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BLACK HAND ASSASSINS CLAIM ANOTHER VICTIM

Italian Cigar Maker in New York Shot Dead as He Attempted to Enter His Home—Friendship for Martyred Police Officer Cause of His Death

New York, May 18.—What the police believe may be another Blackhand assassination was perpetrated early today when Prospero Puccio, 58 years old, a cigar maker, tried to enter his flat on the fourth floor of the apartment house at 321 East 80th street. As he fitted the key into the lock of his door, a man leaped over the balustrade of the fifth floor and sent a bullet through Puccio's body. Puccio dropped dead on the threshold as a member of his family opened the door. By the time the police arrived the assassin had escaped, presumably to the roof and down through an adjoining house. The police say that the man who shot the cigar maker had been lying in wait for him. Residents of the fifth floor had observed a strange man earlier in the evening. A motive for the assassination was found by the police in the fact that Puccio was a close friend of Lieut. Jose Petrosino, of the New York police department. Before going to Palermo, Petrosino frequently visited Puccio's home. When the body of the detective was brought to New York for burial, Puccio took an active part in the demonstrations in honor of Petrosino and for the funeral. The police are confident that Puccio was murdered because of his friendship for Petrosino.

BOY BURGLARS IN POLICE COURT AGAIN

The Burglary of C.B. Pidgeon's Store Was Probably Planned by Harry Akerley—Damaging Evidence Against Him

The continuation of the preliminary examination of Harry Akerley, aged 15, and Daniel Morrison, aged 18, for breaking and entering the premises of Pidgeon's clothing store and the Star Line warehouse on the 19th in the Tuesday evening morning of very damaging testimony against Akerley in the repetition of his confession to the police. According to him, Morrison is not implicated in the burglary and probably was not brought to New York for trial. Detective Killen, in his evidence, stated that he learned of the theft in Pidgeon's store on the 19th in the Tuesday evening, accompanied by Deputy Chief Jenkins, he located Morrison and Akerley in a boarding house on Union street. Articles of apparel were found in the room they occupied. He searched Morrison and recovered a watch and \$12, which Morrison said he received from Pidgeon. Morrison said he was given \$10 or \$15 in all by Akerley, and the knife. After the deputy chief and another boy called on any admissions from them would be used against them on trial, the officials proceeded to search the street from the depot. The deputy chief spoke to Akerley, who told them that he went into Pidgeon's store alone and stole money and clothes. The clothes on him were also stolen. He said he took about \$30. Both said they entered the Star Line warehouse with Scott Scribner, another boy, who informed them at police headquarters of his old clothes being in the cellar of Pidgeon's store. He found a blue sweater and cap in the cellar. Morrison said he had a shirt in Doyle's boarding house on Front street, where they were accommodated for a night. He told them that of a parcel he left at Hall's bookstore on King street and he obtained it, the bundle contained shirts, neckties, garters, vest, a rubber collar and pair of shoes.

ENTERTAINED AUSTRALIAN JOURNALISTS

Antipodean Newspaper Men on Their Way to the Imperial Press Conference, Were Treated to a Banquet in Toronto

Toronto, May 18.—(Special)—A banquet was given by the Board of Trade, the Toronto daily press and the Canadian Manufacturers' Association at the National Club last night to eleven Australian newspaper men who arrived on Sunday on their way to attend the Imperial Press conference. How A. H. Gibson, the Lieutenant Governor of Ontario, officiated as chairman of the evening. J. S. Willson, of the Toronto News, proposed the health of the guests, welcoming them in the name of his colleagues. E. E. Cunningham, in reply spoke in the highest terms of the hospitality accorded to the Australian party since landing in Canada. George Dawkins, of the Ottawa Daily Times, speaking of the development of trade, said there was little use in endeavoring to establish a freight line from Vancouver to Australia, on account of the long overland haul, but he strongly favored a government subsidy to a steamship line from Quebec or Halifax to the Antipodes. The concluding speech was made by W. J. Gage, vice-president of the Board of Trade, who said that it was his duty to do all in his power to further inter-imperial relations.

NEW DOG LICENSE LAW HAS GOOD EFFECT

More Citizens Have Taken Out Licenses This Year Than Was the Case Last Year at the Same Date

The new by-law relating to dog licenses has had the effect of inducing many more citizens to take out licenses up to the present time than was the case up to the same date last year. This morning there had been nearly 500 licenses issued, whereas at this date last year, only about 100 had complied with the law. It is thought that the provision fixing the license fee at double the rate after July 1, has spurred the owners of the canines to get their licenses in good time.

CAPTAIN HAINS WAS TAKEN TO SING SING PRISON TODAY

He Will Begin a Term of at Least Five Years Unless His Counsel's Appeal Results

New York, May 18.—Captain C. Hains, Jr., was taken from the Queens County jail today to Sing Sing prison to begin what will be a term of at least eight years unless an appeal taken by his counsel results in a new trial. No effort was made to prevent his transfer to Sing Sing. Eugene N. Young, one of the attorneys said no application would be made for a certificate of reasonable doubt, but that an appeal in the captain's behalf would be taken to the highest court in the country. Mr. Young went to the jail today, and notified Sheriff Harvey of the decision of Hains' counsel to offer no opposition to his transfer to prison. The sheriff immediately made preparation to send the Captain to Sing Sing. Captain Hains left the jail in custody of a keeper. His bearing was not materially changed from his first appearance in the court room. He walked beside the keeper in a dazed manner and showed no evidence of emotion. On the way to the Grand Central station, he neither recognized nor spoke to anyone. None of his relatives were at the jail when he departed. At the Grand Central Station the Captain and his keeper boarded a train for Oswining.

EQUITY COURT OPENED TODAY

Judgement in Case of Robinson vs. McAlary, Delivered This Morning by Judge Barker

At the May sitting of the equity court this morning Chief Justice Barker delivered judgment for the defendants in the suit of Robinson vs. McAlary and Estabrook, proceedings instituted for deceiving Miss Robinson in a lease on her premises on Douglas Avenue, adjacent to the corner of Main street. His honor adjudged that although the plaintiff stated that she was ignorant of business topics, she had frequently participated in transactions unaided. The only point in the plaintiff's bill that he would consider was that alleging fraud and as he adjudged that this had been entirely disproved, his honor dismissed the bill, and ordered the plaintiff to pay the costs. His honor referred to the perjury with which Miss Robinson adhered to her palpably incorrect statements under oath, and added that, however, he might be injurious to the woman if he said she was perjuring herself.

AN HONEST FIRM RETURNED CASH

When They Found They Had Been Overpaid in Fire Insurance

Galt, Ont., May 17.—An interesting bit of fire insurance history has just come to light in the official records of the Gore District Company, of this town. A. H. Loft and Company, dry goods, St. Mary's, had a loss by fire, for which the adjusters allowed \$8,250. At their request taking the firm became convinced they really had not lost more than \$3,750. Having confirmed this by a second check taking they immediately returned the fire insurance companies the \$2,500 overpaid by them, the share of the Gore being \$280.42. An explanatory letter was ordered inscribed in the company's minutes in full and a resolution moved by R. A. Strong, seconded by W. K. McNaught, M. L. A., was passed expressing the appreciation of the high minded and honorable course followed by Messrs. Loft.

FOUND A PEARL IN CLAM SHELL

Moncton Liquor Vendor May Realize Almost Enough from the Find to Pay His Fine

Moncton, N. B., May 18.—(Special)—Albert Girouard was not to unlicky as he thought when, last week, he was arrested charged with three different violations of the Liquor Act, and sentenced to aggregate fines of one hundred and fifty dollars or nine months in jail. While in the local lock-up awaiting transportation to Chester, Girouard sent a policeman out to secure him some clams. As he opened one of his shells, he discovered a pearl, said to be valued at about one hundred dollars. Claiming that he had walked from St. John to Campbellton, Albert Duguay, who escaped from the Industrial Home at St. John, was taken through the city from Campbellton this morning in charge of the police. He had nothing to eat but orange peelings.

PROBATE COURT

Estate of Catherine E. Cheney, married woman, boarding house keeper. Petition of Charles E. Cheney, husband of the deceased, who lives in Portland, Maine, and John A. Sinclair of St. John, barrister-at-law, setting forth that deceased died intestate. Her property consisted of certain household furniture in the boarding house which she kept at 41 King Square, which she subject to a mortgage of \$800, the value of which over and above the mortgage is for the purpose of obtaining administration valued at \$200. Evidence being taken that it is in the interests of the estate that administration be granted without waiting the usual lapse of time. John A. Sinclair is appointed administrator. Kenneth J. MacRae, proctor.

HE SKIPPED WITH THE BORDERS' CLOTHES

Young Man Employed in Windsor Hall, at Fredericton, Robbed the Guests and Took French Leave—He Was Caught

Fredericton, N. B., May 18.—(Special)—A dwelling house on Brunswick street, occupied by Dr. Stevens and owned by the Fenwick estate, was sold at auction here yesterday. There was lively bidding and it was finally knocked down to Mrs. Fenwick for \$2,500. The National Athletic Club, a meeting last evening elected T. B. Kidd, president, J. M. Lemon, secretary, treasurer, A. W. Good, manager, and P. W. Henson and Miss Besse Everett, conductors. John Doran returned last night from Lewis Lake, bringing with him a fine string of trout. Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cheabert started this morning on a fishing canoeing trip down the Miramichi River. Mrs. Mary Ann Davis, widow of the late Michael Davis, died last night at her home after a brief illness from pneumonia. She was sixty-six years old, and leaves one son, Elbridge, and two daughters, Mrs. Logan, wife of Fred Logan, C. P. R. conductor, and Mrs. Keenan, wife of Peter Keenan, brakeman on the Intercolonial.

WALKS 1,200 MILES TO FIND WORK

Elderly Man's Trip, From Near Kenora to Ottawa—Journey Took Two Months

Ottawa, May 18.—(Special)—An elderly man, with clothes and shoes somewhat the worse for wear, started yesterday at the city hall meeting, walked 1,200 miles in search of work. He started from a point 65 miles from Kenora, early in March. He had been working on the National Transcontinental Railway, and lost his job there. He walked every step of the way, the weather was uniformly bad throughout the spring while he was on the road. He was not better during the past week and the weather has been uniformly bad throughout the spring while he was on the road. He was not better during the past week and the weather has been uniformly bad throughout the spring while he was on the road. He was not better during the past week and the weather has been uniformly bad throughout the spring while he was on the road.

BRUISERS MEET TOMORROW NIGHT

Johnson and O'Brien in Good Fettle for Their Six Round Go at Philadelphia

Philadelphia, May 18.—Interest increased in the time approaches for the six-round fight at the National Athletic Club in this city between Jack Johnson and Jack O'Brien. Both men ended their hard training and will give a good account of themselves tomorrow night. O'Brien has been doing more and more work in his training camp. He has been in training at King of Prussia, Pa., near Philadelphia, for nearly a month. He has had a very good time in his training camp. He has been in training at King of Prussia, Pa., near Philadelphia, for nearly a month. He has had a very good time in his training camp. He has been in training at King of Prussia, Pa., near Philadelphia, for nearly a month. He has had a very good time in his training camp.

RIVER STEAMERS IN A COLLISION

The Victoria and May Queen Slightly Damaged Yesterday Afternoon

There was a lot of excitement among those on board of the steamers Victoria and May Queen yesterday afternoon as the boats raced down the reach to Indian town. As the result of coming too close together a collision occurred, damaging the Victoria and May Queen. The collision occurred at a high rate of speed. Gradually they came near each other. So that the passengers could shake hands, all the time during the water into foam. Finally there was a crash and a crunching and the boats collided, damaging the Victoria and May Queen. The collision occurred at a high rate of speed. Gradually they came near each other. So that the passengers could shake hands, all the time during the water into foam. Finally there was a crash and a crunching and the boats collided, damaging the Victoria and May Queen.

JEFFRIES TIPS BEAM AT 243

Heavyweight Pugilist Shows He is Not as Heavy as Many Suppose

Chicago, May 18.—James J. Jeffries has jumped on the scales in public for the first time since he came out of retirement and in the presence of a few interested persons tipped the beam at 243 pounds. Jeffries announced he would weigh again before he left the city and would show whether or not he was reducing his weight. He said his best fighting weight is 220. "I don't see where I am taking weight off in training," said Jeffries. "I simply want to be in the best possible shape when I enter the ring. When Sullivan and Corbett signed up in 1902 it was in March. They met in September. How long did Fitzsimmons and Corbett have for training? It was a matter of months. I know."

MONTREAL Y.M.C.A. TO BE REMODELED

Cost of Changes in the Building Will Reach \$200,000—Two Branch Buildings to Be Built at Cost of \$50,000

Montreal, May 18.—(Special)—The announcement made this morning by D. A. Budge, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A., that the Montreal building would be remodelled at a cost of \$200,000. The building is to be put in a most up-to-date condition. There will also be branches of the institution built at Westmount and the north end of the city at a cost of \$50,000 each.

EXPOSITION IDEA A LITTLE OVERDONE

Laurier So Tells Delegation from Winnipeg—Will Not Promise a Grant

Ottawa, May 17.—To a large and influential delegation of Winnipeg business men and western members of parliament, without distinction of politics, who waited on the prime minister to press upon the government the advisability of making a substantial grant towards the proposed Selkirk Centennial Exposition in 1912, Sir Wilfrid Laurier replied that anything which would tend to advertise Canada and the west appealed to him and promised a sympathetic consideration of the request. He expressed some doubt as to an exhibition being the best medium of advertising. The exposition idea in recent years had been a little overdone. It was proper he agreed, that the historic coming of the Selkirk should be marked, but was not prepared to state the policy which would be pursued by the government at the present time.

DESERTED BABIES FOUND IN A TRAIN

Three Little Tots From Kansas Found in a Bunk in an Express Train at Emerson, Sask.

Winnipeg, Man., May 14.—(Special)—Immigration authorities discovered a sad case of desertion of children yesterday morning when an inspection was made of the baggage examined at Emerson. Three little tots were found in a bunk and when the child was found their destination, they replied they were going to Star City, Saskatchewan. Their tickets expired at Bountiful, and it was further found they had only thirty cents among them. The children had come all the way from Kansas, and their parents had deserted them and they had been sent to Star City where their grandparents now reside. Unless it is found that the latter are in position to keep them the children will be sent back to Kansas.

DIED IN MASSACHUSETTS

Harriet B. Adams, wife of Allen H. Adams, formerly of St. John, died at Somerville, Mass., on Saturday, and was buried this afternoon. She is a daughter-in-law of Thomas Adams of the public works department in this city, and was 33 years old. She was formerly a Miss Hall.

WORKED 70 YEARS AT ANVIL

S. E. Chamberlain, of Enfield, has the honor of being the Bay State's oldest blacksmith. For seventy years this veteran, now white haired at the age of 84, has stood at the anvil, and during that time he has shod more than 12,000 pairs of oxen and 60,000 horses.

PERSONALS

Mrs. William Gibbons is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Souther, of Baywater. Holly Bridges, manager of the Bridges' Boat Company, Gagetown, came to the city yesterday on the steamer Victoria. Henry Burns, the lumberman, of Fredericton, came in on the Victoria yesterday. C. N. Flewelling passed through the city at noon to Hampton. L. Brayley came in on the Boston train at noon. Col. McLean, M. P., was a passenger to the city on the Montreal train at noon. Ven. Archbishop Newland, of St. Stephen's, passed through the city at noon. Norman R. Burrows, who has been appointed manager of the Havana, Cuba, branch of the Royal Bank of Canada, arrived in the city this morning from Halifax, and will spend a few days here before leaving for his new post.

SPREADING THE HOLY SCRIPTURES

Rev. Dr. G. M. Campbell Receives Interesting Reports from British and Foreign Bible Society

Rev. Dr. G. M. Campbell superintendent for this district for the Canadian Bible Society has just returned from a tour of his district which is known as No. 1, taking in the Maritime Provinces and Newfoundland. He has been re-organizing the field in preparation for the summer campaign. Dr. Campbell says the 105th annual meeting of the British and Foreign Bible Society, of which the Canadian Bible Society is an auxiliary, was held in the Queen's Hotel, London, England, May 7th. The meeting was largely attended and among the distinguished speakers was Sir Andrew Fraser, who made such an impressive address at the recent Laymen's Missionary Congress at Toronto. The report showed that the society has completed the Bible in 105 languages. New Testaments in 102 and in 211 other languages some portions of the Bible have been printed, making a total of 418 languages in which the society has promoted the translation, printing and distribution of the Holy Scripture. This means that in 67 languages the work of translation was completed in 1908. In publishing the new versions the society serves various branches of the Christian church. The Kannuri version will be used by Moravian missionaries; the Rabha, by the American Baptist church; the Ora by the Anglican church; and the Nduu served the American Congregationalists and South African Church Missions. In addition the society is devoting money and pains without stint in producing versions acceptable to the Jews. This work is under the direction of the learned Orientalist Dr. C. G. Ginsburg. Archbishop Mackay's revised version of the Cree Bible, to which he has devoted his life, has been published for use in Canada. The Canadian Auxiliary employs 40 collectors of its own among the swarm of Polyglot immigrants and settlers scattered over the prairies. They visit camps where lumbermen, cattlemen, miners and railway navies live, remote from the churches and schools. These camps are estimated to contain 200,000 men. The report refers to the Canadian work in the most complimentary terms, naming it "our great Canadian auxiliary." The society for use in Canada, has increased numerous Diplot editions by publishing Matthew in Yiddish and English, and the whole New Testament in Rutherfordian and English. The society has published in 31 languages the scriptures for the blind. It issued in 1908, 5,944,711 volumes, of these 884,185 were bibles, 1,116,574 New Testaments, and 3,933,842 portions of scriptures. The society's total expenses for 1908 was \$237,041 sterling, and total receipts for year \$238,040 sterling, leaving a net balance of \$290. Since it was organized in 1804 the society has issued 215,500,000 copies of scriptures.

A PETTY ROBBERY IN CHARLOTTETOWN

Thieves Entered Big Dry Goods Store By Rear Window and Stole Goods—An Election Trial

Charlottetown, May 18.—(Special)—Many petty robberies have occurred in Charlottetown recently. The most recent was that in Prowse Bros. Ltd. large dry goods store, thieves broke in the plate glass window in the rear of the store, helping themselves to clothing, hats, etc. No clue yet to the perpetrators has been found.

ST. MAURICE RIVER BOOMS COLLAPSED

Grandes Piles, Que., May 18.—(Special)—The St. Maurice river, which is fully ten feet above normal, the booms at Grandes Piles collapsed back four hundred thousand logs collapsed this morning with disastrous results to the Laurentide Paper Company of Grande Mere and to Three Rivers lumbermen. As the booms at Grand Mere are not strong enough to hold back the rush of logs it was decided to open them, but an attempt will be made by the government to stop them at Shawinigan Falls and Three Rivers. The loss will be heavy.

MONTREAL STOCKS

Montreal, Que., May 18.—(Special)—Stocks continued active and strong today with slight reactions in a few cases. Panama, which was strong yesterday, sold at \$8 3/4 to \$5 3/4, but Pfd touched a new high level at \$9. Textile sold at \$3 3/4, and at 106, while Convertibles at 45 1/2, and Colored Cotton at \$3. Other features were Steel 64 3/4, Pfd 116, Quebec 92 1/2, Power 119 3/4, Illinois 90 1/2, Rubber bonds 98 flat, Porto Rico 83 3/4, Winnipeg St. 170, Ogilvie 124.

THE TUG FLOTTING LEFT FOR THE SPRING RIFT AT NOON

She had the loading crew of the Log Driving Company in tow, and will leave it at Lincoln.

THE WATER AT INDIANTOWN CONTINUES HIGH

being about the Street Car tracks today.

MR. AND MRS. F. A. BELYAZ AND LITTLE DAUGHTER GEORGIA, OF ST. JOHN WEST, ARE SPENDING A FEW DAYS AT BAYWATER.

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A Romance of Modern New York and Paris

By Hudson Douglas

(Continued)

He panted round to the Rue St. Roch in the afternoon sunshine, and the door there ushered him into the room in which Cormorant was awaiting him. It did not take Cormorant long to find out what sort of fellow he had to deal with, and thereafter all went smoothly, since Tisot-Latour contented himself with agreeing promptly to such arrangements as were suggested to him. It was thus settled that the meeting should take place next morning, as soon after dawn as there should be light to shoot by, since the weapons were to be pistols, at twenty paces. The place, Verrieres.

Tisot-Latour was charmed with his colleague's civility, and lingered with some idea of ingratiating himself with him for future effect, but Cormorant having got through with the business in hand became suddenly uncommunicative, and the aspirant to his friendship was on the point of departure when O'Ferral walked in upon them.

**CHAPTER XXI.**

**THE POSTEN IN L'IMPASSE DE PARADIS.**

Quaintance had spent some agonizing hours since he had reached the Rue St. Roch at half-past four in the morning and found that O'Ferral was absent. He had been counting on the correspondent for sympathy and counsel in the most heart-breaking predicament which had evolved itself out of his well meant effort to protect Tisot-Latour's adopted daughter from the cruel measure his uncle had devised against her. He would have given his right hand now to revoke the past, since he had no doubt that his scheme had signally miscarried, had receded on his own head.

Neither did he doubt now that the man whom he had first encountered at the Cornopis, and last, less than an hour ago, at the Blue Rabbit, had somehow managed to possess himself of the identity of this dead Stephen. Quaintance who should have been safe in his grave at Yola on the Benue in Africa. And had tracked the girl down with the idea of inducing her to comply with the terms of the will. But that unscrupulous adventurer had also come too late, since she was wed already.

The was what hurt beyond all else. The thought that his blind search had cost him his fair chance of winning the only woman in the world who could now comfort him, her of the pure pale face, the sorrowful blue eyes, the ducal dress of his dearest dreams who had seen his name on the list of the Duke's army. He groaned aloud in the extremity of his regret.

Ah! could he but have known in time. He had meant well, but fate, which he would have interfered, had struck back at him viciously, a cowardly blow, from behind in the dark.

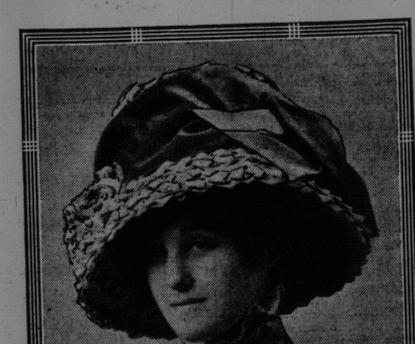
He sat down in his own rooms to wait up in case the correspondent should come. He was still sitting there, a cold bead between his teeth, staring fixedly at the dead fire on the hearth, when a servant came in with coffee at nine o'clock. When Cormorant called at noon to carry him off to breakfast, he found him in the same attitude, and O'Ferral had not returned.

At eight of Cormorant, however, he pulled himself together, drank the stale coffee at his elbow and made a hasty toilet. A cold bath braced his system, and by the time they had walked as far as the Rue de la Chaussee d'Antin, where they turned into the Pallier, he was once more able to think clearly. And the trend of his thoughts was toward revenge, against the man who had power over him, might be between him and his one hope of happiness. The other, that vulgar scoundrel who was impersonating him, might be brought to book afterwards, since no great harm could mean result from his machinations.

Over the breakfast-table he took Cormorant into his late confidence, telling him briefly the strange story of Stephen Quaintance, his uncle's will, and the girl who was now the Duchesse des Reves. And Cormorant heard him out in astonished silence, had no comment to make when he finished. The situation in which he found himself was so unenviable, and there seemed to be no way out of it.

Cormorant told him, somewhat reluctantly and in reply to his pointed questions, that the Duchesse des Reves' record was almost as bad as his reputation. He wondered bitterly how long it would take the Duchesse

**Fashion Hint for Times Readers**



A very clever milliner in New York is quoted as saying that there is nothing so becoming as the tiny cluster of flowers matching the eyes or the tints of the skin, and placed just at the edge of the hat brim over the face. A blue-eyed woman, maintaining she should wear cornflowers; the girl with a vivid color should wear pink roses; the brown-eyed maid will choose nasturtiums, cowslips or some other blossom showing warm yellow or reddish tints. This basket-shaped hat of rough straw has a band and bow of natter blue velvet ribbon and on the brim a cluster of pink roses.

**THE CLUSTER OF FLOWERS ON THE BRIM.**

Washington, D. C., May 13.—Many interesting facts are being brought to light in the tariff discussions and there seems to be a disposition on the part of the senate leaders to suppress, or at least an unwillingness to assist in providing information that senators may be able to discuss tariff subjects intelligently, many members are doing a little digging into the dusty archives of the various departments on their own account with the result that there is an unlimited supply of statistics from which to draw.

**AN INTERESTING NEWS LETTER FROM THE AMERICAN CAPITAL**

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

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There is strong probability now that the president will be able to sign the tariff bill, as the senate leaders declare the measure, as it comes from conference, will fulfill the pledges made by the Republican party in the campaign and as understood by President Taft.

"First Aid" to Porto Rico comes in the shape of a bill introduced this week by Senator Depew, and in response to recommendations made by President Taft for the relief of the civil government of that island. Mr. Depew is chairman of the committee on Pacific Islands and Porto Rico, and his bill authorizes the payment of the actual expenses of the Porto Rican government from current revenues and anti-warrant warrants approved by the vice-president Sherman and Senator Root, of New York, both making felicitous speeches, and the president and Mrs. Taft received the delegation formally at the White House.

The quartermaster general of the army is preparing a new system for supplying the army with horses, and he believes his system will effect a material saving in the number of animals periodically condemned as unfit for use by mounted troops. His idea is to have horses bought in the first instance by cavalry officers,

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**MONCTON HAS A BREAD WAR**

The Old Prices Were Restored as the Result of a Broken Agreement — Starr Trophy Winners Get Diamond Rings

Moncton, N. B., May 17.—The members of the Victoria Hockey team this evening, at the Davidson theatre, were presented with diamond rings in the presence of a large audience as an evidence of appreciation of their team's services in winning the Starr trophy last winter. Dr. L. N. Bourque made the presentation on behalf of the citizens and Captain Crockett replied on behalf of the Victorians. The rings are worth \$54 each. Those receiving the rings were, William Crockett, Joseph Cushing, Norman, Jack Brown, McGrath and Lee Wortman.

Moncton has a bread war on. Three bakers recently entered into an agreement to increase the price of bread one cent per loaf and do away with night work. The agreement was broken this morning, but now the combine is broken because, it is alleged, two of the bakers broke the agreement by selling their bread at night. One of the bakers states the other two instead of doing away with night work had their bread on sale at 7 o'clock this morning as usual while he was left in the lurch. The result is he has declared war and will adhere to his former price of 7 o'clock this morning.

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**A HARVARD PROFESSOR IS LIKELY A SUICIDE**

Percy A. Hutchinon Who Recently Left Sanitarium Left Note Saying He Would Kill Himself

Melrose, Mass., May 17.—The city and metropolitan police were hunting tonight for Percy A. Hutchinson, Ph. D., instructor in English in Harvard University, who disappeared from the New England sanitarium, leaving a note saying that he was going to commit suicide. Dr. Hutchinson had been at the sanitarium several months undergoing treatment for a nervous disorder. Late today, when an attendant went to his room, the absence of the patient was discovered. He had changed all his spare clothing carefully and had the bed beside an open door suit case. In the note he told Dr. Jordan, superintendent of the sanitarium, that he was about to end his life but that it would be useless to look for his body in Spot Pond, on which the sanitarium fronts.

**PROGRAMME FOR THE JOURNALISTS**

Imperial Pressmen Visiting Great Britain Will Have Elaborate Round of Entertainment

Montreal, May 17.—A special London cable says: The following is the programme which has been arranged for the delegates to the Imperial Press Congress from June 14 to 24.

**HIS BODY FOUND**

Body of M. G. DeWolfe Drowned on April 25th Recovered in Cornwallis River

Kentville, N. S., May 17.—The body of M. G. de Wolfe was recovered yesterday afternoon. Mr. de Wolfe was drowned in the Cornwallis river on April 25. The river was thoroughly searched for his body, and since then has been constantly patrolled. A reward of \$100 was offered for the body. The body was found by James Bush on the breakwater on the Stead property, about two miles from town.

**A SHERIFF'S INQUIRY**

Richibucto, N. B., May 17.—(Special)—In the execution of a writ issued out of the Supreme Court, an enforcement was held in a certain case wherein Sylvan Dolare and Hypolite Leper were plaintiffs and Maxime Melanson, defendant. The usual panel of jurymen had been summoned by Sheriff B. J. Johnson, who also presided. The jury was sworn: W. F. Copp, James A. Jardine, A. T. LeBlanc, Ephraim Pine, O. K. Black, J. Fred McDougall, John T. Cus, The last named was elected foreman. W. D. Carter and R. A. Irving, barristers, appeared for the plaintiffs. There was no defence. The verdict agreed with the interlocutory judgment previously given by Judge Landry, which was \$500 for the plaintiffs.

**HALIFAX Y.M.C.A. AT WORK FOR NEW HOME**

They Start to Raise \$73,000 for New Building and Secure \$20,500 in One Night

Halifax, May 17.—(Special)—A campaign was launched tonight by the Y. M. C. A. to raise \$100,000 for a new building. Eighteen subscriptions of \$1,000 each have been secured and one of \$2,500. Besides this, the association has a site for the new building and their old building, under agreement of sale, which together are valued at \$35,000. The total of \$22,500 remains to be raised, and the association will endeavor to secure in the next ten days. C. K. Calhoun, of Montreal, is here to take part in the canvassing.

Preventives—those Candy Cold Cure Tablets will safely and quickly check all colds and the Grip. Try them once and see! 45c. Sold by all druggists.

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**BRITAIN'S LATEST WARSHIP IS THE MOST FORMIDABLE AFLOAT**

The Temeraire, Just Completed, Combines Latest Devices—Can Fire Heavy Broadside of Eight 12-inch Guns.

London, May 16.—With the commissioning of the Temeraire at Devonport yesterday, the English navy received another Dreadnought. It is probably safe to assume that this same Temeraire is as formidable as any completed warship on the seas. This leviathan was launched in August, 1907, and at that time was the heaviest warship ever sent from a royal dockyard. Her launching weight was 7,475 tons, which is 500 tons heavier than the Bellerophon.

The Temeraire mounts ten 12-inch guns, the same as the Dreadnought, and by an echelon arrangement her turrets will be able to fire a broadside of eight of them. The Temeraire's main armament is also so arranged that she can employ two of her turret guns for a right astern fire. Four-inch guns have been substituted for the torpedo boat attacks. The Temeraire has a displacement of 18,000 tons and a speed of 22 knots. She has a length of 490 feet and a beam of 82 feet. Her draught is 27 feet. She has an indicated horsepower of 22,000.

Some idea of the magnitude of this great ship may be gathered from the number of her decks. She has a flying-deck, battery-deck, battery-deck, main-deck, lower-deck, armored-deck and double-bottom flat. Between each tier is splendid head room and current ventilation.

Electricity, of course, is the primary factor in the vitality of this vessel. The switchboard room, with upwards of three hundred controlling keys, is one of the sights of the ship. The installation is on a novel plan. Four dynamos generate the current, which circulates through two gigantic cables weighing fifteen tons, carried entirely around the interior of the ship at intervals, and 180 miles of wire branching off from them give light and heat, ring telegraphs, lifts, cooling, winches, ammunition hoists, ventilating fans, work the

**TIRED OF LABOR BOSSES FROM THE UNITED STATES**

Western Miners May Join the P. W. A. and Avoid American Labor Domination

Halifax, May 17.—P. W. A. officials of Cape Breton have received applications from western labor centres for information regarding the Provincial Workmen's Association, with a view of organizing branches of this union in the west. This is probably an outcome of the existing dissatisfaction with the United States labor union, now in control in the west.

**LABEL SUIT SETTLED BY A PUBLIC APOLOGY**

St. John's, Nfld., May 17.—An apology having been made, Sir Edward Morris, premier, today withdrew the proceedings, which he instituted last month against Walter Baine Grieve, a prominent merchant and ship owner of this city, who was arrested last month on a charge of criminally libelling him. Premier Morris Grieve wrote a letter, in which the merchant claimed that Sir Edward was the plaintiff in the case. The case arises out of a promissory note and the grounds of appeal are that the magistrate had no jurisdiction. Miles B. Dixon, of Riverside, in the city to appear for the Massey-Harris Company.

**Naphtho SOAP**

No more soaking clothes over night—no more use for back-breaking, health wrecking wash-tubs. No more ills from Wash Day chills.

Naphtho Soap does work of boiling and rubbing. It loosens and dissolves dirt without aid of boiling.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

N. Y. STOCK MARKET

Table with columns for stock names (e.g., Am. Steel, Am. Sugar) and their respective prices and changes.

STERLING EXCHANGE RATES

Table showing exchange rates for various locations including London, India, and Australia.

THE WHEAT MARKET

St. John, N. B., May 17. The Oglive Flour Mills Co., Ltd., supply the following quotations of the Winnipeg wheat market—May wheat 123.58, July wheat 124.78, October wheat 103.54.

LOYALIST DAY

Day Observed by Display of Flags and No Session in the Schools—Attractions This Afternoon and Evening.

Loyalist Day in St. John is being observed as a public school holiday and flags are flying from the principal buildings...

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT

Table with columns for commodity names (e.g., May Corn, July Corn) and their market prices.

MONTECAL QUOTATIONS

Table with columns for stock names (e.g., Dom. Iron & Steel, Dominion Steel) and their prices.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET

Table with columns for cotton grades (e.g., May Cotton, July Cotton) and their market prices.

AMERICANS IN LONDON

Americans in London, heavy, 1.8 to 3.4-50 partly. The C. & C. members of New York Stock Exchange, failed.

COLO-SOUTHERN CROSS EARNINGS

Colo-Southern cross earnings second week May increased \$22,776. American Railway Association meets here today.

THROUGHBREDS TO RACE

The thoroughbred stallions Cyclist and Garry Hermann were matched today by their respective owners to race on Victoria Day at the Fredericton Park Association's track.

THRONE-WOOD

Miss R. Mayne Wood, formerly of Moncton, has been married to a Bostonian. She is a daughter of A. D. Wood, formerly of the I. C. R. shop.

ATTRACTING LARGE CROWDS

The annual May Day of white-wear at Macaulay Bros. & Co. stores, which started this morning at 9 o'clock, has attracted large crowds and has caused great interest among the ladies who are fond of dainty lingerie.

POLICE OFFICER ALEX. McDONALD

Police Officer Alex. McDonald, of Sydney, stationed at the city hall, has been arrested on charges of non-payment of poll tax.

THE LONG DRAWN OUT DISPUTE OVER MAINE BOUNDARY

It Took 70 Years of Diplomacy to Bring About the Ashburton Treaty, and Now a Commission is at Work Determining Rights of People on Either Side of the Maine Line.

It took nearly 70 years of diplomacy in the history of the nation to bring about the so-called Ashburton treaty of 1842, settling the northeastern boundary dispute which reached a climax because of lumbering operations on the disputed borderland between Maine and New Brunswick, and after the lapse of 67 years the period a commission is now at work to determine the respective rights of transporting lumber of the same region through the St. John river.

The northeastern boundary dispute cost several hundred thousand dollars, was the subject of messages and papers in Washington, Adams, Monroe, Jackson and Van Buren; engrossed the attention of King George III, and the king of the Netherlands in 1828 acted as arbitrator after the refusal of the emperor of Russia and the king of Prussia, causing a bloodless revolution in the Netherlands.

As diplomats, commissioners or agents appeared, J. Webster, Forsyth and such names as Ben Franklin, Thomas Barclay, Cornelius P. Van Ness, James Sullivan, Governor Edmund Ross, Edward Livingston, William Williams, William Pitt Preble, Alfred Gallatin, Rufus King, Eschscholtz, John Jay, John Adams, John Quincy Adams and James Madison.

The La Tour road race is the attraction for this afternoon. The start is to be made at 8.45 and the course will be from Spruce Lake to Parsons' store, west side. The distance is seven miles. The winners will receive suitable medals.

The Y. M. C. A. boys started from the building shortly after 10 o'clock this morning for a long tramp. It was planned to go to Indianville and take the ferryboat for Milford, from there they tramp through Randolph and back to Fairville.

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CANADIAN TRADE CONTINUES TO IMPROVE

It is Fast Becoming Normal—There Was a Gain of \$4,000,000 for the Past Month—Big Increase all Around.

Ottawa, May 17.—Returns of Canada's trade for April, the first month of the year, show that business continues to improve. The total trade for the month amounted to \$34,968,864, an improvement over the previous April of \$4,028,267.

There was improvement in both imports and exports. Imports for the month totalled \$22,531,670, or an increase of \$2,009,078. The exports for the month totalled \$11,667,797, an improvement of \$1,667,909.

The dutiable imports amounted to \$13,440,348, an increase of \$1,622,977. Free imports totalled \$9,091,322, an increase of \$4,066,171. The duty collected during the month amounted to \$3,788,480, being a betterment of \$407,782.

Under items of exports, those of the mine showed improvement amounting to \$128,855, exports of forest products increased \$62,671, and exports of agricultural products amounted to \$4,948,112, an increase of \$1,470,722.

The fisheries there was a falling off of \$174,713 in animals and their products, a decrease of \$106,807, and in manufactures a decrease of \$234,548.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, O. Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, Ohio, and that he is a citizen of the State of Ohio.

By act of congress in March, 1820, Maine was admitted as a state to the Union and in January, 1825, the first trouble over lumbering in the disputed territory between the United States and the British Empire was caused.

The United States in 1827 demanded of Great Britain the release and repatriation of the American fishermen who were arrested in the waters of the British Empire.

By his award the United States was given 7,908 square miles or 5,041,120 acres of the disputed territory, 2,927 miles, William Pitt Preble, in 1831 minister to the Hague protested against the award in the "Highlands" north of both Maine and Massachusetts agreed that it was unsatisfactory.

In the following year, Pres. Jackson submitted a treaty to Congress which was rejected by a vote of 35 to 28 declared that the award was not obligatory.

The question of navigation on the St. John river, supposed to be now a bone of contention and while Great Britain refused to then consider the question of the disputed territory, the river is now being navigated by both countries.

The same year the United States, through Sec. of State Edward Livingston, Louis McLane and Levi Woodbury and the Hon. Charles Sumner and William Nicholas Emery, the latter of Maine, signed a treaty, never ratified and long called, was signed to the St. John river.

For many years Great Britain contended that the St. John river was the true St. Croix river and the United States maintained that the Magalloway was the true St. Croix river.

They chose as third arbitrator, Egebert Benson, New York's first attorney general, and James Sullivan, attorney general of Massachusetts, a resident of the district of Maine, was selected as the American agent, and Ward Chipman, a native of the Bay state, but then living in Nova Scotia, afterwards chief justice and president of that province, was selected in behalf of England, and accompanied by Prof. Webster, the astronomical department of the Harvard college, sailed for Halifax on the Portland packet Aug. 2, 1796.

In July, the following year, a delegation of Passamaquoddy Indians appeared at a meeting of the commissioners adjourned to Quincy, where the deposition of Pres. Adams was taken in relation to the dispute.

A year after the commission met and decisions was fixing the mouth of the St. Croix river in Passamaquoddy Bay, and the line of the St. John river, three degrees, 54 minutes and 15 seconds east of Harvard college, in the University of Cambridge, which upheld the English contention as to the Schoodic river being the St. Croix. The cost of the commission was \$20,000.

Then arose a difficulty about the islands in Passamaquoddy Bay and in 1817 a commission costing \$6,000 decided that Dudley Moore and Frederick Islands belonged to Uncle Sam and all others, including Grand Menan, belonged to England. John

THE SHIPPING WORLD

MINIATURE ALMANAC

Table with columns for dates (1909, 1908, 1907) and weather conditions (Sun, Moon, Tides).

BRITISH PORTS

Barbados, May 15—Sd. schr Francis A. Rice, St. Stephen, N. B. Liverpool, May 15—Sd. schr American, Liverpool, May 15—Sd. schr Wm. H. Albany, Sweetest Hill, N. B. Key West, Fla. May 15—Sd. schr Equator, Key West, Fla. Mobile, May 15—Sd. schr Bonifant, Scott, from Cayman Is. New Haven, May 15—Sd. schr Witch Hazel, St. John.

FOREIGN PORTS

Brunswick, Ga. May 15—Sd. schr Irma, Brindley, Carter, John. Havana, May 15—Ar. schr Delta, Sherman, Pascopelli. City Island, May 15—Sd. schr Wm. O. Goringham, Price, St. John for New York. Key West, Fla. May 15—Ar. schr Equator, Key West, Fla. Mobile, May 15—Ar. schr Bonifant, Scott, from Cayman Is. New Haven, May 15—Ar. schr Witch Hazel, St. John.

ARRIVED TODAY

Stmr Manchester Commerce, 344, Couch, from Philadelphia, Wm. Thomson & Co. general cargo. Arrived, May 17, 4. Coastwise—Stmr Bear River, 70, Wood, from New York, Wm. H. Albany, Sweetest Hill, N. B. Annapolis, Md. May 17—Ar. schr Mattland, Bay Queen, 21, Annapolis, Md. May 17—Ar. schr Mattland, Bay Queen, 21, Annapolis, Md. May 17—Ar. schr Mattland, Bay Queen, 21, Annapolis, Md.

SAILED YESTERDAY

Stmr Oruro, 126, Bal, for Halifax and West Indies. Dominion Ports. Annapolis N. S., May 15—Sd. schr Katharine, for New York. Annapolis, N. S., May 15—Sd. schr Strathcona, for New York. Annapolis, N. S., May 15—Sd. schr Strathcona, for New York.

BEATIFICATION OF JOAN OF ARC

Paris, May 16.—The three days' fête in honor of the beatification of Joan of Arc, which commenced yesterday, will continue today. The beatification ceremony was held in the presence of the Pope's legate, the Archbishop of Paris, and the Cardinal of Sens.

INTERESTING ITEMS

Maritime Rug Works clean carpets promptly. Phone us—call M. 1961. Most laundries do average work and uniforms are content, but Ungar's is a specialty and the people are delighted.

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Miss Sabra Vincent, of North End, has been selected by the employment bureau of the Currie Business University to fill the position of stenographer for L. M. Trast & Co.

Mr. Derrick, who has from the outset been associated with Wetmore, Crowell, McNeil and Mitchell in the scheme for the establishment of rolling mills in Sydney, is now here. F. M. McCurdy, the Halifax broker, is obtaining the finances.

BREAD GOES UP

St. John Bakers Put the Increased Price Into Effect. Following the bakers' announcement last week that the price of bread would be advanced on Monday, the nominal two pound loaf was not procurable in the city or Fairville yesterday for less than seven cents wholesale and eight cents retail.

One baker, in speaking of the advance in price last evening, did not conceal his gratification that the change had at last gone into effect. With the present price of flour, he said, another cent in addition would have been too much. He hinted that if the upward movement in flour continued it would not be long before the nine cent loaf became a fact.

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Table listing telephone numbers and names of subscribers, including Akersley & Price, Am. City Market, and various individuals.



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**BOXING IN MEXICO**  
 Mexico City, May 17.—(Special)—At London police court today Aubrey Ward, formerly of Halifax, admitted the charge of bigamy. He married a girl in Halifax ten years ago and had three children by her. Coming to London with his father's family, Ward met and married Miss Mary Kilpatrick, with whom he was living in Detroit when arrested.

**HE ADMITS HE HAS TWO WIVES**  
 Aubrey Ward, Formerly of Halifax, Pleads Guilty in London Court to Charge of Bigamy.

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**NO CLUE YET IN THE PROVIDENCE MURDER**  
 Police are Satisfied That the Missing Auburn Barber Had Nothing to do With Miss Register's Killing

Providence, R. I., May 17.—Although the police sent out notices broadcast over the Eastern States today, asking for the detention of the Auburn barber, formerly missing since the day before the murder of Miss Laura Register, detectives at work on the case asserted tonight that the barber has been entirely eliminated from the mystery. This announcement followed a visit by an inspector to Rehoboth (Mass.).

The police have never made any charge against him, but have expressed a strong desire to question him as they have questioned all the young women's admirers with a view to getting some possible new light on the mystery. The notices sent out today are headed: "Identify this man," give his name as "Clarence G. Chase, age 35 years, height, five feet, five inches, and weight, 160 pounds. His complexion is light, eyes gray, hair bushy and sandy, usually smooth shaven, dressed in black clothes with black derby hat."

**SOME PLACE GOT A QUEER SHAKING**  
 Two Earthquake Shocks Registered at Toronto Observatory—One, 4,800 Miles Away, Lasts More Than an Hour and a Half

Toronto, May 17.—The seismograph at the observatory here registered a slight earthquake shock Saturday night, believed to be the one that struck the west. The seismograph here also registered a strong earthquake at 3:13 this morning. It lasted one hour and thirty-two minutes. Large waves were at 3:21 and continued about ten minutes. It is estimated that the earthquake was more than 4,800 miles away.

Pains of women, head pains, or any pain stopped in 20 minutes sure, with Dr. Shoop's Pink Pain Tablets. See full formula on 25c. Box. Sold by all druggists.

When asked last evening if reports were to be made against R. K. Y. C. members who were found by Policeman Perry painting their yachts at Millidgeville on Sunday last, Chief of Police Clark said last night that he was considering the matter and could not say what would be done. Policeman Perry's visit did not result in any reports for Sunday beer selling.

A lecture will be delivered by Lt. Col. McLaren before the 25th Anniversary Corps, A. M. C., in their armory this evening. The lecture will be followed by a smoker.

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 GUARANTEED CATARRH CURE  
 Germs cannot live when Hyomei is used—you just breathe in this soothing most powerful antiseptic air and relief is immediate.

If you have catarrh and are constantly embarrassed because you must have, spit and sniffle, surely you will give Hyomei the attention it deserves, when Chas. R. Wasson will guarantee this pleasant remedy to cure all this distress and humiliation, or will give you your money back.

Michigan woman writes: "I procured Hyomei and used it for the relief of a species of catarrh that irritated and filled up my nose and head. This remedy healed the disease, and I have since kept it on hand in the house and find that it is not only a cure for catarrh but for coughs, colds and sore throat. Hyomei is an invaluable remedy." Mrs. S. N. House, Gwosden, Mich., Dec. 8, 1908. Sold in every town in Canada. The R. T. Booth Co., Fort Erie, Ont., Canada, Makers.

**GRAND SUCCESS**  
 Wonderful Growth in Sales During 1908

The year just passed will long be remembered for the financial and commercial depression. Business houses all over Canada were affected. Most of them show a loss over 1907. Some did about as much business last year as in the preceding one. A few—a very few—show substantial gains. In spite of "hard times" and "financial depression," the sales of "Fruit-a-tives" doubled in 1908 over 1907. The National Drug & Chemical Co. of Canada Limited bought "Fruit-a-tives" in 100 gross lots (14,000 boxes). Lyman Sons & Company of Montreal, and Lyman Brothers in Toronto, also ordered "Fruit-a-tives" by the hundred gross lots. These big wholesalers bought such big orders simply because the retail dealers ordered so many boxes of "Fruit-a-tives"—and the dealers had to keep "Fruit-a-tives" always in stock to supply the constantly growing demand of people in every section of Canada.

**CARROLL'S CASE TO BE APPEALED**  
 Charge of Selling Beer During Prohibited Hours Will Probably Come Before Judge Forbes.

In the police court yesterday afternoon Judge Ritchie delivered judgment in the case against Miles Carroll, the holder of a beer license, charged with keeping his premises open after 10 o'clock on Saturday night, May 8. His honor adjudged the defendant guilty and imposed the minimum fine of \$20 or one month in jail. He then gave notice of appeal and the matter will probably come up before Judge Forbes in chambers.

Among other things Judge Ritchie said that the prosecution in the case depended on section 125 of the act, which forbids the holder of a beer license, keeping open after 10 o'clock on Saturday night. The first part of this section referred to selling beer on Sunday, which it also forbids. Then the phraseology changed and it went on to specify certain classes of premises privileged to keep open during prohibited hours.

The defence, on the other hand, depended on a section which declares that druggists, confectioners, restaurant keepers and fruit dealers may sell soda water and other temperance drinks during the hours prohibited for beer shops. It was admitted that the defendant's premises were open as reported, but it was contended that he was a grocer and fruit dealer. It was important, his honor continued, to remember that the legislation did not refer to grocers or fruit dealers, but had been framed with a view of restricting the hours during which beer could be sold. If the contents of the defence were right they could sell night and day so long as they did not sell on Sunday, and could not be stopped.

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AMUSEMENTS

THE NICKEL HAS A SPLENDID SHOW

Fine weather and a big bill of attractions made the Nickel headquarters for pleasure-seekers yesterday afternoon and evening and every item was a pronounced hit. The Longboat-Shrubb 15-mile race at Montreal was very interesting. Shrubb's remarkable sprinting powers and the long Indian lope of the red man caused much comment. Miss Evans, the new soprano from Portland (Me.), jumped into favor at once in a poetic ballad entitled The Red, Red Rose, which was magnificently illustrated. Miss Evans is winsome and sings excellently. The Silbers in their triple-number were encored time and again. Mr. Silbers sang White's old favorite Marguerite; Mrs. Silbers sang Penn's Carissima and in duet they rendered most artistically Wagner's Glory for the Hero, using their native German language. There were three extra pictures and the superb orchestra; same as show today.

JOHN GRIFFITH IN TWO SPLENDID PARTS

It was announced a short time ago that on the occasion of John Griffith's engagement at the Opera House, May 24, 25 and 26, he would present a King's Rival. The management decided, however, that there was a greater desire to see Mr. Griffith in Macbeth, his first and greatest success. He was notified of this and gladly consented to the change. Local players will therefore have an opportunity to enjoy his vivid impersonation of Macbeth, the character in which he has always been conceded to be at his best. The Bella and Macbeth have been included in his repertoire this season and in a recent letter to this city Mr. Griffith's business manager wrote that Macbeth and the Bella will most invariably prove the most popular of all the plays in which he is appearing. Complete scenic and electrical equipment is on hand, and an elaborate production of the plays will be given. Mr. Griffith's support is said to be even stronger than he has had in the past. His present leading lady is Miss Edith Totten, formerly identified with various dramatic successes under the management of Charles Frohman. Miss Totten's portrayal of Lady Macbeth is said to be most pleasing.

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PROGRAMME FOR ACADIA

Closing Exercises of Educational Institution at Wolfville.

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Saturday, May 29—College Hall, 8 p. m., concert by the Boston Symphony Sextette, assisted by soprano soloist, in aid of the athletic and athletic societies.

Sunday, May 30—College Hall, 10 a. m., closing exercises of the Acadia Seminary, conducted by Rev. D. Webster, B. A. (Acadia College, class 1881); 3:30 p. m., business meeting of the senate of the university, college chapel.

Tuesday, June 1—10 a. m., College Hall, class day exercises of the course graduating class; 2 p. m., annual meeting of the Alumni Association; 7:30 p. m., annual meeting of the Alumni Association; 7:30 p. m., annual meeting of the Alumni Association.

Wednesday, June 2—10 a. m., College Hall, commencement exercises Acadia College; 2 p. m., annual meeting of the Alumni Association; 7:30 p. m., annual meeting of the Alumni Association.

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CIRCULATION

The following is the sworn average daily circulation of the Times for the last four months:— January . . . . . 6,712 February . . . . . 6,979 March . . . . . 7,167 April . . . . . 7,194

The Times does not get its large sale through newboys. It is delivered at the homes. That is the kind of circulation which is of value to the advertiser.

THIS EVENING

Musical farce "The Hustler," at the Opera House.

Moving pictures and illustrated songs at the Nickel.

Special anniversary service in St. Andrew's church at 7.45 address by Rev. Dr. Johnson.

Official opening of rooms of Dominion L. O. U. No. 141, in Orange Hall, Simonds street.

Band concert in King Square at 8 o'clock.

Annual social of Ladies' Aid Society of Zion Methodist church in school room at 8 o'clock.

Meeting of St. Stephen's Scots Cadets, at 7.45 o'clock.

Lecture by Lt. Col. MacLaren before No. 8 Ambulance Corps, A. M. C., in Armory.

A. O. H. and St. John the Baptist teams play in Inter-Societies baseball league on Shamrock grounds.

Joint gathering of Canadian Clubs in Keith's assembly rooms.

LATE LOCALS

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held this (Tuesday) afternoon at three o'clock.

The Pythian male quartette will sing at the services in St. Andrew's church this evening.

Steamship Manchester Commerce, Captain Couch, arrived in port this morning from Manchester via Philadelphia, with a general cargo.

British schooner Irma Bentley, Captain Carter, sailed from Brunswick, Georgia, last Sunday, with a cargo of pitch pine lumber.

Court LaTour, J. O. Forester, will meet in Forester's Hall, Charlotte street, this evening. Admission of new members and other important business. A full attendance is requested.

A special meeting of the Evangelical Alliance has been called for Wednesday afternoon at 4.30 to consider some irregularities in reference to the Lord's Day Act.

Steamer Senlec, Captain Crossley, came down through the falls this morning, and went on Highway's blocks for some painting to the bottom. The steamer will leave here the last of this week to run on the Gaspe and Campbellton route.

The steamer Bridgewater has been chartered to take the Amelia's place on the St. John and South shore route. She left Halifax last night on her first trip. The Bridgewater will be here to sail Thursday. The Bridgewater has been to the port before.

The Robinson Opera Company, which has been reorganized and is now playing a season of summer opera at the Theatre Francaise, in Montreal, is asking for time at the Opera House. "The Mummy and the Humming Bird" Company also wants dates in July.

Dr. Gould, who was to have given an illustrated lecture in St. Luke's church a couple of weeks ago, and was prevented by the serious illness of his daughter, has arranged with Rev. T. W. Kennedy, of Japan, to take his place on Wednesday evening, May 19.

The tug American arrived at Portland, Maine, last Sunday. It was in a new dredge and scow, on the way from New York for Chatham, N. B. The tug and dredge were recently purchased by A. & R. Loggie, of Loggieville. The same firm also recently purchased the tug Leader, and three scows at Baltimore, the whole outfit being now on the way to the province.

POLICE COURT

In the police court this morning James McDonald, who was fined \$8 for inebriation by the magistrate yesterday, and was subsequently extended his liberty on payment of \$4, after promising to shake the dust of St. John from his feet without procrastination, was before his honor this morning, having been taken into custody on Mill street last night by Patrolman Crawford, who arrested him on Saturday night. He was fined \$8 or two months, and his fine amounted to 70 cents; he was led to jail.

Charles Johnson, a Swede, was fined \$4 on ten days, and Henry Addison, who, as he expressed "was working all day and took a drop too much," pleaded for a suspension of fine and was fined \$8 or 20 days. From Addison's condition this morning it was apparent that a "drop" was no exaggeration at least of the quantity of stimulants that he assimilated.

Kenneth Christie left this morning to resume his duties in the Royal Bank at Newcastle.

WANTED—TWO BOYS, ABOUT SIXTEEN YEARS OF AGE. Apply PHILLIPS & WHITE CO., Dock street. 897-19.

FOR SALE—ODD FURNITURE. Carpets and baby cradles good as new. Apply 29 Queen St., left hand. 900-25.

WANTED—MAID FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK. MRS. O. H. WARWICK, 36 Mecklenburg street. 892-17.

WANTED—ONE IRONER AND ONE GIRL TO POLISH COLLARS and cuffs. Apply GLOBE LAUNDRY. 892-21.

WANTED—PERSONS TO GROW MUSHROOMS for us at home. Waste space in cellar, garden or farm can be made to yield \$16 to \$22 per week. Send for illustrated booklet and full particulars. Montreal Supply Co., Montreal. 23-2-51-09

TO LET—COTTAGE AT QUISPAMIS, water in house. Apply to Miss Magee, 39 Charlotte street. 888-25.

WANTED—THE CARE OF TWO CHILDREN for the summer. Terms moderate, healthy place. MRS. CARTER, Antigonish, Queens county, N. B. 889-21.

A NOTHER CHEAP SALE OF SAMPLES in Summer Headwear for Children, 24 1/2 opens tomorrow. Prices will suit you. Come and see McGrath's, Furniture and Department Stores, 174-176 Brussels St.

AN EX-CONVICT WITH A STORY

"Samuel Adams" Has a Tale to Unfold About the Inside of Dorchester Penitentiary—He Makes Charges.

Joseph Williams Shaw, better known as Samuel Adams, arrived in St. John last night from Dorchester, he having completed a twenty-two months' sentence in the penitentiary.

Shaw, or Adams, the name under which he is probably best known to the police, is the man who won his freedom by his eloquence in the court room at Burton the other day. On that occasion, it will be remembered, he was arraigned on a charge of stealing a horse and sleigh, but he pleaded so strongly for his liberty and with such good effect, that Judge McLeod, who was presiding, determined to give him another chance to retrieve himself. He was accordingly taken back to Dorchester and, his original sentence being completed, was discharged yesterday, coming at once to St. John. This morning he announced to a Times representative that he intended to write an article on Dorchester penitentiary life just as soon as he is able to do so with an unbiased mind.

"Naturally I somewhat prejudiced just now," he said, "but as soon as I get settled I intend to give the world a story of the inside of Dorchester penitentiary that will attract some attention."

Beyond this point Adams would not go. He intimated that he could prefer serious charges against the authorities at Dorchester and, furthermore, that he could "prove them up to the hilt." These include charges of graft against some of the prison officials, but a more serious indictment, if Adams' story be true, is that at least four prisoners, during his term in the penitentiary died from neglect and ill-treatment. The death of John Francis, the St. John mulatto, who died in Dorchester some days ago was, according to Adams, not due to the causes which were generally published. Adams says he believes Francis died as the result of injuries he inflicted on himself, which may or may not have caused blood poisoning. Naturally, a man who owes his freedom to a really long stay may be expected to be a good talker, but Adams, to all appearances, a surprisingly well informed man, and he seems to be very much in earnest in his contention that the management of the penitentiary at Dorchester is such as to call for investigation.

FUNERAL OF THE LATE CHARLES A. EVERETT

Very Lengthy Funeral Procession Followed His Body to the Grave This Afternoon

A very large concourse of citizens from all walks of life attended the funeral of the late Charles A. Everett, this afternoon. Service was conducted at his late residence, 11 Orange street, at 3 o'clock by Rev. W. W. McMaster, pastor of German street Baptist church. The service was of a very simple but impressive character, and was attended by a large number of close friends of Mr. Everett. The funeral obituary was a lengthy one, and included a large delegation from the Temple of Honor and Temperance and representatives of the Sons of Temperance, the directors of the Exhibition Association, the St. John Relief and Aid Society, and other bodies, with which Mr. Everett had been prominently identified. On account of the semi-annual session of the grand lodge, Sons of Temperance, which opens at St. George at 3 o'clock this afternoon, it was impossible for the members of the grand lodge to turn out in a body, as they would like to have done. Members of the propagation committee, however, called at the home last evening to express their sincere sympathy with the family and resolutions of regret will be passed at the grand lodge meeting to-day.

Among the many beautiful floral tributes laid on the casket was a large triangle of roses, carnations, amaranth, etc., with a star in the center and bearing the letters L. P. F., from the grand division Sons of Temperance, also a large sheaf of wheat with white earstons and stalks from W. C. Whittaker, Most Worthy Templar of the T. of H. & T. There were likewise many floral offerings from relatives and friends, both in and out of the city.

There were no pallbearers, the casket being borne by relatives, and interment was made in Fernhill.

MARINE NEWS

Battle liner Leucira, Captain Hilton, left Hamburg last Saturday for Norfolk via New York.

West India steamer Oruro, Captain Bale, left last night for Halifax and the West Indies with a general cargo.

British schooner Dora C., Captain McNally, cleared for Port Beville (N. S.) yesterday to load for a port in the United States.

Barb Madara, Captain Brandt, arrived yesterday at City Island from Annapolis, N. S., for South America shipped by A. D. Hunter.

British schooner Earl Grey, was at Vineyard Haven last Sunday on her way to St. John from Apalachicola, Florida with a cargo of pitch pine.

The St. John schooner Levalois, Captain Robinson, arrived at City Island last Sunday from Bridgewater (N. S.) with a cargo of lumber.

The American schooner Henry H. Chamberlain, Captain Wason, was towed from Fredericton yesterday loaded with lumber, and cleared for New York.

The Annapolis (N. S.) schooner Elma, Captain Miller, which brought a cargo of hard coal for Fredericton, cleared yesterday for City Island for orders with nearly 2,000,000 spruce laths.

The shore line steamer Amelia, damaged by being ashore on the Nova Scotia coast, has been placed on the dry dock at Halifax. It was found that the bottom is badly damaged for quite a distance and that more than a dozen planks will have to be replaced. The bilge keel and part of the stern will have to be replaced.

The Black Diamond steamer Cocoua, which ran down a French fishing vessel near the Cape Breton coast, was bound for Boston where she was expected to arrive before dark Monday night, and will be turned over to the owners. After receiving her furnishings she will be placed on the Bangor division next month. The steamer left the plant of the Bath Iron Works, where she was built, at 2 1/2 a. m. in command of Captain C. A. Blair and was accompanied by President John S. Hyde, C. F. Weatherbee, superintendent of engineering, and John Meisner, superintendent of construction. She was to be thoroughly tried out by the Builders on the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stackhouse wish to return thanks to many friends for sympathy and kindness shown them in their recent bereavement.

KODAK advertisement featuring an illustration of a man and a woman with a camera. Text: Keep a Kodak Record of your Summer pleasures. Anybody can Kodak. It is easier to go right than wrong by the Kodak system. Simple, inexpensive and no dark room for any part of the work. Kodaks from \$5.00 up. Brownie Cameras \$1.00 to \$9.00. J.M. ROCHE & CO. LTD. NEW STORE Corner King and Germain Sts.

McLEAN HOLT & Co. advertisement featuring an illustration of a stove. Text: And Now For Your Summer Home. When we go to the country in the summer months we go for pleasure. You can't have that pleasure if you don't have a good stove to cook with. You don't want to buy some old stove that has been thrown out of someones kitchen that won't bake. We have a Glenwood Cook with 4 holes and large oven that will make your cooking easy and your stay in the country a pleasure. Made here in St. John Where you can get any repairs. McLEAN HOLT & Co. Makers of Glenwood Stoves and Ranges. Store 155 Union St. Phone 154.

BOYS' SUITS FOR SPRING advertisement. Text: At Special Low Prices This Week. AMERICAN CLOTHING HOUSE, 11-15 Charlotte Street, St. John.

GREEN SOFT HATS FOR MEN advertisement. Text: \$1.00 to \$2.00. These are the Proper Thing This Season. Fownes Cape Gloves \$1.00. F. S. THOMAS, 539 Main St.

Bargain Sale of Boys' Pants advertisement featuring an illustration of a boy in a suit. Text: 400 PAIRS Reduced to 65c. and 80c. GOOD, STRONG, STYLISH PANTS IN SHADES TO MATCH SUITS THE BOYS ARE WEARING. THIS SALE WILL AFFORD AN EXTRA PAIR FOR LITTLE MONEY. These Pants are made of good, strong, durable Tweeds, Cheviots and Homespuns. The colors are Greys and Browns in just the shades to match suits the Boys are wearing. You may buy an extra pair now to tide the Boy through the strenuous play days of Summer at a very small expenditure.

This Sale Begins Tomorrow Morning advertisement. Text: Every pair of Pants offered is exceptionally well made; roomy, stout and durable. Strong stitching, good quality weight cotton linings. All are stylish and well appearing pants in every particular. Regular 80c. and 90c. Values at 65c. Regular \$1.00 and \$1.25 Values at 80c. Mothers should not allow this opportunity to pass, to secure an extra pair for the Boy at this special saving. Sale Wednesday Morning at Eight O'clock. Clothing Department Manchester Robertson Allison, Ltd.