a roll of more than \$20, having had \$28.25 when placed under arrest yesterday by Policeman O'Neill. He had quite a following while he was free with his change, and, fearing that it might be a heavy loss through his being intoxicated, the patrolman took him to the central police station.

Daniel McDade, aged 60, was fined \$8 or thirty days for wandering about Union street at an early hour this morning, and being unable to account for himself to the satisfaction of the police. A fine of \$4 was struck against James McDonald for drunkenness, while double the penalty was imposed in the cases of John Donovan and Daniel McNally.

DEBATE MOVING PICTURES
That "Moving Pictures are Detrimental to the Welfare of the City" will be the subject for debate in the school room of the Kamouth street church this evening. A team from the Portland Y. M. C. A. will support the resolution, while members of the Kamouth association will oppose it.

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