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SPORTING MATTERS

BASEBALL

CURRIE TEAM WON.

A nine inning game of baseball was played yesterday afternoon on the Weidon lot between the High School team and a team from the Currie Business University. The score stood 25 to 11 in favor of the C. B. U. team.

BIG LEAGUE GAMES.

National League. At Philadelphia—Chicago, 4; Philadelphia, 2. At Boston—Boston, 2; Pittsburgh, 1 (ten innings). At Brooklyn—St. Louis, 4; Brooklyn, 2.

National League Standing.

Table with columns: Team, Won, Lost, P.C. Rows include New York, Chicago, Pittsburgh, Boston, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Brooklyn.

American League.

At Chicago—Chicago-Washington, 10; Detroit, 2. At Detroit—Detroit-New York, 10; Cleveland, 1. At Cleveland—Cleveland-Boston, 10; St. Louis, 1. At St. Louis—Philadelphia, 8; St. Louis, 5.

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Eastern League.

At Rochester—Baltimore-Rochester, 10; Buffalo-Providence-Buffalo, 10. At Buffalo—Providence-Buffalo, 10; Toronto-Toronto-Newark, 10. At Montreal—Montreal, 3; Jersey City, 5.

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New England League.

At Brockton—Lynn, 6; Brockton, 2. At Haverhill—Haverhill, 3; Lowell, 2. At Worcester—New Bedford, 3; Worcester, 1.

Connecticut League.

At Springfield—Springfield, 4; Waterbury, 8. At Hartford—Hartford, 1; Holyoke, 5. At Norwich—Norwich, 3; New Haven, 1.

At New London—Bridgeport, 3; New London, 6 (10 innings).

FLAGSTAFF SNAPPED.

CHICAGO, May 14—A series of mishaps, commencing with the breaking of the flagpole and ending with a furious wind and rain storm, marred the demonstration at the raising of the world's championship pennant at the American League park here today.

Forty ball players and officials held hold of the halyard to haul the great 35-foot pennant to the top of the star.



THE ORIGINAL AND ONLY GENUINE BEWARE OF IMITATIONS SOLD ON THE MERITS OF MINARD'S LINIMENT

breaking of her top ropes. BOSTON, May 15—Cutler Gresham returned Saturday afternoon after an unsuccessful search for derelict schooner, apparently cut in two, in lat. 42 1/2, lon. 66 1/2, with sails and dories attached and one man dead out of water. Had apparently been in collision, as the broken part showed clear at times and appeared to be a dynamite. Also reports passed a conical shaped buoy on Friday (position not mentioned).

Sch. Glendy Burke will be sold at marshal's sale tomorrow at East Boston on a libel claim.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., May 13—The work of salvaging str. Edda (Nor.), which stranded on Squash Meadow Shoal after collision with schr. Sagamore, was begun this afternoon. A diver will attempt to patch the 12-foot hole in her side and when this is done it is expected by freeing the engine room of water the steamer will be raised. The Sagamore, which is sunk in thirteen fathoms of water in mid channel, is being worked by gear can be reached by wreckers and then abandoned, to be blown up by the government as an obstruction to navigation.

LONDON, May 15—Str. Inveran (Br), from New York for Melbourne and Sydney, before reported at Wellington, N. Z., with propeller broken, will be docked at Christchurch for examination.

Hamburg telegraph that bark Marthe (Fr.), which was damaged by collision; plates stove in. Will be surveyed.

DOVER, May 3.—Ship Lonsdale (Br), from Shields for San Francisco, before reported at anchor in Goodwin Sands, with some sails blown away, is now safely anchored in the Downs, with loss of anchor and chain, as well as sails.

DURBAN, April 5.—Str. Ben Vrecks (Br), which arrived here March 31 from Philadelphia, reported that the steam steering gear was slightly out of order. The necessary repairs were effected. The ship proceeded this morning for Sabana.

Wireless Reports.

CAPE RACE, NM, May 15.—Steamer Victorian, from Liverpool for Montreal, was 160 miles east at 7 a. m.

Miscellaneous.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., May 15.—On account of an easterly wind and rough sea, the steamer Edda, which was stranded on Squash Meadow Shoal, was towed to the harbor.

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At the first interview he invited each patient to write her surname and Christian name and age on a piece of paper. The ages to which the women pleaded guilty varied, but all ranged high. The doctor undertook to give each patient the promised elixir the next day, but some time was required to adjust the strength to the individual power of resistance.
On the appointed day the women called again, but the doctor expressed regret that he had unfortunately mislaid the papers containing their ages. For this reason, he said, a new set would be required. He added casually that they ought to know that the oldest of them must allow herself to be burned for the good of the rest, as the basis for the remedy was human ash.
Next day the women brought back papers with their ages on it was found that each had taken many years off the age previously admitted.
Then the doctor, pretending to have found the first papers, called them to witness the success of his invention. Comparing the lists, he showed that he had kept his word in regard to rejuvenation because in forty-eight hours they had all grown many years younger.

CARNEGIE ART SHOCKS SHARON TEACHERS
"The Bath," Prize Painting at Pittsburg Institute, Puts Them to Flight.

PITTSBURG, May 15.—A delegation of fifty-four school teachers from Sharon, Pa., who came here yesterday in a special car to see "The Bath," the first prize winner at the Carnegie Institute art galleries, returned home late properly shocked by La Touche's medal winner.
The teachers had heard a great deal about "The Bath," and when John Stevenson, Jr., a millionaire member of the Sharon School Board, provided them with a special car to come and take a look every public school teacher in Sharon hurried aboard.
When they saw the painting the galleries resounded with such expressions as "Simply horrid," "Why I can't see anything to that picture," and many similar remarks.

UNIQUE ADVERTISING.
A tale is told of Robert Bonner and of his belief in advertising. One day he engaged a whole page of newspaper and repeated a two line advertisement upon it over and over again. It must have been repeated 6,000 times upon the page in the smallest type.
"Why do you waste your money, Robert?" asked a friend. "I noticed that same line so often. Would not half a page have answered your purpose?"
"Half a page would never have caused you to ask the question," replied Mr. Bonner. "At least five people will ask that to every line was the way I figured it."

To cure Headache in ten minutes use **Kumfort Headache Powders**, 10 cents.

SNORES RESULT IN A BRUTAL MURDER
Aged German Confesses to Having Killed Companion During Quarrel.

PORTLAND, Ore., May 15.—William Bloss, an aged German, confessed to having killed his companion, Philander Lemmon, near Roseburg, in a cab in which both occupied during a quarrel, originating in Lemmon having snored loudly and disturbed Bloss. Bloss has the reputation of being quarrelsome.
According to Bloss' confession, Lemmon attempted to strike him with an axe, a scuffle followed, which resulted in Bloss obtaining the axe, and he struck Lemmon a blow on the head that killed him instantly. He buried the body in a ditch near the cabin. Bloss was recently an inmate of a poor farm and showed symptoms of insanity.

FOILED THREE TIMES, ELOPERS FINALLY WED
Young Pittsburg Lovers Win in Battle of Wits Lasting a Year.

PITTSBURG, May 15.—After making three attempts to elope to Youngstown, Ohio, without success, during the last year, Miss Gertrude Pinner, aged 20, of the West End, and James Kattanborn, aged 22, eloped Saturday, and were married at Youngstown that afternoon.
Miss Pinner, who had been so closely watched, got away with her lover, and had the knot tied in Youngstown before they could be stopped. She invited the doctor and younger sister to attend a matinee with her, gave them the tickets, and said she would meet them in the theatre. Mrs. Pinner and her younger daughter, took in the show, but Gertrude came not.
When mother and daughter reached home Mrs. Gertrude Kattanborn was calling on the phone from Youngstown, asking forgiveness.

FRANCE GROWING POORER.
Conclusions Based on Official Returns of the Secession Duties.

LONDON, May 15.—Either France has been growing steadily poorer during the last decade or her capital is being increasingly placed abroad. These alternatives have been reached by the distinguished statistician, Revonville, a member of the Institute, who inclines toward the former. His conclusions are based on the official returns of the succession duty, the sums given as dowries being also taken into account. The figures giving the amount on which duty was paid are available since 1866, when the average for the following five years shows a steady increase. Even the Prussian War caused no diminution in the average, that of 1868-76 being \$24,000, as against \$1,000,000 from 1871 to 1875.
This increase continued until the average was reached in the period from 1881 to 1886 of \$1,288,000. As wealth was then increasing in all countries and there was no reason to fear that its development would be checked in France, it was expected that the average would reach \$1,600,000 for the next five years, whereas the period from 1887 to 1890 yielded only \$1,378,000. That this increase was not merely temporary is shown by the latest five years for which figures are available, 1891-95, when the average reached only \$1,323,400.

CLASSIFIED ADS.

ONE CENT PER WORD per issue is all it costs to insert advertisements like those appearing below in the lively columns of THE SUN or STALL. This ensures them being read in 6,500 St. John homes every evening, and by 7,000 people during the day. SUN and STAR Classified ads. are veritable little busybodies.

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TO LET.

TO Let—Small flat. Apply 21 Mill street.
TO Let—Summer cottage at Brookville, H. ADAMS, Telephone 81. 15-5-6

TO LET—Six-roomed cottage and barn at Red Head for the summer months. Apply to C. B. BARBOUR, 156 Sydney street. Tel. 589. 15-5-6

FLATS TO RENT—MRS. THOMPSON, 194 Guilford Street, Carleton. 4-5-11

TO LET—Desirable flat, 71 Duke Street. Apply on premises. 11-5-6
TO LET—A desirable house, 39 Duke street. Apply on premises. 11-5-6
TO LET—Two small self-contained houses, 791 Haymarket Square. 8-5-11

ROOMS AND BOARDING.

WANTED—Three rooms or small flat for light housekeeping. Address Box 149, care Star. 15-5-6

BOARDING—Pleasant rooms, with or without board, 183 Paradise Hill. 14-5-6

WANTED—Boarders wanted at 5 Dorchester street. 13-5-6

ROOMS WITH BOARD for gentlemen in private family, 59 Elliott Row, St. John. 30-4-11

TO LET—Large pleasant room, suitable for two gentlemen. Good table. BOSTON HOUSE, 14 Chipman Hill. 20-4-10

BOARDING.—Persons desiring to change boarding will do well to call and inspect at 75 King street. (over) Macaulay Bros. & Co., where they can be provided with comfortable rooms and good table. 22-3-11

TO LET—Furnished rooms at Tremont, suitable for light housekeeping at very moderate rates. 22-3-11

ARTICLES WANTED

WANTED—Rubber-tired Runabout or Bangor. Address BOX 170, Star Office. 15-5-6

WANTED—Horse for driving purposes, about 1100 or 1150. Sound, kind and not afraid of anything. Waterloo No. Box 53, Post office. 11-5-6

WANTED—Old mahogany furniture. Will give highest cash prices. W. A. KAIN, 116 Germain street. 12-5-6

WANTED TO PURCHASE—Gentlemen's cast off clothing, Jewelry, Bicycles, etc. Highest prices paid. Call or send postal to L. WILLIAMS, 16 Dock street. 24-4-10

SITUATIONS VACANT—FEMALE

DINING ROOM HELP Wanted at once at the HOTEL EDWARD. 15-5-6

WANTED—A girl to learn the dry goods business, one living in the vicinity. J. G. CARLETON, corner Waterloo and Brussels. 15-5-6

WANTED—At once, Girls to learn Millinery. Apply 107 Charlotte street. 15-5-6

WANTED—Girls wanted. UNGARS LAUNDRY. Apply at once. 14-5-11

MILLINERS WANTED—For our own work-room. Apply at once, Brook & Paterson, Ltd. 15-5-11

WANTED—An assistant lady bookkeeper, one having experience preferred. Apply by letter, giving references. OAK HALL, Scott Bros. Ltd. 25-4-11

IF YOU WANT male or female help or a better situation in St. John or Boston, try GRANT'S Employment Agency, 69 St. James street, West side. 6-2-11

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Along Duchan and Main to Albert street, gold brooch with pearl centre. Finder please leave at Star office. 14-5-6

LOST—My 8th, on Charlotte or Duke street, a lady's silver watch and chain. Finder will please leave at Star Office and be rewarded. 15-5-6

ARTICLES FOR SALE

J. D. McAVITY, dealer in hard and soft soles. Delivered promptly in the city. 23 Brussels street. 15-5-6

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W.M. L. WILLIAMS, SUCCESSOR to M. A. Finn, Wholesale and Retail Wine and Spirit Merchant, 110 and 112 FRANK W.M. ST. Established 476. Write for family price list.

JAMES G. McGOVERN, Agent, No. 1 Mill street, sells coal, good coal, hard and soft, and delivers promptly. Tel. 4.

A. FITZGERALD, 25 Dock street. Boots, Shoes and Rubbers repaired. Also full line of Men's Boots and Shoes at reasonable prices. Rubber Ties attached, 3c.

F. C. Wesley Co., Artists, Engravers and Electrotypers, 59 Water street, St. John, N. B. Telephone 92.

HAVE YOUR PAPERING, PAINTING AND WHITENING done cheaply and quickly. Very moderate prices. F. W. EDWARDS, 33 Sydney street. Telephone 1611.

ST. JOHN PULP CO. can give you cheaper dry wood than any other pulp company in St. John. We also keep in stock the celebrated Springhill Coal. We have equipped cooking stoves, and also both Scotch and American Hard Coal. Prompt delivery with our own teams. Telephone 1394. 8 July-1 yr.

WILLIAM H. PATERSON, Graduate Doctor of Optics, 65 Brussels street. Glasses perfectly fitted, two years ago may be far from right now. We will examine your eyes FREE and only require a change if absolutely beneficial. 2-3-1 yr.

E. LAW, Watchmaker, 3 Coburg St. 15-5-6

DOMESTICS WANTED

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply at 9 Castle street. 15-5-6

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework. Must have references. Apply to Mrs. C. T. Newell, 30 Queen street. 15-5-11

WANTED—Girl for general housework. References required. Apply to Mrs. W. G. DUNLOP, 216 King street east. 15-5-6

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Mrs. J. W. DANIEL, 148 Prince street. 14-5-11

WANTED—Three girls at Park Hotel. 14-5-6

WANTED—A middle aged woman for housework in a family of two. Apply between 5 and 8 o'clock at 22 Simonds street. References required. 14-5-6

WANTED—Wanted at once experienced chambermaid. Also dining room girl. Lansdowne House, King Square. 13-5-6

WANTED—A good general girl, also nursemaid, to go to Rothesay about the first of June. Apply to Mrs. J. B. Cudlip, 42 Coburg street, between six and eight o'clock. 13-5-6

WANTED—Competent general girl for housework. Apply to Mrs. J. B. Cudlip, 42 Coburg street, between six and eight o'clock. 13-5-6

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply Mrs. CHAS. DUMMER, 23 Paters street. 11-5-11

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Call between 7 and 8 in evening. 3 Summer street. 12-5-6

WANTED—Capable girl for general housework in small family. Apply 135 St. James street, right hand hall. 11-5-6

WANTED—Two Kitchen Girls. Apply at once to GRAND UNION HOTEL. 11-5-6

WANTED—A general servant. References required. Apply No. 39 Pitt street. 10-5-6

WANTED—Girl for light general housework. Family of three. No laundry. Mrs. A. S. HART, 25 Coburg St. 10-5-6

WANTED—Girl wanted. Good wages. No washing. Apply to Mrs. C. PEICOY HUMPHREY, Cor. Wentworth and Grand. 8-5-11

GENERAL GIRLS, cooks and housemaids can always get best places and highest pay. Apply MISS HANSON, Employment Office, 153 Charlotte street. 15-5-6

WANTED—A cook and housemaid. Apply to Mrs. JAMES F. HARDING, 14 Germain street. 6-5-11

WANTED—A pantry girl and chambermaid, at the Victoria Hotel. 1-5-11

GIRL WANTED for general housework. Apply No. 23 Germain street. 24-4-11

The time to pay close attention to advertising is all the time.—Chas. Austin Bates, N. Y.

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EXPERIENCED COLLECTOR wants position, or will take work on commission. Best references given. Box 117 Star Office. 18-4-11

WANTED—By experienced hand, situation as shopper. Good references furnished. Address Box 122 Star. 24-4-11

REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—A new double tenement house with fresh hold. Price \$2,500. J. W. MORRISON, Real Estate Agent, Ritchie building, Ring 1643. 8-5-11

WHIPPED SON UNTIL HIS FLESH WAS PULP.

CHICAGO, Ills., May 15.—A dispatch from Athens, Ga., says: "Because he whipped his 13-year-old son for playing baseball on Sunday, J. H. Arnold, a travelling evangelist, was yesterday sentenced to six months on the Rock pile by Mayor Dorney. Physicians testified that the boy was lashed until his flesh was pulp and that he might not recover. Arnold said he believed it was a deadly sin to play baseball on Sunday, and he had ordered his son not to play, but the latter disobeyed and was even captain of the team."

LIVING WITH THE WHITES.

SEATTLE, May 15.—The entertainment committee of Christian Endeavor Societies of Seattle, having in charge preparations for the National Christian Endeavor celebration to be held here in July, last night after considerable debate voted that colored delegates should not be housed in the same hotels with whites.

Shad, Halibut, Cod, Haddock, Gaspereaux and Lobsters

THE CLEAN STORE.....
SMITH'S FISH MARKET
TELEPHONE 1704. 25 SYDNEY ST.

They're All Here.

As there is no standard shape of face and figure, so no shape of hat will suit all men. There is only one reason, why we have in stock HATS of all the different shapes, styles, grades and prices.

J. B. Bardsley, THE HATTER, 179 Union St

SITUATIONS VACANT MALE

WANTED—Immediately, two painters. Apply A. E. HAMILTON, Brussels street, Phone 1623. 15-5-11

WANTED—Strictly first class piano salesman for city and road work, for Winnipeg and territory west of Vancouver. Must be able to furnish best of references. Good salary to right man. Apply MASON & RUSCH PIANO CO., LTD., 256 Main street, Winnipeg, Man. 15-5-6

WANTED—Two boys about 16 years old to work in packing room. Apply T. H. ESTABROOKS, Corner Mill and North streets. 15-5-6

WANTED—Young man for factory. T. HANKINS & SONS, Ltd. 15-5-6

WANTED—Couple of boys to work around our wood yard. Apply GIBBON & CO., Smythe street. 15-5-11

WANTED—A barber. Apply 149 Mill street. 14-5-4

WANTED—Two good stout boys to learn mattress making. HUTCHINGS & CO., 101 Germain street. 14-5-11

WANTED—Teamsters. Apply GEO. DICK, 48 Britannia street. 14-5-11

WANTED—Two ironers. Apply W. HAMILTON, contractor, Brussels street. Telephone 1623. 14-5-11

WANTED—Young men, Labatt's, 22 Water street. 15-5-6

WANTED—A clerk and teamster. Apply at The 2 Barkers, 100 Princess street. 13-5-11

WANTED—At once two competent machine hands. Good wages. Permanent employment. Apply LAWTON CO., 3 Erin street. 3-5-11

WANTED—A man of good address to sell advertising novelties and postcards. Excellent sideline. Absolutely new, good commission. G. B. METZLER, Box 380, Halifax. 2-5-11

WANTED—A strong boy with full education to work in grocery store and drive team. Apply Archibald Duncan, 57 Paradise Row. 11-4-11

BOYS WANTED.—Press Feeders. PATERSON AND CO., 137 Germain street. 17-4-11

WANTED—Young man having two or three years' experience at type setting. Apply SUN PRINTING CO., LTD. 18-2-11

WANTED—Bell boy and kitchen girl. DUFFERIN HOTEL. 11-4-11

WANTED—A man with good business experience, wants a partnership in an established manufacturing or wholesale business. Can furnish capital. Apply to "PARTNER," P. O. Box 17, Saint John, N. B. 8-11-11

Wanted at Once

Foreman Tailor, Hotel Cook, General House Girls, Axle Maker, 15 Rough Painters.

First Class Cabinet Makers, First Class Saw Filer, \$2.50 a day. Apply to D. J. McRAE, Globe Building, St. John, N. B. 6-11-11

COURT CHAMPIONS A WIFE WHO CAN'T COOK

Judge Staples Tells Young Husband He Must be Patient.

STROUSTBURG, Pa., May 15.—Judge Charles L. Staples today came to the rescue of young housewives who have had to learn the art of cooking and housekeeping. Charles Nace, 19 years old, had been arraigned for failing to support his wife and baby. He gave as an excuse his wife's inability to keep house.

"Young man, your wife is nothing but a girl," said the court. "You can't expect her to keep house for you as if she were a woman. She must learn, and I believe that she is willing to learn."

"Why, when I was married, my wife was only 18, and she, too had to learn, and did learn. Perhaps we, also, at first had our ups and downs, but we bore and forebore and got over it."

CONFIDENCE IN IRISH PARTY

PERTH, West Australia, May 15.—At the inter-state conference today of the Hibernian societies, representing 25,000 members, a resolution was adopted expressing confidence that the Irish party under the leadership of John E. Redmond would carry a correct attitude toward Mr. Birrell's Irish bill.

A LOW BIRTH RATE.

Vital Statistics for England and Wales Show Warrant on Record.

LONDON, May 15.—The Registrar-General of Vital Statistics in England and Wales reports that in 1906 the births were 344,391. This is at the rate of 27 per 1,000 of the total population, the lowest hitherto recorded. It is 1.7 per 1,000 below the average of the preceding ten years. There were 330,715 deaths. The rate is 15.4 per 1,000, as compared with an average of 16.8 during the preceding ten years.

Between eight and nine o'clock last night Officer Crawford was called to Queen Square to disperse a crowd of boys who were setting off fire-crackers and raising a disturbance.

AUCTIONS.

W.S.P. Walter S. Potts, Auctioneer.
Sales of all kinds attended.

Furniture Sales at Residence a Specialty.
Office—Market Street. Phone 391.

INHERITED TICKET WON HIM \$4,050

Ottawa Civil Servant Benefits by German Lottery—Pastorboard 23 Years Old.

OTTAWA, May 15.—Mr. W. H. Rodgers, interpreter in the Immigration Department has won \$4,050 in the annual drawing on May 1 at Leipzig. The story reads like a piece of magazine fiction. In Leipzig and Braunschweig, in Germany, there are conducted every year, two lotteries, drawings for which are made on Jan. 1 and May 1 in each lottery are 25,000 tickets which are subscribed for by individuals, the cost being 25 marks or 48 per cent. The same ticket is held by the same person year after year. Seventy-five people may win prizes varying from 100,000 marks to 500.

Mr. Rodgers' father was a British Consul in Austria and he purchased ticket No. 18,901. At his death the pastebord passed to his son, who for 23 years paid his 48 per cent as holder. This morning an official communication apprised him of his good fortune. The value of the prize is \$4,050, the clear profit of which, when his fees to conduct the lottery are deducted, amounts to \$4,050. Mr. Rodgers has been protected from the liquor traffic by a state prohibition law, in accordance with a custom under which the express company does a big business. In both instances the whisky was shipped from Cincinnati, O., but in the absence of any order for it from the consignee, and the record showed that shipments are constantly made in this way and the liquor delivered and the pay for it collected by the express companies in the absence of any knowledge by the purchasers as to the name and identity of the shipper.

Cincinnati liquor men. It was further contended, procured the names of the users of liquor in prohibition counties, and kept on hand at the local express offices a constant supply of intoxicants, to be delivered whenever paid for.

All the liquor is shipped collect on delivery and the fact that the companies hold the goods, notify the consignees and collect the pay in the absence of any orders afford the ground for the charge that the express companies were virtually vendors of liquor themselves. The express companies pleaded that they were common carriers, obliged under their contracts to make collections on c. o. d. packages.

EXPRESS COMPANIES WIN IN LIQUOR CASES

Supreme Court Holds They Can Ship Whisky Into Prohibition Counties.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Express companies can ship whisky from one state to another where there are prohibitory laws and deliver it c. o. d. to consignees who had not ordered it, but who are willing to pay for it.

A decision of the Kentucky Court of Appeals against the express companies was today reversed by the United States Supreme Court which held that the traffic in interstate commerce.

It was charged that sales of whisky had been made in two counties which are protected from the liquor traffic by a state prohibition law, in accordance with a custom under which the express company does a big business. In both instances the whisky was shipped from Cincinnati, O., but in the absence of any order for it from the consignee, and the record showed that shipments are constantly made in this way and the liquor delivered and the pay for it collected by the express companies in the absence of any knowledge by the purchasers as to the name and identity of the shipper.

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ST. JOHN STAR.

ST. JOHN, N. B., MAY 16, 1907.

THE ALDERMEN AND CUSHING.

It is pleasant to hear a man once in a while, speak what is really in his mind instead of beating about the bush and with a mass of words endeavoring to hide his true meaning. Ald. Lewis at yesterday's meeting of the board of works put in speech what a good many people have been thinking for some time, that the shoving of Engineer Peters is only a step towards getting rid of Director Cushing. Those aldermen who have such an object in view—and some of them certainly have—might just as well have said so months ago. There are others in the council who are not following exactly the same course. They care nothing about Mr. Peters, but they heartily desire to accept once and for all the resignation of Mr. Cushing. Yet they have been afraid to say so.

This is a nice condition for a city to be in. Here is a man in charge of the most important department of the civic government, a man who may be a very capable engineer and superintendent, but one whose work has not thoroughly pleased the board of aldermen, and who has certainly failed to gain the praise of the public generally. And while this dissatisfaction exists, the aldermen are afraid to move him. There is not one member of the council who would retain in his private employ a person whose work proved unsatisfactory. Two weeks' notice would be the proper thing, and it is ridiculous to think that any other policy should be adopted in the management of public affairs. Let us have an end to this nonsense. If the majority of the aldermen want to dismiss Mr. Cushing and these interminable discussions would indicate that they do, let them say so. The people are getting tired of the squabbling in which one man is throwing the whole aldermanic board into a panic. Dismiss the director or come to some definite understanding with him by which he will do as he is told and accept once and for all a fixed salary.

LOTS TO BE LEARNED.

The Grand Worthy Patriarch of the Sons of Temperance in his annual report says:

"We have reached a period of temperance reform in this province where it is important not to slacken our efforts. To hesitate would be to court final and ignominious failure." Along with this may be read the resolution passed by the executive of the Temperance Federation in reply to the request of the government that one man should be named as a member of the commission to study the results obtained in Prince Edward Island. The executive in self-satisfied complacency decided that they knew all about the temperance question and that a further effort to procure information was wholly unnecessary. Yet in order not to be found wanting they condescendingly consented to select a man. Surely this is not the spirit in which to meet any such proposal. Even educated men, as are those who compose the Federation executive, may learn from experience of others, and when a question which affects the rights of all the people is to be dealt with, no man has any authority to say that he knows all there is to know.

Some of New Brunswick's reformers believe that the P. E. Island law has produced wonderful results. It has. But these are not the men who know what the temperance people of Charlottetown proclaim for the benefit of outsiders and the Federation's commissioner. If he keeps his eyes open, will find many things which will scarcely tend to confirm his preconceived ideas. The lid is down in Charlottetown taking that city as an example for the province, but there are many leaks in the bucket. There are numerous drug stores in which the sale of liquor is no small part of the business. In former days it was the custom to go into an open bar and have a drink. Now a merchant takes his friends into his own back shop. Liquor is not sold in saloons but in immoral dives, in back yards and in drug stores. There are not so many drunks arrested but everyone who wants a drink can get it, and does get it. The result of the present temperance law, has been to prevent the continued intoxication of thirty or forty old toppers, to make men who use liquor to keep private supplies and to encourage perjury. This is of course in addition to the results more generally understood by New Brunswick temperance workers, the decrease in arrests, etc.

Yes, the delegation from the Federation will find lots of live news by visiting Prince Edward Island.

Unless large subsidies are paid, Sir Wilfrid Laurier's fast service between Britain and Australia via Canada, will prove a financial failure. The sums mentioned to be given the various lines

appear to be sufficiently generous, but in order to make more certain the success of the Atlantic service, might the federal government not bring into effect a little clause stating that the British preference shall apply only to goods brought to Canadian ports in British bottoms?

WEATHER PROPHECY IN CACTUS CENTRE.

We are peaceful here in Cactus, and we do not kick or carp. But we've had a heap of trouble with a science weather sharp; He was sent here by the 'Gov'm't., with his charts and wind machines And a diagram for tellin' when the rain is wet or mean.

We'd depended on Unk Peters to see long and many years For a-prophecyin' weather—so when this here sharp appears And some competition enters, we rule this in the case. The prophet who comes nearest is the one who holds the place.

Well, the first day Uncle Sam's man says 'twas sure to rain a bit, And old Uncle Pete says sunshine—and Pete's guesstin' made the hit; But the second day Pete lost out, which made the score a tie, And 'twas science 'gainst the goosebone when the third guess time drew nigh.

The weather sharp was anxious, and he faggeder mighty close, And he didn't sneer at Uncle, nor he didn't laugh nor boast; He guesses fair and warmer, and old Uncle says 'twill blow— And sure enough a norther put us two feet under snow.

So we chased the man of science 'cross the prairie forty mile, His wind machine we're usin' for a gambler's wheel awhile; And our old time weather prophet is the sort that seems to win 'Cause the weather's been delightful now that science don't but in.

SHE GOT HIS NUMBER.

A tired shopping crowd homeward bound filled the trolley car to suffocation. One of the last to get in was an aggressive-looking woman. When the conductor came for her fare she refused to "I shan't pay," she said, "because I have no seat. You had no right to let so many people on the car."

"You saw it was jammed. Why did you get in?" retorted the conductor, tartly. "You will have to pay your fare or get off."

"I'll pay when you find me a seat; not before," said the woman, her voice a temper rising. The conductor signaled to the motorman, and the car stopped.

"Now, give me the nickel or get off," he said. "How dare you talk to me so!" she cried. "I'll report you, sir, what's your number?"

An inspiration seized the passengers. "Twenty-three!" shouted half a dozen of them in chorus.

The burst of laughter that followed effected the complete rout of the aggressive woman. Gathering up her parcels she fled to the street, and the car went on its way.

INSTRUMENTS OF FICTION.

Nagrus (literary editor)—By the way, Boris, where did you get the material for that society novel you're writing? Boris (struggling author)—At a department store. I'm using only the commonest kinds of pens, ink and paper.

NOT AMBROSIA.

She—I see an average man needs 1,600 pounds' weight of food yearly. He—Yes, but he doesn't want it in one batch of biscuits, dear!

A BROKEN SPELL.

His Wife (writing)—Which is proper, "dissatisfied" or "dissillusioned"? Her Husband—Oh, just say "married" and let it go at that.

STOCK WATERING.

"The chief reforms urged on railroads have merely changed existing ones about." "In what way?" "Watering less stock on their capital and more on the cattle trails."

BROUGHT HOME TO HIM.

Crusht—After all, right doesn't always make light does it? Frankman—I don't know about that. The matrimonial rite seems to have made a mile of you.

HEAR, HEAR!

"Pa," "Well!" "What's women's rights?" "Everything they want. Run away."—Cleveland Leader.

A LEGAL REMEDY.

Hostess—Were you snazick coming across dear? Miss Pert—Oh, no! You see, papa was with us, Hostess—But what law that to do with your not being snazick? Miss Pert—Well, you know papa is a judge, and he overruled the motion.—Boston Transcript.

BADLY RUSHED.

Sachs (to friend in restaurant)—Well, and how's business? Friend—Splendid, splendid! Why, I can't even get my meals at the right time. Just see what I'm eating now. It's my breakfast of yesterday.—Floh.

ROUGH ON THE FOOD.

The child had been taught to say grace at the table. Occasionally he varied it.

"Oh, Lord, please forgive us for this breakfast they've put on the table," he said one morning.—Houston Post.

BEAUTIES OF EDITORIAL GENTLENESS.

The office boy had pled the first page by dropping the form down two flights of stairs.

"I wish," murmured the gentle editor, "that you had broken the news more gently."—Washington Star.

HOW TO LIVE LONG AND BE HEALTHY

Alcohol and Nicotine Neither Help Nor Hinder

Drunk Daily, Died Aged 110—Another Man Who Drank Forty Cups of Coffee a Day, Lived 114 Years.

PARIS, May 15.—Just when, according to cable despatches from America, we are informed that a doctor told a congress of physicians that it was their duty to kill dying consumptives quick by an interesting and important book published in Paris dealing with longevity, encouraging it and holding out the hope that it may be attained by individual desire and care. To be sure, this book preconceives healthy subjects, but all know how many consumptives declared to be dying have taken on new life and survived for years of usefulness and even robustness. Wasn't it like Marvel who recently celebrated at his American home who was sent to sea at an early age as a tortoise hope and who said that the tubercles apparently came up with the rest and left him good for scores of years?

This new book, which has been reviewed among scientific chronicles, is Prof. Metchnikoff's. The author considers among other instances, that of the Neully woman, whose death at 106 was recently noted, and who showed no signs of arterial deterioration. One of the chapters is entitled: "Is It Necessary to Try to Prolong Human Life?" The answer is in the affirmative, for this optimistic gospel of longevity carried with it the prolongation of a person's usefulness to himself and to society.

The latest statistics show that France has nearly 2,000,000 people past 70 years of age, whose supply is an increased number would increase the financial difficulties, but the problem at this time is otherwise stated. It is the aging before death that augments the number of dependent old folks. If there is to be success in prolonging life it is to be by means of eliminating the waste which brings on age before one's time. Then intelligence and aptitude for labor will be preserved, and society will be the gainer. It may be utilitarian, but the problem of power of labor, reinforced by their greater experience of life.

Hygiene necessarily plays an important part in this longevity, but living exceptions are noted among centenarians who disregard it. A man who died at 110 was drunk every night since his life. The case of a butcher in the Hautes Pyrenees, who died at the age of 120. An incident is recounted in which the landowner lived to be 130, and who ordered inscribed on his tombstone that he was always drunk, and in that state so terrible that death itself feared him.

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It will interest the large body of smokers to know that most centenarians are not smokers, though there are exceptions here again, since one man received a prize in 1894 who was an inveterate smoker and died at 102, and in 1897 a Finisterra woman died at 104 who had smoked a pipe since her youth.

Indulgences are prone to mar from these examples the deduction that these persons may be innocent, but they are badly mistaken. Their secret seems to be that it is not the quantity of the poison that harms, but the degree to which the system absorbs it. With the eliminative organs working properly poisons merely traverse the system. Let there be defective operation of these defensive organs and the poisons accumulate and bring in their train all the other ills.

With this simple philosophy of life it would seem that each possessed the secret and power of longevity, save that a clinical examination alone can determine the functional perfection of his organs. It is not wise, therefore, for an ordinary mortal to treat himself to the quantities of intoxicants in which some centenarians indulged until he is sure that he has such a liver and kidneys as theirs.

DOES FRESH AIR COUNT.

There is something of a surprise in store for the advocates of the life giving qualities of the crisp air of mountainous regions in fact, it is recorded that Switzerland is distinguished by a scarcity of centenarians, yet three Balkan States reported 5,000 centenarians at one time, while statistics show

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that 150 centenarians die annually in France. Longevity has two factors, the quality of the human machine and individual energy. Would you live long, conserve the ancestral energy, and the initial capital with which you enter the world, augmented through proper alimentation and observe hygiene. Energy is the body's faculty of producing the force to work. Life means incessant organic activity, utilizing the force obtained through foods, which carry the accumulated energy of their substance and liberating it yield the power to live. Mankind now knows many means favoring the production of food and the utilization of individual energy, which is only one of the forms of universal energy. It is necessary to utilize these means at work and prolonging several lives.

Mid-Week Change

The pictures that have delighted thousands of people during the past three days at the Nickel will be replaced at noon today by an entirely new series. A Trip to Niagara is claimed to be one of the most thrilling and realistic subjects ever recorded in motion pictures. The famous falls are shown from every aspect and the utilization of water is most awe inspiring. Pay Day is described as a "humorous sketch" and fully carries out the author's intention by keeping the audience in roars of laughter. The scene opens in a typical French town, where the factory hands are being paid off on Saturday. Instead of taking their pay straight home to wife, as all good husbands do, a number of light hearted sports proceed to have a good time and they have no difficulty in finding—and causing—lots of trouble. The picture teems with funny situations. Cavalry exercises will appeal to the taste of everybody and especially to the "martial spirited."

Wesley Willis and the Motor Car is the name of another humorous sketch. Frank A. sets will introduce the latest illustrated song entitled Bob White in Whistling in the Meadow, accompanied by some beautiful illustrations by Williams and Van Alstyne.

A VISION.

I saw Eternity the other night, Like a great ring of pure endless light, All calm, as it were bright— And round beneath it, Time, in hours, days, years, Driven by the spheres, Like a vast shadow moved; in which All and her train were hurld.

Housecleaning!

Household Ammonia, 100 pt. Babbitt's Potash, 120 tin. Gillet's "120" Bug Poison, 25c bt. Furniture Polish, 25c bt.

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Dr. C. Sydney Emerson, DENTIST, 34 Wellington Row. Porcelain Work a Specialty. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 12 m. and from 2 p. m. to 5 p. m. Phone 129.

Cleanliness and Health

In relation to the HANDLING OF BREAD. Did you ever consider how many times a loaf is handled after leaving the oven.....?

White Clover Bread

is the only Bread in St. John since Mr. Kent Scovill went out of business, which is wrapped hot from the oven. All subsequent handling on the wrapper. Ends left open so you may see what you buy.

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The Vic's Re-Opening

A regular old-time crowd will be on hand Saturday night when Victoria rink is formally opened for the roller skating season, for at the rate inquiries are being made at the Vic of a great many are anxiously awaiting the completion of repairs to the immense floor so that they can get at their favorite pastime once again. Manager Armstrong invites all the ladies to attend the opening free of charge. Polite attendants and up-to-date popular band music.

The chief feature of the celebration of the sixty-sixth anniversary of the Laddow Street Baptist church to be held tonight, will be the burning of the mortgage. All the Baptist ministers of the city will be present and take some part in the proceedings.

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BOARD OF WORKS

The board of works met yesterday afternoon, and as has been the case during the past three meetings, a heated argument took place over the duties of Director Cushing.

City Engineer Hugh Peters had prepared plans for the reconstruction of Union street, West End, and he presented the plans at the meeting. Mr. Peters sent a letter to the board in which he stated that the plans drawn up by him would, to the best of his knowledge, restore the street to its former condition. Two cribs are to be built, one across Rodney slip from crib No. 1 to Rodney wharf, the other from the end of No. 2 crib southerly. These cribs are supported on piles and are to be heavily ballasted. There is to be a double row of piles driven along the street line.

After Engineer Peters' letter had been read Ald. Baxter asked what steps the director had taken in making his plans and specifications. The latter stated that he had written to the engineer stating his views and asked him to draw up the plans accordingly. Ald. Baxter wanted to know what he had done beyond writing to the engineer. The director said that he had done nothing further. Ald. Baxter replied that the director's answer was a wilful insult to the board. He moved that the board recommend the council to amend the VII of the regulations for the director of public works, the rule to be amended by saying "Also to perform such engineering services as may be directed from time to time by the board of works."

"Director Cushing will do the work asked, so far as I am a member, or he will vacate his office," said Ald. Baxter. Ald. Spragg seconded Ald. Baxter's motion that the rule be amended. The director said the discussion was nearing its end, took a strong stand for Director Cushing. He stated at the last meeting that the director was doing good work, and he repeated these words yesterday. He moved that Mr. Peters' plans be accepted and the director carry them out. The amendment was lost.

A request from Harbor Master Ferris for one month's leave of absence was granted, and Frank Alward was appointed in his place. Engineer Peters produced estimates which were not complete regarding filling in Union street. It was decided to confer with the C. P. R. about the filling in, as they send heavy trains across the street. The meeting then adjourned.

UNION SANCTIONED BY THE EMPEROR

ST. PETERSBURG, May 15.—An imperial order was issued today, creating the Princess Anastasia of Montenegro, who was married May 12 at Yalta to the Grand Duke Nicholas Nicolaevitch, a grand duchess, and announcing the Emperor's sanction of their union. This was the first official reference to the marriage, of which no formal cognizance hitherto has been taken on account of the attitude of the Orthodox Church towards the remarriage of divorced persons, the grand duchess having been divorced from her first husband, Prince George Romanowski, Duke of Leuchtenberg. The newly married couple are still at Yalta. Yesterday they received a deputation of Mohammedan villagers, who presented them with the traditional bread and salt, and assured the grand duke that in future, as in the past, they always will be true to the emperor and his family.

GRADUATING RECITAL

SACKVILLE, May 15.—Beethoven hall was filled to overflowing last evening, the attraction being the graduating recital of Miss Mabel Gertrude Dixon, reader, Sackville. The hall was tastefully decorated with red and white burning and potted plants. Miss Dixon delighted the audience with three numbers, each of which was beautifully rendered. Her rendition of the "Requies of Lydia" was exceptionally fine. She was assisted by the University quartette, Messrs. Black, Davidson, Outbridge and Westmorland, who rendered two vocal numbers very effectively. Miss Dixon was presented with two handsome bouquets.

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COMMERCIAL

BANK OF ENGLAND.

LONDON, May 16.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes: Total reserve decreased \$487,000. Circulation decreased \$148,000. Bullion decreased \$217,877. Other securities decreased \$246,000. Public deposits increased \$1,012,000. Notes reserve decreased \$279,000. Government securities unchanged. The proportion of the bank's reserve to its liability this week is 46.37 per cent. compared with 46.70 last week.

BANK OF BENGAL.

CALCUTTA, May 16.—The rate of discount of the Bank of Bengal was reduced today from 6 to 5 per cent.

UNCHANGED.

LONDON, May 16.—The Bank of England's rate of discount remained unchanged today at four per cent.

WALL STREET.

NEW YORK, May 16.—Opening prices of stocks were little altered from last night's closing, a number of the usually active issues starting unchanged. The dealings were insignificant in volume. The market opened irregular.

COTTON MANUFACTURERS MEET.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 16.—Much business was crowded into the concluding session today of the American Cotton Manufacturers' Association's convention. The report of the secretary and treasurer showed the organization to be in a prosperous condition.

POOR CROPS EXPECTED.

ODESSA, May 16.—The European wheat situation is regarded by competent grain merchants here as being most unfavorable. The present prices are the highest, the experts on the bourse can remember to have been quoted in Russia for decades past. The provinces of Bessarabia, Poltava, Kherson and Podolia are gravely affected. Seventy-five per cent of the winter crops have been damaged by the cold weather and dry spring. Owing to the sudden rise in temperature a fortnight ago, the entire spring crops will be lost unless rain falls within a week, in which case possibly 85 per cent of the spring crop will be saved.

The president of the grain bureau attributes the present prices in Russia to the foreign quotations of grain, which Russia is compelled to follow owing to the exhaustion of her stocks. The prospect of a crop failure, however, has not caused any speculation in grain.

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Table with columns for stock names and prices. Includes Amalg. Copper, Am. Sugar Refr., Am. Smelt. and Rfg., Am. Car Foundry, etc.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

Table with columns for commodity names and prices. Includes July corn, wheat, pork, etc.

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS.

Table with columns for commodity names and prices. Includes Dom. Coal, Dom. I. and S., etc.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

Table with columns for commodity names and prices. Includes July, October, December, January.

Miss Furlong positively denies that either the Bank of Nova Scotia or the Bank of Montreal has purchased the property on Charlotte street belonging to the Furlong estate, and says further that neither of the banks are negotiating for the property.

PRESIDENT'S NAME INVOLVED IN HAYWOOD MURDER TRIAL



Court House in which accused men will be tried.

BOISE, Idaho, May 15.—The unexpected uncovering of a vein of prejudice against Harry Orchard and his testimony during the further examination of the trial of William D. Haywood for complicity in the murder of former Governor Steiensenberg, today led to the first sharp wrangle between counsel and inquirer in the name of President Roosevelt in a momentous discussion. The day and the incident began with Samuel Wingate, the eleventh witness, in the hands of defense for examination in chief.

Questioning had proceeded a short distance when it developed that Wingate was to be asked to give his testimony which it is expected he will give against Haywood. The defense naturally tried at once to show that Wingate's state of mind on the subject was not such as would warrant his removal from the box, but when the state attorney Booth quickly drew from him the flat-footed statement that he could not under any circumstances give evidence to Ordahl, the witness was on this occasion, the defense engaged in earnest consultations as to the course to be pursued.

AUSTRIAN ELECTIONS.

VIENNA, May 16.—The returns from the elections held Tuesday throughout Austria, while not yet complete, show conclusively that the most powerful parties in the Lower House of Parliament that will assemble here will be the Socialists and the Anti-Semites.

HARGRAVES CIRCUS IS COMING TO ST. JOHN.

With the Biggest Captive Elephant in the World—Will Appear Here Early in June.

MR. FRANK S. PARLEE IS GOING TO WINNIPEG.

Leaving for the West This Evening—Addresses and Presentation Made to Him.

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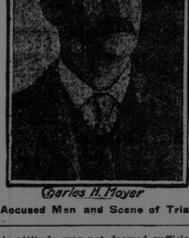
Commences at sharp 8.30 in the morning and will continue for a week. Every regular salesman, with numerous assistants, will be quite ready for the rush, and arrangements have been made for additional deliveries.

SALT FOR CATTLE.

The only way in which salt should be given to cattle is in lumps, big enough for them to lick handily, with no danger of their swallowing them.



George P. Maw, a young farmer.



Charles H. Moyer, accused man and scene of trial.

with some strong opinions as to the acts of certain elements in the labor movement of the country, was then called to the vacant place. The state passed him and he was still in the hands of the defense when adjournment hour was reached.

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During the first week in June St. John will be visited by the first circus of the season, the Hargraves show which is making a tour of the east. This circus will visit many Maine towns, and afterwards come into New Brunswick.

MR. FRANK S. PARLEE IS GOING TO WINNIPEG.

Mr. Frank S. Parlee, who has been connected with the W. H. Hayward Co. for the past twenty-four years, a short time ago received a tempting offer from the John L. Cassidy Co. of Winnipeg, to become manager of their business.

TO RELIEVE THE FREIGHT CONGESTION AT PICTOU.

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MAYOR TRYING TO EFFECT SETTLEMENT

Takes Action in Montreal Strike and Has Conference With Both Parties—More Teamsters Out.

MONTREAL, May 15.—Mayor Ekers this afternoon summoned representatives of the Shipping Federation and the striking longshoremen to meet him at the city hall. Both parties accepted the invitation. The conference was not a joint one, though both parties were in the building at the same time.

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GETTING AFTER THE MAN WHO MARRIED COREY AND GILMAN

Brooklyn Congregation to Deal With Rev. J. L. Clark—He Has Resigned.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION.

In re Estate of Kennedy Huston, late of the City of Saint John, deceased. Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration of the Estate of the late Kennedy Huston, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned E. Annie O'Dell.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

LARGE AND PLEASANT ROOM with board, suitable for two gentlemen, in private family. Apply 92 Elliott Row. 16-5-4.

WANTED—Man to do gardening. Apply to DR. WILSON, 23 Rockland Road. 16-5-4.

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INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY TENDER.

Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned and marked on the outside "Tender for Buildings, Chaudiere Junction," will be received up to and including, MONDAY, MAY 20TH, 1907, for the construction of an addition to the present engine house, and for Stores and Office building, at Chaudiere Junction, P. Q.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST HOMESTEAD REGULATIONS.

Any one numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, excepting 8 and 26, not reserved, may be homesteaded by any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section of 160 acres, more or less.

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INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY. ON AND AFTER MONDAY, APRIL 8th, 1907, trains will run daily (Sunday excepted) as follows: TRAINS LEAVE ST. JOHN.

T. C. ROBINETTE NOMINATED. TORONTO, Ont., May 15--Centre Toronto Liberals nominated T. C. Robinette, K. C., tonight for the commons.

FIRMLY BELIEVES HE IS CHOSEN A PROPHET

Wealthy Michigan Farmer Persuaded of His Resurrection in 500 Years. DETROIT, Mich., May 15--Preparing for the resurrection, to take place 500 years after he has been laid in his grave, which, he believes, will bring him forth a prophet of the Lord, Henry Lyman, a retired farmer, has started the erection of a massive sepulchre on his farm, one mile south of Twin Lakes, Mich.

BIT BY A MAD COW, RICH MAN IS RABID

Wealthy Connecticut Merchant Wounded When He Treats "Bossy." NEW YORK, May 15--Joseph G. Adams, a wealthy produce merchant of Weatherfield, Conn., is in this city, being treated for rabies in its most virulent form. Mr. Adams was bitten by a cow.

REFORMED DESPERADO TRYING FOR PARDON

Man, Whose Romance Duplicates January Case, Wants to Live Right. JACKSON, Mich., May 15--Stirred by President Roosevelt's announcement of his intention to pardon William "Jay" Jay, the westerner who has been called "the modern Jean Valjean," friends of John Allison, a prisoner in the penitentiary here, are striving hard to have the man pardoned, and he will make formal application for release next week.

DEFEAT IN ART IS NOT ABIDING

Rudyard Kipling Talks of the Unsuccessful. Quotes Words of Solomon, "Nor Yet Fear to Men of Skill, But Time and Chance Happeneth to Them All." LONDON, May 15--Rudyard Kipling presiding over the meeting of the Artists' Benevolent Institution, and speaking to a toast to the institution, made some remarks concerning artists and their work, which have been quoted throughout the country. Kipling quoted Solomon's "Nor yet favor to men of skill, but time and chance happeneth to them all," and went on to say, "Solomon was a generous patron of the arts and the original man of letters. Nobody has improved on his remark and you may have noticed that nobody has improved on the state of affairs that gave rise to it. There must be as many men nowadays as there were in Solomon's time whose skill has not found favor, the blame must lie with the man, or the skill. This is a pretty doctrine. I wish I were, however, men who devote their skill in producing things expressing ideas for which the public have no present need. Being artists these men must needs do the work laid upon them to do, and while they are doing it, they are apt to overlook a number of important worldly considerations. No one embraces a career of art with a direct idea of making money. The material rewards of art are often so small that men may be forgiven if they sacrifice themselves and their belongings to make an appeal to the next generation while they forget their own."

COUNT THEM AS FRIENDS.

"Thank goodness we all count among our friends delightful men and women whose skill has not found favor, but to whose skill, sympathy, humor, and above all, knowledge, we owe more than we realize. It may be that the very generosity of soul which impels them to lavish themselves so unstintingly upon their associates has stood in the way of their more evident advancement and that some of these good spirits are now facing, I won't say defeat, for there is no lasting defeat in art, but an outer appearance of defeat. Time and chance are as uncontrollable a force of impressionists as ever there were. They are rather brutal in their methods, but geadly sure in their effects." Kipling then referred to cases he had assisted in the past year. They included want, disease, breakdown, madness, and death. He added: "Your imagination can fill in the background, and talking of imagination, do you know the black thought, gentle in this fenced, pleasant place, but it is the one emotion that all men of imagination have in common. It is a horror of the great darkness that drops upon a man unbidden and drives him to think lucidly and connectedly, with Cruikshank, detail of all the accidents whereby through no fault of his own he may be cut off from his work and forced to leave those he loves defenceless in the world. You know the black men in the dead of night, some in their palaces, some when they are stopping their razors, but very few of us are exempt." Referring again to cases he had assisted, Kipling said: "We have only heard the bullets of time and change; these others have had to stop them with their bodies."

BLOOD WAS SUCKED FROM HIS BODY

Life Dragged Through Artery Under the Terrific Pressure of 400 Pounds to Square Inch. CHICAGO, May 15--Walter Hunter, engineer for Armour and Co., met his death on Friday in an unheard of manner, when his blood was almost instantly drawn from his body by suction pressure of 400 pounds to the square inch in a refrigerator pipe on the roof of the Armour power plant at the stock yards. Physicians who examined the body declare that no similar case of violent death had ever come to their attention. I am loath to remind you of it in this fenced, pleasant place, but it is the one emotion that all men of imagination have in common. It is a horror of the great darkness that drops upon a man unbidden and drives him to think lucidly and connectedly, with Cruikshank, detail of all the accidents whereby through no fault of his own he may be cut off from his work and forced to leave those he loves defenceless in the world. You know the black men in the dead of night, some in their palaces, some when they are stopping their razors, but very few of us are exempt." Referring again to cases he had assisted, Kipling said: "We have only heard the bullets of time and change; these others have had to stop them with their bodies."

HOW WE DO CHANGE!

"Aha!" exclaimed Mr. Jellus, "Been treasuring another man's picture all these years, hey?" "Not exactly," answered his better half, "That's a photo taken of you, dear, when you had hair." The old man lived at 422 Center avenue. The younger members of the family were prominent in Pittsburg society until four years ago, when the ill-health of the father caused them to give up social affairs. This did not please the old man, and, saying that he wanted to be shown that he was not in the way, he insisted that they hold a reception. Last week 400 invitations were sent out for a reception at the Jenkins home next Wednesday afternoon. When the acceptances began to pour in from the ultra-fashionables the old man became so excited that he succumbed to an attack of heart disease.

EXCITEMENT OF PARTY KILLS OLD MILLIONAIRE

Pittsburg Man Dies When Reception He Insisted on Draws Near. PITTSBURG, May 15--Excitement over an approaching social function, which he had insisted on his children giving, caused the death of Robert Jenkins, Sr., 80 years old, yesterday. Jenkins was the first coal operator in the Pittsburg district, and retired with a fortune of several million dollars. With his son, Robert Jenkins, Jr., and two daughters, Jennie and Marion

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ST. JOHN, N.B. TO LIVERPOOL VIA HALIFAX. Fri., May 3 Empress of Britain. Sat., May 4 Empress of Canada. Sun., May 5 Empress of India. Mon., May 6 Empress of Ireland. Tue., May 7 Empress of Russia. Wed., May 8 Empress of France. Thu., May 9 Empress of Australia. Fri., May 10 Empress of Japan. Sat., May 11 Empress of Persia. Sun., May 12 Empress of China. Mon., May 13 Empress of Siam. Tue., May 14 Empress of Ceylon. Wed., May 15 Empress of Madagascar. Thu., May 16 Empress of Sumatra. Fri., May 17 Empress of Java. Sat., May 18 Empress of Borneo. Sun., May 19 Empress of Celebes. Mon., May 20 Empress of Moluccas. Tue., May 21 Empress of East Indies. Wed., May 22 Empress of West Indies. Thu., May 23 Empress of South America. Fri., May 24 Empress of North America. Sat., May 25 Empress of Europe. Sun., May 26 Empress of Africa. Mon., May 27 Empress of Asia. Tue., May 28 Empress of Australia. Wed., May 29 Empress of New Zealand. Thu., May 30 Empress of South Africa. Fri., May 31 Empress of India.

EASTERN STEAMSHIP COMPANY INTERNATIONAL DIVISION TWO TRIPS. Commencing Tuesday, April 9th, steamers leave St. John on Tuesdays and Fridays at 8:30 p. m. (Atlantic Standard) for Lubec, Eastport, Portland and Boston. RETURNING. Leave Boston on Mondays and Thursdays at 8:00 a. m. for Portland, Eastport, Lubec and St. John. All cargo, except live stock, via steamers of this company is insured against fire and marine risk. W. G. LEE, Agent, St. John, N. B. TORONTO, May 14--MacKenzie and Mann have applied to the city council for a site in Ashbridge's Bay for a blast furnace, and their engineers are now inspecting the ground with a view of determining what land is needed.

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An excellent showing of Summer Suitings in the Lighter Shades at

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LOCAL NEWS.

Mrs. E. L. Perkins and two daughters left last evening for a trip to Montreal.

Miss Furlong states that the property on the corner of Market and Charlotte streets has not yet been sold, nor are either the Bank of Nova Scotia nor the Bank of Montreal trying to purchase it.

The body of the late Mrs. Thorne was taken to Cody's Station this morning for interment. Rev. D. Hutchinson conducted a service at the deceased's late home, High street, last night.

Charles Linton, teamster, of Victoria street, met with a painful accident at Indiantown this morning. He was putting a piece of machinery on his sledge when it fell back, striking him on the head and inflicting an ugly cut.

Dr. Bridges stated today that John E. Wilson had been awarded the contract for erecting two steel bridges to run from Victoria school to St. Joseph's school. When these bridges have been placed, little danger will exist in these buildings in case of fire. Mr. Wilson will start work at once and the bridges will probably be completed in a month.

St. Mary's band has been engaged to play at the sports on the Victoria grounds on May 24th. It was learned today that a Kings county runner will compete in several events. All active members of the Everyday Club are requested to be at the Victoria grounds this evening. A meeting will be held at 8.45 o'clock.

FELL OVER THE WHARF AND HURT HIS BACK

A Drunken Sailor Dropped Into the Mud in Market Slip This Morning.

William Simeson, a Swede, had a narrow escape from death this morning when he fell over South Market wharf when the tide was out, and sustained quite painful injuries to his back.

Simeson had until a few days ago been employed on the schooner Tuck. He was paid off and went to board at a sailor's lodging in the South Market Wharf. Having lots of money in his pocket he started in to have a good time. He imbibed freely last night and this morning started in again. The proprietor of the lodging house told him to get out at 9 o'clock this morning and the accident occurred shortly after that hour. Simeson was standing on the wharf, watching work on a schooner, when he was seen to topple over. He fell a distance of twenty-five feet, and it was thought by all that he had either been killed or met with serious injury.

A crowd soon collected on the wharf and a driver of an express wagon started to drive out in the mud and pick up Simeson, but the horse sank in the mud. Several men from a schooner went down and carried Simeson up on the wharf. He stated that he was badly hurt, and the ambulance was summoned which conveyed him to the hospital. On enquiring there it was found that Simeson was not injured seriously, but had received a bad shaking up.

TURKEY BACKS DOWN.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—The state department yesterday was notified by U. S. Ambassador Leshan at Constantinople that he had received a communication from the Sublime Porte stating as the result of correspondence and discussion with the embassy, the Sublime Porte sanctioned by an irade of the Sultan, has made the following concession:

First—In applying the principle already settled of treating American establishments and institutions in Turkey on the same footing as those of other nations, the Porte having proceeded to the correction of the registers forming part of the list filed by the embassy, which were in the possession of and occupied by Americans, but without regular title deeds, an irade of the Sultan has ordered the execution of this formally for the establishments and institutions of which the embassy has asked the change of title and which were submitted to the sovereign sanction after examination by the competent departments.

Second—The requisite orders have been transmitted to the Vliayet of Angora in order that the local authorities should no longer raise objections to the construction of new buildings for the school and dispensary at Tala.

Third—The customs in the provinces in Syria and at Salonica are ordered to grant to existing American establishments the same customs immunities enjoyed by other similar foreign establishments.

Fourth—The restrictions against cotton seed oil to be removed except in case of impure or adulterated oils.

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THIS EVENING.

Continuous performance at the Nickel. St. Vincent's Alumnae meets at eight o'clock.

Confirmation service in St. Mary's church.

No. 8 Field Ambulance Corps meets at eight o'clock for drill.

Marathon Athletic Club meets at White's.

Ladlow street Baptist church celebrates its 68th anniversary; burning of the church mortgage.

Meeting of Boston W. Club K. of P. in Castle Hall.

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IS NOW CHARGED WITH STEALING 5 STOVES

Mahoney Evidently Carried on a Big Business

Police Have Gathered in a Lot of Other Goods Identified by Manager of McClary Co.

That Wm. Mahoney, who is now in jail on the charge of stealing a stove, has been charged with stealing only one stove, he will have to face the charge of stealing five stoves, a large quantity of earthenware, clothes, pins, buttons, silverware, a duster and an ice cream freezer.

Since Policeman Hamm gave out the information that he could locate the Kootenay range stolen from the McClary Company on the night of April 29th, Sgt. Kilmastick and others on the northern division, with Mr. Irwin, manager of the company, have been putting in their efforts to locate more stolen property, and they have met with success. The prisoner is in a very bad position.

The day following the arrest of Mahoney, Mr. Armstrong informed Police that he had purchased a range from Mahoney. This was identified as stolen property.

This morning Sgt. Kilmastick and Policeman Greer made a raid on Mahoney's home on Short street, which is the first street east of the Marsh bridge. In the wood-shed and barn they found a comparatively new Kootenay McClary range worth about ten dollars worth of enameled ware, an ice cream freezer, a bag of cloths and a hat, all supposed to have been stolen. Manager Irwin has identified the stoves, freezer, enameled ware and hat as goods handled by his firm, and says that no sale had been made to Mahoney.

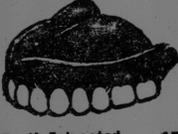
The police say that the new range had been used in Mahoney's kitchen until the discovery of the last theft, and then it was removed to the barn and an old cooking stove put in its place.

After landing this good haul in Mahoney's house, Mrs. Garvin's is the house they found another oak heater that was purchased from Mahoney. A stolen ware engaged and the property hauled to the Central Police Station, a section of the sup qua papapap ipaa Supon Shipping five stoves and other ware. The stoves have been stolen about a year ago.

The police have a clue that may lead to the recovery of more stolen goods and it is expected that there will be other arrests as Mahoney is not thought to have been alone in his thieving.

IRISH SOCIETY MAKES STRONG OBJECTION

DUBLIN, May 16.—The executive committee of the Senu Fein Society representing advanced Irish Nationalists considers Mr. Birrell's Irish bill to be an insult to Ireland and wants the Nationalist members of Parliament to withdraw from the House and demand a settlement of the "international dispute between Ireland and England," by the Hague arbitration court. It is also suggested that the programme published today by the organ of the Nationalist party be placed in the form of a resolution to be adopted by the executive committee of the Irish National Council. In it the Irishmen "who have attended the British Parliament for the past 21 years to support the British 'Liberals' are invited to return to Dublin and "devise measures for the material betterment of Ireland, and securing international recognition and support of Ireland's political rights, as the first step towards which she should claim representation at the coming peace conference and a settlement of the international dispute between Ireland and England by the international court of arbitration."



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The votes of employees all along the line will be received by polling clerks who will travel either on regular or special trains for the purpose. To expedite the taking of votes the railways have been arranged in ten divisions, each provided with a poll clerk and assistants.

The divisions are:

No. 1, Halifax to Salt Springs; Windsor; and Dartmouth branches.

No. 2, Truro to Sydney, North Sydney and Sydney Mines; not including any employees at Truro; St. John's to Pictou, and Oxford Junction; and New Glasgow to Pictou Landing.

No. 3, Salt Springs to St. John.

No. 4, employees of mechanical department at Moncton.

No. 5, other employees at Moncton.

No. 6, Moncton to Campbellton.

No. 7, Riviere Du Loup to Chaudiere Jet.

No. 8, Chaudiere Jet to Montreal.

No. 9, employees on P. E. Island.

Those nominated by the employees of the different sections of the road are as follows: L. B. Archibald and B. A. Bourgeois, Salt Springs and St. John; N. B. E. L. Desjardins, H. Bourgeois, employees of the mechanical department at Moncton; H. B. Duxan, H. B. Gordon, Moncton, employees (excepting mechanical department); H. D. McQuaid, Moncton to Campbellton; J. W. Nairn, Thomas Ryan, Campbellton to Riviere du Loup; Cedric Reeves, P. C. Sharpey, Riviere de Loup to Chaudiere Junction; Fred Tapley, J. A. Theberge, Chaudiere Junction to Moncton; Joseph H. Wran, P. E. Island Railway; J. T. McQueen, E. B. McPherson, Truro to Sydney.

The election here will take place on May 20th.

The steamer Elaine will run an excursion to Gasquet on May 24th, of which full particulars will be given later.

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