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HARRY THAW RAN HIS OWN DEFENCE

Latest Story is That Thaw and Delmas Quarreled and Delmas Has Left the Case --- O'Reilly Announces That He is in Charge.

NEW YORK, April 15--Interest in the case of Harry K. Thaw centres about the probable changes he will make in his staff of lawyers. While no official announcement has been made in this regard, intimations have come from the lawyers themselves that changes have been made and that others will follow. Delphin M. Delmas, who led the fight at the recent trial, has, it is stated, severed his connection with the case.

HE ACCEPTS CALL TO PORTLAND ME.

Rev. R. A. Colpitts, a New Brunswicker, to go to Congress St. Methodist Church.

(Portland Express.) Rev. Robert A. Colpitts will accept the call to the Congregational street Methodist Church to succeed Rev. Claude H. Friddy, who has resigned to accept another pastorate.

Rev. Robert A. Colpitts was born in New Brunswick. He graduated from the provincial normal school and studied theology at Mount Allison College, New Brunswick, and at Boston University. He has just completed studies at Colby College and will be graduated from the A. B. course at the coming commencement.

While in college Rev. Mr. Colpitts took the first prize in declamation and was appointed captain of the first debating team, but was compelled on account of pressure of parish and college work to resign.

Rev. Mr. Colpitts has established a reputation as an orator of wonderful ability, and the Congress Street Methodist church feels extremely pleased to think that it has obtained him, considering the fact that he has received other calls even more important than the one in this city.

AN UNFOUNDED RUMOR

B. F. Pearson Denies Report of Amalgamation of Sun and Times MONTREAL, April 15--(Special)--B. F. Pearson was in the city today and seen in reference to the rumor of the amalgamation of the St. John Sun and Times, said there was absolutely no foundation for the rumor.

MONTREAL STOCKS

MONTREAL, Que., April 15--(Special)--The stock market gave no indications of a change in the conditions of dullness which prevailed throughout last week's business. Dealings continued in extremely light volume, and prices were generally unchanged. As is usually the case under such circumstances the tendency was towards a lower range of prices. There were transactions in Montreal Power at 92 1/2 to 12; Detroit, 73 3/4; Twin City, 93; Don, Iron Bonds, 76.

EQUAL TO THE OCCASION.

A story is at present going the rounds of a certain tramp in Wales who in the course of his peregrinations unintentionally called at a policeman's house. When the door was opened Bluffer noticed a helmet hanging on a peg in the passage. Any ordinary beggar would have given himself away at this sight, but not so with bluffer, for when the 'copper' asked what was wanted he replied: "I've had nothing to eat for three days and I don't want anything now." This witty reply so amused the policeman that he took Bluffer in and gave him a thoroughly good meal.

NEWS OF THE WORLD AS TOLD IN SHORT METRE

James Gillet, at one time Bret Hart's mining partner and the original of that author's "Truthful James," died Saturday in Sonora, Cal. Lady de Santa Sotara, the patroness of the town of Escorial, has been transferred to the palace chapel at Madrid in accordance with the old tradition that they shall be under the same roof where the queen is delivered.

COLONIAL CONFERENCE OF PREMIERS WAS OPENED IN LONDON THIS MORNING



SIR WILFRID LAURIER



SIR R. BOND



SIR JOSEPH G. WARD

LONDON, April 15--The fourth conference of the premiers of Great Britain's self-governing colonies and the British Colonial Secretary was opened this morning at the colonial office under the presidency of the Earl of Elgin, Secretary of State for the Colonies. Reporters are not admitted to the conference, so that the public will have to be contented with strictly censored official summaries of each day's proceedings until the blue book on the conference is issued months after its final adjournment. The premiers present included Dr. Jameson, of Cape Colony; General Louis Botha, premier of the Transvaal; Alfred Deakin, the Australian premier; Sir Joseph G. Ward, premier of New Zealand; Frederick R. Moore, premier of Natal; and Sir Wilfrid Laurier, premier of Canada. Premier Sir Robert Bond, of Newfoundland, will arrive in the middle of the week. The premiers were accompanied by their advisors. A number of British cabinet ministers attended the morning session.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

MADE A RECORD. PATIENCE REWARDED. A WORLD OF TROUBLE. The remarkable record made by the Cannon Ball Express of the Shore Line from Spruce Lake to Carleton was the chief topic in railway circles this morning. The flyer arrived at Spruce Lake Saturday night, and made the run to Carleton in less than eighteen hours, arriving there at 7 p. m. on Sunday evening. The run from Spruce Lake to Carleton has been made by a man on a bicycle in half an hour, but even a pedestrian has never made better time than one and three quarters to two hours, so that an eighteen hour run is phenomenal. The passengers who got off and walked were much chagrined when they learned that they had missed a chance for immortal fame as patrons of the Cannon Ball on this great occasion. The engine and cars may be presented to the Historical Society Museum.

SERIOUS ALTERCATION. Quite a violent altercation took place between two citizens on King street this morning. One of them said there was to be a civic election tomorrow, and the other disputed the statement, declaring that he had heard nothing about it. They finally appealed to a third man, who replied that he had some business to attend to, and was not bothering his head about trifles.

ENTERPRISING MERCHANTS. The hatlers are said to have sent circulars to all the aldermanic candidates. Some will want larger hats, and some smaller, after the polls close tomorrow.

ELECTIONS MAY BE LIVELY IN SPOTS

Expected Tomorrow Will See Some Interesting Contests--A Mix-up Over the Non-Resident Vote--Warm Contest Expected in Stanley Ward.

An eleven hour bombshell was sprung in the civic election campaign this morning and for a time there was quite a muddle around city hall, which, as far as known, may not be cleared up unless some one of the persons concerned takes it into his head to find out where he stands. The trouble arises over the non-resident vote. In former years when the aldermen were elected by the whole city the non-residents voted in Kings ward and although the contest tomorrow will be run under the ward system the non-residents will still vote in Kings ward and in no other ward.

In the case of a non-resident owning his property in Kings ward this system is all right, but if he has property in Lansdowne or Lorne or Dufferin wards or in any wards where there are contests except Kings, he has no right to vote for the alderman to represent the ward where his property is situated. Another peculiar thing is that he will have the right to vote for either of the Kings ward candidates. Ald. J. B. Hamm or Charles T. Jones, even though they do not own one cent of property in that ward are not taxed there.

GEORGE MIRISSES IN POLICE COURT

Case of Obtaining Money Under False Pretenses Heard This Morning.

The case against George Mirisses, arrested on a warrant issued by John Sperdakes, charging him with obtaining money under false pretenses (as referred to elsewhere in this issue), came up in police court this morning, and after hearing evidence, was adjourned till two o'clock this afternoon.

HON. C. W. ROBINSON SWORN IN TODAY

He Will Succeed Premier Pugsley as Provincial Secretary.

FREDERICTON, April 15 (Special)--Hon. Clifford W. Robinson, who, a few weeks ago, was appointed a member of the government without portfolio, was this morning sworn into office as provincial secretary and clerk of the crown in chancery by Lieut. Governor Tiesdell. Hon. Dinkson, chief of the executive council, administered the oath. The writ for the by-election in Westmorland, made necessary by Mr. Robinson's appointment to office, has been issued. Nomination has been fixed for April thirtieth, and polling for May seventh.

MINISTERS MEETINGS

The United Baptist ministers met this morning in weekly session. There were present Revs. Dr. Manning, J. King, A. B. Colton, J. Hughes, E. C. Jenkins, Gilchrist Swin, D. Hutchinson and P. J. Stackhouse. Prayer was offered in opening by Rev. J. Hughes and the usual reports were then read from the different churches. Three were baptized yesterday in the Ludlow street church and special meetings will be continued this week.

TWO SMALL ACCIDENTS ON THE INTERCOLONIAL

MONTON, April 15--(Special)--No. 40 east bound freight train, in charge of Conductor Davidson, went on the track about two and a half miles this side of Harcourt yesterday. Four coal cars left the rails. The run off occurred in a cutting and was caused by the heavy snow. The cars were badly smashed, and the track was damaged. None of the train hands were injured. The smash occurred about six or seven o'clock in the morning and the track was clear at five o'clock in the evening. An auxiliary crew was sent out from Moncton.

The Shediac accommodation, No. 133, in charge of Conductor Morgan, is off the track about a mile east of the Dorchester road this morning. The run off occurred about 6.15, and three cars are derailed. No one was hurt but the road was blocked some hours. An auxiliary car was sent out from Moncton and a crew of men are now at work clearing up the wreck. In consequence of the accident quite a number of I. C. R. employees who come over from Shediac on the morning accommodation were not at work this morning.

Financial and Commercial

THE WALL STREET MARKETS

REVIEWED BY J. S. BACHE & CO. The Question of the Future of Business--indications in the Dry Goods Trade--Copper--Some Benefits of Trade Recession--Effects of Legislation--Crops--English Bank Rate and the Money Market--The Market.

NEW YORK, April 12--The market this week continued, until yesterday, to give encouragement, by its prices, to those who believe that the future of business and country will not fall off materially, and many demonstrations have been printed, proving that volume has not actually decreased as yet, but that in many instances it has increased. As against these, came statements of railroad officials and managers of other corporations, showing that projected improvements have been curtailed already, or are in process of curtailment. The question of the future of business, therefore, is not only in Wall Street, but everywhere in the business world. The fact seems to be that the accumulated volume of trade was so great that we have not yet taken to catch up with it, and that it will take some months to do this. During this period there is a little outward evidence of declining trade.

INDICATIONS IN THE DRY GOODS TRADE. Nevertheless, other signs will indicate a declining condition. The following is one of these and comes from one of the officials of a great dry goods house, whose business is so widespread that its rise or fall is apt to reflect the pulse of the market. This report was furnished in the middle of the week, but afterwards denied. It is published this morning as authentic, and is as follows: "Up to this time business has continued to increase in almost all lines, but recently we have seen a bad break in cotton goods, and we expect a 10 per cent drop, the first within a year. This was caused by a sudden and unexpected decline in the demand for these goods in the country. Everything else looks as good as at any time, but we have not the same degree of confidence.

COPPER. The copper situation is attracting much attention. Up to within a few months there was no question of unprecedented demand at high prices. The situation has evidently changed. The demand is increasing, but the price is declining. Whether this will continue or be reversed, is not known, but it is a question which will be answered only by events. In the meantime, at any rate, the present situation has evidently had a beneficial effect on the market price, influencing the whole list. SOME BENEFITS OF TRADE RECESSION. The slowing down process, if it could be regulated, would do good, as it already has done. The market for labor will be relieved, and the supply of goods will be sufficient to meet the demand. The things which are most needed to be done, are to increase the supply of labor, and to increase the supply of goods. Unfortunately for labor, prices of commodities, which rise first, follow down last, and the result is that the laborer is the slowest to get down. This is the lesson that is never learned, namely, that what is bad for

capital is worse for labor. Else the influence of the labor vote would hold the politician from his ceaseless endeavor to wound and cripple capital. EFFECTS OF LEGISLATION. The railroads with earnings seriously threatened by the concerted vote throughout the States, which has reduced fares by law to 2 cents per mile, and has cut down the hours of labor, are endeavoring to meet the loss by a reduction in speed, in numbers of trains, in telegraph stations, telegraph operators and other employees. This, which is termed "retaliation" in the West, is really self-protection, and will produce a vast amount of inconvenience and tend to cut off a great many sources of employment.

CROPS. The consideration of crop prospects has been induced this week by the government crop report, which is favorable. It is, however, altogether too early to base any tangible conclusions on present conditions of the crop, and the very states with most favorable showing, like Kansas for instance, are reporting ravages of insects and drought since the first of the month. ENGLISH BANK RATE AND THE MONEY MARKET. The reduction in the rate of the Bank of England to 4 1/2 per cent is comforting, but by no means indicative of complete relief in the money situation abroad. It is a bad situation, made a little better when it is remembered that the whole trade of England, which is more prosperous than for some years, has been hampered for months by the high rate of the Bank, which has made it difficult for the directors would at the very earliest moment endeavor to relieve England's interior trade. Normally, however, the rate should be 3 to 3 1/2 per cent at this season. The funds and facilities furnished by our own treasury look now to be sufficient to care for the interior demand here which is in operation, and the prospects are for continued, smooth working of our money market, until we reach the dull summer period.

THE MARKET. The rise in the stock market from the low point at the advance in leading issues, which has ranged from 10 to 30 points, has apparently culminated. This somewhat precipitous effervescence was evidently the result of the rising tide of the glass with a little new champagne from the treasury bottle, the sparkling bubbles of which are now being blown into the market. The market is already up to the point where it should settle back to low levels and continue to fall for a long period until the new advance begins--unless the "strong hands" which evidently are still "winning" the stocks invest some new money, which is gradually piling up as stock prices rise, and public participation almost wholly ceased. The public has not since changed its attitude.

SECURITIES AUTHORIZED THIS YEAR. Almost \$270,000,000 Await Better Money Market--Bankers Expect That Low Interest Rates Now Current Will Induce Many Corporations to Issue New Capital. Figures compiled by the New York Journal of Commerce show that \$269,525,000 new securities authorized for issue last year have not yet been issued on account of high interest rates, but bankers now expect that the increased supply of funds brought about by the government measure will induce the issue of new securities and also efforts to sell bonds which have not yet been issued. The total amount of authorized bonds and industrial companies is \$669,644,900 and of this \$269,525,000 new capital is the part played by the government. The amount of bonds issued during the first quarter of this year, and the amount of bonds issued during the first quarter of last year, are as follows: \$1,000,000 and \$1,000,000 respectively. The amount of bonds issued during the first quarter of this year, and the amount of bonds issued during the first quarter of last year, are as follows: \$1,000,000 and \$1,000,000 respectively.

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS. MILLINERS WANTED--TWO GOOD positions in Nova Scotia towns. Apply at BROOK & PATTERSON, LTD. 286-2-2. WANTED--A GOOD STRONG CHAMBERmaid at METROPOLITAN HOTEL, 109 Charlotte street. 184-2-2. TO LET--FLAT, SEVEN ROOMS, small family preferred. Apply 23 Murray street. 184-4-7.

ORGANIST WANTED. For St. Andrew's Church. Liberal salary to right person. Apply immediately to ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, P. O. Box 6, St. John. 177-4-20. WANTED--A FIRST CLASS BOOKKEEPER for number concerns in interior of province, one having experience in this line preferred. Most satisfactory terms as to ability and honesty. Salary, salary required and answer in own handwriting to P. O. Box 6, city. 185-1-15.

WANTED--SIX OR EIGHT BOYS ABOUT 12 to 15 years old, and same number young men to learn Brass Moulding and Finishing. Apply to HEAVY & SONS, Water street, City. 178-4-20. ELECTION CARD. TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF ST. JOHN. Ladies and Gentlemen--You will often hear persons and our newspapers say that business men in our country, men who have conducted their own business successfully, are the men to do the city's business. I have had 40 years of successful business experience in this city. That should be enough for an alderman at large. Give me your vote and I will give you my business experience. Yours truly, JAMES HUNTER.

THE THEATRES

WHAT HAPPENED TO JONES. "What Happened to Jones" that rollicking, effervescent comedy success will be tonight's offering by the Lyceum Stock Company at the Opera House. As this will be the first time this excellent company has had the opportunity of showing that they are equally at home in comedy as in the more serious drama, a copy of the bill is assured. "What Happened to Jones" is from the gifted pen of George H. Broadhurst, who has written a score of jolly farces but in "Jones" he scored his greatest success. The story of the play concerns "Jones", a sportsy drummer who attends a prize fight and meets Prof. Ebenezer Goodly, a sedate professor of anatomy who has been persuaded to witness the exhibition by his prospective son-in-law, who is an ardent admirer of the many art of self defense. The police raid the hall and Jones and the professor make their escape, hiding in the professor's residence. In the melee, the police cut a piece of Jones' coat tails and the professor's assistant, hiding in the professor's residence, is laid out in anticipation of the visit of the professor's brother--the Bishop of

MR. HARRIMAN WILL FIGHT. NEW YORK, April 13--It is learned at the Union Pacific office that Mr. Harriman has decided to contest to the very last ditch the decision of the Interstate Commerce Commission to force from him answers to questions affecting his personal interest in stock transactions while president of the Union Pacific Railroad. Mr. Harriman's contention is that he is well within his rights in his refusal to accede to the commission's demand that he disclose his private financial affairs. A long legal battle is expected to be the outcome of the United States circuit court and circuit court of appeals should decide adversely to Mr. Harriman the case will be carried to the supreme court of the United States. The questions in dispute relate to the sale of Illinois Central stock to the Pacific Railroad by Harriman, Rogers, Stelman and Gould; the transfer of Chicago & Alton stock by the Union Pacific and whether or not Mr. Harriman is a director of the latter road. The commissioners held that it was eminently proper to determine whether the officers and directors of the transportation railroads were shifting their positions to increase their private fortunes at the expense of the funds of the corporations with which they were connected. As regards the inquiry as to whether he had purchased Union Pacific stock between July 19, 1909, the date when he became definitely known to those on the inside that the dividend rate on the Union Pacific would be augmented, and August 17, 1909, the date when the dividend was actually paid, Mr. Harriman answered that it might reasonably be said that he had bought the stock at a price which was 10 per cent of the 10 per cent dividend all his life. "It seems to me," he told the commission, "that I have done nothing else but by Union Pacific stock and advise my friends to buy it."

MR. JELENKO AS JONES. Ballant, Jones impersonates the real bishop and the complications that ensue are amusing and worth watching. Mr. Jelenko will appear as "Jones" and his recent successful starring tour in this splendid farce, attests his capability in the comedy role. Harry G. Hockey, who created the role of Prof. Ebenezer Goodly, Mr. Powell as the real Bishop, will play his old role while Miss Jeanette will appear as "Marjorie" Miss Hilda, who was Mr. Jelenko's leading woman during his road tour, returns to her former role of "Clay". Miss Hicks will play the stock market scene with Miss Jeanette, Swedish servant girl, Miss Lee as Mrs. Goodley, Mr. Powell as the real Bishop, Miss Jeanette as the stock market scene, and Miss Hicks as the Swedish servant girl. The play is guaranteed as a sure cure for the blues and is described as "A Laugh, A Scream, A Roar." 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TOMORROW'S ELECTIONS

The new city council, which will be elected tomorrow, will contain a majority of the members of the present council, with some new men, including the additional two aldermen-at-large. It is not at all probable that all the aldermen who are opposed in their wards will be defeated, although two or three of them may be retired. There may be three or four new men in the new council who will prove to be energetic and useful members, but looking over the whole field of candidates there is very little warrant for the hope that as a whole the new city government will be any more intelligent and active than the old.

FULLY EXPLAINED

It cannot be said that the weather of late has been a commonplace topic of discussion. Some folks have become a good deal excited over it. The prophets have been at variance, and the dealers in spring millinery and other apparel have been hot and cold by turns. The Times has no eager search for explanations came across the following from the astronomical editor of the New York Globe, which is passed on without comment: "The discovery of another mammoth blotch on the face of the sun by Prof. Mitchell of Columbia may satisfy the minds of those persons who think that man can excuse the present outrageous spring, with its superfluity of low and lack of color. But the rest of us who left forthright unpacked summer clothes and started the garden, feel that even if the old furnace of solar system had german measles the weather man would not be relieved of responsibility. The new spot is, according to Prof. Mitchell, considerably behind time, the so-called period of sun spot maxima being long past. It is a large spot and can be distinctly seen with the naked eye through a smoked glass. Some astronomers believe sun spots have a profound effect on the earth, others think they have very little. It certainly seems significant, however, that the remarkable weather of the last several months has coincided with unusual activity on the sun's surface, and that we have just passed through a period of unusually destructive earthquakes. There seems to be considerable unanimity as to the pronounced effect these spots have on the electrical condition of the atmosphere, and it is usual for astronomers to predict magnetic storms at times of sun spot maxima."

A REACTION COMING

Financial journals in the United States are preparing the public mind for a reaction from the long period of industrial and commercial expansion. The return to the subject frequently and insistently, and advise a prudent course of preparation, to avert a condition of possible panic. Thus the New York Journal of Commerce says: "While for some years there have been many evidences of increased production in this country, of greater activity in domestic industry and trade, and a larger volume of foreign commerce, there has been a disposition to exaggerate the condition of prosperity, which is magnified in statistics and in the eyes of the people by an abnormal rise in prices. The high prices have been caused largely by advances in the wages of labor, by curtailment of production by the same labor force through shortening hours, by diminished efficiency through the easygoing effect of high wages and by combinations of capital in many industries to secure inordinate profits. The inevitable result is great inequality of condition, an undue expansion of credit and a false confidence. The effect must be to check consumption and cause a reaction which will send its shock back through the inflated processes of exchange to the agencies of production, whose activity and energy will be checked, if not paralyzed. There are already symptoms of shrinking at the verge of the precipice and there is need of dispelling the mists of illusion and false calculation and looking at things as they are. If the reaction that is to cure the drooping condition of our prosperity is not to be violent or disastrous there must be an exercise of unusual foresight and caution and an adjustment to a solid basis of real value in place of the support of artificial and fragile props."

Amassador Bryce wants a reform in place names in America. We hasten to direct his excellency's attention to Magagadavic, Nanwigewak, Pocologan, Pokonouche, Piskahagen, Didgequash, Manawagonish, Tatamagouche, Pisarino, Ouananday, Boar's Head and Devil's Back.

As an evidence of the growing favor with which sanatorium treatment for tuberculosis is regarded, a Toronto paper cites the large number of patients in residence in the Muskoka hospitals of the National Sanatorium Association. At no time in the history of the Muskoka Cottage Sanatorium, which is the pay institution of the association, has there been so large an attendance, with applications coming in from many different parts of Canada and the United States. In the sister institution, the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives, a mile distant, the attendance, it is stated, is also the greatest in the history of the hospital, with a large number of applications constantly reaching the office.

With cheaper postage there will be a larger sale of English newspapers and periodicals in Canada. The effect will be beneficial. Canada gets too much cheap literature—and not enough from the United Kingdom. Much of the cheap trash brought here from the United States has a pernicious influence, and the mind of youth would have a more healthy development if never brought into contact with much of the sensational and depraving product of publishing houses which make their appeal to the baser passions of the people.

Mr. J. D. Allan, addressing the Toronto board of trade last week on the subject of trade with the West Indies, which he as one of the Canadian board of trade delegates had lately investigated, said he thought the people of Canada did not fully appreciate the good chance there was for doing a fine export and import trade with the West Indies. Canadians should not any longer expect that business with the islands would come as a result of letters of inquiry. The United States had built up a splendid trade because its exporters and importers had been wide awake to the opportunities they had.

The St. John board of trade has once more demonstrated its usefulness and the value of its work in the interests of St. John. Last November its board sent to Ottawa a memorial urging the government to provide further aids to navigation in the Bay of Fundy. The statement elsewhere printed in today's Times shows that most of what they asked for has been approved by the lighthouse board and adopted by the department of marine, and that as a result the safety of navigation in these waters will be provided for to a greater extent than ever in the past.

Referring to the far-fetched address of Mr. Delmas to the jury in the Shaw case, the London Standard calls it empty rhetoric, and ironically observes that it "seemed as if a minor poet had been let loose upon the court." The Standard further remarks: "Oratory of such a kind is inconceivable in an English court. It would disgust the judge and jury alike and provoke a bitter remonstrance even from the prisoner at the bar."

With a universal sigh of relief the citizens awoke this morning to welcome the sunshine, and an atmosphere that really seemed the breath of spring. Of snow and sleet and northerly winds April has given us overmuch.

The cost of a tunnel to P. E. Island is variously estimated at \$9,000,000 to \$40,000,000, with \$15,000,000 as an approximation arrived at by two engineers. It may come high but eventually it must come.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier was welcomed at Liverpool by a score of newspaper men, but the Canadian premier was courteous only about the time he is in his own country when the interviewer appears on the horizon.

The immigrants brought to Canada by the Salvation Army are of a desirable class, and a decided acquisition in this growing country. New Brunswick would be greatly benefited by settlers of this class.

The proposed enlargement and improvement of the provincial normal school at Fredericton is in line with the government's progressive educational policy, and is an actual necessity.

Whether there is a very high freshet or not this spring on the St. John river, the log drives should come out with less difficulty than usual.

The movement in favor of free text books in public schools is growing in favor. It has long been the policy in some of the American states.

Last evening's burglary on King street was a very bold one, and evidently the work of experts. Fortunately they got no booty worth talking about.

The eastern mail box in the depot was accidentally left open Saturday night. Two immigrant trains passed through the city yesterday morning and one of the immigrants on the last train noticed the box open and concluded that the mail therein must have been intended for the passengers. The word was quickly passed and many were soon ready to accept their mail. Letters were passed from hand to hand until Theodore Bernard noticed the mistake. A policeman was notified and recovered the mail.

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HOW SHE GOT EVEN. (Philadelphia Bulletin.) He found fault with her cooking. His temper of old days. And never got through talking Of "the kind that mother made." At last, her patience wavered. To try them was not easy. And so—well, she got even— She simply cooked his goose.

IN THE YEAR 2006. "Have you finished the work of tracing your ancestors?" the oldest daughter asked. "Yes," replied her father with no trace of interest in the subject. "Did you not die last year?" "One of them lived for a while in Pittsburg, and I have reason to believe he was a millionaire. Come now, let's see of something pleasant."—Chicago Journal.

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THE BIBLE TEST. While we have heard much about trust, and of almost everything in which people are interested, we have still held the good old belief that salvation is free. However, a New York newspaper has recently extended an exposition of the Bible publishing business that leaves little doubt that the most precious literary heritage of man has at last come under organized control and that an international combine has monopolized the Bible output and raised the price to the consumers.

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Chicago, April 13—The Standard Oil Company tonight was found guilty on 1463 counts of receiving rebates from the Chicago & Alton railroad on shipments of oil from Whiting (Ind.) to East St. Louis (Ill.).

"Preventions" will promptly check a cold on the Grippe when taken early or at the "mease stage." "Preventions" cure seated colds as well. "Preventions" are little candy cold cure tablets, and Dr. Shoop, Haines, Wis., will gladly mail you samples and a book on Cold free, if you will write him.

At a meeting of the directors of the St. John Log Driving Company, held in the office of J. E. Moore, on Saturday, it was decided that, as no tenders for rafting the logs this season had been received, the company should do the work themselves.

PEARY AND HIS TRIP NORTH Portland, Me., April 14—Commander Robert E. Peary, who has announced his intention of starting from New York on July 1 for another voyage to the Far North and another attempt to reach the Pole, left this city for New York tonight after passing two days at his summer home on Eagle Island, Casco Bay. He was accompanied by Mrs. Peary.



THE PURPOSE OF LENT. Philomena—I'm glad that Lent lasts forty days for Miss Fussy's sake. Virginia—Why? Philomena—Because I'm sure she could never make up her mind about a new Easter hat in less time than that.

A WASHINGTON LETTER ON MATTERS OF INTEREST

W. T. Stead Spends a Busy Day in the American Capital—Some Things the English Editor Has Found Out About American Women—A Woman With a "Brain Storm"—Roosevelt and Root.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, D. C., April 11.—William T. Stead, editor of the English Review of Reviews and an author of world wide renown spent one day in Washington this week and proved that an Englishman as well as the American can lead the strenuous life when he wants to. He had two long talks with the president at the White House, called on Secretaries Root and Straus, saw the principals in the city, gave a number of interviews to newspaper men and ended the day by dining at the Russian embassy. He appeared to get on famously with the president and as they are somewhat alike in their energy, candor and independence it is presumable that the administration is mutual. In speaking to a president he said: "I found the president an engaging personality but what struck me most was that he would be the only man I have ever known to talk into a megaphone. I wish he would come to the peace meeting and be the megaphone to tell the world a message of peace."

ADS TO NAVIGATION IN THE BAY OF FUNDY

Marine Department at Ottawa Carries Out Many of the Recommendations of the St. John Board of Trade—Appropriations and Details for New Brunswick.

The recommendations of the St. John Board of Trade dealing with aids to navigation in the Bay of Fundy have been accepted in a large measure by the department of marine and fisheries, and three new automatic gas and whistling buoys, as a first instalment, are now in the hands of the contractor for their installation. The three buoys will be placed in the following positions: One on the North West Ledge, off Brier Island, another about one mile off the Old Proprietor Rock, and the third about two miles off the tip of Partridge Island. In explanation, it may be mentioned that a buoy which had previously been anchored about two and a half miles from the Old Proprietor twice broke away from its moorings, owing, it is believed, to the strength of the tide. On the last occasion it was lost for two or three weeks, and is now at Presque Isle, in need of repairs. By anchoring the new buoy nearer the rock it is hoped that no further accident will occur.

agent in N. B. Cost of apparatus \$6,000.00. Portage Island Light, Miramichi River. From the foregoing it will be seen that the St. John Board of Trade by their memorial to the government in November last have obtained aids to navigation in the Bay of Fundy, estimated to cost \$22,000. The most important improvements obtained are: A fog alarm with lighthouse tower and illuminating apparatus costing \$12,000; a first class diaphane for Ganacet Rock, costing for machinery and building, \$20,000; and three automatic gas and whistling buoys, costing \$7,000.

THE REFORM IN TONNAGE MEASURE

The Text of the New Regulations of the British Board of Trade.

The British Board of Trade's bill to amend the Merchant Shipping Act, 1884, with respect to the deduction of the space occupied by propelling power in ascertaining the tonnage of the ship has now been published. The full text is as follows: 1. The deduction under section 78 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1884 (in this act referred to as the "principal act"), for the space occupied by the propelling power of a ship shall not in any case exceed 80 per cent of that portion of the tonnage of the ship which remains after deducting from the gross tonnage any deduction allowed under section 79 of the principal act. 2. (1) Where, in ascertaining the tonnage of a ship registered before the commencement of this act, a deduction has been made for the space occupied by the propelling power of the ship greater than the maximum deduction allowed under section 78 of the principal act, the tonnage of the ship shall be recalculated on the basis of allowing the maximum deduction under this section instead of that previously allowed, and the certificate of the registry of the ship shall be altered accordingly. (2) The registrar of every port of registry shall make any alteration in the particulars of the registry of any ship registered at that port which is required for the purposes of this section, and shall send notice of the alteration so made to the managing owner of the ship. (3) The managing owner of the ship, on the receipt of any such notice, shall forthwith transmit the notice to the master of the ship, and the master of the ship, on receipt of the notice, shall forthwith alter the certificate of the registry of the ship in accordance with the notice. (4) If the managing owner or master of a ship fails to comply with the provisions of this section, he shall be liable on summary conviction in respect of each offence to a fine not exceeding £20. (5) The expression "managing owner" in this section includes any person registered under section 59 of the principal act in cases where there is no managing owner. 3. (1) This act may be cited as the Merchant Shipping Act, 1907, and shall be construed as one with the principal act and the Merchant Shipping Acts, 1884 to 1906, and this act may be cited together with the Merchant Shipping Acts, 1884 to 1907. (2) This act shall come into operation on the first day of January, 1908.

FAVORS FREE TEXT BOOKS

N. B. Board of Education Wants Them for Provincial Schools

Fredericton, N. B., April 14—At a meeting of the board of education yesterday afternoon, the sub-committee appointed to investigate the cost of text books for schools, composed of Dr. L. D. Channell, Jones and Solicitor-General Jones, submitted a report, in which they recommended that text books be supplied to pupils free of charge. Consideration of the report was deferred until a future meeting. In the meantime it is likely an effort will be made to ascertain what course the other provinces are likely to adopt in regard to the question. A majority of the members of the board seem to regard the proposal for free text books as a forward step, and likely to meet with the cordial approval of the people of the province.

SACRED CONCERT

Excellent Programme in the Every Day Club Last Evening

The hall of the Every Day Club was crowded last evening at 8.30, when the sacred concert began. Mr. Sandford played selections on the organ while the room was filling. The hymn Jesus, Lover of My Soul was sung by the audience. S. J. McGowan sang two sacred solos, and other singers were Gordon Allan, Miss Colwell, Fred Dixon and little Miss Morrison. C. S. Hammet and first Sandford gave some instrumental music, and the whole programme was most enjoyed. The chairman spoke briefly of the aims and work of the Every Day Club. At the afternoon meeting R. H. Cother delivered an impressive address to the men assembled, on the subject of helping men to be men, urging his hearers to take an active interest in the club. There were sacred solos by Gordon Allan and Mr. Dixon, and some other music. The active members of the club will meet this evening at 7.30 sharp. One of the features of Saturday evening's long and interesting programme were readings by Roy Harding, who was several times recalled.

NEPTUNE ROWING CLUB

The annual meeting of the Neptune Rowing Club was held on Saturday evening in the Church of England Institute rooms, Germain street. There was a good attendance. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Heber G. Vroom; vice-presidents, F. A. Kinneer, H. D. Forbes; captain, W. J. Coates; assistant captain, Roy L. Sippell; treasurer, F. E. Hamilton; secretary, G. D. Robinson; managing committee, K. J.

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THE PUBLIC STILL REFUSE TO COME INTO THE GAME

NEW YORK, April 13—The word most frequently used to describe the market today is "narrow." The unsophisticated who read of million-share days may wonder how such an animated market could be thus described. The adjective is very appropriate when it is known that of every 1,000,000 shares recorded by the ticker probably 800,000 represent floor trading in a frenzied chase after eighth. The market is dominated by professional traders from the first to the last, from ten o'clock to three o'clock. It has become fashionable to mark up prices early and then to let out long stock surreptitiously, but this maneuver is how so transparent that it deceives no one. There is still more stock for sale than the public want and it is questionable if professional manipulation however adroit, will allure doubting buyers. The worst feature is the entire absence of public participation. Legitimate outside trading is at a minimum. This is not surprising in view of the market's recent history. The violent break brought in many investment orders, both big and little, but this demand has been satisfied. Those who did not supply their needs when prices were low do not care to come in now that the leading stocks have recovered from 10 to 30 points. Of course a great deal of money has been released for investment in securities through the Treasury's action and the decline in the money market rates, but the unsettled political, railroad and industrial conditions have diverted attention from stocks to less speculative investment. With the approach of a fierce Presidential campaign the people who are overburdened with stocks are naturally anxious to get rid of them; if, however, no purchasers be forthcoming, it is a question whether they will sacrifice their holdings to retain them in the hope of being able to gradually reduce commitments without serious loss. Unless something happens to revive buying interest, it is not easy to discern when the buying is to come from. The so-called "strong hands" do not care to indefinitely maintain their positions among themselves, since there is little chance of profit. Moreover the professional wrapping of 1,000,000 shares of stock per day becomes expensive. When stocks were breaking it was explained that dear money was alone responsible. Money had been easy for not quite three weeks, yet the recovery has evidently already petered out. If the public will not buy stocks in 2 per cent call money and a 4 1/2 per cent time money market, they will be expected to come in when these rates advance under the new demands planned by railroads? The statistics published yesterday show that millions of new capital stock await a favorable market for distribution, and there is gathering evidence that before long flotations will again become numerous.

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PROVINCIAL BRIDGES

Hon. Mr. LaBillois Presents a List of Bridges Which Will be Rebuilt This Year.

FRIDERICHTON, N. B., April 13.—At Friday night's session of the legislature Hon. Mr. LaBillois in supporting a bill providing for the erection of permanent bridges said it was proposed to rebuild the bridge between St. Mary's and Fredericton...

BASE BALL NATIONAL LEAGUE

At Boston—Boston-Brooklyn game postponed, snow. At New York—New York-Philadelphia game postponed, wet grounds.

ROLLER SKATING WILLIAMS BEATS MERRITT IN PACED SKATE RACE.

At the Park Square rink last Friday evening Charley Williams defeated William Merritt in a paced skate race on rollers skated.

THE TURF PARIS, April 13.—William K. Vanderbilt's four-year-old Maintenance today won the Prix Eugene Adam, the principal event at Maison Laite, worth 50,000 francs.

THE OAR COACH DONOVAN LAID AT REST.

Attended by representatives of nearly all of Boston's famous rowing clubs, dozens of the different newspaper offices and scores of acquaintances, the funeral service over the remains of the late Patrick J. Donovan, Harvard's former rowing coach, took place at 9 o'clock last Friday morning from the Church of St. Mary of the Annunciation at Cambridgeport.

CIGARETTES STANDARD OF THE WORLD. Illustration of a cigarette pack.

O. M. Walton, J. H. Solari, Fred J. Steele, Jerry Mahoney and J. Buckley. They were floral tributes from the Forsters of America, Shawmut Boat Club, Globe Pressman's Chapel, Mr. and Mrs. Waldron, Dr. McGrath, Miss Annie Donovan, West End Boat Club, Boston Intercollegiate Rowing Association, St. Athanasius Boat Club and a mound of red and white roses from "Mother and Nellie."

DESIRABLE SETTLERS

Salvation Army Brings Splendid Consignment of Immigrants to Halifax.

Halifax, N. S., April 14.—The Dominion line steamer Southwark, the last Salvation Army steamer to come to Halifax this season, arrived this afternoon with 1,265 immigrants. The steamer had an uneventful voyage. The newcomers are all English with the exception of a party of Dutch people numbering about 35.

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Putaum's Corn Extractor contains no acids, but is entirely vegetable in composition. Putaum's never stings or causes discomfort. It cures quickly, painlessly, permanently.

ELECTION CARDS

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF ST. JOHN: Ladies and Gentlemen: I will be a candidate for the office of Alderman-at-Large at the forthcoming civic election to be held on Tuesday, April 16th, and respectfully solicit your support.

ROYAL YEAST CAKES

Stands for SCOTCH and Scottie too! The name of a bread, and its baker true. Stands for ZEST, its second name; Bread with a flavor always the same. Stands for BREAD the staff of life; All work for, in this world of strife.

NOTICE

THE FOREGOING SALE will be made under and virtue of the Act 883 Victoria Chapter 49 for the purpose of realizing the several amounts hereinafter stated...

Spring Flowers. Sweet Daffodils, Tulips, Hyacinths, Narcissus, Primroses, Lily of the Valley, Violets, &c. Floral Emblems a specialty.

French Labor Agitator's Advice. Nantes, France, April 14.—M. Yvette, a delegate to the general confederation of labor, was arrested today on a charge of inciting law-breaking by violence of language, when addressing strikers. He is alleged to have invited the dock workers to "cut button-holes in the stomachs" of those opposed to them.

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Beautiful floor coverings in great variety may be seen in our carpet department—and lots of them just in represent the proper thing for spring 1907.

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He Has Large Force of Experts at Baddeck Working on His New Airship.

HALIFAX, N. S., April 15.—(Special)—Prof. Alexander Graham Bell will not be a competitor in the race for flying machines for the Gordon Bennett cup which is to take place in Paris early this summer.

THIS EVENING Every Day Club meets as usual. Lyceum Stock Co. at the Opera House in "What Happened to Jones."

THE WEATHER Forecast for the week: Tuesday, westerly winds, fair, not much change in temperature.

LOCAL WEATHER REPORT AT NOON. Monday, April 15. Highest temperature during last 24 hours, 47.

LATE LOCALS

Furness steamship Halifax City arrived in port this morning from London via Halifax with a large general cargo.

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triangles was made of silk, in future all trials will be conducted over water and a specially prepared oil surface will be used for all cloth that may be necessary to use in the work.

VICTIM OF A SAD ACCIDENT

Edward Riley May be Totally Blind as Result of Blow From Snowball.

Edward Riley, who since the early age of five has been blind in one eye, is now at the age of twenty-five, in danger of losing the remaining optic by a blow from a snowball which he received last Thursday afternoon.

Riley spent some time at school for the blind in Halifax. His father, James Riley, died a few years ago, and Edward, later, secured work with J. S. Gibbon & Co.

Last Thursday afternoon, about two o'clock, Ward and Robert Stevens, also employed with Gibbon & Co., were going about Mark street, when the elder, James, a teamster, and was standing in Riley's cart talking to him.

In a sermon to the congregation of Main street Baptist church last evening, Rev. D. Hutchinson spoke of the evils of intemperance, licentiousness and the gambling habit.

NO RAFFLES IN CHURCHES

Rev. D. Hutchinson Says Churches Encouraging Gambling Should Close Their Doors.

It is even found in some of the churches. "We blush for shame to find raffles and voting contests carried on in churches, their real name being gambling contests."

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Small Checks in Grey; Mixtures in Grey; Fine Stripes in Grey; Small Figures in Grey; Grey Homespuns; Grey Cheviots; Grey Voiles; Grey Wool Taffetas, Etc.

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THE MOHAIRS, LUSTRES AND SICILLIANS we are showing in shadow checks, plaids, spots, as well as all shades in plain, are excellent values at the prices of 30, 38, 45, 50, 60, 75, 90c. and \$1.50 yd.

CREAM AND WHITE GOODS in Nuns Veilings, Lustres, Serges, Bedford Coris, Glorias, Delaines, Voiles and Cashmere from 45 cents to \$1.25 yard.

ROBERT STRAIN & CO., 27 and 29 Charlotte St.

We Make a Specialty of Gold Monogram Dinner and Tea Ware in Wedgwood, Cauldon and Haviland China

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NEW TRIMMINGS AND GARNITURES FOR WARM WEATHER WEARABLES.

Embroidered Linen Dresses, in Natural Colors, \$4.25, and in White \$5.25. This is a very special bargain lot.

New Lace Robes—a wide range of designs and prices, running from \$8.50 to \$21.75, in embroidered net.

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Irish Hand Embroidered Linen Waists, also Dresses. The former from \$2 to \$3.85, the dresses \$4.50 to \$26.

New Allovers in Baby Irish and Guipure, with Insertions and Laces to match in different widths.

New Embroidered Allovers, also Flouncings in Swiss and Nainsook.

"Dreadnaught" Veilings, the new shower-proof veiling in Brown, Navy, Grey, Champagne and White.

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