

# SHELDON FEARS MOB VIOLENCE

### Montreal Swindler Remanded to Jail in Pittsburgh.

### Brockton Police Now Believe He is Wanted in that City.

### Canadian Authorities Must Get Him Out of Pittsburgh Before Grand Jury Meets on Monday, or He May Be Kept There

Brookton, Mass., March 28.—It was at police headquarters in this city today that the authorities here are in communication with the officials of Pittsburgh, Pa., in connection with the reported arrest in that city of Charles D. Sheldon, an alleged fugitive from Montreal, said to be charged with embezzlement to the extent of two million dollars. The local police say that they have been advised that Sheldon, who is said to have many aliases, may be Charles Robinson formerly of this city.

Robinson, who was prominent in business, charities and social affairs left Brookton, the police say, 21 years ago. A warrant charging embezzlement and forgery secured at that time, is still in the hands of the local officers, and who since Robinson's departure have heard from the man but once. In 1904 Robinson was located in Rhode Island, but by the time the machinery of the law could be started, he had disappeared.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 28.—Charles D. Sheldon, Washburn and Ross, the investment broker arrested here yesterday because he allegedly left Montreal, Canada, last October owing upwards of \$2,000,000 was remanded to jail today pending the arrival of a Canadian officer now en route. A watch has been set over the prisoner as he appears highly nervous and expresses fear of mob violence when he is taken back to Montreal.

Today through additional developments concerning Sheldon's get-rich-quick operations. Following the news that he had operated in Scranton, Penn., came information that Sheldon is Charles W. Robinson, a former clerk of the courts of Brookton, Mass., from which he disappeared some years ago with almost \$700,000. Confronted with the evidence, Sheldon admitted it was true.

Shortly after being removed from the police station to county jail, Sheldon was served with a warrant charging embezzlement of stock bonds valued at \$1,000,000 from a woman with whom he shared \$700,000. Providing the Canadian authorities get Sheldon out of the city by Monday when the grand jury meets this charge will be dropped. A number of minor complaints of the police today. Since his departure from Montreal last October, Sheldon has visited Brazil, Yucatan, Honduras and Mexico.

## PEACE PROMISED IN TEN DAYS TIME

### Madero Says End Of Hostilities In Mexico Is In Sight Now—Hundreds Fleeing From Disturbed District.

El Paso, Tex., Mar. 28.—Dispatches from Chihuahua City today say that Gen. Rabago with 1,100 federal troops has reached the city after having been on the march from Juarez since Feb. 24. Rabago went south to repair the burned bridges of the Mexican national railroad. Most of the bridges have been burned behind him and Chihuahua City is now said to be well fortified and commanded by 3,500 federal troops. It is reported a detachment of federal soldiers will be started northward to find and engage Madero.

Prediction of Peace.  
San Antonio, Tex., Mar. 28.—Francisco I. Madero, senior, father of the insurrection leader, upon his arrival here today, declared that peace in Mexico is assured within 30 days and probably within 10 days. Himself, his son Alfonso, and his son Gustavo, he thought would be the revolutionary representatives.

Guerrilla Warfare Abandoned.  
El Paso, Tex., Mar. 28.—Guerrilla warfare has been formally abandoned by the Mexican insurgents, according to a decree issued by Francisco Madero, and made public here today. The decree organizes the entire republic of Mexico into seven groups of states, each group to be known as a war zone and the insurgents in each group to constitute a corps.

# WILL DEAL ONLY WITH RECIPROCIITY

### President Taft's Message to Congress Will Contain But One Item; That Of Canada's Reciprocity Agreement.

Washington, March 28.—President Taft's message to the extra Congress will be devoted next Tuesday will be devoted only with the reciprocity agreement with Canada. Later the President may send another message to the extra session urging the enactment of a law making the tariff board a permanent institution. The President has been assured by the temporary board that it will be ready with a detailed and comprehensive report on the textile schedules by December 1 next, and that the chemical schedule may also be ready.

# RUSSIA IS SATISFIED

### China's Reply To Ultimatum Is Regarded As Perfectly Satisfactory To St. Petersburg—Chinese Are Suspicious.

Peking, March 28.—It is suspected in the legation quarter that a deep design is afoot thinly concealed by the Russo-Chinese exchanges. There is an inability to reconcile the contrary attitudes of St. Petersburg and the Russian legation here. While the former has been proclaiming the necessity of military action against China, the latter has declared that the troops will not be moved.

It is believed that the legation's attitude may be intended to encourage the Chinese, who are always ready to take part in a contest of cunning. Yesterday's reply of the Chinese foreign board to the Russian ultimatum, read superficially, gives the impression that China complies fully with the demands made, but carefully studied it goes a little beyond this and in reply accedes to previous Russian replies. According, though, the legation quarter mistrusts Russia's intentions, there is little sympathy with the Chinese who exults delight in deceptive phraseology at a moment when the loss of a province may be threatened.

The members of the other legations generally think that China should have accepted unequivocally the Russian demands in her original reply to the Russian note of February 16, and so left Russia before the world without an excuse for aggression.

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The foreign office in its despatch to M. Korostovetz, the minister at Peking, says that the emperor expresses gracious good will at the happy termination of the negotiations and satisfaction at the wise decision of the Chinese government to confirm the legality of the Russian demands and conform with the treaty provisions. The imperial government expresses the conviction that the Chinese government will be a pledge of amity strengthening the ancient bond of amity existing between Russia and China.

## RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT OUTVOTED IN THE DUMA

St. Petersburg, March 28.—The Duma today adopted by a vote of 174 to 88 an interpellation, which was supported by the Octoberists and other opposition parties, accusing the government of unconstitutional practice in promulgating the Zemstvo bill. Not a single minister appeared in the House. Prof. Paul N. Milukoff, editor of the Rech and leader of the constitutional democrats, said that Premier Stolypin has dissolved the first and second Dumas for trifling causes. Now the turn of the third Duma was coming, but if it could not live with dignity it must at least die maintaining its honor.

# WEAKNESSES OF ONE MAN IN CONTROL

### Cedar Rapids May Return to Council System

### Commissioner Smith In Interview With H. V. MacKinnon, Says Expert Heads Of Departments Are Necessary.

The following article in the series on commission government in Cedar Rapids by H. V. MacKinnon, contains some interesting and instructive comments by Commissioner Smith, showing the weaknesses of the system.

Here is a brief interview with a member of the commission on the present form of government. Percy Smith is Commissioner of Public Improvements, his position being a combination of our chairman of the public works department, and engineer of that department along with the same officials of water and sewerage.

Previous to the introduction of commission Mr. Smith held the office of engineer at a salary of \$2,700. After the commission plan came into operation he considered it wise to nominate, being desirous that the city should have as good a start as possible under its new government. He led the poll, and in so doing reduced his own salary to \$1,800.

"Remember," said Mr. Smith, "that while I look upon the commission plan as a fairly satisfactory form of government, I do not by any means consider it the only one in existence, and there are many weaknesses in our charter which, I believe, could, with-out difficulty, be overcome.

A Great Weakness.  
"One of the principal weaknesses, to my mind, is that under our present system we do not secure, members of the board, men who are peculiarly adapted to those positions. It so happens at the present time that the five composing our council are good all around men, but, as a matter of fact, they are all laymen except myself.

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## HE SAVED A SNUG SUM

### Work Government Employees Did For Adelard Lancot, M. P., Declared By Witnesses To Be Worth Nearly \$700.

# ROYAL GEORGE MAKES RECORD

### Big Steamer Arrived In Halifax Last Night With Record For Average Hourly Speed From Bristol.

Halifax, Mar. 28.—The Royal George arrived this evening from Bristol making what it is claimed to be, the fastest average run per hour of any steamer yet crossing from Britain to Halifax, her average speed per hour being 13.3 knots. The steamer brought 890 passengers nearly all of whom are bound west to become settlers of Canada.

# WESTMORLAND BLATHERSKITE IS TRIMMED

### Hon. Mr. Landry Puts Effective Finish to A. B. Copp.

### Meeting In Marysville Last Night Plainly Showed That People Of York Will Have No Part Of Burden.

Special to The Standard.  
Fredericton, March 28.—Joint debates are proving disastrous for the opposition party in the York county bye election campaign.

At Marysville tonight the electors, to the number of between 300 and 400 heard the general issues of the campaign discussed, and the verdict of the meeting was strongly in favor of honest government as given by the Hazen administration.

It was advertised as an opposition meeting, but at the request of the audience joint chairmen were in charge; Bradford Pond acting for the government party and Alex. Gibson, jr., for the opposition party.

Contrary to custom Hon. Dr. Landry was compelled to speak first, the opposition party managers trying to make conditions so unfair that nobody would appear to refute the statements of A. B. Copp, who was the champion for the occasion of the old government, but what was the wind-up member for Westmorland, when Dr. Landry got through with him would not be worth sending to the "Trauma" Marches for such a trifling matter.

The meeting was with Dr. Landry from the outset and he never before spoke so brilliantly or effectively. He was obligated to the echo and when he arose to reply for fifteen minutes to Copp's hour and a half effort, the audience arose en masse and cheered the echo.

Mr. Copp never appeared to have any advantage and for once in his life lacked the bravado and effrontery that usually passes for eloquence and effectiveness. The result of tonight's meeting will be solidly Marysville's vote for Morehouse.

The feature of the campaign is the charge openly made by today's Gazette that Robinson and Copp each received \$1,000 for the Bearville Rally to break the force of the Gazette's charge at the Marysville meeting was very lame and ineffective.

# BIG RUSH TO THE DIAMOND FIELDS OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

### Classification Of Ice Cream

### Railway Commission Is Trying To Determine Whether It Is A Food, A Luxury, or Trash—Interesting Discussion.

Ottawa, Ont., March 28.—The news of that diamond find in the Tulameen district of British Columbia, has stimulated considerable interest in the locality, and many inquiries as to location and accessibility of the diamond fields have been received at the eastern investors or prospectors. Some have even gone out to investigate for themselves, but Charles Cammell states that it will be impossible to stake claims with any degree of accuracy at the present time on account of the snow that lies over the district.

# CAMORRISTS HIRED BAND OF SLAYERS

### Witness Tells Awful Story of Assassination Pact

### Five Hours On Stand, His Recital Is Greeted With Howls Of Terror From Camorrist Prisoners.

Viterbo, Italy, March 28.—The Camorrist informer Abbatemaggio was on the witness stand today for five hours giving testimony against his former associates, who are on trial for the murder of Gennaro Cuccolo and his wife.

Finally he became so greatly fatigued that he asked for an adjournment of the case, so that he might rest. He was roundly denounced by the Camorrist prisoners in the cage.

Abbatemaggio described at great length his own criminal life and finally recounted in detail the circumstances leading to the murder of the Cuccolos. He said that Nicola Morra had proposed the murder and that Giovanni Rapi had insisted upon not only the murder of Cuccolo but also Cuccolo's wife and had put one thousand francs at the disposal of the assassins, to be certain that there would be no failure. He insisted further that two men be sent to kill the woman, one for the purpose of smothering her cries, as the house in which she resided was directly opposite a police office.

When he became exhausted with his recital, Abbatemaggio asked President Bianchi for a postponement of the sitting, saying that he was suffering from an injured foot. He promised that he would tell tomorrow how he became acquainted with all the secrets of the Camorrist.

The excitement, which throughout had been intense, now broke all bounds. The prisoners jumped to their feet and shook their fists at the witness. "If it is not your foot from which you suffer, it is fear,"

Nicola Morra exclaimed: "I never saw a greater coward."

"He is not a man; he is a phonograph," cried Ericson, the chief of the Camorristas, alluding to a report that a German company had urged Abbatemaggio to permit records of his testimony to be taken. Demarini shouted: "The phonograph begins to come out of tune."

Abbatemaggio was then led out by a strong guard, followed by the curses of the prisoners.

Commenting upon the offer from an American theatrical agent who offers \$200 a day to exhibit him, Abbatemaggio exclaimed: "Wouldn't it be funny after being shut up in a cage like a bird, I should go to America to become a lion."

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# CLAIMS DOORS WERE OPEN

### DON'T WANT TO DISCUSS RECIPROCIITY

### Reference To It By Conservative Member In House Yesterday Hastily Passed Over By Mr. Fielding.

Special to The Standard.  
Ottawa, Mar. 28.—This has been another dragging day, mostly spent in supply. Reciprocity poked its head into the proceedings twice.

J. E. Armstrong drew attention to a statement in the Canadian Associated Press despatches that Mr. Bryce, British Ambassador at Washington, warned Mr. Fielding and Mr. Patterson that commercial union would lead to political union. "Was that correct?" he asked.

Mr. Fielding said: "If the hon. member would quote a statement from Mr. Bryce, I will be glad to give him an answer. But I do not think it would be fair to Mr. Bryce to speak on mere newspaper rumor."

"The press service which makes the statement is subsidized by the government," said Mr. Armstrong.

"The government takes no responsibility," said Mr. Fielding.

R. S. Blake corrected a statement by Mr. Fisher at the Montreal meeting on Saturday that he was in favor of reciprocity.

## TREATY WILL BE A MODEL

### Framers Of Arbitration Treaty Between Great Britain And United States Taking Great Care In Its Preparation.

Washington, D. C., Mar. 28.—Such rapid progress is being made in drafting the new arbitration treaty with Great Britain that President Taft today expressed the hope that he will be able to submit the document to the senate at the coming extra session of congress.

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Sir Edward Grey, the secretary for foreign affairs, said he had no information on the subject of such negotiations between the United States and France. He could not make any statement as to the British government's approach to France with other countries on this subject.

### Probing of New York's Fire Horror Continued Yesterday.

### Owners of Shirtwaist Factory will be Called to Testify Today.

### Man who Escaped in First Rush of Fire Tells Authorities that Exits From Building All Opened Easily.

New York, March 28.—The grand jury threw into action today the machinery for full investigation of the Washington Square fire of Saturday in which 142 lives were lost, by subpoenaing twenty persons to testify in its inquiry to establish the blame; and the board of aldermen paved the way for an ordinance making fire drills compulsory in city factories.

Among the witnesses before the grand jury are Max Blank one of the proprietors of the Triangle Waist Co., whose employees were the victims, and Joseph Asch, owner of the building. They may testify tomorrow. One hundred and fifty survivors of the tragedy also will be summoned and examined.

The fire marshal continued his examination of witnesses today; the work of identification eliminated from the morgue all but twenty bodies of the victims and scores of funeral trains wended their way through Manhattan's little Italy and the Jewish section of the East Side.

Such were the chief developments of the third day since the fire. In addition an alderman committee instructed to draft a bill for presentation to the legislature, placing the way for an ordinance making fire escapes on buildings solely under the jurisdiction of the fire department. There, Chief Croker said, it should have been made compulsory. Chief Croker declared for fire escapes on all buildings, fire proof and otherwise. The proposed ordinance would make compulsory fire drills with the rules committee. Incidentally the aldermen inventoried their unenforced commands and found in order to the Manhattan superintendent of buildings, "to report any dangerous conditions which may exist by virtue of inadequate legislation and which may cause loss of life by fire."

The order was issued shortly after twenty-six girls had lost their lives in a fire at Newark, N. J., on November 28 last.

## DUTCH THEY WERE AND MUST REMAIN

### The Naundorff Family Tried For Recognition As Of French Nationality, But Failed In The Attempt.

Paris, Mar. 28.—The attempt of the Naundorff family who claim to be descendants of Louis XVI, to obtain a declaration of their French nationality by means of a petition to the senate, has failed. The Naundorffs are in business in a small way in Paris and are regarded as Dutch citizens and therefore do not have the advantages which citizens of France enjoyed in commercial enterprises in Paris.

Recently a commission of the French senate adopted a report prepared by Boissy D'Anglas that the matter should be referred to the minister of justice with a favorable endorsement. This was taken under consideration by the senate which holds that there is no reason that the senate should concern itself with such a question, there being ample facilities to obtain declarations of nationality in the regular manner through the law courts.

## AVIATOR KILLED DURING FLIGHT OVER PARIS

Paris, March 28.—M. Cef, an aviator was killed this afternoon while attempting a flight over the Seine at Puteaux. When at a height of 2,000 feet he lost control and the machine crashed down. The aviator was picked up desperately hurt and died a few hours later.

## THE BRITISH PAVILION AT ROME'S EXPOSITION

Rome, March 28.—The King and Queen, accompanied by the foreign minister and members of the court, inaugurated the British pavilion this afternoon. This is a magnificent exhibition of British art of the 17th and 18th centuries.

## OTTAWA DRIVER OF BAKER'S WAGON SUED FOR \$5,000 AS FINANCIAL SALVE FOR INJURIES RECEIVED IN ACCIDENT.

Ottawa, March 28.—An action for \$5,000 damages against the C. P. R. brought by J. Charest, driver of bakers' wagons, who was injured in a crossing accident some months ago, was dismissed by Judge Champagne in Hull Superior Court today. The court held that the accident was due to plaintiff's own negligence.

CHILDREN WILL MARCH TO CHURCH

Tercentenary of the King James Bible will be fittingly observed in St. John this afternoon.

Anglo-Saxon Christendom will today commemorate the tercentenary of the Authorized, or King James version of the Holy Scriptures.

The Canadian Bible Society, auxiliary to the British and Foreign Bible Society, has recommended its auxiliaries to hold celebrations in honor of the event.

The New Brunswick auxiliary has arranged to celebrate the event in befitting manner. A mass meeting of children will be held in Centenary church this afternoon at 3.30 o'clock.

Brief addresses upon the lessons of the tercentenary will be delivered and each child will be given a memento of the occasion in the form of a copy of the Gospel according to St. Luke bearing the Canadian Arms.

The children are requested to meet in King Square at 3.30 o'clock this afternoon and will march to Centenary church headed by the Boy Scouts, Scotch companies and pipers.

Children of the elementary schools are dismissed at 2.30 o'clock and their parents are requested to instruct them to proceed directly to Centenary school where members of the committee will conduct them to their places.

Should the weather render the holding of a procession impracticable, the children will go directly from the schools to the church.

Clergymen, the superintendents, of schools in each congregation, teachers in the public schools and subscribers and benevolent factors of the Bible Society are cordially invited to attend the commemorative ceremony.

Order of service to be carried out at Centenary church is as follows: Doxology, Prayer—Concluding with the Lord's Prayer, Rev. Dr. Flanders, minister Centenary church.

Hymn—Tell Me the Old, Old Story, Reading of the Scriptures, Rev. A. A. Graham, B. D., minister, St. David's church.

Address—Rev. P. S. Porter, M. A., pastor, St. John Baptist church, Address—Hon. Justice Forbes, Patriotic Song—My Own Canadian Home.

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Florenceville Bridge a Credit to the Province

Another instance of the excellent work done by the Provincial Department of Public Works.

Hazen Government Found Tottering Wooden Structure Sadly in Need of Repair, and Replaced it by One of the Finest Permanent Bridges in New Brunswick.

East Florenceville, Mar. 28.—The Florenceville bridge, as rebuilt by the William P. McNeill Co., Ltd., of New Glasgow, N. S., and the officials and men employed by the New Brunswick government, is almost completed and will be a most noteworthy and permanent public work of the province.

The bridge was originally a wooden structure of five spans, and was erected nearly, if not quite, 27 years ago, and the people in this vicinity say that the credit of securing it was due to the efforts of Hon. George W. White, of Centreville, and John S. Leighton, of Woodstock, both of whom represented Carleton county in the legislative assembly more than a quarter of a century ago.

Considering the demands upon it, considering the fact that for more than 20 years the Florenceville bridge is believed to have had more traffic over it than any other highway bridge in the province, outside of the bridges of the larger towns and cities, the old structure lasted wonderfully well. But it was seriously on the downward course for the past ten years, and the government in power before the last election had commenced what was intended to be extensive repairs, but of a wooden character only.

Mr. Smith Active. The coming into power of the Hazen government gave B. F. Smith, who for a long time was a fighting force in and out of the legislature for the Hazen party, an opportunity of impressing his views upon the public works department with the result that it was decided to practically rebuild the bridge and make it more than ever capable of meeting the demands upon it.

Mr. Smith was able to point out to Premier Hazen and his colleagues that East Florenceville was one of the most important shipping points in New Brunswick on the C. P. R. He referred to the fact that the Bank of New Brunswick here, under the management of Richard Dole, did a much larger business than any one of many other banks in much larger centres, and pointed out that the settlements, villages and towns in the parishes of Wicklow, Wilnot, Simonds, Kent and Aberdeen had grown so rapidly in the last 25 years that something better than a wooden bridge was required in pride of the old Florenceville bridge.

Mr. Smith pictured the past and the present of such places as Centreville, Tracadie, Greenfield, Knoxwood, Sunnyside, Lakesville, Lakeside, Corner, Bloomfield, Avondale, East and West Florenceville, Connell, Kent, Bath, Bristol, Aberdeen, Glassville, Foxton, Peel, Mount Pleasant, and Stickney, all of which places are served by the bridge at Florenceville. He made out a very strong case, and the matter was referred to the committee of the Public Works Department.

First Class Work. It was decided to have steel superstructures for three of the spans. Tenders were called for, and the contract was awarded to Messrs. William P. McNeill and Co., Limited, of New Glasgow, N. S., their tender being the lowest.

It was decided to have the sub-structure done by day's work, and people here on both sides of politics are convinced that this course has saved many thousands of dollars to the province. How was that possible? Because had the sub-structure been put up to tender it would have cost the pulling down of all the old piers and the replacing of them with new ones, whereas the day's work method meant only the doing of what was absolutely necessary.

And what did the government officials find that the old government had built two covered spans, one at the east side of the river and the other at the west side; and that out of this work the bridge would have to be largely rebuilt, but that a very substantial saving could be made with respect to the piers.

No Time Lost. The provincial government started their officials and men to work about the first of last October on the sub-structure. D. W. Jackson, structural superintendent for Carleton County, was in charge of the work, with Wm. R. Pawcett of Southampton, foreman of the crew. Mr. Pawcett is one of the councillors of York County. Incidentally it may be stated that he has the contracts for building a sub-structure at Tracey Station in Sunbury county, a new bridge near Hillsboro, Albert county, and a new wooden bridge at Carleton county. These works will be commenced early next month.

The government officials found the tops of the piers decayed and the sides out of shape. They cut the piers down some six feet and built them up anew after filling or refilling the casement of the five piers with stone. The piers were so badly twisted that it was decided to floor the tops of them with eight inch hemlock in order to distribute the weight of the super-structure more evenly on the piers. This was an idea of the chief engineer, A. R. Wetmore, and was applied to this bridge because of the very heavy traffic upon it.

The sub-structure workers also put in two new triangle truss spans each thirty-four feet long, each with a steel girder in the center. These constitute the approaches to the bridge. The piers were re-shedded; new tie girders were put on wherever necessary and boiler plates were put

on these girders to break the force of the ice.

The Super-structure. The contract for the steel super-structure was awarded to the William P. McNeill Company of New Glasgow, N. S., last summer, but having regard for the convenience of the public the work was not commenced till just after the beginning of the present year. The contract included a three span super-structure of 183 feet long, (about 175 tons of steel in all) as well as the flooring, James W. Shields of Chatham, steel structural superintendent for the provincial government, is the inspector of the work on the super-structure.

Mr. Charles McNeill, the general manager of the McNeill Company, came here and launched the work here early in January, since which Mr. Charles Campbell of Cape North, Cape Breton, has been in charge of the work.

One thing that forcibly strikes an onlooker is the devotion of the McNeill Company officials and employees to their superintendent and their company. Erectors, riveters, riggers, heaters, and carpenters, all work as one man at the suggestion of Mr. Charles Campbell, and this perfect discipline is no doubt responsible for a great measure of the success that the company has been able to successfully attain by the explosion of ammonia tanks, the flames continued with dogged resistance to defy the tireless efforts of the firemen.

Spectacular scenes were plentiful. Frequently firemen, overcome by the fumes, were carried out to be revived. One man was caught by a comrade when the latter was on a ladder at the fifth floor; two others were struck by flying bricks, and another was scalded by the blowing out of a safety valve of an engine. A couple of others narrowly escaped death when the second explosion scattered debris right and left through the air.

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The first explosion occurred shortly after midnight while a score of firemen were standing on the roof of the Coyne National Bank building, a large quantity of water into the upper floors of the burning building. The explosion of an ammonia tank blew down the roof of the plant and tons of brick and plaster were showered onto the roof of the school.

Battalion Chief Barton E. Fisher, of the fire department, was ordered to the ground and fractured both legs and other firemen on the roof had narrow escapes from death.

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A SPECTACULAR FIRE IN CHICAGO LAST WEEK

Million Pounds Of Butter Contributes To Scorching Blaze—Ammonia Fed The Flames—Many Firemen Overcome.

In Chicago last week a dozen companies of stalwart firemen, wearied to the point of exhaustion and stifled by the nauseating fumes of ammonia, mingled with the odor of burning butter, for over two days battled relentlessly with a stubborn fire which razed the plant of the Monarch Refrigerating Company at 40 East Michigan street. Fed by a million pounds of butter and blown into a scorching blaze as though with a giant beluga by the explosion of ammonia tanks, the flames continued with dogged resistance to defy the tireless efforts of the firemen.

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The first explosion occurred shortly after midnight while a score of firemen were standing on the roof of the Coyne National Bank building, a large quantity of water into the upper floors of the burning building. The explosion of an ammonia tank blew down the roof of the plant and tons of brick and plaster were showered onto the roof of the school.

Battalion Chief Barton E. Fisher, of the fire department, was ordered to the ground and fractured both legs and other firemen on the roof had narrow escapes from death.

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GERMANY TO REGULATE FOREIGN STOCK LISTING. Berlin, March 28.—The members of the centre party in the Reichstag today introduced a resolution asking the government to submit a bill creating a central authority to govern the listing of foreign securities in the various German bourses.

BIRD MAN MAKING FAST TIME IN FLIGHT. Paris, March 28.—Aviator Vedrine, competing for the aero club's cup for the best flight from Paris to Pau by way of Bordeaux, left this city at 6 o'clock this morning and descended at Pertuis, having made 170 miles in three hours, ten minutes. He came down to make minor repairs, and will proceed tomorrow in an endeavor to break the record of Captain Bellec, who occupied about ten hours in the total flight of a little less than 500 miles.

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**THE CITY OF ST. JOHN INVITES SEALED TENDERS FOR excavation backfill and cartage for the following water main, viz:**  
Simonds and Camden streets, Strait Shore Road, Watson street, West.  
All of which is set forth and described in plans and specifications to be seen in the office of the city engineer, room No. 5, City Building.  
The city does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.  
No bid will be accepted unless on the form and in the envelope supplied by the city engineer, addressed to the common clerk, and as endorsed thereon.  
Tenders will be received until Wednesday, the 29th day of March next, at noon in the office of the common clerk, room No. 3, City Hall, St. John, N. B.

**Notice of Legislation**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick, at its next session for the passing of an act to incorporate the Southern Road and Driving Company, for the purpose of acquiring or constructing and maintaining driving roads, bridges, viaducts, piers or other works necessary to facilitate the transportation of logs and timber down the following rivers and streams: West River in the County of Albert; Alma River in the County of Albert; Point Wolf River in the County of Albert; Kings and St. John Rivers in the County of Kings; and for the purpose of removing shoals or other impediments or otherwise improving the navigation of such rivers or streams or said purposes, with power to charge tolls for the driving of said logs and timber down said rivers and streams, and to do all things necessary for the efficient operation of said work and incident thereto.  
Dated this First day of February, A. D. 1911.

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Commencing at 9.30 a. m. and continuing until all entries are offered.  
LIVE STOCK CONVENTION OPENED AT 11 A. M., TUESDAY, 13th April.  
All persons or Agricultural Societies having pure bred or registered stock for sale, may offer it. Application should be made as early as possible to the Department of Agriculture, Fredericton, N. B.  
No expense for auctioneer or advertising. Stalls and straw furnished free.  
Single fare return tickets on Standard Certificate plan. Pure bred stock carried at half usual freight rates.  
D. V. LANDRY, Commissioner, Department of Agriculture, Fredericton, N. B.

**NOTICE TO THE CREDITORS OF DeWitt Bros., Limited,** pursuant to the winding up order made by the Supreme Court in the matter of the Winding Up Act, and in pursuance thereof and in the matter of DeWitt Bros. Limited, bearing date the first day of February, A. D. 1911.  
The Creditors of the above named Company and all others who have claims against the said Company carrying on business at the City of Saint John and elsewhere are required to send to the undersigned, on or before the first day of April, A. D. 1911, to be sent by post, prepaid to Henry F. Puddington, liquidator of the said Company, Robinson Building, Saint John, N. B., their claims and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims and the nature and amount of the securities (if any) held by them and the specified value of such securities verified by affidavit, and in default thereof they will be precluded from claiming from the assets of the said Act and winding up order.  
Dated this eighteenth day of February, A. D. 1911.  
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**A Chat With Mothers**

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A missionary, writing from the West Coast of Africa, says: "One boy who was treated for a bad case of ulcer, came back recently and said, 'I like best the green medicine.' The 'green medicine' was Zam-Buk."  
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Children like Zam-Buk because, as soon as applied to a burn, a cut, or a sore, it stops the pain and then gradually, but surely, it heals. As soon as the pain of a wound or sore is relieved a child can go on with its play and leave Zam-Buk to finish off the healing.  
Mothers might look a little more deeply into the action of Zam-Buk. First, it is highly antiseptic. As soon as applied it stops the danger of festering, blood-poisoning and inflammation. Second, it is soothing. It cools the wound or sore; allays the irritation; stops the pain and smarting. Then, thirdly, it stimulates the cells, beneath the injured parts, to healthy action, and causes the speedy creation of new, healthy tissue.  
Just try Zam-Buk for cuts, or burns, or cold sores, or eczema, ulcers, rashes, bad leg sores, varicose ulcers, or any inflamed or diseased condition of the skin. Its effect will highly satisfy you. All druggists and stores 50c. box, or free from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, for price. Refuse harmful imitations, and choose worthless substitutes.

**N. B. Historical Society.**  
An interesting meeting of the New Brunswick Historical Society was held last evening with President O'Brien in the chair. A letter was read from Dr. W. F. Ganon, stating that the land memorials of the Loyalists in the archives at Fredericton were in need of new bindings, and Col. J. R. Armstrong and Dr. R. Jack were appointed a committee to proceed to Fredericton and interview the local government with a view to having the memorials rebound and put in proper condition. The matter of fittingly celebrating the three hundredth anniversary of the founding of the French settlement at Coteau Island was discussed and a committee was appointed to arrange for the erection of a memorial tablet, and for holding an excursion to the island some time during the summer for the purpose of unveiling the tablet with appropriate ceremonies. Dr. G. U. Hay read a paper on the provincial museum and the marking of historic sites throughout the province, and at the close there was a general discussion which proved very interesting to the members.

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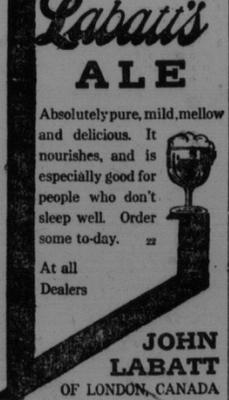
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**A Dainty Miss in A Lace-trimmed Hat**



Fashion's wheels slowly turn and the old styles come back to light now and then. The last turn brought rickrack for trimming into vogue once more.  
This little dress is made of sheerest linen, tucked and trimmed with bands of rickrack insertion, and the skirt has a full flounce edged with wide rickrack lace. The collar and cuffs are made of fine German val in sharp contrast to the heavier lace of rickrack.

**40,000 TROOPS WILL ATTEND CORONATION OF KING GEORGE**

**Lord Kitchener of Khartoum will be in Full Command, but a Feature of the Last Ceremonial, the Black Men of India, will be Missing.**

London, March 27.—Lord Kitchener, of Khartoum, who is to command the troops at the coronation, is expected to reach London early in April, and then the general scheme of military arrangements for the celebration will be submitted for the royal approval.  
It is expected that there will be forty thousand men of all arms in the park. Six infantry brigades will be mustered in London, and there will be two brigades made up of the Aldershot command under General Sir Smith-Dorrien, the southern command under General Sir Charles Douglas, and the eastern command under General Sir A. Paget. These will provide twenty thousand infantry, apart from the mounted troops and artillery up on the ground, to guard and line the route. One of the features of the last coronation will be missing—the black troops from India and elsewhere.  
In the decoration of London's streets for the royal progress there will be hardly any uniform scheme, but the buildings along the route of the procession will be covered with flags. Place swathed in bunting by day and illuminated brilliantly by electricity at night. In 1902, when King Edward was crowned, gas was used as the illuminant.  
The decoration of the bridges will be one of the attractive features of 1911. They will be lighted up at night during the celebration. Westminster Bridge will be decorated more ambitiously in line with the plan adopted in 1902, when two great lions stood at each end and between them twelve yards high bore cross arms from which banners, painted by the pupils of the Royal School of Art, and six hundred flags were hung. Plaster busts of English kings and queens stood on a dozen pedestals, each of which was fourteen feet high, and in the center of the bridge towers, as above all others were busts of Queen Elizabeth and Queen Victoria.  
Hint to Americans.  
With plans so well forward it may be a timely thing to let Americans who intend to come over to see this great coronation know that unless they engage hotel accommodations or lodgings now they will have to put up with quarters in distant suburbs. It is true that money will do much, and it may be that many rooms in London's hotels have been engaged for purely speculative purposes and that these can be obtained by belated millionaires, but as, notwithstanding general English belief, the majority of Americans are outside that happy, favored class, the thing to do is to engage rooms at once.  
There are many stories afloat of fabulous prices being demanded for rooms by hotel proprietors, but that this is not the case is evidenced by the native declaration of a manager of one of the leading caravansaries that the increase in prices would not be great. The fact that rooms in his hotel which are now let at \$2 a day will bring only \$6 a day for the coronation celebration, is a statement that serves as a hint that it will be well to bring a plentiful supply of the roof of all evils, as foodstuffs, too, like the champagne of France, will mount skyward in price.  
While hotel-keepers are being severely criticized because of the exorbitant demands they are making, the average English householder should not be overlooked. Apartments which are now being rented at \$15 a week are expected to bring \$60 a week during the coronation celebrations. Many landlords, in order to obtain their share of the gold that is coming, have notified tenants not protected by law

**DIVORCE FOR NAT GOODWIN, BUT "NO WIFE"**

Edna Goodrich Goodwin and Her Husband are no Longer One—She may Marry Again, but Nat Can't.



New York, March 28.—An inter-continental degree of divorce in favor of Edna Goodrich Goodwin, the actress, from her husband, Nat C. Goodwin, the comedian, was signed today by supreme court justice Gieseler. Miss Goodrich is given permission to marry again, but Mr. Goodwin is denied that permission during the lifetime of his former wife.  
In December will be sent out under the custody of the Admiralty on a special cruiser.  
Patriotic Britons will sport coronation medals in honor of King George in June, but none will know for certain that they are not wearing the "made in Germany" variety. At the last coronation these foreign souvenirs flooded the country, and according to several English manufacturers, they are now being shipped into England in large consignments again.  
"Most of the medals are so well done," said one manufacturer, "that the public could not tell them from our home made work. They arrive in boxes stamped 'Made in Germany,' but as soon as they have passed the customs the boxes are discarded, and the souvenirs, which have no marks on them, are sent out broadcast. Large consignments of other patriotic emblems are being shipped over here by industries 'Teutonic cousins,' and they can sell them at a most low price than similar articles made in England, our trade is naturally very seriously affected by them."

**THE QUEENS**

Toronto, the Queen City of Canada, is the important business and tourist centre of the Dominion, its many handsome churches, artistic public buildings, imposing offices, public drives, parks and gardens, are the admiration of many thousands of visitors throughout the year.  
One of the best hotels in Canada is located here, the old established "Queens," a hostelry that is especially popular with all discriminating people, standing in its own beautiful and extensive grounds, it has an air of quiet refinement that appeals strongly to the home lover, its fame is far reaching and many remember with pleasure the hours spent within its hospitable walls.  
The "Queens" is operated on the American and European Plan, the rates being: Rooms without Bath (American Plan) \$3.00 per day up. Rooms with Bath (American Plan) \$3.50 per day up. Rooms (European Plan) \$1.50 per day up.  
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The demonstration from 3 to 5 p. m., will be devoted to the preparation of English afternoon tea with this clean, convenient fuel, which already is rapidly gaining favor here.

TECK. COMMISSION TO VISIT EUROPE

Ottawa, Ont., March 28.—The Dominion commission on technical education will start on its trip abroad on Saturday next, sailing from Halifax for Liverpool. It is expected that the commission will spend three or four months in the countries of the old world, visiting Great Britain, Germany, France, Belgium and several other countries where technical education has been taken up by the governments.

LITTLE BUSINESS IN CIRCUIT COURT

The March sittings of the Circuit Court opened yesterday morning—Court adjourned to April 20th.

The March sittings of the Circuit Court opened yesterday morning in the court house at eleven o'clock with His Honor Mr. Justice White presiding. There is not likely to be any criminal business to be disposed of by this court and the civil docket consisted of one non-jury case only which will be tried in chambers on April 29 next.

The following compose the grand jury: Messrs. William F. Burdett, (foreman), Isaac Erb, Edwin A. Ellis, (absent), Arthur P. Hazen, (absent), William H. Bell, George W. Mallin, J. Herbert Crocker, Robert Barbour, (absent), John B. Hardsley, John S. Coughlan, (absent), G. M. Barker, William J. Crawford, H. S. Cosman, Frederick W. Daley (absent), Herbert Danaher (absent), Edmund H. Duval, Charles F. Francis (absent), Charles H. Knodel, John Glynn, William P. Grant, G. Berwick, Percy A. Clarke (secretary), Alfred G. Edgcombe.

The following compose the petit jury: Messrs. Day, William G. Beatty, George C. Beaman, Walter Bailey, James W. Calhoun, John H. Frodsham, Wellington H. Dunham, Fred. H. French, Harry S. McLaughlin, John R. Greer, Leonard G. Belyea, Benjamin J. Barnes, Alfred H. Ellis, Edward P. Watson, Edward A. Milton, John H. Miller, David Love, John H. Hanson, Thomas Dillon, Charles H. McDonald and David O. Porter.

In charging the grand jury His Honor said in part: "Not less than an hour ago I was not aware that there was any criminal business to be brought before you, but a few minutes ago depositions in a case of some gravity have been placed in my hands. "As the Crown has no representative here this morning, I will dismiss you and you will be notified to attend through the public press. "Of course, the accused may elect to be tried under the Sipey's Trials Act before the learned judge of the County Court."

Referring to those delinquent grand jurors, His Honor observed that the law should be altered, so that a grand jury need not be summoned when there is no criminal business. "His Honor intimated that he would fine Messrs. Erb, A. Ellis, Arthur P. Hazen, Robert Barbour, John S. Coughlan, Frederick W. Daley, Herbert Danaher, and Charles F. Francis, the absentees, if they disregarded the summons of the court again.

The grand jury then retired and after being out less than fifteen minutes, returned with a recommendation that the Legislature be notified to change the law so that a grand jury need not be summoned when there is no criminal business. "His Honor thanked the jury for their attendance and said it was an endorsement of the recommendation of the Kings County jury last week. He promised to place the matter before the proper authorities.

The criminal case referred to in His Honor's charge was that of the King vs. Speardakes, charged with stealing electricity. It is understood that the accused will elect to take the speedy trial before Judge Forbes. Dr. W. B. Wallace, K. C., and Mr. J. A. Sinclair appear for Speardakes. The petit jury were dismissed.

Docket. Criminal, none. Civil: Jury, none. Non-jury: Fleming vs. McKean, Mr. J. B. M. Baxter, K. C.

The case of O'Regan vs. C. P. R. was made a remand. Mr. H. D. Forbes appears for the plaintiff and Messrs. Weldon and McLean for the defendant. John Willett, K. C., read the naturalization papers of Hun Foo and Lee Yaw, two Chinamen. The papers were ordered filed.

The court adjourned until April 20 next at eleven a. m., when it will meet in the Equity Court rooms and the case of Fleming vs. McKean will be taken up.

PROBATE COURT. Estate Richard H. W. Rowe.

Estate of Richard H. W. Rowe, photographer, deceased. Last will proved.

CONNELLY'S CASE UP IN THE COURT YESTERDAY

Several Witnesses Were Examined and the Prisoner was Remanded for Further Hearing.

The preliminary examination of Arthur Connelly, alias Ryan, aged 15 on the charge of breaking and entering the premises of T. Collins and Co., O'Neil Bros. and J. E. Wilson, Ltd., and stealing a revolver from the latter place, was commenced in the police court yesterday morning.

John Cusack, an employee of John E. Wilson, testified to closing the rear store on Saturday night and finding it open on Monday. Murray Baird, cashier in the store, gave evidence that he found the cash drawer open on Monday and that the revolver found on the prisoner, was one stolen from the drawer.

Officer Whittier told of arresting the prisoner, and his photographers and a 13 keys. Witness told of seeing the lad on Sydney street before the arrest. Frank Ledford, an employee of T. Collins, and Wilfrid McMalin, employed by O'Neil Bros., gave evidence. The prisoner was remanded.

AMUSEMENTS. Four New Pictures At Nickel.

The Nickel will have no less than four new pictures in its new bill for today and Thursday. The prime feature of these will be "Pathe's forcible lesson on charity and love of fellow man entitled, "Sons of the Poor." The Vitagraph Company present another of their heart-reaching stories of the war in "Mammy's Ghost" credited with being one of the best of this class of film-story yet issued. The Selig Company in "The Little Shepherdess," an Italian pastoral, make a magnificent showing of the beauty of the mountains. In "The Theft of the Rajah's Daughter." All these pictures are more than usually interesting. Madame Furlong-Schmidt will sing one more day of "Because I Love You Dear," by Hawley and on Thursday will render a new number, Jack Morrissey finishes with that fun-riot "Band, Band, Band," today. New song tomorrow also. The Nickel is soon to be re-named, a passenger line, "A Tale of Two Cities" (Dickens), which will take nearly an hour to show. Watch the papers.

HOMESEKERS' EXCURSIONS.

The Grand Trunk Railway has issued circulars authorizing all Agents in Canada to sell Homeseekers' Excursion tickets to points in Western Canada. This is interesting information for those desiring to take advantage of these excursions on certain dates from April to September 1910. The Grand Trunk Route is the most direct and quickest route to the west through the populated centres of Canada, through Chicago, and thence via Duluth, on through Chicago, and the twin cities of Minneapolis and St. Paul. Ask Grand Trunk Agents for further particulars.

Cases Adjudged.

The charge laid by Rev. W. R. Robinson against the Royal Hotel for not having the hotel bar open to inspection from the street, and against W. L. Williams for having more than one entrance to his saloon, were to have been taken up in the police court yesterday afternoon, but owing to the absence of counsel, a further adjournment of one week was granted.

Will Brought On Marsh Road.

The Crosby Molasses Co., Ltd., has secured the Magee property on the Marsh road, just beyond the One Mile House, and will utilize it for building a large warehouse for storing their goods. The plot of land is 500 feet on the Marsh road and extends back to the I. C. R. tracks, a distance of 144 feet. Practically the entire area will be used for warehouse purposes. Plans are now being prepared and it is expected work will be commenced as soon as the frost is out of the ground probably about May 1.

Honor For W. C. Cushing.

William C. Cushing, C. E. has been elected president of the American Engineering and Maintenance of Way Association, an honorary position in recognition of the esteem with which he is regarded by his fellow engineers in the United States. Mr. Cushing has had a brilliant record. The Institute of Engineering and Contracting contains a portrait and an interesting biographical sketch of him, commencing favorably on his activity in the work of the American Railway Engineering and Maintenance of Way Association. Mr. Cushing is a graduate of the University of New Brunswick and of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Attended in Moncton.

John Allen with a police record in this city, was yesterday morning in the Moncton police court, sentenced for a term of six months on the charge of vagrancy.

HON. JOHN MORRISSY AND THE OPPOSITION

Works Invites Investigation of Provincial Accounts—Strictures Upon Opposition.

Fredricton, Mar. 28.—One of the features of the York county by-election campaign is the speech made last night by Hon. John Morrissy, the Liberal member of the House of Commons, in the Liberal government. He is reported in part in the Gleaner today as follows: "The Opposition send three of their own men and go over our accounts, and if they can find one dollar misappropriated, I will hand in my resignation," declared the chief commissioner amidst applause. Continuing Hon. Mr. Morrissy declared that what was worrying the Opposition in the legislature was that they saw the government getting entrenched in power stronger all the time.

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MERCANTILE MARINE NEWS

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Sun rises... 6.15 a. m. Sun sets... 6.45 p. m. High water... 10.51 a. m. Low water... 5.02 p. m. Atlantic standard time.

PORT OF SAINT JOHN.

Arrived—Mar. 27. Schr. J. L. Colwell, 99, Merriam, from Parrabro in harbor, bound to St. Stephen with a cargo of coal. Schr. Exilda, 349, Tower, Carrabelle, Fla. C. M. Kerrison, 328, 758 ft pitch pine, J. A. Likely. Schr. Myrtle Leaf, 326, Merriam, Perth Amboy, A. W. Adams, 648 tons coal, R. F. and W. F. Starr, Coastwise—Str. Granville, 48, Collins, Annapolis, and old.

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# FINANCIAL WORLD

## STOCK MARKET SHOWS SIGN OF LIFE

New York, March 28.—In response to a movement of broader scope than had been attempted for some time, the stock market today shook off its lethargy and advanced briskly. Opening prices were at good gains, and in the first hour about as much business was transacted as in the entire session of yesterday. The rise soon reached a point in some of the important issues. Trading did not proceed long at high pitch, however, and although gains were generally held, the afternoon session was quiet.

There was no evidence to show that the increased activity today was due to outside demand, or to any cause other than professional manipulation, which took the form of a demonstration against the short interest. Prices were bid up just before the close yesterday and buying orders in the London market increased the rise before trading began here today. There was some uneasiness on the bear side when the market opened still stronger, and urgent covering doubtless was a large factor in the day's advance. The English market was reported to have bought extensively of Union Pacific and United States steel, and while some of this business may have originated in New York, manipulation, arbitrage houses here said the movement reflected in part at least the effect of hedging on account of options, some falling due abroad.

Canadian Pacific still forged ahead to another high record, rising 2 1/2 to 22 1/2. It was treated today as the company had purchased a large tract of land to add to its holdings, and the probability of still higher dividends from land operations as a result of this transaction sent up the stock briskly. Union Pacific, Lehigh Valley, Reading and Norfolk and Western, all of which advanced from 1 to 2 points, were among the strongest stocks. American Woolen common and preferred broke sharply, evidently in response to disapproval of various elements in the company as to the purchase by the management of part of the common stock of the corporation. International bankers received advice from Paris, indicating that negotiations for the listing of Atchison on the Bourse are well toward the point of consummation. Today's reports by accepting the stock will be placed in the "official" department of the Paris exchange. It is understood that a foreign syndicate chiefly of French composition, has taken a large block of Atchison convertible bonds. Apropos of this, it is noteworthy that several issues of convertible bonds, including American Telephone, Norfolk and Western, and Union Pacific, were features of today's trading in the bond division, the last two in particular keeping with the activity in the shares of those companies.

Some of the largest railroads presented their February reports today and the showing made was remarkable, chiefly for the striking evidence it contains of the efforts which are being made toward economy. Union Pacific reported the heaviest loss about \$700,000 in gross earnings. Northern Pacific and Southern Pacific each reported a shrinkage of about \$500,000 in gross. Northern Pacific kept down operating expenses most effectively to meet the situation, reducing this item by \$475,000. Southern Pacific's cut was comparatively small, and there was almost no change in the expenses of Union Pacific. As the latter's expenses since July 1, have risen more than \$3,679,000, and those of Southern Pacific \$2,879,000 on the same time, the showing made in last month's report is significant of the effort which is in progress throughout the country to keep down charges.

Bonds were firm. Total sales, par value, \$2,885,000.

## NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

(Quotations Furnished by Private Wires of J. C. Mackintosh and Co. members of Montreal Stock Exchange, 111 Prince Wm. Street, St. John, N. B., Chubb's Corner.)

Am. Copper	2500	63 1/2	64 1/2	63 1/2	64
Am. Best Sugar	600	44 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Am. Car and Found.	200	53 1/2	54 1/2	53 1/2	54 1/2
Am. Cotton Oil	400	60	60 1/2	59 1/2	60 1/2
Am. Locomotive	200	35 1/2	36 1/2	35 1/2	36 1/2
Am. Sm. and Ref.	4200	75 1/2	76 1/2	75 1/2	76 1/2
Am. Tel. and Tele.	3100	147	147 1/2	147	147 1/2
Am. Sugar	300	119 1/2	119 1/2	119	119 1/2
Am. Steel Found.	1000	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Am. Copper	600	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
Atchison	10000	109 1/2	110 1/2	109 1/2	110 1/2
Ball and Ohio	1100	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
Chi. and N. West.	300	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2
Can. Pac. Rail. Tex.	2000	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Ches. and Ohio	1700	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2
Chi. and St. Paul	4000	122 1/2	122 1/2	122 1/2	122 1/2
Chi. and N. West.	300	145 1/2	145 1/2	145 1/2	145 1/2
Com. Gas	100	145 1/2	145 1/2	145 1/2	145 1/2
Denver and Rio Grande	100	32	32	32	32
Erie	18200	29	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Gen. Electric	100	148 1/2	148 1/2	148 1/2	148 1/2
Gr. North. Pac.	3500	127 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2
Gr. North. Ore.	1700	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Illinois Central	300	136 1/2	136 1/2	136 1/2	136 1/2
Ind. Steel	100	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Louisville	200	145 1/2	145 1/2	145 1/2	145 1/2
Lehigh Valley	1700	173 1/2	173 1/2	173 1/2	173 1/2
Nevada	600	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Kansas City South.	400	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Miss. Pac.	200	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Miss. Pacific	4900	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2
National Lead	300	53	53 1/2	53 1/2	53 1/2
New York Central	2700	108 1/2	108 1/2	108 1/2	108 1/2
N. Y. Ont. and Que.	200	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Nor. Pac.	3000	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Nor. and West.	16000	108 1/2	108 1/2	108 1/2	108 1/2
Pacific Mail	100	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Penn.	3500	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
People's Gas	1100	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2
Pac. Tel. and Tele.	2000	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2
Rail Steel Sp.	100	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Reading	3500	153 1/2	153 1/2	153 1/2	153 1/2
Rep. Ir. and Steel	200	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
Rock Island	1200	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
South. Pacific	8100	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
So. Ry.	700	148 1/2	148 1/2	147 1/2	147 1/2
South. Railway	200	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Texas and Pacific	1000	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Unif. Copper	3000	45	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Unif. Steel	3500	173 1/2	173 1/2	173 1/2	173 1/2
United States Rubber	200	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
United States Steel	56400	78 1/2	79 1/2	79 1/2	79 1/2
United States Steel Pfd.	11900	119 1/2	119 1/2	119 1/2	119 1/2
Western Union	2400	66 1/2	66 1/2	66 1/2	66 1/2
Total Sales	347,800	73	73 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2

## PRODUCE PRICES IN CANADIAN CENTRES

Montreal, Mar. 28.—HAY—Prices are steady, but the demand is slow again. No. 1 choice, \$10 to \$10.50; extra No. 2 \$9 to \$9.50; ordinary No. 2, \$8 to \$8.50; clover mixed, \$7 to \$7.50; clover, \$6 to \$6.50, car lots.

POTATOES—Prices are firm under a good demand with sales of car lots at \$2 to \$2.50 and jobbing lots at \$1.05 to \$1.10 per bag.

OATS—Canadian western No. 2, 29 to 30 1/2; extra No. 1 feed, 28; No. 3 cw, 27 1/2; No. 2 local white, 26 1/2; No. 3 local white, 25 1/2; No. 4 local white, 24 1/2.

WHEAT—Manitoba spring wheat patents firsts, 56; seconds, 55; winter wheat patents, \$4.50; strong bakers, \$4.80; straight rollers, \$4 to \$4.25; in bags, \$1.75 to \$1.85.

ROLLED OATS—Per barrel \$1.90; bag of 90 lbs, \$1.95.

FEED—Barley, car lots, ex store, 49 to 50; 1908, 48 to 49.

CORN—American, No. 3 yellow, 56 to 56 1/2 cents.

MILFEED—Bran, Ontario \$22 to \$23; Manitoba \$21 to \$22; middlings, Ontario \$24 to \$25; shorts, Manitoba, \$23 to \$25; moullie, 25 to \$30.

EGGS—Fresh 20 to 23 cents.

CHEESE—Western, 12 1/2 to 12 1/2; eastern, 11 1/2 to 12 cents.

BUTTER—Cholceat, 26 to 27 cents; seconds, 24 1/2 to 25 1/2.

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## CLOSING STOCK LETTER. MONTREAL AND BOSTON CURB.

By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.

New York, March 28.—Today's stock market developed aggressive strength and the volume of transactions increased to almost respectable proportions. London furnished a strong initiative with advances extending from stout fractions to a full point and foreigners were fairly liberal buyers in this market during the day, especially in Union Pacific which was strong throughout. There were rumors of an impending decision in the government suit against the so-called So. Pac. control and while there was of course no way of telling what the result would be, professional operators argued correctly that the settlement of this litigation would be a favorable factor both as regards Union Pacific and the financial situation at large.

In the event that the court should order a dissolution of the Union So. Pac. merger, the sale of the former's large holdings in the latter stock at anything near current prices would enrich its treasury by considerably over \$100,000,000, an amount sufficient to retire the entire first mortgage bonds if such were possible. If the legality of these holdings is sustained the strategic position of the Union Pacific in the Western railway fields would be secure. The winding up of this litigation would eliminate another factor of uncertainty from the situation at large.

The real feature of strength today, however, was Canadian Pacific, which rose nearly three points on concerted buying. There was a strong tendency to account for this demand, but the impression remains that the earnings of this property will influence the management to confer further valuable rights upon stockholders. Other points of strength were Lehigh Valley, Aitch. and Norfolk and Western. With regard to the latter named stock the rumor of an increased dividend was revived. This, at least, had the basis of fact that earnings are large enough to warrant a larger first mortgage. The whole market closed strong with indications of further advance.

LAIDLAW & CO.

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JUDSON & CO.

CANADIAN NEWS NOTES.

By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.

Montreal, March 28.—Providing there is no hitch in programme to pull off a merger between R. & O. Nor. Nav. and Int. and Navigation, Baron Furness will accept the nomination as the chairman of the merger board.

The Furness interests have already taken hold in Nor. Nav. and it is said that Lord Furness will accept the chairmanship, providing the merger is consummated. There was a meeting here late in afternoon of the interests who are working upon the deal and if the rise in R. & O. stock today is any criterion the outlook for a deal is improving.

## MONTREAL

Morning Sales.

Black Lake Bonds, 500 @ 75.  
Canadian Pacific, 50 @ 22 1/4, 100 @ 22 3/8.  
Cement, 300 @ 22 1/4, 8 @ 22, 725 @ 22 1/4.  
Dom. Pfd., 6 @ 87.  
Detroit United, 125 @ 69.14.  
100 @ 100, 100 @ 100, 100 @ 96, 2,500 @ 96 1/2.  
Dominion Steel, 50 @ 58, 50 @ 57 1/2, 125 @ 57 1/2.  
Dominion Textile, 75 @ 75, 25 @ 73 1/4, 50 @ 73 1/2, 25 @ 73 1/8.  
Dominion Textile Pfd., 3 @ 106.  
Dominion Cotton Bonds, 2,000 @ 102 Mackay Pfd., 5 @ 75.  
Montreal Power, 195 @ 149 1/2, 5 @ 149 1/4.  
Mexican, 25 @ 88 1/2.  
Nova Scotia Steel, 100 @ 101, 100 @ 100 1/2, 20 @ 134 1/2.  
Ottawa, 10 @ 134 1/2.  
Ogilvie, 25 @ 124.  
Penman, 45 @ 60.  
Porto Rico, 100 @ 57.  
Quebec Railway Bonds, 2,000 @ 86.14.  
Quebec Railway Bonds, 500 @ 85.  
Rich. and Ontario, 148 @ 113 1/2, 520 @ 114 50 @ 114 1/2.  
Rio de Janeiro, 25 @ 105 3/4, 15 @ 106.  
Shawinigan, 175 @ 113 3/4, 20 @ 114 3/4, 175 @ 113 3/4, 20 @ 114 3/4.  
Soo Railway Rights, 16 @ 7.  
Soo Paul, 100 @ 159 1/2.  
Toledo Railway, 10 @ 8.  
Toronto Railway, 10 @ 123.  
Bank of Commerce, 32 @ 218 1/2.  
Molson's Bank, 2 @ 208 1/4, 20 @ 208 1/2.  
Quebec Bank, 12 @ 138.  
Royal Bank, 22 @ 238.

Afternoon Sales.

Canadian Pacific, 20 @ 222 1/4, 25 @ 222 1/2, 25 @ 223 1/2, 125 @ 223 1/4, 125 @ 224, 25 @ 223 3/4, 2.  
Cement, 5 @ 22 1/2, 12 @ 2.  
Cement Pfd., 10 @ 86 3/4, 5 @ 87, 10 @ 86 3/4.  
Crown Reserve, 600 @ 315, 200 @ 325, 200 @ 325, 100 @ 325, 100 @ 323.  
Detroit United, 25 @ 69.  
Dominion Textile, 150 @ 73.  
Dominion Textile Pfd., 23 @ 106.  
Dominion Steel, 50 @ 57 1/2, Mackay Pfd., 20 @ 76.  
Montreal Power, 15 @ 149 5/8, 100 @ 149 1/2.  
Nova Scotia Steel, 10 @ 100.  
Quebec Railway, 100 @ 61.  
Quebec Bonds, 2,000 @ 85.  
Rich. and Ontario, 175 @ 114 1/2, 20 @ 114 1/2, 135 @ 114 1/2, 90 @ 114 1/2, 25 @ 114 5/8, 105 @ 114 3/4.  
Rubber, 100 @ 99.  
Shawinigan, 25 @ 113 3/4, 100 @ 113 1/2.  
Soo Railway, 50 @ 147 3/4, 25 @ 148, 20 @ 147 1/2.  
Twin City, 50 @ 108 7/8, 100 @ 109.  
Royal Bank, 5 @ 238.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

Asbestos Com. . . . . 11  
Black Lake Com. . . . . 18 1/4  
B. Telephone Com. . . . . 144  
Can. Pac. Rail. . . . . 223 1/2  
Can. Converters. . . . . 44 1/2  
Cement Com. . . . . 23 1/2  
Cement Pfd. . . . . 86 1/2  
Can. East. Pulp. . . . . 45 1/2  
Crown Reserve. . . . . 324 3/8  
Detroit United. . . . . 69 1/2  
Dom. Text. Com. . . . . 73 1/2  
Dom. Coal Pfd. . . . . 110 1/8  
Dom. Steel. . . . . 57 1/2  
Dom. I. and S. Pfd. . . . . 102 1/2  
Del. Superior. . . . . 87 1/2  
Hal. Elec. Fram. . . . . 144 1/2  
Illinois Trac. Pfd. . . . . 93 1/2  
Lake Woods Com. . . . . 140 1/2  
St. Paul SS Marie . . . . . 148  
Mexican. . . . . 89  
Rio Com. . . . . 106 1/2  
Mont. St. Rail. . . . . 230 228 1/2  
Mont. H. and P. . . . . 149 1/4  
Mont. Cotton. . . . . 154 1/2  
Mackay Com. . . . . 94 1/2  
Mackay Pfd. . . . . 75 1/2  
N. S. S. and C. Com. . . . . 100 1/2  
New Que. Com. . . . . 61 1/4  
Ogilvie Com. . . . . 125 1/2  
Ottawa Power. . . . . 124  
Porto Rico Com. . . . . 61 1/2  
Rich. and Ont. Nav. . . . . 115 1/4  
Soo Paul Tram. . . . . 160 1/4  
Tor. St. Rail. . . . . 113 1/4  
Tor. St. Rail. . . . . 128 1/2

Congratulations To City.

W. A. Mackenzie and Company, Investment Brokers, of Toronto, writing to the city acknowledging receipt of a list of the tenders for the recent issue of city bonds, conclude their letter as follows: "The city is to be congratulated on the excellent price obtained. The sale is one of the best that has been made for some time."

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## NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.

March	14.23	18	16-18
April	14.25	25	18-20
May	14.24	29	28-30
June	14.11	12	11-12
July	14.13	61	60-10
Aug.	13.67	58	63-64
Oct.	12.25	61	61-65
Dec.	12.45	40	43-44
Jan.	12.43	43	41-43
Spot	14.35		

## Stole The Crockeryware.

The restaurant at the L. C. R. station has suffered considerably during the winter season by the theft of crockeryware and cutlery on the part of immigrants who patronize the lunch counter and walk off with anything movable. On Monday the proprietor missed a number of articles and took a trip through an immigrant train to see if he could find them. He returned with an armful of crockeryware, etc., which passengers were planning to use for the balance of their westward trip.

## NEW POLITICAL PARTY IN CANADA

Imperial Mission is Name of the Organization—Lord Dundonald the Head—Started in Great Britain.

Toronto, Mar. 28.—Quietly but steadily there is being organized in Canada a political move, imperial in its aims, which will take definite form this spring.

The organization is the "Imperial Mission" and its president is Lord Dundonald, former general officer commanding Canada's military forces, but who fell out with Hon. Sydney Fisher while the latter was acting Minister of militia.

The "Imperial Mission" has already been organized in Great Britain, and efforts are now being made to carry on the organization in the overseas dominions. The Canadian section has only provisional officers at present, these being: President, George Tait Blackstock, K. C.; treasurer, A. C. Pratt, M. P. for South Norfolk, and secretary and organizer, W. G. Fen, of Toronto.

"Let's be one," is the motive of the organization. Its objects are to present before the people of the United Kingdom the point of view of the Overseas Dominions, and to show the benefits of imperial solidarity in commerce and defence; to show the people of the Mother Country that if she decides to buy her imported food with in the Empire, the Overseas Dominions

# THE STANDARD'S PAGE OF SPORTS

## RESULTS IN LOCAL LEAGUES

The regular matches in the City and Commercial leagues took place on Black's alleys last night. In the City league the Tigers took three points from the Pirates with a total score of 1316 to 1255.

CITY LEAGUE.	
<b>Tigers.</b>	
Lunney	106 77 83 266-88 2 3
McKiel	72 77 92 241-80 1 3
Belyea	95 87 84 276-92
Mitchell	82 92 83 274-91 1 3
Bailey	74 85 100 259-86 1 2
429 425 452 1316	
<b>Pirates.</b>	
Perigson	77 83 84 244-81 1 3
McDonald	84 82 85 252-84
Tuffs	84 90 86 260-82 2 3
Howard	67 84 85 236-78 2 3
Stubbs	85 91 85 261-87
397 431 425 1253	
COMMERCIAL LEAGUE.	
C. P. R.	
Griffith	85 76 95 256-85 1 3
Jack	97 83 91 275-91
Colburne	85 85 79 239-82 1 3
Johnson	74 72 96 242-80 2 3
McKlen	97 98 77 272-90 2 3
428 426 428 1302	
M. R. and A. Ltd.	
Brown	86 87 89 262-87 1 3
Tapley	92 78 81 251-83 2 3
Drake	85 81 87 253-84 1 3
Burnham	73 77 82 232-77 1 3
Henderson	85 100 78 263-87 2 3
421 423 417 1261	

## MORRIS FOUND SHRECK VERY EASY PICKINGS

### Oklahoma's "White Hope" Knocked Out Cincinnati Man in Sixth Round--12,000 People, Including Cowboys and Indians, Saw One-sided Bout.



CARL MORRIS

Sapulpa, Okla., March 28.—Carl Morris, the Oklahoma "white hope" climbed a step nearer the pugilistic heavyweight championship here this afternoon by knocking out Mike Shreck of Cincinnati in the sixth round of a scheduled fifteen round bout.

## BRITISH FOOTBALL RESULTS

London, March 27.—The semi-finals for the Football Association Cup were played Saturday, with the result that Newcastle United and Bradford City survive. The scores of these and the other principal games played Saturday are:

Chicago papers are printing four-column-wide pictures of Matty McIntyre plugging the ball for the White Sox. Matty, the Staten Island boy, is said to be showing better form at the bat than at any time in two years. The change from Detroit seems to have done the veteran outfielder a lot of good. He not only has been hitting consistently, but has been putting out many extra base smashes. He got four hits, last Sunday against Houston, one of which was a triple.

Now Charley Murphy says that he won't let Cincinnati or Boston get Harry Steinfield. Walters having been recalled, there is no chance for Chubb to deal with the southern leaguers.

## FOLEY PUT TO SLEEP IN THE SEVENTH

### Sydney, N. S., March 28.—Before an audience of 1,000 at King's Theatre, Glace Bay, tonight, Mickey McIntyre of Glace Bay knocked out Tom Foley of Halifax in the seventh round of a ten round bout, the latter taking the full count.

The bout was one of the best ever seen in Cape Breton and the crowd were well pleased with the manner in which it was conducted. Joe Francis of Bridgeport refereed and his decisions were most impartial throughout.

## SPORT NEWS IN SHORT METRE

Christy Mathewson has invented a new ball—the "quiver."

Wolgaast and Moran will settle their differences at San Francisco, July 4.

George Moriarty, famed for his song writing, has been elected captain of the Detroit Americans.

The Chicago White Sox have broken camp in the South and are now on their way North.

Chicago offered to give Steinfield to Boston in exchange for Alton, the left-handed pitcher, Boston indignantly refused.

There will be few, if any, changes on the New York National team. McGraw is said to have harvested a very poor crop of youngsters this spring.

Art Ross so impressed the hockey artist of the New York Press by his stickhandling that he referred to the Wanderer point man as "the Joe Gans of Ice Hockey."

## BOWLING TOURNAMENT WAS WELL OPENED YESTERDAY

### Black's Alley Quintette Started Off Well by Defeating Y.M.C.A.'s and Marathons -- Visiting Bowlers will Play First Round Today.

The bowling tournament for the Brunswick Balke Colender trophy commenced on Black's alleys yesterday morning and continued during the afternoon and night.

In the morning the Black's alleys team defeated the Marathons by a total of 1364 to 1264, the Black's team taking the four points.

Black's.	
Olive	86 90 87 268-87 2 3
Bailey	92 86 84 262-87 1 3
Lunney	83 88 95 266-88 2 3
Wilson	95 111 85 291-97
Black	94 95 93 282-91
450 470 444 1364	
Marathons.	
Kelley	120 95 96 311-102 2 3
M. Hurley	88 91 81 260-86 2 3
Winters	74 79 68 231-73 2 3
M. Hurley	76 80 92 248-82 2 3
Ward	69 72 83 224-74 2 3
427 417 420 1264	

Afternoon Match. In the afternoon the Black's alleys team bowled against the Y. M. C. A. with the result that Black's took four more points, with a total pin fall of 1375 to 1282.

Black's.	
Olive	99 84 95 278-92 2 3
McKean	92 109 85 286-95 1 3
Lunney	106 97 96 299-99 2 3
Wilson	79 82 85 246-82
Black	95 88 86 269-89 2 3
471 460 447 1378	
Y. M. C. A.	
Estey	103 83 105 291-97
Jackson	78 79 86 243-81
Howard	75 92 82 249-83
Law	82 89 83 254-84 2 3
Scott	77 88 89 245-81 2 3
415 431 426 1282	

Evening Match. The Y. M. C. A. and Marathons had a hard battle in the evening with the result that the teams finished even on points with the Y.M.C.A. having a score of 1297 to the Marathons 1275. The score was:

Y. M. C. A.	
Estey	92 85 95 273-91
Jackson	83 83 94 260-86 2 3
Law	70 92 78 240-80
Finley	100 82 80 262-87 1 3
Scott	82 96 73 252-84
429 438 420 1297	
Marathons.	
Kelley	70 90 90 259-86 1 3
M. Hurley	76 78 83 237-79
J. Hurley	84 108 74 266-88 2 3
Ward	78 77 86 241-80 1 3
Cosgrove	82 94 96 272-90 2 3
399 448 428 1275	

Today's Games. The Chatham bowlers arrived in the city last evening and the two teams from Calais, Me., a team from Woodstock and Amherst will also be ready for battle this morning.

At eleven o'clock the Y.M.C.A. and Calais teams will compete.

At one o'clock this afternoon Chatham will bowl against the Marathons and at the same time Woodstock and Amherst will play.

At 3 p. m. the Marathons and St. Croix, and Calais and Woodstock will play.

At 5 p. m. Black's and Calais will bowl.

At 7 p. m. St. Croix and Woodstock and Black's and Amherst will compete.

At 9 p. m. Y.M.C.A. and St. Croix will play.

At 11 p. m. Black's and Chatham and Y.M.C.A. and Amherst will roll.

The tournament is causing a great deal of interest and a large number are attending the games.

## THIS BOY IS A PROMISING LIGHTWEIGHT



JAKE BARADA.

St. Joseph, Mo., Mar. 27.—While Knockout Brown has been climbing to the top in New York, and One Round Jack Hogan has been doing the same on the coast, the middle west has been developing Jake Barada, of this city.

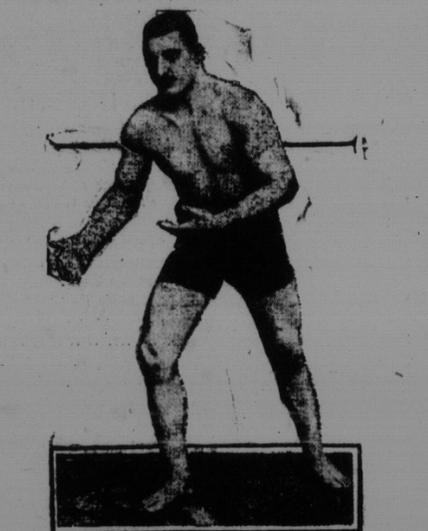
Barada is only 20, and his success has been remarkable. One year ago he fought his first main event bout here and since he has fought some of the best of the second raters at 135 pounds.

He has defeated Tommy McFarland and Chuck Larson, of Chicago and Mike Malone, of Denver. He became a favorite at Kansas City when he drew with Johnny McCarthy, who recently fought Paddy McFarland.

Barada is more lighter than boxer. He has a punch in either hand and covers so well he is hard to reach, even though his opponents outbox him easily. In the clinches he is strong and has a reputation for fighting from going to gone.

Barada saves his money and works like a Trojan in every bout. Billy Prescott, who manages the boy, will match him with any lightweight in the country for 10 rounds and will take on any boy near the top of the lightweight ladder for any number of rounds.

## HUSKY HUSSANE AFTER HACK



YUSSIF HUSSANE.

This cordy looking individual is Yussif Hussane, the Dallas, Tex., wrestler, who stood off Hackenschmidt for two hours and ten minutes. The Turk's previous claim to fame lay in his defeat of Demetrial, the Greek heavyweight. John Senchal, who refereed the match says it looked like a frameup to him, for Hackenschmidt, after tussling with

twice in a few minutes after the two hours expired. Previous to the match Charleson, the Turk's former manager, and a wrestler named Manogoff, wrote to the Dallas Despatch that the match was fixed. Hussane says his showing convinced him he is a class man and that he will now train for a long contest and go after Hack again.

John McGraw has gone on record as saying that the youngsters whom he has picked up this spring for his raw recruit class are the poorest that he has ever seen. But John doesn't tell who are the Giants' scouts.

If the Boston nationals wish to sell Peaches Graham they will find a ready market for the catcher would more than make good with first class pitching staff and good handlers of throws about the bases.

Frank Farrell, owner of the New York Highlanders, is back in New York and confirms the report that Lon Criger has been released unconditionally. He says that he will not ask for waivers, because he did not believe that Lon is now worth \$1,500 to any major league team.

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THE WEATHER.

MARITIME—Strong westerly winds today with snow flurries.

AROUND THE CITY

Trades and Labor Council. A meeting of the trades and labor council was held last evening, but little was done beyond the transaction of routine business.

Old Folks' Concert. A band of jubilee singers will give an old folks' concert in St. Phillips' A. M. E. church Thursday evening, March 30. All are invited.

Brought Home for Burial. The body of Laura Blake arrived on the Boston express last night en route to Hillboro, N. S. The woman died in Boston and the remains were held in the train shed last night and will be forwarded east this morning.

His Condition is Serious. Russell Rutherford, the C. P. R. brakeman, who was so badly injured between cars at Fredericton jet on Wednesday last, is in a serious condition at the general public hospital and is not expected to survive.

Returns from Inspection Trip. Wm. Downie, superintendent of the C. P. R. Atlantic division, arrived in his private car attached to the Boston express last night. He had been on an inspection tour of the road at Woodstock and Aroostook Junction.

The Standard was in Error. In the Standard of yesterday Col. J. R. Armstrong was reported as speaking at the indignation meeting in Keith's Assembly room. This was an error. It was Col. A. J. Armstrong who spoke. Col. J. R. Armstrong did not attend the meeting.

Juvenile Courts. The Executive of the Local Council of Women held a special meeting yesterday afternoon in the Natural History rooms. The bill which the council proposed sending to the legislature petitioning for the establishment of a Juvenile Court in St. John, was submitted to the executive. The bill as drafted was considered by the executive and passed and forwarded to Fredericton.

Ald. Holder's Position. The announcement made at the meeting in Keith's Assembly Rooms that Ald. Holder was opposed to the appointment of a Royal Commission, assumed a different complexion yesterday when the alderman for Lorne informed the Standard that he attached his signature to the letter prepared for him, under a misapprehension. Ald. Holder recently left the Public Hospital, and being still an invalid has not been able to attend to civic business. He was, however, said, to the city being governed by a Royal Commission, and being given to understand that this was the purpose of the resolution passed by the council, he signed the letter in question. He was not opposed, he added, to a Royal Commission to settle the details of civic government after a plebiscite on the system had been taken. Had he been well enough to attend the meeting of the council he would have voted for the resolution.

CLEVER PERFORMANCE BY ELOCUTION PUPILS

With a most pleasing presentation of the three act drama, Rebecca's Triumph in St. David's school room, Miss Emma Heffer's classes in elocution and physical culture closed last night for the season. The production was most artistic, reflecting credit on Miss Heffer and Miss Leach and on the young ladies taking part. The individual parts were all well played, and a notable feature of the entertainment was that the minor details, too often neglected in similar productions, were carefully attended to.

Miss Louise Lordly gave a clever portrayal of the role of Mrs. Rokeman, Miss Gladys Smith as Meg the Vagrant, handled her role in excellent style.

In the title role of Rebecca, Miss Sabra Mahony, gave a finished interpretation of a difficult role. Miss Kathleen Walker as Clarissa an Old Maid, won frequent ovations for her clever work. Graceful in her gestures and taking advantage of the possibilities afforded by her role, Miss Walker gave evidence of possessing a remarkable talent for elocution.

The entertainment was attended by a large and appreciative audience. Following is the cast of characters: Mrs. Rokeman, Wealthy Lady—Miss Louise Lordly.

Mrs. Delaine, Nurse and Widow—Miss Mabel Earle. Meg, Vagrant—Miss Gladys Smith. Rebecca, a Foundling—Miss Sabra Mahony. Clarissa, Codman, Old Maid—Miss Kathleen Walker. Dora Gaines, Leader of Girl's Club—Miss Clara Leach. "Our Club" (Jennie, Nellie, Eva, Maria, Sadie)—The Misses Burton, Isaacs, Bauer, Turner, Dick. Katie Connor, Irish Maid—Dora Corbett. Gypsy, Colored Maid—Laura Spence.

Maritime Horse Show. The second annual Maritime Horse Show, which is to be held in the Winter Fair Building, Amherst, promises to be a grand success. The manager informs us that the entries "which are now in" come from all parts of the maritime provinces, and are at most double those of last year. Such classes as carriage and roadster pairs, tandems, ladies' and gentlemen's saddle horses and leapers are well filled, and a very interesting and attractive show is assured. The services of the Springfield band have been secured. As low railway rates have been secured, the event offers splendid attractions for all lovers of good horses.

Private Fire Protection. The terrible fire horror which occurred a few days ago in New York emphasizes the necessity of private fire protection in all buildings. It might be that a chemical extinguisher fire bucket tank, or even a pall of water, if available at the beginning of this fire, could have saved these lives. Anything desired in fire apparatus, either public or private, can be obtained from Frank B. Fairweather, 12 Canterbury street, Phone Main 655.

VICTORIA WARD WAS NOT ENTHUSIASTIC

Meeting Held in Victoria Rink Last Evening, to Discuss Commission Plan, was Very Poorly Attended.

There was a public meeting in the interests of the commission movement in Victoria ward at the Victoria Rink last evening. Seventeen men and three boys were present, but the proceedings, though harmonious, threw no great light on the problem confronting the city. Owing to the small attendance there were no formal speeches, though there was a short discussion on the advantages of commission rule.

H. B. Schofield was elected permanent chairman of the ward and H. W. Stetson secretary. On taking the chair Mr. Schofield advocated a personal canvass of the voters of the ward to find out where they stood.

J. J. Irvine said the argument used among the railway workers to prejudice them against the commission was to point to the I. C. Railway (commission) and ask them what the commission had done for them.

T. H. Estabrooks said the city commission would be different. The railway commission was not elected, otherwise it might give more satisfaction to the men.

At present, owing to the ward system, they could not get the best results. Two good men might offer in one ward and two undesirables in another. He did not see the advantage of the ward system. Was the ward looked after better because it had a direct representative?

Mr. Estabrooks—it is hard to arouse interest in this movement. The meeting then proceeded to nominate a ward committee and the following nominations were made: subject to the willingness of the nominees, many of whom were absent, to act: Fred Sullivan, Joe Neal, Geo. Stevenson, Jas. Cooper, R. J. Sullivan, E. W. Stockford, David Ramsay, Geo. Stevenson, Isaac Mann, B. Fowler, James Whelby, William Long, R. R. Patchell, W. S. Clawson, J. S. Seaton, W. C. Bauer, B. Robertson, Thos. Nagle, D. A. Morrow, Capt M Watt, D. Gandy, Albert Linton, John Jamieson, Jas. McLean, John Hannah, J. J. Irvine, R. J. Wilkins, Albert Harris, Theodore Wilkin, B. B. Jordan, LeBaron Wilson, Robert Hayes, Harry Scott, Geo. Kennedy.

A voice—You're getting the names all on one side. The secretary—The Conservatives had better hurry up with their nominations. The chairman—There aren't all Liberals in this ward. The following additional nominations were made: Wm. Stewart, Patrick Martin, B. Jones, Florence McCarty, M. E. Agar, H. H. Pickett. It was suggested that W. S. Clawson and E. N. Stockford be elected vice-chairmen, so as to have the other side of the province, setting forth the advantages offered by New Brunswick to the home seeker from the Mother Land, and the vigorous advertising campaign which is being carried on from the New Brunswick office in London, it is expected that the immigration to the province this summer will be very large.

Mr. Wilmet has had several conferences with the immigration officers of the Salvation Army and it is expected that the Army which sent several hundred people to Nova Scotia last year, will co-operate with the New Brunswick authorities and endeavor to place quite a number of its people in this province during the year. Within the last few days the following newcomers arrived in St. John and were sent to different parts of Albert, Carleton, Kings and Westmorland counties: George E. Dyer, Allan Wood, Edward Paterson, Frank Crutchfield, Henry Hopcroft, and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Kayes and family, Carlaine Montgomery, William Watson and wife, Frank Ward, Mr. Halland, J. S. Douglas, Alex. Walker, J. and D. Nicoll, Mr. and Mrs. J. Graham, Arthur B. Tilley, Ernest T. Gowdy, Alford Adams, A. W. Adams, Gustave Master, James Robertson, F. W. Landymore, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Woodley, Mr. and Mrs. Reynard, Frank Buton, Albert Christmas.

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SIDNEY TURBILL JAMMED BETWEEN TWO ENGINES

Englishman Employed on C. P. R. at McAdam Badly Hurt Last Night—Brought to Hospital in Special Train.

At McAdam early last evening Sidney Turbill, an Englishman, and in the employ of the C. P. R., was quite badly injured. He was assisting in coaling up one of the locomotives and was caught between the coal chute and the tender of the locomotive receiving a compound fracture of the thigh.

The injured man was placed in a car and a special train was hurriedly despatched to this city arriving here at 10:30 o'clock last night. Dr. Jas. Christie met the train and conveyed the man to the General Public Hospital where the injured were attended on. Turbill is reported to be still in this morning as doing well and unharmed other than the fracture.

GRANITE ROCK DIVISION SELECTS ITS OFFICERS

West End Division of Sons of Temperance Has Had Very Successful Term—New Office Holders Chosen.

Last evening at the regular weekly meeting of Granite Rock Division, S. of T. West Side, the following officers were elected for the ensuing quarter:—B. W. Wilson, W. P.; John Allingham, W. A.; E. S. Hennigar, R. S.; Mrs. Jas. Ross, A. H. S.; Alfred Burley, F. S.; John Lietzer, treasurer; Rev. W. R. Robinson, chaplain; Miss White, conductor; Miss B. P. Gallop, A. C. James McG., Campbell, I. S.; Thomas Johnston, O. S.; Mrs. E. S. Hennigar, Supt. of Young People's work; James Jack, P. W. P.

This division had a prosperous quarter. On Tuesday evening next in City Hall, Carleton, it will hold a grand concert, conducted by the sailors from the winter port stevedores. A fine programme will be rendered.

QUESTIONS ASKED OF COMMISSIONITES

Several Interesting Queries Propounded at Dufferin Ward Meeting but Enquirers Got Very Little Information.

The public meeting for the electors of Dufferin ward held in the Socialist hall, on Mill street, last evening, was fairly well attended, about 30 persons being present.

W. A. Stelpee was the chairman, and David Magee and W. H. Harrison were the principal speakers. After they had advanced their arguments in support of the commission plan there was an open discussion in which Geo. Keirstead, Geo. Chamberlain, Thomas Armour, James Morgan and M. T. Cockburn and others took part.

Geo. Keirstead wanted to know why if the aldermen were incompetent the citizens hadn't shown judgment enough to put them out, and get better men.

Mr. Harrison thought it was the fault of the system. Wm. Peterson wanted to know if a charter could not be drawn up before the plebiscite was taken. He said the workmen had been humbugged so many times that he would like to know just what he was voting for. He was rather inclined to favor the commission, but he would like to be sure that the property qualification would be abolished.

Mr. Harrison said the charter committee had come to the conclusion that the drawing up of the charter would be a big undertaking, and that it might take the best part of a year. He thought it would be satisfactory to the workmen when it went to Fredericton, but he could not say what might happen to it there.

"TWO MILE HOUSE" ON MARSH ROAD BURNED

House Owned by Kate Beamish, Two Miles from City, Burned Last Evening—Formerly Well Known Tavern.

Last night fire completely destroyed the old two-mile house on Marsh Road, owned and occupied by Kate Beamish.

The building was a wooden structure on the northern side of the road nearly opposite the Fernhill cemetery gate and the fire had gained such headway when discovered that nothing could be done to check it. The house and the greater part of the contents were totally destroyed and one more of the old landmarks on the road was laid in ashes.

The two-mile house is known to many and at one time was one of the most prominent taverns on the road.

Reliable Tires. The Fisk Automobile Tire has proven satisfactory, and at the Montreal show all but two of the machines were equipped with Fisk tires. They can be had from the local branch here, 86 Prince William street, where their representative, Fred J. Doody, will gladly demonstrate their strong points to any who are interested.



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