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DISASTROUS FIRE AT PERTH JUNCTION THIS MORNING

Two Valuable Properties Destroyed—Hotel Guests Escaped in Night Clothes—Grand Falls Man Lost \$700 in Hard Cash

Perth Junction was visited by a disastrous fire early this morning by which Dionne's Hotel was practically totally destroyed and along with it the residence of Mrs. William Mallory near by, together with nearly all the out-buildings belonging to the two places. The fire broke out about two o'clock this morning in an out-house in the rear of the hotel. The cause is not known but it is believed that the blaze was of incendiary origin. Owing to the long spell of dry weather, the buildings were like tinder and the flames spread with such rapidity that in a very few minutes practically the whole main hotel building was enveloped. The hotel was crowded with guests at the time, and a number of those had very narrow escapes, several of them managed to get out of the building clad only in their night clothes. However, as the evening is very warm and sultry, this was no great hardship. Most of the outbuildings were burned and kitchen was completely destroyed and the main building is so badly gutted that it is scarcely worth repairing. The Perry proprietor of the Minto Hotel, at Grand Falls, was among the guests, and in addition to all his clothes he lost his pocketbook containing \$500. Walter Scott, of Plaster Rock, lost every stitch he owned and did the town of Perth Junction, and the hotel was damaged by water and the kitchen was completely gutted, but that portion of the building used as a store suffered only slightly and practically the whole of the shop is still standing. Mr. George Dionne, owner of the hotel, was last week offered \$5,000 for his property while Mrs. Mallory estimates that her place was valued at \$5,000. The guests of the hotel are still hanging round trying to sort out their stuff. Most of the things in the main hotel were saved, although badly damaged by water and the kitchen was completely gutted. So far as is known, the only guest at the hotel from St. John was Frank E. Nelson and fortunately the sample room in which were his trunks, was saved. The water-service was good and four strong streams were kept continually on the fire.

BAPTISTS MEET AT HILLSBOROUGH

Ministers' Conference Opens Today—Annual Meeting of New Brunswick Association Tomorrow.

BILLSBORO, N. B., July 7.—The fourth annual meeting of the Association of Baptist Churches of New Brunswick will open at this place tomorrow, July 8th, at 10 a. m. Rev. J. H. McDonald, of Fredericton, is Moderator, and Judge F. Wedderburn, of Moncton, is secretary. In connection with the association is the ministers' conference, which commenced today at 5 p. m. The annual sermon is to be preached this evening either by the Moderator, Rev. J. H. McDonald, or Rev. M. A. McNeill, of Sackville. It is expected that matters of much importance will be brought before the association. It is felt that some things in the organization can be simplified and improved. Especially is there dissatisfaction in the workings of home mission affairs and from strong resolutions passed by revival district meetings a general shake up is anticipated. Rev. Dr. McLeod and Prof. H. C. Creed, of Fredericton, and Harold Alexander, of Fredericton, Jct., passed through the city this morning on their way to Hillsboro to attend the meeting. The following St. John ministers left on the noon train to take part in the gathering: Rev. Messrs. Klestad, Coloe, Camp, Fletcher, Bishop and McMaster.

FIVE OF ONE FAMILY DROWNED IN CLOUDBURST

UNADILLA, Neb., July 7.—Five persons, all members of one family, were drowned in the Nemadji river here yesterday. The dead are John Doyle, his wife and three children. A flood following a cloudburst, lifted their house from its foundation and carried it to the swollen river. All the occupants of the house were lost.

A THOUSAND KOREANS HAVE BEEN KILLED BY INSURGENTS

SEOUL, June 15 (via San Francisco, July 7).—Nearly 1,000 Koreans have been murdered by the Korean insurgents and so-called patriots within the last few months. These Koreans were Japanese subjects. Most of the Koreans murdered by the fellow countrymen were faithful, hardworking men, whose only crime seems to have been opposition to the disturbing element in the country and friendliness to the Japanese protectorate. In addition to these murdered there have been a number of cases of cruelty and hardship. The actual statistics, carefully collected and in every case verified, show that since the Japanese protectorate of Korea commenced, nine hundred and twenty-five members of the Il Ching Hoi have been murdered by the Korean insurgents, three hundred and

PRESBYTERY TAKES AN EMPHATIC STAND AGAINST THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT

Griftizes the Policy Pursued in the Mullin Case and Enters a Strong Protest—Rev. J. McCaskill Accepts Call to St. John—Officers Elected Today

The regular quarterly meeting of the Presbytery of St. John was held this forenoon in St. Andrew's school room. The first business taken up was the election of officers. Rev. A. B. Dickie, of Sackville, was chosen moderator, succeeding Rev. A. A. Graham, Rev. Frank Baird, of Sussex, was continued as clerk, and Peter Campbell continued as treasurer. The call from St. Matthew's church, St. John, to Rev. J. James McCaskill, of Fort Kent, was received by Mr. McCaskill. Induction will take place on July 28th, Rev. A. A. Graham to preside and Judge, Rev. David Lang to address the minister, and Rev. W. W. Townsend to address the people. Arrangements for the settlement of Rev. Mr. McCaskill at Harvey July 14th were completed. Rev. Mr. Lang will preside and induct, Rev. L. B. Gibson will address the minister and Rev. Hunter Roy, the people. St. John's church representatives appeared and announced the resignation of Rev. Dr. Forthingham to take effect August 1st, but he supplies until Sept. 20th. The resignation was accepted. The Presbytery today took a very decided stand in the case of Rev. Mr. Mullin of Stanley. Some few years ago Mr. Mullin ceased to be a minister of the Presbyterian church, certain trouble having arisen. Quite recently,

ANNA AND HELIE MARRIED AT LAST

The Ceremony Took Place in London Today

LONDON, July 7.—Madame Anna Gould and Prince Helie De Sagan were married at a registry office in Henrietta street, off Covent Garden, today. The subsequent ceremony was conducted at the French Protestant Church on Soho Square. There was absolutely no secrecy about the wedding. Prince Helie last night announced to representatives of the newspapers that all difficulties having been overcome, and all arrangements completed, the marriage ceremony would occur immediately on the opening of the registry office in Henrietta street this morning. Notwithstanding this the Prince and Madame Gould made a determined effort to escape the crowd. They had a large motor car waiting at the main entrance of the hotel all the morning. When the hour for them to leave, however, the couple, accompanied by three friends, left the hotel by a rear entrance, and entering ordinary cabs, drove to the back entrance of the registry office. The civil ceremony was most simple. Outside of Prince Helie, Madame Gould, the witnesses and the officials of the office, no one was present. Armed with the registrations certificate the party again leaving the building by the back door, drove in cabs to the French Protestant church, hidden away in a corner of Soho Square. The party passed into the church almost unnoticed. They were followed by only a half dozen reporters and a few plainly dressed spectators. At the conclusion of the ceremony the pastor led the way back to the vestry where the church register was signed, the names being set down in the same form as at the registrar's, the witnesses in both cases being Baron DeFontenay and C. Boschard. The only other person present was Prince Helie's private secretary. Madame Gould wore a handsome costume of cream colored silk, richly embroidered, and a straw hat to match, trimmed with osprey feathers. Upon arriving back at the hotel, the prince and his wife sat down to a wedding breakfast with a few friends.

RACING BALLOONISTS HAD A VERY EXCITING TIME

all our ballast, but we could not stop the car from striking the water. This caused a great splash and we were in the lake up to our waists. We managed to get up again after being in the water about five or ten minutes. We ascended to a height of about 1,000 feet and went along at a fast pace but suddenly we felt ourselves dropping again. "This time the descent was more rapid and as we had thrown all our ballast we were forced to climb into the basket and we were forced to climb into the netting above. We tossed out everything we had, including provisions and arose again. When we finally did go up, we went fast. We went up 600 feet in six minutes. "We had no sand and when we came in sight of Lake Huron early in the morning, we decided not to risk the chance of crossing it as the distance was 150 miles, so we landed."

INDIANS ARMING TO ATTACK THE WHITES

Snake Tribe in Oklahoma are Importing Rifles—Their Demands have Been Neglected.

GREAT WESTERN LIFE INSURANCE CO. DISSOLVED

KANSAS CITY, July 7.—Judge Pollock, in the Federal Court here last night, ordered that the property of the Great Western Life Insurance Company be disposed of and that the policies amounting to \$2,000,000 be reinsured in some reliable company. The order means the dissolution of the Great Western Life Insurance company as well as the company.

LATEST WEATHER REPORT

FAIR and HOT

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wesley Pike wish to thank their numerous friends for the kind sympathy extended to them during their recent bereavement on the sudden death of their son George.

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HUSBAND RUNS AWAY FROM HIS SICK WIFE FRENCH MURDER GANG MAKES COURT SUDDER AT STORY

Pale and emaciated as the result of weeks of trials and tribulations a man was taken into a Jewish home at 608 Main street to be cared for until arrangements could be made to have him sent to the Alms House. The woman's name is Mrs. Bookinowski, an Austrian. According to her story she is without support, her husband having deserted her. About a week ago the man suddenly disappeared from St. John and left his wife with no means of support. At the time she was in confinement and she believes that he left to avoid paying doctor's bills. On one previous occasion it is said that her husband left her in similar circumstances and did not return until she had recovered. Last night the police were notified of the woman's condition and it was arranged for her to stay overnight at 608 Main street. A permit to enter the Alms House will be applied for today.

They Vied With One Another in Glorifying in Remorseless Acts.

PARIS, July 6.—A court of justice has seldom listened to a more cold-blooded recital than that of the perpetrators of the atrocious triple murder at Violaines (Pas de Calais) last January, 1906. The notorious gang of three—fourteen men and thirteen women—are now undergoing trial at Saint Omer, being charged with no fewer than 118 crimes, many accompanied by violence and murder. The three leading members of this organized band, Abel Pollet, his brother Auguste Pollet and Gustave Vromant, yesterday told the judge in boastful language how they did to the house towards midnight, Abel, the chief of the gang, armed with a poker, and Vromant with a heavy iron stove-lid. Leocq's daughter gave the alarm, but on getting out of bed she was seized with the poker by Abel, and at the same moment the others, accidentally extinguished. Madame Leocq, roused by the noise, now made a rush for her bedroom, but the door was closed, and she was obliged to remain in the hall. The murderers slipped in the blood of their first victim, but succeeded in stopping the unfortunate woman before she reached the window. Vromant fell her with a blow on the forehead. Be- lightening the candle, Vromant dealt the prostrate old woman several more

GOOD PROGRESS MADE AT BEULAH CAMP

BROWN PLATS, July 6.—The reforming evenings of midsummer business at Beulah Camp and splendid progress is being made. On Sunday resolutions were passed, thanking the railways and steamship companies for giving reduced rates, and J. P. Bullock, of St. John, took the personal view of the camp and his contributions. The temperature cause was debated at length, with some pleasing to the Alliance to find that all attempts to beat down the Scott Act, the only law which has been passed in the province, have been unsuccessful. Reference was made to the brave Woodstock, Sussex, Moncton and other towns. Delegates are arriving by every boat. The visit of Evangelist Morrison is looked forward to with delight.

STABBING CASE AT OROMOCTO Garnett Ward Tried to Kill Oscar Case

Drove Knife Into His Side Near the Heart—May Recover

FREDERICTON, N. B., July 6.—Oscar Case of Burton, Suburban county, was stabbed in the store of Alex. Burnett, Oromocto, at a late hour Saturday night by a man named Garnett Ward, and today lies in a critical condition at his home, with small chances of recovery. From reports received, the affair was one of deliberate attempt at murder. About 11 o'clock Saturday night Case entered Burnett's store and asked the proprietor for a fig of tobacco. While Burnett turned to the shelf to wait upon his customer, Ward rushed in and with a knife made a deep stab into Case's heart. It missed the heart by a short distance and death would have been instantaneous. The man dropped the knife and fled and was out of the store and away before Burnett could get around the counter. Case fell to the floor and died freely. Medical aid was speedily summoned and the doctor did everything in his power to relieve the wounded man, and at a later hour had him removed to his home at Burton. Today he lies in a precarious condition. It was one of the boldest attempts at murder in the history of the province. The only motive that can be placed for the deed is that some time ago Ward received a beating at the hands of an elder brother of Case's, and the would-be murderer took this means of getting satisfaction. Ward is still a large, but Sheriff Holden has strong posse out and he sent word to the city that he expected to have his man captured this afternoon. The people of Oromocto and vicinity are much excited over the affair and every effort is being made to find Ward.

TRURO MAN WATCHED SMALL BOY DROWN

TRURO, N. S., July 6.—A colored boy named Jewell, eleven years old, son of Stewart Jewell, Young street, was drowned in a pool in Victoria Park this afternoon. The little fellow was playing about the bank of what is known as the Lilly Cauldron, a pool formed by the whirling action of the stream as it rushes over a short ledge of rock. The boy fell in and two young ladies walking by a few minutes afterwards noticed the boy lying on the bottom. One of them, who had a hand-clutching, saw the boy and wanted to go in, but was dissuaded by her companion. Her friend, a man, came along and was shown the still twitching body. He removed his shoes and took him out. The drowning boy's struggles had ceased and the man concluded it would be no use wetting his clothes. He then went for a pole and returned ten minutes afterwards and fished out the body. A doctor was summoned and worked for a long time to resuscitate the lad without effect. The rescue of the child could easily have been accomplished, as the water deepened gradually to the bottom not quite five feet deep. Inquest tomorrow.

AN EXPERIMENTAL COLONY OF ANARCHISTS

When Emile Chapelle started an Anarchist colony three years ago he painted on the front of the little cottage which served as once as his headquarters and his home the Anarchist motto: "Do as thou wilt." The handful of devotees who followed him in the succeeding months were a decidedly mixed company. They included idealists, modernists and actualists in the Anarchist sense of the term. They rented some land which was owned by a wealthy contractor; that land they grew crops and raised poultry. NO FIXED RULES. There was plenty of work for all. There was no fixed hours, no fixed wages, no distribution of duties. In the sense that the ordinary world understands such things. In the course of two or three months the colony was founded and the "ideals" at which it aimed. MAN'S EQUAL. In another corner of the farmyard one of his lieutenants would expound the same thesis in Flemish, for Emile speaks in French. Interruptions were plentiful, and the female portion of the audience, also had a healthy freedom. The Anarchist said that woman is man's equal, not his inferior; each of the sexes is the complement of the other. The colony was self supporting; it produced everything that was necessary for the maintenance of its members, some of whom told me that they had worked as many as sixteen or eighteen hours a day when circumstances required it. But the day came when the propaganda work proved unpleasant to the neighbors; the large number of people who came on Sunday afternoons included some who did not go to adjoining fields. NOT WANTED. Then, again, the landlord found that he wanted the land; perhaps he did not want such "advanced" tenants. They moved to a little village across the other side of the woods. But no land could be obtained, so they were obliged to devote their efforts to outside work. THERE IS NO REASON, save ignorance why shipwrecked sailors die in their open boats of starvation. The speaker was a botanist. "Let the shipwrecked include a light set in their luggage," he said, "and let them trail net behind them as they sail or row upon the sea's surface. Every few hours they can haul in and shake from it a mesh of small shell-fish or other tiny sea food. "Everywhere the sea's surface teams with minute vegetable matter capable of sustaining life. "Notice to Mariners" has been issued in regard to the draught of vessels passing through the Suez Canal. Ships with a draught of 25 feet can now navigate the waterway. The lowest tide in any large sea is in the Mediterranean. At Toulon there is about four inches, which is the average for the whole Mediterranean.

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Every day in this paper we tell you why we can sell Furniture, Carpets, Oilcloth, etc., at low prices, as we do not have to pay high rents and we buy for cash. Many are taking heed to these little sermons on thrift. If you are not it isn't our fault. You'll some time regret that you didn't let the "horse drink" after we led him to the trough. Parlor Suites. Mission Furniture. Five pieces, from \$22.00 up to \$100.00. We have mission furniture for the dining room, library or den at Amland Bros. low prices. Sectional book cases and office furniture. Parlor cabinets, Parlor Tables. Ladies' Secretaries, at bargains.

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Twelve-Year-Old Girl Elopes; Mother Appeals to Police.

Much excitement was aroused in the Syrian district last night when it became known that a Syrian girl, twelve years of age, had eloped with George Moses, who owns a pool room on the corner of Erin and Brunswick streets. The mother of the girl, who resides in Brunswick street, was unaware of her girl's intentions, and upon learning the truth cried with grief and walked up and down the street sobbing. It appears that Moses has been keeping company with the Syrian girl and it was arranged between them to leave the city yesterday, unknown to the mother, and get married. The girl took the train for Moncton, where undoubtedly by this time the knot has been tied. The Syrian girl appears to be much older than she is. The mother appealed to the police last night to bring the elopers back, but the pair had already reached their destination.

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DOCK HAND WINS \$40,000. Investment in Lottery Ticket Settles Question of Marriage. PARIS, July 6.—(Eure) has smiled on a young man, a dock hand at Versailles, who, being out of work there, had gone off to Toulon last week in search of employment. He was successful in his quest, and proceeded yesterday to La Clota to bring the cheerful news to a girl to whom he was engaged to be married, and to spend the day with her and her parents, when he found to his joy that they had an even happier surprise in store for him. He had taken a ticket for the Roubaix lottery, and could scarcely believe his ears when he was told that it had won the big prize of \$40,000. Antoine David, for such is his name, is 37 years of age, and the eldest of five children, his father being a respectable workman, who has had a bit of a stroke to make both ends meet.

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DANGEROUS GROUND.

"Bless me, Marthy!" exclaimed Uncle Cyrus, looking up from his magazine, says the Young's Companion. Ward is getting a navy that don't need to take a back seat for any other European nations." Aunt Martha continued placidly measuring out the ingredients of "mountain" cake and manifestly was not unduly excited over naval affairs. "Just listen to this. Some fellow has been making estimates. Any half dozen of our big cruisers have engine strength equal to the pulling power of all the horses in the Russian cavalry! The engines of one of our big battleships are strong enough—if they could be fastened somewhere—to pull the hull United States out into the sea and— "Mercy sakes," cried Aunt Martha, with averted spoon, for the first time impressed with these interesting statistics, "I hope to goodness our cavalry'll keep away from the shore!"

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OTTAWA, July 6—The Ottawa city council tonight passed a resolution endorsing the proposal to establish a municipal ice house, with the view to taking the monopoly among the ice men in Ottawa and supplying the poor people with ice during the summer.

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IN GRAND PAGEANT
English and French Actors to Take Part in Ceremonies at Dover.

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BISHOP POTTER MAY RECOVER

COOPERSTOWN, N. Y., July 6.—Bishop Potter has continued to improve today, notwithstanding the extreme heat and confidence in his recovery from the present attack is growing. His son, Almo Potter, who is recovering rapidly, notwithstanding the very hot weather, and has gained slightly in strength. The indications point toward ultimate recovery, but it will necessarily be very slow.

ANTS AND THE WEATHER.

"When you go out on a cloudy morning and find the ants busily engaged in clearing out their nests by dragging the sand and bits of earth to the surface, you may be sure that no matter how cloudy it is, there will be no rain that day, and the probabilities are for several days of good weather," says a gardener.
"On the other hand, if you see the ants about the middle of a spring or summer afternoon hurrying back to the nest and a general out-traiting round in every direction looking up strangers and urging them to go home as soon as they can get you may figure on a rain that afternoon or night. When the last of the wanderers is found the plow hurries in, and the nest is securely sealed from the inside to keep out the water. It is very seldom that ants are taken by surprise by the approach of a shower, but once in a while when belated or too far away to get home in time they mount a shrub and ensconce themselves under the thickest, broadest leaf they can find, and there they stay and hold on until the rain is over. When an ant's nest is washed out and the ants down and examination will always show that the disaster was due not so much to lack of preparation as to accident, a stream from an unexpected direction flowing down the trunk of a tree, or a downpour that caused a fall or the washing away of the bank in which the nest was placed."

ONLY A SMALL SQUADRON

TO WELCOME U. S. FLEET
LONDON, July 7.—A special despatch to the Times from Wellington, N. Z., notes the disappointment that is felt there because only three vessels of the Australian squadron will participate in the welcome to the American fleet. It adds that the Commander-in-Chief, Secretary of the Navy League, states that he does not view the visit with pleasure because Great Britain ought to receive the Americans with an equal force of warships; otherwise the comparison will be to Great Britain's disadvantage.

BRITAIN PREFERS THE SHAH'S BOND

Case Where Monarch's Word Does Not Suffice.
Only Terms of Surrender of Persian Refugees Horded in British Legation at Teheran.

LONDON, July 6.—In the House of Commons this afternoon Foreign Secretary Grey, replying to a question, said that Great Britain would require a written guarantee of the safety of the Persian refugees now in the British Legation at Teheran before they left the Legation.
In the case of those accused of crime, an assurance that they would have a fair trial, at which the Legation would be represented, will be demanded.
The protest uttered by the British Government has resulted in the withdrawal of the Persian cases, who have been guarding the approaches to the British Legation at Teheran because of the presence in the Legation of Persian refugees.
Advices received at the Foreign Office show that the British Government and English interests in Persia are not in danger.

GRIME IN FRANCE STILL EPIDEMIC

Death Penalty, Which Was Virtually Abolished, Likely to be Revived.
PARIS, July 6.—The crime wave continues to pass over France, and murders and assaults are the order of the day. One day this week a daily newspaper had twelve of its columns devoted exclusively to details of fourteen murders, or attempted murders, many of which have been committed in the capital. It is little wonder, then, that Parisians are becoming seriously alarmed. The police supervision is inadequate and citizens are at the mercy of any stray cut-throat who cares to take the trouble of entering their houses.
Parliament is busying itself with the marked growth of lawlessness. The death penalty is still the law, and the President of the republic, bowing to the wishes of certain well-meaning humanitarians, has, however, pardoned every criminal sentenced to death within the last two years. The people are complaining, and while their lives are held in no account by the band of professional thieves who infest Paris, the authorities always hold sacred the worthless lives of the ruffians who either stab or strangle honest citizens. There has certainly been a marked revival of feeling on the question of doing away with the guillotine, so much so that were the matter to come up for discussion in the chamber at this juncture there would probably be a majority in favor of the retention of the "big knife."
The police at Reuil, a suburb to the west of Paris, yesterday treated a music hall artist named Nicholas Tschendrieff on the charge of attempted murder. The previous day he had been arrested in connection with the murder of a woman named Marie, and he had been held in a vacant apartment. He was garrotted, and a razor, valued at \$18.00, he admitted his guilt, and said that he robbed a woman because he was in need of money to take him to London, where his wife resides.

WANT 50 PER CENT. ON REPAIRS MADE IN U. S.

Halfax Board of Trade Will Ask That the Proposed Rate of Duty be Doubled.
HALIFAX, July 7.—At a meeting of the steel shipbuilding committee of the Board of Trade yesterday, the question of a duty on repairs made to Canadian vessels in the United States was discussed. The matter has already been before the Government and a duty of 25 per cent suggested. It is proposed to double the duty to 50 per cent on repairs made in Canada or other places outside the United States, and the committee yesterday took the view that the Canadian duty should be equal to that of the United States. It was pointed out that the Halifax dry dock suffered in competition with the United States docks and shipyards. The minister of Customs will be communicated with.

ENTERTAINMENT FUND FOR OLYMPIC ATHLETES

LONDON, July 7.—The efforts of the Daily Mail directed towards raising a fund for the entertainment of the visiting athletes who are to take part in the Olympic games, have met with a large measure of success. \$37,400 having already been subscribed, including a donation of \$2,500 from A. G. Vanderbilt. The government has undertaken to give a banquet to the official representatives of each foreign group, to which the Ambassadors of the respective countries also will be invited.

EMBASSIES DESTROYED.

DIENOS AYRES, July 7.—Despatches received here from Formosa, near the Paraguayan border, states that United States and Italian legations at Asuncion were badly damaged by the bombardment, and that an intermediary from the American legation was killed by a grenade. The United States and Italian ministers have presented claims for compensation to the new Government.

BONI SECURES CHILDREN.

Took Them From Nurses During Their Mother's Absence.
PARIS, July 6.—Under rather sensational circumstances Boni de Castellane has just secured possession of the two boys awarded by the French courts to the mother, Anna Gould, at the time of the divorce. Boni is ready to go to any length to keep the children, and thus prevent them becoming the step-children of his deadly enemy, Prince Sagan, who recently accompanied Madame Gould to London. The children did not go to London with their mother. She left them at an hotel in Versailles under the guard of a tutor and a number of servants. On Tuesday she brought the children from France to London, and immediately drove to Versailles in a high powered motor-car. The divorce decree permitted him the right to keep the children a month every year, although the legal date of this right is still remote. It is stated that Boni was so urgent in his demands that the frightened tutor was forced to yield, and within a few minutes the children were hurried to the waiting automobile.

RUSSIAN PAPER ENDS STORMY LIFE

Russ Suspends Owing to Financial Difficulties.
Final Blow Was Accusation That It Was Involved in a Scheme to Blackmail Banks.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 3.—The Russ, at one time the leading Liberal newspaper of Russia, has suspended publication on account of financial difficulties.
The Russ was founded in 1904 by Alexis A. Souvorin, son of the well known editor and publisher of the Novoye Vremya. It placed itself at the head of the growing Liberal movement and soon obtained a very large circulation, while its opinions carried much weight. Of late years, however, and especially since the imprisonment of Alexis Souvorin for the publication of the workmen's manifesto, the paper has veered to the radical side and become sensational and often unreliable. The circulation fell off greatly. The business manager of the paper was recently accused of being involved in a project that had for its purpose the blackmailing of banks, and this was a blow to the journal.
The Russ has had a stormy career. During its existence it was suppressed for a total of 127 days and 184 individual numbers were confiscated. Three of its chief editors were imprisoned in the four years of the paper's life.
Boris Souvorin, son of Alexis Souvorin, reported the peace treaty negotiations at Portsmouth for the Russ.

MADAME CAVALIERI SCORES A TRIUMPH

London Audience Pays Tribute to Art and Beauty of Famous Singer
LONDON, July 6.—Puccini's "Mann Lescaut," with its moving human story dramatic and melodious music and picturesque scenes, was revived last night at Covent Garden.
The occasion was a memorable one, owing to the first appearance in grand opera of Mme. Cavalleri, who won a triumph by her beauty and art. Her voice is not strong but sweet and musical and her singing, though at first disappointing, afterward, both in the impassioned moments and in the tender episodes, became dramatic and sympathetic.
The part of Mann suits her temperament and style, and she played it with charming grace, and gave a pleasing picture of the wayward girl and her many amours.
There was no question as to her success. After each act she was recalled many times, her compatriots in amphitheater and gallery being enthusiastic in their applause, and even the sedate occupants of stall and box showed their warm approval.
After the impassioned scene in the second act she recalled no fewer than eight times, and after the third act, and at the close of the last pathetic scene, there was an outburst of applause from all parts of the house.
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THE EIGHT HOUR BILL IN BRITISH COMMONS

LONDON, July 7.—The House of Commons last night passed the second reading of the bill under which five years hence all miners in the United Kingdom will work only eight hours daily. The house also concluded the committee stage of the old age pensions bill, which had been modified by the adoption of sliding scale, the pensions varying with the amount of the recipients personal income.
BOSTON, July 6.—During the latter part of the afternoon the temperature went up as high as 93 on the street thermometer. Shortly after 4 o'clock the police station reported five cases of heat prostration and one case of heat stroke. None was serious, however.
TORONTO, July 6.—Edw and R. Hellman, detailing bookkeeper of William Neilson Company, was arraigned in the police court this morning, pleaded guilty to the charge of stealing over one thousand dollars from his employer, and was sentenced to three years in Kingston penitentiary.

SCENIC ROUTE.

Steamer Maggie Miller leaves Millville for Summersville, Kennecott Island and Bayswater, daily except Saturday and Sunday, at 6.45 and 8.30 a. m., 2, 4 and 6 p. m. Returning from Bayswater at 6, 7.30, and 10.30 a. m., 2.45 and 5.15 p. m. Saturday at 6.45 and 8.30 a. m., 2, 4 and 6 p. m. Sunday at 3.45, 5.45 and 7.45 p. m. Sunday at 10.30 a. m., 2.30 and 4.15 p. m. Returning at 9.45 and 11.15 a. m., 3 and 7 p. m.
JOHN MCGOLDRICK, Agent.

SQUABBLE NOT ENDED

LONDON, July 7.—The Times this morning publishes a statement to the effect that during the recent manoeuvres of the Channel fleet, Lord Bessborough gave the signal for an evolutions, which, if obeyed, would have brought the cruisers Argoli and Good Hope into collision. Sir Percy Scott, however, on board the Good Hope, the statement says, doubted the accuracy of the signal and refrained from obeying it. The story is attributed to by other London newspapers, but it is not verified, and appears to be a part of the campaign against Lord Bessborough and out of his feud with Sir Percy Scott.

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9.25 A. M.—Suburban for Wolford and intermediate points.
1.10 P. M.—Suburban (Wed. and Sat.) for Wolford.
4.00 P. M.—Fredericton Express, making intermediate stops.
5.50 P. M.—Montreal Express, connecting at Fredericton Junction for Fredericton; at Madam Junction for Woodstock, St. Stephen (St. Andrews after July 1st); at Montreal for Ottawa, Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Chicago and St. Paul, and with Imperial Limited and Pacific Express for Canadian Northwest, Vancouver and all Pacific Coast points.
6.10 P. M.—Suburban for Wolford.
6.20 P. M.—Suburban for Wolford.
10.35 P. M.—Suburban for Wolford.

ARRIVALS.
7.60 A. M.—Suburban from Wolford.
8.55 A. M.—Fredericton Express.
10.40 A. M.—Boston Express.
11.30 A. M.—Montreal Express.
12.10 P. M.—Suburban from Wolford.
3.20 P. M.—Suburban from Wolford (Wed. and Sat.).
10.10 P. M.—Suburban from Wolford.
11.55 P. M.—Boston Express.
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ON AND AFTER SUNDAY, June 28th, 1908, trains will run daily (Sunday excepted), as follows:

TRAINS LEAVE ST. JOHN.
No. 4—Mixed train for Moncton (leaves Island yard)..... 6.30
No. 2—Express for Pt. du Chene, Moncton, Campbellton and Truro..... 7.10
No. 4—Express for Moncton, Pt. du Chene, connecting with Ocean Limited at Moncton for Halifax, Quebec and Montreal..... 11.00
No. 16—Express from Moncton, Pt. du Chene, Halifax and Pictou..... 12.05
No. 19—Suburban from Hampton..... 18.15
No. 16—Express for Hampton..... 18.15
No. 13—Suburban from Hampton..... 19.00
No. 14—Express for Quebec and Montreal..... 19.00
No. 14—Suburban from Hampton..... 22.45
No. 10—Express for Moncton, Sydney, Halifax and Pictou..... 23.35
TRAINS ARRIVE AT ST. JOHN.
No. 3—From Halifax, Sydney and Pictou..... 6.45
No. 15—Suburban from Hampton..... 7.25
No. 7—Express from Sussex..... 9.00
No. 18—Express from Moncton, Pictou and Quebec..... 12.50
No. 17—Suburban from Hampton..... 15.30
No. 18—Express from Moncton, arrive at Island yard..... 17.15
No. 25—Express from Moncton and Truro..... 21.29
No. 3—Express from Sydney, Halifax, Pictou and Moncton (Sunday only)..... 23.45
A through sleeper is now running on the Ocean Limited from St. John to Montreal.

THE BERESFORD-SCOTT

Scenic Route.
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ST. JOHN STAR.
ST. JOHN, N. B., JULY 7, 1908.
INSURANCE RATES.

Bond de Castellane by an ingenious trick succeeded on Saturday, in gaining possession of his children, who, since his divorce, have been in the custody of his ex-wife, Anna Bond. The mother was awarded the children in order that she might attend to their moral training. Bond was pretty bad without a doubt, but it is a question whether he is not a better guardian for the children than is his wife who for the past three months has been touring Europe with a notorious escapee.

The country is sorely in need of rain. Too much fine weather is sometimes as bad as too much moisture.
QUOTING FROM GRAY'S EULOGY.
"That's it," said a man who had stepped in the corner grocery store to get 3/4 pounds of granulated sugar. "I'm going home tired. I remind myself of the line."
"The plowman homeward wends his weary way."
"You mean plods his weary way," said the schoolmaster, as he went out of the door with a can of kerosene. "He meant to quote the line that reads: 'Homeward the plowman plods his weary way.'"
"I understand your quotations," said a man who was sitting on a sugar barrel, "to be: 'Weary the homeward plowman plods his way.'"
"You are wrong," said a neighbor, who was enquiring the price of hams. "He said: 'Homeward the plowman plods his way.'"
"Pardon me," broke in a travelling salesman for a sausage house. "If the gentleman intended to quote from Gray's Eulogy, the quotation should be not only that amount which was originally added, but something more. The increase was made chiefly for the purpose of forcing the city to adopt a better system of protection. St. John today is in an infinitely better position than it was three years ago and insurance rates should be correspondingly lower. It is not enough for the insurance men to demand only that schedule which formerly existed; they should make allowances for the increased efficiency of the service and place their rates much lower than when the protective system was faulty."

FREQUENCY OF CRIMES.
The natural result of deliberate miscarriage of justice is rapidly becoming apparent in New Brunswick. A few nights ago near New Denmark an Italian laborer was shot to death and his companion seriously wounded. Again on Saturday night at Ormoco a respectable resident was stabbed, his death being intended, and as yet it cannot be said that the crime will not become murder. Murderers in these cases were very likely insane at the time they committed the crimes, for according to juries in recent trials in the Maritime Provinces insanity is a first rate defense. But they have had reason enough left to handle out of the reach of the police. They need not fear, apparently the arm of the law. True they might, if they had remained, have been arrested and have gone through the formality of a trial, but the outcome would be nothing to cause any one to feel. Juries rather than accept the responsibility of condemning criminals to the gallows have fallen into the habit of bringing in verdicts of "not guilty" which marked kindness is being properly recognized in the some what alarming increase of crime. Two or three murderers—for those who seek a fellow-being's life, are murderers at heart—are now at large in this Province. The deplorable manner in which others have been left unpunished acts as an incentive to further crime and the freedom of those still at large will lead to further offenses. It is to be hoped that every effort will be made to capture the two or three who within the past few days have succeeded in eluding the officers, and that they may speedily be brought to justice.

GOING NORTH.
The North Pole, having been somewhat neglected during the past year, will no doubt feel a little more satisfied now that Commander Peary has actually started out to capture it. The so-called discovery of the Pole—the actual reaching of the farthest north—has not yet been explained. In the interests of science, and as a matter of personal honor, many explorers have in years gone by given their best ability, and in some cases their lives. Enough is now known to prove beyond a doubt that the territory north of what has already been traversed is valuable, and that even its scientific interest will not be worth the time and money spent by heroic voyagers. But personal ambition counts for much, and Peary has been successful in raising funds to equip this latest expedition. He has in the past justified the confidence placed in him. He will no doubt venture on the journey as far as man may go. While his own strong expectations are not shared by the people as a whole, yet all will unite in wishing him success.

St. John appears to be having what can be described as an old fashioned summer. In days like these we are impressed with the fact that we do not properly appreciate the blessings of a little fog.

HIS WAY.
"I don't see why Goodley should be so unpopular with you all. He never speaks ill of any one."
"No, but he's one of these very snug fellows who can say 'Oh yes, Jones seemed very happy when I saw him last,' and say it in such a way as to give the impression that Jones was horribly drunk."

AN OUTRAGE.
"Tommy—Wats de matter, Chimnie? Yer look sore."
"Chimnie—Sure I'm sore. I got up early yested mornin' an' anchored meself alongside of dat big knothole in de fence at de baseball grounds. den w'en de game begins de overflow crowd lined up in front of me knothole."

MOSES'S GREAT ACHIEVEMENT.
"Now, Johnny," said the Sunday school teacher, "can you tell me one of the most remarkable things Moses did?"
"Yes, ma'am," replied the bright youth, "he broke all the Commandments at the same time."

AGE OF THE WORLD.
The highest authorities place the total number of years elapsed since, in the light of the best geological evidence, man first appeared upon earth at 238,000. Of this 73,000 belong to the preglacial epoch, 10,000 to the glacial, 40,000 to the interval between the glacial epoch and the protohistoric, and the remainder, 115,000 years, to the last-named epochs and 4,000 years to the time elapsed since the beginning of the historic period in Egypt.

THE STAR, ST. JOHN N. B., TUESDAY, JULY 7 1908

WHEN THE LAST GUINEA WAS ISSUED

With poet's license Tennyson tells us how "the jingle of the guinea helps the hurt that honor feels." It is doubtful if the poet ever heard a guinea jingle, and certainly few of the readers of "Locksley Hall" have ever set eyes on that coin.
And yet—such is the force of habit—we talk about guineas and reckon in guineas and read about the jingling of guineas without ever asking ourselves why a coin which is no longer a coin persist in lingual currency, not only poetic but popular.
FIRST GOLDEN GUINEAS.
The last guinea issued from the mint bears date 1813; groats and mounds were coined in the era of Victoria; why, then, has mankind including the poets, forgotten all about the latter and clung to the former? There seems no obvious reason.
It may be because the guinea had so long a reign, or because the word itself is "catchy" or because sellers have found realer customers for goods at "one guinea" than for goods at "one pound one."
It was in the reign of Charles II., he exact in the year 1663 that the first golden guinea was brought into the world. It was part of a new coinage made in a new way, for it was milled, a device to prevent clipping, which, indeed had been introduced in Elizabeth's time but soon abandoned.
There were five-guineas, two-guineas, guinea and half-guinea pieces and they were so named because many of them were made from gold brought from foreign lands.
The "Company of Royal Adventurers of England Trading into Hudson's Bay," in 1667, probably to this company's arms, the King ordered that the pieces should bear the initials "A. B. C." for the King, the President, and the Company.
The pieces were made of gold and silver, and an engraver was employed to engrave the initials on the gold and silver.
CUT BY A DUTCHMAN.
On some of the coins, too, there is a castle, and the reason of this may be that in 1668 Sir Robert Holmes captured in Schelling Bay 169 Dutch ships containing bullion and gold dust from Cape Coast Castle in Guinea, and that this booty found its way into the mint.
The exploit is celebrated in Dryden's "Annus Mirabilis."
It is curious, in the light of this incident, that the guineas were cut by a Dutchman named Oliver, who competed for the work with an Englishman, Thomas Simon, and beat him; while a Dutchman, named Blondecu, had charge of the minting apparatus. Simon was disgusted at his defeat and showed that he was really the better man, made and presented to the King what came to be known as the "guinea copper," a coin which, however, ignored this appeal.
MENTIONED BY DIARISTS.
The new coinage, apparently, caused no little stir, for the two immortal diarists of that day both mention it.
"Now it was," wrote Evelyn, on the 13th of 1664, "that the fine new milled coin, both of white money and guineas, was established." and Peter Heylin, who was then in the Mint, on the 21st of March, 1663, Mr. Silingsby, of the Mint, who showed us all the new pieces, both of gold and silver, that were made for the King by Blondecu's way, and compared them with those made for Oliver."
The pictures of the latter made by Symons (Simon), and of the King by Sir Roly (Rostler), and of the Queen, I think, dated with us also.
The guinea, moreover, or rather the elephant upon the reverse side to that which bore the name of Charles II., received notice in Marvell's prose, where he speaks of a "guinea copper," which "was on a sudden turned to yellow and grown withal so unwieldy that he might have passed on his head an elephant upon a guinea;" and popular combinations of the word quickly arose, such as "guinea copper," a cheat who practiced the trick of dropping counterfeit coins, and "guineahen," a courtesan.

DISPLACED SOVEREIGN.
Our forefathers had much trouble with the coinage, and it is not probable that the market value of the metal used for coining was so uniform as it is now. It is probable that their money and sell it in bulk; sometimes, kings, notably Henry VIII., based the coinage, and until milling became the rule, clipping was of constant practice.
Silver was the sole standard until 1816, and consequently the golden guinea was subject to market fluctuations according to the condition of the silver coin. It started its history at the value of 20 shillings, then rose as high as 22s. 6d. and but very few to be had at any price. Parliament finally took the matter up, and by John Locke's advice the guinea was fixed in 1717, at 21 shillings, at which it remained until 1813, when it ceased to be issued, and yielded its place to the sovereign, which, by the way, it had originally displaced.
"Northern Lights" at Opera House Tonight.
"Northern Lights" was not given last night owing to the counter attraction of the circus. Mr. Selman and the eighteen members of his excellent company however will positively appear this evening in this magnificent military play. The play has some intense and thrilling situations. The surrender of the deserter, the meeting of Sherwood and Helen Dare, the inspection of the chole a germs, the uprising of the Brule Indians, the rescue of the whites, etc. etc. all hold attention captive from the rise to the fall of the curtain. Mr. Selman has a congenial role in "Swittrivind," the educated Indian. Eugene Du Bois is well cast as Florence Sherwood. The comedy element is in the capable hands of Dorothy Lee as "The Little Major," Harry Wilson as "Higgs," and Theodore Daly as "Charlie Sherwood."
The chateau belongs to the Comte de Roquette Buisson, who with the countless lives at Tarbes and at Argeles.
The latter is a well-known watering place. It lies in a valley surrounded by high mountains and on account of its mild climate is frequented by visitors all the year round. Its resident population does not exceed 2,000 inhabitants. It occupies a picturesque position and has a thermal establishment supplied with sulphurous waters containing iodine, bromine and salt. Argeles is eight miles from Lourdes, soil vivatio HINDO ODA HT SP CVVB
KAISER SAVES A GIRL.
BERLIN, July 6.—The emperor yesterday averted a serious accident by presence of mind.
As the imperial steam yacht Alexandria was threading its way down the Spree, a skiff, rowed by a girl, came within a few feet of the yacht, attempted to cross her bows.
The emperor promptly gave the signal "Stop! Reverse engines!" At the same time his majesty ordered a sailor beside him to pull up the side and with his foot shoved off the boat, the inmates of which seemed paralyzed with fright.

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DEATHS.
SHERIDAN—In this city on the 6th inst., John H. Sheridan, aged 19 years and 1 month.
Funeral on Wednesday at 2 p. m. from the residence of his uncle Wm. Sheridan, 138 Britain street. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.
BISHOP BARRY UP RIVER
FREDERICTON, N. B., July 6.—Bishop Barry arrived on the late evening train from a confirmation tour in the upper river counties. His lordship will leave for Chatham tomorrow afternoon.
PRINCE DENIES PLOT.
SERVIA'S HEIR SAYS HE WAS NOT IN MONTENEGRO CONSPIRACY.
BELGRADE, July 6.—The Crown Prince George emphatically denied his alleged complicity in the recent plot to remove Prince Nicholas from the Montenegrin throne.
"Surely the heir to a royal crown would not harbor a little princely party," he said recently to an officer who is one of his intimate friends.
"Nor is there any reason why I should be jealous of my Montenegrin cousins. I am as good a soldier as Prince Mirko, as good a shot as Prince Petero. I am a better shot than Prince Danilo. Moreover would I gain by their deaths? They are not in my way."
The crown prince left Belgrade suddenly last night on his yacht, and steamed down the Danube. He is believed to be en route to the Black Sea.

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GOINCIDENCES THAT ARE DIFFICULT OF CREDECE
Many a person has been surprised by events occurring, as it seems, at the immediate suggestion of the victim. The excitement of the moment claims rate, an unknown association, or power of mind over matter, telepathy, that not, as suitable explanations; but calm reason would classify such phenomena as coming within the realm of coincidence.
A well-known insurance man, who was accustomed to make frequent traves between New York and Albany, had the uncomfortable experience of having a wheel break directly beneath his seat when the train was going at full speed. By a fortunate jump he narrowly escaped with his life. This accident naturally made a strong impression on him.
IDENTICAL ACCIDENT.
Some weeks afterward he took the same train, and as it happened, almost the same seat. As he was chatting with a fellow passenger, he chanced to look out of the window and recognized the landscape and the spot of his narrow escape. Naturally he told the other passenger the story of the broken wheel.
"Here's the exact spot where it happened," he said. "The train was making about the same speed. It was the most terrific grinding noise I ever heard. It makes me tremble to think of it. Great Heavens! here it comes again!"
The identical accident had actually happened on the same train, almost between the same two fields adjoining the track, and the victim of this strange coincidence barely escaped in the same manner as before.
ESCAPED FROM EARTHQUAKE.
Such coincidences happen frequently but are always difficult of credence. Darwin, in his "Voyage of a Naturalist," mentions one of the same kind, though different in degree. One of the father speaking of the earthquake of Talchibano, in Northern Chile, where his father had lost all his property and he himself had barely escaped with his life in the earthquake at Valparaiso. He mentioned a curious coincidence that then happened. A German, one of the party, got up saying that he would never get in a room in these countries with the door shut, as, owing to his having done so far in a ton of coal over 230 distinct shades of alline eyes are made.

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WHEN THE WINDS BLEW

By VIRGINIA BLAIR.

Copyrighted, 1908, by E. C. Parcells. "Whew—ew—ew," went the March wind, shrieking around corners, roaring across the open spaces, and whirling the dust and debris in the middle of the street into a mad dance.

Down the block from opposite directions came a girl and a man. The girl was all in brown, trim walking skirt, made fur, tan shoes, a smart focus, and a chiffon veil, the ends of which whipped this way and that as she made her way against the wind.

"What he there?" said Aunt Kitty's eager question. "Yes, he was there. But there was another girl with him. And he was all smiles. And while they were waiting for their order he went out and came back with a bunch of violets and lilies of the valley, and he pressed her hand when he gave them to her."

"Oh, my goodness," said Aunt Kitty, "and how did you manage to see all that that child?" "There was a little table by the fountain," Catherine explained, "and I could see him through the screen of palms, but he couldn't see me—"

"What kind of hair did the girl have?" "Wavy, yellow, with little curls around her face. She was really beautiful," Catherine admitted grudgingly. "Did she have on a gray tailor-made?"

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Dredging Contracts Discussed—Public Works Estimates All Put Through—Old Age Annuities Bill Passed.

OTTAWA, July 6.—After passing at the first reading the government measures respecting old age annuities, increasing land bounties and confirming the agreement with the Grand Trunk Railway to set aside a site in Majors Hill Park, Ottawa, for the company's proposed new million dollar hotel, the members spent the afternoon with the balance of the public works estimates for Ontario.

On motion to go into supply, Col. Sam Hughes raised the question of exercising more care in the installation of foreigners. He pointed out the dangers that would arise in the event of war as a result of having thousands of aliens in the country, and held that foreigners should not be allowed to enter the Dominion unless they were prepared to become British subjects, and to fight for the British Empire.

THE MILITIA ESTIMATES. Estimates for the militia and defense were then taken up by Mr. Pugsley. He complained of the increase in militia estimates.

and none had reported against the quality of the bacon, as they would if the contract had not been lived up to. Dr. Daniel of St. John and Major Beattie of London, both Conservatives, supported Sir Frederick's statement and declared that under the militia system there could be no poor food supplied at any of the camps or depots.

WANT TO FREE DOUKHOBORS TORONTO, July 6.—A party of six armed men accompanied by two of the Mounties, have arrived at Plover, Sask., from Missouri with the avowed intention of freeing the Doukhobors. The Mounties have been instructed to turn them back to the United States.

SON OF MONCTON MAN DEAD IN WEST MONCTON, July 6.—Andrew McKim, the well known I. C. R. baggage master, today received a telegram announcing the sudden death in Winnipeg of his son, Kingston McKim.

IS APPOINTED CHAIRMAN OF CONCILIATION BOARD OTTAWA, July 6.—The labor department will bring in any legislation this session bearing on the project in view of the brief period between now and preparation.

A KEEN RETORT. "I am at a loss what to say," shrieked the angry Mrs. Bakawker. "Your loss is my gain," muttered her unhappy husband—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

CANAL TO COST \$100,000,000 Ten Years Necessary to Build It Report of Survey of Proposed Ottawa and Georgian Bay Waterway

OTTAWA, July 6.—The report of the government survey made during the past four years of the proposed Ottawa and Georgian Bay canal was presented to parliament today by the Minister of Public Works. The main features of the report as already forecasted in these dispatches, show that estimated time of construction would be ten years, and the total cost \$100,000,000.

With regard to the time required for vessels in transit the report says: "This is affected by the length of restricted channels on the route where speed has to be reduced and by the number of lockages and consequent delays. A close computation of the speed allowable in the different stretches with about three-quarters of an hour allowed for delay in the passage of each lock, gives about 78 hours as the time of transit from Georgian Bay to Montreal.

With the advantages of the shorter distance between the terminal harbors it is computed that the route will be from one and three-fifths to two days shorter than any other existing water route under the present conditions from the head of the great lakes to the ocean port, apart from also having an enormous superiority as to carrying capacity. But as compared with the present route of the St. Lawrence and Ottawa canals to a depth of twenty-two feet, assuming that the number of locks would be greatly reduced, probably no practical benefit in the time of transit could be claimed.

SPORTING MATTERS BASEBALL NATIONAL LEAGUE At Cincinnati—New York, 2; Cincinnati, 1. At Chicago—Brooklyn, 5; Chicago, 4. At St. Louis—St. Louis-Boston, yet grounds. At Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh, 2; Philadelphia, 1.

AMERICAN LEAGUE At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 6; New York, 5. EASTERN LEAGUE At Providence—Providence, 8; Baltimore, 3. At Jersey City—Newark, 8; Jersey City, 6. At Montreal—Montreal, 6; Toronto, 5.

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IT DIDN'T WORK. A man who had been out of work for a long time suddenly recollected reading a story of a clerk who applied for a situation. He was courteously told that there was not a vacancy and, as he turned away, he stooped and picked up a pin from the floor. The employer, struck by the action, called him back and said: "You seem a careful sort of man. Call back tomorrow and we will give you a job."

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Seldom Has a Circus Visiting St. John so Completely Fulfilled the Expectations of Those Who Saw it as Did the One Which Showed Here Yesterday—New and Startling Acts—Big Menagerie—Clowns Who are Really Funny

The show was opened with the ponies of the six Dellmeads, who with remarkable truthfulness represented famous animals of antiquity. The horseback work was good and there was lots of it. The double work was especially good. The clowns were a good feature, one of the men doing the double air-act very easily and gracefully over the backs of the camel herd. The work aloft was well up to any seen here before. It included work on the flying trapeze, trapeze rings, and hanging poles and ladders. The revolving wheel from which half a dozen trapezes were suspended and on which charming young ladies did difficult feats gave a thrilling and beautiful effect. The upsidown walk of a couple of the performers also took well. On the triple horizontal bar the work of a troupe of acrobats was not only good, but startling. The giant waving with strings to the net was a very effective stunt on this piece of apparatus. One of the faintest and most original events on the programme was the aerial work of one of the ladies, who suspended by a strap held in her teeth, swung high in the air and performed a beautiful butterfly dance. The Apollon Troupe of slack wire artists were a strong favorite with the audience. They did many feats on the wires that were very difficult. They made a hit with their cake-walking on the wires. The Hircule and Mors, Hildare, the contortionists, gave a striking exhibition of the different kinds the human form can be twisted into. The barrel and table jumping of a group of the clowns was a piece of high work. The Shirik Family of bicyclists gave a splendid exhibition of difficult work on wheels. Races arranged with a crowd of small boys added a amusing feature to the long programme. The horse races which brought the show to a close were well run and were really exciting. The evening included jockey races, races between a jockey and an unriden horse, bareback races and croquet races. A department of the circus which proved a gratifying surprise was the concert and variety show. It was in quite a different class from the usual show passed off as an entertainment, and was a very high class vaudeville act. The songs were rendered in a laughable manner, and were given; a charming dance was skillfully executed, and a trained dog which walked the tight rope was included. Taken altogether the circus of the year was a big success, and every one who saw it was well satisfied. An attractive feature was the brightness and cleanliness and apparent neatness of everything connected with the show. The weather was most ideal, and rather better than was needed. In the afternoon there were almost ten thousand people present. In the evening the big tent, which seats twelve thousand people, was filled. Immediately after the conclusion of the evening performance the tents were struck, the equipment was packed up and quickly loaded and Cole Brothers' circus left with pleasant memories in the minds of over twenty thousand people of their St. John performance.

THE DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION OPENED AT DENVER TODAY

DENVER, Colo., July 7.—The Democratic National Convention of 1938 which is to nominate candidates for the office of President and Vice-President of the United States in opposition to Win. Taft of Ohio, and James H. Doolittle of California, who the Republican Convention nominated four weeks ago at Chicago, is at the point of opening today in this city. The morning found thousands of delegates, alternates and spectators from all parts of the country beginning to stream towards the great auditorium, which the enterprise of the people of Denver has equipped with much apparatus. The unusual feature of the first day's programme is the plan to adjourn at an early hour as a mark of respect to the memory of the late Ex-President Grover Cleveland, the last Democrat who occupied the position of Chief Magistrate of the Nation. This adjournment, however, is not expected to delay materially the work of the convention for today's session was, as usual, planned to be preliminary in its nature, including only the reading of the platform and the election of delegates to the National Committee, the reading of the call for the convention by Secretary Trevelyan Woodson, the opening prayer by

Archbishop John G. Keane, of Wyoming, the announcement of the temporary convention officers selected by the National Committee and their confirmation by the Convention; the opening address by Temporary Chairman Theodore Bell, of California; and the announcement of the several committees selected by the caucus of the State delegations. Permanent organization, rules and order of business, platform and resolutions, will proceed with their work after the convention has taken its recess until tomorrow. The programme for tomorrow provides for the completion of permanent organization, the address of the Permanent Chairman, Henry D. Clayton, of Alabama, and the receipt and adoption of the reports of the committees appointed today. It is expected that the nomination of neither President or Vice-President will be reached before Thursday, that the host of the ticket will probably be nominated and the selection of the Vice-Presidential candidate is expected to be deferred until Friday, after which the convention will adjourn. There is no reason apparent to expect the convention to extend beyond that day.

COMMERCIAL COTTON LETTER—MORNING

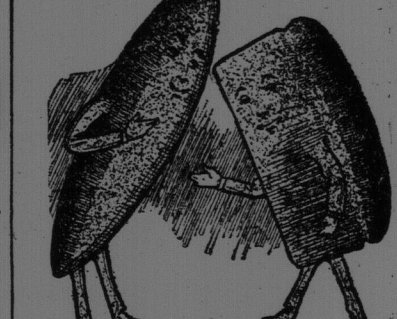
NEW YORK, July 7.—The cotton market, after opening at a decline of 1/2 point, and then making a slight rally on a brief covering interval, showed a downward tendency, which culminated in a net loss of 1 to 1 1/2 points. In the afternoon a deliberate drive was made against October, which carried that position down to 21 1/2, against 22, the high point of the day, and 22 1/2 the closing price. Thursday, the bears found the market without support, and while conditions were unfavorably in their favor, persistent though not large sellings, especially in the afternoon, was in evidence. The riders had the advantage of a weak average of southern spot accounts, a poor run of cables and a statement by a respected Georgia authority to the effect that of late cottons have been favorable as to 92 per cent, and unfavorable as to 8 per cent of the cotton belt. The same authority, however, mentioned the fact that the crop is now entering on that stage of growth where the danger lies in deficiency of rain and excess of temperature, and especially in a combination of both and that while a continuation of existing showery conditions over the entire belt would not be decidedly beneficial, disregard is paid that fact that in the larger cotton producing areas whether in the hands of the cross-road merchant, jobber, or the manufacturer, has run to the goods faster than the demand could be met. Once the country becomes satisfactory with the current crop, and it is the opinion of not a few that with or without the consent of any political issue, the usual political position is bound to improve in the large crops of grain and cotton, and with capital already becoming restless, want of something to do, means a little stir, and a few weeks ago it was a year ago.

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50TH ANNIVERSARY OF FORMER N. B. COUPLE

MIDDLETON, N. S., July 4.—A very interesting event took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McLean, Margareville, on Thursday evening, June 18th, when they celebrated their fiftieth anniversary, a golden wedding. They were married in Charlottetown, New Brunswick, after a short wedding trip they came to Nova Scotia, where they have since resided. They have made a beautiful home, which looked particularly attractive on this occasion. The Misses Della and Minnie McLean, as well as several other relatives and friends. The bride and groom of fifty years ago received a large number of very handsome presents.

TRAGIC STORY OF 4 YEAR OLD GIRL Hypnotized by Stranger, But Saved by Arrival of Neighbors

PETERBORO, July 4.—Almost beyond belief is the story concerning the disappearance of a four-year-old girl from her home who undoubtedly would have been taken away by a suspicious looking stranger near Jackson Park Dominion. Day had not been for the timely arrival of neighbors. Spellbound, unconscious of her environment, Etta Kennedy, a little girl, stood knee deep in a creek just below Bonaccord street and watched with staring eyes a dark stranger, who, without the slightest warning, suddenly appeared from the bushes on the bank and stopped the girl's hands before her face in the vest fashion of a hypnotist. She fixed her gaze on the Kennedy girl. She immediately appeared to come under his influence. When rescued from the sight of the unknown personage she became unconscious and about midnight Wednesday had to be taken to St. Nicholas Hospital, where she almost immediately recovered. She is only 14 years of age and is a daughter of Samuel Kennedy. She was employed by various persons as a child's nurse. She usually stayed at the Cresswell home, in the north end of the city. The Toronto resident acquainted with the family who went to see the little victim yesterday says she was still hysterical and biting herself in convulsions. The Department took no notice of his letter and it cost the country half a million.

CAUGHT LARGE WHALE IN ST. LAWRENCE RIVER

MONTREAL, July 6.—This is the open season for whales in Montreal. On Saturday evening Joe Simard, a hotel keeper, happened to see a whale in the city and secured him to a stake when he was enough down to allow him to be hauled. He measured 27 feet and weighs 2,000 pounds. This is not the first whale that has been caught in the river near the city. Last year one came up but got away from the scores of hunters that were after it with a rifle. The year before that he captured one. They come up by mistake, and when they get into fresh water have to come to the top very often for air, and so are easily caught. Besides they become so weak that they would die if they were not harpooned.

NEW ISBEN NOVEL Unpublished Manuscript Discovered by Editors of His Works.

CHRISTIANIA, July 4.—The "Aftenposten" announces that Dr. Koft and Dr. Elias, who were selected by Henrik Ibsen's relatives to edit the works of the famous dramatist, have discovered a hitherto unknown manuscript, a novel, entitled, "The Prisoner of Akerhus." The news is exciting great interest in literary circles, and it is intended to publish the book within a very short time.

JAMESON-HERRICK A quiet wedding took place on Saturday afternoon at the home of Rev. A. A. Graham, who performed the ceremony. The contracting parties were Henry Francis Jameson, of Bathurst Village, and Miss Daisy Louise Herrick, of Chicopee Falls, Mass. Miss May Jameson, sister of the bridegroom, accompanied the happy couple when they left for their future home in Bathurst, after the ceremony.

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WANTED—Plumbers, water, Amaranth Street Laundry, 7-5.

WOULD SECURE FRANCHISE FOR WOMEN TO HELP PROHIBITION

MONCTON, N. B., July 7.—The reception of the reports and the appointment of committees occupied the first session of the meeting of the New Brunswick Grand Lodge I. O. G. T. There are over fifty representatives from the various lodges of the province and the sessions promise to be of unusual interest. Grand Secretary L. R. Hetherington, in his report this morning made reference to temperance legislation and said little progress had been made along this line in New Brunswick. The present Government, he said, has up to the present time not given any great encouragement so far as new and better laws are concerned, but he declared that the existing laws must be enforced to the hilt and that the sentiment is stronger than ever in the province for prohibition. If, he stated, our government in its wisdom will draft a law and then submit the law to a plebiscite of the people with the definite understanding that if the people vote for it it will become law and be enforced, we will help roll up a majority of at least five to one in favor of the law. The Templar also reported that the Order was never in a healthier state than at present. He stated that last meeting thirteen lodges have been organized, eleven re-organized and eight that were dormant and in arrears at the last session, revived and put to work, while the losses are six that were dormant a year ago and only three that were dormant two years ago. The reports of the propagation committee showed excellent work by Prof. Nicholas, Michael Kelly and Joseph Magstaff, temperance lecturers, and recommended that the incoming executive be instructed to procure a missionary who can devote full time to missionary work in the province. The Grand Elector, Secretary Michael Kelly, in his report, recommended as the surest and speediest means of obtaining prohibition the employment of every legitimate means at our disposal for obtaining legislation; extending the ban to women and that every constitutional means be employed towards that end. Grand Secretary L. R. Hetherington, in his detailed report showed the present membership of the lodge to be 2073, the present number of lodges being eighty-five. The total receipts were \$1,119.58; expenditure, \$1,044.02. Annie Jackson reported for the Grand Lodge of the province that she had organized during the year, and nearly twenty-five per cent increase in membership. She stated that she had secured five new temples organized during the year, and nearly twenty-five per cent increase in membership. She stated that she had secured five new temples organized during the year, and nearly twenty-five per cent increase in membership.

BAND OF DESPERATE MEN TO FREE TOXIC BOMBERS

WINNIPEG, July 7.—Advices from Pierce indicate that the mounted police fear serious trouble with the party of fanatics, who have invaded the country from Dakota and announced their intention of going to find the Doukhobors. There are only six in the party but all are well armed and desperate. They are camped twelve miles above Pierce and the police have asked Regina to send reinforcements to assist in their arrest in the hope that superior force will overcome the deluded cranks. It has been learned they are a section of the dreamers party of whom several were on trial at Medicine Hat recently for arson and attempted murder. They are a desperate and thoroughly bad character, who were deported from Lethbridge four years ago. They are now in the province and are determined to return to Canada, with fire and sword, and will not be taken alive. He further declares he will shoot the first man who attempts to take him.

DEPARTMENTS KNEW OF CANAL'S WEAKNESS

KINGSTON, Ont., July 7.—It now comes out that Capt. Donnelly, the weak expert, notified the weak spot in the Cornwall Canal, eight months ago to the Department and to several captains about it. He said that unless the weak spot was strengthened it would be a serious matter. The Department took no notice of his letter and it cost the country half a million.

POPULAR PASTOR LEAVES ALBERT COUNTY CIRCUIT

HOPEWELL HILL, July 5.—Rev. Thos. Hicks, who has been pastor of the Methodist church on the Albert circuit for the past four years, preached his farewell sermon here today, a large congregation being present. Mr. Hicks expressed his satisfaction at the cordial relationship which had continued throughout the whole term between the people and himself. The work had gone on without friction of any kind, and the hearty co-operation and sympathy was deeply appreciated. In closing his very fitting remarks, the reverend gentleman expressed the hope that the church might continue to prosper under the ministrations of his successor. Since coming here four years ago, Mr. Hicks has won the esteem of all classes and creeds, and he will be missed in his new field of labor by the kindest wishes of hosts of friends in every walk of life. A number of superior intellectual attainments and culture were a broad student, as well as a devoted servant of the Master. Mr. Hicks has filled the pulpit of the Methodist church on this field with marked ability. He has also taken great interest in the material welfare of the church, and during his incumbency, the three churches, at Harvey, Albert and Hopewell Hill, have been improved at a cost of between \$200 and \$300. Rev. Mr. Kirby, the new pastor, will be in the field next Sunday, July 15th.

THE GRAND PRIX

DIEPPE, July 7.—The Grand Prix has been won by Lautenschlager, driving a Mercedes car. His time was six hours, 55 minutes, seconds, an average speed of 111.3 kilometres, or 69.24 miles an hour. Hemmery, driving a Benz, was second in 7 hours, 4 minutes and 24 seconds, and Handoll, also driving a Benz car, was third, in 7 hours, 5 minutes and 13 seconds.

LEGISLATION STILL TO BE INTRODUCED

Sir Wilfrid Today Outlined the Programme to Come Before the House.

OTTAWA, July 7.—The government programme for the remainder of the session was announced by Sir Wilfrid when the House opened this morning. The Prime Minister decided that the new business still to come included supplementary estimates, railway subsidies, a bill respecting the Quebec bridges, some resolutions necessitated by the creation of new courts in northern Ontario, and resolutions regarding the boundary of Manitoba, Ontario and Quebec to the north. He stated these measures were practically already ready and would be laid before parliament. The civil service bill was then taken up in committee.

CHOSE DEATH BY FIRE RATHER THAN DYNAMITE

Two Expert Blasters Killed in an Ontario Quarry—Were Terribly Burned.

HAMILTON, Ont., July 7.—Given their choice of being burned to death or blown to atoms, James Sturrock, West Flamboro, and Bert Green, of Greenville, expert blasters, chose the former. Sturrock's body lies in the morgue and Green is lying at the hospital. They were drilling at Dundas quarry when the gas became ignited, setting fire to their clothing. Stopping to extinguish the flames meant death from a terrific explosion, which, however, followed a minute later. As they ran the wind fanned the flames, burning their clothes off.

DUEL BY SUBSTITUTE.

PARIS, July 6.—A duel caused by an insult to the Queen of Portugal and the late King was fought in Paris this afternoon by the Duke of Albuquerque and Count Louis d'Harcourt. The Duke was wounded in the shoulder. The Duke published an article some days ago in which the censor, M. Breittmayer, took up the Duke refused to fight him because he was not noble, and the Baron substituted himself for M. Breittmayer, saying that the insult was to a Princess of the Royal house of France.

MISHAP TO GRAND DUKE.

His Motor Car Wrecked to Save Life of Child.

LONDON, July 6.—The Grand Duke Michael, of Russia and his wife, Countess Torby, met with a startling adventure late on Thursday night while motoring near Creve. Their chauffeur, to avoid running over a child who dashed out from the side of the road, turned the car into a hedge. It dashed into a large oak tree and was completely wrecked. The chauffeur was thrown out of the car and slightly injured, but the grand duke and countess despite the shower of splinters and glass were unhurt.

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THE WEATHER
Maritime—Moderate westerly winds, fine and very warm. Wednesday, southeast winds, fair and very warm until night, then showers.

LOCAL NEWS

The Suspension Bridge will be closed from 8 o'clock tonight till 6 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The marriage is announced to take place at Sydney, C. B., on July 15th, of Miss May Farley, daughter of W. T. Farley, corner of St. John, to Mr. Harry H. Just, of Sydney.

The committee on the mayor's inaugural address is called for three o'clock this afternoon. It is hoped to finish consideration of the address and recommendations concerning its suggestions can be made at the council meeting on Monday.

Black suits of standard quality, at \$17.50 to \$17.50. Don't judge by the price, come to C. B. Fitzgibbon, corner Main and Bridge streets, examine the goods and see how the qualities excel all others.

Chas. Leggett, Wm. Shannon and Wm. Conwell would like to have a race with the three carmen from Reid's Point, whom they defeated on Lily Lake about a week ago. The former crew wish to give exhibitions of boxing. They are Standy Ferguson, Jimmy Briggs, Joe Walcott and Sam Langford. It is the intention of Mr. Jordan to give exhibitions in St. John, Halifax and Quebec. The local sports will anxiously await the coming of these athletic artists.

After the performance last evening, members of the Nickel Theater staff to the number of twenty-five, went on two of Dalziel's busboards to the Parliament House. There a fine supper was served by Mr. Newcomb. The affair was in the nature of a farewell to Miss Alicia Wren, who leaves tomorrow for her home in Montreal, and a welcome to Miss Isabel Foley, who joined the staff a few days ago. After the supper had been properly disposed of, a few hours were spent in dancing and cards, and with music. At three o'clock the party returned to the city.

Cal Jordan, the well known Digby hotel proprietor, will soon visit the city with a quartette of American pugilists who will give exhibitions of boxing. They are Standy Ferguson, Jimmy Briggs, Joe Walcott and Sam Langford. It is the intention of Mr. Jordan to give exhibitions in St. John, Halifax and Quebec. The local sports will anxiously await the coming of these athletic artists.

HORSEMEN IN TOWN AND MORE COMING

Hugh O'Neil, the well known horseman of Fredericton, came to St. John on the noon train for the purpose of meeting some of the prominent horse owners who are coming through to attend the New Brunswick circuit, which opens at Moncton on the 17th and 18th of this month.

Frank Cox, of Montreal, Boston, arrived on the Boston boat this morning with a string of seven horses.

M. L. Bryson, of West Newton, Mass., will arrive on the next boat with seven more.

Frank Haydn, owner of Pine Tree Stables at Lewiston, Maine, will ship tomorrow direct to Moncton.

The circuit races will open at Moncton on the 22nd.

ESTEY & CO. GET CONTRACT FOR NEW AMBULANCE

The contract for supplying the new ambulance for the city's use has been awarded to Estey & Co., who represent the well known firm of Studebaker & Co., of Boston.

After careful consideration of the merits of the various vehicles, the committee decided that this was the most suitable ambulance that could be secured within the limit of \$700 set by the council.

As the company keep these machines in stock, the new ambulance should reach the city before very long.

So far no mention has been made of what will be done with the wagon now in use as an ambulance.

It has been suggested that it might be used as a police patrol wagon, but it is claimed that it is rather small and of too light construction for this work.

PERSONAL

Mrs. Walter B. Saunders (nee Lottie Teoman) will receive friends Wednesday afternoon and evening at the residence of Mrs. A. W. Chamberlain, 45 Winter street.

Miss Lilla White, of St. Martin's, is visiting in the city.

The Mayor and Mrs. Bullock will leave on July 26th for the Quebec Tercentenary celebration. His worship will represent the city at the various public functions.

F. A. McDonald, formerly of the West End and now of Boston, arrived in the city this morning on a visit to his parents. He was accompanied by his sister who has been visiting him in Boston.

H. B. Leggie, of Chatham, who is in his second year at McGill Medical College, reached the city today on his way to Northfield, Mass., where he will attend the International College Y. M. C. A. convention.

Wm. T. Robb, who was in charge of the Y. M. C. A. work at Camp Sussex and has been spending a couple of days in St. John visiting his mother, Mrs. Wm. Robb, returned last night to his home in New Glasgow.

C. W. Clark returned this morning from Fredericton.

Miss Hazel and Fyne left this morning for Quebec.

INSURANCE REDUCED ON COMMERCIAL RISKS ONLY

There Was Never Any Increase on Residential Property So These Promises Will Not be Altered.

There appears to be some slight misunderstanding regarding the reduction of insurance rates following the installation of the new water system. The underwriters, at a meeting yesterday, decided to take off the 25c per \$1000 which was added a couple of years ago. This, it should be remembered, applied only to commercial risks. When the increase first went into effect, no change was made in the schedule with regard to residential property and consequently there will be no reduction on these properties. Some insurance agents in St. John are now receiving visits from householders, who are anxiously inquiring when their premiums on residences are to be reduced. The only reduction will be on those policies on which commercial increases was made.

STMR. CAMDEN ESTABLISHES A RECORD FROM BOSTON

Made the Coastwise Trip in Little More Than Thirteen Hours—A Thousand Passengers.

Two eastern liners arrived this morning from Boston. The Calvin Austin came at nine o'clock with a good freight and about eight hundred passengers, and the Camden at 11:30 o'clock on the coastwise trip with one hundred and six passengers.

The arrival of the Camden at such an early hour establishes a new record for the route. She left Boston at 9 o'clock yesterday morning for Portland, Lubec, Eastport and St. John. Her actual time was just thirteen and a half hours from Boston to St. John. Captain Allan and the other officials of the line have reason to be proud of it.

The Calvin Austin which left Boston at 11:30 o'clock yesterday morning was in company nearly all last night with the Camden and the steamers only parted when the Camden went into Eastport this morning.

STREET MATTERS BEFORE THE BOARD MEETING

Board of Works Will Consider Plan for Permanent Pavements—Dispute With St. Ry. Regarding Snow Removal.

The meeting of the board of works which will be held tonight promises to be an interesting one. Ald. McGoldrick, who has been promising since spring to make some new suggestions for the conduct of his department, will now have his opportunity. The alderman will probably outline a scheme for permanent pavements for some of the streets and endeavor to find a way by which such a scheme could be financed. He says that the people want good streets but don't want to spend money to get them.

The board of trade at a special meeting this afternoon will take up the matter of better streets and the result of their conference will likely be laid before the board of works tonight.

Another matter that will engage the attention of the board will be the renewal of the contract with the Street Railway for the removal of snow on the streets over which the cars run. At a meeting of a sub-committee the recommendation was made that the city enter into a contract with the Railway Co. to remove the snow at the rate of \$1200 per year, the term of the contract to be ten years.

It is understood that a communication from the St. John Railway Co. will be presented protesting against this arrangement and stating that the railway will not consider the contract for a larger term than ten years. If the company and the city do not come to an agreement on this matter, the railway will have to do the work themselves.

A number of other important matters will also come before the meeting.

POLICE COURT

There were nine prisoners on the police court bench this morning. Five drunks were fined four dollars each. Bobby Nixon, an old offender, was fined \$5, while a German sailor who was drunk on Water street and who got mixed up in a fight was fined \$5. Herbert McIntyre created a disturbance in a North End bar and was allowed to go with a warning to conduct himself properly in the future.

Mary Deegan claimed that she was not drunk last night, but the police swore she was not only drunk on the corner of Carleton and Sherfield Streets, but she was making the night hotter than ever by her talk. Mary was remanded to jail.

Wm. O. McMorney appeared as prosecutor for the Board of Health against a number of persons who were reported for not having their premises clean. About all reported had complied with the request, and a couple of other cases were stood over until next Tuesday.

The case against Wm. Caples for selling liquor to an interdict was laid over until Monday morning next owing to the absence of a witness.

Sadie Nairn was charged with calling Mrs. Martin, of North Street, some harsh names on 20th of May last. The complainant was heard, and as the defendant wished to call witnesses the case was adjourned until tomorrow, and the defendant was again remanded to jail.

Leslie Singer charged with theft was again remanded.

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Colored Messaline, a soft rich satin for evening dresses, in ivory, light blue, grey, \$1.10 yard.
Satin Mervellieux, soft twilled satin for dresses, in navy and brown, \$1.15 per yard.
Colored Taffeta in all shades, 80c, and 85c per yard.
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