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THE DECISION ON LOU DILLON

The decision handed down by the heads of the National American and Register Association on Lou Dillon's high-wheeled stumpy performance at Cleveland has created almost universal dissatisfaction.

"I rejected the 2.05 of Lou Dillon not upon the grounds of the Bonner protest, but upon others which they themselves set up."

"When a horse starts to equal or beat a specified time, and does so, its performance is a winning one and constitutes a record."

"The American Sportsman says: 'According to the above official holding no horse can start to beat the record of Maud S., 2:08 3/4, that has a faster record than any other horse.'"

"The public has already made up its mind as to their worth, and was not much interested in any official action."

MEMORIAL SERVICE

At the Reformed Baptist Church Last Sunday.

At the Reformed Baptist church, Charlotte, last Sunday the Rev. Mr. S. Trafton, preached a special sermon in memory of the late John Kimball.

The preacher at the beginning of his sermon said that some, in answer to the question in the first part of the text, might be inclined to answer that they were angels, and he went on to discuss what was said in the text.

Second, they were disembodied spirits. Death was not annihilation, but a change of state.

Third, they were conscious of their existence but merely a separation.

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Then again, said the speaker, the question arises "Whence came they?"

At the close of his interesting sermon Mr. Trafton related the Christian experience of the late Mr. Kimball.

Work is now going on in the Saskatchewan and Edmonton. Lines were started from each end, that from Edmonton working east, being completed for twenty-seven miles.

Mr. McLeod holds the position of general manager of the Canadian Northern Railway, having qualified for it by many years of railroad work in the West.

Mr. McLeod believes that the Canadian Northern runs through the finest section of the territories which will eventually be more thickly settled than any other portion is as yet.

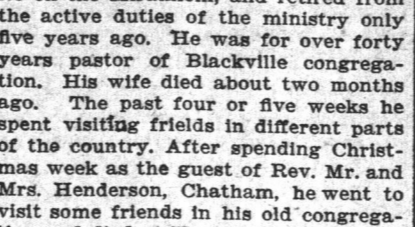
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NEW CARLISLE, N. B., Jan. 21. The flags in town were flying at half-mast today out of respect to the memory of the Rev. T. G. Johnston, who was buried this afternoon.

There was an amusing occurrence at Sand Point yesterday afternoon when a few deported immigrants were being taken to the L. E. One of them, a Russian, escaped from the guards and had to be chased a long distance.

MELBOURNE, Jan. 24—A disastrous hurricane has blown over the Fiji Islands, resulting in great loss of life and property.

What shrank your woollens? Why did holes wear so soon? You used common soap.



STOLE SAFE FROM MOVING TRAIN. Remarkable feat of robbers on Southern Pacific—No Eye-Witnesses to Crime.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—Train robbers stole the iron safe from the express car of the Sunset Limited, northbound, on the Southern Pacific railway, near San Louis Obispo today, and it is understood a large amount of treasure from the stolen strong box, the sum being placed as \$80,000.

The messenger immediately gave the warning, the train stopped, and word was wired along the line to look out for the robbers.

The Wells-Fargo officers say that there were two safes in the train, one of which is locked at New Orleans, the other being a depository for local valuables, which they assert seldom contains more than \$1,200.

ELMSDALE, P. E. I. The infant son of William and Mrs. Brennan died yesterday morning.

George Murray of Kensington has opened up a boot and shoe business in the store adjoining Tupper's.

MISS MARY L. McKenna, who left here yesterday for St. Paul, Minn., has returned home on account of ill health.

The marriage of D. Ross of Summerside and Mrs. D. McDonald of Elmsdale took place at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. A. D. McDonald of Hampshire, officiated. At Alberton, on the 6th inst., Hubert Wallace and Miss Agnes Hall of Birmingham, Eng., were united in holy matrimony.

THE BLISS variety has been rather a shy bearer and the inference is that a wet season is more to its liking.

HAMPTON WEATHER. HAMPTON, Jan. 23.—A great change in the weather conditions has occurred here within the past twenty-four hours.

DORCHESTER DUNGEONS. (Fredericton Journal, 22nd.) City Marshal Roberts returned from Dorchester this morning, having taken Henry VanDine to the penitentiary.

SMALLPOX CASE IN HOULTON. HOULTON, Me., Jan. 23.—Scores of persons in Houlton have been exposed to a well developed case of smallpox, and a determined effort is being made by the board of health to prevent an epidemic.

MONCTON, Jan. 22.—The civic nominations today developed some surprises. Dr. E. D. Nelson was nominated to oppose Ald. McGee for the mayoralty, and there is to be a contest in each of the wards as well as for alderman.

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QUAINT STATUTES IN FORCE. Man Who Maintains That There Are More Gods Than One or Denies Divine Inspiration Is liable for Three Years.

Were a citizen of Ontario to be told that for asserting or maintaining that there are more Gods than one or for denying the Divine inspiration of the Old or New Testaments, he would be liable to three years' imprisonment, he would be unable to express his amazement or incredulity; yet if he should consult his lawyer, he would learn that such is probably the case.

Such was stated to be the law by no less a personage than the Hon. Robert Alexander Harrison, Chief Justice of the Court of Queen's Bench, in 1875.

The grounds for this opinion were that, by a statute passed by our Parliament in the year 1792, it was provided that in all matters of controversy relative to property and civil rights, resort shall be had to the laws of England or the rule for the decision of the same.

The Act passed in the year 1868, the tenth year of the reign of William III., "for the more effectual suppression of blasphemy and profanities," was still in force.

The Act of William III., which is recorded at Osgoode Hall, Toronto, in the quaint lettering of a hundred years ago, has since been repealed in England, but not in Canada.

"Whereas many persons have of late years openly and publicly uttered many blasphemous and impious opinions," enacted the shocked legislators, "contrary to the Doctrine and Principles of the Christian Religion."

The leniency and mercy of the times is shown by the provision that on remission of such "erroneous opinions" within four months after his conviction, he shall be discharged.

The penalties provided by this statute are sufficiently severe to delight the most particular spirits.

Another statute which is considered by many lawyers to be still in force here is the Act of Uniformity, which recites the "Act for the Uniformity of Prayer."

The due respect of the masses for the prayer book was retained by a provision that if any person should speak anything in the derogation, deprecation or despising of the said book, he shall be liable for the offence to a fine of 100 marks, for the second a fine of 400 marks, and for the third, imprisonment for life.

At a small school in the backwoods a well-meaning but misguided instructor gave her pupils the task of subtracting 629 from 888,789,889 until nothing remained, as a home lesson.

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"I met a man on the back of a car last night and began telling him what a bad cold I had. He didn't suggest one remedy for it."

"Impossible."

"It's the truth. He was deaf and dumb."

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RULES FOR MOTHER AND CHILD. Before she left the nurse inculcated a few rules for my guidance: The baby was never to be walked with. She was to take a three hours' nap in the morning—it she woke up sooner, she was to put to sleep again.

WILL MEET IN ST. JOHN. The North American Fish and Game Association has been in session at Portland, Me., this week. On Wednesday D. G. Smith, Chatham, read a paper on New Brunswick game laws.

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THE SEMI-WEEKLY SUN ST. JOHN, N. B., JANUARY 27, 1904.

THESE MODIFICATIONS.

The minister of railways has given his friends of Westmorland, and the province generally, the cheerful assurance that the additional concessions which the Grand Trunk Pacific promoters demand of the government are unimportant matters. It is true that they are of sufficient importance to cause the arrangements for a dissolution of parliament to be cancelled.

When Mr. Emmerson says that the difficulty is not serious or important it is not certain whether he has the least idea what the trouble is. When he says that the government has no idea of giving up the extension of the line to Moncton he may or may not have inside information.

Colonel Tucker will keep secret the result of his interview with the ministers until he has told the city council. The member for the city and county appears to be satisfied that the government will do all that is required, but it does not yet appear what official assurance he is authorized to deliver.

be authoritative that is not based upon an order-in-council, and the city council cannot get along any farther with the winter port programme until it has such positive assurance.

Colonel Tucker's announcement about the new dredge "Fielding," now once more "approaching completion" at the government works at Sorel, may or may not have something to do with this case. Six years ago the promise was made that the entrance to the harbor would be deepened by the Dominion government.

THE PICTOU SUCCESSION. Though Chief Justice McDonald of Nova Scotia, who has resigned his seat on the bench under the pension act passed last year, has served nearly a quarter of a century as a judge, he was for a good many years before that a political power in Eastern Nova Scotia.

A NOTE OF ALARM. Something has happened, or is happening, or is about to happen, in St. John which gives alarm to the usually sanguine Fredericton Herald.

OUR VISITOR. Hon. H. R. Emmerson, minister of railways, is very welcome to the commercial capital of the province on this visit of his as a federal minister.

THAT CRISIS. Once upon a time a premier cried to his people of a danger that closely threatened their land, and, from a lofty oratorical height, threw out a life line to the sinking country with a fervent prayer to heaven that the means of rescue might not have been sent too late.

And as the premier and the people with money bags, who whispere things in his ear, continued to praise the strength and the efficacy of the line, it fell to pieces of its own weight, for, as the people had supposed, the ten and the men who should have held it fast had their hands in their pockets.

THE QUESTION REOPENED.

Whatever may be the present demand of the Grand Trunk Pacific promoters, or of the shareholders of the Grand Trunk railway, it seems to be conceded that the contract is null and void, and that the act passed last year has lapsed.

Now the whole question has been reopened. There is no Grand Trunk Pacific contract. There is no definite transcontinental railway policy. Everything has to be made over again. The new measure must be submitted to the party caucus, and members who have heard from their constituents since last September may think that they have a much right as Mr. Hays to suggest modifications.

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PARISIAN AT HALIFAX. HALIFAX, N. B., Jan. 24.—The mail steamer Parisian arrived at 5 o'clock this afternoon with 234 passengers, 144 of whom are steerage, 17 second class and 13 saloon.

CASHEL CAPTURED. OTTAWA, Jan. 24.—Comptroller White, of the Northwest Mounted Police, was gratified today on receipt of a telegram from Supt. Saunders, at Calgary, announcing the capture of the Kansas desperado Ernest Caschel, who was to have been hanged for murder at Calgary on December 18th.

AN EASY MINISTER. "It is unquestionably true that certain modifications have been asked for in connection with the contract which was for many months discussed in parliament, but they are, on the whole, of a very moderate character."

It is stated that the Star Line is negotiating with Upper Canadian people for the purchase of a steamer to replace the David Weston. There is also talk of another boat for the Fredericton-Gagetown route.

A MINISTER COMES DOWN.

The minister of agriculture, speaking last evening at Sherbrooke, declared that the government was ready to take up the tariff and deal with it, if it contained discrepancies. This seemed to be a bid from Mr. Fisher for the protectionist vote in the Quebec by-elections.

MR. FOSTER'S GREAT THEME. A mass meeting in Halifax, after hearing Mr. Foster, passed a resolution warmly endorsing Mr. Chamberlain's policy. There is no doubt that as the people of Canada come to appreciate the full significance of this Imperial movement their interest in it will increase.

TAKE NOTICE.

Government organs and orators are amusing themselves making the statement that certain ministers and other influential candidates will be elected by acclamation. The Journal of the freeds takes the opportunity to remind them all that the privilege of placing candidates in the field belongs to the party caucus.

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CHICAGO, Jan. 25.—The coroner's jury which for three weeks has been listening to evidence relating to the fire in the Iroquois Theatre tonight returned a verdict by which the following persons are held to be responsible for a grand jury: Carter H. Harrison, proprietor in part and manager of the theatre; James E. Cummings, stage carpenter; William Mullen, who had charge of the light that caused the fire.

CHICAGO, Jan. 25.—Coroner Traeger has announced that the jury in the Iroquois theatre inquest case has reached a verdict and it will probably be given out in a short time. It was not generally thought that the jury would be able to make a report so promptly and when it retired to consider the evidence, Coroner Traeger announced that he did not expect a verdict before tomorrow.

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Together With Coun... Corresponde... Exchan... Capt. R. H. Weston... The western end of... The Norwegian ship... The community learn... Chronic Constipation... MORE BYE-BYE... DIED IN C... MONCTON, N. B... HEALTH AND... BANK CLERK... SCHOOL TEACHER... HON. H. R. E... The Newly Appointe... Hon. H. R. Emm... To a representative... When asked in rega... Mr. Emmerson was... soon as possible.

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