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MR. JOHNSON GIVEN A WARM RECEPTION

Chicago's Colored Leaders Turn Out In Force

To Welcome the Gentleman Who Put It All Over Mr. Thomas Burns in a Recent Encounter.

CHICAGO, Mar. 15.—The ideas of March heralded will have a significance to Chicago's colored population other than that given it by history, for yesterday Jack Johnson, the first colored champion of the world, appeared in Chicago. Many colored people were at the depot where they waited patiently for two hours for the delayed train. Wearing polka dot boaters, peg leg trousers, boldly designed shirt front and the masculine of the cabaret hat, they were garbed according to the latest dictates of fashion as promulgated from the sartorial throne of the so-called black belt. There was a hush as the conqueror of Tommy Burns alighted from the platform. His eyes were keen, his step jaunty. There was little strength apparent in every movement and his smile showed appreciation of mingling again with his old friends. "He is wearing a gray fedora," whispered one of the crowd, "Just like mine."

SERBIA SEEMS TO BE GETTING IN A CORNER

Austria Will Force the Issue, Making War Probable—Turkey Soothing Information.

BERLIN, March 15.—Advice received at the foreign office today concerning the strained situation between Austria-Hungary and Serbia indicate that the crisis is still in an acute stage. It is affirmed that Austria-Hungary is about to make another effort at Belgrade with the view of bringing Serbia's views into accord with her own. The nature of these representations is not disclosed but it can be said that the dual monarchy will demand a clear explanation of Serbia's intentions. Officials say that if Serbia accedes, the negotiations will pursue a peaceful course but if not hostilities are inevitable and the only task of the powers will be to localize the conflict. The report that Turkey will demand an explanation of Serbia's intentions with regard to the large quantities of war material now lying at Salonika had been officially confirmed. Should the reply be unsatisfactory an embargo will be placed thereon. In the meanwhile Serbia has arranged to procure munitions of war and stores via Bulgaria but pressure will be brought upon Turkey to prevent the passage of military supplies through the Dardanelles.

WEALTHY WINNIPEG WOMAN DECIDES TO GO TO JAIL

Profers This Course to Paying a Judgment—Big Business Done at Little Western Towns.

WINNIPEG, Mar. 15.—Rich beyond the ordinary lot of man or woman, Mrs. Stephenson refuses to pay any award of the courts and prefers to go to jail. She acknowledges to have \$15,000 in cash and \$2,000 in diamonds, but she does not keep them in the bank but on her person, where they cannot be touched. A judgment had been taken against her for \$8884 but this she refused to pay and went to jail with her money. The technical charge is not debt, but contempt of court in refusing to obey the order of the court. Officials of the C. P. R. state that the little town of High River, Alberta, shipped more wheat than any other place in western Canada, the shipments averaging 60,000 bushels per mile for the entire mileage in that district. The three year old town of Cadolac ran it close for during past season its freight shipments figured up as follows: \$90,000 for grain, \$300,000 for stock, \$80,000 for dressed meat and \$60,000 for dairy produce. Fifty-two thousand acres of winter wheat and 25,000 acres of oats are under cultivation in the vicinity.

P. E. ISLAND LEGISLATORS ADVOCATE THE CREATION OF A MARITIME FISHERY BOARD

Suggest That It Include Both Federal and Provincial Representatives Who Would Deal With All Matters Affecting This Valuable Industry

CHARLOTTETOWN, Mar. 15.—The "herring chokers" that is applied to Prince Edward Islanders, by the people across the border, appears to be justified, based on his own experience. He and other speakers advocated the shortening of the lobster season, which in the north and east side of the island, extends from April 20th to July 10th, so that it would run from May 1st to July 1st. There is a different season for the south and southwest sections of the province, and the members from those sections favored some reduction of the fishing days also. The total value of our lobster catch was estimated at between \$60,000 and \$70,000 and unless some restrictions are granted the industry will go into decline. The establishment of hatcheries at one or two points has been suggested in keeping up the supply but as a chain of lobster traps virtually extends around the whole coast line, and as traps are used which catch everything in the shape of lobster, there is danger of the industry becoming seriously affected by over-fishing. The necessity of establishing a standard of pack and a standard of packages in regard to herring, cod and mackerel was also emphasized, as was the need of having our fishermen educated in the best methods of curing and caring for the fish. The question of divided jurisdiction is admitted to be a handicap to the progress of the industry, especially in the case of oysters. Farmers are anxious to secure large quantities of oyster mud as a fertilizer, but in digging mud which belongs to the province, they are liable to take live oysters, which the federal government fears they must not do, as they have the power to regulate the fisheries. It was suggested in the course of the debate that the industry be organized as an independent men from the three maritime provinces should be appointed to the Department of the Yona. Although generally local where local interests were concerned and untidily when general interests were involved. On this board both the federal and local power and rights could be vested. The resolution is still before the house and will be disposed of this week.

NEW GLASGOW MAN SEKS FORTUNE DESTROYED BY HUNGRY RATS

His Wife in Moncton Railway Town the Mecca of Runaway Women—Hiram Trenholm Dead. Miser Countess Found in Wretched Home Almost Dead From Starvation.

MONCTON, N. B., March 15.—Because he thinks his wife is living with another man in Moncton, a recently arrived New Glasgow has written the local police asking that enquiries be made so he could obtain information sufficient to secure a legal separation. The wife left her home in New Glasgow some months ago and it was only recently the husband learned she was here keeping house for another man. The death occurred this morning at 10:30 of Hiram Trenholm, aged sixty-four years, of heart failure. Deceased was very prominent in French fish industry in this province. He was a widow and six children. W. R. Trenholm, of the P. A. department of the I. C. R. here, is a son, also Arthur at home. The daughters are Misses Posselin and Adele at home, Mrs. Whitney, Wakefield, Mass. Mr. C. Chapman, Shemogue, Hon. C. W. Robinson is a nephew of the deceased. The funeral will be held Thursday afternoon. A swarm of rats had been in possession of the room. They had eaten whatever food had remained, and had also attacked the old woman's hoard of wealth, which was obdurate in banknotes and scrip. Gouged scraps of thousand-franc notes were found on the floor.

ITALIAN POLICE FEAR FOR ROOSEVELT'S LIFE

Endeavor to Dissuade Him From Visiting Southern Italy.

NEW YORK, March 15.—The World prints this cablegram from London which was written by the Daily Chronicle correspondent at Milan: "The Italian police are in a state of trepidation over Mr. Roosevelt's arrival in Naples early in April, and they think with dismay that the ex-President's wife and three children intend to sojourn in Southern Italy until June. Every effort will be made to dissuade Mr. Roosevelt from setting foot in Sicily and the earthquake region. The Massimo district from time immemorial has been the stronghold of the Mafia and in view of the ex-President's strenuous campaign against secret criminal associations, such a movement would be attended with grave risk."

ZEPPELIN AIRSHIP SUCCESSFULLY LANDED

FRIEDRICHSHAFEN, Mar. 15.—Count Von Zeppelin's new model airship with the inventor and four other men aboard made a successful descent in a field on the shore of Lake Constance today.

It has been asserted that the count would not land on the ground without an especially built platform but this has now been disproven. The airship came easily to the earth and after remaining for some time re-ascended and returned to the balloons shed on the lake. One of the steering planes was slightly damaged by coming in contact with a tree but it was repaired on the spot. Lieut. General Linker and a number of other army officers were present to witness the manoeuvre.

NEW DEVELOPEMENT IN KINRADE MURDER

Members of Family Swore Ethel Did Not Go Out

But Other Persons Saw Her Some Distance From Home Shortly Before Tragedy—Important Evidence Coming.

HAMILTON, Mar. 15.—Sensational developments are promised when the Kinrade murder inquest is resumed Friday evening. Members of the family have sworn that Ethel Kinrade was not out of the house the day of the tragedy. Fitzmaurice says she and her sister finished cleaning the dinner dishes about two o'clock and went up stairs to dress. As far as can be gathered from Mrs. Kinrade's evidence she left the house about three or shortly after. Fitzmaurice says she went down stairs to mend her gloves and that Ethel called down to ask if she were ready to go out. Fitzmaurice says she and her sister were in the hall at the time. The police expect to show that Ethel Kinrade was shot shortly after returning to the house. They expect to produce conclusively at the next session of the inquest that Ethel Kinrade was conversing with a witness who will be called on the afternoon of the tragedy. The Star learns from an authoritative source that a witness will be called who will swear positively that she saw Ethel on the street at 3 o'clock. This witness says she knew the dead girl well and she sees the time exactly because she was turning the key in her door to look it up as the city hall clock struck the hour. The police hope to substantiate this story by the evidence of Miss Rosack, who lives near the Kinrade house, and who is quite sure she saw Ethel pass her house that afternoon. A number of new witnesses, it is understood, will be called. Detective Miller was here this morning and called at several houses in the neighborhood of the Kinrade house. He says there was nothing for publication. He declared there was no truth whatever in the report that the Norfolk police had been asked to make an arrest. The detectives are still in the matter of the Kinrade inquest was rather confusing on this point, and made it look as if the tragedy was on the third Thursday. It was on the fourth Thursday.

THORNDYKE ANGELL, THE FRIEND OF ANIMALS, DEAD

BOSTON, March 15.—Geo. Thornadyke Angell, the "Friend of Dumb Animals," as the veteran leader in the humane educational movement in the United States was called, died early today, aged 83 years. In 1868, after seeing two horses run to death in a race, he became interested in humane work for dumb animals and promoted by the action of Henry Berry, who in that year started the New York society for the prevention of cruelty to animals. Mr. Angell established the publication "Our Dumb Animals."

CHATHAM PARAGRAPHS

CHATHAM, N. B., March 15.—The funeral of the late John Sinclair will be held tomorrow afternoon, St. Patrick's Day. It is stated as a coincidence that Mr. Sinclair's father was also buried on St. Patrick's Day. A three weeks' revival campaign was started in St. John's Church last evening and the opening meeting was largely attended. Rev. J. M. MacLean, Geo. Wood, G. F. Dawson and Mr. Patterson of Tabularia, are conducting the services. Meetings will be held each night this week in St. John's church and next week in St. Luke's, concluding with services in St. Andrew's.

FORCED TO MOVE

because the owner had "sold the house over their heads," they had to decide quickly. "I don't want to move and then have to move again because the house isn't right," said the husband, "and I haven't the time to go house hunting." "You don't have to go house hunting, dear," said his wise little wife. "I'll go house hunting in the small want ad column." Call main 25

TELEGRAPH STRIKE PROVING A FAILURE

French Employes Not Anxious to Lose Their Jobs

Many Went to Work Today and the Tie-up Is by No Means General—May Be Called Off.

PARIS, March 15.—The general strike of the telegraph, telephone and the postal employes of the state voted with so much enthusiasm last night, it is turning out today to be anything but effective and unless there should come some sudden change for the worst it promises to be of short duration. An overwhelming majority of the day shifts in all the branches of the service reported for duty this morning. Hundreds of men who were present at the meetings last night apparently had concluded after sleeping over the matter that they would not run the risk of losing permanent employment. Nevertheless, the various services are more or less crippled or deranged today. The main defections occurred in the telegraph and railway mail services. At the Central Telegraph office most of the operators are this morning sitting behind their desks with crossed arms on the pretense that their instruments are out of order. The telephone system appears to be working normally but the deliveries of mail occur with some delay. The Government shows no signs of yielding. On the contrary M. Simyan, Under Secretary of Posts and Telegraphs, announced this morning that such a revolt on the part of the servants of the state cannot be tolerated. Every official refusing to work or dissembling the regulations, will be summarily suspended and dismissed without the usual appearance before a court of discipline. There is reason to believe that the Cabinet, at its meeting today will temporarily forbid further meetings of postal employes on the ground that such gatherings endanger the public service.

ELECTROCUTED FOR KILLING HIS UNCLE

Italian Put to Death at Auburn Prison This Morning

No Maintained to the Last That Companion Who Was Set Free Had Committed the Crime.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 15.—Salvatore Randazzo, who was convicted on April 3, 1908, for the murder of his cousin, Pietro Randazzo, at West Salamanca, on January 11, 1908, was electrocuted in Auburn Prison at 6:15 o'clock this morning. The electrocution was a successful one. But two contacts were necessary to kill, the first one of 180 volts at 74 amperes lasting fully a minute, while the second one was of but three seconds' duration. Randazzo claimed to the last that he was not guilty of the murder of his cousin. In a letter to his father written yesterday morning the man within the shadow of the chair said that the murder was the work of Silvio Baretta. Baretta and the Randazzos were section men at West Salamanca occupying bunk in a box car. Pietro Randazzo was killed on the night of January 11, 1908, and the body thrown into the Allegheny River where it was not found until a week later. Baretta and Randazzo were arrested and indicted for murder in the first degree. Randazzo's trial took place first and he was convicted. Baretta was acquitted. It was shown at the trial that the murder was a part of a plan to rob Pietro Randazzo of between \$40 and \$50.

FREDERICTON NEWS

FREDERICTON, N. B., March 15.—L. W. Johnston, who was removed from office of principal assessor by the city council last evening, packed up his effects and vacated city hall this morning. James Farrell, the new assessor, will be sworn in tomorrow morning. Harry McLaughlin, of New York, and C. F. Sanford, of St. John, are here today to interview the government in regard to the Grand Falls Power Company. The annual meeting of the Farmers and Dairymen's Association opens here tomorrow afternoon. An attractive programme has been arranged and there should be a large attendance.

COAL-- American Anthracite, Scotch Anthracite, Old Mines Sydney Reserve. Delivered in bulk or in bags. Prices Low.

LOCAL NEWS

Maritime Rug Works clean carpets promptly. Phone M-1941. Trimmed hats for \$1.00. 75 Germain St., opposite Trinity Church.

To cure a headache in ten minutes use Kumford Headache Powders, 20 cents.

NEW YORK DRESSMAKERS, reasonable prices. Telephone Main 184-31. House 161 Mill St.

Curtains done up for full housekeeping with homelike care at Ungar's. Tel. 14.

Farm hands intelligent and skilled, can be had by advertising in the "help wanted" column.

In the lecture room of the Natural History Society this evening, Rev. David Hutchinson, D.D., will lecture on "Vacation Rambles in England and Scotland." It will be illustrated with the aid of a lantern.

J. Fred Belyea of the West Side has declined to accept the request of a large number of voters to become a candidate for civic honors in Gray ward at the coming election.

The Exmouth street church began a two-week series of evening services last evening under the leadership of Rev. H. A. Brown of Newcastle.

There's always a demand for anti-ques. If you have any old mahogany you want to sell, use a "for sale" ad.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Dowling entertained at their residence on Douglas avenue last evening the employees of Dowling Bros., in honor of Miss Reb. The young lady on Saturday evening last severed her connection with the firm after a period of eight years in their employ.

The 2 Barkers Ltd. have sold out the balance of Flood's stock and fixtures, 25 King St., to J. M. Roche & Co. Mr. Roche intends utilizing the fixtures to fix up the new store corner King and Germain.

Plaza Cured in 9 to 14 Days. FAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

Tea grown at high altitudes on the mountain slopes of Ceylon, where the growth is slower and cultivation more careful than in the warm, humid climate of the valleys, are used in "Gai-Lan" tea. This tea is of a finer quality, and contains more of the essential oil than the valley-grown tea.

The concert given by Centenary club and friends in the school room last evening was highly successful, the same being crowded with a large and appreciative audience.

Attention is directed to Henderson and Hunt's advertisement on page five of this issue, where they are advertising a great closing out sale at their North End store. This is a great opportunity to buy at 50 per cent. off on all purchases of men's and boys' fashionable clothing and furnishings. Sale starts Thursday, March 15.

M. R. A.'s fourth annual housewarming separation commences tomorrow morning. A gorgeous exhibition of furniture, floor coverings and house decorating wares, the largest assemblage of home making requisites ever shown in Eastern Canada, King street, Germain street, and Market Square windows have been arranged to represent the different rooms of a model home and will suggest many appropriate schemes for spring furnishing. A visit should be made to the different departments, the extensive variety and beauty of display will surely interest. The house furnishings department has been completely renovated and remodelled and is now one of the handsomest and most splendidly equipped in the Dominion.

At a meeting of the creditors of J. Harvey Brown held pursuant to notice at his warehouses Monday afternoon, at which nearly all the creditors were present or represented, A. A. Wilson was elected chairman and Geo. E. Darbour, secretary. After consideration of Mr. Brown's statement it was unanimously resolved that a compromise of 25 per cent. payable in cash, be accepted; and Barnhill, Ewing and Sanford, representing Mr. Brown, were instructed to prepare a compromise deed accordingly. Mr. Brown will therefore continue the business heretofore carried on by him, without interruption.

Only One "BROMO QUININE" that is Laxative Bromo Quinine Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days

25-28 Charlotte street is the place to buy Men and Boys' Clothing and Furnishings at bargain prices. The Union Clothing Co. store.

Court La Tour J. O. F. will meet in Forester's Hall, Charlotte street, tonight for initiations, and other important business. A full attendance is requested.

Do you like to see a square perforated seat on a round framed chair, or a round seat on a square frame. If not bring a pattern to Davy's Umbrella Shop and get seat to suit you. 17 Waterloo St.

For one month past there has been illegal selling of liquor in Fairville. Men are known to carry liquor in their pockets and do what is known as "hip pocket trade." Information has been laid against two men known as Linsley and Hickey, and they will appear before a magistrate on Saturday afternoon.

Word was received in the city Sunday of the death that day in Artsona of Walter P. Dykeman, formerly of this place. Mr. Dykeman left St. John some two years ago, accompanied by Arthur M. Conwell. His death, under particularly sad circumstances has come as a shock to his many friends.

A well attended meeting last evening marked the opening of the series of revival services in Exmouth street church. The speaker was Rev. H. A. Brown, who will be with the Exmouth street congregation throughout the campaign. Mr. Brown is an earnest and impressive speaker, and his address last evening was listened to with marked attention. Meetings will be held each evening, except Saturday, commencing at 7.45, with a song service, directed by E. E. Thomas. A prayer service for Christian workers will be held this evening, at 7.30 in the upper classroom of the church.

ACTIVE IN CHURCH WORK. Dr. Goodfellow is described as a capable and energetic organizer of ability. He lived most of his married life in Holmesburg, where, for years, he was active in church activities. Dr. Goodfellow and Mrs. Goodfellow took a great fancy to theatricals, and she designed a love for the stage. As this habit gripped the woman she soon reached the point where she dropped out of sight as a wife.

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Six months ago Dr. Goodfellow left his home in Holmesburg, saying that he was going West. Even his parents do not know where he is now. He is supposed to be in the hands of some one who would give them good care.

Presumably, too, her expenses back from the West were paid by her own people in St. John, a fact that seems to strengthen the presumption that she returned here purposely to leave the matter of her children in the hands of some one who would give them good care.

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THREE BABES LEFT IN STRANGE HOME; PARENTS HAVE FILED

The Police Seek Holmesburg Dentist and Wife--- Church Workers.

Three small children--left as orphans in a strange home were gathered up by the police of the Holmesburg sub-station yesterday and taken first to Taunay and afterward to the Philadelphia almshouse at Blockley.

Detectives are trying to unravel the mystery of the desertion of the little ones who were found in the home of the youngest children of Dr. William C. Goodfellow, dentist, who quite recently had an excellent practice in Holmesburg and at that time resided in the city.

Goodfellow was for nearly eight years the organizer at Emmanuel Episcopal Church, Holmesburg. His father, the Rev. J. A. Goodfellow, was for thirty-seven years rector of the church of the Good Shepherd, Kensington.

What the police are particularly anxious to ascertain is whether the children were brought here by the mother and then abandoned or by the mother to place the burden of their care upon the grandparents who already had taken three of Dr. Goodfellow's children.

If the detective investigation confirms the suspicion, efforts will be made to apprehend Dr. Goodfellow and his wife, Mrs. Mabel Goodfellow. Moreover, it is possible that Mrs. Goodfellow did not return because she had sought refuge in death. Just before she dropped out of sight she talked of suicide.

The three children now in the poorhouse are Grace, three years old, William T., 3 years old and Mabel, 2 years old. At Blockley yesterday a great fluttering among the women nurses welcomed the tiny waifs.

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INDIANS WIN FROM RIVALS

Capture Second in Series PORTLANDS WEAK Score in Basket Ball Match is 23 to 10--Rivalry is Keen

The Algonquins' basket ball quintet captured the second in the series of games with the Portlands last evening by the score of 23 to 10. The match was witnessed by a large number of fans and was exciting. The rivalry between the teams was clearly shown, as the match became very rough at times.

The first half of the match was quite close, ending with the Algonquins in the lead by a score of 5 to 2. Howard, the star centre of the Indians, secured their only field throw of the match. Each of the quintettes were able to secure three penalty goals during the half.

The Algonquins had by far the better of the second half. Their shooting was a feature of the evening. The forwards and centre played an especially strong match, working some good combination. The Portlands seemed to be away off, as they could not connect with the baskets.

During the half the Algonquins secured eight field goals, while Smith, the Portlands secured their only field basket of the evening. Referee Murphy acted impartially. He allowed twenty-two fouls on the Algonquins and eighteen on the Portlands. Coram secured four field throws, Chase three.

The third in the series will be played on Thursday evening in the Y. M. C. building. The Algonquins are expected to have one game to their credit. On the first meeting the Portlands were victorious by a score of 14 to 11. In last evening's match the teams presented the following line-ups:

Table with 2 columns: Team Name and Player Name. Includes Portlands (Forward, Algonquins; Centre, Howard; Defense, Finley, Roberts) and Algonquins (Forward, Chase (Capt.); Centre, Coram; Defense, Barton, Howard).

DORANDO AGAIN DEFEATS HAYES

MADISON SQUARE GARDEN, NEW YORK, N. Y., Mar. 15--Before a large and enthusiastic audience, Dorando Pietri defeated John Hayes tonight in a mile race. The race, the regulation distance, 24 miles, 385 yards, was run over a ten lap track in Madison Square Garden.

Both men were in excellent condition and Dorando proved himself the master of Hayes at long distance running. From the start to the end of the race the Italian led the American boy being spurred on by the cheers and applause of his emotional surroundings.

In the 12th mile Dorando began a heart-breaking spurt, which Hayes was unable to follow, and before half a mile had been run the foreigner had gained a lap. Again in the 18th mile, after he had taken a breathing spell, the Italian again set a pace which was too much for Hayes, and gained another lap. Thenceforward to the finish Dorando merely jogged behind Hayes, maintaining a lap and a half in easy fashion.

Dorando's time for the race was 2:48:03.

LONGBOAT READY TO RACE ALL COMERS NOW

TORONTO, March 15--Tom Longboat and his wife arrived in Toronto Saturday night and left for Deseronto this afternoon.

Longboat weighs 160 pounds and looks strong as an ox. "I am in good shape and have had rest enough now," said Longboat. "I'm ready for any race." "Have you patched up with Pat Power?" "Yes, I'm going to run in the big Marathon race in New York in the first week in April," replied the Indian.

Longboat called on Alf Shrubbs this morning and told him that he owed him a 15 mile race and would give it to him. Alf handed him some good advice and it was taken in good part. The Indian giving him a signed paper that he would give the 15 miles within two weeks of the New York Marathon, possibly Good Friday.

Alf is writing a book on running.

TONIGHT'S BASKET BALL

Considerable interest is being shown in the basket ball match between the St. Andrew's and Algonquins this evening, and the second in the series for the city intermediate championship. The Algonquins captured the first match. Nevertheless the fact that this evening's game will be played in the St. Andrew's rooms means much, as the church league champions have yet to meet defeat in their own quarters.

AMUSEMENTS

PROGRAM OF IRISH MUSIC TODAY Theatre handed over to Catholic Societies Tomorrow.

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PRINCESS

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HAS HIS OFFICIAL HEAD CHOPPED OFF

FREDERICTON, N. B., Mar. 15--L. W. Johnston, who for nearly two years has held the office of principal assessor, had his official head cut off by the city council at a special meeting this evening. A motion for his dismissal was made by Ald. Hooper, seconded by Ald. Edvard Moore, and passed the council without a dissenting voice. The resolution set forth that the principal assessor had failed to give his entire time to the duties of his office, as the law required, and also that he had been guilty of partial conduct during the recent civic elections.

James Farrell was unanimously appointed to the position at a salary of \$800. Under the law the principal assessor can only be removed by two-thirds vote of the council. A delegation composed of Mayor Chestnut, Ald. Winslow and Farrell, was appointed to proceed to Ottawa and interview the Dominion government in regard to the St. John Valley railway project. They will also interview the Minister of Public Works in regard to wharf improvements.

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LOS ANGELES FOUR DAYS WITHOUT A MAYOR

Last Official Resigned Rather Than Face Charges--New Man Selected by Council. LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 15--Los Angeles was provided with a mayor today in the person of W. D. Stephens, former president of the Commerce. He was elected by the city council. Since Thursday night, when Mayor A. C. Harper resigned under threats of exposure of alleged misconduct, the city has been without a mayor. The appointment of Mr. Stephens is for the unexpired term of former Mayor Harper, which, according to the advice of City Attorney Hewitt, ends on March 26, when the election will be held.

DISPROPORTIONATE. "See here," cried the cat, "are you really determined to drown me?" "I am," replied the man, "you killed our canary, and I believe in a life for a life." "But you're bent upon taking nine lives for a life,"--Catholic Standard and Times.

TOTAL COST OF G. T. P. SO FAR \$45,924,156

OTTAWA, Mar. 15--The report of the National Transcontinental Railway Commissioners covering the work done in the construction of the new government road for the last nine months of 1933 was presented to parliament today. During that period the total expenditures on the road was \$13,366,212, making the total expenditure on the road up to December 31st, \$45,924,156. At the end of the year the total number of miles of grading completed was 48 and 220 miles of track were laid. The whole line from Moncton to Winnipeg is now under contract and reports from the various sections show that satisfactory progress is being made on all contracts. The McArthur contract for the section between Winnipeg and the Fort William branch line of the G. T. P. has been approximately 82 per cent. completed and the contractors have been notified that the balance must be so far completed by September next as to permit of the operation of the road in handling the grain trade of the west next fall.

The report gives an interim statement as to the amount of agricultural lands available for settlement along the line. Good arable land contiguous to the railway is found in every district, the total at a rough estimate being over eleven million acres. This, of course, does not take into account land back from the immediate vicinity of the railway and which may be made available by branch lines.

During the year there were four fatalities in district A, four in district B, and forty-six in district F. Of these thirty-five were due to explosions.

A report by Mr. Collingwood Schreiber, chief engineer of the Western division of the National Transcontinental Railway, on the progress made with the prairie and mountain sections of the Grand Trunk Pacific up to Dec. 31st, last, was tabled in the Commons today.

On the prairie section from Winnipeg to a point 8 1/2 miles west of Battle River, 68 1/2 miles line is now completed. There are also 20 miles of track Battle River to a point 60 miles west of Edmonton, 72 miles, grading and bridging are practically completed and rail laying is in progress. From the first mile west of Edmonton to Waife Creek, end of prairie section, 75 per cent. of grading is done.

On the mountain section only work

SUDDEN DEATH OF WELL-KNOWN MAN

The death occurred yesterday of James Creighton McKeehan, for many years identified with the shipping interests at this point.

Mr. McKeehan's demise came as a shock to a host of friends, many of whom had seen him appearing in joyous good health just previous to his being stricken down. Yesterday morning at ten o'clock he returned to his home at 77 High street, complaining of a severe pain in the region of the heart. He died just twelve hours later.

The deceased, who was sixty-seven years of age, is survived by a wife, one son, and one daughter. The son is John McKeehan, of the L. E. R., and the daughter is Mrs. George Reiker, both of this city.

LADIES' COSTUMES AND DRESSES.

The Dunlop, Cooke Co., Ltd., announces their opening of ladies' costumes, tailored made suits and dresses for Saturday March 20th 21st, 22nd, and following days.

Their Boston designer and fitter will be in charge in connection with the special order department. To meet the additional expense of out of town patrons, for special fittings on ordered work, railway fares will be allowed on points within 75 miles of St. John or allowance will be made up to that amount for points further away.

The opening promises to be of unusual interest, as the display of new designs will be exceptionally special and exclusive. Catalogues will be mailed free upon request.

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ANDREW H. GORMAN DIES IN HARTFORD

Andrew H. Gorman, a well known St. John printer, died on Saturday in Hartford, Conn., and the body will be brought home for interment. Mr. Gorman was an expert linotype operator and had been engaged in Boston and other United States cities for a number of years. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Gorman, one sister, Miss Nellie, and one brother, Patrick J. Gorman, all of St. John, and one brother Edward, of Boston.

His father is critically ill at his home. The news of the son's death has come as a great blow to the family, who will have the sympathy of many here. Mr. Gorman was about thirty-five years old.

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THE RIDERS OF THE PLAINS.

A vivid glimpse of a nation in the process of building is given in the annual report of the Northwest Mounted Police which has just been published. The volume deals with this work in a most remarkable manner that even an official report of the doings of these men reflects almost every phase of life in a new country. The territory of which they have charge includes Alberta, Saskatchewan, Yukon Territory and the Northwest Territories. Throughout this immense area, the constables of the force stand for law and order. In many districts they are the sole representatives of authority and on them depends that respect for the law which the people must observe. How successful they have been in their task is shown in the comparative freedom from serious crime. No other new country was ever opened up in such an orderly manner with as few acts of violence and as little lawlessness. To accomplish this has required a rigid discipline which has trained men to meet, with clear judgment and unflinching courage, every emergency as it arises. The *Mounties* must possess the courage of a soldier, the skill of a woodsman and pliancy and many other such vigorous attributes, and in addition must display almost the skill of a diplomat. For, although the sternest measures are used when necessary, the country is not ruled by force but by respect for the law which is drilled into the inhabitants by the mounted police. Among their most difficult tasks is that of keeping peace among the Indians, many of whom are as restless as before the white man came to this continent. It is not an uncommon thing for the report to record a trip taken by a single officer to a tribe on the verge of war, which it has been his duty to pacify and restore to order. The general welfare of the country also receives their attention and the reports contain full information of the progress of the various districts in agriculture, stock-raising, mining, etc.

The work of exploration is included in their duties and considerable information regarding new districts is given. The force is composed of six hundred and twenty-nine men. These include all kinds. Regarding a certain class of men a paragraph from Constable Perry's report is illuminating. He says: "I regret that I was obliged to dismiss forty-four men from the service. They have important duties to perform and the public rightly expect from them a high standard of conduct." To get a better class of recruits he suggests a shorter term of enlistment and higher pay.

Occasional flashes of humor brighten the pages. For instance in speaking of juvenile offenders confined at Calgary the report of Provost Petrus tells that the matron entered the room where the boys were confined and asked what they were doing. "Please, m." quoth the eldest, "we are playing at breaking into a bank." In the west the young idea learns how to do many things besides how to shoot.

The difficulties of maintaining order have been increased by the antics of the Doukhobor fanatics. A complete account is given of the trouble experienced with the bands who insisted on roaming the prairies in a state of nature. The foreign element furnishes the strouppers with a large part of their work. In telling of a cold blooded murder of a Chinaman by another, the survivor is quoted as saying calmly "good." This paragraph ends with the remark: "The small regard which some of these foreigners have for human life is something appalling."

In pursuing their calling the police of the west face death almost every day. One constable was foully murdered while watching for burglars who had already committed a number of crimes. Among the many arduous tasks which the force undertakes none are more strenuous than the long trips overland on horseback, or in winter with the sleds, and down turbulent rivers in frail canoes.

Inspector Jarvis took a trip to Herschel Island situated in north latitude 69 degrees, 33 min., to investigate the whaling trade and the treatment meted out to the natives. At this time he took a trip of 2,000 miles in a whaling vessel. A "usual winter patrol" of a thousand miles from Dawson to Fort McPherson is merely casually mentioned.

Even fish stories creep into this remarkable report. One of the inspectors of the northern section tells of seeing deep water trout "75 pounds large; some are said to be larger."

Conditions in the Yukon are pictured in an encouraging light. The assistant commissioner says that the dance halls, which had a lingering death but are at last suppressed. A number of men who were supposed to live on the profits of the country and many women also. There are no regularly conducted gambling games and any attempts to gamble in a public place is promptly suppressed. A grim hint of the dangers of life in the north is given in the following paragraph. "We still adhere to the practice of keeping a register of the persons in each boat that leaves White Horse. If a person is missing on its arrival in Dawson, the occupants have to give an account of the missing one." There is another side of life in the Yukon, however. Particulars are given of a farm of one hundred acres which with only the labor of two owners, yields produce which sells for \$8,750. Sgt. Donaldson tells of a thrilling experience on Hudson's Bay in a coasting boat, when his party were overtaken by a storm. For two days and three nights they were unable to prepare any food; their clothes and bedding were soaked and they could see no sleep; their stock of fresh water ran out and finally when totally exhausted they were forced to beach the boat, and thus escaped. Many adventures are referred to, many more are hinted at, and reading between the lines one can see in the lives of the northwest police peril and dangers encountered that never appear in an official report. What these men have done for Canada cannot be estimated and among the traditions which future generations of Canadians will cherish none will grow more brightly than those which surround the work of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police.

MUWAGGAR.

Above the walls of Muwaggar There is no blot on all the blue, Only the vulture veering through The azure spaces faint and far.

Within the gates of Muwaggar There is no wonder but the wind; Only the mole, that burrower blind, Where prone the once proud portals are.

Along the streets of Muwaggar There is no smoke of sacrifice; No galloping haid in yonder wise, To any low or lordly Lar.

Silence and Death in Muwaggar Have held supreme their citadel; How long no tongue of man may tell, Without or let or ban or bar.

Silence and Death in Muwaggar Will keep their triumph stronghold still; Aye, even until the Eternal Will Sunder from space the sun and star.

SHAMROCK.

There's a little green plant that grows over the sea, And the emerald leaves that it numbers are three, But though far from old Erin her sons may depart Each carries that little green plant in his heart.

It comes from the glens where the wild waters meet, It is sweet with the smoke of the pipe and the peat, And breathes to his spirit the promise of spring.

Oh, the lad who was small when he came to New York May forget his old home in the county of Cork, The harp of his fathers may be but a name, And he'll bid in a banish no more he may claim.

But lo! when the drums of St. Patrick play roll, And the music is thrilling the core of your soul, He is sure to appear at the very first note With a little green shamrock displayed on his coat.

For the roses of England may wave o'er the world, And the lilies of France in their whiteness unfold, But the heart of the Irishman ever is true To the little green shamrock all eternally dear.

The shamrock that sprang from a blood orange raised a cry and began to split blood. She had swallowed the broken point of a needle of an infection syringe. It was removed and was found still to contain a certain quantity of red aniline dye. When the remainder of the packet of oranges was examined it was discovered that they had all been injected with a solution of saccharin and red aniline coloring. This process has long been known to give ordinary oranges the appearance of blood oranges.—Paris Edition New York Herald.

JOHNSON'S CELEBRATION DEPENDS ON WIFE'S COLOR

Galveston, Tex., Mar. 15.—If the colored prize fighter, Jack Johnson, who is to arrive here next Thursday, cannot deny that he has a white wife, a demonstration being arranged by Galveston negroes in his honor, will be abandoned. It is planned to meet Johnson at the train with a band and a long line of carriages for a parade over the city. Receptions and other functions are also scheduled but leaders of the movement said today that all hinged on the truth or falsity of reports as to the white wife. Reception committees said that they considered that Johnson's marriage to a white woman would be a violation of the laws and customs of the country of his birth. CHICAGO, Ill., Mar. 15.—Johnson emphatically denied tonight that his wife was a white woman. "My Johnson," said the fighter, "is three-quarters negro blood, and I did not marry her in Australia. Her maiden name is Hattie Smith and we were married in Mississippi about two and a half years ago. She went to Australia from London."

NICARAGUA DISCLAIMS ANY WARLIKE INTENT

But United States Will Keep Six Battleships on the Coast Just for Emergencies.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Mar. 15.—Nicaragua, through her minister here, Senor Espinosa, protested to Secretary Knox today that the military and naval activities in progress in that country are entirely for defensive purposes, that she does not contemplate any attacks on her sister republics and that conditions are quiet within her borders.

Notwithstanding the Minister's assertion of Nicaragua's peaceful intentions towards her neighbors, the administration has decided to augment the naval force in Central American waters to the total of six vessels. Besides the Honduras, the armored cruisers Maryland and Washington are to remain on the west coast, the former going to Costa Rica, Salvador, and the latter to Corinto.

SUSPICIOUS CHARACTER GOT THREE MONTHS

RICHMOND, N. B., Mar. 15.—The man looking like a negro but who says he is a Russian and calling himself George White, and who last week appeared at Hattie Smith's and demanded food, is now in jail here on a charge of conspiracy. Magistrate J. Watson sentenced him to three months' imprisonment. His hands are dirty with the evidence of having been lately freed.

DOWNIE FOUND GUILTY.

The court room was crowded to the doors yesterday afternoon at the closing session of the Downie case and intense interest was taken in the addresses by Judge McLeod, Milton Price for the defendant, and the Attorney General.

In charging the jury Judge McLeod referred to remarks made about the manner in which the Simms Co. conducted their office and said it was no doubt a well conducted office. As far as the police were concerned if they were to believe that Downie was guilty it was their duty to lay the case to rest.

The prisoner had nothing to say and was remanded to jail.

WHY AM I ILL? HOW TO TELL.

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MONCTON OFFICER SHOT AT FROM WOODS While Trying to Dispossess Wm. Green.

House Defended by Mrs. Green, and Husband Is Suspected of Shooting—Fear for Safety of Pollard's Companion.

MONCTON, N. B., March 15.—Sheriff McQueen and Constables Stevenson, of Moncton, and McArthur, of Shediac, today figured in an exciting shooting episode at Meadow Brook, the scene of the Dutch tragedy of a few years ago.

Sheriff McQueen had papers for debt against Carrie Green, wife of William Green, and accompanied by the constables went to the Green home this morning to dispossess the family. William Green was not at home apparently, and Mrs. Green refused the officers' admittance.

She barred the doors and informed the sheriff she was sorry he had not stayed longer as she was going to be shot. The sheriff replied he was there to do his duty and would take chances on the sheriff's shot. He demanded admittance and threatened to break down the doors, but this had no effect.

The shot struck McArthur at the back door, and Constable McArthur, at the front door, a rifle shot rang out in the woods 150 yards distant and a bullet embedded itself in the casing close to McArthur's head. Naturally, being fired upon from ambush created some confusion, but the officers finally forced their way into the house and took possession.

The shot harmed the woman, and Mrs. Green and her mother went to the woods to try and quiet the man of whom the officers had caught by a glimpse. No further shots were fired.

Sheriff McQueen took possession of the house, seized an organ and carried it off, and locked up the house. The amount involved in the action against Mrs. Green is about \$20.

The shooting occurred at the scene of the Dutch murder which furnished such a sensational trial and has created more than ordinary interest. William Green is a brother of the late Mrs. Draper. Sheriff McQueen said tonight that a warrant would be issued at once for the arrest of Green on charge of shooting at an officer, the officer being Constable McArthur, who fired the shot from ambush.

Mrs. Oliver Morrell has sought the aid of the police in locating her husband who left home last week with a Hebrew named Robert Hall, ostensibly to purchase a house in Moncton. Mrs. Morrell has not heard of him by the family since and his wife fears something has happened to him.

Two hundred officers led by the police tonight and kept him nothing of Morrell's whereabouts. He said he had left a piece of ice some where along the north line, Morrell's feet having given out and he being unable to walk further. As no tidings of Morrell have been heard since so far as known here, it is feared his body may have been well as the police have promised to start tomorrow to find the place where he left Morrell.

The G. T. P. commissioners have made an advance in price of the land taken from the railroad. The first offer was \$100 and today the price was increased to \$150, which will be considered by the council tomorrow night.

MRS. CHAPMAN WINS.

Inter-Faction Disagreement of Rubinstein Club Apparently Settled by Largely Section of Club.

(Bangor Commercial.) Bangor people who follow the doings of the Rubinstein club of New York City, which Mrs. H. Chapman is director and Mrs. Chapman, secretary and treasurer, will be interested to know that the faction led by Mrs. Chapman, has been apparently successful in the inter-faction disagreement which has been troubling the organization for some time and it is now thought that everything will go along smoothly.

A New York paper of recent date says: "The members of the Rubinstein club yesterday swore allegiance to their president, Dr. Adelaide Wallerstein, and decided to run things their own way, while consulting their officer. At present the organization, which is the oldest musical club of women in the country, is practically without an official head, although the rebellious faction is headed by Mrs. William R. Chapman, corresponding secretary."

"Two hundred old members who gathered together in the afternoon in the Myrtle room at the Waldorf-Astoria were a firm and determined lot. The majority were there to join in the cry of 'Down with the Wallerstein rule!'"

A few sided with the absent officer. It was decided by Mrs. Samuel J. Kramer, and only members who could give the membership, were permitted to pass the two guards stationed at the door. For at least two hours they kept at it, with the result that a committee of five was chosen to nominate a new president and to report at the meeting to be held in the club rooms on March 23.

The resolution adopted yesterday, passed over by the new faction, was that the secretary and treasurer and she is authorized to get possession of them in any way possible.

"The new irascible dates from January of this year, when Mrs. Wallerstein was elected president, to serve for five years. The seceders affirm that the club members were not fully notified of the election and that they there-

SMALLPOX CAUSING TROUBLE IN HALIFAX

Summons Issued for Concocting a Case and Several for Breaking Quarantine—Unvaccinated Children Excluded From Schools.

HALIFAX, Mar. 15.—A summons has been issued in the police court by the city health department charging concocting of smallpox. The health laws require that anyone contracting an infectious disease is required to report it to the city medical officer within 15 hours, also that any physician attending such a case and knowing it to be an infectious disease must report the case.

The other parties will be summoned charged with entering and leaving houses while the latter were under quarantine.

Tomorrow is the date fixed for unvaccinated children to be denied admittance to public schools, and refusal in some cases promise to make trouble as some parents object to vaccination of their children, particularly those not of strong and robust.

In accordance with a resolution of the board of 14th school principals were notified to permit no unvaccinated children in the schools after March 15 and in all cases doubt as to vaccination teachers are to demand certificates of successful vaccination from some qualified medical practitioner.

BRYAN RECEPTIVE IF NOT ACTIVE CANDIDATE

The Payne Bill—Mills Closing and Wages Being Reduced.

CHICAGO, Ill., March 15.—William J. Bryan, in an interview today, left the impression that he would be a receptive if not an active candidate for the United States Senate from Nebraska in 1911, to succeed Senator J. Burton.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 15.—The Payne tariff bill will be introduced in the house tomorrow immediately after the President's message is read. It is understood that several matters of importance remain unsettled. Mr. Payne will issue a statement to accompany the bill.

RICHMOND, W. Va., March 15.—The mills of the Richmond Pulp and Paper Company will close down indefinitely Tuesday night. They employ over 200 men.

HAIRSBURG, Pa., March 15.—The Pennsylvania steel company, one of the largest of the independent steel companies in the country, has announced a reduction in wages approximately ten per cent, effective April 1.

BALTIMORE, Md., March 15.—A general reduction in wages at Sparrows Point, amounting to ten per cent, and affecting all divisions of the company today, approximately 1,500 men will be affected.

BOSTON, Mass., March 15.—Alfred A. Fleming, coach one of the best known artists and decorators in Boston, dropped dead of heart disease to-night near his home in Worcester. Mr. Fleming was born in Paris, 65 years ago. He decorated several of the best theatres in Boston. He is survived by a widow and two daughters.

fore had no chance to vote. "One of the strongest members of the new faction is Miss Anna Rhodes, an expert on parliamentary procedure. Rhodes said that out of the 800 members of Rubinstein 236 were heard from yesterday, either in person or by proxy."

"When the dues were paid last October it was stated in the prospectus that a series of six meetings would be given by the club, one each month, under the direction of Mrs. Newhouse, and that three evening concerts, in charge of William R. Chapman would be included in the winter entertainment. It is demanded by the new organization that this arrangement be carried out, and that the money already paid into the club for this purpose be used to defray the expenses."

"No one would say whether Mrs. Wallerstein had or had not been officially notified that she no longer had a club to preside over, or at least she could not count the majority of her members on her side. That she knew of the intended meeting was disclosed by the fact that she issued a bulletin to the members describing the action of Mrs. Chapman, and few followers, pleading with them to stand by her and concluding with a promise to continue to devote her time, energies and skill to the interests of the club, as she had done in the past. Mrs. Wallerstein would say nothing about her future plans and she would not discuss the action of her club associates."

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MANY ARRIVE FOR MEETING

Delegates From All Parts of Canada

Rev. Mr. Bowen Discusses Great Work Being Carried On

Delegates from all parts of the Dominion are arriving in the city to take part in the annual meeting of the Canadian Bible Society the opening season of which convenes tomorrow.

The organization which is a corporate branch of the British Foreign and Bible Society is an institution whose influence extends all over the world. Its purpose is to supply every inhabitant of the earth with a Bible in the tongue that he understands and at a cost that he can easily afford. The task is a stupendous one and the organization and system necessary to bring it to a successful conclusion, as seen in the association in question is best indicative of the missionary spirit of the times.

The scope of the Canadian society of the Bible to every man coming into Canada from abroad.

In conversation with The Sun last night the Rev. Mr. Bowen of London, Ontario, spoke interestingly of the work being carried on. He said: "The settlers in 1805 numbered 1,300, speaking forty-seven tongues; in 1806, 2,215, speaking sixty tongues, and in 1807 over 27,000, speaking seventy languages. This needs no further explanation than the statement of the facts to show Canada by her foreign immigration is assimilating people from almost every country."

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POLICE STILL LOOKING FOR GIRL'S SLAYER

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 Search for Revolver Will be Made Today—Inquest Resumed Friday

HAMILTON, Ont., Mar. 15.—For the first time in over two weeks Hamilton has the opportunity to sit back and calmly survey the Kinrade tragedy. The city has been deserted by the army of newspaper correspondents, attracted from all parts of the country, and it appears to be taken for granted that nothing new will develop until Coroner Anderson's jury resumes the investigation, Friday evening. It is doubtful if the inquest can be closed with another session.

Thinks He Saw Her

When Chas. Hosack goes on the stand he will be asked to identify clothing. He is the witness who thinks he saw Ethel Kinrade passing his house at 2 o'clock on the afternoon of the murder. He could not positively identify her, but he described the girl's clothing to his daughter, who was quite sure it was Ethel. It is evident that if the jury is to return anything but an open verdict the authorities will have to furnish considerably more evidence than they have produced yet.

LIBERALS LEAD BY THREE SEATS

WINNIPEG, Mar. 15.—Nominations for the Alberta legislature were held today. There are a number of constituencies in which an election has been deferred. The following were elected by acclamation: Conservatives—Leo St. Anne, D. H. Lent, and LaCombe, W. P. Huff; Liberals—Falkner, F. E. Leesard; Pembina, H. W. McKenny; Sedgewick, Charles Stewart; Sturgeon, J. R. Boty; Victoria, F. A. Walker.

FLAGELLATION AT A PERSIAN FESTIVAL

The Head Cutting Rite at Constantinople.

Mohammedan Fanatics Who Hack Themselves With Swords and Knives or Lash Themselves With Chains.

No more ghastly spectacle is to be seen from the harbor, some of them from the St. Mark's Scorpion. The fast fading light and the call to prayer by a hoia on a minaret that overlooked the broken corner of the wall told the assembly that the sun had set and that the tenth day of Muharram had begun. A low murmur came from the arch upon which all eyes were turned; then the clang of cymbals and the slow beat of drums and the monotonous of several piping Persian horns. The instruments would clang their unmuffled noise for a moment, then the chant would lift, coming nearer; then a heave of many

Two men bearing paper lanterns came slowly out of the arch. Behind them came black robed figures, carrying long poles draped in crapes, brass crowns and brass garlands at the top; then a double line of black robed men carrying black and green sashes, with Arabic texts worked across them in silver. Each flagbearer held with one hand the point of the flag borne in front of him. At the tops of the flagstaffs are open hands in brass.

The chanting, interrupted by thrills and heaves of the chests comes nearer, and the flare of torches begins to show through the archway. Three horses, each laden with a black and green flag, are led out by black robed men carrying axes of the shape of those used in Crusader days.

The second horse is canopied in white cloth splattered with blood; two long swords crossed over his back are fastened there, with two living doves tied to them. For, according to the Mohammedan story, when Hussein was killed fighting for the faith, his white horse covered with blood came back to the tent of his sister with two white birds riding upon the saddle. On the third horse sits a boy representing Hussein, clad in white and dripping human blood.

Several priests with large turbans now appear. Sometimes they wipe the tears from their eyes, while one, turning to the followers, stops the chanting and the music and recites part of the story. Or, holding a copy of the Koran in one hand, he may appear to read a verse. It does not matter that there is not light enough for him to see the letters, for every educated Mohammedan knows the book of the prophet word for word.

The cymbals clang again and the chant is renewed. In spite of the cold the chests of the devotees who follow bare and at every bar of the chant they strike themselves a blow which drives the breath from their bodies audibly.

Men carrying in baskets of fire on poles illuminate the procession for it is meant to be spectacular and affecting. The first group of self-torturers is composed apparently of very poor men who cannot afford robes and perhaps do not possess weapons; nevertheless their picturesque ragged and their earnest faces worked to frenzy are striking to the vision of the Occidental onlookers.

The second group is clad in long, black shirts with a round hole a foot or more in diameter, showing their backs before the sun. As they chant they swing a short wooden rod with a score or more half-inch iron chains first over one shoulder, then over the other. Their backs are already black with bruises and lacerated.

"Hussein! Hussein!" shouted in heavy, quick tones, signals the appearance of 40 white robed men brandishing long Arab sabres and double bladed knives.

This is the sight we came to see, and we have the first place against the ropes, only a line of Turkish soldiers, bayonets fixed between us and the fanatics. They pass so close that we could touch them; steam rises from them to mingle with the heavy smoke of the torches; drops of blood are felled about by the waving sword. We recoil; but the crowd is massed behind us.

"Don't be frightened madam," comes an English voice from a tall man in a Turkish uniform and fez; "it is not their own blood, they have killed a calf and poured the blood over themselves."

The one time British subject tries by untried words to encourage the ladies, and he helps them into the office of a

European rug buyer, from whose low upper balcony they may view the scene and be rid of the realism. To the chant "Hussein! Hussein!" the Persians in white brandishing their knives from time to time draw them across their naked scalps, of which a round patch has been shaved for the occasion. Sometimes too ardent men bring the weapons down with force upon their heads, cutting through to the skull, sometimes their swords have to be taken from them; sometimes they fall to the ground from loss of blood.

Each parade moves around the square only twice, yet in this time the clothes of the participants are dripping with blood. Blood covers their faces, their heads and necks, flows from their chins down upon their sleeveless shirts, and finally drips upon the snow covered ground. Friends who accompany the devotees tear their shirts and bind up their heads.

The beating of the cymbals and the chant growing fainter the parade passes out of another arch, only to be succeeded in ten minutes or a quarter of an hour by another similar in effect but with a less or greater number of penitent head cutters. For every Persian chant ends its deputation.

This performance enacted on the day set aside to commemorate the deaths of Hussein and Hussein is carried out by the faithful Shiites in expiation of their sins of the year. Belonging to the Sunnite sect of Muslims the Turks are not observers of the day.

HELLO FOR BIGANY, HE SAYS IT WAS HIS TWIN BROTHER

Assures the Court That Tweedledum Married the Complainant, While He Is Tweedledee.

NEW YORK, March 15.—George, or Thomas, Pilgrim, who appeared before the Yorkville Police Court today to answer to the charge of bigamy, told the court that he was the unfortunate tweedledum of a perfectly regular pair of twins and that tweedledee is the man who married Mrs. Susan Morris Pilgrim, the complaining witness against him.

George, or Thomas, did not know just where tweedledum was at present, but he was very certain that could be found and brought before the light of justice he would immediately resign upon the shoulders of his twin brother.

After making this differentiation the prisoner explained further that he was George Pilgrim, and that his blood relative was Thomas. Hence it must be against Thomas Pilgrim that Mrs. Susan Morris Pilgrim must pay her complaint. He didn't want the court to have any doubts of the cold fact that he was George, a respectable monogamist.

He was held in \$500 bail on a charge of bigamy.

Susan Morris, of Baltimore, said she was Mrs. Pilgrim No. 1. She said that they were married by the Rev. H. J. Johnston at Mariner's Harbor, S. I., on September 1, 1901. They had two children, and Pilgrim disappeared about two years ago. She learned recently where he was living, and promptly dropped in to see him. A woman asked what she wanted of him.

"I am his wife," replied Mrs. Pilgrim.

"Indeed you are not!" said the other woman. "I am Mrs. Pilgrim!"

She produced a certificate showing that on July 26, 1903, Charles Day had been married to George Pilgrim by the Rev. Frank A. Schofield, pastor of the Sixty-first Street Methodist Episcopal Church.

Pilgrim denied ever having married Susan Morris Pilgrim.

Dr. Raymond was the guest of honor at the 25th anniversary of the church. The services in connection with the 25th anniversary of Rev. Dr. Raymond as pastor of St. Mary's church were brought to a close last evening with an enjoyable reunion of the church members. Before the evening closed Dr. Raymond was made the recipient of a gold watch, while Mrs. Raymond was also remembered.

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St. Mary's Scene of Happy Event

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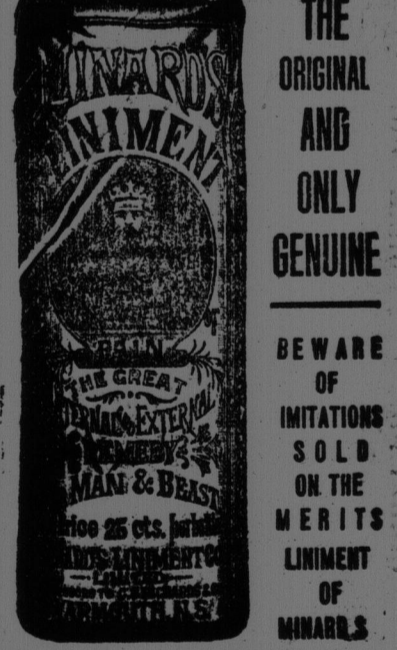
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CONCORD, N. H., Mar. 15.—Clearing up the mystery which has surrounded the state prisoner here for two years ago and accompanying the confession by a revelation of a life of crime which has completed desperate deeds from one side of the continent to the other and from Canada to Texas, John Doe, sentenced for life for the killing of Giuseppe Gulanti at Newmarket Junction, is today being an attempt to escape after the robbery of the Lady Carrier shoe factory in Dorcy, has disclosed to Warren Scott, that his real name is James Bludso, and that he was born in Sarnia, Ont., thirty-three years ago.

Safe Cracked
On February 10, 1906, the safe at the Lady Carrier shoe factory in Dorcy was blown. The payroll usually deposited in the office, was not in the safe at the time, however, and the burglars secured little money. They were traced to the station and found to have taken the St. John express at night for Boston. The conductor of the train was notified to arrest the men. At Newmarket Junction he found two suspicious characters in the smoking car and ordered them to surrender. Both drew guns and fired. Giuseppe Gulanti, an innocent laborer, was hit and killed, while the burglars jumped from the train. They were captured after a wild chase. Joseph Gould was sentenced to serve thirty years, and his companion, who would give no name, was sentenced under the name of John Doe, to serve a life sentence.

Recently Doe has evinced a willingness to talk to the warden and during his talks has confessed to scores of crimes, many of which Warden Scott has investigated and found to be true. Bludso's own story is that he was born in Sarnia, Ont., 33 years ago, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bludso. His parents died or deserted him when he was fourteen years old and from that time he took up the life of the street. He early gained the nickname of "Canada Bob," and his first companion in crime was "Canada Bob." The first job to which "Canada Bob" confessed, and which has been authenticated, was the wrecking of the bank at Lancaster, Ont., on April 28, 1905. His companions at this time were "Canada Bob," "Chi," Eddy, "Liverpool or Pool Tom," "Fiasco Yellow" and "Six Foot Tom." The latter was returned, but finally escaped and "Chi" Eddy was killed.

The gang next made headquarters at Milwaukee, Wis., and while looking about for a "safe" break, Bludso's companions broke with him and he went to Wino, Mich., where with "Pool Tom" a bank was entered and "Pool Tom" was killed, on October 13, 1905. A new crowd was formed and the bank at Farmington, Que., was broken into and the men got away with the loot. Warden Scott states that Bludso has confessed many other crimes to him, but as he had not had the opportunity of verifying the other stories he will not give them out at the present time.

TRAGEDY OF THE FAMOUS
GREAT WALL OF CHINA

English Explorer Relates Interesting Facts
About Mysterious Land.

LONDON, March 15.—William Edgar Gell has reached London on his way to America after exploring the Chinese wall from the sea to the farthest west. He intends to write a description of the wall and tell the story of how and by whom it was built. "China seems to be the most interesting and most important country in the world yet undeveloped," said Mr. Gell. "The Chinese have great historical records, the people are already awakening. They are among the most energetic and most progressive of peoples, and are becoming a tremendous military power, and troops are being systematically trained in the villages everywhere. China has 80,000,000 people and 60,000,000 could go to war, leaving 20,000,000 to cultivate the soil. "The Chinese have great historical and imperial traditions and the time is coming when they will command the most serious attention of the world. Physically the country is surpassingly rich in picturesque valleys and fertile mountains, while the stupendous rivers cut out an enormous commerce. The modern spirit is crystallizing in all directions. "Within an eight-day's mule journey of Tibet I found young men playing football and baseball. Within five days of Tibet I found an American engineer constructing a great steel truss bridge over the Yellow river. While one of the cableways was being sunk a drought ensued and the people became excited, asserting that the salmon had caught and was holding the dragon's tail. The American hurried away to the viceroys, who was modern in his ideas. The latter said: "You go on with the work and I will look after the dragon's tail. The work then proceeded under a strong military guard. Through the day of Leuchow in the northwest provinces I found there an American built modern bridge. "The mountain mule is the most remarkable beast in China. It goes up mountains 10,000 to 14,000 feet high like a goat. When the ascent becomes so steep that the rider cannot keep to the saddle, he simply slides off behind, seizes the mule's tail and goes straight along. The mule does not mind it a bit. The Chinese like the mule so much that they sometimes have him done in gold. I found a district where a gold mule disappeared simultaneously with the disappearance of a wealthy tourist, and it is asserted that the district has never had any luck since. "The American missionaries are doing great work in all parts of China. Some of them are among the most scholarly and powerful men that represent America in any capacity abroad."

ALL SIGNS POINT TO THE
RETURN OF GOOD TIMES

Trade Figures Tell the Story—Increase in Imports—First One Recorded in Fourteen Months.

CITY OF HALIFAX
LOSES ITS SUIT

HALIFAX, March 15.—The city of Halifax must pay the full amount of the Neptune Water Meter Company's bill and costs of the action brought by the company. This at least is the effect of the decision handed down by Judge Lawrence today. His lordship has decided that the fourteen hundred meters stored on the Plant line which are the property of the city and that the city must pay for the whole 2,100 contracted for. The company's bill is \$18,865 and the expenses of the suit will amount to eight or nine hundred dollars more.

JOHNNIE, 17, LOYAL
TO SWEETHEART, 28

Woman Arrested for Altering Marriage License, the Boy Remains Steadfast.

HARRISBURG, March 15.—The troubles of little Johnnie Jones and his sweetheart, George A. Hovertar, with the result that the sweetheart is in jail for court in default of \$300 bail. The woman is Emma Harris, 28 years old. Jones is only 17. The charge on which the woman was held is altering a marriage certificate. Jones admits to having known the Harris woman for two years past, but that it has only been nine months since he began "going with her." Stronous objections have been made to the friendship between Jones and Emma Harris, according to testimony, and this apparently led the woman into trouble.

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APPEARS IN CHURCH
DISGUISED AS DEVIL

Worshipper Was Praying for Protection From Satan's Intrigues.
POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., March 15.—The authorities are looking for a man who tried to break up a prayer meeting in the Methodist church at Poughkeepsie, a hamlet, by appearing before the meeting disguised as the devil. There were seventeen persons at prayer, and a worshipper was asking that the congregation be protected from the intrigues of Satan, when footsteps were heard in the vestibule. Then the door opened and the vision stopped, thumping on the floor with a pitchfork. The intruder wore a black mask, a pair of horns, a long black cape, from beneath which the end of a long tail was visible. A man arose from his knees to grapple with the stranger, but "Satan" fled into a snowstorm. There is complete mystery as to the identity of the masked visitor.

RAPS SOCIETY
RAHTER BARBER

Gamble at Will, Says Mr. Magee
MORAL REFORM
Subject of Discussion in Queen Square Church—Three Great Evils.

In Queen Square church last night the Rev. H. B. Magee, field secretary of the Moral Reform Council of the Methodist Church in Canada, talked interestingly of the progress of the movement. He emphasized most strongly the great need of a more vigorous policy of social reform and exposed its immediate prosecution as the most important factor in the development of Canada's national life. Mr. Magee spoke more particularly of the three evils which he believed were chiefly inimical to the country's welfare. These were intemperance, gambling and prostitution. Speaking of intemperance, Mr. Magee stated that it was deadly and grew the most formidable curse to be met with in its elimination, however, was merely a matter of time. The British house of peers, or of peers as it was sometimes called, had decided to throw out the licensing act, but the great house of the nation's brain and brawn was not done with temperance legislation, and the day would come as surely as the sun rises and sets when the liquor traffic would be banished from the civilized world.

FAITHFUL WHALE-MOTHER.

Was Declined to Desert Its Calf and Mat Death.
A telegram from Anacortes, Wash., to the Seattle Post-Intelligencer, under date of July 25, tells the story of a mother whale's love for her dead calf. In a salmon trap near San Juan Island Saturday, when after a month's less from from steel-jacketed bullets, the big finback rolled over on its side and plunged to the bottom. The whale appeared immediately over the place where the small whale met its death. Immediately an alarm was given and an attempt was made to fire at the whale from its position in the diamond in front of the pot of the trap. The attack was commenced at 10 o'clock Saturday morning, when Mr. Lowman and G. H. Wilkins of Anacortes, arrived on board a launch loaded with ammunition. The fish was kept up till 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon when the ammunition was exhausted, and Mr. Lowman returned to the shore for more, leaving the whale as lively and apparently as fresh as before the 40 or 50 charges of lead were fired into its huge black trunk. Large numbers of men in small boats from the neighboring traps watched the struggle for some time, as described as something startlingly exciting. More than 20 men with 40-50 shotguns and three or four men shoving loaded with buckshot clambered on the cappling of the piling into the pot of the trap and the more than three hours fired at the huge black body every time it came to the surface, aiming chiefly at the "blowhole" in the hope of strangling the monster so that he could not "breathe." The fish would respond to the fusillade every time by dashing toward the bottom, flapping his broad black tail so vigorously that the water would be splashing many yards in every direction. Both ends of the traps were opened and all kinds of fish were used to persuade the Leviathan to leave its costly lair. Finally all the rifles for miles around were brought forward and with these a score or more of men took up their positions and began a systematic firing upon the mammal at every opportunity as the whale arose to the surface over the body of its dead calf to "breathe."

CAPTAIN JAMES A.
DAVIS, OF BOSTON, DEAD

Was Commander of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company.
BOSTON, Mass., March 15.—Captain James A. Davis, commander of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, and a resident of Boston, died of heart disease at his home in Lexington tonight. Captain Davis was born in Surrey, Maine, in 1837. He was a 32nd year commander in chief of the Massachusetts consistory. His first wife was Mrs. Annie Hamilton, widow of Owen Hamilton, of Portland, Maine. His second wife, formerly Miss Mary Gately, of Boston, survives. Captain Davis was head of the firm of James A. Davis and Company, cement and builders' materials.

CANADIAN CHAMPION
FIGHTS IN SYRACUSE

Considered a Draw—Got Broken Defeats New York Lightweight.
SYRACUSE, N. Y., March 15.—Before the Syracuse City A. C. here tonight, "Billy" Allen, of Ottawa, Ont., champion featherweight of Canada, met "Kid" Dugan of New York, in a six round bout. The bout was lent considerable interest by reason of the fact that both men are hard after Abe Attell. They met at 124 pounds. While no decision was permitted, most of the experts called it a draw. NEW YORK, March 15.—In a ten round bout before the Marathon A. C. in Brooklyn tonight, Johnny Frayne, the California lightweight, outpointed Bert Keyes of this city, by a good margin. The local boy started the fighting in rushing style, but after the first round Frayne managed to hold him by clever work and outpointed him except in the sixth and seventh rounds.

WHISKERS NEEDED TO
DRINK IN THIS TOWN

Officials of Burlington, N. J., Take Action Cutting Rum Supply.
BURLINGTON, N. J., Mar. 15.—The grand jury is in session and unless you can show a birth certificate, proving that you have been on earth twenty-one years, or your face is sufficiently lightened up to prove that you have graduated from the kindergarten, there is absolutely nothing doing in the way of quenching thirst down this way. Whiskers are taking no more chances on infantile intemperance, since several of their number have been indicted for selling to minors. "No sale of whisky or of beer" is the motto that was draped over the lunch counter in every life-saving station today. There are only half a dozen poteries in town, and they have been stricken with writer's ramp. Those who cannot afford to pay the notaries are picking quarrels with mothers-in-law in order to cultivate a set of wrinkles. A full board can be cashed for a drink in any saloon in town. This has started all the young men proving their manhood and a salaried barber has set aside one razor for personal use in case the desertions among his patrons continue.

THOUSANDS CHEER THE
VETERAN PEDESTRIAN

Edward Payson Weston Starts on His Trip Across the Continent—Especially by Millita and Polio.
NEW YORK, March 15.—Edward Payson Weston, the veteran walker, started from the New York post office building at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon on a 4,300 mile walk to San Francisco. Weston is 71 years of age. Postmaster Morgan started him off and instructed to the old "ped" a message of greeting to the Postmaster in San Francisco. A crowd of several thousand persons gathered in City Hall Park and cheered Weston as he started forth, escorted by a detachment of 20 men from Company B of the Seventh Regiment, headed by a band. The soldiers had a hard time keeping up with the fast gait of the grizzled old walker, so that they stuck to it from the post office to Seventy Second St. Relays of mounted police met Weston at various points along the route up town and escorted him to the City Hall where the Yonkers police performed a similar service. Weston expects to walk to Tarrytown tonight, a distance of thirty miles, and stop there until morning. Dressed in a heavy dark blue jacket, blue trousers and leggings and carrying a light walking stick, he was lively as a boy at the start and eager for the trip. The schedule Weston has mapped out will take him through Troy, Buffalo and Pittsburgh in the time of Chicago Saturday, April 17. He expects to reach the Pacific Coast July 8.

Taft's MESSAGE HELD UP
BY INSURGENT VICTORY

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 15.—Doubt was expressed at the White House today whether President Taft's tariff message would be sent to Congress tomorrow, even if ready. The chaotic conditions in the house due to the victory of the insurgents and Democrats, may continue for several days. In that event the house will be in no shape to receive communications from the White House. As a rule these communications are promptly referred to appropriate committees. Until the committees are provided for and are ready for business it is considered probable that President Taft will withhold his message. GOING HIM ONE BETTER. An American was telling a Frenchman of the wonders of the forty-eight story skyscrapers in New York. "You should see our new hotel in the Rue de Republique," said the Frenchman. "Why, what is there peculiar about it?" "The two top stories are on hinges, so that they can be lowered to let the moon go by"—Lyle Mike.

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COUGH OR COLDS

It can have but one result. It leaves the throat or lungs, or both, affected. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup is the medicine you need. It is without an equal as a remedy for Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Whooping Cough, Quinsy and all affections of the Throat and Lungs. A single dose of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup will stop a cough, soothe the throat, and if the cough or cold has become settled on the lungs, the healing properties of the Norway Pine Tree will proclaim its great virtue by promptly eradicating the bad effects, and a persistent use of the remedy cannot fail to bring about a complete cure. Do not be lugged into buying some cheap Norway Pine Syrup, but be sure and insist on having Dr. Wood's. It is put up in a yellow wrapper, three pine trees on the trade mark, and price 25 cents. Mrs. A. Ellis, Ipswich, Ala., writes: "Last spring I had Typhoid fever and Bronchitis, which left me with a terrible cough. I tried doctor's medicine but got no relief until my husband got me a bottle of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, and before I had finished it my cough was cured. My husband also used it whenever he has a cough. I would not be without it."

HELLO GIRL
VICTIM OF
AN EX-COP

Girl Said to Have Married Bigamist
Uncle Now Making Inquiries—Evans Defeats Moncton Man

MONCTON, N. B., March 15.—Believing suspicious that his niece is married to a former Moncton man with a wife and children, a St. Stephen man is making inquiries of parties here in an effort to clear up his doubts. The girl in the case was formerly an operator in the local telephone office, but belongs to St. Stephen, where she is now living with a man she recently married under the name of Dr. Fred Jones of Halifax. An ex-politician of Moncton, who is now absent from the city, and said to be now in St. Stephen, was paying attention to the young woman in question, although he had a wife and two children in Nova Scotia from whom he had been separated. The St. Stephen girl was married at Milltown by Rev. R. S. Crisp to a man calling himself Dr. Fred Jones of Halifax, three or four weeks ago, but her uncle, it appears, has had his suspicions aroused that all is not straight, and has accordingly set on foot inquiries here to ascertain if possible the true identity of the man his niece has married. The report here is that the party is none other than an ex-member of the Moncton police force, although this, at present, can only be taken as surmise, as nothing definite is known. The girl has property in St. Stephen and was well known, having been night operator in the telephone office here for some time. Reports in circulation as result of her uncle's inquiries have created something of a sensation. Walter Evans of St. John defeated Charlie Smith, local champion, in a mile race in the Victoria rink tonight in close race. The St. John man won by a fifth of a lap, the time being 2:44.5.

NOT AWARE
OF "FRAUDS"

Butler and Pottinger Believe Report of L.C.R. Frauds Was Exaggerated
OTTAWA, Ont., March 15.—The deputy Minister of Railways, M. J. Butler, states that the department of railways has heard nothing of the frauds in regard to the weighing of freight which were reported in the dispatches from Montreal yesterday. "While there may have been an occasional incorrect return of weight owing to the error of an employe or to something worse than error, Mr. Butler is of the opinion that there will be no extensive fraud disclosed. The weighing system is a carefully devised one. Cars have to be weighed in the presence of three men, most of the scales print an automatic record of the weight and every car weighed is liable to be weighed again at some other point. Extensive dishonesty would therefore require collusion between several employes who would have to face the difficulty of an automatically recorded weight and the certainty of being eventually detected through the cars being weighed at some other point. In conversation with The Star last night, General Manager Pottinger of the P. C. E. R. stated that he had heard nothing of the charges other than what appeared in the papers of yesterday. He declined to state whether or not he considered the charges to have any basis in fact, but thought that they had been considerably exaggerated."

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PREACHER HAS RIDDEN
THE GOAT 161 TIMES

Western Man Has Taken 146 Degrees in the Masonic Order.

ENDS HIS LIFE AT 54;
"TOO OLD" FOR WORK

Leaves Letter for Wife Complaining of Inability to Get Employment.

TRUE BILLS AGAINST
GOLDING AND SHORT

The Latter Pleads Guilty to Common Assault
Golding's Trial on Charge of Theft is Now Going On—One Witness Heard Today.

COMMERCIAL

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS
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COMPLAINING WIFE
NAMES EMMA EAMES
Says Husband is Trying to Starve Her Into Leaving House.

PROSPECT OF LIBERTY
MAKES PRISONER SICK
Jail Only Place Old Man Can Keep Out of Quarrels.

DEATHS
McKELVEY—In this city on the 15th inst. Jane, daughter of the late George and Willes McKelvey, aged 45 years.

LOST—Small fox terrier, white, tan face. Please return 168 Union street. 15-2-17.

GIRL WANTED—Apply to Patterson and Co., 107 Germain street. 15-3-17.

TO LET—Self contained upper flat, Lombard St. Enquire BENJAMIN RODEN, 144 Paradise Row. 15-3-17.

TO LET—Corner store to let. Good stand for business. Moderate rent. Apply at once. Box 640, Star Office. 15-3-17.

LOST—A Signet Ring with monogram D. O'N. Finder will confer a favor by leaving at O'NEILL BROS. City Market. 15-3-17.

CRISIS IN FRENCH FINANCIAL
AND NAVAL AFFAIRS

PARIS, March 15.—France is confronted with a big deficit in her revenues. The situation is rendered more serious by a large number of pending socialistic problems, involving heavy drafts on the treasury.

ANOTHER NATURALIST
IS HEADING FOR AFRICA

But Will Not Join the Roosevelt Party—Ex-President Getting Some Work Done Ahead.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

Mon. Tues. C.P. Op. & Noon. C.P. Op. & Noon.

U. S. COLLEGES WANT A
LONGER MEDICAL COURSE

But Decide Not to Make Any Radical Move Just at Present

ANOTHER EFFORT TOWARD
A PERSIAN CONSTITUTION

ST. PETERSBURG, Mar. 15.—The Novoe Vremya publishes a despatch from Teheran saying the Shah of Persia has assented in principle to the urgent recommendations of his Ministers supported by the representatives of the Russian Legation.

FAKE PAINTINGS SEIZED.

PARIS, March 6.—The police have seized a number of paintings which bore the alleged forged signatures of Jean Jacques Henner, Narcisse Diaz, Gustave Courbet and Felix Ziem.

THREE RAILROAD VICTIMS

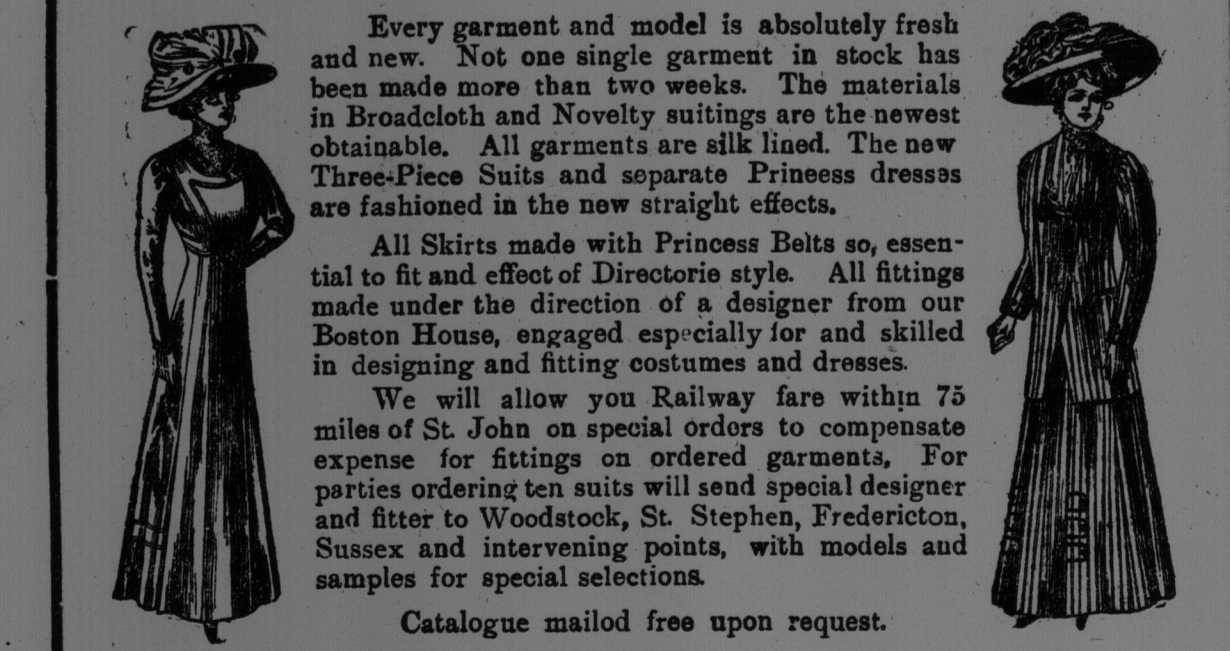
BUFFALO, N. Y., March 15.—Three men, two of them Indians from the Gowaunda Reservation, were run down and killed by trains on railroads centering here during the night.

CIVILIAN, IN DUELS, KILLED
TWO GERMAN OFFICERS

EISENBACH, Germany, March 15.—A civilian fought two duels here today with officers of the army and killed both his opponents. Pistols were used.

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Our Opening of Spring Tailor Made Costumes, Coats and Dresses for Saturday, March 20th, and days of the week following, presents an opportunity of unusual interest to you.



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THE WEATHER

Maritime - Fine today, Wednesday, strong winds and gales southeast to southwest, snow and rain.

LOCAL NEWS

The Boston express was half an hour and the Atlantic express one hour and twenty minutes late this morning.

An alarm was sounded from box 441 about 11.45 o'clock this morning for a slight blaze on the roof of A. E. Harr's blacksmith shop, Market Road.

John Green was accidentally injured on Main street last night by being struck by a street car. He was removed to his home on Canon street.

No old stock or shop worn goods in Pidgeon's Great Clearance Sale. Everything is this season's best and latest footwear. Prices are reduced to clear out all lines and make room for next season's shipments.

One drunk was fined four dollars in the police court this morning. John Deane for profanity and disorderly conduct on Union street, was fined \$4, while Geo. Jones for being disorderly was allowed to go with a caution.

Wm. T. Ramsay, who, for the past eight years, has been in the employ of F. V. Daniel and Co., has severed his connection with that firm and left this morning for New York to spend a few weeks with the New York Window Dressing and Card Writing Service Co. On his return he will enter the employ of Macaulay Bros. and Co.

When the circuit court opened this morning the court room was crowded with spectators who expected that Downie would be sentenced. They were disappointed, however, when no reference was made to the case. Judge McLeod addressed the grand jury on two other cases. It is expected now that Downie will not be sentenced until the close of the present session.

The majority of delegates to the fourth annual meeting of the Canadian Ethical Society will reach the city at noon tomorrow. In the afternoon a session of the executive committee takes place. In the evening there will be a public meeting in Centenary Church, and on Thursday morning and afternoon the business sessions will be held, all in Centenary Sunday School. The local executive meets this afternoon to arrange for the entertainment of delegates and other matters.

DEBATE IN CARLETON

The literary committee of the Epworth League of Carleton Methodist church furnished a very interesting entertainment last evening for the young people of the church and their friends in the form of a debate. The subject was: "Resolved that the enactment of law prohibiting the manufacture, importation and sale of opium would be in the best interests of Canada."

The leader of the affirmative was B. C. Hood, supported by Roy Baskin, Harold Cheyne and Miss Beattie. The leader of the negative was A. Altham, supported by W. G. Haslan, Roy Grinan and Leonard Jenkins. The judges were C. G. Brown, Firth Brittain and Alfred Cooney. The laurels were carried off by the affirmative, the points being three to one.

The debate was very interesting. Rev. J. Heaney presided.

EQUITY COURT.

The Equity Court opened its March session in the Equity Court room this morning at eleven o'clock. His Honor, Chief Justice Barker, Judge in Equity, presided.

The Charlotte county case of the administration and estate of Stephen McAllister, was adjourned until the next session of the court. Dr. L. A. Curry, K. C., for the plaintiffs, applied for the adjournment.

Robinson vs. Danbrooks was adjourned until Friday when a day will be fixed for trial. M. G. Teed, K. C., appeared for plaintiff, and F. R. Taylor for defendant.

The old, familiar many times adjourned case of the Attorney General vs. the John Lumber Co. goes over until the next session of the court, when it will likely be further adjourned. W. B. Dewar, K. C., applied for the adjournment.

In the case of J. Henry Dyer vs. Robert W. McDevitt et al. M. N. Cockburn, K. C., moved for an interim injunction to restrain the defendants from cutting lumber from certain lands in the Parish of St. Patrick, Charlotte county. Same granted until the twenty-ninth instant when a motion to have it continued will be made.

In the case of the Sussex Manufacturing Co. vs. Fred E. Berry, an insolvent, G. W. Fowler moved to have Sheriff Frenze, who assigned, conduct the suit. Motion granted.

In the matter of Elizabeth A. Perkins et al. T. P. Rogers applied for the appointment of a guardian and sale of infants' real estate situated in Northumberland County. Application granted. Court then adjourned until Friday at eleven a. m.

PROBATE COURT

Estate of N. B. Cottle, clerk, intestate. Deceased who had been a volunteer in the South African War returned and subsequently went to Alberts where at Red Deer he lost his life. Petition of the father for administration for the purpose of obtaining the militia grant to which deceased was entitled. Estate valued \$750, besides life insurance. George William Colwell, the father avers in his administration. Mr. George H. V. Belyes, proctor.

17TH OF MARCH WILL BE LOYALLY OBSERVED

Many Entertainments Planned for St. Patrick's Day

Pontifical High Mass at 10 a.m.—Hibernians Parade—Dramatic Productions and Social Entertainments.

St. Patrick's Day which comes tomorrow will be fully and appreciatively observed by the Irishmen of the city. Pontifical High Mass will be celebrated at the cathedral at ten o'clock in the morning and in the other churches services will also be held. The collections will be for the benefit of the orphans of the city.

The Ancient Order of Hibernians will meet at their hall on Union street, at 9:30 and will march to the cathedral to attend mass. After the service they will parade through the principal streets headed by the City Cornet Band. In the evening an At Home will be given in their rooms for the members, their friends and the Ladies' Auxiliary. An interesting programme of Irish music has been arranged for the evening. The route of the parade will be as follows: From cathedral via Richmond Street, Brunsford, to Sydney to north side of King Square, to Charlotte to King to Market Square to Union and back to the hall.

One of the leading features of the day will be the presentation at the Nicks Theatre of a production entitled "The Shamrock and the Rose," by the St. Joseph's Society, for the benefit of the Roman Catholic orphans of the city. The cast of characters is as follows: John Desmond, an outlawed patriot... D. J. Corr, an Irish bachelorette... Edw. Hanneberry, Squire Fitzgerald... J. W. E. Gale, Ned Desmond, brother of John... Frank O'Regan, Barry O'Ready, an Irish bachelorette... Wm. H. Pine, Shan Carey, a spy... Arthur McCluskey, Pat O'Rourke... Will Fitzhery, Capt. Beck... Frank Conlon, Lieut. Douglas... Leonard Conlon, Sgt. Thornton... Bernard Stafford, Of the King's Yeomanry, Soldiers, Peasants, etc.

Specialties between acts, 1 and 2, bango solo, G. D. Davidson.

Between acts 2 and 3, Irish song, selected, Mr. Robt. Buchanan. Between acts 3 and 4, Lancashire clog and Irish jig, Mr. Joe. O'Brien.

This production will be under the personal direction of Mr. L. T. Ritchie. The principal performance will be in the evening, and a matinee will be put on in the afternoon chiefly to allow the orphans of the city to see the play. The orphans from the St. Vincent's Home, and the Industrial School, will attend in a body, and an invitation has also been courteously extended to the children in the Wigmore Institution.

The Irish Literary and Benevolent Society will hold their regular meeting tomorrow night and their musical and literary program will be of a special Irish character. St. John Y. M. A. will present the play "Galway Law" in their hall on Main street in the evening for the benefit of the orphans. In St. Rose's Hall, Fairville, the St. Rose's and St. Patrick Societies unite in presenting "Kathleen Mavourneen." A matinee will be given at three o'clock in the afternoon, and the evening performance at eight p. m. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the orphans in this city in the care of the Sisters of Charity.

NEW SCHOOL AT KINGSTON DEPENDS ON ONE POINT

Whether Sufficient Money Can be Raised - Trustees Hold a Meeting Yesterday.

A meeting of the school trustees of the consolidated districts of Kingston was held yesterday afternoon. Complete arrangements were made for the continuation of school work in the town hall and old school building. There will be no attempt to carry on the manual training, domestic science or other special branches found in the Macdonald school course, but the teachers will conduct only the ordinary common school branches. The vans will be employed as usual, and during that period of the spring, when the river is breaking up and before the ferry starts, the pupils from the continuation of school work in the town hall and old school building.

As regards the rebuilding of the school, a definite decision was not reached. There was some talk on the matter and further discussion will be held early next week. Several members of the trustee board will be in Fredericton on Friday attending the meeting of the Agricultural Association, and when there will have a consultation with Prof. Robertson and the board of education with regard to rebuilding. Opinion in the consolidated district is divided, not so much on the point of the value of the school, as on the financial side. The insurance on the burned building was scarcely more than half the loss and it is felt that in these districts which have already been fairly heavily taxed, the amount still required might not be readily forthcoming. There is, of course, as there always has been in Kingston, some disagreement as to the advantages of the Macdonald school, but it is felt that those who oppose it form only a small minority, and if satisfactory financial arrangements can be made, the opinion is that the school will be rebuilt. Today the Kingston Hall is being put in shape for school work.

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Laundry Notice.

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The interesting window displays, King street, Germain street, and Market Square will suggest a veritable wealth of appropriate schemes for spring.

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