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LAST OF ADMIRAL ROJESTVENSKY

Russian Admiral Wounded and His Flag Ship Sunk --- Togo Continues in His Triumphant Sweep---A Complete Victory for Japan---"Open Door and a Fair Deal" Will Be Japan's Motto.

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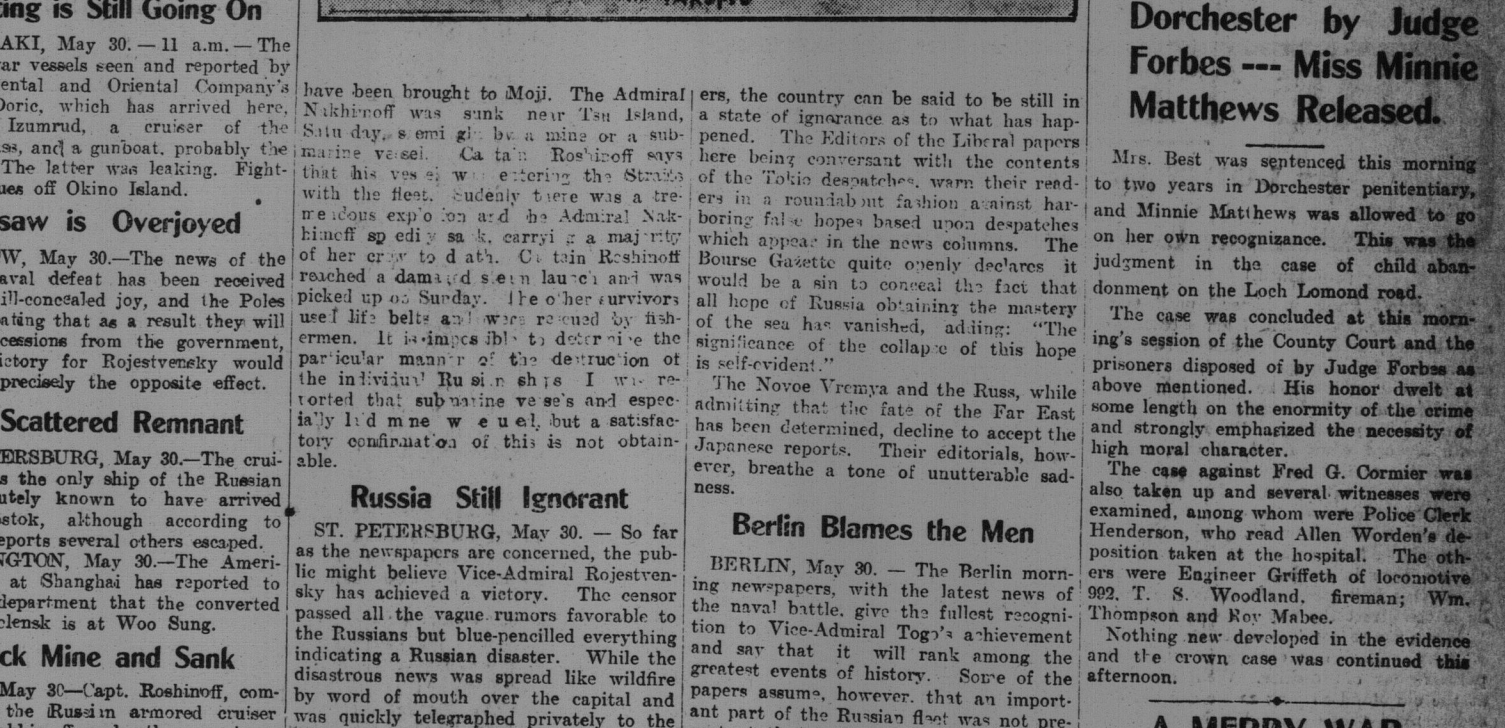
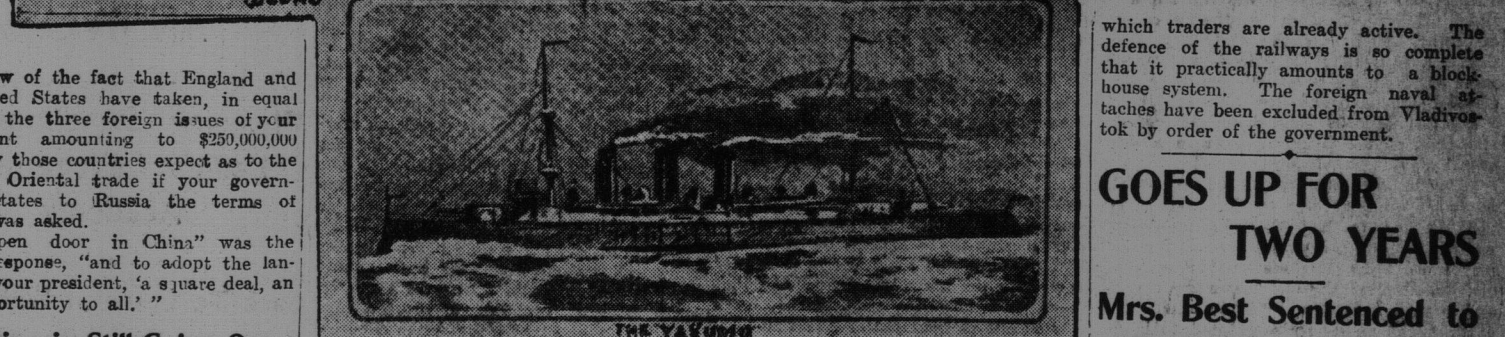
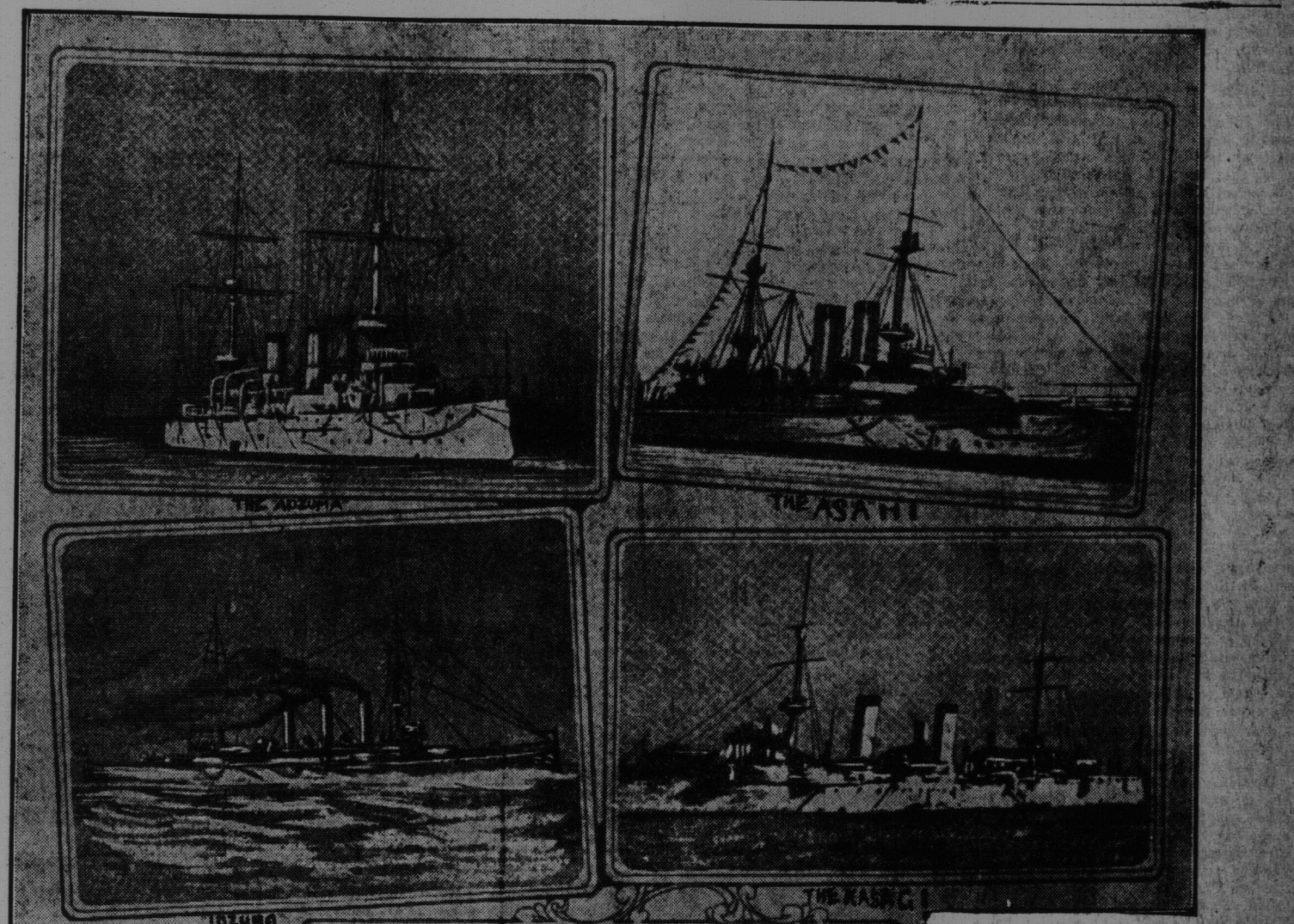
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Beaulerc's Courtship. H.D. 1100. Henry Beaulerc, on his accession, promised to abolish Curfew and Danegeld and to redress other grievances under which the nation had groaned since the Conquest. Another stroke of policy was his marriage with Matilda, daughter of Malcolm, King of Scotland, niece of Edgar Atheling. This marked the union of the Saxon and Norman races, from which arose the true English nation.

which traders are already active. The defence of the railways is so complete that it practically amounts to a block house system. The foreign naval attaches have been excluded from Vladivostok by order of the government.

GOES UP FOR TWO YEARS

Mrs. Best Sentenced to Dorchester by Judge Forbes --- Miss Minnie Matthews Released.

Mrs. Best was sentenced this morning to two years in Dorchester penitentiary, and Miss Minnie Matthews was allowed to go on her own recognizance. This was the judgment in the case of child abandonment on the Loch Lomond road.

The case was concluded at this morning's session of the County Court and the judge strongly emphasized the necessity of some length on the enormity of the crime and strongly emphasized the necessity of some moral character.

A MERRY WAR

Circus Agents Having a Hot Time in the "Billing" of St. John.

There is an interesting war on between the billposters of the rival circuses which are to perform here on June 8th and 22nd. The first edition of bills and posters are all here about two weeks ago, and it is almost daily set to work to do the billing. The billing is a very old war and has been going on since the days of the first circus. The world's greatest show, a few days later the representatives of Sells and Bros. circus arrived and secured the privilege of some of the billboards and dead walls, and placed the city with billboards of during the war. Each advertiser to have the world's greatest show to it will be up to the people to see on attending the performance and to decide which "bills" is the "world's greatest show." Meanwhile the past war goes on, to the amusement of the people who have been watching.

The Land Operations

General skirmishing has been continuing for the past fortnight. Arriving troops, on leaving the trains, find themselves in a sea of mud. The country in the immediate rear of the Russian army wears the same aspect as did the rear of the old positions which the Russians occupied in the south, being denuded of forest. Many of the Chinese fled from their houses and wherever the troops camped these houses were torn down for firewood. Interest in the attitude of the Mongols continues. It is asserted that a state of rebellion exists against the local prince ruling the eastern tribes. A few native traders with goods are arriving at the interior cities from Simintin, but the only remaining trade route for Northern Manchuria since the loss of Simintin to the Russians is by way of Kichin, over

Financial and Commercial.

MAY'S LOW POINT WAS THE LOWEST OF THE YEAR

The low point of the 24 leading New York stocks, reached last Monday, was the lowest since the year began...

THE QUESTION OF VALUE OF RAILROAD EARNINGS.

Men who explain the market with the soundest remark that prices are too high which it is useless to dispute...

SEVEN YEARS OF RAILROAD GROWTH.

Table showing increase in gross earnings of railroads of the United States from 1893 to 1899.

DIVIDEND BALANCE DOUBLED, DIVIDENDS PAID TRIPLED.

The period shows increase of more than double the amount paid in dividends to holders of shares representing the equity of American railroads...

AN EXPERT ON TRADE OUTLOOK.

The fact that Northern mills, up to last week's close, took only 1,875,000 bales of cotton since September 1, against 2,008,549 bales in the same period a year ago...

THE WORLD OF SHIPPING.

Signature Almanac. The steamer was of 18 tons and was built at East Hotham, Maine, in 1884.

FREE THINGS IN NEW YORK.

There are few other places in the world where it costs more to live than the city of New York and yet it is remarkable how many things can be had for nothing in this city...

REPORTS, DISASTERS, ETC. NEW YORK, May 29.—The life saving station at Long Hill, N. J., reports that a steamer is ashore against Shinnecock light...

ARCANUM REVISES RATES. Officers Elected—Next Meeting at Old Point Comfort. A radical change in insurance rates was made last week by the Supreme Council of the Royal Arcanum in session at Atlantic City...

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MALE HELP WANTED. WANTED—INSTALLMENT COLLECTOR for merchandise accounts, good salary and expenses...

Now Watch Our Prices.

GO-CARTS, from \$3.50 to \$25.00. SIDEBOARDS, from \$11.00 to \$45.00. PARLOR TABLES, from \$1.25 to \$12.00.

FI SHERY REPORT.

Digby—Herring of a small size reported from Digby, Nova Scotia, and lobster from Digby, Nova Scotia.

IMPORTS.

From Perth Amboy, N. J., ex schooner Letty, 70 tons hard coal, R. P. & W. F. Starr.

EXPORTS.

For New Haven, Conn., per schooner Letty, 6,200 ft. spruce plank, 6,077 ft. spruce scantling, 4,000 ft. spruce boards, 2,134 ft. spruce plank.

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LOCAL WEATHER REPORT AT NOON.

Highest temperature during past 24 hours 9. Lowest temperature during past 24 hours 9. Temperature at noon 10. Humidity at noon 70.

AMUSEMENTS.

Opera House.

Mr. Neil Twomey. Presents his Stock Company, supported by MISS MARGARET SUTTERLAND.

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"The Ruler's Daughter" (The Daughter of Jertan). Chorus of 20 voices and orchestra.

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R. W. W. FRANK, Branch Manager, St. John, N. B.

W. S. BARKER, Commission Stock Broker, Room 7, Palmer's Chambers.

Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Cotton. Bought and sold on Margin or for Investment.

He Comes to and Pays for His Funeral Right Manfully.

(Philadelphia Record.) William McIntyre, for years a resident of Carnegie (Pa.), but who disappeared five weeks ago...

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THE YACHT RACE

Although the race was for the German Kaiser's cup, the German built vessel was in the race. The Hamburg was the former British cutter Rainbow. The American Apache and Aila were designed and built in Great Britain. The Utowana, built in the States, was of British design and built by an Englishman. The race was really between six English and five American built vessels.

The following comment by the New York Times, made before the race started, is of interest today:—"As a sporting event, nothing could be more absurd and more fated to disappointment than the ocean yacht race inaugurated by the German Emperor. . . . Even between vessels of the same class and size there is nothing proved by a race across the Atlantic. The elements are altogether too many, the chapter of accidents or chances altogether too copious. In the first and most famous of these races, the winter race carried between the Herriet, the Yesta, and Fleetering, a generation and more ago, it was commonly considered that the slowest boat won, facilitated by pluck and luck, the pluck being that of the surviving veteran, Captain Summels, who sailed her and who carried a crew with a boldness which the other shippers did not venture to emulate. When the Columbia and Dauntless raced across to the westward, and as it was expressed at the time "Asbury got into Parliament by an hour and a quarter," it was by no means agreed that it was because he got the faster boat. In fact, the Dauntless lost something like the time by which she was beaten by heaving-to in mid-ocean in the hope of rescuing a man who had fallen overboard. Neither were the latter races accepted as conclusive or in fact as illuminating upon the respective merits of the inanimate contestants.

"If this be true as to those fast and equal races, how can anything conclusive be expected from a race in which the entries range from a schooner of 80 tons and a yawl of 116 to a full-rigged ship of 661, which comprises four "santander" with their masts taken inboard, by rig a ship, a Bantling, a three-masted topsail schooner, and a three-masted fore-and-aft respectively, in addition to the seven which provide for no other impulsion than that of wind? Evidently the affair as a yacht race is the height of absurdity."

"The American three-masted schooner yacht Atlantic has won the ocean race and won the Kaiser's cup. She had an uneventful voyage, with favorable winds. No enthusiasm, international or otherwise, has been aroused over this race, because of the length of the voyage and the difference in size and rig of the various vessels."

RUSSIA AND JAPAN

Wonder grows with additional knowledge of the great naval battle. It is simply amazing that the fleet of Togo should have done such execution with apparently so little loss.

Japan is no longer a naval power. Her armies in Manchuria can never regain what she has lost on land. From first to last she has suffered a series of defeats unparalleled in history. What the effect will be upon her people at home will be the subject of keen speculation, but the suggestion that they will demand peace appears at least probable. This journal ventures the opinion that such a course should have been pursued immediately after the battle of Mukden, and while yet Russia had some semblance of sea power to reinforce her demands for reasonably favorable terms. Her position is now infinitely weaker, her prestige among the nations greatly reduced, and her chances of securing what might have been agreed to by Japan a few months ago far less hopeful. Moreover, her credit is weakened, and the burden upon her people enormously increased.

Japan, on the other hand, has borne the financial burden of the war with splendid energy and shown a remarkable reserve power, which enabled her statesmen only a week ago to contemplate with serenity the prospect of a long war. She has at the same time risen from a secondary position to that of the practical dictator of the Far East, and has won on the mainland of eastern Asia her coveted opportunity for expansion. To her the gain is enormous. The New York correspondent of this morning's Telegraph, in the course of his very interesting letter, rightly says:—"No sea power in the world, save possibly England's, if she could spare it, can even threaten Japan now. Except in the case of a duel, England would have plenty to do with even her magnificent navy."

The story of this wonderful sea fight is yet to be told, but the despatches indicate that Togo, by means of wireless messages, kept himself well informed of the movements of the Russian fleet, and at the moment when they had delivered themselves into his hands the blow fell. It has changed the whole aspect of the war, and made Japan secure as a world power, free to pursue her destiny without dictation so long as her policy is dictated by a reasonable regard for the rights of other nations.

The result cannot be regarded as other than satisfactory to great trading nations like England and the United States. There will be an open door in the vast regions of China and Manchuria, and tremendous development under Japanese influence will stimulate trade with these countries.

It is true, peace has not yet been declared, but Russia's folly can hardly go the length of rushing to further defeat. The time for peace has come.

THEOLOGICALS AT WAR

The titanic struggle in the eastern seas is as nothing compared with the ferocity of the conflict that has broken out in Halifax over a recent utterance of Mr. Goldwin Smith. The philosopher of the Orange, looking out upon the realms of mind and matter, appears to have been forced to the agnostic position with regard to human destiny.

The Presbyterian Witness does not expect to agree with him, and it is moreover alarmed by the apparent discovery that Mr. Smith has arrived at the following conclusions:—"The sanctions of the Ten Commandments have vanished. The historical basis of the Old and New Testaments has crumbled. The distinction between good and evil, between right and wrong, are at least hazy. There is a hell for the vicious; there is no heaven for the virtuous; there is no crown to be awarded by the righteous Judge; and death ends all."

When the editor of the Halifax Chronicle read this summary he forgot all about Togo and Rojstevensky, and took the warpath himself. He began with the following broadside:—"The Presbyterian Witness devotes a most uncharitable and dishonest, not to say discreditable article to Mr. Goldwin Smith, whom it not only traduces by insinuation and slanders by innuendo—but grossly and maliciously misrepresents—because his conclusions are not only untrue, but somewhat from those which it has inherited."

Proceeding then with half a column of vigorous denunciation the Chronicle quotes what is above quoted from the Witness, and makes this comment:—"Such is the self-built structure of rotten moral eggs of its own conception, with its partial holding water which it repeats in its own words, to its own great gratification, and amid the odium of which it executes a veritable goose-dance the conclusion of which is that the intelligence of the world today which is being moved to its depths by the very same influences which impel Mr. Smith to think and speak, is mere 'mistaken' when it manifests itself in Canada. What a clear and profound insight into the mind of the Presbyterian Witness must really have."

Then follows this distinct challenge:—"As to the historical basis of the Old and New Testaments 'having crumbled,' the less the Presbyterian Witness says on that subject the better, if it desires to avoid being laughed at by the most prominent and capable theologians of its own denomination. 'Theology' has been a matter of faith, not of sight, in that direction for many a day, in inner circles."

Note also this comment and query:—"But we are coming to an infinitely worse offense of Mr. Smith's. 'There is to be done without it? Deprived of it, what would the 'heavener' be to the Presbyterian Witness?'"

There is much more in the same vein. Just what will happen when the Witness warms up to its work it would be idle to predict. When the old theology and the new come together in earnest there is certain to be a violent disturbance in the atmosphere. In England the Rev. Dr. Barry is asserting that if the nation "lose its old Christian prejudices it will enter upon its journey toward Hades," for "national decay follows on agnostic teaching;" and an agnostic leader replies that the answer to Dr. Barry's main contention may be put into two words—Pantheism and Japan—the one orthodox and the other largely agnostic. In Germany an effort is being made to popularize the new theology, by the publication of pamphlets at very low cost; and the theologians of the old school are vigorously protesting against the "higher criticism." In the United States the opposing forces are also arrayed. Now Halifax has become a storm centre, and the literature of controversy has been enriched by such striking phrases as "verbal goose dance," "rotten moral eggs," and "metaphysical guesses."

The further progress of the campaign at home and abroad will be watched with some anxiety, as well as with a dictionary.

The application of the chief of police for an increase of salary should be favorably considered by the city council. He holds a very responsible position and devotes to his work his whole time and energy, and for fifteen years has received no increased remuneration. He is the poorest paid head of a police department in the country, on the basis of population of cities. He should have more pay and more men.

The late Deputy Sheriff Rankin, who held that office for forty years, performed his duties faithfully and without harassment, and was not only a good official but a good citizen. He had attained a great age, and goes to his rest mourned and respected.

It appears to be necessary for the safety board, to take over the work of the building inspector. It is the old story of boards and committees ordering an official to do something and then ignoring his recommendation. Why pay an official at all?

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HANCOCK TALKS OF JOE MUISE

He Reiterates the Story Told From Digby and Says He Knows Nothing of Muisse.

George Hancock, the companion of Joe Muisse, who accompanied him to the Opera House on Friday the 12th of May, arrived from Digby yesterday and will proceed to Ingleswood today. He told the police last night of the time he had spent with Muisse, and it is the same as contained in the Digby despatch a day or two ago, excepting only that he denies that part that credits him with making the statement that High Rogers of Musquash, was with Muisse and him in the Opera House. He stated that he did not say anything of the kind.

Mrs. Muisse was in town again yesterday as anxious as ever about her missing husband and she called at police headquarters. It is reported that an Indian has been seen around Penobscia, who may be mentally unbalanced. It is believed, however, that he is the same man who spent the winter at Mechanics Settlement and attended the train, expecting his wife who had gone away. The probable however, that Mrs. Muisse will go to Penobscia and investigate.

The opinion expressed at police headquarters last night was that if the story is true that the Indian was seen on Saturday, May 13, he is alive at this moment. While he has not been seen since that day and believes Mr. Thorne may have been mistaken.

THE CORMIER CASE

Hearing in the Bay Shore Accident Matter in the County Court Yesterday.

The case of the King v. Frederik Cormier, came up in the county court yesterday afternoon, Judge Forbes presiding. Cormier was the C. P. R. telegraph operator at Bay Shore at the time when two railway employes were killed, and two others injured, by a collision. Daniel Mullin, K. C., represented the defendant, and Solicitor General Jones appeared for the crown. The collision occurred in opening, briefly sketched the facts of the fatality.

The first witness called was Irvine Merriman, C. P. R. train dispatcher. During the course of his evidence he said that he thought a signal board at Bay Shore was an unnecessary thing.

In answer to direct examination by the crown he testified that he had not seen the signal board at Bay Shore at the time when the collision occurred. He testified that he had not seen the signal board at Bay Shore at the time when the collision occurred. He testified that he had not seen the signal board at Bay Shore at the time when the collision occurred.

BAD FIRE AT GAGETOWN

The large home, barn and outbuildings of Capt. Isaac W. Dinwoodey, about three miles from Gagetown, were completely destroyed by fire yesterday morning. The fire is supposed to have been started by a spark from the chimney. The flames spread rapidly from the house to the barn and outbuildings, and in an almost incredibly short time the entire property was destroyed. Both house and barn were completely gutted, and the former had been almost entirely reduced to a few smoldering embers. Nearly all the household effects were destroyed by the flames, as well as some farming implements and a quantity of hay.

POLICE COURT

George Clark was the sole occupant of the prisoner's bench at this morning's session of the police court. Clark is known among certain members of the police force as "King Alcock," as it is said that he was never guilty of a day's work in his life. It seems almost as if he were some time conducted operations as a privateer along the harbor front.

POLICE REPORTS

A wagon owned by Walter Moore broke down on Brassey street yesterday, the wheel having caught in the street car track. No serious damage resulted. The police destroyed a dog yesterday, belonging to John Hanley, the animal having bitten the little daughter of Mrs. Olive Mills of St. Patrick street.

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THEY ALL WANT VALLEY ROUTE
 New Brunswick Members Solid for That Line for G. T. P.
 Woodstock, N. B., May 29—(Special)—The people of this town and county are putting up a big fight to influence the government in favor of the valley route for the Grand Trunk Pacific against the route through the centre of the province which has also been advocated. President Sheogren, of the board of trade, presided at a meeting of that body today which was largely attended. After remarks by J. T. Gordon, R. E. Holyoak, J. T. A. Dibble, N. F. Thorne, H. G. Noble and many others several resolutions were passed.
 The following committee was appointed as a delegation to Ottawa to press the valley route upon the government: I. E. Sheogren, J. T. Gordon, R. E. Holyoak, N. F. Thorne, J. T. A. Dibble. This committee will go with the gentlemen to be appointed by the town council and will be by the county council in a few weeks.
 F. B. Carvell, M. P., addressed the board. He said he would have been careful in discussing the question but Senator Thompson at the Fredericton meeting of the board of trade spoke quite freely and he would do likewise. The speaker is personally interested in the question as well as being a representative from a community that thinks it is a life or death matter.
 When he went to Ottawa he and Senator Thompson and King met often to try to see what could be done for the valley route. Nearly every week they went to the Grand Trunk Pacific office to see what information could be secured in favor of their side.
 It was well known that the late Chairman Wade was rather in favor of the central route which had a grade of 4.10 of one per cent east and 3.10 going west. This route was only 17 miles shorter than down the valley which was chiefly down hill and had a grade of 2.10 of one per cent. It was important to show that the valley was the better route for the same amount of coal would haul as much freight as over the central route.
 He had made a canvass of the New Brunswick members and all the Conservative members stood by the valley and with possibly one exception, the same could be said for the Liberals and that one would not strongly oppose it, therefore New Brunswick members were unanimous on the valley route. He had canvassed one-half of the Nova Scotia members who apparently did not care which route was chosen.
 The premier had told him and Senators King and Thompson that the route would not be selected until after the prorogation of the house.
 No one is now fighting the valley route and it stands a better chance of winning than being lost.
 The New Brunswick government in a body, with Premier Tweedie at its head, will be in Ottawa with the delegation from this county after the house adjourns to press upon the government the claims of the St. John valley.

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WILL ROOSEVELT LEAD WORLD'S PEACE MOVEMENT
 Important Conference at White House Last Night Tends to This View—Expert Says Togo's Victory Is Not Yet Complete.

OBITUARY
Deputy Sheriff Rankine
 John Rankine, for forty years deputy sheriff here, died yesterday afternoon in the 83rd year of his age. In his death the family loses a loving and indulgent father and the community a man who was a representative citizen and a faithful and efficient public servant.
 About a fortnight ago he became ill but in the course of a few days he rallied sufficiently to resume his duties. Then came a relapse and he passed away yesterday afternoon.
 It is doubtful if throughout this city and county and indeed the province, there was a man more widely known and better respected than deceased. In both official and private life his honorable kindly characteristics were appreciated and will be long remembered.
 He was a native of Halifax and when a child removed to the city. In early life he learned the carpenter's trade, serving his apprenticeship with the late John McAvity and afterwards forming partnership with Mr. Paul.
 He was appointed deputy sheriff under the late Sheriff Harding, succeeding John Willis in the position. His term of service of forty years was continuous. The three months under whom he acted were Sheriff Harding, Sheriff Sturdee and the present incumbent, Sheriff Ritchie.
 Mr. Rankine married Miss Mary S. Bowman, sister of Wm. Bowman, of this city, carpenter and builder. Thirteen years ago Mrs. Rankine died. The children are three sons and three daughters. The sons are Frederick, of Charlottetown, Boston, Leonard, of Regina, and William, of Halifax. The daughters are Mrs. Byles, wife of R. M. Byles, of Belyes Bros., King street, and the Misses Annie and Hattie, residing at home, King street east.
 Mr. Rankine's funeral will take place tomorrow.

German Ambassador Silent
 The German ambassador is observing a discreet silence, but is thoroughly posted on both the Russian and Japanese point of view as represented here and stands ready to give the president all assistance possible.
 The result of the conference at the White House tonight could not be obtained at a late hour, but it is understood the minister had received advice of the overwhelming character of the Japanese victory.
 The promises which Washington has been able to furnish the world with the first news of the great battle is due primarily to the information conveyed to the American diplomatic, consular and naval officers abroad that the president desired prompt and full details of the impending naval battle at the earliest possible moment.
 The conference of Mr. Takahira at the White House tonight was not generally known here. At the interested embassy and legation during the evening the opinion was freely expressed that President Roosevelt would undoubtedly lead the neutral nations in the bringing about of peace. In tonight's conference it is thought that the president's first object was to ascertain on what basis Japan can discuss the question of peace.

Russia Must Fight On
 At the Russian embassy tonight Count Cassini, naturally grandly depressed at the loss of life, expressed belief that when full details came in it would be found that the Russian fleet had saved a part of its squadron and that his passage of the straits had been accomplished without inflicting great damage on the opposing fleet.

MORNING NEWS IN BRIEF.
Local
 During the proceedings in the county court yesterday afternoon, His Honor Judge Forbes said that he noticed several expressions on the floor of the court and he warned those present that they were liable to a fine for spitting in public places. Mr. Manning, who had no objection, was made again in court he would endorse the law to the letter.
 Percy Bonnell, the 12 year old son of Dr. W. P. Bonnell, dentist, pleased and surprised the congregation of St. Paul's Baptist church Sunday evening by his singing of a solo, artistically rendered. The little fellow sang "Abide With Us," "Little Boy Blue" by Brunelle St. band; address, Mrs. E. W. McIntyre; residence, Edna Everett. Mrs. E. W. McIntyre, who is the superintendent of mission bands for New Brunswick, gave a helpful and interesting address.
 A horse driven by Harry Logan last evening on Garden street took fright at an automobile and plunged so that it overturned the carriage and spilled the occupants out. Fortunately they both escaped serious injury, but were somewhat shaken up.
General
 R. A. Scott's large saw mills at Roberval, Quebec, were burned down last evening. A special train with five fire engines left Quebec to render assistance. The loss is probably about \$50,000, partly covered by insurance. The origin of the fire is unknown.
 An Ottawa despatch says that Sir William Mackay, on the occasion of his ap-

THE SCHOOL BOARD
 At a special meeting of the board of school trustees last night it was decided to call for tenders for next winter's supply of coal for the schools. These tenders will close at 4 p. m. June 12. The amount of coal required is 1,275 tons.
 There was a meeting of the teachers' committee before the board meeting. On the conclusion of their deliberations they recommended to the board that the present staff of teachers be re-engaged. This was agreed to. Those present at the meeting were Trustees Col. Maxwell Allan, Lockhart, Nase and Mrs. Skinner.
 Hon. A. I. Trueman was in the chair. Victoria annex, Victoria annex, professional tutoring in vocal music, but has sung in German street Baptist church at times.
 Rev. W. H. Vance, curate of St. Thomas' church, St. Catharines (Ont.), received a call on Sunday night to the rectory of the Church of the Ascension, to succeed Rev. G. A. Kahrnie who comes to St. John in a few weeks.
 The junior and senior mission bands of Tabernacle and Brunelle and Leinster St. Baptist churches held a mass meeting on Friday evening in Leinster St. Baptist church. Mrs. J. W. Manning presided, and gave a short address of welcome, after which the following programme was given—Recitation, Lena Brown; recitation, Annie Knodell; exercise by six little girls from Tabernacle church; solo, Beryl Blanch; solo, Willie Olive; exercise, "Little Boy Blue" by Brunelle St. band; address, Mrs. E. W. McIntyre; recitation, Edna Everett. Mrs. E. W. McIntyre, who is the superintendent of mission bands for New Brunswick, gave a helpful and interesting address.
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Talk of peace is premature the ambassador declared. "If the victory be as stupendous as the Japanese would have the world believe the neutral powers can scarcely wish for Japan to be allowed to remain without a taste of defeat. Much as I should welcome an end of the war for some reason, my belief is that the effect of the Japanese defeat will be the indefinite prolongation of the war. Russia must fight on perhaps for years but will the tables be turned."
 At the Japanese legation Minister Takahira had earlier in the day expressed his belief that the Japanese would win the war. "I cannot discuss the effects of this battle," said he, "until the final reports are received; until we know the exact details of the Japanese victory."
 In all probability it had a most disastrous effect on the morale of the personnel, it is evident that the Straits were not held for some of the Russian ships were far to the northward when sunk and others are yet unaccounted for.
 The group of vessels attacked on the Liaocouk rocks were the lagards of the fleet, a much faster ship than the others of the group was the Russian battleship, the fact that they were surrounded by the Russian ships was explained by the opening of the Straits. The fact that so many prisoners were taken was explained by the fact that the ships were abandoned before they were destroyed. (Certain of the Russian ships would not have sunk the larger battleships because of their superior speed.)
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Togo's Victory Not Complete
 "In all probability the attack of the Japanese was at close range, for at the point where the fighting seems to have occurred the channel is not more than 20 miles wide. The attack of the main force on the night of the 27th upon the group of ships off Liaocouk rocks, was a most brilliant feat of arms making toward the Japanese coast."
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WEDDINGS
Teed-Street
 The marriage took place yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Phelan, Cahin, of Miss Dora S. Street, youngest daughter of P. S. Street, Montreal, and Geo. Heber Teed, youngest son of Mayor Almon I. Teed. Rev. Chas. Legal, pastor of the Unitarian church, performed the ceremony.
Fritzen-Ferguson
 Miss Ada Mae Ferguson and Richard Christ Fritzen, of Portland (Me.), were united in marriage yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Ferguson, West street, St. John. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Gordon Dickie, pastor of the Presbyterian church, in the presence of the immediate relatives and some of the girl friends of the bride. At the close of the ceremony a reception was held and luncheon served, after which the bride and groom departed for the Washington County for a visit to several cities. They will make their future home in Portland.

SACKVILLE
 SACKVILLE, May 29—Ephraim Allen, of Bayfield, who was fatally injured while working aboard the steamer Danenburg at Cape Tormentine, died Saturday morning and was buried yesterday. Rev. Wm. Law, on conducting services at the house and grave. Deceased leaves a wife (a Miss Allen before marriage) and three children. The daughters are Mrs. West of Moncton, Mrs. McMorris of Halifax and one son, Lebaron, at home.
 Mrs. Wm. Fawcett received a telegram today saying that her father, William Bishop of Dover, was very seriously ill. She left here on the noon train for Dover.

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CHARMS OF GRAND FALLS

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Description of Its Wells and Rocks—Victoria County to Have an Election—General News.

GRAND FALLS, N. B., May 29.—Matt Burgess, the popular manager of Burgess & Sons, who recently fractured the bones of his foot, has so far recovered as to be able to move about on crutches and visit the mill and office.

Arch. Bellamy, of the C. P. R., has been enjoying a vacation with his family in town for the past week.

Frank Goodwin and Ex-Mayor A. J. MacIntyre returned today from a successful fishing trip to Temiscouata Lake. A second report was the largest fish landed.

Charles White, of Wilmet, Carleton county, who has been the guest of his brother, Mayor J. L. White, for the past week, returned home on Friday. "Tim" Kelly, a former resident of Grand Falls, is in town, renewing old acquaintances.

A party of Maine State senators and members of State legislature, accompanied by their wives, arrived in town on Saturday and registered at the Carlton House.

The gentlemen were a committee of the Maine House of Representatives, and had been officially visiting Fort Kent, Van Buren and the upper St. John, in connection with their legislative duties.

The following composed the party:—Geo. M. Stewart and wife, Millinocket; Eugene Thomas, Topsham; Geo. M. Warren and wife, Castine; Asst. Briggs and wife, Adams; Allison P. Howe, Palmyra; Wm. R. Copp and wife, Cornish; Wm. G. Sigurd and wife, Castine; and G. W. Irving, Carleton. The party departed today for Bangor. All expressed themselves charmed with the scenery and scenery surrounding Grand Falls, and regretted that their engagements would not allow them a longer visit than two days.

A large number of townpeople drove to Salmon River late yesterday and passed the Sunday picking fiddleheads.

Several large parties from Limestone (Me.) and vicinity drove to Grand Falls on Saturday and passed Sunday in town viewing the scenery, and returned home today.

A large number of steam-drivers have passed through Grand Falls during the past few days. Burgess drove on Little River has reached the mill, although one half the logs were abandoned above the mill.

A heavy rain later in the season will, it is expected, bring down the remainder of the logs.

There will undoubtedly be an election in Victoria county next summer, caused by the appointment of Hon. John Costigan to the senate, after the prorogation of parliament. It is the generally accepted opinion that Thomas Lawson, barrister, will be the government candidate.

Mr. Lawson is, politically speaking, one of the strongest men in Victoria county. Other names mentioned as probable candidates include P. Michael, Sheriff Gagnon, Fred Lafort, J. E. Porter and Charles Curless.

On Saturday evening there was a brilliant display of fireworks in front of the drugstore of J. R. Wade & Sons on Broadway. A large number of citizens were on the streets until a late hour.

The wells and rocks are now a favorite resort on Sundays. A series of raised terraces lead down the almost perpendicular bank to the wells and rocks. There are several hundred steps and a series of terraces along the descent allow the visitor to rest. At the bottom the rocky gorge rises perpendicularly on all sides to the height of several hundred feet. Huge rocks jut out in mid-air, obstructing the mid-way of the rushing waters. A massive rock extends almost to the centre of the canyon, standing on which one can watch the sweep of the maddest eddying, whirling, foam-crested waters. A huge whirlpool rotates just above and below the rock. The action of the mighty waters upon the excavated circular wells in the hardened rocks, some of which have a diameter of six or more feet and are of unknown depth. At low water the wells are visible, and

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Ben Benton, the Boston sporting man and able promoter, is in receipt of a letter from Jack O'Brien of Philadelphia to the effect that the popular Quaker pugilist is ready to fight again. O'Brien writes to Benton to the effect that he has arranged a limited round bout with Jack Munro and declares that if nothing happens the two will have it out some time next month. O'Brien does not state where the mill will be held, but in all likelihood the pair will meet at Philadelphia or Baltimore. Munro has not done much fighting since he was defeated by Jim Jeffries in a punch about a year ago. Some think that in view of the fact that he has the advantage in weight and that he has strength in his favor he may be able to best O'Brien.

A Good Bout

MARLBORO, May 27 -- In the best fight that has ever taken place in this city the honors were awarded to Sam Langford of Cambridge, over Young Peter Jackson of Baltimore. The mill went fifteen rounds at the Marlboro A. C.

Mike Twin After Nelson

Boston American--Battling Nelson need not go to Philadelphia to get a six-round bout, as Mike (Twin) Sullivan is willing to take him on if any club will make the match. Twin is anxious to have the Chelsea Club negotiate for Joe Gans or Willie Lewis, as he will meet either boy, and the boys would be a big drawing card in the Hub.

MODERN SAMSON HAS DELILAH'S

Hackenschmidt in Paris Encountered Many of the Charmers.

A professional musician of the heroic order gets almost as many incentives to "idleness" as a "beauty actor." George Hackenschmidt states in quaint German-English, that he found Delilah more numerous, beautiful and sedulous in Paris than in any other city where he had remained. Wrestling was the fashionable amusement when he struck at dem all, and an Algerian and a Turk calling themselves champions. Some of der laydies led der Algerian--one of dem led der Turk. Well, I trow der Algerian; I trow der Turk; den all der laydies dey let me look beautiful greivous in soch low neck dresses! Der bodices cot so low dat dey vos' arily vord der drabble of padding, on dey make so leetle covering for der bodices. I look at dem all, and I don't know vich to pick, and I tink, "Well, der Algerian and der Turk, I don't vunder I trow dem so easie."

The World's Tallest Man

Ivan Machnow is the tallest man that has ever lived, and he stands 7 feet 2 1/2 inches in his socks and weighs 290 pounds, although he is only twenty-three years of age. This extraordinary man was born in Charkoff, Russia. When he was seven years old he was as big as an ordinary man. At twelve years of age he was 6 feet 1 inch. When at Warsaw, Machnow was drafted as a recruit for the Imperial Guard, but he quietly slipped over the frontier to avoid serving. His journeys are not a source of pleasure to him, for both on the train and on the boat he has to spend most of his time in a recumbent position. He was met at London by a van comfortably upholstered and fitted with a huge couch for the giant to recline on and drawn by four horses.

When a company of men have had a jolly time, the only thing that will reconcile them to breaking up and going home is the singing of "Auld Lang Syne" in promiscuous discord. Then great tears are seen to course down many cheeks, and agony is depicted in features of torture and despair.

It is the successful physician who does not let well enough alone.

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Read what Mrs. Wm. Castellous Newport, Quebec, has to say about Burdock Blood Bitters. "I was in December I fell very sick after confinement, I was not able to walk for three months, and was given up to die by the doctor. My husband read of the many wonderful cures made by Burdock Blood Bitters, so procured me two bottles. After using it for about ten days, I was able to get around, and could mind my baby without help from anyone, and am now well, and able to do my own work. I told a lady friend of mine who was troubled in the same way, and she used it with equal success. I cannot too highly recommend your medicine, for I know just how good it is, and hope and wish that anyone suffering as I did will give it a trial."

THE AMERICA'S CUP

Composed by Capt. Thomas Suttie in New York Maritime Register. Sir Thomas Lipton is a sportsman indeed, and I am sorry his Shamrock was lacking in speed; but he is after that Trophy, and will not give it up. Till he carries off in triumph the America's Cup. He is coming again with Shamrock Number Four. And his friends they will greet him as they have done before; For John Bull is waiting quite patient they say. For a drink from the Cup that is still far away. Herrshoff's latest was up to the mark. And left the bold Shamrock behind in the dark; But Thomas Lipton will not give it up. Till he gives Cousin Edward a drink from the Cup. Shamrocks are all right while they are on the green sod. But they don't seem to flourish transported abroad; 'Round the lakes of Killarney they are given up. But they are not in it off the New Jersey shore. But four-leaved shamrocks are lucky they say. And the New York Yacht Club must mind how they play; But with a Herrshoff "joker" they will get it. Against any challenger of Old Navarin.

Owen Moran Challenges

Owen Moran, the clever English bantam who made such a fine impression by defeating Monte Attell in private recently, is out with a challenge through his manager, Tom O'Rourke, to meet any 118 pounder in the business. O'Rourke has named Tommy Murphy of Harlem, Hughie McGovern and Frankie Neil as prospective opponents. O'Rourke declares that he will not entertain any matches unless the above-named fighters make the required scale. O'Rourke has the utmost confidence in Moran's ability, and is ready to bet \$2,500 on the side in the event of a bout being arranged. O'Rourke adds that he will post a forfeit as an assurance that he is strictly in earnest as soon as there is a chance of arranging the bout.

The Englishman Won

LONDON, May 29 -- At the National Sporting Club tonight the contest between "Joe" Bowker, the present bantam champion of England, and "Pink" Evans, of Yonkers (N. Y.), for the bantam championship and a purse of \$3,750, went to the full 20 rounds. Bowker was an easy winner on points.

THE OAR

Aquatic Attractions NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C., May 29 -- George Howes, or James Stanbury, whichever may be champion oarsman of the world after their match in July next, will defend the title against all comers on the Fraser river during the Dominion exhibition, which opens here on September 27. The big act of action was definitely secured this morning in a cable message received by the fair manager from Howes, in reply to the latest offer made to him. He says that if he is successful against Stanbury in July he will be here on the conditions offered, and prepared to defend his title against the world. Stanbury, who was previously heard from, is prepared to be here in any event. The offer of the management for a double scull championship race is also satisfactory to both Howes, and when they arrive here to row for the single scull championship they will be prepared to meet any other pair of oarsmen in the world. This together with the amateur sculling challenge, offered by Howes to any competitor, and the prospective acceptance of same by Bennett, of Stanford, will present grand attractions along the aquatic line. The purse for the single scull championship will be \$500 and \$250 for the double scull race.

TURF

Local Horse Notes Fred Duncanson has sent the noted trotter Annie Brevet to Moosepath Park, also a half-sister of Annie Brevet to get ready to go round the circuit. Driver Brickley has taken to Sussex a strong string of five horses, two from Wallace's stables, two from Gilchrist's stables, and one green horse. D. C. Climb's trotting stallion, Regal Pentick, has gone to Springfield, N. S., to be handled by Fred Moran. Driver Fowler has a good string at the Moosepath Park, including Phoebe W. Hannah Lanta, Will Patch, Bessie McKinnon and Farrel.

The Maritime Circuit

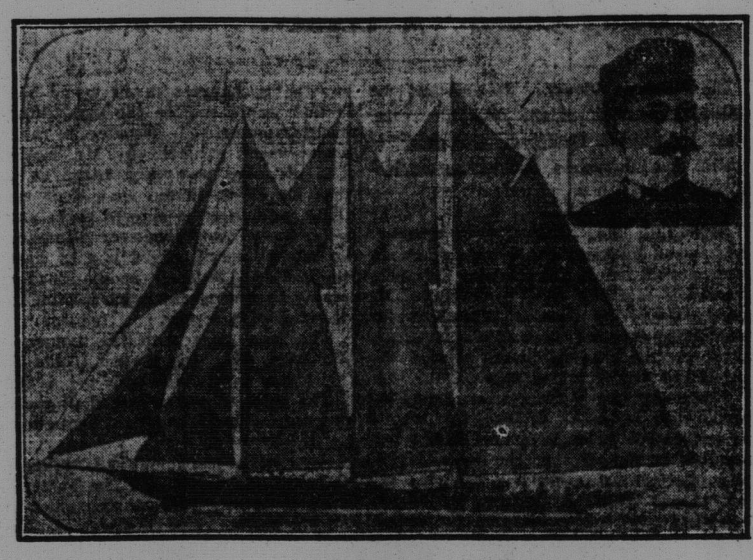
MONCTON, May 29 -- The Maritime Horsemen's Association, organized in Moncton last winter, has arranged a circuit of races for the coming season as follows: Springhill, June 30 and July 1--\$1,800 in premiums; six classes, free-for-all, 2:19 trot and pace, 2:19 trot, 2:23 trot and pace, 2:28 trot, and 2:30 trot and pace, \$300 for each. Same track, August 30 and 31--Purses and classes to be announced. Moncton, July 7 and 8--Same classes and purses as at Springhill. Same track, September 4 and 5--\$2,400 in premiums; six classes, to be announced, \$400 for each. Sussex, July 12 and October 3 and 4--Purses and classes to be announced. Woodstock, July 14 and 15--\$1,200 in premiums; four classes, free-for-all, 2:15 trot and pace, 2:22 trot and pace, 2:40 trot and pace, \$300 each. St. John, July 19 and 20--\$1,200 in premiums; same classes and purses as at Woodstock, except that 2:24 trot and pace is substituted for 2:22 class. Chatham, September 9 to 13--\$1,200 in premiums; four classes, 2:19, 2:23, 2:24 and free-for-all, trot and pace, \$300 for each. Fredericton, September 29 to 31--Purses and classes to be announced.

PRIZES OVER \$10,000

MONTREAL, May 29 -- A special London cable says: The prize list for the Buxley meeting in July shows that the total amount offered for competitors using the service ride exceeds \$10,000. The results of the ball games in the big leagues yesterday have not been received.

When a religious society discharges its pastor it is kind enough to tell the public that it has furnished under his ministrations and past with him with regret. But it is not made to suppose that a society which always changing ministers is in a particularly favorable condition. The society may well, but it is probably mistaken.

THE ATLANTIC WINS RACE AND BREAKS THE RECORD



The American Schooner-Yacht Atlantic and Skipper Charlie Barr.

The Lizard, Eng., May 29--The Atlantic finished the yacht race at 9:18 p. m. Captain Barr was hailed by the correspondent's boat. He said the Atlantic made an average speed of ten and a half knots since leaving Sandy Hook. The Atlantic proceeded for Cowes by way of Southampton, intent on beating the record. After passing Selly the Atlantic was calmed and had 12 hours to drift. At the Lizard she met a tremendous sea swell and for some time drifted backwards and forwards.

BASEBALL

Eight Innings and No Score

The game of ball last evening on the Victoria grounds, between the Y. M. C. A.'s and Jubilees, would indicate that the boys were getting down to business. It was a fast, clean game and though eight innings were played neither side scored. The Jubilees got a man as far as the plate in the sixth, but he was put out there. Hodds of the Jubilees pitched good ball, as did Gilmore of the Y. M. C. A. A feature of the game was the splendid play in which Gilmore fielded his position, his man catching him in any of the infield. On a two base hit a Jubilee player at second tried to score. A quick return by Small and a true throw to the plate by Gilmore put the runner off. The next game will be played on Wednesday night, when the Y. M. C. A. and Jubilees will meet again. The teams were: Jubilees--Lee, catcher; Hodds, pitcher; Stubbs, 1st base; Romney, 2nd base; Francis, 3rd base; Wolfe, short stop; Totten, left field; Murphy, right field; Bent, center field. Y. M. C. A.--Palmer, catcher; Gilmore, pitcher; McCafferty, 1st base; Clawson, 2nd base; Ledington, 3rd base; Heane, short stop; Everett, left field; Murphy, right field; Small, center field.

Martello's 9; St. Roses 10.

The Martellos defeated the St. Roses team 9 to 10 in the West End league series last evening. Downey and Keenan and Connors and Burpee were the batters. The feature of the game was the batting of the boys in grey. Tonight the Victoria and Jubilees will play.

Newman's 7; Milwaukee's 1.

The Newmans and Milwaukee's St. Peter's base ball league played last evening, and the former team won, the score being 7-1. The Newman's pitcher struck out 12 men, and the Milwaukee's pitcher nine men. An excellent one-hand catch was made by Dolan, left fielder of the Newman's, who caught the Schmoeders and Kemerals will play.

May Depose Bannon

BUFFALO, May 25 -- President J. Kreitner, of the Montreal Club, it develops, was in close consultation with the club's executive committee and Third Base man J. Casey, of the Chicago National League Club, last Sunday, at the Hotel Victoria, New York, just before the Eastern League went into session. Casey had previously had a long talk with President P. T. Powers, in the latter's office. It develops that Mr. Kreitner is far from satisfied with the results that have been attained under Jimmy Bannon, and is seeking a new manager, and it is believed that Casey will be the man, providing he can secure his release from Chicago. Casey is a former Eastern Leaguer, having played with the champion Toronto Club a few years back. Charley Dooley, who formerly managed the Rochester and Montreal Club, is looking for a managerial berth. Not long ago he asked President Powers to use his influence in placing him somewhere on the Eastern League circuit, where conditions might not be altogether satisfactory. Dooley holds a government position, but can arrange matters so as to be able to take a vacation lasting throughout the baseball season. It is believed that President Powers favors placing Casey in charge of the Montreal club, but in case there is a hitch in the proceedings, Dooley may land the berth.

Baseball Notes

The Emeralds defeated the Rosebuds last evening by a score of 16 to 6. The batters were: Emeralds, O'Leary and Shannon; Rosebuds, O'Neill and Barry. The Dufferin Hotel nine accept the challenge of the St. John's baseball team for Wednesday night, June 7, on the Y. M. C. A. grounds, corner of Wentworth and St. James streets. Archie McDonald, the outfielder for the Portland baseball team leaves on Wednesday for New York. Mac will be sorely missed by the North End team.

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CALENDAR

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TUESDAY, May 30.
Wednesday, May 31.
Thursday, June 1.
Friday, June 2.
Saturday, June 3.
Sunday, June 4.

THAT SUSSEX INVESTIGATION

Several Witnesses Examined by Premier Tweedie This Morning -- May, Conclude Today.

SUSSEX, N. B., May 29 (Special).—The investigation into the management of the Sussex Creamery and the charges preferred by Supt. Nelson Ewing against certain of the proprietors was resumed this morning before Premier Tweedie. Hon. L. P. Harris was present, also Geo. Foster, M. P., and the attendance was very large. Five witnesses were called, but no evidence of a surprising or unusual character was adduced. The four witnesses were Richard and Frank McCready, Nelson T. Edward, Charles and Stephen Lullman. Each had been connected with the creamery and had been called to the stand by the Premier. They were examined by Mr. Harris, who was assisted by Mr. Ewing. The Premier asked a number of questions, and the witnesses gave answers which were generally in the general tone of Mr. Ewing's evidence. The investigation may conclude today.

MORE ABOUT THE DOINGS OF THAT SMOOTH MR. "CAMPBELL"

He Wanted His Lawyer to Assist Him in a Gentle Touch for \$500--St John Girl Objects to Being Called "A Legacy."

The Lewiston Evening Journal has the following account of the deception practiced by F. W. Campbell, the story of which was published exclusively in last night's Times.
BANGOR, Me., May 29.—A woman's doubts and mistrust of the man whom she was to wed, led to the startling discovery Thursday morning that a decree of divorce, issued by Justice Whitehouse of the Maine supreme court at the last April term in this city, had been altered and impudently altered.



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TONIGHT'S ATTRACTIONS

"The Wayward Son" at the Opera House.
Society Company Boys' Brigade, meet in uniform at St. Stephen's church school room.

Local News.

This is a discouraging day in the United States; no New York stock market today.

If your glasses are not comfortable call D. Boyner, optician, 601 Main street.

A full practice of the St. John baseball team is called for this evening at the Victoria grounds.

The employees of Messrs. D. Magee's Sons manufacturing department will enjoy the Saturday afternoon holiday during June, July and August, as in former years. Now it is up to the rest to get in line.

Rev. J. H. A. Anderson, of Florenceville, who has been stopping at the Clifton for the past two days, left on the Atlantic express this morning for St. Martins, where he will spend a short vacation.

On account of unforeseen circumstances the concert which was to take place Tuesday evening in St. John Protestant church schoolroom is postponed till Tuesday evening of 19th, when a good evening is promised.

J. E. Quinn has for sale, at his stall in the country market, a number of native watercress plants, which were grown at Manguerville. Mr. Quinn is probably the only merchant in the city who keeps the native watercress in stock.

The St. John Primary Union for Sunday school teachers will meet this afternoon at four o'clock in the parlor of the Wesleyan church. Miss Payson will teach the lesson "The resurrection." All primary and junior teachers are made welcome.

A very pleasant and enjoyable surprise gathering was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Brown, North End, last evening, on the occasion of the 25th anniversary of their wedding. W. Collins, on behalf of the ladies and gentlemen present, presented to Mr. and Mrs. Brown a silver service. Mrs. Brown responded.

The case of the Cumberland Coal and Railway Co. vs. The St. John Pilgrimage was continued this morning before Judge MacLeod, when evidence was taken for the defence, and the case resumed this afternoon. E. H. McAlpine for the Crown, C. J. Coster and D. W. Shingler for the Commission, and W. A. MacLean for the plaintiffs.

The city of "North" disturbed the placid calmness of North street last evening. A woman rushed to the corner of Mill St. and called the Grand Union Hotel was on an investigation was instituted and it was found that a spark from the chimney had ignited a bag lying on the roof of the building and was smouldering. It was quickly stamped out.

THE R. K. V. CLUB

Will Exchange Old Club House--Water Supply--A Prize.

The members of the Royal Newfoundland Club, St. John, are holding a meeting at the home of Mr. J. A. Armstrong and Dr. J. W. Crawford.

It is quite probable that a prize of \$5 for a day school teacher will be given to the one who has the best record in the city. The prize will be given to the one who has the best record in the city.

GOVERNMENT DOINGS

The duty department investigation will conclude at Sussex today. Premier Tweedie and Hon. L. P. Harris left here for Fredericton on Wednesday.

The monthly meeting of the government will be held in Fredericton on Wednesday.

Mr. W. F. Jones, who has been busy with the new regulations for the province, has been generally completed. They will probably be ready for publication in a few days.

THE NEIL TWOMEY CO

Mr. Peter Blake states that in his opinion a gross injustice is being done to city officials. He takes the building inspector as an illustration. This official is sent to inspect a building and, consequently, this is spent in the work. When a complaint is sent to report on the inspection, this what he has done has merely been a

LAST NIGHT'S CONCERT

Four Highly Gifted Sisters--An Artistic Success--Classical Music.

The grand concert in the Opera House last evening by the four sisters, Madeline Ewing, Mrs. Duff, Mrs. Stoves and Mrs. Duffy, was an artistic success. The program was very well chosen and the execution was of a high order. The sisters were accompanied by Mrs. Duffy, who played the piano. The selections were from the great masters. Madeline Ewing's voice was of a rare quality. Mrs. Duff's voice was of a rich and full tone. Mrs. Stoves' voice was of a sweet and clear quality. Mrs. Duffy's voice was of a soft and tender quality. The concert was a most successful one and the audience was very much pleased.

THE HAMBURG SIGHTED

Second of Trans-Atlantic Yacht Racers Reaches Scully Islands.

LONDON, May 30.—The German yacht Hamburg (second) in the race across the Atlantic from Sandy Hook) was off the Scully Islands at 12.30 o'clock this morning.

The Hamburg passed four miles south of the Cape of Good Hope at 9 o'clock. She was at 12.30 o'clock.

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FREDERICTON

FREDERICTON, N. B., May 30 (Special).—The city council at the regular June meeting will take steps with the view of installing a system of sewerage here under authority of the act of assembly passed last session.

It is quite probable that delegations from the city council, board of trade and county council will be sent to Ottawa, when the time arrives to address the winter route for the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway.

H. Mason, of the city of Fredericton, has been awarded the contract for conveying the mails between the city and Moncton. He is to receive work on July 1st. John MacFarlane, of the city of Fredericton, has been awarded the contract for conveying the mails between the city and Moncton. He is to receive work on July 1st.

George Clark, ex M. P. P.
TRURO, N. S., May 30 (Special).—George Clark, ex M. P. P. of Tatamagouche, died last night after three weeks' illness of pneumonia. He was elected to the local parliament in 1893 and 1897, and was a member of the Nova Scotia legislature from 1897 to 1900. He was a well-known and popular man in his district.

POLICE COURT

The Lewiston press case was resumed before Judge MacLeod this morning. A. W. Baird appearing for the defence.

Alfred Simonds, of Toronto, Ont., who has been in the city for the past few days, representing an Ontario boot and shoe house, left on the noon train today for Halifax.

Mrs. M. O'Leary and Mrs. L. T. Harrison, of Boston, were registered at the Dufferin yesterday.

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PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE

W. E. Mason, who for several years managed the business of the Canada Permanent Mortgage Corporation in the maritime provinces and Newfoundland, with headquarters at St. John, left last night with his family for Regina, to take charge of the business there.

Dr. J. A. McIntyre is expected to arrive from Boston on steamer tonight.

Mrs. William Kyle and daughter, of Boston (Mass.), arrived in the city on the noon train today. They will visit Mrs. Allan on Orange street.

Robert J. Stackhouse of Fredericton came to the city on the noon train today. Miss Blanche Moore of Fredericton arrived in the city on the Atlantic express today.

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Mr. Robinson conducted the party to his office, where he showed them letters from Wiggins, all signed "F. Campbell," in which that individual asked him if he would make application for a change of name for him, "Wiggins," so that he might legally use the name of Campbell.

Among the letters was one in which he requested Mr. Robinson to write and tell him that a change of name would be costly and would require the expenditure of \$500 to accomplish. Needless to say, that letter wasn't written by Mr. Robinson. The attorney was very angry to think that his client should have done such a thing, and then he showed them another letter in which Wiggins or Campbell, as he called himself, urged him to hurry in the matter of securing the change of name, saying that it meant a lot to him in the securing of a legacy.

This was more than the woman from St. John, who was present, could stand. "A legacy is what he calls me, is it?" The clerk of courts looked at the county attorney and a new light began to dawn on them.

Another adjournment was taken and the lady, Mr. Sweet and the woman told her story. She is a native of St. John and has lived there all her life. She is employed as a buyer for a large mercantile establishment. Some three or four years ago Wiggins appeared in that city as a book agent, doing business under the name of Warren Campbell.

He secured board in the same house with the lady and soon became acquainted with her. He was pleasant and she grew to like him. In due time acquaintance ripened into love on her part and they became engaged.

Shortly before this occurred, Wiggins had prevailed upon her to establish him in business in the city and she had done so.

Not long after the engagement a man named Buck arrived in St. John and was one of those odd coincidences in life, went to live in the same boarding house as the two principals in the drama. He knew Wiggins.

He admitted the accusation told her a hard luck story and asked to be forgiven. The title to the store was turned over and then the woman—for she loved him and when a woman loves she'll do most anything that a man wants her to—old him to get a separation from his wife in Maine and get his name changed so that the people would never know that he had been other than Campbell, she would marry him.

This it was that sent Wiggins to South St. John.

In the course of time the St. John lady received the news of the divorce which she had secured from Wiggins' name to Campbell. Just why she was suspicious she cannot say, but whatever it was she advised her husband to call on the attorney and begin to investigate the validity of the decree.

Twenty years ago F. Warren Wiggins was one of the most conspicuous figures in educational circles in Penobscot county and his reputation spread over the entire State. He was a school teacher and he attended many of the teachers' conventions, and he made speeches and was a whole lot in made speeches and was a whole lot in made speeches.

He married a young woman named Miss George Wiggins, a school teacher, one of the sweetest, modest, little women that Levant ever knew. They lived happily together in Hartland and after-wards went into business there, but later moved back to Lewiston, where he later some time "Wiggins" was next of him in this case was to make a dozen years ago when he suddenly disappeared, deserting his wife. Since then she has made application for the divorce last April Levant and Bangor have known him not.

BATTLE LINE

Steamer Bertha arrived at Newcastle on Tyne yesterday at 1 p. m. from Hamburg, leaving today for West Bay, N. B. to load coal for United Kingdom.

Sumner Platts sailed yesterday from Halifax for Marcellus, France.

Rev. J. M. Gladstone, rector of McAdam, who was for some time colleague of Rev. C. D. Schofield at Hamilton, is now in Sydney, where he will officiate in Christ church during the rector's absence.

HOW IT HAPPENED

To the Editor of the Times:—Sir—Re "Nebogostoff Captured," Nebogostoff did get off, he had to go—And now Topog has him. R. WRIGHT, Prince Wm. Street.

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DEMANDS REFORM. Mr. Peter Blake states that in his opinion a gross injustice is being done to city officials. He takes the building inspector as an illustration. This official is sent to inspect a building and, consequently, this is spent in the work. When a complaint is sent to report on the inspection, this what he has done has merely been a

waste of time. The same, Mr. Hinks asserts, is true in other departments, and it is most unfair to the officials. They should be permitted to drive their salaries in peace, and get some enjoyment out of life. As it stands now not one of them knows what moment he will be called on to search for that will immediately do over again by a board or committee. "It isn't fair," said Mr. Hinks with one of those "it's in accord" with official institutions. He will lay the matter before the Men Club, and probably introduce a resolution



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