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MRS. CHADWICK, THE AMERICAN MME. HUMBERT



Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick and U.S. Marshal Henkel. Photo by Eschells.

Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick will go down to history as scarcely less notorious than Madame Humbert, the great French confidence woman. Mrs. Chadwick, according to her sister story, was borne in Appin, Middlesex county (Ont.), and lived later near Woodstock. She was eccentric as a girl, and early developed a talent for getting other people's money. She married and settled in Cleveland, where her husband was a manufacturer. He died, leaving her fairly well to do. By-and-by she got over \$100,000 from a gentleman friend by means that landed her in the penitentiary. Coming out she soon regained a standing in decent society. Seven years ago she married a Cleveland doctor, who knew nothing of her criminal record. Since that time she has lived like a princess in a fine mansion on Euclid avenue. She is charged with being a party to the forgery of Andrew Carnegie's name to a note for half a million, and with falsely representing herself as possessing a great fortune. She actually obtained \$1,184,000 from various bankers and business houses and caused the failure of two banks. The jewels that adorn her are those worn when she desired to impress bankers and business men with her wealth and position. All who come within reach of Mrs. Chadwick speak of her as a distinctly lady-like person. She has never been even suspected of immoral conduct, and the only explanation that can be made by the men she has ruined is that she is a most persuasive talker, and has eyes of almost hypnotic brilliancy.

MRS. CHADWICK INDICTED FOR FORGING ANDREW CARNEGIE'S NAME TO NOTES FOR MILLIONS

Aged Banker Takes the Stand and Tells How He Was Fooled by the Schemer--Dr. Chadwick, Located in Paris, Says He Got None of the Money.

Cleveland, Dec. 12--(Special)--Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick increased at a rapid rate today. She was twice indicted by the grand jury of Cuyahoga county and her old time friend Dr. Reynolds took the stand in court and made evident his intention to shield and protect her no longer. The aged secretary of the Wade Park Bank presented a pathetic picture as he answered question after question, which brought out his own implicit faith in the woman whose financial transactions have well-nigh ruined him in fortune, and caused him such infinite trouble. He gave evidence, too, that he still believed his trust was justified. Only one query he attempted to evade. This was when he was asked how much of his personal estate had passed into the possession of Mrs. Chadwick. His eyes filled, and he requested that he be excused from answering. The question was not pushed. The formal indictments voted against Mrs. Chadwick this afternoon are based upon the Carnegie note for \$250,000 which was made payable at the office of Andrew Carnegie in New York city, and the other upon the Carnegie note for \$200,000, which was payable at the National Bank of Commerce in New York. Under each indictment are two counts, one charging forgery, the other uttering of forged paper. Information of indictments was at once wired to New York by County Prosecutor Keller, and he requested that Mrs. Chadwick be immediately re-arrested if she secured bail on the other charges hanging over her. The examination of Dr. Reynolds, treasurer and secretary of the Wade Park Bank, before Referee Remington, in the bankruptcy court today, failed to disclose any fact that might be secured by Detective Loozer, appointed by the federal court, but brought from Mr. Reynolds, in reply to questions, the statement: "She told me she was the illegitimate daughter of Andrew Carnegie." Later Mr. Reynolds, in detailing his transactions with Mrs. Chadwick, said: "Believed Carnegie Was Backing Her. In all my transactions with Mrs. Chadwick, I believed from what she told me that Andrew Carnegie was backing her, and all her indebtedness would be paid." He then added: "And I have not had anything yet to make me doubt it." After the preliminary questioning, Mr. Reynolds said he had known Mrs. Chadwick seven or eight years, and Dr. Chadwick all his life. In detailing how he came into possession of the \$1,184,000 note bearing the name of Andrew Carnegie, he said: "Mrs. Chadwick called me to her house, I think it was March 5, 1903, and said she wished to intrust to me some securities. She said she had been advised to place them in the possession of a third party and she wanted me to take care of them." This is the package which was opened last Friday night in the presence of Mr. Reynolds and Attorney Stern, by Attorney Andrew Squire. The package was produced in court and Mr. Reynolds identified the Carnegie note, the mortgage deed and the copies of an alleged trust agreement. "Continuing, the witness said: "She then handed me a paper to sign." This paper witness did not have with him, but as near as he could remember it read: "I certify that I hold in trust for Mrs. Chadwick securities and a note for \$500,000." Mr. Reynolds would not swear to the wording, but it was to that effect. The note was not endorsed but he had no doubt that the alleged maker of the note was back of the woman. Package of Bogus Bonds. Asked as to other transactions subsequent to 1903, Mr. Reynolds said: "There is one, it is a little bank secret, but I'm willing to tell all. She came to me, I think it was in 1904, and said she had \$12,000 in paper payable at the Prudential Trust Company. If I would let her have the money she would put up United States Steel bonds in the morning as collateral. I consulted my committee and with their consent I loaned her the money. The next day she brought a package which she said contained \$200,000 in U. S. Steel bonds and a \$250,000 certificate, which I was told to hold in trust for her under the same conditions as the previous package." (Continued on page 3, fourth column.)

PANIC IMMINENT IN STOCK MARKET

The Telegraph's New York Correspondent Says Outlook is Blue

Lawson Credited With Being Responsible for the Situation --Mrs. Chadwick Described as Common-place, a Monomaniac on Money--Britain May Close Up Halifax Docks--Daisy Leiter's Brilliant Catch.

(From Our Own Correspondent.) New York, Dec. 12--Although the metropolitan newspapers, for the best reasons, do not give voice to it, there is very grave fear in financial circles that a tremendous stock market panic is impending. It may be averted, but the spirit of unrest is deep seated and extremely dangerous, none the less so because it seems altogether unreasoning. A stock market panic would be about the biggest disaster that could happen for New York's Christmas. All manners of interests are instinctively involved in what happens in Wall street, and hundreds of thousands who do not know one stock from another suffer by a Wall street upheaval. Already the big shops complain of an unlooked for and severe falling off in the holiday trade, and the anomalous condition prevails of apparently hard times in the face of what facts and figures show should be a state of great prosperity. Today's situation in the stock market was absolutely unlooked for by the great majority. It is certain that a general demoralization prevails that cannot continue without a terrific smash. "The pin pricks of the Howling Bervial of finance," as Lawson's attacks on the market have been called, may be the direct cause of the general uneasiness, although most of the big men have so far ridiculed this theory, but as one of them said today, a man may start an avalanche by shouting if he shouts in the right time and place. Without further developments to cause or account for it, heavy and continuous liquidation ruled the stock market today, carrying prices to levels not much above those reached in the violent break last Thursday. More than 2,000,000 shares were dealt in. The net changes at the close showed heavier declines as a rule than were shown at the close last Thursday. On that day it will be remembered there was a sharp rally after the first hour, and most stocks recovered from fifty to seventy-five per cent. from the bottom. Today, however, the rallies were of a "soda water" character, induced apparently by short covering for the purpose of taking profits. After such a rally at the beginning of the last hour there was a flood of heavy selling, and the market closed active at about the lowest. Unquestionably short selling figured to a large extent in the day's operations than was apparent last week. Big banking houses said they were advised of this fact, but there was no evidence of support intended by the so-called big interests nor plans to interfere with raiding operations. Whatever the cause for it, the average Wall street man these days feels as though he were between a powder magazine and a fire. The stock market just now is a splendid place for the small operator to keep away from. Speaking of Lawson, it is estimated that he could have covered with a profit of \$2,500,000 on copper short selling recently.

Mrs. Chadwick Seems Very Common-place. Public interest in the lady of the mythical millions continues unabated. All sorts of weird stories have been printed about Mrs. Chadwick's personality, so that it was with more than ordinary interest that I met her, more or less accidentally, in the corridor of the Penitentiary today. The career of this woman, from the time when she was Betsy Bigley on her father's Ontario farm, is of the strangest--her personality, to put it truthfully, as most commonplace. The general impression she gives is that of a comfortable, motherly old body who would be much more at home darning socks than raising millions on bogus securities. She is a kindly-faced, plain woman, with gray hair, a few wrinkles and a good figure. Her voice and manners are not cultivated. Her whole demeanor is that of an honest, simple and guileless old woman, and she has about as much hypocrisy as a Curlew ferry boat. Her whole thoughts today, during the short interviews, were apparently centered on her present inconvenience in prison. She wanted a knife and fork, and could not get them, but managed to eat very well with her fingers. In fact, she said that if she could have what she wanted to eat, and a knife and fork, she would stay right here; otherwise she would go to Cleveland. Of her case she seemed to want to talk, but didn't, contenting herself with a sort of dumb, unreasoning confidence that everything would come out all right. She wrote a telegram asking a prominent man in Cleveland, whose name has not yet been published, for his permission to make a newspaper statement. This telegram was sent, as she requested, and a reply was received practically dissuading any connection with her, and saying that she could do what she pleased about making a statement. The explanation of Mrs. Chadwick undoubtedly is that she is monomaniac on the subject of money. It is told of her that when she was a barefooted child on the Ontario farm she carried around with her a card with "Miss Bigley, heiress to \$15,000" written on it. The explanation of her success in getting money from hard-headed bankers seems to be that it was inconceivable that she could perpetrate such a tremendous fraud. It has been known here for two weeks that she had represented herself to be the illegitimate daughter of Andrew Carnegie, and that gentleman's palatial mansion has been besieged night and day by platoons of newspaper reporters, who asked him about it every few minutes. The ironmaster kept his temper sweetly until today, when the service of a subpoena requiring him to go to Cleveland aroused his Scottish ire. He declared that he wouldn't go, that he was ill, but he will have to go. Nobody thinks for a minute that Carnegie ever heard of Mrs. Chadwick until her name appeared in the papers recently.

Britain May Close Up Halifax Docks. A special to the New York Times gives the following explanation of the plan for the "organization of the British navy": "The actual order issued reads: 'In what is now known as the North Atlantic and West Indian squadrons there are more ships than the forecast of the few months ago. The United States of the United States. The squadron referred to is to be turned into a "particular service squadron," the business of which will be to train cadets and boys for the navy, and its headquarters are to be transferred to this side of the Atlantic with the understanding that the squadron shall come to a home port frequently and sail thence wherever it may be directed on cruising and training duty. In case of war the boys and cadets will be replaced by efficient fighting crews. The chances are said to be that the Admiralty will decide to close up the Halifax and Jamaica docks and make use solely of the Bermuda docks in the event of repairs being required in the Western North Atlantic. The South Atlantic squadron being abolished, it will be seen that the "particular service squadron" will have a large area to run over, and it is likely that its visits to any one American port will be few and far between. There seems to be no doubt that the explanation of the order abolishing the two Atlantic squadrons and establishing a new squadron with headquarters in this country is that the admiralty firmly believes that if the British navy has any fighting to do it will not have it with America, but with some country on the other side of the Atlantic. With this understanding it becomes quite clear why it has been decided to make the squadron's headquarters a British home port and to require it to put in there frequently. Concentration and quick mobilization are evidently what the admiralty has in mind.

Daisy Leiter's Brilliant Catch. The third of the Chicago Leiter girls to be an Englishman is well known here. She is beautiful, vivacious, a young woman who was wooed about on or horseback, for she is a superb equestrienne. Wherever Miss Daisy has been--Paris, London, Calcutta, Simla, Newport, New York, Washington--she has been greatly admired. Her coming out gave inspiration to the Washington season of 1888. Soon it was reported that she was engaged to "Willie" Westmore, son of the senator from Rhode Island. Then the gossip had it that Miss Daisy had actually consented to elope with "Bob" Walker, lieutenant of artillery and gentleman-jockey. Again it was whispered that Craig Wadsworth, clubman and warrior with the Roosevelt Rough Riders, had won her. The victory remained for young Henry Molyneux Paget Howard, nineteenth Earl of Suffolk and Berkshire, Viscount Andover and Lord Howard, of the last of a sixteenth century house, in the direct house of Howard. It was said that his relations with Lord Curzon became strained when he called Curzon "the old bounder" in the vicerey's hearing, but now there is opportunity for reconciliation. Lord Suffolk's home is Charlton Place, in Whitehall, a stately Jacobean mansion, the oldest part of which was built in the reign of King James I, while the more modern portion was added in 1778 by the Earl of Suffolk. (Continued on page 4.)

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CANADIAN STUDENT HELD UP AT BORDER

Paid \$2 Head Tax to Get Across

Was Attending Guelph College and on His Way to St. Louis Fair--Government Will Take Matter Up--Ottawa Plans Big Reception to Earl Grey.

Ottawa, Dec. 12--(Special)--Principal (Edmund) of the Guelph Agricultural College, Ontario, is very indignant over the list of New York's tax on students. He is indignant at the imposition of a tax on students, while on his way to the St. Louis exposition. Mr. Stone & Co. has sent a protest to the minister of agriculture, who intends taking the matter up with the United States government. The student referred to, was to pay at Detroit a "head tax" of \$2.00 for crossing from Windsor to Detroit, Ontario. He was arrested at the border, but it was not used. He was treated as a Chinaman. A receipt was given for the tax by an agency in Detroit. The transcontinental railway has almost completed arrangements for sending out a surveying party to the east from Abitibi to Winnipeg. An official announcement to this effect, as well as some details of the arrangements, will be issued in a few days. There will be three districts, managed by three district officers. In this connection it may be mentioned that the commission is in an amount with all the men on the survey from the one end of the proposed line to the other. The chief engineer's report to the chief engineer and the chief engineer's report at the table with the commission. Hon. R. W. Scott, secretary of state, and J. J. MacEwan, chief of the privy council, arrived home today from Halifax, where they performed important duties at the swearing in ceremonies of the new governor-general. The programme for receiving Earl Grey tomorrow forenoon is complete. Canada's new governor-general will arrive at 11 o'clock. There will be large military turnout and city council will take part. A royal salute will also be fired.

NEW BRUNSWICK GRADUATES FROM HALIFAX BLIND SCHOOL

Sanford Upham of Prosser Brook, and William McLellan of St. George, the Fortunate Ones

Halifax, Dec. 12--(Special)--The annual meeting of the Halifax School for the Blind, held at the institution tonight, was largely attended and the proceedings were most interesting. J. C. Mackintosh presided, and among those present were Archbishop O'Brien, Bishop Worrell, Senator Power, George Mitchell, M. P., Sir M. B. Daly, Hon. Wm. Chisholm. The president, the president said, had been a remarkable one in many respects. A large addition had been made to the building, and better quarters provided for teachers and pupils. Dr. C. F. Fraser, superintendent of the school, submitted an interesting report, which showed that 154 blind persons had been receiving instruction during the year. Ninety-five males and fifty-nine females of these twenty-one had been graduated or remained at home. Eighty-two were from Nova Scotia, thirty-one from New Brunswick, eight from P. E. Island, eleven from Newfoundland, and one from Quebec. Among those who received certificates as pianoforte tuner was Sanford Upham, of Prosser Brook (N. B.); William McLellan, of St. George (N. B.), graduated from the literary department, and has since gone into business.

DESPERATE AFFRAY OF KAFFIRS AND CHINESE

Several Killed and Many Injured in Row at Transvaal Mines.

Johannesburg, Transvaal, Dec. 12--One of the most severe fights between Chinese and Kaffirs since the advent of the former occurred at the Witwatersrand mine Sunday. The Chinese took the offensive, and when the disturbance was quelled, one man from the Chinese and one from the Kaffirs had been killed, and that night Kaffirs and twenty-five Chinese were wounded.

BOTH PARTIES AGREE ON SAW-OFF

No Election Protests Likely to Be Filed in This Province

TODAY THE LAST DAY

Dr. Stockton at Fredericton to See That Compact is Kept--Very Cold at the Capital--Big Property Purchase.

Fredericton, N. B., Dec. 12--(Special)--Tomorrow is the last day for filing protests against members returned to the house of commons at the general election. As far as can be learned both parties in this province have consented to saw off. Dr. Stockton, M. P., came up from St. John this evening to watch the situation for the Conservative members.

Edna K., the sixteen-year-old daughter of Joseph Smith, retired harness maker, of St. Mary's, died on her birthday on Saturday.

A. Wilson has been elected Worshipful Master of Equal Rights, L. O. L. No. 22. He entertained members of the lodge at an oyster supper on Saturday night.

Edwin Shaffer was thrown from a gang yesterday, when the horse he was driving ran away, and was cut up somewhat.

M. A. Finn's sudden death is much felt here, where he was well known in business and socially. It was Mr. Finn's intention to have been here today on a business trip.

A carload of ice was shipped to St. John last week from here. The shortage of supply at St. John and extra demand from winter port steamers is said to be the cause.

James F. McMurray has purchased the Dever brick building on Queen street opposite the soldiers' barracks. The purchase price was in the vicinity of \$100,000. Harry Allen, of Pennac, a guide, has been granted a permit to shoot two moose and two caribou for the crown land office museum.

SAYS EARL GREY VIOLATED SABBATH

Ottawa Clergyman Criticises Governor General for Following Lord Minto's Example.

Ottawa, Dec. 12--(Special)--Rev. J. W. H. Minto, in the course of his sermon at the Globe Presbyterian church last night, said that Earl Minto ignored the Sabbath day. If the newspapers told the truth, he declared, we find Earl Grey following in Lord Minto's footsteps and treating with disdain the sanctity of the Lord's day. "We have too much of this kind of snobbery from the other side," insisted Mr. Minto.

Handsome Residence Burned. Digby, N. S., Dec. 12--The residence of Sheriff Smith, at the Racquet, was destroyed by fire today. Loss partially covered by \$3,000 insurance. Sheriff Smith and his cousin, Arthur A. MacNab, of London (Eng.), who is visiting him, had just returned from a successful hunt, having shot two moose.

Protests Against Manitoba Liberals. Winnipeg, Dec. 12--Petitions were filed on Saturday evening against all Liberals who were elected at the last general election.



HAPPENINGS IN NOVA SCOTIA

PARRSBORO. Parrsboro, Dec. 8.—Dr. and Mrs. Smith went to California last week, and will spend the winter there. Mrs. D. K. Grant entertained a few of her friends last week to a thimble party. Mr. Harry Gillespie has gone south to spend the winter, for the benefit of his health. Mr. T. Sherman Rogers was in town on Wednesday on business connected with the estate of the late Dr. Townsend. Miss Lizzie Aikman is visiting friends in Dartmouth. Miss May Jenks arrived home on Saturday from an extended visit in Amherst. Capt. Knowlton, of the cruiser Canada, is enjoying a short visit with his friends. He speaks highly of the new ship, and who will doubtless do good service under the efficient charge of the captain. Mr. Quigley and daughter, of Amherst, have been spending a few days with Mrs. Copp. Mr. Cook arrived home on Friday from a visit to St. John. Mr. C. L. Spicer is enjoying a trip to St. John. Mrs. James Allen gave an at home to a large number of her friends on Friday evening. Mrs. E. R. Reed is visiting friends in Portland, and will be away for a few weeks. Miss Mary Woodworth has returned from a visit with friends in Kentville. The Baptist ladies are holding a tea and sale of Christmas fancy goods in St. George's hall on Saturday evening. Miss Lila Dodsworth has been in Halifax and has returned to spend the winter at home. The ladies of St. George's church are preparing for an attractive sale of fancy goods on Thursday evening.

TRURO. Truro, N. S., Dec. 7.—A large audience greeted President Hannah, of King's College, on Saturday morning, and were much interested and instructed by what he had to say. His principal theme was Japan and the people, but he also spoke of Russia and Korea. Miss Melissa Grant, of Londonderry, was married at her home in Londonderry recently to Mr. John M. Purdy of that place. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. E. Miller in the presence of a large number of friends. The bride wore a cream-colored gown and the bouquet consisted of white roses. Miss Julia Purdy attended the bride and wore white organza and carried "pink and white" carnations. The groom was supported by Mr. A. H. Minto. His bride's travelling dress was of black broadcloth. Mr. Hugh McLeod, a former freight agent here, spent Sunday with his father, Alex. McLeod, Young street. The handsome home owned by Mr. Charles McMillan, on Park street, has been rented by Mr. Logan Hunter, J. C. B. bridge builder and inspector. Mrs. Smith, of Londonderry, who has been visiting her cousin, Miss Georgia McDonald, returned to her home on Monday. Mr. Arty S. O'Brien, well known in Truro, is likely to buy a ranch near Saskatchewan, in company with his brother, Mr. O'Brien.

Mrs. Moffat of Point Upper, has been visiting Mrs. Newton Hopper. Mr. W. W. Coughlan, formerly of the I. C. Co. in Montreal, has gone to Londonderry, where he will fill the position of accountant for the Londonderry Iron and Mining Company. The auditorium of St. John's church was crowded on Wednesday evening to witness the nuptials of Miss Jessie B. Byard and Mr. Charles Coady. This bride was groomed in white and was attended by her sister, Mrs. Louise Byard, while Mr. John Byard supported the groom. A reception was held at the residence of the bride's father. Mrs. Fred Fulton, of Lower Stewiacke, has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. G. A. Cook, at Brookside. The Rev. McKinnon of Greenfield, visited in town last week. Mr. Harold Putnam, registrar of deeds, has had quite an illness, but is able to be about again.

AMHERST. Amherst, N. S., Dec. 9.—(Special)—Watson McKinnon, arrested on Thursday, was tried before Stipendiary Davis, Friday, charged with stealing two watches from J. & Z. McLeod. The McLeods testified to the loss of the watches. Edward Lovelace stated that the accused had tried to pawn a watch for \$8 answering the description. The prisoner stated that he had taken the watches purely as a joke, and intended putting them back, but no opportunity offered. After making an unsuccessful attempt to pawn them, he placed them in the bed of the accused, where they were found. Witnesses testified to his former good character. He was remanded until Monday, when the stipendiary will give judgment.

Daniel Veniot, jr., an employee in Christie Bros. trunk department, fell backwards through the elevator shaft a distance of about twenty feet, breaking his shoulder and injuring his head. He was removed to the hospital. Victor Curry and Aubrey H. Lampy went to Halifax yesterday to represent the Ramblers at the meeting of the Nova Scotia Hockey League. The Chicago curling rink was opened today by a number of local matches. Ice is in fair condition. A. V. Murray, formerly of the Wanderers hockey team, Halifax, who has secured a position at Rhodes, Curry & Co., has joined the Ramblers. Lorne Simpson, one of last year's best players who has been in Halifax during the summer at college, is also at home, and will play his usual position. An informal welcome was tendered these two young men on Thursday evening by the Ramblers, at Mr. Simpson's home. It is stated that two large sections of real estate in Amherst have been purchased by an American syndicate. A portion of the Judge Morse property at the upper end of the town will be laid off into building lots, while what is known as the D. F. Quigly property, near the Holmes farm, will be used for a manufacturing plant. The Liberals have opened rooms on Station street, where large numbers gather each evening in the interest of Mr. Paul. John D. Brown, general provincial manager of the Excelsior Life Insurance Co., who has heretofore made Parrsboro his headquarters, has leased the handsome residence of William Simmonds, and will in future reside in Amherst. Mr. Brown is a nephew of James Brown, of the London House.

By the completion at Queenstown of the laying of a submerged main at a depth of 100 feet across the channel at Harbor, which separates Queenstown from the government island of Haulbowline, a record in hydraulic engineering has been established.

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MRS. CHADWICK INDICTED (Continued from page 1) I held these until a month ago when in the presence of several gentlemen they were opened. It was about the time Mr. Newton thought his suit. They contained bonds all right, but they were not steel bonds. When asked what they were, Mr. Reynolds said: "There were five \$1,000 bonds of the Home Telegraph Company of Niagara (N. Y.) and six certificates of the Buckeye Fish Company."

Just before he was appointed custodian of this safe, Mr. Reynolds says Mrs. Chadwick came to the bank one afternoon with a package she said contained steel bonds. "There was as many as you could carry in your two arms," he said. "She left them in the vault and when she returned from Europe she took them away saying she had been advised to put such a vast amount of valuable paper in a better bank. At one time," he said, "she made a written statement to his committee that she had over \$2,000,000 in bonds in the safe deposit vault in the Wide Park Bank."

Dr. Chadwick interviewed. Paris, Dec. 12.—Dr. Leroy S. Chadwick, of Cleveland, Ohio, whose wife, Cassie L. Chadwick, is held a prisoner in New York charged with fraud of a financial nature, has been staying here quietly for some time, but owing to the notoriety of his wife's affairs, he has observed the greatest reticence. Dr. Chadwick was interviewed today and consented to talk regarding the robbery of his wife, but requested that the name of the hotel at which he is staying be not disclosed, owing to the mortification it would occasion him. "It is most unpleasant to me," Dr. Chadwick said, "to be interviewed under the present circumstances. It was an extreme shock to me when I saw the newspaper reports concerning the case. I learn every day new features about the affair which I never knew before. I do not think it desirable to enter into details until I return to America, as there have been so many misstatements that I do not know

just what are the facts and what is fiction. There is no truth in the report that Mrs. Chadwick settled a large sum on me. Do I look like a man of millions?" Dr. Chadwick called attention to his appearance as he uttered this remark, saying: "Any one would be able to see that I am not a man who had received millions from his wife." Asked concerning reports that Mrs. Chadwick is in reality Lydia De Vere, he answered: "The first time I ever heard the name of Madame De Vere in this connection was when I saw it recently in the newspapers." "Only once before had I ever heard the name De Vere. That was twenty-nine years ago at a post-mortem examination at which I assisted on a woman of that name who was said to have been a fortune teller. I only recall this from a peculiar surgical feature which the post-mortem depicted."

Dodges Carnegie Question. The doctor was shown a publication stating that the alleged securities embraced those of several millions of dollars signed or endorsed with the name Andrew Carnegie. "I do not know Andrew Carnegie personally," replied Dr. Chadwick. "Does your wife know Mr. Carnegie?" the doctor was asked. "I would rather not discuss Andrew Carnegie," said the doctor.

SLEEPLESS BABIES Well babies sleepless and wake up brightly. When babies are restless and sleepless it is the surest possible sign of illness—in all probability due to the development of the stomach and bowels, or to indigestion. Baby's Own Tablets is the only proper remedy. It gives the little stomach regularity, and it makes the healthy and happy. Guaranteed to contain no harmful drugs or opiates. Mrs. Thos. Carr, Spring City, says: "My baby suffered from stomach trouble and heaving, and I got Baby's Own Tablets and they seemed to work almost like a charm. I think nothing can equal the Tablets for children's ailments." You can find them at drug stores or get them post paid at 25 cents a box by writing The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

D. A. R. Windsor Office Robbed. Truro, N. S., Dec. 9.—The police of Truro and the banks here have been notified of the robbery of the ticket office of the Dominion Atlantic Railway at Windsor on Wednesday evening. The robber had secreted himself in the freight department and while the station agent was at tea forced the door to the agent's office and stole the cash box and contents. The box contained \$100 in cash and a check payable to the Dominion Atlantic Railway or bearer for \$30.80, signed D. L. Nash. Vermont Murders May Not Hang. Montpelier, Vt., Dec. 9.—In the house of representatives this afternoon, a resolution was passed, providing for the appointment of a committee of three to examine the mental and physical condition of Mrs. Mary A. Rogers, under sentence of death for killing her husband.

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MARITIME WINTER FAIR IS BETTER THAN LAST YEAR Exhibits Show Marked Improvement—Notables at Annual Banquet. Amherst, N. S., Dec. 12.—(Special)—Ideal weather greeted the managers of the Maritime Winter Fair today when the doors were thrown open to the public at 1 o'clock. A decided improvement is noted over last year in nearly every department, showing that the farmers of the maritime provinces are taking a keen interest in the exhibition. The Woman's Hospital Aid are providing meals at all hours in the building. In the beef department the number and quality are both ahead of last year. Both the sheep and hogs are ahead of any previous year. The exhibit of poultry is not so large as last season but the selections are of a much better quality, the buff orpingtons, buff barred and white rocks, and wyandottes predominate in the henry exhibits and are equal to, if not better, than last year. The annual banquet of the commission was held from 6 to 8. After partaking of a splendid dinner President Elderkin proposed the following toasts: The King, Canada our country and our home, responded to by Hon. H. B. Emmerson, minister of railways, Prof. C. C. James of Ontario, and A. B. Copp, M. P. for Westmorland. The Woman's Hospital Aid Society was proposed by H. J. Logan, M. P., and at the request of Mrs. C. W. Hewson, president C. R. Smith, K. C., responded. The banquet was attended by more than 100 guests and was a most successful affair. At the official opening in the evening a large audience assembled in the lecture room, E. B. Elderkin presiding. In opening he read messages of regret from Hon. Messrs. Fielding, Borden and Murray, who were unable to be present. He said that Hon. Sydney Fisher, who is expected, had not arrived but would probably be here tomorrow. Mayor Rhodes and H. J. Logan, M. P., gave addresses of welcome. In the absence of Mr. Fisher, Hon. H.

Emmerson was called upon and in a short but appropriate address declared the exhibition open. Other speakers were Prof. F. W. Hedson, dominion live stock commissioner; Prof. C. C. James, deputy minister of agriculture, Ontario; Prof. Cummings, the president of the Nova Scotia agricultural school, and Rev. Father Burke of P. E. Island. The speakers were unanimous in their expressions of the success of the fair, emphasizing the benefits that were being derived from the annual exhibits, especially from an educational standpoint. Many spoke in glowing terms of the management and especially of Capt. Elderkin, the president, and his splendid work. The attendance was hardly as large as on the opening day last year, but the prospects for a large crowd tomorrow are good.

HEAVY SNOW STORM RAGING IN BOSTON. Boston, Dec. 12.—There was every indication at 9 o'clock tonight that the north-west snow storm which began in this city late this afternoon, would become one of the severest so far this season before tomorrow morning. The wind was blowing about twenty miles an hour, and the snow was coming down quite thickly, while the weather bureau reported the storm to be south, but heading in this direction. There was very little shipping moving along the coast today, and what craft was off shore was warned early of the approach of the disturbance by the signals of the weather bureau, and nearly all ran into convenient harbors for shelter. The St. John boat left early today and three small down east coasters followed soon after, but no vessel left port after noon. The captain of the Portland boat, which usually sails from here at 7 o'clock tonight, did not venture from the wharf. A large fleet of vessels went south over Nantucket Shoals this afternoon, and another fleet bound north was anchored tonight under the lee of Monomoy Point. Sully's Exchange Seat Sold. New York, Dec. 12.—The four seats on the cotton exchange held by Daniel J. Sully & Co. were auctioned off today on the floor of the exchange for \$4,000. Dr. Trotter, of Acadia, addressed the meeting of Baptist ministers yesterday on the work of Acadia University and the successful campaign in behalf of the second forward movement.

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