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MANITOBA MURDERER MADE A CONFESSION

Man Charged With Killing Miss Georgina Brown Admitted His Guilt--Ontario Boy Miraculously Saved from Choking to Death.

ST. CATHERINES, Ont., May 29 (Special)—Neil McCann, a Meriton young man, while eating at a restaurant, got a large piece of meat stuck in his throat.

KAISER WILHELM OUT OF THE MUD

Big Liner Grounded in New York Bay Last Night and Was Floated This Morning.

NEW YORK, May 29.—The steamer Kaiser Wilhelm Der Grosse, which went aground on the west edge of the Main Channel in the lower bay, was floated at 7.30 o'clock without assistance.

WEDDINGS

KINGSMILL-HENRY. The residence of L. Ross, 29 Hanover street was the scene of an interesting event at 8 o'clock last evening when Miss Katherine Louise Henry was married to Thos. Kingsmill.

The mayor and members of the civic committee appointed recently to look after the reception of Earl Grey on the occasion of his visit here, held a meeting with Lieut. Governor Tweedie at the Royal Hotel at 2.30 o'clock this afternoon to discuss plans.

ST. JOSEPH'S BOYS PRESENT ADDRESS TO BISHOP CASEY

On Tuesday evening, May 28th, the St. Patrick's Literary and Debating society held its annual entertainment in Lefebvre Memorial hall. The play "The Prodigal Law Student" was rendered.

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JUSTIFICATION TO BE MR. CROCKET'S DEFENCE IN FAMOUS LIBEL SUIT

First Hearing of Hon. Mr. Emmerson's Suit Against the Gleaner This Afternoon--Expected That Mr. Crocket Will Attempt to Prove the Charges Made Against the Ex-Minister.

FREDERICTON, N. B., May 29.—The preliminary examination of James H. Crocket, managing director of the Fredericton Gleaner on a charge of defamatory libel preferred by Hon. Henry R. Emmerson, ex-minister of railways, was to have commenced at the police court this morning, but at the request of the counsel for the prosecution, an adjournment was made until 2.30 o'clock this afternoon to await the arrival of Mr. Emmerson and his leading counsel Attorney General Pugsley, who are coming from Montreal.

VOLIVA MUST MAKE A MOVE

Dowie's Successor Notified by Receiver of Zion City to Quit and Deliver Up.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 29.—General Overseer Voliva, who succeeded in ousting the late John Alexander Dowie from control of Zion City, has been ordered by Receiver John C. Hatley to vacate all leases of buildings May 31.

CARAQUET EN FETE

Whole Village Turned Out to Celebrate the Opening of Steam Navigation.

CARAQUET, May 27.—A most remarkable reception was tendered the little steamer Beaver, which was recently purchased to run from Caraquet to Lunenburg, Misou, Shippegan, etc. It is over a month since the steamer left St. John for Caraquet, having been re-bound on her way up, in the Straits.

Dr. Charles Gray Died Under Suspicious Circumstances in Rochester.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 29.—Dr. Jas. Gray, 65 years old, was found dead in bed last night at the hotel where he boarded. The coroner found drugs, the nature of which are not yet known, which led him to suspect that the man had committed suicide.

THE STUDENTS OF ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE

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are undemocratic, although they pay the rates, and expect to have quite a busy summer. Why should not the city fathers put a whitewashed fence around the pond, with a track, which is used as a cemetery for cats, dogs, rats, diseased meat and other offal. I make this statement in the hope that you will publish it, because I do not think the fact is as generally known as it should be.

THE ENCOENIA DAY IN THE OLD U. N. B.

Governor Tweedie Will Preside at the Exercises Tomorrow Afternoon --- A List of the Winners of the Prizes and the Degrees.

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GEN. METHUEN GETS COMMAND

He Has Been Appointed to Command British Forces in South Africa.

LONDON, May 29.—Among a number of new military appointments announced last night, is one of unusual interest, that of General Methuen to command the British forces in South Africa. Gen. Methuen's part in the South African campaign did not reflect great credit upon him. He was severely defeated at Magersfontein in December, 1899, and was recalled from Kimberley after his unsuccessful operations before Warrenton in March, 1900.

SMITH SENT TO MISPEC

Man Who Said Policeman Robbed Him is Allowed to go.

Four prisoners were dealt with in the police court this morning, and the most interesting case was that against Arthur D. Smith, of Boston, who was arrested yesterday afternoon for making a false statement to the chief of police and Deputy P. Jenkins, saying a police officer had arrested him and stolen his watch, pocket book and money and then let him go.

MAY BE SUICIDE

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THE WEATHER

WASHINGTON, May 29.—Remarkably unseasonable weather with a cold wave extending through the region east of the Rocky Mountains and the thermometer in some sections registering the lowest temperature of the season, in many years, is reported by the weather bureau.

MONTEAL STOCKS

MONTEAL, May 29.—(Special)—There were but few transactions in the stock market this morning and the only notable price change was a further rally of Canadian Pacific to 169. There were transactions recorded in Twin City, 91, Mackay 67, Illinois, 80 1/2; Soo common, 92; Laurentide Paper, 83.

ROMANTIC MARRIAGE

Reported That Miss Reita Deinstadt, and Ralph P. Bell, of Halifax, Were Married at Amherst Last Night.

It is reported that Miss Reita Deinstadt, daughter of Rev. J. J. Deinstadt, of Fairville Methodist church, was married in Amherst last night to R. P. Bell, of Halifax. Mr. Bell who took his degree at Seabrook yesterday, was accompanied by his father, Rev. J. J. Deinstadt, who was present, played golf with the Mount Allison football team last season.

UNLICENSED DOG NUISANCE

Safety Board May Consider Question of Establishing a Pound.

Considerable talk has been heard about the city the past few days about the recent cases of dog poisoning. While many are of the opinion that St. John could very well get along without so many dogs, yet it is felt that no one should be allowed to have a dog without a license, and that more valuable dogs have been killed than can be replaced.

FUNERALS

The funeral of the late Charles M. Brown took place this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the Home for Incapables to Fernhill cemetery, where interment was made. Rev. R. P. McKim, assisted by Rev. Mr. Dickie officiated.

CHANTED A MASS OVER A CHINAMAN

MONTEAL, May 29 (Special) The first requiem mass ever chanted for a Chinaman in Canada was held at St. Patrick's Catholic church this morning. Rev. Mark Callaghan, parish priest, officiated. The subject of the mass was Wong Yon, a Chinaman, 23 years of age, who died at the Hotel Dieu on Sunday. He is the second Chinaman to be interred in the Catholic cemetery here.

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CHAPTER IX

Patience remained alone, seated over the fire. It was true that she needed rest, yet she was sure that sleep would not come to her; also her father had not yet returned. She had been vaguely conscious of his movements in the smoking-room, and now and again the sound of his voice. She wondered who his companion might be.

Are You Often Bilious?

Read This and Learn How to Prevent Attacks

Biliousness is merely a term applied to a condition that exists when the body is overloaded with bile. The complexion turns yellow, eyes look dull, pimples, itching and eczema break out, headaches are ever present.

Daily Fashion Hint for Times Readers.



A SUNDOWN HAT AND A PRETTY SUNSHADE. A hat which is particularly becoming to the youthful beauty of the girl graduate is the sundown shade.

to more respectable society. It had seemed an impossible task, but he had accomplished it. Barrington Lodge was in a rather remote part of Sussex, and he had carefully ascertained that the neighbors whom he would be likely to meet were not such as would know much of anything of his previous history.

THE ROAD TO HEALTH

Lies Through the Rich, Red Blood Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Actually Make.

Common pills purge the bowels. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills make new rich blood. Purging pills gallop through the bowels, tearing the tissues, irritating the organs and weakening the whole system.

SUCCESSFUL CONCERT

A very successful concert was held in the city hall, Carleton, last evening under the auspices of St. George's basket ball team. About 600 were present.

SAFETY INK WELL COST HER A GOWN

Michigan Woman, a Stranger to Such Devices, Sues Hotel to Make It Right.

NEW YORK, May 24.—Mrs. Elizabeth B. Suave, a Michigan dressmaker, journeyed all the way to New York before she first saw a safety ink well. She told Judge Roesech so in the Eighth District Municipal Court at the hearing of her suit against the Hotel Breslin for \$115, the value of a damaged gown.

FEARED MANSFIELD WOULD DIE ON TRIP ACROSS THE ATLANTIC

Wireless Sent to London for Doctor to Meet Invalid Actor on Arrival in England.

LONDON, May 24.—When Richard Mansfield was assisted out of the railway car upon the arrival of the boat train from the steamship Minneapolis at Fenchurch-street station this evening he looked very well, with the assistance of his attendants he walked across the platform, entered a cab and was driven to his hotel.

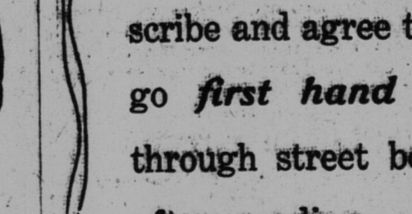
All Run Down

In the spring—that is the condition of thousands whose systems have not thrown off the impurities accumulated during the winter—blood humors that are now causing pimples, boils and other eruptions, loss of appetite, bilious troubles, dull headaches and weak, languid feelings.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Insist on having Hood's. Get it today. Sold everywhere—100 doses one dollar.

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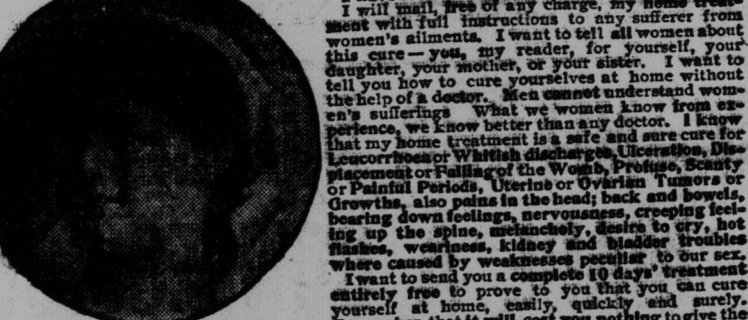
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The first question asked by a general advertiser. The Telegraph and Times reach that class of people who subscribe and agree to pay for the reading privilege. These papers go first hand from the publishers by carrier and not through street boys to be left in office or store by purchaser after reading.

The CANADIAN DRUG CO., LTD.

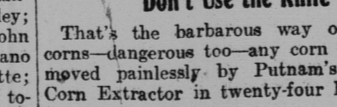
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FINANCIAL and COMMERCIAL

CONTRACTION BUT NOT REALLY HARD TIMES

Thousands of Men Laid Off by Railroads and Other Corporations in the States -- No Great Shock, but Gradual Reduction of Business.

(New York World.) That a business contraction has set in there seems to be little doubt. Thousands of men have been laid off by the New York Central and Pennsylvania railroads...

ON MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

In moving the adoption of the annual report at the meeting of the Imperial Bank on Wednesday, in Toronto, the president and general manager, D. R. Wilkie gave an emphatic warning on the subject of municipal indebtedness.

DAIRY PRODUCE

(Montreal Witness) Practically no change in the cheese situation has taken place since last week, and the prices paid on the Ontario boards on Saturday averaged the same as last week.

DIVIDENDS IN JUNE

An enormous sum in excess of \$70,000,000 will be paid out in interest and dividends in June in the United States.

UNITED STATES PULP WOOD.

A bulletin issued by the census bureau at Washington on Saturday places the total consumption of wood pulp in the United States for the year 1906 at 3,646,000 cords.

A LUBRICANT FOR HUMAN BEINGS. A strong yet grateful formula to rub the Rheumatism out of stiff unyielding joints, to make easy bruises, sprains, etc. Dr. Scott's White Liniment 25c. EVERYWHERE.

THEATRES THE LYCEUM STOCK CO

Tonight will inaugurate one of the most stupendous dramatic productions ever seen upon the local stage when N. L. Jelenko will appear in Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde.

RECEPTION

On Friday evening, May 31, a reception will be tendered Murray W. Baird of Hampton, N. B., the winner of the silver cup in the recent arithmetic contest at the Garrison Business University.

THE JEWISH SYNAGOGUE

The Jewish synagogue in the north end was the scene of a pretty wedding last night, when Mr. Goldberg, of the north end took unto himself a wife.

THE TWO YEAR OLD DAUGHTER

The two year old daughter of Fairland Devenne got hold of a bottle of paraffin oil in her home yesterday and drank the contents.

MISS E. A. DUFFY, DRESSMAKER

Miss E. A. Duffy, dressmaker at McKeown & Co. wishes to let her customers know that they can get to her establishment by way of the King street car.

THE LURE OF THE LONE LAND

A Winnipeg despatch says--Bishop of a diocese covering an area of 350,000 square miles, tried alike to trader, Indian or Eskimo, ready to travel 5,000 miles to visit a sick half-breed, or perform a marriage ceremony, such a man is Bishop Loftthouse of Kenora, who made a flying visit to Winnipeg to hear Canon Oby.

THE SHOW AT THE NICKEL

In all the film that yesterday the Nickel was patronized by hundreds of people--men, women and children in the afternoon and adults in the evening. The picture proved just as interesting as on Monday and screams of laughter greeted the ludicrous situations in which the young man with the flea and the countryman in quest of an heir found themselves every once in a while.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Typewriting Bureau, 20 Canterbury St. Hundreds of housewives could be saved untold worry and labor if they sent their curtains to Ungar's, Phone 58.

NOTICE--The person who was seen to pick up a sky tiercer bitch on Simons' street last week, is hereby warned to return immediately to Guy Olive, Richmond street, and save prosecution.

H. R. Campbell, who is in charge of the forestry department of Ottawa, is at the Royal and will go to Yarmouth, N. S. to attend the meeting of the Western Lumbermen's Association of Nova Scotia.

QUEEN'S ROLLWAY.

There was a large number of spectators and stagers at the Queen's Rollway last night, it was ladies' night. The band will play special music today.

CHOSES TONIGHT

When the key is turned in the four doors of J. N. Harvey's stores at 8 o'clock tonight the flurry of clothing and furnishing bargains which has followed the great Trade Extension Sale of last week will have ended. Between the time of publication of this notice until the break-up of the clearance there is plenty of opportunity for securing many a useful item of apparel for summer, whether it be for man, youth or boy. All these sale goods are new this season.

THE CHURCH VESTRY

The church vestry last evening and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year--Alfred Burley, superintendent; Wm. Johnston, assistant superintendent; Thomas Brown, secretary; W. D. Baskin, treasurer; Enoch Thompson, librarian; R. C. Holder and H. J. Cheyne, assistant librarians; Miss Emma Brown, superintendent primary department, Mrs. W. G. Haslam, superintendent home department, Miss Ethel Cheyne, pianist.

THE JEWEL IS FOUND

The annual meeting of the committee of management of the Sunday school of the Caledonia Methodist church was held in

SHIPPING

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VESSELS BOUND FOR ST. JOHN

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PORT OF ST. JOHN

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DOMINION PORTS

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BRITISH PORTS

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RECENT CHARTERS

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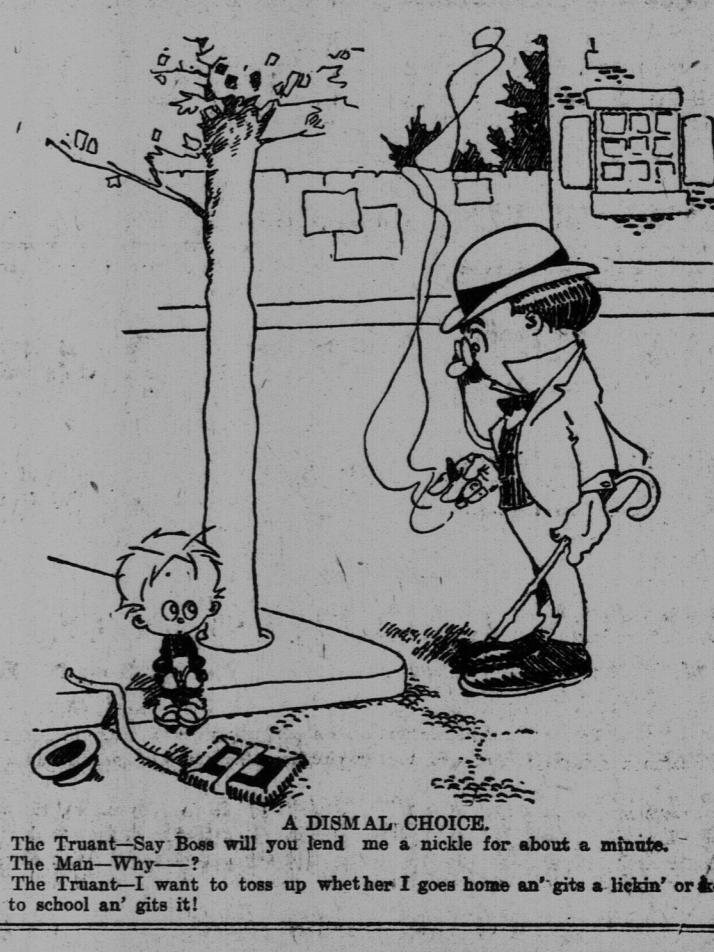
Quebec, May 27--Sturms Storm King (supposed the department of marine and fisheries vessel) and M. E. Hackett (of Quebec) collided here. The Hackett is badly damaged.

VESSELS IN PORT

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MARINE NOTES

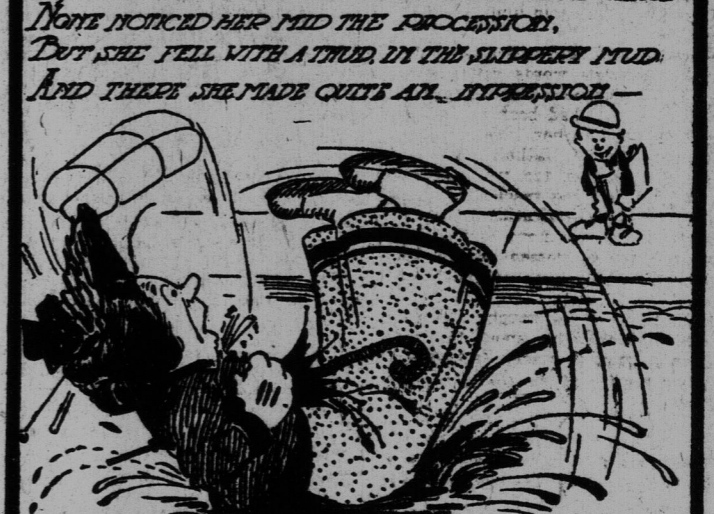
The schooner New Era arrived at Halifax yesterday from Liverpool, N. S. with 1900 lbs. wool.



A DISMAL CHOICE. The Truant--Say Boss will you lend me a nickel for about a minute. The Truant--I want to toss up whether I go home an' 'gits a lickin' or keeps on to school an' 'gits it!



'Tis well to bear in mind, foremost, When slanders 'round us fly, It's easier to expand the truth Than 'tis to mail a lie.



THE MADE HER MARK. Her plain was not made, and her features lacked grace. None noticed her and the successions. But she fell with a thud in the subway mud. And there she made quite an impression.

MARRIAGES

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CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS

CHAMBER GIRL WANTED. APPLY AT DUFFERIN HOTEL. 66-67.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS Advertising for Saturday's Issue During the Summer Months Must Reach This Office Before 6 O'clock Friday Afternoon. Positively no Changes Can be Handled if Held Back Until Saturday Morning.

FOR SALE--A 2-SEATED DEMOCRAT carriage. Good as new. Made by Crothers, Henderson & Wilson. Apply GRAHAM, OUNNINGHAM & NAVES 46 Peters Street. 66-67.

FOR SALE--A LIGHT OPEN CARRIAGE. Made by Crothers, Henderson & Wilson. Apply GRAHAM, OUNNINGHAM & NAVES 46 Peters Street. 66-67.

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THE TWO EXTREMES

Readers of the news of the day must not be ready to jump at conclusions, especially when they are reading statements about the success or failure of municipal ownership.

To illustrate the reasonableness of this observation let us consider a portion of the contents of two Toronto newspapers of the same date. One, the Mail and Empire, has a special cable from London, to the effect that the shareholders in English railroads have seen their shares shrink \$2,000,000,000 in ten years; that the repeal of the law on which the famous Taff Vale decision was based has relieved trades unions from responsibility for their acts; that the unions are in consequence emboldened to make greater demands and now threaten a general strike; and that the ultimate aim of the socialistic disturbers is government ownership of the railways. Thus:—

"Unfortunately, there is a considerable element of politics in the movement. It is more than suspected that some of the leaders in the unions have as their real object to cripple the earning power of the railways that the agitation for state ownership will succeed. They argue that if the dividend earning power of the principal lines disappears, then the chief opposition to government control will disappear. One would suppose that the lesson which London and other large cities learned in the past few years of the failure of municipal ownership would settle this question. So it has in the minds of a large majority of Englishmen, but the socialistic labor unions still stick to their fetish, and, with a government in the present in power, there is always danger of extreme radical legislation, and in this connection other Englishmen of both parties openly exclaim: 'Thank God for the House of Lords!'"

It is added that the half million shareholders are now taking action to form an organization to oppose legislation directed against their interests, which the correspondent declares to be the interests of the country at large, this story would influence the reader to conclude that movements in the direction of state-ownership were destructive of vital interests, and ready to be deplored. But we turn from the London cable to the Mail and Empire, and to an editorial in the Toronto World, and quite a different conclusion is suggested. Thus:—

"Public opinion as a live political issue is now so much in evidence that franchise-holding corporations are resorting to increasing measure to understand methods of influencing popular opinion. Lately the World called attention to some of the organizations either established directly by these corporations or at their service, which make it a business to issue erroneous and misleading statements regarding the success of municipal and state-ownership and operated public services. Not content with this form of 'tainted news' assistance has been sought from men of position, whose names carry some weight, and who can be induced to express opinions in favor of private corporation ownership. If has been openly stated that the United States railroads have secured the services of several eminent economists who ostensibly expressing their own opinions are really delivering what has been purchased for them. Whatever may be thus obtained is issued broadcast through the country by offices such as the National News Service at Washington, the Municipal Ownership Publishing Bureau of New York and other organizations actively engaged in the support of franchise-holding corporations. Inspired items of this character are repeated, in some cases innocently enough, by Canadian newspapers that accept them as genuine news or as the expression of honest individual opinion. The whole system is indeed one of the most dangerous and subtle forms of opposition to public rights that could possibly have been devised. It is a method of misleading popular opinion, which can be successfully met only by exposure and the dissemination of accurate and reliable information regarding the true position of publicly owned and operated service and utility monopolies. Along this line the Public Ownership League can do excellent service. Once the people get thoroughly seized of the fact that these unscrupulous methods are being employed, they will rapidly lose their influence for evil and ultimately aid in the destruction of the predatory interests they are intended to support."

Read in the light of the World editorial in London cable to the Mail and Empire seems less impressive. But is the World correct in its sweeping charges? Possibly the best the reader can do is to fall back upon the reflection that "much may be said on both sides." At all events, there needs to be a sifting of evidence and a more or less open mind in regard to the merits of the case in the most vigorous dispute now in progress in the industrial world.

AN IMPORTANT CONFERENCE

The conference on education, which is being held in London, and at which Canada is so well represented, does not attract much attention as the conference of the premier, but is, nevertheless, significant and certain to be fraught with good for the empire. The outlook of teachers will be widened, the imperial idea will more largely prevail in patriotic teaching in the schools, and a closer sympathy between widely separated portions of the empire will be developed. On every hand we see evidences that with the growth of what

may be termed the national spirit in the various countries forming the empire, there is also a development of that spirit which makes for imperial unity. The value of the service that may be rendered to this cause, by bringing into close sympathy and relationship the several educational systems, is it is not easy to estimate. There has been complaint, and not without cause, that the people of the mother country know too little about the Greater Britain overseas. This source of complaint would be largely removed by mutual recognition of teachers' certificates, an exchange of teachers, and the harmonizing of educational systems which this would involve.

The following is a paragraph from a circular addressed to the Federation of Women's Clubs in the United States:—"There is another vital problem which is attracting the attention of the world, viz: the stamping out of tuberculosis. Every earnest club woman is urged to bend her energies in this direction, since scientists claim that the spreading of this disease can be prevented, and cured, effected by proper care and diligence. Those who have means can seek climate and costly abiding places where they can either be cured or comfortably cared for, but it is for the poor and indigent that we appeal to you club women to use your influence in procuring legislative appropriations for the establishment of state sanatoria. By this method many useful citizens may be restored to active life, the bread-winner returned to his home and good lives lengthened by this charity, while those not afflicted by the disease would be instructed as to the proper precaution to prevent infection."

St. John papers are still harping on the calling of the mail boats at Halifax. As the matter is already settled, this is childish. The probability of the C. P. R. and other lines being granted direct rights over the I. C. R., under proper restrictions also causes the St. John paper to rest uneasily.—Halifax Echo.

St. John papers do not admit that the question of the Canadian port of call for mail boats in winter is finally settled. The present settlement is but temporary, without a satisfactory test, and in consideration only of the sectional appeal of Halifax and its friends.

The Times has already received several expressions of sympathy from citizens touching yesterday's suggestion that something should be done to preserve in permanent form the poetical writings of Mr. H. L. Spencer. A well-known clergyman, a member of the city council, and several other citizens who appreciate literary merit, have assured the editor of the Times that they would personally be glad to see such a movement take shape.

PRACTICAL CHURCH UNION

Presbyterians and Methodists of Winnipeg Taking Steps to Work Together for Good of Foreign Settlers. (Winnipeg Free Press.) A joint meeting of the city mission board of the Methodist church, and the executive of the Presbyterian home mission board was held in Wesley college last evening for consultation with a view to co-operation in carrying on mission work among the classes of the population speaking foreign languages. Rev. Dr. Patrick was appointed chairman and Mr. G. M. Jackson, secretary. Rev. Dr. Woodworth, Rev. J. V. Kovar and Rev. H. Wigle, outlined the work done by the Presbyterian church. The spirit of denominational union was manifested throughout, and strong desire was expressed on all sides to do everything possible in the way of practical co-operation without waiting for the completion of the negotiations for organic union. A committee of six was appointed to recommend a general policy to be pursued in further extensions of the work.

A JOCKEY SUSPENDED

NEW YORK, May 29.—The World says Jockey Jack Martin was suspended by the stewards at Belmont Park yesterday for the balance of the meeting because he persisted in disobeying the stewards' orders while on the post in the second race. He had the mount on Golconda at the time. This suspension will cost Martin many dollars, as he had been engaged to ride some notable horses at Belmont Park, the chief of which was one of Jas. R. Keene's great colts in the Belmont stakes next Thursday.

LONGING Today Ends Clean-Up Sale of CLOTHING AND FURNISHINGS.

Notwithstanding the disagreeable weather the interest has been very keen in this clean-up sale of odds and ends left over from our big Trade Extension sale. Those who call today will get big values in Men's Suits, Boys Suits, Men's Pants, Overcoats, Raincoats, Shirts, Ties, Hats, Underwear, Sweaters, Cardigans, etc. \$10.00 Raincoats Today for \$6.98.

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A POOR FISHERMAN. Weeks—'I'll never go fishing with that lunkhead, Bangs, again. Sweet—'Didn't catch anything, eh? Weeks—No, and don't say I caught anything for fear that he will tell the truth about it.

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And the hum of the busy bee! Oh, to inhale the sweet perfume, To hear the wild oriole's lay, And, oh, to be free from the tyranny Of work for a blissful day!

Oh, to be far from the smoke and the road That burdens existence in town— To blissfully lie 'neath the dome of the sky And watch the pink petals come down! And yet if I could lie down on the grass, Out there I will bet you a dollar That a horrible bug or a worm of some kind Would find its way under my collar.

IN LIGHTER VEIN PERSISTENT FOLLY. "So they were divorced and lived happily ever after, eh?" "Now, The idiots went and married again."

RUINED THE MAGAZINE. "Space out of a job! Why I thought he was running a fashion department in a woman's magazine." "Yes, but he caused the magazine to lose so many subscribers, they fired him." "Why, the lobster headed his column, 'New Wrinkles for Women.'"

TREASON IN SPAIN. "What's the trouble?" asked the Madrid citizen. "We've been obliged to arrest this man for lese majesty," answered the policeman. "But he's a very peaceful and inoffensive person." "Yes. But he inadvertently dropped a remark that he thought he had the smartest small boy out."

STILL IN DANGER. "Is he out of danger?" "No. The doctor still attends him."

THE CHICKEN BUSINESS. "Dat feller 'Rastus Shinnab, done bin talkin' a powerful bout 'ev a-rasin' chickens." "Sho! he don't mean 'rasin,' he means 'ittin'."

MAY BE REFORMED. Daughter—"But he is so full of absurd ideas." Mother—"Never mind that, dear. Your father was just the same before I married him."

HIS SYSTEM. "Yas; I stick to me system." "After you win a certain amount each day, you quit." "Atah, lose a certain amount, deah boy."

A COLLECTION STORY. In a certain parish of Greater New York the rector, while admonishing his flock that the collection basket receipts were steadily growing less, took occasion to declare that "certain parishioners contributed according to their means, but others gave in keeping with their means." He added that in a measure such exhibitions of false pretense reminded him of the story told of the Pilgrim Fathers upon their arrival at Plymouth Rock: "First they fell upon their knees; then they fell upon the aborigines."

TO CONTEST BROTHER'S WILL. Joseph Howes, 22 Sheriff street, returned yesterday from Boston, where he has made arrangements to have the will of his brother, the late Abraham Howes, contested.

The late Mr. Howes died worth \$15,000, and his brother at the time of death added that no will had been made. Unthought that no will had been made. Under the circumstances his sister, Mrs. Bogle, of this city, and himself, would be the heirs. Subsequent to a will drawn to the city he learned that a will providing for the property to go to a sister-in-law and niece, had been probated in Boston.

Unlucky influence and also that the testator was of unsound mind at the time which Mr. Howes will rely on in trying to prove the instrument null and void.

HARBOR FISHERY CASE. The harbor fishery case, in which Harry Jelyas is charged by John M. Christie with setting nets in two fishery lots leased by the city to the plaintiff, came up in the police court yesterday afternoon and was adjourned until 9 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, when evidence will be taken. J. B. M. Baxter for the plaintiff, and Dr. R. F. Quigley for the defendant. About an hour was taken up with discussion. Both lawyers seemed to have a very hard time in controlling their clients. While the case is pending both agreed not to fish in the disputed territory.

DAVID SPRAGUE. DIGBY, N. S., May 29.—(Special)—David Sprague, a native of New Brunswick, died suddenly of heart failure at his home in Smith's Cove at 9:30 last night, aged 73 years. He leaves a widow, daughter of the late John Hurst of that village, but no family. Several nephews and other relatives reside in St. John. Lodge of Oddfellows, St. John, and has many friends in that city. The funeral will be held at two o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The services will be conducted by Rev. Mr. Carter, pastor of the Smith's Cove Baptist church.

Arthur Hardman, who left Mrs. N. Carson's boarding house, 43 Hillyard street, on May 20, has not been seen since, and his former boarding mistress is now of the opinion that he has been drowned. Hardman's parents are living and if nothing is heard of the young man within a few days of their disappearance will be sent to word of his whereabouts by Robert McGill, of Elliott Row, is also still missing.

Mrs. R. B. Emerson and Miss Emerson arrived home yesterday from Baltimore. Miss Helen Lockhart, daughter of G. B. Lockhart, who has been attending Mt. Allison Ladies' College, returned from Sackville last evening.

Wall Paper. We still have a good assortment of Wall Papers at 2c. 4c. 5c. 7c. 10c. 12c. 15c. 20c. 25c. 30c. 35c. 40c. 45c. 50c. 55c. 60c. 65c. 70c. 75c. 80c. 85c. 90c. 95c. 1.00. 1.10. 1.20. 1.30. 1.40. 1.50. 1.60. 1.70. 1.80. 1.90. 2.00. Lace Curtains, 25c. 30c. 35c. 40c. 45c. 50c. 55c. 60c. 65c. 70c. 75c. 80c. 85c. 90c. 95c. 1.00. White Curtain Muslins—7c. 10c. 12c. 15c. 20c. 25c. 30c. 35c. 40c. 45c. 50c. 55c. 60c. 65c. 70c. 75c. 80c. 85c. 90c. 95c. 1.00. Brass Bed Rods, 5c. 6c. 7c. 8c. 9c. 10c. 11c. 12c. 13c. 14c. 15c. 16c. 17c. 18c. 19c. 20c. Hosiery, Gloves, Underwear, Corsets, etc.

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AT MOUNT ALLISON University Convocation Exercises Held Yesterday--Large Graduating Class--Many Distinguished Men Receive Honorary Degrees.

Sackville, N. B., May 28.--In spite of the rain tonight, convocation exercises in connection with the University were very largely attended. Rev. Dr. Sprague, of St. John, opened with prayer. Prizes: Music--Comrades in Arms... Adam University Glee Club. President's address: Solo--Waltz Song from Romeo and Juliette... Gounod. Miss Mary L. P. Smith, '07. Valedictory address: Harold G. Black. Vocal duet--Battle Eve... Bonheur. W. H. Davidson, '07, W. A. Dakin, '04. Conferring Degrees. Presenting honor certificates, etc. Address: Music--Pale in the Amber West... Park. God Save the King.

There is a rumor to the effect that Mt. Allison is to lose one of her most distinguished and scholarly professors, but nothing definite will be known until after the meeting of the board of regents to be held in the Memorial Hall this afternoon. The regents' address was delivered by Harold G. Black, of Pugwash, and was exceptionally good. The following received degrees: B. A. Atkinson, Herbert Clarence, Sackville (N. B.); Bailey, Percy Simpson, Oak Bay (N. B.); Bell, Ralph Pickard, Halifax (N. S.); Black, Harold Garnet, Pugwash (N.S.); Clendinning, William Henatus, Parrsboro (N. S.); Dixon, Mabel Gertrude, Sackville (N. B.); Lawrence, Anna Kate Church, Southampton (N. S.); McDonald, William William, Lockport (N. S.); Macdonald, Alice Annie, Halifax (N. S.); Oulton, John Roderick, Northport (N. S.); Outerbridge, Howard Wilkinson, Sackville (N. S.); Patterson, George Sutton, Moncton (N. B.); Smith, May Lindsay Prichard, Halifax (N. S.); Wheeler, Ralph de Forest, Brookville (N. B.); M. A. (in course).

SENDING MAIL TO CAPTAIN BERNIER Dundee Whalers Will Carry His Letters to the Far North.

Ottawa, May 28.--A mail has been sent to Captain Bernier, of Canadian patrol steamer Arctic, now in far north. The Arctic has been there since last spring. It is expected that letters will reach Captain Bernier before he goes into winter quarters in Lancaster Sound. The mail was sent from Ottawa to postmaster of Dundee, Scotland, with the request that he deliver it to the captain of the whaler. He will take the mail to Rankin Inlet, and from there it will be taken by the Dundee whaler Walrus to the Arctic. There is a good chance of the Walrus meeting the Arctic.

OBITUARY The death of Patrick Keleher occurred yesterday at his residence, 119 Market Place, Carleton. Mr. Keleher, who was in his forty-eighth year, was the son of James and Mary Keleher. He leaves his wife and six children and is survived also by his mother, eight brothers and three sisters. Mr. Keleher was a stone polisher by trade and was employed at different times by Sleeth, Quinlan & Co., and Morrison & Co. He was very popular in west side dramatic circles and took a great interest in the minstrel shows of a few years ago, being much sought as an end man. Much sympathy will be felt for Mrs. Keleher and the family in their bereavement. The funeral will take place on Thursday at 8.30 a. m. from his late residence to the Church of the Assumption.

MONCTON MAN MISSING Moncton, N. B., May 28.--Abel Edgett, aged seventy years, a former sea captain, has disappeared, and relatives here have given time to June last without telling anyone where he was going, and has not been seen or heard of. His wife has been told that he was a native of Harvey, Albert county.

Those who follow theatricals in St. John will be pleased to learn that Ed. Mawson, who became a great favorite here some years ago, is now doing well in London. He is with E. H. Sothorn and Julia Marlowe, playing in the Waldorf Theatre there. They are giving Shakespeare productions and Mr. Mawson is playing prominent parts. Man boasts of his experience. Woman is proud of her lack of it.

CANADIAN CLUB PLANS Earl Grey Will Speak Here Soon--Rev. J. A. Macdonald Who Addressed Halifax Club Last Night, Cannot Come to St. John at Present--Club Has Other Speakers in View

Rev. J. A. Macdonald, editor of the Toronto Globe, will not be able to address the Canadian Club of St. John this week, as he had been expected. The death of an uncle in Pictou county altered his plans, and though he addressed the Canadian Club of Halifax last evening he cannot now spare the time to visit St. John. In letters to Secretary Geo. A. Henderson, Mr. Macdonald expresses his regret, and his appreciation of the club's invitation. A meeting of the executive of the Canadian Club was held in the Times building yesterday afternoon, those present being Rev. W. C. Gaylor in the chair; George A. Henderson, J. N. Harvey, Dr. F. D. Walker, Ald. J. B. M. Baxter and A. M. Bell. The question of the next luncheon discussed. A letter from Earl Grey's secretary stated that the governor general accepted with pleasure the invitation to address the club when he will be here in August, and he would be pleased if it were just an ordinary club luncheon, such as is regularly given. J. N. Harvey, who is going to Halifax this week, was authorized to see President Campbell, of the Halifax Canadian Club, relative to an address by Rev. Dr. Falconer--or to call upon Dr. Falconer himself if he should have returned from abroad before Mr. Harvey left for home. With the expectation that Prof. Graham Bell will soon pass through St. John to his summer home in Cape Breton, the supply committee were authorized to communicate with him. Rev. Father Gaylor, who is personally acquainted with the distinguished inventor, was requested to write to him. Mr. Thomas Shaugnessy is pledged to address the club in the early summer. It was not known yesterday who would be the next speaker to address the club, since before it is settled, Pabst Blue Ribbon Beer question will be settled within the next few days: Halifax, N. S., May 28.--Rev. J. A. Macdonald, managing editor of the Toronto Globe, addressed the Canadian Club tonight. It rained heavily all the afternoon and at 8 o'clock, the hour of meeting, there was a downpour which made the audience smaller than it otherwise would have been, though a good number was present. His topic was Public Opinion and Public Life, in which, during an hour's speech, Mr. Macdonald practically demolished the "Canadian" and "Democratic" citizenship in Canada, its dangers and its safeguards. The enemies of public opinion he enumerated were: the spirit of sectionalism; the spirit of our people, selfishness in politics; a spirit of cynicism and a suspicious distrust. And against these he set four organs of education and safeguards of public opinion, the press, political parties and the church. Rev. Dr. McGill moved a vote of thanks, which was accepted by Professor Macdonald and passed amid loud applause. Mr. Macdonald will arrive in Pictou on Thursday night. It is probable that the Halifax Board of Trade will give him a luncheon on Thursday. Mr. Macdonald will return to Toronto on Thursday afternoon or Friday morning.

(Halifax Chronicle.) J. A. Macdonald, Editor-in-chief of the Toronto Globe, who is to address the Canadian Club on Tuesday evening, arrived in Truro on Saturday evening en route to West Merigonville, Pictou County, to attend the funeral of his uncle James Grant. Mr. Macdonald is closely connected with Nova Scotia by ancestry. Both his father and mother, as well as his father's father were born in Pictou County. His great-grandfather, James Macdonald, was one of the early settlers of the province. He was a Scottish pioneer who laid the foundation of settlement on the East River of Pictou. He belonged to the 94th Highlanders and served in the American war. With many others of that regiment he settled in 1778 at the East River which still people the descendants of the Highlanders. He was the grandfather of Hon. James Macdonald, ex-Chief Justice of Nova Scotia, who is a cousin of the father of the Globe's editor.

THE RICHES OF NORTHERN CANADA Eihu Stewart Believes the Mackenzie River Valley Will Soon Be Cultivated.

That the great Mackenzie River Valley will shortly be won with prosperous settlers is the view of Eihu Stewart, late Dominion superintendent of forestry, who traveled the whole length of the valley last year. In an interview with the Dawson Sun he said: "The magnitude of Canada's possibilities in this vast territory is not fully comprehended. The Mackenzie valley is nearly two thousand miles long and from 500 to 1,000 miles wide, typical prairie land, free from rock and alkali, and possessing a soil identical with that of Saskatchewan and Alberta. Who shall say that a decade or two hence that immense stretch of territory shall not be teeming with a population engaged in agricultural pursuits whose lands will be as valuable and as productive as those of the two new provinces that came into existence but a year ago? "A thing that impressed me most tremendously was what I saw at Fort Providence on the Mackenzie river some distance north of Great Slave Lake. There on the 29th July nearly a thousand miles north of Edmonton, I was shown wheat in the milk, full grown and as pretty grain as you will find anywhere in Manitoba or the western provinces. Vast tables of all kinds thrive prodigiously, and after I had traversed that vast distance I wondered if I would not live to see the day when that immense scope of country would be populated with happy and prosperous farmers."

THE NEW MACHINE. "Have you seen the new Psycho that Mr. Gattal brought home from Europe?" asked Mrs. Oldcastle. "No," replied her hostess. "I thought he was going to have an American built machine this year."

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SMITH GETS FIVE YEARS The Oilskin Thief Sent to Dorchester--Must Also Serve Out His Old Sentence.

At yesterday afternoon's session of the county court, Chas. Smith was found guilty of theft and sentenced to five years in Dorchester; the sentence to run after the expiry of an old sentence passed on him in Halifax. The prisoner was sentenced to ten years for stealing and was out on ticket-of-leave. The charge against him in the local court was that of stealing on May 11th, seven suits of clothing valued at \$14, the property of Amos D. Lee, John Connor and E. Kee, also of stealing on May 18th a brown overcoat from G. E. Evans, and a gun valued at \$8 from H. Springer.

TENDERS. The N.B. Historical Society. At a meeting of the N. B. Historical Society, held last evening, Col. J. R. Armstrong, presiding, Rev. W. O. Raymond drew attention to the fact that Sept. 20, 1908, will be the 100th anniversary of the formal occupation of the lands around the St. John river. He suggested that something should be done by way of a celebration of the event. Several matters of routine were disposed of. The society's strike was settled without serious trouble, and the men have agreed to accept \$2.75 a day, offered by the employers. Owing to the heavy rain the men were unable to begin operations yesterday, but it was their intention to go to work today. The men were getting \$2.50 a day and demanded \$3, but \$2.75 was offered and they decided to accept it.

THE N.B. HISTORICAL SOCIETY. Tenders for all the general dry goods, stock and shop fixtures of Ernest W. Patterson, No. 29 City Road, to be sold on bloc. Inventory of stock and shop fixtures can be inspected at the office of H. J. Smith, Assissee, Canada Life Building. Goods can be inspected in store after May 29th, on application of above assignee. Sealed tenders addressed to the said assignee will be received not later than Friday, June 7th, 1907. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Dated May 22nd, 1907. H. J. SMITH, J. D. P. LEWIN, Assignees. TILLEY & MCINERNEY, Solicitors. 557-67.

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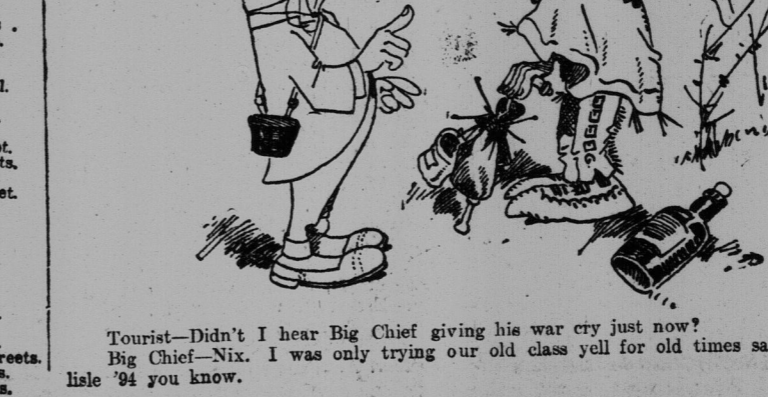
THE TROUBLES OF THE PRESENT TIME Rev. Goodleigh Goode—Young man, what are your hopes for the future? Jack Hardinge—None just now. Tomorrow is my girl's birthday, and I'm worrying a good deal about the present.



TRouble AMONG THE PLANETS Airship Explorer—Do any of the Yankee visitors annoy you? Man-in-the-Moon—They drive me lumpy! Promoters were just up here to corner my supply of "green cheese" to capture the richest market in Ireland!



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BASE BALL

Games Postponed. The ball games scheduled for last evening were postponed on account of the weather.

National League. At Boston (first game)—Brooklyn, 7; Boston, 1. Second game—Boston, 10; Brooklyn, 8.

American League. At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 2; Boston, 11 (10 innings). At Washington—New York, 2; Washington, 1.

Eastern League. At Buffalo—Buffalo, 6; Rochester, 10. At Jersey City—Jersey City, 8; Baltimore, 2.

At Newark—Newark, 6; Providence, 6. The R. K. Y. C. has issued a nest folder giving the racing fixtures of the club for the season.

"CY" STILL REMEMBERS. The most trying period in a ball player's life is when he makes his first professional appearance.

This was on the occasion when they made their entry into the ranks of the professional ball players.

It is an old story the men whose names today are famous in the annals of baseball.

Probably none of the owners of the real crack trotters of today care enough about the matter to fit their horses to take a shy at the 100-mile record.

ONE-HUNDRED MILES RECORD.

The report that one of Homer Davenport's Arabian horses will be started to beat the world's record for 100 miles sometime this year, leads to quite a little speculation as to the outcome of such an attempt.

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Mr. Davenport's effort to set a new record with one of his Arabs, is successful.

The world's champion pacing mare, the Broncho, 2:00 3/4, has gone into the hospital.

The Chicago players, though, soon brought the big fellow out of his dreamy condition by jering taunts, and his dreamy eyes were wide open.

Johnny Allen, the fighting butcher boy of Philadelphia, who for years, handed out chops and cuts to thousands of hungry men.

There is one thing that can be said in favor of Allen, and that is his absolute fearlessness.

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A great deal has been written about Joe Gans, but many interesting events in his early training days have just come to light.

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DOUBLE TRACK PARADISE ROW

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EMMERSON-CROCKET CASE

MAY TAKE UP WHOLE WEEK

First Hearing of the Preliminary Examination to Come-Up This Afternoon Before Col. Marsh in Fredericton.

Fredericton, N. B., May 28.—Much interest attaches to the Emerson-Crocket libel suit, which is to come up before Police Magistrate Marsh tomorrow afternoon.

When they get sick with cramps, indigestion and bowel trouble, give them Polson's Nervine. Cure is immediate.

Students of the university gave an excellent production of the comedy drama Tom Cobb at the Opera House this evening before a large and representative audience.

The annual convocation exercises of the university will be held at the college library Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

At the office of A. J. Gregory, this city, yesterday afternoon, the United States McAdamsite Foundries Company was formed.

The directors of the latter company include John Palmer, of this city.

The McAdamsite Foundries Company will continue to conduct the business of the company in Canada and foreign countries in which they hold patents and rights.

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The state of the market, and the way in which stocks have to be moved have caused a further advance in local values.

White varieties on track are quoted at \$1.02 to \$1.08 per bag of 90 pounds; jobbing lots, buyer to pay cartage from the car, are worth \$1.10 to \$1.12.

SWEEP BY CYCLONE. SIMCOE, Ont., May 27.—(Special)—A cyclone of five o'clock last evening, swept the district a few miles west of here.

May 29, 1780—One hundred and twenty-seven years ago today occurred the massacre at Wauxhall near Ancaster, Ontario.

Right side down, behind Washington.

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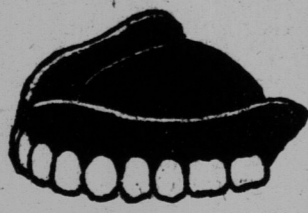
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A ROMANCE IN THE RANKS OF THE LYCEUM STOCK CO.

Frank Powell and Eleanor Hicks Announce That They Will Be Married in Amherst on Wednesday Next.



MISS ELEANOR HICKS

Announcement was made today to their friends that Frank Powell, leading man of the Lyceum Stock Company, now at the Opera House, and Miss Eleanor Hicks, leading lady of the same company, had decided to "travel double" for the remainder of their lives, and when the company gets to Amherst next week the services of an Amherst clergyman will be called into requisition to bind the young people by the solemn cords of matrimony. Walter D. Nealand, manager of the company, will officiate as groomsmen, and Miss Margaret Lee will attend the fair bride. And then, as the fairy tales have it, they will all live happily ever after.

Here are the facts of the case, with all the sentiment eliminated, but just the same the quiet wedding which will be solemnized in the Roman Catholic church at Amherst at noon on Wednesday next will mark the culmination of a pretty little romance.

Previous to their engagement with the Lyceum Stock Company, Mr. Powell and Miss Hicks had not met. But when Mr. Jelenko gathered his flock about him in Amherst last to rehearse for a tour of the maritime provinces, it became apparent, almost as soon as the formal introductions had been made, that there was a mutual attraction between the young people.

Mr. Powell being cast for juvenile leads and Miss Hicks as the first lady, they were brought much in contact with each other, both on the stage and off. They had numerous tender "scenes" together in almost every bill, and it was soon noticed that the young stage lover put more than professional enthusiasm into his wooing.

Miss Hicks was not insensible or indifferent to his attentions, and soon rumors of an early wedding were circulated. Today the announcement was made. The bride is a western girl, and although but 22 years of age, has won much distinction in her profession. She is a graduate of Vassar College, and is said to be a stage protegee of E. H. Sothern.

Mr. Powell is a Toronto boy, and has been leading the troupe for Deiby Bell and also with the Proctor Stock Company in New York. Both bride and groom are very popular here, and will carry with them the best wishes of their many friends. After the wedding Mr. and Mrs. Powell will return to St. John on Thursday and will leave for Quebec, where they will sail for London on June 8. Mr. Powell will join Ellen Terry's company in July at a London theatre, and his wife will join the same company later.

Members of the Lyceum Company are planning a reception on the stage on Saturday afternoon, in honor of Mr. Powell and Miss Hicks.

THIS EVENING

The Every Day Club. The Lyceum Stock Co. in Thelma at the Opera House. Motion pictures and illustrated songs at the Nickel. City Cornet Band musicale and fair at St. Andrew's Rink. New Brunswick Lodge, No. 1, K. of P., will meet in Castle Hall at 8 o'clock. Band at Victoria Roller Rink. Band at the Queen's Rollway. Special meeting of Hibernian Knights in Brown's hall at 8 o'clock. Fire Department and Salvage Corps members will meet in No. 1 Hook and Ladder station at 8 o'clock. Rev. H. V. Higgins, a returned foreign missionary, will deliver an address at the Thankoffering service in Calvin church.

LATE LOCALS

The Boston steamer Governor Cobb, Captain Pike, landed 42 passengers yesterday afternoon from Boston and Eastport, and sailed on her return trip again last night. Rev. William White, C.S.B., who has been transferred to New York, left yesterday on a brief visit to St. Joseph's College. He will leave for his new field of labor this week, and his successor, Rev. A. Daley, C.S.B., is expected here today or tomorrow. The custom house officials received their pay cheques today from Ottawa. The most of the staff have received an increase of from 5 to 17.2 per cent on their previous salary. Some of them were more fortunate and received large increases to their pay. W. S. Young of the Boston Herald staff passed through Calais Monday, en route to the fishing grounds at Didsbury, N. B., where he was joined Tuesday by Walter Hill of the New York Herald. Messrs. Young and Hill will visit Grand Lake for a few days' fishing before returning home. If the weather is favorable the Victoria grounds will be open this evening to any who desire to practice running or other sports. It is expected there will be some other and other events for the boys on Saturday afternoon or evening, with small prizes for the winners. If so announcement will be made in the papers.

THE WEATHER

FORECASTS—Strong winds shifting to west and northwest. Rain in eastern portion clearing in western portion. SYNOPSIS—The depression which was over the American coast, strong west to northwest winds and to Bank, strong east to west winds, Sable Island, west, 10 miles, cloudy Point Lepreau, northwest, 12 miles at 11 a. m. LOCAL WEATHER REPORT. Highest Temperature during last 24 hours 45. Lowest Temperature during last 24 hours 24. Humidity at Noon, 75. Barometer Readings at Noon (see last issue) 30.00. Wind at Noon: Direction, S E Velocity, 6 miles per hour. Rain, 0.10 inch. Same date last year: Highest temperature, 45. Lowest, 24. D. L. HUTCHINSON, Director.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

WORKABLE SOLUTION OF BOY PROBLEM

To the Editor of the Times: Sir,—Every few days our papers report some new case, committed by boys, who bid fair to graduate in depravity, if not from the public schools. The futile suggestions of the checking list, who cannot call it effort—that terminate now and again from religious bodies, like the Evangelical Alliance, from judges on the bench, or from individual sources, have gravely advocated parental control, such as corporal punishment; keeping the children in the street at night; forcing the parents if no other of these preventives result in theft or violence; all with the air of proposing methods never tried before. Now, one glance at this remedy is sufficient. What kind of homes have these boys? Probably in nine cases out of ten it is only a shelter for eating and sleeping, where quarrelling, crying children or a drunken father or a scolding mother, or all these, compel the child to break out of the place and get into the fresh air, into lighted streets, and find entertaining companions. Who amongst us would not do likewise in the same situation? And the benefit in the way of sports and play at the Victoria grounds. A stranger reading the editorial referred to might suppose that free kindergartens, compulsory school attendance, manual training and child labor laws had been in full working order here for years. He would not dream that the three free kindergartens are supported by the hard work of a board of ladies who solicit subscriptions from private persons and get up endless entertainments; that our compulsory school attendance law has been in force about six weeks; that our manual training school will not be opened until the autumn; and that our child labor laws are yet at an incipient stage. No body of citizens, no club, no society, religious or otherwise, to say nothing of the churches, have yet come forward to assist the Every Day Club in the only work of its kind in the city. Therefore it is idle to expect any result other than that which the Times deplores. When respectable, well-to-do citizens take no active interest in it, it is folly to look for it from ignorant ones. These young truants need not remain so; they are not hopelessly depraved; and they are the result of neglect on the part of well-born, educated well-to-do citizens who are dead years ago, who might have done something to establish a worthy manhood and womanhood among the parents of these very lads. Now we have our problems, and we are ourselves the same class of citizens who shirked their duty years ago. We shirk ours, which does not consist in canvassing the police to enforce protection laws, much less in committing truants to jail; nor by any methods of drastic punishment. We need for these neglected boys just what the Every Day Club has for neglected men—there is vastly more hope in it. There is much danger for us as a city if we do not speedily organize some such work. One could reasonably engage in it from either a selfish or an unselfish motive. The key to the whole problem lies in persuasion instead of force; coaxing instead of coercion; interesting children in doing things instead of reading and reciting things; adopting the kindergarten method, which is in itself a regenerating power. A brilliant lecturer and social worker says: "Plenty of people wish well to any good cause, but very few care to exert themselves to help it, and still fewer will risk anything in its support. Some one ought to do it. But why should it be the ever-repeated phrase of weak-kneed inability. 'Some one ought to do it, so why not I?' is the cry of some earnest servants of man, eagerly springing forward to face some perilous duty. Between these two sentences lie whole centuries of moral evolution." Demand of your churches that they shall be institutional churches—now! Demand that your Board of Education shall incorporate the kindergarten into its school system—quickly! Demand that the Y. M. C. A. shall establish a Boys' Club and that the W. C. T. U. shall help to entertain and interest the boys and keep the rooms clean. And influence all the city papers to keep the matter daily before the public until something definite is started. St. John, May 28th, 1907. ONWARD.

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