

The Evening Times



THE WEATHER. Fair today. Sunday, west winds, fine, slightly warmer.

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ADJUTANT BOWERING TO LEAVE THIS CITY SOON

Head of Salvation Army Shelter and Metropole Has Been Transferred to Another Field--He Tells of His Work Here And Says a Good Word For St. John People.

After two and a half years of successful work at the Salvation Army Metropole and Travellers' Shelter, Adjutant and Mrs. Bowering, who have been in charge of the institutions have announced that they will bid adieu to St. John, within the next few weeks and after a month's furlough will enter upon another field of the army's work.

Under their management both institutions have been placed on a much better financial footing, the annual income being today about double what it was when they were placed in charge.

During his twenty years experience in army work Adjutant Bowering has rubbed shoulders with all classes and conditions of men and has thus been placed in a position to maintain excellent order in both Shelter and Metropole.

Just where Adjutant Bowering will next be stationed he is at present unable to say, neither is it definitely known who will succeed him in the management of the S. A. institutions here.

Adjutant Bowering has also had charge of the prisoners work in St. John, in which, he has been very successful. Many an unfortunate, who, under ordinary circumstances might have been obliged to serve a term in jail has been taken in hand and given a new start in life.

It is interesting to note that during his two and a half years at the Metropole and Shelter, the adjutant has had some \$5,000 placed in his hands for safe keeping.

To a Times reporter, Adjutant Bowering said that both he and Mrs. Bowering regretted their approaching departure from this city, where they had made many friends.

Some idea of the volume of work done during the adjutant's time can be gathered from the following figures, showing the number of beds and meals furnished, the number of situations secured and beds and meals supplied in exchange for work.

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A few figures showing some of the prisoners work for the two years in charge of this branch. Meetings held in prison 102, number of prisoners interviewed 846, number met on discharge 22, number present at meetings 191, number of prisoners given prisoners 1834, number of hours spent in prison and police court work \$10, amount paid for fares of prisoners \$100.

Quite a number of meals and beds were given to those met on discharge. The spiritual side was not neglected and quite a few conversions have been the result of the meetings held in prison. Situations have been found for prisoners and a new start in life given them.

This added to the management of the Metropole and Poor Men's Shelter has been, the adj. pretty busy during his stay in St. John.

Lord Tweedmouth Ill. London, June 6.—The veiled rumors of the physical and mental condition of Lord Tweedmouth, Lord President of the Council, which were held in political circles as partly accounting for his indiscretion in the correspondence with Emperor William with regard to the naval policy of Great Britain, while he was first lord of the admiralty, are now referred to more openly as "the dark cloud that has swept down upon him while still in the prime of manhood," and it is announced that he has been ordered to take the rest cure in the country owing to a sudden nervous breakdown.

It is understood that Lord Tweedmouth is not likely again to be seen in the House of Lords and is even now in a condition to write a letter of resignation.

WANTS OPIUM UNDER A BAN Ontario Methodists Want Government to Prohibit Its Importation, Manufacture and Sale Except For Medical Purposes.

Lindsay, Ont., June 6 (Special).—The report of the committee on temperance and moral reform presented yesterday afternoon to the Bay of Quinte Methodist conference unqualifiedly expressed its opposition to the three-fifths clause in the Ontario license act. It was recommended that Dominion government be asked to prohibit the importation, manufacture and sale of opium for other than medical purposes, and to prohibit the sale of liquor and cigarette papers to persons under 21 years of age.

PROMINENT CANADIANS PICTURED IN CARTOONS (By the Canadian Newspaper Cartoonist Association.)

Hon. Wm. Pugsley, Minister of Public Works--At Present a Rather Interesting Figure in Dominion Politics.

Worse Than Being Jilted. Jack--I'm all broke up! Fred--Has she jilted you? Jack--Jilted me. Here are letters from six girls to whom I promised graduating presents.

MONCTON CITIZEN STEPS IN WHEN GOVERNMENT FAILS; OFFERS TO PAY I.C.R. MEN

Government Advertises to the World the Fact That It has No Money to Pay the Hard Earned Wages of I. C. R. Employees --Public Spirited Monctonian Offers to Cash I.C.R. Checks for Monthly Pay to Extent of \$60,000.

Moncton, June 6 (Special).—Considerable feeling has been aroused over a circular issued by the railway intimating there is no money to pay salaries and leaving it optional whether they work or not.

By a minister of the crown in this country or by any of its understrappers, and is absolutely unjustifiable. It is inviting the employees of this great public utility and common carrier to abandon their positions and thus embarrass and injure the business of the whole country.

The revenue of the railway should be sufficient to pay the employees without any special appropriation by parliament, but the opposition was willing from time to time to vote necessary appropriations. The object of the circular may be to effect the voluntary resignations of some of the men whose places are desired for political reasons.

COUNTESS ANNA CAN'T PAY BILLS

With an Income of \$6,000 per Month She Asks for Extension of Time in Which to Pay \$24,000 Jewelry Bill.

Paris, June 6.—Counsel for Madame Anna Gould has applied to the civil tribunal to grant her a delay in the payment of \$24,000 to Madame Nemhoff, a singer, for a necklace purchased by her former husband, Count Boni de Castellane, pointing out that her income now is only \$6,000 per month and that it would be impossible to pay such a large sum immediately.

IRIDICULES IDEA OF YELLOW PERIL

Sir Robert Hart Gives Interesting Interview on Conditions in China--Chinese Will Never Cause World Special Trouble

London, June 6.—The Daily Mail's correspondent at Genoa telegraphs an interview he had with Sir Robert Hart, director general of Chinese Customs who arrived there yesterday on board the German liner Yoroka, bound for England.

STUDY OF POETRY IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Principal Peterson of McGill Says More Attention Should be Given to Language Study and Poetry.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., June 6 (Special).—The inaugural address of the Canadian Club was delivered yesterday by Principal Peterson, of McGill University, on Poetry in the School.

SINCE ADAM DELVED

Here are some remarkable figures which if nothing more, are instructive. eminent authorities have been figuring on the world's population and have arrived at a number of conclusions. One is that the total number of people born since the year in which the first pair of man beings appeared on earth is 72,000,000,000.

FUNERALS

The funeral of Miss Anne Murphy was held from the Mater Misericordiae Home this afternoon at 2.30. Service was conducted by Rev. D. S. O'Keefe and interment was in the new Catholic cemetery.

THE METHOD OF TAX COLLECTION

Appeals Committee Met This Morning to Consider Developments in it. A special meeting of the appeals committee was held today to discuss developments in the new system of tax collection. It seems that certain of the marshals have been working under the impression that they would get the fee of \$1 (which was decided by the council) should be paid them in addition to the usual 40 cents on all collections when they placed their men in jail.

STUDENTS ON THE RAMPAGE.

Fredericton, June 6.—(Special).—The male students of the Normal School went on the rampage last night in celebration of the closing of the institution, and this morning are being blamed for several acts of vandalism. One of the large cannons mounted on the river bank were partially upset and it will cost at least fifteen dollars to get them back in position again.

SAWDUST IN STREAMS.

There is much complaint along the Kennebec about the dumping of sawdust in the stream, and it is urged that the Fish, Forest and Game Protective Association should call the attention of the government to the matter.

VERY SAD CASE.

Our esteemed fellow citizen, Mr. James Jones, is much grieved over the financial condition of the Dominion of Canada. It appears that this great country, which since time immemorial has been the richest, most glorious, and most blessed of all countries by the bounty of Heaven, is not able to pay the help.

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COLD STORAGE PLANT IS AN INTERESTING PLACE

Some Idea of the Various Kinds of Business Carried on There--Manager Ross Talks--Expects St. John to Become Bait Centre--Furs in Cold Storage.

Some idea of the various kinds of business carried on by the New Brunswick Cold Storage Company, in its present extent, and the prospects in view, was obtained by a Times man who visited the company's big building.

Without particularizing but to give some inkling as to what is meant, fish, meat, fruit, vegetables, poultry and dairy products, might be mentioned as among lines of business to increase in volume.

MUCH ENTHUSIASM OVER OCEAN RACE

Hamilton, Bermuda Preparing to Welcome Competitors in Race From Marblehead.

Hamilton, Bermuda, June 6.—The approach of the sailing yachts which are racing here from Marblehead, Mass., has aroused enthusiasm in the sport and racing business conditions. The failure of the potato crop and the stagnant condition of the onion market seem temporarily to have been forgotten.

POLICE COURT.

In the Police Court this morning Peter Foy was fined \$4, or ten days in jail, for drunkenness.

RABBI AMDUR'S SERMON AT PENTECOSTAL CELEBRATION

Eloquent Discourse Delivered Yesterday in the Hazen Avenue Synagogue on "Old Pictures in New Frames."

The following is the text of Rabbi Amdur's sermon delivered in the Hazen Avenue synagogue on the occasion of the celebration of the Feast of Pentecost, yesterday.

The institution of the Feast of Pentecost commemorates the birthday of Israel's religion, as well as Passover is the birthday of Israel's nationality.

Our thank-offering, to express words of gratitude to God for the harvest of his mandates, laws and statutes. Here is that the Pentecost had been instituted to commemorate the extermination of myriads of enemies, the conquest of thousands of cities, the subduing of numerous nations to our rule and the vain pride of major or minor; then indeed, might there be many who would feel that they could not rejoice at our rejoicing; they could only see distress in our success, and whose bereavement would be our achievement. But the feast we are celebrating to-day, and in truth all our festivals, we do not celebrate the disruption of political communities, the origin of a sect, the glory of an individual and the downfall of our antagonists. Nay, we celebrate right not might, altruism, not egoism. We hold the event of this day a solemn protest against absoluteness of power—a people of six hundred thousand souls in number, now set free from their doom, raised from under the lash of the cruel taskmaster, the shackles loosed from their wrists, they march toward the Mount Sinai to receive the first lesson on equality and to avow fidelity to a constitution that draws no line between man and man, prince or peasant, master or servant, native or alien. There they stand with hearts full of awe, with eyes glittering with joy when the divine voice thundered forth the ten mandates, the words of everlasting truth, for they contain the elements of living virtue.

With all this, one should not entertain the idea that by observing the ten commandments he will fulfill all the requirements of religion. This is truth, but not the whole truth. We must keep all that the commandments express, but also much more. They are the cornerstone but not the capstone, the foundation but not the building, they do not contain the solution of all moral problems, though in primordial order all ethics is embodied within them. These apply to all conditions of life, but the initiative comes from within.

Let us mark the great event of this day when we are all assembled here to bring

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The Midnight Guest

By FRED M. WHITE

Author of "The Crimson Blind," "The Corner House," etc.

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CHAPTER XVIII

After Many Years.

Left alone to herself, Maria Delahay had summed up the situation clearly and logically. Beyond all doubt her sister was still alive. Beyond all doubt Carlotta had been staying at the Grand Hotel within the past twelve months. She, too, seemed to have had her misfortunes, misfortunes more keen and cruel than even those of her younger sister. It was very strange that Maria should learn the truth in this fashion. It was very strange that she should discover the house to which Carlotta had gone on leaving the hotel. Up to this moment Maria had no idea of going out herself. She intended to go straight to bed and await her husband's return.

Now a strange restlessness came over her. She felt it impossible to remain imprisoned within those four walls. There was no likelihood of Louis Delahay's return for the next two hours. Why, then, should she not go out and take a cab as far as Isleworth Road?

Allowing Maria to act on the impulse of the moment, Maria walked downstairs and out into the Strand. Hailing a cab she was driven to Isleworth Road, where she gave orders for the driver to stop. The locality was a respectable one, and there were lights in a good many of the houses; but at number seventeen Mrs. Delahay met with disappointment. The house was not empty, though the blinds were down, and there was a light to be seen. The dingy nature of the street and the tarnished look of the brass-work testified to the fact that neither Maria nor her sister had been there since the third time, in the faint hope of making somebody hear, a policeman came along.

"You are wasting your time there, lady," he said civilly enough. "The people are not at home. I think they are coming back at the end of the week, because my instructions to keep a special eye on the house don't go beyond Saturday."

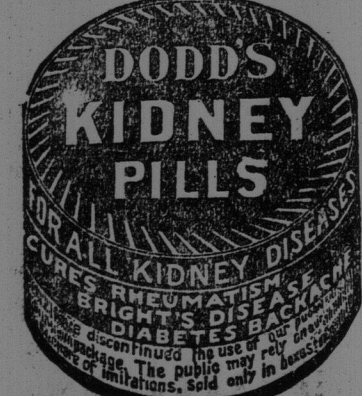
Maria thanked the officer and went back in a cab. She would have liked to have asked more questions, but she restrained her natural curiosity. After all, it was not a far cry to Saturday, and even then she might meet with a disappointment. In all probability her sister had left London long ago.

Maria was thinking all these things over now that Walter Lance had gone. She wondered that her sister had so completely passed out of her mind. But the spring had had her many terrible anxieties to weigh her down. She could not sleep for thinking of the tragedy. She paced up and down the room in a vain attempt to get away from herself. The clocks outside were striking the hour of midnight, but the pair of the Strand was going on still as if it were high noon. A sudden resolve came to the woman. She would go out at once to try her luck at Isleworth Road.

She took no cab this time. She knew the way. As she walked along she was conscious of the fact that she was being followed. She smiled bitterly to herself. What had those people to be afraid of? Did they think she was going to run away?

Her heart gave a great leap as she saw the lights gleaming behind the drawn blinds at No. 17. She had only to ring once, then the door was promptly opened by a typical English servant, who waited for the visitor to speak.

"I think there is a lady here I want to see," Maria stammered. "At least she was here for some time in the spring. You see, she is my sister, and I have not met for twenty years. It may appear strange, but I don't even know her name."



ONCE MORE WELL

"FRUIT-A-TIVES" ALONE CURED HIM

Clarence J. Placey is a farmer of Ulverton, Que., known as a man of integrity and good judgment. He writes in no uncertain terms of the great benefit he derived from taking "Fruit-a-tives" for a long standing kidney trouble.



Ulverton, Que. I suffered for many years with kidney trouble, with bad pain in the back and all symptoms of disease of the kidneys. I took every known kidney remedy and kidney pill but nothing gave me relief, and I was getting discouraged. I was advised to try "Fruit-a-tives" and I did so—and this medicine cured me when every other remedy failed. I used altogether fifteen boxes of "Fruit-a-tives" and from the outset they gave me relief and I am now practically well again, no pain in the back, no distress, and all the symptoms of severe kidney disease have entirely left me. I am very thankful to be once more well and I freely make this statement for the sake of others who may suffer as I suffered and to them I say "Try 'Fruit-a-tives.'"

(Sgd.) CLARENCE J. PLACEY.

"Fruit-a-tives" or "Fruit Liver Tablets" are sold by dealers at 50c a box—6 for \$2.50—or will be sent on receipt of price. Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

SIR FREDERICK BORDEN TO RETIRE

Report That Minister of Militia Will Leave Cabinet and be Succeeded by E. M. MacDonald of Pictou.

(Ottawa Correspondence of Halifax Herald.)

"Is Sir Frederick Borden to be the Jonah of the ship of state to be hurried overboard in the face of the storm of a general election? This is the question that is being asked on every hand in the corridors. The government organ in the capital the Ottawa Free Press, in an article, apparently inspired, intimates that the minister of militia will retire before the appeal to the country and says E. M. MacDonald of Pictou, will be chosen as his successor. It appears in connection with a denial that Premier Murray of Nova Scotia, will enter the federal cabinet.

"This is the article: The report from Halifax to the effect that Hon. G. H. Murray of Pictou, has resigned the office of minister of militia to enter the federal ministry, and that he will be a candidate in Cape Breton North, is ridiculed by the general public. They declare that there is no reason for the removal of Mr. Murray from the local arena, that he is doing very well, and that he is thoroughly satisfied that he can be of more value to the party in his present position than if he were to enter federal politics."

"It is generally understood that if there is to be any change in the representation of Nova Scotia in the cabinet, this is not unlikely before the general elections, the man who will be chosen to succeed Sir Frederick Borden will be Mr. E. M. MacDonald of Pictou."

"Since the appearance of the report of the civil service commission so severely indicting the minister's department there have been many stories that Sir Frederick would retire. He has missed the tercentenary pageant at Quebec, while his connection with the cold storage deal at St. John has not added to his prestige."

"It is generally felt by the liberals that he is but a burden to the party and the announcement that he had dropped would be welcomed by the party. MacDonald's principal reputation has been as a blocker of inquiries in the public accounts committee and other investigations."

FUNERAL OF LATE GEORGE M. JARVIS

Halifax, N. S., June 5.—George M. Jarvis' body was interred in Truro cemetery this afternoon with Masonic honors. A service was conducted at the residence of the deceased prior to the departure of the funeral to the grave. The Masonic body marched wearing their regalia of office. The Knights of Pythias and Orangemen were in carriages. General Manager Pottinger, Messrs. Tiffin, Rand and others of Moncton; Divisional Superintendents Campbell and Dube; Terminal Agents Ross and Dastan, W. C. Ross, J. B. Lambkin, and others of Halifax; Robert Winchester, James Rowley, William Rowley and Thomas Clark for allowance to stand in Brussels street, and the Police for the same thing in Adelaide street.

The police are conducting a campaign against the leaving of vehicles on the streets. Patrolman McNamee reports that Robert Winchester, James Rowley, William Rowley and Thomas Clark for allowance to stand in Brussels street, and the Police for the same thing in Adelaide street.

Mr. Wm. Wheeler left last evening for Montreal. He intends to remain there a little longer.

For Stiff Neck and Sore Throat.

Immediate relief comes from rubbings Nerviline over the chest and lower part of the neck. Because of its marvelous penetrating power, Nerviline reaches the congested parts at once, relieves tightness and completely cures. A bottle of Polson's Nerviline at home prevents lots of sickness, thousands say so.

Fashion Hint for Times Readers



LITTLE MILADI'S AFTERNOON COSTUME.

Many ruffles of fine embroideries form the dainty afternoon frock of the small girl whose skirts scarce cover her knees. One wide ruffle headed with a hem-stitched broad band is quite sufficient trimming for the skirt, although a Russian waist, which is defined by a satin ribbon, side-tied. Small girls look best in loose blouses, with square-cut necks and puffy elbow sleeves. To be strictly up to date, the wide-brimmed lingerie hat should be of embroidery to match the frock and trimmed with a multi-looped satin ribbon rosette.

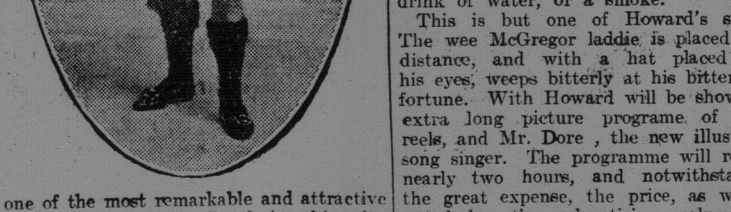
PLAYS AND PLAYERS

FRED HOWARD AT THE PRINCESS NEXT WEEK

Ventriloquism extraordinary will be heard at the Princess the first four nights of next week. During the afternoon the regular moving picture programme will be given at regular prices. But in the evenings from eight o'clock till nine forty-five,

here, and in different parts of the city, the first being at the Opera House last fall with the Royal Scots, of which company he was, of course, the star. The great ventriloquist was a success from the outset of the tour and in New York and the other big cities he made a Scottish and popular success, only second to that of the great Lauder. Hammerstein immediately recognized the wonderful genius of the young Scot and captured him for one year at a big salary. As a result Howard will open his metropolitan engagement at the Broadway Victoria June 29, being started in the same manner as was Lauder, and unless Hammerstein's judgment is amiss the ventriloquist will equal the success of the older Scot. Local parties secured Howard's time, after the closing of the Royal Scots, until his opening with Hammerstein, and one of the incidental results is this engagement of four days next week. Wherever Howard has appeared in the provinces the capacity of the buildings has been none too large to accommodate the numbers who follow the clever little Scot. How many people in St. John have seen a ventriloquist remove his dummy to the other side of the stage, and while thus removed from the dummy sings a splendid ballad solo, while the real performer is enjoying a drink of water, or a smoke.

This is but one of Howard's stunts. The new McGregor laddie is placed at a distance, and with a hat placed over his eyes, weeps bitterly at his bitter misfortune. With Howard will be shown an extra long picture programme, Italian songs, and Mr. Dore, the new illustrated song singer. The programme will require nearly two hours, and notwithstanding the great expense, the price, as will be noted by the advertising columns, is within reach of all. Howard's programme Monday evening will be identical with the one he is advertised to give in New York City. Those who miss this remarkable entertainment will have lost much.



one of the most remarkable and attractive entertainments ever offered in this city will be offered, and certainly at an exceedingly low price. The name of Fred Howard is now almost a household word in St. John, like that of Jesse MacCallan. He has now appeared several times

MARY EMERSON COMING JUNE 15



Like all of the prominent artists of the present day, Miss Emerson's plays have been written for her. His Majesty and the Maid was the first vehicle used by Miss Emerson when she headed her own company. The author had seen her performance while in support of Mr. Mansfield, with whom she was engaged a second season, her first having been so successful. A costume play, with plenty of comedy, with situations that carry one right along, the combination of play and player proved most successful. The dramatic story moved along without a hitch, a consistent story and an absorbing one. In fact, the play was so well received that it was decided to use it a second

Advertisement for ROSAL Baking Powder. Text: "Where the finest biscuit, cake, hot-breads, crusts or puddings are required Royal is indispensable. ROSAL Baking Powder Absolutely Pure. Not only for rich or fine food or for special times or service. Royal is equally valuable in the preparation of plain, substantial, every-day foods, for all occasions. It makes the food more tasty, nutritious and wholesome."

The Times Daily Puzzle Picture



Little Tommy Tucker sang for his supper. What did he sing for? White bread and butter. How could he eat it, without any knife? How could he marry, without any wife? Find a wife for him.

ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE. Upside down, in front of Robin Hood.

KIRK BROWN IN OTHELLO.

Excellent Production at the Opera House Last Night—Last Appearance Tonight.

The presentation of Othello at the Opera House last evening by Kirk Brown and his excellent company was an artistic success in every way. Mr. Brown, and in fact every member of the cast gave a good interpretation of their lines. This afternoon The Eternal City will be the bill, and the engagement closes tonight when The Christian will be presented. At the close of this evening's performance the members of the company will bid farewell to their St. John friends and admirers.

INDIGESTION CAN BE CURED

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Succeed After Other Remedies Fail

There are twenty drugs to help your digestion for a time, but there is only one medicine that can positively cure your indigestion for good. To any one with indigestion a half dozen boxes of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will be worth all the purgatives and mixtures in the country. After all these things have failed Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have cured the worst cases of indigestion by going straight to the root of the trouble in the blood.

You can take a purgative to tear through your bowels and make a clean sweep of your food, whether it is digested or not. You can take stomach bitters to create a false appetite—if you don't care what happens after you swallow your meal. You can drug your stomach with tablets and syrups to digest your food for you—if you don't care how soon you stain your system altogether. You can do all these things—but don't call it "curing your indigestion." There is only one way to cure indigestion, and that is to give your system so much good pure, red blood that your stomach and liver will have strength enough to do their natural work in a healthy and vigorous way. That is why Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure indigestion—they actually make new blood. Here is the proof. Mr. R. McCordell, St. Thomas, Ont., says:—"About a year ago my system became generally wrecked. My stomach was always in a state of nausea. The sight of any kind of food often turned my stomach and I would arise from the table without eating. Doctors advised different medicines, which I took without benefit. Finally I became so run down that I had to quit work. For two months I tried to build myself up with the aid of doctors, but as time went on and my condition did not improve I became much discouraged. Then a friend told me he thought Dr. Williams' Pink Pills would help me, and I began their use. In three weeks time I was so improved that I went back to my work, but I continued using the pills until I had taken twelve boxes, and now my stomach is strong, and I am ready for a good meal three times a day, and my life really seems worth living."

CHILDREN'S DAY AT THE NICKEL

The applause that followed Miss Wren's rendering of the new song "Take Me Out to the Ball Game," at the Nickel last evening was very hearty and the pleasing contrast was forced to re-visit the catchy chorus five, six and seven times during the evening. It was a regular tornado of plaudits and hundreds joined in lustily in making Al Von Tizer's new hit go with a giant swing. No song heard at the Nickel of late months has caught on so quickly or so thoroughly. Today the children will have ample opportunity to learn it and sing it for it will be sung every half hour. Mr. Cairns in the semi-classic number, "Dream On, Dear Heart, Dream On," pleased every lover of good music well sung. The new pictures were up to the Nickel's high standard of excellence, as follows: The Sculptor's Nightmare, The Pretty Flower Girl, The Mystic Bottle and An Interrupted Bath; plenty of pure, good fun with no sensationalism for the little ones today.

THE DEVIL'S AUCTION

"The Empire Girl," a sextette of English singing and dancing artists, have been engaged by Manager Charles H. Yale for the twenty-sixth edition of his "Entertaining Devil's Auction," their unique specialty being introduced during the ballet in the first act of that famous spectacle which will be at the Opera House June 9 and 10.

The premier and Hon. J. K. Flemming, provincial secretary, will leave this evening for Montreal to look into the financial situation as affecting the temporary loan of \$1,450,000 which was made by the late government, and which will mature on August 15. The question to be decided is whether to renew the loan or issue bonds to replace it.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bettinson, of New York, are visiting Mrs. George Scott, 2 St. David street.

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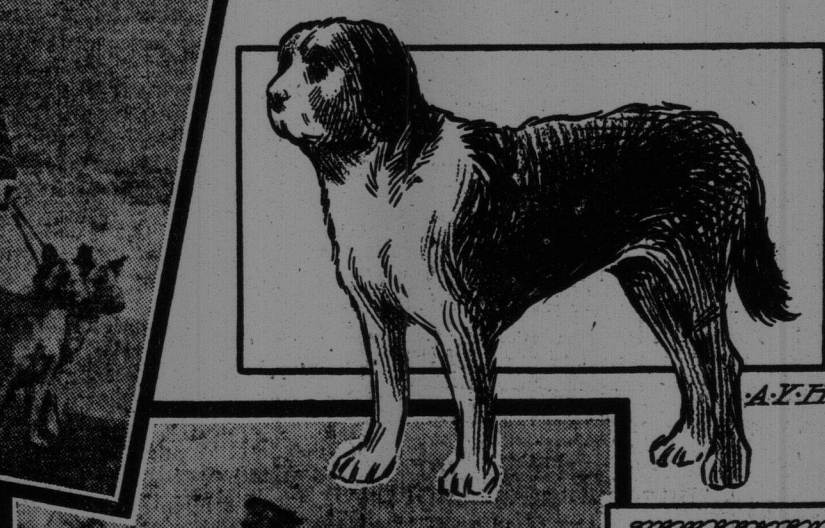
FOUR FOOTED THIEF CATCHERS

BY A. R. PARKHURST JR.



Wakefield and his Pets

That old adage, "It takes a thief to catch a thief," has been tried and found wanting. Inspector Byrnes, the king of New York police chiefs, worked this adage with a certain amount of success. This was mainly due to the wholehearted respect in which Byrnes was held by the underworld. They were either captured and put in a prison cell or else given money in which to shake the dust of Gotham from the soles of their gum shoes. A new theory has been advanced with regard to the running down of criminals, however, of late—new in New York, that is, but dating way back to the ship bellum days, or even earlier in other sections. Now the dog has been pressed into service and Gotham's newest police squad is composed of a quintet of the most and wildest little devils ever imported to these shores. Last fall New York was in the throes of an epidemic of crime that struck terror to the hearts of law-abiding citizens, especially those who lived in the more remote sections of Greater New York. Hardly a day passed but that the yellow journals of the city adorned their first pages with hair-raising and thrilling accounts of some new and atrocious crime, the author or authors of which invariably evaded capture. In almost every instance these depredations were committed in the outlying or more isolated sections of the city, where a policeman's beat traversed many city blocks and the criminals could ply their trade without fear of interruption by the strong arm of the law. As these crimes increased in numbers and during the police department acknowledged itself baffled, and the citizens for once aroused themselves and called upon Commissioner Bingham to capture and jail the criminals or else step down and allow some practical policeman to assume charge of the department. Bingham at that time was not on the best of terms with Mayor McClellan and the city government (Tammany Hall), and with the eagerness with which a drowning man catches at a straw, he was willing to seize upon and adopt any suggestion that would tend to put a stop to the city of police inefficiency. It was at this time that the success of the experiment with police dogs in Ghent, Belgium had attracted the attention of one of Gotham's police lieutenants, and straightway he turned to Commissioner Bingham and poured into his willing ear a plan whereby the little Belgian dogs could be used to advantage in New York. Major Bingham was overjoyed and without a moment's hesitation



Held up by Nogi

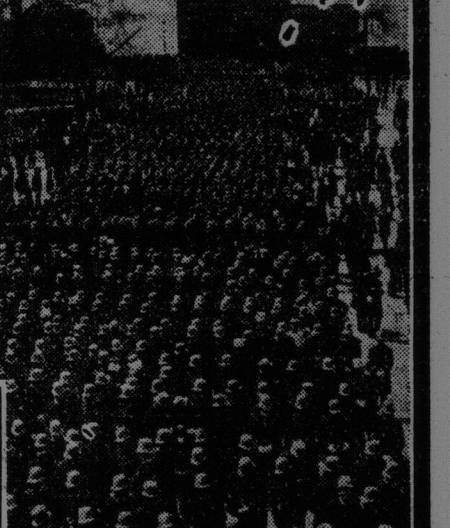
dealt Lieutenant Wakefield (it was he who approached Bingham on the subject) to go at once to Ghent, study the work of the police dogs, and, if possible, buy several brace of them and bring them to New York. This Wakefield did with alacrity, and although he has come in for an unmerciful amount of chaffing at the hands of his brother officers, who dubbed him the "Dog Policeman," he has trained his little sleuths up to that degree of perfection whereby they have already achieved several important captures, to say nothing of the score or more criminals they have tracked to their cribs. New York's dog squad is composed of Jim, Nogi, Max, Donna and Lady, but the first-named is a native-born American, having been purchased to replace one of the dogs brought from Ghent, which died shortly after its importation. Lieutenant Wakefield's experiences in Ghent convinced him that the dog police are of practical use. Ghent has set a fashion which nearly every police department in Continental Europe has been quick to adopt, and there is every reason to suppose that the five-dog squad in New York will rapidly grow until it assumes the proportions of the Paris department, where 400 dogs are in daily service. The police dogs are a decided novelty, both in use and appearance, and they did not fail to attract universal attention at the dog show held last fall at Madison Square Garden, New York. Failing to induce the chief of police in Ghent to part with any of his trained

dogs, Wakefield purchased five six-month-old puppies. Four of these were Belgian sheep dogs, which when full grown stand about knee high to a man of average height. These dogs weigh about fifty pounds each and have short, shaggy coats, which by no means add to their beauty. They have long, foxlike faces and small, sharp eyes that give them a cunning or quizzical expression. The fifth dog purchased is a Greenland—somewhat like the sheep dog, except that it has a long, silky coat and is by far the prettiest of the lot. The dogs cost \$10 each; the cost of transportation was also \$10 a head, which, together with an import tax of \$2 each, brought their total cost to the police department up to \$22 each. The American-bred dog is an Alredale terrier, dogs remarkable for their hardihood, strength and courage, and so far the little American has proved that he is just as good a cooper as his foreign-born cousins. Arriving in this country, Lieutenant Wakefield was provided with a home in a remote suburb of New York, and which two policemen detailed to assist him be set to work to train his little pets in the art of trailing and capturing crooks. His task was an arduous one, but after three months' patient work he notified Deputy Commissioner Woods that the dogs were eligible to don their uniforms and graduate from the probationary stage to that of full-fledged patrolmen. Woods journeyed to Wakefield's retreat and saw the little beasts put through their paces, and accordingly the names of Jim,



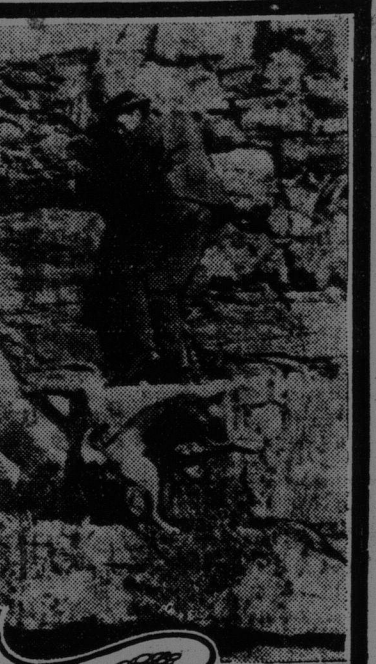
Caught in the Act

Nogi, Max, Donna and Lady were duly enrolled. The last two named claim the proud distinction of being the only "lady coppers" in the metropolitan force. The first lesson in the course of their instruction was to instill in the dogs a wholesome respect for the uniform of a policeman—in fact, they were taught to regard all who wear that uniform as an arch enemy. The dogs are never visited in their kennels by anyone unless he wears a uniform. The man who feeds them must be in uniform; the one who exercises them is uniformed, and if they are seen to approach, good-naturedly, one must thus garbed, a striking takes the place of the morsel of dog biscuit which is invariably theirs if their lesson is better perfect. Needless to say, this procedure soon led to an irritation that quickly developed into a chronic suspicion that anyone in plain clothes is an undesirable associate and one whose society should be shunned by a well-disposed and law-protecting dog. The next step was to teach them to respond only to the sound of a police whistle, and this was easy to accomplish. An ordinary citizen can whistle until he is blue in the face within sight of any one of this quietest without causing them to even prick up their ears, but one blast of a police whistle will send them into hysterics. Then came their lessons in the art of attack and, with the full-blown suspicion against all minor police, blue, brass but tons et al., it was an easy matter to



The Finest on Parade

train them to pounce upon all those who passed their way so unfortunate as to be without this form of ornamentation. Like a pugilist, each dog has his individual mode of attack. One will at once spring for the throat—and 50 pounds of vicious, snarling, snapping dog landing on a man's chest, even though he be muzzled, will bow over the most stockily built crook. The same animated projectile, with jaws snapping, landing on his back, or in the hollow of his knees, or twisting and winding through his legs—these being the customary, most approved and high-school modes of attack, will accomplish the same result. Once laid low, the captor is prone to lie still and not tempt his captor to any further aggression. The dogs have been trained to stand guard over their prisoners and notify their two-legged brother officers of their capture by a series of barks until they arrive on the run and relieve the dogs of any further part in the work in hand. In this part of the instruction it fell to the lot of Patrolman Beerman to play the part of a crook. "Disguised" in citizen's clothes and carrying "suspicious" looking bundles, he was hidden behind trees and shrubbery in the vicinity of dog sleuths ferreted him out, pounced upon the training grounds, but all in vain. The on him and bowled him over and held him prisoner until Wakefield or the other policeman in uniform came to the scene. This victimizing of Beerman Lieutenant Wakefield points to with special



Treed

pride, since it is Beerman who always feeds the dogs, but, be it remembered, he is attired in full regimentals before he assumes the role of caterer to his canine pals. Beerman, however, does not enjoy a monopoly of assuming the role of crook. Other policemen have gone out to watch the work of training the dogs, and these visitors are invariably pressed into service. The visitor is given a bundle by the lieutenant and told to walk away. The dog held in leash at the policeman's side is then freed and the simple command, "Attack," is given. In a flash there is a streak of dog, a snarled growl, and then a tangle of visitor and dog, until the "suspect" is bowled over. Yet another try is made and the suspect, donning uniform, can give his command and receive the same response from the dog as that they give to Wakefield or Beerman. As every soldier is taught to love and follow the flag, so are the dogs instructed to respect the uniform. In demonstrating his dogs' prowess to me a few days ago the lieutenant appeared with Nogi in leash. "The patrolman," explained the lieutenant, "is going from the station-house to his beat, always keeps his dog in leash, and there too, the dogs are only used at night. Now we reach the beat." The leash was slipped and the command "search" was given. Instantly Nogi began to nose around poking into this or that arway or dashing into shrubbery and behind trees. "They have been taught to search," continued the lieutenant, "and this is one of the commands, only four being used: 'search,' 'attack,' 'heel' and 'down,' the latter only when they are astride the prostrate form of a captive. Now if he finds anybody lurking in these places— But further words were useless. The ubiquitous Beerman, in citizen's clothes, came speaking out of an arway, and once more there was a tangled mass of police-dog and man. "Do the dogs like their work?" Wakefield repeated. "Well, I should say they do. They are just as eager to go out on patrol duty as a child is to play with his toys." "Yes, I think our five recruits are useful members of the police force, and an excellent number will be augmented as rapidly as possible. Two of

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THE CENTRAL RAILWAY The provincial government, as announced in a second edition of the Times last evening has named the members of the Central Railway commission. The three gentlemen named are well qualified to conduct the enquiry. The people will await with deep interest the result of an investigation which must be searching and thorough. Only yesterday it was announced that a large sum of money is needed at once to repair a portion of the line which should have been in good condition. The more the people learn about this road the less they are pleased with the knowledge. They are now in a fair way to learn what got the money that should have been expended in putting the line in good running condition and extending it in the direction of Fredericton.

A BACKWARD GLANCE In these days of swift railway transit from the Atlantic to the Pacific, traversing new provinces by an all-Canadian route, it is interesting to hark back and take note of the following extract from the Toronto Globe of May 15, 1888: "We have received several letters from residents in various parts of Canada, asking information as to the best method of reaching Vancouver Island. These persons are, no doubt, attracted by the accounts of the gold discoveries, and desire to cast in their lot with the early settlers in that country. At present the best course for persons desirous of reaching Vancouver Island is to take the steamer route to Panama, and from thence to San Francisco, where there are steamers that ply regularly to the mouth of the Columbia, in the American territory of Oregon, from whence communication can easily be had with Vancouver Island."

THE BOSS STILL RULES. Commenting on a recent address by Gov. Hughes on the subject of local self-government, the New York Journal of Commerce makes these thoughtful and pertinent observations: "The governor said, truly enough, that the success of democratic government depends upon the appreciation by the individual of his responsibility for the welfare of the community in which he lives and upon the quickening of his interest in the conduct of its affairs. The city should be a school of statesmanship for the larger field of government. This is all true but it is somewhat lacking. It has been reiterated many times by advocates of local self-government, but the means of stimulating the people to a proper sense of responsibility and sustained action seems yet to be found. The basis of local self-government is the character of the people to be governed, and they are usually treated with all the power they will use to the benefit of the community and are deprived only of that which they have abused or neglected. The problem is to get that simple frame of government which will induce the people to take the trouble to rule their own affairs instead of letting them fall into the hands of selfish and corrupt bosses."

IMPERIAL RELATIONS In the Standard of Empire of May 30th there is an interesting discussion of the question of inter-imperial relations. There is first a report of an important speech delivered on May 27th, by the premier of New Zealand. We quote from the Standard's Wellington cable: "The Premier, Sir Joseph Ward, delivered an important speech yesterday, in which he dwelt upon a number of questions of imperial interest. Referring to New Zealand's present subsidy of £40,000 towards the upkeep of the Australian Squadron, Sir Joseph said he intended to ask Parliament to increase the amount. He expressed regret that Canada had concluded a commercial treaty with France. Such arrangements with foreign nations in his opinion contained dangerous elements, which might lead to the downfall of the commercial supremacy of the Empire. New Zealand had no sort of wish to interfere in the politics of any other part of the Empire, but it held that the Overseas Dominions were now within their rights in asking for Colonial Preference. Inter-colonial competition would be sufficient to keep prices down, and

the colonies ought not to be asked to compete with foreign countries as well as to face the severe pressure caused by British railway concessions to foreigners. The Standard Empire, in its comment on this speech, describes as gratifying the announcement that the New Zealand parliament will be asked to increase the naval subsidy, but takes a different view from that expressed by Sir Joseph Ward concerning the commercial treaty between Canada and France. It lays the blame, not upon Canada, if blame there be, but upon the home government. "We regret exceedingly the causes which have made it necessary for Canada to negotiate commercial arrangements, with foreign countries at the expense, so to speak, of her trade with England but we hold that it is these causes which threaten the empire's commercial supremacy, and not the Canadian commercial treaty as such. France stands on an exceptional footing with regard to Canada; many times feeling with regard to Canada, a claim upon the good will of the Canadian people; and we are disposed to think that the Franco-Canadian commercial treaty is an exceptional arrangement which will not soon be repeated as between Canada and other nations. Canadian statesmen who are as ardent imperialists as any, will probably wait until the question of commercial arrangements within the empire has been discussed at another imperial conference before trying their hands with further treaties. In the light of fuller knowledge of the subject of colonial preference, public opinion in England is changing very fast; a feeling of regret is spreading that has been made a body of sympathy in the attitude of the home government towards the ambitions of the daughter nations; the British public will not permit it."

ORIGIN OF FAMOUS "STILTON" CHEESE One of the most famous houses on the Great North road of England in the coaching days of the end of the eighteenth century was the Bell, at Stilton, a little rural town in Huntingdonshire. In those days the "landlord" of the famous inn was Cooper Thornhill, whose ancestor, Mrs. Paulet, was one of the most interesting personalities of historical cheese. What is now known as "Stilton" cheese was first made at Wymondham, but its fame was afterward developed at Stilton. It was Mrs. Paulet who made the cheese, the original type of cheese, and naturally, she kept guarded the secret of its manipulation so long as she could. It was with the cheese not only of a place, but of an individual dairymaid, and the foundation of its fame was gradually but surely being laid by the makers' brother, the host of the Bell, whose stage-coach customers, hungry with a zest known to travelers, greatly relished a hasty lunch of it, washed down by nut-brown, home-brewed ale, whose barley was grown and malted not far away. Many of these travelers took a piece of the cheese home with them, the genial landlord gratifying them with it at the price of 50 cents a pound. After some years, however, the secret was discovered, and the art of making this dairy product of the dairy soon became free to those who cared to master its simple mysteries. In the time the town of Melton Mowbray became the centre of the Stilton industry, and the East Leicestershire farmers were distributors of the fable that only on the marks of Leicestershire could the finest qualities of blue-moulded Stilton cheese be produced. So persistent were they in disseminating this that for half a century the rest of the dairy world just tamely acquiesced therein. On the face of it, however, this "old wives' fable" was merely a bubble to be punctured sooner or later. In after years, when Stilton cheese was made by a number of dairymaids within the Melton district, it was understood to be made from fresh morning milk, to which cream from previous evening's milk had been contributed with the object of making the cheese additionally rich in butter fat. Given good, sound, clean milk, finest quality Stilton can be produced on soils differing widely from each other. It is now understood that the character and condition of cheese of any kind are determined by the way in which it is made, while its flavor is chiefly owing to the ferments and the fungi which have done their work in it. The blue streaking of the Stilton is owing to a mold or fungus. But no real "Stilton" has ever been made out of England and the United States buy tons of this famous cheese every year for its big hotels and more particular gourmets. Mayor Bullock returned from Boston and New York yesterday.

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IN LIGHTER VEIN BLAZE "Verena, is that young man out in the kitchen your first love?" "For the land's sake, no, mum! I'm his first sweetheart, though, that's why I find 'im interestin'."

THE PROFESSOR "I suppose," reflected the professor, "a suburban railway would be reduced to its lowest terms."

NO PRIZE WITH THIS. There was a fair maid in Skowhegan, Who married a man from Puyallup. They quarrelled and parted, he said. He left her at Verplank's, In Castacooloo. And he's somewhere now.

FIRST ESSENTIAL. "NAN," what is the first thing you have to learn in playing cards? "FAN," the second.

ENCHANTING ECHO. "Lucy," gasped the despairing youth, "are you going to throw me over and marry some high school?" "Nay, Bob," she whispered softly, "No, dear, not even now!"

DOWNED. The portly, well-dressed gentleman, whose name was forgotten, explained, "to show that it is possible to start a big town without building it around an oil well or copper mine."

SUCCESSFUL DEMONSTRATION. Romulus was founding Rome. He was in a hurry to explain, "young man, in this town is the lack of dirt." He never got to the heart of the matter. He never got to the heart of the matter.

SETTING IT RIGHT. "In your paper this morning, you called me a 'bum actor.' I want an explanation. I shall be happy to explain, young man. That word actor was inserted by the professor, who thought I had committed it accidentally. I shall take care that it doesn't happen again."

ONCE. Once there was a conference of learned linguists, mathematicians, astronomers, statisticians, mathematicians, microscopists, chemists, ethnologists, and other scientists. "Gentlemen," said the chairman of the meeting, "we are assembled here for the purpose of solving an elevated loop problem. What is your pleasure?"

SCHOONER MAY BE LOST WITH A CREW Fear for Safety of Schr. Lizzie Cochran Bound from Perth Amboy to Machias. Rockland, Me., June 5.—The two-masted schooner Lizzie Cochran, from Perth Amboy, N. J., for Machias, her home port, with coal, is believed to have been lost with her crew of five men. Captain Everett C. Lindsay, of East Machias, part owner of the vessel, came here today and identified the yawl boat which was towed into this harbor last Wednesday as belonging to the Lizzie Cochran. Captain Lindsay was unable to identify the body of a man found in the yawl boat, but he believes it was that of a sailor who probably shipped on the Lizzie Cochran at Perth Amboy.

James W. Lindsay, of Harrington, Maine, was in command of the schooner. The mate was Bert Huntley, 23 years old, of Cutler. Two other members of the crew were Fred Bryant, of Cutler, aged 22, and Maurice Delmona, of East Machias, aged 21. The Lizzie Cochran left Perth Amboy May 20 and was reported at Vineyard Haven on May 27. She left there next morning in company with the schooner Hazel Dell and since that time has not been heard from. Captain Lindsay thinks it possible that the schooner was run down by an Atlantic liner and that the fate she met may be learned when the liner reaches her port. Color is added to this opinion by the news brought in Wednesday morning by Captain Sawyer of the steamer City of Rockland, that he passed half of a schooner, 18 miles south of Seguin. The yawl boat was picked up twelve miles southeast of Isle au Haut.

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West 190-11-Green, T. C., residence, 13 Minette, W. E.

Rothesay 31-1-Longley, Horace, residence, 20 Rothesay.

Main 190-11-Murray, Miss L. Louisa, residence, 100 Millville.

Main 190-11-McElroy, T. H., residence, 60 Main.

Main 190-11-Macdonald, H. E., residence, 29 Duke.

Main 190-11-McLean's Dept. Store, 143 Millville.

Main 190-11-N. Cold Storage Co., Manager, 235 Gervais.

Rothesay 21-2-Robson, W. L., residence, 214 to Rothesay.

West 190-11-Rowan, A. M., residence, 221 Manawagonish Road.

Main 190-11-Robertson, Chas. S. E., residence, 85 Mecklenburg.

West 190-11-Smith, R. G., residence, City Line, W. E.

Main 190-11-Sussex Mineral Springs Co., Agency, 29 Union.

Main 190-11-Taylor, G. B., residence, 220 bridge, number changed from Main 190-11 to Main 190-11.

Rothesay 21-4-Taylor, R. D., residence, 207 Rothesay.

Main 190-11-Wilson, M. T., residence, 29 St. James.

Main 190-11-White, Harry D., residence, 101 Orange.

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RABBI AMDUR'S SERMON AT THE PENECONAL CELEBRATION

(Continued from Page 1.)

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FOUR BIG LINERS IN A RACE TO EUROPE

The Steamers Mauretania, Amerika, La Provence and the Celtic Left New York Together.

New York, June 5.—Swift as a bird on the wing, the big French liner Mauretania, La Provence, one of the four craft racing across the bottom of the broad Atlantic to gain the coveted title "Queen of the Sea," passed by Sandy Hook lightship...

ROOSEVELT PLANS AN ELEPHANT HUNT IN AFRICAN WILDS

President Will Start Next Spring on a Trip of a Year's Duration.

Washington, June 5.—Unless the Republican national convention intervenes, within a few weeks after March 4, 1909, Mr. Roosevelt will start for British East Africa for a hunting trip of a year or more after big game, accompanied only by his second son, Kermit. This statement comes from the White House and is authoritative.

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SHIPPING

MINIATURE ALMANAC. 1908. Sun. Rise. Sets. High. Low. W. Stat. ... The time used is Atlantic Standard.

VESSELS BOUND TO ST. JOHN. Steamers. Antillan, old Fort Tempa, May 31. Brednick, chartered, from Glasgow, May 30.

ARRIVED TO-DAY. Steamer. Stmr. Calvin Austin, 283, Pike, Boston. Stmr. Coban, 88, Holmes, from Sydney, C. B. P. W. F. Starr, coast.

CLEARRED TO-DAY. Steamer. Stmr. Kanawha, 248, Kellman, for London. Stmr. Halifax, Wm. Thomson & Co., general cargo.

SAILED TO-DAY. Steamer. Stmr. Exadine, 361, Loomer, for Sydney, C. B. Stmr. Cape Breton, 1109, McDonald, Sydney, C. B.

DOMINION PORTS. Montreal, June 5.—Arr. stmr. Lake Champlain, from London, Orilla, from Glasgow; Yastaria, from Antigon.

BRITISH PORTS. London, June 5.—Arr. stmr. Montserrat, from Liverpool, June 5.—Arr. stmr. Cedric, Liverpool for New York.

FOREIGN PORTS. Port Reading, June 3.—Arr. stmr. Vera B. Roberts, from Fredericton.

REPORTS AND DISASTERS. London, June 4.—Star, Louisiana (Dan.), from Boston before reported a severe storm.

LIST OF VESSELS IN PORT. Steamers. Anjou, 175, J. B. Moore. Vera, 184, Wm. Thomson & Co. Cape Breton, 1109, R. P. & W. F. Starr.

MARINE NOTES. Stmr. Madagascar, from St. George for Eastport, was towed to Boston from off Highland light, with loss of jibboom, foremasthead, and foremast.

ESTATE NOTICE. LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION OF THE Estate of Alfred Campbell, late of the City of Saint John, New Brunswick, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned administrator.

DEATHS. TAYLOR—In this city, on the 6th inst., Jennie C., second daughter of James and Elizabeth T. Taylor, aged 25 years, leaving a father mother, one sister and two brothers.

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Times Want Ad. Stations.

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- Centre: Geo. E. Price, 303 Union St. ... North-End: ... West-End: ... Lower Cove: ... Valley: ... Fairville: ... American Dye Works: ... Architects: ... Art Stores: ... Attorney-at-Law: ... Baggage Transfer: ... Carriages and Sleighs: ... Carpenter: ... Cast Off Clothing: ... Coal and Wood: ... Contractors and Builders: ...

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The great HOWARD had performed in New York once only, before HAMMERSTEIN had him under contract for one year.

HOWARD appeared at the OPERA HOUSE last fall, and his genius is recognized locally.

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TO ATTACK THE SHAH. St. Petersburg, June 5.--One of the dispatches received here to-day from Teheran says that reports that an attack against the shah had been planned caused his majesty to go to the Baghcha palace, a summer residence outside the city, accompanied by a numerous retinue.

TO THE SWEET GIRL GRADUATES. 'Tis not by logic's power that you; 'Till rule the world of ours, my dear; But just as other women do, You'll away mankind with smiles and tears.

NEARLY EVERYBODY READS THE TIMES--AND ALL READ THE WANT ADS.

SMOKE DIXIE 10¢ NUF SED THE CIGARS of QUALITY DEMAND THE BEST SMOKE GAMILLO CLEAR HAVANA 10¢

SPORTS OF THE DAY

BASE-BALL ATHLETICS THE RING THE TURF AQUATICS WRESTLING

Inter-Society Games. In the Inter-Society league series there will be two games today. St. Peter's will meet the St. Joseph's...

Table with columns: Won, Lost, P.C. for various teams like Chicago, Cincinnati, Philadelphia, etc.

AMERICAN LEAGUE GAMES TODAY. Washington at Chicago. Philadelphia at St. Louis.

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BE READY FOR YOUR LUCK

The mistake which the generality of men make is not being ready for their luck when it comes. While they are still considering its possibilities it is up the flue and down the next street.

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WEDDINGS

Burns-Chapman. A very pleasant and happy event took place on Tuesday, June 2, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Burns, Newcastle, Queens Co., when their second daughter, Nellie Louise, was united in marriage to Fred W. Chapman, of Spheres Cove, Grand Lake.

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before they become at all cool. If the towels are allowed to cool on the patient they are worse than no treatment at all.

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MASCULINE MODES

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CIGAR SALES FURNISH INDEX OF CONDITIONS IN THE BUSINESS WORLD

When Times are Hard Men Smoke Pipes and Cigarettes. (New York World.) If the retail business conditions throughout the country can serve as a barometric indication of improved financial conditions, then those who are best qualified to speak as to the state of large retail concerns, see every proof of renewed prosperity.

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NEGRO 138 SEEKS LOST BRIDE OF 29

William Mason, Who Held Washington's Horse at Yorktown, Asks New York Police to Find Wife. New York, June 5.—William Brooks Mason, negro, who asserts he is 138 years old, and who lives at No. 18 East 132d street, hobbled into the East 126th street police station yesterday to ask in searching for his twenty-nine-year-old wife.

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SPEAKS AND READS FORTY LANGUAGES

American Woman Believed to Be the Foremost Linguist of the World.

Albany, June 5.—On her way home from the Orient is Miss Mary Elizabeth S. Colton, of East Hampton, who is believed to be the foremost linguist of the world.

Miss Colton speaks forty languages—that is, she has a conversational and reading knowledge of each, and has also made a careful study of the religious and philosophy in which each of the different tongues and dialects is spoken.

Previous to Miss Colton a new record the most accomplished linguist known claimed a knowledge of only thirty-three languages. Miss Colton's list, moreover, includes a long roll of different tongues, which are numbered among the most difficult in the world to learn, which include Chinese, Pali, Avestan, Sanskrit, Hebrew, Syriac, Assyrian, Arabic and Persian.

While this now famous American woman was following the occupation of a vocal teacher at the Farmington (Conn.) Seminary for Girls, a number of years ago, she first became interested in the Oriental languages through having been brought in contact with several pupils from the Far East. Her interest soon became a passion, and in the intervals since that time she has devoted nearly all her time to the acquisition of the different tongues. Many years ago she became a fluent user of the Romance languages, such as Italian, Spanish and French.

The greatest tribute to her wonderful memory lies in the fact that the roots of the numerous Eastern languages which she has learned are all entirely different from those of the Western tongues. In the present day colleges throughout the world separate courses are held in such languages as Hebrew, Sanskrit, Persian, and to obtain a working knowledge of any single one is considered a difficult task.

"ENGLISH MAY BE A DEAD LANGUAGE IN 4000 A. D." "And Timbuctoo May Be the World's Capital," Says Prof. Scott.

Chicago, June 4.—English may be a dead language in 4000 A. D., according to Professor Fred Newton Scott, of the University of Michigan, in an article issued by the University of Chicago Press.

Scott intimates that Timbuctoo will be the world's capital and that Bantu will be the common language. English is superior to Latin and Greek, but inferior to Bantu, he declares.

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GOVERNMENT THREATENS TO APPLY CLOSURE GAG

This Course Openly Advocated in Ottawa as Means of Forcing Through the Iniquitous Manitoba Election Bill—Liberal Bluff Will Have No Effect On Opposition.

Ottawa, June 5.—Parliament today talked closure. Both sides talked, thus delaying business. So far honors of long-distance talking are about even.

Duncan Ross, H. W. Kennedy and G. W. Gordon were those who wanted the gag applied to the opposition. Throughout the day the debate was acrimonious and Finance Minister Fielding, who agitates himself unduly when things do not go to suit him, was visibly annoyed.

C. L. Owen, (Northumberland), made his maiden speech and in doing so roused the fire of the petulant finance minister. The "baby" member handled himself well and is receiving praise for the manner in which he fulfilled the experienced parliamentarian. (Quoted a paragraph by the minister of customs said there were 1800 men in his department who could not get their money because the opposition held up supply. Mr. Owen said it was unjust and unfair to mislead the public in that way. The customs estimates were withdrawn from the house for some days, because Mr. Paterson asked for an increased expenditure and couldn't give a satisfactory explanation of what it was for. But before Mr. Paterson went away Monday night, every dollar of his estimates was voted. Of course the money was not yet available, because the government had not brought down the supply bill.)

Mr. Fielding charged Mr. Owen with unfairness in bringing up the matter in the absence of the minister. He would repeat that not one dollar had been expended for customs or postoffice departments. "Why don't you bring on your supply bill?" asked Mr. Owen. "We don't propose to allow gentlemen opposite to dictate to us what we shall do," retorted Mr. Fielding, who reiterated the charge that the opposition was responsible because the money was not available.

Mr. Owen further agitated the finance minister when he recalled that gentleman's observation that the opposition have no rights except what the majority chooses to give. With a convulsive voice Mr. Fielding reiterated the statement. But he said the trouble was the opposition had too many rights, which permitted them to delay the business of the house to an extent that would not be tolerated in any deliberative chamber. It was difficult to convince people outside that the majority did not rule, that this parliament could give such freedom of discussion as would enable an opposition to hold up a measure a whole session. This was one of the rights which opposition had no right to abuse.

Mr. Owen mentioned 1896. "There was never an hono," replied Mr. Fielding, "when supplies were not available. What was held up was supplies for a future period and there was abundant money for immediate purposes, but the opposition today had a mistaken idea of their privileges." Mr. Lancaster, of Lincoln, followed, pointing out that the minister of customs who was paid by the country for looking

CATS ALL GOING TO DISSECTING TABLE Lured by Students Trailing Cat-nip Bags at End of Strings.

Topeka, June 5.—At present there is a great demand at the Kansas University for dissection by the zoology classes, and students are purloining all the animals of that kind they can lay their hands on. Mr. Graham, minister of agriculture, has been asked to issue orders to the state authorities here for assistance. They demand that the state furnish cats to be used in the university and that cats be sent to the university that are not family pets and are not valuable.

The city of Lawrence has been made almost destitute of cats and kittens during the last few weeks. Six hundred cats are used for dissection in the zoology class during the spring terms. Heretofore it has never been possible to get enough cats for class work. This year the university authorities offered a prize that for each cat that was brought to the laboratories the student should be allowed one "cut" from his class.

One student has already brought in 90 cats and he has enough "cuts" allowed him to give him two holidays each week until the end of the term, and he has a few to sell to other students by simply giving them a cat. A long protest has been made to the state authorities by the citizens and in this protest is shown the methods of catching cats. A student will take a small bag full of catnip. He walks along the street swinging this catnip bag on a string. If he sees a feline straggling in front of a home and there is no one around, or if it is out in the front yard, the student simply throws his bag around, dragging the bag. The cat invariably follows the student. Around the corner the student goes, and then he picks up the cat and goes home.

Some do not even take the trouble to carry the cat. They walk up to the cat and when they find a cat straggling around they catch it and carry it away. In some instances, the protest says, the students have walked into the yards of Lawrence citizens, picked up the tabby and ran off.

The protest, which has been filed with the board of education and the state superintendent, says that some of the cats stolen are of great value, some having taken prizes at shows or having come of prize stock.

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The letter, which is written on Hotel St. Regis paper, says, in part: "As a British subject, I admire the pluck and patriotism of the Canadian in the work of consecrating the historic battlefields of their country in a way to emphasize the genuineness of the entente cordiale so happily established between two powerful races residing in the Dominion. If the spirit of unity, typified as it will be in the course of celebration at Quebec, is perpetuated, Canadians must become a great and powerful people—a lusty nation."

"I believe it is a mistake to suppose that intelligent Americans are envious of Canada's prosperity and prospects. Deep interests look on at the preparations with American eyes. It is not an exaggeration to say that the eyes of a great part of the world are turned towards Canada at this time. If it will serve any good purpose to publish this letter, you are at liberty. Earl Grey, to do me the honor of forwarding it to the minister of agriculture, I enclose my card and a cheque for ten thousand dollars as a subscription to the fund. I am, Sir, a French father, but I feel as warm as a French father for a BELIEVER IN CANADA'S DESTINY."

LION ESCAPES AT CIRCUS CAUSING PANIC IN TENTS

Nero, Slayer of Three Men Breaks From Cage at Greenwich, Conn.—Exciting Story Well Told in the New York Herald.

The following graphic story is told in a special despatch from Greenwich, Conn., to the New York Herald of yesterday:—"Nero, a lion which has killed three men, escaped from his tent during a performance of the Washburn circus here this afternoon, causing a panic among hundreds of women and children who were inside the circus tent."

The lion, which before his escape had escaped from the tent, Nero, who has killed three men, escaped from his cage at almost half an hour before it was captured. For a time it was feared the animal had escaped from the tent. Men, women and children fled for safety to houses in the neighborhood and many men and boys climbed trees and telegraph poles. Among the persons in attendance at the circus performance at the time the lion escaped were Mrs. Frank Good, Mrs. Frank Hastings, Mrs. Clifford Harmon, the daughters of E. C. Benedict, Mrs. George Nichols and the children of Perry Rockefeller.

An offer of a reward of \$1,000 for the capture of the lion and permission given anybody who would catch the lion before anybody was killed. "If you think you can't catch him, shoot him," said the proprietor of the circus. The policemen and the circus employees crawled under the tent of the menagerie. Nero was captured in the cage of a wagon, and with this piece of canvas as a net tried to drive the lion into a corner.

One of the circus men succeeded in fastening a rope round the neck of the animal. Chunks of meat were thrown into the cage, and the wheels of which were removed. The lion was partly driven and partly coaxed into this cage and the door was shut. As the door closed behind the animal all the men who had taken part in the capture shouted and the hundreds of people who had gathered outside the tent knew the lion had been caught. They looked back into the different tents of the circus and the performance was resumed. During the rest of the afternoon a special guard was placed over the cage in which Nero was confined. Men connected with the circus said Nero had once been amenable to discipline, but had lately become very ugly and disobedient. Persons who witnessed the escape this afternoon said that they were surprised that nobody had been injured. The case came to a ferocious mood, and only the quickness of Policeman Tuley in pointing out a way of escape and the quickness of the operators in availing themselves of the way of escape averted serious disaster. News that one of the lions had escaped from its cage spread rapidly through the town, and during the rest of the afternoon and the evening many persons went to see the lion growling in the cage. Many of those persons who had been in the circus tents at the time the lion escaped did not return to the circus space under the tent, but there was a large crowd at the performance to-night.

BOURASSA AS AN ADMIRER OF BRITAIN

Speaking in Montreal He Declares Union Jack Offers Equal Protection to All.

Montreal, June 5.—Henri Bourassa appeared this evening in the role of a British patriot at the Theatre National, his headquarters, where he held an English meeting and paid a warm eulogy to the Union Jack. He declared that every citizen enjoyed freedom that every citizen enjoyed the right of equal protection to all.

The audience was fully two-thirds English speaking and the meeting was fully as enthusiastic as any Mr. Bourassa has held during the present campaign. He held forth on the subject of the Union Jack and the protection which the flag of the Empire afforded to all its subjects, most especially in the protection of the rights of minorities. He said he had been the recipient of his efforts since he began the recent fight. His principle, he said, was to liberate all British subjects from the yoke of the English sections of Canada or English minorities in the western provinces. But I feel bound to protect with the same enthusiasm the rights of the English Protestant minority in Quebec. I champion the rights of my race, but God forbid that I should ever make a French party to usurp the rights of an English Protestant in this or any other part of Canada."

Mr. Bourassa proceeded to outline his criticisms of the Quebec government, particularly in its administration of the public domain, announcing the essential man in the Goin government had dealt with the forest resources, water powers, mines, etc.

Regarding the labor policy of the government he advocated the establishment of a council of labor in order to secure a fruitful and permanent peace between labor and capital.

The conclusion of his address was the signal for an ovation which lasted several minutes and was repeated when he appeared on the balcony to address the crowds in the streets.

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AGREE ON ALL BUT NAME FOR CHURCH

Committees of Union of Baptists and Disciples of Christ in Session at Port William, N. S.

The committee appointed by the N. B. Baptist convention and that appointed by the Disciples of Christ met at Port William (N. S.) on June 4 to consider ways and means for the uniting of these two religious bodies. The joint committee held two sessions, one in the Baptist and one in the Disciples' church, and there was a full and free expression of opinion by all the members.

No difficulty exists in regard to doctrine and policy as there is practically no difference between the two bodies in these matters. The principal trouble was experienced when the name for the united church was under discussion. No acceptable solution was reached in this. The report which will be submitted to the conventions of the two churches will advise a more frequent and general interchange of pulpits by the preachers, a co-operation of weak churches in the sustaining of regular ministerial work and that the home mission boards of both churches unite in giving needed assistance to any co-operating churches.

A public service was held in the Baptist church at night when addresses upon Christian themes were made by Revs. Dr. Crowell, E. C. Ford, J. H. G. Apple, T. Bates, H. E. Cooke and J. Boal.

THE I. C. R. MEN AND THE QUESTION OF PAY

Circular Letter Posted in Freight Shed Telling of No Wages Until Supply is Voted.

I. C. R. employees here have been notified by a circular, a copy of which is posted in the freight shed, that salaries or wages are not likely to be paid until further supplies have been voted by parliament. The circular, which bears the name of the late superintendent, G. M. Jarvis, and dated from Toronto on June 3, informs all concerned that a letter dated June 2 had been received from the general manager which reads as follows: "I am instructed by the department to advise you of the fact that the interim partial agree-

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King Edward and Emperor William

THE GERMAN EMPEROR

By A. S. Taylor



William II of Germany

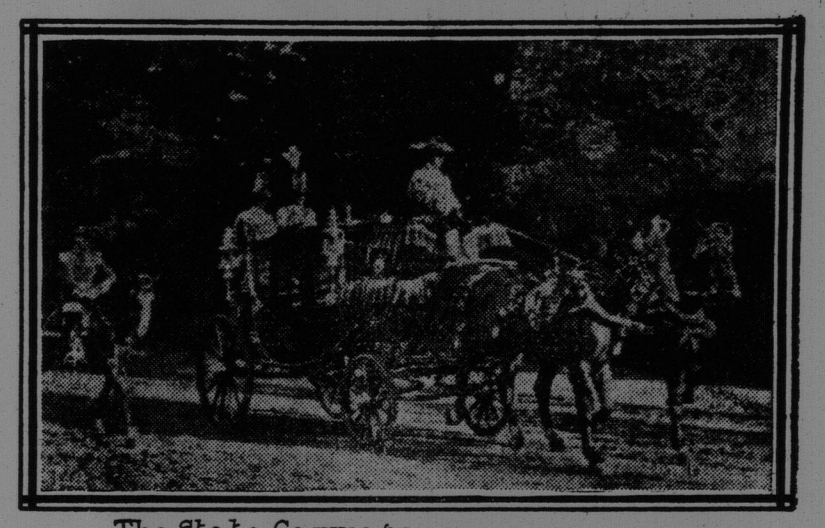
Several circumstances have recently served to bring Emperor William II. of Germany into the foreground of the international stage of men and events. When it might be asked, has not the strenuous Kaiser been conspicuous in the limelight. Very true, but, all the same, the recent happenings and announcements have served to give him an especial prominence. One of these of especial interest to Americans is the reported intention of President Roosevelt to pay a visit to the Teuton sovereign after he is "off the job" at the White House.

perhaps to be attributed to the influence of his English mother, that the Kaiser's favorite breakfast menu consists of oatmeal, bacon and eggs. After breakfast, if the weather permits, the Emperor goes for a stroll, and in the course of his walk may call upon a diplomat or some personal friend.

The Emperor's New War Automobile

recognize instantly the stentorian tones of the sovereign. When the Kaiser is telephoning "central," after making the desirable connection, must rise and not under any circumstances listen to the conversation.

To return to our tracing of the main events of the emperor's daily programme it may be noted that he dines with his family at about 5 o'clock. As in the case of breakfast, however, the meal waits on the completion of his work, and is consequently somewhat irregular as a rule. It has been a rule at the German court that all the children should participate in the family gatherings at meal hours from the time they were able to sit up in high chairs, but at no meal are there any unnecessary words spoken. This is not because the Kaiser is uncommunicative, but because of his habit of concentration. He once remarked: "When I eat, I eat; when I sleep, I sleep, and when I work, I work."



The State Carriage

ing to note that the emperor and empress celebrated the twenty-seventh anniversary of their wedding on February 27. They discourage personal presents on such occasions, but welcome gifts for charitable purposes. Possibly something of the emperor's devotion to his queen is due to the fact that there was a love match. William was but 20 years of age when he fell in love with Augusta Victoria, of Schleswig-Holstein. Their formal betrothal took place on June 2, 1880, and the wedding in February of the following year, the young man being at that time 22 years of age and his bride seven months his junior.

The Kaiser has not hesitated to let it be known that he has no special enthusiasm for the "new woman"—the emancipated recipient of the "higher education" who aspires to excel in every masculine accomplishment from money-making to cigarette-smoking. Presumably, then, the empress is truly his ideal as a helpmate, since she is not "advanced" in such respects. She once remarked to a friend: "There are four things I prefer to all others, and they all begin with a 'K.' They are my Kaiser (Emperor), my Kinder (children), my Kirche (church) and my Küche (kitchen)."

GLEAM OF HOPE. Orville Ardup—"Ah, here comes that infernal bill collector!" Caller (producing folded document with alacrity): "I am glad to hear you say so, Mr. Ardup. I have been here nine times without having been a collector, you know."

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THREW ONE MAN OUT; KNOCKED OTHER DOWN

Harry G. Smith and M. Jarvis Watters Hurt in Runaway Accident

Former Driving in Union Street, Carleton; Horse Shied and Ran Away—Both Men Unconscious for a Time But Came Round All Right.

Two men were hurt in a lively runaway in Carleton yesterday afternoon. Harry G. Smith's horse ran away in Union street and Mr. Smith was thrown out and quite severely injured. M. Jarvis Watters of 97 Victoria street was knocked down and was unconscious for some time.

Mr. Smith was driving in Union street when the horse took fright and shying suddenly, the driver was thrown to the ground heavily, nearly opposite J. E. McCaffrey's tailor store. Mr. Smith's little boy was in the carriage but managed to keep in the seat and was unhurt.

The horse continued its career up Union street, and struck Mr. Watters in the back, knocking him down. The animal turned into King street and dived its pace as it neared its stable.

Both Mr. Smith and Mr. Watters were unconscious when picked up and were carried into W. C. Wilson's drug store. Dr. F. L. Kenney was called to attend them and Mr. Smith's son-in-law, who was able to walk home. Mr. Watters was more seriously injured as the shaft struck him fairly and his forehead and nose were scratched and bruised. It was some time before he came round, but after receiving treatment he was able to take a car for his home in the North End.

PARIS SNUBS RAJAH WHO WED A DANCER

Society Refuses to Receive His Highness of Kapurthala and His Spanish Bride—Met Her in Madrid and Paid \$80,000 for Her

Paris, June 3.—The Maharajah of Kapurthala has returned to Paris with his Spanish bride and a numerous suite, and has taken apartments at the Hotel Astoria. He finds he is no more the distinguished personage in society he was before his marriage to the dancing girl.

The Maharajah is immensely wealthy. Formerly he was a pet of the Anglo-American colony, and French society welcomed him gladly. He caused much amusement by his childlike Eastern manner and his spicy comment. Paris uttered "In my country if a woman deceives her husband she is tortured to death; in Paris the husband is tortured to death."

But Paris declines to entertain the Maharajah since his marriage with Natalia Delgado. The Matin repeats the old story of how he first saw the dancer in a little ball opening from a social street in Madrid. She was propping up and clinking her castanets, and fascinated the Indian prince. He called a speculator and requested him to escort the girl to his hotel.

The speculator was none other than Senor Delgado, the girl's father, who drew his pony and replied: "No. She is my daughter." The Maharajah returned to Paris and tried to banish the memory of the beautiful dancer, but one day he summoned his majordomo and gave orders that he bring Senorita Delgado to Paris, let the cost be what it would.

A few days later guests of the Elysee Hotel were astonished when three men and four women, sumptuous and of unusual appearance, appeared in the hotel. They were members of the Delgado family, and their gaudy rags hung about them in a riot of color.

TWO ALARMS; ONE STILL CALL YESTERDAY

Fire in Bijou Picture Theatre; Film is Burned

Operator Pulls Burning Film Apart, Suffers a Little Himself, But No Material Damage is Caused—A Noon Mix-up—Fire in Charlottetown Street House.

Fire broke out in the operating room of the Bijou theatre in Union street yesterday afternoon. The operating room is declared fire proof and the trouble was all within that enclosure. The operator, Albert DeLong, was rolling a film on a temporary roller on a wooden shelf behind the picture machine. The film came off the roller more quickly than it was intended to and a portion struck the floor.

The rheostat had been taken out of the room and the film was burning in contact with the celluloid film. Like a revolving wheel, DeLong caught the film in his hands and pulled it apart but before the wooden shelf had caught. There were not many in the theatre at the time and they fled out without trouble. Several firemen who happened to be there, procured hand extinguishers and the contents of three were sufficient to put out the fire. The operator escaped with a slightly burned thumb and a scratch on his arm. Beyond damage to the film, the loss is very slight.

Chief Kerr would not let the theatre be run last evening, awaiting a report from the building inspector today. Last night about 8:30 o'clock an alarm was sounded from box 45 for a slight fire in the three-story tenement house, 228 Charlotte street, owned by Thos. McAvity and occupied by three families. The blaze seems to have originated in the fire in Mrs. William McGormon's part on the first floor. The flames crept up the wall behind the bath and larkin tub above, where the families of Herbert Chinley and Caleb B. Parker live. The firemen were promptly on the scene and had the fire subdued without serious damage.

Bernard A. Ralph of St. Stephen's Customs Dies Suddenly

St. Stephen, N.B., June 5.—(Special)—Bernard A. Ripley, for a great number of years collector of taxes for Milltown (N.B.), died suddenly in his home here this evening of heart disease.

OLD SAILOR BADLY BEATEN LAST NIGHT

Assailants Got Away in Crowd—He Says They Were from Schooner Vere B. Roberts.

The arrival of the police broke up what threatened to become a serious row among sailors at York Point slip at 11:30 o'clock last night. As it was, an old sailor, named Gustaf Linphon, was badly cut about the head and face, and three others who were mixed up in the fight were more or less beaten.

According to Linphon, he was standing at the corner of Smythe and North streets when three Russian Finns came along and he spoke to them. Two of them were quarrelling and clinched in the middle of the road. He says he attempted to part them and all three turned upon him, and rushed him into the slip. He was knocked down and beaten and his loud cries for help were heard by Mrs. Elizabeth Travis, who lives nearby.

She thought some one was drowning in the slip and rushed her son John, who ran for the police. Policeman McCollum arrived and quite a crowd had then gathered and it was hard to distinguish the combatants and the three succeeded in making their escape. Linphon was taken to the boarding house at Johnson's, at the foot of South Wharf and told the police his assailants were members of the crew of the schooner Vere B. Roberts.

CHATEAU FRONTENAC BADLY DAMAGED BY FIRE AND WATER

Quebec, June 5.—Considerable excitement prevailed in the famous Chateau Frontenac Hotel this morning at 2:40 o'clock, when the night watchman discovered a fire between the second and third floors. The guests were awakened and transferred out without the least excitement or commotion in any part of the building.

The upper part of the large building by this time was fast filling with smoke and the firemen were engaged in deluging the interior with water from many high-pressure nozzles as they could bring to play on it. They were taking no chances and the water simply coursed through the walls and fell with the force of a small cataract to the halls below, in fact with such force that the plaster of the ceiling came away and fell from the second floor. The scene of the fire was just above the status quo leading from the lobby to the restaurant portion and the water played havoc with the magnificent drawing-room situated on the second floor. Beyond the damage done by the water and the axes of the firemen, no further damage was apprehended.

BETTER HOSPITAL FIRE PROTECTION

Commissioners Refer Question to House Committee—Formal Opening of New Operating Wing.

At a meeting of the commissioners of the General Public Hospital yesterday afternoon, the report of the committee of the common council recommending better fire protection, was received and referred to the house committee to examine and report back. The committee consists of Henry Hilyard, Dr. Thos. Walker, Dr. J. W. Daniel, Dr. H. G. Addy and Joseph Lee. The proposal to build a fireproof stairway and elevator was also referred to the committee.

No date has yet been fixed for the opening of the new operating room. It will probably take place sometime this month, when the presentation of certificates to the graduating nurses will also be made.

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TWO DAYS ATTRACTION.

THIS AFTERNOON
Kirk Brown Company in "The Eternal City" at the Opera House.
Baseball—St. Peter's and St. Joseph's, on the Shamrock grounds.
"A June Bride's Dream" and other picture attractions at the Nickel.
The St. John City Rifle Club will shoot the first league match of the season, on the rifle range at 1:30 o'clock.
Moving pictures and illustrated songs at the Princess.
The Palace moving picture theatre.

THIS EVENING
The Kirk Brown Company in "The Christian" at the Opera House.
St. Rose's vs. St. John the Baptist on the Shamrock grounds.
St. John's District Lodge will meet in Orange Hall.
The Princess Moving Picture Theatre. Moving pictures and illustrated songs at Palace.
Special meeting of York L. O. L. No. 3 at 7:30 o'clock in the Orange Hall, German street, for initiation and conferring of degrees.

LATE LOCALS

The m. Empress of Ireland arrived at Liverpool from Montreal at 11 p.m. yesterday.
Dominion Inspectors Olive and Dalton have gone to P. E. Island on official business.
Steamer Coban Captain Holmes arrived this morning from Sydney, C. B., with a cargo of coal.

The S.S. Empress of Britain docked at Quebec at 8:30 last evening, and landed cabin passengers at 8:45.

Registrar Jones reports five marriages during the present week. Also nine births, six males, three females.

All members of the Carleton Corset Band are requested to be at the band room for practice Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

The Rev. George Gilbert Walker, of Shelburne, N.S., will preach in St. Philip's A.M.E. church tomorrow (Sun.) evening.

Italian bark Nostra Signora Grazie, Captain Gazzalo, arrived in port this morning from Las Palmas, to load lumber for South America.

The Moral and Intellectual Worth of Man will be the subject of the sermon in St. Philip's A. M. E. church tomorrow at the morning service.

Miss Marjorie Dow of the Kirk Brown Stock Company lost a valuable watch yesterday afternoon. If the finder will leave it at the Opera House a liberal reward will be paid.

The funeral of Miss Jennie C. Taylor will be held from her parents' home, 596 Rockland road, tomorrow afternoon, service to begin at 3:30 o'clock instead of 2:30, as announced in the morning paper.

The local lodges of the Sons of England will parade to Queen Square, Methodist church tomorrow, Sunday, morning, where service will be held by Rev. H. D. Marr. The 62nd Band will head the procession.

Rev. Dr. Sprague will end his pastorate of Centenary church tomorrow and will preach what will probably be his farewell sermon tomorrow evening. St. John regrets to lose the able and scholarly pastor of Centenary.

Zion Methodist church, 1st. Wall street and Burpee ave., Rev. J. Crisp, pastor, 11 a.m. Rev. Samuel Howard; 7 p.m., Rev. Dr. Hearty, president Nova Scotia Methodist conference; 2:30 p.m., Sunday school. Strangers welcome.

The government station Achille, to a road car on the New Glasgow track on the 22d, showed a quarter in 34 seconds. The New Glasgow Chronicle says on a mile track he can go a quarter in 31 seconds—a mile in 2:04; a terrific clip for a horse with only a 2:15 1/4 record.—Truro News.

The Foresters' Hall, Charlotte street, has been re-decorated and furnished and now presents a very attractive appearance. A new Brussels carpet has been laid and the walls have been painted in corresponding colors by E. W. Paul. The hall is now the equal in appearance of any in the city.

QUARTERLY MEETING OF PORTLAND METHODISTS.

The congregation of Portland Methodist church held their fourth quarterly meeting on Thursday, June 4. The financial report for the year showed a very satisfactory condition in finances, closing the year with a good balance to credit. The total membership of the church is 366, baptisms during the year 55, marriages solemnized 15, burials 33. The following were elected stewards for the ensuing year: F. S. Thomas, R. A. Doherty, S. A. Kirk, W. B. McLean, D. White, Wm. Young, Percy J. Steel.
The St. John District will meet in the Portland Methodist, Tuesday and Wednesday, June 9 and 10.

BASEBALL TODAY ON VICTORIA GROUNDS.

In the St. John Baseball League this afternoon the Exmouths will meet the Portlands in a nine inning contest. News-bitt will pitch for the Exmouths and Board for the Portlands. A great contest is expected. The game will be played on the Victoria grounds at 3 p.m. Jas. McAlister will officiate.

PERSONAL

The engagement is announced of Miss Alice G. Earle, of Bellisle, daughter of Ira Earle, Esq., to Ernest R. Bowdler, of Hampton, N. B. The wedding is to take place in September.
Dr. H. S. Savages, of Baltimore, M. D. Dental College, has gone to Montreal and Quebec after a short visit with Mr. George R. Moore.
Jarvis Wilson returned yesterday from Quebec.
Senator Wood, of Sackville, was in the city yesterday.
Miss Sadie Taylor, of Grand Falls, is visiting Miss Gene Kelly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Kelly, 9 St. Patrick street.
H. D. Prescott, M.P.P., and Miss Prescott, of Albert, were registered at the Dufferin yesterday.
Hon. John Morrissey, chief commissioner of public works, is at the Royal.

A NEW METHOD FOR THE WATER CARTS

Twelve Stand Pipes to be Installed For Use of Watering Carts in Various Parts of The City.

At a meeting of the water and sewerage board in February last it was decided on recommendation of Engineer H. G. Hunter to install twelve stand pipes for the use of watering carts, in various parts of the city. The object of putting in these pipes which it is estimated will cost in the vicinity of \$1,500 was to guard against breaks in the water mains caused through careless handling of the fire hydrants in turning water on or off.

Although it is nearly four months since it was decided to install these pipes they have not yet made their appearance and nothing definite could be learned as to when they would be ready.

As has frequently happened in connection with water matters, there was a misunderstanding as which engineer was to take charge of this work and thus matters were delayed for a time. Now, however they are being manufactured and as soon as they are ready, will be installed. At any rate they will probably be up and working by the time the snow flies and the watering carts have been housed for the winter again.

This method of filling watering carts has been adopted in nearly all large cities and in many smaller than St. John. There will probably be some objections by residents to having these pipes in front of their property so that it is likely when their probable location is determined that an opportunity will be given the citizens to object if they desire to do so. There are many people who might not be pleased with the prospect of having the watering carts stopping in front of their doors every few minutes and if notices are sent out by the authorities to the residents in each locality before the exact location of the stand pipes is fixed, the matter can no doubt be arranged satisfactory to all.

THE DAY NURSERY.

It is Apparently Not Appreciated As It Should Be.

The Day Nursery at Haymarket square does not seem to be appreciated as it should be. The ladies who founded the institution have provided everything possible to make it a benefit to the people. It was hoped it would assist, but up to the present the matron has had very little to do. The nursery is bright and clean and should be a great boon to mothers who have to work and who would feel satisfied in leaving their little ones there to be taken care of.

Apparently the parents who would be benefited by such an institution don't realize the opportunities they have to transfer their care for a time. There must be quite a number of mothers to whom the nursery would be quite a boon if they only brought to realize the work and worry they could be saved.

THE HARDWARE CLERKS FIRST HALF HOLIDAY.

This afternoon the hardware clerks will enjoy their first half-holiday of the season. The blacksmiths will also observe the half-holiday commencing today. The drygoods houses and other lines of business have not yet decided whether they will observe the holiday or not. There are plenty of attractions today for those who do not have to work. There will be entertainments at the Opera House and moving picture theatre, ball games and band and the usual attractions at Rockwood Park.

EVERY DAY CLUB

The Rev. W. Camp will speak and the choir of Leinster street Baptist Church will sing at the temperance meeting in the Every Day Club tomorrow evening at 8:20 o'clock. Morton L. Harrison will play a violin solo.

A VETERAN CLERGYMAN.

On Wednesday of this week Rev. T. W. Street, the popular sub-dean of the Cathedral, completed fifty-three years in the Christian ministry, having been ordained by Bishop Medley in this city in 1855. He is the oldest active clergyman of the Church of England in the diocese of Fredericton. The veteran sub-dean is now in his 73rd year and is in the enjoyment of excellent health.—Fredericton Herald.

EPIGRAMS

Every opportunity is also the time of test.

Life has many shadows, but the sunshine makes them all.

Happy the man who realizes his own limitations, for he is spared the sour disappointment of unachievement.

Walters open cafes of their own out of what they get by flattering people's vanities. The best way of becoming a patriot is to live out of your own country.

When we are at home we are always blaming the weather or the government, but when we have travelled about we realize that both are perfect.

A man can be happy, knowing that within himself he has done well.

Some men consider that the mere fact of having lived three score years or so makes their judgment and wisdom infallible.

The only chance you get of triumphing over life is winning the things that you want by working hard for them.

What an overrated virtue fidelity is! At best it means boredom; you can't always eat the same food, even if 'tis truffles.

No man can take care of himself when a girl has got red hair and innocent eyes and all his friends are talking about her.

No woman has a great love for a perfect man. It's always the rascal or the weakling who wins a woman's heart.—From "Eve's Apple," by Alphonse Courlander.

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Bows in Muslin, or Silk, assorted sizes, in White or Colors. 20c to \$1 each
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